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# State of Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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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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Type of Well Abandonment Report: ☒ Notice of Intent to Abandon ☐ Subsequent Report of Abandonment

API Number 05-123-26168-00

Well Name: GUTTERSEN

Well Number: 23-6

Location: QtrQtr: NESW Section: 6 Township: 3N Range: 63W Meridian: 6

County: WELD

Federal, Indian or State Lease Number:

Field Name: WATTENBERG

Field Number: 90750

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

Latitude: 40.252560

Longitude: -104.483310

GPS Data: GPS Quality Value: 2.3 Type of GPS Quality Value: PDOP Date of Measurement: 01/18/2008

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 belowWellbore 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	6632	6864			

Total: 1 zone(s)

### Casing History

Casing Type	Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Grade	Wt/Ft	Csg/Liner Top	Setting Depth	Sacks Cmt	Cmt Btm	Cmt Top	Status
SURF	12+1/4	8+5/8	J55	24	0	669	370	679	0	VISU
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	J55	10.5	0	7035	160	7035	6160	CBL
S.C. 1.1						7035	530	6160	512	CBL

## Plugging Procedure for Intent and Subsequent Report

CIBP #1: Depth 6582 with 2 sacks cmt on top. CIBP #2: Depth 2500 with 2 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 \_\_\_\_\_ sks cmt from \_\_\_\_\_ ft. to \_\_\_\_\_ ft. Plug Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Plug Tagged: ☐  
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Set \_\_\_\_\_ sks cmt from \_\_\_\_\_ ft. to \_\_\_\_\_ ft. Plug Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Plug Tagged: ☐

Perforate and squeeze at 490 ft. with 104 sacks. Leave at least 100 ft. in casing \_\_\_\_\_ CICR Depth

Perforate and squeeze at \_\_\_\_\_ ft. with \_\_\_\_\_ sacks. Leave at least 100 ft. in casing \_\_\_\_\_ CICR Depth

Perforate and squeeze at \_\_\_\_\_ ft. with \_\_\_\_\_ sacks. Leave at least 100 ft. in casing \_\_\_\_\_ CICR Depth

(Cast Iron Cement Retainer Depth)

Set 128 sacks half in. half out surface casing from 1690 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

Surface Plug Setting Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Cut and Cap Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Days from Setting Surface Plug to Capping or Sealing the Well: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

Flowline/Pipeline has been abandoned per Rule 1105 ☐ Yes ☐ No

#### Technical Detail/Comments:

Guttersen 23-6 (05-123-26168) / Plugging Procedure (Intent)  
Producing Formations: Niobrara/Codell: 6632'-6864'

Upper Pierre Aquifer: 680'-1590'

Deepest Water Well: 300' (within 1.5 miles) Base of Fox Hills: 554'

TD: 7052' PBTD: 7000' (2/8/2008)

Surface Casing: 8 5/8" 24# @ 669' w/ 370 sxs cmt

Production Casing: 4 1/2" 10.5# @ 7035' w/ 690 sxs (TOC @ 512' - CBL)

Tubing: 2 3/8" tubing @ 6839.79' (2/8/2008)

Proposed Procedure:

1. MIRU pulling unit. Pull 2 3/8" tubing.
2. RU wireline company.
3. TIH with CIBP. Set BP at 6582'. Top with 2 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement. (Top of Nio perms @ 6632')
4. TIH with CIBP. Set BP at 2500'. Top with 2 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement.
5. Wait a sufficient time to confirm static conditions. If at any time after placing this plug there is evidence of pressure or fluid migration, contact engineering before continuing operations.
6. Unland casing and perform stretch calculation confirming surface squeeze can be executed. Adjust squeeze holes and cement as necessary.
7. TIH with perf gun. Shoot squeeze holes @ 490'.
8. TIH with tubing to 1690'. RU cementing company. Mix and pump 128 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement down tubing. (Pierre Coverage from 1690' to surface) Cement should circulate to surface.
9. Close off casing returns. Hook up cement line to cement flange and pump 104 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement downhole and squeeze through perms @ 490' into annular space. Cement should circulate to surface.
10. Well casing cut and capped per COGCC guidelines at a depth as not to interfere with soil cultivation.

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 Analyst Date: 6/1/2022 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: JENKINS, STEVE Date: 6/13/2022

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: 12/12/2022

### **Condition of Approval**

#### **COA Type**

#### **Description**

	<p>1) Provide 2 business day notice of plugging MIRU via electronic Form 42, and provide 48 hours Notice of Plugging Operations, prior to mobilizing for plugging operations via electronic Form 42. These are 2 separate notifications, required by Rules 408.e and 408.l.</p> <p>2) After placing the shallowest hydrocarbon isolating plug (2500'), operator must wait a sufficient time to confirm static conditions. If at any time after placing this plug there is evidence of pressure or of fluid migration, contact COGCC engineering before continuing operations.</p> <p>3) Prior to placing the 1690' plug: verify that all fluid migration (liquid and gas) has been eliminated. If evidence of fluid migration or pressure remains, contact COGCC Engineer for an update to plugging orders.</p> <p>4) After isolation has been verified, pump plug and displace. If cement is not circulated to surface, shut-in, WOC 4 hours then tag plug – must be at 619' or shallower and provide 10 sx plug at the surface.</p> <p>5) Leave at least 100' of cement in the wellbore for each plug.</p> <p>6) Properly abandon flowlines as per Rule 1105. Pursuant to Rule 911.a. Closure of Oil and Gas Facilities, Operator will submit Site Investigation and Remediation Workplans via Form 27 for COGCC prior approval before cutting and capping the plugged well, conducting flowline abandonment, and removing production equipment. Pursuant to Rule 1105.f. Abandonment Verification, within 90 days of an operator completing abandonment requirements for a flowline or crude oil transfer line, an operator must submit a Field Operations Notice, Form 42-Abandonment of Flowlines for on-location flowlines, and a Flowline Report, Form 44, for off-location flowlines or crude oil transfer lines.</p> <p>7) With the Form 6 SRA operator must provide written documentation which positively affirms each COA has been addressed.</p>
	<p>Prior to starting plugging operations a Bradenhead test shall be performed if there has not been a reported Bradenhead test within the 60 days immediately preceding the start of plugging operations.</p> <p>1) If, before opening the Bradenhead valve, the beginning pressure is greater than 25 psi, sampling is required.</p> <p>2) If pressure remains at the conclusion of the test, or if any liquids were present during the test, sampling is required.</p> <p>The Form 17 shall be submitted within 10 days of the test. Sampling shall comply with Operator Guidance - Bradenhead Testing and Reporting Instructions. If samples are collected, copies of all final laboratory analytical results shall be provided to the COGCC within three (3) months of collecting the samples.</p>
	<p>Operator will implement measures to capture, combust, or control emissions to protect health and safety, and to ensure that vapors and odors from well plugging operations do not constitute a nuisance or hazard to public health, welfare and the environment.</p>

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### Attachment List

<u>Att Doc Num</u>	<u>Name</u>
403064051	FORM 6 INTENT SUBMITTED
403064126	WELLBORE DIAGRAM
403064128	WELLBORE DIAGRAM

Total Attach: 3 Files

### General Comments

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>
Engineer	1) Deepest Water Well within 1.5 miles = 300'. 2) Fox Hills Bottom- 554', per SB5.	06/13/2022
Permit	Added PDOP marker to Type of GPS Quality Value Verified attachments present/correct Checked docs - no recompletion apps Docs verified for Perf Verified GPS - google earth/COGIS Checked production Review complete and task passed.	06/01/2022

Total: 2 comment(s)