



west virginia department of environmental protection

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Austin Caperton, Cabinet Secretary
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Thursday, March 12, 2020
WELL WORK PERMIT
Vertical / New Drill

HG ENERGY, LLC
5260 DUPONT ROAD

PARKERSBURG, WV 26101

Re: Permit approval for THOMAS FOWLER 514
47-043-03605-00-00

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: THOMAS FOWLER 514
Farm Name: ANDY & REBECCA MCCLURE
U.S. WELL NUMBER: 47-043-03605-00-00
Vertical New Drill
Date Issued: 3/12/2020

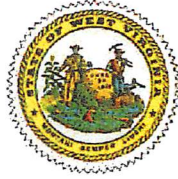
PERMIT CONDITIONS

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 with 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.
8. Operator shall provide the Office of Oil & Gas notification of the date that drilling commenced on this well. Such notice shall be provided by sending an email to DEPOOGNotify@wv.gov within 30 days of commencement of drilling.

FORM WW-3 (B)
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1) Date: 01/21/2020
 2) Operator's Well No. Thomas Fowler 514
 3) API Well No.: 47 - 043 - s
 State County Permit
 4) UIC Permit No. UIC2R04301AP

**STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
 NOTICE OF LIQUID INJECTION OR WASTE DISPOSAL WELL WORK PERMIT APPLICATION
 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS**

5) WELL TYPE: Liquid Injection / Gas Injection (not storage) / Waste Disposal
 6) LOCATION: Elevation: 1008' Watershed: Porter Fork
 District: Duval County Lincoln Quadrangle Griffithsville 7.5'
 7) WELL OPERATOR: HG Energy, LLC 8) DESIGNATED AGENT Diane White
 Address 5260 Dupont Road Address 5260 Dupont Road
Parkersburg, WV 26101 Parkersburg, WV 26101
 9) OIL & GAS INSPECTOR TO BE NOTIFIED 10) DRILLING CONTRACTOR
 Name Jeffery L. Smith Name To Be Determined Upon Approval of the Permit
 Address 5369 Big Tyler Road Address _____
Cross Lanes, WV 25313

11) PROPOSED WELL WORK Drill / Drill deeper / Redrill / Stimulate
 Plug off old formation / Perforate new formation / Convert
 Other physical change in well (specify) _____

12) GEOLOGIC TARGET FORMATION Berea Depth 2480' Feet (top) to 2500' Feet (bottom)
 13) Estimated Depth of Completed Well, (or actual depth of existing well): 2625' MD Feet
 14) Approximate water strata depths: Fresh 240' Feet Salt 1080' Feet
 15) Approximate coal seam depths: 415'
 16) Is coal being mined in the area? Yes _____ No _____
 17) Virgin reservoir pressure in target formation 1250 psig Source Estimated
 18) Estimated reservoir fracture pressure 2650 psig (BHFP)
 19) MAXIMUM PROPOSED INJECTION OPERATIONS: Volume per hour 25 BBL Bottom hole pressure 2400 psi
 20) DETAILED IDENTIFICATION OF MATERIALS TO BE INJECTED, INCLUDING ADDITIVES Fresh water, produced
water, bactericides and other chemicals as needed to maintain water quality and improve oil recovery
 21) FILTERS (IF ANY) Cartridge filters and charcoal bed filters
 22) SPECIFICATIONS FOR CATHODIC PROTECTION AND OTHER CORROSION CONTROL NA

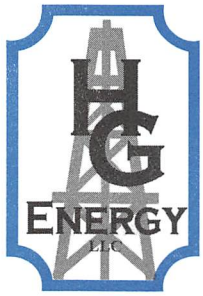
23) CASING AND TUBING PROGRAM

CASING OR TUBING TYPE	SPECIFICATIONS					FOOTAGE INTERVALS		CEMENT FILL-UP OR SACKS (CU. FT.)	PACKERS
	Size	Grade	Weight per ft.	New	Used	For Drilling	Left In Well		
Conductor									Kinds
Fresh Water	7"	LS	17#	X		480'	480'	CTS	
Coal									Sizes
Intermediate									2,300"
Production	4 1/2"	J-55	10.5#	X		2605'	2605'	150 sks	Depths set
Tubing	2 3/8"	J-55	4.8#	X		2400'	2400'		2400'
Liners									Perforations
									Top Bottom

