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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

PluggingBond SuretyID

3. Name of Operator: WPX ENERGY RYAN GULCH LLC 4. COGCC Operator Number: 10286

5. Address: 1001 17TH STREET #1200
City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

6. Contact Name: Howard Harris Phone: (303)606-4086 Fax: (303)629-8268
Email: howard.harris@wpxenergy.com

7. Well Name: Federal Well Number: RGU 23-27-198

8. Unit Name (if appl): Ryan Gulch Unit Unit Number: COC068269

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 11928

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: Lot 6 Sec: 27 Twp: 1S Rng: 98W Meridian: 6
Latitude: 39.936025 Longitude: -108.379960

Footage at Surface: 2145 feet FNL/FSL FNL 2137 feet FEL/FWL FWL

11. Field Name: Sulphur Creek Field Number: 80090

12. Ground Elevation: 6560 13. County: RIO BLANCO

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 12/18/2012 PDOP Reading: 2.1 Instrument Operator's Name: J. Kirkpatrick

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

Footage at Top of Prod Zone: FNL/FSL 2523 FSL FSL 1931 FWL FWL Bottom Hole: FNL/FSL 2523 FSL FSL 1931 FWL FWL
Sec: 27 Twp: 1S Rng: 98W Sec: 27 Twp: 1S Rng: 98W

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: 5520 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 5680 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation(BHL): 647 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.)
Iles	ILES			
Sego	SEGO			
Williams Fork	WMFK			

21. Mineral Ownership: Fee State Federal Indian Lease #: COC62501

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):
See Attached

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 151 ft 26. Total Acres in Lease: 1313

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: Re-Use, Evap & Backfill

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
CONDUCTOR	30	18	48	0	80	50	80	0
SURF	14+3/4	9+5/8	36	0	3,715	1,348	3,715	0
1ST	8+3/4	4+1/2	11.6	0	11,928	836	11,928	7,058

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

33. Comments Top of cement for production casing will be approx 200 feet above the top of Mesaverde. Closed mud system will be used. Federal minerals and surface. The wells will be drilled from the existing RGU 22-27-198 pad which presently has three producing wells on it. The existing pad will be expanded to accommodate the proposed four additional wells. An associated form 2A is being submitted for the pad expansion.

34. Location ID: 335926

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: Howard Harris

Title: Sr. Regulatory Specialist Date: _____ Email: howard.harris@wpenergy.com

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: _____

API NUMBER	Permit Number: _____	Expiration Date: _____
05	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.

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400377700	DIRECTIONAL DATA
400377701	FED. DRILLING PERMIT
400377702	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN
400377703	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400377704	LEGAL/LEASE DESCRIPTION

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