

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

Austin Caperton, Cabinet Secretary www.dep.wv.gov

Friday, February 21, 2020 WELL WORK PERMIT Horizontal 6A / New Drill

ANTERO RESOURCES CORPORATION 1615 WYNKOOP STREET DENVER, CO 80202

Re: Permit approval for ELDORADO UNIT 1H

47-095-02681-00-00

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.

James A. Martin Chief

Operator's Well Number: ELDORADO UNIT 1H

Farm Name: ELDON J. & RUTH A. HELM

U.S. WELL NUMBER: 47-095-02681-00-00

Horizontal 6A New Drill Date Issued: 2/21/2020

PERMIT CONDITIONS

West Virginia Code § 22-6A-8(d) allows the Office of Oil and Gas to place specific conditions upon this permit. Permit conditions have the same effect as law. <u>Failure to adhere to the specified permit conditions may result in enforcement action.</u>

CONDITIONS

- 1. This proposed activity may require permit coverage from the United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE). Through this permit, you are hereby being advised to consult with USACE regarding this proposed activity.
- 2. If the operator encounters an unanticipated void, or an anticipated void at an unanticipated depth, the operator shall notify the inspector within 24 hours. Modifications to the casing program may be necessary to comply with W. Va. Code § 22-6A-5a (12), which requires drilling to a minimum depth of thirty feet below the bottom of the void, and installing a minimum of twenty (20) feet of casing. Under no circumstance should the operator drill more than 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.

API Number:	

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. 47-095 -	
OPERATOR WELL NO.	Eldorado Unit 1H
Well Pad Name: Eldon	Pad

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

1) Well Operator: Antero Res	ources Corporal	494507062	Tyler	Ellsworth	Middlebourne 7.5'
** * *** *********		Operator ID	County	District	Quadrangle
2) Operator's Well Number: Ele	dorado Unit 1H	Well P	ad Name: Elo	don Pad	
3) Farm Name/Surface Owner:	Eldon J. & Ruth A. H	lelman Public Ro	oad Access: C	CR 10/1	
4) Elevation, current ground:	882' El	evation, proposed	d post-constru	ction: ~880	
5) Well Type (a) Gas X Other	Oil	Une	derground Sto	orage	
	allow X	Deep			
Ho	rizontal X				OCB,
6) Existing Pad: Yes or No No					7, 19/2020
 Proposed Target Formation(s Marcellus Shale: 6600' TVD, A 					- [] ()
8) Proposed Total Vertical Dept	h: 6600' TVD				
9) Formation at Total Vertical D	epth: Marcellus				
10) Proposed Total Measured D	epth: 11200' M	D 1			
11) Proposed Horizontal Leg Le	ength: 1557'	1			
12) Approximate Fresh Water S	trata Depths:	156' √			
13) Method to Determine Fresh	Water Depths: 4	7-095-00912			
14) Approximate Saltwater Dep	ths: 1676' v				
15) Approximate Coal Seam De	pths: None Iden	tified			
16) Approximate Depth to Poss	ible Void (coal mi	ne, karst, other):	None Antici	pated	
17) Does Proposed well location directly overlying or adjacent to		yes	1	No X	
(a) If Yes, provide Mine Info:	Name:				
	Depth:				
	Seam:				
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OPERATOR WELL NO. Eldorado Unit 1H

Well Pad Name: Eldon Pad

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CASING AND TUBING PROGRAM

TYPE	Size (in)	New or Used	Grade	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	54.5#	300	300 🗸	CTS, 417 Cu. Ft.
Coal	9-5/8"	New	J-55	36#	2500	2500 ✓	CTS, 1018 Cu. Ft.
Intermediate							
Production	5-1/2"	New	P-110	23#	11200	11200 ✓	CTS, 2673 Cu. Ft
Tubing	2-3/8"	New	N-80	4.7#			
Liners							



ТҮРЕ	Size (in)	Wellbore Diameter (in)	Wall Thickness (in)	Burst Pressure (psi)	Anticipated Max. Internal Pressure (psi)	Cement Type	Cement Yield (cu. ft./k)
Conductor	20"	24"	0.438"	1530	50	Class A	~1.18
Fresh Water	13-3/8"	17-1/2"	0.38"	2730	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"	0.415"	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		7 - 4	
Liners							

PACKERS

Kind:	N/A	
Sizes:	N/A	
Depths Set:	N/A	

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OPERATOR WELL NO. Eldorado Unit 1H

Well Pad Name: Eldon Pad

19	Describe proposed	well work,	including the	drilling and	plugging b	back of any pilot hole:
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Drill, perforate, fracture a new horizontal shallow well and complete Marcellus Shale.

20) Describe fracturing/stimulating methods in detail, including anticipated max pressure and max rate:

Antero plans to pump Slickwater into the Marcellus Shale formation in order to ready the well for production. The fluid will be comprised of approximately 99 percent water and sand, with less than 1 percent special-purpose additives as shown in the attached "List of Anticipated Additives Used for Fracturing or Stimulating Well."

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

21) Total Area to be disturbed, including roads, stockpile area, pits, etc., (acres): 35.04 acres

22) Area to be disturbed for well pad only, less access road (acres): 12.65 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.

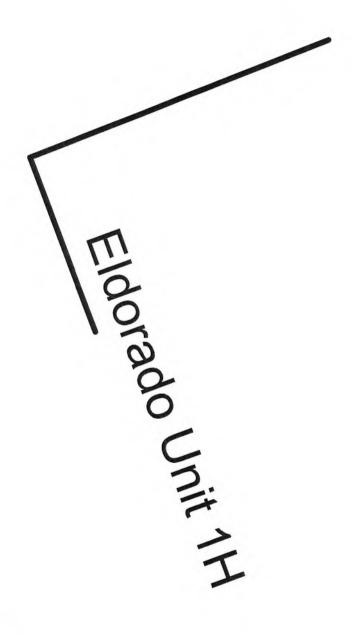
Production: circulate with 14 lb/gal NaCl mud, trip to middle of lateral, circulate, pump high viscosity sweep, trip to base of curve, pump high viscosity sweep, trip to top of curve, trip to bottom, circulate, pump high viscosity sweep, trip out, run casing, circulate 10 bbls fresh water, pump 48 bbls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

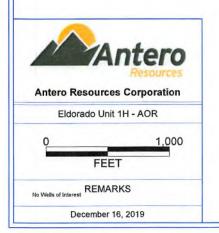
*Note: Attach additional sheets as needed.

