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State of Colorado

Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO:

☒ Drill ☐ Deepen ☐ Re-enter ☐ Recomplete and Operate

TYPE OF WELL OIL ☐ GAS ☒ COALBED ☐ OTHER _____

Refilling ☐

ZONE TYPE SINGLE ZONE ☒ MULTIPLE ZONES ☐ COMMINGLE ZONES ☐

Sidetrack ☐

Date Received:

11/08/2013

Well Name: NRC

Well Number: 3N-4HZ

Name of Operator: KERR-MCGEE OIL & GAS ONSHORE LP

COGCC Operator Number: 47120

Address: P O BOX 173779

City: DENVER

State: CO

Zip: 80217-3779

Contact Name: Cheryl Light

Phone: (720)929-6461

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RECLAMATION FINANCIAL ASSURANCE

Plugging and Abandonment Bond Surety ID: 20010124

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

QtrQtr: SESW Sec: 9 Twp: 1N Rng: 67W Meridian: 6

Latitude: 40.059228

Longitude: -104.898127

Footage at Surface: 350 feet FNL/FSL FSL 1950 feet FEL/FWL FWL

Field Name: WATTENBERG

Field Number: 90750

Ground Elevation: 5053

County: WELD

GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 04/22/2013 PDOP Reading: 1.5 Instrument Operator's Name: ROB WILSON

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

Footage at Top of Prod Zone: FNL/FSL 460 FSL 1850 FWL 460 FNL 1850 FWL 460
Sec: 9 Twp: 1N Rng: 67W Sec: 4 Twp: 1N Rng: 67W

LOCATION SURFACE & MINERALS & RIGHT TO CONSTRUCT

Surface Ownership: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian

The Surface Owner is: ☐ is the mineral owner beneath the location.

(check all that apply) ☐ is committed to an Oil and Gas Lease.

☐ has signed the Oil and Gas Lease.

☐ is the applicant.

The Mineral Owner beneath this Oil and Gas Location is: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian

The Minerals beneath this Oil and Gas Location will be developed by this Well: Yes

The right to construct the Oil and Gas Location is granted by: Surface Use Agreement

Surface damage assurance if no agreement is in place: _____ Surface Surety ID: _____

LEASE INFORMATION

Using standard QtrQtr, Sec, Twp, Rng format, describe one entire mineral lease that will be produced by this well (Describe lease beneath surface location if produced. Attach separate description page or map if necessary.)

Please see attached lease description.

Total Acres in Described Lease: 2217 Described Mineral Lease is: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian

Federal or State Lease # _____

Distance from Completed Portion of Wellbore to Nearest Lease Line of described lease: 0 Feet

CULTURAL DISTANCE INFORMATION

Distance to nearest:

Building: 1994 Feet
Building Unit: 1994 Feet
High Occupancy Building Unit: 3553 Feet
Designated Outside Activity Area: 5280 Feet
Public Road: 344 Feet
Above Ground Utility: 3250 Feet
Railroad: 5280 Feet
Property Line: 350 Feet

INSTRUCTIONS:

- All measurements shall be provided from center of the Proposed Well to nearest of each cultural feature as described in Rule 303.a.(5).
- Enter 5280 for distance greater than 1 mile.
- Building - nearest building of any type. If nearest Building is a Building Unit, enter same distance for both.
- Building Unit, High Occupancy Building Unit, and Designated Outside Activity Area - as defined in 100-Series Rules.

DESIGNATED SETBACK LOCATION INFORMATION

Check all that apply. This location is within a: ☐ Buffer Zone
☐ Exception Zone
☐ Urban Mitigation Area

- Buffer Zone – as described in Rule 604.a.(2), within 1,000' of a Building Unit
- Exception Zone - as described in Rule 604.a.(1), within 500' of a Building Unit.
- Urban Mitigation Area - as defined in 100-Series Rules.

