

# FINAL HEARING AGENDA (AS OF 10/25/2013)

# Limon Community Center 477 D. Avenue Limon, CO 80826

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## Monday, October 28, 2013

Approval of Proceedings

© 9:05 a.m. Report from the Executive Director's Office

© 9:40 a.m. <u>Commissioner Comments</u>

① 9:45 a.m. Audience Comments

10:00 a.m. Consent Agenda

**<u>51</u>** Hearing Officer Recommendations under Rule 511.

Group A (7)

Bonanza

Group B (5)

Bill Barrett Corporation

Group C (4)

Bill Barrett Corporation

Group D (6)

EE3

Foundation Energy

Caerus

Group E (6)

Noble

Group F (1)

Mustang Creek

Group G (4)

Kerr-McGee

## Group H (5)

ConocoPhillips

## Group I (12) Enforcement Matters

Dunning
Caerus
LoneStar
Beren
BBC
Laramie
Kerr-McGee

Noble Orr Synergy Gunnison Hilcorp

## Group II (1) Enforcement Matter

Conoco

## **Presentations to the Commission**

**10:15 a.m.** COGCC Policy for Move-In, Rig-Up Notification

Staff: Matt Lepore, Director

Subject: The COGCC will be adopting a policy to provide Move-In,

Rig-Up ("MIRU") notification to all building unit owners

located within the Buffer Zone under certain criteria.

Comment: Staff is available to answer any questions of the

Commission.

#### **Hearing Matters**

**10:25 a.m.** Docket No. 1011-OV-15, Order 1V-362, Premier Oil and Gas, Inc.

Staff: Robert J. Frick, Hearings Manager

Applicant: Premier Oil and Gas, Inc.
Representative: Melvin Richards and Allen Stout

Attorneys: Tom Grant, Lee Morehead, and Brad Hoffman

Subject: Request for an order to: 1) upon payment of the \$65,000

fine, modify Order No. 1V-362 by finding that Payees have satisfied the fine, in full; and 2) modify Order No. 1V-362 to allow that after payment of the \$65,000 fine, Payees or any entity of which they are principals, majority owners, operational or general managers, or otherwise exercise control, including Ranchers Exploration Partners LLC (Operator No. 10350) may apply for and receive Permitsto-Drill despite Premier's violations and subsequent fines

as contained in the original Order No. 1V-362.

Docket No. 1011-OV-16, Order 1V-364, Provide Energy, LLC

Staff: Robert J. Frick, Hearings Manager

Applicant: Provide Energy, LLC.

Representative: Melvin Richards and Allen Stout

Attorneys: Tom Grant, Lee Morehead, and Brad Hoffman

Subject: Request for an order to: 1) upon payment of the \$85,000

fine, modify Order No. 1V-364 by finding that Payees have satisfied the fine, in full; and 2) modify Order No. 1V-364 to allow that after payment of the \$85,000 fine, Payees or any entity of which they are principals, majority owners, operational or general managers, or otherwise exercise control, including Ranchers Exploration Partners LLC (Operator No. 10350) may apply for and receive Permitsto-Drill despite Provide's violations and subsequent fines

as contained in the original Order No. 1V-364.

© 10:30 a.m. Docket No. 1310-UP-217, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: PDC Energy, Inc. Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

320-acre designated wellbore spacing unit established for certain lands in Section 6, Township 6 North, Range 64 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the

Codell-Niobrara Formation.

Comment: Staff initially had concerns regarding the submitted 511

testimony. All matters have now been resolved, after the consent agenda deadline. This matter will remain as an uncontested Hearing Matter. Applicant submitted 511 testimony which was reviewed by the Hearing Officer prior

to the Commission hearing.

COGCC staff recommend approval of the application.

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Docket No. 1309-SP-1150, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 2608.32-

acre drilling and spacing unit for consisting of certain lands in Sections 17 through 20, Township 7 North, Range 91

West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from Mancos and Niobrara

Formations.

510 Statement: National Association of Mineral Owners - Rockies

Michelle Smith. President Representative:

Docket No. 1309-SP-1157, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Jamie L. Jost Attorneys:

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 2537.82-

> acre drilling and spacing unit for certain lands in Sections 17 through 20, Township 8 North, Range 90 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from Mancos and Niobrara Formations.

510 Statement: National Association of Mineral Owners - Rockies

Michelle Smith, President Representative:

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

The Rollins Family Representative:

Docket No. 1309-SP-1158, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 2604.68-

acre drilling and spacing unit for certain lands in Sections 17 through 20, Township 8 North, Range 91 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from Mancos and Niobrara Formations.

510 Statement: National Association of Mineral Owners – Rockies

Representative: Michelle Smith, President

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

The Rollins Family Representative:

Docket No. 1309-SP-1159, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 2160-

> acre drilling and spacing unit for certain lands in Sections 11 through 14, Township 8 North, Range 92 West, 6th

P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated

hydrocarbons from Mancos and Niobrara Formations.