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API Number 47 -	095	•
Operator's	Well No.	Eldorado Unil 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) Outlet Middle Island Creek	Quadrangle Middleboume 7.5'
Do you anticipate using more than 5,000 bbls of water to comple Will a pit be used? Yes No	ete the proposed well work? Yes V No
If so, please describe anticipated pit waste: No pit will be use	ed at this site (Drilling and Flowback Fluids will be stored in tanks, Cullings will be tanked and hauled 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	
	Number_*UIC Permit # will be provided on Form WR-34)
	well locations when applicable. API# will be provided on Form WR-34 -9 for disposal location) (Meadowfill Landfill Permit #SWF-1032-98)
Other (Explain	Northwestern Landfill Permit #SWF-1032-98) WV0109410
Will closed loop system be used? If so, describe: Yes, fluids sto	ired in tanks, cuttings removed offsite and taken to landfill.
Drilling medium anticipated for this well (vertical and horizontal	Surface - Air/Freshwater, Intermediate -
-If oil based, what type? Synthetic, petroleum, etc. Syn	alhetic
Additives to be used in drilling medium? Please See Attachment	
Drill cuttings disposal method? Leave in pit, landfill, removed o	offsite, etc. Drill cuttings stored in tanks, removed offsite and taken to landfill.
-If left in pit and plan to solidify what medium will be u	ised? (cement, lime, sawdust) N/A
-Landfill or offsite name/permit number? Meadowfill Land	fill (Permit #SWF-1032-98), Northwestern Landfill (Permit # SWF-1025/WV0109410)
Permittee shall provide written notice to the Office of Oil and Ga West Virginia solid waste facility. The notice shall be provided where it was properly disposed.	as of any load of drill cuttings or associated waste rejected at any within 24 hours of rejection and the permittee shall also disclose
on August 1, 2005, by the Office of Oil and Gas of the West Virg provisions of the permit are enforceable by law. Violations of a law or regulation can lead to enforcement action. I certify under penalty of law that I have personally a application form and all attachments thereto and that, based	examined and am familiar with the information submitted on the on my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for a courate, and complete. I am aware that there are significantly of fine or imprisonment. RECEIVED
Company Official (Typed Name) Series Environmental & Regulaters Manage	TAV.
Company Official Title Senior Environmental & Regulatory Manag	JAN 1 0 2020
Subscribed and sworn before me this day of	WVDepartment of Environmental Protect
2.13.2022	Notary Public MEGAN GRIFFITH
My commission expires 5.15.1011	NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF COLORADO
	NOTARY ID 20184011666

Proposed Revegetation Treatme	ent: Acres Disturbed 35.04 a	cres Prevegetation	рН	
Lime 2-4	_ Tons/acre or to correct to pH	6.5		
Fertilizer type Hay or :	straw or Wood Fiber (will be used	where needed)		
Fertilizer amount 500	<u>l</u> t	os/acre		
Mulch 2-3	Tons/a			
Access Road "A" (7	.28 acres) + Access Road "B" (5.21 acres) + Stockpiles (9.0	Staging Area (0.83) + Well Pad (12.65 acres) 7 acres) = 35.04 Acres	+ Excess/Topsoil Material	
	See	d Mixtures		
Temp	oorary	Per	manent	
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 (Eldon Pad Design)	See attached Table IV-4A for addi	tional seed type (Eldon Pad Design	
*		*or type of grass seed requested by surface owner		
provided). If water from the pit acreage, of the land application	d proposed area for land applic will be land applied, include dia area	*or type of grass seed re- ation (unless engineered plans in mensions (L x W x D) of the pit,	cluding this info have been	
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Form WW-9 Additives Attachment

SURFACE INTERVAL

- 1. Fresh Water
- 2. Soap -Foamer AC
- 3. Air

INTERMEDIATE INTERVAL

STIFF FOAM RECIPE:

- 1) 1 ppb Soda Ash / Sodium Carbonate-Alkalinity Control Agent
- 2) 1 ppb Conqor 404 (11.76 ppg) / Corrosion Inhibitor
- 3) 4 ppb KLA-Gard (9.17 ppg) / Amine Acid Complex-Shale Stabilizer
- 4) 1ppb Mil Pac R / Sodium Carboxymethylcellulose-Filtration Control Agent
- 5) 12 ppb KCL / Potassium Chloride-inorganic Salt
- 6) Fresh Water 80 bbls
- 7) Air

PRODUCTION INTERVAL

1. Alpha 1655

Salt Inhibitor

2. Mil-Carb

Calcium Carbonate

3. Cottonseed Hulls

Cellulose-Cottonseed Pellets - LCM

4. Mil-Seal

Vegetable, Cotton & Cellulose-Based Fiber Blend – LCM

5. Clay-Trol

Amine Acid Complex – Shale Stabilizer

6. Xan-Plex

Viscosifier For Water Based Muds

7. Mil-Pac (All Grades)

Sodium Carboxymethylcellulose – Filtration Control Agent

8. New Drill

Anionic Polyacrylamide Copolymer Emulsion - Shale Stabilizer

9. Caustic Soda

Sodium Hydroxide - Alkalinity Control

10. Mil-Lime

Calcium Hydroxide - Lime

11. LD-9

Polyether Polyol – Drilling Fluid Defoamer

12. Mil Mica

Hydro-Biotite Mica – LCM

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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

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31. Milstarch

Starch – Fluid Loss Reducer For Water Based Muds

32. Mil-Lube

Drilling Fluid Lubricant



911 Address 3830 Next Road Sistersville, WV 26175

Well Site Safety Plan Antero Resources

Well Name: Eldon Unit 5H, Deville Unit 1H-2H, Eldorado Unit 1H-2H & Phaeton Unit 2H

