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**AMERICAN ENERGY PARTNER’S COO ANNOUNCES
AGGRESSIVE EXPANSION PLAN INCREASING FOOTPRINT IN
ENERGY SERVICES**

ALLENTOWN, Pennsylvania – (February 13, 2020) – American Energy Partners, Inc. (“American Energy”) (PINK: AEPT), a diversified energy company, announced today that Oilfield Basics, LLC. (“Oilfield Basics”) has released a podcast discussing its acquisition with American Energy’s COO, Josh Hickman. Mr. Hickman delves into American Energy’s introduction to the public markets, past acquisitions, and speaks personally of his own sale of Hickman Geological Consulting, LLC, one of the leading providers of expert geo-technical and valuation resources for surfaces and minerals throughout Ohio, Pennsylvania, and West Virginia to American Energy. Closing the discussion, Mr. Hickman details the composition and progress of our “buy and build strategy,” laying the foundation for future expansion.

Oilfield Basics was founded in 2018 and adds Educational Marketing to American Energy’s suite of Energy services; these services include but are not limited to:

- Industrial waste stream treatment, water exploration, augmentation, and treatment of polluted waters
- Contracts in place that are moving towards the treatment and supply of water from a 5 billion gallon mine pool
- Full-service valuation and geotechnical services,
- Ownership and maintenance of producing oil & natural gas wells

Oilfield Basics adds Educational Marketing opportunities to this full spectrum of energy services. Oilfield Basics provides educational tools to companies including engineering and law firms, as well as services related to construction, drilling, flowback and completions. Oilfield Basics specializes in the Educational Marketing platforms of podcasts and videography to not only inform the public about their customer’s solutions, but also as a platform to discuss issues faced and opportunities present within the industry.

American Energy plans to use this platform as a source of advertising and paid services, thereby simultaneously increasing top-line revenue and corporate exposure.

To listen to the podcast, visit: [Podcast](#)

For additional information, visit: [Oilfield Basics, LLC](#)

American Energy Partners, Inc. (AEPT)

AEPT and its group of companies focus on providing solutions in markets where energy production and water meet technology. Collectively, the subsidiaries are engaged in the energy sector as well as the design, construction and operation of regional water treatment facilities that serve the industrial, energy and government sectors.

For additional information, visit: [American Energy Partners, Inc.](#)

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