

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS MANAGEMENT

DEP USE ONLY
Application Tracking #
1577346

Site# 879104

**Proposed Alternate Method or Material for
Casing, Plugging, Venting or Equipping a Well**

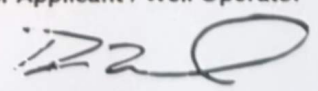
Well Operator PA DEP	DEP ID#	Well Permit or Registration Number 37-019-91447
Address 400 Market Street	Well Farm Name A. Shakley	
City Harrisburg	State PA	Zip Code 17101
Phone 717-772-2199	Fax	Well # #3
		Serial # OOGM FS25-6
		Municipality Butler Center Twp

A proposed alternate method is subject to provisions in §3221 of the 2012 Oil and Gas Act, 58 Pa. C.S. §3221 Section 13 of the Coal and Gas Resource Coordination Act, 58 P.S. §513 and 25 PA Code §§78.75-78.75a (relating to Alternate Methods.) **Attach proof of notification of coal operator(s).**

Describe in reasonable detail using a written description and / or diagram:

1. the proposed alternate method or materials, and
2. the manner in which the alternative will satisfy the goals of the laws and regulations.

As per PA DEP plugging regulation, 78.75(a), "A well operator may request approval from the Department to use an alternative method or material for the casing, plugging or equipping of a well under section 211 of the act (58 P.S. §601.211)." We are proposing and requesting to plug this well from attainable bottom back to surface with Class A. cement according to regulation, 78.91(h). In lieu of venting we will be burying the wellhead 3ft below surface to comply with regulation 78.96.

Optional: Approval by Coal Owner or Operator	Signature of Applicant / Well Operator
Signature	Signature 
Date	Date 7/15/26
Print or Type Signer's Name and Title	Print or Type Signer's Name and Title Robert Kozel, President

If optional approval is signed by coal owner or operator, the 15-day objection period may be waived.

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Approved by (DEP Manager) Aaron Thomas	Conditions ☐ YES, See Attached ☐ NO	Date 7/20/2026