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State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO

☒ Drill ☐ Deepen ☐ Re-enter ☐ Recomplete and Operate

Amend ☐

TYPE OF WELL OIL ☐ GAS ☒ COALBED ☐ OTHER: _____

Refill ☐

ZONE TYPE SINGLE ZONE ☐ MULTIPLE ZONES ☒ COMMINGLE ZONES ☒

Sidetrack ☐

Well Name: FEDERAL

Well Number: RG 14-18-297

Name of Operator: TEP ROCKY MOUNTAIN LLC

COGCC Operator Number: 96850

Address: 1058 COUNTY ROAD 215

City: PARACHUTE

State: CO

Zip: 81635

Contact Name: Jeff Kirtland

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FINANCIAL ASSURANCE FOR PLUGGING, ABANDONMENT, AND RECLAMATION

COGCC Financial Assurance

☐ The Operator has provided or will provide Financial Assurance to the COGCC for this Well.

Surety ID Number (if applicable): _____

Federal Financial Assurance

☒ In checking this box, the Operator certifies that it has provided or will provide at least this amount of Financial Assurance to the federal government for this Well. (Per Rule702.a.)

Amount of Federal Financial Assurance \$ 655000

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

Surface Location

QtrQtr: LOT 12 Sec: 13 Twp: 2S Rng: 98W Meridian: 6

Footage at Surface: 946 Feet FNL/FSL FSL 1068 Feet FEL/FWL FEL

Latitude: 39.871781

Longitude: -108.337921

GPS Data:

GPS Quality Value: 1.6

Type of GPS Quality Value: PDOP

Date of Measurement: 07/21/2021

Ground Elevation: 6667

Field Name: SULPHUR CREEK

Field Number: 80090

Well Plan: is ☒ Directional ☐ Horizontal (highly deviated) ☐ Vertical

If Well plan is Directional or Horizontal attach Deviated Drilling Plan and Directional Data.

Subsurface Locations

Top of Productive Zone (TPZ)

Sec: 18 Twp: 2S Rng: 97W

Footage at TPZ: 901 FSL 1018 FWL

Measured Depth of TPZ: 6749

True Vertical Depth of TPZ: 6487 FNL/FSL FEL/FWL

Base of Productive Zone (BPZ)

Sec: 18 Twp: 2S Rng: 97W Footage at BPZ: 901 FSL 1018 FWL
Measured Depth of BPZ: 12084 True Vertical Depth of BPZ: 11787 FNL/FSL FEL/FWL

Bottom Hole Location (BHL)

Sec: 18 Twp: 2S Rng: 97W Footage at BHL: 901 FSL 1018 FWL
FNL/FSL FEL/FWL

LOCAL GOVERNMENT PERMITTING INFORMATION

County: RIO BLANCO Municipality: N/A

Is the Surface Location of this Well in an area designated as one of State interest and subject to the requirements of § 24-65.1-108 C.R.S.? No

Per § 34-60-106(1)(f)(I)(A) C.R.S., the following questions pertain to the Relevant Local Government approval of the siting of the proposed Oil and Gas Location.

SB 19-181 provides that when "applying for a permit to drill," operators must include proof that they sought a local government siting permit and the disposition of that permit application, or that the local government does not have siting regulations. § 34-60-106(1)(f)(I)(A) C.R.S.

Does the Relevant Local Government regulate the siting of Oil and Gas Locations, with respect to this Location? ☒ Yes ☐ No

☒ If yes, in checking this box, I hereby certify that an application has been filed with the local government with jurisdiction to approve the siting of the proposed oil and gas location.

The disposition of the application filed with the Relevant Local Government is: Approved Date of Final Disposition: 04/29/2022

Comments: Rio Blanco County Oil or Gas Well Pad Special Use/Building Permit: COGW-0002-22

SURFACE AND MINERAL OWNERSHIP AT WELL'S OIL & GAS LOCATION

Surface Owner of the land at this Well's Oil and Gas Location: ☐ Fee ☐ State ☒ Federal ☐ Indian

Mineral Owner beneath this Well's Oil and Gas Location: ☐ Fee ☐ State ☒ Federal ☐ Indian

Surface Owner Protection Bond (if applicable): _____ Surety ID Number (if applicable): _____

MINERALS DEVELOPED BY WELL

The ownership of all the minerals that will be developed by this Well is (check all that apply):

- ☐ Fee
☐ State
☒ Federal
☐ Indian
☐ N/A

LEASE INFORMATION

Using standard QtrQtr, Section, Township, Range format describe one entire mineral lease as follows:

* If this Well is within a unit, describe a lease that will be developed by the Well.

* If this Well is not subject to a unit, describe the lease that will be produced by the Well.

(Attach a Lease Map or Lease Description or Lease if necessary.)

