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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  COMMINGLE

Refiling   
 Sidetrack

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 Well Number: A3  
 8. Unit Name (if appl): \_\_\_\_\_ Unit Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 9214

**WELL LOCATION INFORMATION**

10. QtrQtr: SWNE Sec: 18 Twp: 6S Rng: 92W Meridian: 6  
 Latitude: 39.529606 Longitude: -107.706000  
 Footage at Surface: 1526 feet FNL 1702 feet FEL  
 11. Field Name: MAMM CREEK Field Number: 52500  
 12. Ground Elevation: 5534 13. County: GARFIELD

14. GPS Data:  
 Date of Measurement: 05/17/2007 PDOP Reading: 1.2 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: 972 FNL 510 FWL Bottom Hole: 972 FNL 510 FWL  
 Sec: 18 Twp: 6S Rng: 92W Sec: 18 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: 595 ft  
 18. Distance to nearest property line: 197 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation(BHL): 412 ft

**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	191-40	223	N/2
Williams Fork	WMFK	191-40	223	N/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 Bond  \$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):

See "Plat 4" from previously approved APD - T6S, R92W Sec 18 - Lot 1 S/2NENW, N/2SENE, S/2N/2NWNE, N/2S/2NWNE, S/2N/2NENE, N/2S/2NENE

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 280 ft 26. Total Acres in Lease: 46

### 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	9,214	763	9,214	

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

33. Comments I certify that all conditions in the original permit are the same except for a corrected Total Depth and an updated casing and cement program. There have been no changes to land use, well construction or the lease. 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. #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: 335550

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: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: hknopping@anteroresources.

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**

05 045 14884 00

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**

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