

BEFORE THE OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)	
CARRIZO OIL AND GAS, INC., FOR AN)	
ORDER ALLOWING UP TO SIXTEEN)	Cause No.
HORIZONTAL WELLS IN AN ESTABLISHED)	
640-ACRE DRILLING UNIT LOCATED IN)	Docket No.
SECTION 36, TOWNSHIP 9 NORTH, RANGE)	
59 WEST IN WELD COUNTY, COLORADO)	

APPLICATION

Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. ("Applicant"), by and through its attorneys, Beatty & Wozniak, P.C., respectfully submits this Application to the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission of the State of Colorado (the "Commission") for an order authorizing up to sixteen horizontal wells in the following-described lands:

Township 9 North, Range 59 West, 6th P.M.
Section 36: All

Weld County, Colorado (the "Application Lands").

In support of its Application, Applicant states and alleges as follows:

1. Applicant is a corporation duly authorized to conduct business in the State of Colorado and is an operator in good standing with the Commission.
2. Applicant owns substantial leasehold interests in the Application Lands. A well location map of the Application Lands is attached as Exhibit A.
3. On December 12, 2011, the Commission issued Order No. 535-201 which, among other things, established three approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing units for certain lands including the Application Lands and approved up to two horizontal wells within each unit, for development of and production from the Niobrara Formation.
4. On November 15, 2012, the Commission issued Order No. 535 – 217 which, among other things, approved up to four horizontal wells within certain lands, including the Application Lands, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.
5. On March 25, 2013, the Commission issued Order No. 535 – 292 which, among other things, approved up to a total of six horizontal wells within certain lands, including the Application Lands, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.
6. Applicant requests approval to drill, at its option, an additional ten horizontal wells, for a total of up to sixteen horizontal wells in the unit, with internal wellbores offset by 300 feet and unit boundary setbacks of 300 feet.

7. Applicant asserts that the requested wells are necessary to prevent waste, protect correlative rights, and to assure the maximum efficient recovery of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation on the Application Lands.

8. That in order to promote efficient drainage of the Niobrara Formation underlying the application lands, to prevent waste, and to protect correlative rights, the Commission should allow the drilling of an additional ten, for a total of up to sixteen horizontal wells in said unit. The specified size and configuration of the requested drilling unit is not smaller than the maximum area that can be economically and efficiently drained by the requested well(s).

9. According to Rule 507.b.(1), the names and addresses of the interested parties to this Application are set forth in Exhibit B, and the undersigned certifies that copies of this Application shall be served on each interested party as required by Rule 503.e.


10. Applicant agrees to be bound by the oral order of the Commission.

WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully requests that this matter be set for hearing, notice be given as required by law and that upon such hearing this Commission enter its order:

A. Providing that Applicant may drill, at its option, an additional ten for a total of up to sixteen horizontal wells in the unit, with internal wellbores offset by 300 feet and unit boundary setbacks of 300 feet.

B. For such other findings and orders as the Commission may deem proper or advisable in the matter.

Dated: July 18, 2013

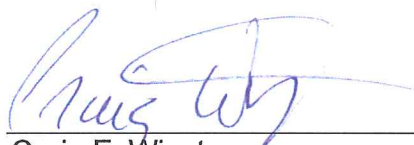
By: 
Kenneth A. Wonstolen
Beatty & Wozniak, P.C.
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Denver, CO 80202-5115

Address of Applicant
Carrizo Oil & Gas, Inc.
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Houston, TX 77002

VERIFICATION

STATE OF TEXAS)
)
COUNTY OF HARRIS) ss.

Craig E. Wiest, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says that he is Land Manager for Carrizo Oil & Gas, Inc. and that he has read the foregoing Application and that the matters therein contained are true to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

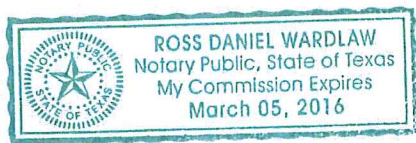


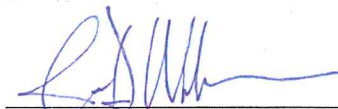
Craig E. Wiest

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of July, 2013.

Witness my hand and official seal.

My commission expires: 3/5/2016





Notary Public

Exhibit A

Weld County, Colorado
T9N-R59W Sec 36

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Exhibit B
Interested Parties

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Cause No.


Docket No.

AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING

STATE OF COLORADO)
)ss.
CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER)

Kenneth A. Wonstolen, of lawful age, and being first duly sworn upon his oath,
states and declares:

That he is an attorney for Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc., that on or before July 25,
2013, he caused a copy of the attached Application to be deposited in the United States
Mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the parties listed on Exhibit B to the Application.

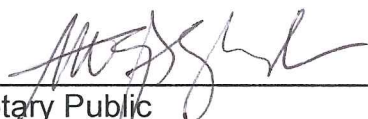


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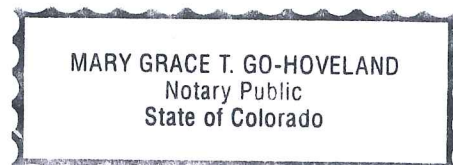
Subscribed and sworn to before me July 18, 2013.

Witness my hand and official seal.

My commission expires: 3/31/15.



Notary Public



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Docket No. 1309-AW-54

SUPPLEMENTAL AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING

STATE OF COLORADO)
)ss.
CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER)

Elizabeth Y. Gallaway, of lawful age, and being first duly sworn upon her oath, states and declares:

That she is the attorney for Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. and that on or before August 16, 2013 she caused a copy of the above-captioned Application to be deposited in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the party listed below.

Colorado State Land Board
1127 Sherman Street
Suite 300
Denver, CO 80203

Elizabeth Y. Gallaway

Subscribed and sworn to before me August 14, 2013.

Witness my hand and official seal.

My commission expires

10/04/13

Notary Public

**BEFORE THE OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION
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DRILLING UNIT LOCATED IN SECTION 36,)	
TOWNSHIP 9 NORTH, RANGE 59 WEST IN)	
WELD COUNTY, COLORADO)	

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

The undersigned, a member of the firm of Beatty & Wozniak, P.C., attorneys for Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc., applicant in the above-referenced application, enters her appearance therein.

Dated this 9th day of August, 2013.

BEATTY & WOZNIAK, P.C.

By: _____

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