24) APPLICANT'S OPERATING RIGHTS were acquired from Thomas Fowler
 by deed _____ / lease x / other contract _____ / dated 04/01/2014 of record in the
Lincoln County Clerk's office in Lease Book 54 Page 314

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HG Energy, LLC
5260 Dupont Road
Parkersburg, WV 26101
(304) 420-1100 - Office
(304) 863-3172 - Fax

January 21, 2020

Andy & Rebecca McClure
109 Coon Whistle Hollow
Yawkey, WV 25573

RE: Thomas Fowler No. 514
Duval District, Lincoln County
West Virginia

Dear Landowner:

Enclosed are copies of various application papers that we have filed with the West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection (WVDEP), Office of Oil and Gas. A well work permit is being requested for the above-referenced well.

Pursuant to WV Code Chapter 22B, Article 6, you are receiving copies of this correspondence because the well or other anticipated disturbance is located on your surface property. Your rights as a landowner are detailed in the enclosed permit application papers.

No action on your part is required. If you have any questions or comments regarding this application, you may call this office at (304) 420-1119.

Very truly yours,

Diane White

Diane C. White

Enclosures

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WW-2B1
(5-12)

Well No. Thomas Fowler 514

West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection
Office of Oil and Gas

NOTICE TO SURFACE OWNERS

The well operator named below is preparing to file for a permit from the state to drill a new well. Before a well work permit can be filed with the Chief of the Office of Oil and Gas, the well operator is required to have given notice of the right to request water well or spring analytical testing. This notice shall be given to the owners or occupants of land which have a water well or spring being utilized for human consumption, domestic animals, or other general use and which is located within 1000 feet of the proposed well site.

With this form, the operator is giving you notice of your right to request analytical testing. The operator is required to sample and analyze the water wells or springs of all owners or occupants who request it. Therefore, if you wish to have your water well or spring tested, contact the operator named below.

All sampling shall be completed prior to drilling. Within thirty (30) days of the receipt of such sample analyses the operator shall submit the results to the Chief of the Office of Oil and Gas and to the owners or occupants who may have requested them.

Be advised, you have the right to sample and analyze any water supply at your own expense.

Listed below is the laboratory chosen by operator to perform analysis, and contactor chosen to collect sample.

Certified Laboratory Name	<u>Sturm Environmental Labs</u>
Sampling Contractor	<u>Sturm Environmental Labs</u>

Well Operator	<u>HG Energy, LLC</u>
Address	<u>5260 Dupont Road</u>
	<u>Parkersburg, WV 26101</u>
Telephone	<u>304-420-1119</u>

FOR OPERATOR'S USE ONLY: Below, or on an attached page, list those persons which were given this notice. Place an asterisk beside the one(s) that contacted you and requested sampling and analyses. If there were no requests made, indicate by underling which one you have selected to sample and analyze. If there are no water wells or springs within 1000 feet of the proposed site, the Chief may require the operator to test wells up to 2000 feet from the proposed site.

* No identified water sources within 1000 feet of proposed site.

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API Number 47 - _____ - _____
Operator's Well No. Thomas Fowler 514

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

FLUIDS/ CUTTINGS DISPOSAL & RECLAMATION PLAN

Operator Name HG Energy, LLC OP Code 494497948

Watershed (HUC 10) Porter Fork Quadrangle Griffithsville 7.5'

Do you anticipate using more than 5,000 bbls of water to complete the proposed well work? Yes No

Will a pit be used? Yes No

If so, please describe anticipated pit waste: Fluids encountered while drilling subject well

Will a synthetic liner be used in the pit? Yes No If so, what ml.? 20 ml

Proposed Disposal Method For Treated Pit Wastes:

- Land Application
- Underground Injection (UIC Permit Number _____)
- Reuse (at API Number _____)
- Off Site Disposal (Supply form WW-9 for disposal location)
- Other (Explain _____)

Will closed loop system be used? If so, describe: No

Drilling medium anticipated for this well (vertical and horizontal)? Air, freshwater, oil based, etc. Air, Fresh Water

-If oil based, what type? Synthetic, petroleum, etc. NA

Additives to be used in drilling medium? Water, Soap, KCl

Drill cuttings disposal method? Leave in pit, landfill, removed offsite, etc. Offsite Disposal at a DEP Approved Landfill

-If left in pit and plan to solidify what medium will be used? (cement, lime, sawdust) NA

-Landfill or offsite name/permit number? To Be Determined Upon Approval of Permit

Permittee shall provide written notice to the Office of Oil and Gas of any load of drill cuttings or associated waste rejected at any West Virginia solid waste facility. The notice shall be provided within 24 hours of rejection and the permittee shall also disclose where it was properly disposed.

I certify that I understand and agree to the terms and conditions of the GENERAL WATER POLLUTION PERMIT issued on August 1, 2005, by the Office of Oil and Gas of the West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection. I understand that the provisions of the permit are enforceable by law. Violations of any term or condition of the general permit and/or other applicable law or regulation can lead to enforcement action.

I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted on this application form and all attachments thereto and that, based on my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, I believe that the information is true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine or imprisonment.

Company Official Signature Diane White

Company Official (Typed Name) Diane White

Company Official Title Accountant

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WV Department of

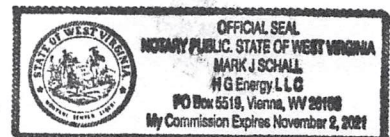
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Subscribed and sworn before me this 21st day of January, 2020

[Signature] Notary Public

My commission expires 11/2/2021



HG Energy, LLC

Proposed Revegetation Treatment: Acres Disturbed 0.4 acres Prevegetation pH _____

Lime 3 Tons/acre or to correct to pH 6.5

Fertilizer type 10-20-20

Fertilizer amount 500 lbs/acre

Mulch Straw 2 Tons/acre

Seed Mixtures

Temporary		Permanent	
Seed Type	lbs/acre	Seed Type	lbs/acre
Tall Fescue	40	Tall Fescue	40
Ladino Clover	5	Ladino Clover	5

****Sediment and Erosion Control will be in place at all times ****

Attach:

Drawing(s) of road, location, pit and proposed area for land application (unless engineered plans including this info have been provided)

Photocopied section of involved 7.5' topographic sheet.

