

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE PROMULGATION AND) CAUSE NO. 535
ESTABLISHMENT OF FIELD RULES TO GOVERN)
OPERATIONS FOR THE NIOBRARA) DOCKET NO. 1407-SP-2099
FORMATION, WATTENBERG FIELD, WELD)
COUNTY, COLORADO)

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

APPLICATION LANDS

Township 7 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M.

Section 1: All

Section 2: All

Section 11: All

APPLICATION

On May 29, 2014, Red Hawk Petroleum, LLC ("Red Hawk" or "Applicant") filed a verified application pursuant to §34-60-116, C.R.S., for an order to

1) Modify Order Nos. 407-514 and 535-104 to allow 300 foot setbacks to the unit boundaries of Section 1, Township 7 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M. and Sections 2 and 11, Township 7 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M.

PRIOR RULES AND ORDERS

(available online at: <http://cogcc.state.co.us>, under "ORDERS")

- On December 12, 2011, Order Nos. 407-514 and 535-104, among other things, established 1) an approximate 1,280-acre drilling and spacing unit for certain lands in Sections 2 and 11, Township 7 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M.; 2) an approximate 640-acre drilling unit for Section 1, Township 7 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M.; and 3) approved one horizontal well within each unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation, with the surface location of the permitted well to be located on the surface anywhere within the proposed unit and the treated interval of the wellbore for the permitted well to be no closer than 600 feet from the unit boundaries, for lands subject to Rule 318.a. Sections 1, 2 and 11, Township 7 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M. are subject to this Order for the Niobrara Formation.
- On January 23, 2012, Order No. 535-140 pooled all interests in an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit consisting of Section 1, Township 7 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the Niobrara Formation.
- On January 23, 2012, Order No. 535-137 pooled all interests in an approximate 1280-acre drilling and spacing unit in Sections 2 and 11, Township 7 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the Niobrara Formation.

- On November 15, 2012, Order Nos. 407-725 and 535-214 approved up to two horizontal wells within an approximate 1,280-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Sections 2 and 11, Township 7 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M. for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.
- On June 17, 2014, Order No. 535-487 approved an additional seven wells, for a total of up to eight horizontal wells, within an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Section 1, Township 7 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M. for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.
- On June 17, 2014, Order No. 535-488 approved an additional 12 horizontal wells, for a total of up to 14 horizontal wells, within an approximate 1,280-acre drilling and spacing unit established for Sections 2 and 11, Township 7 North, Range 60 West, 6th P.M. for the production of oil, gas, and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

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, July 28, 2014
 Tuesday, July 29, 2014

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Place: Weld County Administration Building
 Events Center
 1150 "O" Street
 Greeley, CO 80631

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.

At hearing, the Commission will consider the Application and enter an order pursuant to its authority under the statute. **Any interested party desiring to protest or intervene should file with the Commission a written protest or intervention in accordance with Rule 509., no later than July 14, 2014.** 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 July 14, 2014.** Pursuant to Rule 511., if the matter is uncontested, it may be approved without a hearing.

OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION
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By



Robert J. Frick, Secretary

Dated: July 7, 2014

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