

**STATE OF UTAH**  
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

FORM 3  
AMENDED REPORT

<b>APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DRILL</b>						<b>1. WELL NAME and NUMBER</b> NBU 730-36E	
<b>2. TYPE OF WORK</b> DRILL NEW WELL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> REENTER P&A WELL <input type="checkbox"/> DEEPEN WELL <input type="checkbox"/>						<b>3. FIELD OR WILDCAT</b> NATURAL BUTTES	
<b>4. TYPE OF WELL</b> Gas Well Coalbed Methane Well: NO						<b>5. UNIT or COMMUNITIZATION AGREEMENT NAME</b> NATURAL BUTTES	
<b>6. NAME OF OPERATOR</b> EOG Resources, Inc.						<b>7. OPERATOR PHONE</b> 435 781-9111	
<b>8. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR</b> 1060 East Highway 40, Vernal, UT, 84078						<b>9. OPERATOR E-MAIL</b> kaylene_gardner@eogresources.com	
<b>10. MINERAL LEASE NUMBER (FEDERAL, INDIAN, OR STATE)</b> ML3140.5			<b>11. MINERAL OWNERSHIP</b> FEDERAL <input type="checkbox"/> INDIAN <input type="checkbox"/> STATE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FEE <input type="checkbox"/>			<b>12. SURFACE OWNERSHIP</b> FEDERAL <input type="checkbox"/> INDIAN <input type="checkbox"/> STATE <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> FEE <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>13. NAME OF SURFACE OWNER (if box 12 = 'fee')</b>						<b>14. SURFACE OWNER PHONE (if box 12 = 'fee')</b>	
<b>15. ADDRESS OF SURFACE OWNER (if box 12 = 'fee')</b>						<b>16. SURFACE OWNER E-MAIL (if box 12 = 'fee')</b>	
<b>17. INDIAN ALLOTTEE OR TRIBE NAME (if box 12 = 'INDIAN')</b>			<b>18. INTEND TO COMMINGLE PRODUCTION FROM MULTIPLE FORMATIONS</b> YES <input type="checkbox"/> (Submit Commingling Application) NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			<b>19. SLANT</b> VERTICAL <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DIRECTIONAL <input type="checkbox"/> HORIZONTAL <input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>20. LOCATION OF WELL</b>	<b>FOOTAGES</b>	<b>QTR-QTR</b>	<b>SECTION</b>	<b>TOWNSHIP</b>	<b>RANGE</b>	<b>MERIDIAN</b>	
<b>LOCATION AT SURFACE</b>	732 FNL 525 FWL	NWNW	36	9.0 S	20.0 E	S	
<b>Top of Uppermost Producing Zone</b>	732 FNL 525 FWL	NWNW	36	9.0 S	20.0 E	S	
<b>At Total Depth</b>	732 FNL 525 FWL	NWNW	36	9.0 S	20.0 E	S	
<b>21. COUNTY</b> UINTAH			<b>22. DISTANCE TO NEAREST LEASE LINE (Feet)</b> 525			<b>23. NUMBER OF ACRES IN DRILLING UNIT</b> 280	
			<b>25. DISTANCE TO NEAREST WELL IN SAME POOL (Applied For Drilling or Completed)</b> 1980			<b>26. PROPOSED DEPTH</b> MD: 7059 TVD: 7059	
<b>27. ELEVATION - GROUND LEVEL</b> 4887			<b>28. BOND NUMBER</b> 6196017			<b>29. SOURCE OF DRILLING WATER / WATER RIGHTS APPROVAL NUMBER IF APPLICABLE</b> 49-225	

**ATTACHMENTS**

**VERIFY THE FOLLOWING ARE ATTACHED IN ACCORCANCE WITH THE UTAH OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION GENERAL RULES**

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>WELL PLAT OR MAP PREPARED BY LICENSED SURVEYOR OR ENGINEER</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>COMPLETE DRILLING PLAN</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>AFFIDAVIT OF STATUS OF SURFACE OWNER AGREEMENT (IF FEE SURFACE)</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>FORM 5. IF OPERATOR IS OTHER THAN THE LEASE OWNER</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> <b>DIRECTIONAL SURVEY PLAN (IF DIRECTIONALLY OR HORIZONTALLY DRILLED)</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>TOPOGRAPHICAL MAP</b>

<b>NAME</b> Kaylene Gardner	<b>TITLE</b> Regulatory Administrator	<b>PHONE</b> 435 781-9111
<b>SIGNATURE</b>	<b>DATE</b> 12/24/2008	<b>EMAIL</b> kaylene_gardner@eogresources.com
<b>API NUMBER ASSIGNED</b> 43047500610000	<b>APPROVAL</b>   Permit Manager	

<b>Proposed Hole, Casing, and Cement</b>						
<b>String</b>	<b>Hole Size</b>	<b>Casing Size</b>	<b>Top (MD)</b>	<b>Bottom (MD)</b>		
Cond	17.5	13.375	0	60		
<b>Pipe</b>	<b>Grade</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Weight</b>			
	Grade H-40 ST&C	60	48.0			
	<b>Cement Interval</b>	<b>Top (MD)</b>	<b>Bottom (MD)</b>			
		0	60			
		<b>Cement Description</b>	<b>Class</b>	<b>Sacks</b>	<b>Yield</b>	<b>Weight</b>
			Class C Cement	0	0.0	0.0

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<b>String</b>	<b>Hole Size</b>	<b>Casing Size</b>	<b>Top (MD)</b>	<b>Bottom (MD)</b>		
Surf	12.25	9.625	0	2300		
<b>Pipe</b>	<b>Grade</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Weight</b>			
	Grade J-55 ST&C	2300	36.0			
	<b>Cement Interval</b>	<b>Top (MD)</b>	<b>Bottom (MD)</b>			
		0	2300			
		<b>Cement Description</b>	<b>Class</b>	<b>Sacks</b>	<b>Yield</b>	<b>Weight</b>
			Class G Cement	185	3.82	11.0

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<b>String</b>	<b>Hole Size</b>	<b>Casing Size</b>	<b>Top (MD)</b>	<b>Bottom (MD)</b>		
Prod	7.875	4.5	2300	7059		
<b>Pipe</b>	<b>Grade</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Weight</b>			
	Grade N-80 LT&C	7059	11.6			
	<b>Cement Interval</b>	<b>Top (MD)</b>	<b>Bottom (MD)</b>			
		2300	7059			
		<b>Cement Description</b>	<b>Class</b>	<b>Sacks</b>	<b>Yield</b>	<b>Weight</b>
			Hi Lift "G"	153	3.91	11.0
			50/50 Poz	439	1.28	14.1

**EIGHT POINT PLAN**

**NATURAL BUTTES UNIT 730-36E**  
**NW/NW, SEC. 36, T9S, R20E, S.L.B.&M..**  
**UINTAH COUNTY, UTAH**

**1. & 2. ESTIMATED TOPS & ANTICIPATED OIL, GAS, & WATER ZONES:**

<b>FORMATION</b>	<b>TVD-RKB (ft)</b>	<b>Objective</b>	<b>Lithology</b>	
Green River	1,578		Shale	
Mahogany Oil Shale Bed	2,353		Shale	
Wasatch	5,027	Primary	Sandstone	Gas
Chapita Wells	5,700	Primary	Sandstone	Gas
Buck Canyon	6,393	Primary	Sandstone	Gas
North Horn	7,012	Primary	Sandstone	Gas
<b>TD</b>	<b>7,059</b>			

Estimated TD: **7,059' or 200'± below TD**      **Anticipated BHP: 3,854 Psig**

1. Fresh Waters may exist in the upper, approximately 1,000 ft ± of the Green River Formation, with top at about 2,000 ft ±.
2. Cement isolation is installed to surface of the well isolating all zones by cement.

**3. PRESSURE CONTROL EQUIPMENT:**      Production Hole – 5000 Psig  
 BOP schematic diagrams attached.

**4. CASING PROGRAM:**

<b>CASING</b>	<b>Hole Size</b>	<b>Length</b>	<b>Size</b>	<b>WEIGHT</b>	<b>Grade</b>	<b>Thread</b>	<b>Rating Collapse</b>	<b>Factor Burst</b>	<b>Tensile</b>
<b>Conductor</b>	17 ½"	0 – 60'	13 ¾"	48.0#	H-40	STC	770 PSI	1730 PSI	322,000#
<b>Surface</b>	12 ¼"	0' – 2,300' KB±	9-5/8"	36.0#	J-55	STC	2020 PSI	3520 Psi	394,000#
<b>Production</b>	7-7/8"	Surface – TD	4-½"	11.6#	N-80	LTC	6350 PSI	7780 Psi	233,000#

**Note:** 12-¼" surface hole will be drilled to a total depth of 200'± below the base of the Green River lost circulation zone and cased w/9-5/8" as shown to that depth. Drilled depth may be shallower or deeper than the 2300' shown above depending on the actual depth of the loss zone.

**All casing will be new or inspected.**

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**5. Float Equipment:**

**Surface Hole Procedure (0' - 2300'±)**

Guide Shoe

Insert Float Collar (PDC drillable)

Centralizers: 1-5' above shoe, top of jts. #2 and #3 then every 5<sup>th</sup> joint to surface. (15 total)

**Production Hole Procedure (2300'± - TD):**

Float shoe, 1 joint casing, float collar and balance of casing to surface. 4-1/2", 11.6#, N-80 or equivalent marker collars or short casing joints to be placed at top of Price River and 400' above top of Wasatch. Centralizers to be placed 5' above shoe on joint #1, top of joint #2, and every 2nd joint to 400' above Wasatch Island top. Thread lock float shoe, top and bottom of float collar, and top of 2<sup>nd</sup> joint.

**6. MUD PROGRAM**

**Surface Hole Procedure (Surface - 2300'±):**

Air/air mist or aerated water.

**Production Hole Procedure (2300'± - TD):** Anticipated mud weight 9.5 – 10.5 ppg depending on actual wellbore conditions encountered while drilling.

**2300'± - TD** A closed mud system will be utilized. A bentonite gelled water mud system will be used to control viscosity w/PHPA polymer used for supplemental viscosity and clay encapsulation/inhibition. Water loss will be maintained at <15cc's using white starch or PAC. Bactericides will be used as needed. Anticipated pH will range from 9.0-10.0. Mud weight will be adjusted as necessary for well control. Deflocculants/thinners will be used as necessary to maintain mud quality. LCM sweeps will be utilized as necessary to control lost circulation and mud loss. CO2 contamination, if encountered, will be treated with lime and gypsum.

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**1. VARIANCE REQUESTS:**

**Reference:** Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 1  
Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 2 – Section E: Special Drilling Operations

- EOG Resources, Inc. requests a variance to regulations requiring a straight run blooie line to be 100' in length. (Where possible, a straight run blooie line will be used).
- EOG Resources, Inc. requests a variance to regulations requiring the blooie line to be 100' in length. To reduce location excavation, the blooie line will be approximately 75' in length.
- EOG Resources, Inc. requests a variance to regulations, during air drilling operations only, requiring dedusting equipment. Dust during air drilling operations is controlled by water mist.
- EOG Resources, Inc. requests a variance to regulations, during air drilling operations only, requiring an automatic igniter or continuous pilot light on the blooie line. (Not required on aerated water system).
- EOG Resources, Inc. requests a variance that compressors are located in the opposite direction from the blooie line a minimum of 100 feet from the well bore. (Air Compressors are rig mounted).

**8. EVALUATION PROGRAM:**

**Logs:** Mud log from base of surface casing to TD.  
**Cased-hole Logs:** Cased-hole logs will be run in lieu of open-hole logs consisting of the following:  
**Cement Bond / Casing Collar Locator and Pulsed Neutron**

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**9. CEMENT PROGRAM:**

**Surface Hole Procedure (Surface - 2300'±):**

**Lead:** 185 sks Class "G" cement with 16% Gel, 10 #/sx Gilsonite, 3% Salt, 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub>, 3 lb/sx GR3 ¼ #/sx Flocele mixed at 11 ppg, 3.82 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk. yield, 23 gps water.

**Tail:** 207 sks Class "G" cement with 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub>, ¼#/sk Flocele mixed at 15.6 ppg, 1.18 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk., 5.2 gps water.

**Top Out:** As necessary with Class "G" cement with 2% CaCl<sub>2</sub>, ¼#/sk Flocele mixed at 15.6 ppg, 1.18 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk., 5.2 gps water.

**Note:** Cement volumes will be calculated to bring lead cement to surface and tail cement to 500' above the casing shoe.

**Production Hole Procedure (2300'± - TD)**

**Lead:** 153 sks: Hi-Lift "G" w/12% D20 (Bentonite), 1% D79 (Extender), 5% D44 (Salt), 0.2% D46 (Antifoam), 0.25% D112 (Fluid Loss Additive), 0.25 pps D29 (cello flakes) mixed at 11.0 ppg, 3.91 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk., 24.5 gps water.

**Tail:** 439 sks: 50:50 Poz "G" w/ 2% D20 (Bentonite), 0.1% D46 (Antifoam), 0.075% D13 (Retarder), 0.2% D167 (Fluid Loss Additive), 0.2% D65 (Dispersant), mixed at 14.1 ppg, 1.28 ft<sup>3</sup>/sk., 5.9gps water.

**Note:** The above number of sacks is based on gauge-hole calculation.  
Lead volume to be calculated to bring cement to 200'± above 9-5/8" casing shoe.  
Tail volume to be calculated to bring cement to 400'± above top of Wasatch.

**Final Cement volumes will be based upon gauge-hole plus 45% excess.**

**10. ABNORMAL CONDITIONS:**

**Surface Hole (Surface - 2300'±):**

Lost circulation

**Production Hole (2300'± - TD):**

Sloughing shales, lost circulation and key seat development are possible in the Wasatch Formation.

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**11. STANDARD REQUIRED EQUIPMENT:**

- A. Choke Manifold
- B. Upper and Lower Kelly Cock
- C. Stabbing Valve
- D. Visual Mud Monitoring

**12. HAZARDOUS CHEMICALS:**

No chemicals subject to reporting under SARA title III in an amount equal to or greater than 10,000 pounds will be used, produced, stored, transported, or disposed of annually in association with the drilling of this well. Furthermore, no extremely hazardous substances, as defined in 40 CFR 355, in threshold planning quantities, will be used, produced, stored, transported, or disposed of in association with the drilling of this well.

**13. Air Drilling Operations:**

1. Main Air Compressors are 1250 CFM 350 psi with 2000 psi Boosters and are rig mounted.
2. Secondary Air Compressors are 1170 CFM 350 psi with 2000 psi Boosters and are rig mounted.
3. Minimum setting depth of conductor casing will be 60' GL or 10'± into competent formation, whichever is deeper, as determined by the EOG person in charge. Exceptions must be approved by an EOG drilling superintendent or manager.
4. The diameter of the diverter flow line will be a minimum of 10" to help reduce back pressure on the well bore during uncontrolled flow.
5. Rat and Mouse hole drilling will occur only after surface casing has been set and cemented.
6. EOG Resources, Inc. will use a properly maintained and lubricated stripper head.

