

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF URSA) CAUSE NO. 191
OPERATING COMPANY, LLC FOR AN ORDER TO)
AFFIRM ORDER NO. 191-94 AS TO PREVIOUSLY) DOCKET NO. 1401-UP-17
UNNOTICED PARTIES FOR SECTIONS 11 AND)
14, TOWNSHIP 6 SOUTH, RANGE 92 WEST, 6TH)
P.M., FOR THE WILLIAMS FORK FORMATION,)
MAMM CREEK FIELD AND GRAND VALLEY)
FIELD, GARFIELD COUNTY, COLORADO)

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

On May 29, 2012, the Commission entered Order No. 191-94, an application by Antero Resources Piceance Corporation ("Antero") which established an approximate 640-acre exploratory drilling and spacing unit and pooled all interests for the development and operation of the Williams Fork Formation. The drilling and spacing overlays existing drilling and spacing units established for vertical wells. The W $\frac{1}{2}$ of Sections 11 and 14, Township 6 South, Range 92 West, 6th P.M. are subject to this Order for the Williams Fork Formation.

Subsequent to the entry of Order No. 191-94, Ursa Operating Company LLC ("Ursa" or "Applicant"), learned of additional mineral interest owners within the approximate 640-acre unit subject to Order No. 191-94, to whom a copy of the Application and Notice, as well as an AFE and offer to lease and/or participate in the Valley Farms F-1H Well (API No. 05-045-18286) ("Well") had not been provided. Applicant has sent an appropriate offer to lease or participate, and an AFE containing the required information under Rule 530.a., to the previously unnoticed interested parties.

On November 26, 2013, Ursa Operating Company LLC ("Ursa" or "Applicant"), by its attorneys, filed with the Commission pursuant to §34-60-116, C.R.S., a verified application ("Application") for an order to affirm Order No. 191-94 as to all interests, including previously unnoticed interests, in an approximate 640-acre exploratory drilling and spacing unit established for the below-described lands ("Application Lands"), for the development and operation of the Williams Fork Formation, effective as of the date that any of the costs specified in §34-60-116(7)(b)(II), C.R.S. were first incurred for the drilling of Valley Farms F-1H Well and to subject any nonconsenting interests to the cost recovery provisions of C.R.S. §34-60-116(7):

Township 6 South, Range 92 West, 6th P.M.
Section 11: W $\frac{1}{2}$
Section 14: W $\frac{1}{2}$

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

Date: Monday, January 27, 2014

Tuesday, January 28, 2014

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Place: Centennial Building
1313 Sherman Street, Room 318
Denver, Colorado 80203

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 January 10, 2014, 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. One electronic (cogcc.hearings_unit@state.co.us), one 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 January 13, 2014.** 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 accordance with the practices of the Commission, should no protests or interventions be filed in this matter by **January 10, 2014, the Applicant may request that an administrative hearing be scheduled beginning January 13, 2014.** In the alternative, pursuant to Rule 511., if the matter is uncontested, the applicant may request, and the Director may recommend approval on the basis of the merits of the verified application and the supporting exhibits.

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By 
Robert J. Frick, Secretary

Dated: December 23, 2013

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