

#### 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

August 29, 2013

### WELL WORK PERMIT

#### Vertical Well

This permit, API Well Number: 47-3305782, issued to HG ENERGY, LLC, is evidence of permission granted to perform the specified well work at the location described on the attached pages and located on the attached plat, subject to the provisions of Chapter 22 of the West Virginia Code of 1931, as amended, and all rules and regulations promulgated thereunder, and to all conditions and provisions outlined in the pages attached hereto. Notification shall be given by the operator to the Oil and Gas Inspector at least 24 hours prior to the construction of roads, locations, and/or pits for any permitted work. In addition, the well operator shall notify the same inspector 24 hours before any actual well work is commenced and prior to running and cementing casing. Spills or emergency discharges must be promptly reported by the operator to 1-800-642-3074 and to the Oil and Gas inspector.

Please be advised that form WR-35, Well Operators Report of Well Work is to be submitted to this office within 90 days completion of permitted well work, as should form WR-34 Discharge Monitoring Report within 30 days of discharge of pits, if applicable. Failure to abide by all statutory and regulatory provisions governing all duties and operations hereunder may result in suspension or revocation of this permit and, in addition, may result in civil and/or criminal penalties being imposed upon the operators.

In addition to the applicable requirements of this permit, and the statutes and rules governing oil and gas activity in WV, this permit may contain specific conditions which must be followed. Permit conditions are attached to this cover letter.

Per 35CSR-4-5.2.g this permit will expire in two (2) years from the issue date unless permitted well work is commenced. If there are any questions, please feel free to contact me at (304) 926-0499 ext. 1654.

James Martin

Chief

Operator's Well No: SARAH E. ADAMS NO. 243

Farm Name: MYERS, EDGAR LEE JR.

API Well Number: 47-3305782
Permit Type: Vertical Well
Date Issued: 08/29/2013

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

#### CONDITIONS

- 1. 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 § 22-6-20, which requires drilling to a minimum depth of thirty feet below the bottom of the void, and installing a minimum of twenty (20) feet of casing. Under no circumstance should the operator drill more than fifty (50) feet below the bottom of the void or install less than twenty (20) feet of casing below the bottom of the void.
- 2. Pursuant to 35 CSR § 4-19.1.a, at the request of the surface owner all water wells or springs within 1000 feet of the proposed well that are actually utilized for human consumption, domestic animals or other general use shall be sampled and analyzed.
- 3. Pursuant to 35 CSR § 4-19.1.c, if the operator is unable to sample and analyze any water well or spring within one thousand (1,000) feet of the permitted well location, the Office of Oil and Gas requires the operator to sample, at a minimum, one water well or spring located between one thousand (1,000) feet and two thousand (2,000) feet of the permitted well location.
- 4. All pits must be lined with a minimum of 20 mil thickness synthetic liner.
- 5. 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.
- 6. During the surface casing and cementing process, in the event cement does not return to the surface, or any other casing string that is permitted to circulate cement to the surface and does not return to the surface, the oil and gas inspector shall be notified within twenty-four (24) hours.
- 7. Well work activities shall not constitute a hazard to the safety of persons.

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

| 1)     | Well Operato                  | or: HG        | Energy, LLC               |                      |                       |                         |                             |
|--------|-------------------------------|---------------|---------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 2)     | Operator's W                  | ell Number:   | Sarah E.                  | . Adams No. 2        | 43                    | _ 3) Elevation          | 1347'                       |
| )      | Well Type:                    | (a) Oil       |                           | Gas                  | Undergr               | ound Storage            |                             |
| )      | Proposed Tai                  | rget Formatio | n(s):                     | Fifth Sand           |                       |                         |                             |
|        | Proposed To                   | tal Depth:    | 3125' TVD 340             | 0' TMD ft.           |                       |                         |                             |
| )      | Approximate                   | fresh water s | strata depths:            |                      | 225'                  |                         | Si                          |
| )      | Approximate                   | salt water de | epths:                    |                      | 1446'                 |                         |                             |
| ))     | Approximate                   | coal seam de  | epths:                    |                      | 700'                  |                         |                             |
| 1)     | Proposed We                   | ell Work:     |                           |                      | ction well in Fifth S | 4                       | directionally N 27° W       |
| (2)    | ,                             | CDT           | The state of the state of | W. S.                | JBING PROGRA          |                         |                             |
| ГҮРЕ   | 5                             | Size          | CIFICATION<br>Grade       | Weight<br>Per Ft.    | For                   | NTERVALS  Left in  Well | CEMENT Fill-up              |
| Condu  | uctor                         | Size          | Grade                     | rei ri.              | Drilling              | Well                    | (Cu. Ft.)                   |
|        | Water                         | 7"            | LS                        | 17#                  | 775'                  | 775'                    | Cement to surface           |
| Coal   |                               |               |                           |                      |                       |                         |                             |
| ntern  | nediate                       |               |                           |                      |                       |                         |                             |
| Produ  | ction                         | 4 1/2"        | J-55                      | 10.5#                | 3400'                 | 3400'                   | 150 Sacks, CTS              |
| Γubin  | g                             |               |                           |                      |                       |                         |                             |
| Liners | S                             |               |                           |                      |                       |                         |                             |
| Packe  | rs: Kind<br>Sizes<br>Depths s | et            |                           |                      |                       |                         |                             |
|        | Depths s                      | WW-9          | Well Work F               | ce of Oil and Oermit |                       | clamation Fund (Type)   | Received<br>Office of Algen |

