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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: WPX ENERGY ROCKY MOUNTAIN LLC 4. COGCC Operator Number: 96850

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

6. Contact Name: ANGELA NEIFERT-KRAISER Phone: (303)606-4398 Fax: (303)629-8268
Email: ANGELA.NEIFERT-KRAISER@WPXENERGY.COM

7. Well Name: WPX ENERGY Well Number: PA 43-3

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

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 8232

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: NESW Sec: 2 Twp: 7S Rng: 95W Meridian: 6
Latitude: 39.465160 Longitude: -107.969401

Footage at Surface: 2069 feet FSL 1525 feet FWL

11. Field Name: PARACHUTE Field Number: 67350

12. Ground Elevation: 5820 13. County: GARFIELD

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 03/12/2013 PDOP Reading: 3.4 Instrument Operator's Name: MICHAEL LANGHORNE

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

Footage at Top of Prod Zone: FNL/FSL FEL/FWL Bottom Hole: FNL/FSL FEL/FWL
2515 FSL 1058 FEL 2515 FSL 1058 FEL
Sec: 3 Twp: 7S Rng: 95W Sec: 3 Twp: 7S Rng: 95W

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: 276 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 168 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation(BHL): 341 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.)
WILLIAMS FORK	WMFK	440-46	320	Sec 3: S/2

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):

SEE ATTACHED. WPX OWNS SURFACE; WPX OWNS MINERALS WITHIN THE DRILLING UNIT NO lease for this well but it is a part of the MVRD pooling agreement.

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 121 ft 26. Total Acres in Lease: 0

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 &

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	26	18	48	0	60	50	60	0
SURF	13+1/2	9+5/8	32.3	0	1201	316	1201	0
1ST	8+3/4	4+1/2	11.6	0	8232	861	8232	4604

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

33. Comments Closed Loop. Cmt > 200' above uppermost mvrld sand.No CA for this well

34. Location ID: 323841

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: ANGELA NEIFERT-KRAISER

Title: REGULATORY SPECIALIST Date: 7/8/2013 Email: ANGELA.NEIFERT-

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: 8/15/2013

API NUMBER: **05 045 22133 00** Permit Number: _____ Expiration Date: 8/14/2015

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.

COA Type	Description
	1)COMPLIANCE WITH THE MOST CURRENT REVISION OF THE NORTHWEST COLORADO NOTIFICATION POLICY IS REQUIRED. 2)COMPLIANCE WITH THE MOST CURRENT REVISION OF THE GARFIELD COUNTY RULISON FIELD NOTICE TO OPERATORS IS REQUIRED. 3)PRODUCTION CASING CEMENT TOP VERIFICATION BY CBL REQUIRED.

Applicable Policies and Notices to Operators

Piceance Rulison Field - Notice to Operators.
NW Colorado Notification Policy.
Notice Concerning Operating Requirements for Wildlife Protection.

Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num	Name
400437066	FORM 2 SUBMITTED
400437073	DIRECTIONAL DATA
400437074	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN
400437075	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN
400443175	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400450123	LEASE MAP
400450125	TOPO MAP

Total Attach: 7 Files

General Comments

User Group	Comment	Comment Date
Permit	Corrected spacing unit & designation. No LGD or public comments. Final Review--passed.	8/15/2013 8:42:45 AM
Permit	Distance to nearest unit boundary is 102'.	3/6/2013 1:06:26 PM
LGD	pass, gdb	8/6/2013 12:47:14 PM
Engineer	THE PROPOSED SURFACE CASING IS MORE THAN 50' BELOW THE DEPTH OF THE DEEPEST WATER WELL WITHIN 1 MILE OF THE SURFACE LOCATION WHEN CORRECTED FOR ELEVATION DIFFERENCES. THE DEEPEST WATER WELL WITHIN 1 MILE IS 390 FEET DEEP.	7/23/2013 11:45:25 AM
Permit	Operator input comment regarding CA and labeled all attachments. This form has passed completeness.	7/19/2013 8:42:16 AM
Permit	Returned to draft at request of oper.	7/18/2013 3:34:13 PM
Permit	Returned to draft: 1) Lease map needs to be attached to describe lease situation.	7/8/2013 3:19:38 PM

Total: 7 comment(s)

Best Management Practices

No	BMP/COA Type	Description
1	Planning	<p>* Maximize the utility of surface facilities by developing multiple wells from a single pad (directional drilling), and by co-locating multipurpose facilities (for example, well pads and compressors) to avoid unnecessary habitat fragmentation and disturbance of additional geographic areas</p>
2	General Housekeeping	<p>Although this location is located within 500 ft. of perennial, ephemeral, or intermittent surface water according to USGS mapped surface waters, the attached Sensitive Area Determination concludes that the location is not within a sensitive area due to the low potential for impacts to surface water in the case of a facility release. However, in order to satisfy COGCC guidance requiring that all locations within 500 ft. of mapped surface water incorporate BMPs to protect that surface water, Williams will employ the following BMPs at this location:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Williams will ensure 110 percent secondary containment for any volume of fluids contained at well site during drilling and completion operations. • Williams will implement best management practices to contain any unintentional release of fluids. • Either a lined drilling pit or closed loop system will be implemented.
3	Drilling/Completion Operations	<p>* Conduct well completions with drilling operations to limit the number of rig moves and traffic.</p>
4	Interim Reclamation	<p>* Use only certified weed-free native seed in seed mixes, except for non-native plants that benefit wildlife</p> <p>* WPX Energy will use certified, weed free grass hay, straw, hay or other mulch materials used for the reseeding and reclamation of disturbed areas.</p> <p>* Install exclusionary devices to prevent bird and other wildlife access to equipment stacks, vents and openings.</p> <p>* Reduce visits to well-sites through remote monitoring (i.e. SCADA) and the use of multi-function contractors.</p>

Total: 4 comment(s)