Plan Approved by: Jeffrey Smith

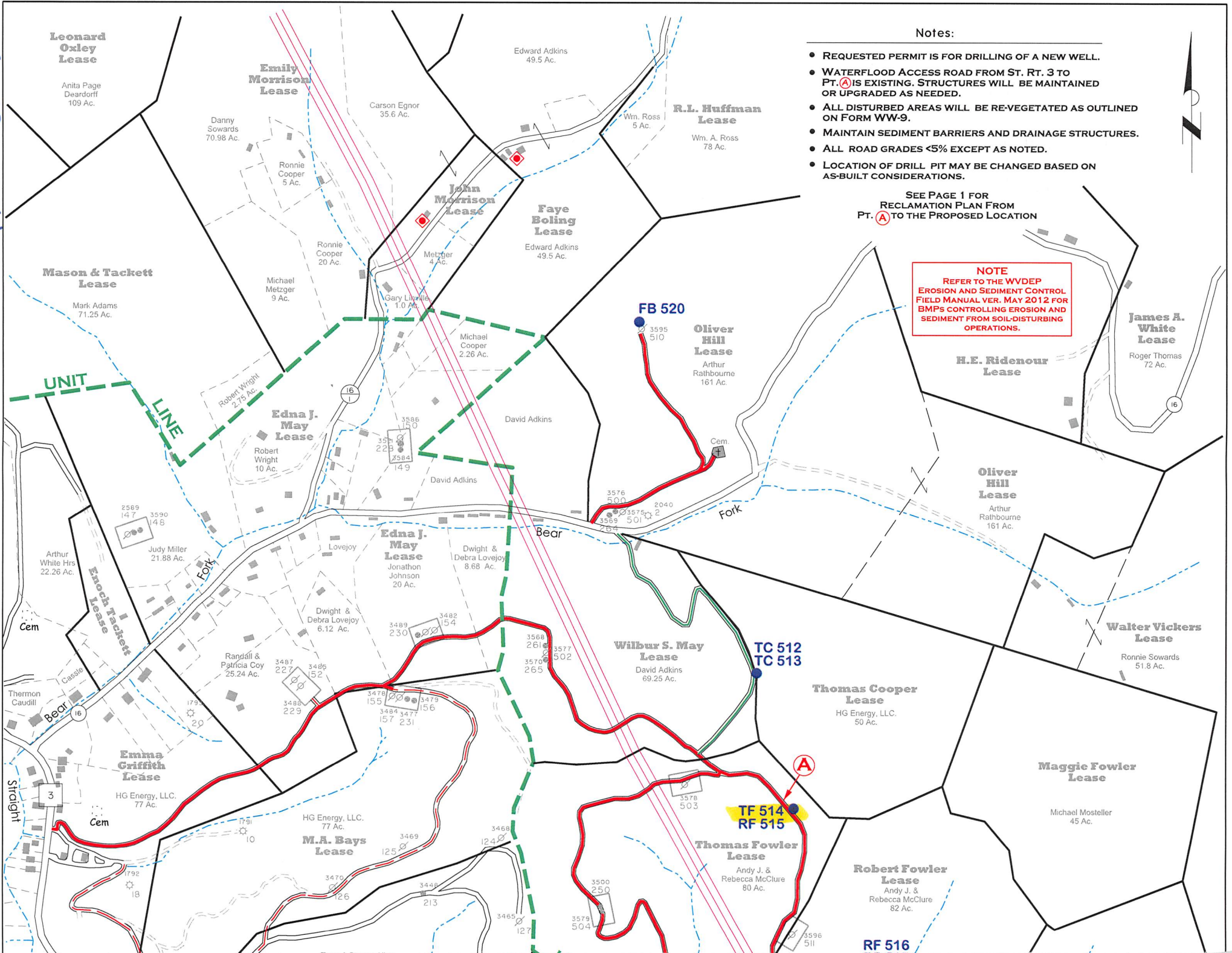
Comments: All sediment control to be removed prior to release.

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Title: Oil & Gas Inspector Date: 1-28-2020

