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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 05-123-22233-00

Well Name: WELLS RANCH

Well Number: 24-33

Location: QtrQtr: SESW Section: 33 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: 40.437500

Longitude: -104.444330

GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 03/05/2007

PDOP Reading: 2.1

GPS Instrument Operator's Name: Holly L. Tracy

Reason for Abandonment: ☐ Dry☒ Production Sub-economic☐ Mechanical Problems☐ OtherCasing to be pulled: ☐ Yes☒ No

Estimated Depth:

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	6777	6786			
NIOBRARA	6522	6678			

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	411	290	411	0	
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	10.5	6,930	456	6,930	2,360	CBL
S.C. 1.1				2,348	360	2,348	42	CBL

Plugging Procedure for Intent and Subsequent Report

CIBP #1: Depth 6472 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 60 sks cmt from 625 ft. to 0 ft. Plug Type: CASING Plug Tagged: ☐
Set 10 sks cmt from 42 ft. to 0 ft. Plug Type: ANNULUS Plug Tagged: ☐
Set _____ sks cmt from _____ ft. to _____ ft. Plug Type: _____ Plug Tagged: ☐
Set _____ sks cmt from _____ ft. to _____ ft. Plug Type: _____ Plug Tagged: ☐
Set _____ sks cmt from _____ ft. to _____ ft. Plug Type: _____ Plug Tagged: ☐

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 _____ sacks half in. half out surface casing from _____ ft. to _____ 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:

Wells Ranch 24-33 (05-123-22233)/Plugging Procedure (Intent)
Producing Formation: Codell 6777'-6786' Niobrara 6522'-6678'
TD: 6978' PBTD: 6900'
Surface Casing: 8 5/8" 24# @ 411' w/ 290 sxs.
Production Casing: 4 1/2" 10.5 & 11.6# @ 6930' w/ 456 sks cmt (TOC at 2360' - CBL)
Annular fill with 360 sxs (42' to 2348' - CBL)

Tubing: 2 3/8" tubing set at 6764'. (7/15/20011)

Proposed Procedure:

1. MIRU RU pulling unit. Pull 2 3/8" tubing.
2. RU wireline company.
3. TIH with CIBP. Set BP at 6472'. Top with 2 sxs 15.8#/gal cement.
4. TIH with tubing. Set tubing at 625'. RU cementing company. Mix and pump 60 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement down tubing. Cement should circulate to surface.
5. Fill production casing annulus from 42' to surface using 1 1/4" tubing. (Estimated cement volume 10 sxs.)
6. Cut surface casing 6' below ground level and weld on cap.

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

Signed: _____ Print Name: Kelsi Welch

Title: Production Tech Date: 3/14/2017 Email: kelsi.welch@pdce.com

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

COGCC Approved:

Date: 3/21/2017

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

Expiration Date: 9/20/2017

COA Type

Description

	1)Note change in plugging procedure; 625' casing plug has been modified to show 50' of cement below the 600' deep water well in the SESE sec. 30 T6N R63W. Adjust cement volume accordingly. 2)Properly abandon flowlines. Once flowlines are properly abandoned, file electronic form 42. 3)For 775' plug: pump plug and displace. If cement is not circulated to surface, shut-in, WOC 4 hours and tag plug – top of plug must be not deeper than 351' and provide minimum 10 sx plug at the surface. Leave at least 100' of cement in the wellbore for each plug.
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Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num

Name

401232973	FORM 6 INTENT SUBMITTED
401232975	WELLBORE DIAGRAM
401232976	WELLBORE DIAGRAM

Total Attach: 3 Files

General Comments

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