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State of Colorado  
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO:

1.  Drill,  Deepen,  Re-enter,  Recomplete and Operate

2. TYPE OF WELL

OIL  GAS  COALBED  OTHER \_\_\_\_\_  
 SINGLE ZONE  MULTIPLE ZONE  COMMINGLE ZONE

Refiling   
 Sidetrack

Document Number:  
 400119439  
 Plugging Bond Surety  
 20040071

3. Name of Operator: ANTERO RESOURCES PICEANCE CORPORATION 4. COGCC Operator Number: 10079

5. Address: 1625 17TH ST STE 300  
 City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

6. Contact Name: Hannah Knopping Phone: (303)357-6412 Fax: (303)357-7315  
 Email: hknopping@anteroresources.com

7. Well Name: Dixon Federal Well Number: B3

8. Unit Name (if appl): \_\_\_\_\_ Unit Number: \_\_\_\_\_

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 8136

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: NWSW Sec: 15 Twp: 6S Rng: 92W Meridian: 6  
 Latitude: 39.524149 Longitude: -107.659607

Footage at Surface: 1592 feet FNL/FSL FSL 806 feet FEL/FWL FWL

11. Field Name: Mamm Creek Field Number: 52500

12. Ground Elevation: 5513 13. County: GARFIELD

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 11/15/2006 PDOP Reading: 1.4 Instrument Operator's Name: Scott E. Aibner

15. If well is  Directional  Horizontal (highly deviated) **submit deviated drilling plan.**

Footage at Top of Prod Zone: FNL/FSL 1725 FSL FSL 2392 FEL FEL FNL/FSL 1725 FSL FSL 2392 FEL FEL  
 Sec: 15 Twp: 6S Rng: 92W Sec: 15 Twp: 6S Rng: 92W

16. Is location in a high density area? (Rule 603b)?  Yes  No

17. Distance to the nearest building, public road, above ground utility or railroad: 485 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 293 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation: 730 ft

20. LEASE, SPACING AND POOLING INFORMATION

Objective Formation(s)	Formation Code	Spacing Order Number(s)	Unit Acreage Assigned to Well	Unit Configuration (N/2, SE/4, etc.)
Iles	ILES	191-25	320	S/2
Williams Fork	WMFK	191-24	320	S/2

21. Mineral Ownership:  Fee  State  Federal  Indian Lease #: \_\_\_\_\_

22. Surface Ownership:  Fee  State  Federal  Indian

23. Is the Surface Owner also the Mineral Owner?  Yes  No Surface Surety ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

23a. If 23 is Yes: Is the Surface Owner(s) signature on the lease?  Yes  No

23b. If 23 is No  Surface Owners Agreement Attached or  \$25,000 Blanket Surface Bon  \$2,000 Surface Bond  \$5,000 Surface Bond

24. Using standard QtrQtr, Sec, Twp, Rng format enter entire mineral lease description upon which this proposed wellsite is located (attach separate sheet/map if you prefer):  
Section 15-T6S-R92W: SW/4NW/SE/4, and portions of W/2SE/4NW/4SE/4

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 222 ft 26. Total Acres in Lease: 14

### DRILLING PLANS AND PROCEDURES

27. Is H2S anticipated?  Yes  No If Yes, attach contingency plan.

28. Will salt sections be encountered during drilling?  Yes  No

29. Will salt (>15,000 ppm TDS CL) or oil based muds be used during drilling?  Yes  No

30. If questions 27 or 28 are yes, is this location in a sensitive area (Rule 903)?  Yes  No **If 28, 29, or 30 are "Yes" a pit permit may be required.**

31. Mud disposal:  Offsite  Onsite

Method:  Land Farming  Land Spreading  Disposal Facility Other: Onsite if meet Tbl 910

Note: The use of an earthen pit for Recompletion fluids requires a pit permit (Rule 905b). If air/gas drilling, notify local fire officials.

Casing Type	Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Wt/Ft	Csg/Line Top	Setting Depth	Sacks Cmt	Cmt Btm	Cmt Top
CONDUCTOR	24	16	55#	0	60	177	60	0
SURF	12+1/4	8+5/8	34/32#	0	1,000	416	1,000	0
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	11.6#	0	8,136	356	8,136	

32. BOP Equipment Type:  Annular Preventer  Double Ram  Rotating Head  None

33. Comments I certify that conditions in the original permit are the same except SHL change, BHL change, new TD, new lease information and updated casing program. An updated plat and directional plan are attached. This Refile Form 2 does not require a Form 2A because the pad has been constructed, a closed loop system is being used so no pits need to be constructed, the refiled well will not require any expansion / additional surface disturbance of the pad. The location is not in a wildlife restricted surface occupancy area (RSO); consultation with CDOW is not required and the location does not require a variance from any of the rules listed in Rule 306.d.(1).(A).(ii).; consultation with CDPHE is not required. TOP OF CEMENT OF 1ST STRING/PRODUCTION CASING WILL BE >500 FEET ABOVE TOP OF GAS. PLEASE NOTE THAT THE SHL AND BHL OF ALL PERMITTED WELLS HAVE BEEN MODIFIED SO ANY APPARENT DUPLICATE SHL OR BHL'S WILL BE RECTIFIED ONCE EACH RE-FILED PERMIT IS APPROVED.

34. Location ID: 311696

35. Is this application in a Comprehensive Drilling Plan ?  Yes  No

36. Is this application part of submitted Oil and Gas Location Assessment ?  Yes  No

I hereby certify all statements made in this form are, to the best of my knowledge, true, correct, and complete.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: Hannah Knopping

Title: Permit Representative Date: 12/30/2010 Email: hknopping@anteroresources.co

Based on the information provided herein, this Application for Permit-to-Drill complies with COGCC Rules and applicable orders and is hereby approved.

COGCC Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Director of COGCC Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**API NUMBER**

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Permit Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:** \_\_\_\_\_

All representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in the Form 2A for this location shall constitute representations, stipulations and conditions of approval for this Form 2 Permit-to-Drill and are enforceable to the same extent as all other representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in this Permit-to-Drill.

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**Attachment Check List**

Att Doc Num	Name
400119583	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400120020	30 DAY NOTICE LETTER
400120148	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN

Total Attach: 3 Files

**General Comments**

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>

Total: 0 comment(s)

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