

#### 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

### PERMIT MODIFICATION APPROVAL

February 10, 2016

ANTERO RESOURCES CORPORATION 1615 WYNKOOP STREET DENVER, CO 80202

Re: Permit Modification Approval for API Number 9502327, Well #: KLONDIKE UNIT 1H

#### Extend Lateral

#### Oil and Gas Operator:

The Office of Oil and Gas has reviewed the attached permit modification for the above referenced permit. The attached modification has been approved and well work may begin. Please be reminded that the oil and gas inspector is to be notified twenty-four (24) hours before permitted well work is commenced.

Please call James Martin at 304-926-0499, extension 1654 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Gene Smith

Assistant Chief of Permitting

Office of Oil and Gas



January 21, 2016

Antero Resources 1615 Wynkoop Street Denver, CO 80202 Office 303.357.7310 Fax 303.357.7315

West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection
Office of Oil and Gas
Attn: Mr. Taylor Brewer
601 57<sup>th</sup> Street
Charleston, WV 25304

Mr. Brewer:

Antero Resources Corporation (Antero) would like to submit the following permit modifications for approved wells on the existing Pierpoint Pad. We are requesting to slightly extend the horizontal laterals approximately 100 feet which will change the BHLs of the Klondike Unit 1H (API# 47-095-02327) and Klondike Unit 2H (API# 47-095-02328). Please note that the new bottom hole location will be drilling through a new lease, and a revised Form WW-6A1 has been included.

Attached you will find the following documents:

- REVISED Form WW-6B, which shows the updated BHLs and Measured Depths
- > REVISED Form WW-6A1, which shows the new lease being drilled through
- REVISED Mylar Plat, which shows the new Lateral Lengths and Estimated Measured Depths

If you have any questions please feel free to contact me at (303) 357-7323.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Ashlie Steele

Permitting Supervisor

Antero Resources Corporation

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WW-6B (04/15) API NO. 47-095 - 02327

OPERATOR WELL NO. Klondike Unit 1H
Well Pad Name: Existing Pierpoint Pad

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

1) Well Operat	tor: Antero I	Resources	Corporat	494488557	095 - Tyler	Ellsworth	Shirley 7.5'
, 1	-			Operator ID	County	District	Quadrangle
2) Operator's V	Well Number:	Klondike	Unit 1H	Well	Pad Name: Exis	ting Pierpoi	nt Pad
3) Farm Name	/Surface Own	er: Lloyd	C. Seckma	an Public F	Road Access: CF	R 46/1	
4) Elevation, c	urrent ground	: 1201'	El	evation, propos	ed post-construc	tion: 1201'	
5) Well Type	(a) Gas	X	Oil	U	nderground Stora	nge	
	(b)If Gas	Shallow Horizontal	X	Deep	-		
6) Existing Pac	d: Yes or No	Yes					
				•	ss and Expected lociated Pressure-		
8) Proposed To	otal Vertical I	Depth: 680	00' TVD				
9) Formation a	t Total Vertic	al Depth:	Marcellus				
10) Proposed 7	Γotal Measure	d Depth:	19,200' N	ID			. 07 Mod 2
11) Proposed F	Horizontal Le	g Length:	11,703'		470	9 10	1 1 d *
12) Approxima	ate Fresh Wat	er Strata De	epths:	280'			
13) Method to 14) Approxima				Veigle Unit 1H	(API# 47-095-0	2126) on sa	ame pad
15) Approxima	ate Coal Seam	Depths: 8	396'				
16) Approxima	ate Depth to P	ossible Vo	id (coal mi	ne, karst, other)	None Anticipa	ated	
17) Does Propo directly overly				ns Yes	N	o X	
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Well Pad Name: Existing Pierpoint Pad

#### 18)

## 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#	40'	40'	CTS, 38 Cu. Ft.
Fresh Water	13-3/8"	New	J-55/H-40	54.5#/48#	335'	335'	CTS, 465 Cu. Ft.
Coal	9-5/8"	New	J-55	36#	2500'	2500'	CTS, 1018 Cu. Ft.
Intermediate							
Production	5-1/2"	New	P-110	20#	19,200'	19,200'	CTS, 4872 Cu. Ft
Tubing	2-3/8"	New	N-80	4.7#		7100'	
Liners							