National Association of Mineral Owners - Rockies 510 Statement:

Representative: Michelle Smith. President

Rollins Investment Company 510 Statement:

Representative: The Rollins Family

Docket No. 1309-SP-1170, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Axia Energy, LLC Applicant: Jamie L. Jost Attorneys:

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 2160-

> acre drilling and spacing unit for certain lands in Sections 11 through 14, Township 8 North, Range 92 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated

hydrocarbons from Mancos and Niobrara Formations.

510 Statement: National Association of Mineral Owners - Rockies

Michelle Smith, President Representative:

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

The Rollins Family Representative:

Docket No. 1309-SP-1174, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Jamie L. Jost Attorneys:

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 2560-

> acre drilling and spacing unit consisting of Sections 15, 16, 21 and 22, Township 8 North, range 91 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons

from Mancos and Niobrara Formations.

National Association of Mineral Owners - Rockies 510 Statement:

Michelle Smith, President Representative:

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

The Rollins Family Representative:

Docket No. 1309-SP-1177, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer Staff:

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 2584.52-

acre unconventional resource unit for certain lands in

Sections 29, 30, 31 and 32, Township 8 North, Range 91 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from Mancos and Niobrara

Formations.

Protested by: Bureau of Land Management

Representative: Lonny R. Bagley, Deputy State Director, Energy, Lands,

and Minerals

510 Statement: National Association of Mineral Owners – Rockies

Representative: Michelle Smith, President

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

Representative: The Rollins Family

Docket No. 1309-SP-1180, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 2660.9-

acre drilling and spacing unit consisting of certain lands in Sections 5 through 8, Township 8 North, Range 91 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated by droser benefit as Manage and Niebrara Formations.

hydrocarbons from Mancos and Niobrara Formations.

510 Statement: National Association of Mineral Owners – Rockies

Representative: Michelle Smith, President

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

Representative: The Rollins Family

Docket No. 1309-SP-1181, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 2560-

acre drilling and spacing unit consisting of Sections 11 through 14, Township 7 North, Range3 92 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons

from Mancos and Niobrara Formations.

510 Statement: National Association of Mineral Owners – Rockies

Representative: Michelle Smith, President

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

Representative: The Rollins Family

Docket No. 1309-SP-1182, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 2517.8-

acre drilling and spacing unit consisting of certain lands in Sections 1, 2, 11 and 12, Township 8 NOrth, range 90 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from Mancos and Niobrara

Formations.

510 Statement: National Association of Mineral Owners – Rockies

Representative: Michelle Smith, President

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

Representative: The Rollins Family

Docket No. 1309-SP-1183, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 2360-

acre drilling and spacing unit consisting of certain lands in Sections 13, 14, 23 and 24, Township 8 North, Range 93 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from Mancos and Niobrara

Formations.

510 Statement: National Association of Mineral Owners – Rockies

Representative: Michelle Smith, President

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

Representative: The Rollins Family

Docket No. 1309-SP-1184, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 2592.58-

acre drilling and spacing unit for certain lands in Sections 23 through 26, Township 7 North, Range 90 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated

hydrocarbons from Mancos and Niobrara Formations.

510 Statement: National Association of Mineral Owners – Rockies

Representative: Michelle Smith, President

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

Representative: The Rollins Family

Docket No. 1309-UP-186, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

2537.82-acre drilling and spacing unit established for certain lands in Sections 17 through 20, Township 8 North, Range 90 West, 6th P.M., for the development and

operation of the Mancos and Niobrara Formations.

Protested by: QEP Energy Company – Protest Withdrawn Attorneys: Nick A. Swartzendruber & Jeremy I. Ferrin

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

Representative: The Rollins Family

Docket No. 1309-UP-187, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

2608.32-acre drilling and spacing unit established for certain lands in Sections 17 through 20, Township 7 North, Range 91 West, 6th P.M., for the development and

operation of the Mancos and Niobrara Formations.

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

Representative: The Rollins Family

Docket No. 1309-UP-188, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

2608.32-acre drilling and spacing unit established for certain lands in Sections 17 through 20, Township 7 North, Range 91 West, 6th P.M., for the development and

operation of the Mancos and Niobrara Formations.

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

Representative: The Rollins Family

Docket No. 1309-UP-190, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC

Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

2560-acre unconventional resource unit established for certain lands in Sections 11 through 14, Township 8 North, Range 92 West, 6th P.M., for the development and

operation of the Mancos and Niobrara Formations.

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

Representative: The Rollins Family

Docket No. 1309-UP-191, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

2584.52-acre unconventional resource unit established for certain lands in Section 29, through 32, Township 8 North, Range 91 West, 6th P.M., for the development and

operation of the Mancos and Niobrara Formations.

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

Representative: The Rollins Family

Docket No. 1309-UP-192, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

2607.87-acre drilling and spacing unit established for certain lands in Sections 21, 22, 27 and 28, Township 7 North, Range 90 West, 6th P.M., for the development and

operation of the Mancos and Niobrara Formations.

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

Representative: The Rollins Family

Docket No. 1309-UP-193, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

2560-acre drilling and spacing unit established for certain lands in Section 15, 16, 21 and 22, Township 8 North, Range 91 West, 6th P.M., for the development and

operation of the Mancos and Niobrara Formations.

