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Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission
The Chancery Building
1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801
Denver, CO 80203
Attn: Mr. Matt Lepore, Director

RE: BENSON AC141-65HN
Niobrara New Drill
Township 7 North, Range 63 West, 6th P.M.
Section 14: SW/4NE/4: 2237' FNL & 280' FEL (Surface Location)
Section 14: SW/4NE/4: 2638' FNL & 736' FEL (Beginning of Lateral)
Section 14: SW/4NW/4: 2640' FNL & 535' FWL (Bottom Hole Location)
Weld County, Colorado

Mr. Lepore:

Noble Energy, Inc. ("NEI") is planning to drill the captioned boundary well in accordance with the provisions of COGCC Rule 318A.e.

NEI's proposed wellbore spacing unit consists of the S/2N/2, N/2S/2 Sec. 14, T7N, R63W, creating a 320-acre wellbore spacing unit for the Niobrara formation. NEI is not the only owner within the proposed wellbore spacing unit and as such provided notice to the remaining owner(s) within said proposed spacing unit as required under COGCC Rule 318A(I).e(6). Copies of the required notice letter(s) is/are on file at the NEI offices. The required thirty (30) day notice period has elapsed absent the receipt by NEI of an objection to said proposal by the owner(s) within the proposed spacing unit for this well.

Enclosed are copies of the following documents to assist you in your review and approval of NEI's proposed APD for the captioned well:

- Map & plat illustrating proposed wellbore spacing unit.

Thank you for your attention to the enclosed. NEI respectfully requests that the COGCC review the enclosed information and approve the Application for Permit to Drill the captioned well.

Sincerely,

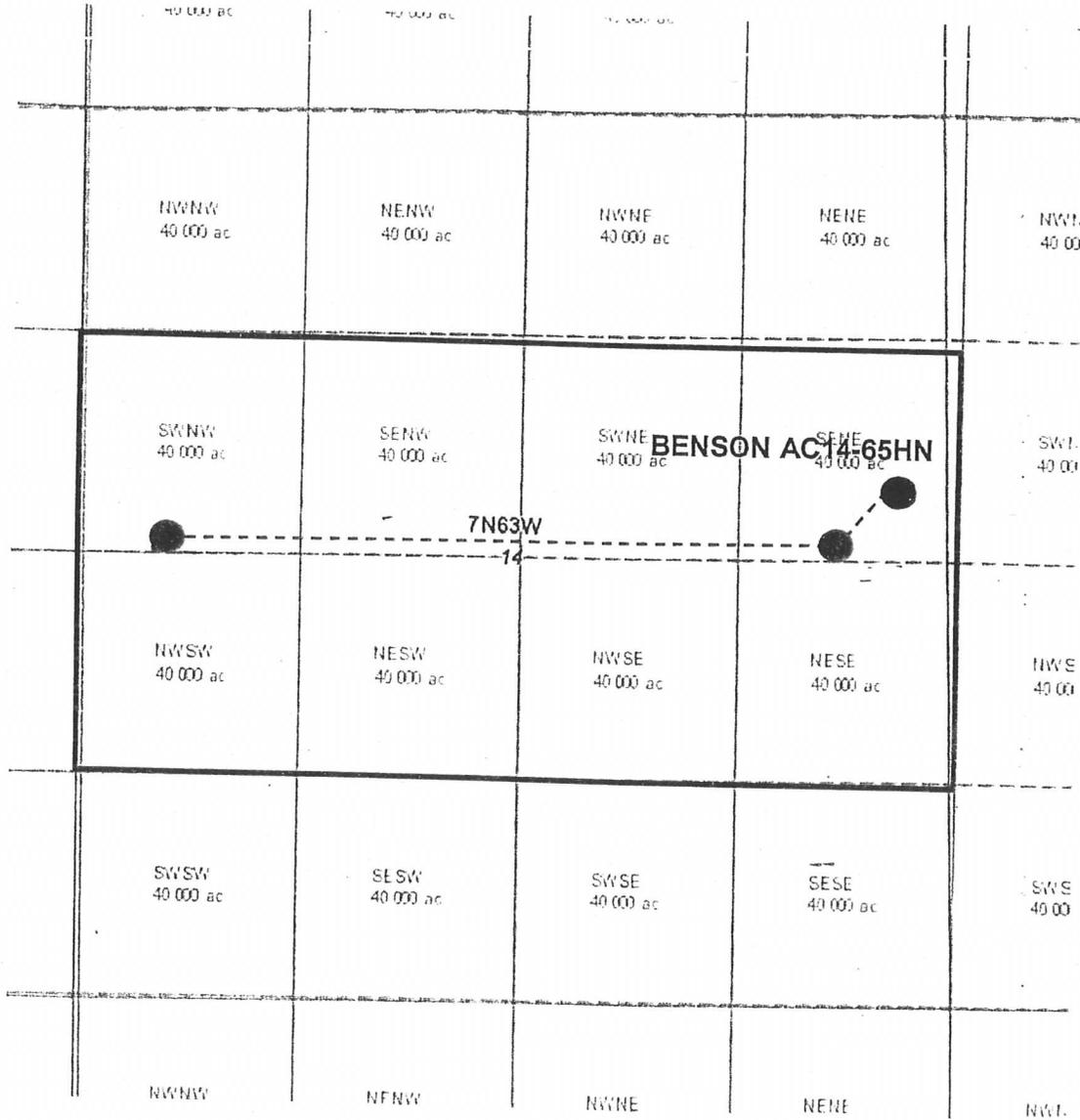
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Jan Kajiwar
Regulatory Analyst III
Noble Energy Inc.

