

**APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO:**

1.  Drill,  Deepen,  Re-enter,  Recomplete and Operate

2. TYPE OF WELL

OIL  GAS  COALBED  OTHER \_\_\_\_\_  
 SINGLE ZONE  MULTIPLE  COMMINGLE

Refiling   
Sidetrack

Document Number:  
400082948  
PluggingBond SuretyID  
20040071

3. Name of Operator: ANTERO RESOURCES PICEANCE CORPORATION 4. COGCC Operator Number: 10079

5. Address: 1625 17TH ST STE 300  
City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

6. Contact Name: Hannah Knopping Phone: (303)357-6412 Fax: (303)357-7513  
Email: hknopping@anteroresources.com

7. Well Name: Valley Farms Well Number: C6

8. Unit Name (if appl): \_\_\_\_\_ Unit Number: \_\_\_\_\_

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 8619

**WELL LOCATION INFORMATION**

10. QtrQtr: SWNW Sec: 15 Twp: 6S Rng: 92W Meridian: 6  
Latitude: 39.527637 Longitude: -107.661303

Footage at Surface: 2341 feet FNL 338 feet FWL

11. Field Name: Mamm Creek Field Number: 52500

12. Ground Elevation: 5480 13. County: GARFIELD

14. GPS Data:  
Date of Measurement: 02/13/2006 PDOP Reading: 1.0 Instrument Operator's Name: Jason R. Neil

15. If well is  Directional  Horizontal (highly deviated) **submit deviated drilling plan.**

Footage at Top of Prod Zone: 1407 FNL 1220 FWL Bottom Hole: 1407 FNL 1220 FWL  
Sec: 15 Twp: 6S Rng: 92W Sec: 15 Twp: 6S Rng: 92W

16. Is location in a high density area? (Rule 603b)?  Yes  No

17. Distance to the nearest building, public road, above ground utility or railroad: 477 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 51 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation(BHL): 630 ft

**LEASE, SPACING AND POOLING INFORMATION**

Objective Formation(s)	Formation Code	Spacing Order Number(s)	Unit Acreage Assigned to Well	Unit Configuration (N/2, SE/4, etc.)
Iles	ILES	191-25	320	N2
Williams Fork	WMFK	523-2	320	N2

21. Mineral Ownership:  Fee  State  Federal  Indian Lease #: \_\_\_\_\_

22. Surface Ownership:  Fee  State  Federal  Indian

23. Is the Surface Owner also the Mineral Owner?  Yes  No Surface Surety ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

23a. If 23 is Yes: Is the Surface Owner(s) signature on the lease?  Yes  No

23b. If 23 is No:  Surface Owners Agreement Attached or  \$25,000 Blanket Surface Bond  \$2,000 Surface Bond  \$5,000 Surface Bond

24. Using standard QtrQtr, Sec, Twp, Rng format enter entire mineral lease description upon which this proposed wellsite is located (attach separate sheet/map if you prefer):

Sec 7 & 8, T6S-R93W, T6S R93W, part of Sec 12

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 859 ft

26. Total Acres in Lease: 2356

### DRILLING PLANS AND PROCEDURES

27. Is H2S anticipated?  Yes  No If Yes, attach contingency plan.

28. Will salt sections be encountered during drilling?  Yes  No

29. Will salt (>15,000 ppm TDS CL) or oil based muds be used during drilling?  Yes  No

30. If questions 28 or 29 are yes, is this location in a sensitive area (Rule 901.e)?  Yes  No

31. Mud disposal:  Offsite  Onsite

If 28, 29, or 30 are "Yes" a pit permit may be required.

Method:  Land Farming  Land Spreading  Disposal Facility Other: Onsite if app(See comments)

Note: The use of an earthen pit for Recompletion fluids requires a pit permit (Rule 905b). If air/gas drilling, notify local fire officials.

Casing Type	Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Wt/Ft	Csg/Liner Top	Setting Depth	Sacks Cmt	Cmt Btm	Cmt Top
CONDUCTOR	24	16	55#	0	60	177	60	0
SURF	12+1/4	8+5/8	24/32#	0	1,000	416	1,000	0
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	11.6#	0	8,619	824	8,619	

32. BOP Equipment Type:  Annular Preventer  Double Ram  Rotating Head  None

33. Comments I certify that all conditions in the original permit are the same except updated #19- Distance to nearest well, objective formation/spacing order and casing/cement program. There have been no changes to land use, well construction or the lease. This Refile Form 2 does not require a Form 2A because the pad has been constructed, a closed loop system is being used so no pits need to be constructed, the refiled well will not require any expansion / additional surface disturbance of the pad. The location is not in a wildlife restricted surface occupancy area (RSO); consultation with CDOW is not required and the location does not require a variance from any of the rules listed in Rule 306.d.(1).(A).(ii).; consultation with CDPHE is not required.#31 Mud Disposal: Antero will bury onsite if disposal meets Table 910 and if there is a provision in SUA which allows for such operation. TOP OF CEMENT OF 1ST STRING/PRODUCTION CASING WILL BE >500 FEET ABOVE TOP OF GAS.Please note this well is an exception location to Rule 603a(2) however we were granted a variance for this pad prior to construction by providing your office with signed property line waivers from the affected surface owner(s) when permits were originally filed for this pad location. For that reason, we have not attached new waivers but we have attached the original waivers for your reference.

34. Location ID: 335537

35. Is this application in a Comprehensive Drilling Plan ?  Yes  No

36. Is this application part of submitted Oil and Gas Location Assessment ?  Yes  No

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

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: Hannah Knopping

Title: Permit Representative Date: 9/26/2011 Email: hknopping@anteroresources.

Based on the information provided herein, this Application for Permit-to-Drill complies with COGCC Rules and applicable orders and is hereby approved.

COGCC Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Director of COGCC Date: \_\_\_\_\_

API NUMBER

05 045 12201 00

Permit Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:**

All representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in the Form 2A for this location shall constitute representations, stipulations and conditions of approval for this Form 2 Permit-to-Drill and are enforceable to the same extent as all other representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in this Permit-to-Drill.

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**Attachment Check List**

<u>Att Doc Num</u>	<u>Name</u>
400186305	EXCEPTION LOC WAIVERS
400208761	30 DAY NOTICE LETTER

Total Attach: 2 Files

**General Comments**

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>

Total: 0 comment(s)

**BMP**

<u>Type</u>	<u>Comment</u>

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