Pad Location: Eldon Pad

Tyler County/Ellsworth District

GPS Coordinates:

Entrance - Lat 39°29′58.9″/Long -80°57′13.7″ (NAD83)

Pad Center - Lat 39°29′36.6″/Long -80°57′23.0″ (NAD83)

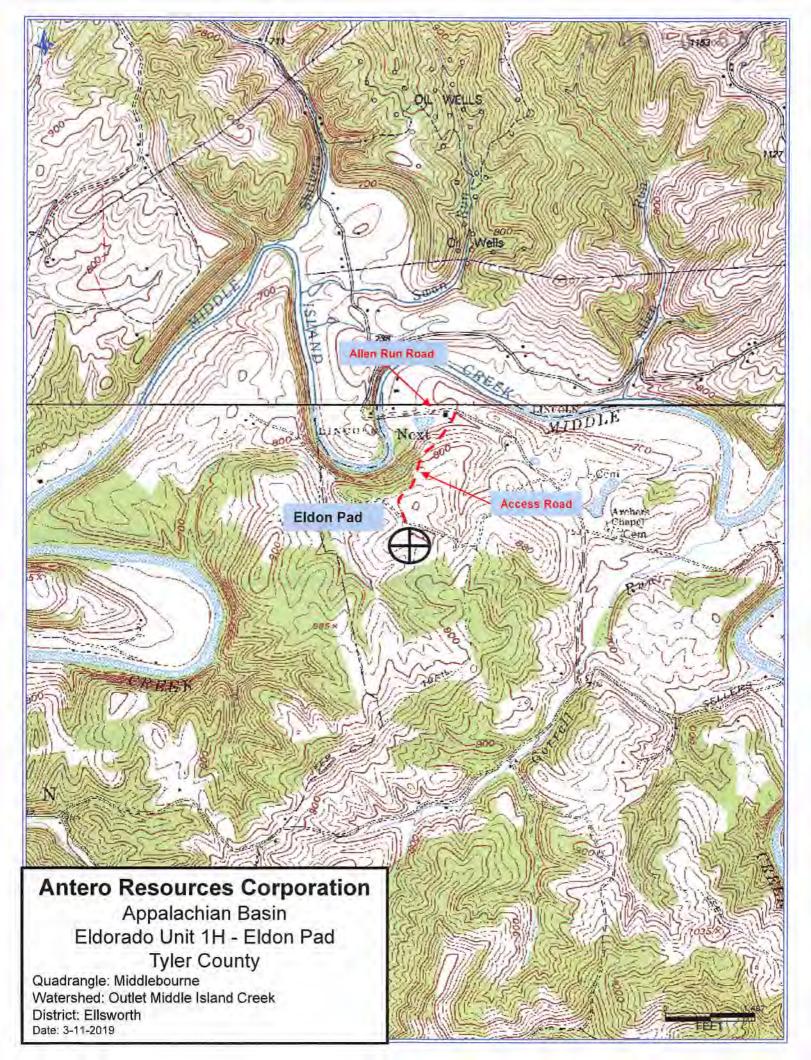
Driving Directions:

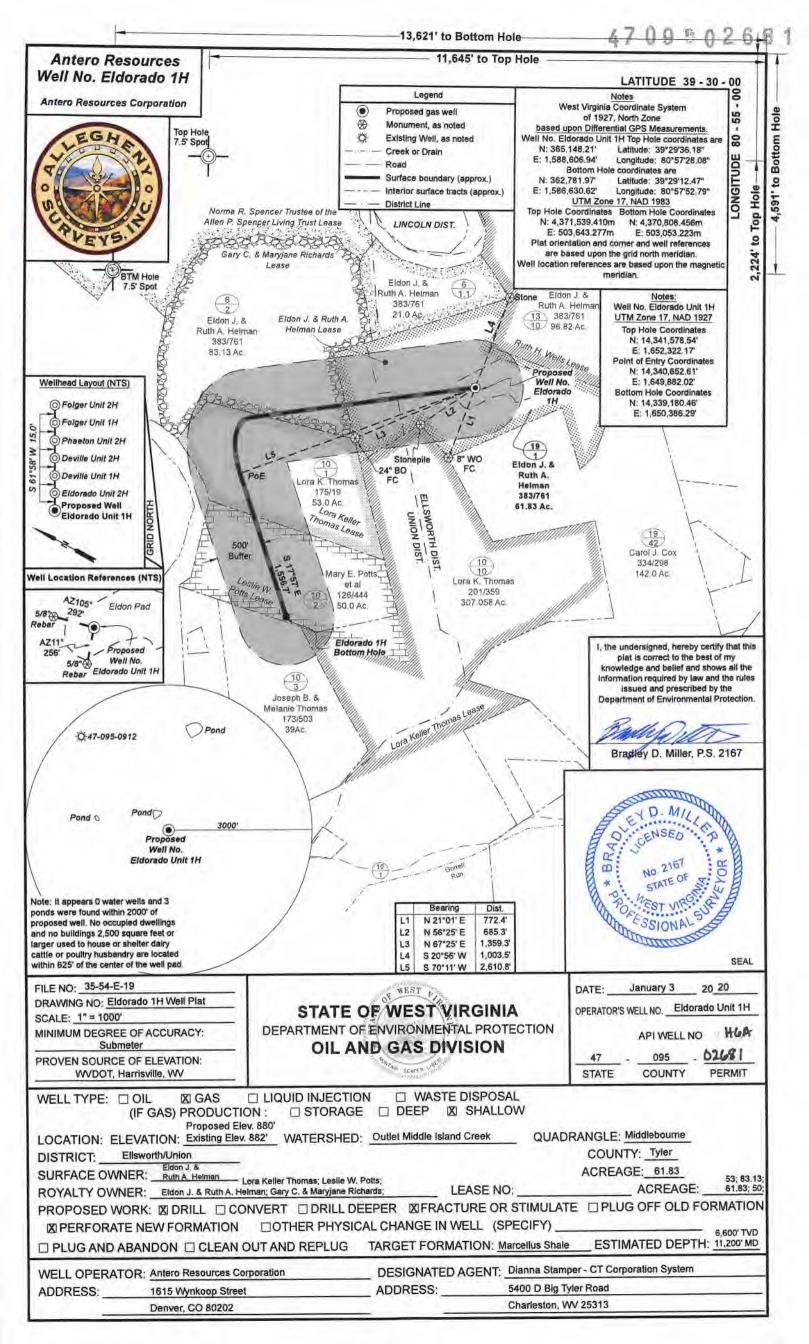
From the intersection of Broad St and Main St in the town of Middlebourne, head northeast on WV-18 N/ Main St toward Wetzel Ave for 0.7 miles. Turn left onto Co Rd 2/4 for 164 ft. Continue onto Sellers Rd for 400 ft. Turn left to stay on Sellers Rd for 3.4 miles. Turn right onto Allen Run Rd/Pleasant Ridge Rd for 1.1 miles. Access road will be on your left.

