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## Oil and Gas Location Assessment

☐ New Location
 ☒ Amend Existing Location
 Location#: 308652

Submit original plus one copy. This form is to be submitted to the COGCC prior to any ground disturbance activity associated with oil and gas development operations. This Assessment may be approved as a stand alone application or submitted as an informational report accompanying an Application for Permit-To-Drill, Form 2. Approval of this Assessment will allow for the construction of the below specified location; however, it does not supersede any land use rules applied by the local land use authority. This form may serve as notice to land owners and other interested parties, please see the COGCC web site at <http://colorado.gov/cogcc/> for all accompanying information pertinent to this Oil and Gas Location Assessment.

Location ID:

**308652**

Expiration Date:

**12/27/2013**
☐ This location assessment is included as part of a permit application.

## 1. CONSULTATION

- ☐ This location is included in a Comprehensive Drilling Plan. CDP # \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ This location is in a sensitive wildlife habitat area.
- ☐ This location is in a wildlife restricted surface occupancy area.
- ☐ This location includes a Rule 306.d.(1)A.ii. variance request.

## 2. Operator

Operator Number: 10084

Name: PIONEER NATURAL RESOURCES USA INC

Address: 1401 17TH ST STE 1200

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

## 3. Contact Information

Name: Georgina Kovacik

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## 4. Location Identification:

Name: BUCKSNORT Number: 41-35 TRCounty: LAS ANIMASQuarter: NE/NE Section: 35 Township: 32S Range: 66W Meridian: 6 Ground Elevation: 7261

Define a single point as a location reference for the facility location. This point should be used as the point of measurement in the drawings to be submitted with this application. When the location is to be used as a well site then the point shall be a well location.

Footage at surface: 120 feet FNL, from North or South section line, and 424 feet FEL, from East or West section line.Latitude: 37.221730 Longitude: -104.741390 PDOP Reading: 1.7 Date of Measurement: 11/04/2010Instrument Operator's Name: R. Coberly

## 5. Facilities (Indicate the number of each type of oil and gas facility planned on location):

Special Purpose Pits: <input type="text"/>	Drilling Pits: <input type="text" value="1"/>	Wells: <input type="text" value="2"/>	Production Pits: <input type="text" value="2"/>	Dehydrator Units: <input type="text"/>
Condensate Tanks: <input type="text"/>	Water Tanks: <input type="text"/>	Separators: <input type="text" value="2"/>	Electric Motors: <input type="text"/>	Multi-Well Pits: <input type="text"/>
Gas or Diesel Motors: <input type="text" value="2"/>	Cavity Pumps: <input type="text" value="2"/>	LACT Unit: <input type="text"/>	Pump Jacks: <input type="text"/>	Pigging Station: <input type="text" value="2"/>
Electric Generators: <input type="text"/>	Gas Pipeline: <input type="text" value="2"/>	Oil Pipeline: <input type="text"/>	Water Pipeline: <input type="text" value="2"/>	Flare: <input type="text"/>
Gas Compressors: <input type="text"/>	VOC Combustor: <input type="text"/>	Oil Tanks: <input type="text"/>	Fuel Tanks: <input type="text"/>	

Other: \_\_\_\_\_



## 6. Construction:

Date planned to commence construction: 03/01/2011 Size of disturbed area during construction in acres: 1.00  
Estimated date that interim reclamation will begin: 09/01/2011 Size of location after interim reclamation in acres: 0.50  
Estimated post-construction ground elevation: 7261 Will a closed loop system be used for drilling fluids: Yes ☐  
Will salt sections be encountered during drilling: Yes ☐ No ☒ Is H2S anticipated? Yes ☐ No ☒  
Will salt (>15,000 ppm TDS Cl) or oil based muds be used: Yes ☐ No ☒  
Mud disposal: Offsite ☐ Onsite ☒ Method: Land Farming ☐ Land Spreading ☐ Disposal Facility ☐  
Other: Drilling pit

## 7. Surface Owner:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Rule 306 surface owner consultation: 10/27/2010  
Surface Owner: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian  
Mineral Owner: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian  
The surface owner is: ☐ the mineral owner ☐ committed to an oil and gas lease  
☐ is the executer of the oil and gas lease ☐ the applicant  
The right to construct the location is granted by: ☒ oil and gas lease ☐ Surface Use Agreement ☐ Right of Way  
☐ applicant is owner  
Surface damage assurance if no agreement is in place: ☐ \$2000 ☐ \$5000 ☒ Blanket Surety ID 20040084

## 8. Reclamation Financial Assurance:

☐ Well Surety ID: 20040083 ☐ Gas Facility Surety ID: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Waste Mgnt. Surety ID: \_\_\_\_\_

## 9. Cultural:

Is the location in a high density area (Rule 603.b.): Yes ☐ No ☒  
Distance, in feet, to nearest building: 665, public road: 1290, above ground utilit: 750  
, railroad: 58000, property line: 424

## 10. Current Land Use (Check all that apply):

Crop Land: ☐ Irrigated ☐ Dry land ☐ Improved Pasture ☐ Hay Meadow ☐ CRP  
Non-Crop Land: ☒ Rangeland ☐ Timber ☐ Recreational ☐ Other (describe): \_\_\_\_\_  
Subdivided: ☐ Industrial ☐ Commercial ☐ Residential

## 11. Future Land Use (Check all that apply):

Crop Land: ☐ Irrigated ☐ Dry land ☐ Improved Pasture ☐ Hay Meadow ☐ CRP  
Non-Crop Land: ☒ Rangeland ☐ Timber ☐ Recreational ☐ Other (describe): \_\_\_\_\_  
Subdivided: ☐ Industrial ☐ Commercial ☐ Residential

## 12. Soils:

List all soil map units that occur within the proposed location. Attach the National Resource Conservation Service (NRCS) report showing the "Map Unit Description" report listing the soil typical vertical profile. This data is to be used when segregating topsoil.



