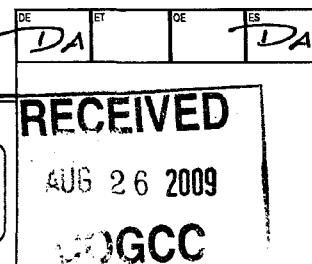




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SUNDRY NOTICE

Submit original plus one copy. This form is to be used for general, technical and environmental sundry information. For proposed or completed operations, describe in full on Technical Information Page (Page 2 of this form.) Identify well or other facility by API Number or by OGCC Facility ID. Operator shall send an informational copy of all sundry notices for wells located in High Density Areas to the Local Government Designee (Rule 603b.)

1. OGCC Operator Number: 53650	4. Contact Name: Anna Walls	Complete the Attachment Checklist OP OGCC
2. Name of Operator: Marathon Oil Company	Phone: (713) 296-3468	
3. Address: 5555 San Felipe St, Mailstop 35: City: Houston State: Texas Zip 77056-2701	Fax: (713) 513-4394	
5. API Number 05-045-15084	OGCC Facility ID Number	Survey Plat
6. Well/Facility Name: 596-31A	7. Well/Facility Number 21	Directional Survey
8. Location (Qtr/Qtr, Sec, Twp, Rng, Meridian): <u>SENW-NE-31-05S-96W-6th P.M.</u>		Surface Eqpm Diagram
9. County: GARFIELD	10. Field Name: GRAND VALLEY	Technical Info Page x
11. Federal, Indian or State Lease Number:		Other

General Notice

<input type="checkbox"/> CHANGE OF LOCATION: Attach New Survey Plat (a change of surface qtr/qtr is substantive and requires a new permit)	
Change of Surface Footage from Exterior Section Lines:	<input type="checkbox"/> FNL/FSL <input type="checkbox"/> FEL/FWL
Change of Surface Footage to Exterior Section Lines:	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
Change of Bottomhole Footage from Exterior Section Lines:	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
Change of Bottomhole Footage to Exterior Section Lines:	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> attach directional survey
Bottomhole location Qtr/Qtr, Sec, Twp, Rng, Mer	
Latitude	Distance to nearest property line
Longitude	Distance to nearest bldg, public rd, utility or RR
Ground Elevation	Distance to nearest lease line
	Is location in a High Density Area (rule 603b)? Yes/No
	Distance to nearest well same formation
	Surface owner consultation date:
GPS DATA:	
Date of Measurement	PDOP Reading
	Instrument Operator's Name
<input type="checkbox"/> CHANGE SPACING UNIT	<input type="checkbox"/> Remove from surface bond
Formation	Signed surface use agreement attached
Formation Code	
Spacing order number	
Unit Acreage	
Unit configuration	
<input type="checkbox"/> CHANGE OF OPERATOR (prior to drilling):	<input type="checkbox"/> CHANGE WELL NAME NUMBER
Effective Date:	From:
Plugging Bond: <input type="checkbox"/> Blanket <input type="checkbox"/> Individual	To:
	Effective Date:
<input type="checkbox"/> ABANDONED LOCATION:	<input type="checkbox"/> NOTICE OF CONTINUED SHUT IN STATUS
Was location ever built? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Date well shut in or temporarily abandoned:
Is site ready for inspection? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Has Production Equipment been removed from site? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Date Ready for inspection:	MIT required if shut in longer than two years. Date of last MIT
<input type="checkbox"/> SPUD DATE:	<input type="checkbox"/> REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL STATUS (6 mos from date casing set)
<input type="checkbox"/> SUBSEQUENT REPORT OF STAGE, SQUEEZE OR REMEDIAL CEMENT WORK *submit cbl and cement job summaries	
Method used	Cementing tool setting/perf depth
Cement volume	Cement top
Cement bottom	Date
<input type="checkbox"/> RECLAMATION: Attach technical page describing final reclamation procedures per Rule 1004.	
Final reclamation will commence on approximately	
<input type="checkbox"/> Final reclamation is completed and site is ready for inspection.	

Technical Engineering/Environmental Notice

<input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Intent	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Report of Work Done	
Approximate Start Date:	Date Work Completed: 7/22/09	
Details of work must be described in full on Technical Information Page (Page 2 must be submitted.)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Intent to Recomplete (submit form 2)	<input type="checkbox"/> Request to Vent or Flare	<input type="checkbox"/> E&P Waste Disposal
<input type="checkbox"/> Change Drilling Plans	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Repair Well	<input type="checkbox"/> Beneficial Reuse of E&P Waste
<input type="checkbox"/> Gross Interval Changed?	<input type="checkbox"/> Rule 502 variance requested	<input type="checkbox"/> Status Update/Change of Remediation Plans
<input type="checkbox"/> Casing/Cementing Program Change	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:	for Spills and Releases

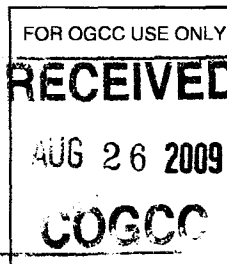
I hereby certify that the statements made in this form are, to the best of my knowledge, true, correct and complete.

Signed: Anna Walls Date: 8/13/2009 Email: avwalls@marathonoil.com
Print Name: Anna Walls Title: Reg. Compliance Tech

OGCC Approved: David Andrews Title: PE II Date: 12/30/2009
CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

1) Check bradenhead pressure after a 7-day shut in. Report bradenhead pressure to Dave Andrews at david.andrews@state.co.us by 1/29/2010. 2) Repeat bradenhead pressure check monthly until completions activities commence. 3) Monitor bradenhead pressure before, during, and after completion activities. Notify Dave Andrews as soon as practicable if any anomalous bradenhead pressures are observed, as required by Rule 341. 4) Submit Form 4 with remedial cement procedure, bradenhead monitoring results, and plans for any completion activities above a depth of 8336' (200' below existing TOC).

TECHNICAL INFORMATION PAGE



1. OGCC Operator Number: 53650 API Number: 045-15084
2. Name of Operator: Marathon Oil Company OGCC Facility ID #
3. Well/Facility Name: 596-31A Well/Facility Number: 21
4. Location (QtrQtr, Sec, Twp, Rng, Meridian): NWNE-31-05S-96W

This form is to be completed whenever a Sundry Notice is submitted requiring detailed report of work to be performed or completed. This form shall be transmitted within 30 days of work completed as a "subsequent" report and must accompany Form 4, page 1.

5. DESCRIBE PROPOSED OR COMPLETED OPERATIONS

During July, 2009, Marathon perforated 12 holes between 9700 - 9710'. Once injection was established, 446 bbls 12.5 lb/gal cement was pumped. Upon drilling out the cement and retainer, a CBL was run and observed a TOC of 8136'. Well is currently shut in.
During Q2 2010 Marathon will perform additional squeezes.

History (PRE - REMEDIATION)

Piceance Well 596-31A-21 was directionally drilled to TD (10,040' MD, 9875' TVD) with an 8-3/4" bit in 8.9 ppg WBM on June 13th, 2008. After drilling to TD they ran 4-1/2" casing to 10,020' MD. While on the bottom circulating through the 4 1/2" production casing the hole packed off, and they lost circulation. The casing was cemented in place with 276 bbls of 12.5 ppg Premium Lite slurry with minimal returns. The plug was bumped with proper displacement volumes and the float held.

The cased-hole CBL/RAL interpretation indicates that minimal cement is present in the 4-1/2" x 9-5/8" annuli. The top of cement from the CBL/RAL interpretations was 9800'.