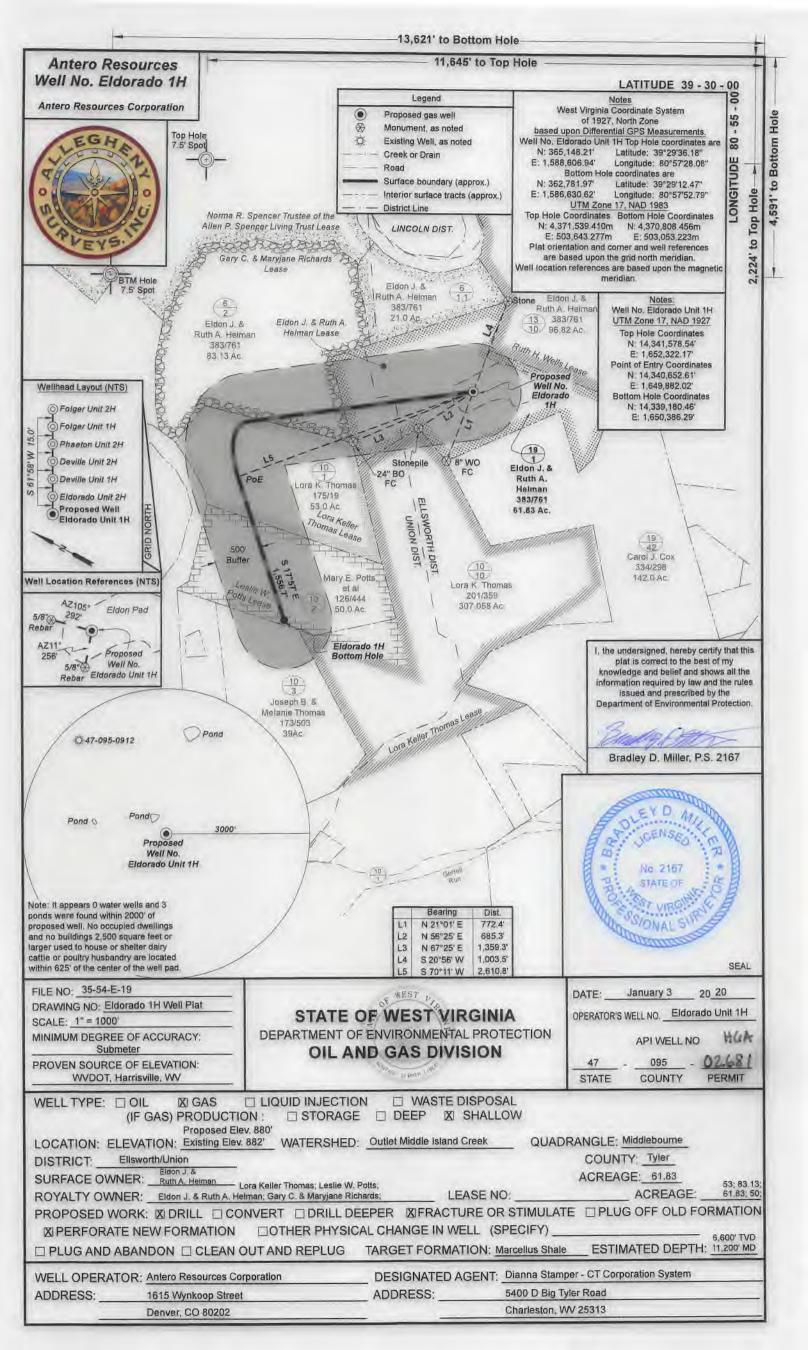
Alternate Route:

From the United States Postal Service in Sistersville, head southeast on Elizabeth St toward Chelsea St for 194 ft. Elizabeth St turns right and becomes WV-2 S/Chelsea St for 1.0 mile. Continue straight onto WV-18 S for 3.0 miles. Turn right onto Co Rd 10 for 1.7 miles. Continue onto Next Rd/Shriver Run Rd for 1.6 miles. Turn right onto Allen Run Rd/Next Rd/Pleasant Ridge Rd for 0.5 mile. Turn right for 0.4 mile. Access road will be on your left.

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







Operator's Well Number

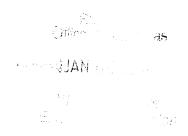
Eldorado Unit 1H

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
Eldon J. & Ruth A. Helman Lease Eldon J. & Ruth A. Helman	Antero Resources Corporation	1/8+	0427/0610 🗸
Gary C. & Mary Jane Richards Lease Gary C. & Mary Jane Richards	Antero Resources Corporation	1/8+	0505/0680
<u>Lora Keller Thomas Lease</u> Lora Keller Thomas	Antero Resources Corporation	1/8+	0626/0599



^{*}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.