Field Reviewed? () Yes () No

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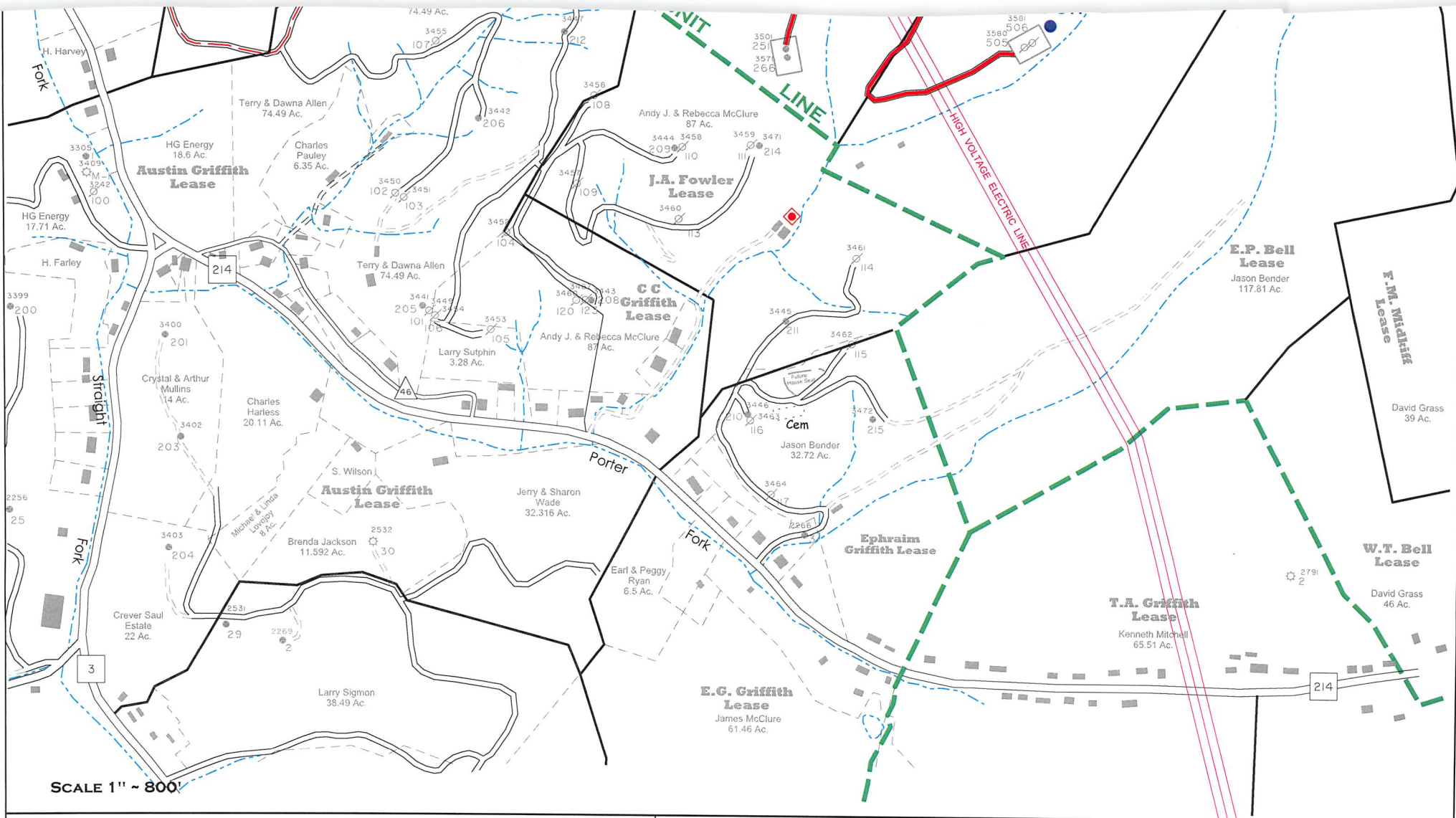
Notes:

- REQUESTED PERMIT IS FOR DRILLING OF A NEW WELL.
- WATERFLOOD ACCESS ROAD FROM ST. RT. 3 TO PT. A IS EXISTING. STRUCTURES WILL BE MAINTAINED OR UPGRADED AS NEEDED.
- ALL DISTURBED AREAS WILL BE RE-VEGETATED AS OUTLINED ON FORM WW-9.
- MAINTAIN SEDIMENT BARRIERS AND DRAINAGE STRUCTURES.
- ALL ROAD GRADES <5% EXCEPT AS NOTED.
- LOCATION OF DRILL PIT MAY BE CHANGED BASED ON AS-BUILT CONSIDERATIONS.

SEE PAGE 1 FOR RECLAMATION PLAN FROM PT. A TO THE PROPOSED LOCATION

NOTE
 REFER TO THE WVDEP EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL FIELD MANUAL VER. MAY 2012 FOR BMPs CONTROLLING EROSION AND SEDIMENT FROM SOIL-DISTURBING OPERATIONS.





SCALE 1" = 800'



GRIFFTHSVILLE WATERFLOOD








Lincoln County, W.Va.

