

MEMORANDUM OF  
SURFACE USE AGREEMENT

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Township 3 North, Range 66 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.  
Section 20: E/2SE/4  
Tax Parcel Number(s): 121120000026  
Weld County, Colorado

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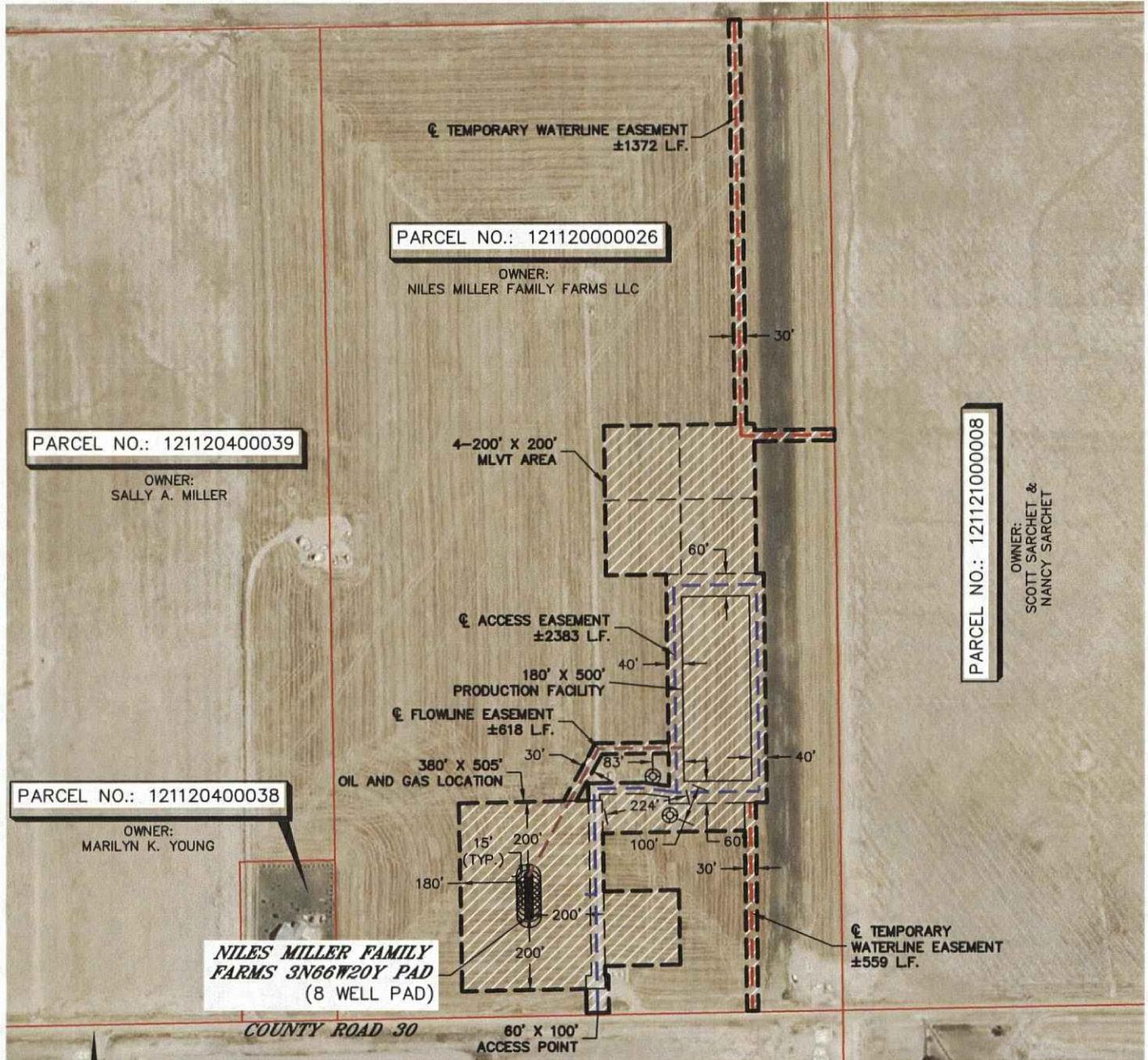
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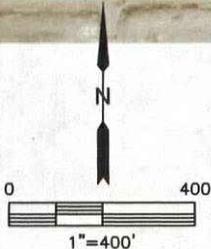
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BY: Dianne Kay Brown DATE: 10-30-15  
 Niles Miller Family Farms LLC



