

FORM  
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# State of Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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## Oil and Gas Location Assessment

New Location     Refile     Amend Existing Location    Location#: 309934

Submit signed original form. This Oil and Gas Location Assessment is to be submitted to the COGCC for approval prior to any ground disturbance activity associated with oil and gas operations. Approval of this Oil and Gas Location Assessment will allow for the construction of the below specified Location; however, it does not supersede any land use rules applied by the local land use authority. Please see the COGCC website at <http://cogcc.state.co.us/> for all accompanying information pertinent this Oil and Gas Location Assessment.

Location ID:

**309934**

Expiration Date:

This location assessment is included as part of a permit application.

### CONSULTATION

- This location is included in a Comprehensive Drilling Plan. CDP # \_\_\_\_\_
- This location is in a sensitive wildlife habitat area.
- This location is in a wildlife restricted surface occupancy area.
- This location includes a Rule 306.d.(1)A.ii. variance request.

### Operator

Operator Number: 47120  
 Name: KERR MCGEE OIL & GAS ONSHORE LP  
 Address: P O BOX 173779  
 City: DENVER      State: CO      Zip: 80217-3779

### Contact Information

Name: Ronett Powers  
 Phone: (720) 929-6759  
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### RECLAMATION FINANCIAL ASSURANCE

- Plugging and Abandonment Bond Surety ID: 20010124       Gas Facility Surety ID: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Waste Management Surety ID: \_\_\_\_\_

### LOCATION IDENTIFICATION

Name: CC OPEN A      Number: 13C-36HZ  
 County: WELD  
 Quarter: NWNW    Section: 25    Township: 2N    Range: 65W    Meridian: 6    Ground Elevation: 4899

Define a single point as a location reference for the facility location. When the location is to be used as a well site then the point shall be a well location.

Footage at surface: 474 feet FNL from North or South section line  
524 feet FWL from East or West section line

Latitude: 40.115465      Longitude: -104.619871

PDOP Reading: 1.3      Date of Measurement: 01/24/2015

Instrument Operator's Name: ROB WILSON

## RELATED REMOTE LOCATIONS

(Enter as many Related Locations as necessary. Enter the Form 2A document # only if there is no established COGCC Location ID#)

**This proposed Oil and Gas Location is:**

**LOCATION ID #** 424330 **FORM 2A DOC #** \_\_\_\_\_

Well Site is served by Production Facilities

## FACILITIES

Indicate the number of each type of oil and gas facility planned on location

Wells	<u>4</u>	Oil Tanks*	_____	Condensate Tanks*	_____	Water Tanks*	_____	Buried Produced Water Vaults*	_____
Drilling Pits	_____	Production Pits*	_____	Special Purpose Pits	_____	Multi-Well Pits*	_____	Modular Large Volume Tanks	_____
Pump Jacks	<u>3</u>	Separators*	_____	Injection Pumps*	_____	Cavity Pumps*	_____	Gas Compressors*	_____
Gas or Diesel Motors*	_____	Electric Motors	_____	Electric Generators*	_____	Fuel Tanks*	_____	LACT Unit*	_____
Dehydrator Units*	_____	Vapor Recovery Unit*	_____	VOC Combustor*	_____	Flare*	_____	Pigging Station*	_____

## OTHER FACILITIES\*

**Other Facility Type**

**Number**

FLOW LINES	<u>11</u>
TEMPORARY 500 BBL TANKS	<u>2</u>

\*Those facilities indicated by an asterisk (\*) shall be used to determine the distance from the Production Facility to the nearest cultural feature on the Cultural Setbacks Tab.

Per Rule 303.b.(3)C, description of all oil, gas, and/or water pipelines:

Two 500 barrel skid-mounted frac tanks will be temporarily placed onsite for use of the pre-spud rig only. One tank will store water and the other will store water-based mud.

Please see Comments section for flow line description.

## CONSTRUCTION

Date planned to commence construction: 01/01/2016 Size of disturbed area during construction in acres: 10.00

Estimated date that interim reclamation will begin: 07/01/2016 Size of location after interim reclamation in acres: 0.40

Estimated post-construction ground elevation: 4899

## DRILLING PROGRAM

Will a closed loop system be used for drilling fluids: Yes

Is H<sub>2</sub>S anticipated? No

Will salt sections be encountered during drilling: No

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

Will oil based drilling fluids be used? Yes

## DRILLING WASTE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

Drilling Fluids Disposal: OFFSITE Drilling Fluids Disposal Method: Commercial Disposal

