



For KCC Use ONLY

API # 15 - \_\_\_\_\_

**IN ALL CASES PLOT THE INTENDED WELL ON THE PLAT BELOW**

In all cases, please fully complete this side of the form. Include items 1 through 5 at the bottom of this page.

Operator: \_\_\_\_\_

Lease: \_\_\_\_\_

Well Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Field: \_\_\_\_\_

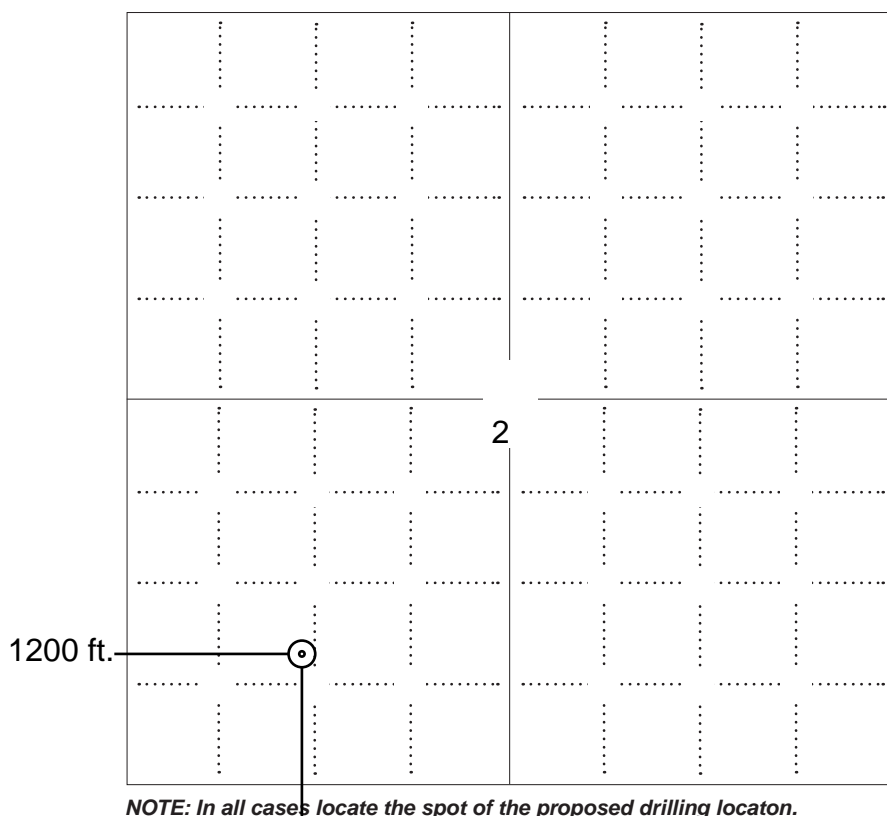
Number of Acres attributable to well: \_\_\_\_\_

QTR/QTR/QTR/QTR of acreage: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

Location of Well: County: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ feet from ☐ N / ☐ S Line of Section\_\_\_\_\_ feet from ☐ E / ☐ W Line of SectionSec. \_\_\_\_\_ Twp. \_\_\_\_\_ S. R. \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ E ☐ WIs Section: ☐ Regular or ☐ Irregular**If Section is Irregular, locate well from nearest corner boundary.**Section corner used: ☐ NE ☐ NW ☐ SE ☐ SW**PLAT**

Show location of the well. Show footage to the nearest lease or unit boundary line. Show the predicted locations of lease roads, tank batteries, pipelines and electrical lines, as required by the Kansas Surface Owner Notice Act (House Bill 2032). You may attach a separate plat if desired.

