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#### PERMIT MODIFICATION APPROVAL

October 17, 2014

ANTERO RESOURCES APPALACHIAN CORPORATION 1625 17TH STREET, SUITE 300 DENVER, CO 80202

Re: Permit Modification Approval for API Number 1706287 , Well #: RANDALL UNIT 2H changed lateral leg

Oil and Gas Operator:

The Office of Oil and Gas has reviewed the attached permit modification for the above referenced permit. The attached modification has been approved and well work may begin. Please be reminded that the oil and gas inspector is to be notified twenty-four (24) hours before permitted well work is commenced.

Please call James Martin at 304-926-0499, extension 1654 if you have any questions.

Gene Smith

Sincerely.

Assistant Chief of Permitting

Office of Oil and Gas



October 2, 2014

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West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection Office of Oil and Gas Attn: Ms. Laura Cooper 601 57<sup>th</sup> Street Charleston, WV 25304

Ms. Laura Cooper:

Antero Resources Corporation (Antero) would like to submit the following permit modifications for two approved wells on the existing Stewart Pad. We are requesting to move the horizontal laterals, to accommodate 660 foot spacing between wells, which will change the bottom hole locations of the Randall Unit 1H (API# 47-017-06286), and Randall Unit 2H (API# 47-017-06287).

Attached you will find the following documents:

- > REVISED Form WW-6B, which shows the revised MD and Production Casing/Cement program
- > REVISED Form WW-6A1, which shows the leases we will be drilling into
- > REVISED Mylar Plat, which shows the new bottom hole location

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at (303) 357-7323.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Ashlie Steele

Permitting Supervisor

Antero Resources Corporation

Enclosures

Office of Oli & Gas

# STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS WELL WORK PERMIT APPLICATION

1) Well Operat	or: Antero F	Resources Co	rporation	494488557	017-Doddridge	New Milton	New Milton
oso A	a			Operator ID	County	District	Quadrangle
2) Operator's V	Well Number	: Randall Ur	nit 2H	Well Pad	Name: Stewa	rt Pad (Exi	sting)
3) Farm Name	/Surface Own	ner: Randall &	Carolyn S. S	Stewart Public Road	d Access: CR	56	
4) Elevation, c	urrent ground	d: <u>1332'</u>	Ele	evation, proposed p	post-construction	on: 1332'	
5) Well Type	(a) Gas	=	_ Oil	■ Unde	erground Storag	e	
	Other						
	(b)If Gas	Shallow		Deep			
		Horizontal	_=_				
6) Existing Pac	d: Yes or No	Yes					
				pated Thickness a			
Marcellus Sh	ale: 7600' TVI	D, Anticipated	Thickness-	60 Feet, Associated	Pressure- 3250#	!	
8) Proposed To	otal Vertical	Depth: _760	0' TVD				
9) Formation a	t Total Verti	cal Depth:	Marcellus S	Shale			
10) Proposed 7	Total Measur	ed Depth:	19,800' MD				
11) Proposed H	Horizontal Le	eg Length: 🔰	11,892'				
12) Approxima	ate Fresh Wa	ter Strata De	pths:	420'			
13) Method to	Determine F	resh Water D	Depths:	orothy Unit 2H (API	# 47-017-06244)	on same pag	d.
14) Approxima	ate Saltwater	Depths: 2	345'				
15) Approxima	ate Coal Sear	n Depths: _8	325', 945', 1	167', 1776'			
16) Approxima	ate Depth to l	Possible Voi	d (coal mi	ne, karst, other):	None anticipated		
17) Does Prope directly overly				Yes	No	<b>√</b>	
(a) If Yes, pro	ovide Mine I	nfo: Name:					
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WW-6B (9/13)

