

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE PROMULGATION AND)	CAUSE NO. 166
ESTABLISHMENT OF FIELD RULES TO GOVERN)	
OPERATIONS IN THE PLATEAU FIELD,)	DOCKET NO. 0512-AW-21
MESA COUNTY, COLORADO)	

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

On April 20, 1981, the Commission issued Order No. 166-15, which amended Order No. 166-11, which, among other things, established 160-acre drilling and spacing units for the production of gas from the Mesaverde Formation (defined to include the Corcoran Sandstone as its basal member), to cover additional lands including those described below, with the permitted well to be located no closer than 600 feet from the boundaries of the drilling unit:

Township 9 South, Range 94 West, 6th P.M.

Sections 31 and 32: All

Section 33: SW¹/₄

Township 9 South, Range 95 West, 6th P.M.

Section 36: All

Township 10 South, Range 94 West, 6th P.M.

Sections 5 through 8: All

Sections 16 through 21: All

Township 10 South, Range 95 West, 6th P.M.

Section 1: All

Section 24: All

On May 21, 1984, the Commission entered Order No. 166-19, which among other things, deleted Sections 31 and 32, Township 9 South, Range 94 West, 6th P.M. from the spaced area of the Plateau Field and exempted these lands from Rule 318 only insofar as it pertains to the Cameo Coal Section of the Mesaverde Formation.

On February 14, 2005, the Commission entered Order No. 166-20, which allowed three (3) additional wells to be optionally drilled within the below-described 160-acre drilling and spacing units for the production of gas from the Mesaverde Formation (defined to include the Corcoran Sandstone as its basal member), for a total of four (4) wells, with the permitted well to be located no closer than 600 feet from the boundaries of the drilling unit upon which it is located for the below listed lands:

Township 9 South, Range 94 West, 6th P.M.

Section 31: S¹/₂

Section 32: S¹/₂

Township 9 South, Range 95 West, 6th P.M.

Section 36: E¹/₂, SW¹/₄

Township 10 South, Range 94 West, 6th P.M.

Section 5: W¹/₂

Section 6: All

Section 7: NE¹/₄, SW¹/₄

Section 8: All

Section 16: SW¹/₄

Section 17: NE¹/₄

Section 18: W¹/₂, NE¹/₄

Township 10 South, Range 95 West, 6th P.M.

Section 1: NE¹/₄

On October 26, 2005, amended on November 4, 2005, Laramie Energy, LLC, by its attorney, filed with the Commission a verified application for an order to allow three additional wells to be optionally drilled in each 160-acre drilling and spacing unit, for a total of four wells, for the production of gas from the Mesaverde Formation (including the Corcoran Sandstone as its basal member), with the permitted well to be located no closer than 600 feet from any lease line or 1200 feet from any producible well for the below-listed:

Township 9 South, Range 94 West, 6th P.M.

Section 30: SE $\frac{1}{4}$
Section 31: NW $\frac{1}{4}$
Section 32: NW $\frac{1}{2}$

Township 10 South, Range 94 West, 6th P.M.

Section 5: SE $\frac{1}{4}$
Section 16: NW $\frac{1}{4}$, SE $\frac{1}{4}$
Section 17: SW $\frac{1}{4}$
Section 19: NW $\frac{1}{4}$
Section 20: SW $\frac{1}{4}$

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission of the State of Colorado, pursuant to the above, has scheduled the above-entitled matter for hearing on:

Date: Monday, December 5, 2005
Tuesday, December 6, 2005

Time: 9:00 a.m.

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

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if any party requires special accommodations as a result of a disability for this hearing, please contact Margaret Humecki at (303) 894-2100 ext. 139, prior to the hearing and arrangements will be made.

Pursuant to said hearing in the above-entitled matter at the time and place aforesaid, or at any adjourned meeting, the Commission will enter such orders as it deems appropriate to protect the health, safety and welfare of the public and to prevent the waste of oil and gas, either or both, in the operations of said field, and to carry out the purposes of the statute.

In accordance with Rule 509., any interested party desiring to protest the granting of the application or to intervene on the application should file with the Commission a written protest or intervention no later than November 21, 2005, briefly stating the basis of the protest or intervention. Such interested party shall, at the same time, serve a copy of the protest or intervention to the person filing the application. An original and nine (9) copies shall be filed with the Commission (Rule 503.). **Anyone who files a protest or intervention must be able to participate in a prehearing conference during the week of November 21, 2005.** Pursuant to Rule 503.e., if a party who has received notice under Rule 503.b. wishes to receive further pleadings in the above-referenced matter, that party must file a protest or intervention in accordance with these rules. In accordance with the practices of the Commission, should no protests or interventions be filed in this matter by **November 21, 2005, the Applicant may request that an administrative hearing be scheduled for the week of November 21, 2005.**

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

By _____
Patricia C. Beaver, Secretary

Dated at Suite 801
1120 Lincoln Street
Denver, Colorado 80203
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