

#### west virginia department of environmental protection

Office of Oil and Gas 601 57th Street, S.E. Charleston, WV 25304 (304) 926-0450 fax: (304) 926-0452 Jim Justice , Governor Austin Caperton , Cabinet Secretary www.dep.wv.gov

Monday, June 19, 2017 WELL WORK PERMIT Horizontal 6A / New Drill

ANTERO RESOURCES CORPORATION (A) 1615 WYNKOOP STREET

DENVER, CO 80202

Re: Permit approval for CHALK UNIT 1H

47-017-06818-00-00

This well work permit 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 any additional specific 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 of 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.

Per 35 CSR 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) 926-0450.

Operator's Well Number: CHALK UNIT 1H

Farm Name: WILLIAM RANDALL LYNCH & DIXIE CRAIG

James A. Martin

Chief

U.S. WELL NUMBER: 47-017-06818-00-00

Horizontal 6A / New Drill

Date Issued: 6/19/2017

Promoting a healthy environment.

# **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**

- 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 one hundred (100) 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. 24 hours prior to the initiation of the completion process the operator shall notify the Chief or his designee.
- 8. During the completion process the operator shall monitor annular pressures and report any anomaly noticed to the chief or his designee immediately.
- 9. 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.
- 10. 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.

# **PERMIT CONDITIONS**

11. The operator shall provide to the Office of Oil and Gas the dates of each of the following within 30 days of their occurrence: completion of construction of the well pad, commencement of drilling, cessation of drilling, completion of any other permitted well work, and completion of the well. Such notice shall be provided by sending an email to DEPOOGNotify@wv.gov.

API NO. 47-017	- 0	6818
OPERATOR W	VELL NO.	Chalk Unit 1H
Well Pad Na	me: Middle	Pad

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

1) Well Operator: Antero	Resources Corp	ooral 494507062	017 - Doddri	West Uni	n 7.5'
The state of the s		Operator ID	County	District Quadrangle	
2) Operator's Well Numbe	r: Chalk Unit 1H	Well	Pad Name: Middle	e Pad	
3) Farm Name/Surface Ow	ner: William Randall Lynd	ch & Dixie Craig Public F	Road Access: WV-	-18	
4) Elevation, current groun	d: <u>848'</u>	_ Elevation, propos	ed post-construction	on: 843'	
5) Well Type (a) Gas Other	X Oi	l U	nderground Storag	ge	
(b)If Gas	Shallow X Horizontal X	Deep	1		
6) Existing Pad: Yes or No	No				
7) Proposed Target Format Marcellus Shale: 6600' T		[[[이보다 # [[] [] [] [] [] [] [] [] []			
8) Proposed Total Vertical	Depth: 6600' TV	'D			
9) Formation at Total Verti	cal Depth: Marc	ellus Shale			
10) Proposed Total Measur	ed Depth: 1690	0' MD			
11) Proposed Horizontal L	eg Length: 8811	Û			
12) Approximate Fresh Wa	iter Strata Depths:	97', 223', 388	r.		
13) Method to Determine F 14) Approximate Saltwater		S: Offset well records.	Depths have been adj	usted according to surface e	evations
15) Approximate Coal Sea		478'			
16) Approximate Depth to	1. 1.5-1.7-		): None Anticipat	ted	
17) Does Proposed well loo directly overlying or adjace			No	X	
(a) If Yes, provide Mine	Info: Name:				:
	Depth:		E	FCEIVED	
	Seam:		Office	of Oil and Gas	
	Owner:			148 2 4 2017	
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<b>OPERATOR WELL</b>	NO.	Chaik Unit 1H
Well Pad Name	Middle	Pad

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#### **CASING AND TUBING PROGRAM**

ТҮРЕ	Size (in)	New or Used	<u>Grade</u>	Weight per ft. (lb/ft)	FOOTAGE: For Drilling (ft)	INTERVALS: Left in Well (ft)	CEMENT: Fill-up (Cu. Ft.)/CTS
Conductor	20"	New	H-40	94#	80'	80'	CTS, 77 Cu. Ft.
Fresh Water	13-3/8"	New	J-55/H-40	54.5#/48#	440' *see #19	440' *see #19	CTS, 611 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#	16900'	16900'	4240 Cu. Ft.
Tubing	2-3/8"	New	N-80	4.7#		7100'	
Liners							

ТҮРЕ	Size (in)	Wellbore Diameter (in)	Wall Thickness (in)	Burst Pressure (psi)	Anticipated Max. Internal Pressure (psi)	Cement Type	<u>Cement</u> <u>Yield</u> (cu. ft./k)
Conductor	20"30"	24"	0.438"	1530	50	Class A	1.18
Fresh Water	13-3/8"	17-1/2"	0.38"/0.33"	2730/1730	1000	Class A	1.18
Coal	9-5/8"	12-1/4"	0.352"	3520	1500	Class A	1.18
Intermediate							
Production	5-1/2"	8-3/4" & 8-1/2"	0.361"	12,630	2500	Lead-H/POZ & Tail - H	H/Poz-1.44 & H-1.8
Tubing	2-3/8"	4.778"	0.19"	11,200			
Liners							

### **PACKERS**

Kind:	N/A	
Sizes:	N/A	
Depths Set:	N/A	RECEIVED Office of Oil and Gas
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OPERATOR WELL NO. Chalk Unit 1H
Well Pad Name: Middle Pad

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.

\*Antero will be air drilling the fresh water string which makes it difficult to determine when freshwater is encountered, therefore we have built in a buffer for the casing setting depth which helps to ensure that all fresh water zones are covered.

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."

Anticipated Max Pressure - 9300 lbs Anticipated Max Rate - 80 bpm

21) Total Area to be disturbed, including roads, stockpile area, pits, etc., (acres): 19.05 acres

22) Area to be disturbed for well pad only, less access road (acres): 5.53 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.

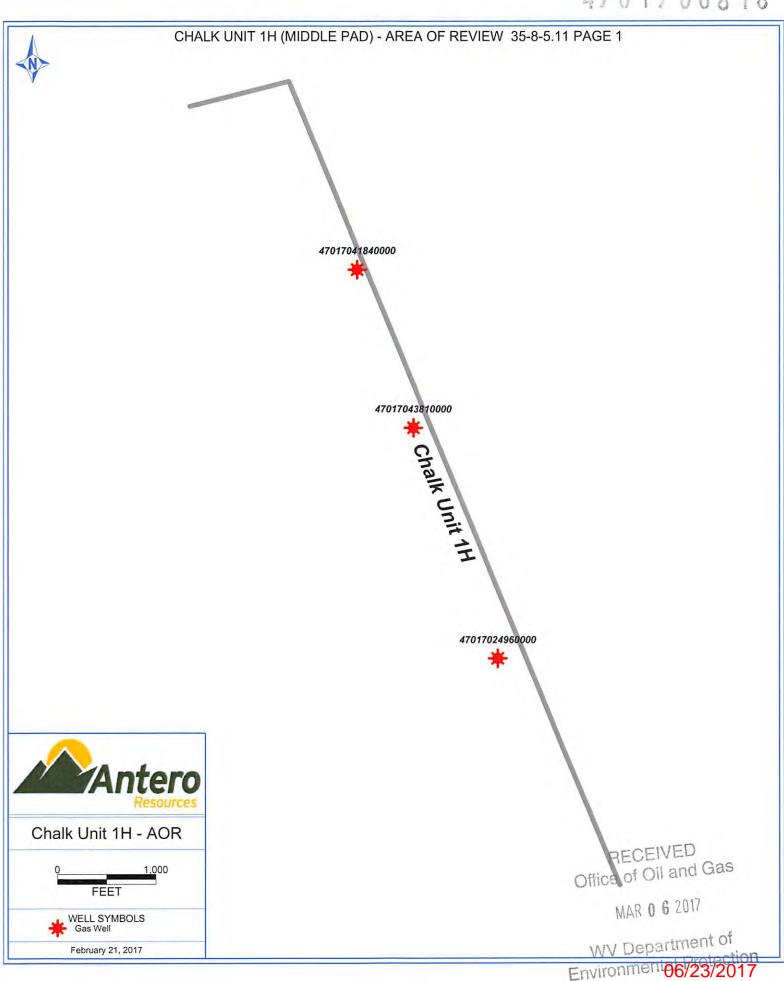
Production: circulate with 14 lb/gal NaCl mud, trip to middle of lateral, circulate, pump high viscosity sweep, trip to base of curve, pump high viscosity sweep, trip to top of curve, trip to bottom, circulate, pump high viscosity sweep, trip out, run casing, circulate 10 bbls fresh water, pump 48 bbls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

\*Note: Attach additional sheets as needed.