PARCEL NO.: 121121000008  
 OWNER: SCOTT SARCHET & NANCY SARCHET



**LEGEND**

- OIL AND GAS OPERATIONS AREA ("OGO") = 15.2 ACRES
- APPROXIMATE  $\phi$  ACCESS EASEMENT
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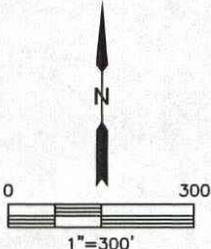
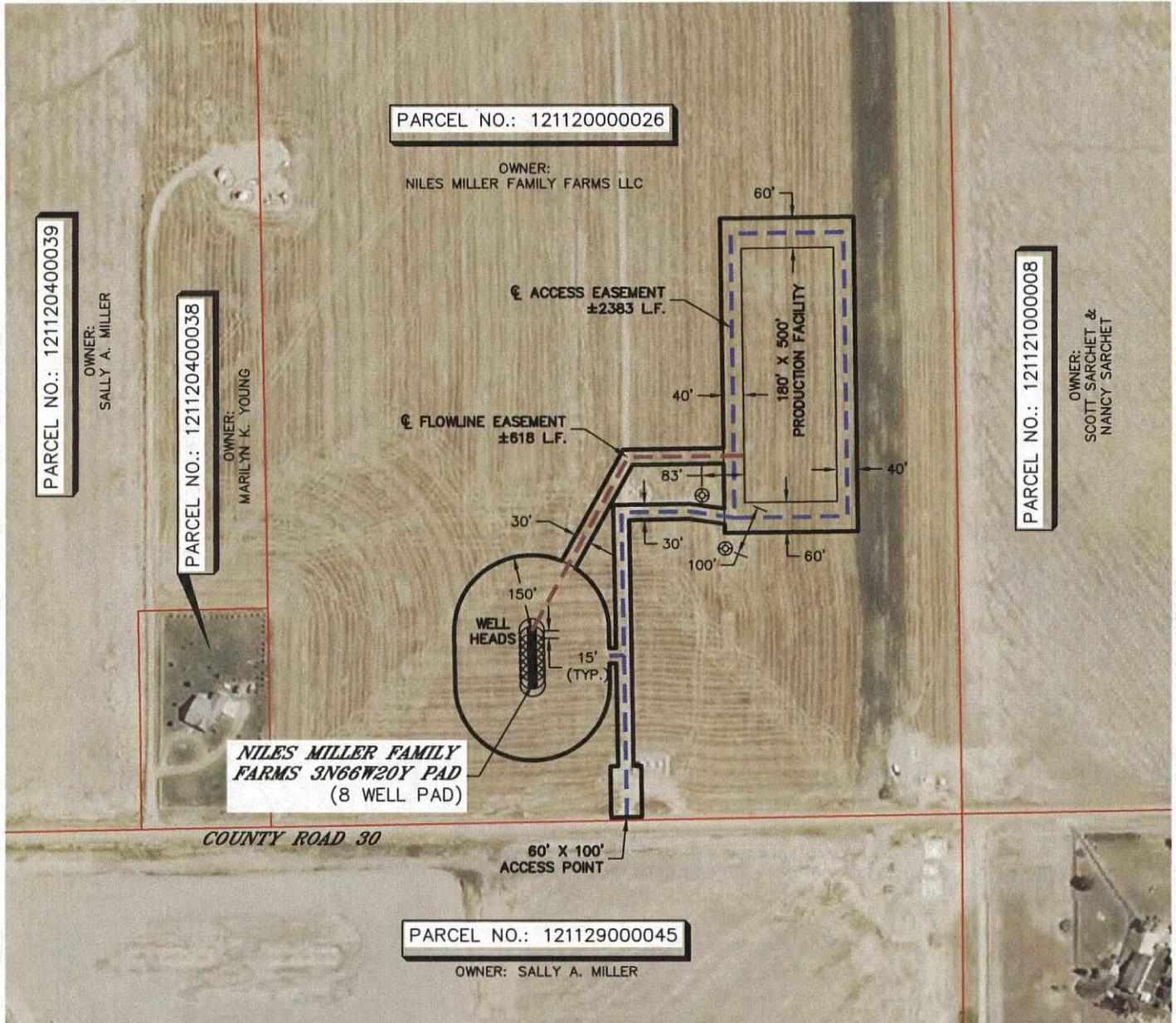
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BY: Dianne K. Buxton DATE: 10-30-15  
 Niles Miller Family Farms LLC



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### **RECITALS**

WHEREAS, Owner owns an interest in the surface estate of the following described tract of land (the "Property"):

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WHEREAS, Company owns certain oil and gas leasehold rights in the Property and/or lands pooled therewith and has the right to access the Property and use so much of the surface as is reasonably necessary to conduct oil and gas operations, including the exploration, development, production, and transportation of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons, relating to its oil and gas leasehold interests in the Property and/or lands pooled therewith (the "Operations"); and

WHEREAS, Company and Owner desire to enter into this Agreement to set forth the Parties' rights and obligations relating to Company's use of the Property for its Operations, provided that this Agreement is a supplement to, but not in derogation of, Company's existing oil and gas leasehold rights.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the compensation to be paid to Owner as described herein, and other good and valuable consideration, as well as the mutual promises and covenants contained herein, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Parties agree as follows:

### **I. OIL AND GAS OPERATIONS**

1.1 Grant of Access. Owner hereby grants, demises and conveys to Company, and its designated agents, such use of the surface of the Property, such ingress, egress and access to, over and across the Property and such easements and rights-of-way on, over and across the Property as may be necessary or convenient for Company's Operations, including, but not limited to, the right to (i) construct access roads, well pads, pits and berms, (ii) conduct seismic or other geophysical exploration, (iii) survey, drill, complete, recompleat, operate, and plug and abandon the Wells, as hereinafter defined, (iv) install and operate any equipment and facilities associated with the Wells, including, but not limited to, electric lines and transformers, fittings, tanks, portable pumps, anchors, production facilities, gathering lines, pipelines, Modular Large Volume Storage Tanks

("MLVTs"), and temporary above ground waterlines, and (v) repair, replace, remove or reclaim any of the foregoing, provided, however, that except as otherwise expressly provided herein, all of such use, ingress, egress, access, easements and rights-of-way shall be limited to that portion of the Property located within the Oil and Gas Operations Area depicted on Exhibit A ("OGO A") or the easements and rights-of-way shown on Exhibit A (the "Easements"). Any depiction of the Operations shown on Exhibit A is for illustrative purposes only and shall not bind Company with respect to the location or scope of its Operations within the OGO A or the Easements.

## **II. WELLS AND SUBSURFACE EASEMENT**

2.1 Wells. Company shall have the option to drill up to eight (8) wells on the Property within the OGO A (the "Wells"), and shall pay to Owner the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00) per Well prior to the spudding of each Well; provided, however, that Company shall have no obligation to drill any Wells on the Property and the decision to drill a Well shall be at the sole discretion of Company. The Wells may be directional or horizontal Wells that produce from and drain lands other than the Property, provided such other lands are validly pooled with all or any portion of the lands covered by Company's oil and gas leasehold rights covering the Property. A preliminary list of the Wells is attached hereto as Exhibit B for reference. Company may, at its discretion, change the well name of any Well in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission ("COGCC"), and provide Owner with a Sundry Notice regarding any Well name change. Once Owner is provided with a Sundry Notice, Exhibit B shall be considered amended in accordance with the revised well name. Any final determination of Well names may be found at the records of the COGCC.