(Attachment: BOP Schematic Diagram)

# T9S, R20E, S.L.B.&M.

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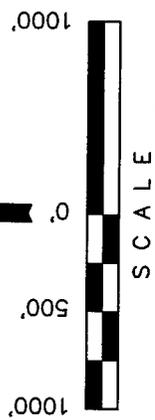
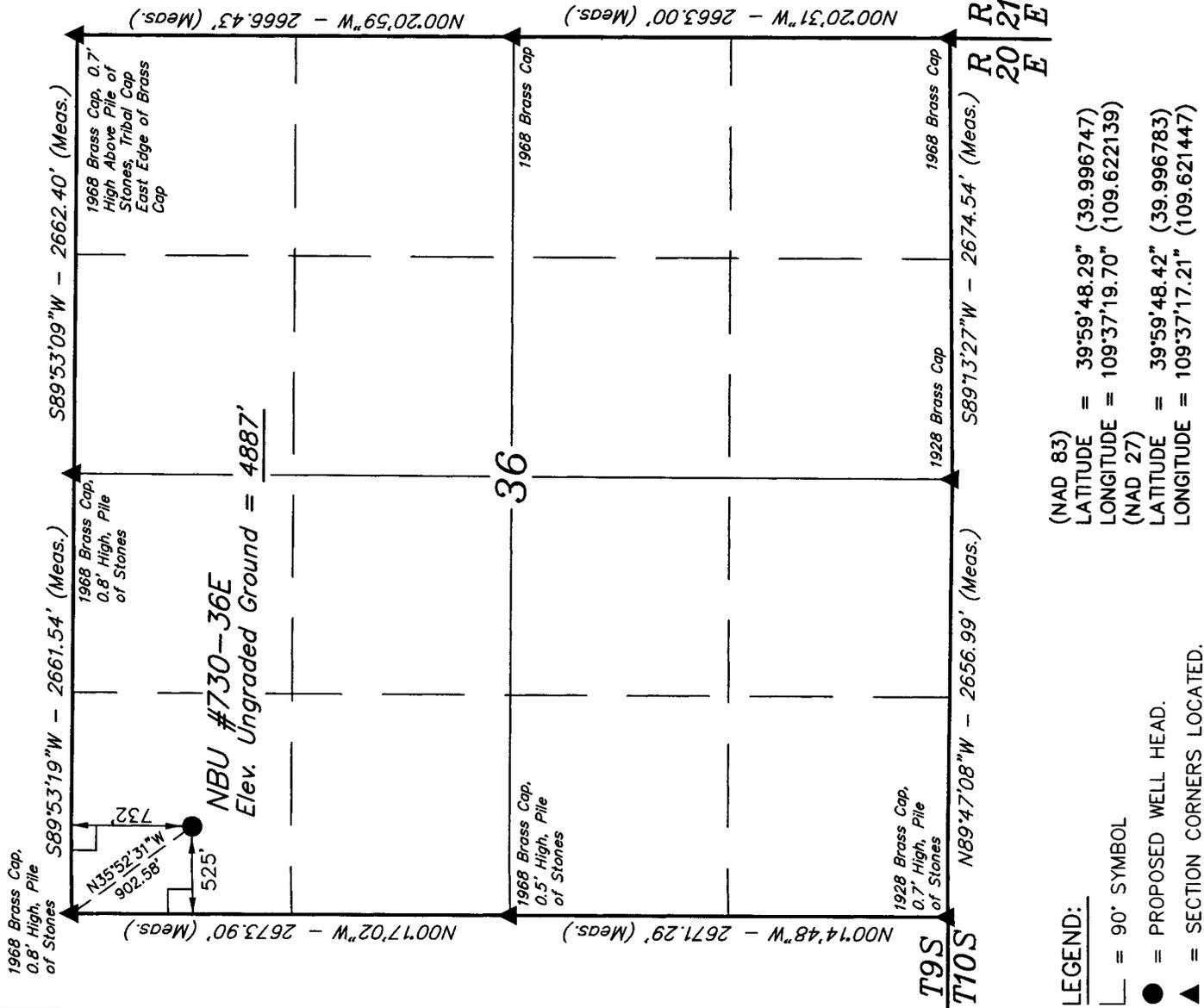
Well location, NBU 730-36E, located as shown in the NW 1/4 NW 1/4 of Section 36, T9S, R20E, S.L.B.&M., Uintah County, Utah.

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SCALE 1" = 1000'	DATE SURVEYED: 03-17-08
PARTY D.S. E.D. C.P.	DATE DRAWN: 03-25-08
WEATHER COLD	REFERENCES G.L.O. PLAT
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**EOG RESOURCES, INC.**  
**NBU #730-36E**  
**SECTION 36, T9S, R20E, S.L.B.&M.**

PROCEED IN A WESTERLY DIRECTION FROM VERNAL, UTAH ALONG U.S. HIGHWAY 40 APPROXIMATELY 14.0 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF STATE HIGHWAY 88; EXIT LEFT AND PROCEED IN A SOUTHERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 17.0 MILES TO OURAY, UTAH; PROCEED IN A SOUTHERLY, THEN SOUTHEASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 6.9 MILES ON THE SEEP RIDGE ROAD TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE SOUTHEAST; TURN LEFT AND PROCEED IN A SOUTHEASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 2.1 MILES TO THE JUNCTION OF THIS ROAD AND AN EXISTING ROAD TO THE NORTHEAST; TURN LEFT AND PROCEED IN A NORTHEASTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 0.4 MILES TO THE BEGINNING OF THE PROPOSED ACCESS TO THE NORTHWEST; FOLLOW ROAD FLAGS IN A NORTHWESTERLY DIRECTION APPROXIMATELY 0.5 MILES TO THE PROPOSED LOCATION.

TOTAL DISTANCE FROM VERNAL, UTAH TO THE PROPOSED WELL LOCATION IS APPROXIMATELY 40.9 MILES.

# T9S, R20E, S.L.B.&M.

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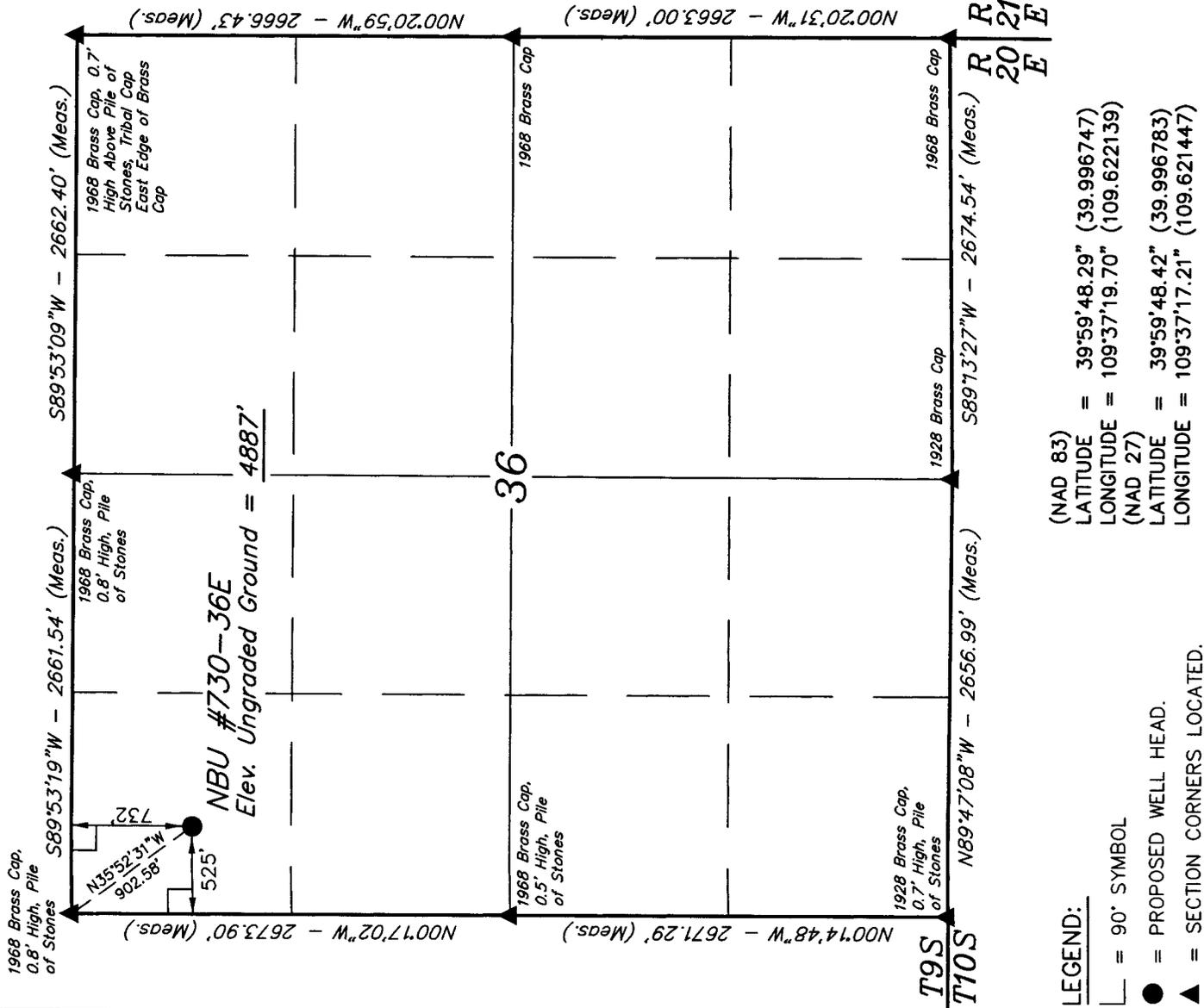
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(NAD 83)  
 LATITUDE = 39°59'48.29" (39.996747)  
 LONGITUDE = 109°37'19.70" (109.622139)  
 (NAD 27)  
 LATITUDE = 39°59'48.42" (39.996783)  
 LONGITUDE = 109°37'17.21" (109.621447)

- LEGEND:**
- = 90° SYMBOL
  - = PROPOSED WELL HEAD.
  - ▲ = SECTION CORNERS LOCATED.

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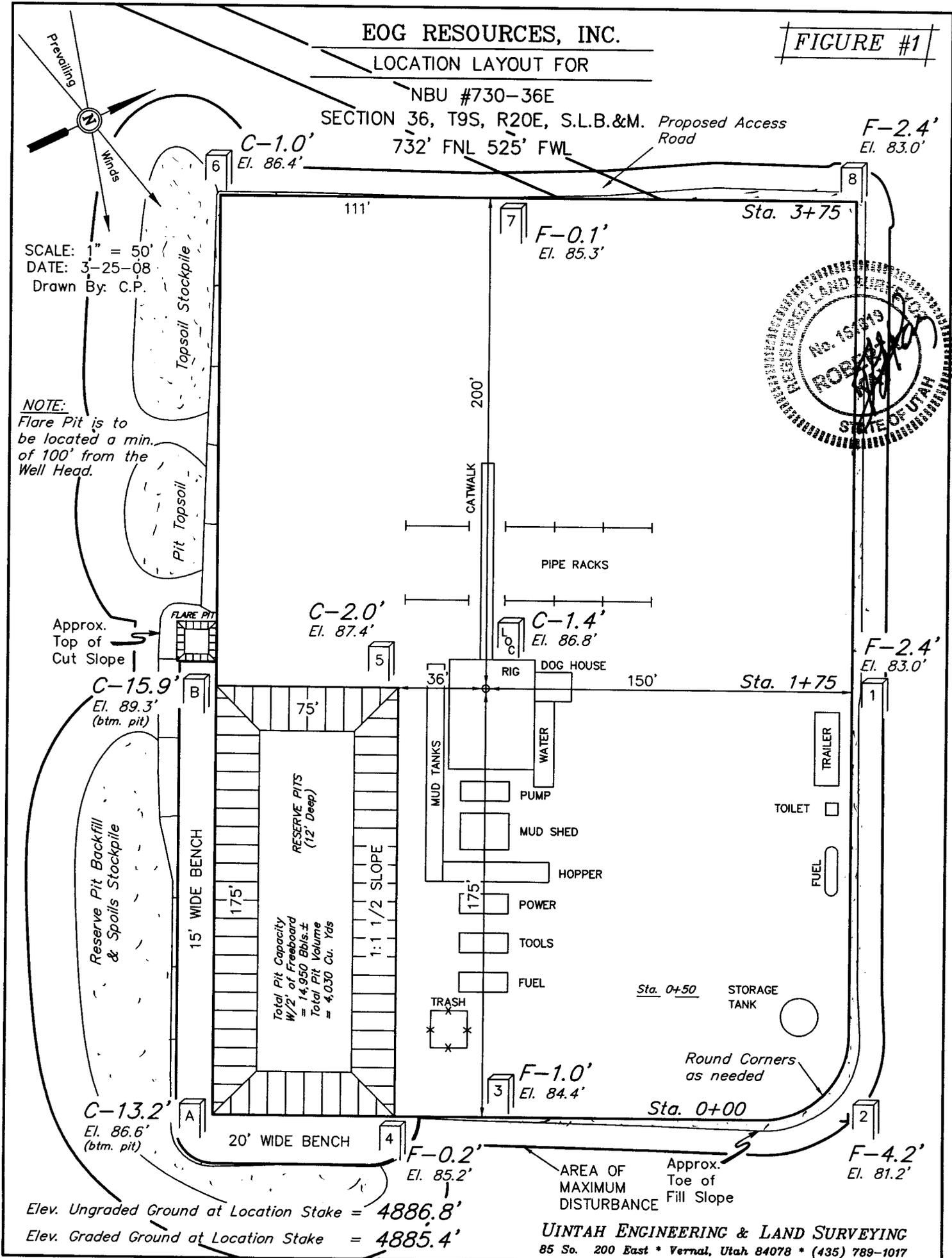
LOCATION LAYOUT FOR

NBU #730-36E  
SECTION 36, T9S, R20E, S.L.B.&M. Proposed Access Road  
732' FNL 525' FWL

FIGURE #1

SCALE: 1" = 50'  
DATE: 3-25-08  
Drawn By: C.P.

NOTE:  
Flare Pit is to be located a min. of 100' from the Well Head.