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Lease Name or				
Number	Grantor, Lessor, etc.	Grantee, Lessee, etc.	Royalty	Book/Page
Leslie W. Potts Lease				
	Leslie W. Potts	Antero Resources Corporation	1/8+	0585/0556

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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 Corporation
By:	Tim Rady Lun lely
Its:	VP of Land



1615 Wynkoop Street Denver, CO 80202 January 7, 2020 Office 303.357.7310

Fax 303.357.7315

Antero Resources

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

RE: Eldorado Unit 1H

Quadrangle: Middlebourne 7.5'

Tyler County/Ellsworth District, West Virginia

Mr. Martin:

Antero Resources Corporation (Antero) is submitting the following application for a new well work permit for the Eldorado 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 Eldorado Unit 1H horizontal lateral will drill through including any and all roads crossed under as identified on the attached survey plat.

Sincerely,

Haley West Senior Landman

Date of Notice Certification: 01/06/2020

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

API No. 47- 095

		•	Operator's	Well No. Eldor	ado Unit 1H	
		•	Well Pad N	Name: Eldon Pa	ad	
	e provisions in West Virginia Code § 22-6A, t	the Operator has prov	ided the rec	juired parties w	vith the Notice Forms listed	
State:	tract of land as follows:		n .:	500010077		
	West Virginia		Easting:	503643.277m		
County: District:	Tyler Ellsworth	Public Road Access:		4371539.410m		
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Required Attachments:

The Operator shall attach to this Notice Certification Form all Notice Forms and Certifications of Notice that 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 made by affidavit of personal service, the return receipt card or other postal receipt for certified mailing.

By:

Certification of Notice is hereby given:

THEREFORE, I Diana Hoff
A. 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

Diana Hoff

Its: VP of Production

Telephone: 303-357-7223

Address: 1615 Wynkoop Street

Denver, CO 80202

Facsimile: 303-357-7315

Email: mgriffith@anteroresources.com

NOTARY SEAL

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MEGAN GRIFFITH NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF COLORADO NOTARY ID 20184011666

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES MARCH 13, 2022

Subscribed and sworn before me this

Notary Public

My Commission Expires

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OPERATOR WELL NO. Eldorado Unit 1H

Well Pad Name: Eldon 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: 1/7/2020 Date Permit Application Filed: 1/7/2020 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) REGISTERED ✓ METHOD OF DELIVERY THAT REQUIRES A PERSONAL SERVICE RECEIPT OR SIGNATURE CONFIRMATION MAIL 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 crossion 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: Eldon J. & Ruth A. Helman Address: 3647 Next Road Address: Sisterville, WV 26175 Name: ☐ COAL OPERATOR Name: NO DECLARATIONS ON RECORD WITH COUNTY Address: Address: M SURFACE OWNER(s) (Road and/or Other Disturbance) WATER PURVEYOR(s)/OWNER(s) OF WATER WELL, Name: Eldon J. & Ruth A. Helman SPRING OR OTHER WATER SUPPLY SOURCE Address: 3647 Next Road Name: NONE IDENTIFIED WITHIN 1500 Sisterville, WV 26175 Name: Address: Address: ☐ OPERATOR OF ANY NATURAL GAS STORAGE FIELD ☐ SURFACE OWNER(s) (Impoundments or Pits) Name: Name: Address: Address: *Please attach additional forms if necessary

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OPERATOR WELL NO, Eldorado Unit 1H

Well Pad Name: Eldon 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 57th Street, SE, Charleston, WV 25304 (304-926-0450) or by visiting www.dep.wv.gov/oil-and-gas/pages/default.aspx.

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 WW-6A (8-13)

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Well Pad Name: Eldon 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 57th St. SE Charleston, WV 25304 (304) 926-0450 Order 1,570

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. NOTE: YOU ARE NOT REQUIRED TO FILE ANY COMMENT.

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OPERATOR WELL NO. Eldorado Unit 1H

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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 http://www.dep.wv.gov/oil-and-gas/Horizontal-Permits/Pages/default.aspx 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

- (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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OPERATOR WELL NO. Eldorado Unit 1H
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Notice is hereby given by:

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Denver, CO 80202

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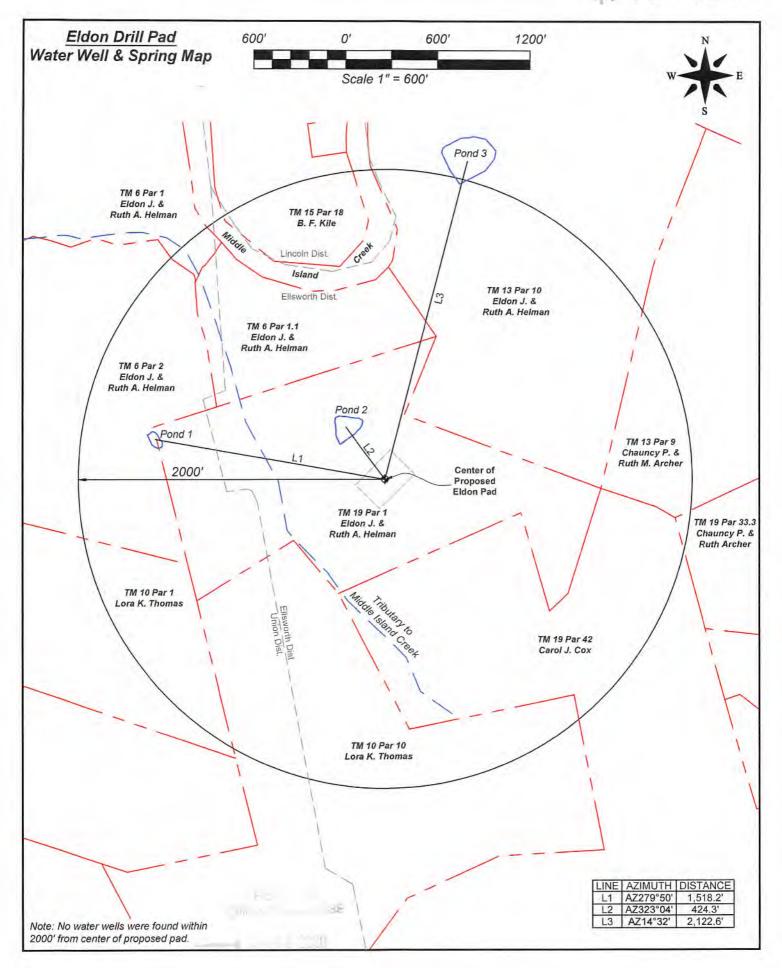
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STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS NOTICE OF ENTRY FOR PLAT SURVEY

