

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE PROMULGATION AND) CAUSE NO. 139
ESTABLISHMENT OF FIELD RULES TO GOVERN)
OPERATIONS FOR THE MANCOS (INCLUDING THE) DOCKET NO. 1407-SP-2102
SEGO SANDSTONE), NIOBRARA, FRONTIER,)
MOWRY, AND DAKOTA FORMATIONS, RULISON)
FIELD, GARFIELD COUNTY, COLORADO)

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

APPLICATION LANDS

Township 6 South, Range 94 West, 6th P.M.

Section 21: All

Section 28: All

APPLICATION

On May 29, 2014, WPX Energy Rocky Mountain, LLC ("WPX" or "Applicant") filed a verified application pursuant to §34-60-116, C.R.S., for an order to:

1) Establish an approximate 1280-acre exploratory drilling and spacing unit for the Application Lands, and approve up to 40 horizontal, vertical or directional wells within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Mancos (including the Sego Sandstone), Niobrara, Frontier, Mowry, and Dakota Formations (collectively, "Deep Formations");

2) Require the productive interval of the wellbore to be located no closer than 300 feet from the southern and northern unit boundaries and no more than 600 feet from the eastern and western unit boundaries, and no closer than 300 feet from the productive interval of any other wellbore located in the unit; and

3) Applicant requests to locate the proposed wells be drilled from new, common or existing wellpads, from no more than one well pad per quarter quarter section (or lots or parcels approximately equivalent thereto) within the unit.

PRIOR RULES AND ORDERS

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

- Rule 318.a. of the Rules and Regulations of the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission requires that, on unspaced lands, wells drilled in excess of 2,500 feet in depth be located not less than 600 feet from any lease line, and located not less than 1,200 feet from any other producible or drilling oil or gas well when drilling to the same common source of supply.

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
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

By  _____
Robert J. Frick, Secretary

Dated: July 1, 2014

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