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March 5, 2015

Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission  
The Chancery Building  
1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801  
Denver, CO 80203  
Attn: Mr. Matt Lepore, Director

RE: Wells Ranch State A36-686  
Section 31: NE/4NE/4 Township 6 North, Range 63 West, 6th P.M.  
Weld County, Colorado

Dear Director:

Noble Energy, Inc. ("NEI") is planning to drill the captioned boundary well in accordance with the provisions of COGCC Rule 318A.e.

NEI's proposed wellbore spacing unit consists of the S/2S/2 Sec. 30, N/2N/2 Sec. 31 T6N-R63W, S/2S/2 Sec. 25, SE/4SE/4 Sec. 26, NE/4NE/4 Sec. 35, N/2N/2 Sec. 36, T6N, R63W, creating a 712-acre wellbore spacing unit for the Niobrara formation. NEI is not the only owner within the proposed wellbore spacing unit and as such provided notice to the remaining owner(s) within said proposed spacing unit as required under COGCC Rule 318A.e.(5). Copies of the required notice letter(s) is/are on file at the NEI offices. The required thirty (30) day notice period has elapsed absent the receipt by NEI of an objection to said proposal by the owner(s) within the proposed spacing unit for this well.

Enclosed are copies of the following documents to assist you in your review and approval of NEI's proposed APD for the captioned well:

- Map & plat illustrating proposed wellbore spacing unit.

Thank you for your attention to the enclosed. NEI respectfully requests that the COGCC review the enclosed information and approve the Application for Permit to Drill the captioned well.

Sincerely,

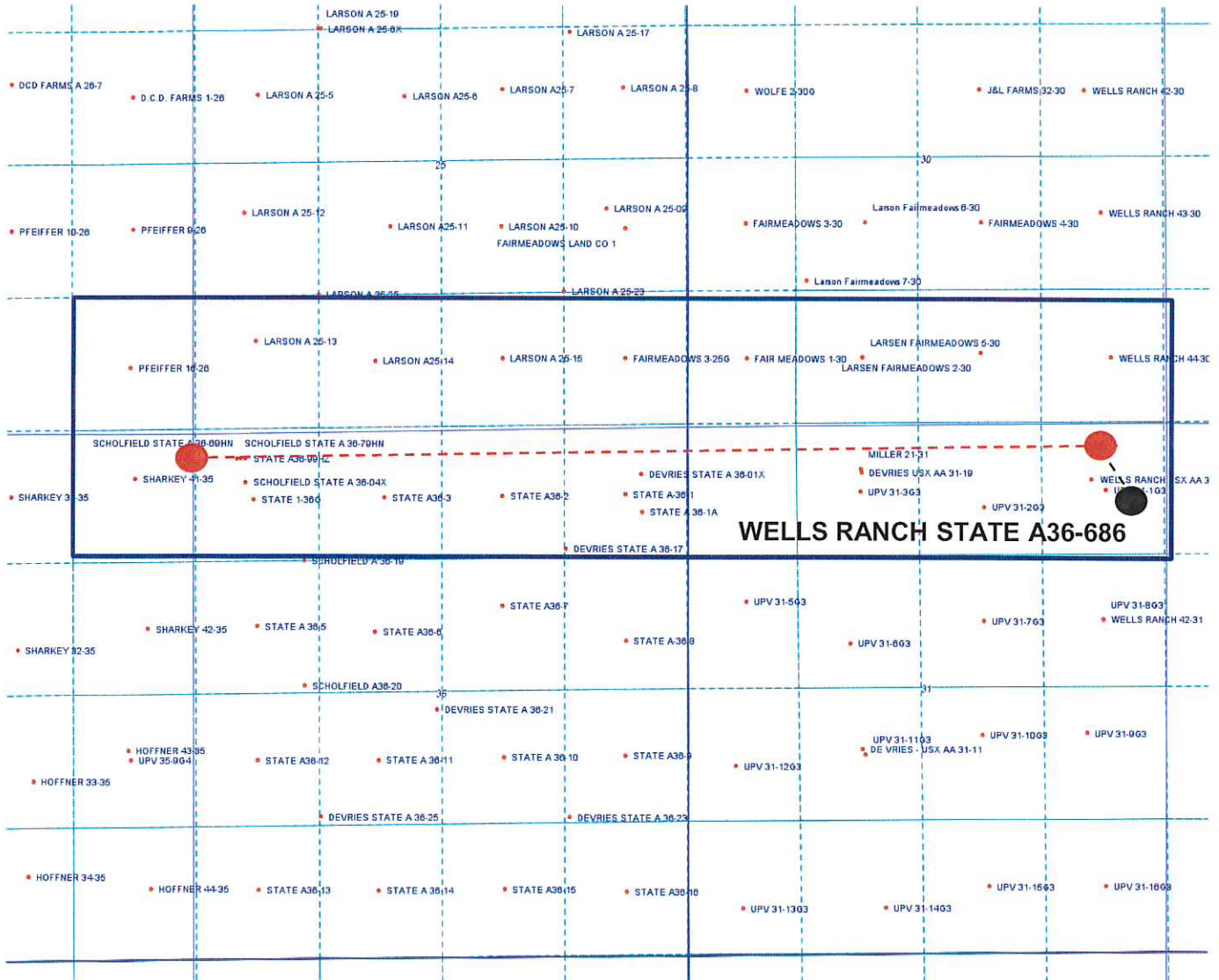
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Regulatory Analyst III  
Noble Energy Inc.