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Operator's Well No. Chalk Unit 1H

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

#### FLUIDS/CUTTINGS DISPOSAL & RECLAMATION PLAN

Operator Name Antero Resources Corporation	OP Code 494507062
Watershed (HUC 10) Headwaters Middle Island Creek Quadra	ngle West Union 7.5'
Do you anticipate using more than 5,000 bbls of water to complete the propo	osed well work? Yes V No
Will a pit be used? Yes No	
If so, please describe anticipated pit waste: No pit will be used at this alts (Drilling	and Flowback Fluids will be stored in tanks. Cuttings will be tanked and heuled off site.)
Will a synthetic liner be used in the pit? Yes No✓	If so, what ml.? N/A
Proposed Disposal Method For Treated Pit Wastes:	
Land Application	IC Down the will be provided as Face MD C4
Underground Injection (UIC Permit Number_*U  Reuse (at API Number_ Future permitted well locations with	
	al location) (Meadowfill Landfill Permit #SWF-1032-98) Northwestern Landfill Permit #SWF-1025/ WV0109410
Will closed loop system be used? If so, describe: Yes	
Drilling medium anticipated for this well (vertical and horizontal)? Air, fres	hwater. oil based. etc. Dut/Staff Foam, Production - Water Based Mud
-If oil based, what type? Synthetic, petroleum, etc. N/A	,
Additives to be used in drilling medium? Please See Attachment	9-01-
	Stored in tanks, removed effects and taken to landfill
Orill cuttings disposal method? Leave in pit, landfill, removed offsite, etc	
-If left in pit and plan to solidify what medium will be used? (ceme	
-Landfill or offsite name/permit number? Meadowfill Landfill (Permit #SWF	F-1032-98), Northwestern Landfill (Permit # SWF-1025/WV0109410)
Permittee shall provide written notice to the Office of Oil and Gas of any load West Virginia solid waste facility. The notice shall be provided within 24 how where it was properly disposed.	
I certify that I understand and agree to the terms and conditions of to a August 1, 2005, by the Office of Oil and Gas of the West Virginia Departs provisions of the permit are enforceable by law. Violations of any term or law or regulation can lead to enforcement action.  I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined an application form and all attachments thereto and that, based on my inquobtaining the information, I believe that the information is true, accurate, penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine or	ment of Environmental Protection. I understand that the condition of the general permit and/or other applicable and am familiar with the information submitted on the uiry of those individuals immediately responsible for and complete. I am aware that there are significant
Company Official Signature	
Company Official (Typed Name) Cole Kilstrom	
Company Official Title Environmental & Regulatory Manager	
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Subscribed and sworn before me this 3rd day of MOYC	Offic 200 Pill and Gas
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My commission expires 7/8/2020	SHELBY MARIE JOHNS NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF COLORADO NOTARY ID 20144025050 MY COMMISSION EXPIRES (A)

Form WW-9

	Operator's V	Well No. Chalk Unit 1H
Antero Resources Corporation		
Proposed Revegetation Treatment: Acres Disturbed 19.05 a	acres Prevegetation pl	н
Lime 2-4 Tons/acre or to correct to pl		
Fertilizer type Hay or straw or Wood Fiber (will be used	i where needed)	
Fertilizer amount 500	bs/acre	
Mulch 2-3 Tons	/acre	
Access Road A - 644' (4.29 acres) + Access Road B- 499' (0.98 acres) + Access Road		er Containmont Pad (3.30 acrea) + Ex-
	ed Mixtures	
Temporary	Perma	nent
Seed Type lbs/acre	Seed Type	lbs/acre
Annual Ryegrass 40	Crownvetch	10 - 15
Field Bromegrass 40	Tall Fescue	30
See attached Table IV-3 for additional seed type (Middle Pad Design Pg 23)	See attached Table IV-4A for additional se	ed type (Middle Pad Design Pg 23)
*or type of grass seed requested by surface owner	*or type of grass seed reque	ested by surface owner
Plan Approved by:		
Fitte: ASI + Les Frequestor	Date: 3/22//2	
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Field Reviewed? () Yes (	ONESO ON	EMED Oil and Gas 2.4.2017 Commont of

### 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 Congor 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 4978 WV Rt 18 N West Union, WV 26456

# Well Site Safety Plan Antero Resources

Well Name: Chalk Unit 1H & 2H, Caboose Unit 1H & 2H,

Goldsmith Unit 1H & 2H, Pickney 1H & 2H, Jay

Unit 1H & 2H

Pad Location: MIDDLE PAD

Doddridge County/West Union District

### **GPS Coordinates:**

Entrance - Lat 39°19′20.3622″/Long -80°48′16.491″ (NAD83)

Pad Center - Lat 39°19′20.6724″/Long -80°48′23.3202″ (NAD83)

# **Driving Directions:**

From intersection of WV-18 and HWY 50 (exit for West Union, WV): Turn off of HWY 50 onto WV-18 N and follow for ~0.6mi, when you come to a T at Main St turn right. Take your first left immediately after the bridge onto Davis St./Old U.S. 50 W and follow for 0.4 mi. Take the 2<sup>nd</sup> right onto WV-18N/ Sistersville Pike and follow for ~4.1 mi. You will pass Crystal Lake on the right. Access Road for Middle Pad will be on the right hand side and pad will be up on ridge.

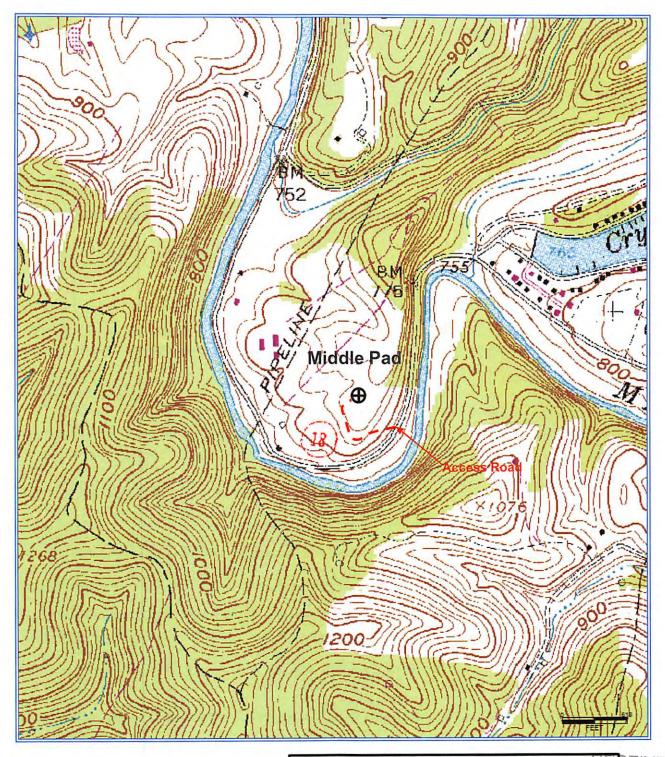
### **Alternate Route:**

From the town of Pennsboro, WV: Head northeast on WV-74 N/Mountain Dr 10.8 miles. Turn right onto WV-18 S for 8.0 miles. The access road will be on the left.

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

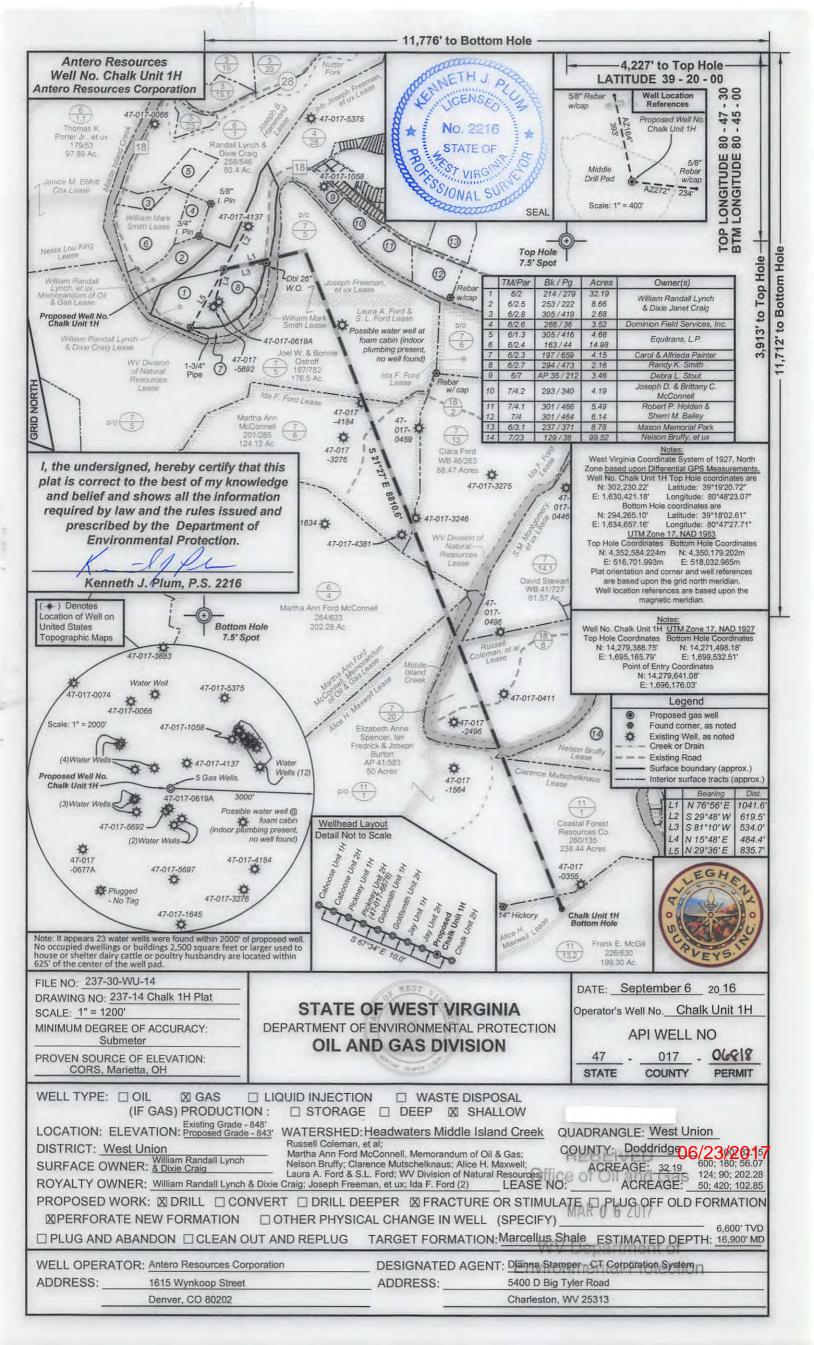
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District: West Union Date: 2-24-2017

