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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 05-123-22228-00

Well Name: WELLS RANCH

Well Number: 41-3

Location: QtrQtr: NENE Section: 3 Township: 5N 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: 40.433830

Longitude: -104.416030

GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 10/20/2010

PDOP Reading: 1.7

GPS Instrument Operator's Name: Steve Cure

Reason for Abandonment:

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

Casing 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
NIOBRARA-CODELL	6406	6670			

Total: 1 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	409	225	409	0	VISU
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	10.5	6,865	500	6,865	2,876	CBL
S.C. 1.1				2,876	433	2,876	0	CBL

Plugging Procedure for Intent and Subsequent Report

CIBP #1: Depth 6356 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 40 sks cmt from 1800 ft. to 1300 ft. Plug Type: CASING Plug Tagged: ☐
Set 50 sks cmt from 609 ft. to 0 ft. Plug Type: CASING 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 _____ 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. _____ inch casing Plugging Date: _____
of _____

*Wireline Contractor: _____ *Cementing Contractor: _____

Type of Cement and Additives Used: _____

Flowline/Pipeline has been abandoned per Rule 1105 ☐ Yes ☐ No *ATTACH JOB SUMMARY

Technical Detail/Comments:

Wells Ranch 41-3 (05-123-22228) Plugging Procedure (Intent)

Producing Formation: Niobrara/Codell: 6406'-6670'

Upper Pierre Aquifer: 510'-1560'

TD: 6875' PBD: 6825.8'

Surface Casing: 8 5/8" 24# @ 409' w/ 225 sxs

Production Casing: 4 1/2" 10.5# @ 6865' w/ 500 sxs cmt (TOC @ 2876' - CBL).

Annular Fill @ 2876' w/ 433 sxs cmt (TOC @ surface - CBL).

Tubing: 2 3/8" tubing set @ 6651' (9/2/2011).

Proposed Procedure:

1. MIRU pulling unit. Pull 2 3/8" tubing.

2. RU wireline company.

3. TIH with CIBP. Set BP at 6356'. Top with 2 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement.

4. TIH in tubing to 1800'. RU cementing company. Mix and pump 40 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement down tubing (Pierre coverage from 1800'-1300').

5. Pick up tubing to 609'. Mix and pump 50 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement down tubing. Cement should circulate to surface. TOO H with tubing.

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: Valerie Danson

Title: Reg Tech

Date: _____

Email: valerie.danson@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.

COGCC Approved:

Date: _____

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY: _____

Expiration Date: _____

COA Type

Description

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Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num

Name

402076232	WELLBORE DIAGRAM
402076234	WELLBORE DIAGRAM
402076235	GYRO SURVEY

Total Attach: 3 Files

General Comments

User Group

Comment

Comment Date

		Stamp Upon Approval
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Total: 0 comment(s)