

May 22, 2018

Attn: Mrs. Julie Murphy, Director
Colorado Oil & Gas Conservation Commission
1120 Lincoln Street, Ste. 801
Denver, Colorado 80203

Dear Mrs. Murphy,

Petro Operating Co., LLC is planning to drill the following horizontal wells as follows:

FLASCHENRIEM Pad: SENW, Section 3, Township 4 North, Range 68 West, Adams County, Colorado

1. FLASCHENRIEM 1, SENW, Sec. 3-T4N-R68W, Doc# 401611450
2. FLASCHENRIEM 2, SENW, Sec. 3-T4N-R68W, Doc# 401611502
3. FLASCHENRIEM 3, SENW, Sec. 3-T4N-R68W, Doc# 401611518
4. FLASCHENRIEM 4, SENW, Sec. 3-T4N-R68W, Doc# 401611522
5. FLASCHENRIEM 5, SENW, Sec. 3-T4N-R68W, Doc# 401611524
6. FLASCHENRIEM 6, SENW, Sec. 3-T4N-R68W, Doc# 401611526
7. FLASCHENRIEM 7, SENW, Sec. 3-T4N-R68W, Doc# 401611529
8. FLASCHENRIEM 8, SENW, Sec. 3-T4N-R68W, Doc# 401611538

The surface locations of Petro Operating Co., LLC (Petro) proposed wells have been staked outside of the COGCC Rule 318A.a. Greater Wattenberg Area (GWA) Drilling Window and are not within 50' of another well per Rule 318A.c. The Surface Use & Damage Agreement, page 2, Item 1.5 Waives all setback requirements and on Page 4, 2.4a., states that the owner shall execute and deliver a waiver of Rule 318A.a Exception Location (GWA Windows) and Rule 318A.c Exception Location (GWA Twinning). The Surface Owner has signed a separate waiver and it is attached to the permits.

Petro Operating Co., LLC respectfully requests the COGCC to review the enclosed information and approve the requested Exception Location and Applications for Permits to Drill for the wells on the subject pad.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Paul Gottlob".

Paul Gottlob
Regulatory & Engineering Technician
Consultant to Petro Operating Co., LLC