# Antero Resources Corporation Appalachian Basin Chalk Unit 1H Doddridge County Quadrangle: West Union Watershed: Middle Island Creek MECEIVED Oil and Gas MAR 0 6 2017 WV Department of Environmental Protection



Chalk Unit 1H

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# INFORMATION SUPPLIED UNDER WEST VIRGINIA CODE Chapter 22, Article 6A, Section 5(a)(5) IN LIEU OF FILING LEASE(S) AND OTHER CONTINUING CONTRACT(S)

Under the oath required to make the verification on page 1 of this Notice and Application, I depose and say that I am the person who signed the Notice and Application for the Applicant, and that –

- (1) the tract of land is the same tract described in this Application, partly or wholly depicted in the accompanying plat, and described in the Construction and Reclamation Plan;
- (2) the parties and recordation data (if recorded) for lease(s) or other continuing contract(s) by which the Applicant claims the right to extract, produce or market the oil or gas are as follows:

Grantor, lessor, etc.	Grantee, lessee, etc.	Royalty	Book/Page
William Randall Lynch & Dixie Craig Lease			
William R. Lynch & Dixie Craig	Murvin Oil Company	1/8	0172/0544
Murvin Oil Company	Murvin & Meier Oil Company	Assignment	0179/0193
Murvin & Meier Oil Company	Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	Assignment	0267/0467
Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	Antero Resources Corporation	Name Change	Exhibit 1
William Mark Smith			
William Mark Smith	Antero Resources Corporation	1/8+	375/519
WV Division of Natural Resources Lease			
WV Division of Natural Resources	Antero Resources Corporation	1/8+	416/455
Joseph Freeman, et ux Lease		- 14	
Joseph Freeman, et ux	G.H. Trainer & J.E. Trainer	1/8	0027/0233
G.H. Trainer & J. E. Trainer	W.W. Hepburn	Assignment	0034/0244 0034/0256
W.W. Hepburn Eastern Petroleum Company	Eastern Petroleum Company Clifton Oil & Gas Company	Assignment Assignment	0034/0236
Clifton Oil & Gas Company	Quaker State Refining Corporation	Assignment	0056/0165
Quaker State Refining Corporation	Quaker State Corporation	Assignment	0159/0474
Quaker State Corporation	QSE&P, Inc.	Assignment	0159/0474
QSE&P Inc.	The Quaker State 1989-1 Drilling Fund LP	Assignment	0160/0200
The Quaker State 1989- Drilling Fund LP	Belden & Blake Corporation	Assignment	0175/0466
Belden & Blake Corporation	Peake Energy, Inc.	Assignment	0181/0114
Peake Energy, Inc.	North Coast Energy Eastern, Inc.	Name Change	DB 0249/0343
North Coast Energy Eastern, Inc.	EXCO- North Coast Energy Eastern, Inc.	Name Change	DB 0277/0068
EXCO- North Coast Energy Eastern, Inc.	EXCO Resources WV, Inc.	Name Change	Exhibit 2
•	·		Exhibit 3
EXCO Resources WV, Inc.	EXCO Resources WV, LLC	Name Change	0285/0083
EXCO Resources WV, LLC	EXCO Production Company WV, LLC	Merger	DB 0285/0084
EXCO Production Company WV, LLC	Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	Assignment	•
Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	Antero Resources Corporation	Name Change	Exhibit 1
Laura A. Ford & S.L. Ford Lease	II November	1/0	0021/0172
S.L. Ford, et ux	J.L. Neuman	1/8	0021/0172
J.L. Neuman	The Philadelphia Company	Assignment Assignm品配のEIVED	0106/0474
The Philadelphia Company	Pittsburgh and West Virginia Gas Company	• • • •	DB 0045/0102
Pittsburg and West Virginia Gas Company	Equitable Gas Company	Office of Oil and G	원용 0121/0257
Equitable Gas Company	Equitrans, Inc.	Assignment Merger	0154/0475 Recited in 302/0123
Equitrans, Inc.	Equitable Production Factors States Inc	Merger Assignment R 0 6 2017	0192/0019
Equitrans, L.P. Equitable Production-Eastern States, Inc.	Equitable Production-Eastern States, Inc. Equitable Production Company	Merger	0192/0019 Exhibit 4
Equitable Production Company	EQT Production Company	<del>-</del>	- · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
EQT Production Company	Antero Resources Corporation	Name Change Assignment (	O1 0325/0539
• ****	•	<b>Environmental Prote</b>	ction

\*Partial Assignments to Antero Resources Corporation include 100% rights to extract, produce and market the oil and gas from the Marcellus and any other formations completed with this well.

Chalk Unit 1H

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Ida F. Ford Lease 7-6 and 7-13				
lda F. Ford	Ford Development Company	1/8	0063/0459	
Ford Development Company	Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	Assignment	0277/0482	
Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	Antero Resources Corporation	Name Change	Exhibit 1	
Martha Ann Ford McConnell, Memorandum of Oil & Gas Lease				
Martha Ann Ford McConnell	Antero Resources Corporation	1/8+	0333/0280	
Alice H. Maxwell Lease 11-1				
Alice H. Maxwell	Carl D. Perkins & William Paul McCutchan	1/8	0063/0111	
Carl D. Perkins & William Paul McCutchan	Justin L. Henderson	Assignment	0104/0689	
Justin L. Henderson	P.D. Farr II	Assignment	0109/0385	
P.D. Farr II	Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	Assignment	0271/0546	
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S.M. Montgomery et ux Lease				
S.M. Montgomery, et ux	Paul B. Davis, Charter D. Stinespring and G.W. Hill	1/8	0065/0015	
Paul B. Davis, Charter D. Stinespring and G.W. Hill	Trio Oil & Gas Company, Inc.	Assignment	0065/0374	
Trio Oil & Gas Company, Inc.	Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	Assignment	0279/0630	
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Russell G. Coleman, et al	D.D. Roberts and C.A. Yeater	1/8	0062/0349	
Russell G. Coleman, et al		•	0067/0127	
D.D. Roberts and C.A. Yeater	D.D. Roberts, his heirs	Assignment	•	
D.D. Roberts	Scott Enterprises, Inc	Assignment Assignment	0113/0015 0113/0603	
James F. Scott, President of Scott Enterprises, Inc.	George R. (Randall) Gibson	Assignment	0113/0003	
Randall Gibson	All personal and real property to heirs, Timothy Ames Gibson, Suzanne Marie Gibson Sloan and Gina Carolyn Gibson	Will	WB 0045/0614	
Gina C. Gibson, heir of George R. Gibson a/k/a	Antero Resources Corporation	Assignment	0333/0212	
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<sup>\*</sup>Partial Assignments to Antero Resources Corporation include 100% rights to extract, produce and GarketGreiol នាថ្ងៃខេត្ត ប្រៀបគ្រ Marcellus and any other formations completed with this well.

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#### INFORMATION SUPPLIED UNDER WEST VIRGINIA CODE Chapter 22, Article 6A, Section 5(a)(5) IN LIEU OF FILING LEASE(S) AND OTHER CONTINUING CONTRACT(S)

Under the oath required to make the verification on page 1 of this Notice and Application, I depose and say that I am the person who signed the Notice and Application for the Applicant, and that –

- (1) the tract of land is the same tract described in this Application, partly or wholly depicted in the accompanying plat, and described in the Construction and Reclamation Plan;
- (2) the parties and recordation data (if recorded) for lease(s) or other continuing contract(s) by which the Applicant claims the right to extract, produce or market the oil or gas are as follows:

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<sup>\*</sup>Partial Assignments to Antero Resources Corporation include 100% rights to extract, produce and market the oil and gas from the Marcellus and any other formations completed with this well.

#### Acknowledgement of Possible Permitting/Approval In Addition to the Office of Oil and Gas

The permit applicant for the proposed well work addressed in this application hereby acknowledges the possibility of the need for permits and/or approvals from local, state, or federal entities in addition to the DEP, Office of Oil and Gas, including but not limited to the following:

- WV Division of Water and Waste Management
- WV Division of Natural Resources WV Division of Highways
- U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
- · U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
- County Floodplain Coordinator

The applicant further acknowledges that any Office of Oil and Gas permit in no way overrides, replaces, or nullifies the need for other permits/approvals that may be necessary and further affirms that all needed permits/approvals should be acquired from the appropriate authority before the affected activity is initiated.