RECLAMATION PLAN SHOWING ROAD SYSTEMS TO BE USED FOR 2020 DRILLING PROGRAM

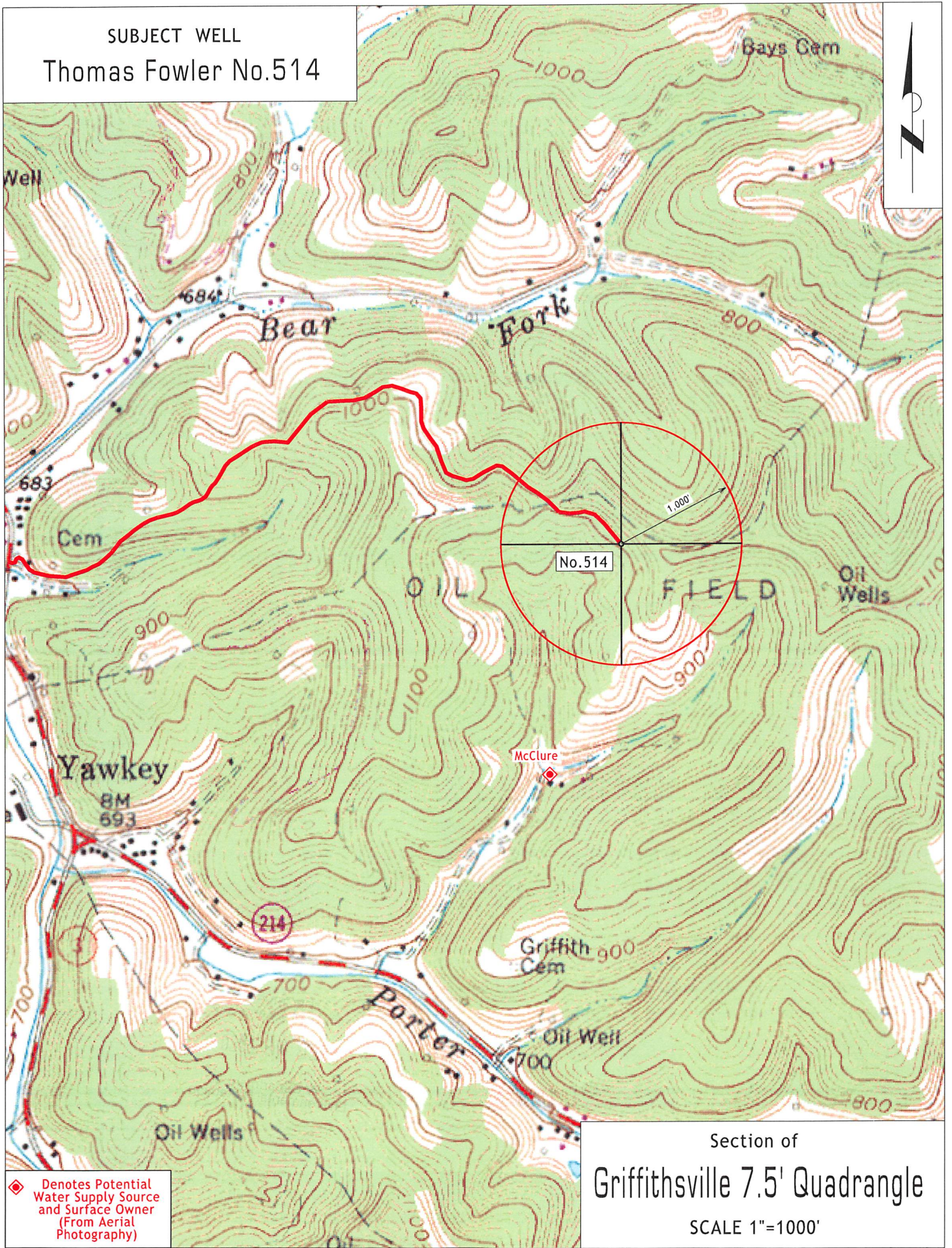
NOTES

1. REFER TO THE WVDEP EROSION AND SEDIMENTATION CONTROL MANUAL (VER. MAY 20, 2013) FOR BMP'S CONTROLLING EROSION AND SEDIMENTATION FROM ALL SOIL-DISTURBING OPERATIONS.
2. SEE PAGE ONE OF RECLAMATION PLAN FOR DETAILS OF NEW ROAD CONSTRUCTION AND ROAD UPGRADES FROM POINT **A** TO DRILL SITE LOCATION.
3. EXISTING WATERFLOOD ACCESS ROADS WILL BE MAINTAINED IN PRESENT CONDITION. THESE ROADS WERE CONSTRUCTED UNDER CONDITIONS SET FORTH IN VARIOUS DRILLING PERMITS ISSUED BY WVDEP-OOG PRIOR TO 2015 (AS SHOWN). SEE PERMITS ON FILE FOR MORE DETAIL.

