BEFORE THE OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF ALLEGED VIOLATIONS OF	)	CAUSE NO. 1V
THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE	)	
COLORADO OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION	)	DOCKET NO. 1310-OV-42
COMMISSION BY **HILCORP ENERGY COMPANY**,	)	
EL PASO COUNTY, COLORADO	)	

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Pursuant to Rule 522.c., the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission ("Commission" or "COGCC") Staff will apply to the Commission at its October 28-29, 2013 hearing for an Order Finding Violation ("OFV") against Hilcorp Energy Company ("Hilcorp") (Operator Number 10133).

Hilcorp (Operator Number 10133) is the operator of the Myers #21-06CH Well ("Well") (API Number 05-041-06072) in El Paso County Colorado.

On May 17, 2012, Commission staff approved Hilcorp's Form 2A – Location Assessment for the Well (Document # 400255682). A condition of approval for the Well included: "[t]he operator will conduct baseline sampling of (at a minimum) the two (2) closest water wells."

On November 18, 2012, Hilcorp spud the Well.

On December 21, 2012, COGCC staff received a complaint from the surface owner of the well's location (COGCC Document# 200372387). The complainant alleged that Hilcorp had not conducted baseline sampling prior to Well spud as required by the Form 2A.

On October 1, 2013, Commission Staff issued a Notice of Alleged Violation ("NOAV") (No. 200387086) to Hilcorp for a violation of Rule 305.d. of the COGCC Rules of Practice and Procedure, 2 CCR 404-1 ("Rule" or "Rules").

COGCC staff requests that Hilcorp be found in violation of rule cited above and assessed a penalty pursuant to Rule 523.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to: 1) the general jurisdiction granted to the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission of the State of Colorado (Commission) under § 34-60-105 C.R.S.; 2) specific powers granted pursuant to § 34-60-106 C.R.S.; 3) the Colorado Administrative Procedures Act at § 24-4-105 C.R.S.; and 4) the Commission's Series 500 Rules at 2CCR 404-1, that the Commission has scheduled the above-entitled matter for hearing on:

Date: Monday, October 28, 2013
               Tuesday, October 29, 2013

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Place: Limon Community Building
               477 D. Avenue
               Limon, CO 80826

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if any party requires special accommodations as a result of a disability for this hearing, please contact Margaret Humecki at (303) 894-2100 ext. 5139, prior to the hearing and arrangements will be made.

Pursuant to said hearing in the above-entitled matter at the time and place aforesaid, or at any adjourned meeting, the Commission will enter such orders as it deems appropriate to protect the health, safety and welfare of the public and to prevent the waste of oil and gas, either or both, in the operations of said field, and to carry out the purposes of the statute.

In accordance with Rule 509., any interested party desiring to protest the granting of the application or to intervene on the application should file with the Commission a written protest or intervention no later than October 11, 2013, briefly stating the basis of the protest or intervention. Such interested party shall, at the same time, serve a copy of the protest or intervention to the person filing the application. An electronic version, an original and two copies shall be filed with the Commission.   Anyone who files a protest or intervention must be able to participate in a prehearing conference during the week of October 15, 2013. Pursuant to Rule 503.g., if a party who has received notice under Rule 503.b. wishes to receive further pleadings in the above-referenced matter, that party must file a protest or intervention in accordance with these rules.

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

By _____
       Robert J. Frick, Secretary

Dated: October 1, 2013
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