



February 23, 2026

Sent via email: k_visseau@yahoo.com

Michael Visseau
1055 Horse Run Road
Shinglehouse, PA 16748

Dear Operator:

A permit application to adopt an oil or gas well was received on January 15, 2026. Pursuant to Section 3211(a) and (l) of the 2012 Oil and Gas Act., a person who proposes to conduct abandoned or orphan well operations shall first obtain a permit to operate such a well.

This well adoption permit requires the new owner/operator to comply with all applicable statutes and regulations including the responsibility to properly plug the well upon abandonment. Pursuant to the notifications requirements of Section 3211(b.2) of 58 Pa. C.S. 3201-3274 (“2012 Oil & Gas Act”), you are hereby notified of both statutory and regulator obligations to properly plug any adopted well upon abandonment as noted on the Permit Application to Adopt an Oil or Gas Well.

Please review the well inventory to verify that all adopted wells are listed.
<https://www.depgreenport.state.pa.us/ReportExtracts/OG/OilGasWellInventoryReport>

Greenport registration must be completed and the information can be found at:

<http://www.depgreenport.state.pa.us/elibrary/GetFolder?FolderID=3091>

http://files.dep.state.pa.us/OilGas/BOGM/BOGMPortalFiles/OilGasReports/Greenport/Oil_and_Gas_Operator_and_Electronic_Filing_Administrator.pdf

Any person aggrieved by this action may appeal the action to the Environmental Hearing Board (Board) pursuant to Section 4 of the Environmental Hearing Board Act, 35 P.S. § 7514, and the Administrative Agency Law, 2 Pa.C.S. Chapter 5A. The Board’s address is:

Environmental Hearing Board
Rachel Carson State Office Building, Second Floor
400 Market Street
P.O. Box 8457
Harrisburg, PA 17105-8457

TDD users may contact the Environmental Hearing Board through the Pennsylvania Relay Service, 800.654.5984.

Appeals must be filed with the Board within 30 days of receipt of notice of this action unless the appropriate statute provides a different time. This paragraph does not, in and of itself, create any right of appeal beyond that permitted by applicable statutes and decisional law.

A Notice of Appeal form and the Board's rules of practice and procedure may be obtained online at www.ehb.pa.gov or by contacting the Secretary to the Board at 717.787.3483. The Notice of Appeal form and the Board's rules are also available in braille and on audiotape from the Secretary to the Board.

IMPORTANT LEGAL RIGHTS ARE AT STAKE. YOU SHOULD SHOW THIS DOCUMENT TO A LAWYER AT ONCE. IF YOU CANNOT AFFORD A LAWYER, YOU MAY QUALIFY FOR FREE PRO BONO REPRESENTATION. CALL THE SECRETARY TO THE BOARD AT 717.787.3483 FOR MORE INFORMATION. YOU DO NOT NEED A LAWYER TO FILE A NOTICE OF APPEAL WITH THE BOARD.

IF YOU WANT TO CHALLENGE THIS ACTION, YOUR APPEAL MUST BE FILED WITH AND RECEIVED BY THE BOARD WITHIN 30 DAYS OF RECEIPT OF NOTICE OF THIS ACTION.

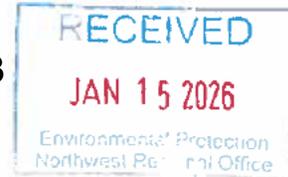
If there are questions or discrepancies contact the Oil & Gas Inspector Lester Taylor at 570-417-7492 or lesttaylor@pa.gov.

Sincerely,

Kate Hogue

Program Support
Northwest Regional Office

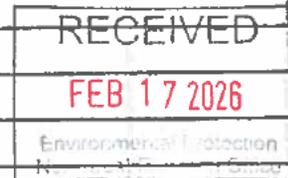
cc: Joseph Gaboff
Andy Klinger
Operator with application
OGI/OGIS
Environmental Group Manager
File



PERMIT APPLICATION TO ADOPT AN OIL OR GAS WELL

A. APPLICANT INFORMATION			Applicant Notification		
Applicant Name <i>Michael R. Visseau</i>		DEP ID / OGO No.	Pursuant to the notification requirements of Section 3211(b.2) of 58 Pa. C.S. Sections 3201-3274 ("2012 Oil and Gas Act"), the applicant is hereby notified of both statutory and regulatory obligations to properly plug any adopted well upon abandonment.		
Address <i>1055 Horse Run Rd</i>		Project No. (If previously assigned by DEP)			
City <i>Shinglehouse</i>	State <i>PA</i>	Zip Code <i>16748</i>			
Telephone No. <i>814-697-6765</i>		Fax No.			

