

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

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| IN THE MATTER OF THE PROMULGATION AND  | ) | CAUSE NO. 191         |
| ESTABLISHMENT OF FIELD RULES TO GOVERN | ) |                       |
| OPERATIONS IN THE MAMM CREEK FIELD,    | ) | DOCKET NO. 0701-UP-07 |
| GARFIELD COUNTY, COLORADO              | ) |                       |

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

On October 23, 2006, the Commission issued Order No. 191-37, which among other things, established an approximate 186.3-acre drilling and spacing unit consisting of the N½ of Section 12, Township 6 South, Range 93 West, 6th P.M., for the production of gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Williams Fork and the Iles Formations of the Mesaverde Group.

On November 20, 2006, Antero Resources Piceance Corporation, by its attorney, filed with the Commission a verified application for an order to pool all non-consenting interests in the approximate 186.3-acre drilling and spacing unit described below, for the development and operation of the Williams Fork and Iles Formations:

Township 6 South, Range 93 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.

All that part of Section 12, Township 6 South, Range 93 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M. lying in the N½ of said Section 12 more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at the Northwestern corner of Section 12; thence South 00°41'24" West a distance of 2266.6 feet; thence North 66°30' East a distance of 300.70 feet; thence North 69°53' East a distance of 453.30 feet; thence North 75°31' East a distance of 551.10 feet; thence North 78°41' East a distance of 764.30 feet; thence North 78°10' East a distance of 379.80 feet; thence North 82°34' East a distance of 278.10 feet; thence North 78°01' East a distance of 1011.30 feet; thence North 77°24' East a distance of 1677.20 feet to a point on the East line of Section 12; thence North 00°52'12" East a distance of 938.20 feet; thence North 89°11' West a distance of 5245.20 feet to the point of beginning.

The applicant plans to drill the Hoffmeister A-1 Well, with the bottomhole location in the NW¼ NE¼ of Section 12, Township 6 South, Range 93 West, 6th P.M. 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, not all of these attempts have been successful.

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, January 8, 2007  
Tuesday, January 9, 2007

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 December 22, 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 December 26, 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 **December 22, 2006, the Applicant may request that an administrative hearing be scheduled for the week of December 26, 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.

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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Denver, Colorado 80203  
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