

west virginia department of environmental protection

Office of Oil and Gas 601 57th Street SE Charleston, WV 25304 (304) 926-0450 (304) 926-0452 fax Earl Ray Tomblin, Governor Randy C. Huffman, Cabinet Secretary www.dep.wv.gov

July 17, 2015

WELL WORK PLUGGING PERMIT

Plugging

This permit, API Well Number: 47-6101716, issued to EASTERN ASSOCIATED COAL/PEABODY COAL CO., is evidence of permission granted to perform the specified well work at the location described on the attached pages and located on the attached plat, subject to the provisions of Chapter 22 of the West Virginia Code of 1931, as amended, and all rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, and to all conditions and provisions outlined in the pages attached hereto. Notification shall be given by the operator to the Oil and Gas Inspector at least 24 hours prior to the construction of roads, locations, and/or pits for any permitted work. In addition, the well operator shall notify the same inspector 24 hours before any actual well work is commenced and prior to running and cementing casing. Spills or emergency discharges must be promptly reported by the operator to 1-800-642-3074 and to the Oil and Gas inspector.

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. The above named operator will also file, as required in WV Code 22-6-23, an affidavit on form WR-38 by two experienced persons in the operator's employment and the Oil and Gas inspector that the work authorized under this permit was performed and a description given. Failure to abide by all statutory and regulatory provisions governing all duties and operations here under may result in suspensions or revocation of this permit and in addition may result in civil and/or criminal penalities being imposed upon the operator.

This permit will expire in two (2) years from date of issue. If there are any questions, please free to contact me at (304) 926-0499 ext. 1654.

Operator's Well No: F2-578

Farm Name: TENNANT, WILLIAM

API Well Number: 47-6101716 Permit Type: Plugging Date Issued: 07/17/2015

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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. Failure to adhere to the specified permit conditions may result in enforcement action.

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.

FORM WW-4(B) Observe File Copy (Rev. 2/01)

| 1) Date | | A | ril | 28, | 2015 |
|-------------|-------|-----|------|-------|------|
| 2) Operator | 's- ? | | | | |
| Well No. | -EAC | LLC | # F. | 2-578 | |
| 3) API Well | | | | | |

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

| | APPLICATION FOR A PERMIT TO PLUG AND ABANDON |
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| 4) | Well Type: Oil X / Gas / Liquid injection / Waste disposal / (If "Gas, Production or Underground storage) Deep / Shallow |
| 5) | Location: Elevation 1,420' Watershed Thomas Run |
| | District Clay County Monongalia Quadrangle Blacksville |
| 6) | Well Operator Eastern Associated Coal LLC 7) Designated Agent Address 1044 Miracle Run Road Address 1044 Miracle Run Road Address 1044 Miracle Run Rd. Fairview, WV 26570 |
| 8) | Oil and Gas Inspector to be notified 9) Plugging Contractor Name Gayne J. Knitowski Name Chisler Brothers Address P.O. Box 108 Address P.O. Box 101 |
| | Gormania, WV 26720 Pentress, WV 26544 |
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| 10) | Work Order: Per our 101-C petition, the work order for the manner of plugging this well Petition is as follows: . Install Sediment Control as Needed |
| 2 | . Cut out well to a total depth, if practical, or to a minimum of 200 feet below the Pittsburgh Coal Seam. |
| 3 | . Run well logs and directional surveys. |
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| | . Collars of any old remaining casing will be ripped at the coal seam. |
| 5 | A plug made of expanding cement slurry shall be pumped from at least 200 feet |
| | below the base of the coal seam to 100 feet above the coal seam. The expanding cement shall be place in the well under a pressure of at least 200 psi. |
| 6. | After the expanding cement has hardened, it will be tagged, and the well bore will be filled with portand or lightweight cement mixture, by tubing, to the surface. |
| 7. | A suitable monument installed on the surface with the necessary well identification plate attached. |
| 8. | Reclaim site as soon as possible. |
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| Notif work | ication must be given to the district oil and gas inspector 24 hours before permitted can commence. |
| Work | order approved by inspector Haym J 4 Tou 1 Date 5/5/2015 |
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WW4-A Revised 2/01

(a) Name

4) Surface Owner(s) to be served:

