

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

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P.O. BOX 1980
HOBBS, NEW MEXICO 88240

SUNDRY NOTICES AND REPORTS ON WELLS

(Do not use this form for proposals to drill or to deepen or plug back to a different reservoir.
Use "APPLICATION FOR PERMIT—" for such proposals.)

1. OIL WELL ☒ GAS WELL ☐ OTHER ☐	7. UNIT AGREEMENT NAME
2. NAME OF OPERATOR John L. Cox	8. FARM OR LEASE NAME U.S.M.
3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR P. O. Box 2217, Midland, Texas 79702	9. WELL NO. 4
4. LOCATION OF WELL (Report location clearly and in accordance with any State requirements. See also space 17 below.) At surface 1980' FNL, 2180' FEL	10. FIELD AND POOL, OR WILDCAT West Sawyer (San Andres)
	11. SEC., T., R., M., OR BLM. AND SURVEY OR AREA Sec. 27, T-9-S, R-37-E
14. PERMIT NO. 30-025-248 34	15. ELEVATIONS (Show whether DF, RT, GR, etc.) 3965.1' GR
	12. COUNTY OR PARISH Lea
	13. STATE New Mexico

16. Check Appropriate Box To Indicate Nature of Notice, Report, or Other Data

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO:

TEST WATER SHUT-OFF ☐	PULL OR ALTER CASING ☐
FRACTURE TREAT ☐	MULTIPLE COMPLETION ☐
SHOOT OR ACIDIZE ☐	ABANDON* ☒
REPAIR WELL ☐	CHANGE PLANS ☐
(Other) ☐	

SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF:

WATER SHUT-OFF ☐	REPAIRING WELL ☐
FRACTURE TREATMENT ☐	ALTERING CASING ☐
SHOOTING OR ACIDIZING ☐	ABANDONMENT* ☐
(Other) ☐	

(NOTE: Report results of multiple completion on Well Completion or Recompletion Report and Log form.)

17. DESCRIBE PROPOSED OR COMPLETED OPERATIONS (Clearly state all pertinent details, and give pertinent dates, including estimated date of starting any proposed work. If well is directionally drilled, give subsurface locations and measured and true vertical depths for all markers and zones pertinent to this work.)*

Reason to P&A: Uneconomical to operate.

- Propose to spot 100' cement plug @4950' (Perf 4972-5001').
- Propose to spot 100' cement plug 4400' (or casing stub). TOC 4420'. *Cut & pull csg above 4420' (tag plug) ↑*
- Propose to spot 100' cement plug @Base of Salt (Estm @2400').
- Propose to spot 100' cement plug @casing shoe of 8-5/8" casing 4410'. *(tag plug)*
- Propose to spot 10' cement plug @surface with marker.
- Hole will be loaded with mud laden fluid.
- Tentative plugging date - upon approval.

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HOBBS, NM.

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

SIGNED Mark G. LARA TITLE Prod Acctg Mgr DATE 9/2/94

(This space for Federal or State office use)

APPROVED BY (ORIG. SGD.) JOE G. LARA TITLE PETROLEUM ENGINEER DATE 10/5/94

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

w/attachment & above changes.

*See Instructions on Reverse Side

Instructions

General: This form is designed for submitting proposals to perform certain well operations, and reports of such operations when completed, as indicated, on Federal and Indian lands pursuant to applicable Federal law and regulations, and, if approved or accepted by any State, on all lands in such State, pursuant to applicable State law and regulations. Any necessary special instructions concerning the use of this form and the number of copies to be submitted, particularly with regard to local, area, or regional procedures and practices, either are shown below or will be issued by, or may be obtained from, the local Federal and/or State office.

Item 4: If there are no applicable State requirements, locations on Federal or Indian land should be described in accordance with Federal requirements. Consult local State or Federal office for specific instructions.

Item 17: Proposals to abandon a well and subsequent reports of abandonment should include such special information as is required by local Federal and/or State offices. In addition, such proposals and reports should include reasons for the abandonment; data on any former or present productive zones, or other zones with present significant fluid contents not sealed off by cement or otherwise; depths (top and bottom) and method of placement of cement plugs; mud or other material placed below, between and above plugs; amount, size, method of parting of any casing, liner or tubing pulled and the depth to top of any left in the hole; method of closing top of well; and date well site conditioned for final inspection looking to approval of the abandonment.