B. WELL INFORMATION													
Group wells by county and use a separate form to list wells in each different county.													
US Well No. (API No.)	County	Municipality	Well (Farm) Name	Well No.	Serial No.	Date Drilled	Well Type	Total Depth	Quad	Section	Was Well Involved in Hydraulic Fracturing Communication Incident/Evidence of Integrity Failure?	Latitude (DD)	Longitude (DD)
<i>1798</i>	<i>Pott</i>	<i>Shinglehouse</i>	<i>Sutherland</i>	<i>1798</i>		<i>4-21-1908</i>	<i>Gas</i>	<i>1111</i>			<i>No</i>	<i>41.99805</i>	<i>78.8355</i>
105-21984 2/18/2026 kh Eastern District Review/Approval: <i>Stephanie Wharton 2/18/2026</i> Approved Oil & Gas District Manager: <i>Scott M. Dudzic 2/20/2026</i>													



Attachments Checklist (please check all that apply)		Applicant Signature	
1. <input type="checkbox"/> Well Locations Plotted on a USGS 7.5 Minute Topographic Map 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Driller's Log, if available 3. <input type="checkbox"/> Any Additional Well Information Available 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Workover Summary, if required 5. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Operating/Ownership Interests Information		Subject to the penalties of Title 18-Pa C.S. Section 4904 relating to unsworn falsification to authorities, I certify that I have the authority to submit this request to operate the above-listed abandoned wells. Further, I certify that the information provided on this form and attachments is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and information. Signature: <i>Michael R. Visseau</i> Date: <i>2/10/26</i> Type or Print Name and Title: <i>Michael R. Visseau</i>	



DEP USE ONLY	
Client Id #	398189
OGO #	69821
Agent's Id #	

OPERATOR'S GENERAL INFORMATION FORM

Before completing this form, please read the instructions on the back. This information will be used to establish or verify our computer records about you or your organization as an oil or gas well operator in Pennsylvania. Any applicant who has not previously conducted business with the DEP Oil and Gas Program must submit this form when applying for an oil or gas approval/permit.

GENERAL OPERATOR INFORMATION		Enter the name and address under which you or your organization operate (and bond) oil and gas wells in Pennsylvania.			
Type of Organization / Code	Corporate, Company, Partnership or Registered Fictitious Name			Federal Tax ID#	
Individual or Partner - Last Name <i>Visseau</i>	First Name <i>Michael</i>	MI <i>R</i>	Suffix	Social Sec # <i>X</i>	
Individual or Partner - Last Name	First Name	MI	Suffix	Social Sec # XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	
Individual or Partner - Last Name	First Name	MI	Suffix	Social Sec # XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX	
Mailing Address <i>1055 Horse Run Road</i>				<input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is a new address.	
City <i>Shinglehouse</i>	State <i>PA</i>	ZIP+4 <i>16748</i>	Country (If Other Than USA)		
Phone (Daytime) <i>814-697-6765</i>	Ext.	FAX	Email Address <i>K-Visseau@yahoo.com</i>		
Person to Contact - Last Name <i>Visseau</i>	First Name <i>Michael</i>	MI <i>R</i>	Suffix	Title	

Parent or Subsidiary Information	Any changes to business structure must be provided to the Oil and Gas Program within 30 days of the change. If there is currently no parent or subsidiary, check the applicable boxes below. If there is, you must attach the Ownership and Control form 8000-FM-OOGM0118.	
Check if no parent: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Check if no subsidiaries: <input type="checkbox"/>	

FIELD OFFICE	Fill in this part if the person or branch office responsible for operations in Pennsylvania is at a location other than the corporate address above.				
Person to Contact - Last Name	First Name	MI	Suffix	Title	
Mailing Address					
City	State	ZIP+4	Country (If Other Than USA)		
Phone (Daytime)	Ext.	FAX	Email Address		