**NOTE: In all cases locate the spot of the proposed drilling location.**

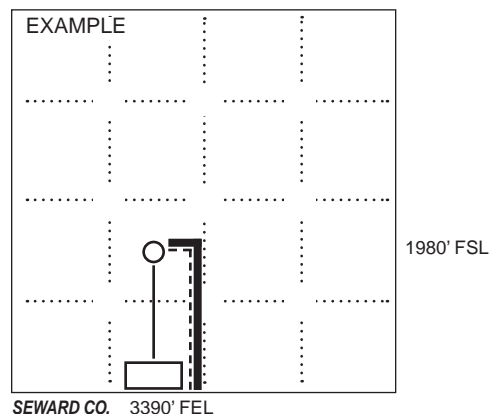
895 ft.

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1. The manner in which you are using the depicted plat by identifying section lines, i.e. 1 section, 1 section with 8 surrounding sections, 4 sections, etc.
2. The distance of the proposed drilling location from the south / north and east / west outside section lines.
3. The distance to the nearest lease or unit boundary line (in footage).
4. If proposed location is located within a prorated or spaced field a certificate of acreage attribution plat must be attached: (C0-7 for oil wells; CG-8 for gas wells).
5. The predicted locations of lease roads, tank batteries, pipelines, and electrical lines.

**LEGEND**

- Well Location
- Tank Battery Location
- Pipeline Location
- Electric Line Location
- Lease Road Location



**KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION  
OIL & GAS CONSERVATION DIVISION  
APPLICATION FOR SURFACE PIT**

Form CDP-1  
May 2010  
Form must be Typed

*Submit in Duplicate*

Operator Name: _____		License Number: _____	
Operator Address: _____			
Contact Person: _____		Phone Number: _____	
Lease Name & Well No.: _____		Pit Location (QQQQ): _____-_____-_____-_____ Sec. _____ Twp. _____ R. _____ <input type="checkbox"/> East <input type="checkbox"/> West _____ Feet from <input type="checkbox"/> North / <input type="checkbox"/> South Line of Section _____ Feet from <input type="checkbox"/> East / <input type="checkbox"/> West Line of Section _____ County	
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) <input type="checkbox"/> N/A: Steel Pits Depth from ground level to deepest point: _____ (feet) <input type="checkbox"/> 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: <input type="checkbox"/> measured <input type="checkbox"/> well owner <input type="checkbox"/> electric log <input type="checkbox"/> KDWR	
<b>Emergency, Settling and Burn Pits ONLY:</b>  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		<b>Drilling, Workover and Haul-Off Pits ONLY:</b>  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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☐ Liner    ☐ Steel Pit    ☐ RFAC    ☐ RFAS

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_ Permit Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Permit Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Lease Inspection: ☐ Yes ☐ No

KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION  
OIL & GAS CONSERVATION DIVISION

Form KSONA-1

July 2021

Form Must Be Typed

Form must be Signed

All blanks must be Filled

## CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH THE KANSAS SURFACE OWNER NOTIFICATION ACT

*This form must be submitted with all Forms C-1 (Notice of Intent to Drill); CB-1 (Cathodic Protection Borehole Intent); T-1 (Request for Change of Operator Transfer of Injection or Surface Pit Permit); and CP-1 (Well Plugging Application). Any such form submitted without an accompanying Form KSONA-1 will be returned.*

Select the corresponding form being filed: ☐ **C-1** (Intent) ☐ **CB-1** (Cathodic Protection Borehole Intent) ☐ **T-1** (Transfer) ☐ **CP-1** (Plugging Application)

OPERATOR: License # \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address 1: \_\_\_\_\_

Address 2: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ + \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Well Location:

\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ Sec. \_\_\_\_ Twp. \_\_\_\_ S. R. \_\_\_\_ ☐ East ☐ West

County: \_\_\_\_\_

Lease Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Well #: \_\_\_\_\_

*If filing a Form T-1 for multiple wells on a lease, enter the legal description of the lease below:*

**Surface Owner Information:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address 1: \_\_\_\_\_

Address 2: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ + \_\_\_\_\_

*When filing a Form T-1 involving multiple surface owners, attach an additional sheet listing all of the information to the left for each surface owner. Surface owner information can be found in the records of the register of deeds for the county, and in the real estate property tax records of the county treasurer.*

