



KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION 1037314
OIL & GAS CONSERVATION DIVISION

Form CDP-1
April 2004
Form must be Typed

APPLICATION FOR SURFACE PIT

Submit in Duplicate

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| Operator Name: _____ | | License Number: _____ | |
| Operator Address: _____ | | | |
| Contact Person: _____ | | Phone Number: _____ | |
| Lease Name & Well No.: _____ | | Pit Location (QQQQ): _____-_____-_____-_____ | |
| Type of Pit: <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Pit <input type="checkbox"/> Burn Pit <input type="checkbox"/> Settling Pit <input type="checkbox"/> Drilling Pit <input type="checkbox"/> Workover Pit <input type="checkbox"/> Haul-Off Pit <i>(If WP Supply API No. or Year Drilled)</i> | | Pit is: <input type="checkbox"/> Proposed <input type="checkbox"/> Existing If Existing, date constructed: _____ Pit capacity: _____ (bbls) | |
| Is the pit located in a Sensitive Ground Water Area? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | Chloride concentration: _____ mg/l <i>(For Emergency Pits and Settling Pits only)</i> | |
| Is the bottom below ground level? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | Artificial Liner? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |
| How is the pit lined if a plastic liner is not used? | | | |
| Pit dimensions (all but working pits): _____ Length (feet) _____ Width (feet) _____ N/A: Steel Pits Depth from ground level to deepest point: _____ (feet) _____ No Pit | | | |
| If the pit is lined give a brief description of the liner material, thickness and installation procedure. | | Describe procedures for periodic maintenance and determining liner integrity, including any special monitoring. | |
| Distance to nearest water well within one-mile of pit _____ feet Depth of water well _____ feet | | Depth to shallowest fresh water _____ feet. Source of information: _____ measured _____ well owner _____ electric log _____ KDWR | |
| Emergency, Settling and Burn Pits ONLY: Producing Formation: _____ Number of producing wells on lease: _____ Barrels of fluid produced daily: _____ Does the slope from the tank battery allow all spilled fluids to flow into the pit? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | | Drilling, Workover and Haul-Off Pits ONLY: Type of material utilized in drilling/workover: _____ Number of working pits to be utilized: _____ Abandonment procedure: _____ _____ Drill pits must be closed within 365 days of spud date. | |
| Submitted Electronically | | | |

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| KCC OFFICE USE ONLY | | Steel Pit | RFAC | RFAS |
| Date Received: _____ | Permit Number: _____ | Permit Date: _____ | Lease Inspection: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | |

**HAUL-OFF PIT APPLICATION
FILING REQUIREMENTS**

82-3-607. DISPOSAL OF DIKE AND PIT CONTENTS.

- (a) Each operator shall perform one of the following when disposing of dike or pit contents:
- (1) Remove the liquid contents to a disposal well or other oil and gas operation approved by the commission or to road maintenance or construction locations approved by the department;
 - (2) dispose of reserve pit waste down the annular space of a well completed according to the alternate I requirements of K.A.R. 82-3-106, if the waste to be disposed of was generated during the drilling and completion of the well; or
 - (3) dispose of the remaining solid contents in any manner required by the commission. The requirements may include any of the following:
 - (A) Burial in place, in accordance with the grading and restoration requirements in K.A.R. 82-3-602 (f);
 - (B) removal and placement of the contents in an on-site disposal area approved by the commission;
 - (C) removal and placement of the contents in an off-site disposal area on acreage owned by the same landowner or to another producing lease or unit operated by the same operator, if prior written permission from the landowner has been obtained; or
 - (D) removal of the contents to a permitted off-site disposal area approved by the department.
- (b) Each violation of this regulation shall be punishable by the following:
- (1) A \$1,000 penalty for the first violation;
 - (2) a \$2,500 penalty for the second violation; and
 - (3) a \$5,000 penalty and an operator license review for the third violation.

Complete and return with Haul-Off Pit Application, Form CDP1(2004)

Haul-off pit will be located in an on-site disposal area: Yes No

Haul-off pit is located in an off-site disposal area on acreage owned by the same landowner:
 Yes No If yes, written permission from the landowner must be obtained. Attach written permission to haul-off pit application.

Haul-off pit is located in an off-site disposal area on another **producing** lease or unit operated by the same operator: Yes No If yes, written permission from the landowner must be obtained. Attach permission and a copy of the lease assignment that covers the acreage where the haul-off pit is to be located, to the haul-off pit application.

N-10 EXPLORATION, LLC

P.O. Box 195

Attica, Kansas 67009

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April 20, 2010

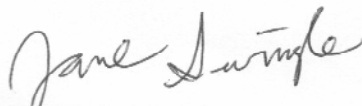
Medicine River Ranch Operating Company, LLC
Attn: Harry Dawson
3251 NW Willow Rd.
Medicine Lodge, KS 67104

Dear Mr. Dawson:

This letter is to acknowledge that Medicine River Ranch Operating Company, LLC, does hereby grant N-10 Exploration, LLC, permission to construct a pit located in the Northeast Quarter of Section Twenty-One, Township Thirty-Four South, Range Eleven West (NE/4 21-34S-11W), 1650' from North line and 2310' from East line, Barber County, Kansas, as an off-site haul-off pit for N-10 Exploration, LLC's drilling operation of the Medicine River Ranch C1 (API # 15-007-23522-00-00), located in the North Half of the Southwest of the Southeast Quarter of Section Sixteen, Township Thirty-four South, Range Eleven West (N/2 SW SE of Sec. 16-34S-11W), Barber County, Kansas. N-10 Exploration, LLC shall be responsible for the closing of said pit.

Please sign and return as soon as possible so that we may forward on to the state.

Sincerely,



Jane Swingle

Medicine River Ranch Operating Company, LLC



Harry Dawson, Manager



*Mark Parkinson, Governor
Thomas E. Wright, Chairman
Joseph F. Harkins, Commissioner*

April 23, 2010

Randy Newberry
N-10 Exploration, LLC
124 N MAIN
PO BOX 195
ATTICA, KS 67009

Re: Drilling Pit Application
Medicine River Ranch C1
Sec.21-34S-11W
Barber County, Kansas

Dear Randy Newberry:

District staff has inspected the above referenced location and has determined that the Haul-Off pit shall be constructed **without slots**, the bottom shall be flat and reasonably level and the free fluids must be removed. The fluids are to be removed from the Haul-Off pit as soon as the Hutchinson Salt section has been drilled through and displacement of the fluids into the Haul-Off pit has occurred. The fluids should be removed again as soon as practical after drilling operations have ceased.

NO completion fluids or non-exempt wastes shall be placed in the Haul-Off pit.

The fluids should be taken to an authorized disposal well. Please call the District Office at (620) 225-8888 when the fluids have been removed. Please file form CDP-5 (August 2008), Exploration and Production Waste Transfer, through SOLAR within 30 days of fluid removal.

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact the District Office at (620) 225-8888.

CONSERVATION DIVISION

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