William Tennant

| 1) Date: | April 28, 2015 |
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| 2) Operator's We | ell Number ? |
| | Fisher), EAC F2-578 |
| 3) API Well No : | 47 - 061 |

Eastern Associated Coal LLC

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA - BUREAU OF ENVIRONMENT DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO PLUG AND ABANDON A WELL

5) (a) Coal Operator

Name

| | 514 Jess Tennant Hill Rd | Address | 1044 Miracle Run Road | |
|--|---|--|---|--|
| | Blacksville, WV 26521 | | Fairview, WV 26570 | |
| (b) Name | | (b) Coal Ov | vner(s) with Declaration | |
| Address | | Name | Eastern Associated Coal L | LC |
| | | Address | 1044 Miracle Run Road | |
| | | - 1000000000 | Fairview, WV 26570 | |
| (c) Name | | Name | | |
| Address | 19 | Address | | |
| | | | - | |
| 6) Inspector | | (c) Coal Les | ssee with Declaration | |
| Address | | Name | sace with Declaration | |
| Tiddi ess | _ | Address | | |
| Telephone | - | _ Address | - | |
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SURFACE OWNER WAIVER

Operator's Well Number

Current-William Tennant Eastern Assoc. Coal LLC F2-578

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 Division of Environmental Protection 1356 Hansford Street Charleston, WV 25301 (304) 558-6342

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 of the Moreonia Office of Oil and Gas grounds:

- 1) 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;

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- 3) Damage would occur to publicly owned lands or resources;
- 4) The proposed well work fails to protect fresh water sources or supplies;
- WV Department of 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 action: violation...".

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.

| | | ork described in these materials, and I have no |
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| objection to a permit being issued on thos | | |
| FOR EXECUTION BY A NATURAL PE | RSON | FOR EXECUTION BY A CORPORATION, |
| ETC. | | |
| William &. Tement | Date 6-7-/3 Name | |
| Signature | Ву | |
| <u>.</u> | Its | Date |

07/17/2015 Signature

| FORM | WW-4 | (B) |
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| API No | 47 - 061 - | 601716 |
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| Farm Name_\ | William Tennant | |
| Well No. FAC | : F2-578 | |

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 Division 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.

| | | WAIVER |
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| location h | as examined this proposed posed to be done at this | / / owner/ lessee/ / of the coal under this well plugging work order. The undersigned has no objection to the location, provided, the well operator has complied with all /irginia Code and the governing regulations. |
| Date: | April 28, 2015 | By: |

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| Operator's Well No. | | F2-5 | 78 |

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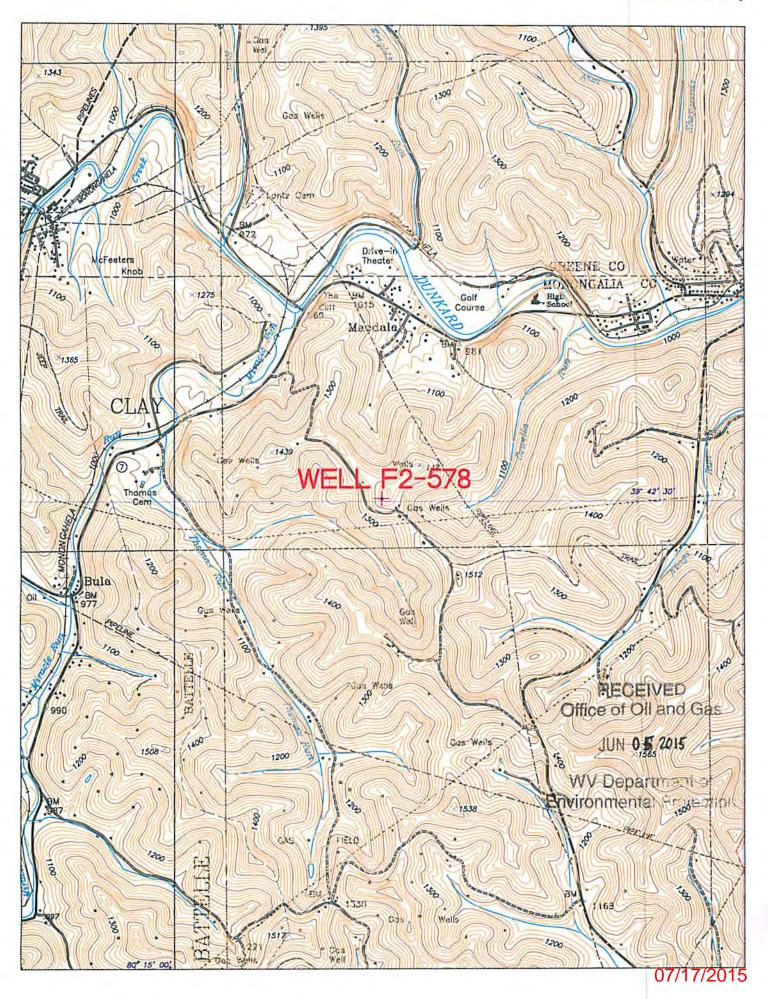
DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS CONSTRUCTION AND RECLAMATION PLAN AND SITE REGISTRATION APPLICATION FORM GENERAL PERMIT FOR OIL AND GAS PIT WASTE DISCHARGE

