

October 21, 2010



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Antero Resources
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RE: Proposed Oil and Gas Operations: Rule 305/306 Advance Notice and Consultation
Well Pad: Speakman A and Speakman B
Surface location: NESW and NESE of Section 24, T7S, R96W, 6th P.M.
Garfield County, Colorado

Mr. James Eugene Speakman and Ms. Monique Teresa Speakman:

You are the surface owner of lands on which Antero Resources Piceance Corporation intends to drill the subject wells.

Rules 305 and 306 of the Rules and Regulations to the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission ("COGCC") requires the operator to consult and give notice to the surface owner of potential oil and gas operations, such notice to contain the following information:

- (1) The estimated date that operations for which notice is being given are to commence: **As soon as 3/1/2011 but dependent upon rig availability and market conditions.**
- (2) the name of the operator with address and contact person:
Antero Resources Piceance Corporation
Contact: David Stricklin, Cell# 303-618-7366
- (3) a legal description of the quarter quarter section within which operations will be conducted:
See legal description above
- (4) a statement that the surface owner is responsible for notifying affected tenants of the proposed operations: **"With respect to notices given under this Rule 305, it shall be the responsibility of the notified surface owner to give notice of the proposed operation to the tenant, farmer, lessee, or other party that may own or have an interest in any crops or surface improvements that could be affected by such proposed operation."**
- (5) information with regard to the consultation notice requirement set forth in COGCC Rule 306:
See Attachment
- (6) a copy of the COGCC's information brochure for surface owners: **See Attached Brochure**

Please review the attached document, "Waiver or Request for Consultation" and return the signed and executed document to my attention in the enclosed self-addressed stamped envelope.

If you have any questions, please call me at (303) 357-6412 or David Stricklin at (303) 618-7366.

Regards,


Hannah Knopping
Permit Representative

Enclosures

**WAIVER AND REQUEST FOR CONSULTATION FORM
RULE 305 AND 306**

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30-DAY NOTICE WAIVER

The undersigned **waives** OR **does not waive** (PLEASE CIRCLE ONE) the 30-day notice period for drilling operations on the above captioned location.

REQUEST FOR CONSULTATION MEETING

The undersigned **requests** OR **does not request** (PLEASE CIRCLE ONE) a consultation meeting.

Preferred date, time and location of meeting, if applicable: _____

Telephone number: _____

DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVE /AGENT (if applicable)

The undersigned names the below designated representative for surface consultation with respect to operations for drilling from the above location.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

SURFACE OWNER(S) SIGNATURE

By: _____
James Eugene Speakman

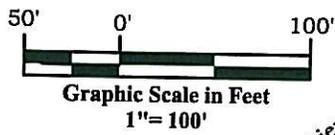
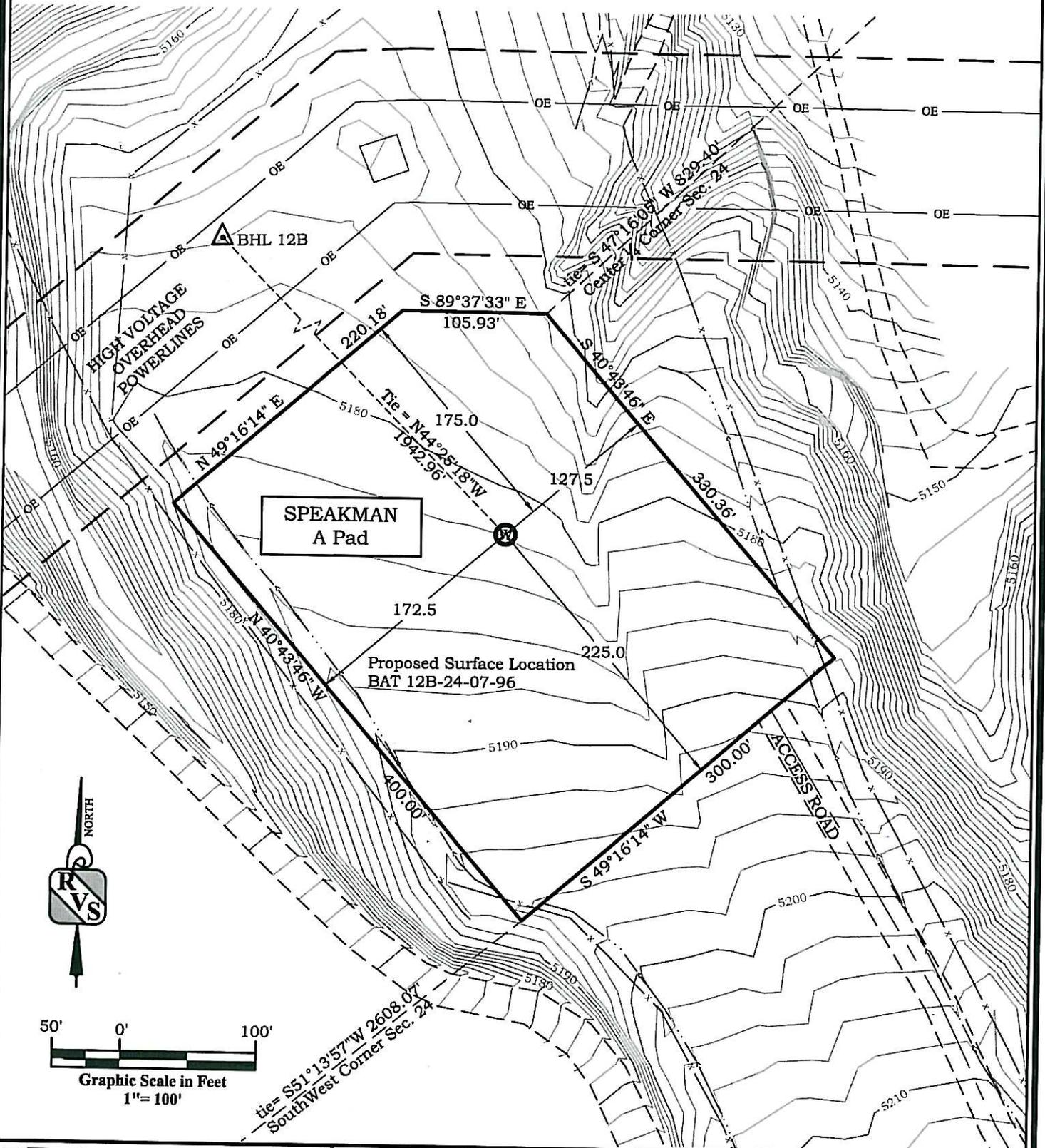
Date: _____