Pre-application Notifications (required if location is within 1,000 feet of a building unit):

Date of Rule 305.a.(1) Urban Mitigation Area Notification to Local Government: _____

Date of Rule 305.a.(2) Buffer Zone Notification to Building Unit Owners: _____

SPACING and UNIT INFORMATION

Distance from Completed Portion of Wellbore to Nearest Wellbore Permitted or Completed in the same formation: 77 Feet

Distance from Completed Portion of Wellbore to Nearest Unit Boundary 460 Feet (Enter 5280 for distance greater than 1 mile.)

Federal or State Unit Name (if appl): _____ Unit Number: _____

SPACING & FORMATIONS COMMENTS

Unit Configuration: 1N67W 4: E2W2; 9: E2W2

OBJECTIVE FORMATIONS

Objective Formation(s)	Formation Code	Spacing Order Number(s)	Unit Acreage Assigned to Well	Unit Configuration (N/2, SE/4, etc.)
NIOBRARA	NBRR		320	GWA

DRILLING PROGRAM

Proposed Total Measured Depth: 17574 Feet

Distance to nearest permitted or existing wellbore penetrating objective formation: 77 Feet (Including plugged wells)

Will a closed-loop drilling system be used? Yes

Is H₂S gas reasonably expected to be encountered during drilling operations at concentrations greater than or equal to 100 ppm? No (If Yes, attach an H₂S Drilling Operations Plan)

Will salt sections be encountered during drilling? No

Will salt based (>15,000 ppm Cl) drilling fluids be used? No

Will oil based drilling fluids be used? Yes

BOP Equipment Type: ☒ Annular Preventor ☐ Double Ram ☒ Rotating Head ☐ None

GROUNDWATER BASELINE SAMPLING AND MONITORING AND WATER WELL SAMPLING

Water well sampling required per Rule 318A

DRILLING WASTE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

Drilling Fluids Disposal: OFFSITE Drilling Fluids Disposal Methods: Commercial Disposal

Cuttings Disposal: OFFSITE Cuttings Disposal Method: Commercial Disposal

Other Disposal Description:

Please see Comments section. Disposal description will not fit in space provided.

Beneficial reuse or land application plan submitted? Yes

Reuse Facility ID: _____ or Document Number: _____

CASING PROGRAM

Casing Type	Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Wt/Ft	Csg/Liner Top	Setting Depth	Sacks Cmt	Cmt Btm	Cmt Top
SURF	13+1/2	9+5/8	36	0	1000	380	1000	0
1ST	8+3/4	7	26	0	7823	830	7823	0
1ST LINER	6+1/8	4+1/2	11.6	6823	17574	650	10848	6823

☒ Conductor Casing is NOT planned

DESIGNATED SETBACK LOCATION EXCEPTIONS

Check all that apply:

- ☐ Rule 604.a.(1)A. Exception Zone (within 500' of Building Unit)
- ☐ Rule 604.b.(1)A. Exception Location (existing or approved Oil & Gas Location now within a Designated Setback as a result of Rule 604.a.)
- ☐ Rule 604.b.(1)B. Exception Location (existing or approved Oil & Gas Location is within a Designated Setback due to Building Unit construction after Location approval)
- ☐ Rule 604.b.(2) Exception Location (SUA or site-specific development plan executed on or before August 1, 2013)
- ☐ Rule 604.b.(3) Exception Location (Building Units constructed after August 1, 2013 within setback per an SUA or site-specific development plan)

GREATER WATTENBERG AREA LOCATION EXCEPTIONS

Check all that apply:

- ☒ Rule 318A.a. Exception Location (GWA Windows).
- ☒ Rule 318A.c. Exception Location (GWA Twinning).

RULE 502.b VARIANCE REQUEST

☐ Rule 502.b. Variance Request from COGCC Rule or Spacing Order Number _____

OTHER LOCATION EXCEPTIONS

Check all that apply:

- ☐ Rule 318.c. Exception Location from Rule or Spacing Order Number _____
- ☐ Rule 603.a.(2) Exception Location (Property Line Setback).