*If this form is being submitted with a Form C-1 (Intent) or CB-1 (Cathodic Protection Borehole Intent), you must supply the surface owners and the KCC with a plat showing the predicted locations of lease roads, tank batteries, pipelines, and electrical lines. The locations shown on the plat are preliminary non-binding estimates. The locations may be entered on the Form C-1 plat, Form CB-1 plat, or a separate plat may be submitted.*

**Select one of the following:**

- ☐ I certify that, pursuant to the Kansas Surface Owner Notice Act (see Chapter 55 of the Kansas Statutes Annotated), I have provided the following to the surface owner(s) of the land upon which the subject well is or will be located: 1) a copy of the Form C-1, Form CB-1, Form T-1, or Form CP-1 that I am filing in connection with this form; 2) if the form being filed is a Form C-1 or Form CB-1, the plat(s) required by this form; and 3) my operator name, address, phone number, fax, and email address.
- ☐ I have not provided this information to the surface owner(s). I acknowledge that, because I have not provided this information, the KCC will be required to send this information to the surface owner(s). To mitigate the additional cost of the KCC performing this task, I acknowledge that I must provide the name and address of the surface owner by filling out the top section of this form and that I am being charged a \$30.00 handling fee, payable to the KCC, which is enclosed with this form.

*If choosing the second option, submit payment of the \$30.00 handling fee with this form. If the fee is not received with this form, the KSONA-1 form and the associated Form C-1, Form CB-1, Form T-1, or Form CP-1 will be returned.*

I Submitted Electronically

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Operator: Prater Oil & Gas  
 Lease: Howell  
 Well Number: 1-2  
 Field: Wildcat

Number of Acres attributable to well: \_\_\_\_\_  
 QTR/QTR/QTR/QTR of acreage: SE - NE - SW - SW

Location of Well: County: Pratt  
895 feet from ☐ N / ☒ S Line of Section  
1200 feet from ☐ E / ☒ W Line of Section  
 Sec. 2 Twp. 29 S. R. 14 ☐ E ☒ W

Is Section: ☒ Regular or ☐ Irregular

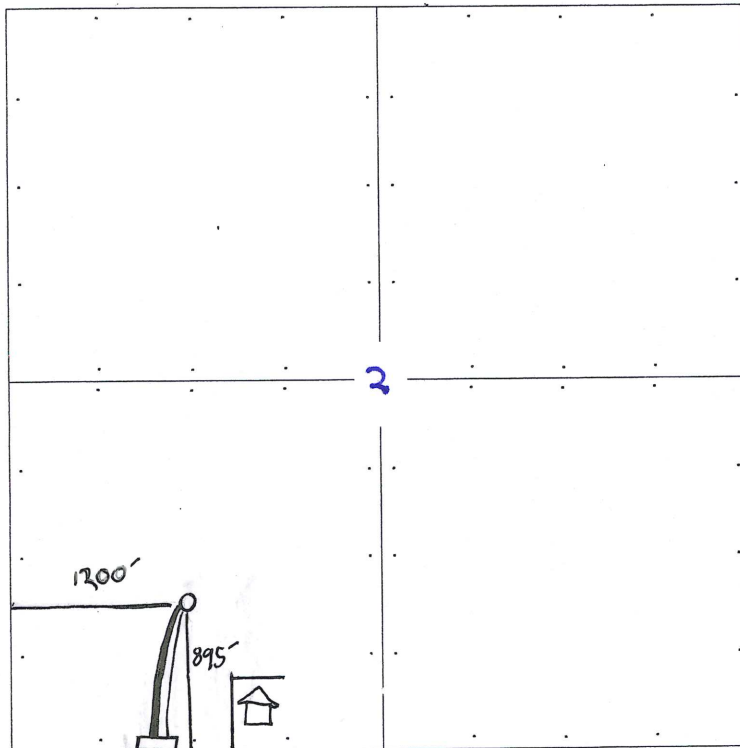
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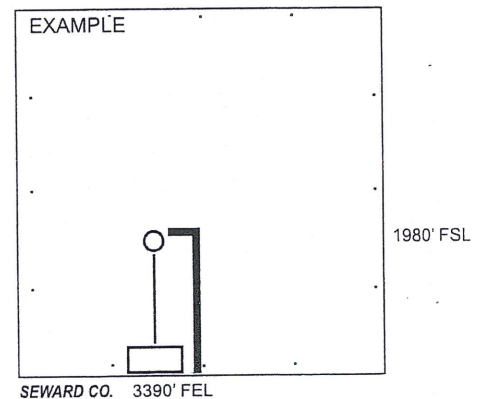
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Howell Unit 1-2

