

west virginia department of environmental protection

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January 26, 2015

WELL WORK PERMIT

Horizontal 6A Well

This permit, API Well Number: 47-1706668, issued to ANTERO RESOURCES CORPORATION, is evidence of permission granted to perform the specified well work at the location described on the attached pages and located on the attached plat, subject to the provisions of Chapter 22 of the West Virginia Code of 1931, as amended, and all rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, and to all conditions and provisions outlined in the pages attached hereto. Notification shall be given by the operator to the Oil and Gas Inspector at least 24 hours prior to the construction of roads, locations, and/or pits for any permitted work. In addition, the well operator shall notify the same inspector 24 hours before any actual well work is commenced and prior to running and cementing casing. Spills or emergency discharges must be promptly reported by the operator to 1-800-642-3074 and to the Oil and Gas inspector.

Please be advised that form WR-35, Well Operators Report of Well Work is to be submitted to this office within 90 days completion of permitted well work, as should form WR-34 Discharge Monitoring Report within 30 days of discharge of pits, if applicable. Failure to abide by all statutory and regulatory provisions governing all duties and operations hereunder may result in suspension or revocation of this permit and, in addition, may result in civil and/or criminal penalties being imposed upon the operators.

In addition to the applicable requirements of this permit, and the statutes and rules governing oil and gas activity in WV, this permit may contain specific conditions which must be followed. Permit conditions are attached to this cover letter.

Per 35CSR-4-5.2.g this permit will expire in two (2) years from the issue date unless permitted well work is commenced. If there are any questions, please feel free to contact me at (304) 926-0499 ext. 1654.

James Martin

Chief

Operator's Well No: DUCKBILL UNIT 2H

Farm Name: VOGT, GREGORY R. & CAROLY

API Well Number: 47-1706668

Permit Type: Horizontal 6A Well

Date Issued: 01/26/2015

PERMIT CONDITIONS

West Virginia Code § 22-6A-8(d) allows the Office of Oil and Gas to place specific conditions upon this permit. Permit conditions have the same effect as law. Failure to adhere to the specified permit conditions may result in enforcement action.

CONDITIONS

- 1. This proposed activity may require permit coverage from the United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE). Through this permit, you are hereby being advised to consult with USACE regarding this proposed activity.
- 2. If the operator encounters an unanticipated void, or an anticipated void at an unanticipated depth, the operator shall notify the inspector within 24 hours. Modifications to the casing program may be necessary to comply with W. Va. Code § 22-6A-5a (12), which requires drilling to a minimum depth of thirty feet below the bottom of the void, and installing a minimum of twenty (20) feet of casing. Under no circumstance should the operator drill more than fifty (50) feet below the bottom of the void or install less than twenty (20) feet of casing below the bottom of the void.
- 3. When compacting fills, each lift before compaction shall not be more than 12 inches in height, and the moisture content of the fill material shall be within limits as determined by the Standard Proctor Density test of the actual soils used in specific engineered fill, ASTM D698, Standard Test Method for Laboratory Compaction Characteristics of Soil Using Standard Effort, to achieve 95 % compaction of the optimum density. Each lift shall be tested for compaction, with a minimum of two tests per lift per acre of fill. All test results shall be maintained on site and available for review.
- 4. Operator shall install signage per § 22-6A-8g (6) (B) at all source water locations included in their approved water management plan within 24 hours of water management plan activation.
- 5. Oil and gas water supply wells will be registered with the Office of Oil and Gas and all such wells will be constructed and plugged in accordance with the standards of the Bureau for Public Health set forth in its Legislative rule entitled *Water Well Regulations*, 64 C.S.R. 19. Operator is to contact the Bureau of Public Health regarding permit requirements. In lieu of plugging, the operator may transfer the well to the surface owner upon agreement of the parties. All drinking water wells within fifteen hundred feet of the water supply well shall be flow tested by the operator upon request of the drinking well owner prior to operating the water supply well.
- 6. Pursuant to the requirements pertaining to the sampling of domestic water supply wells/springs the operator shall, no later than thirty (30) days after receipt of analytical data provide a written copy to the Chief and any of the users who may have requested such analyses.
- 7. If any explosion or other accident causing loss of life or serious personal injury occurs in or about a well or well work on a well, the well operator or its contractor shall give notice, stating the particulars of the explosion or accident, to the oil and gas inspector and the Chief, within 24 hours of said accident.
- 8. During the casing and cementing process, in the event cement does not return to the surface, the oil and gas inspector shall be notified within 24 hours.
- 9. Operator shall provide the Office of Oil & Gas notification of the date that drilling commenced on this well. Such notice shall be provided by sending an email to DEPOOGNotify@wv.gov within 30 days of commencement of drilling.