Well Operator: Antero Resources Corporationice of Dil and Gas

By: Kevin Kilstrom

Its: Senior VP of Production MAR 0 6 2017

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**FILE ONE ORIGINAL** (Two if you want a filed stamped copy returned to you) FEE: \$25:00



Penney Barker, Manager IN THE OFFICE OF Corporations Division CRETARY OF STATE Tel: (304)558-8000

Website: www.wvsos.com E-mall: business@wvsos.com

APPLICATION FOR AMENDED CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

\*\*\*\* In accordance with the provisions of the West Virginia Code, the undersigned corporation hereby \*\*\*\*

Office Hours: Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. ET

applies for an Amended Certificate of Authority and submits the following statement: 1. Name under which the corporation was Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation authorized to transact business in WV: 2. Date Certificate of Authority was 6/26/2008 issued in West Virginia: Antero Resources Corporation 3. Corporate name has been changed to: (Attach one Certified Conv of Name Change as filed in home State of incorporation.) Antero Resources Corporation Name the corporation elects to use in WV: (due to home state name not being available) 5. Other amendments: (attach additional pages if necessary) 6. Name and phone number of contact person. (This is optional, however, if there is a problem with the filing, listing a contact person and phone number may avoid having to return or reject the document.) Alwn A. Schopp (303) 357-7310 Contact Name Phone Number 7. Signature information (See below \* Important Legal Notice Regarding Signature): Title/Capacity: Authorized Person Print Name of Signer: Aleyn A. Schop June 10, 2013 Signature: Date: -\*Important Lessi Notice Repartitor Standard: For West Virginia Code \$310-1-129. Penalty for signing false document.

Any person value signs a document he or she knows is false in any material respect and knows that the document is to be delivered. to the secretary of state for filing is guilty of a misdomesnor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be fined not more than one thousand dollars or confined in the county or regional jall not more than one year, or both. Office of Oil and Gas Porm CF-4

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Issued by the Office of the Secretary of State

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# I, Natalie E. Tennant, Secretary of State of the State of West Virginia, hereby certify that

an Amended Certificate of Authority of

**EXCO - NORTH COAST ENERGY EASTERN, INC.** 

was filed in my office as required by the provisions of the West Virginia Code and was found to conform to law.

Therefore I issue this

# CERTIFICATE OF AMENDMENT TO THE CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY

changing the name of the corporation to

EXCO RESOURCES (WV), INC.



Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of West Virginia on this day of December 2, 2009

Office of Oil and Gas

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06/23/2017

**ORM WW-6A1 EXHIBIT 3** 



I, Natalie E. Tennant, Secretary of State of the State of West Virginia, hereby certify that

### EXCO RESOURCES (WV), INC.

(A Delaware Corporation)

filed Articles of Conversion in my office as required by the provisions of the West Virginia Code and was found to conform to law.

Therefore, I issue this

### CERTIFICATE OF CONVERSION

Converting the corporation to:

# **EXCO RESOURCES (WV), LLC**

(A Delaware Limited Liability Company)



Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of West Virginia on

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I, Joe Manchin III, Secretary of State of the State of West Virginia, hereby certify that

by the provisions of Chapter 31 of the West Virginia Code, Articles of Merger were received and filed MERGING EQUITABLE PRODUCTION - EASTERN STATES, INC., A QUALIFIED DE ORGANIZATION, WITH AND INTO EQUITABLE PRODUCTION COMPANY, A QUALIFIED ORGANIZATION.

Therefore, I hereby issue this

### CERTIFICATE OF MERGER



Given under my hand and the Great Seal of the State of West Virginia on this day of June 28, 2001

MAR 0 6 2 Secretary of State

WV Department of Environmental Pro6/23/2017



Antero Resources 1615 Wynkoop Street Denver, CO 80202 Office 303.357.7310 Fax 303.357.7315

March 3, 2017

West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection Chief, Office of Oil and Gas Attn: Mr. James Martin 601 57<sup>th</sup> Street SE Charleston, WV 25304

RE: Chalk Unit 1H

Quadrangle: West Union 7.5'

Doddridge County/West Union District, West Virginia

Mr. Martin:

Antero Resources Corporation (Antero) is submitting the following application for a new well work permit for the Chalk Unit 1H horizontal shallow well. As an authorized representative, I certify that Antero has the right to extract, produce or market the oil or gas for all leases through which the Chalk Unit 1H horizontal lateral will drill through including any and all roads crossed under as identified on the attached survey plat.

Sincerely,

Jared Hurst SR Landman

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Date of Notice Cartification: 03/02/2017

# STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS NOTICE CERTIFICATION

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District:	West Union	Public Road Acc		WV-18	
Quadrangle:	West Union 7.5'	Generally used f	arm name:	William Randall L	ynch & Dixie Craig
Watershed:	Headwaters Middle Island Creek				
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#### **Required Attachments:**

The Operator shall attach to this Notice Certification Form all Notice Forms and Certifications of Notice Etal have been provided to the required parties and/or any associated written waivers. For the Public Notice, the operator shall attach a copy of the Class II Legal Advertisement with publication date verification or the associated Affidavit of Publication. The attached Notice Forms and Certifications of Notice shall serve as proof that the required parties have been noticed as required under West Virginia Code § 22-6A. Pursuant to West Virginia Code § 22-6A-11(b), the Certification of Notice to the person may be make by Afficiant of personal service, the return receipt card or other postal receipt for certified mailing.

WV Department of Environmental Protection By:

#### Certification of Notice is hereby given:

THEREFORE, I Kevin Kilstrom , have read and understand the notice requirements within West Virginia Code § 22-6A. I certify that as required under West Virginia Code § 22-6A, I have served the attached copies of the Notice Forms, identified above, to the required parties through personal service, by registered mail or by any method of delivery that requires a receipt or signature confirmation. I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted in this Notice Certification and all attachments, and that based on my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, I believe that the information is true, accurate and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment.

Well Operator: Antero Resources Corporation

Kevin Kilstrom

Its: Senior Vice President - Production

Telephone: 303-357-7310 Address: 1615 Wynkoop Street

Denver, CO 80202

Facsimile: 303-357-7315

Email: shjohnson@anteroresources.com

NOTARY SEAL

SHELBY MARIE JOHNSON NOTARY PUBLIC TATE OF COLORADO NOTARY ID 20164026060 MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JULY 8, 2020

Subscribed and sworn before me this \_\_\_\_ day of March 2017.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires

Oil and Gas Privacy Notice:

The Office of Oil and Gas processes your personal information, such as name, address and telephone number, as part of our regulatory duties. Your personal information may be disclosed to other State agencies or third parties in the normal course of business or as needed to comply with statutory or regulatory requirements, including Freedom of Information Act requests. Our office will appropriately secure your personal information. If you have any questions about our use or your personal information, please contact DEP's Chief Privacy Officer at depprivacyofficer@wv.gov.

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Well Pad Name: Middle Pad

# STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS NOTICE OF APPLICATION

Notice Time Requirement: notice shall be provided no later than the filing date of permit application. Date of Notice: 3/3/2017 Date Permit Application Filed: 3/3/2017 Notice of: PERMIT FOR ANY ☐ CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL FOR THE WELL WORK CONSTRUCTION OF AN IMPOUNDMENT OR PIT Delivery method pursuant to West Virginia Code § 22-6A-10(b) PERSONAL ☐ REGISTERED METHOD OF DELIVERY THAT REQUIRES A **SERVICE** MAIL RECEIPT OR SIGNATURE CONFIRMATION Pursuant to W. Va. Code § 22-6A-10(b) no later than the filing date of the application, the applicant for a permit for any well work or for a certificate of approval for the construction of an impoundment or pit as required by this article shall deliver, by personal service or by registered mail or by any method of delivery that requires a receipt or signature confirmation, copies of the application, the erosion and sediment control plan required by section seven of this article, and the well plat to each of the following persons: (1) The owners of record of the surface of the tract on which the well is or is proposed to be located; (2) The owners of record of the surface tract or tracts overlying the oil and gas leasehold being developed by the proposed well work, if the surface tract is to be used for roads or other land disturbance as described in the erosion and sediment control plan submitted pursuant to subsection (c), section seven of this article; (3) The coal owner, operator or lessee, in the event the tract of land on which the well proposed to be drilled is located [sic] is known to be underlain by one or more coal seams; (4) The owners of record of the surface tract or tracts overlying the oil and gas leasehold being developed by the proposed well work, if the surface tract is to be used for the placement, construction, enlargement, alteration, repair, removal or abandonment of any impoundment or pit as described in section nine of this article; (5) Any surface owner or water purveyor who is known to the applicant to have a water well, spring or water supply source located within one thousand five hundred feet of the center of the well pad which is used to provide water for consumption by humans or domestic animals; and (6) The operator of any natural gas storage field within which the proposed well work activity is to take place. (c)(1) If more than three tenants in common or other co-owners of interests described in subsection (b) of this section hold interests in the lands, the applicant may serve the documents required upon the person described in the records of the sheriff required to be maintained pursuant to section eight, article one, chapter eleven-a of this code. (2) Notwithstanding any provision of this article to the contrary, notice to a lien holder is not notice to a landowner, unless the lien holder is the landowner. W. Va. Code R. § 35-8-5.7.a requires, in part, that the operator shall also provide the Well Site Safety Plan ("WSSP") to the surface owner and any water purveyor or surface owner subject to notice and water testing as provided in section 15 of this rule. ☑ Application Notice ☑ WSSP Notice ☑ E&S Plan Notice ☑ Well Plat Notice is hereby provided to: ☐ COAL OWNER OR LESSEE ☑ SURFACE OWNER(s) Name: NO DECLARATIONS ON RECORD WITH COUNTY Name: PLEASE SEE ATTACHED Address: Address: COAL OPERATOR Name: Name: NO DECLARATIONS ON RECORD WITH COUNTY Address: Address: SURFACE OWNER(s) (Road and/or Other Disturbance) Name: PLEASE SEE ATTACHED MATER PURVEYOR(s)/OWNER(s) OF WATER WELL, SPRING OR OTHER WATER SUPPLY SOURCE Address: Name: PLEASE SEE ATTACHED Address: Name: Address: OPERATOR OF ANY NATURAL GAS STORAGE FIELD ☐ SURFACE OWNER(s) (Impoundments or Pits) Name: Office of Oil and Gas Address: Name: Address: \*Please attach additional forms if necessaryAR 0 6 2017

> WV Department of Environmental Protection

PI NO. 47-017 - 1 3 3 1 8

OPERATOR WELL NO. Chalk Unit 1H

Well Pad Name: Middle Pad

#### Notice is hereby given:

Pursuant to West Virginia Code § 22-6A-10(b), notice is hereby given that the undersigned well operator has applied for a permit for well work or for a certificate of approval for the construction of an impoundment or pit.

