

west virginia department of environmental protection

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February 27, 2015

WELL WORK PERMIT

Horizontal 6A Well

This permit, API Well Number: 47-6101696, issued to NORTHEAST NATURAL 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: STATLER 5H

Farm Name: MOORE, REBECCA & STATLER,

API Well Number: 47-6101696

Permit Type: Horizontal 6A Well

Date Issued: 02/27/2015

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 fifty (50) 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. 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.
- 8. 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.
- 9. 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.

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

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1) Well Operat	or: Northea	st Natural E	Energy LLC	494498281	Monongalia	Clay	Blacksville	
	·			Operator ID	County	District	Quadrangle	
2) Operator's V	Well Number	: Statler 5F	1	Well Pa	d Name: Statle	r		
3) Farm Name/	Surface Ow	ner: Moore R.	& Sam, Ben, Dar	niel Statler Public Roa	ad Access: Mas	on Dixon H	wy (State Rt 7)	
4) Elevation, co	4) Elevation, current ground: 1,061 Elevation, proposed post-construction: 1,061							
5) Well Type	(a) Gas		Oil	Und	erground Storag	ge		
	Other							
	(b)If Gas	Shallow	_	Deep				
6) Existing Pad	I. Ves or No	Horizontal Yes			BJK 11/3	/2014		
7) Proposed Ta		ion(s), Dept	h(s), Antic	ipated Thickness a	_ ×		:	
8) Proposed To	tal Vertical	Depth: 7,8	98'					
9) Formation a	t Total Verti	cal Depth:	Marcellus					
10) Proposed T	otal Measur	ed Depth:	12,976'					
11) Proposed H	Iorizontal Le	g Length:	3,805'					
12) Approxima	ite Fresh Wa	ter Strata D	epths:	50', 912'				
13) Method to	Determine F	resh Water	Depths: _	Driller's Log from Off	set Wells			
14) Approxima	ite Saltwater	Depths: _	1,600' , 1,95	51'				
15) Approxima	ite Coal Sear	n Depths:	650'					
16) Approxima	ite Depth to	Possible Vo	id (coal m	ine, karst, other):	N/A			
17) Does Propo directly overlyi				ms Yes	No	√		
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CASING AND TUBING PROGRAM

TYPE	Size	New or Used	Grade	Weight per ft. (lb/ft)	FOOTAGE: For Drilling	INTERVALS: Left in Well	CEMENT: Fill-up (Cu. Ft.)
Conductor	20"	New	STD	78.67	40'	40'	GTS
Fresh Water	13 3/8"	New	J-55	54.5	1,030'	1,000'	CTS
Coal							
Intermediate	9 5/8"	New	J-55	40	2,280'	2,250'	CTS
Production	5 1/2"	New	P-110	20	12,976'	12,946'	3,025 cu. ft.
Tubing	2 3/8"	New	J-55	4.7		8,750'	NA
Liners							

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TYPE	Size	Wellbore Diameter	Wall Thickness	Burst Pressure	Cement Type	Cement Yield (cu. ft./k)
		Diameter	1 HICKHESS			(cu. It./K)
Conductor	20"	24"	.375	499	Grout	NA
Fresh Water	13 3/8"	17 1/2"	.38"	2,760	Class A	1.23
Coal						
Intermediate	9 5/8"	12 1/4"	.395"	3,950	Class A	1.3
Production	5 1/2"	8 3/4"	.361"	12,530	50:50 Poz	1.21
Tubing	2 3/8"	NA	.190"	7,700	NA	NA
Liners						

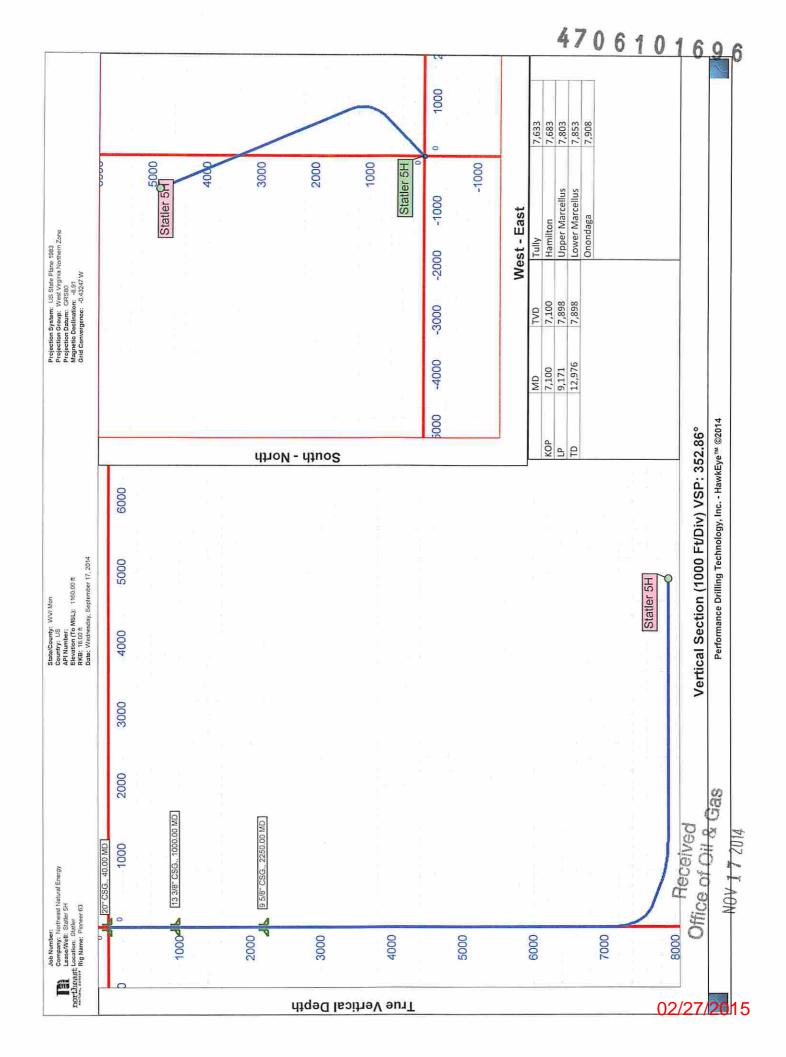
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Kind:		
Sizes:		
Depths Set:		

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19) Describe proposed well work, including the drilling and plugging back of any pilot hole:
Drilling and completion of a horizontal Marcellus well. The well will be drilled on air to an approximate depth of 7,100' TVD/MD. Well will be horizontally drilled on fluid from KOP to approximately 7,898' TVD / 12,976' MD along a 337 degree azimuth.
20) Describe fracturing/stimulating methods in detail, including anticipated max pressure and max rate:
Multi-stage / high-rate slickwater fracture treatment using various size sands as proppant. First stage will be initiated via pressurization against a burst disc ran in the production casing string or perforated with coiled tubing. Subsequent stages will be perforated with pumped down guns ran on wireline. Individual stages will be isolated with composite frac plugs. Maximum pump rate during any stage will be 110 BPM with a maximum allowable surface pressure of 9,500 PSI. Composite bridge plugs will be set at the end of the last stage to isolate the treated formation.
21) Total Area to be disturbed, including roads, stockpile area, pits, etc., (acres): N/A - Existing Pad
22) Area to be disturbed for well pad only, less access road (acres): N/A - Existing Pad
23) Describe centralizer placement for each casing string:
Surface and intermediate casing strings will have bow spring centralizers placed every third joint (~120') from shoe joint to surface. Production casing will have rigid body centralizers placed at a minimum every fourth joint (~160') from TD to surface.
24) Describe all cement additives associated with each cement type:
Surface string cement will be a Class A + Max 3% bwoc Calcium Chloride Fresh Water blend. Intermediate string cement will be a Class A Cement + Max 3% bwoc Calcium Chloride + Fresh Water. Production string cement will be (50:50) Poz (Fly Ash):Type I Cement with a gas migration additive.
25) Proposed borehole conditioning procedures:
Surface string will use a 25.0 bbls Gel Pill + LCM + 25 lbs Cello Flake + 20 lbs/bbl Bentonite @ 8.4 ppg & 10 bbls fresh water spacer prior to cement. Intermediate string will use a 25.0 bbls Gel Pill + LCM + 25 lbs Cello Flake + 20 lbs/bbl Bentonite @ 8.4 ppg & 10 bbls fresh water spacer prior to cement. Production string will use a 50.0 bbls SealBond 25 + 1 gal/bbl US-40 + 275 lbs/bbl Barite + 1 gal/bbl SS-2 Spacer @ 13.5 ppg prior to cement.
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*Note: Attach additional sheets as needed. NOV 17 2014



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API Number	47 -		-	
Oper	rator's	Well No.	Statler 5H	