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

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1) Well Operato	or: Antero Reso	ources Corporation	494488557	017 -Doddridge	Central	West Union 7.5'	
			Operator ID	County	District	Quadrangle	
2) Operator's W	Vell Number: D	uckbill Unit 2H	Well Pac	l Name: Existir	ng Vogt Pa	d	
3) Farm Name/	Surface Owner:	Vogt, Gregory L. & Ca	arolyn S. Public Roa	d Access: CR	36		
4) Elevation, cu	irrent ground:	<u>1112'</u> E	levation, proposed	post-construction	on: 1112'		
5) Well Type	Well Type (a) Gas Oil Underground Storage						
	Other						
	(b)If Gas Sh	allow _	Deep			DCW-2014	
		orizontal				12-29	
6) Existing Pad			(a) a casse of (a)	• 100 M			
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			s- 60 feet, Associated	Pressure- 3100#	<u> </u>		
	tal Vertical Dep	2 2 2 2	24.				
9) Formation at	Total Vertical	Depth: Marcellus	Shale				
10) Proposed T	otal Measured I	Depth: 16,700' M	D				
11) Proposed H	lorizontal Leg L	ength: 8542'					
12) Approxima	te Fresh Water S	Strata Depths:	155'				
13) Method to 1	Determine Fresh	Water Depths:	Seaborn Unit 1H (AP	I #47-017-06169)) on same p	ad.	
14) Approxima	te Saltwater De	pths: 1581', 1872	y.				
15) Approxima	te Coal Seam D	epths: None Repo	orted				
16) Approxima	te Depth to Poss	sible Void (coal m	ine, karst, other):	None anticipated			
		on contain coal sea o an active mine?	ms Yes	No	√		
(a) If Yes, pro	ovide Mine Info	: Name:					
		Depth:					
		Seam:					
		Owner:	Receiv				
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CASING AND TUBING PROGRAM

TYPE	Size	New	Grade	Weight per ft.	FOOTAGE: For	INTERVALS:	CEMENT:	
		or		(lb/ft)	Drilling	Left in Well	Fill-up (Cu.	
		Used			S-4		<u>Ft.)</u>	
Conductor	20"	New	H-40	94#	40'	40'	CTS, 109 Cu. Ft.	
Fresh Water	13-3/8"	New	J-55/H-40	54.5#/48#	310'	310'	CTS, 431 Cu. Ft	
Coal	9-5/8"	New	J-55	36#	2550'	2550'	CTS, 1,038 Cu. Ft.	
Intermediate								
Production	5-1/2"	New	P-110	20#	16,700'	16,700'	4,170 Cu. Ft.	
Tubing	2-3/8"	New	N-80	4.7#		7,100'		
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TYPE Wellbore Size Wall Burst Pressure Cement Type Cement Yield Diameter Thickness (cu. ft./k) Conductor 20" 24" 0.438" 1530 Class A 1.18 Fresh Water 2730/1730 13-3/8" 17-1/2" 0.38"/0.33" Class A 1.18 Coal 9-5/8" 12-1/4" 1.18 0.352" 3520 Class A 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		

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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 stocknile area nits etc. (acres): 10.43 existing acres
21) Total Area to be disturbed, including roads, stockpile area, pits, etc., (acres):
22) Area to be disturbed for well pad only, less access road (acres): 3.38 existing acres
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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.

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.

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^{*}Note: Attach additional sheets as needed.

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API Number 47 -	017	-
Operator's	Well No.	Duckbill Unit 2H

