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State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO:

1. ☒ Drill, ☐ Deepen, ☐ Re-enter, ☐ Recomplete and Operate

2. TYPE OF WELL

OIL ☒ GAS ☐ COALBED ☐ OTHER _____
SINGLE ZONE ☒ MULTIPLE ☐ COMMINGLE ☐

Refiling ☐

Sidetrack ☐

3. Name of Operator: BONANZA CREEK ENERGY OPERATING COMPANY LLC

4. COGCC Operator Number: 8960

5. Address: 410 17TH STREET SUITE #1400

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

6. Contact Name: Keith Caplan Phone: (720)440-6100 Fax: (720)279-2331

Email: KCaplan@bonanzacrk.com

7. Well Name: Latham Well Number: 24-2

8. Unit Name (if appl): _____ Unit Number: _____

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 6791

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: SWSW Sec: 2 Twp: 4N Rng: 63W Meridian: 6

Latitude: 40.335790 Longitude: -104.412440

Footage at Surface: 613 feet FNL/FSL 749 feet FEL/FWL 749 feet FSL 749 feet FWL 749 feet

11. Field Name: Wattenberg Field Number: 90750

12. Ground Elevation: 4539 13. County: WELD

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 06/14/2012 PDOP Reading: 1.9 Instrument Operator's Name: Wyatt Hall

15. If well is ☒ Directional ☐ Horizontal (highly deviated) **submit deviated drilling plan.**

Footage at Top of Prod Zone: FNL/FSL 654 FSL 2018 FWL 654 FSL 2018 FWL 654
Bottom Hole: FNL/FSL 654 FSL 2018 FWL 654
Sec: 2 Twp: 4N Rng: 63W Sec: 2 Twp: 4N Rng: 63W

16. Is location in a high density area? (Rule 603b)? ☐ Yes ☒ No

17. Distance to the nearest building, public road, above ground utility or railroad: 419 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 613 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation(BHL): 1023 ft

20. LEASE, SPACING AND POOLING INFORMATION

Objective Formation(s)	Formation Code	Spacing Order Number(s)	Unit Acreage Assigned to Well	Unit Configuration (N/2, SE/4, etc.)
NIOBRARA-CODELL	NB-CD		40	SESW

21. Mineral Ownership: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian Lease #: _____

22. Surface Ownership: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian

23. Is the Surface Owner also the Mineral Owner? ☐ Yes ☒ No Surface Surety ID#: _____

23a. If 23 is Yes: Is the Surface Owner(s) signature on the lease? ☐ Yes ☐ No

23b. If 23 is No: ☒ Surface Owners Agreement Attached or ☐ \$25,000 Blanket Surface Bond ☐ \$2,000 Surface Bond ☐ \$5,000 Surface Bond

24. Using standard QtrQtr, Sec, Twp, Rng format enter entire mineral lease description upon which this proposed wellsite is located (attach separate sheet/map if you prefer):

Sec. 2: W/2SW4, SE/4SW/4, and that part of the S/2NW/4, NE/4SW/4 and SE/4 lying south of the Union Pacific Railroad right-of-way.

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 654 ft

26. Total Acres in Lease: 402

DRILLING PLANS AND PROCEDURES

27. Is H2S anticipated? ☐ Yes ☒ No If Yes, attach contingency plan.

28. Will salt sections be encountered during drilling? ☐ Yes ☒ No

29. Will salt (>15,000 ppm TDS CL) or oil based muds be used during drilling? ☐ Yes ☒ No

30. If questions 28 or 29 are yes, is this location in a sensitive area (Rule 901.e)? ☐ Yes ☒ No

31. Mud disposal: ☒ Offsite ☐ Onsite

If 28, 29, or 30 are "Yes" a pit permit may be required.

Method: ☐ Land Farming ☒ Land Spreading ☐ Disposal Facility Other: _____

Note: The use of an earthen pit for Recompletion fluids requires a pit permit (Rule 905b). If air/gas drilling, notify local fire officials.

Casing Type	Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Wt/Ft	Csg/Liner Top	Setting Depth	Sacks Cmt	Cmt Btm	Cmt Top
SURF	12+1/4	8+5/8	24	0	410	170	410	0
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	11.6	0	6,791	125	6,791	6,100

32. BOP Equipment Type: ☒ Annular Preventer ☐ Double Ram ☐ Rotating Head ☐ None

33. Comments Conductor casing will not be used. GWA spacing unit, 40 acres, SWSE Sec 2 T4N R63W.

34. Location ID: 429121

35. Is this application in a Comprehensive Drilling Plan ? ☐ Yes ☒ No

36. Is this application part of submitted Oil and Gas Location Assessment ? ☒ Yes ☐ No

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

Signed: _____ Print Name: Keith Caplan

Title: Sr. Operations Technician Date: 6/29/2012 Email: kcaplan@bonanzacrk.com

Operator must have a valid water right or permit allowing for industrial use or purchased water from a seller that has a valid water right or permit allowing for industrial use, otherwise an application for a change in type of use is required under Colorado law. Operator must also use the water in the location set forth in the water right decree or well permit, otherwise an application for a change in place of use is required under Colorado law. Section 37-92-103(5), C.R.S. (2011).

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: Matthew Lee Director of COGCC Date: 8/13/2012

API NUMBER

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Permit Number: _____ Expiration Date: 8/12/2014

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

All representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in the Form 2A for this location shall constitute representations, stipulations and conditions of approval for this Form 2 Permit-to-Drill and are enforceable to the same extent as all other representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in this Permit-to-Drill.

Operator must meet water well sampling requirements as per Rule 318A.

1) Provide notice of MIRU via an electronic Form 42.

2) Comply with Rule 317.i and provide cement coverage from the end of the production casing to a minimum of 200' above the Niobrara. Verify coverage with a cement bond log.

Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num	Name
2481723	SURFACE CASING CHECK
2532904	CONSULT NOTICE
2532909	SURFACE AGRMT/SURETY
400296767	FORM 2 SUBMITTED
400296784	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400301150	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN
400301151	DIRECTIONAL DATA

Total Attach: 7 Files

General Comments

User Group	Comment	Comment Date
Permit	Final review completed no LGD or Public comments.	8/7/2012 12:53:56 PM
Permit	Off Hold. Change operator comments to read SESW.	8/7/2012 12:51:47 PM
Permit	On Hold. Requested verification of spacing unit.	8/7/2012 12:30:32 PM
Permit	Consult waiver attached and SUA.	3/3/2012 5:59:45 AM
Permit	Onsite requested.	7/3/2012 5:58:14 AM

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