Cutting 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: \_\_\_\_\_

Centralized E&P Waste Management Facility ID, if applicable: 149021

## SURFACE & MINERALS & RIGHT TO CONSTRUCT

Name: CC OPEN A, LLC

Phone: 303.916.6198

Address: PO BOX 200487

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

City: EVANS State: CO Zip: 80620

Surface Owner:  Fee  State  Federal  Indian

Check all that apply. The Surface Owner:  is the mineral owner

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 from or produced to this Oil and Gas Location: Yes

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

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

Date of Rule 306 surface owner consultation 10/16/2014

## CURRENT AND FUTURE LAND USE

### Current Land Use (Check all that apply):

Crop Land:  Irrigated  Dry land  Improved Pasture  Hay Meadow  CRP

Non-Crop Land:  Rangeland  Timber  Recreational  Other (describe): \_\_\_\_\_

Subdivided:  Industrial  Commercial  Residential

### Future Land Use (Check all that apply):

Crop Land:  Irrigated  Dry land  Improved Pasture  Hay Meadow  CRP

Non-Crop Land:  Rangeland  Timber  Recreational  Other (describe): \_\_\_\_\_

Subdivided:  Industrial  Commercial  Residential

## CULTURAL DISTANCE INFORMATION

Provide the distance to the nearest cultural feature as measured from Wells or Production Facilities onsite.

	From WELL	From PRODUCTION FACILITY
Building:	1844 Feet	_____ Feet
Building Unit:	2518 Feet	_____ Feet
High Occupancy Building Unit:	3795 Feet	_____ Feet
Designated Outside Activity Area:	5280 Feet	_____ Feet
Public Road:	2286 Feet	_____ Feet
Above Ground Utility:	426 Feet	_____ Feet
Railroad:	5280 Feet	_____ Feet
Property Line:	473 Feet	_____ Feet

### INSTRUCTIONS:

- All measurements shall be provided from center of nearest Well or edge of nearest Production Facility to nearest of each cultural feature as described in Rule 303.b.(3)A.
- 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.
- For measurement purposes only, Production Facilities should only include those items with an asterisk(\*) on the Facilities Tab.

## 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: \_\_\_\_\_

## FOR MULTI-WELL PADS AND PRODUCTION FACILITIES WITHIN DESIGNATED SETBACK LOCATIONS ONLY:

- Check this box if this Oil and Gas Location has or will have Production Facilities that serve multiple wells (onl or offsite) and the Production Facilities are proposed to be located less than 1,000 feet from a Building Unit. *(Pursuant to Rule 604.c.(2)E.i., the operator must evaluate alternative locations for the Production Facilities that are farther from the Building Unit, and determine whether those alternative locations were technically feasible and economically practicable for the same proposed development.)*
- By checking this box, I certify that no alternative placements for the Production Facilities, farther from the nearest Building Unit, were available based on the analysis conducted pursuant to Rule 604.c.(2)E.i.

In the space below, explain rationale for siting the multi-well Production Facility(ies) that supports your Rule 604.c.(2)E.i determination. Attach documentation that supports your determination to this Form 2A.

## SOIL

List all soil map units that occur within the proposed location. attach the National Resource Conservation Service (NRCS) report showing the "Map Unit Description" report listing the soil typical vertical profile. This data is to used when segregating topsoil.

The required information can be obtained from the NRCS web site at <http://soildatamart.nrcs.usda.org/> or from the COGCC web site GIS Online map page found at <http://colorado.gov/cogcc>. Instructions are provided within the COGCC web site help section.

NRCS Map Unit Name: 70 VALENT SAND, 3 TO 9 PERCENT SLOPES

NRCS Map Unit Name: \_\_\_\_\_

NRCS Map Unit Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLANT COMMUNITY:**

Complete this section only if any portion of the disturbed area of the location's current land use is on non-crop land.

Are noxious weeds present: Yes  No

Plant species from:  NRCS or,  field observation Date of observation: 07/24/2015

List individual species: Cheatgrass - Bromus tectorum – (NOXIOUS WEED-C-List), tumble mustard - Sisymbrium altissimum, sand sagebrush - Artemisia filifolia

Check all plant communities that exist in the disturbed area.

- Disturbed Grassland (Cactus, Yucca, Cheatgrass, Rye)
- Native Grassland (Bluestem, Grama, Wheatgrass, Buffalograss, Fescue, Oatgrass, Brome)
- Shrub Land (Mahogany, Oak, Sage, Serviceberry, Chokecherry)
- Plains Riparian (Cottonwood, Willow, Aspen, Maple, Poplar, Russian Olive, Tamarisk)
- Mountain Riparian (Cottonwood, Willow, Blue Spruce)
- Forest Land (Spruce, Fir, Ponderosa Pine, Lodgepole Pine, Juniper, Pinyon, Aspen)
- Wetlands Aquatic (Bullrush, Sedge, Cattail, Arrowhead)
- Alpine (above timberline)
- Other (describe): \_\_\_\_\_

## WATER RESOURCES

Is this a sensitive area:  No  Yes

Distance to nearest

downgradient surface water feature: 1882 Feet

water well: 253 Feet

Estimated depth to ground water at Oil and Gas Location 8 Feet

Basis for depth to groundwater and sensitive area determination:

Basis for depth to groundwater: Identified water well (Permit # 118244) located approximately 253' N of the proposed oil and gas location. Depth to groundwater at water well is 10' and the water well is at an elevation of approximately 4901'.