PRIVACY ACT

The Privacy Act of 1974 and the regulation in 43 CFR 2.48(d) provide that you be furnished the following information in connection with information required by this application.

AUTHORITY: 30 U.S.C. 181 et. seq., 351 et. seq., 25 U.S.C. et. seq.; 43 CFR 3160.

PRINCIPAL PURPOSE: The information is to be used to evaluate, when appropriate, approve applications, and report completion of secondary well operations, on a Federal or Indian lease.

ROUTINE USES: (1) Evaluate the equipment and procedures used during the proposed or completed subsequent well operations. (2) Request and grant approval to perform those actions covered by 43 CFR 3162.3-2(2). (3) Analyze future applications to drill or modify operations in light of data obtained and methods used. (4)(5) Information from the record and/or the record will be transferred to appropriate Federal, State, local or foreign agencies, when relevant to civil, criminal or regulatory investigations or prosecutions.

EFFECT OF NOT PROVIDING INFORMATION: Filing of this notice and report and disclosure of the information is mandatory once an oil or gas well is drilled.

The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1980 (44 U.S.C. 3501, et. seq.) requires us to inform you that:

This information is being collected in order to evaluate proposed and/or completed subsequent well operations on Federal or Indian oil and gas leases.

This information will be used to report subsequent operations once work is completed and when requested, to obtain approval for subsequent operations not previously authorized.

Response to this request is mandatory for the specific types of activities specified in 43 CFR Part 3160

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
CARLSBAD RESOURCE AREA

Permanent Abandonment of Wells on Federal Lands

Conditions of Approval

1. Approval: Plugging operations shall commence within 90 days from the approval date of plugging procedure.
2. Notification: Contact the appropriate BLM office at least 24 hours prior to the commencing of any plugging operations. For wells in Eddy County call (505)887-6544 ; for wells in Lea County call (505) 393-3612.
3. Blowout Preventers: A blowout preventer (BOP), as appropriate, shall be installed before commencing any plugging operation. The minimum BOP requirement is a 2M system for a well not deeper than 9,090 feet; a 3M system for a well not deeper than 13,636 feet ; and a 5M system for a well not deeper than 22,727 feet.
4. Mud Requirement: Mud shall be placed between all plugs. Minimum consistency of plugging mud shall be obtained by mixing at the rate of 25 sacks (50 pounds each) of gel per 100 barrels of water. Minimum nine (9) pounds per gallon.
5. Cement Requirement: Sufficient cement shall be used to bring any required plug to the specified depth and length. Any given cement volumes on the proposed plugging procedure are merely estimates and are not final.

Unless otherwise specified in the approved procedure, the cement plug shall consist of either class "C" , for up to 7,500 feet of depth, mixed at 14.8 lbs./gal. with 6.3 gallons of fresh water per sack or class "H" , for deeper than 7,500 feet plugs, mixed at 16.4 lbs./gal. with 4.3 gallons of fresh water per sack.
6. Dry Hole Marker: All casing shall be cut-off at the base of the cellar or 3 feet below final restored ground level (whichever is deeper). The well bore shall then be capped with a 4-inch pipe, 10-feet in length, 4 feet above ground and embedded in cement. The following information shall be permanently inscribed on the dry hole marker: Well name and number, the name of the operator, the lease serial number, the surveyed location (the quarter-quarter section, section, township and range or other authorized survey designation acceptable to the authorized officer; such as metes and bounds).
7. Subsequent Plugging Reporting: Within 30 days after plugging work is completed, file one original and five copies of the Subsequent Report of Abandonment, Form 3160-5 to BLM. The report should give in detail the manner in which the plugging work was carried out, the extent (by depths) of cement plugs placed, and the size and location (by depths) of casing left in the well. Show date well was plugged.

Following the submittal and approval of the Subsequent Report of Abandonment, surface restoration conditions of approval will be developed and furnished to you.