

For KCC Use: 2-14-06
 Effective Date: _____
 District # 1
 SGA? Yes No

KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION
 OIL & GAS CONSERVATION DIVISION
NOTICE OF INTENT TO DRILL

Form C-1
 December 2002
Form must be Typed
Form must be Signed
All blanks must be Filled

Must be approved by KCC five (5) days prior to commencing well

Expected Spud Date February 15, 2006
month day year

OPERATOR: License# 9855
 Name: Grand Mesa Operating Company
 Address: 200 E. First St., Ste 307
 City/State/Zip: Wichita, KS 67202
 Contact Person: Ronald N. Sinclair
 Phone: 316-265-3000

CONTRACTOR: License# 5142
 Name: Sterling Drilling Company

Well Drilled For:	Well Class:	Type Equipment:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oil	<input type="checkbox"/> Enh Rec	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mud Rotary
<input type="checkbox"/> Gas	<input type="checkbox"/> Storage	<input type="checkbox"/> Air Rotary
<input type="checkbox"/> OWWO	<input type="checkbox"/> Disposal	<input type="checkbox"/> Cable
<input type="checkbox"/> Seismic; # of Holes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wildcat	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	

If OWWO: old well information as follows:
 Operator: _____
 Well Name: _____
 Original Completion Date: _____ Original Total Depth: _____

Directional, Deviated or Horizontal wellbore? Yes No
 If Yes, true vertical depth: _____
 Bottom Hole Location: _____
 KCC DKT #: _____

* Prorated & spaced Hugoton/Panoma

Spot N/2 NE SE Sec. 18 Twp. 28 S. R. 40
2,220 feet from N / S Line of Section
650 feet from E / W Line of Section
 Is SECTION Regular Irregular?

(Note: Locate well on the Section Plat on reverse side)
 County: Stanton
 Lease Name: Circle 8 Well #: 1-18
 Field Name: Wildcat
 Is this a Prorated / Spaced Field? Yes No
 Target Formation(s): Keyes
 Nearest Lease or unit boundary: 650'
 Ground Surface Elevation: 3318' feet MSL
 Water well within one-quarter mile: Yes No
 Public water supply well within one mile: Yes No
 Depth to bottom of fresh water: 400'
 Depth to bottom of usable water: 680'
 Surface Pipe by Alternate: 1 2
 Length of Surface Pipe Planned to be set: 1700'
 Length of Conductor Pipe required: None
 Projected Total Depth: 5700'
 Formation at Total Depth: Mississippian
 Water Source for Drilling Operations:
 Well Farm Pond Other _____
 DWR Permit #: _____
 (Note: Apply for Permit with DWR)
 Will Cores be taken? Yes No
 If Yes, proposed zone: _____

AFFIDAVIT

The undersigned hereby affirms that the drilling, completion and eventual plugging of this well will comply with K.S.A. 55 et. seq.
 It is agreed that the following minimum requirements will be met:

1. Notify the appropriate district office **prior** to spudding of well;
2. A copy of the approved notice of intent to drill **shall be** posted on each drilling rig;
3. The minimum amount of surface pipe as specified below **shall be set** by circulating cement to the top; in all cases surface pipe **shall be set** through all unconsolidated materials plus a minimum of 20 feet into the underlying formation.
4. If the well is dry hole, an agreement between the operator and the district office on plug length and placement is necessary **prior to plugging**;
5. The appropriate district office will be notified before well is either plugged or production casing is cemented in;
6. If an ALTERNATE II COMPLETION, production pipe shall be cemented from below any usable water to surface within **120 days** of spud date. Or pursuant to Appendix "B" - Eastern Kansas surface casing order #133,891-C, which applies to the KCC District 3 area, alternate II cementing must be completed within 30 days of the spud date or the well shall be plugged. **In all cases, NOTIFY district office** prior to any cementing.

I hereby certify that the statements made herein are true and to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Date: February 9, 2006 Signature of Operator or Agent: Ronald N. Sinclair Title: President

For KCC Use ONLY
 API # 15 - 187-21072-0000
 Conductor pipe required NONE feet
 Minimum surface pipe required 700 feet per Alt. 1
 Approved by: RJP 2-9-06
 This authorization expires: 8-9-06
 (This authorization void if drilling not started within 6 months of approval date.)
 Spud date: _____ Agent: _____

Remember to:

- File Drill Pit Application (form CDP-1) with Intent to Drill;
- File Completion Form ACO-1 within 120 days of spud date;
- File acreage attribution plat according to field proration orders;
- Notify appropriate district office 48 hours prior to workover or re-entry;
- Submit plugging report (CP-4) after plugging is completed;
- Obtain written approval before disposing or injecting salt water.

- If this permit has expired (See: authorized expiration date) please check the box below and return to the address below.
 Well Not Drilled - Permit Expired
 Signature of Operator or Agent: _____
 Date: _____

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IN ALL CASES PLOT THE INTENDED WELL ON THE PLAT BELOW

Plat of acreage attributable to a well in a prorated or spaced field

If the intended well is in a prorated or spaced field, please fully complete this side of the form. If the intended well is in a prorated or spaced field complete the plat below showing that the well will be properly located in relationship to other wells producing from the common source of supply. Please show all the wells and within 1 mile of the boundaries of the proposed acreage attribution unit for gas wells and within 1/2 mile of the boundaries of the proposed acreage attribution unit for oil wells.