OPERATOR'S AGENT	Non-resident operators <u>only</u> must designate an agent who is a Pennsylvania resident (or corporation) to serve as the operator's corporate presence for service of legal process.				
Agent's Name	Mailing Address			<input type="checkbox"/> Check if only for change of current agent's address.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Check if this is a new agent.	City	State	ZIP+4	Phone (Daytime)	

CERTIFICATION	The undersigned certifies that the above information is correct as of this date, and until DEP is notified otherwise it applies to all future oil or gas well permit applications from this organization or individual.		
Signature <i>* Michael Visseau</i>	Type or print name and title of signer <i>Michael Visseau</i>	Date <i>2-9-26</i>	



February 4, 2026

Michael R Visseau
1055 Horse Run Road
Shinglehouse, PA 16748

Re: Permit Application to Adopt an Oil or Gas Well
Potter County

Dear Operator:

The Department received the above referenced application. Please be advised that your application has been determined to be administratively incomplete. The item(s) listed below must be included in the resubmittal of your application:

Operators General Information Form

Oil and Gas Operator Email Registration Form

Permit Application to Adopt an Oil or Gas Well – I have been unable to reach you at the telephone number listed on the application. A message plays that the call cannot be completed as dialed. Please update the phone number on the application if needed.

The review of your application has stopped until the requested information has been submitted. Please note that the requested information, along with a revised application, if applicable, must be received within 30 days for any deficiencies other than bonding or the Department will return the application as incomplete.

If there are additional questions regarding your application, please contact me at 814.332.6868 or kathogue@pa.gov and refer to the above referenced application.

Sincerely,

Kate Hogue

Program Support
Oil & Gas Management

Enclosures

cc: File
EGM

Site # 885729
Client # 398189

W.G. SUTHERLAND
OWNER Empire Gas & Fuel Co., Ltd. (U.N.G. No. 391) An. EL. 1620 CH W. O. No.

Lease or Farm W. G. Sutherland (5873) Well No. 1798

WELL DATA

Title No 180 Ac. Lot District No. Elev.
Township Sharon County Potter State Pennsylvania

DATE	Rock Pressure	Orifice Pressure	Size of Orifice	Volume Cu. Ft.
5" water				300,00

Location of Well 100'S from N. Line of farm-100' W From E. Line of farm

Commenced Mar 31, 19 08 Completed Apr. 21, 1908 By McGregor & Grames

Conductor Drive Pipe	108	Ft.	Size 8"	In.	Type	New S.H.
Casing	455	Ft.	Size 6 1/4"	In.	Type	New S.H.
Casing		Ft.	Size	In.	Type	New S.H.
Tubing	1110	Ft.	Size 2"	In.	Type	New S.H.
Liner		Ft.	Size	In.	Type	New S.H.
Rods		Ft.	Size	In.	Type	New S.H.

Fluid in hole before shot
Fluid in hole after shot
Pumped first head
Connected to power 19
Water turned in 19
Gas turned in 19

Kind of Packer Set at Cemented with
Working Bbl.
Other Pipe or Fittings

Init. Rock Pressure
Init. Production

First	Sand Top 475	Bottom 499	Thick	Contained
Second	Sand Top 680	Bottom 720	Thick	Contained
Third	Sand Top 1030	Bottom 1070	Thick	Contained
Fourth	Sand Top 1070	Bottom 1090	Thick	Contained
Stray	Sand Top 925	Bottom 945	Thick	Contained
Richburg	Sand Top 981	Bottom 993	Thick	Contained
	Sand Top	Bottom	Thick	Contained

MATERIAL PULLED OUT
Conductor
Drive Pipe Ft. Size
Casing
Casing
Tubing
Other Pipe

Bottom of Well 1111 Total Depth Drilled

Shot By Eldred Powder Co. Apr. 17, 19 08

Shot From	To	Size Shells	Qts.
Shot From	To	Size Shells 4 1/8"	Qts. 60
Shot From	To	Size Shells	Qts.
Shot From	To	Size Shells	Qts.
Shot From	To	Size Shells	Qts.

REMARKS: (If plugged back state type and depth of plug)

Tamped With Clean Out Time

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SEE OTHER SIDE FOR LOCATION SKETCH AND DESCRIPTION OF FORMATIONS