Elev. Ungraded Ground at Location Stake = 4886.8'  
Elev. Graded Ground at Location Stake = 4885.4'

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**TYPICAL CROSS SECTIONS FOR**

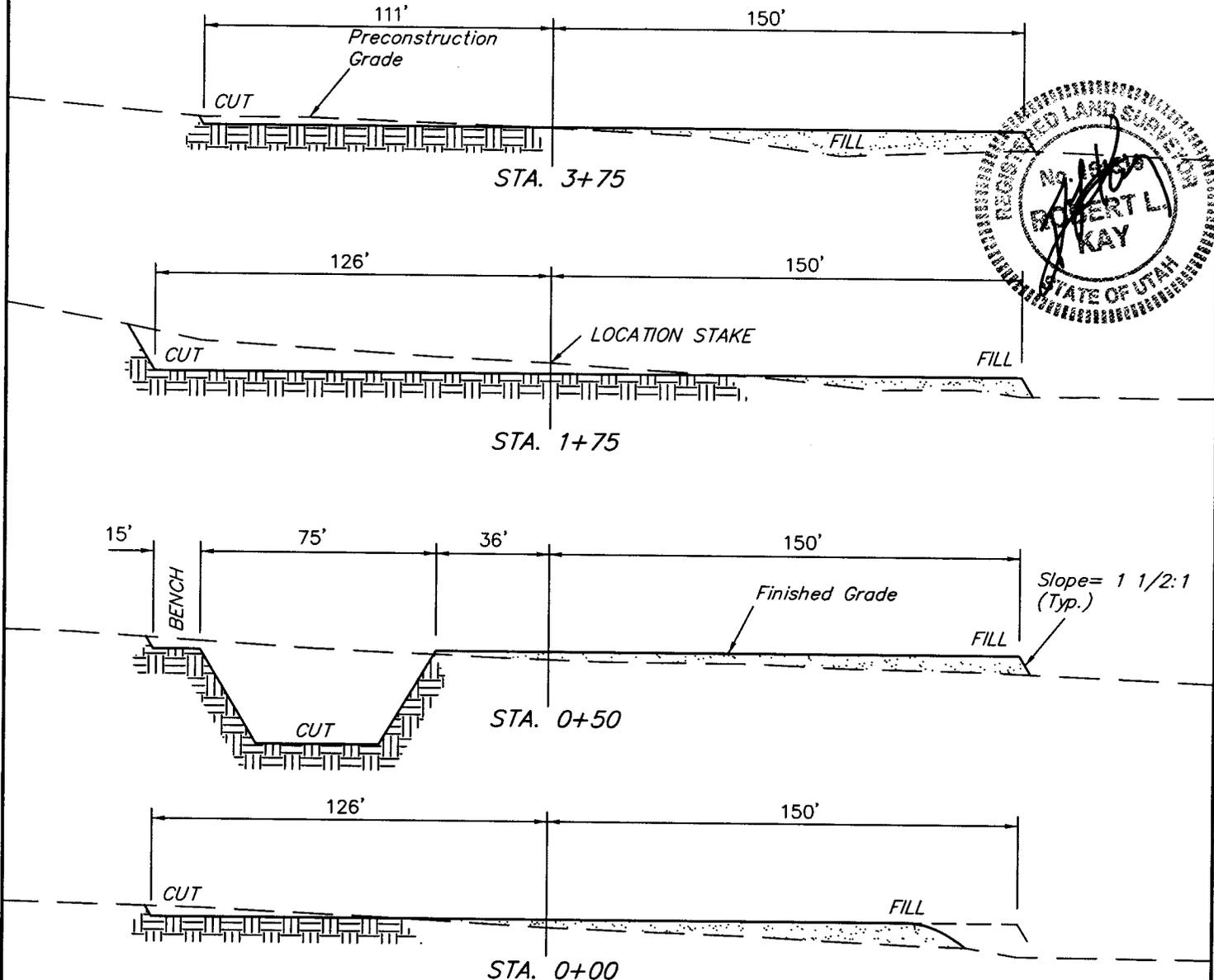
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**FIGURE #2**

X-Section Scale  
1" = 50'  
DATE: 3-25-08  
Drawn By: C.P.

\* NOTE:  
FILL QUANTITY INCLUDES  
5% FOR COMPACTION

NOTE:  
Topsoil should not be  
Stripped Below Finished  
Grade on Substructure Area.



**APPROXIMATE ACREAGES**

WELL SITE DISTURBANCE = ± 2.728 ACRES

ACCESS ROAD DISTURBANCE = ± 1.922 ACRES

PIPELINE DISTURBANCE = ± 2.423 ACRES

**APPROXIMATE YARDAGES TOTAL = ± 7.073 ACRES**

(6") Topsoil Stripping = 2,030 Cu. Yds.  
Remaining Location = 5,860 Cu. Yds.  
  
TOTAL CUT = 7,890 CU. YDS.  
FILL = 3,840 CU. YDS.

EXCESS MATERIAL = 4,050 Cu. Yds.  
Topsoil & Pit Backfill = 4,050 Cu. Yds.  
(1/2 Pit Vol.)  
EXCESS UNBALANCE = 0 Cu. Yds.  
(After Interim Rehabilitation)

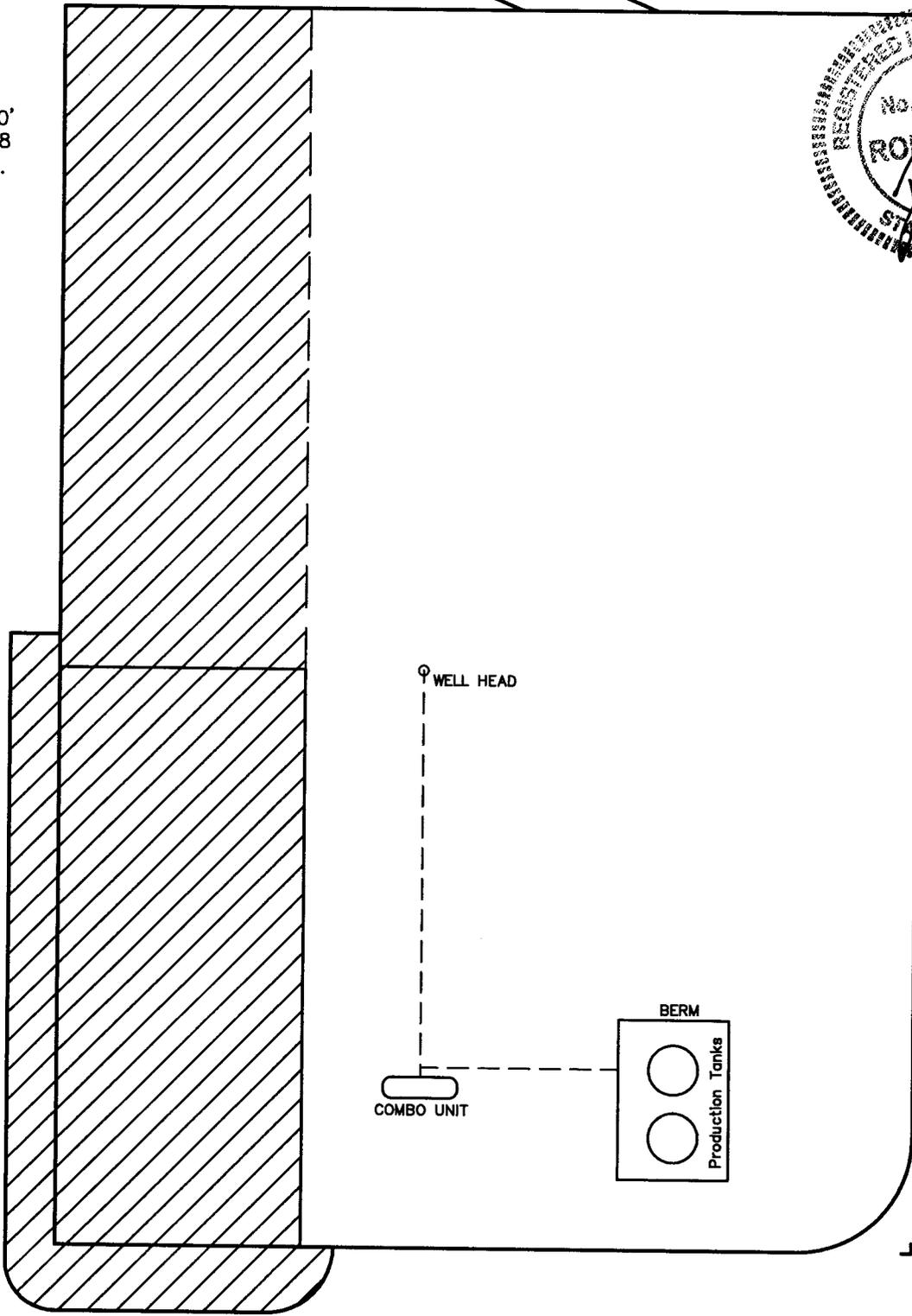
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PRODUCTION FACILITY LAYOUT FOR

FIGURE #3



NBU #730-36E  
SECTION 36, T9S, R20E, S.L.B.&M. Existing Access Road  
732' FNL 525' FWL

SCALE: 1" = 50'  
DATE: 3-25-08  
Drawn By: C.P.



 RE-HABED AREA

# EOG RESOURCES, INC.

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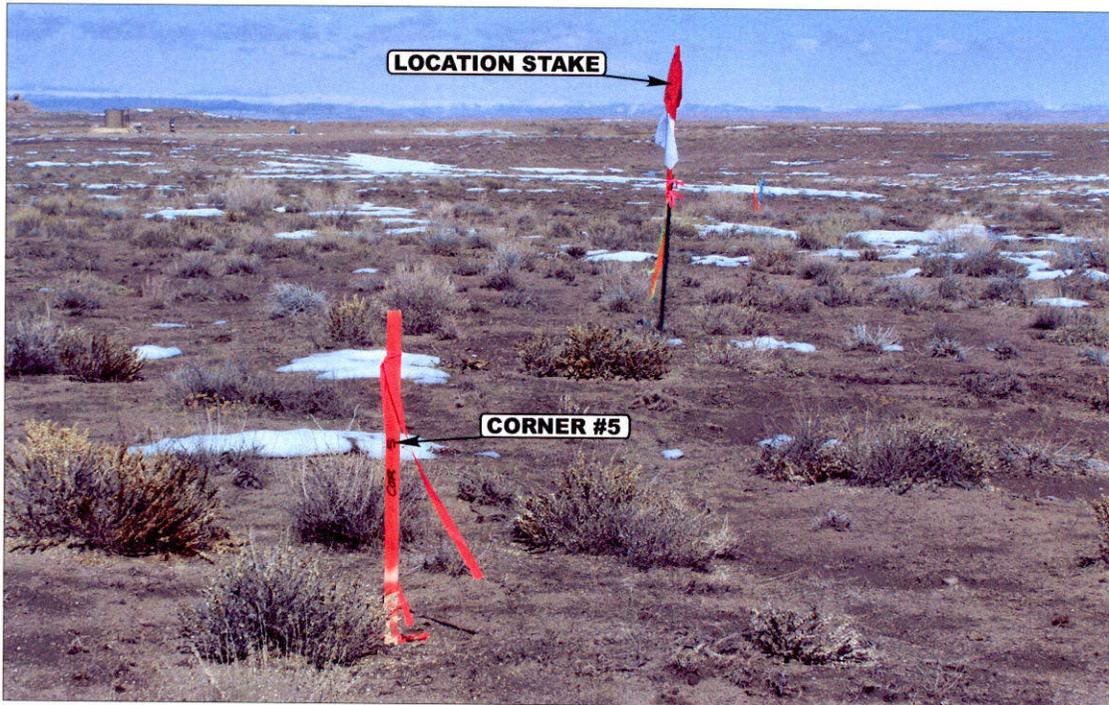


PHOTO: VIEW FROM CORNER #5 TO LOCATION STAKE

CAMERA ANGLE: NORTHEASTERLY



PHOTO: VIEW FROM BEGINNING OF PROPOSED ACCESS

CAMERA ANGLE: NORTHWESTERLY



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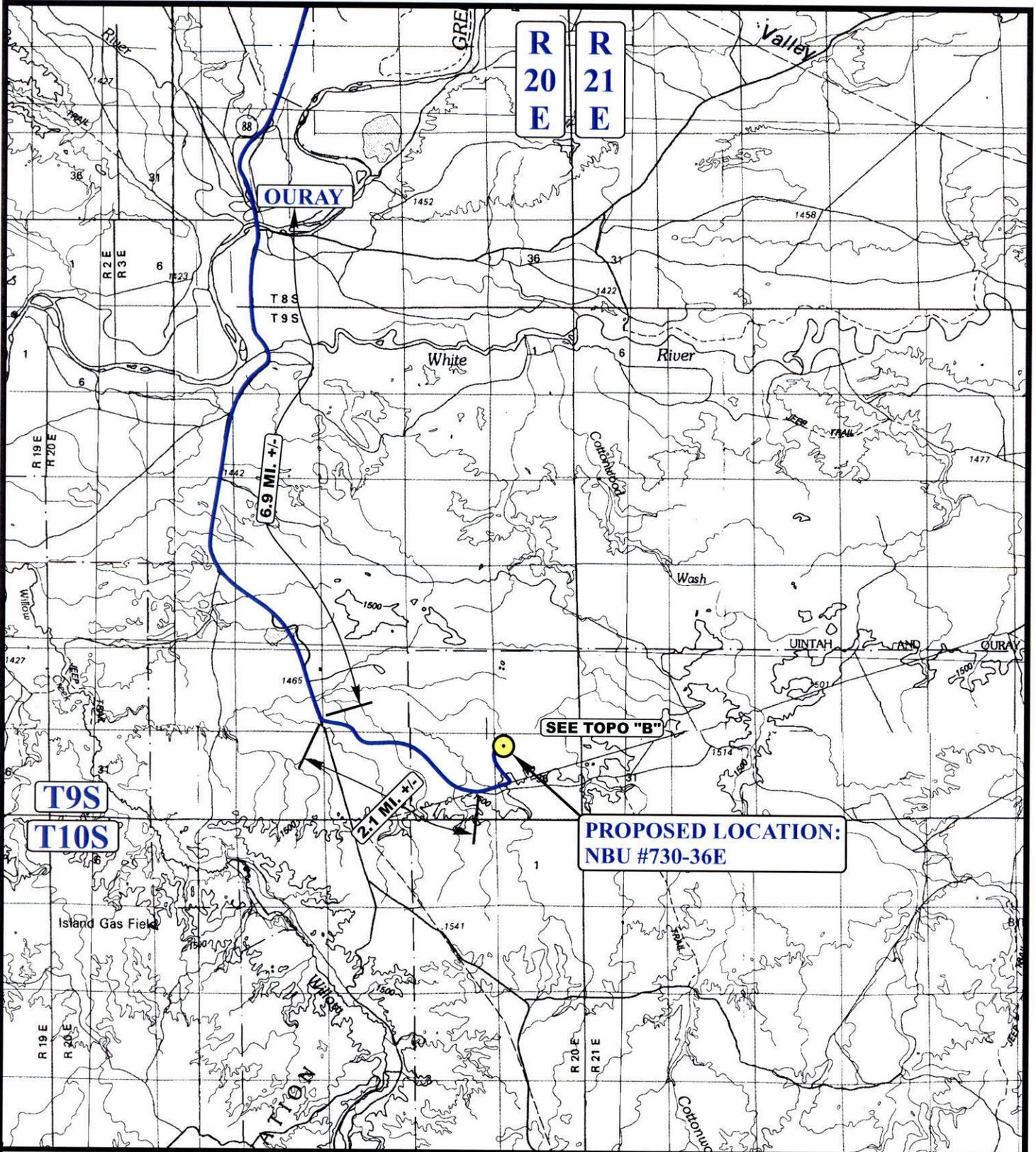
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**LEGEND:**

