

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 CODELL AND NIOBRARA) DOCKET NO. 151000597
FORMATIONS, UNNAMED FIELD, WELD COUNTY,)
COLORADO) TYPE: POOLING

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

APPLICATION LANDS

Township 9 North, Range 58 West, 6th P.M.
Section 28: All

APPLICATION

On August 27, 2015, Noble Energy, Inc. (Operator No. 100322) ("Noble" or "Applicant"), filed a verified application pursuant to §34-60-116, C.R.S. for an order to:

1) Pool all interests in an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for the Application Lands, for the development and operation of the Codell and Niobrara Formations; and

2) Subject any non-consenting interests to the cost recovery provisions of §34-60-116(7), C.R.S., effective as of the earlier of the date of the Application, or the date that any of the costs specified in §34-60-116(7)(b), C.R.S. were first incurred for the drilling of the Brecken LD28-727 Well (API No. 05-123-41567), the Brecken LD28-734 Well (API No. 05-123-41565), the Brecken LD28-740 Well (API No. 05-123-41568), the Brecken LD28-747 Well (05-123-41566), the Greyson LD28-753 Well (API No. 05-123-41586), the Greyson LD28-760 Well (API No. 05-123-41587), the Greyson LD28-767 Well (API No. 05-123-41585), Greyson LD28-773 Well (API No. 05-123-41588), or the Greyson LD28-780 Well (API No. 05-123-41584).

PRIOR RULES AND ORDERS

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

- On February 22, 2011, the Commission entered Order No. 535-3 which established 160 approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing units for certain lands in Townships 8, 9 and 10 North, Ranges 58 through 61 West, 6th P.M., and approve one horizontal well in each unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.
- On December 15, 2014, the Commission entered Order No. 535-615 which, among other things, approves the request for an order to: 1) establish an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit for the Application Lands, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Codell Formation; 2) approve up to 10 horizontal wells within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Codell Formation; 3) approve an additional nine wells, for a total of up to 10 horizontal

wells, within an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit established by Order No. 535-3 for the Application Lands, 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, October 26, 2015
Tuesday, October 27, 2015

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Place: Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission
1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801
Denver, CO 80203

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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 October 9, 2015.** 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 October 12, 2015.** Pursuant to Rule 511, if the matter is uncontested, it may be approved without a hearing, based on review of the merits of the verified application and supporting exhibits.

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By 
Julie Murphy, Secretary

Dated: September 18, 2015

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