Landowners

W  $\frac{1}{2}$  of SW  $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 2-29-14 PR. CO.

Jason W. Howell and Pamela Howell

80210 NE 80<sup>th</sup> St.

Pratt, KS 67124

W  $\frac{1}{2}$  of SW  $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 2-29-14 PR. CO.

Madelyn Patricia Litz

4816 SW Brentwood Rd.

Topeka, KS 66606

(E  $\frac{1}{2}$  of SW  $\frac{1}{4}$ ) and the SE  $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec. 2-29-14 PR. CO.

Randy H. Hillard and Christy L. Hillard

2535 N. Wheatridge Rd.

Wichita, KS 67223

## **NOTICE**

### **Nearest Lease or Unit Boundary Line**

K.A.R. 82-3-108 provides that all oil and gas well locations must comply with setback requirements, unless an exception has been granted by the Commission. Depending upon whether the subject well is an oil well or gas well, and also depending upon the county in which the well is located, the setback may be 330 feet or 165 feet from the nearest lease or unit boundary.

This Intent to Drill (“C-1”) form indicates that the distance between the well and the nearest lease or unit boundary will comply with the setback requirement. Accordingly, the C-1 has been approved. However, the C-1 also stated that the well location is very near a boundary line of a Section or a Quarter-Section. This notice is being sent as a courtesy reminder, in case an error was made on the C-1.

As the operator of the proposed well, you must independently verify that the proposed well location complies with the applicable regulatory setback. If at any time it should appear that a well does not comply with the regulatory setback, the well may be subject to being shut-in pending Commission approval of an application for a well location exception. In addition, if such an application is not granted by the Commission, you may be required to plug the well.

If the proposed well location will comply with the regulatory setback, this notice may be disregarded. Please contact the KCC Production Department with any questions or concerns.

Conservation Division  
266 N. Main St., Ste. 220  
Wichita, KS 67202-1513



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Laura Kelly, Governor

June 26, 2024

Ronald Prater  
Prater Oil & Gas Operations, Inc.  
10356 BLUESTEM BLVD  
PRATT, KS 67124-6712

Re: Drilling Pit Application  
Howell Unit 1-2  
SW/4 Sec.02-29S-14W  
Pratt County, Kansas

Dear Ronald Prater:

District staff has inspected the above referenced location and has determined that an unsealed condition will present a pollution threat to water resources.

District staff has recommended that the reserve pit be lined with bentonite or native clay, 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 reserve pit as soon as the Hutchinson Salt section has been drilled through and displacement of the fluids into the reserve pit has occurred. The fluids should be removed again within 72 hours after drilling operations have ceased.

KEEP PITS away from draw/drainage.  
KEEP PITS on Any, except North side of stake.

**If production casing is set all completion fluids shall be removed from the working pits daily. NO completion fluids or non-exempt wastes shall be placed in the reserve pit.**

The fluids should be taken to an authorized disposal well. Please call the District Office at (620) 682-7933 when the fluids have been removed. Please file form CDP-5 (August 2008), Exploration and Production Waste Transfer, through KOLAR within 30 days of fluid removal.

**A copy of this letter should be posted in the doghouse along with the approved Intent to Drill.** If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact the District Office at (620) 682-7933.