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

Representative: The Rollins Family

Docket No. 1309-UP-194, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

2660.9-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Sections 11 through 14, Township 7 North Range 92 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the Mancos

and Niobrara Formations.

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

Representative: The Rollins Family

Docket No. 1309-UP-195, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

2571.8-acre drilling and spacing unit established for certain lands in Sections 1, 2, 11 and 12, Township 8 North, Range 90 West, 6th P.M., for the development and

operation of the Mancos and Niobrara Formations.

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

Representative: The Rollins Family

Docket No. 1309-UP-196, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

2360-acre drilling and spacing unit established for certain lands in Sections 13, 14, 23 and 24, Township 8 North, Range 93 West, 6th P.M., for the development and

operation of the Mancos and Niobrara Formations.

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

Representative: The Rollins Family

Docket No. 1309-UP-197, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

> 2660.9-acre drilling and spacing unit established for certain lands in Sections 5 through 8, Township 8 North, Range 91 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of

the Mancos and Niobrara Formations.

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

Representative: The Rollins Family

Docket No. 1309-UP-198, Unnamed Field, Moffat County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Axia Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

> 2660.9-acre drilling and spacing unit established for certain lands in Sections 23 through 26, Township 7 North, Range 90 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of

the Mancos and Niobrara Formations.

510 Statement: Rollins Investment Company

Representative: The Rollins Family

11:15 a.m. Docket No. 1310-UP-235, Unnamed Field, Weld County

> Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Noble Energy, Inc. Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

> 3,200-acre unconventional resource unit for Sections 3, 4,9,10 and 16, Township 9 North, Range 58 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated

hydrocarbons from the Codell-Niobrara Formation.

Comment: The applicant will be making a presentation before the

Commission.

11:45 a.m. Docket No. 1309-AW-54, Unnamed Field, Weld County

> Staff: Jill Dorancy, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. Attorneys: Elizabeth Y. Gallaway

Subject: Request for an order to approve an additional nine

> horizontal wells, for a total of up to fifteen horizontal wells within an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Section 36, Township 9 North, Range 59 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

Protested by: Bureau of Land Management (Withdrawn)

Representative: Lonny R. Bagley, Deputy State Director, Energy, Lands,

and Minerals

Comment: Applicant has withdrawn the request for 300 foot setbacks

> on the south and east section lines which are adjacent to lands containing federal minerals and 600 foot setbacks from the unit boundary. Carrizo maintains the request for 300 foot setbacks for the north and west section lines. BLM has withdrawn its protest based on Carrizo's request to withdraw the 300 foot setbacks on the lines adjacent to

lands containing federal minerals.

Docket No. 1309-AW-64, Unnamed Field, Weld County

Staff: Jill Dorancy, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Carrizo Oil and Gas. Inc. Attorneys: Elizabeth Y. Gallaway

Subject: Request for an order to approve an additional ten

horizontal wells, for a total of up to sixteen horizontal wells within an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Section 16, Township 9 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

Protested by: Bureau of Land Management (Withdrawn)

Representative: Lonny R. Bagley, Deputy State Director, Energy, Lands,

and Minerals

Comment: Applicant has withdrawn the request for 300 foot setbacks

> on the north and south section lines which are adjacent to lands containing federal minerals and 600 foot setbacks from the unit boundary. Carrizo maintains the request for 300 foot setbacks for the east and west section lines. BLM has withdrawn its protest based on Carrizo's request to withdraw the 300 foot setbacks on the lines adjacent to

lands containing federal minerals.

Docket No. 1310-AW-74, Unnamed Field, Weld County

Staff: Jill Dorancy, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. Attorneys: Elizabeth Y. Gallaway

Subject: Request for an order to approve an additional eight

> horizontal wells, for a total of up to fourteen horizontal wells within an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Section 20, Township 9 North, Range 58 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and

associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

Protested by: Bureau of Land Management (Withdrawn)

Representative: Lonny R. Bagley, Deputy State Director, Energy, Lands,

and Minerals

Comment: Applicant has withdrawn the request for 300 foot setbacks

on the north, east and south section lines which are adjacent to lands containing federal minerals and 600 foot setbacks from the unit boundary. Carrizo maintains the request for 300 foot setbacks for the west section line. BLM has withdrawn its protest based on Carrizo's request to withdraw the 300 foot setbacks on the lines adjacent to

lands containing federal minerals.

① 12:00 p.m. <u>Lunch/Executive Session</u>

**Hearing Matters (continued)** 

1:00 p.m. Docket No. 1309-OV-23, Thomas L. Spring LLC

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Order Finding Violation ("OFV") against

Thomas L Spring, LLC (Operator No. 81480).

© 2:00 p.m. Docket No. 1309-OV-21, Maralex Resources, Inc

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Order Finding Violation ("OFV") against

Maralex.

#### **CONSENT AGENDA**

No valid protests/interventions were received or valid protests were resolved, or no interventions were made on the technical merits for the matters listed below. Based 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 Officers recommend approval. Draft proposed orders were provided. The applicants agreed to be bound by oral order of the Commission.

