

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF RED
HAWK PETROLEUM LLC, FOR AN ORDER
ALLOWING UP TO EIGHT WELLS IN AN
ESTABLISHED APPROXIMATE 640-ACRE
EXPLORATORY DRILLING AND SPACING UNIT
FOR THE NIOBRARA FORMATION IN SECTION 10,
TOWNSHIP 7 NORTH, RANGE 60 WEST, 6TH P.M.,
WATTENBERG FIELD, WELD COUNTY,
COLORADO

CAUSE NO.

DOCKET NO.

APPLICATION

RED HAWK PETROLEUM LLC ("Applicant"), by and through its attorneys, Jost & Shelton Energy Group, P.C., respectfully submits this Application to the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission of the State of Colorado (the "Commission") for an order to authorize an additional seven (7) wells, for a total of up to eight (8) wells, in an established approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit, for the efficient and economic development of the oil, gas, and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation, but only as to the Application Lands defined below:

Township 7 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M.
Section 10: All

Approximately 640 acres, more or less, Weld County, Colorado
("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.
3. Rule 318.a. specifies that a well drilled two thousand five hundred (2,500) feet or greater shall be located not less than six hundred (600) feet from any lease line. Rule 318.a. applies to the Niobrara Formation underlying the Application Lands.
4. Order No. 535-51, entered by the Commission on August 8, 2011, established an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit for Section 10, Township 7 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M., and other units for other lands, and approved one horizontal well within the unit established for Section 10, Township 7 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M., regardless of lease lines within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation, with the treated interval of

the permitted well to be located no closer than 600 feet from the boundary of the unit without exception being granted by the Director of the Commission.

5. Applicant requests that it be authorized to drill and complete an additional seven (7) wells, for a total of up to eight (8) wells in order to efficiently and economically recover the oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit established by Order No. 535-51 for Section 10, Township 7 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M., with the surface locations for the wells to be anywhere within the unit but no more than one (1) surface location per quarter-quarter, and with the treated interval of any horizontal wellbore to be no closer than wellbore to be located no closer than 600 feet from the unit boundaries, and no closer than 150 feet from the treated interval of any other wellbore located in the unit, without exception being granted by the Director.

6. The Application Lands are the subject of an application filed concurrently herewith and scheduled for the Commission's June 16, 2014 hearings to pool all interests in the approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit established by the aforementioned order for the Application Lands for the development of the Niobrara Formation.

7. The Commission records reflect that no wells are currently producing from the Application Lands.

8. Applicant asserts that the additional 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.

9. That the names and addresses of the interested parties, according to the information and belief of the Applicant, are set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part hereof, and the undersigned certifies that copies of this Application shall be served on each interested party within the next seven days as required by Rule 503.e.

WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully requests that this matter be set for hearing, that notice be given as required by law and that upon such hearing this Commission enter its order consistent with Applicant's proposals as set forth above.

Dated this 14 day of April, 2014.

Respectfully submitted,

RED HAWK PETROLEUM LLC

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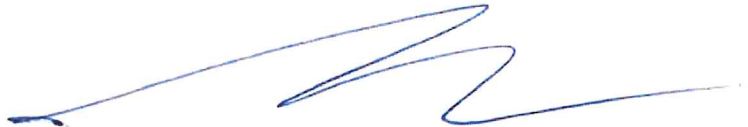
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VERIFICATION

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA)

Clark R. Moore, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says that he is Executive Vice President of Red Hawk Petroleum LLC 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.



Red Hawk Petroleum LLC
Executive Vice President

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

State of California

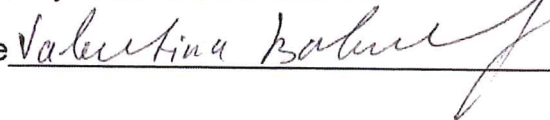
County of Contra Costa

On April 16, 2014 before me, Valentina Babichev, Notary Public (insert name and title of the officer) personally appeared Clark R. Moore, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person whose name is/subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature



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CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER)

24 That she is the attorney for Red Hawk Petroleum LLC, that on or before April 24, 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 A to the Application.

Subscribed and sworn to before me on April 17, 2014.

My commission expires: 9/18/17

DANIELLE E CARROLL
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My Commission Expires Sep 18, 2017

Exhibit A

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