

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF WPX)	CAUSE NO. 479
ENERGY ROCKY MOUNTAIN, LLC FOR AN ORDER)	
TO POOL ALL INTERESTS WITHIN AN)	DOCKET NO. 1307-UP-143
APPROXIMATE 160-ACRE DRILLING AND SPACING)	
UNIT FOR SECTION 13, TOWNSHIP 7 SOUTH,)	
RANGE 96 WEST, 6 TH P.M., FOR THE WILLIAMS)	
FORK FORMATION OF THE MESAVERDE GROUP,)	
GRAND VALLEY FIELD, GARFIELD COUNTY,)	
COLORADO)	

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

On May 18, 1990, the Commission entered Order No. 479-2 (corrected November 1990), which, among other things, established 320-acre drilling and spacing units for the production of gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Mesaverde Formation, authorizing one well to be drilled in each of the drilling and spacing units, and allowing for an additional well within said unit, with the permitted well to be located on the established unit no closer than 600 feet from the boundaries of said unit and no closer than 1,200 feet from any well producing or producible from the same formation. Section 13, Township 7 South, Range 96 West, 6th P.M. is subject to this Order for the Mesaverde Formation.

On April 16, 2012, the Commission entered Order No. 479-21 which, among other things, vacated an approximate 320-acre drilling and spacing unit established by Order No. 479-2, and established two approximate 160-acre drilling and spacing units for Section 13, Township 7 South, Range 96 West, 6th P.M., for the production of gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Williams Fork and Iles Formations of the Mesaverde Group.

On May 30, 2013, WPX Energy Rocky Mountain, LLC ("WPX" or "Applicant"), by its attorneys, filed with the Commission pursuant to §34-60-116 C.R.S., a verified application ("Application") for an order to pool all interests in an approximate 160-acre drilling and spacing unit established for the below-described lands ("Application Lands"), for the development and operation of the Williams Fork Formation of the Mesaverde Group, effective as of the earlier of the date of the Application, or the date that any of the costs specified in C.R.S. §34-60-116(7)(b)(II) were first incurred for the drilling of the GM 11-13 Well ("Well"), and to subject any nonconsenting interests to the cost recovery provisions of C.R.S. §34-60-116(7):

Township 7 South, Range 96 West, 6th P.M.
Section 13: NW¼

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to: 1) the general jurisdiction granted to the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission of the State of Colorado under §34-60-105 C.R.S.; 2) specific powers granted pursuant to §34-60-106 C.R.S.; 3) the State Administrative Procedures Act at §24-4-105 C.R.S.; and 4) the Commission's Series 500 Rules at 2 CCR 404-1, that the Commission has scheduled the above-entitled matter for hearing on:

Date: Monday, July 29, 2013

Tuesday, July 30, 2013

Time: 9:00 a.m.

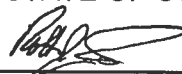
Place: Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission
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Pursuant to said hearing in the above-entitled matter at the time and place aforesaid, or at any adjourned meeting, the Commission will enter such orders as it deems appropriate to protect the health, 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 July 15, 2013, 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. One electronic (cogcc.hearings_unit@state.co.us), one original and two 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 July 15, 2013.** Pursuant to Rule 503.g., 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 **July 15, 2013, the Applicant may request that an administrative hearing be scheduled beginning July 15, 2013.** In the alternative, pursuant to Rule 511., 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.

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By 
Robert J. Frick, Secretary

Dated: July 1, 2013

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