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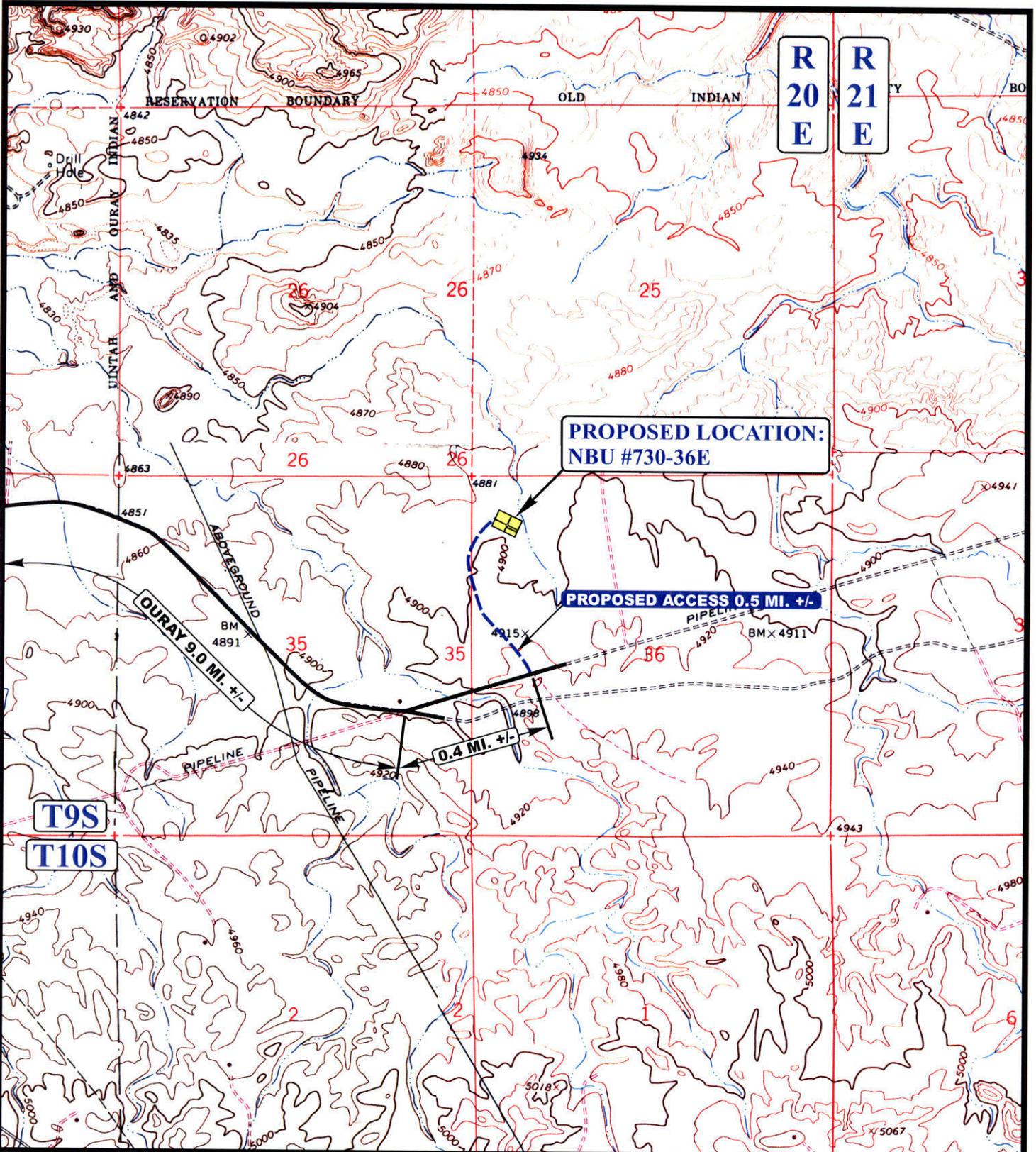
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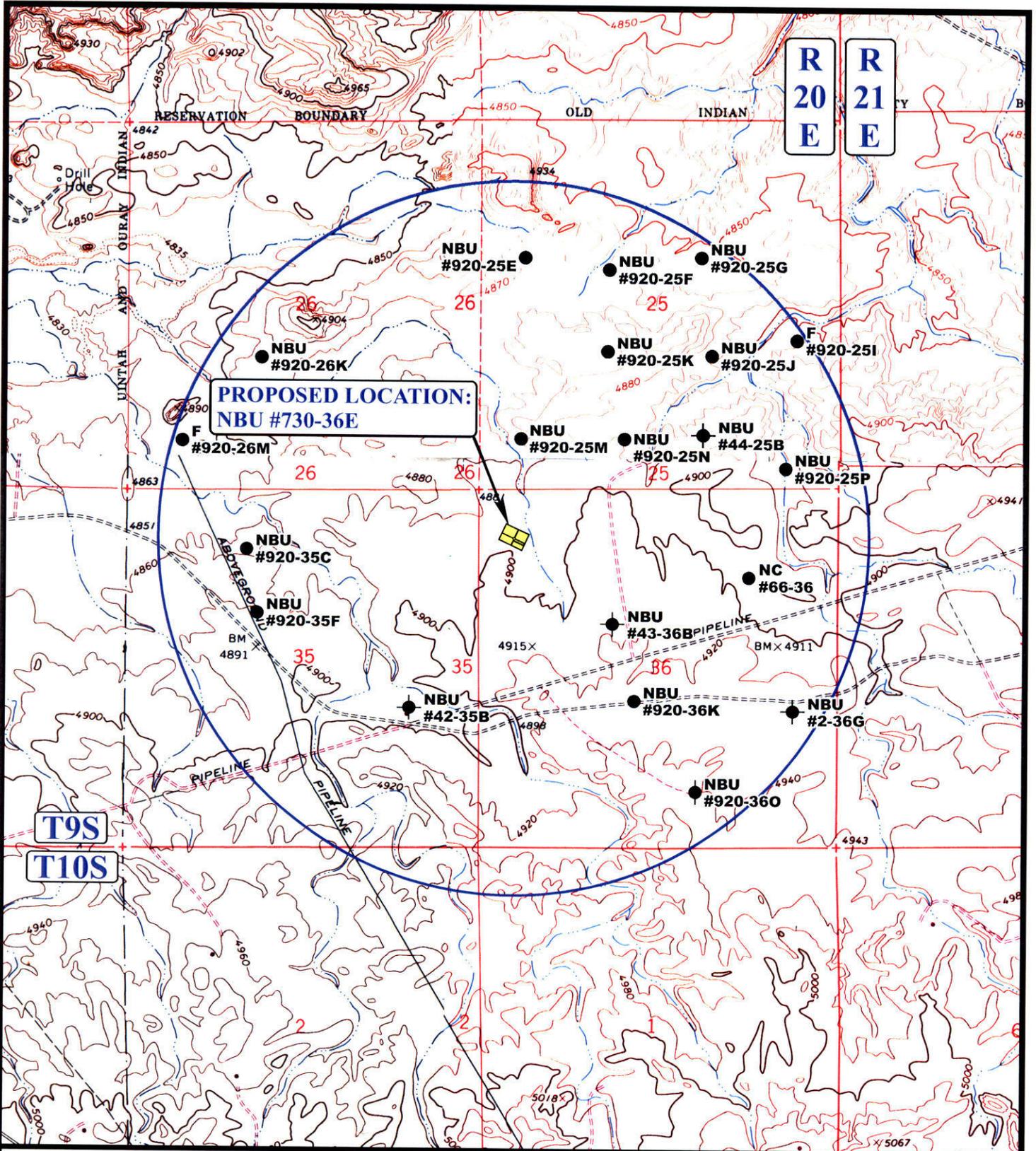
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**PROPOSED LOCATION:  
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**LEGEND:**

- DISPOSAL WELLS
- PRODUCING WELLS
- SHUT IN WELLS
- WATER WELLS
- ABANDONED WELLS
- TEMPORARILY ABANDONED

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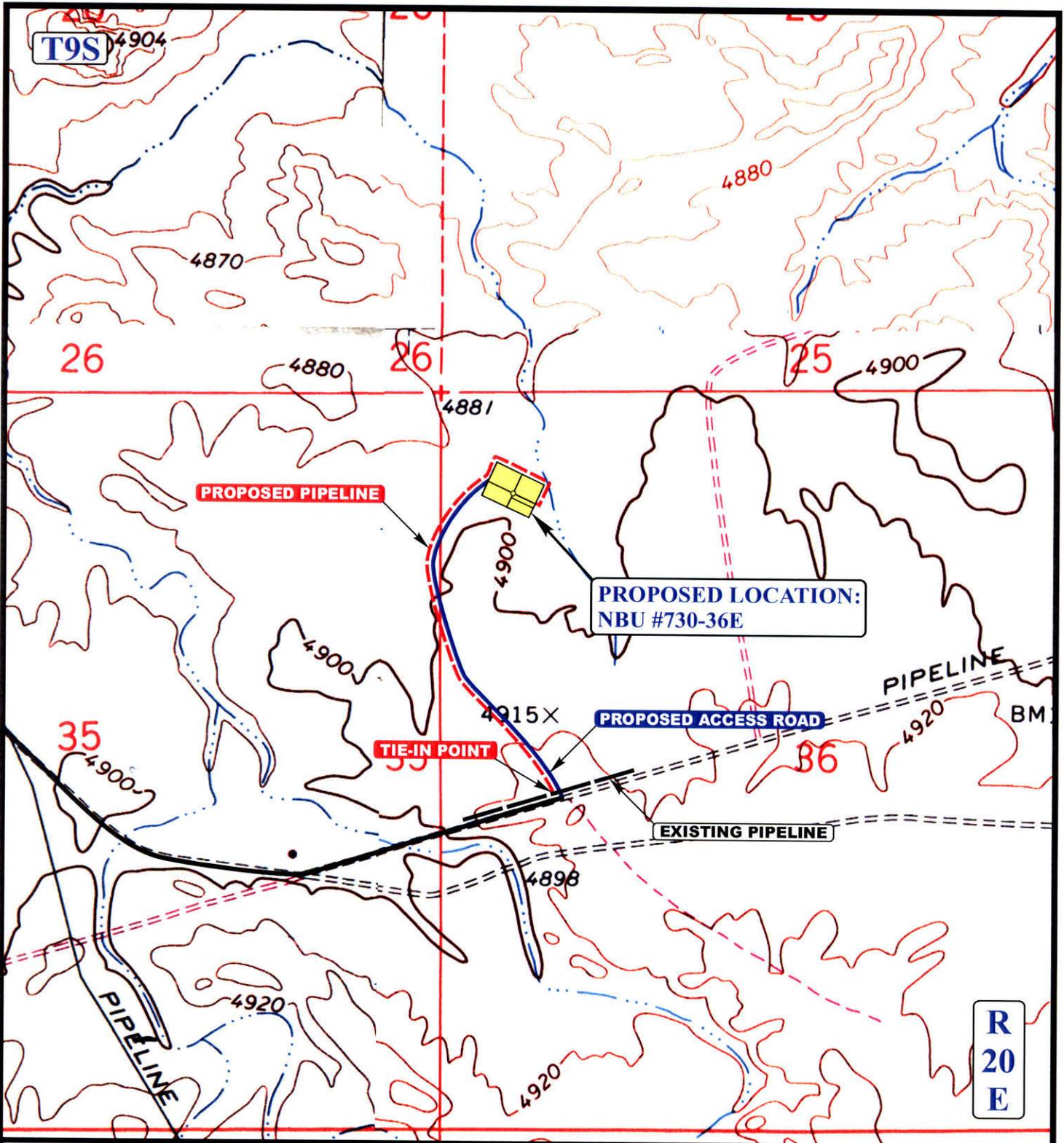
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**APPROXIMATE TOTAL PIPELINE DISTANCE = 3,518' +/-**

**LEGEND:**

-  PROPOSED ACCESS ROAD
-  EXISTING PIPELINE
-  PROPOSED PIPELINE

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**Natural Buttes Unit 730-36E  
NWNW Section 36, T9S, R20E  
Uintah County, Utah**

**SURFACE USE PLAN**

**1. EXISTING ROADS:**

- A. See attached Plats showing directional reference stakes on location, and attached TOPO Map "B" showing access to location from existing roads.
- B. The proposed well site is located approximately 40.9 miles south of Vernal, Utah – See attached TOPO Map "A".
- C. Refer to attached Topographic Map "A" showing labeled access route to location.
- D. Existing roads will be maintained and repaired as necessary.

**2. PLANNED ACCESS ROAD:**

- A. The access road will be approximately 2640' in length. See attached Topo B.
- B. The access road has a 40-foot ROW w/18 foot running surface.
- C. Maximum grade of the new access road will be 8 percent.
- D. No turnouts will be required.
- E. Road drainage crossings shall be of the typical dry creek drainage crossing type.
- F. No bridges, or major cuts and fills will be required.
- G. The access road will be dirt surface.
- H. No gates, cattleguards, or fences will be required or encountered.
- I. A 40-foot permanent right-of-way is requested. No surfacing material will used.
- J. No additional storage areas will be needed for storing equipment, stockpiling, or vehicle parking.

All travel will be confined to existing access road rights-of-way.

New or reconstructed roads will be centerlined – flagged at time of location staking.

The road shall be constructed/upgraded to meet the standards of the anticipated traffic flow and all-weather road requirements. Construction/upgrading shall include ditching, draining, graveling, crowning, and capping the roadbed as necessary to provide a well constructed safe road. Prior to upgrading, the road shall be cleared of any snow cover and allowed to dry completely. Traveling off the 40 foot right-of-way will not be allowed. Road drainage crossings shall be of the typical dry creek drainage crossing type. Crossings shall be designed so they will not cause siltation or accumulation of debris in the drainage crossing nor shall the drainages be blocked by the roadbed. Erosion of drainage ditches by runoff water shall be prevented by diverting water off at frequent intervals by means of cutouts. Upgrading shall not be allowed during muddy conditions. Should mud holes develop, they shall be filled in and detours around them avoided.