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FLUIDS/ CUTTINGS DISPOSAL & RECLAMATION PLAN

Operator Name_ Northeast Natural Energy LLC	OP Code
Watershed (HUC 10) Dunkard Creek	Quadrangle Blacksville, WV
Elevation 1061' County Monongalia	District_ Clay
Do you anticipate using more than 5,000 bbls of water to complete th Will a pit be used? Yes No	e proposed well work? Yes Vo No
If so, please describe anticipated pit waste:	
	If so, what ml.?
Proposed Disposal Method For Treated Pit Wastes:	
Reuse (at API Number unknown at this time, To Off Site Disposal (Supply form WW-9 for	
Will closed loop system be used? If so, describe: Yes - See Attachmen	t A
Drilling medium anticipated for this well (vertical and horizontal)? A	
-If oil based, what type? Synthetic, petroleum, etc.Synthetic C	
Additives to be used in drilling medium? Organophilic Clay Viscosifiers, Lime, Ur	
Drill cuttings disposal method? Leave in pit, landfill, removed offsite	
-If left in pit and plan to solidify what medium will be used?	
-Landfill or offsite name/permit number?See Attachment A	,
on August 1, 2005, by the Office of Oil and Gas of the West Virginia provisions of the permit are enforceable by law. Violations of any plaw or regulation can lead to enforcement action. I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examapplication form and all attachments thereto and that, based on obtaining the information, I believe that the information is true, a penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of	ained and am familiar with the information submitted on this my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for ecurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant
Company Official Signature	
Company Official (Typed Name) Hollie Medley	NOV 1 7 2014
Company Official Title Regulatory Coordinator	
Subscribed and sworn before me this 3vd day of 10vd My commission expires 11 701	Notary Profic State of West Virginia My Commission Expires April 1 2017 6240 02 A277120115 Morgantown, WV 20508

Attachment A to WW-9

Northeast Natural Energy LLC ("NNE") plans to utilize a closed loop process for its drilling of the Statler 5H well. Return flow from the well will be separated into its liquid and solid form. Liquids will be held in steel tanks and reused in the drilling and completion process or disposed of at an approved facility listed below. Solids removed from the stream will be diverted to steel half-round tanks where they will be solidified on site and taken to disposal as they are accumulated.

Statler 5H Drill Cuttings will be taken to disposal at one or more of the following disposal/approved waste facilities, unless listed facilities are no longer approved to accept waste at time of disposal:

- Westmoreland Landfill (Tervita) Belle Vernon, PA (Permit # 100277)
- Meadowfill Landfill (Waste Management) Bridgeport, WV (Permit # SWF 103298)
- Max Environmental Yukon, PA (PAD004835146 and 301071)
- Max Environmental Bulger, PA (PAD059087072 and 301359)
- Chestnut Valley Landfill (Advanced Disposal) Export, PA (Permit # 101421)

NNE plans to reuse and recycle all flowback fluid and/or reach out to other operators in the area who may be able to reuse and recycle such fluid. However, in the event that reuse is not obtainable the fluid will be disposed of at one, or multiple, of the following disposal/approved waste facilities unless listed facilities are no longer approved to accept waste at time of disposal:

- Fairmont Brine Processing (WV NPDES #0116408)
- Green Hunter M. E. Elder 1 Disposal Well (Permit # 47-085-05151)
- Green Hunter Mason 1 Disposal Well (Permit #47-085-09721)
- Green Hunter Warren Disposal Well (Permit #34-121-2-3995)
- Green Hunter Travis Unit Disposal Well (Permit #34-121-2-4086)
- Viking Energy Corporation 20320 Disposal Well (Permit#47-039-02210)
- Ohio Oil Gathering Killbuck Disposal Well (Permit #34-075-24527)
- Ohio Oil Gathering Moran Disposal Well (Permit #34-089-24792)
- Ohio Oil Gathering Bells Run Disposal Well (Permit #34-167-29395)
- Ohio Oil Gathering Long Run Disposal Well (Permit #34-167-29658)
- Ohio Oil Gathering Newell Run Disposal Well (Permit #34-167-29685)
- Appalachian Oil Purchaser Greens Run Disposal Well (Permit #2D0732540)
- Appalachian Oil Purchaser BW#4 Disposal Well (Permit # 2D0732523)

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Operator's Well No Statler 5H