2.2 Subsurface Easement. Owner hereby grants to Company a subsurface easement in and under the Property for the passage of any portion of any Well and all appurtenant structures, including, but not limited to, the wellbore, well casing, production tubing and cement, provided that the subsurface easement shall be for the purpose of producing oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from Company's oil and gas leasehold interest covering the Property and lands pooled therewith. The subsurface easement hereby granted includes the right to occupy and use the subsurface and the subsurface pore space in and under the Property displaced by the Wells and all appurtenant structures. This subsurface easement shall run with the Property and shall terminate with this Agreement, provided, however, some underground appurtenances, including, but not limited to, the wellbore, well casing, production tubing and cement shall be allowed to remain in place following termination of this Agreement. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this paragraph, the subsurface easement shall not include the rights for underground gas storage, sequestration of any substances, third-party gathering lines, or underground disposal of waste.

## **III. RELEASE AND INDEMNIFICATION**

3.1 The consideration herein provided is acknowledged by Owner as sufficient consideration for the rights herein granted to Company and is in full satisfaction of any present or future crop loss or damages to the Property caused or created by the reasonable and customary entry, use and exercise of the rights and Easements granted herein.

3.2 Except as expressly provided below, Owner hereby releases and discharges Company, its agents, employees, contractors and licensees from and against any and all claims by Owner for damages to the Property, of whatsoever nature and character, including, but not limited to, crop loss or diminution in value of the Property, arising from, incident to, or in connection with Company's Operations on the Property or lands pooled therewith, so long as such Operations are conducted in accordance with this Agreement.

3.3 Company hereby agrees to release, discharge, indemnify and hold Owner harmless from and against any and all third party claims, losses, liability, damages, and causes of action for personal injury or property damage arising out of Company's Operations, unless, and to the extent that, the negligence of Owner, or any invitee or guest of Owner, causes or contributes to such third party claims.

#### **IV. GENERAL OPERATIONAL REQUIREMENTS**

4.1 Use of Property. Company shall construct its roads and pipelines within the Easements, and otherwise confine its Operations to the OGOA, except in the event of an emergency, or for reasonable incidental and temporary activities, provided that Company shall be responsible for any physical damage to the Property that may be caused by such emergency or temporary activities.

4.2 Exclusive Use. The Easements granted herein shall be exclusive to Company, provided that Owner reserves the right to use any pre-existing access roads on the Property, or with the permission of company, which shall not be unreasonably withheld, any access roads constructed by Company; provided that, in any event, such use by Owner does not interfere with or impair Company's Operations. The Parties agree that if Owner's use of any access roads on the Property interferes with or impairs Company's Operations, such interference shall be deemed immediate, real and irreparable harm and may require injunctive relief and the Parties further stipulate that money damages will not fully and adequately address the harm. In the event a third party wishes to use the Easements granted herein, said third party shall negotiate separately and directly with both Owner and Company regarding the rights and obligations of such third party.

4.3 Access to OGOA. Neither Owner nor any third party shall have the right to access the OGOA without the prior consent of Company, which may be withheld by Company in its sole discretion. In the event Company consents, access of the OGOA shall be at the sole risk of such Owner or third party.

4.4 Pipelines and MLVTs. Company may assign or delegate to a third party the right to install and operate pipelines in order to connect the Wells to a gas or liquids gathering system. Additionally, Company may assign or delegate to a third party the right to install and dismantle temporary above ground water lines and MLVTs, provided that the installation, operation and dismantling of any MLVTs shall comply with any applicable requirements as set forth by the COGCC.

4.5 Notice to Tenant. Owner shall have the responsibility of notifying any affected tenant, lessee or other party who may own or have an interest in any crops or surface improvements

which could be affected by Company's Operations. Owner agrees that all damages claimed by a surface tenant, lessee or other such party resulting from Company's Operations shall be settled by Owner, and Owner hereby agrees to release, discharge, indemnify and hold Company harmless from and against any such claims.

4.6 **Conduct of Operations and Reclamation.** Company agrees to conduct its operations and perform all reclamation in accordance with the rules and regulations of the COGCC, unless a variance is granted by the COGCC upon the request of Owner. Company shall endeavor to keep the OGOA, the pipeline easement, and access easements free of weeds and debris and to control erosion.

4.7 **Notice of Commencement of Operations.** Commencement of Operations involving heavy equipment is estimated to begin in the first quarter of 2018. In the event Operations have not commenced by such date, Company shall provide Owner with advance written notice of the new estimated commencement date of Operations. Owner acknowledges that the notice provided by this paragraph shall satisfy all COGCC requirements that Owner be given advance notice by Company of the proposed Operations and Owner hereby waives the right to receive separate notice. Owner acknowledges receiving from Company a brochure prepared by the COGCC which describes the rights and responsibilities of Owner as a surface owner. If Commencement of Operations is not commenced within four (4) years of the Effective Date, this Surface Use Agreement shall expire.

4.8 **COGCC Consultation.** Owner acknowledges and agrees that Company has consulted in good faith with Owner as to its proposed Operations, in accordance with COGCC requirements, or, in the alternative, hereby waives such requirements. Owner expressly waives the application of any COGCC setbacks inconsistent with this Agreement. **The Parties further agree as follows:**

a. Company will provide Owner with the COGCC Form 2A for the OGOA ("Oil and Gas Location Assessment") upon submission to the COGCC, and Company undertakes to ensure that said Form 2A accurately reflects the provisions of this Agreement;

b. Owner agrees not to object to the Form 2A, so long as it is consistent with this Agreement, and Owner hereby waives any right granted by COGCC rule to comment on the Form 2A, to request an extension of the comment period, to request an onsite inspection pursuant to COGCC policy, or to appeal the approval and issuance of the Form 2A, and any related Form 2 ("Application for Permit to Drill"); and

c. Owner shall not oppose Company in any COGCC or other governmental proceedings related to Company's Operations, including, but not limited to, permitting, formation of drilling units, well spacing, pooling, drilling, completion, stimulation, re-stimulation, workovers, deepening and recompleting, provided that Company's position in such proceedings is consistent with this Agreement.

