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

IN THE MATTER OF THE PROMULGATION AND	)	CAUSE NO. 440
ESTABLISHMENT OF FIELD RULES TO GOVERN	)	
OPERATIONS IN THE GRAND VALLEY FIELD,	)	DOCKET NO. 0610-UP-13
GARFIELD COUNTY, COLORADO	)	

## **NOTICE OF HEARING**

## TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

On March 22, 2005, the Commission issued Order No. 510-14, which among other things, established 160-acre drilling and spacing units for certain lands including the NE¼ of Section 27, Township 7 South, Range 96 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M., for the production of gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Williams Fork Formation.

On August 30, 2006, Williams Production Company, by its attorney, filed with the Commission a verified application for an order to pool all non-consenting interests in the 160-acre drilling and spacing unit consisting of the NE¼ of Section 27, Township 7 South, Range 96 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M., for the development and operation of the Williams Fork Formation. The applicant has drilled the SG 441-27, SG 341-27, and SG 41-27 Wells in the NE¼ of said Section 27. Offers to lease or to participate have been made to the mineral owners or the leasehold owners but as of the date the application was filed, these attempts have been unsuccessful.

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, October 23, 2006

Tuesday, October 24, 2006

Time: 8:00 a.m.

Place: Las Animas County Courthouse

200 East First Street, Room 201 Trinidad, Colorado 81082

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 October 9, 2006, 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 October 9, 2006. Pursuant to Rule 503.f., 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 October 9, 2006, the Applicant may request that an administrative hearing be scheduled for the week of October 9, 2006. In the alternative, pursuant to Rule 511.b., if the matter is uncontested, the applicant may request, and the Director may recommend approval on the basis of the merits of the verified application and the supporting exhibits.

## 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 September 22, 2006 Attorney for Applicant: William A. Keefe Poulson, Odell & Peterson, LLC 1775 Sherman Street, Suite 1400 Denver, CO 80203 (303) 861-4400