

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE PROMULGATION AND	)	CAUSE NO. 421
ESTABLISHMENT OF FIELD RULES TO GOVERN	)	
OPERATIONS IN THE HEREFORD FIELD, WELD	)	DOCKET NO. 1102-SP-09
COUNTY, COLORADO	)	

**AMENDED NOTICE OF HEARING**

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

**This Amended Notice of Hearing sets forth a new deadline for any interested party to protest the granting of the application or intervene on the application. The new deadline to protest/intervene is February 16, 2011. Anyone who files a protest or intervention must be able to participate in a prehearing conference on either February 17 or 18, 2011. No other changes have been made to the content in the prior Notice of Hearing issued on January 18, 2011.**

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. Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4 of Section 13, Township 12 North, Range 64 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M. is subject to this Rule for the Niobrara Formation.

On October 22, 2010, the Commission entered Order No. 421-3, which among other things, established approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing units for certain lands, including Section 24, Township 12 North, Range 64 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M., and authorized the drilling of no more than one horizontal well within each unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

On December 15, 2010, Anadarko Petroleum Corporation, by its attorney, filed with the Commission a verified application to add the below-listed lands into the approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit previously established for Section 24, Township 12 North, Range 64 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M., and continue to authorize the drilling of no more than one horizontal well within said unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation, with the surface location for any permitted well to be located anywhere upon said unit, provided that the horizontal leg into the Niobrara Formation being no closer than 600 feet to the outside boundary of said unit and the terminus of the horizontal leg shall not be any closer than 600 feet to the outside boundary of the drilling and spacing unit without exception being granted by the Director of the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission:

Township 12 North, Range 64 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.  
Section 13: Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4 (approximately 18.98 acres)

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, February 22, 2011 Wednesday, February 23, 2011
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. 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 February 16, 2011, 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 on either February 17 or 18, 2011.**

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Robert A. Willis, Secretary

Dated at Suite 801  
1120 Lincoln Street  
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**February 4, 2011**

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