ALL exceptions and variances require attached Request Letter(s). Refer to applicable rule for additional required attachments (e.g. waivers, certifications, SUAs).

OPERATOR COMMENTS AND SUBMITTAL

Comments	<p>Other Disposal Description:</p> <p>Drilling fluids disposal: Water-based drilling fluids will be used to drill the curve of the well. KMG will reuse water-based drilling fluids to the maximum extent at which point they will either be land applied or taken to a licensed, commercial disposal site; decided upon based off of laboratory analysis of fluids.</p> <p>Oil-based drilling fluids will be used to drill the lateral of the well. KMG will reuse oil-based drilling fluids to maximum extent at which point they will be returned to the fluids manufacturer for re-conditioning or disposal at a licensed, commercial disposal site.</p> <p>Cuttings disposal: Water based cuttings will be used to drill the curve of the well. If the surface owner authorizes, and if it is feasible for this location at the time of drilling, water-based cuttings will be disposed of onsite using bioremediation/solidification product.</p> <p>If the surface owner does not authorize onsite disposal and/or it is not feasible for this location at the time of drilling, water-based cuttings will be disposed of using a Centralized E&P Waste Management facility or a private spread field.</p> <p>Oil based cuttings will be used to drill the lateral of the well. They will be disposed of offsite and at a licensed, commercial disposal site.</p> <p>Compliance with Rule 317.o: Requirement to log well is noted in attached Open Hole letter.</p> <p>Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP ("KMG") respectfully requests the Director to waive Rule 318A.m for this well. KMG is the operator of the encroached upon well(s). Please see attached Compliance Letter.</p>
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This application is in a Comprehensive Drilling Plan _____ CDP #: _____

Location ID: _____

Is this application being submitted with an Oil and Gas Location Assessment application? _____ Yes

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

Signed: _____ Print Name: Lauren Kucera

Title: Regulatory Analyst II Date: 11/8/2013 Email: DJRegulatory@anadarko.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:  Director of COGCC Date: 12/13/2013

Expiration Date: 12/12/2015

API NUMBER

05 123 38608 00

Conditions Of Approval

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

	<p>1) Submit Form 42 electronically to COGCC 48 hours prior to MIRU.</p> <p>2) Comply with Rule 317.i and provide cement coverage from end of 7" casing to a minimum of 200' above Niobrara and from 200' below the Sussex to 200' above Sussex. Verify coverage with cement bond log.</p> <p>3) Comply with Rule 321. Run and submit Directional Survey from TD to base of surface casing. Ensure that the wellbore complies with setback requirements in commission orders or rules prior to producing the well.</p>
	Operator must meet water well testing requirements per Rule 318A.
	Operator acknowledges the proximity of the following wells: Mace 11-4 API 123-21035, Donald E. Miller Unit C2 API 123-10285, Rocky Mtn Fuel Co Unit G2 API 123-10062, Donald E. Miller Unit C1 API 123-07844, Rocky Mtn Fuel Co "F" 2 API 123-07798, Willard Hein Gas Unit 1 API 123-07624, Rocky Mtn Fuel Co G Unit 1 API 123-07841, Rocky Mountain Fuel Co F3 API 123-09958, Willard Hein Gas Unit 2 API 123-10040, Carl A Miller Unit C1 API 123-07846 . Operator agrees to: provide mitigation option 1 or 2 (per the DJ Basin Horizontal Offset Policy) to mitigate the situation, ensure all applicable documentation is submitted based on the selected mitigation option chosen, and submit a Form 42 ("OTHER – AS SPECIFIED BY PERMIT CONDITION") stating what appropriate mitigation occurred and that it has been completed, prior to the hydraulic stimulation of this well.
	<p>Note: Request for omission of Open Hole Logging not accepted. A full suite of open hole logs is required for one well on this pad.</p> <p>Operator will place an explicit comment on the Drilling Completion Report documenting which well on this pad was logged with a full suite of open hole logs.</p>
	Operator acknowledges the proximity of the Scheidt State VV 16-03 API 123-16030, Scheidt State VV 16-02 API 123-15867, Scheidt State VV 16-04 API 123-16022, Scheidt State 1-16 API 123-14609, non-operated wells. Operator assures that these offsets will be remediated per the DJ Basin Horizontal Offset Policy (options 1,2 or 3) or operator will address this well with mitigation option 4. Operator will submit a Form 42 ("OTHER – AS SPECIFIED BY PERMIT CONDITION") stating what appropriate mitigation occurred and that it has been completed, prior to the hydraulic stimulation of this well.

