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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:
400131014
Plugging Bond Surety

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: Burckle Federal Well Number: A13

8. Unit Name (if appl): _____ Unit Number: _____

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 7872

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: NWSE Sec: 16 Twp: 6S Rng: 92W Meridian: 6
Latitude: 39.525260 Longitude: -107.670214

Footage at Surface: 2051 feet FSL 2183 feet FEL

11. Field Name: Mamm Creek Field Number: 52500

12. Ground Elevation: 5558 13. County: GARFIELD

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 01/04/2011 PDOP Reading: 2.6 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 FSL FWL Bottom Hole: FNL/FSL FSL FWL
827 FSL 1724 FWL 827 FSL 1724 FWL
Sec: 16 Twp: 6S Rng: 92W Sec: 16 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: 645 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 458 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation: 308 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	191-10	40	SWSE
Williams Fork	WMFK	191-8	40	SWSE

21. Mineral Ownership: Fee State Federal Indian Lease #: COC56027

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):
T6S-R92W, Section 16: SW/4SE/4; Section 1: Lots 3,4; Section 28: SW/4; Section 29: E/2SE/4; Section 33: SW/4

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 403 ft 26. Total Acres in Lease: 533

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 28 or 29 are yes, is this location in a sensitive area (Rule 901.e)? Yes No

31. Mud disposal: Offsite Onsite **If 28, 29, or 30 are "Yes" a pit permit may be required.**

Method: Land Farming Land Spreading Disposal Facility Other: Onsite,if app.(see comments)

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/Liner 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	24/32#	0	1,000	416	1,000	0
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	11.6#	0	7,872	356	7,872	

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

33. Comments Please note that the pad location has been constructed, however we have filed a Form 2A-Amend Existing Location because we are modifying the location by adding an additional 2 wells. #31 Mud Disposal: Antero will bury onsite if disposal meets Table 910 and if there is a provision in SUA which allows for such operation. TOP OF CEMENT OF 1ST STRING/PRODUCTION CASING WILL BE >500 FEET ABOVE TOP OF GAS.

34. Location ID: 335540

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: 2/22/2011 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 Permit Number: _____ Expiration Date: _____

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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
400131014	FORM 2 SUBMITTED
400132376	TOPO MAP
400132379	SURFACE AGRMT/SURETY
400132382	30 DAY NOTICE LETTER
400132393	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN
400135194	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400135195	FED. DRILLING PERMIT

Total Attach: 7 Files

General Comments

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