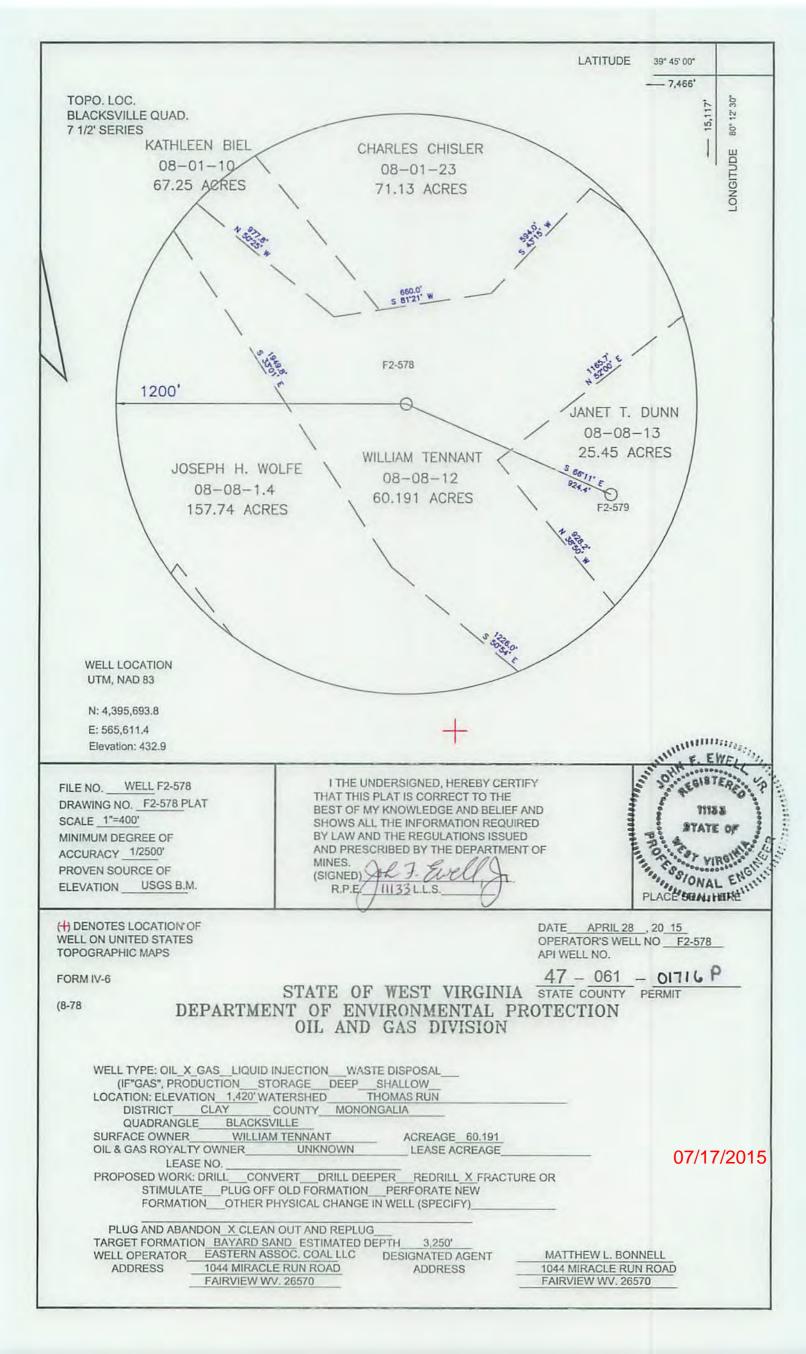
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| Property Boundary Diversion | |
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| Road Spring | \circ |
| Existing Fence —X X X X — WetSpot | ⇔ |
| Planned Fence Drain Pip | e with size in inches |
| Stream Water Wa | y |
| Open Ditch Cross Dra | in |
| Rock CCC Artificial | Filter Strip |
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| Buildings Pit with C | ompacted Walls |
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| Fertilizer (10-20-20 or equivalent) | |
| Mulch Hay 150 Bales or 3 Tons/acre | |
| Seed | Mixtures |
| Area I Seed Type lbs/acre | Area II Seed Type lbs/acre |
| Annual Rye Grass 40 pounds | Tall Fescue 30 pounds |
| | Orchard Grass 15 pounds |
| | Ladine Clover 10 pounds |
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| Attach: Drawing(s) of roud, location,pit and proposed area for land ap | PECEIVED Office of Oil and Gas |
| Photocopied section of involved 7.5' topographic sheet. | JUN 052015 |
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| Plan Approved by: Mayn I for I | |