Best Management Practices

No	BMP/COA Type	Description
1	Planning	The nearest building unit is located 1,934' away from this oil and gas location, therefore it is not within a Designated Setback Location and is exempt from 604.c.
2	Drilling/Completion Operations	Kerr McGee acknowledges and will comply with the COGCC Policy for Bradenhead Monitoring during Hydraulic Fracturing Treatments in the Greater Wattenberg Area dated May 29, 2012.
3	Drilling/Completion Operations	<p>Prior to drilling operations, Operator may perform an anti-collision review of existing offset wells that have the potential of being within close proximity of the proposed well. This anti-collision review may include MWD or gyro surveys and surface locations of the offset wells with included error of uncertainty per survey instrument, and compared against the proposed wellpath with its respective error of uncertainty. If current surveys do not exist for the offset wells, Operator may have gyro surveys conducted to verify bottomhole location. The proposed well may only be drilled if the anti-collision review results indicate that the risk of collision is sufficiently low as defined by the anti-collision plan, with separation factors greater than 1.5, or if the risk of collision has been mitigated through other means including shutting in wells, plugging wells, increased drilling fluid in the event of lost returns or as is appropriate for the specific situation. In the event of an increased risk of collision, that risk will be mitigated to prevent harm to people, the environment or property. For the proposed well, upon conclusion of drilling operations, an as-constructed directional survey will be submitted to COGCC with the Form 5.</p> <p>At the time of permitting, the operator has identified the following well(s) as being within close proximity of the proposed well(s): 11-4 MACE, NRC 11-9, NRC 14-9, NRC 6-9, NRC 3-9</p>

Total: 3 comment(s)

Applicable Policies and Notices to Operators

Notice Concerning Operating Requirements for Wildlife Protection.

Policy for Bradenhead Monitoring During Hydraulic Fracturing Treatments in the Greater Wattenberg Area.

Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num	Name
2482523	SURFACE CASING CHECK
400508637	FORM 2 SUBMITTED
400508665	LEGAL/LEASE DESCRIPTION
400508666	EXCEPTION LOC REQUEST
400508667	EXCEPTION LOC WAIVERS
400508669	PROPOSED SPACING UNIT
400508670	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400508671	SURFACE AGRMT/SURETY
400508672	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN
400508674	DIRECTIONAL DATA
400508675	OTHER
400508688	VARIANCE REQUEST
400509885	OffsetWellEvaluations Data

Total Attach: 13 Files

General Comments

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>
Permit	Final Review Completed. No LGD or public comment received.	12/10/2013 3:44:30 PM
Permit	ok to pass.	11/19/2013 3:03:53 PM
Permit	Operator requests approval of a Rule 318Am exception location: Wellbore is to be located less than 150' from an existing wellbore. Request and waivers attached.	11/19/2013 3:03:52 PM
Permit	Operator requests approval of a Rule 318Aa and Rule 318Ac exception location: Wellhead is to be located outside of a GWA drilling window and will be located more than 50' from an existing well location. Request and waivers attached.	11/19/2013 3:03:51 PM
Permit	Operator's request for omission of open hole logs.	11/19/2013 3:03:50 PM
Permit	This form has passed completeness.	11/12/2013 10:54:53 AM

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