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Land Department

September 19, 2017

Colorado State Board of Land Commissioners  
1127 Sherman Street, Suite 300  
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RE: **Surface Exception Location Consent**  
**Well Set-Back (Twinning) Exception Consent**  
SLW RANCH STATE BB06-631  
Township 5 North, Range 63 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.  
Section 6: SW/4NW/4  
Weld County, CO

Dear Ms. Koranda:

Noble Energy, Inc. ("Noble") plans to drill the SLW RANCH STATE BB06-631 well (the "Well") at the referenced location which is more specifically described as 2508 feet FNL and 230 feet FWL, which is outside the drilling window prescribed in Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission ("COGCC") Rule 318A.a.

By signing this letter you hereby grant your consent to Noble to locate the Well outside of a GWA window as defined in COGCC Rule 318A.a. Additionally, the Well is being proposed at a surface location approximately 763 feet from an existing surface well location. By signing this letter you also grant your consent to Noble to locate the Well more than 50 feet from the existing well as provided for under COGCC Rule 318A.c.(2).

We would like to thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you have any questions do not hesitate to call me at (970) 304-5149.

NOBLE ENERGY, INC.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Cory Neighbors', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Cory Neighbors

By: Christel Koranda  
Christel Koranda, Minerals Director

Date: 10/17/17