

ORPHANED WELL SCORING CHECKLIST

1. SMA:	2. Well Name & No:	3. Total Depth
4. On an Existing Lease: YES: NO:		
Lease No:		Operator:
5. Surface Location:		
¼ of the	¼ of Sec.	Township Range County

3

Section 1. Factors

1. Leaking at the surface: No: 0 Yes: 5	Score:
2. Well not leaking at surface – possible pressure no pressure = 0 <200 psi = 3 >200 psi or unknown = 5	Score:
3. Well Bore configuration Known: 0 Unknown: 3	Score:
4. Age of Well <30 years = 1 30-50 years = 3 >50 years = 5	Score:
5. Surface contamination None: 0 Minimal: 3 Substantial: 5	Score:
6. Vessels containing fluid (tanks, treaters, etc.) None: 2 Yes: 5	Score:
If yes, type and size of vessels:	
Public Health and Safety Items (items 7. – 11. below)	
7. H ₂ S Concentration: None: 0 H ₂ S possible: 2 H ₂ S Present: 5	Score:
8. Proximity to surface water: > ½ mile = 1 ¼ to ½ mile = 3 < ¼ mile = 5	Score:
9. Proximity to water wells: > ½ mile = 0 ¼ to ½ mile = 3 < ¼ mile = 5	Score:
10. Water wells contaminated: No: 0 Yes: 3	Score:

11. Proximity to residences and/or public buildings. > 1 mile = 0 ½ to 1 mile = 1 < ½ mile = 2	Score:
12. Sensitive environmental resource and other land use priorities:	
(a) T&E/Cultural: 5	Score:
(b) Recreational Use: (Based on intensity) 1 – 4	Score:
(c) Located in significant wildlife area 1 – 3	Score:
13. Other Environmental and Safety Concerns	
(a) Environmental Rate 1 – 5 Explanation:	Score:
(b) Safety Rate 1 – 5 Explanation:	Score:
The weight of this factor ranges from 1 to 5 points for each – Environmental and Safety. The weight of this factor will be dependent on the impact that a well poses to Environment or to Safety. If the factor does not apply, then a weight of zero (0) should be given. Some examples that may apply under this factor are: a well that contains corroded or leaking valves on the wellhead, or on a well that contains corroded casing or no casing at all.	
Total:	
14. Cost for plugging and reclaiming well: estimate:	
or use: \$5.00 per foot.	
_____ ft X \$5.00/Ft =	

Additional Information: