



**Weld County Department of Planning Services Hearing Room**  
**918 10<sup>th</sup> Street**  
**Greeley, Colorado 80631**

**Monday and Tuesday, August 15 and 16, 2005**  
**Agenda**

- ⌚9:00 a.m.      Roll Call of Commissioners
- Approval of Proceedings
- ⌚9:05 a.m.      Report from the Executive Director's Office
- ⌚9:15 a.m.      Report from the Director - Written report provided
- ⌚10:00 a.m.      Report from the Assistant Attorney General
- ⌚10:15 a.m.      Commissioner Comments
- ⌚10:30 a.m.      Audience Comments
- ⌚10:45 a.m.      Consent Agenda

Cause No. 139, Docket No. 0504-GA-01, Rulison Field, Garfield County

Applicant:            Presco, Inc.  
Attorney:             William A. Keefe

Subject:              Request for an order to amend Order No. 139-43 to allow wells to be drilled within one-half mile of the Austral Oil Hayward #25-95 (R-E) Well in Lot 11 of Section 25, Township 7 South, Range 95 West, 6th P.M. for the production of gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Williams Fork Formation.

Comments:           Continued to the October hearing.

Cause No. 112, Docket No. 0507-AW-14, Ignacio-Blanco Field, La Plata County

Applicant:            Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company LP  
Attorney:             Carleton L. Ekberg

Subject:              Request for an order to allow one additional well to be drilled in certain 320-acre drilling and spacing units in Township 32 North, Ranges 6 through 10 West, N.M.P.M., with the permitted wells to be located no closer than 990 feet to the boundary of the unit and no closer than 130 feet to any interior quarter section line, for production from the Fruitland coal seams.

Intervenor:           La Plata County Board of Commissioners  
Attorney:             Jeffery Robbins

Comments:           Continued to the September hearing.

Cause No. 1R, Docket No. 0508-RM-02, Statewide

Applicant:            Staff Recommendation

Subject:              Request to amend Rules 100, 215, 303, 308A, 333, and 802.

Comment Letters:   Goffin  
                             Oil and Gas Accountability Project & San Juan Citizens Alliance

Comments: Continued to the December hearing.

Cause No. 1R, Docket No. 0508-RM-01, Wattenberg Field, Various Counties

Applicant: Kerr McGee Rocky Mountain Corporation, EnCana Oil & Gas (USA) Inc.,  
and Noble Energy

Attorney: Michael Wozniak

Subject: Request to amend Rule 318A. to allow additional wells to be drilled and to  
establish certain spacing and unit designations from the Cretaceous Age  
Formations.

Protests/Interventions: Colorado Rock Products Assoc.

Astellla-Rice for: Finley, Best Buy Homer, Stonehocker Farms, Rohlf's  
C/M, LC Fulenwider, Keller Farms. Magness Investment Group,  
Brooks Farm, 177 Jasper Investments, S. Scheller, S. Stevinson,  
M. Hill, A. Weber, E. Lundvall, L. Gayeski, B. Ballinger, C. Webb,  
Mayer Family Farms, Bernhardt Dairy Farm, K. Rehfeld

Dufford & Brown for: Colorado Assoc. of Home Builders, National Assoc.  
of Industrial & Office Properties, Colorado Association of Realtors,  
Equinox Group, Colorado Corn Growers Association

Foster, Graham & Calisher for: RH Frederick, M. Richardson, Brighton  
Lakes, Indigo Trails, MRFR III, Weld Development, WIG  
Investments, Spruce Meadows, THF Realty and affiliates, H  
Investment, Northpoint, Riverdale, Fairway, Cottonwood, Concord  
Partners, Matrix Funding, Homebuilders Assoc. of Metro Denver,  
Adams Crossing

Letters of Protest: Benson Farms/Crosswinds, LLC.

Ptasnik

Drake

Deutsch

Bay

Johnson

BVW, Inc.

Pietschmann

Gaddis

LifeBridge

Klen

Thayer

Jerman

Spear

Sosa

Kobebel

Milne

Big Thompson

Comments: Continued to September 7, 2005. Informational/Educational session to be  
held today on this matter.

Cause No. 1, Docket No. 0508-GA-03, Larimer County

Applicant: Wellington Operating Company

Attorney: Glenn Porzak

Subject: Request to allow the discharge of treated production water from the  
Wellington Muddy Unit into the Boulder Creek alluvium.

Comment Letter: Larimer County/Doug Ryan

## CONSENT AGENDA

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No protests/interventions were received on the matters listed below and administrative hearings were held for these matters. Appropriate testimony accompanied by required exhibits was presented to the Hearing Officers in support of the applications. The Hearing Officer recommendations were provided and exhibits are available upon request. The Applicants agreed to be bound by oral Order of the Commission.

### Cause No. 7, Docket No. 0507-SP-09, West Padroni Field, Logan County

Applicant: Meritage Energy Partners, LLC

Attorney: Stephen J. Sullivan

Subject: Request for an order to establish 20-acre drilling and spacing units for certain lands in Township 9 and 10 North, Ranges 52 and 53 West, 6th P.M., with the permitted well to be located in the NW¼ and SE¼ of each quarter-quarter section no closer than 200 feet from the boundary of the quarter-quarter-quarter section where the well is located, for the production of gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Dakota-"O" Sand Formation.

Hearing Officers: David Shelton/Tricia Beaver

Comments: Continued from the July hearing. Heard by Hearing Officers who recommend approval.

### Cause No. 440, Docket No. 0508-SP-10, Parachute Field, Garfield County

Applicant: Williams Production RMT Company

Attorney: William A. Keefe

Subject: Request for an order vacating certain 320-acre drilling and spacing units Township 6 South, Ranges 95 West and 96 West, 6th P.M., for the production of gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Mesaverde Formation.

Hearing Officers: Tricia Beaver/David Shelton

Comments: Heard by Hearing Officers who recommend approval.