

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

Harold D. Ward, Cabinet Secretary www.dep.wv.gov

Friday, August 4, 2023 WELL WORK PLUGGING PERMIT Vertical Plugging

UNKNOWN - DEP PAID PLUGGING CONTRACT 601 57TH STREET

CHARLESTON, WV 25304

Re:

Permit approval for B-45-1 47-041-02876-00-00

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.

Upon completion of the plugging well work, the above named operator will reclaim the site according to the provisions of WV Code 22-6-30. Please be advised that form WR-38, Affidavit of Plugging and Filling Well, 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.

James A. Martin

Chief

Operator's Well Number:

Farm Name: McQUAIN, STARK

U.S. WELL NUMBER: 47-041-02876-00-00

Date Issued: 8/4/2023

Vertical Plugging

Promoting a healthy environment.

PERMIT CONDITIONS

West Virginia Code §22-6-11 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. All pits must be lined with a minimum of 20 mil thickness synthetic liner.
- 2. In the event of an accident or explosion causing loss of life or serious personal injury in or about the well or while working on the well, the well operator or its contractor shall give notice, stating the particulars of the accident or explosion, to the oil and gas inspector and the Chief within twenty-four (24) hours.
- 3. Well work activities shall not constitute a hazard to the safety of persons.
- 4. 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.

1) Date June 2, 2023	20 23
2)Operator's	·
Well No. McQuain B-45-1	
3) API Well No. 47-041	- 02876

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

APPLICATION FOR A PERM	MIT TO PLUG AND ABANDON
4) Well Type: Oil/ Gas X/ Liquid (If "Gas, Production or Und	d injection/ Waste disposal/ derground storage) Deep/ ShallowX
5) Location: Elevation 835' District Courthouse	Watershed Indian Fork of Sand Fork of Little Kanawha River County Lewis Quadrangle Peterson
6) Well Operator Address DEP Paid Plugging Contract 601 57th St. Charleston, WV 25304	7) Designated Agent Jason Harmon Address 601 57th St. Charleston, WV 25304
8) Oil and Gas Inspector to be notified Name Bryan Harris Address P.O.Box 157 Volga, WV 26238	9)Plugging Contractor Name Address
see Plugging Project: 47041028	
Notification must be given to the district oi work can commence.	l and gas inspector 24 hours before permitted
Work order approved by inspector Bryan Harris	Date Nov 30, 2022







SITE PREPARATION

4704102876 McQuain

200' of Silt fence will need to be installed between access road/location and existing stream.

Access road, approximately 100' long, will need 2" stone applied from county road to location.

Access road will be maintained with additional stone, as needed, during plugging operations.

Well will need to be disconnected from production equipment and 24" cellar installed around well.

Location will need 2" stone spread in a 100' circumference, or as needed for plugging equipment,

Around cellar. All associated plugging equipment must stay on stoned area.

McQUAIN PLUGGING PROJECT 4704102876 McQuain B-45-1

Well detail:

8 5/8", 4 1/2" and 2" tubing visable at surface. Tubing and 8 5/8" casing very deteriorated. Leaking gas and fluid from 8 5/8" casing. Tank and separator connected to well.

Records Show:

Water 65' Coal 340' - 345'

8 5/8" casing 402' cemented to surface 150sx

Elevation 835'

Balltown
Benson
4 1/2" casing
4776' cemented with 350sx

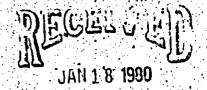
TD 4779'

Site based conditions:

Well sits less than a hundred feet off county road 21 (Indian Fork) Lewis Co. Less than 75' from Indian Fork of Sand Fork of Little Kanawha River. Located in a farmers field.

Tank and separator will need to be removed and soil reclaimed.