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WW-6A3 Notice of Entry For Plat Survey Attachment:

Surface Owners:

Tax Parcel ID: 2-19-1, 2-13-10 & 10-6-1

Owner:

Eldon J. & Ruth A. Helman

Address:

3647 Next Road

Sistersville, WV 26175

Mineral Owners:

Tax Parcel ID: 10-6-1

Owner:

Ivan W. Makely

Address:

1301 Next Road

Sistersville, WV 26175

Owner:

Jonathan D. Sims

Address:

25555 Next Road

Sistersville, WV 26175

Owner:

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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

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January 6, 2020

Byrd E. White, III Secretary of Transportation/ Commissioner of Highways

> Jimmy Wriston, P. E. Deputy Secretary/ Deputy Commissioner

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 Eldon Pad, Tyler County Eldorado Unit 1H Well Site

Dear Mr. Martin,

This well site will be accessed from a DOH permit #06-2018-0802 which has been issued to Antero Resources Corporation for access to the State Road for a well site located off Tyler County Route 10/1 SLS.

This operator is in compliance with §22-6A-20 of the WV Code. 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 October 1, 2018.

Very Truly Yours,

Gary K. Clayton, P.E.

Regional Operations Engineer Central Office O&G Coordinator

Cc: Megan Griffith

Antero Resources Corporation

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List of Anticipated Additives Used for Fracturing or 502681 Stimulating Well

Additives	Chemical Abstract Service Number
Fresh Water	(CAS #) 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
Soybean Oil, Me ester	67784-80-9
Copolymer of Maleic and Acrylic Acid	52255-49-9
DETA phosphonate	15827-60-8
Hexamthylene Triamine Penta	34690-00-1 71050-62-9
Phosphino Carboxylic acid polymer Hexamethylene Diamine Tetra	23605-75-5
2-Propenoic acid, polymer with 2 propenamide	9003-06-9
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[ATITUDE 38.486427 LONGITUDE: -80.9580°C (NAD 83)
LATITUDE 39.486385 LONGITUDE: -80.9580°C (NAD 83)
N 4371535 82 E 96377'.40 (UTM 20)E 17 METERS)

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GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

THE ACCESS BOAD(S), WATER CONTAINMENT PAD(S), AND WELL PAD ARE BEING CONSTRUCTED TO AID IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF INDIVIDUAL MARCELLIS SPALE GAS WELLS.

APPROVED

MODIFICATION

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CHARLES E. COMPTON, III - UTILITY COORDINATOR CELL (304) 719-6449

CYBUS S. RUMP, PE - PROJECT MANAGER/ENGINEER OFFICE: (888) 962-4185 CELL (540) 858-6747

ENVIRONMENTAL: SWGA ENVIRONMENTAL CONSULTANTS, INC. IVAN J. MALDONADO - ENVIRONMENTAL SPECIALIST

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GEOTECHNICAL: PENNSYLVANIA SOIL & ROCK, INC. CHRISTOPHER W. SAMIOS - PROJECT ENGINEER

OFFICE: (412) 378-4000 CELL (412) 589-0062

DAVID PATSY - LAND AGENT CELL: (30M) 476-8090

ENGINEER/SURVEYOR:

2/11/2020

MISS_UTILITY_STATEMENT.

AFFERO RESOURCES CORPORATION WILL NOTIFY MISS_UTILITY OF WEST VIRGINIA FOR THE LOCATING OF
UTILITIES PRIOR TO THIS PROJECT DESIGN. TICKLT 4108886366. IN ADDITION, MISS_UTILITY WILL SE
COMPACTED BY THE CONTRACTOR PRIOR TO THE STATE OF CONSTRUCTION FOR THE PROJECT.

ENTRANCE PERMIT:

ANTENO RESOURCES CORPORATION WILL DETAIN AN ENCROACHMENT PERMIT (FORM MM-3DP) FROM THE WEST VISCHIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS, PRIOR TO COMMENCEMENT OF CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES.

FLOODPLAIN NOTES:

THE PROPOSED SITE IS LOCATED WITHIN FEMA FLOOD ZONE X' PER FEMA FLOOD WAFS #540R5C0150C

ENVIRONMENTAL NOTES:
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ROCK, INC. BETWEEN DETORS 28, 2016 & NOVEMBER 01, 2016. THE REPORT PREPARED BY
PENNSYLVANIA SOIL & ROCK, INC. DATED MAY 5, 2018 REPLECTS THE RESULTS OF THE SUBSURFACE
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PROJECT CONTACTS:

OPERATOR: ANTERO RESOURCES CORPORATION 535 WHITE OAKS BLVD. BRIDGEPORT, WY 26330 PHONE (304) 842-4100 FAX: (304) 842-4102

ELI WAGONER - ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEER & REGULATORY MANAGER
OFFICE: (304) 842-4086 CELL (304) 476-9770

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AARON RUNZBER - CONSTRUCTION MANAGER PHONE: (3D4) 542-4191

ROBERT WIRKS - DESIGN MANAGER OFFICS: (304) 842-4100 CELL: (304) 827-7405

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WELL PAD & WATER CONTAINMENT PAD SITE DESIGN & CONSTRUCTION PLAN. **EROSION & SEDIMENT CONTROL PLANS**

> ELLSWORTH DISTRICT, TYLER COUNTY, WV BUFFALO RUN-MIDDLE ISLAND CREEK WATERSHED

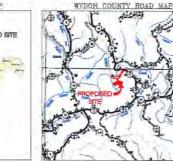
USGS 7.5 MIDDLEBOURNE, & PADEN CITY QUAD MAPS