#### This Notice Shall Include:

Pursuant to W. Va. Code § 22-6A-10(b), this notice shall include: (1) copies of the application; (2) the erosion and sediment control plan required by section seven of this article; and (3) the well plat.

Pursuant to W. Va. Code § 22-6A-10(f), this notice shall include: (1) a statement of the time limits for filing written comments; (2) who may file written comments; (3) the name and address of the secretary for the purpose of filing the comments and obtaining additional information; and (4) a statement that the persons may request, at the time of submitting written comments, notice of the permit decision and a list of persons qualified to test water.

Pursuant to W. Va. Code R. § 35-8-5.7.a, the operator shall provide the Well Site Safety Plan to the surface owner and any water purveyor or surface owner subject to notice and water testing as provided in section 15 of this rule.

Pursuant to W. Va. Code R. § 35-8-15.2.c, this notice shall: (1) contain a statement of the surface owner's and water purveyor's right to request sampling and analysis; (2) advise the surface owner and water purveyor of the rebuttable presumption for contamination or deprivation of a fresh water source or supply; advise the surface owner and water purveyor that refusal to allow the operator to conduct a pre-drilling water well test constitutes a method to rebut the presumption of liability; (3) advise the surface owner and water purveyor of his or her independent right to sample and analyze any water supply at his or her own expense; advise the surface owner and water purveyor whether or not the operator will utilize an independent laboratory to analyze any sample; and (4) advise the surface owner and or water purveyor that he or she can obtain from the Chief a list of water testing laboratories in the subject area capable of and qualified to test water supplies in accordance with standard acceptable methods.

Additional information related to horizontal drilling may be obtained from the Secretary, at the WV Department of Environmental Protection headquarters, located at 601 57<sup>th</sup> Street, SE, Charleston, WV 25304 (304-926-0450) or by visiting <a href="www.dep.wv.gov/oil-and-gas/pages/default.aspx">www.dep.wv.gov/oil-and-gas/pages/default.aspx</a>.

#### Well Location Restrictions

Pursuant to W. Va. Code § 22-6A-12, Wells may not be drilled within two hundred fifty feet measured horizontally from any existing water well or developed spring used for human or domestic animal consumption. The center of well pads may not be located within six hundred twenty-five feet of an occupied dwelling structure, or a building two thousand five hundred square feet or larger used to house or shelter dairy cattle or poultry husbandry. This limitation is applicable to those wells, developed springs, dwellings or agricultural buildings that existed on the date a notice to the surface owner of planned entry for surveying or staking as provided in section ten of this article or a notice of intent to drill a horizontal well as provided in subsection (b), section sixteen of this article was provided, whichever occurs first, and to any dwelling under construction prior to that date. This limitation may be waived by written consent of the surface owner transmitted to the department and recorded in the real property records maintained by the clerk of the county commission for the county in which such property is located. Furthermore, the well operator may be granted a variance by the secretary from these distance restrictions upon submission of a plan which identifies the sufficient measures, facilities or practices to be employed during well site construction, drilling and operations. The variance, if granted, shall include terms and conditions the department requires to ensure the safety and protection of affected persons and property. The terms and conditions may include insurance, bonding and indemnification, as well as technical requirements. (b) No well pad may be prepared or well drilled within one hundred feet measured horizontally from any perennial stream, natural or artificial lake, pond or reservoir, or a wetland, or within three hundred feet of a naturally reproducing trout stream. No well pad may be located within one thousand feet of a surface or ground water intake of a public water supply. The distance from the public water supply as identified by the department shall be measured as follows: (1) For a surface water intake on a lake or reservoir, the distance shall be measured from the boundary of the lake or reservoir. (2) For a surface water intake on a flowing stream, the distance shall be measured from a semicircular radius extending upstream of the surface water intake. (3) For a groundwater source, the distance shall be measured from the wellhead or spring. The department may, in its discretion, waive these distance restrictions upon submission of a plan identifying sufficient measures, facilities or practices to be employed during well site construction, drilling and operations to protect the waters of the state. A waiver, if granted, shall impose any permit conditions as the secretary considers necessary. (c) Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this section, nothing contained in this section prevents an operator from conducting the activities permitted or authorized by a Clean Water Act Section 404 permit or other approval from the United States Army Corps of Engineers within any waters of the state or within the restricted areas referenced in this section. (d) The well location restrictions set forth in this section shall not apply to any well on a multiple well pad if at least one of the wells was permitted prior to the effective date of this article. (e) The secretary shall, by December 31, 2012, report to the Legislature on the noise, light, dust and volatile organic compounds generated by the drilling of horizontal wells as they relate to the well location restrictions regarding occupied dwelling structures pursuant to this section. Upon a finding, if any, by the secretary that the well location restrictions regarding occupied dwelling structures are inadequate or otherwise require alteration to address the items

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Well Pad Name: Middle Pad

examined in the study required by this subsection, the secretary shall have the authority to propose for promulgation legislative rules establishing guidelines and procedures regarding reasonable levels of noise, light, dust and volatile organic compounds relating to drilling horizontal wells, including reasonable means of mitigating such factors, if necessary.

#### Water Well Testing:

Pursuant to West Virginia Code § 22-6A-10(d), notification shall be made, with respect to surface landowners identified in subsection (b) or water purveyors identified in subdivision (5), subsection (b) of this section, of the opportunity for testing their water well. The operator shall provide an analysis to such surface landowner or water purveyor at their request.

#### Water Testing Laboratories:

Pursuant to West Virginia Code § 22-6A-10(i), persons entitled to notice pursuant to subsection (b) of this section may contact the department to ascertain the names and locations of water testing laboratories in the subject area capable and qualified to test water supplies in accordance with standard accepted methods. In compiling that list of names the department shall consult with the state Bureau for Public Health and local health departments. A surface owner and water purveyor has an independent right to sample and analyze any water supply at his or her own expense. The laboratory utilized by the operator shall be approved by the agency as being certified and capable of performing sample analyses in accordance with this section.

#### Rebuttable Presumption for Contamination or Deprivation of a Fresh Water Source or Supply:

W. Va. Code § 22-6A-18 requires that (b) unless rebutted by one of the defenses established in subsection (c) of this section, in any action for contamination or deprivation of a fresh water source or supply within one thousand five hundred feet of the center of the well pad for horizontal well, there is a rebuttable presumption that the drilling and the oil or gas well or either was the proximate cause of the contamination or deprivation of the fresh water source or supply. (c) In order to rebut the presumption of liability established in subsection (b) of this section, the operator must prove by a preponderance of the evidence one of the following defenses: (1) The pollution existed prior to the drilling or alteration activity as determined by a predrilling or prealteration water well test. (2) The landowner or water purveyor refused to allow the operator access to the property to conduct a predrilling or prealteration water well test. (3) The water supply is not within one thousand five hundred feet of the well. (4) The pollution occurred more than six months after completion of drilling or alteration activities. (5) The pollution occurred as the result of some cause other than the drilling or alteration activity. (d) Any operator electing to preserve its defenses under subdivision (1), subsection (c) of this section shall retain the services of an independent certified laboratory to conduct the predrilling or prealteration water well test. A copy of the results of the test shall be submitted to the department and the surface owner or water purveyor in a manner prescribed by the secretary. (e) Any operator shall replace the water supply of an owner of interest in real property who obtains all or part of that owner's supply of water for domestic, agricultural, industrial or other legitimate use from an underground or surface source with a comparable water supply where the secretary determines that the water supply has been affected by contamination, diminution or interruption proximately caused by the oil or gas operation, unless waived in writing by that owner. (f) The secretary may order the operator conducting the oil or gas operation to: (1) Provide an emergency drinking water supply within twenty-four hours; (2) Provide temporary water supply within seventy-two hours; (3) Within thirty days begin activities to establish a permanent water supply or submit a proposal to the secretary outlining the measures and timetables to be used in establishing a permanent supply. The total time in providing a permanent water supply may not exceed two years. If the operator demonstrates that providing a permanent replacement water supply cannot be completed within two years, the secretary may extend the time frame on case-by-case basis; and (4) Pay all reasonable costs incurred by the real property owner in securing a water supply. (g) A person as described in subsection (b) of this section aggrieved under the provisions of subsections (b), (e) or (f) of this section may seek relief in court... (i) Notwithstanding the denial of the operator of responsibility for the damage to the real property owner's water supply or the status of any appeal on determination of liability for the damage to the real property owner's water supply, the operator may not discontinue providing the required water service until authorized to do so by the secretary or a court of competent jurisdiction.

