

west virginia department of environmental protection

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February 25, 2015

WELL WORK PERMIT

Horizontal 6A Well

This permit, API Well Number: 47-1706698, 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

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Operator's Well No: WALKER UNIT 3H Farm Name: FOSTER, YVONNE

API Well Number: 47-1706698

Permit Type: Horizontal 6A Well

Date Issued: 02/25/2015

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.

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

) Well Operato	or: Antero Re	esources Corporat		017 - Doddridge	West Union	West Union
			Operator ID	County	District	Quadrangle
.) Operator's W	Vell Number:	Walker Unit 3H	Well Pag	d Name: Appro	ved Yvonn	e Pad
) Farm Name/	Surface Owne	er: Yvonne Foste	Public Ros	d Access: CR2	24	11/25
) Elevation, cu	rrent ground:	~1,245'	Elevation, proposed	post-construction	on: 1,227'	
) Well Type	(a) Gas _	Oil	Und	erground Storag	е	
	Other _					
	(b)If Gas	Shallow =	Deep			
	I	Horizontal _				12-17-
) Existing Pad	: Yes or No	No		- :		1)-
			nticipated Thickness a less- 55 feet, Associated			14
) Proposed Tot	tal Vertical De	epth: 7,400'				
) Formation at		•	lus Shale	77		
0) Proposed To	otal Measured	Depth: 16,700	!			
1) Proposed H						
Approximat	te Fresh Wate	r Strata Depths:	287', 378', 462'			
3) Method to I	Determine Fre	sh Water Depths:	Offset well records. De	epths have been ad	justed accord	ing to surface elevation
		Depths: 872', 149				
5) Approximat	te Coal Seam	Depths: 419', 87	2', 875'		***************************************	
Approximat	te Depth to Po	ossible Void (coal	mine, karst, other):	None Anticipated		
		tion contain coal s to an active mine		No	V	
(a) If Yes, pro	vide Mine Inf	fo: Name:				
		Depth:				
		Seam:			- -	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
		Owner:				
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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#	515'	515' *See #19	CTS 715 Cu. Ft.
Coal	9-5/8"	New	J-55	36#	2,495'	2,495'	CTS 1,016 Cu. Ft.
Intermediate							
Production	5-1/2°	New	P-110	20#	16,700'	16,700'	4,186 Cu. Ft.
Tubing	2-3/8"	New	N-80	4.7#		7,100'	
Liners							

TYPE Wellbore Cement Yield Size Wall Burst Pressure Cement Type Diameter **Thickness** (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 & Tall - H H/POZ-1.44 & H-1.8 Tubing 4.778" 2-3/8" 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 plug	ging back of any pilot hole:
Drill, perforate, fracture a new horizontal shallow well and complete Ma *Antero will be air drilling the fresh water string which makes it difficult t therefore, we have built in a buffer for the casing setting depth which he	o determine when fresh water is encountered,
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 of be comprised of approximately 99 percent water and sand, with less that the attached "List of Anticipated Additives Used for Fracturing or Stimul	an 1 percent special-purpose additives as shown in
21) Total Area to be disturbed, including roads, stockpile area, pr	its, etc., (acres): 35.70 Acres
22) Area to be disturbed for well pad only, less access road (acre	s): 6.9 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 a to surface.	and one every 4th joint spaced up the hole
Intermediate Casing: one centralizer above float joint, one centralizer 5' above float co Production Casing: one centralizer at shoe joint and one every 3 joints to top of cemer	
24) Describe all cement additives associated with each cement ty	rpe:
Conductor: no additives, Class A cement. Surface: Class A cement with 2-3% calcium chloride and 1/4 to of flake	
Intermediate: Class A cement with 1/4 ib of flake, 5 gailons of clay treat	
Production: Lead cement- 50/50 Class H/Poz + 1.5% salt + 1% C-45 + 0.5% C-16a + 0.2 Production: Tail cement- Class H + 45 PPS Calcium Carbonate + 1.0% FL-160 + 0.2% AC	% C-12 + 0.45% C-20 + 0.05% C-51 GB-47 + 0.05% ACSA-51 + 0.2% ACR-20
25) Proposed borehole conditioning procedures:	
Conductor: blowhole clean with air, run casing, 10 bbis fresh water. Surface: blowhole clean with air, trip to conductor shoe, trip to bottom, blowhole clean	n with air, trip out, run casing, circulate pipe capacity + 40 bbls
fresh water followed by 25 bbis bentonite mud, 10 bbis fresh water spacer. Intermediate: blowhole clean with air, trip to surface casing shoe, trip to bottom, blow	
water followed by 10 bbls fresh water and 25 bbls bentonite mud, pump 10 bbls fresh Production: circulate with 14 lb/gal NaCl mud, trip to middle of lateral, circulate, pump sweep, trip to top of curve, trip to bottom, circulate, pump high viscosity sweep, trip to	o high viscosity sweep, trip to base of curve, pump high viscosity 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.	
*Note: Attach additional sheets as needed.	Received Office of Oil & Gas
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API Number 47 -	017	*
Operator's	Well No.	Walker Unit 3H