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS

FLUIDS/ CUTTINGS DISPOSAL & RECLAMATION PLAN

Operator NameAntero Resources Corp	poration	OP Code 494488557	
Watershed (HUC 10)_Tributary of Wil	helm Run	Quadrangle West Union 7.5'	
Elevation 1112	County_Doddridge	District_ Central	
If so, please describe anticipa Will a synthetic liner be used Proposed Disposal Method F Land Appli Undergroum Reuse (at A	in the pit? Yes No or Treated Pit Wastes: cation and Injection (UIC Permit Nu API NumberFuture permitted well sposal (Supply form WW-9 to	Flowback Fluids and Cuttings o If so, what ml.? 60 mil (existing	10 7 10 orm WR-34
Will closed loop system be used? If so	o, describe: Yes		
Drilling medium anticipated for this w	ell (vertical and horizontal)?	Air, freshwater, oil based, etc. Dust/Stiff Foam, Pro	water, Intermediate - oduction - Water Based Mud
-If oil based, what type? Syn	thetic, petroleum, etc. N/A		
Additives to be used in drilling mediu	m? Please See Attachment		
		site, etc. Stored in tanks, removed offsite and ta	ken to landfill.
		d? (cement, lime, sawdust) N/A	
-Landfill or offsite name/peri	7		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
on August 1, 2005, by the Office of O provisions of the permit are enforced law or regulation can lead to enforcem I certify under penalty of la application form and all attachments	il and Gas of the West Virgin ble by law. Violations of an nent action. In that I have personally ex s thereto and that, based of that the information is true,	ditions of the GENERAL WATER POLL and Department of Environmental Protecticy term or condition of the general permit amined and am familiar with the inform my inquiry of those individuals immoduced accurate, and complete. I am aware to of fine or imprisonment.	on. I understand that the it and/or other applicable nation submitted on this nediately responsible for
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Subscribed and sworn before me this_	27th day of ()ctober , 20_14	0CT 3 1 2014
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My commission expires JUJ	21,2018		01/30/2015

Operator's Well No. Duckbill Unit 2H Form WW-9 Antero Resources Corporation Proposed Revegetation Treatment: Acres Disturbed 10.43 (existing) Prevegetation pH ____ Tons/acre or to correct to pH 6.5 Fertilizer type Hay or straw or Wood Fiber (will be used where needed) Fertilizer amount 500 lbs/acre Mulch 2-3 Tons/acre Existing Access Road (3.46) + Existing Drill Pad (3.38) + Existing Frac Pit (3.59) = 10.43 Existing Acres Seed Mixtures Temporary Permanent Seed Type lbs/acre Seed Type lbs/acre Tall Fescue Tall Fescue 45 Perennial Rye Grass Perennial Rye Grass 20 20 *or type of grass seed requested by surface owner *or type of grass seed requested by surface owner Attach: Drawing(s) of road, location, pit and proposed area for land application (unless engineered plans including this info have been provided) Photocopied section of involved 7.5' topographic sheet. Plan Approved by: Gonglas Hewler

Comments: Seed & Molch any distorbed areas Received Office of Oil & Gas OCT 3 1 2014 Title: 0,1 1 643 115 pector Date: 10-28-2014 Field Reviewed?

Form WW-9 Additives Attachment

SURFACE INTERVAL

- 1. Fresh Water
- 2. Soap -Foamer AC
- 3. Air

INTERMEDIATE INTERVAL

STIFF FOAM RECIPE:

- 1) 1 ppb Soda Ash / Sodium Carbonate-Alkalinity Control Agent
- 2) 1 ppb Conqor 404 (11.76 ppg) / Corrosion Inhibitor
- 3) 4 ppb KLA-Gard (9.17 ppg) / Amine Acid Complex-Shale Stabilizer
- 4) 1ppb Mil Pac R / Sodium Carboxymethylcellulose-Filtration Control Agent
- 5) 12 ppb KCL / Potassium Chloride-inorganic Salt
- 6) Fresh Water 80 bbls
- 7) Air

