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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: Broe

Well Number: 05N

Name of Operator: PDC ENERGY INC

COGCC Operator Number: 69175

Address: 1775 SHERMAN STREET - STE 3000

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80203

Contact Name: Jessica Johannsen

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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): 20160047

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 \$ _____

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

Surface Location

QtrQtr: NENW Sec: 35 Twp: 6N Rng: 67W Meridian: 6

Footage at Surface: 105 Feet FNL/FSL 1737 Feet FEL/FWL

Latitude: 40.450408 Longitude: -104.864097

GPS Data: GPS Quality Value: 1.8 Type of GPS Quality Value: PDOP

Date of Measurement: 08/31/2020

Ground Elevation: 4741

Field Name: WATTENBERG

Field Number: 90750

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: 35 Twp: 6N Rng: 67W

Footage at TPZ: 1285 FNL 2714 FWL

Measured Depth of TPZ: 7741

True Vertical Depth of TPZ: 6990

FNL/FSL

FEL/FWL

Base of Productive Zone (BPZ)Sec: 34 Twp: 6N Rng: 67WFootage at BPZ: 1393 FNL 150 FWLMeasured Depth of BPZ: 15551True Vertical Depth of BPZ: 6990 FNL/FSL FEL/FWL**Bottom Hole Location (BHL)**Sec: 34 Twp: 6N Rng: 67WFootage at BHL: 1393 FNL 150 FWLFNL/FSLFEL/FWL**LOCAL GOVERNMENT PERMITTING INFORMATION**County: WELDMunicipality: 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.? Yes

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: 03/04/2021Comments: 1041WOGLA20-0084**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 ☐ IndianMineral 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.)

Township 6 North, Range 67 West, 6th P.M.
Section 35: SW/4, S/2NW/4

Total Acres in Described Lease: 211

Described Mineral Lease is: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian

Federal or State Lease # _____

SAFETY SETBACK INFORMATION

Distance from Well to nearest:

Building: 977 Feet
Building Unit: 1188 Feet
Public Road: 598 Feet
Above Ground Utility: 854 Feet
Railroad: 501 Feet
Property Line: 635 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.)
NIOBRARA	NBRR	407-3417	942	Sec 34: All, Sec 35: W2

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? Yes

If YES:

Enter the minimum distance from the Completed Zone of this Well to the Unit Boundary: 150 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: 243 Feet

If NO:

Enter the minimum distance from the Completed Zone of this Well to the Lease Line of the described lease: _____ 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: _____ 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: 15551 Feet

TVD at Proposed Total Measured Depth 6990 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: 102 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? Yes

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
SURF	13+1/2	9+5/8	J-55	36	0	1600	630	1600	0
1ST	8+1/2	5+1/2	P-110	20	0	15551	2909	15551	2400

☒ 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	Fox Hills Sandstone	0	0	575	575	1001-10000	Other	COGCC UPWQ Study
Confining Layer	Pierre Shale	575	575	650	650			
Groundwater	UPIR/Pawnee Aquifer	650	650	1105	1105	1001-10000	Other	COGCC UPWQ Study
Confining Layer	Pierre Shale	1105	1105	3445	3445			
Hydrocarbon	Parkman	3445	3445	3745	3745			
Confining Layer	Pierre Shale	3745	3745	3964	3964			
Hydrocarbon	Sussex	3964	3964	4220	4220			
Confining Layer	Pierre SHale	4220	4220	4533	4533			
Hydrocarbon	Shannon	4533	4533	4603	4603			
Confining Layer	Pierre Shale	4603	4603	7018	6725			
Subsurface Hazard	Sharon Springs Shale	7018	6725	7065	6760			
Hydrocarbon	Niobrara	7661	6990	15551	6990			

OPERATOR COMMENTS AND SUBMITTAL

Comments

The distance to the completed portion of the nearest well on the "Spacing and Formations" tab was measured to the Broe 04N (Doc# 403240224) . The distance to the nearest wellbore belonging to another operator on the "Drilling Plan" tab was measured to the plugged and abandoned Kodak 34-25 (05-123-23959). Both distances were measured via attached anti-collision plan.

The subject well will have a treated interval less than 175' from the treated interval of the below listed wells owned by Kerr-McGee. All distances were measured using the attached anti-collision report. No stimulation setback consent is required.

Kodak 34-15 (05-123-23932), 163, SI
Kodak 34-25 (05-123-23959), 102, P&A

This application is in a Comprehensive Area Plan No CAP #: _____
Oil and Gas Development Plan Name Broe FD Pad OGDID #: 481107
Location ID: 482559

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

Signed: _____ Print Name: Ally Ota

Title: Regulatory Analyst Date: 12/15/2022 Email: alexandria.ota@pdce.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: 1/4/2023

Expiration Date: 06/28/2025

API NUMBER

05 123 51968 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.