#### Written Comment:

Pursuant to West Virginia Code § 22-6A-11(a), all persons described in subsection (b), section ten of this article may file written comments with the secretary as to the location or construction of the applicant's proposed well work within thirty days after the application is filed with the secretary. All persons described in West Virginia Code § 22-6A-10(b) may file written comments as to the location or construction of the applicant's proposed well work to the Secretary at:

Chief, Office of Oil and Gas
Department of Environmental Protection
601 57<sup>th</sup> St. SE
Charleston, WV 25304
(304) 926-0450

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Such persons may request, at the time of submitting written comments, notice of the permit decision and Alexholf persons and Alexholf persons water. NOTE: YOU ARE NOT REQUIRED TO FILE ANY COMMENT.

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API NO. 47-017 OPERATOR WELL NO. Chalk Unit 1H
Well Pad Name: Middle Pad

#### Time Limits and Methods for Filing Comments.

The law requires these materials to be served on or before the date the operator files its Application. You have THIRTY (30) DAYS after the filing date to file your comments. Comments must be filed in person or received in the mail by the Chief's office by the time stated above. You may call the Chief's office to be sure of the date. Check with your postmaster to ensure adequate delivery time or to arrange special expedited handling. If you have been contacted by the well operator and you have signed a "voluntary statement of no objection" to the planned work described in these materials, then the permit may be issued at any time.

Pursuant to West Virginia Code § 22-6A-11(c)(2), Any objections of the affected coal operators and coal seam owners and lessees shall be addressed through the processes and procedures that exist under sections fifteen, seventeen and forty, article six of this chapter, as applicable and as incorporated into this article by section five of this article. The written comments filed by the parties entitled to notice under subdivisions (1), (2), (4), (5) and (6), subsection (b), section ten of this article shall be considered by the secretary in the permit issuance process, but the parties are not entitled to participate in the processes and proceedings that exist under sections fifteen, seventeen or forty, article six of this chapter, as applicable and as incorporated into this article by section five of this article.

#### **Comment Requirements**

Your comments must be in writing and include your name, address and telephone number, the well operator's name and well number and the approximate location of the proposed well site including district and county from the application. You may add other documents, such as sketches, maps or photographs to support your comments.

Disclaimer: All comments received will be placed on our web site <a href="http://www.dep.wv.gov/oil-and-gas/Horizontal-Permits/Pages/default.aspx">http://www.dep.wv.gov/oil-and-gas/Horizontal-Permits/Pages/default.aspx</a> and the applicant will automatically be forwarded an email notice that such comments have been submitted. The applicant will be expected to provide a response to comments submitted by any surface owner, water purveyor or natural gas storage operator noticed within the application.

#### **Permit Denial or Condition**

The Chief has the power to deny or condition a well work permit. Pursuant to West Virginia Code § 22-6A-8(d), the permit may not be issued or be conditioned, including conditions with respect to the location of the well and access roads prior to issuance if the director determines that:

- (1) The proposed well work will constitute a hazard to the safety of persons;
- (2) The plan for soil erosion and sediment control is not adequate or effective;
- (3) Damage would occur to publicly owned lands or resources; or
- (4) The proposed well work fails to protect fresh water sources or supplies.

A permit may also be denied under West Virginia Code § 22-6A-7(k), the secretary shall deny the issuance of a permit if the secretary determines that the applicant has committed a substantial violation of a previously issued permit for a horizontal well, including the applicable erosion and sediment control plan associated with the previously issued permit, or a substantial violation of one or more of the rules promulgated under this article, and in each instance has failed to abate or seek review of the violation within the time prescribed by the secretary pursuant to the provisions of subdivisions (1) and (2), subsection (a), section five of this article and the rules promulgated hereunder, which time may not be unreasonable.

Pursuant to West Virginia Code § 22-6A-10(g), any person entitled to submit written comments to the secretary pursuant to subsection (a), section eleven of this article, shall also be entitled to receive from the secretary a copy of the permit as issued or a copy of the order modifying or denying the permit if the person requests receipt of them as a part of the written comments submitted concerning the permit application. Such persons may request, at the time of submitting written comments, notice of the permit decision and a list of persons qualified to test water.

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WW-6A (8-13) 4701706818

API NO. 47- 017 OPERATOR WELL NO. Chalk Unit 1H
Well Pad Name: Middle Pad

Notice is hereby given by:

Well Operator: Antero Resources Corporation

Telephone: (303) 357-7310
Email: shjohnson@anteroresources.com

Address: 1615 Wynkoop Street

Denver, CO 80202

Facsimile: 303-357-7315

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SHELBY MARIE JOHNSON
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF COLORADO
NOTARY ID 20164026060
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JULY 8, 2020

Subscribed and sworn before me this 3

day of March 2017.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires

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### WW-6A Notice of Application Attachment (Chalk Unit 1H):

#### List of Owners with Proposed Disturbance associated with Chalk Unit 1H (Middle Pad):

**SURFACE OWNERS -**

Owner:

William Randall Lynch & Dixie Janet Craig

Address:

HC 69 Box 35

West Union, WV 26456

Owner:

Randall Lynch & Dixie Craig (2<sup>nd</sup> Address)

Address:

5534 WV Rt 18 N

West Union, WV 26456

SURFACE OWNERS (Roads and/or Other Disturbances) -

Owner:

William Randall Lynch & Dixie Janet Craig

Address:

HC 69 Box 35

West Union, WV 26456

Owner:

Randall Lynch & Dixie Craig

Address:

5534 WV Rt 18 N

West Union, WV 26456

**WATER SOURCE OWNERS –** 

Owner: Address:

Randy K. Smith HC 69 Box 41F

West Union, WV 26456

Owner:

Carol & Alfrieda (Surv.) Painter

Address:

HC 69 Box 35G

West Union, WV 26456

Owner:

Dominion Field Services, Inc.

Address:

PO Box 2450

Clarksburg, WV 26302

Owner:

Equitrans, Inc

Address:

100 Allegheny Center Mall

Pittsburgh, PA 15212

Owner:

William Randall Lynch & Dixie Janet Craig

Address:

HC 69 Box 35

West Union, WV 26456

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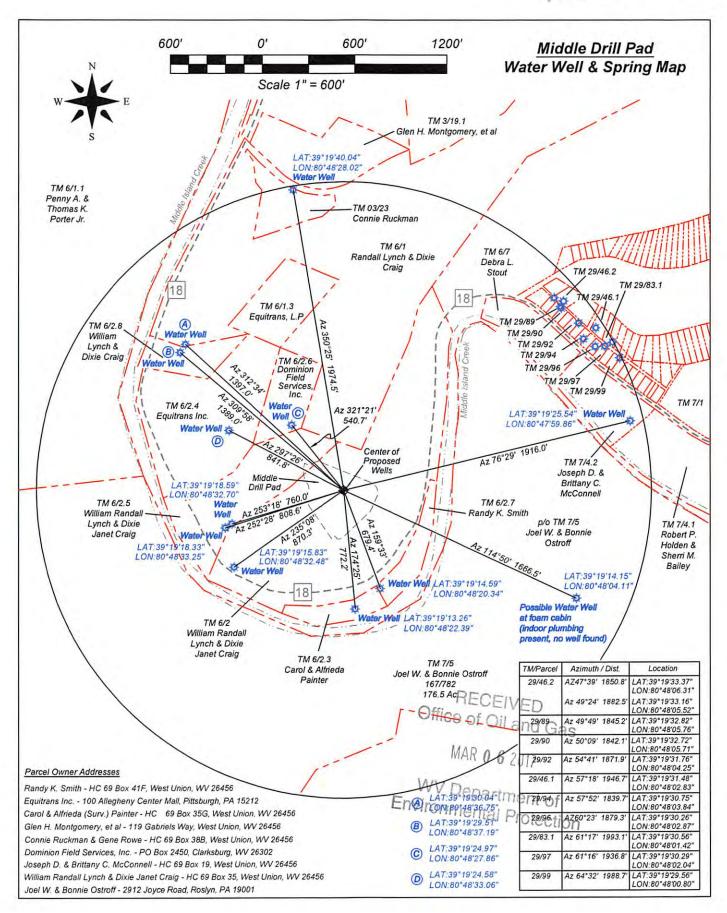
\*Please note there are 14 additional water

sources listed on the attached map,

however they are located greater than 1500' from the proposed well location.

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Multiple Wells on Middle Pad

# STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS NOTICE OF INTENT TO DRILL

Pursuant to W. Va. Code § 22-6A-16(b), the Notice of Intent to Drill is only required if the notice requirements of W. Va. Code § 22-6A-10(a) have NOT been met or if the Notice of Intent to Drill requirement has NOT been waived in writing by the surface owner.

