

November 20, 2014

Mr. Matt Lepore, Director
Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission
1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801
Denver, Colorado 80203



**RE: COGCC Rule 318A.a.: Exception Location Request
COGCC Rule 318A.c.: Twinning Exception Location Consent
Trout 32-M Pad: SESE, Section 32, Township 2 North, Range 67 West
Weld County, Colorado**

Dear Mr. Lepore:

Extraction Oil & Gas, LLC (Extraction) is planning to drill 8 horizontal wells on the above referenced pad to the formations as follows:

Troutd #1	SHL = 537' FSL, 951' FEL, BHL = 0' FNL, 0' FEL (Sec. 29-2N67W)	Niobrara
Troutd #2	SHL = 537' FSL, 979' FEL, BHL = 0' FNL, 330' FEL (Sec. 29-2N67W)	Codell
Troutd #3	SHL = 537' FSL, 1007' FEL, BHL = 460' FNL, 660' FEL (Sec. 29-2N67W)	Niobrara
Troutd #4	SHL = 537' FSL, 1035' FEL, BHL = 460' FNL, 990' FEL (Sec. 29-2N67W)	Codell
Troutd #5	SHL = 537' FSL, 1063' FEL, BHL = 460' FNL, 1320' FEL (Sec. 29-2N67W)	Niobrara
Troutd #6	SHL = 537' FSL, 1091' FEL, BHL = 460' FNL, 1650' FEL (Sec. 29-2N67W)	Codell
Troutd #7	SHL = 537' FSL, 1119' FEL, BHL = 460' FNL, 1980' FEL (Sec. 29-2N67W)	Niobrara
Troutd #8	SHL = 537' FSL, 1147' FEL, BHL = 460' FNL, 2400' FEL (Sec. 29-2N67W)	Niobrara

The surface locations of Extraction's proposed wells have been staked outside of the COGCC Rule 318A.a. Greater Wattenberg Area (GWA) Drilling Window and are being permitted as exception locations. In addition, under the COGCC Rule 318A.c. any new Twinning well is to be located within 50 feet of an existing well. Extraction's proposed wells are located approximately 340 feet from the nearest Oil and Gas well (Hayley 44-32 API# 05-123-08783). Extraction has obtained written permission from the surface owner by way of a signed waiver.

Extraction respectfully requests the COGCC to review the enclosed information and approve the requested exception location waiver and Application for Permit to Drill for the wells on the subject pad. Many thanks.

Respectfully,

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Agent for Extraction Oil & Gas, LLC
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We are what we repeatedly do. Excellence, then, is not an act, but a habit.

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