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## Proposed Spacing Unit – Noble Energy, Inc

S/2S/2 Section 30, Township 6 North, Range 63 West  
 N/2N/2 Section 31, Township 6 North, Range 63 West  
 S/2S/2 Section 25, Township 6 North, Range 64 West  
 SE/4SE/4 Section 26, Township 6 North, Range 64 West  
 NE/4NE/4 Section 35, Township 6 North, Range 64 West  
 N/2N/2 Section 36, Township 6 North, Range 64 West



### Legend



Proposed 711.92± acre spacing unit



Bottom Hole Location

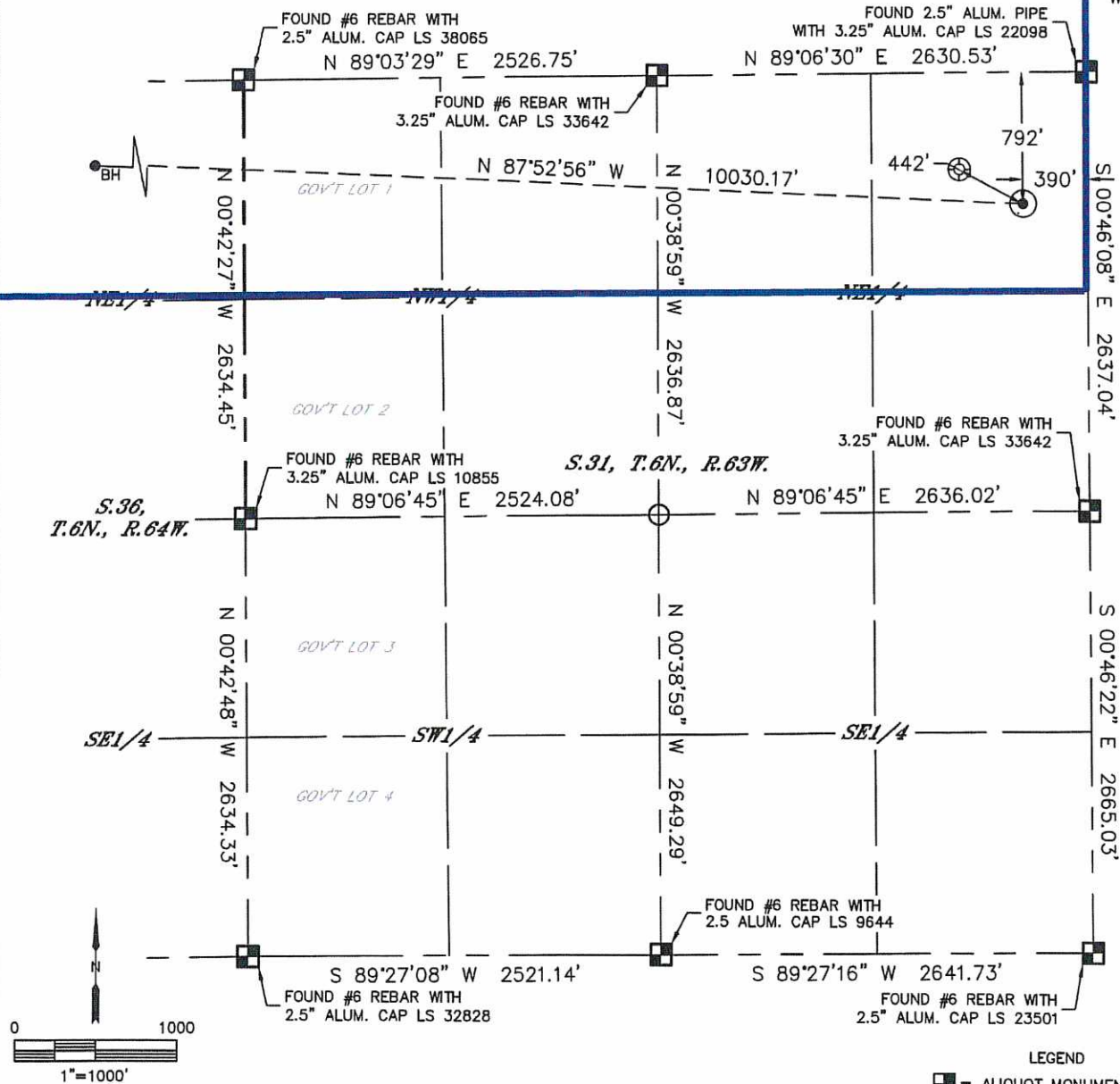


Lat40°, Inc. 6250 W. 10th Street, Unit 2, Greeley, CO 970-515-5294

# WELL LOCATION CERTIFICATE

WELLS RANCH STATE A36-686

SECTION: 31  
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CLIENT: NOBLE ENERGY INC.				LANDMAN: GREG WILSON		
INSTRUMENT OPERATOR: ADAM BEAUPREZ				SURVEY DATE: 10/9/2014		SURFACE USE: RANGELAND
SHL FOOTAGE	SHL LAT °	SHL LONG °	SHL PDOP	SHL ELEV (FT.)	SHL 1/4/1/4	SHL S-T-R
792 FNL 390 FEL	40.44809	-104.47164	2.9	4656	NENE	31-6-63

