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

IN THE MATTER OF THE PROMULGATION AND)CAUSE NO. 407ESTABLISHMENT OF FIELD RULES TO)GOVERN OPERATIONS IN THE WATTENBERG)FIELD, WELD COUNTY, COLORADO)

# NOTICE OF HEARING

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

On December 19, 1983, the Commission issued Order No. 407-1 (amended on March 29, 2000), which among other things, established 80-acre drilling and spacing units for the production of oil and/or gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Codell Formation underlying certain lands, including Section 21, Township 5, North, Range 67 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M., with the unit to be designated by the operator drilling the first well in the quarter section. The permitted well shall be located in the center of either 40-acre tract within the unit with a tolerance of 200 feet in any direction. The operator shall have the option to drill an additional well on the undrilled 40-acre tract in each 80-acre drilling and spacing unit.

On February 19, 1992, the Commission issued Order No. 407-87 (amended August 20, 1993), which among other things, established 80-acre drilling and spacing units, for the production of oil and/or gas from the Codell and Niobrara Formations underlying certain lands, including Section 21, Township 5, North, Range 67 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M., with the permitted well locations in accordance with the provisions of Order No. 407-1.

On May 26, 2009, Unioil, by its attorney, filed with the Commission a verified application for an order to pool all nonconsenting interests in the established 80-acre stand-up drilling and spacing units consisting of the  $W_{2}^{\prime}$  SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> and the E<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of Section 21, Township 5 North, Range 67 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M., for the development and operation of the Codell and Niobrara Formations. Unioil has drilled the below-listed wells for which it is requested that this order apply retroactive the spud date of each well:

- Wiedeman 33-21U
- Wiedeman 34-21U
- Wiedeman 43-21U
- Wiedeman 44-21U

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:	Tuesday, July 14, 2009 Wednesday, July 15, 2009
Time:	9:00 a.m.
Place:	TBD Glenwood Springs, Colorado

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. 5139, 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 June 29, 2009, 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 June 29, 2009. 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 June 29, 2009, the Applicant may request that an administrative hearing be scheduled during the week of June 29, 2009. In the alternative, pursuant to Rule 511.c., 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\_\_\_

Robert A. Willis, Acting Secretary

Dated at Suite 801 1120 Lincoln Street Denver, Colorado 80203 June 19, 2009 Attorney for Applicant: Kenneth A. Wonstolen Beatty & Wozniak, P.C. 216 Sixteenth Street, Suite 1100 Denver, CO 80202 (303) 407-4499