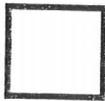
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Proposed Spacing Unit – Noble Energy, Inc.

S/2N/2 Section 14, Township 7 North, Range 63 West
 N/2S/2 Section 14, Township 7 North, Range 63 West



Legend



Proposed 320.00 acre spacing unit

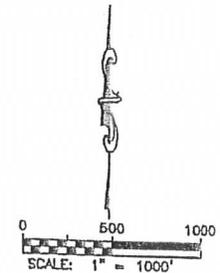
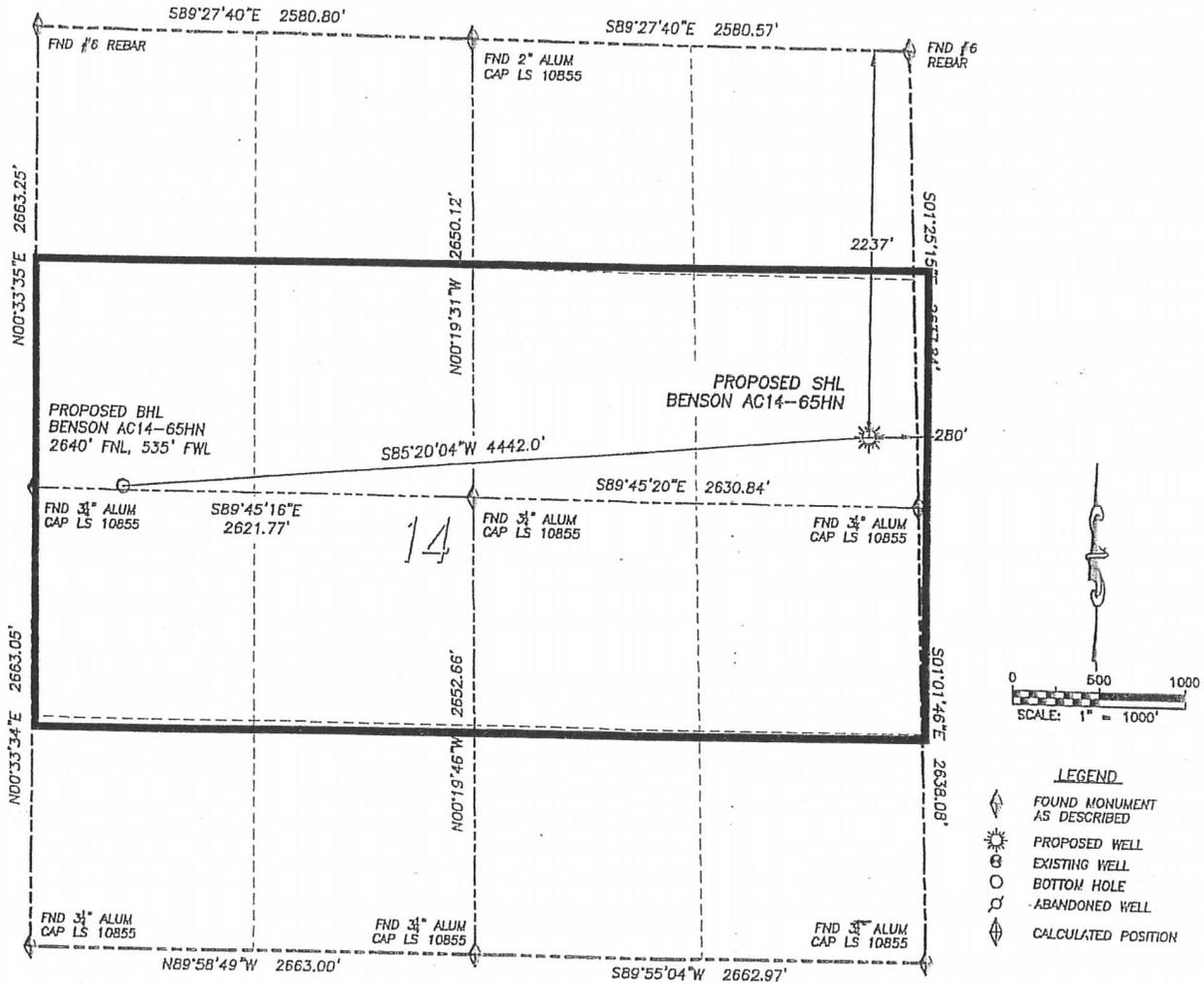