BHL FOOTAGE	BHL LAT °	BHL LONG °	BHL S-T-R
260 FNL 50 FWL	40.44942	-104.50762	36-6-64

NEAREST CULTURAL ITEMS	
EXISTING WELLS RANCH USX AA 31-01	±442' NW
BUILDING	±958' NW
BUILDING UNIT	±1054' NW
HIGH OCCUPANCY BUILDING UNIT	5280'+
DESIGNATED OUTSIDE ACTIVITY AREA	5280'+
PUBLIC ROAD (COUNTY ROAD 64)	±778' N
ABOVE GROUND UTILITY	±765' N
RAILROAD	5280'+
PROPERTY LINE	±390' E

## NOTE:

- 1) Bearings shown are Grid Bearings of the Colorado State Plane Coordinate System, North Zone, North American Datum 1983. The lineal dimensions as contained herein are based upon the "U.S. Survey Foot."
- 2) Distances to section lines measured at 90 degrees from said section lines.
- 3) Ground elevations are based on an observed GPS elevation (NAVD 1988 DATUM).
- 4) Latitude and Longitude shown are (NAD 83 DATUM).
- 5) IMPROVEMENTS: See LOCATION DRAWING for all visible improvements within 500' of disturbed area.
- 6) This map does not represent a boundary survey.

