

**FORM
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State of Colorado

Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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Oil and Gas Location Assessment☐ New Location ☒ Amend Existing Location Location#: 335842

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 standalone 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:

335842

Expiration Date:

☐ 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: 10091

Name: BERRY PETROLEUM COMPANY

Address: 1999 BROADWAY STE 3700

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

3. Contact Information

Name: Kallasandra Moran

Phone: (303) 999-4225

Fax: (303) 999-4325

email: kmoran@bry.com

**4. Location
Identification:**

Name: Latham Number: CD-32 596

County: GARFIELD

QuarterQuarter: NENW Section: 32 Township: 5S Range: 96W Meridian: 6 Ground Elevation: 8253

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: 1014 feet FNL, from North or South section line, and 1265 feet FWL, from East or West section line.

Latitude: 39.576075 Longitude: -108.197764 PDOP Reading: 1.9 Date of Measurement: 07/16/2008

Instrument Operator's Name: Robert Wood / Construction Surveys Inc.

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

Special Purpose Pits: <input type="text" value="0"/>	Drilling Pits: <input type="text" value="0"/>	Wells: <input type="text" value="8"/>	Production Pits: <input type="text" value="1"/>	Dehydrator Units: <input type="text" value="0"/>
Condensate Tanks: <input type="text" value="4"/>	Water Tanks: <input type="text" value="1"/>	Separators: <input type="text" value="2"/>	Electric Motors: <input type="text" value="0"/>	Multi-Well Pits: <input type="text" value="0"/>
Gas or Diesel Motors: <input type="text" value="0"/>	Cavity Pumps: <input type="text" value="0"/>	LACT Unit: <input type="text" value="0"/>	Pump Jacks: <input type="text" value="0"/>	Pigging Station: <input type="text" value="0"/>
Electric Generators: <input type="text" value="0"/>	Gas Pipeline: <input type="text" value="1"/>	Oil Pipeline: <input type="text" value="0"/>	Water Pipeline: <input type="text" value="1"/>	Flare: <input type="text" value="0"/>
Gas Compressors: <input type="text" value="0"/>	VOC Combustor: <input type="text" value="0"/>	Oil Tanks: <input type="text" value="0"/>	Fuel Tanks: <input type="text" value="0"/>	

Other:

6. Construction:

Date planned to commence construction: 02/10/2011 Size of disturbed area during construction in acres: 6.37
Estimated date that interim reclamation will begin: 02/15/2013 Size of location after interim reclamation in acres: 1.59
Estimated post-construction ground elevation: 8253 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: Closed loop system

7. Surface Owner:

Name: Berry Petroleum Company Phone: _____
Address: 1999 Broadway Fax: _____
Address: Suite 3700 Email: _____
City: Denver State: CO Zip: 80202 Date of Rule 306 surface owner consultation: 02/16/2011
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 _____

8. Reclamation Financial Assurance:

☒ Well Surety ID: 20040105 ☒ Gas Facility Surety ID: 20040107 ☐ 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: 5103, public road: 24385, above ground utilit: 23364
, railroad: 47534, property line: 1249

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 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: 55 - Parachute-Irigul Complex - 5 to 30% slopes

NRCS Map Unit Name: _____

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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: 07/21/2006

List individual species: See attached NRCS Rangeland Productivity and Plant Composition

Check all plant communities that exist in the disturbed area.

- ☐ Disturbed Grassland (Cactus, Yucca, Cheatgrass, Rye)
☒ Native Grassland (Bluestem, 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: 912, water well: 18149, depth to ground water: 321

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:

****This 2A is being submitted for permitting of a Production Pit. Please see Greg Deranleau.**** The closest water well did not have depth to ground water data available. The closest water well with depth to ground water data is the Unnamed Well operated by Exxon Oil Co. (Permit # 121346 / Receipt # 0215078C). I certify that there have been no changes on land use, lease description. Pad has been constructed. 8 wells have been drilled. (No additional wells to be drilled. No well APDs will be submitted.) Conductors have been set. No rig on site. Reference well used for footages is the Latham 32-21D 05-045-13686. The APD will NOT require expansion / additional surface disturbance of pad. The location does not require a variance from any of the rules listed in Rule 306.d. (1). (A). (ii). The location is in a restricted surface occupancy area. The location is not in a sensitive wildlife habitat area for Sage Grouse production and Elk production.

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

Signed: _____ Date: 02/16/2011 Email: kmoran@bry.com

Print Name: Kallasandra M. Moran Title: Regulatory Compliance Spc

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

COGCC Approved: _____ Director of COGCC _____ Date: _____

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.

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Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num	Name
400133999	FORM 2A SUBMITTED
400134005	NRCS MAP UNIT DESC
400134006	OTHER
400134007	OTHER
400134010	ACCESS ROAD MAP
400134011	CONST. LAYOUT DRAWINGS
400134012	HYDROLOGY MAP
400134013	LOCATION DRAWING
400134015	MULTI-WELL PLAN
400134016	REFERENCE AREA MAP
400135403	LOCATION PICTURES

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