## Group A-

Docket No. 1310-AW-66, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Applicant: Bonanza Creek Energy Operating Company LLC

Attorneys: J. Michael Morgan

Subject: Request for an order to approve up to ten horizontal wells

within an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Section 4, Township 4 North, Range 62 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

Docket No. 1310-AW-67, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Applicant: Bonanza Creek Energy Operating Company LLC

Attorneys: J. Michael Morgan

Subject: Request for an order to approve up to ten horizontal wells

within an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Section 4, Township 4 North, Range 62 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

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Docket No. 1310-AW-68, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Applicant: Bonanza Creek Energy Operating Company LLC

Attorneys: J. Michael Morgan

Subject: Request for an order to approve up to ten horizontal wells

within an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Section 14, Township 4 North, Range 63 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

Docket No. 1309-SP-1153, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Applicant: Bonanza Creek Energy Operating Company LLC

Attorneys: J. Michael Morgan

Subject: Request for an order to: 1) vacate an approximate 640-

acre drilling and spacing unit established by Order Nos. 407-380 and 407-633 for Section 5 North, Range 61 West, 6th P.M.; and 2) establish an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit for the lands, and approve up to four horizontal wells within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

Protested by: Kaiser-Hill (Protest Withdrawn)

Representative: David Little

Docket No. 1309-UP-176, Unnamed Field, Weld County

Applicant: Bonanza Creek Energy Operating Company LLC

Attorneys: J. Michael Morgan

Subject: Request for an order to: 1) vacate an approximate 640-

> acre drilling and spacing unit established by Order Nos. 407-380 and 407-633 for Section 4, Township 5 North, Range 61 West, 6th P.M.; and 2) establish an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit for Section 4, Township 5 North, Range 61 West, 6th P.M., and approve up to ten horizontal wells within the unit for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

Docket No. 1310-UP-212, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Applicant: Bonanza Creek Energy Operating Company LLC

Attorneys: J. Michael Morgan

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

> 640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Section 6, Township 5 North, Range 61 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of horizontal wells to the

Niobrara Formation.

Docket No. 1310-UP-213, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Applicant: Bonanza Creek Energy Operating Company LLC

Attorneys: J. Michael Morgan

Subject: Request for an order to confirm an approximate 320-acre

> wellbore spacing unit for the North Platte U-Y-34HNB Well (API No. 05-123-36937) and to pool all interests within the unit established for certain lands in Sections 34 and 35, Township 5 North, Range 63 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the Well to the Niobrara

Formation.

Group B-

Docket No. 1310-AW-69, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Applicant: Bill Barrett Corporation

Attorneys: Robert A. Willis

Subject: Request for an order to approve an additional seven

> horizontal wells for a total of up to eight horizontal wells within an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Section 20, Township 6 North, Range 61 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and

associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

Docket No. 1310-SP-1193, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Applicant: Bill Barrett Corporation

Attorneys: Robert A. Willis Subject:

Request for an order to: 1) approve an additional seven horizontal wells, for a total of up to eight, within an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Section 3, Township 6 North, Range 62 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation; and 2) establish an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit for the above lands and approve one horizontal well within the unit, for the production of oil, gas, and associated hydrocarbons from the Codell Formation.

Docket No. 1310-SP-1194, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Applicant: Bill Barrett Corporation

Attorneys: Robert A. Willis

Subject: Request for an order to: 1) approve an additional seven

horizontal wells, for a total of up to eight, within an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Section 14, Township 6 North, Range 62 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation; and 2) establish an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit for the above mentioned lands and approve one horizontal well within the unit, for the production of oil, gas, and

associated hydrocarbons from the Codell Formation.

Docket No. 1310-SP-1195, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Applicant: Bill Barrett Corporation

Attorneys: Robert A. Willis

Subject: Request for an order to: 1) approve an additional seven

horizontal wells, for a total of up to eight horizontal wells, within an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Section 26, Township 6 North, Range 62 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation; and 2) establish an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit for the above mentioned lands and approve one horizontal well within the unit, for the production of oil, gas, and associated hydrocarbons from the Codell Formation.

Docket No. 1310-SP-1196, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Applicant: Bill Barrett Corporation

Attorneys: Robert A. Willis

Subject: Request for an order to: 1) approve an additional seven

horizontal wells, for a total of up to eight horizontal wells, within an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Section 27, Township 6 North, Range 62 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation; and 2) establish an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit for the above mentioned lands and approve one

horizontal well within the unit, for the production of oil, gas, and associated hydrocarbons from the Codell Formation.

# Group C-

Docket No. 1307-UP-152, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Applicant: Bill Barrett Corporation

Attorneys: Robert A. Willis

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for certain lands in Section 21, Township 5 North, Range 61 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the

Niobrara Formation.

Docket No. 1309-UP-204, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Applicant: Bill Barrett Corporation

Attorneys: Robert A. Willis

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Section 20, Township 6 North, Range 61 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the Niobrara Formation.

