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State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission
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Document Number:
400156380

Oil and Gas Location Assessment

New Location Amend Existing Location Location#: _____

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:
423461
Expiration Date:
06/04/2014

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: 69175
Name: PETROLEUM DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION
Address: 1775 SHERMAN STREET - STE 3000
City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80203

3. Contact Information

Name: Liz Lindow
Phone: (303) 831-3974
Fax: ()
email: llindow@petd.com

4. Location Identification:

Name: Simmons Number: NE-20 Pad
County: WELD
QuarterQuarter: SENE Section: 20 Township: 6N Range: 64W Meridian: 6 Ground Elevation: 4760
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: 1854 feet FNL, from North or South section line, and 967 feet FEL, from East or West section line.
Latitude: 40.473660 Longitude: -104.568060 PDOP Reading: 6.0 Date of Measurement: 11/10/2011
Instrument Operator's Name: Thomas Carlson

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

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

Other: one 3-phase flowline per well

6. Construction:

Date planned to commence construction: 06/20/2011 Size of disturbed area during construction in acres: 3.00
Estimated date that interim reclamation will begin: 08/20/2011 Size of location after interim reclamation in acres: 1.00
Estimated post-construction ground elevation: 4760 Will a closed loop system be used for drilling fluids: Yes [X]
Will salt sections be encountered during drilling: Yes [] No [X] Is H2S anticipated? Yes [] No [X]
Will salt (>15,000 ppm TDS Cl) or oil based muds be used: Yes [] No [X]
Mud disposal: Offsite [X] Onsite [] Method: Land Farming [] Land Spreading [X] Disposal Facility []
Other: _____

7. Surface Owner:

Name: _____ Phone: _____
Address: _____ Fax: _____
Address: _____ Email: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Date of Rule 306 surface owner consultation: 06/21/2010
Surface Owner: [X] Fee [] State [] Federal [] Indian
Mineral Owner: [X] 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 [X] Blanket Surety ID 19990086

8. Reclamation Financial Assurance:

[X] Well Surety ID: 20090078 [] Gas Facility Surety ID: _____ [] Waste Mgnt. Surety ID: _____

9. Cultural:

Is the location in a high density area (Rule 603.b.): Yes [] No [X]
Distance, in feet, to nearest building: 447 , public road: 952 , above ground utilit: 947
, railroad: 5280 , property line: 155

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

Crop Land: [X] Irrigated [] Dry land [] Improved Pasture [X] 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: [X] Irrigated [] Dry land [] Improved Pasture [X] 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: 76: Vona sandy loam, 1 to 3 percent slopes

NRCS Map Unit Name: 52: Otero sandy loam, 3 to 5 percent slopes

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: _____

List individual species: _____

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: 990, water well: 775, depth to ground water: 80

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 Suppl 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:

Water permit #258212 was used to find depth to ground water. Reference area photographs taken during the growing season will be provided within twelve months of the approval of this Form.

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

Signed: _____ Date: 05/11/2011 Email: llindow@petd.com

Print Name: Liz Lindow Title: Permit Representative

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: _____

David S. Nesline

Director of COGCC

Date: 6/5/2011

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
2533254	CORRESPONDENCE
400156380	FORM 2A SUBMITTED
400156403	ACCESS ROAD MAP
400156405	HYDROLOGY MAP
400156406	LOCATION PICTURES
400156407	NRCS MAP UNIT DESC
400156408	NRCS MAP UNIT DESC
400156409	LOCATION DRAWING
400156410	MULTI-WELL PLAN
400156411	PROPOSED BMPs

Total Attach: 10 Files

General Comments

User Group	Comment	Comment Date
Permit	Reason for COGCC alert has been resolved.	6/2/2011 10:30:34 AM
Agency	On hold pending clarification of COGCC alert involving Apollo.	5/31/2011 11:27:18 AM
Permit	Onsite has been resolved. The Simmons onsite inspection request (NE 20 6N 64W) has been withdrawn. An SUA is in place.	5/31/2011 11:25:59 AM
OGLA	From Steve Lindblom: The Simmons onsite inspection request (NE 20 6N 64W) has been withdrawn. The green square has been removed. An SUA is in place. Form 2A number 400156380 and 400156413. From the onsite inspection perspective, I have no issues. However, I do see that an alert remains at the location regarding mineral interest. -Steve	5/31/2011 11:17:08 AM
Permit	clarification on cogcc alert and onsite.	5/12/2011 5:08:03 PM
OGLA	Ready to pass 6/2/2011.	5/12/2011 12:20:38 PM

Total: 6 comment(s)

BMP

<u>Type</u>	<u>Comment</u>
Storm Water/Erosion Control	This Stormwater Management Plan contains required elements associated with PDC's construction activities for Area 2, as defined in the CDPS General Permit for Stormwater Discharges Associated with Construction Activity, Authorization to Discharge Under the Colorado Discharge Permit System (Permit No. COR-030000, re-issued and effective July 1, 2007).BMPs for sediment and erosion control will be accomplished through a combination of construction techniques, vegetation and re-vegetation, administrative controls, and structural features.

Total: 1 comment(s)