4.9 **Reasonable Accommodation.** Owner expressly acknowledges and agrees that this Agreement shall be deemed to be specifically applicable to, and shall fully satisfy, the

**obligation of Company to reasonably accommodate Owner's use of the surface of the Property, including both existing and future use, and Owner expressly waives any statutory or common law claim to the contrary.**

4.10 Notice of Agreement, Recording and Confidentiality. Owner agrees to include a note on any annexation, subdivision plat, planned unit development or other land use designation for which Owner may apply to put successors or assigns on notice that the Property is subject to this Agreement. Further, Owner agrees that Company may record this Agreement (redacted as to any compensation amount) or a Memorandum of this Agreement. In addition, upon the request of Company, Owner shall execute and deliver to Company recordable easements, rights of way, or surface leases covering the rights granted herein for the well pads, access roads, or pipelines located within the OGOA and Easements. In the event this Agreement or a Memorandum is recorded, upon termination of this Agreement, Company shall record a termination and release of this Agreement. In all other respects, the provisions and terms of this Agreement shall be strictly confidential.

## V. MISCELLANEOUS

5.1 Governing Law. This Agreement shall be subject to, and construed under, the laws of the State of Colorado, and the County of Weld, without regard to its conflict of law provisions, and jurisdiction and venue shall be solely in the courts of the State of Colorado, subject to the right of either Party to remove a matter to federal court.

5.2 Proportionate Reduction. Any compensation due to Owner under this Agreement shall be proportionately reduced by the percentage of Owner's fee ownership of the Property.

5.3 Interpretation. In construing this Agreement, no consideration shall be given to the fact or presumption that one Party has had a greater or lesser hand in drafting this Agreement than the other Party.

5.4 Authority to Execute. Each of the undersigned principals of the Parties represents and warrants that such person has the requisite corporate or legal authority to bind the respective Parties to this Agreement. Further, Owner represents that Owner is lawfully entitled to receive payments due under this Agreement.

5.5 No Liens. Owner represents and warrants that as of the date of this Agreement, there are no defaults with respect to any assessment(s), deed(s) of trust, mortgage(s), services, taxes, utilities or other interests related to the Property. Owner shall pay as and when due all amounts Owner (or any person acting on behalf of, by, or through Owner) owes for or in connection with any assessments, taxes or governmental charges of any kind that may at any time be lawfully assessed or levied against the Property; encumbrances; leases; mortgages; deeds of trust; other security interests; services; utilities or other interests related to the Property and/or that may create an interest in the Property. Owner shall satisfy all non-monetary obligations of Owner associated with such matters, failing which Company may (but shall have no obligation to) pay such amounts and/or perform such obligations. In order to enable any such potential payment or performance by Company, Owner agrees to give Company notice of any Owner default in

connection with the payment or performance of Owner's obligations pursuant this paragraph. Company shall when possible give Owner notice before paying such amounts or performing such obligations. In the case of such payment or performance by Company, Owner shall, within sixty (60) days after notice from Company, reimburse Company for the amount of such payment and/or the cost of such performance, or, at Company's option, Company may offset the amounts paid or costs incurred against sums to be paid Owner under this Agreement.

5.6 Lien Waiver. Owner waives any and all lien rights it may now or later have in equipment installed on the Property pursuant to Company's Operations. Owner agrees to keep the Property free and clear of liens and shall immediately notify Company if it becomes aware of any liens filed against the Property.

5.7 Notice. Any notice, inquiry, or communication required or permitted under this Agreement may be sent to the Parties as set forth below. Any communication or delivery shall be deemed to have been duly made and the receiving party charged with notice (i) if personally delivered, when received, (ii) if sent by telecopy or facsimile transmission, when received, (iii) if mailed, five (5) business days after mailing, certified mail, return receipt requested, or (iv) if sent by overnight courier, one business day after sending. All notices shall be addressed as follows:

To Owner:

To:	Niles Miller Family Farms, LLC
Address:	1913 Goldenvue Dr. Johnstown, Colorado 80534
Phone Number:	970-587-2066
Fax Number:	N/A

To Company:

To:	PDC Energy, Inc.
Department to Contact:	Evans Land
Address:	3801 Carson Avenue Evans, Colorado 80620
Phone Number:	970-506-9272
Fax Number:	970-506-9276
Email:	land@pdce.com

**Toll Free 24-Hour Emergency Phone Number: 1-877-350-0169**

The Parties shall be responsible for providing notice of any changes to the information provided above.

5.8 Term. This Agreement shall be effective as of the Effective Date and shall remain in full force and effect until Company's leasehold estate expires or is terminated, and Company has plugged and abandoned the Wells and conducted reclamation in accordance with applicable

COGCC rules and regulations, except that any release, discharge or indemnity from and against liability contained herein shall survive the expiration of this Agreement.

5.9 Default and Termination. In the event of the failure by Company to timely make any payment required under this Agreement or to otherwise comply with all terms of this Agreement, Owner shall notify Company in writing of the failure. Company shall then have thirty (30) days after receipt of the notice to cure the default.

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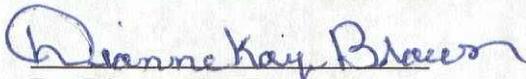
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5.12 Severability. If any provision of this Agreement is illegal, invalid, or unenforceable under present or future laws, then, and in that event, it is the intention of the parties that the remainder of this Agreement shall not be affected.

5.13 Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed by the Parties in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original instrument, but all of which together shall constitute but one and the same instrument. Electronically delivered signatures shall be considered binding and deemed to be original counterparts for all purposes.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have executed this Agreement on the day and year as written in the acknowledgements to be effective as of the Effective Date.

**OWNER:**  
Niles Miller Family Farms, LLC



By: Dianne Kay Brown  
Title: Manager

**COMPANY:**  
PDC Energy, Inc.



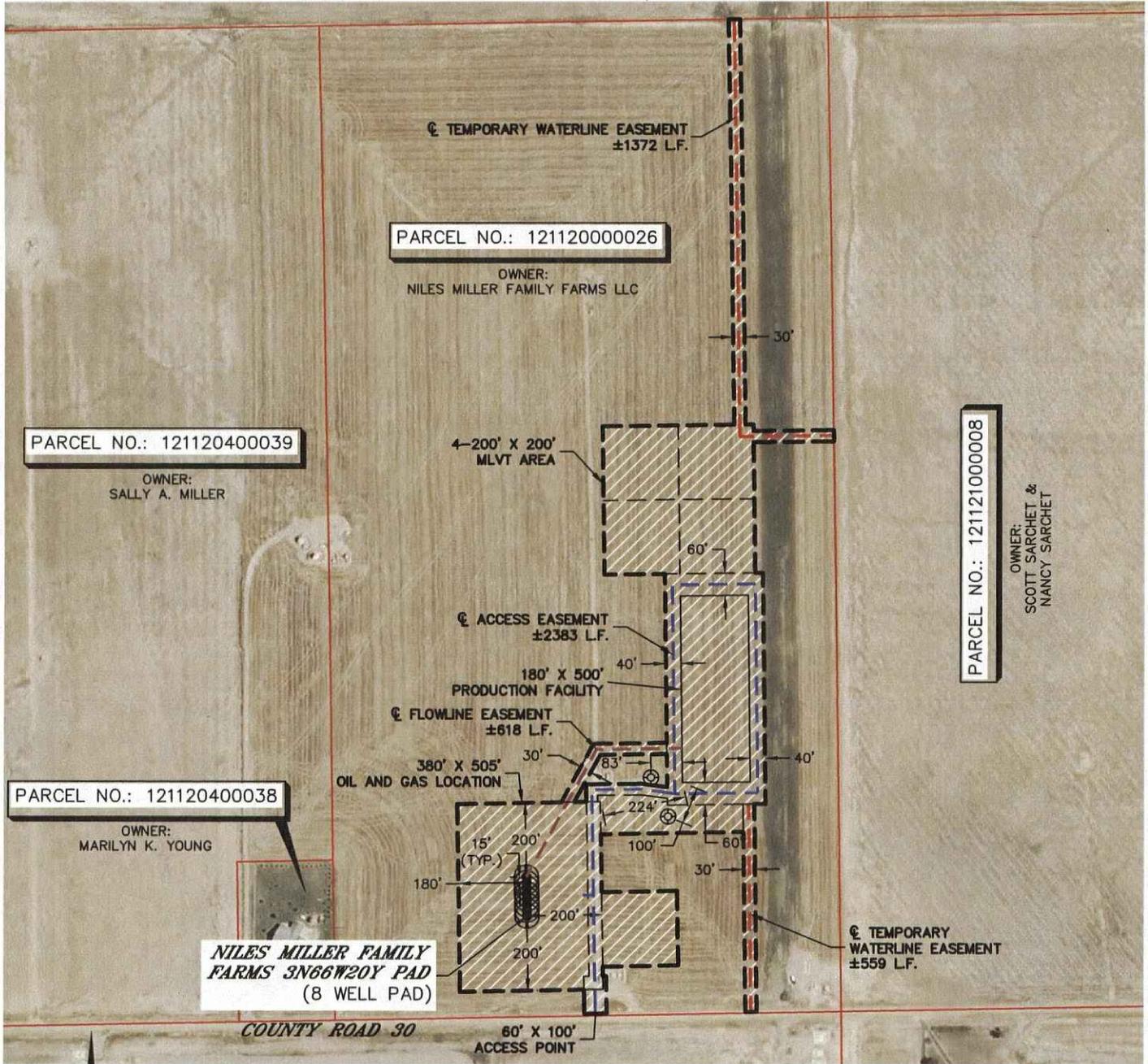
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Title: Vice President Land

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**NILES MILLER FAMILY FARMS 3N66W20Y PAD (8 WELL PAD)**

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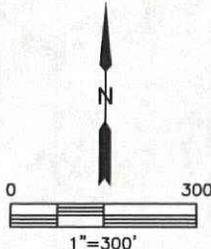
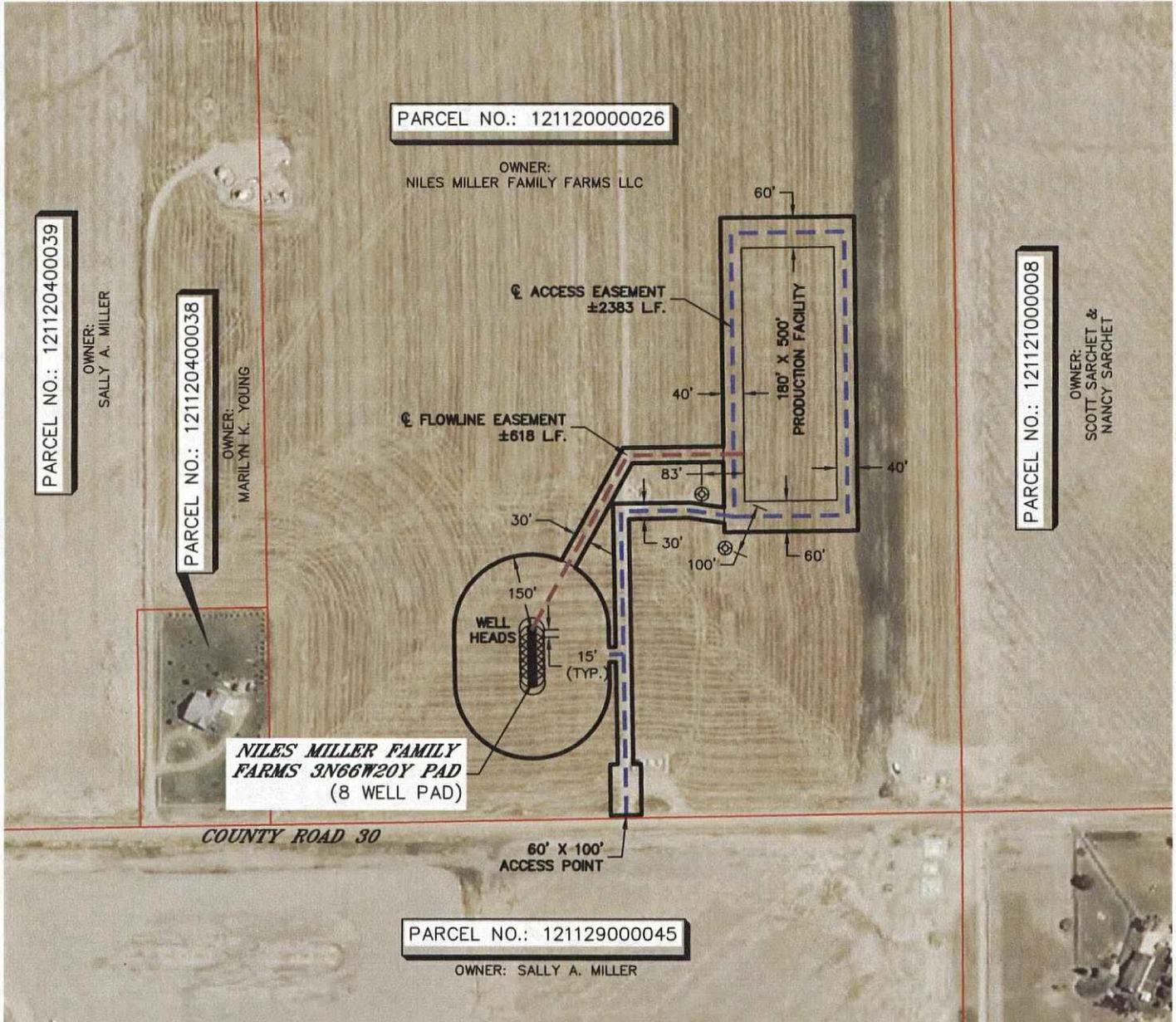
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**Exhibit B**  
**“Wells”**

Well Name(s): Niles Miller 20Y-401  
Niles Miller 20Y-241  
Niles Miller 20T-321  
Niles Miller 20T-221  
Niles Miller 20T-301  
Niles Miller 20T-241  
Niles Miller 20Q-321  
Niles Miller 20Q-221

**\*\*ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF PAYMENT\*\***

Payment is hereby acknowledged by the undersigned parties as signing consideration for a certain Surface Use Agreement dated October 30, 2015 covering the following lands:

Well Name:  
Township 3 North, Range 66 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.  
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PDC Energy Check No. 00241673 received this 30<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2015.

Niles Miller Family Farms, LLC

By: Dianne K. Brown  
Dianne Kay Brown, Manager

PAYEE: DETACH THIS STATEMENT BEFORE DEPOSITING

WARNING: DO NOT ACCEPT THIS DOCUMENT UNLESS YOU CAN SEE AN ARTIFICIAL WATERMARK ON THE REVERSE SIDE.



**PDC Energy**  
P.O. BOX 26  
BRIDGEPORT, WV 26330

**JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A.**  
Columbus, OH  
56-1544/441

CHECK NO.  
**00241673**

VOID AFTER 180 DAYS

DATE	AMOUNT
Oct-06-2015	**\$100.00*

PAY TO THE ORDER OF  
EXACTLY **\$100dols00cts**  
One Hundred Dollars Only

PAY TO  
THE  
ORDER  
OF

**Niles Miller Family Farms LLC**  
C/o Dianne Kay Brown  
1913 Goldenvue Dr  
Johnstown, CO 80534

**COPY**

Darin L. Steens  
V. P. Accounting Operations  
CFO

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HAND DELIVERED

Received By: Dianne K Brown  
Print Name: Dianne K Brown  
Date: 10 - 30 - 15

October 30, 2015

Niles Miller Family Farms, LLC  
Dianne Kay Brown, Manager  
1913 Goldenvue Drive  
Johnstown, CO 80534

RE: Thirty (30) Day Statutory Notice of Drilling Operations, COGCC Rule 305.f.  
**Niles Miller 20Y-401, Niles Miller 20Y-241, Niles Miller 20T-321, Niles Miller 20T-221, Niles Miller 20T-301, Niles Miller 20T-241, Niles Miller 20Q-321, Niles Miller 20Q-221**  
**Township 3 North, Range 66 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.**  
**Section 20: E/2SE/4**  
**Weld County, Colorado**

Dear Mrs. Brown,

In accordance with the requirement of Rule 305.f. of the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission (COGCC), this letter serves as notice by PDC Energy, Inc. (PDC) of its intention to conduct drilling operations with heavy equipment on the above-captioned wells not less than thirty (30) days from the date of this letter.

This notice is following up on our conversations and discussions regarding the location of this well site(s), access roads, production facilities, and other related matters. However, the location(s) may be staked prior to this notice as discussed in consultation.

Additionally, enclosed please find a copy of the COGCC's brochure describing surface owner rights and responsibilities, and a copy of the COGCC's on-site inspection policy.

As the surface owner, you have the responsibility for notifying any affected tenant farmer, lessee or other party that may own or have an interest in any crops or surface improvements that could be affected by these proposed operations.

A complete copy of the COGCC rules and policies is available at the following website: <http://cogcc.state.co.us/>.

Should you have any questions regarding our operations or this notice, please feel free to contact me at 970-556-2726.

Sincerely,

PDC Energy, Inc.  
Patrick J. Finley, Agent

**CONTRACT ROUTING FORM**

Date: 11/27/18

**Contract Summary:**

Campaign: Mt. Lindsey

Project Name/Land Owner: Niles Miller Family Farms, LLC

Associated Pad Name: Niles Miller / Sarchet

Landman/Requester: Brandon Mcbrann

Land Analyst: Kelly Reyes

Legal Review Required By: Matt Hartford

Contract Type/Name: Amendment of Surface Use Agreement

Legal Description: E/2 SE/4 sec 20, 3N, 66 W, Weld Co.

