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## WELL ABANDONMENT REPORT

This form is to be submitted as an Intent to Abandon whenever an abandonment is planned on a borehole. After the abandonment is complete, this form shall again be submitted as a Subsequent Report of the actual work completed. The approved intent shall be valid for six months after the approval date, after that period, a new intent will be required. Attachments required with the Intent to Abandon are wellbore diagrams of the current configuration and the proposed configuration with plugs set.

A Subsequent Report of Abandonment shall indicate the actual work completed. Attachments required with a Subsequent Report are a wellbore diagram showing plugs that were set and casing remaining in the hole, the job summaries from all plugging contractors used, including wireline and cementing (third party verification) and any logs that may have been run during abandonment.

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API Number 05-123-25803-00

Well Name: WELLS RANCH USX AA

Well Number: 23-02

Location: QtrQtr: NWNE

Section: 23

Township: 6N

Range: 63W

Meridian: 6

County: WELD

Federal, Indian or State Lease Number:

Field Name: WATTENBERG

Field Number: 90750

☒ Notice of Intent to Abandon☐ Subsequent Report of Abandonment

## Only Complete the Following Background Information for Intent to Abandon

Latitude: 40.477565

Longitude: -104.401367

GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 01/13/2009

PDOP Reading: 2.4

GPS Instrument Operator's Name: PAUL TAPPY

Reason for Abandonment:

☐ Dry☒ Production Sub-economic☐ Mechanical Problems☐ Other

Casing to be pulled:

☒ Yes☐ No

Estimated Depth: 1560

Fish in Hole:

☐ Yes☒ No

If yes, explain details below

Wellbore has Uncemented Casing leaks:

☐ Yes☒ No

If yes, explain details below

Details:

## Current and Previously Abandoned Zones

Formation	Perf. Top	Perf. Btm	Abandoned Date	Method of Isolation	Plug Depth
CODELL	6768	6778			
NIOBRARA	6490	6608			

Total: 2 zone(s)

## Casing History

Casing Type	Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Weight Per Foot	Setting Depth	Sacks Cement	Cement Bot	Cement Top	Status
SURF	12+1/4	8+5/8	24	539	262	539	13	VISU
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	11.6	6,922	730	6,922	1,580	CBL

## Plugging Procedure for Intent and Subsequent Report

CIBP #1: Depth 6440 with 2 sacks cmt on top. CIBP #2: Depth \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_ sacks cmt on top.  
CIBP #3: Depth \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_ sacks cmt on top. CIBP #4: Depth \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_ sacks cmt on top.  
CIBP #5: Depth \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_ sacks cmt on top.

NOTE: Two(2) sacks cement required on all CIBPs.

Set 100 sks cmt from 1560 ft. to 1360 ft. Plug Type: STUB PLUG Plug Tagged: ☐  
Set \_\_\_\_\_ sks cmt from \_\_\_\_\_ ft. to \_\_\_\_\_ ft. Plug Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Plug Tagged: ☐  
Set \_\_\_\_\_ sks cmt from \_\_\_\_\_ ft. to \_\_\_\_\_ ft. Plug Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Plug Tagged: ☐  
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Perforate and squeeze at \_\_\_\_\_ ft. with \_\_\_\_\_ sacks. Leave at least 100 ft. in casing \_\_\_\_\_ CICR Depth

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(Cast Iron Cement Retainer Depth)

Set 210 sacks half in. half out surface casing from 639 ft. to 0 ft. Plug Tagged: ☒

Set \_\_\_\_\_ sacks at surface

Cut four feet below ground level, weld on plate Above Ground Dry-Hole Marker: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Set \_\_\_\_\_ sacks in rat hole Set \_\_\_\_\_ sacks in mouse hole

### Additional Plugging Information for Subsequent Report Only

Casing Recovered: \_\_\_\_\_ ft. of \_\_\_\_\_ inch casing Plugging Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Wireline Contractor: \_\_\_\_\_ \*Cementing Contractor: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Cement and Additives Used: \_\_\_\_\_

Flowline/Pipeline has been abandoned per Rule 1103 ☐ Yes ☐ No \*ATTACH JOB SUMMARY

Technical Detail/Comments:

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

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: ANGELA FIORE

Title: ENGINEERING TECH Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: ANGELA.FIORE@NBLENERGY.COM

Based on the information provided herein, this Well Abandonment Report (Form 6) complies with COGCC Rules and applicable orders and is hereby approved.

COGCC Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**COA Type**

**Description**

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## Attachment Check List

**Att Doc Num**

**Name**

401036147	WELLBORE DIAGRAM
401036150	PROPOSED PLUGGING PROCEDURE
401036152	WELLBORE DIAGRAM

Total Attach: 3 Files

## General Comments

**User Group**

**Comment**

**Comment Date**

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Total: 0 comment(s)