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**RE: EXCEPTION LOCATION REQUEST (Within Surface Property Line Setback)  
MUSTANG Y-34 PAD (Form 2A Amendment to Location Doc # 450213)  
LONGHORN V41-3-4XRLNB (Form 2 Doc #401441125)  
TOWNSHIP 4 NORTH, RANGE 63 WEST, 6<sup>TH</sup> PM  
SECTION 34, SESE  
WELD COUNTY, COLORADO**

Dear Director Lepore:

Bonanza Creek Energy Operating Company LLC. ("Bonanza") is planning to drill the above mentioned well to the Niobrara formation.

Rule 603a. of the Colorado Oil and Gas Commission's Rules and Regulations requires wells to be located not less than one hundred fifty (150) feet from a surface property line.

The surface location of Bonanza's proposed wells has been staked outside of the property line safety setback requirements. The location is being permitted as an exception location. This location is a good location to reduce the impact on the surface owner. The exception location waiver for rule 603a. is included as an attachment and will be filed appropriately with Weld County.

Bonanza respectfully request the COGCC review the enclosed information and approve the requested exception location waiver and Application for Permit to Drill the above captioned well.

Respectfully,

Brian Dodek  
Manager – Environmental & Regulatory Compliance