Bottom Hole Location

DALEY LAND SURVEYING, INC. PARKER, CO. 80134 303 953 9841

WELL LOCATION CERTIFICATE
BENSON AC14-65HN

SECTION 14, TOWNSHIP 7 NORTH, RANGE 63 WEST OF THE 6TH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN



- LEGEND**
- FOUND MONUMENT AS DESCRIBED
 - PROPOSED WELL
 - EXISTING WELL
 - BOTTOM HOLE
 - ABANDONED WELL
 - CALCULATED POSITION

NAD 83 LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE

BENSON AC14-65HN
SURFACE HOLE:
 LATITUDE: N40.57500'
 LONGITUDE: W104.39500'
 ELEVATION: 4828'
 FOOTAGE: 2237' FNL, 280' FEL
 PDOP: 1.6
 QTR/QTR: SE4/NE4
 PROP LINE: 280'± EAST

BOTTOM HOLE:
 LATITUDE: N40.57401'
 LONGITUDE: W104.41094'
 FOOTAGE: 2640' FNL, 535' FWL

NEAREST EXISTING WELLS:
 THERE ARE NO WELLS IN THIS SECTION

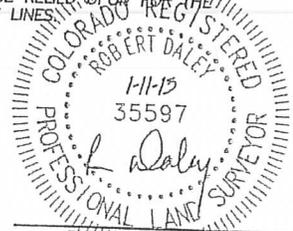
IN ACCORDANCE WITH A REQUEST FROM BRIAN JAMES OF NOBLE ENERGY INC., DALEY LAND SURVEYING, INC. HAS DETERMINED THE SURFACE LOCATION OF THE BENSON AC14-65HN WELL TO BE 2237' FNL, 280' FEL, AS MEASURED AT NINETY (90) DEGREES FROM THE SECTION LINES OF SECTION 14, TOWNSHIP 7 NORTH, RANGE 63 WEST OF THE 6TH PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN, WELD COUNTY, COLORADO. THE BOTTOM HOLE LOCATION, PROVIDED BY THE CLIENT IS TO BE 2640' FNL, 535' FWL.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS WELL LOCATION CERTIFICATE WAS PREPARED BY ME OR UNDER MY DIRECT SUPERVISION, THAT THE WORK WAS COMPLETED ON 10/24/2012 FOR AND ON BEHALF OF NOBLE ENERGY, INC., AND THAT THIS MAP DOES NOT REPRESENT A BOUNDARY SURVEY, IT IS NOT A LAND SURVEY PLAT OR AN IMPROVEMENT SURVEY PLAT AND IT IS NOT TO BE RELIED UPON FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF FENCE, BUILDING OR OTHER FUTURE IMPROVEMENT LINES.

NOTES:

- 1) BEARINGS FOR THIS MAP ARE ASSUMED AND BASED UPON GPS OBSERVATIONS MADE BETWEEN MONUMENTS LOCATED AT THE NORTHEAST CORNER AND EAST QUARTER CORNER OF SECTION 14, T.7N., R.63W.
- 2) HORIZONTAL DATUM IS NAD83.
- 3) VERTICAL DATUM IS NAVD88 AND ORIGINATES FROM THE LOCAL C.O.R.S. NETWORK, UTILIZING THE GEOD09 MODEL.
- 4) SEE LOCATION DRAWING FOR VISIBLE IMPROVEMENTS WITHIN 400' OF PROPOSED DISTURBED AREA.
- 5) SURFACE USE: RANGE LAND.

NOTICE: According to Colorado law you MUST commence any legal action based upon any defect in this W.L.C. within three years after you first discover such defect. In no event may any action based upon any such defect in this W.L.C. be commenced more than ten years from the date of the certification shown herein.



FOR AND ON BEHALF OF
 DALEY LAND SURVEYING INC.,
 Robert Daley, PLS 35597

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