T2S-R97W
SEC 18: S2NE4, E2W2, SE4, LOTS 1-4
T2S-R98W
SEC 12: N2SW4, S2NW4, SW4NE4, NE4NW4, LOTS 17-20
SEC 13: LOTS 1-12, SW4
SEC 14: E2SE4, LOTS 1, 8
SEC 23: E2NE4, N2SE4, SW4NE4
SEC 24: N2, N2S2

Total Acres in Described Lease: 2371 Described Mineral Lease is: ☐ Fee ☐ State ☒ Federal ☐ Indian

Federal or State Lease # COC0003453

SAFETY SETBACK INFORMATION

Distance from Well to nearest:

Building: 5280 Feet
Building Unit: 5280 Feet
Public Road: 4831 Feet
Above Ground Utility: 5114 Feet
Railroad: 5280 Feet
Property Line: 4958 Feet

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Specify all distances per Rule 308.b.(1).
- Enter 5280 for distance greater than 1 mile.
- Building - nearest building of any type. If nearest Building is a Building Unit, enter same distance for both.
- Building Unit – as defined in 100 Series Rules.

OBJECTIVE FORMATIONS

Objective Formation(s)	Formation Code	Spacing Order Number(s)	Unit Acreage Assigned to Well	Unit Configuration (N/2, SE/4, etc.)
ILES	ILES	1-229		
WILLIAMS FORK	WMFK	1-229		

Federal or State Unit Name (if appl): _____

Unit Number: _____

SUBSURFACE MINERAL SETBACKS

Enter 5280 for distance greater than 1 mile.

Is this Well within a unit? No

If YES:

Enter the minimum distance from the Completed Zone of this Well to the Unit Boundary: _____ Feet

Enter the minimum distance from the Completed Zone of this Well to the Completed Zone of an offset Well within the same unit permitted or completed in the same formation: _____ Feet

If NO:

Enter the minimum distance from the Completed Zone of this Well to the Lease Line of the described lease: 901 Feet

Enter the minimum distance from the Completed Zone of this Well to the Completed Zone of an offset Well producing from the same lease and permitted or completed in the same formation: 349 Feet

Exception Location

☐ If this Well requires the approval of a Rule 401.c Exception Location, enter the Rule or spacing order number and attach the Exception Location Request and Waivers. _____

SPACING & FORMATIONS COMMENTS

DRILLING PROGRAM

Proposed Total Measured Depth: 12084 Feet

TVD at Proposed Total Measured Depth 11787 Feet

Distance from the proposed wellbore to nearest existing or proposed wellbore belonging to another operator, including plugged wells:

Enter distance if less than or equal to 1,500 feet: 331 Feet ☐ No well belonging to another operator within 1,500 feet

Will a closed-loop drilling system be used? Yes

Is H₂S gas reasonably expected to be encountered during drilling operations at concentrations greater than

or equal to 100 ppm? No If yes, attach an H₂S Drilling Plan unless a plan was already submitted with the Form 2A per Rule 304.c.(10).

Will there be hydraulic fracture treatment at a depth less than 2,000 feet in this well? No

Will salt sections be encountered during drilling? No

Will salt based (>15,000 ppm Cl) drilling fluids be used? No

Will oil based drilling fluids be used? No

BOP Equipment Type: ☒ Annular Preventor ☒ Double Ram ☒ Rotating Head ☐ None

Beneficial reuse or land application plan submitted? No

Reuse Facility ID: _____ or Document Number: _____

CASING PROGRAM

Casing Type	Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Grade	Wt/Ft	Csg/Liner Top	Setting Depth	Sacks Cmt	Cmt Btm	Cmt Top
CONDUCTOR	30	20	X-65	78.67	0	80	230	80	0
SURF	17+1/2	13+3/8	J-55	54.5	0	1357	443	1357	0
1ST	12+1/4	9+5/8	J-55	36	0	3082	154	3082	2082
2ND	8+3/4	4+1/2	P-110	11.6	0	12084	992	12084	6549

☐ Conductor Casing is NOT planned

POTENTIAL FLOW AND CONFINING FORMATIONS

Zone Type	Formation /Hazard	Top M.D.	Top T.V.D.	Bottom M.D.	Bottom T.V.D.	TDS (mg/L)	Data Source	Comment
Groundwater	UINTA	30	30	887	880	501-1000	Produced Water Sample	
Groundwater	GRRV	887	880	1043	1030	501-1000	Produced Water Sample	
Subsurface Hazard	GRRV A GROOVE	1043	1030	1242	1220			
Subsurface Hazard	GRRV B GROOVE	1242	1220	1566	1530			
Subsurface Hazard	GRRV DISSOLUTION SURF	1566	1530	2287	2220			Potential Loss Zone
Confining Layer	GARDEN GULCH	2287	2220	2476	2400			
Confining Layer	GRRV ORANGE	2476	2400	2559	2480			
Confining Layer	U WASATCH	2559	2480	4776	4600			
Hydrocarbon	G SAND	4776	4600	5210	5015			Potential Loss Zone/Non-Productive Zone
Hydrocarbon	FT UNION	5210	5015	6031	5800			
Confining Layer	L WASATCH	6031	5800	6749	6487			
Hydrocarbon	OHIO CREEK	6749	6487	7498	7207			
Hydrocarbon	U MESAVERDE	7498	7207	8304	8007			
Hydrocarbon	KMVGAS	8304	8007	9874	9577			
Hydrocarbon	CAMEO	9874	9577	10604	10307			
Hydrocarbon	ROLLINS	10604	10307	10754	10457			
Hydrocarbon	COZZETTE	10754	10457	11079	10782			
Hydrocarbon	CORCORAN	11079	10782	11339	11042			
Hydrocarbon	UPPER SEGO	11339	11042	11584	11287			
Hydrocarbon	LOWER SEGO	11584	11287	12084	11787			

