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**WELL ABANDONMENT REPORT**

This form is to be submitted as an Intent to Abandon whenever an abandonment is planned on a borehole. After the abandonment is complete, this form shall again be submitted as a Subsequent Report of the actual work completed. The approved intent shall be valid for six months after the approval date, after that period, a new intent will be required. Attachments required with the Intent to Abandon are wellbore diagrams of the current configuration and the proposed configuration with plugs set.  
A Subsequent Report of Abandonment shall indicate the actual work completed. Attachments required with a Subsequent Report are a wellbore diagram showing plugs that were set and casing remaining in the hole, the job summaries from all plugging contractors used, including wireline and cementing (third party verification) and any logs that may have been run during abandonment.

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API Number 05-123-20485-00 Well Number: 5C  
 Well Name: NOFFSINGER/MINN  
 Location: QtrQtr: NENE Section: 5 Township: 5N Range: 64W Meridian: 6  
 County: WELD Federal, Indian or State Lease Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Field Name: WATTENBERG Field Number: 90750

Notice of Intent to Abandon       Subsequent Report of Abandonment

*Only Complete the Following Background Information for Intent to Abandon*

Latitude: 40.431250 Longitude: -104.569360  
 GPS Data:  
 Date of Measurement: 01/16/2009 PDOP Reading: 2.0 GPS Instrument Operator's Name: Holly L. Tracy  
 Reason for Abandonment:  Dry     Production Sub-economic     Mechanical Problems  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 Casing to be pulled:  Yes     No    Estimated Depth: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Fish in Hole:  Yes     No    If yes, explain details below  
 Wellbore has Uncemented Casing leaks:  Yes     No    If yes, explain details below  
 Details: \_\_\_\_\_

**Current and Previously Abandoned Zones**

Formation	Perf. Top	Perf. Btm	Abandoned Date	Method of Isolation	Plug Depth
CODELL	6872	6880	12/12/2017	B PLUG CEMENT TOP	6822

Total: 1 zone(s)

**Casing History**

Casing Type	Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Weight Per Foot	Setting Depth	Sacks Cement	Cement Bot	Cement Top	Status
SURF	12+1/4	8+5/8	24	374	265	374	0	VISU
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	10.5	7,040	150	7,040	6,075	CBL
S.C. 1.1				6,075	250	6,075	3,580	CBL

## Plugging Procedure for Intent and Subsequent Report

CIBP #1: Depth 6822 with 2 sacks cmt on top. CIBP #2: Depth 6475 with 2 sacks cmt on top.  
 CIBP #3: Depth \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_ sacks cmt on top. CIBP #4: Depth \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_ sacks cmt on top.  
 CIBP #5: Depth \_\_\_\_\_ with \_\_\_\_\_ sacks cmt on top.

NOTE: Two(2) sacks cement required on all CIBPs.

Set 160 sks cmt from 3674 ft. to 3250 ft. Plug Type: STUB PLUG Plug Tagged:   
 Set 336 sks cmt from 706 ft. to 0 ft. Plug Type: CASING Plug Tagged:   
 Set \_\_\_\_\_ sks cmt from \_\_\_\_\_ ft. to \_\_\_\_\_ ft. Plug Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Plug Tagged:   
 Set \_\_\_\_\_ sks cmt from \_\_\_\_\_ ft. to \_\_\_\_\_ ft. Plug Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Plug Tagged:   
 Set \_\_\_\_\_ sks cmt from \_\_\_\_\_ ft. to \_\_\_\_\_ ft. Plug Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Plug Tagged:   
 Perforate and squeeze at \_\_\_\_\_ ft. with \_\_\_\_\_ sacks. Leave at least 100 ft. in casing \_\_\_\_\_ CICR Depth  
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(Cast Iron Cement Retainer Depth)  
 Set \_\_\_\_\_ sacks half in. half out surface casing from \_\_\_\_\_ ft. to \_\_\_\_\_ ft. Plug Tagged:   
 Set \_\_\_\_\_ sacks at surface  
 Cut four feet below ground level, weld on plate Above Ground Dry-Hole Marker:  Yes  No  
 Set \_\_\_\_\_ sacks in rat hole Set \_\_\_\_\_ sacks in mouse hole

### Additional Plugging Information for Subsequent Report Only

Casing Recovered: 3570 ft. 4+1/2 inch casing Plugging Date: 12/14/2017  
 of \_\_\_\_\_  
 \*Wireline Contractor: Ranger \*Cementing Contractor: C&J  
 Type of Cement and Additives Used: 15.8#/gal CI G cement  
 Flowline/Pipeline has been abandoned per Rule 1105  Yes  No \*ATTACH JOB SUMMARY

Technical Detail/Comments:

Noffsinger Minn 5C (05-123-20485)/Plugging Procedure (Subsequent)  
 Producing Formation (Perforations): Codell: 6872'-6888'  
 TD: 7065' PBD: 7022'  
 Surface Casing: 8 5/8" 24# @ 397' w/ 265 sxs  
 Production Casing: 4 1/2" 10.5# @ 7040' w/ 400 sxs cmt (TOC @ 3580' - CBL).  
 Tubing: 2 3/8" tubing set @ 6855' (3/14/2002).  
 Proposed Procedure:  
 1. MIRU pulling unit. Pull 2 3/8" tubing.  
 2. RU wireline company.  
 3. TIH with CIBP. Set BP at 6822'. Top with 2 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement.  
 4. TIH with CIBP. Set BP at 6475'. Top with 2 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement.  
 5. Pressure tested casing. Pressure test failed.  
 6. RIH with tension packer. Set packer at 3310'. Pressure tested up to 1000 psi from 3310' to top of CIBP. Good test. Found holes in casing from 2335'-2754'. Released packer.  
 7. TIH with casing cutter. Cut 4 1/2" casing at 3570'. Pull cut casing.  
 8. TIH with tubing to 3674'. RU cementing company. Mix and pump 160 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement down tubing.  
 9. TIH with tubing to 706'. RU cementing company. Mix and pump 336 sxs 15.8#/gal CI G cement down tubing to surface.  
 10. Cut surface casing 6' below ground level and weld on cap.

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

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: Kelsi Welch  
 Title: Production Tech Date: 1/15/2018 Email: kelsi.welch@pdce.com

Based on the information provided herein, this Well Abandonment Report (Form 6) complies with COGCC Rules and applicable orders and is hereby approved.

COGCC Approved: Jacobson, Eric

Date: 10/15/2018

**CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:**

<u>COA Type</u>	<u>Description</u>

**Attachment Check List**

<u>Att Doc Num</u>	<u>Name</u>
401513478	FORM 6 SUBSEQUENT SUBMITTED
401513500	WELLBORE DIAGRAM
401513502	CEMENT JOB SUMMARY
401513513	WIRELINE JOB SUMMARY
401513515	CEMENT BOND LOG

Total Attach: 5 Files

**General Comments**

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>
Engineer	Waiting for the operator to submit the bradenhead test results. File submitted 10/12/2018 EJ	07/10/2018

Total: 1 comment(s)