

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

Carlsbad Field Office

FORM APPROVED
OMB NO. 1004-0137
Expires: January 31, 2018**SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS**
Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to re-enter an
abandoned well. Use form 3160-3 (APD) for such proposals.5. Lease Serial No.
NMNM114978

6. If Indian, Allottee or Tribe Name

7. If Unit or CA/Agreement, Name and/or No.

8. Well Name and No.
FORTY NINER RIDGE 23 FEDERAL 1H9. API Well No.
30-015-40615-00-S110. Field and Pool or Exploratory Area
FORTY NINER RIDGE11. County or Parish, State
EDDY COUNTY, NM**SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE - Other instructions on page 2**

1. Type of Well

☒ Oil Well ☐ Gas Well ☐ Other

2. Name of Operator

CIMAREX ENERGY COMPANY OF CO

Contact: PATRICIA HOLLAND

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3a. Address

600 N MARIENFELD STE 600
MIDLAND, TX 79701

3b. Phone No. (include area code)

Ph: 918.560.7081

4. Location of Well (Footage, Sec., T., R., M., or Survey Description)

Sec 23 T23S R30E SESE 330FSL 600FEL

12. CHECK THE APPROPRIATE BOX(ES) TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA

TYPE OF SUBMISSION

TYPE OF ACTION

☒ Notice of Intent☐ Subsequent Report☐ Final Abandonment Notice☐ Acidize☐ Alter Casing☐ Casing Repair☐ Change Plans☐ Convert to Injection☐ Deepen☐ Hydraulic Fracturing☐ New Construction☐ Plug and Abandon☐ Plug Back☐ Production (Start/Resume)☐ Reclamation☐ Recomplete☐ Temporarily Abandon☐ Water Disposal☐ Water Shut-Off☐ Well Integrity☒ Other
Venting and/or Flaring

13. Describe Proposed or Completed Operation: Clearly state all pertinent details, including estimated starting date of any proposed work and approximate duration thereof. If the proposal is to deepen directionally or recompleat horizontally, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths of all pertinent markers and zones. Attach the Bond under which the work will be performed or provide the Bond No. on file with BLM/BIA. Required subsequent reports must be filed within 30 days following completion of the involved operations. If the operation results in a multiple completion or recompleat in a new interval, a Form 3160-4 must be filed once testing has been completed. Final Abandonment Notices must be filed only after all requirements, including reclamation, have been completed and the operator has determined that the site is ready for final inspection.

Cimarex Energy Co. respectfully requests permission to intermittently flare at the Forty Niner Ridge 23 Federal 1H Flare, approximately 2,079 MCF from January through March 31, 2019, due to high pressure line.

Wells:

Forty Niner Ridge 23 Fed 1H 30-015-40615
Forty Niner Ridge 23 Fed 2H 30-015-40649
Forty Niner Ridge 25 Fed 1H 30-015-41388
Sandy Unit 20H 30-015-41426
Sandy Unit 21H 30-015-41791
Sandy Unit 22H 30-015-41792

Accepted for record
NMOCB
JUL 23 2019
DISTRICT/ARTESIA/O.C.D.

14. I hereby certify that the foregoing is true and correct.

Electronic Submission #465232 verified by the BLM Well Information System
For CIMAREX ENERGY COMPANY OF CO, sent to the Carlsbad
Committed to AFMSS for processing by PRISCILLA PEREZ on 05/14/2019 (19PP2088SE)

Name (Printed/Typed) PATRICIA HOLLAND

Title REGULATORY ANALYST

Signature (Electronic Submission)

Date 05/14/2019

THIS SPACE FOR FEDERAL OR STATE OFFICE USE

Approved By

/s/ Jonathon Shepard

Title

Petroleum Engineer
Carlsbad Field Office

Date

MAY 17 2019

Office

Conditions of approval, if any, are attached. Approval of this notice does not warrant or certify that the applicant holds legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject lease which would entitle the applicant to conduct operations thereon.

Title 18 U.S.C. Section 1001 and Title 43 U.S.C. Section 1212, make it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

(Instructions on page 2)

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Additional data for EC transaction #465232 that would not fit on the form

32. Additional remarks, continued

Sandy Unit 23H 30-015-41793

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Carlsbad Field Office
620 East Greene Street
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220
575-234-5972

Conditions of Approval to Flare Gas

1. Approval not to exceed 180 days from date of submission.
2. All flaring under this request is considered to be "avoidably lost" per 43 CFR 3179.4(a)(2)(i – iii). Volumes for avoidably lost gas shall be reported on OGOR "B" reports as disposition code "33".

Exceptions:

- a. The first 24 hours of a temporary emergency flare is considered "unavoidably lost" and is therefore royalty free (43 CFR 3179.103(a)). Flared volumes that are considered unavoidably lost are not to be included in Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5). These Volumes are not royalty bearing and shall be reported on OGOR "B" as either disposition code "21" or "22".
- b. If the operator believes that the flared volumes were "unavoidably lost", the operator can submit a request via Sundry Notice (Form 3160-5) with justification for an exception in accordance with 43 CFR 3179.4, 3179.101 - 3179.104.