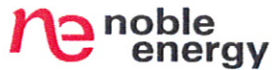


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November 12, 2010

Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission
The Chancery Building
1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801
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Attn: Mr. David Neslin, Director

RE: **LaSalle K01-28D**
Codell/Niobrara New Drill
Township 5 North, Range 66 West, 6th P.M.
Section 36: SW/4SE/4: 685' FSL & 1994' FEL (Surface Location)
Section 36: SW/4SE/4: 75' FSL & 2580' FEL (Bottom Hole Location)
Weld County, Colorado

Mr. Neslin:

Noble Energy, Inc. ("NEI") is planning to drill the captioned boundary well in accordance with the provisions of COGCC Rule 318A.e.

NEI's proposed wellbore spacing unit consists of the SE4/SW4, SW/4SE/4 of Section 36 T5N R66W and NW4/NE4, NE4/NW4 of Section 1, T4N, R66W, creating a 160-acre wellbore spacing unit. NEI is not the only owner within the proposed wellbore spacing unit and as such provided notice to the remaining owner(s) within said proposed spacing unit as required under COGCC Rule 318A.e(6). Copies of the required notice letter(s) is/are on file at the NEI offices. The required twenty (20) day notice period has elapsed absent the receipt by NEI of an objection to said proposal by the owner(s) within the proposed spacing unit for this well.

Enclosed are copies of the following documents to assist you in your review and approval of NEI's proposed APD for the captioned well:

- Plat illustrating the proposed wellbore spacing unit and number of Codell/Niobrara wells located within the existing 160-acre governmental quarter section (SE/4) to be less than eight (8) in accordance with COGCC Rule 318A.f.
- Plat illustrating proposed wellbore spacing unit on existing location plat.

Thank you for your attention to the enclosed. NEI respectfully requests that the COGCC review the enclosed information and approve the Application for Permit to Drill the captioned well.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Cheryl Johnson'.

Cheryl Johnson
Regulatory Analyst II
Noble Energy Inc.



The governmental ¼ Section has less than 8 bottom hole wells producing from the Codell, Niobrara, and J-Sand formations.

PROPOSED 318A.e SPACING UNIT

Steil Surveying Services, LLC

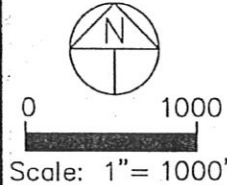
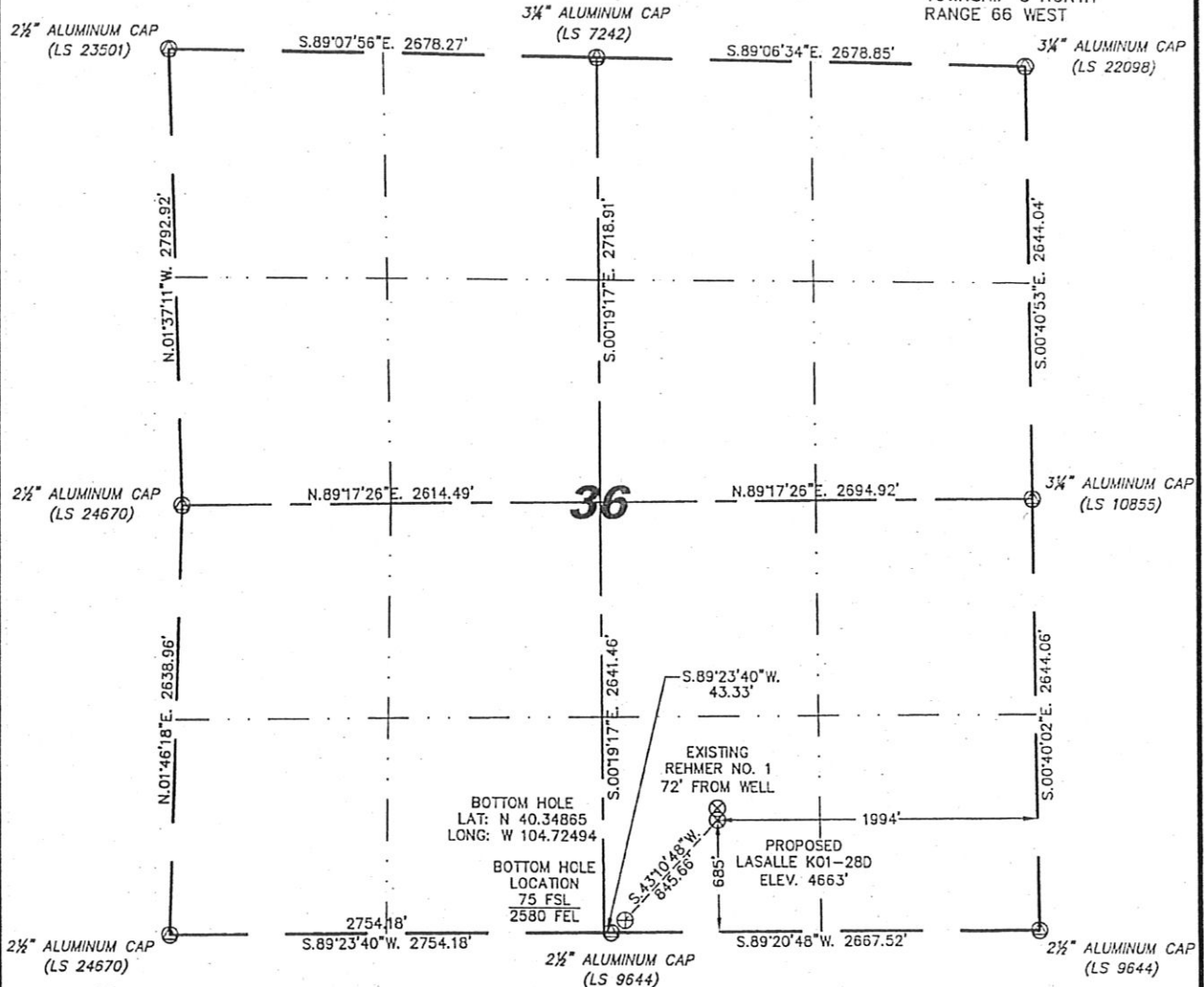
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WELL LOCATION CERTIFICATE

