

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE PROMULGATION AND)	CAUSE NO. 510
ESTABLISHMENT OF FIELD RULES TO GOVERN)	
OPERATIONS IN THE GRAND VALLEY FIELD,)	DOCKET NO. 0803-AW-08
GARFIELD COUNTY, COLORADO)	

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Rule 318.a. of the Rules and Regulations of the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission requires that wells drilled in excess of 2,500 feet in depth be located not less than 600 feet from any lease line, and located not less than 1,200 feet from any other producible or drilling oil or gas well when drilling to the same common source of supply. Certain lands in Townships 6 and 7 South, Range 97 West, 6th P.M. are subject to this rule.

On January 14, 2008, Oxy USA WTP LP, by its attorney, filed with the Commission a verified application to allow the equivalent of one well per 10 acres to be drilled into and produced from the Williams Fork Formation of the Mesaverde Group, for the below-listed lands:

Township 6 South Range 97 West, 6th P.M.
Section 19: E $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$

Township 7 South Range 97 West, 6th P.M.
Section 8: The E $\frac{1}{2}$ of Tract 39 and 1.26 acres out of the NW corner of Tract 39
Section 17: Tract 89
Section 18: Tracts 89 and 91
Section 21: Lots 112B and 112C
Section 22: Tract 112B
Section 26: Tracts 121C and 121B

All future Williams Fork Formation wells drilled upon such lands should be located downhole anywhere but no closer than 100 feet from the outside boundary of the application lands unless such boundary abuts or corners lands in respect of which the Commission has not at the time of the drilling permit application granted the right to drill 10-acre density wells, in which event the Williams Fork Formation wells to be drilled upon the application lands should be drilled downhole no closer than 200 feet from that portion of the boundary which so abuts or corners the lands in respect of which 10-acre density downhole drilling for Williams Fork Formation wells has not been ordered by the Commission.

Except as previously authorized by order of the Commission, wells to be drilled under this application will be drilled from the surface either vertically or directionally from no more than one pad located on a given quarter quarter section (or lots or parcels approximately equivalent thereto) unless exception is granted by the Director of the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission pursuant to application made for such exception.

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, March 31, 2008 Tuesday, April 1, 2008
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 March 17, 2008, 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 13 copies shall be filed with the Commission. **Anyone who files a protest or intervention must be able to participate in a prehearing conference during the week of March 17, 2008.** 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 **March 17, 2008, the Applicant may request that an administrative hearing be scheduled during the week of March 17, 2008.** 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
1120 Lincoln Street
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