As operator, EOG Resources, Inc. shall be responsible for all maintenance on cattleguards, or gates associated with this oil and/or gas operation.

Traveling off the 40 foot right-of-way will not be allowed. The access road and associated drainage structures will be constructed and maintained in accordance with road guidelines contained in the joint BLM/USFS publication: Surface Operating Standards for Oil and Gas Exploration and Development, Third Edition, and/or BLM Manual Section 9113 concerning road construction standards on projects subject to federal jurisdiction. During the drilling and production phase of operations, the road surface and shoulders will be kept in a safe and useable condition and drainage ditches and culverts will be kept clear and free flowing.

**3. LOCATION OF EXISTING WELLS WITHIN A ONE-MILE RADIUS:**

See attached TOPO map "C" for the location of wells within a one-mile radius.

**4. LOCATION OF EXISTING AND/OR PROPOSED PRODUCTION FACILITIES:**

**A. On Well Pad**

1. Production facilities will be set on location if the well is successfully completed for production. Facilities will consist of wellhead valves, combo separator-dehy unit with meter, two (2) 400-bbl vertical tanks and attaching piping.
2. Gas gathering lines – A 4" gathering line will be buried from dehy to the edge of the location.

**B. Off Well Pad**

1. Proposed pipeline will transport natural gas.
2. The pipeline will be a permanent feeder line.
3. The length of the proposed pipeline is 3518' x 40'. The proposed pipeline leaves the eastern edge of the proposed location proceeding in a southerly direction for an approximate distance of 3518' tying into an existing pipeline in the NWSW of

Section 36, T9S, R20E. Pipe will be 4" NOM, 0.156 wall, Grade X42, Zap-Lock, electric weld with a 35 mil X-Tru coating.

4. Proposed pipeline will be a 4" OD steel, zap-lok line laid on the surface
5. Proposed pipeline will be laid on surface.
6. Pipeline will be coupled using the Zap lock method. No additional off-pad facilities will be required.

All permanent (on site for six months or longer) structures constructed or installed (including pumping units) will be painted a flat, non-reflective, earthtone color to match one of the standard environmental colors, as determined by the Rocky Mountain Five State Interagency Committee. All facilities will be painted within 6 months of installation. **All facilities will be painted with Carlsbad Canyon.** Facilities required to comply with O.S.H.A. (Occupational Safety and Health Act) will be excluded.

**5. LOCATION AND TYPE OF WATER SUPPLY:**

- A. Water supply will be from Ouray Bonanza Power Plant water source in Sec 26, T8S, R23E Uintah County, UT (State Water Right # 49-225(A31368)). Water will be hauled by a licensed trucking company.
- B. Water will be hauled by a licensed trucking company.
- C. No water well will be drilled on lease.

**6. SOURCE OF CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS:**

- A. All construction material for this pipeline will be of native borrow and soil accumulated during the construction of the location.
- B. No mineral materials will be required.

**7. METHODS OF HANDLING WASTE DISPOSAL:**

**A. METHODS AND LOCATION**

1. Cuttings will be confined in the reserve pit.
2. A portable toilet will be provided for human waste during the drilling and completion of the well. Disposal will be at the Vernal sewage disposal plant.
3. Burning will not be allowed. Trash and other waste material will be contained in a wire mesh cage and disposed of at the Uintah County Landfill.
4. Produced wastewater will be confined to a lined pit or storage tank for a period not to exceed 90 days after initial production. After the 90 day period, the

produced water will be contained in a tank on location and then disposed of at one of the following locations: Natural Buttes Unit 21-20B SWD, Ace Disposal, CWU 550-30N SWD, CWU 2-29 SWD, Red Wash Evaporation Ponds, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and/or 6, Coyote Ponds 1, 2, 3, and/or 4, or EOG Resources, Inc. drilling operations (Chapita Wells Unit, Natural Buttes Unit & Stagecoach Unit).

5. All chemicals will be disposed of at an authorized disposal site. Drip pans and absorbent pads will be used on the drilling rig to avoid leakage of oil to the pit.
- B. Water from drilling fluids and recovered during testing operations will be disposed of by either evaporating in the reserve pit or by removed and disposed of at an authorized disposal site. Introduction of well bore hydrocarbons to the reserve pit will be avoided by flaring them off in the flare pit at the time of recovery.

The reserve pit will be constructed so as not to leak, break, or allow discharge. If the reserve pit requires padding prior to lining (due to rocky conditions) felt padding will be used.

The reserve pit shall be lined with felt and a 16 millimeter plastic liner. Sufficient bedding (i.e. weed free straw, or hay; felt; polyswell or soil) to cover any rocks. The liner will overlap the pit walls and be covered with dirt and/or rocks to hold it in place. No trash, scrap pipe, etc., that could puncture the liner will be disposed of in the pit. More stringent protective requirements may be deemed necessary by the A.O.

EOG Resources, Inc. maintains a file, per 29 CFR 1910.1200 (g) containing current Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) for all chemicals, compounds, and/or substances which are used during the course of construction, drilling, completion, and production operations for this project. Hazardous materials (substances) which may be found at the site may include drilling mud and cementing products which are primarily inhalation hazards, fuels (flammable and/or combustible), materials that may be necessary for well completion/ stimulation activities such as flammable or combustible substances and acids/gels (corrosives). The opportunity for Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA) listed Extremely Hazardous Substances (EHS) at the site is generally limited to proprietary treating chemicals. All hazardous and EHS and commercial preparations will be handled in an appropriate manner to minimize the potential for leaks or spills to the environment.

No chemicals subject to reporting under SARA Title III (hazardous materials) in an amount greater than 10,000 pounds will be used, produced, stored, transported, or disposed of annually in association with the drilling, testing, or completion of the well. Furthermore, extremely hazardous substances, as defined in 40 CFR 355, in threshold planning quantities, will not be used, produced, stored, transported, or disposed of in association with the drilling, testing or completion of the well.

#### **8. ANCILLARY FACILITIES:**

None anticipated.

**9. WELL SITE LAYOUT:**

- A. Refer to attached well site plat for related topography cuts and fills and cross sections.
- B. Refer to attached well site plat for rig layout and soil material stockpile location as approved on On-site.
- C. Refer to attached well site plat for rig orientation, parking areas, and access road.

The reserve pit will be located on the southeast corner of the location. The flare pit will be located downwind of the prevailing wind direction on the south side of the location, a minimum of 100 feet from the well head and 30 feet from the reserve pit fence.

The stockpiled pit topsoil (first six inches) will be stored separate from the location topsoil. The stockpiled location topsoil will be stored in a location providing easy access for interim reclamation and protection of the topsoil. Upon completion of construction, the stockpiled topsoil from the location will be broadcast seeded with the approved seed mixture from this location and then walked down with a Caterpillar tractor.

Access to the well pad will be from the west.

**FENCING REQUIREMENTS:**

All pits will be fenced according to the following minimum standards:

- A. Thirty-nine inch net wire shall be used with at least one strand of barbed wire on top of the net wire. (Barbed wire is not necessary if pipe or some type of reinforcement rod is attached to the top of the entire fence.)
- B. The net wire shall be no more than 2 inches above the ground. The barbed wire strand shall be 3 inches above the net wire. Total height of the fence shall be at least 42 inches.
- C. Corner posts shall be cemented and/or braced in such a manner as to keep the fence tight at all times.
- D. Standard steel, wood, or pipe posts shall be used between the corner braces. Maximum distances between any two posts shall be no greater than 16 feet.
- E. All wire shall be stretched by using a stretching device before it is attached to the corner posts.

The reserve pit fencing will be on the three sides during drilling operations and on the fourth side when the rig moves off location. Pits will be fenced and maintained until clean-up.

Each existing fence to be crossed by the access road shall be braced and tied off before cutting so as to prevent slacking of the wire. The opening shall be closed temporarily as necessary during construction to prevent the escape of livestock, and, upon completion

of construction, the fence shall be repaired to BLM or SMA specifications. A cattleguard with an adjacent 16 foot gate shall be installed in any fence where a road is regularly traveled. If the well is a producer, the cattleguards (shall/shall not) be permanently counted on concrete bases. Prior to crossing any fence located on Federal land, or any fence between Federal land and private land, the operator will contact the BLM, who will in turn contact the grazing permittee or owner of said fence and offer him/her the opportunity to be present when the fence is cut in order to satisfy himself/herself that the fence is adequately braced and tied off.

#### **10. PLANS FOR RECLAMATION OF THE SURFACE:**

##### **A. Interim Reclamation (Producing Location)**

Immediately upon well completion, the location and surrounding area will be cleared of all unused tubing, equipment, debris, materials, trash, and junk not required for production.

Immediately upon well completion, any hydrocarbons on the pit shall be removed in accordance with CFR 3162.7-1.

If a plastic nylon reinforced liner is used, it shall be torn and perforated before backfilling of the reserve pit.

The reserve pit and that portion of the location not needed for production facilities/operations will be recontoured to the approximate natural contours – See attached Figure #3. The reserve pit will be reclaimed within 90 days from the date of the well completion, or as soon as environmental conditions allow. Before any dirt takes place, the reserve pit must be completely dry and free of all foreign obstacles.

The stockpiled pit topsoil will then be spread over the pit area and broadcast seeded with the prescribed seed mixture for this location. The seeded area will then be walked down with a cat.

##### **B. Dry Hole/Abandoned Location**

At such time as the well is plugged and abandoned, the operator will submit a subsequent report of abandonment and the BLM will attach the appropriated surface rehabilitation conditions of approval.

#### **11. SURFACE OWNERSHIP:**

Surface ownership of the proposed well site, access road, and pipeline route is as follows:

**State of Utah**

#### **12. OTHER INFORMATION:**

- A. EOG Resources, Inc. will inform all persons in the area who are associated with this project that they are subject to prosecution for knowingly disturbing historic or archaeological sites, or for collecting artifacts. If historic or archaeological materials are uncovered during construction, the operator will immediately stop work that might further disturb such materials, and contact the Authorized Officer. Within five working days the Authorized Officer will inform the operator as to:
- Whether the materials appear eligible for the National Register of Historic Places;
  - The mitigation measures the operator will likely have to undertake before the site can be used.
  - A time frame for the Authorized Officer to complete an expedited review under 36 CFR 800.11 to confirm, through the State Historic Preservation Officer, that the findings of the Authorized Officer are correct and that mitigation is appropriate.

If the operator wished, at any time, to relocate activities to avoid the expense of mitigation and/or the delays associated with this process, the Authorized Officer will assume responsibility for whatever recordation and stabilization of the exposed materials that may be required. Otherwise, the operator will be responsible for mitigation costs. The Authorized Officer will provide technical and procedural guidelines for the conduct of mitigation. Upon verification from the Authorized Officer that required mitigation has been completed, the operator will then be allowed to resume construction.

- B. As operator, EOG Resources, Inc. will control noxious weeds along Right-of-Ways for roads, pipelines, well sites, or other applicable facilities. A list of noxious weeds will be obtained from the BLM administered land, a Pesticide Use proposal shall be submitted, and given approval, prior to the application of herbicides or other pesticides or possible hazardous chemicals.
- C. Drilling rigs and/or equipment used during drilling operations on this well site will not be stacked or stored on BLM lands after the conclusion of drilling operations or at any other time without BLM authorization. However, if BLM authorization is obtained, it is only a temporary measure to allow time to make arrangements for permanent storage on commercial facilities. (The BLM does not seek to compete with private industry. There are commercial facilities available for stacking and storing drilling rigs.)
- D. The drilling rig and ancillary equipment will be removed from the location prior to commencement of completion operations. Completion operations will be conducted utilizing a completion/workover rig.

All lease and/or unit operations will be conducted in such a manner that full compliance is made with all applicable laws, regulations, Onshore Oil and Gas Orders, the approved Plan of Operations, and any applicable Notice of Lessees. The operator is fully responsible for the actions of its subcontractors. A complete copy of the approved "Application for Permit to

Drill” will be furnished to the field representative(s) to ensure compliance and shall be on location during all construction and drilling operations.

Construction activity will not be conducted using frozen or saturated soils material or during periods when watershed damage is likely to occur.

If the existing access road, proposed access road, and proposed pad are dry during construction, drilling, and completion activities, water will be applied, as needed, to help facilitate compaction during construction and to minimize soil loss as a result of wind erosion.

A cultural resources survey was conducted and submitted on May 22, 2008 by Montgomery Archeological Consultants, report # MOAC 08-095. A paleontological survey was conducted and submitted June 10, 2008 by Intermountain Paleo Consultants, report # IPC 08-78.