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McQUAIN PLUGGING PROJECT 4704102876 McQuain B-45-1

V. REMEDIATION AND/OR PLUGGING WORK PLAN

Notify Inspector Specialist, Bryan Harris @ 304-553-6087. Notification is required 24 hrs prior to commencing plugging operations

- 1. Install 24" cellar around well.
- 2. Rig up to 4 1/2" casing. Load hole with water. Check TD.
- 3. Run 2sx Gel followed by 40sx cement plug from 4750' 4300'. covering Benson.
- 4. Tag Plug, Set cement plug from 3650' 3200'. covering Balltown.
- 5. Run a bond log on 4 1/2" casing.
- 6. Gel hole to 50' below freepoint.
- 7. Freepoint 4 1/2" casing and pull.
- 8. Set 200' cement plug across freepoint.
- 9. Tag plug, add cement if needed.
- 10. Gel hole to surface. Set cement plug form 900' 800'. across elev.
- 11. Set cement plug from 450'-300', across casing seat and coal.
- 12. Set cement plug 100' surface.
- 13. Set monument and reclaim.
- 14. Any casing found in the well with out cement in the annulus that cannot be retrieved must be perforated and cement at all saltwater, freshwater, coal, oil, gas, casing shoe and elevation points.

1)	Date:	June 2, 2023	
2)	Operator's	Well Number	
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3) API Well No.: 47 -

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STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO PLUG AND ABANDON A WELL

4) Surface Own	er(s) to be served:	5)	(a) Coal Operator	
(a) Name	Franklin Beall		Name	NA
Address	43 Fenton Pl.		Address	
8.	Clarksburg, WV. 2630)1		
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		Well Operator	DEP Paid Plugging	Contract
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Oil and Gas Privacy Notice

The Office of Oil and Gas processes your personal information, such as name, address and phone number, as a 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 of your personal information, please contact DEP's Chief Privacy Officer at deprivacyoffier@wv.gov.

SURFACE OWNER WAIVER

Operator's Well Number

McQuain B-45-1

INSTRUCTIONS TO SURFACE OWNERS NAMED ON PAGE WW4-A

The well operator named on page WW-4A is applying for a permit from the State to plug and abandon a well. (Note: If the surface tract is owned by more than three persons, then these materials were served on you because your name appeared on the Sheriff's tax ticket on the land or because you actually occupy the surface tract. In either case, you may be the only owner who will actually receive these materials.) See Chapter 22 of the West Virginia Code. Well work permits are valid for 24 months. If you do not own any interest in the surface tract, please forward these materials to the true owner immediately if you know who it is. Also, please notify the well operator and the Office of Oil and Gas.

> NOTE: YOU ARE NOT REQUIRED TO FILE ANY COMMENT. WHERE TO FILE COMMENTS AND OBTAIN ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

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

Time Limits and methods for filing comments. The law requires these materials to be served on or before the date the operator files his Application. You have FIVE (5) 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.

Comments must be in writing. Your comments must 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.

The Chief has the power to deny or condition a well work permit based on comments on the following grounds:

- The proposed well work will constitute a hazard to the safety of persons.
- 2) The soil erosion and sediment control plan is not adequate or effective;
- 3) Damage would occur to publicly owned lands or resources;
- 4) The proposed well work fails to protect fresh water sources or supplies;
- 5) The applicant has committed a substantial violation of a previous permit or a substantial violation of one or more of the rules promulgated under Chapter 22, and has failed to abate or seek review of the

If you want a copy of the permit as it is issued or a copy of the order denying the permit, you should request a copy from the Chief.

VOLUNTARY STATEMENT OF NO OBJECTION

I hereby state that I have read the instructions to surface owners and that I have received copies of a Notice and Application For A Permit To Plug And Abandon on Forms WW-4A and WW-4B, and a survey plat.

I further state that I have no objection to the planned work described in these materials, and I have no objection to a permit being issued on those materials.

FOR EXECUTION BY A NATURAL PERSON ETC.

FOR EXECUTION BY A CORPORATION.