API No. 15 - _____
 Operator: Grand Mesa Operating Company
 Lease: Circle 8
 Well Number: 1-18
 Field: Wildcat

Location of Well: County: Stanton
 _____ 2,220 feet from N / S Line of Section
 _____ 650 feet from E / W Line of Section
 Sec. 18 Twp. 28 S. R. 40 East West

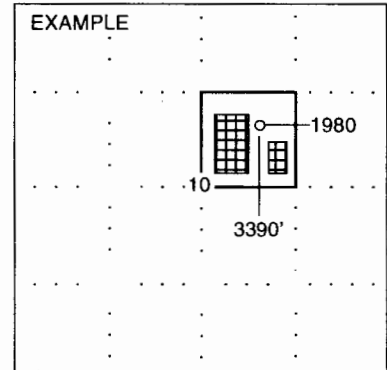
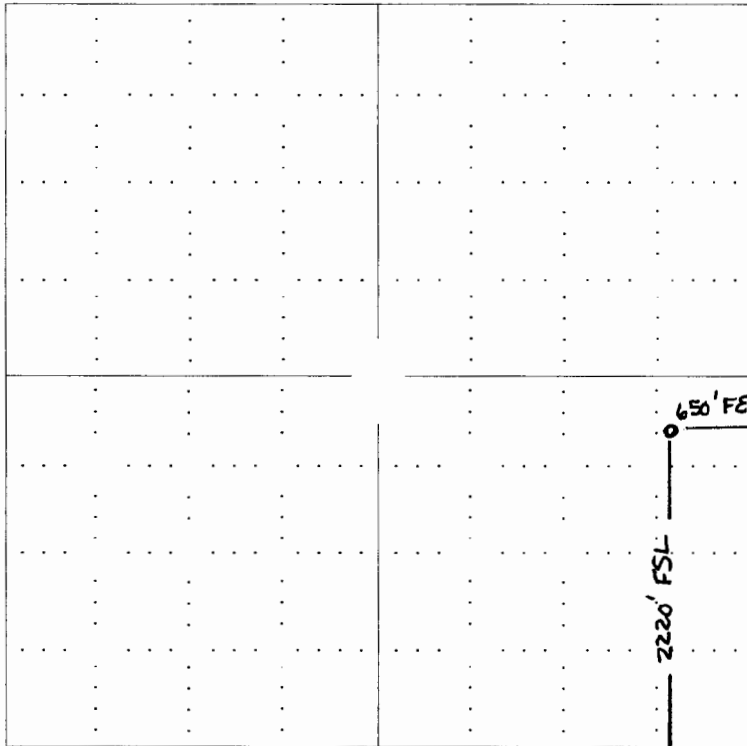
Number of Acres attributable to well: _____
 QTR / QTR / QTR of acreage: NE - NE - SE

Is 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 and shade attributable acreage for prorated or spaced wells.)
 (Show footage to the nearest lease or unit boundary line.)*



SEWARD CO.

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

In plotting the proposed location of the well, you must show:

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 section's south / north and east / west.
3. The distance to the nearest lease or unit boundary line.
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).

KANSAS

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NOTICE TO OPERATORS DRILLING IN THE PANOMA- COUNCIL GROVE GAS POOL SPACED AREA

The enclosed intent is located within the Panoma-Council Grove gas pool space area. In May 1978, Panoma-Council Grove Proration Order (as amended), Docket No. 60,024-C (C-7058) under FINDINGS OF FACT AND LAW on page 31, the following language is stated that:

"The Commission finds that in order to prevent waste and protect correlative rights, the following stated rules pertaining to wells already completed, in the process of being drilled or for future wells to be drilled in the Panoma Council Grove Gas Pool Spaced area, and for wells producing from the Council Grove Formation outside of the Panoma Council Grove Gas Pool Spaced area within the Hugoton Gas Field, should be adopted."

1. "No dual completions between the Chase (Hugoton) and Council Grove Formations will be permitted for future wells drilled."
2. "Casing shall not be set above the top of the Council Grove Formation for a Council Grove producing well."
3. "The production casing of all new Council Grove wells should be cemented with a calculated volume of cement sufficient to encase the casing from the bottom of the casing to a point 500 feet above the Chase Formation."
4. "The casing shall be encased in cement in the interval between the base of the Council Grove and the top of the Chase Formation on all wells, irrespective of depth, completed below the Council Grove Formation, if they are located within the space area."
5. "The cement coverage heretofore required shall be confirmed by the running of a recognized survey, such as a temperature survey or cement bond log."

A copy of this survey and the cement tickets(s) showing that all cement work has been completed, must be filed with the ACO-1 Completion Report within 120 days from the wells "spud date."

Failure to comply with these provisions may cause the well to be shut-in until compliance has been achieved.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the Conservation Division's Production Department at (316) 337-6200.