***LESSEE OR OPERATOR'S REPRESENTATIVE AND CERTIFICATION:***

**PERMITTING AGENT**

Kaylene R. Gardner  
EOG Resources, Inc.  
P.O. Box 1815  
Vernal, Ut 84078  
(435) 781-9111

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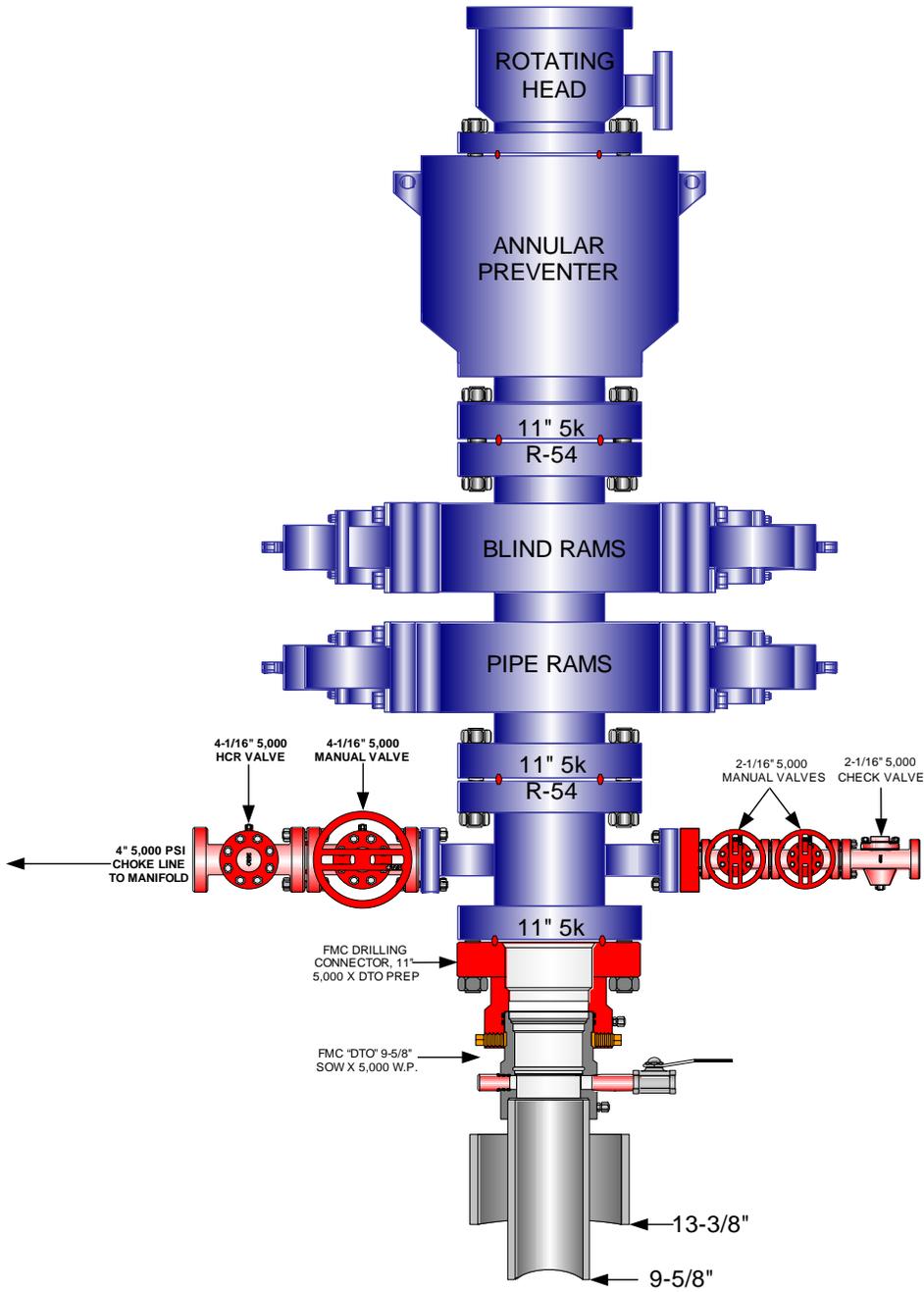
I hereby certify that I, or persons under my direct supervision, have inspected the proposed drill site and access route; that I am familiar with the conditions which currently exist; that the statements made in this plan are, to the best of my knowledge, true and correct; and that the work associated with the operations proposed herein will be performed by EOG Resources, Inc. and its contractors and subcontractors in conformity with this plan and the terms and conditions under which it is approved. This statement is subject to the provisions of 18 U.S.C. 1001 for the filing of a false statement.

Please be advised that EOG Resources, Inc. is considered to be the operator of the Natural Buttes Unit 730-36E Well, located in the NWNW, of Section 36, T9S, R20E, Uintah County, Utah; State land and minerals; and is responsible under the terms and conditions of the lease for the operations conducted upon the leased lands. Bond Coverage is under Bond # NM 2308.

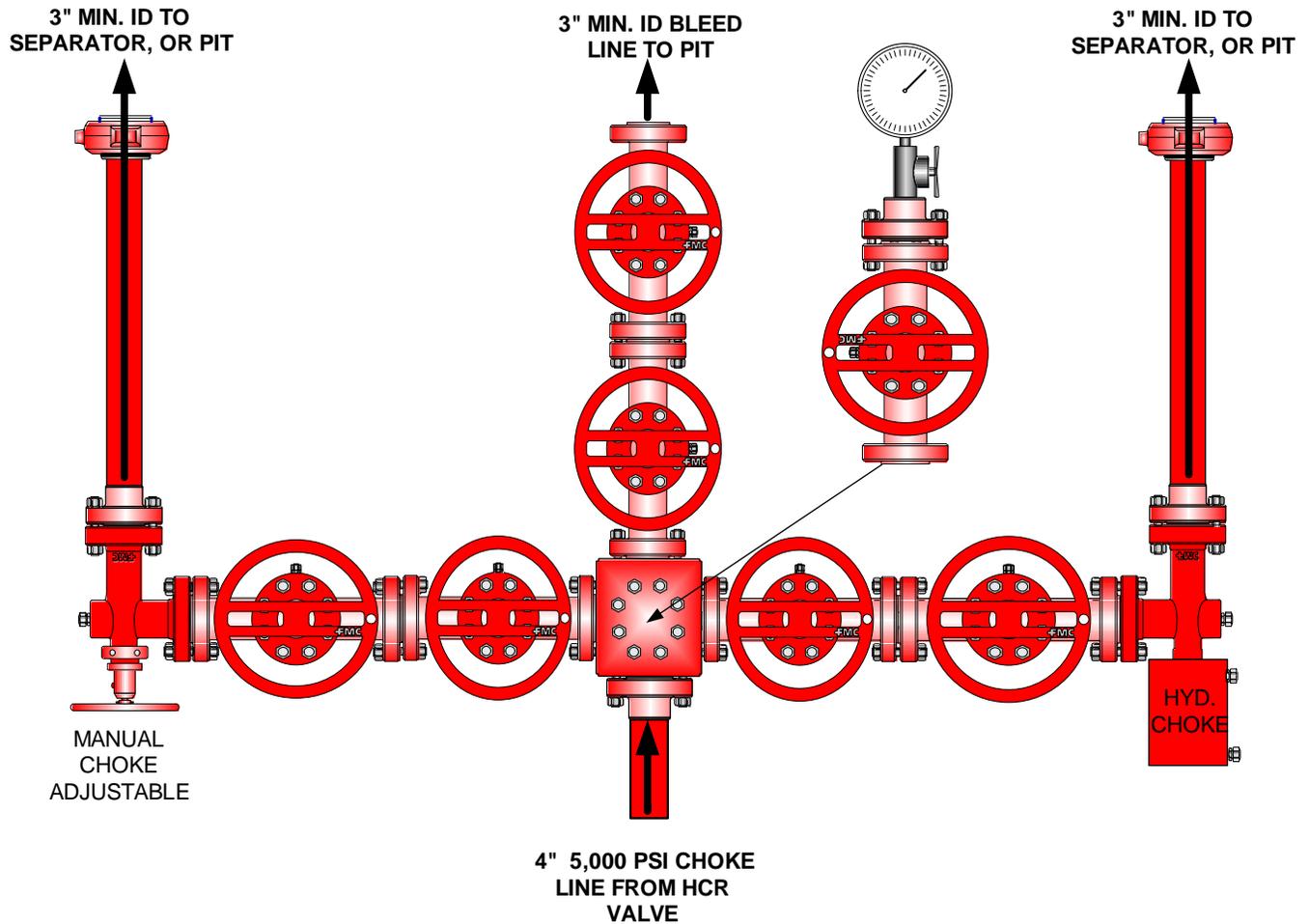
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Kaylene R. Gardner, Lead Regulatory Assistant

**EOG RESOURCES 11" 5,000 PSI W.P. BOP CONFIGURATION**

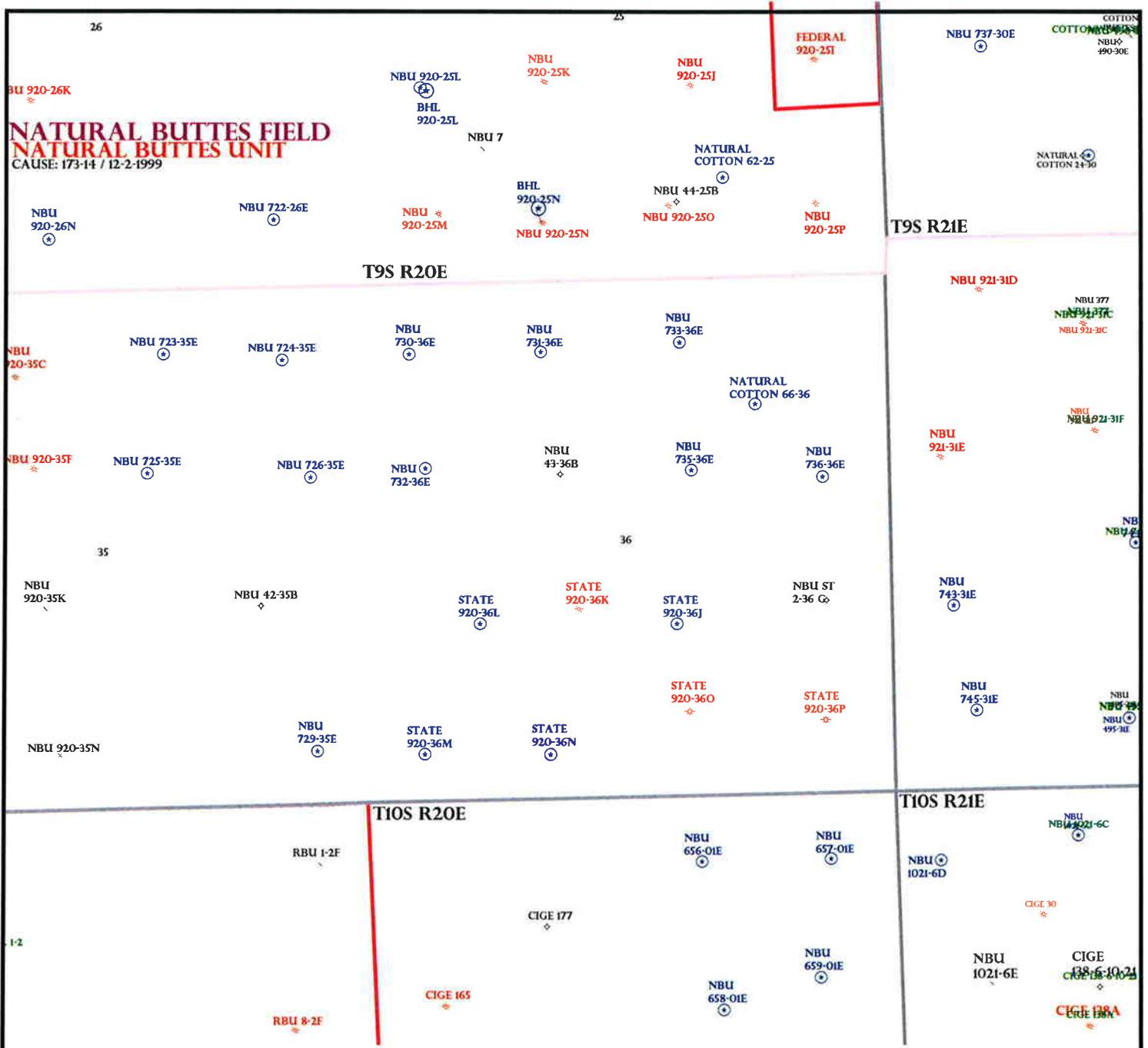


**EOG RESOURCES CHOKE MANIFOLD CONFIGURATION  
W/ 5,000 PSI WP VALVES**



Testing Procedure:

1. BOP will be tested with a professional tester to conform to Onshore Order #2.
2. Blind and Pipe rams will be tested to rated working pressure, 5,000 psi.
3. Annular Preventer will be tested to 50% working pressure, 2,500 psi.  
Casing will be tested to 0.22 psi / ft. or 1,500 psi. Not to exceed 70% of burst strength, **whichever is greater.**
4. All lines subject to well pressure will be tested to the same pressure as blind and pipe rams.
5. All BOPE specifications and configurations will meet Onshore Order #2 requirements.



OPERATOR: EOG RESOURCES INC (N9550)  
 SEC: 36 T.9S R. 20E  
 FIELD: NATURAL BUTTES (630)  
 COUNTY: Uintah  
 CAUSE: 173-14 / 12-2-1999

Field Status	Unit Status
ABANDONED	EXPLORATORY
ACTIVE	GAS STORAGE
COMBINED	NF PP OIL
INACTIVE	NF SECONDARY
PROPOSED	PENDING
STORAGE	PI OIL
TERMINATED	PP GAS
	PP GEOTHERML
	PP OIL
	SECONDARY
	TERMINATED

**Wells Status**

★	GAS INJECTION
☆	GAS STORAGE
✖	LOCATION ABANDONED
⊙	NEW LOCATION
✖	PLUGGED & ABANDONED
★	PRODUCING GAS
●	PRODUCING OIL
✖	SHUT-IN GAS
✖	SHUT-IN OIL
✖	TEMP. ABANDONED
○	TEST WELL
⊙	WATER INJECTION
⊙	WATER SUPPLY
⊙	WATER DISPOSAL
⊙	DRILLING



PREPARED BY: DIANA MASON  
 DATE: 14-JULY-2008

# Application for Permit to Drill Statement of Basis

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<b>APD No</b>	<b>API WellNo</b>	<b>Status</b>	<b>Well Type</b>	<b>Surf Owner</b>	<b>CBM</b>
844	43047500610000	InReview	GW	S	No
<b>Operator</b>	EOG RESOURCES, INC.		<b>Surface Owner-APD</b>		
<b>Well Name</b>	NBU 730-36E	<b>Unit</b>		NATURAL BUTTES	
<b>Field</b>	NATURAL BUTTES	<b>Type of Work</b>		DRILL	
<b>Location</b>	NWNW 36 9S 20E S 732 FNL 525 FWL GPS Coord (UTM) 617675E 4428091N				

**Geologic Statement of Basis**

EOG proposes to set 2,300' of surface casing at this location. The depth to the base of the moderately saline water at this location is estimated to be at a depth of 3,700'. A search of Division of Water Rights records shows no water wells within a 10,000 foot radius of the center of section 36 . The surface formation at this site is the Uinta Formation. The Uinta Formation is made up of interbedded shales and sandstones. The sandstones are mostly lenticular and discontinuous and should not be a significant source of useable ground water. Production casing cement should be brought to above the base of the moderately saline groundwater in order to isolate it from fresher waters uphole The proposed casing and cement program should adequately protect usable ground water in the area.

Brad Hill  
**APD Evaluator**

8/12/2008  
**Date / Time**

**Surface Statement of Basis**

This location is in the Natural Buttes Unit approximately 10 miles southeast of Ouray, Ut.. It is accessed by the Seep Ridge Road to the Uintah County Middle Road then by existing or planned oil field development roads to within 0.50 miles of the site, which will require new construction.

The general area is in the head of a long unnamed wash immediately west of Cottonwood Wash. Both washes enter the White River in the same general area, approximately six miles below the site. The area is characterized by rolling hills, which are frequently divided by somewhat gentle draws which drain northerly. This unnamed wash is an ephemeral drainage. No springs, seeps or streams exist in the area. An occasional pond constructed to supply water for cattle and antelope exists. The washes are sometimes rimed with steep side hills, which have exposed sand stone bedrock cliffs along the rims.