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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	30"	24"	0.438"	1530	50	Class A	1.18
Fresh Water	13-3/8"	17-1/2"	0.38"/0.33"	2730/1730	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"	0.361"	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			
Liners							

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Kind:	N/A	WV Department of
Sizes:	N/A	Environmental Protection
Depths Set:	N/A	

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OPERATOR WELL NO. Klondike Unit 1H

Well Pad Name: Existing Pierpoint Pad

19) Describe proposed well work, including the drilling and plugging back of any pilot ho	19)	Describe pr	oposed well	work, inc	luding the	drilling and	plugging	back of any	y 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 4709502327 Mda

- 21) Total Area to be disturbed, including roads, stockpile area, pits, etc., (acres): 22.30 existing acres
- 22) Area to be disturbed for well pad only, less access road (acres): 3.38 existing 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.

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#### 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.

<sup>\*</sup>Note: Attach additional sheets as needed.

# 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)

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Grantor, lessor, etc.	Grantee, lessee, etc.	Royalty	Book/Page
Lloyd C. Seckman Lease			
Lloyd C. Seckman	Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	1/8+	0413/0763
Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	Antero Resources Corporation	Name Change	Exhibit 1
Elizabeth Ann Garner Lease			
Elizabeth A. Garner Delancey	Chesapeake Appalachia, LLC	1/8	0371/0119
Chesapeake Appalachia, LLC	Antero Resources Corporation	Notice of Agreement	0442/0615
Thomas L. Burkhart Lease			
Thomas L. Burkhart	Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	1/8+	0400/0439
Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	Antero Resources Corporation	Name Change	Exhibit 1
Joseph Sayre Lease	Antona Danassana Assaulantian Cassassatian	- 9.7	0205/0222
Joseph Sayre	Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	~ ~ E. B. 1/2 3 1	0395/0322
Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	Antero Resources Corporation	O O Name Change	Exhibit 1
James C. Rymer Lease	-1		
James C. Rymer	Chesapeake Appalachia, LLC	1/8	0370/0534
Chesapeake Appalachia, LLC	Jay-Bee Oil and Gas, Inc.	Assignment of Oil and Gas Leases	0420/0571
Jay-Bee Oil and Gas, Inc.	Antero Resources Corporation	Assignment of Oll and Gas Leases	0453/0498
West Virginia Division of Natural Resources			
Lease (TM 27-4) West Virginia Division of Natural Resources	Antero Resources Corporation	1/8+	0514/0366
Ronald G. Mercer Lease			
Ronald G. Mercer	Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	1/8+	0417/0741
Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	Antero Resources Corporation	Name Change	Exhibit 1
West Virginia Division of Natural Resources			
<u>Lease (TM 2-27-p/o 5)</u>			
West Virginia Division of Natural Resources	Jay-Bee Production Company	1/8+	0485/0358
Jay-Bee Production Company	JB Exploration I, LLC	Deed of Trust	Doddridge Co. 0189/0452
JB Exploration I, LLC	Antero Resources Corporation	*Partial Assignment	0509/0757
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Patsy Fletcher Lease			
Patsy J. Fletcher	Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	1/8+	0417/0696
Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	Antero Resources Corporation	Name Change	Exhibit 1
John H. Crumrine, et al Lease			
Charles A. Crumrine & John W. Crumrine	Drilling Appalachian Corporation	1/8	0257/0521
Drilling Appalachian Corporation	Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	Assignment	0422/0074
Antero Resources Appalachian Corporation	Antero Resources Corporation	Name Change	Exhibit 1

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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:

Office of Oil and Gas

- WV Division of Water and Waste Management
- WV Division of Natural Resources WV Division of Highways

the oil and gas from the Marcellus and any other formations completed with this well.

- U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
- U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
- County Floodplain Coordinator

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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:	Kevin Kilstrom	
Its:	Senior VP of Production	

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