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Eastern Associated Coal LLC



Federal No. 2 1044 Miracle Run Road Fairview, West Virginia 26570 Phone: (304) 449-1911 Fax: (304) 449-1026

June 3, 2015

WV Department of Environmental Protection Office of Oil and Gas Permitting 601 57^{th.} Street, SE Charleston, WV 25304-2345

Dear Sir/Madam:

A search of the WV DEP OOG microfiche files was performed May 20, 2014 at the WVDEP office in Charleston by an Eastern Associated Coal engineer. We were not successful at finding any information on the well F2-578.

If there are any questions, please don't hesitate to call me at (304) 368-9952.

Sincerely,

Matthew L. Bonnell

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Engineer

Office of Oil and Gas

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Environments

Eastern Associated Coal LLC



Federal No. 2 1044 Miracle Run Road Fairview, West Virginia 26570 Phone: (304) 449-1911 Fax: (304) 449-1026

June 3, 2015

WV Department of Environmental Protection Office of Oil and Gas Permitting 601 57^{th.} Street, SE Charleston, WV 25304-2345

Dear Sir/Madam:

Enclosed is the information required by your office prior to plugging and mining through operations (101c petition) for our well F2-578 that is located on the William Tennant property.

The well penetrates our Federal No. 2 Mine in Clay District, Monongalia County, West Virginia. Specifically included are the following:

- 1. Letter stating there was a search of records
- 2. Form WW-4 (a) Notice of Application,
- 3. Form WW-4 (b) Application,
- 4. Certified Location Plat Mylar,
- 5. 8.5" x 11" Topographic location map,
- 6. Form WW-9, and
- 7. Surface Owner Waiver

If there are any questions, please don't hesitate to call me at (304) 368-9952.

Sincerely,

Matthew L. Bonnell

Engineer

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Operator: EASTERN ASSOCIATED COAL/PEABODY CC

API: 6101716

WELL No: F2-578

Reviewed by: gwm Date: 7/16/15

\$5 Day End of Comment: 06/10/15

CHECKLIST FOR FILING A PERMIT

Plugging

| | 101 |
|-----|---|
| / | WW-4B |
| v | Inspector signature on WW-4B |
| N/A | Completion / Well Records of Previous Work |
| 1 | WW-4A (Notarized) |
| | Certified Mail Receipts, Waivers, or Affidavits of Personal Service |
| 1 | Surface Owner Waiver |
| 1 | Coal Owner / Lessee /Operator Waiver |
| 1 | WW-9 (Page 1) (Notarized) |
| 1 | Inspector Signature on WW-9 (Optional) |
| 1 | Topographic Map of location of well |
| | WW-7 |
| | OR |
| / | Mylar Plat (Surface owner on plat matches WW-4A) |
| J | Bond |
| 1 | Company is Registered with the SOS |
| 1 | Worker's Compensation / Unemployment Insurance account is OK |
| 2/0 | \$100.00 check (\$0.00 if no pit) |