

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

NOTICE OF HEARING

IN THE MATTER OF THE PROMULGATION)	CAUSE NO. 376
AND ESTABLISHMENT OF LIELD RULES TO)	
GOVERN OPERATIONS IN THE WHITEWATER)	DOCKET NO. 0509-SP-11
FIELD, MESA COUNTY, COLORADO)	

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

On July 20, 1981, the Commission issued Order No. 376-1, which established 320-acre drilling and spacing units for production of gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Dakota and Morrison Formations underlying certain lands in the Whitewater Field, Mesa County, Colorado.

On August 8, 2005, South Oil, Inc., by its attorney, filed with the Commission a verified application for an order to vacate Order No. 376-1 which established 320-acre drilling and spacing units for the production of gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Dakota and Morrison Formations for the below-listed lands and place the lands under the provisions of the Rules and Regulations of the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission:

<u>Area A</u>	<u>Township 12 South, Range 97 West, 6th P.M.</u>	
	Sections 31 thru 33:	All
	<u>Township 12 South, Range 98 West, 6th P.M.</u>	
	Section 25:	W ¹ / ₂
	Fractional Section 26:	All
	Fractional Section 35:	All
	Section 36:	All
	<u>Township 13 South, Range 97 West, 6th P.M.</u>	
	Sections 4 thru 8:	All
	Sections 17 and 18:	All
	Section 20:	All
<u>Area B</u>	<u>Township 2 South, Range 2 East, Ute P.M.</u>	
	Section 13:	All
	Section 24:	All
	<u>Township 1 South, Range 2 East, Ute P.M.</u>	
	Sections 14 thru 16:	All
	Sections 21 thru 25:	All
	<u>Township 12 South, Range 97 West, 6th P.M.</u>	
	Sections 6 and 7:	All
	<u>Township 12 South, Range 98 West, 6th P.M.</u>	
	Section 1:	All
	Fractional Section 2:	All
	Fractional Section 11:	All
	Section 12:	All

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, September 26, 2005
Time:	11:00 a.m.
Place:	Sky Ute Casino Rolling Thunder Hall 14826 Highway 172 North Ignacio, CO 81137

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 September 12, 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.f.). **Anyone who files a protest or intervention must be available to participate in a prehearing conference during the week of September 12, 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 September 12, 2005, **the Applicant may request that an administrative hearing be scheduled for the week of September 12, 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
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