The proposed NBU 730-36E gas well location is oriented in an east-west direction longitudinally along a flat which slopes slightly to the northeast. No drainage concerns exist. The selected site poses no significant surface problems and should be a suitable location for constructing a pad, drilling and operating a well.

Both the surface and minerals are owned by SITLA. Jim Davis of SITLA attended the pre-site visit and had no concerns regarding the proposal.

Ben Williams of the Utah Division of Wildlife Resources was invited to the pre-site visit. He did not attend.

SITLA is to be contacted for site restoration requirements including the seed mix to be used in revegetation.

Floyd Bartlett  
**Onsite Evaluator**

7/22/2008  
**Date / Time**

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# Application for Permit to Drill

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### Conditions of Approval / Application for Permit to Drill

<b>Category</b>	<b>Condition</b>
Pits	A synthetic liner with a minimum thickness of 16 mils with a felt subliner shall be properly installed and maintained in the reserve pit.
Surface	The reserve pit shall be fenced upon completion of drilling operations.

## ON-SITE PREDRILL EVALUATION

### Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

**Operator** EOG RESOURCES, INC.  
**Well Name** NBU 730-36E  
**API Number** 43-047-50061-0      **APD No** 844      **Field/Unit** NATURAL BUTTES  
**Location: 1/4,1/4 NWNW**      **Sec** 36    **Tw** 9S    **Rng** 20E    732 FNL 525 FWL  
**GPS Coord (UTM)** 617683      4428102      **Surface Owner**

#### Participants

Floyd Bartlett (DOGM), Jim Davis (SITLA), Byron Tolman (Agent for EOG)

#### Regional/Local Setting & Topography

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#### Surface Use Plan

##### **Current Surface Use**

Grazing  
 Recreational  
 Wildlife Habitat

##### **New Road**

<b>Miles</b>	<b>Well Pad</b>	<b>Src Const Material</b>	<b>Surface Formation</b>
0.5	<b>Width</b> 276 <b>Length</b> 375	Onsite	UNTA

**Ancillary Facilities** N

#### Waste Management Plan Adequate?

#### Environmental Parameters

**Affected Floodplains and/or Wetland** N

##### **Flora / Fauna**

The area has a moderate cover of vegetation. Principal species present are greasewood, shadscale, horsebrush, cheatgrass, halogeton, globe mallow, Spiny hopsage, Indian ricegrass, pepperweed, prickly pear and wild onions.

Cattle, antelope and small mammals and birds.

**Soil Type and Characteristics**

Soils are a moderately deep sandy loam.

**Erosion Issues** N

**Sedimentation Issues** N

**Site Stability Issues** N

**Drainage Diversion Required** N

**Berm Required?** N

**Erosion Sedimentation Control Required?** N

**Paleo Survey Run? Paleo Potential Observed? Cultural Survey Run? Cultural Resources?**

**Reserve Pit**

<b>Site-Specific Factors</b>		<b>Site Ranking</b>
<b>Distance to Groundwater (feet)</b>	>200	0
<b>Distance to Surface Water (feet)</b>	>1000	0
<b>Dist. Nearest Municipal Well (ft)</b>	>5280	0
<b>Distance to Other Wells (feet)</b>	300 to 1320	10
<b>Native Soil Type</b>	Mod permeability	10
<b>Fluid Type</b>	Fresh Water	5
<b>Drill Cuttings</b>	Normal Rock	0
<b>Annual Precipitation (inches)</b>	<10	0
<b>Affected Populations</b>	<10	0
<b>Presence Nearby Utility Conduits</b>	Not Present	0
		<b>Final Score</b> 25
		<b>Sensitivity Level</b> 1

**Characteristics / Requirements**

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**Closed Loop Mud Required?** N **Liner Required?** Y **Liner Thickness** 16 **Pit Underlayment Required?** Y

**Other Observations / Comments**

ATV's were used to access the location.

Floyd Bartlett  
**Evaluator**

7/22/2008  
**Date / Time**

**From:** Jim Davis  
**To:** Bonner, Ed; kaylene gardner; Mason, Diana  
**Date:** 8/25/2008 10:52 AM  
**Subject:** SITLA clearance of EOG wells

The following wells have been approved by SITLA including Arch and Paleo clearance. Spot monitoring for paleo resources is required at each of these locations. Formal notice of the paleo requirement has been sent to EOG previously.

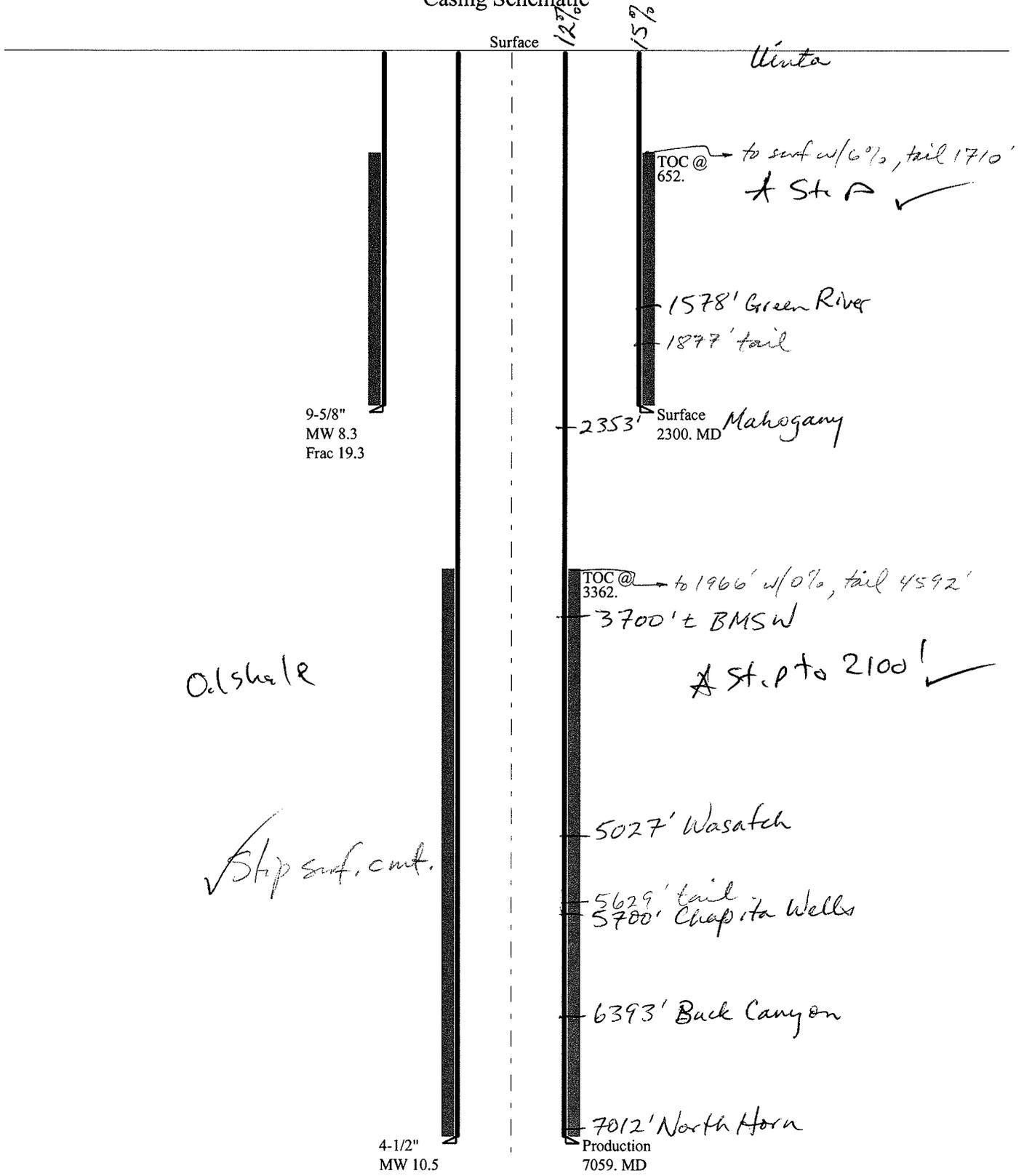
4304750065	NBU 734-36E	EOG Resources	630	Natural Buttes	NENE	36	090S	200E
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4304750061	NBU 730-36E	EOG Resources	630	Natural Buttes	NWNW	36	090S	200E
S	UINTAH							

-Jim

Jim Davis  
 Utah Trust Lands Administration  
 jimdavis1@utah.gov  
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# 43047500610000 NBU-730-36E

## Casing Schematic



Surface

12 3/16%  
15%

Uinta

TOC @ 652. → to surf w/6%, tail 1710'  
\* St. A ✓

1578' Green River

1897' tail

9-5/8"  
MW 8.3  
Frac 19.3

2353' Surface Mahogany  
2300. MD

TOC @ 3362. → to 1966' w/0%, tail 4592'

3700' ± BMSW

Oil shale

\* St. P to 2100' ✓

5027' Wasatch

✓ Ship surf. cont.

5629' tail  
5700' Chapita Wells

6393' Buck Canyon

4-1/2"  
MW 10.5

7012' North Horn  
Production  
7059. MD

Well name:	<b>43047500610000 NBU-730-36E</b>		
Operator:	<b>EOG Resources, Inc.</b>		
String type:	Surface	Project ID:	43-047-50061-0000
Location:	Uintah County, Utah		

**Design parameters:**

**Collapse**

Mud weight: 8.330 ppg  
 Design is based on evacuated pipe.

**Burst**

Max anticipated surface pressure: 2,024 psi  
 Internal gradient: 0.120 psi/ft  
 Calculated BHP: 2,300 psi  
  
 No backup mud specified.

**Minimum design factors:**

**Collapse:**

Design factor 1.125

**Burst:**

Design factor 1.00

**Tension:**

8 Round STC: 1.80 (J)  
 8 Round LTC: 1.80 (J)  
 Buttress: 1.60 (J)  
 Premium: 1.50 (J)  
 Body yield: 1.50 (B)

Tension is based on buoyed weight.  
 Neutral point: 2,016 ft

**Environment:**

H2S considered? No  
 Surface temperature: 75 °F  
 Bottom hole temperature: 107 °F  
 Temperature gradient: 1.40 °F/100ft  
 Minimum section length: 1,300 ft

Cement top: 652 ft

**Non-directional string.**

**Re subsequent strings:**

Next setting depth: 7,059 ft  
 Next mud weight: 10.500 ppg  
 Next setting BHP: 3,850 psi  
 Fracture mud wt: 19.250 ppg  
 Fracture depth: 2,300 ft  
 Injection pressure: 2,300 psi

Run Seq	Segment Length (ft)	Size (in)	Nominal Weight (lbs/ft)	Grade	End Finish	True Vert Depth (ft)	Measured Depth (ft)	Drift Diameter (in)	Internal Capacity (ft³)
1	2300	9.625	36.00	J-55	ST&C	2300	2300	8.796	998.3
Run Seq	Collapse Load (psi)	Collapse Strength (psi)	Collapse Design Factor	Burst Load (psi)	Burst Strength (psi)	Burst Design Factor	Tension Load (Kips)	Tension Strength (Kips)	Tension Design Factor
1	995	2020	2.030	2300	3520	1.53	73	394	5.43 J

Prepared by: Helen Sadik-Macdonald  
 Div of Oil, Gas & Minerals

Phone: (801) 538-5357  
 FAX: (801) 359-3940

Date: September 16, 2008  
 Salt Lake City, Utah

Remarks:

Collapse is based on a vertical depth of 2300 ft, a mud weight of 8.33 ppg. The casing is considered to be evacuated for collapse purposes. Collapse strength is based on the Westcott, Dunlop & Kemler method of biaxial correction for tension.

Burst strength is not adjusted for tension.

Well name:	<b>43047500610000 NBU-730-36E</b>		
Operator:	<b>EOG Resources, Inc.</b>		
String type:	Production	Project ID:	43-047-50061-0000
Location:	Uintah County, Utah		

**Design parameters:**

**Collapse**

Mud weight: 10.500 ppg  
 Design is based on evacuated pipe.

**Minimum design factors:**

**Collapse:**

Design factor 1.125

**Burst:**

Design factor 1.00

**Environment:**

H2S considered? No  
 Surface temperature: 75 °F  
 Bottom hole temperature: 174 °F  
 Temperature gradient: 1.40 °F/100ft  
 Minimum section length: 1,500 ft

Cement top: 3,362 ft

**Burst**

Max anticipated surface pressure: 2,297 psi  
 Internal gradient: 0.220 psi/ft  
 Calculated BHP 3,850 psi

No backup mud specified.

**Tension:**

8 Round STC: 1.80 (J)  
 8 Round LTC: 1.80 (J)  
 Buttress: 1.60 (J)  
 Premium: 1.50 (J)  
 Body yield: 1.50 (B)

**Non-directional string.**

Tension is based on buoyed weight.  
 Neutral point: 5,951 ft

Run Seq	Segment Length (ft)	Size (in)	Nominal Weight (lbs/ft)	Grade	End Finish	True Vert Depth (ft)	Measured Depth (ft)	Drift Diameter (in)	Internal Capacity (ft³)
1	7059	4.5	11.60	N-80	LT&C	7059	7059	3.875	616
Run Seq	Collapse Load (psi)	Collapse Strength (psi)	Collapse Design Factor	Burst Load (psi)	Burst Strength (psi)	Burst Design Factor	Tension Load (Kips)	Tension Strength (Kips)	Tension Design Factor
1	3850	6350	1.649	3850	7780	2.02	69	223	3.23 J

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Date: September 16, 2008  
 Salt Lake City, Utah

Remarks:

Collapse is based on a vertical depth of 7059 ft, a mud weight of 10.5 ppg. The casing is considered to be evacuated for collapse purposes. Collapse strength is based on the Westcott, Dunlop & Kemler method of biaxial correction for tension.

Burst strength is not adjusted for tension.

