

# Triton Energy Services, LLC

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Dr. Robert Koehler  
UIC Supervisor  
Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission  
1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801  
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**Re: Triton #2 (API: 05-123-37808) Injection Well**  
**SWSE Section 35, Township 6 North, Range 65 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.**  
**Weld County, Colorado**

Dear Dr. Koehler:

Reference is made to your letter dated August 21, 2014. The COGCC has heretofore withheld the issuance of the permit to inject under Rule 325 b. due to circumstances surrounding an offset operator's well, and it is both the desire of Triton and the Commission to allow injection to begin. With consideration of the above, the COGCC has attached a temporary set of special conditions ("COA") to Triton's permit to inject in the subject well.

Triton requests permission to inject beginning on **September 16<sup>th</sup>, 2014** according to the following schedule:

- Initial Injection rate of 5,000 BWPDP for 20 days, thence
- 7,500 BWPDP for 20 days

If, after a review of the seismic data, there have been no seismic events over 2.5 on the Richter scale with an epicenter within 2.5 miles of the Triton #2 well, the injection rates will increase as follows in consultation with the COGCC:

- 10,000 BWPDP for 30 days, thence
- 12,500 BWPDP for 30 days
- 15,000 BWPDP for 30 days
- 17,500 BWPDP for 30 days



- 20,000 BWPD thereafter.

Triton's step rate testing has confirmed that the above injection rates can be achieved at the COGCC approved injection pressure of 2400 psig which is safely below the frac gradient of the injection formations

It is Triton's desire that injection be ramped up to the facility's design rate as soon as possible and will reasonably cooperate with COGCC as further research is conducted on induced seismicity in the area. Please be assured Triton will be monitoring the situation in earnest.

Please call if you have any questions.

Best regards,

Mark Goldstein, Managing Member



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