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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#: 420296

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:

**420296**

Expiration Date:

**07/13/2014**

☒ 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: 10071

Name: BARRETT CORPORATION\* BILL

Address: 1099 18TH ST STE 2300

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

**3. Contact Information**

Name: Mary Pobuda

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**4. Location Identification:**

Name: Circle B Land Tract 5 Number: 21-692

County: GARFIELD

QuarterQuarter: SWNE Section: 21 Township: 6S Range: 92W Meridian: 6 Ground Elevation: 5750

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: 1825 feet FNL, from North or South section line, and 2551 feet FEL, from East or West section line.

Latitude: 39.514598 Longitude: -107.671404 PDOP Reading: 6.0 Date of Measurement: 04/19/2011

Instrument Operator's Name: James Kalmon

**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="10"/>	Production Pits: <input type="text"/>	Dehydrator Units: <input type="text"/>
Condensate Tanks: <input type="text" value="4"/>	Water Tanks: <input type="text" value="2"/>	Separators: <input type="text" value="3"/>	Electric Motors: <input type="text"/>	Multi-Well Pits: <input type="text"/>
Gas or Diesel Motors: <input type="text"/>	Cavity Pumps: <input type="text"/>	LACT Unit: <input type="text"/>	Pump Jacks: <input type="text"/>	Pigging Station: <input type="text"/>
Electric Generators: <input type="text"/>	Gas Pipeline: <input type="text" value="1"/>	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" value="1"/>	Oil Tanks: <input type="text"/>	Fuel Tanks: <input type="text"/>	

Other: 30 (500 bbl) temp frac tanks; 2 quad separators and 1 dual

6. Construction:

Date planned to commence construction: 12/15/2011 Size of disturbed area during construction in acres: 4.54  
Estimated date that interim reclamation will begin: 04/15/2012 Size of location after interim reclamation in acres: 2.56  
Estimated post-construction ground elevation: 5743 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: Evaporation and Backfill

7. Surface Owner:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Rule 306 surface owner consultation: 05/13/2010  
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 \_\_\_\_\_

8. Reclamation Financial Assurance:

☒ Well Surety ID: 20040060 ☐ 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: 1102 , public road: 575 , above ground utilit: 510  
 , railroad: 10560 , property line: 114

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: 56 Potts Loam, 6 to 12% 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: 06/02/2010

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: 91, water well: 34, depth to ground water: 42

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 is an existing location. This 2A is being amended to update facility information that will be associated with this pad. No additional disturbance is being proposed. The APDs associated with this well pad have been approved. A sundry to change the surface location of this well to the newly noted footages was submitted on 04/26/11 and is pending.

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

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: 05/10/2011 Email: mpobuda@billbarrettcorp.com

Print Name: Mary Pobuda Title: Permit Analyst

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. Neslin*

Director of COGCC

Date: 7/14/2011

**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.**

**Attachment Check List**

Att Doc Num	Name
2033912	FORM 2A
2033913	CORRESPONDENCE
2033917	CORRESPONDENCE
400163182	FORM 2A SUBMITTED

Total Attach: 4 Files

**General Comments**

<b><u>User Group</u></b>	<b><u>Comment</u></b>	<b><u>Comment Date</u></b>
DOW	The drilling pit must be fenced and netted per Rule 902.D  Michael Warren on Thursday, June 2, 2011 at 11:08 A.M.	6/2/2011 11:07:45 AM
OGLA	Initiated/Completed OGLA Form 2A review on 05-11-11 by Dave Kubeczko; previously reviewed and approved From 2A#400070465; same COAs from original permit apply to this permit; fluid containment, spill/release BMPs, lined pits/closed loop, cuttings low moisture content; passed by CDOW on 06-02-11 with operator submitted BMPs (with permit application) and recommendation of pit fencing/netting acceptable; passed OGLA Form 2A review on 07-09-11 by Dave Kubeczko; fluid containment, spill/release BMPs, lined pits/closed loop, cuttings low moisture content COAs.	5/11/2011 7:04:09 PM
Permit	Received a copy of submitted form 1A. BY	5/11/2011 9:02:18 AM
Permit	Mary Pobuda is not a designated agent. Emailed Mary to request she get that taken care of. Ready to pass completeness when form 1A is submitted. BY	5/11/2011 5:11:01 AM

Total: 4 comment(s)

**BMP**

Type	Comment
Wildlife	<p>BBC WILDLIFE BEST MANAGEMENT PRACTICES</p> <p>GENERAL WILDLIFE AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION MEASURES</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Establish policies to protect wildlife (e.g., no poaching, no firearms, no dogs on location, no feeding of wildlife, etc.)</li> <li>• Promptly report spills that affect wildlife to the Water Quality Control Division of CDPHE and CDOW</li> <li>• Avoid location staging, refueling, and storage areas within 300 feet, of any reservoir, lake, wetland, or natural perennial or seasonal flowing stream or river.</li> <li>• Bear proof dumpsters and trash receptacles for food-related trash at all facilities that generate such trash will be installed and utilized</li> </ul> <p>INFRASTRUCTURE LAYOUT WILDLIFE PROTECTION MEASURES</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Implementing fugitive dust control measures</li> <li>• Limit parking to disturbed areas as much as possible</li> </ul> <p>DRILLING AND PRODUCTION OPERATION WILDLIFE PROTECTION MEASURES</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reduce visits to well-sites through remote monitoring (i.e. SCADA) and the use of multifunction contractors, where practicable.</li> <li>• Install exclusionary device to prevent bird and other wildlife access to equipment stacks, vents and openings.</li> <li>• Establish company guidelines to minimize wildlife mortality from vehicle collision on roads.</li> </ul> <p>FLUID PIT/POND WILDLIFE PROTECTION MEASURES</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Install and maintain adequate measures to exclude all types of wildlife (e.g., big game and birds) from all fluid pits/ponds with fencing, flagging and other appropriate exclusion measures). BBC currently installs 6' wildlife proof fences on all pits and freshwater ponds with free liquids. In addition, BBC will install bird netting over "inactive" pits with free liquids after 30 days of inactivity.</li> </ul> <p>INVASIVE/NON-NATIVE VEGETATION CONTROL</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Educate employees and contractors about noxious and invasive weed issues.</li> </ul> <p>RESTORATION, RECLAMATION AND ABANDONMENT</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Avoid aggressive non-native grasses and shrubs in mule deer and elk habitat restorations.</li> <li>• Revegetate with seed mixtures that are of the surface owner's preference that are compatible with both livestock and wildlife.</li> </ul>

