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## GAS CAPTURE PLAN

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|    | Amended |                         |                       | Date:_ | 09/17/2018 | _ |
|    | Reason  | for Amendment:          |                       |        |            |   |
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This Gas Capture Plan outlines actions to be taken by the Operator to reduce well/production facility flaring/venting for new completion (new drill, recomplete to new zone, re-frac) activity.

Note: A C-129 must be submitted and approved prior to exceeding 60 days allowed by Rule 19.15.18.12,A

## Well(s)/Production Facility - SND Section 12 CTB

The well(s) that will be located at the production facility are shown in the table below.

| Well Name                                  | API                                           | Well Location (ULSTR)       | Footages               | Expected MCF/D | Flared or<br>Vented | Comments |
|--------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------------|----------------|---------------------|----------|
| SND 12 01 FED 003<br>No. 1H (WCA)          | Pending                                       | UL:P, SEC 12,<br>T24S, R31E | 367° FSL,<br>1210° FEL | 5000           | 0                   |          |
| SND 12 01 FED 003<br>No. 2H (WCA) <b>3</b> | Pending • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • | UL:P, SEC 12,<br>T24S, R31E | 367° FSL,<br>1235° FEL | 5000           | 0                   |          |
| SND 12 01 FED 003<br>No. 3H (WCA)          |                                               | UL:P, SEC 12,<br>T24S, R31E | 367' FSL,<br>1260' FEL | 5000           | 0                   |          |

# **Gathering System and Pipeline Notification**

These Pad 3 wells will be connected to Chevron's SND Section 12 CTB production facility located in Section 12, T24S – R31E, Eddy County, New Mexico during flowback and production.

Gas produced from the production facility will be dedicated to DCP Operating Company, LP (DCP) and will be connected to DCP's high pressure gathering system located in Eddy County, New Mexico. Produced gas will be processed at one or more of DCP's New Mexico gas plants located in Eddy and Lea Counties. Chevron periodically provides DCP estimated production forecasts for wells that are scheduled to be drilled in the foreseeable future. In addition, Chevron and DCP have periodic conference calls to discuss changes to the forecasts.

## Flowback Strategy

After the fracture treatment/completion operations, wells will be turned to permanent production facilities. Wells will have temporary sand catchers (separators) that will be installed at the well location to prevent sand from getting into the flowlines. These sand separators will be blown down periodically which will result in minimal venting of gas. Gas sales will start as soon as the wells start flowing through the production facilities unless there are operational issues with Enterprise's system at that time. Based on current information, it is Chevron's belief the system can take this gas upon completion of the well(s).

Safety requirements during cleanout operations from the use of underbalanced air cleanout systems may necessitate that sand and non-pipeline quality gas be vented and/or flared rather than sold on a temporary basis.