WEST VIRGINIA COUNTY MAP



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DESIGN CERTIFICATION:
THE DRAWINGS, CONSTRUCTION NOTES, AND
REFERENCE DIAGRAMS ATTACHED HERRO HAVE
BEEN PREPARED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE
WEST VIRGINAL CODE OF STATE RULES, DIVISION
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Total Site	
Access Road "A" (2,353')	7.28
Access Road 'B" (1477)	5.21
Staging Area	0.83
Wel Pad	12.65
Excess/Topsoil Material Stockpiles	9.07
Total Affected Area	35.04
Total Wooded Acres Disturbed	4.02
Impacts to Eldon J. Helman TW	13-10
Access Road "A" (1,635")	5.00
Access Road "B" (1,477")	2.75
Staging Area	0.63
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Total Affected Area	10.33
Total Wooded Acres Disturbed	1.78
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Well Pad	12.65
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ELDON WETLAND IMPACT (SQUARE FEET)						
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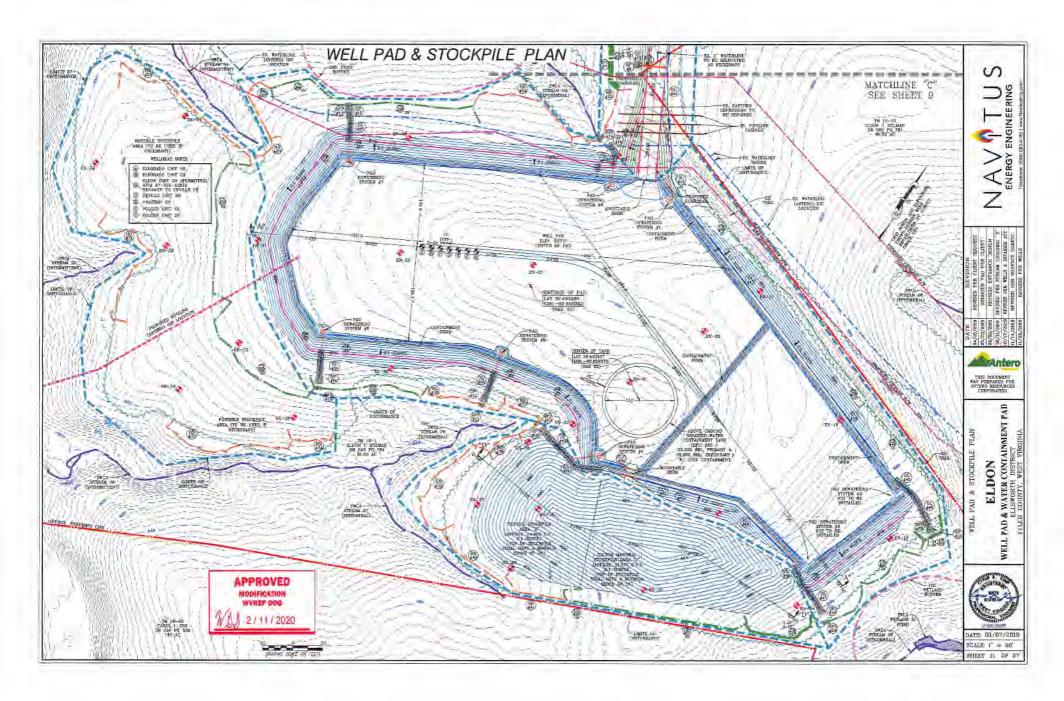
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& WATER CONTAINMENT ELLSWORTH DISTRICT R COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA COVER SHEET ELDON

WELL PAD



DATE: 03/07/2019 SCALE AS SHOWN SHEET 1 OF 37



Antero Resources Corporation Site Construction Plan for Eldon Well Pad & Water Containment Pad

Antero Resources Corporation (Antero) is submitting the following Site Construction Plan in compliance with §35-8-5.5. This plan is submitted in conjunction with the Eldon Well Pad & Water Containment Pad Site Design & Construction Plan, Erosion & Sediment Control Plans prepared in accordance with the West Virginia Code of State Rules, Division of Environmental Protection and Office of Oil and Gas, and certified by Navitus Engineering, Inc., a West Virginia registered professional engineer.

Requirement §5.5.a. The plan should describe the nature and purpose of the construction project and identify the procedures for construction that will be used to achieve site stability. The plan shall be considered conditions of the permit and be enforceable as such.

Antero Response

The nature and purpose of the subject project is to perforate, fracture, and complete one or more horizontal shallow wells. Procedures to achieve site stability include seeding and mulching of earth disturbed areas and implementation of erosion and sediment best management practices (BMPs). Details of seeding and mulching rates as well as procedures for installation and maintenance of erosion and sediment BMPs are outlined on page 2 of "Eldon Well Pad & Water Containment Pad Site Design & Construction Plan, Erosion & Sediment Control Plans" (Site Design) prepared and certified by Navitus Engineering, Inc. of West Virginia.

These procedures will be considered as conditions of the permit and shall be inspected and maintained for continual compliance measures outlined in §35-8-5.5.

Requirement §5.5.b.1. A vicinity map location the site in relation to the surrounding area and roads;

Antero Response

Please refer to the vicinity maps on page 1 for the location of the site in relation to the surrounding area and roads.

Requirement §5.5.b.2. A plan view site map at a scale of one inch equal to one hundred feet (1''=100') or greater that shows appropriate detail of all site features and:

Requirement §5.5.b.2.A. Clearly identifies the limit of disturbance for the project;

Antero Response

"Overall Plan Sheet Index & Volumes," "Access Road Plan," and "Well Pad & Stockpile Plan" maps are included on pages 7-11 of the Site Design.

Requirement §5.5.b.2.B. Provides existing topographic information on a contour interval that affords sufficient detail to illustrate site terrain conditions

Antero Response

Please refer to the "Existing Conditions" map on page 6 of the Site Design for the current topographic conditions for the constructed pad on a contour interval that affords sufficient detail to illustrate site terrain conditions.