PRODUCTION INTERVAL

1. Alpha 1655

Salt Inhibitor

2. Mil-Carb

Calcium Carbonate

3. Cottonseed Hulls

Cellulose-Cottonseed Pellets – LCM

4. Mil-Seal

Vegetable, Cotton & Cellulose-Based Fiber Blend – LCM

5. Clay-Trol

Amine Acid Complex – Shale Stabilizer

6. Xan-Plex

Viscosifier For Water Based Muds

7. Mil-Pac (All Grades)

Sodium Carboxymethylcellulose – Filtration Control Agent

8. New Drill

Anionic Polyacrylamide Copolymer Emulsion – Shale Stabilizer

9. Caustic Soda

Sodium Hydroxide - Alkalinity Control

10. Mil-Lime

Calcium Hydroxide - Lime

11. LD-9

Polyether Polyol – Drilling Fluid Defoamer

12. Mil Mica

Hydro-Biotite Mica – LCM

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13. Escaid 110

Drilling Fluild Solvent - Aliphatic Hydrocarbon

14. Ligco

Highly Oxidized Leonardite - Filteration Control Agent

15. Super Sweep

Polypropylene – Hole Cleaning Agent

16. Sulfatrol K

Drilling Fluid Additive - Sulfonated Asphalt Residuum

17. Sodium Chloride, Anhydrous

Inorganic Salt

18. D-D

Drilling Detergent - Surfactant

19. Terra-Rate

Organic Surfactant Blend

20. W.O. Defoam

Alcohol-Based Defoamer

21. Perma-Lose HT

Fluid Loss Reducer For Water-Based Muds

22. Xan-Plex D

Polysaccharide Polymer - Drilling Fluid Viscosifier

23. Walnut Shells

Ground Cellulosic Material - Ground Walnut Shells - LCM

24. Mil-Graphite

Natural Graphite - LCM

25. Mil Bar

Barite - Weighting Agent

26. X-Cide 102

Biocide

27. Soda Ash

Sodium Carbonate - Alkalinity Control Agent

28. Clay Trol

Amine Acid complex – Shale Stabilizer

29. Sulfatrol

Sulfonated Asphalt – Shale Control Additive

30. Xanvis

Viscosifier For Water-Based Muds

31. Milstarch

Starch - Fluid Loss Reducer For Water Based Muds

32. Mil-Lube

Drilling Fluid Lubricant

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911 ADDRESS 130 Coopers Ridge Road Greenwood, WV 26415

Well Site Safety Plan Antero Resources

Well Name: Maple Unit 1H, Marks Unit 1H, Tulip Unit 1H,

Violet Unit 1H, Seaborn Unit 1H, Seaborn Unit

2H, McGill Unit 1H, McGill Unit 2H, Duckbill

Unit 1H and Duckbill Unit 2H

Pad Location: VOGT PAD

Doddridge County/ Central District

GPS Coordinates: Lat 39°16′38.74″/Long 80°51′44.17″ (NAD83)

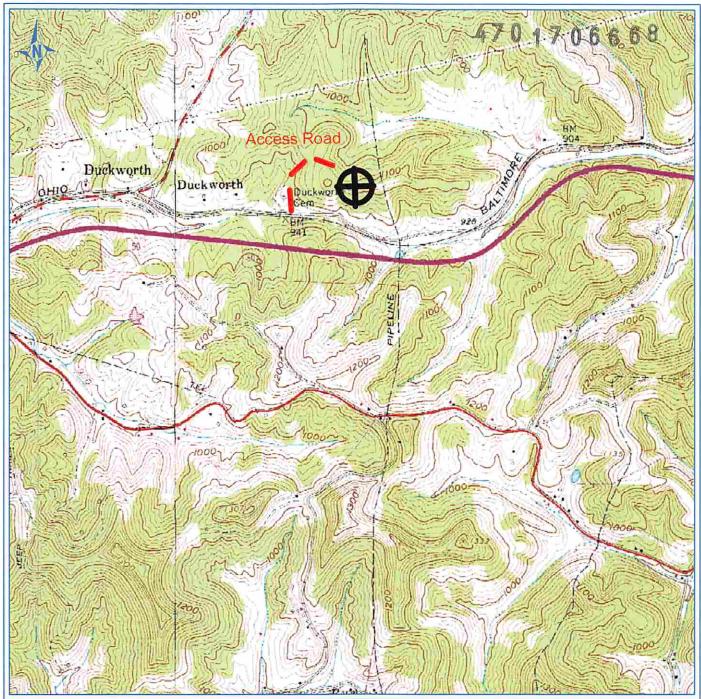
Driving Directions:

From the intersection of I50 and Co Route 50/30 head north towards the town of Greenwood. Follow Co Route 50/30 for 0.3 miles. Take the first right toward Co Route 36/ Duckworth Road for 105 ft. Turn right onto Co Route 36/ Duckworth Road for 0.3 miles. Turn left to stay on Co Route 36/ Duckworth Road for 0.7 miles. Turn right to stay on Co Route 36/ Duckworth Road for 66 feet. Continue on Co Route 36/ Duckworth Road for about 0.65 miles, and the lease road will be on the left.

EMERGENCY (24 HOUR) CONTACT 1-800-878-1373

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ANTERO RESOURCES CORPORATION APPALACHIAN BASIN Vogt Pad Duckbill Unit 2H Doddridge County 2,500 FEET REMARKS QUADRANGLE: WEST UNION WATERSHED:TRIB. OF WILHELM RUN DISTRICT: CENTRAL October 19, 2012