Docket No. 1309-UP-206, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Applicant: Bill Barrett Corporation

Attorneys: Robert A. Willis

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Section 19, Township 6 North, Range 61 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the Niobrara Formation.

Docket No. 1309-UP-207, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Applicant: Bill Barrett Corporation

Attorneys: Robert A. Willis

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Section 18, Township 6 North, Range 61 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the Niobrara Formation.

Group D-

Docket No. 1309-AW-50, Unnamed Field, Jackson County

Applicant: EE3, LLC

Attorneys: Elizabeth Y. Gallaway

Subject: Request for an order to approve one additional horizontal

well, for a total of three horizontal wells, within an approximate 628-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Section 7 North, Range 80 West, 6th P.M., for the

production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from

the Niobrara Formation.

Docket No. 1309-AW-51, Unnamed Field, Jackson County

Applicant: EE3, LLC

Attorneys: Elizabeth Y. Gallaway

Subject: Request for an order to approve up one additional

horizontal well, for a total of three horizontal wells, within an approximate 617.38-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Section 18, Township 7 North, Range 80 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

Docket No. 1307-SP-1133, Unnamed Field, Jackson County

Applicant: EE3 LLC

Attorneys: Gregory J. Nibert Jr.

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 1280-

acre drilling and spacing unit consisting of Sections 2 and 3, Township 7 North, Range 81 West, 6th P.M., for production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from

the Niobrara and Frontier Formations.

Docket No. 1310-SP-1199, Unnamed Field, Jackson County

Applicant: EE3 LLC

Attorneys: Gregory J. Nibert Jr.

Subject: Request for an order to establish one approximate 640-

acre drilling and spacing unit for Section 30, Township 7 North, Range 80 West, 6th P.M., and approve one vertical well and up to three horizontal wells within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from

the Frontier Formation.

Docket No. 1310-SP-1198, Unnamed Field, Weld County

Applicant: Foundation Energy Management, L.L.C.
Attorneys: Stephen J. Sullivan & Chelsey J. Russell

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 640-acre

drilling and spacing unit for Section 6, Township 7 North, Range 59 West, 6th P.M., and approve up to four horizontal wells within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

Docket No. 1310-SP-1203, Grand Valley Field, Garfield County

Applicant: Caerus Piceance LLC

Attorneys: J. Michael Morgan & Justin Plaskov

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 52-acre

drilling and spacing unit for certain lands in Section 24, Township 7 South, Range 96 West, 6th P.M., for the

production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Williams Fork and Iles Formations.

# Group E-

Docket No. 1310-SP-1197, Unnamed Field, Weld County

Applicant: Noble Energy, Inc. Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to vacate Order No. 407-480, and

establish that Rule 318A applies to Section 25, Township 6 North, Range 63 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara

Formation.

Docket No. 1310-SP-1202, Unnamed Field, Weld County

Applicant: Noble Energy, Inc. Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to vacate Order No. 535-200, which

pooled all interests in an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit for Section 9, Township 9 North, Range 59 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the

Niobrara Formation.

Docket No. 1310-UP-209, Unnamed Field, Weld County

Applicant: Noble Energy, Inc. Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

320-acre designated wellbore spacing unit established certain lands in Section 14, Township 5 North, Range 67 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the

Niobrara Formation.

Docket No. 1310-UP-210, Unnamed Field, Weld County

Applicant: Noble Energy, Inc. Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

320-acre designated wellbore spacing unit established for certain lands in Sections 1 and 36, Townships 4 and 5 North, Range 66 West, 6th P.M., for the development and

operation of the Niobrara Formation.

Docket No. 1310-UP-216, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Applicant: Noble Energy, Inc. Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

320-acre designated wellbore spacing unit established for certain lands in Section 3, Township 5 North, Range 64

West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the

Niobrara Formation.

Docket No. 1310-UP-233, Unnamed Field, Weld County

Applicant: Noble Energy, Inc. Attorneys: David Neslin

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

640-acre drilling and spacing unit established Section 35, Township 9 North, Range 59 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the Niobrara Formation.

Group F-

Docket No. 1307-SP-1114, Unnamed Field, Elbert County

Staff: Jill Dorancy, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Mustang Creek Operating, LLC

Attorneys: William E. Sparks

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 635.6-

acre exploratory drilling and spacing unit for certain lands in Sections 5 and 32, Townships 12 and 13, Range 59 West, 6th P.M., and approve up to four wells within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from Marmaton, Cherokee, Atoka

Formations and Formations of Mississippian Age.

**Group G-**

Docket No. 1310-UP-218, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP

Attorneys: Elizabeth Y. Gallaway

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in two

approximate 400-acre designated wellbore spacing units established for certain lands in Sections 28 and 33, Township 1 North, Range 67 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the Codell and Niobrara

Formations.

Comment: Applicant has withdrawn its request for statutory cost

recovery and seeks only to pool all interests in the unit.

Docket No. 1310-UP-219, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP

Attorneys: Elizabeth Y. Gallaway

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

400-acre designated wellbore spacing unit established for

certain lands in Sections 28, 29, 32 and 33, Township 1 North, Range 67 West, 6th P.M., for the development and

operation of the Niobrara Formation.