Special Instructions/Notes: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Approvals:**

Landman Initialed:  YES

Legal Initialed:  YES  N/A

Supervisor Initialed:  YES

**\*\*Please return contracts to Land Analyst after initialing\*\***

**Recording and Distribution:**

Recording Required:  YES  NO

Landman:  YES  NO

Landowner:  YES  NO  N/A

Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
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## AMENDMENT OF SURFACE USE AGREEMENT

This Amendment of Surface Use Agreement (“Amendment”) made this day 19 of November, 2018, is by and between Niles Miller Family Farms, LLC (“Owner”), whose address is 615 Lippitt Avenue, Johnstown, Colorado 80534 and Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP (“Company”), a Delaware limited partnership (“Company”), whose address is 1099 18<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 1800, Denver, Colorado 80202. Owner and Company may be referred to individually as a “Party” and collectively as the “Parties.”

### RECITALS

WHEREAS, by Surface Use Agreement dated October 30, 2015 (“Agreement”), a memorandum of which was recorded on December 1, 2015 at Reception No. 4161591 of the Records of the Weld County Clerk and Recorder’s Office, Owner conveyed to PDC Energy, Inc. (“PDC”) a right-of-way, easement, and subsurface easement on, over, under, across and through the following described lands in Weld County, Colorado (the “Property”):

Township 3 North, Range 66 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.  
Section 20: E/2SE/4  
Tax Parcel Number(s): 121120000026  
Weld County, Colorado

WHEREAS, Owner is informed that Company is a successor in interest of record to PDC under the Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Parties desire to amend the Agreement to allow for the development, production, and transportation of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons on the Property relating to certain wells located on lands not located on the Property or on lands pooled therewith;

WHEREAS, the Parties desire to amend the Agreement to replace the Exhibit “A” page 1 and 2 in its entirety with the new Exhibit “A” page 1 and 2, attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of TEN DOLLARS (\$10.00) and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, Owner and Company hereby agree to amend the Agreement as follows:

1. A new Section 2.1-A shall be added to the Agreement that provides as follows:

2.1-A In addition to the 8 wells authorized in Section 2.1 above, and without altering the provisions of Section 2.1, Owner hereby grants, demises and conveys to Company, and its designated agents, such use of the surface of the Property, such ingress, egress and access to, over and across the Property and such easements and rights-of-way on, over, under and across the Property as may be necessary or convenient for Company to develop, produce, and transport oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons for up to seven (7) oil and gas wells that are not located on the Property and either pooled or not pooled with the Property, *provided, however*, nothing herein shall be construed as altering, amending, or enlarging the scope of Company’s Operations within the OGOA or the Easements.



CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER )

The foregoing **AMENDMENT OF SURFACE USE AGREEMENT** was acknowledged before on ~~June~~ <sup>November</sup> 27, 2018, by Lindsay N. Jaffe, in her capacity as Agent and Attorney-in-Fact for Kerr-McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP, a Delaware limited partnership, on behalf of such partnership.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

My Commission Expires: Feb. 07, 2022

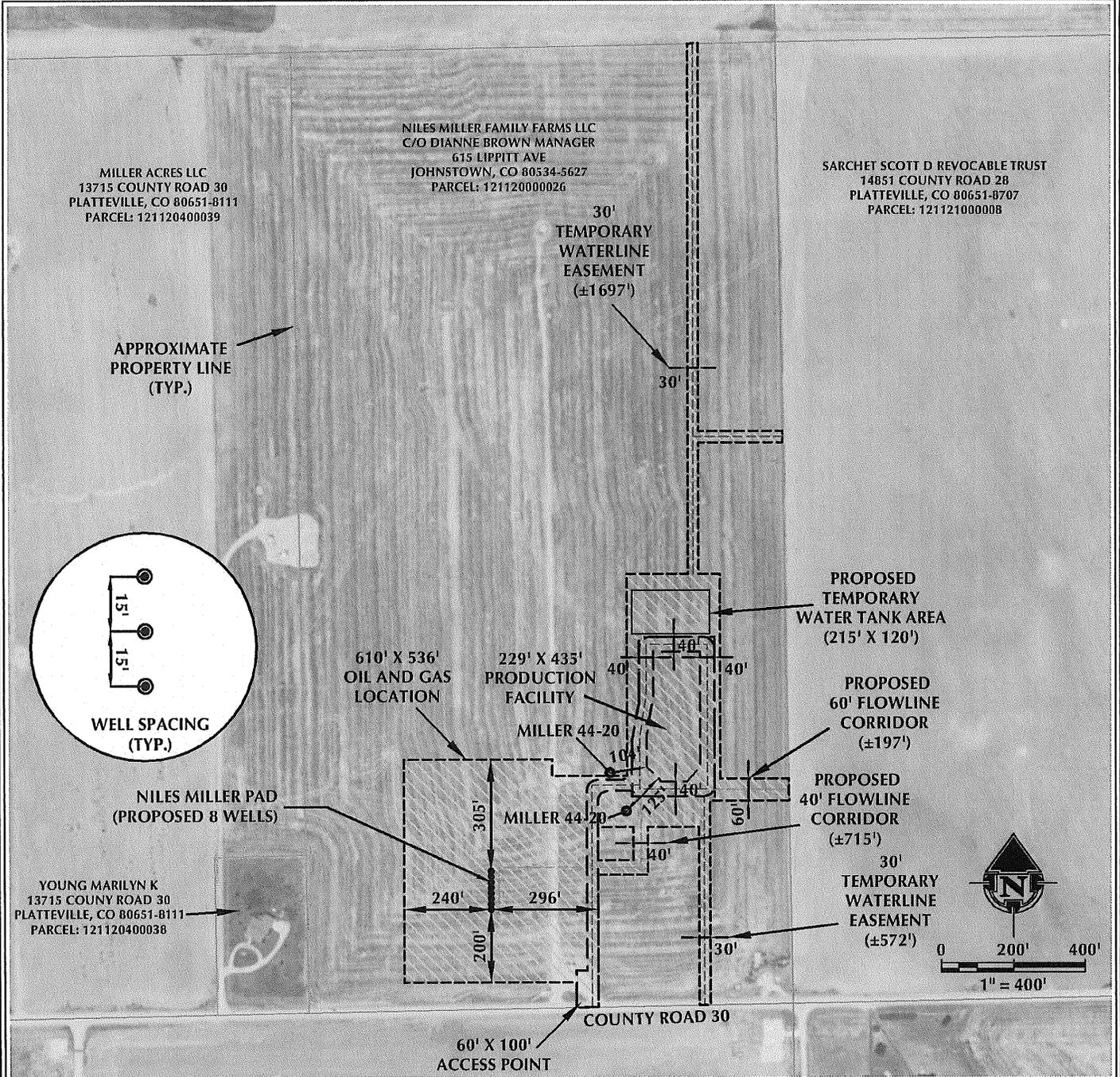
**BRANDON MCGRAW  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
STATE OF COLORADO  
NOTARY ID 20184006420  
COMMISSION EXPIRES FEB. 07, 2022**