By: _____
Monique Teresa Speakman

Date: _____

Location Drawing BAT 12B-24-07-96

Section 24, Township 7 South, Range 96 West



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 110 East 3rd. Street, Suite 213
 Rifle, Colorado 81650
 Ph: 970-379-7846

Project: Speakman A Pad	
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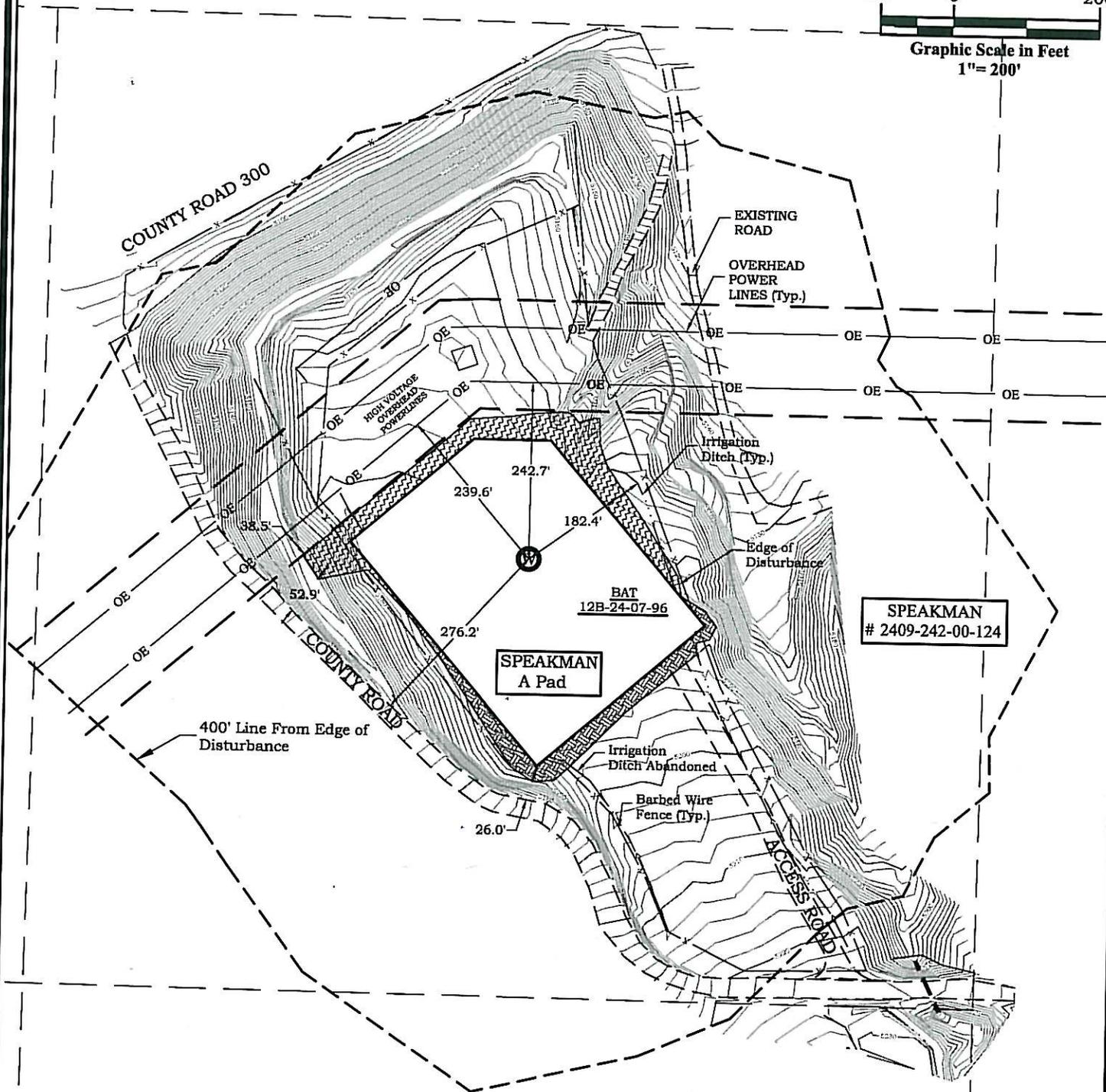
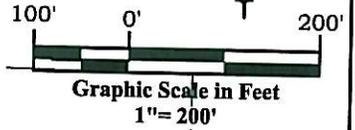
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