THIS MAP DOES NOT REPRESENT A BOUNDARY SURVEY

SECTION 36
TOWNSHIP 5 NORTH
RANGE 66 WEST



IN ACCORDANCE WITH A REQUEST FROM ROBBIE MILLER - NOBLE ENERGY INC., STEIL SURVEYING SERVICES, LLC HAS DETERMINED THE LOCATION OF THE LASALLE K01-28D WELL TO BE 685' FSL, 1994' FEL, AS MEASURED AT NINETY (90) DEGREES FROM THE SECTION LINES, SECTION 36, TOWNSHIP 5 NORTH, RANGE 66 WEST, 6TH PRINCIPLE MERIDIAN, WELD COUNTY, COLORADO.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS WELL LOCATION CERTIFICATE WAS PREPARED BY ME, OR UNDER MY DIRECT SUPERVISION, THAT THE FIELD WORK WAS COMPLETED ON 05/18/2010, FOR AND ON BEHALF OF NOBLE ENERGY INC., THAT IT IS NOT A LAND SURVEY PLAT OR AN IMPROVEMENT SURVEY PLAT, AND THAT IT IS NOT TO BE RELIED UPON FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF FENCE, BUILDING, OR OTHER FUTURE IMPROVEMENT LINES.

NOTES:

- 1) BASIS OF BEARINGS FOR THIS MAP ARE BASED UPON GPS OBSERVATIONS MADE ON 02/25/2010 BETWEEN MONUMENTS LOCATED AT THE SOUTHEAST SECTION CORNER AND THE NORTHEAST SECTION CORNER OF SAID SECTION AND WITH ALL BEARINGS SHOWN HEREON RELATIVE THERETO.
- 2) ELEVATIONS ARE BASED UPON NGS CPUS SOLUTION NAVD 88 DATUM.
- 3) THE NEAREST EXISTING WELL IS: REHMER NO. 1, 72' NORTH.
- 4) SEE VISIBLE IMPROVEMENTS EXHIBIT FOR ALL IMPROVEMENTS WITHIN 600'.
- 5) THE LOCATION FALLS IN CROP LAND.

LATITUDE & LONGITUDE (NAD 83 SURFACE HOLE):
LATITUDE: N 40.35033'
LONGITUDE: W 104.72284'
PDOP: 1.8
QUARTER-QUARTER: SW/4SE/4
NEAREST PROPERTY LINE: 640' EAST

LEGEND

- ⊙ FOUND SURVEY MONUMENT PER MONUMENT RECORD - EXCEPTIONS NOTED.
- (C) CALCULATED DIMENSION

NOTICE: According to Colorado law you MUST commence any legal action based upon any defect in this W.L.C. within three years after you first discover such defect. In no event may any action based upon any defect in this W.L.C. be commenced more than ten years from this sold date of the certification shown hereon.



Completed 05/25/2010
David C. Holmes
Professional Land Surveyor Registration No. 32828
State of Colorado
JOB #: 10086