Requirement §5.5.b.2.C. Identifies proposed cut and fill areas with grading contours at an interval that provides sufficient detail to accurately depict slope ratios, indicating top and bottom of slopes; and

Antero Response

Please refer to "Overall Plan Sheet Index & Volumes," "Access Road Plan," and "Well Pad & Stockpile Plan" maps are included on pages 7-11 as well as the "Well Pad Grading Plan," "Access Road Profiles," "Access Road Sections," "Well Pad & Stockpile Sections," and "Well Pad Sections" on pages 12-20 of the Site Design for proposed cut and fill areas with grading contours.

Requirement §5.5.b.2.D. Identifies any existing structures, roads, water bodies, and other critical areas within the area that would most likely be affected by the construction.

Antero Response

Please refer to to "Overall Plan Sheet Index & Volumes," "Access Road Plan," and "Well Pad & Stockpile Plan" maps are included on pages 7-11 for the maps identifying any structures, roads, water bodies, and other critical areas within the area of interest that would be most likely affected by construction.

Requirement §5.5.b.3. A cross-section of the length and width of the location, providing cut and fill volumes; and

Antero Response

Please refer "Overall Plan Sheet Index & Volumes," "Access Road Plan," and "Well Pad & Stockpile Plan" maps are included on pages 7-11 as well as the "Well Pad Grading Plan," "Access Road Profiles," "Access Road Sections," "Well Pad & Stockpile Sections," and "Well Pad Sections" on pages 12-20 for a cross-section of the location. The cut and fill volumes can be found in "Material Quantities" on page 4.

Requirement §5.5.b.4. Any other engineering designs or drawings necessary to construct the project.

Antero Response

All other engineering designs and drawings necessary to construct this project are included in the Site Design.

Requirement §5.5.c. At a minimum, site construction shall be conducted in accordance with the following criteria:

Antero Response

All Antero contractors shall be notified of and comply with the measures outlined in Section 5.5.c. of §35-8.

Requirement §5.5.c.1. All woody material, brush, and trees shall be cleared from the site area and kept to the minimum necessary for proper construction, including the installation of necessary sediment controls. Trees six inches in diameter and larger shall be cut and logs stacked;

Antero Response

The Site Design outlines measures to maintain compliance with Section 201 of the WVDOH Specifications which outlines clearing and grubbing measures. Please refer to "Construction and E&S Control Notes" on page 2 of the Site Design.

Requirement §5.5.c.2. Topsoil shall be removed from construction areas and stockpiled for reuse during reclamation. In woodland areas, tree stumps, large roots, large rocks, tree and leaf debris, and ground vegetation shall be removed prior to actual site constructions;

Antero Response

The Site Design outlines procedures for stripping and stocking topsoil. Please refer to "Construction and E&S Control Notes" on page 2 of the Site Design. In addition, soil for stockpiling and use as fill shall be further compliant with measures outlined in Section 5.5.c.2. of §35-8-5.5.

Requirement §5.5.c.3. No embankment fill shall be placed on frozen material;

Antero Response

All Antero contractors shall be notified of and comply with measures outlined in Section 5.5.c.3. of §35-8-5.5.

Requirement §5.5.c.4. The fill material shall be clean mineral soil, free of roots, woody vegetation, stumps, sod, large rocks, frozen soil or other objectionable material;

Antero Response

The Site Design outlines procedures for stripping and stocking topsoil. Please refer to "Construction and E&S Control Notes" on page 2 of the Site Design. In addition, soil shall be further defined to the measures outlined in Section 5.5.c.4. of §35-8-5.5.

Requirement §5.5.c.5. Embankment material shall exhibit adequate soil strength and contain the proper amount of moisture to ensure that compaction will be achieved;

Antero Response

All Antero contractors shall be notified of and comply with measures outlined in Section 5.5.c.5. of §35-8-5.5.

Requirement §5.5.c.6 Earthen fill slopes should be constructed with slopes no steeper than a ratio of two to one (2:1);

Antero Response

The Site Design outlines all earthen fill slopes to be constructed with slopes no steeper than a ratio of two to one (2:1).

Requirement §5.5.c.7. Fill material will be placed in lifts or layers over the length of the fill. Lift thickness of soil shall be as thin as the suitable random excavated material will permit, typically from six to twelve (12) inches; and

Antero Response

Please refer to the "Construction and E&S Control Notes" on page 2 of the Site Design. Fill shall be placed in horizontal lifts of maximum loose depth of 12 inches. Compaction will be performed with a compactor with a minimum of five ton static drum weight vibratory roller or five ton static drum weight sheeps footed compactor as appropriate for the type of soil material at the site or other compactor approved by the Engineer.

Requirement §5.5.c.8. The size of rock lifts shall not exceed thirty-six (36) inches. The rock shall not be greater in any dimension than thirty-six (36) inches;

Antero Response

All Antero contractors shall be notified of and comply with measures outlined in Section 5.5.c.8. of §35-8-5.5.

Requirement §5.5.c.9. Compaction shall be obtained by compaction equipment or by routing the hauling equipment over the fill so that the entire surface of each fill lift is compacted by at least one wheel or tread track of equipment or by a compactor. Each lift shall be compacted before beginning the next lift;

Antero Response

Compaction compliance measures are outlined in the "Construction and E&S Control Notes" on page 2 Compaction is required with a compactor with a minimum of five ton static drum weight vibratory roller or five ton static drum weight sheeps footed compactor as appropriate for the type of soil material at the site or other compactor approved by the Engineer.

Requirement §5.5.c.10. Surface water diversion ditches shall be constructed above the disturbed area to intercept water and to divert surface water runoff around the site; and

Antero Response

"Construction and E&S Control Notes" on page 2 of the Site Design identifies the surface diversions used to prevent surface water and subsurface water from flowing on to the well pad and coming into contact with the stormwater associated with the well pad. Additional Erosion & Sediment BMPs will be used to prevent sediment discharges from the project.

Requirement §5.5.c.11. In areas of steep terrain, a terraced bench shall be constructed at the base of the slope where fill is to be placed, creating a toe foundation and aid in holding fill material. Additional terracing shall be constructed from each additional fifty (50) vertical feet of slope and shall be a minimum of ten (10) feet wide.

Antero Response

All Antero contractors shall be notified of and comply with the measures outlined in Section 5.5.c.11.. of §35-8-5.5.