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	t Union, WV 26456	Address: 5534 WV Route 18 West Union, WV 26	100
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District:	West Union	Public Road Access:	WV 18
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Watershed:	Headwaters Middle Island Creek		
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WW-6A5 (1/12) Operator Well No. Chalk Unit 1H

# STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS NOTICE OF PLANNED OPERATION

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#### WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

# **Division of Highways**

1900 Kanawha Boulevard East • Building Five • Room 110 Charleston, West Virginia 25305-0430 • (304) 558-3505

Paul A. Mattox, Jr., P. E. Secretary of Transportation/ Commissioner of Highways

Reissued November 4, 2016

James A. Martin, Chief Office of Oil and Gas Department of Environmental Protection 601 57th Street, SE Charleston, WV 25304

Subject: DOH Permit for the Middle Pad, Doddridge County

Chalk Unit 1H Well site 41-017-06818

Dear Mr. Martin,

Earl Ray Tomblin

Governor

This well site will be accessed from a DOH permit #04-2013-0352 which has been issued to Antero Resources Corporation for access to the State Road for a well site located off of WV route 18 F in Doddridge County.

The operator has signed a STATEWIDE OIL AND GAS ROAD MAINTENANCE BONDING AGREEMENT and provided the required Bond. This operator is currently in compliance with the DOH OIL AND GAS POLICY dated January 3, 2012.

Very Truly Yours,

Gary K. Clayton, P.E.

Regional Maintenance Engineer Central Office O&G Coordinator

Samantha Marsh Cc:

Antero Resources Corporation

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# List of Anticipated Additives Used for Fracturing or Stimulating Well 4701706818

Additives	Chemical Abstract Service Number		
Additivoo	(CAS #)		
Fresh Water	7732-18-5		
2 Phosphobutane 1,2,4 tricarboxylic acid	37971-36-1		
Ammonium Persulfate	7727-54-0		
Anionic copolymer	Proprietary		
Anionic polymer	Proprietary		
BTEX Free Hydrotreated Heavy Naphtha	64742-48-9		
Cellulase enzyme	Proprietary		
Demulsifier Base	Proprietary		
Ethoxylated alcohol blend	Mixture		
Ethoxylated Nonylphenol	68412-54-4		
Ethoxylated oleylamine	26635-93-8		
Ethylene Glycol	107-21-1		
Glycol Ethers	111-76-2		
Guar gum	9000-30-0		
Hydrogen Chloride	7647-01-0		
Hydrotreated light distillates, non-aromatic, BTEX free	64742-47-8		
Isopropyl alcohol	67-63-0		
liquid, 2,2-dibromo-3-nitrilopropionamide	10222-01-2		
Microparticle	Proprietary		
Petroleum Distillates (BTEX Below Detect)	64742-47-8		
Polyacrylamide	57-55-6		
Propargyl Alcohol	107-19-7		
Propylene Glycol	57-55-6		
Quartz	14808-60-7		
Sillica, crystalline quartz	7631-86-9		
Sodium Chloride	7647-14-5		
Sodium Hydroxide	1310-73-2		
Sugar	57-50-1		
Surfactant	68439-51-0		
Suspending agent (solid)	14808-60-7		
Tar bases, quinoline derivs, benzyl chloride-quaternized	72480-70-7		
Solvent Naphtha, petroleum, heavy aliph	64742-96-7		
	67784-80-9		
Soybean Oil, Me ester	52255-49-9		
Copolymer of Maleic and Acrylic Acid	15827-60-8		
DETA phosphonate	34690-00-1		
Hexamthylene Triamine Penta			
Phosphino Carboxylic acid polymer	71050-62-9		
Hexamethylene Diamine Tetra	23605-75-5		
2-Propenoic acid, polymer with 2 propenamide	9003-06-9		
Hexamethylene diamine penta (methylene phosphonic acid)	23605-74-5		
Diethylene Glycol	111-46-6		
Methenamine	100-97-0		
Polyethylene polyamine	68603-67-8		
Coco amine	61791-14-8		
2-Propyn-1-olcompound with methyloxirane	38172-91-7		

LOCATION COORDINATES:
ACCESS ROAD ENTRANCE
LATITUDE: 39.322223 LONGITUDE: -80.804581 (NAD 83)
N 4352564.36 E 516844.60 (UTM ZONE 17 METERS (UTM ZONE 17 METERS)

CENTER OF TANK
LATITUDE: 39.323633 LONGITUDE: -80.806236 (NAD 83) N 4352709.35 E 516701.67 (UTM ZONE 17 METERS)

CENTROID OF WELL PAD

LATITUDE: 39.322409 LONGITUDE: -80.806478 (NAD 83) N 4352573.53 E 516681.13 (UTM ZONE 17 METERS)

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#### GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

THE WELL PAD, WATER CONTAINMENT PAD, AND ACCESS ROAD(S) ARE BEING CONSTRUCTED TO AID IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF INDIVIDUAL MARCELLUS SHALE GAS WELLS.

#### FLOODPLAIN NOTES

THE PROPOSED SITE IS LOCATED IN FLOODZONE "X" PER FEMA FLOOD MAP #54017C0110C.

MISS UTILITY STATEMENT:
ANTERO RESOURCES CORPORATION WILL NOTIFY MISS UTILITY OF WEST VIRGINIA FOR THE LOCATING
OF UTILITIES PRIOR TO THIS PROJECT DESIGN; TICKET #1309921758.
IN ADDITION, MISS UTILITY WILL BE CONTACTED BY THE CONTRACTOR PRIOR TO THE START OF
CONSTRUCTION FOR THIS PROJECT.

ANTERO RESOURCES CORPORATION WILL OBTAIN AN ENCROACHMENT PERMIT (FORM MM-109) FROM THE WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS, PRIOR TO COMMENCEMENT OF CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES.

ENVIRONMENTAL NOTES:
WETLAND DELINEATIONS WERE PERFORMED ON APRIL 2012, FEBRUARY 2014 & DECEMBER 2016 BY ALLSTAR ECOLOGY, LLC TO REVIEW THE SITE FOR WATERS AND WETLANDS THAT ARE MOST LIKELY WITHIN THE REGULATORY PURVIEW OF THE U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS (USACE) AND/OR THE WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION (WYDEP). THE DECEMBER 5, 2016 WETLAND DELINEATION AND STREAM IDENTIFICATION REPORT WAS PREPARED BY ALLSTAR ECOLOGY, LLC AND SUMMARIZES THE RESULTS OF THE FIELD DELINEATION. THE REPORT DOES NOT, IN ANY WAY, REPRESENT A JURISDICTIONAL DETERMINATION OF THE LANDWARD LIMITS OF WATERS AND WETLANDS WHICH MAY BE REGULATED BY THE USACE OR THE WYDEP.

MIDC	LE JURISI	DICTIONAL DITCH	HIMPACT (LINEAR	R FEET)	
	Perma	nent impacts	Temp. Impacts	Temp. Disturb.	Total
Stream and Impact Cause	Culvert / Fill (LF)	Inlets/Outlets Structures (LF)	Cofferdam/ E&S Controls (LF)	Distance to L.O.D. (LF)	Disturbance (LF)
Ditch 1 (Access Road "A")	214	28	0	10	252
Ditch 2 (Access Road "A")	13	0	0	0	13

GEOTECHNICAL NOTES:
A SUBSURFACE INVESTIGATION OF THE PROPOSED SITE WAS PERFORMED BY TERRA TESTING, INC. UNDER THE TECHNICAL SUPERVISION OF KLEINFELDER ON JULY 11, 2013-OCTOBER 10, 2013 AND REVISITED BY PENNSYLVANIA SOIL & ROCK, INC. ON MARCH 28-29, 2016. THE REPORT PREPARED BY PENNSYLVANIA SOIL & ROCK, INC., DATED APRIL 18, 2016, REVISED DECEMBER 8, 2016, REFLECT THE RESULTS OF THE SUBSURFACE INVESTIGATION. THE INFORMATION AND RECOMMENDATIONS CONTAINED IN THEIR REPORT WAS USED IN THE PREPARATION OF THESE PLANS, HOWEVER, ADDITIONAL INVESTIGATION IS NECESSARY TO CONFIRM THE ESTIMATED TOE KEY DEPTHS. PLEASE REFER TO THE SUBSURFACE INVESTIGATION REPORT BY PENNSYLVANIA SOIL & ROCK, INC. FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AS NEEDED ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, AS NEEDED.

#### PROJECT CONTACTS:

OPERATOR:
ANTERO RESOURCES CORPORATION
535 WHITE OAKS BLVD.
BRIDGEPORT, WV 26330
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#### RESTRICTIONS NOTES:

- THERE ARE NO LAKES, PONDS, OR RESERVOIRS WITHIN 100 FEET OF THE WELL PAD AND LOD. THERE ARE 2 EXISTING WETLANDS AND A PERENNIAL STREAM WITHIN 100' OF THE ACCESS ROAD "A" LOD THAT WILL REMAIN UNDISTURBED.
- THERE ARE NO NATURALLY PRODUCING TROUT STREAMS WITHIN 300 FEET OF THE WELL PAD AND
- THERE ARE NO GROUNDWATER INTAKE OR PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY FACILITIES WITHIN 1000 FEET OF THE WELL PAD AND LOD.
- THERE ARE NO APPARENT EXISTING WATER WELLS OR DEVELOPED SPRINGS WITHIN 250 FEET OF THE WELL(S) BEING DRILLED.
- THERE ARE NO OCCUPIED DWELLING STRUCTURES WITHIN 625 FEET OF THE CENTER OF THE WELL PAD.
- THERE ARE NO AGRICULTURAL BUILDINGS LARGER THAN 2,500 SQUARE FEET WITHIN 625 FEET OF THE CENTER OF THE WELL PAD.

