

KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION
OIL & GAS CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Form CDP-1 May 2010 Form must be Typed

### **APPLICATION FOR SURFACE PIT**

Submit in Duplicate							
Operator Name: N-10 Exploration, LLC		License Number	: 34352				
Operator Address: 124 N MAIN			BOX 195	ATTICA	KS	67009	
Contact Person: Randy Newberry			Phone Number: 620-254-7251				
Lease Name & Well No.: Medicine River Ranch D 2			Pit Location (QQQQ):				
Type of Pit:	Pit is:		NZ NW SW NE				
Emergency Pit Burn Pit	Proposed	<b>X</b> Existing	Sec. 27 Twp	Sec. 27 Twp. 34 R. 11 East X We		Vest	
Settling Pit Drilling Pit	If Existing, date co 6/25/2010	Existing, date constructed: 25/2010		3850 Feet from North / X South Line of Section			
Workover Pit    X   Haul-Off Pit	Pit capacity: 4800 (bbls)		2600 Feet from X East / West Line of Section  Barber County				
In the sit leasted in a Constitution Or and W. L.	rea? X Yes					Outity	
Is the pit located in a Sensitive Ground Water A	No	Chloride concentr	ation: or Emergency Pits and Settling	g Pits only)	_ mg/l		
Is the bottom below ground level?  XYes No	Artificial Liner?	40	How is the pit lined if a plastic liner is not used? Native mud and clays				
Pit dimensions (all but working pits): 100 Length (feet) 100 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 li material, thickness and installation procedure.	ner		dures for periodic m	naintenance and determini monitoring.	ng		
Distance to nearest water well within one-mile of	Depth to shallowest fresh water12feet.						
feet Depth of water well	measured well owner electric log X KDWR						
Emergency, Settling and Burn Pits ONLY:	Drilling, Workover and Haul-Off Pits ONLY:						
Producing Formation:	Type of material utilized in drilling/workover:						
Number of producing wells on lease:	Number of working pits to be utilized:3						
Barrels of fluid produced daily:	Abandonment procedure: Haul off fluids and let dry						
Does the slope from the tank battery allow all slow into the pit? Yes No	Drill pits must be closed within 365 days of spud date.						
Submitted Electronically							
KCC OFFICE USE ONLY							
Liner   Steel Pit   X RFAC   X RFAS							

## Kansas Corporation Commission Oil & Gas Conservation Division

# HAUL-OFF PIT APPLICATION FILING REQUIREMENTS

02-3-007.		DISPUSI	AL 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) E	Burial in place, in accordance with the grading and restoration requirements in K.A.R. 82-3-602 (f);				
		(B) r	emoval and placement of the contents in an on-site disposal area approved by the commission;				
		1	emoval and placement of the contents in an off-site disposal area on acreage owned by the same andowner or to another producing lease or unit operated by the same operator, if prior written permission from the landowner has been obtained; or				
		(D) r	emoval of the contents to a permitted off-site disposal area approved by the department.				
(b)		Each viol	ation of this regulation shall be punishable by the following:				
	(1) (2) (3)	A \$1,000 penalty for the first violation; a \$2,500 penalty for the second violation; and 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							
✓Yes	$\square$ N	o If y	in an off-site disposal area on acreage owned by the same landowner: ves, written permission from the land owner must be obtained. Attach written f pit application.				
Haul-off pit is located in an off-site disposal area on another <b>producing</b> lease or unit operated by the same operator:   Yes No If yes, written permission from the land owner 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

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May 23, 2011

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 utilize the Medicine River Ranch D1's off-site hauloff pit (API # 15-007-23548-00-00), which is located in the SW NE of Sec. 21-34S-11W, Barber County, Kansas, as an off-site haul-off pit for N-10 Exploration, LLC's drilling operation of the Medicine River Ranch D2, which has a spot location of approximately NW NE SW of Sec. 10-34S-11W, Barber County, Kansas (API # will be assigned at a later date). 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

5/36/11 Date Conservation Division Finney State Office Building 130 S. Market, Rm. 2078 Wichita, KS 67202-3802



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Sam Brownback, Governor

May 31, 2011

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

Re: Drilling Pit Application Medicine River Ranch D 2 Sec.21-34S-11W Barber County, Kansas

**Dear Randy Newberry:** 

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 Haul-Off pit be lined with bentonite or native clay, constructed <u>without slots</u>, 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 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 KOLAR 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.