



HEARING AGENDA

Suite 801, The Chancery Building
1120 Lincoln Street
Denver, Colorado 80203

Wednesday, December 12, 2007

- ⌚ 9:00 a.m. Roll Call of Commissioners
- Approval of Proceedings
- ⌚ 9:15 a.m. Report from the Executive Director's Office
- ⌚ 9:30 a.m. Report from the Director - Written report provided
- ⌚ 10:15 a.m. Presentation of the Rulison Sampling and Analysis Plan for wells in the three mile notification area of Project Rulison
- ⌚ 11:15 a.m. Commissioner Comments
- ⌚ 11:30 a.m. Audience Comments
- ⌚ 11:45 a.m. Consent Agenda
 6 Hearing Officer recommendations under Rule 511.b.
- ⌚ 12:00 p.m. Lunch Break
- ⌚ 1:00 p.m. Cause No. 1, Docket No. 0711-GA-02, Huerfano County
Applicant: Petroglyph Energy, Inc.
Attorney: Ken Wonstolen
- Subject: Request for a hearing in response to Cease and Desist Order No. 1C-5, to return to production Petroglyph's 52 wells and to demonstrate to the Commission's satisfaction that it can return its wells to production in a manner that protects public health and safety for certain lands in Townships 28 and 29, Range 67 West, 6th P.M.

CONSENT AGENDA

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No protests/interventions were received or protests were resolved, or no interventions were made on the technical merits for the matters listed below. Based on the administrative hearings held or upon requests made by the applicants to approve the applications based on the merits of the verified applications and the supporting written testimony and exhibits, the Hearing Officer recommends approval. Draft proposed orders were provided. The applicants agreed to be bound by oral order of the Commission.

RULE 511.b. RECOMMENDATIONS

Cause No. 407, Docket No. 0708-UP-24, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Applicant: Great Western Oil and Gas Company

Attorney: Michael J. Morgan

Subject: Request for an order to establish a 160-acre drilling and spacing unit in the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 26, Township 6 North, Range 67 West, 6th P.M., and to pool all nonconsenting interests in said unit for the drilling of the Great Western 26-51 Well, and to pool all nonconsenting interests in the 80-acre drilling and spacing unit consisting of the W $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of said Section 26, for the drilling of the Great Western 26-31 and Great Western 26-32 Wells for the development and operation of the Codell and Niobrara Formations.

Protestant: Penne Powers

Protestant: Judith Jenny

Attorney: Stephen J. Sullivan

Comments: Continued from the August, September and November hearings. Judith Jenny's protest was withdrawn. Penne Powers does not wish to participate in a hearing, only to have her written protest considered.

Cause No. 166, Docket No. 0711-AW-23, East Plateau Field, Mesa County

Applicant: Plains Exploration & Production Corporation

Attorney: Scott M. Campbell

Subject: Request for an order to allow the equivalent of one (1) well per 10 acres, with the permitted well to be located no closer than 100 feet from the lease line for certain lands in Sections 3, 10, 11, 14, and 15 of Township 10 South, Range 94 West, 6th P.M., for the production of gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Mesaverde Formation, including the Williams Fork, Rollins, Cozzette and Corcoran Formations.

Comments: Continued from the November hearing.

Cause No. 429, Docket No. 0711-AW-25, Brush Creek Field, Mesa County

Applicant: Plains Exploration & Production Corporation

Attorney: Scott M. Campbell

Subject: Request for an order to allow the equivalent of one (1) well per 10 acres, with the permitted well to be located no closer than 100 feet from the lease line for certain lands in Township 9 South, Range 93 West, 6th P.M., for the

production of gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Mesaverde Formation, including the Williams Fork, Rollins, Cozzette and Corcoran Formations.

Comments: Continued from the November hearing.

Cause No. 113, Docket No. 0711-AW-24, Craig-North Field, Moffat County

Applicant: Robert L. Bayless, Producer LLC

Attorney: David R. Little

Subject: Request for an order to allow up to two wells in the 320-acre drilling and spacing units in Section 25 and in the N½ of Section 35, Township 8 North, Range 91 West, 6th P.M., with the permitted well to be located no closer than 660 feet from the outside boundary, for the production of gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Lewis Formation.

Cause No. 334, Docket No. 0711-AW-26, Great Divide Field, Moffat County

Applicant: Robert L. Bayless, Producer LLC

Attorney: David R. Little

Subject: Request for an order to allow up to four wells in the 320-acre drilling and spacing unit consisting of the S½ of Section 33, Township 10 North, Range 93 West, 6th P.M., with the permitted well to be located no closer than 600 feet from the outside boundary, for the production of gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Middle Lewis Formation.

Cause No. 440, Docket No. 0711-SP-34, Parachute Field, Moffat County

Applicant: Williams Production RMT Company

Attorney: William A. Keefe

Subject: Amended request for an order to vacate a 320-acre drilling and spacing unit and establish a 160-acre drilling and spacing unit consisting of the SE¼, an 80-acre drilling and spacing unit consisting of the S½ SW¼, and a 40-acre drilling and spacing unit consisting of the NE¼ SW¼ of Section 25, Township 6 South, Range 95 West, 6th P.M., and allow the equivalent of one (1) well per 10 acres, with the permitted well to be located no closer than 100 feet from the outside boundary, for the production of gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Williams Fork Formation.

CONTINUED AND WITHDRAWN MATTERS

Cause No. 1, Docket No. 0705-AW-11, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Applicant: Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas

Attorneys: David R. Little/Christopher G. Hayes

Protestants: Parkland Estates Homeowners' Association and
Nawal Sharma and Vibha Sharma

Attorney: J. Michael Morgan, attorney

Subject: Request for an order to vacate Order No. 1-41, which established a high density area for the N½ of Section 8, Township 1 North, Range 68 West, 6th P.M. and place the lands under the provisions of the Rules & Regulations of the Commission and applicable orders in Cause Nos. 232, 407, 493, 496 and 499, for the production of gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Cretaceous Age Formations. In the alternative, the applicant is seeking an exception to the location requirements set out in Order No. 1-41, as provided in Rule 603.e.(6), or as requested in the amended application, a variance under Rule 502.b. to the permitted location set out in Order No. 1-41.

Comments: Continued to the January 2008 hearing.

Cause No. 418, Docket No. 0711-EX-10, Pod Field, Washington County

Applicant: Delta Petroleum Corporation

Attorneys: Susan L. Aldridge/Michael J. Wozniak

Subject: Request for an order allowing an exception to the permitted location in Rule 318.a. for the drilling of the proposed Young 33-27350 Well with a surface location of 2,310 feet FSL and 2,220 feet FEL, in Section 27, Township 3 South, Range 50 West, 6th P.M., for the production of gas and associated hydrocarbons from the "J" Sand Formation.

Comments: Application withdrawn; hearing cancelled.