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 26, TOWNSHIP 8 NORTH, RANGE)	
61 WEST IN WELD COUNTY, COLORADO)	

APPLICATION

Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. ("Applicant"), by and through its attorneys, Holland & Hart, LLP respectfully submits this Application to the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission of the State of Colorado (the "Commission") for an order allowing up to 16 wells in an established 640-acre drilling and spacing unit on the following described lands:

Township 8 North, Range 61 West, 6th P.M. Section 26: 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 <u>Exhibit A</u>.
- 3. On August 12, 2010, the Commission issued Order No. 535-1 which, among other things, established four approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing units for certain lands, and allowed up to two optional horizontal wells in each of the units for development and operation of the Niobrara Formation. Section 26, Township 8 North, Range 61 West, 6th P.M. is subject to this Order for the Niobrara Formation.
- 4. On January 7, 2013, the Commission issued Order No. 535-238 which, among other things, approved up to six horizontal wells within certain lands for the development and operation of the Niobrara Formation. Section 26, Township 8 North, Range 61 West, 6th P.M. is subject to this Order for the Niobrara Formation.
- 5. 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.

- 6. 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.
- 7. 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).
- 8. In accordance with Rules 507.b.(1) and (4), the names and addresses of the interested parties to this Application are set forth in <u>Exhibit B</u>, and the undersigned certifies that copies of this Application shall be served on each interested party as required by Rule 503.e.
 - 9. 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: April 16, 2013

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VERIFICATION

STATE OF TEXAS)		
COUNTY OF HARRIS)	SS.	
Craig Wiest, of lawful age, beir that he is a Land Manager for Carrizo (Application and that the matters therein information and belief.	Oil & G	as, Inc. a	true to the best of his knowledge,
Subscribed and sworn to before	me thi	is 11th	day of April 2014.
Witness my hand and official se	al.		KEVIN RANDOLPH HORNE
My commission expires: Tune ZG	2017	Notary Public, State of Texas My Commission Expires June 26, 2017	

Exhibit A

Weld County, Colorado T8N-R61W Sec 26

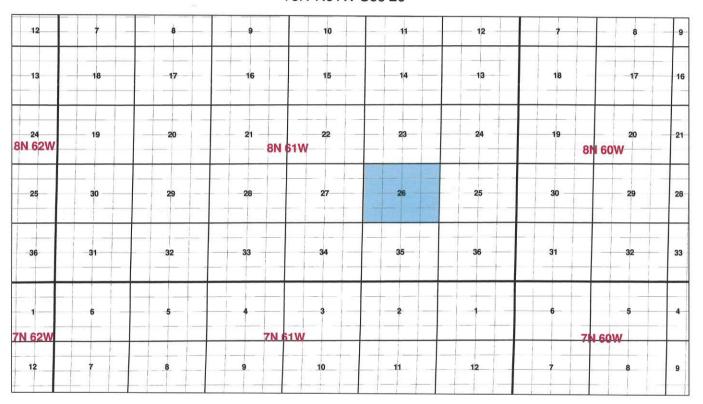


Exhibit B

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AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING
STATE OF COLORADO)
)ss. CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER)
Elizabeth Y. Spencer, of lawful age, and being first duly sworn upon his oath, states and declares:
That she is an attorney for Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc., that on or before April 16 2014, she 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. Elizabeth Y. Spencer
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of April, 2014.
Witness my hand and official seal.
My commission expires: September 26, 2015.
DEBORAH F. MALANDRA DEBORAH F. MALANDRA

STATE OF COLORADO

My Commission Expires 09/26/2015