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| Form WW2-A |      |
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1) Date: June 21, 2013 2) Operator's Well Number Sarah E. Adams No. 243 3) API Well No: 47 -033 State County Permit

## STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA - BUREAU OF ENVIRONMENT

| -         |  | 'opy   | 3)  | API Well No: 47   | - 033 - Permit  | -                               |
|-----------|--|--|---|---|---|---------------------------------|
|           |  |  |   | REAU OF ENVIRO  | NMENT   | CK# 2274<br>\$1.50.00           |
|           |  | NOTICE AND APPLIC  | CATION FOR A W  | VELL WORK PERMIT  | <u>1</u>  | \$1,50.                         |
| 4)        | Surface O<br>(a) Name_<br>Address  | wner(s) to be served: Earl & Belva Junkins RR 5, Box 1226  | 5) (a<br>Name<br>Addres                                       | ) Coal Operator:<br>NA  |   | _                               |
|           | Address  | Salem, WV 26426  | Addres  |   |   | _                               |
|           | (b) Name   | Edgar Lee Myers  | (b) Co  | oal Owner(s) with Decla   | ration  | <del>-</del>                    |
|           | Address  | RR 4, Box 532  | Name  | NA  |   |                                 |
|           | _  | Salem, WV 26426  | Addres  | s   |   | =                               |
|           | (c) Name   | Brian Huffman  |   |   |   |                                 |
|           | Address  | RR 4, Box 530  | Name  |   |   |                                 |
|           | _  | Salem, WV 26426  | Addres  | S   |   |                                 |
|           | •  | Com Ward   | (-) (-  | I I come with Declarat  | You /   | <u>~</u>                        |
| 6)        | Inspector  | Sam Ward   |   | oal Lessee with Declarat  | /   |                                 |
|           | Address  | P. O. Box 2327<br>Buckhannon, WV 26201   | Name  | Wolf Run Minin<br>2708 Cranberry  |   | _                               |
|           | Telephone  | (304) - 389-7583   | Addres  | Morgantown, W   |   | _                               |
|           | relephone  | TO THE PERSON(S) NAMED   |   | ARTHUR AND ALKENDARY  | V 20303   | <del>-</del>                    |
|           | X  | Included is the lease or leases or of<br>the right to extract oil and gas Concluded is the information required<br>of West Virginia (see page 2)   | R   |   |   | Received<br>Office of Oil & Gas |
|           | of thi   | ify that as required under Chapter 22<br>s notice and application, a location p<br>e above-named parties, by:  |   |   |   | JUL / 2013                      |
|           | X  | Personal Service (Affidavit attached)<br>Certified Mail (Postmarked postal re<br>Publication (Notice of Publication at   | eceipt attached)  |   |   |                                 |
| on<br>for | iny permit<br>I cert<br>this applica<br>obtaining t  | e read and understand Chapter 22-6 assued under this application.  ify under penalty of law that I have partion form and all attachments, and the information, I believe that the information aware that there are significant penalts on the sonment. | personally examine<br>nat based on my incormation is true, ac | d and am familiar with t<br>quiry of those individual<br>ccurate, and complete. | the information submitted<br>ls immediately responsible | l<br>le                         |
|           |  |  | Well Operator   | HG Energy, LLC  |   |                                 |
|           |  |  | Ву:   | Diane C White   | Diane CWhite  | _                               |
|           |  |  | Its:  | Accountant  |   |                                 |
|           |  |  | Address   | 5260 Dupont Ro  | ad  |                                 |
|           |  |  |   | Parkersburg, WV   | / 26101   |                                 |
|           |  |  | Telephone   | (304) 420-1119  |   |                                 |
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| Sut       | scribed an   | d sworn before me this 21 day of   | - Supr  | VX0'2   |   |                                 |
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| API                 | Number 47- | 033   |         |   |
| Operator's Well No. | Sarah E.   | Adams | No. 243 |   |

## STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT 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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| Other  |   |  |  |   |  | 10161   |
|  |   | -9 for disposal location)  |  |   |  |   |
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| Planned Fen  |  | Drain Pipe                  | —— <u>(12)</u>  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Building   |  | Fill Walls                  | 77777   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Water Wel  |  | Area of Land<br>Application |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Area I   |                             |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| oposed Revegeta  | oposed Revegetation Treatment: Acres Disturbed Approx. 1.0 Ac Prevegetation pH |                             |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Area II Approx. 0.1 Ac.                                  |  |                             |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Lime 2 Tons/Acre or Correct to pH 6.5                    |  |                             |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Fertilizer (10-20-20 or Equivalent)  |                             | re (500 lbs. Minimum)                                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Mulch Straw 2  | Tons/Acre                   |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | SE   | ED MIXTURES                 |   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | Area I (Location)  |                             | Area II (Road)  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Seed Type  | Lbs/Ac.  | Seed T                      | ype Lbs/Ac.   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| <b>T</b>   | itle: Oil & Gas Inspector  |                             | Date 6 /27 /2013                                      |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Field Review   | ved? Yes   | <u> </u>                    | No .  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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