Drilling/Completion Operations	<p><b>BBC GENERAL PRACTICES</b></p> <p><b>NOTIFICATIONS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Proper notifications required by COGCC regulations or policy memos will be adhered to</li> </ul> <p><b>TRENCHES/PITS/TEMPORARY FRAC TANKS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Unlined pits will not be constructed on fill material.</li> <li>• Drill cuttings from the wellbore will be directed into a lined and bermed surface containment. Any free liquids accumulated in the containment would be removed as soon as practicable.</li> <li>• Drilling pits utilized for completion operations will be permitted (if applicable) and lined, operated in accordance with COGCC regulations, specifically Rule 903 and Rule 904. All permitted pits (Form 15) will be closed per Rule 905 and non-permitted drilling pits would be closed in accordance with Rule 1003.</li> <li>• Drilling pits used for completion will be fenced with appropriate wildlife mesh on the bottom portion. Appropriate netting will be installed within 30 days of the pit becoming inactive.</li> <li>• Flowback and stimulation fluids from the wells being completed will be sent to tanks and/or filters to allow the sand to settle out before the fluids are placed into the pit for reuse or disposal at a BBC SWD facility.</li> <li>• All flowback water will be confined to the lined completion pit or storage tanks for a period not to exceed ninety days and will be recycled for re-use, piped or trucked offsite to one of the approved disposal facilities below. Flowback sands stored on location will be remediated and buried on location or hauled to a state approved disposal facility. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Circle B Land 33A-35-692SWD, API# 05-045-18493, UIC# 159277</li> <li>o GGU Rodreick #21B-31-691 SWD, API# 05-045-13803, UIC# 159176</li> <li>o Specialty #13A-28-692 SWD, API# 05-045-14054, UIC# 159212</li> <li>o Scott 41D-36-692 SWD, API# 05-045-11169, UIC# 159159</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Temporary frac tanks installed on location will have proper secondary containment according to SPCC regulations such as either putting a perimeter berm around location or around the frac tanks.</li> </ul>
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Storm Water/Erosion Control	<p><b>BBC STORM WATER AND SPILL CONTROL PRACTICES</b></p> <p><b>GENERAL</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Utilize diking and other forms of containment and diversions around tanks, drums, chemicals, liquids, pits, impoundments, or well pads</li> <li>• Use drip pans, sumps, or liners where appropriate</li> <li>• Limit the amount of land disturbed during construction of pad, access road, and facilities</li> <li>• Employ spill response plan (SPCC) for all facilities</li> <li>• Dispose properly offsite any wastes fluids and other materials</li> </ul> <p><b>MATERIAL HANDLING, ACTIVITIES, PRACTICES AND STORM WATER DIVERSION</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Secondary containment of tanks, drums, and storage areas is mandatory to prohibit discharges to surface waters. A minimum of 110% capacity required of largest storage tank within a containment area</li> <li>• Material handling and spill prevention procedures and practices will be followed to help prohibit discharges to surface waters</li> <li>• Proper loading, and transportation procedures to be followed for all materials to and from locations</li> </ul> <p><b>EROSION CONTROL</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pad and access road to be designed to minimize erosion</li> <li>• Pad and access road to implement appropriate erosion control devices where necessary to minimize erosion</li> <li>• Routine inspections of sites and controls to be implemented with additions, repairs, and optimization to occur as necessary to minimize erosion</li> </ul> <p><b>SELF INSPECTION, MAINTENANCE, AND HOUSEKEEPING</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All employees are trained in spill response, good housekeeping, material management practices, and procedures for equipment and container washing annually</li> <li>• Conduct internal storm water inspections per applicable stormwater regulations</li> <li>• Conduct routine informal inspections of all tanks and storage facilities at least weekly</li> <li>• All containment areas are to be inspected weekly or following a heavy rain event.</li> <li>• Any excessive precipitation accumulation within containment should be removed as appropriate and disposed of properly</li> <li>• All structural berms, dikes, and containment will be inspected periodically to ensure they are operating correctly</li> </ul> <p><b>SPILL RESPONSE</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Spill response procedures as per the BBC field SPCC Plan</li> </ul> <p><b>VEHICLE &amp; LOCATION PROCEDURES</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vehicles entering location are to be free of chemical, oil, mud, weeds, trash, and debris</li> <li>• Location to be treated to kill weeds and bladed when necessary</li> </ul> <p>Bill Barrett Corp. – CDPHE Stormwater Permit Number: COR-039752</p>
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