OPERATOR COMMENTS AND SUBMITTAL

Comments: Nearest permitted or completed well in same formation: Federal RG 314-18-297 (Doc #402988838).

The Federal OG Colo 03453 # 9 well (05-103-05161) was used for the distance from the proposed wellbore to nearest existing or proposed wellbore belonging to another operator (AC Report).

OGDP Application (Docket #220500097) and Form 2A (Doc #402932454) approved on 09/21/2022.

This application is in a Comprehensive Area Plan No CAP #: _____

Oil and Gas Development Plan Name Ryan Gulch Phase 2 OGDP ID#: 482485

Location ID: 315513

I hereby certify all statements made in this form are, to the best of my knowledge, true, correct, and complete.

Signed: _____

Print Name: Melissa Luke

Title: Regulatory Specialist

Date: 9/25/2022

Email: mluke@terraep.com

Operator must have a valid water right or permit allowing for industrial use or purchased water from a seller that has a valid water right or permit allowing for industrial use, otherwise an application for a change in type of use is required under Colorado law. Operator must also use the water in the location set forth in the water right decree or well permit, otherwise an application for a change in place of use is required under Colorado law. Section 37-92-103(5), C.R.S. (2011).

Based on the information provided herein, this Application for Permit-to-Drill complies with COGCC Rules, applicable orders, and SB 19-181 and is hereby approved.

COGCC Approved: _____

Director of COGCC

Date: 11/9/2022

Expiration Date: 09/06/2025

API NUMBER

05 103 12576 00

Conditions Of Approval

All representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in the Form 2A for this location shall constitute representations, stipulations and conditions of approval for this Form 2 Permit-to-Drill and are enforceable to the same extent as all other representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in this Permit-to-Drill.

COA Type

Description

Drilling/Completion Operations	1)Operator shall comply with the most current revision of the Northwest Colorado Notification Policy. See attached notice. 2)Operator shall provide cement coverage from the production casing shoe (4+1/2" SECOND STRING) to a minimum of 200' above all Mesa Verde Group (and Ohio Creek Formation, if present) oil, gas, and water-bearing sandstone and coalbed formations. Verify production casing cement coverage with cement bond log.
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1 COA

Best Management Practices

No BMP/COA Type

Description

1 Drilling/Completion Operations	Alternative Logging Program: One of the first wells drilled on this pad will be logged with an open-hole resistivity log with gamma-ray, from TD into the 9 5/8" casing shoe. All wells on the pad will have a cement bond log (CBL) with gamma-ray run on production casing (or on intermediate casing if production liner is run) into the surface casing. The Form 5, Completion Report, for each well on the pad will list all logs run and have those logs attached. The Form 5 for a well without open-hole logs will state "Alternative Logging Program - No open-hole logs were run" and will clearly identify the type of log and the well (by API#) in which open-hole logs were run.
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Total: 1 comment(s)

Attachment List

Att Doc Num

Name

402988819	FORM 2 SUBMITTED
403045743	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN

403045744	DIRECTIONAL DATA
403045746	WELL LOCATION PLAT
403052671	OffsetWellEvaluations Data
403212880	OffsetWellEvaluations Data
403223727	OFFSET WELL EVALUATION

Total Attach: 7 Files

General Comments

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>
Permit	Final Review Completed.	11/04/2022
Engineer	<p>Offset water well check: There are no permitted domestic water wells within one mile of this proposed surface hole location.</p> <p>Offset Well Evaluation: Existing offset oil and gas wells within 1,500 feet of this wellbore meet standards. No mitigation required.</p> <p>An Intermediate casing is used by the Operator due to geologic wellbore conditions pertaining to losses</p> <p>Contacted Operator and uploaded a revised Offset Well Evaluation</p>	10/31/2022
Permit	Passed Permitting review	10/06/2022
Permit	Added Federal Financial Assurance amount per operator Corrected well name of closest wellbore belonging to another operator on Submit tab	10/05/2022
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OGLA	The Commission approved OGDG #482485 on September 7, 2022 for the Oil and Gas Location related to this Form 2. OGLA task passed.	09/29/2022

Total: 6 comment(s)