<u>COA Type</u>	<u>Description</u>
Drilling/Completion Operations	<p>Per COGCC Order 1-232, Bradenhead tests shall be performed according to the following schedule and Form 17 submitted within 10 days of each test:</p> <p>1) Within 60 days of rig release, prior to stimulation. If any pressure greater than 200 psi, must contact COGCC engineer prior to stimulation.</p> <p>2) If a delayed completion, a second test is required between 6-9 months, or if there is pressure above 200 psi, after rig release and prior to stimulation. If any pressure greater than 200 psi, must contact COGCC engineer prior to stimulation.</p> <p>3) A post-production test within 60 days after first sales, as reported on the Form 10, Certificate of Clearance.</p>
Drilling/Completion Operations	<p>1) Submit Form 42 electronically to COGCC 2 business days prior to MIRU (Spud Notice), for the first well/activity on the pad and provide 2 business days spud notice for all subsequent wells drilled on the pad.</p> <p>2) Comply with Rule 408.j and provide cement coverage from the end of production casing to a minimum of 500' above Niobrara. Verify coverage with cement bond log.</p> <p>3) Oil-based drilling fluid is to be used only after all aquifers are covered.</p>
Drilling/Completion Operations	<p>Operator acknowledges the proximity of the listed wells: Operator agrees to: provide mitigation option 4 (per the DJ Basin Horizontal Offset Policy) to mitigate the situation, ensure all applicable documentation is submitted based on the selected mitigation option chosen, and submit a Form 42 ("OFFSET MITIGATION COMPLETED") for the remediated wells, referencing the API number of the proposed horizontal well(s) stating what appropriate mitigation occurred and that it has been completed, prior to the hydraulic stimulation of this well.</p> <p>Rancho Water Valley 11 7-7-33-270-6-CH (API NO 123-36428) Rancho Water Valley 6 (API NO 123-36433) Rancho Water Valley 13 7-6-33-270-6-CH (API NO 123-36426) Rancho Water Valley 12 (API NO 123-36430) Kodak South FD 25-280HNX (API NO 123-40804)</p>
Drilling/Completion Operations	<p>Operator acknowledges the proximity of the following non-operated listed wells: Operator agrees to: provide mitigation option 1 or 2 (per the DJ Basin Horizontal Offset Policy) to mitigate the situation, ensure all applicable documentation is submitted based on the selected mitigation option chosen, and submit a Form 42 ("OFFSET MITIGATION COMPLETED") for the remediated wells, referencing the API number of the proposed horizontal well(s) stating what appropriate mitigation occurred and that it has been completed, prior to the hydraulic stimulation of this well.</p> <p>Kodak 34-35 (API NO 123-23931) HSR-Knox 4-3 (API NO 123-19090)</p>
4 COAs	

Best Management Practices

<u>No</u>	<u>BMP/COA Type</u>	<u>Description</u>
1	Drilling/Completion Operations	Operator will perform an anti-collision evaluation of all active (producing, shut in, or temporarily abandoned) offset wellbores that have the potential of being within 150 feet of a proposed well prior to drilling operations for the proposed well. Notice shall be given to all offset operators prior to drilling.
2	Drilling/Completion Operations	OPEN HOLE LOGGING EXCEPTION: One of the first wells drilled on the pad will be logged with cased-hole neutron log with gamma ray log from the kick-off point into the surface casing. All wells on the pad will have a cement bond log with gamma-ray run on production casing (or on intermediate casing if production liner is run) into the surface casing. The horizontal portion of every well will be logged with a measured-while-drilling gamma-ray log. The Form 5, Completion Report, for each well on the pad will list all logs run in that well and have those logs attached. The Form 5 for each well shall state "Open Hole Logging Exception - No open-hole logs were run" and shall clearly identify the type of log and the well (by API #) in which open-hole logs were run.

Total: 2 comment(s)

Attachment List

<u>Att Doc Num</u>	<u>Name</u>
403240255	FORM 2 SUBMITTED
403242725	OffsetWellEvaluations Data
403250840	WELL LOCATION PLAT
403250846	OPEN HOLE LOGGING EXCEPTION
403250849	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN
403250852	DIRECTIONAL DATA
403280230	OFFSET WELL EVALUATION

Total Attach: 7 Files

General Comments

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>
Permit	Final Review Completed.	12/29/2022
Engineer	Offset Wells Evaluated.	12/20/2022
OGLA	The Commission approved OGDG #481107 on June 29, 2022 for the Oil and Gas Location related to this Form 2. OGLA task passed.	12/16/2022

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