  
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Notary Public

# EXHIBIT "A"

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E1/2 SE1/4 SECTION 20, TOWNSHIP 3 NORTH, RANGE 66 WEST, 6TH P.M.



## LEGEND

- OIL AND GAS OPERATIONS AREA ("OGO") ±13.78 ACRES
- EXISTING WELL
- PROPOSED WELL
- APPROXIMATE CENTERLINE ACCESS EASEMENT
- APPROXIMATE CENTERLINE FLOWLINE EASEMENT
- APPROXIMATE CENTERLINE TEMPORARY WATERLINE EASEMENT



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DATE SURVEYED: N/A

DATE: 8/21/18

DRAFTER: CDR

REVISED: 8/27/18

DATA SOURCES:

- AERIAL COURTESY OF ESRI, INC.

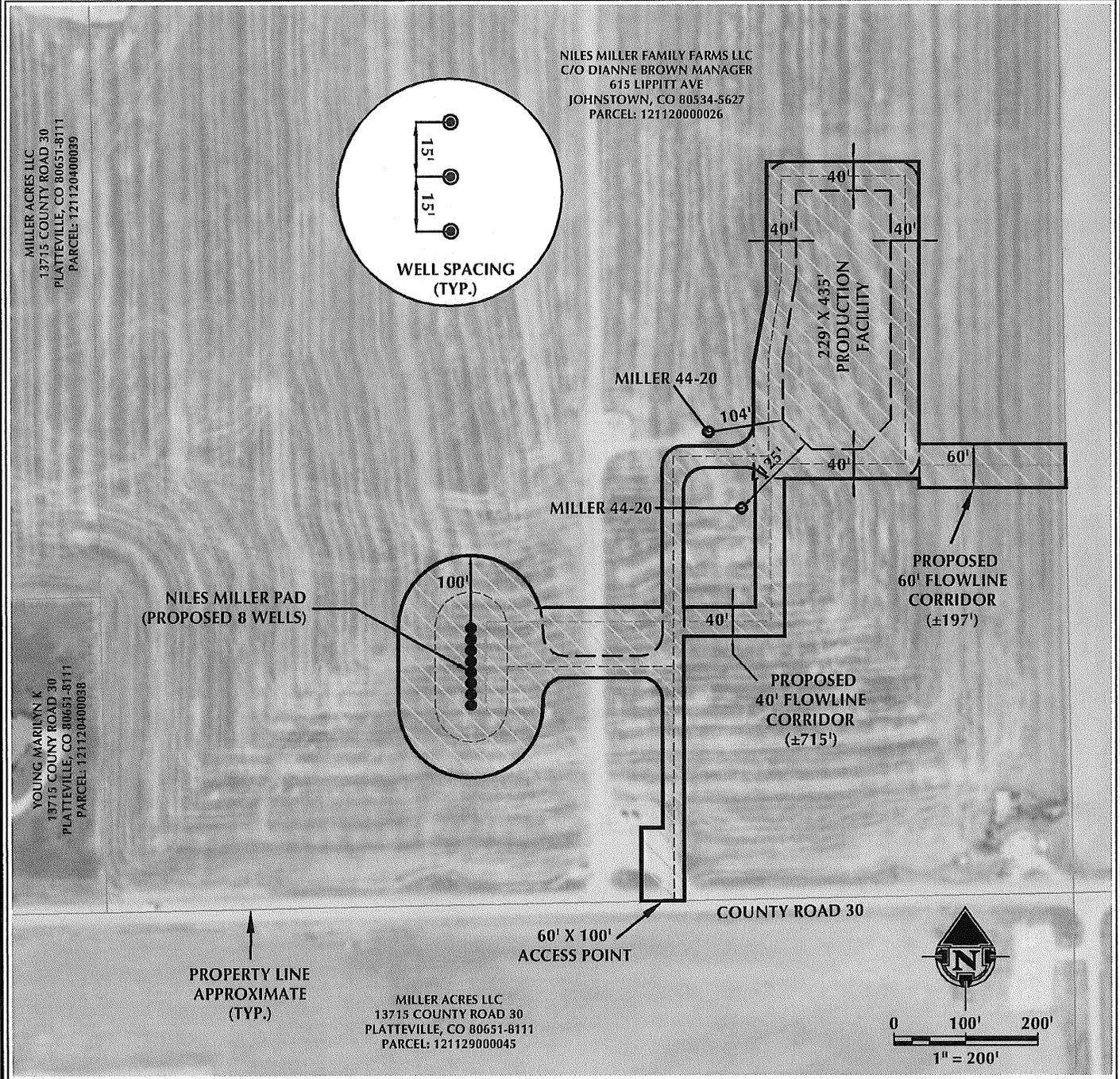
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E1/2 SE1/4 SECTION 20, TOWNSHIP 3 NORTH, RANGE 66 WEST, 6TH P.M.



## LEGEND

- PERMANENT DISTURBANCE (±4.9 ACRES)
- EXISTING WELL
- PROPOSED WELL
- APPROXIMATE CENTERLINE ACCESS EASEMENT
- APPROXIMATE CENTERLINE FLOWLINE EASEMENT



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