

west virginia department of environmental protection

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March 25, 2015

WELL WORK PERMIT

Horizontal 6A Well

This permit, API Well Number: 47-1706699, 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: MARY JANE UNIT 1H

Farm Name: WEBB, JAMES E.

API Well Number: 47-1706699

Permit Type: Horizontal 6A Well

Date Issued: 03/25/2015

API Number: 1706699

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. <u>Failure to adhere to the specified permit conditions may result in enforcement action.</u>

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

1) Well Operator: A	Antero Resource	es Corporation	494488557	017- Doddridge	Central	Oxford 7.5'	
			Operator ID	County	District	Quadrangle	
2) Operator's Well N	Number: Mary J	Jane Unit 1H	Well Pad	Name: James	Webb Pa	d	
3) Farm Name/Surfa	ice Owner: We	ebb, James E.	Public Road	d Access: CR 2	21/1		
4) Elevation, current	ground: ~99	95' Ele	evation, proposed p	oost-construction	on: 991'		
5) Well Type (a) C Othe		Oil	Unde	rground Storag	е		
	f Gas Shallov	w =	Deep			***************************************	
	Horizo	ntal					1
6) Existing Pad: Yes	or No No	,)	7
7) Proposed Target F Marcellus Shale: 6,		•	ipated Thickness at - 60 feet, Associated				1
8) Proposed Total Vo	ertical Depth:	6,900' TVD					
9) Formation at Tota			Shale				
10) Proposed Total N	Measured Deptl	h: 18,600' ME)				
11) Proposed Horizo	ontal Leg Lengt	h: 10,949'					
12) Approximate Fre	esh Water Strat	a Depths:	64', 80', 145' - Legg	ett Unit 1H - 310' (ne	arby Robert W	filliams Pad - 990' elev	ration)
13) Method to Deter	mine Fresh Wa	iter Depths:	Offset well records. Dep	oths have been ad	usted accord	ing to surface elevat	tions.
14) Approximate Sa	ltwater Depths:	1350'					
15) Approximate Co	al Seam Depth	s: 183', 716', 1	463'				
16) Approximate De	epth to Possible	Void (coal mi	ne, karst, other): _	None anticipated			
17) Does Proposed v directly overlying or			ns Yes	No	√		
(a) If Yes, provide	Mine Info: N	lame:					
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CASING AND TUBING PROGRAM

TYPE	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#	400' (*see note below)	400' (*see note below)	CTS, 556 Cu. Ft
Coal	9-5/8"	New	J-55	36#	2500'	2500'	CTS, 1018 Cu. Ft.
Intermediate							
Production	5-1/2"	New	P-110	20#	18,600'	18,600'	4,722 Cu. Ft.
Tubing	2-3/8"	New	N-80	4.7#		7,100'	
Liners				X			

^{*}Surface Casing Setting depth was updated per request by WVDEP Office of Oil & Gas and Inspector Doug Newlon (email string dated 3/13/2015) based on offset fresh water depth encountered while drilling on the nearby Robert Williams pad.

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	

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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, stockpile area, pits, etc., (acres): 8.41 acres 22) Area to be disturbed for well pad only, less access road (acres): 4.17 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 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
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.

API Number 47 -	017	*
Operator's	Well No.	Mary Jane Unit 1H

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

FLUIDS/ CUTTINGS DISPOSAL & RECLAMATION PLAN

Onerator Name Antero Resource	s Cornoration 404499557
Operator Name Antero Resource	s Corporation OP Code 494488557
Watershed (HUC 10) Cabin Ru	Quadrangle Oxford 7.5'
Elevation 991'	County Doddridge District Central
Do you anticipate using more the Will a pit be used? Yes	n 5,000 bbls of water to complete the proposed well work? Yes No No
Under Reuse Off S	ground Injection (UIC Permit Number) (at API Number Future permitted well locations when applicable. AP# will be provided on Form WR-34 e Disposal (Supply form WW-9 for disposal location) (Meadowfill Landfill Permit #SWF-1032-98) (Explain
Will closed loop system be used	If so, describe: Yes
Drilling medium anticipated for	nis well (vertical and horizontal)? Air, freshwater, oil based, etc. Dunt/Stiff Foath, Production - Water Based Must
-If oil based, what type'	Synthetic, petroleum, etc. N/A
Additives to be used in drilling n	edium? Please See Attachment
Drill cuttings disposal method?	eave in pit, landfill, removed offsite, etc. Stored in tanks, removed offsite and taken to landfill.
	solidify what medium will be used? (cement, lime, sawdust) N/A
	/permit number? Meadowfill Landfill (Permit #SWF-1032-98)
on August 1, 2005, by the Office provisions of the permit are enfo law or regulation can lead to enfo I certify under penalty application form and all attach obtaining the information, I bel penalties for submitting false info	d and agree to the terms and conditions of the GENERAL WATER POLLUTION PERMIT issued of Oil and Gas of the West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection. I understand that the receable by law. Violations of any term or condition of the general permit and/or other applicable rement action. of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted on this ments thereto and that, based on my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for eve that the information is true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant remation, including the possibility of fine or imprisonment.
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Company Official (Typed Name	Cole Kilstrom
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Subscribed and sworn before me	this 26 day of NOVEMBER 2014, 20- Notary Public
My commission expires <u>JUN</u>	21,2018
Table 1	
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Form WW-9		0	Well No Mary Jane Unit 1H
Antero Resources Corporation		Operator's	Well No.
Proposed Revegetation Treatment: Acres Disturbed 8.41 Lime 2-4 Tons/acre or to correct to	~ -	Prevegetation p	Н
Fertilizer type Hay or straw or Wood Fiber (will be us			
Fertilizer amount 500	_lbs/acre		
2-3	ns/acre		
Drill Pad (4.17) +	+ Access Road (4,24) = 8	.41 Acres	
Temporary		Perm	anent
Seed Type lbs/acre		Seed Type	lbs/acre
Annual Rye Grass 40	Crow	nvetch	10-15
*See attached Table 3 for additional seed type (James Webb Pad Design Page 15)	*See attached	Table 4A for additional seed t	type (James Webb Pad Design Page 15)
*or type of grass seed requested by surface owner	*or type	of grass seed requ	uested by surface owner
Attach: Drawing(s) of road, location, pit and proposed area for land provided) Photocopied section of involved 7.5' topographic sheet.	application (unle	ss engineered plans i	ncluding this info have been
Plan Approved by: Douglas Newfor Comments: Presendo Mulch , To we Dep regulation	restall	Munital	n Ers
Title: O/ + bus inspected Field Reviewed? (Yes ([Date:) No	Ī	Received Pof Oil & Gas

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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: Mary Jane Unit 1H, Mary Jane Unit 2H, Mary

> Jane Unit 3H, Hunter Unit 1H, Hunter Unit 2H, Mahogany Unit 1H, Mahogany Unit 2H, King

Unit 1H, King Unit 2H

Pad Location: JAMES WEBB PAD

Doddridge County/ Central District

GPS Coordinates: Lat 39°14′18.9564″/Long 80°52′23.6316″ (NAD83)

Driving Directions:

From Greenwood, head southeast on County Route 50/30/Old U.S. 50 West/Sunnyside Road for 3.4 miles. Turn right onto County Route 21/Oxford Road and continue for 2 miles. Turn right onto County Route 21/1/Cabin Run. After approximately 0.4 miles, access road will be on the right.

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

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