Box Elder Creek: 1882' E Elev: 4891'

Loc Elev: 4899'

Nearest water wells:

253' N, Permit 118244, depth 40', Static Water Level 10', Elev 4901'

Sensitive Area Determination: SENSITIVE AREA, depth to groundwater less than 20'

Location is NOT in floodplain according to Weld County and FEMA

Is the location in a riparian area:  No  Yes

Was an Army Corps of Engineers Section 404 permit filed  No  Yes If yes attach permit.

Is the location within a Rule 317B Surface Water Supply Area buffer No zone:

If the location is within a Rule 317B Surface Water Supply Area buffer have all public water supply systems within 15 miles been notified: \_\_\_\_\_

Is the Location within a Floodplain?  No  Yes Floodplain Data Sources Reviewed (check all that apply)

Federal (FEMA)

State

County

Local

Other \_\_\_\_\_

## GROUNDWATER BASELINE SAMPLING AND MONITORING AND WATER WELL SAMPLING

Water well sampling required per Rule 318A

## 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)

## RULE 502.b VARIANCE REQUEST

- Rule 502.b. Variance Request from COGCC Rule or Spacing Order Number \_\_\_\_\_

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

### FLOW LINE DESCRIPTION:

Flow Lines: Four flow lines will flow to the production facility location. During production, flow direction in the flow lines is from the well head to the production facility. The size of flow lines is typically 2". Flow lines will be constructed from steel pipe, buried, and will equal the distance between the well heads and the tank battery, approximately 2100'.

Four fuel gas supply lines will also be installed from the well head to the production facility. During operation flow direction in the supply lines will be from the production facility to the well head. The size of the supply lines is typically 1". Supply lines will be constructed from poly or steel pipe, buried, and will equal the distance between the well heads and the tank battery, approximately 2100'.

Gas lift lines are also occasionally installed (one per well) from the well head to the production facility. During operation flow direction in the gas lift lines will be from the production facility to the well head. The size of the gas lift lines is typically 2". Gas lift lines will be constructed from steel pipe, buried, and will equal the distance between the well heads and the tank battery, approximately 2100'.

### OTHER DISPOSAL DESCRIPTION:

Drilling fluids disposal: KMG will reuse water-based drilling fluids to the maximum extent possible, at which point they will either be land applied or taken to a licensed, commercial disposal site; the decision will be based upon laboratory analysis of fluids. KMG will reuse oil-based drilling fluids to the maximum extent possible, at which point they will be returned to the fluids manufacturer for reconditioning or disposal at a licensed, commercial disposal site.

Cuttings disposal: Water-based cuttings will be disposed of using a Centralized E&P Waste Management facility or a private spread field, depending on what is feasible at the time of drilling. Oil-based cuttings will be disposed of offsite and at a licensed, commercial disposal site.

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

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: [djregulatory@anadarko.com](mailto:djregulatory@anadarko.com)

Print Name: Ronett Powers Title: Regulatory Analyst II

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: \_\_\_\_\_

## Conditions Of Approval

**All representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in this Form 2A for this location shall constitute representations, stipulations and conditions of approval for any and all subsequent operations on the location unless this Form 2A is modified by Sundry Notice, Form 4 or an Amended Form 2A.**

## Best Management Practices

No	BMP/COA Type	Description
1	Planning	This proposed oil and gas location is located in a rural rangeland area. The nearest building unit is located 2518' away.
2	Planning	In order to minimize surface disturbance, this proposed location will amend existing Location # 309934. Three new horizontal wells will be added to the exiting well on this location.

Total: 2 comment(s)

## Attachment Check List

<u>Att Doc Num</u>	<u>Name</u>
400895909	ACCESS ROAD MAP
400895913	HYDROLOGY MAP
400895915	LOCATION DRAWING
400895916	LOCATION PICTURES
400895918	MULTI-WELL PLAN
400895919	NRCS MAP UNIT DESC
400895920	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400895921	REFERENCE AREA MAP
400895924	SURFACE AGRMT/SURETY
400895925	WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN
400896116	REFERENCE AREA PICTURES

Total Attach: 11 Files

### General Comments

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>

Total: 0 comment(s)