Comment: Applicant has withdrawn its request for statutory cost

recovery and seeks only to pool all interests in the unit

Docket No. 1310-UP-220, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP

Attorneys: Elizabeth Y. Gallaway

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

200-acre designated wellbore spacing unit established for certain lands in Sections 28 and 33, Township 1 North, Range 67 West, 6th P.M., for the development and

operation of the Codell Formation.

Comment: Applicant has withdrawn its request for statutory cost

recovery and seeks only to pool all interests in the unit

Docket No. 1310-UP-221, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP

Attorneys: Elizabeth Y. Gallaway

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in five

approximate 240 to 480-acre designated wellbore spacing units established for certain lands in Sections 22, 23, 26 and 27, Township 1 North, Range 67 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the Codell and Niobrara

Formations.

Comment: Applicant has withdrawn its request for statutory cost

recovery and seeks only to pool all interests in the unit

Group H-

Docket No. 1309-UP-200, Unnamed Field, Arapahoe County

Applicant: ConocoPhillips Company

Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

1280-acre exploratory drilling and spacing unit established for Section 23 and 24, Township 4 South, Range 65 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the

Niobrara Formation.

Docket No. 1310-SP-1204, Unnamed Field, Adams County

Applicant: ConocoPhillips Company

Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost & James P. Parrot

Subject: Request for an order to vacate an approximate 640-acre

drilling and spacing unit established by Order No. 535-89 for Section 34, Township 3 South, Range 65 West, 6th P.M., and establish an approximate 1280-acre exploratory drilling and spacing unit for Section 34 and 35, Township 3 South, Range 65 West, 6th P.M., and approve up to two horizontal wells within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

Docket No. 1310-UP-223, Unnamed Field, Arapahoe County

Applicant: ConocoPhillips Company

Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost & James P. Parrot

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

1280-acre exploratory drilling and spacing unit established for Sections 21 and 22, Township 4 South, Range 65 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the

Niobrara Formation.

Docket No. 1310-UP-230, Unnamed Field, Arapahoe County

Applicant: ConocoPhillips Company

Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost & James P. Parrot

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

640-acre exploratory drilling and spacing unit established for Section 36, Township 4 South, Range 64 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the Niobrara

Formation.

Docket No. 1310-UP-231, Unnamed Field, Arapahoe County

Applicant: ConocoPhillips Company

Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost & James P. Parrot

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

640-acre exploratory drilling and spacing unit established for Section 31, Township 4 South Range 63 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the Niobrara

Formation.

**Group I-** Enforcement

Docket No. 1307-OV-14, Charles P. Dunning

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Administrative Order by Consent ("AOC") against Charles P. Dunning(Operator No.

200077).

Docket No. 1307-OV-15, Caerus Washco LLC.

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Administrative Order by Consent ("AOC") against Caerus Washco LLC.(Operator No.

86610).

Docket No. 1310-OV-17, LoneStar Geophysical Surveys LLC

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Administrative Order by Consent ("AOC") against LoneStar Geophysical Surveys LLC

(Operator No. 10463).

Docket No. 1310-OV-25, Beren Corporation

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Administrative Order by Consent ("AOC") against Beren Corporation (Operator No. 7800).

<u>Docket No. 1310-OV-31, Bill Barrett Corporation</u>

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Administrative Order by Consent ("AOC") against Bill Barrett Corporation (Operator No.

100071).

Docket No. 1310-OV-32, Noble Energy Inc.

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Administrative Order by Consent ("AOC") against Noble Energy Inc.(Operator No. 100322).

Docket No. 1310-OV-33, Laramie Energy II, LLC

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Administrative Order by Consent ("AOC") against Laramie Energy II, LLC (Operator No.

10232).

Docket No. 1310-OV-36, Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Administrative Order by Consent ("AOC") against Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP

(Operator No. 47120).

Docket No. 1310-OV-39, Orr Energy Inc

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Administrative Order by Consent ("AOC") against Orr Energy Inc (Operator No. 10154).

<u>Docket No. 1310-OV-40, Synergy Resources Corporation</u>

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Administrative Order by Consent ("AOC") against Synergy Resources Corporation (Operator

No.10311).

<u>Docket No. 1310-OV-41, Gunnison Energy Corporation</u>

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Administrative Order by Consent ("AOC") against Gunnison Energy Corporation (Operator

No. 100122).

Docket No. 1310-OV-42, Hilcorp Energy Company

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Administrative Order by Consent ("AOC") against Hilcorp Energy Company (Operator No.

10133).

Group II- Enforcement

Docket No. 1310-OV-38, ConocoPhillips Company

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Administrative Order by Consent

("AOC") against ConocoPhillips Company (Operator No. 19160).