**BOPE REVIEW** **EOG NBU 730-36E** **API 43-047-50061-0000**

**INPUT**

Well Name	EOG NBU 730-36E	API 43-047-50061-0000
Casing Size (")	String 1	String 2
Setting Depth (TVD)	9 5/8	4 1/2
Previous Shoe Setting Depth (TVD)	2300	7059
Max Mud Weight (ppg)	60	2300
BOPE Proposed (psi)	8.33	10.5
Casing Internal Yield (psi)	500	5000
Operators Max Anticipated Pressure (psi)	3520	7780
	3854	10.5 ppg

**Calculations**

Max BHP [psi]	String 1	9 5/8 "
	.052*Setting Depth*MW =	996
Max BHP (Gas) [psi]	Max BHP-(0.12*Setting Depth) =	720
Max BHP (Gas/Mud) [psi]	Max BHP-(0.22*Setting Depth) =	490
Pressure At Previous Shoe	Max BHP-.22*(Setting Depth - Previous Shoe Depth) =	503
Required Casing/BOPE Test Pressure		2300 psi
*Max Pressure Allowed @ Previous Casing Shoe =		60 psi
		*Assumes 1 psi/ft frac gradient

BOPE Adequate For Drilling And Setting Casing at Depth? NO  Air drill - stripper head

\*Can Full Expected Pressure Be Held At Previous Shoe? NO  Reasonable depth expected pressure

**Calculations**

Max BHP [psi]	String 2	4 1/2 "
	.052*Setting Depth*MW =	3854
Max BHP (Gas) [psi]	Max BHP-(0.12*Setting Depth) =	3007
Max BHP (Gas/Mud) [psi]	Max BHP-(0.22*Setting Depth) =	2301
Pressure At Previous Shoe	Max BHP-.22*(Setting Depth - Previous Shoe Depth) =	2807
Required Casing/BOPE Test Pressure		5000 psi
*Max Pressure Allowed @ Previous Casing Shoe =		2300 psi
		*Assumes 1 psi/ft frac gradient

BOPE Adequate For Drilling And Setting Casing at Depth? YES

\*Can Full Expected Pressure Be Held At Previous Shoe? NO

# ON-SITE PREDRILL EVALUATION

## Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

<b>Operator</b>	EOG RESOURCES, INC.				
<b>Well Name</b>	NBU 730-36E				
<b>API Number</b>	43047500610000	<b>APD No</b>	844	<b>Field/Unit</b>	NATURAL BUTTES
<b>Location: 1/4,1/4</b>	NWNW	<b>Sec</b>	36	<b>Tw</b>	9.0S
		<b>Rng</b>	20.0E	732	FNL 525 FWL
<b>GPS Coord (UTM)</b>	617683	4428102	<b>Surface Owner</b>		

**Participants**

Floyd Bartlett (DOGM), Jim Davis (SITLA), Byron Tolman (Agent for EOG)

**Regional/Local Setting & Topography**

This location is in the Natural Buttes Unit approximately 10 miles southeast of Ouray, Ut.. It is accessed by the Seep Ridge Road to the Uintah County Middle Road then by existing or planned oil field development roads to within 0.50 miles of the site, which will require new construction.

The general area is in the head of a long unnamed wash immediately west of Cottonwood Wash. Both washes enter the White River in the same general area, approximately six miles below the site. The area is characterized by rolling hills, which are frequently divided by somewhat gentle draws which drain northerly. This unnamed wash is an ephemeral drainage. No springs, seeps or streams exist in the area. An occasional pond constructed to supply water for cattle and antelope exists. The washes are sometimes rimmed with steep side hills, which have exposed sand stone bedrock cliffs along the rims.

The proposed NBU 730-36E gas well location is oriented in an east-west direction longitudinally along a flat which slopes slightly to the northeast. No drainage concerns exist. The selected site poses no significant surface problems and should be a suitable location for constructing a pad, drilling and operating a well.

Both the surface and minerals are owned by SITLA.

**Surface Use Plan**

**Current Surface Use**

Grazing  
Recreational  
Wildlife Habitat

<b>New Road Miles</b>	<b>Well Pad</b>	<b>Src Const Material</b>	<b>Surface Formation</b>
0.5	<b>Width 276 Length 375</b>	Onsite	UNTA

**Ancillary Facilities** N

**Waste Management Plan Adequate?**

**Environmental Parameters**

**Affected Floodplains and/or Wetlands** N

**Flora / Fauna**

The area has a moderate cover of vegetation. Principal species present are greasewood, shadscale, horsebrush, cheatgrass, halogeton, globe mallow, Spiny hopsage, Indian ricegrass, pepperweed, prickly pear and wild onions.

Cattle, antelope and small mammals and birds.

**Soil Type and Characteristics**

Soils are a moderately deep sandy loam.

**Erosion Issues** N

**Sedimentation Issues** N

**Site Stability Issues** N

**Drainage Diverson Required?** N

**Berm Required?** N

**Erosion Sedimentation Control Required?** N

**Paleo Survey Run? Paleo Potental Observed? Cultural Survey Run? Cultural Resources?**

**Reserve Pit**

<b>Site-Specific Factors</b>	<b>Site Ranking</b>	
<b>Distance to Groundwater (feet)</b>	>200	0
<b>Distance to Surface Water (feet)</b>	>1000	0
<b>Dist. Nearest Municipal Well (ft)</b>	>5280	0
<b>Distance to Other Wells (feet)</b>	300 to 1320	10
<b>Native Soil Type</b>	Mod permeability	10
<b>Fluid Type</b>	Fresh Water	5
<b>Drill Cuttings</b>	Normal Rock	0
<b>Annual Precipitation (inches)</b>		0
<b>Affected Populations</b>		
<b>Presence Nearby Utility Conduits</b>	Not Present	0
	<b>Final Score</b>	25
		1 Sensitivity Level

**Characteristics / Requirements**

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Floyd Bartlett

7/22/2008

**Evaluator**

**Date / Time**



JON M. HUNTSMAN, JR.  
*Governor*

GARY R. HERBERT  
*Lieutenant Governor*

## State of Utah

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

MICHAEL R. STYLER  
*Executive Director*

Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

JOHN R. BAZA  
*Division Director*

### Permit To Drill

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**Well Name:** NBU 730-36E  
**API Well Number:** 43047500610000  
**Lease Number:** ML3140.5  
**Surface Owner:** STATE  
**Approval Date:** 12/24/2008

**Issued to:**

EOG Resources, Inc., 1060 East Highway 40, Vernal, UT 84078

**Authority:**

Pursuant to Utah Code Ann. §40-6-1 et seq., and Utah Administrative Code R649-3-1 et seq., the Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining issues conditions of approval, and permit to drill the listed well. This permit is issued in accordance with the requirements of Cause 173-14 .

**Duration:**

This approval shall expire one year from the above date unless substantial and continuous operation is underway, or a request for extension is made prior to the expiration date

**General:**

Compliance with the requirements of Utah Admin. R. 649-1 et seq., the Oil and Gas Conservation General Rules, and the applicable terms and provisions of the approved Application for permit to drill.

**Conditions of Approval:**

In accordance with the Order in Cause No. 190-5(b) dated October 28, 1982, the operator shall comply with the requirements of Rules R649-3-31 and R649-3-27 pertaining to Designated Oil Shale Areas. Additionally, the operators shall ensure that the surface and or production casing is properly cemented over the entire oil shale section as defined by Rule R649-3-31. The Operator shall report the actual depth the oil shale is encountered to the division.

Compliance with the Conditions of Approval/Application for Permit to Drill outlined in the Statement of Basis (copy attached).

Surface casing shall be cemented to the surface.

Cement volume for the 4 1/2" production string shall be determined from actual hole diameter in order to place cement from the pipe setting depth back to 2100' MD as indicated in the submitted drilling plan.

**Notification Requirements:**

The operator is required to notify the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining of the following action during drilling of this well:

- 24 hours prior to cementing or testing casing - contact Dan Jarvis
- 24 hours prior to testing blowout prevention equipment - contact Dan Jarvis
- 24 hours prior to spudding the well - contact Carol Daniels
- Within 24 hours of any emergency changes made to the approved drilling program - contact

Dustin Doucet

- Prior to commencing operations to plug and abandon the well - contact Dan Jarvis

The operator is required to get approval from the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining before performing any of the following actions during the drilling of this well:

- Plugging and abandonment or significant plug back of this well - contact Dustin Doucet
- Any changes to the approved drilling plan - contact Dustin Doucet

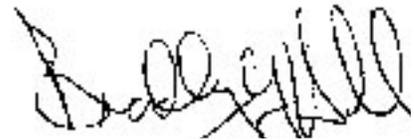
The following are Division of Oil, Gas and Mining contacts and their telephone numbers (please leave a voice mail message if the person is not available to take the call):

- Dan Jarvis at: (801) 538-5338 office  
(801) 942-0871 home
- Carol Daniels at: (801) 538-5284 office
- Dustin Doucet at: (801) 538-5281 office  
(801) 733-0983 home

**Reporting Requirements:**

All required reports, forms and submittals will be promptly filed with the Division, including but not limited to the Entity Action Form (Form 6), Report of Water Encountered During Drilling (Form 7), Weekly Progress Reports for drilling and completion operations, and Sundry Notices and Reports on Wells requesting approval of change of plans or other operational actions.

**Approved By:**



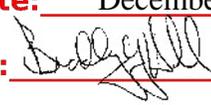
For Gil Hunt  
Associate Director, Oil & Gas

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<b>2. NAME OF OPERATOR:</b> EOG Resources, Inc.	<b>9. API NUMBER:</b> 43047500610000
<b>3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR:</b> 1060 East Highway 40 , Vernal, UT, 84078	<b>PHONE NUMBER:</b> 435 781-9111 Ext
<b>4. LOCATION OF WELL FOOTAGES AT SURFACE:</b> 0732 FNL 0525 FWL <b>QTR/QTR, SECTION, TOWNSHIP, RANGE, MERIDIAN:</b> Qtr/Qtr: NWNW Section: 36 Township: 09.0S Range: 20.0E Meridian: S	<b>9. FIELD and POOL or WILDCAT:</b> NATURAL BUTTES  <b>COUNTY:</b> UINTAH  <b>STATE:</b> UTAH

**11. CHECK APPROPRIATE BOXES TO INDICATE NATURE OF NOTICE, REPORT, OR OTHER DATA**

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**12. DESCRIBE PROPOSED OR COMPLETED OPERATIONS. Clearly show all pertinent details including dates, depths, volumes, etc.**  
 EOG Resources, Inc. respectfully requests the APD for the referenced well be extended for one year.

**Approved by the Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining**  
  
**Date:** December 15, 2009  
**By:** 

<b>NAME (PLEASE PRINT)</b> Mickenzie Gates	<b>PHONE NUMBER</b> 435 781-9145	<b>TITLE</b> Operations Clerk
<b>SIGNATURE</b> N/A		<b>DATE</b> 12/14/2009



**The Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining**

- State of Utah  
- Department of Natural Resources

Electronic Permitting System - Sundry Notices

**Request for Permit Extension Validation Well Number 43047500610000**

**API:** 43047500610000

**Well Name:** NBU 730-36E

**Location:** 0732 FNL 0525 FWL QTR NWNW SEC 36 TWNP 090S RNG 200E MER S

**Company Permit Issued to:** EOG RESOURCES, INC.

**Date Original Permit Issued:** 12/24/2008

The undersigned as owner with legal rights to drill on the property as permitted above, hereby verifies that the information as submitted in the previously approved application to drill, remains valid and does not require revision. Following is a checklist of some items related to the application, which should be verified.

- If located on private land, has the ownership changed, if so, has the surface agreement been updated?  Yes  No
  
- Have any wells been drilled in the vicinity of the proposed well which would affect the spacing or siting requirements for this location?  Yes  No
  
- Has there been any unit or other agreements put in place that could affect the permitting or operation of this proposed well?  Yes  No
  
- Have there been any changes to the access route including ownership, or rightof- way, which could affect the proposed location?  Yes  No
  
- Has the approved source of water for drilling changed?  Yes  No
  
- Have there been any physical changes to the surface location or access route which will require a change in plans from what was discussed at the onsite evaluation?  Yes  No
  
- Is bonding still in place, which covers this proposed well?  Yes  No

**Approved by the  
Utah Division of  
Oil, Gas and Mining**

**Signature:** Mickenzie Gates

**Date:** 12/14/2009

**Title:** Operations Clerk **Representing:** EOG RESOURCES, INC.

**Date:** December 15, 2009

**By:**

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<b>3. ADDRESS OF OPERATOR:</b> P.O. Box 173779 1099 18th Street, Suite 600, Denver, CO, 80217 3779	<b>PHONE NUMBER:</b> 720 929-6007 Ext
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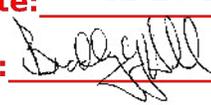
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Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore, L.P. (Kerr-McGee) respectfully requests an extension to this APD for the maximum time allowed. Please contact the undersigned with any questions and/or comments. Thank you.

**Approved by the  
Utah Division of  
Oil, Gas and Mining**

Date: 12/23/2010  
 By: 

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<b>SIGNATURE</b> N/A		<b>DATE</b> 12/20/2010



**The Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining**

- State of Utah  
- Department of Natural Resources

Electronic Permitting System - Sundry Notices

**Request for Permit Extension Validation Well Number 43047500610000**

**API:** 43047500610000

**Well Name:** NBU 730-36E

**Location:** 0732 FNL 0525 FWL QTR NWNW SEC 36 TWNP 090S RNG 200E MER S

**Company Permit Issued to:** KERR-MCGEE OIL & GAS ONSHORE, L.P.

**Date Original Permit Issued:** 12/24/2008

The undersigned as owner with legal rights to drill on the property as permitted above, hereby verifies that the information as submitted in the previously approved application to drill, remains valid and does not require revision. Following is a checklist of some items related to the application, which should be verified.

- If located on private land, has the ownership changed, if so, has the surface agreement been updated?  Yes  No
- Have any wells been drilled in the vicinity of the proposed well which would affect the spacing or siting requirements for this location?  Yes  No
- Has there been any unit or other agreements put in place that could affect the permitting or operation of this proposed well?  Yes  No
- Have there been any changes to the access route including ownership, or rightof- way, which could affect the proposed location?  Yes  No
- Has the approved source of water for drilling changed?  Yes  No
- Have there been any physical changes to the surface location or access route which will require a change in plans from what was discussed at the onsite evaluation?  Yes  No
- Is bonding still in place, which covers this proposed well?  Yes  No

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JANUARY 4, 2012

Kerr McGee Oil & Gas Onshore, L.P.  
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Denver, CO 80217

Re: APD Rescinded – NBU 730-36E, Sec. 36, T. 9S, R. 20E  
Uintah County, Utah API No. 43-047-50061

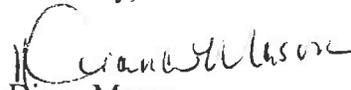
Ladies and Gentlemen:

The Application for Permit to Drill (APD) for the subject well was approved by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (Division) on December 24, 2008. On December 15, 2009 and December 23, 2010, the Division granted a one-year APD extension. No drilling activity at this location has been reported to the division. Therefore, approval to drill the well is hereby rescinded, effective January 4, 2012.

A new APD must be filed with this office for approval prior to the commencement of any future work on the subject location.

If any previously unreported operations have been performed on this well location, it is imperative that you notify the Division immediately.

Sincerely,

  
Diana Mason  
Environmental Scientist

cc: Well File  
SITLA, Ed Bonner