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08/04/2023

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

FLUIDS/ CUTTINGS DISPOSAL & RECLAMATION PLAN

Operator Name DEP Paid Plugging Contract OP Code
Watershed (HUC 10) Indian Fork of Sand Fork of Little Kanawha River Quadrangle Peterson
Do you anticipate using more than 5,000 bbls of water to complete the proposed well work? Yes No
Will a pit be used? Yes No _✓
If so, please describe anticipated pit waste:
Will a synthetic liner be used in the pit? Yes No If so, what ml.?
Proposed Disposal Method For Treated Pit Wastes:
Land Application (if selected provide a completed form WW-9-GPP) Underground Injection (UIC Permit Number) Reuse (at API Number) Off Site Disposal (Supply form WW-9 for disposal location) Other (Explain)
Will closed loop systembe used? If so, describe: Na
Drilling medium anticipated for this well (vertical and horizontal)? Air, freshwater, oil based, etc. Na
-If oil based, what type? Synthetic, petroleum, etc. Na
Additives to be used in drilling medium? Na
Drill cuttings disposal method? Leave in pit, landfill, removed offsite, etc. Na
-If left in pit and plan to solidify what medium will be used? (cement, lime, sawdust) Na
-Landfill or offsite name/permit number? Na
Permittee shall provide written notice to the Office of Oil and Gas of any load of drill cuttings or associated waste rejected at any West Virginia solid waste facility. The notice shall be provided within 24 hours of rejection and the permittee shall also disclose where it was properly disposed.
I certify that I understand and agree to the terms and conditions of the GENERAL WATER POLLUTION PERMIT is sued on April 1, 2016, by the Office of Oil and Gas of the West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection. I understand that the provisions of the permit are enforceable by law. Violations of any term or condition of the general permit and/or other applicable law or regulation can lead to enforcement action. I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted on this application form and all attachments thereto 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 or imprisonment. Company Official Signature OFFICIAL SEAL NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA RENAE DAWN WHITLOCK OMPANY OFFICIAL SEAL NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA RENAE DAWN WHITLOCK OMPANY OFFICIAL SEAL NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA RENAE DAWN WHITLOCK OMPANY OFFICIAL SEAL NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA RENAE DAWN WHITLOCK OMPANY OFFICIAL SEAL NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA RENAE DAWN WHITLOCK OMPANY OFFICIAL SEAL NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA RENAE DAWN WHITLOCK OMPANY OFFICIAL SEAL NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA RENAE DAWN WHITLOCK OMPANY OFFICIAL SEAL NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA RENAE DAWN WHITLOCK OMPANY OFFICIAL SEAL NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA RENAE DAWN WHITLOCK OMPANY OFFICIAL SEAL NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA RENAE DAWN WHITLOCK OMPANY OFFICIAL SEAL NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA RENAE DAWN WHITLOCK OMPANY OFFICIAL SEAL NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA RENAE DAWN WHITLOCK OMPANY OFFICIAL SEAL NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA RENAE DAWN WHITLOCK OMPANY OFFICIAL SEAL NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA RENAE DAWN WHITLOCK OMPANY OFFICIAL SEAL NOTARY PUBLIC STATE O
Subscribed and sworn before me this day of the day of t
Notary Public
My commission expires (202)

Lime 2 tons	Tons/acre or to correc	et to pH		
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Fertilizer amount_5	00 lbs	lbs/acre		
Mulch 2 tons		_Tons/acre		
		Seed Mixtures		
Te	mporary	Perms	Permanent	
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		Clover	5 lbs	
		Contractor Mix	10 lbs	
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Site Reclamation

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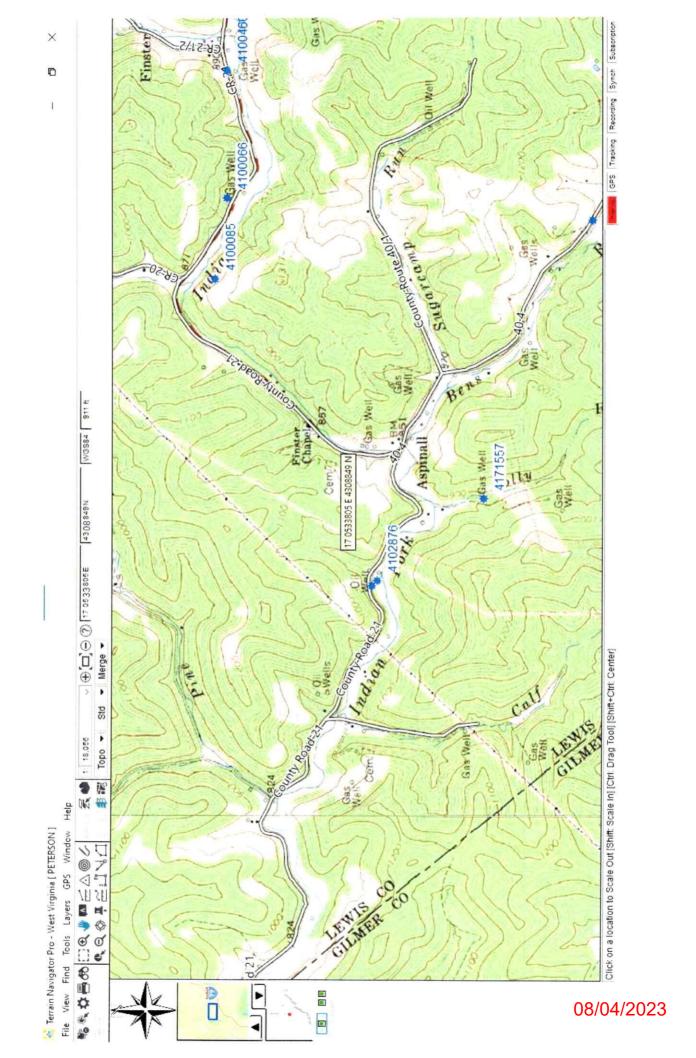
All associated production equipment will need to be removed. All areas disturbed, outside of location and access road, will be smoothed, seeded and mulched to state specifications. Location and access road to be graded and smoothed. All stone will be left for landowner. Silt fence will be removed.