# **CONTINUED ENFORCEMENT MATTERS TO DECEMBER HEARING**

(Unless noted otherwise)

<u>Docket No. 1211-OV-12 Encana – Ross G Unit</u>

Staff: Robert J. Frick, Hearing Manager

Subject: Complainant Rod Brueske objected to a proposed

Administrative Order by Consent ("AOC") between the Commission and *Encana Oil & Gas (USA) Inc.* ("Encana") to resolve Notice of Alleged Violation ("NOAV") No. 200348796. The NOAV alleged violations of Rules 324.A.c., 805.a., 907.a.(1)., and 912.a. arising from operations at the Ross 'G' Unit Well #1 (API No. 05-013-06116) ("Location"). Mr. Brueske objects to the AOC and

seeks an Order Finding Violation (OFV) hearing.

Comment: A case management order has been issued by the Hearing

Officer. This will be a future Commission hearing matter.

<u>Docket No. 1310-OV-26, Petrohunter Operating Company</u>

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Order Finding Violation ("OFV") against Petrohunter Operating Company(Operator No. 10200).

Docket No. 1310-OV-27, Beeman Oil and Gas LLC

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Order Finding Violation ("OFV") against

Beeman Oil and Gas LLC (Operator No. 7125).

Docket No. 1310-OV-34, McElvain Energy LLC

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Administrative Order by Consent ("AOC") against McElvain Energy LLC (Operator No.

55575).

Docket No. 1310-OV-35, McElvain Energy LLC

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Administrative Order by Consent ("AOC") against Encana Oil & Gas (USA) Inc(Operator No.

100185).

Docket No. 1310-OV-37, Marathon Oil Company

Staff: Peter Gowen, Enforcement Officer

Subject: Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas

Conservation Commission Staff will apply to the Commission for an Administrative Order by Consent ("AOC") against Marathon Oil Company (Operator No.

53650).

# CONTINUED HEARING MATTERS / APPLICATIONS TO DECEMBER HEARING (Unless noted otherwise)

Docket No. 1306-SP-81, Unnamed Field, Morgan County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Prima Exploration, Inc.

Attorneys: Robert A. Willis

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 640-acre

drilling and spacing unit consisting of Sections 22, Township 6 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M., and approve up to eight horizontal wells within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from

the Niobrara Formation.

Comment: The initial submitted 511 testimony was not sufficient to

satisfy the concerns of COGCC staff. The applicant may be submitting revised materials, however, COGCC staff will not be recommending approval or denial until the materials have been reviewed and hearing held before the

Commission.

Docket No. 1306-SP-82, Unnamed Field, Morgan County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Prima Exploration, Inc.

Attorneys: Robert A. Willis

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 640-acre

drilling and spacing unit consisting of Section 23, Township 6 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M., and approve up to eight horizontal wells within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

Comment: The initial submitted

The initial submitted 511 testimony was not sufficient to satisfy the concerns of COGCC staff. The applicant may be submitting revised materials, however, COGCC staff will not be recommending approval or denial until the materials have been reviewed and hearing held before the

Commission.

Docket No. 1306-SP-83, Unnamed Field, Morgan County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Prima Exploration, Inc.

Attorneys: Robert A. Willis

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 640-acre

drilling and spacing unit consisting of Section 25, Township 6 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M., and approve up to eight horizontal wells within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

Comment: The initial submitted 511 testimony was not sufficient to

satisfy the concerns of COGCC staff. The applicant may be submitting revised materials, however, COGCC staff will not be recommending approval or denial until the materials have been reviewed and hearing held before the

Commission.

Docket No. 1306-SP-84, Unnamed Field, Morgan County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Prima Exploration, Inc.

Attorneys: Robert A. Willis

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 640-acre

drilling and spacing unit consisting of Section 26, Township 6 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M., and approve up to eight horizontal wells within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

Comment: The initial submitted 511 testimony was not sufficient to

satisfy the concerns of COGCC staff. The applicant may be submitting revised materials, however, COGCC staff will not be recommending approval or denial until the materials have been reviewed and hearing held before the

Commission.

Docket No. 1306-SP-85, Unnamed Field, Morgan County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Prima Exploration, Inc.

Attorneys: Robert A. Willis

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 640-acre

drilling and spacing unit consisting of Section 27, Township 6 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M., and approve up to eight

horizontal wells within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

Comment: The initial submitted 511 testimony was not sufficient to

satisfy the concerns of COGCC staff. The applicant may be submitting revised materials, however, COGCC staff will not be recommending approval or denial until the materials have been reviewed and hearing held before the

Commission.

Docket No. 1306-SP-86, Unnamed Field, Morgan County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Prima Exploration, Inc.

Attorneys: Robert A. Willis

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 640-acre

drilling and spacing unit consisting of Section 28, Township 6 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M., and approve up to eight horizontal wells within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

Comment: The initial submitted 511 testimony was not sufficient to

satisfy the concerns of COGCC staff. The applicant may be submitting revised materials, however, COGCC staff will not be recommending approval or denial until the materials have been reviewed and hearing held before the

Commission.

Docket No. 1306-SP-97 Unnamed Field, Weld County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Noble Energy, LLC Attorneys: Jamie L. Jost

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 640-acre

drilling and spacing unit consisting of Section 4, township 8 north, Range 59 West, 6th P.M., and approve one horizontal well within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Codell-Niobrara

Formation.