The required information can be obtained from the NRCS web site at <http://soildatamart.nrcs.usda.gov/> or from the COGCC web site GIS Online map page found at <http://colorado.gov/cogcc>. Instructions are provided within the COGCC web site help section.

NRCS Map Unit Name: Trujillo-Sandy Loam, 9 to 25% slopes

NRCS Map Unit Name: Gulnare-Allens Park Complex, 5 to 35%

NRCS Map Unit Name: \_\_\_\_\_

### 13. Plant Community:

Complete this section only if any portion of the disturbed area of the location's current land use is on non-crop land.

Are noxious weeds present: Yes ☐ No ☒

Plant species from: ☐ NRCS or, ☒ field observation Date of observation: 11/04/2010

List individual species: grasses, cactus

Check all plant communities that exist in the disturbed area.

- ☒ Disturbed Grassland (Cactus, Yucca, Cheatgrass, Rye)  
☐ Native Grassland (Bluestern, Grama, Wheatgrass, Buffalograss, Fescue, Oatgrass, Brome)  
☐ Shrub Land (Mahogany, Oak, Sage, Serviceberry, Chokecherry)  
☐ Plains Riparian (Cottonwood, Willow, Aspen, Maple, Poplar, Russian Olive, Tamarisk)  
☐ Mountain Riparian (Cottonwood, Willow, Blue Spruce)  
☐ Forest Land (Spruce, Fir, Ponderosa Pine, Lodgepole Pine, Juniper, Pinyon, Aspen)  
☐ Wetlands Aquatic (Bullrush, Sedge, Cattail, Arrowhead)  
☐ Alpine (above timberline)  
☐ Other (describe): \_\_\_\_\_

### 14. Water Resources:

Rule 901.e. may require a sensitive area determination be performed. If this determination is performed the data is to be submitted with the Form 2A.

Is this a sensitive area: ☒ No ☐ Yes Was a Rule 901.e. Sensitive Areas Determination performed: ☐ No ☒ Yes

Distance (in feet) to nearest surface water: 1400, water well: 745, depth to ground water: 127

Is the location in a riparian area: ☒ No ☐ Yes Was an Army Corps of Engineers Section 404 permit filed ☒ No ☐ Yes

Is the location within a Rule 317B Surface Water Supply Area buffer zone:

☒ No ☐ 0-300 ft. zone ☐ 301-500 ft. zone ☐ 501-2640 ft. zone

If the location is within a Rule 317B Surface Water Supply Area buffer have all public water supply systems within 15 miles been notified: ☒ No ☐ Yes

### 15. Comments:

If a pit liner is used it will be properly managed as solid waste when the pit is closed in accordance with state rules. The reference area is an undisturbed area adjacent to and to the south of the well pad. The water well used to determine the static water level is #9089437

I hereby certify that the statements made in this form are, to the best of my knowledge, true, correct and complete.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: 12/01/2010 Email: georgina.kovacik@pxd.com

Print Name: Georgina Kovacik Title: Engineering Tech



Based on the information provided herein, this Application for Permit-to-Drill complies with COGCC Rules and applicable orders and is hereby approved.

*David S. Neslin*

COGCC Approved: \_\_\_\_\_ Director of COGCC Date: 12/28/2010

**CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:**

**All representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in this Form 2A for this location shall constitute representations, stipulations and conditions of approval for any and all subsequent operations on the location unless this Form 2A is modified by Sundry Notice, Form 4 or an Amended Form 2A.**

Prior to converting the drilling pit for use as production pit Pioneer shall submit an Earthen Pit Report/Permit Form 15 to the Director for approval in accordance with rule 903.a.. No production water shall be placed in the pit without a pre-approved form 15.

Operator must implement site-specific best management practices in accordance with good engineering practices, including, but not limited to, construction of a berm or diversion dike, site grading, or other comparable measures, sufficient to prevent a release of drilling, completion, produced fluids, or chemical products from migrating off of the oil and gas location.

**Attachment Check List**

Att Doc Num	Name
2533040	NRCS MAP UNIT DESC
2533041	CORRESPONDENCE
400112977	FORM 2A SUBMITTED
400113053	ACCESS ROAD MAP
400113058	HYDROLOGY MAP
400113059	CONST. LAYOUT DRAWINGS
400113060	LOCATION DRAWING
400113062	LOCATION PICTURES
400113063	LOCATION PICTURES
400113064	TOPO MAP
400113066	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400113067	PROPOSED BMPs
400113068	NRCS MAP UNIT DESC

Total Attach: 13 Files

**General Comments**

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