Northeast Natural E	nergy LLC	Operator's Well	l No.
Lime 2.0 Fertilizer type50 Fertilizer amount50	Tons acre of to correct to philitrogen, 20% Phosphate, 20% Potash	Prevegetation pH _	6.0
_{Mulch} Hay/Stra	W Tons/ac	re	
	Seed !	Mixtures	
Ten	nporary	Permaner	nt
Seed Type Kentucky Blugras	lbs/acre s 20	Seed Type Kentucky Bluegrass	lbs/acre 20
Red Top	15	Red Top	15
White Clover	15	White Clover	15
Plan Approved by: La	im J Kutowsh		
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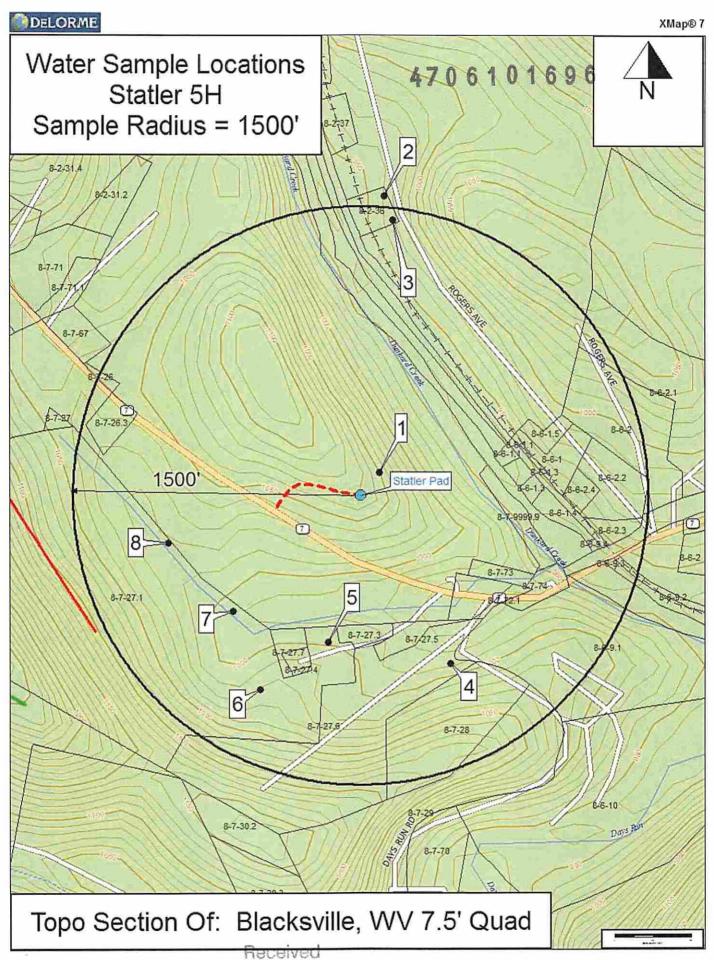


B Statler 5H SITE SAFETY PLAN

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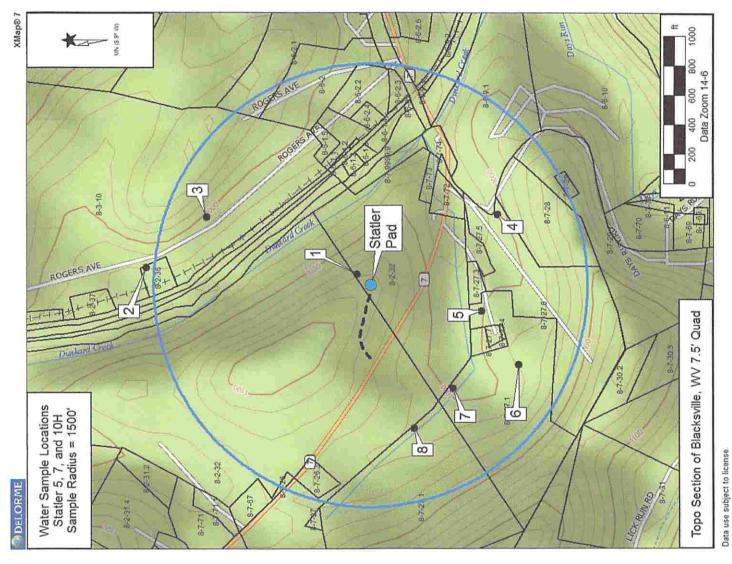
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Water Sample Locations (1500' radius)

Map Label #	Surface Water Owner
1	Benjamin M. Statler, Daniel C. Statler, Samuel O. Statler and Rebecca S. Moore
2	Dennis Snyder
3	David Frazier
4	Allen C. Hixenbaugh
5	Robert Statler
6	Robert Statler
7	Robert Statler
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