Protested by: Bureau of Land Management

Representative: Lonny R. Bagley, Deputy State Director, Energy, Lands,

and Minerals.

Docket No. 1307-SP-1117, North Sheep Unit, Unnamed Field, Gunnison County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Gunnison Energy Corporation ("GEC")

Attorneys: David R. Little

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 3,583-

acre unconventional resource unit consisting of certain

lands in Sections 7, 8, 17 through 22, Township 11 South, Range 90 West, 6th P.M., and approve an appropriate number of vertical, directional and/or horizontal wells within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Mancos Formation.

Protested by: Bureau of Land Management

Representative: Lonny R. Bagley, Deputy State Director Energy, Lands,

and Minerals

Docket No. 1307-SP-1118, South Sheep Unit, Unnamed Field, Gunnison County

Staff: Roger Allbrandt, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Gunnison Energy Corporation ("GEC")

Attorneys: David R. Little

Subject: Request for an order to establish an approximate 8,444-

acre unconventional resource unit consisting of certain lands in Sections 3 through 11 and 27 through 34, Townships 11 and 12 South, and approve an appropriate number of vertical, directional and/or horizontal wells within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated

hydrocarbons from the Mancos Formation.

Protested by: Bureau of Land Management

Representative: Lonny R. Bagley, Deputy State Director Energy, Lands,

and Minerals

Docket No. 1307-UP-150, Wattenberg Field, Weld County

Staff: Jill Dorancy, Hearing Officer

Applicant: Bill Barrett Corporation

Attorneys: Robert A. Willis

Subject: Request for an order to pool all interests in an approximate

640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Section 35, Township 6 North, range 62 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the Codell and Niobrara

Formations.

(Notices and applications for the below listed continued matters are available on our website Docket)

Docket No. 1309-AW-53, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. (BLM Protest)

Docket No. 1309-AW-56, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. (BLM Protest)

Docket No. 1309-AW-57, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. (BLM Protest)

Docket No. 1309-AW-58, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. (BLM Protest)

Docket No. 1309-AW-59, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. (BLM Protest)

Docket No. 1309-AW-60, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. (BLM Protest)

Docket No. 1309-AW-63, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. (BLM Protest)

Docket No. 1309-AW-65, Coleman Oil & Gas, Inc.

Docket No. 1309-SP-1155, EE3 LLC (BLM Protest)

Docket No. 1309-SP-1156, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. (BLM Protest)

Docket No. 1309-SP-1162, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. (BLM Protest)

Docket No. 1309-SP-1163, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. (BLM Protest)

Docket No. 1309-SP-1165, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. (BLM Protest) Docket No. 1309-SP-1166, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. (BLM Protest) Docket No. 1309-SP-1168, Great Western Operating Company, LLC Docket No. 1309-SP-1169, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. (BLM Protest) Docket No. 1309-SP-1171, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. (BLM Protest) Docket No. 1309-SP-1172, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. (BLM Protest) Docket No. 1309-SP-1173, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. (BLM Protest) Docket No. 1309-SP-1175, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. (BLM Protest) Docket No. 1309-SP-1176, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. (BLM Protest) Docket No. 1309-UP-177, Bill Barrett Corporation Docket No. 1309-UP-178, Bill Barrett Corporation Docket No. 1309-UP-205, Bill Barrett Corporation Docket No. 1309-UP-208, Bill Barrett Corporation Docket No. 1310-AW-70, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc Docket No. 1310-AW-71, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc Docket No. 1310-AW-75, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. Docket No. 1310-AW-76, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc. Docket No. 1310-GA-05, Granger vs. Conoco Docket No. 1310-UP-226, Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation Docket No. 1310-UP-227, ConocoPhillips Company Docket No. 1310-UP-228, Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation Docket No. 1310-UP-229, Whiting Oil and Gas Corporation Docket No. 1310-UP-234, Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP

# **WITHDRAWN MATTERS / APPLICATIONS**

(Notices and applications for the below listed withdrawn matters are available on our website Docket)

Docket No. 1301-UP-11, Apollo Operating, LLC
Docket No. 1301-UP-12, Apollo Operating, LLC
Docket No. 1307-SP-1131, EE3 LLC
Docket No. 1309-SP-1144, Great Western Operating Company, LLC
Docket No. 1309-SP-1160, Axia Energy, LLC (BLM Protest)
Docket No. 1309-SP-1187, ConocoPhillips Company
Docket No. 1309-UP-189, Axia Energy, LLC
Docket No. 1310-AW-72, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc
Docket No. 1310-AW-73, Carrizo Oil and Gas, Inc
Docket No. 1310-SP-1200, ConocoPhillips Company
Docket No. 1310-UP-211, Noble Energy LLC
Docket No. 1310-UP-214, Bonanza Creek Energy Operating Company LLC
Docket No. 1310-UP-215, Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP
Docket No. 1310-UP-222, Noble Energy LLC

Docket No. 1310-UP-224, ConocoPhillips Company

Docket No. 1310-UP-232, ConocoPhillips Company