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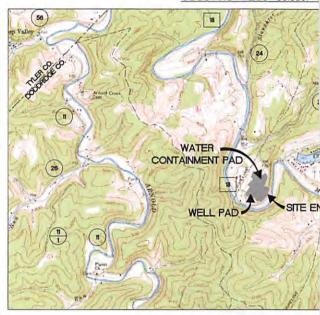
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#### WEST VIRGINIA COUNTY MAP



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STATE PLANE COORDINATE SYSTEM

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GE500-GE503 - GEOTECHNICAL DETAILS

Proposed Well Name	WW North NAD 27	WW North NAD 83	Zone 17	NAD 83 Lat & Long
Caboose	N 302260.74	N 302295.90	N 4352593.14	LAT 39-19-21.3098
Unit 1H	E 1630347.23	E 1598905.05	E 516679.31	LONG -80-48-23.3938
Caboose	N 302256.92	N 302292.08	N 4352592.03	LAT 39-19-21.2734
Unit 2H	E 1630356.48	E 1598915.29	E 516682.15	LONG -80-48-23.2755
Pickney	N 302253.11	N 302288.27	N 4352590.91	LAT 39-19-21 2370
Unit 1H	E 1630365.72	E 1598924.53	E 516684.98	LONG -80-48-23.1572
Pickney	N 302249.29	N 302284.45	N 4352589.80	LAT 39-19-21.2007
Unit 2H	E 1630374.97	E 1598933.78	E 516687.82	LONG -80-48-23.0388
Goldsmith	N 302245.48	N 302280.64	N 4352588.68	LAT 39-19-21.1643
Unit 1H	E 1630384.21	E 1598943.02	E 516690.65	LONG -80-48-22.9205
Goldsmith	N 302241.66	N 302276.82	N 4352587.57	LAT 39-19-21.1279
Unit 2H	E 1630393.45	E 1598952.26	E 516693.49	LONG -80-48-22.8022
Jay	N 302237.85	N 302273.01	N 4352586.45	LAT 39-19-21.0915
Unit 1H	E 1630402.70	E 1598961.51	E 516696.32	LONG -80-48-22 6839
Jay	N 302234.03	N 302269.19	N 4352585.34	LAT 39-19-21.0551
Unit 2H	E 1630411.94	E 1598970.75	E 516699.16	LONG -80-48-22.5656
Chalk	N 302230.22	N 302265.38	N 4352584.22	LAT 39-19-21.0188
Unit 1H	E 1630421.18	E 1598979.99	E 516701.99	LONG -80-48-22.4472
Chalk	N 302226,40	N 302261.56	N 4352583.11	LAT 39-19-20.9824
Unit 2H	E 1630430.43	E 1598989.24	E 516704.83	LONG -80-48-22.3289
Well Pad Elevation	843.0			

Total Site	Permitted	Modification	Tota	
Access Road "A" (644')	3.29	1.00	4.29	
Access Road "B" (499')	0.98	0.00	0.98	
Access Road "C" (232')	0.42	0.00	0.42	
Well Pad	5.53	0.00	5.53	
Water Containment Pad	3.30	0.00	3.30	
Excess/Topsoil Material Stockpiles	4.53	0.00	4.53	
Total Affected Area	18.05	1.00	19.0	
Total Wooded Acres Disturbed	3.62	0.76	4.38	
Impacts to William R Ly	nch & Dixie J. Craig	TM 6-2		
Access Road "A" (644')	3.29	1.00	4.29	
Access Road "B" (499')	0.98	0.00	0.98	
Well Pad	5.01 0.73 4.53 14.54	0.00	5.01 0.73 4.53 15.54	
Water Containment Pad		0.00		
Excess/Topsoil Material Stockpiles		0.00 1.00		
Total Affected Area				
Total Wooded Acres Disturbed	2.31	0.76	3.07	
Impacts to William R Ly	nch & Dixie J. Craig	TM 6-2.5		
Access Road "C" (218')	0.40	0.00	0.40	
Well Pad	0.52	0.00	0.52	
Water Containment Pad	0.14	0.00	0.14	
Total Affected Area	1.06	0.00	1.06	
Total Wooded Acres Disturbed	0.02	0.00	0.02	
Impacts to Randall L	ynch & Dixie Craig 1	TM 6-1		
Access Road "C" (14')	0.02	0.00	0.02	
Water Containment Pad	2.43	0.00	2.43	
Total Affected Area	2.45	0.00	2.45	
Total Wooded Acres Disturbed	1.29	0.00	1.29	

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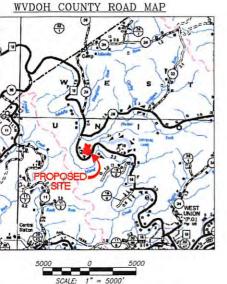
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COVER SHEET



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# OVERALL PLAN SHEET

- NOTES:

  1. THE EARTHWORK QUANTITIES PROVIDED ARE AN ESTIMATE FOR CONSIDERATION. THE QUANTITIES SHOWN ARE CALCULATED USING A 1:1 CUT/SWELL & FILL SHRINK FACTOR. THE EXCESS MATERIAL & TOPSOIL STOCKPILES ARE SIZED TO ACCOMMODATE A CUT/SWELL FACTOR OF 1.1:1. THIS ADDITIONAL MATERIAL IS REFLECTED IN THE TOTAL SPOIL SHOWN ON THE MATERIAL QUANTITIES TABLE. IF THE CALCULATED SWELL IS LESS THAN 1.1:1, THE STOCKPILES SIZES CAN BE REDUCED DURING CONSTRUCTION. THE QUANTITIES SHOWN MAY BE GREATER OR LESSER THAN ACTUALLY EXCAVATED. THE ENGINEER IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR VARIANCES FROM THE ESTIMATED QUANTITIES AND DOES NOT CERTIFY THEIR ACCURACY.
- 2. THE TOE BENCH DEPTHS AND QUANTITIES PROVIDED IN THE TABLE ARE AN ESTIMATE, CALCULATED FROM THE RECOMMENDATIONS PROVIDED IN THE GEOTECHINCAL REPORT PREPARED BY PENNSYLVANIA SOIL & ROCK, INC. SEE PAGES GE500-GE503 & GEOTECHNICAL INVESTIGATION REPORT PROVIDED BY PENNSYLVANIA SOIL & ROCK, INC. FOR TOE BENCH DETAILS, VOLUMES, AND SPECIFICATIONS.

			CONTRACT CONTRACTOR	NTAINMENT	C. I. C. L.	
Description	(CY)	Fill (CY)	Spoil (CY)	Borrow (CY)	Max. Slope (%)	Length of Slope (FT)
Access Road "A"	12,205.8	6,337.7	5,868.1	0.0	15.0	290.0
Access Road "B"	286.2	789.9	0.0	503.7	10.0	50.0
Access Road "C"	52.5	328.0	0.0	275.5	11.5	125.0
Well Pad	21,565.6	16,309.0	5,256.6	0.0	n/a	n/a
Water Containment Pad	877.0	1,511.2	0.0	634.2	n/a	n/a
Stripped Topsoil (12")	13,355.5	0.0	13,355.5	0.0	n/a	n/a
Material Stockpiles	0.0	32,180.0	0.0	32,180.0	n/a	n/a
Totals	48,342.6	57,455.8	24,480.2	33,593.4	n/a	n/a
	Total S	Spoil (CY) =	-9.1	113.2		

MATERIAL STOCKPILES					
Name	Topsoil				
3" Topsoil Respread	N/A	1,000			
A	5,910	14,990			
В	10,280	0			
TOTAL	16,190	15,990			

Description	Keyway #1A	Keyway #1B	Total
Drainage Method	D2	D1	N/A
Toe Bench			
Approximate Depth (LF)	15	6	N/A
Approximate Width (15' min.) (LF)	15	15	N/A
Length (LF)	560	750	1,310
Perimeter Drain (LF)	560	750	1,310
AASHTO #57 Gravel (TONS)	85	1,105	1,190
6 oz. Non-woven Geotextile (SF)	3,606	22,137	25,744
Overexcavation (CY)	12,320	6,125	18,445
Toe Bench Outlet	Drain		
Average Length of Outlet Drain Pipe (LF)	60	55	N/A
Outlet Drain Pipe (LF)	360	440	800
6 oz. Non-woven Geotextile (SF)	2.520	3.080	5.600
AASHTO #57 Gravel (TONS)	40	49	89
Bonding Ben	ch		100
Approximate Depth (LF)	0	0	N/A
Approximate Width (LF)	10	0	N/A
Number of Benches (EA)	2	0	N/A
Length (LF)	420	0	420
Perimeter Drain (LF)	840	0	840
AASHTO #57 Gravel (TONS)	64	0	64
6 oz Non-woven Geotextile (SF)	5,410	0	5,410
Overexcavation (CY)	4,340	0	4,340
Bonding Bench Out	let Drain		
Average Length of Outlet Drain Pipe (LF)	55	0	N/A
Outlet Drain Pipe (LF)	495	0	495
6 oz. Non-woven Geotextile (SF)	3,465	0	3,465
AASHTO #57 Gravel (TONS)	55	0	55
Additional Excav	ation		
Colluvium Material Rework (CY)	N/A	N/A	0