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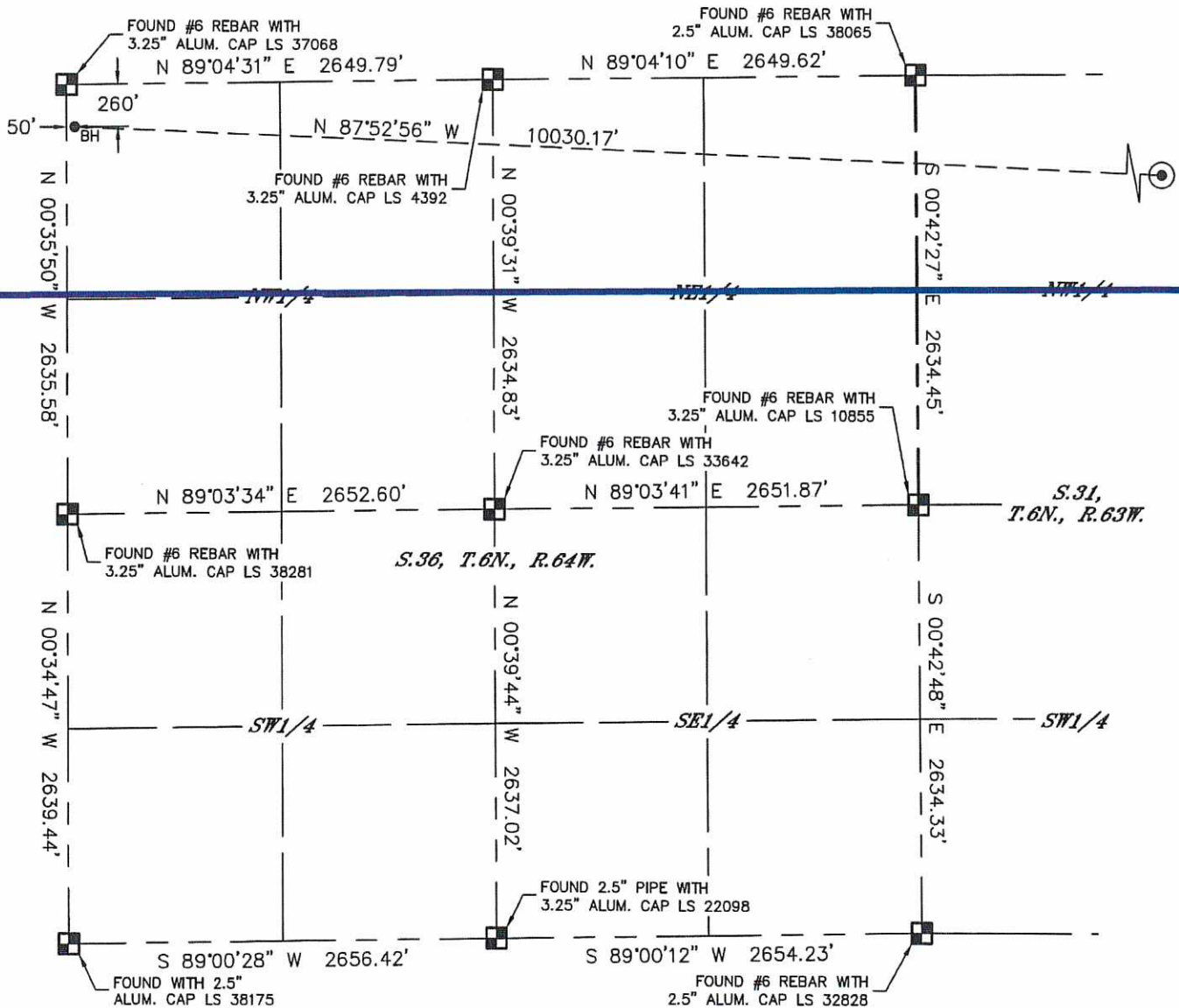


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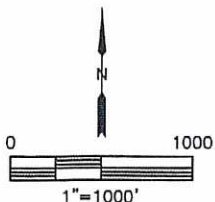
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