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State of Colorado, Oil & Gas Conservation Commission
Attn: Matt Lepore
1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801
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Re: **Letter to the Director, Rule 318A.e.**
Thistle Down 31i-302
NESW Section 31, T5N-R64W, 6th PM
Weld County, Colorado

Dear Director:

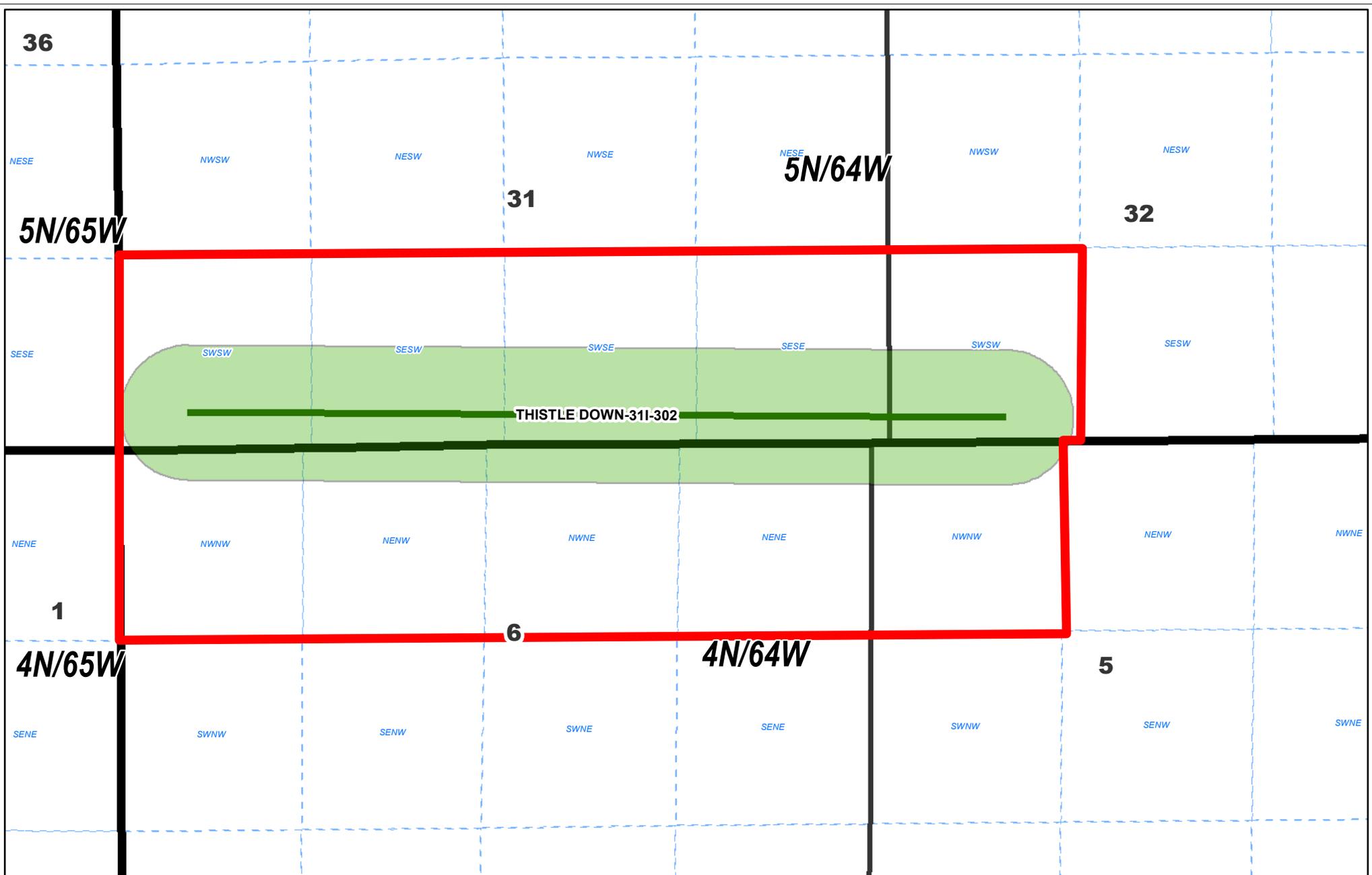
PDC Energy ("PDC") hereby certifies to the Director that PDC holds all minerals in the proposed 400 acre wellbore spacing unit consisting of T4N-R64W Section 5: NWNW, Section 6: N2N2; T5N-R64W Section 31: S2S2, Section 32: SWSW; therefore, no 30-day notice is needed to owners in the proposed wellbore spacing unit. This horizontal well location crosses existing unit boundaries and requires the formation of the proposed unit. PDC hereby requests the Director to approve the well.

If you should have any questions or concerns regarding this permit, please contact the undersigned at (303) 831-3931 or alexandria.gale@pdce.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Ally Gale".

Ally Gale
Regulatory Technican
PDC Energy, Inc.



DJ Preliminary Proposed Spacing Unit
THISTLE DOWN 311-302

Date: 3/23/2017

Legend

-  Townships
-  Sections
-  Qtr Qtr (Weld Cty)
-  Preliminary Proposed Spacing Unit
-  460' Foot Wellbore Buffer
-  Spaced Wellbore

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