

## Dave Kubeczko - DNR

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**From:** Caranese, Vanessa  
**Sent:** Tuesday, June 17, 2014 8:14 AM  
**To:** Rob Bleil  
**Cc:** Dave Kubeczko; Cari Mascioli  
**Subject:** Re: Ursa Castle Springs operations - Clarification of Associated Developments

Hi--

By associated developments I was referring to temporary water tanks and surface lines, and other equipment that may be used during drilling and completions, which we analyzed in the North Castle Springs MDP. It was also included in the SUPO, which we approved. I hope that clears things up.

--Vanessa

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On Mon, Jun 16, 2014 at 3:24 PM, Rob Bleil <[rbleil@ursaresources.com](mailto:rbleil@ursaresources.com)> wrote:

Vanessa...

Just a point of clarification. We have requested that COGCC (Dave Kubeczko, OGLA NW) approve the Sundry Notices for the Castle Springs B, D and T pads to be used for temporary completions tanks. Can you please confirm that the "associated developments" you referred to below were included within the scope of the environmental surveys and NEPA analysis, and also within the scope of the SUPOs that were approved for both the Castle Springs E and Q well permit approvals. Cari will work with you if any other approvals are needed, or even a Sundry Notice (which I believe you discussed) if this will expedite getting these approved. Thank you.

Respectfully,

Rob

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**Sent:** Monday, June 16, 2014 3:07 PM

**To:** Dave Kubeczko; Rob Bleil

**Subject:** Ursa Castle Springs operations

Hi Dave,

I wanted to touch base with you about Ursa's planned operations in the Castle Springs area. They are preparing to drill 8 wells from the E and Q pads (4 each) and it sounds like you need some information from me.

We approved the North Castle Springs MDP in 2010, which analyzed the E and Q pads for up to 16 wells each. The pads were constructed under Antero, and will not be expanded under Ursa, so we did a Determination of NEPA Adequacy for those pads and associated developments. Ursa also completed additional biological surveys, including the survey for occupied raptor nests.

I hope this satisfies the COGCC requirements to approve the 2A forms, but if not, let me know what additional information you need.

--Vanessa

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