## 18)

## CASING AND TUBING PROGRAM

ТҮРЕ	Size	New or Used	Grade	Weight per ft. (lb/ft)	FOOTAGE: For Drilling	INTERVALS: Left in Well	CEMENT: Fill-up (Cu. Ft.)
Conductor	20"	New	H-40	94#	40'	40'	CTS, 38 Cu. Ft.
Fresh Water	13-3/8"	New	J-55/H-40	54.5#/48#	480'	480'	CTS, 667 Cu. Ft.
Coal	9-5/8"	New	J-55	36#	2495'	2495'	CTS, 1016 Cu. Ft.
Intermediate							
Production	5-1/2"	New	P-110	20#	19800'	19800'	5041 Cu. Ft.
Tubing	2-3/8"	New	N-80	4.7#		7200'	
Liners							

TYPE	Size	Wellbore Diameter	Wall Thickness	Burst Pressure	Cement Type	Cement Yield (cu. ft./k)
Conductor	20"	24"	0.438"	1530	Class A	1.18
Fresh Water	13-3/8"	17-1/2"	0.38"/0.33"	2730/1730	Class A	1.18
Coal	9-5/8"	12-1/4"	0.352"	3520	Class A	1.18
Intermediate						
Production	5-1/2"	8-3/4" & 8-1/2"	0.361"	12630	Lead-H/POZ & Tail - H	H/POZ-1.44 & H-1.8
Tubing	2-3/8"	4.778"	0.19"	11200		
Liners						

## **PACKERS**

Kind:	N/A		
Sizes:	N/A		
Depths Set:	N/A		

19) Describe proposed well work, including the drilling and plugging back of any pilot hole:
Drill, perforate, fracture a new horizontal shallow well and complete Marcellus Shale.
20) Describe fracturing/stimulating methods in detail, including anticipated max pressure and max rate:
Antero plans to pump Slickwater into the Marcellus Shale formation in order to ready the well for production. The fluid will be comprised of approximately 99 percent water and sand, with less than 1 percent special-purpose additives as shown in the attached "List of Anticipated Additives Used for Fracturing or Stimulating Well."
21) Total Area to be disturbed, including roads, stockpile area, pits, etc., (acres): 25.09 acres
22) Area to be disturbed for well pad only, less access road (acres): 2.26 acres
23) Describe centralizer placement for each casing string:
Conductor: no centralizers  Surface Casing: one centralizer 10' above the float shoe, one on the insert float collar and one every 4th joint spaced up the hole to surface.  Intermediate Casing: one centralizer above float joint, one centralizer 5' above float collar and one every 4th collar to surface.  Production Casing: one centralizer at shoe joint and one every 3 joints to top of cement in intermediate casing.
24) Describe all cement additives associated with each cement type:
Conductor: no additives, Class A cement. Surface: Class A cement with 2-3% calcium chloride and 1/4 lb of flake Intermediate: Class A cement with 1/4 lb of flake, 5 gallons of clay treat

#### 25) Proposed borehole conditioning procedures:

Conductor: blowhole clean with air, run casing, 10 bbls fresh water.

Surface: blowhole clean with air, trip to conductor shoe, trip to bottom, blowhole clean with air, trip out, run casing, circulate pipe capacity + 40 bbls fresh water followed by 25 bbls bentonite mud, 10 bbls fresh water spacer.

Production: Lead cement- 50/50 Class H/Poz + 1.5% salt + 1% C-45 + 0.5% C-16a + 0.2% C-12 + 0.45% C-20 + 0.05% C-51 Production: Tail cement- Class H + 45 PPS Calcium Carbonate + 1.0% FL-160 + 0.2% ACGB-47 + 0.05% ACSA-51 + 0.2% ACR-20

Intermediate: blowhole clean with air, trip to surface casing shoe, trip to bottom, blowhole clean with air, trip out, run casing, circulate 40 bbls brine water followed by 10 bbls fresh water and 25 bbls bentonite mud, pump 10 bbls fresh water.

Production: circulate with 14 lb/gal NaCl mud, trip to middle of lateral, circulate, pump high viscosity sweep, trip to base of curve, pump high viscosity sweep, trip to top of curve, trip to bottom, circulate, pump high viscosity sweep, trip out, run casing, circulate 10 bbls fresh water, pump 48 bbls barite pill, pump 10 bbls fresh water followed by 48 bbls mud flush and 10 bbls water.

<sup>\*</sup>Note: Attach additional sheets as needed.