West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection Office of Oil and Gas

WELL LOCATION FORM: GPS

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preparing a new well location pabove well. The Office of Oil a	above has chosen to submit GPS coordinate for a plugging permit or assigned and Gas will not accept GPS coordinate.	API number on the
UTM GPS EASTING: 43	O8 770 GPS ELEVA	TION: 835'
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PLUGGING PERMIT CHECKLIST

Plugging P	ermit
✓ ww	/-4B
√ ww	/-4B signed by inspector
✓ ww	/-4A
SUR MAI	FACE OWNER WAIVER or PROOF THAT APPLICATION WAS SENT BY REGISTERED OR CERITFIED
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ww	7-9 PAGE 1 (NOTARIZED)
✓ ww	/-9 PAGE 2 with attached drawing of road, location, pit and proposed area for land application
⊥ww	7-9 GPP PAGE 1 and 2 if well effluent will be land applied
REC	ENT MYLAR PLAT OR WW-7
WEI	L RECORDS/COMPLETION REPORT
✓ TOP	OGRAPHIC MAP OF WELL, SHOWING PIT IF PIT IS USED
ми:	ST HAVE VALID BOND IN OPERATOR'S NAME
СНЕ	CK FOR \$100 IF PIT IS USED

API No.	
Farm Name _	
Well No.	

INSTRUCTIONS TO COAL OPERATORS **OWNERS AND LESSEE**

The well operator named on the obverse side of WW-4 (B) is about to abandon the well described in the enclosed materials and will commence the work of plugging and abandoning said well on the date the inspector is notified. Which date shall not be less then five days after the day on which this notice and application so mailed is received, or in due course should be received by the Department of Environmental Protection Office of Oil & Gas.

This notice and application is given to you in order that your respective representatives may be present at the plugging and filling of said well. You are further notified that whether you are represented or not the operator will proceed to plug and fill said well in the manner required by Section 24, Article 6, Chapter 22 of the Code and given in detail on obverse side of this application.

NOTE: If you wish this well to be plugged according to 22-6-24(d) then as per Regulation 35CSR4-13.9 you must complete and return to this office on form OB-16 "Request by Coal Operator, Owner, or Lessee for plugging" prior to the issuance of this plugging permit.

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	WAIVER	
has examined this proposed plugging worl	k order. The undersigned operator has complied w	/ of the coal under this well location has no objection to the work proposed to be ith all applicable requirements of the West
Date:		
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Kennedy, James P < james.p.kennedy@wv.gov>

plugging permit issued 4704102876

1 message

Kennedy, James P <james.p.kennedy@wv.gov> Fri, Aug 4, 2023 at 9:42 AM To: Henry J Harmon henry.j.harmon@wv.gov, Bryan O Harris bryan.o.harris@wv.gov, jbreen@assessor.state.wv.us, Kenneth L Greynolds < kenneth.l.greynolds@wv.gov>

To whom it may concern a plugging permit has been issued for 4704102876.

James Kennedy

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