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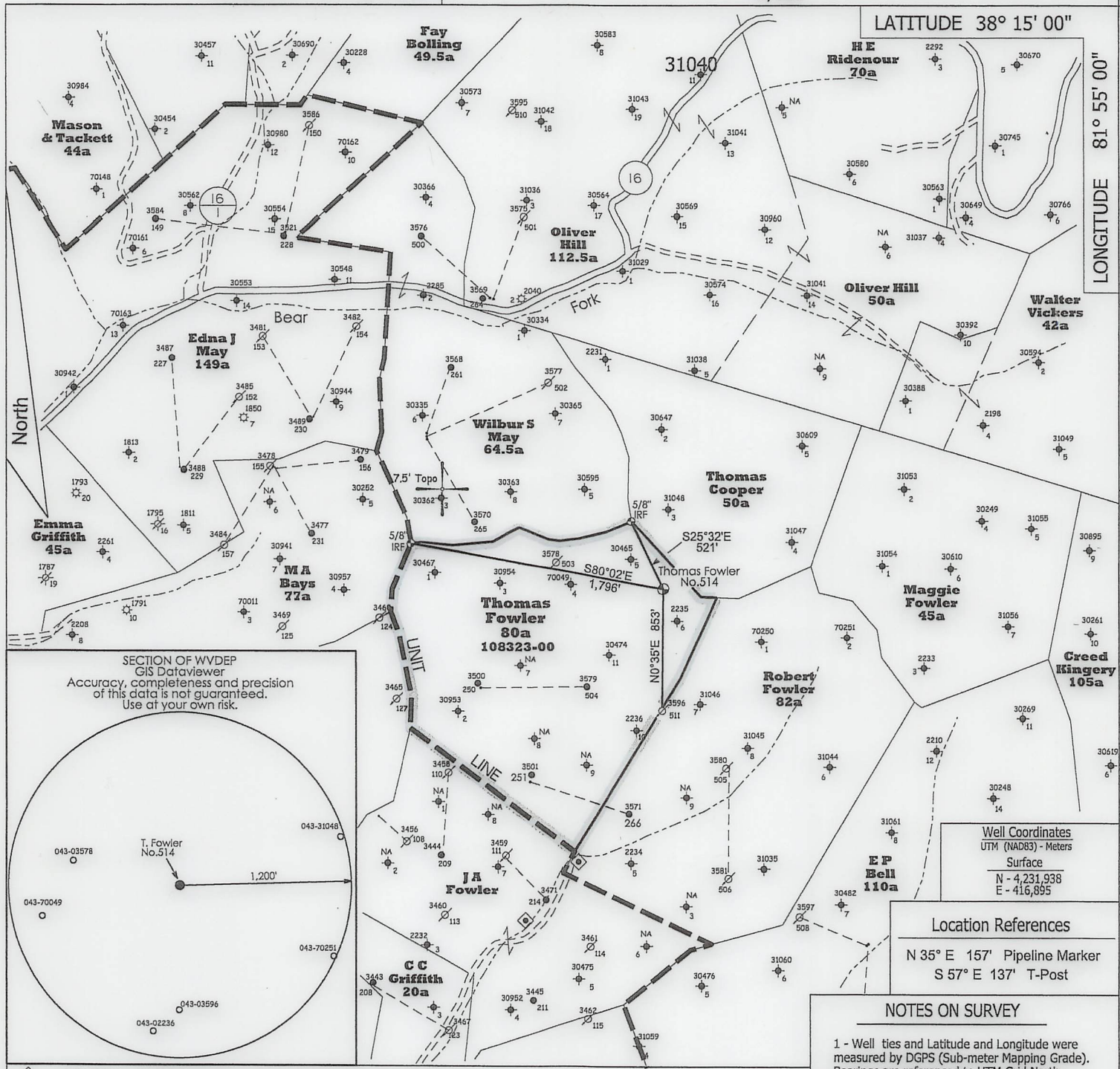
-  EXISTING WATERFLOOD ROADS TO BE USED.
-  OTHER EXISTING MAIN WATERFLOOD ROADS (POSSIBLE ACCESS).
-  EXISTING LEASE OR FARM ROADS TO BE UPGRADED.
-  NEW ROADS TO BE CONSTRUCTED.
-  TF 514
-  LOCATION FOR PROPOSED WELLS
-  POTENTIAL WATER SUPPLY SOURCE TO BE SAMPLED (LOC. APPROX.)