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

FLUIDS/ CUTTINGS DISPOSAL & RECLAMATION PLAN

Operator Name Antero Resources Corporation OP C	Code 494488557
Watershed (HUC 10) Wolfpen Run Quadrangle West U	Union
Elevation 1,227 County zdoddridge Di	strict_ West Union
Do you anticipate using more than 5,000 bbls of water to complete the proposed well wo Will a pit be used? Yes No	
If so, please describe anticipated pit waste: No pit will be used at this site (Drilling and Flowback	Fluios will be stored in tanks. Cuttings will be tanked and hauled off site.)
	at ml.? N/A N/A 12 11 12 11
Proposed Disposal Method For Treated Pit Wastes:	1200
Land Application Underground Injection (UIC Permit Number	12
Reuse (at API Number Future permitted well locations when applicable.	API# will be provided on Form WR-34)
Off Site Disposal (Supply form WW-9 for disposal location) Other (Explain_	
Will closed loop system be used? If so, describe: Yes	
Drilling medium anticipated for this well (vertical and horizontal)? Air, freshwater, oil b	Surface - At-Presidenter, Intermediate - 88ed, etc. Dust/Stiff Form, Production - Water Based Wald
-If oil based, what type? Synthetic, petroleum, etc. N/A	
Additives to be used in drilling medium? Please See Attachment	
Drill cuttings disposal method? Leave in pit, landfill, removed offsite, etc. Stored in tanks,	removed offsite and taken to landfill.
-If left in pit and plan to solidify what medium will be used? (cement, lime, saw	
-Landfill or offsite name/permit number? Meadowfill Landfill (Permit #SWF-1032-98)	
I certify that I understand and agree to the terms and conditions of the GENER	AL SVATED DOLLLETON DEDMIT
on August 1, 2005, by the Office of Oil and Gas of the West Virginia Department of Enverovisions of the permit are enforceable by law. Violations of any term or condition of law or regulation can lead to enforcement action. I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am fami application form and all attachments thereto and that, based on my inquiry of those	rironmental Protection. I understand that the f the general permit and/or other applicable liar with the information submitted on this
obtaining the information, I believe that the information is true, accurate, and complete	lete. I am aware that there are significant
penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine or imprisonme	
Company Official Signature	MEGAN DARLING NOTARY PUBLIC
Company Official (Typed Name) Cole Kilstrom	STATE OF COLORADO
Company Official Title_ Environmental Representative	NOTARY ID 20144028112 NY COMMISSION EXPIRES JULY 17, 2018
Subscribed and sworn before me this 20th day of Movember	, 20 14
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11 Legan C. Darling	Notary Public Office of Oil & Ga
My commission expires July 11, 7018	DEC 1 2 2014

	s Corporation			_
Proposed Revegetation Trea	atment: Acres Disturbed 35	.70 Prevegeta	ition pH	_
	Tons/acre or to correct			
Fertilizer type Hay	or straw or Wood Fiber (will be	used where needed)		
Fertilizer amount	500	lbs/acre		
Mulch 2-3		Cons/acre		
	Area 2 (0.46) + Meterial Spoil Pile I (1.48) -	Access Road (24.2) + Access Road to Existing Well	(0,74) + Topsoil Spoil Area i (1,4) - Staging Ar	ea (0.52) =
		Seed Mixtures		
T	emporary		Permanent	
Seed Type	lbs/acre	Seed Type	Ibs/acre	
Tall Fescue	45	Tall Fescue	45	_
Perennial Rye Gra	ass 20	Perennial Rye G	Grass 20	
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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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Well Site Safety Plan Antero Resources

Well Name:

Brocade Unit 1H, Brocade Unit 2H, Burlington Unit 1H, Burlington Unit 2H, Manzarek Unit 1H. Manzarek Unit 2H, Manzarek Unit 3H, Walker Unit 1H, Walker Unit 2H, Walker Unit 3H, Yoho

Unit 1H

Pad Location: YVONNE PAD

Doddridge County/ West Union District

GPS Coordinates: Lat 39°20′54.82"/Long 80°46′10.12" (NAD83)

Driving Directions:

From the town of Clarksburg WV, head west on Hwy 50 for ~16.5 miles. Turn RIGHT onto Tarkiln Run then take immediate left onto Old U.S. 50. Take the first right onto Big Flint Rd and follow for ~10.6 miles. Turn LEFT onto Little Flint Rd and follow for ~1.9 miles. Turn right onto Co Rte 24/ Camp Mistake for ~1.2 miles. Look for rig signs and location on the left.

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

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