SUBJECT WELL
Thomas Fowler No.514



◆ Denotes Potential Water Supply Source and Surface Owner (From Aerial Photography)

Section of
Griffithville 7.5' Quadrangle
SCALE 1"=1000'



SECTION OF WVDWP GIS Dataviewer
 Accuracy, completeness and precision of this data is not guaranteed. Use at your own risk.

Well Coordinates
 UTM (NAD83) - Meters
 Surface
 N - 4,231,938
 E - 416,895

Location References
 N 35° E 157' Pipeline Marker
 S 57° E 137' T-Post

NOTES ON SURVEY
 1 - Well ties and Latitude and Longitude were measured by DGPS (Sub-meter Mapping Grade). Bearings are referenced to UTM Grid North (Zone 17 North - NAD 1927).
 2 - Surface owner information obtained from the Lincoln County Assessor's tax records.

◆ - DENOTES A POSSIBLE WATER SUPPLY SOURCE LOCATED FROM CIRCA 2003 AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY - NOT BY SURVEY. OTHER SOURCES MAY BE PRESENT.
 ⊕ - DENOTES LOCATION OF WELL ON UNITED STATES TOPOGRAPHIC MAPS.

FILE NO. _____
 SCALE 1" = 1000'
 MINIMUM DEGREE OF ACCURACY Sub-Meter
 PROVEN SOURCE OF ELEVATION DGPS Survey (Sub-Meter Mapping Grade)

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PLAT IS CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF AND SHOWS ALL THE INFORMATION REQUIRED BY LAW AND THE REGULATIONS ISSUED AND PRESCRIBED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION.

(SIGNED) *[Signature]*

TIMOTHY P. ROUSH PS 793



WEST VIRGINIA
 Division of Environmental Protection
 Office of Oil and Gas
 601 57th Street
 Charleston, West Virginia 25301



DATE January 2, 2020
 FARM Thomas Fowler No.514
 API WELL NO. 47 - 043 - 03605.S

WELL TYPE: OIL ___ GAS ___ LIQUID INJECTION WASTE DISPOSAL ___
 (IF "GAS") PRODUCTION ___ STORAGE ___ DEEP ___ SHALLOW ___
 LOCATION: ELEVATION 1,008' WATERSHED Porter Fork
 DISTRICT Duval COUNTY Lincoln
 QUADRANGLE Griffithsville 7.5'
 SURFACE OWNER Andy & Rebecca McClure ACREAGE 80 Ac.
 OIL & GAS ROYALTY OWNER Eugene Armstrong et al. LEASE ACREAGE 80 Ac.
 LEASE NO. 108323-00
 PROPOSED WORK: DRILL CONVERT ___ DRILL DEEPER ___ REDRILL ___ FRACTURE OR
 STIMULATE PLUG OFF OLD FORMATION ___ PERFORATE NEW
 FORMATION ___ OTHER PHYSICAL CHANGE IN WELL (SPECIFY) _____
 PLUG AND ABANDON ___ CLEAN OUT AND REPLUG ___
 TARGET FORMATION Berea ESTIMATED DEPTH 2,625'
 WELL OPERATOR HG Energy LLC. DESIGNATED AGENT Diane White
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