

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE PROMULGATION) CAUSE NO. 535
AND ESTABLISHMENT OF FIELD RULES TO)
GOVERN OPERATIONS FOR THE CODELL) DOCKET NO. 160100005
AND NIOBRARA FORMATIONS, UNNAMED)
FIELD, WELD COUNTY, COLORADO) TYPE: POOLING

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

APPLICATION LANDS

Township 12 North, Range 65 West, 6th P.M.

Section 13: Lots 1 through 4 (approximately 68.78 acres),
being that portion lying within the state of Colorado

Section 24: All

Section 25: All

APPLICATION

On November 13, 2015, Anadarko E&P Onshore LLC, Operator No. 2800 ("Anadarko" or "Applicant") filed a verified application pursuant to §34-60-116, C.R.S., for an order to:

1) Amend the two approximate 1349-acre drilling and spacing units established by Order Nos. 535-570 for Section 13 (Lots 1-4) and Section 24 (All), Township 12 North, Range 65 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Codell Formation and 535-648 for Section 13 (Lots 1-4) and Section 24 (All), Township 12 North, Range 65 West, 6th P.M. for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation, such that the drilling and spacing units cover only Section 25 (All), Township 12 North, Range 65 West, 6th P.M.;

2) Require the productive intervals of the wellbore to be located not less than 600 feet from the unit boundaries, and not less than 150 feet from any other well or productive interval of a well producing from the same formation, without exception being granted by the Director.

APPLICABLE RULES AND ORDERS

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

- On April 4, 2011, the Commission entered Order No. 535-5 which, among other things, established drilling and spacing units for certain lands, including certain portions of Section 13 (Lots 1-4) and Section 24 (All), Township 12 North, Range 65 West, 6th P.M., and approved two horizontal wells for the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation.

- On October 27, 2014, the Commission entered Order No. 535-570 which, among other things, established an approximate 1349-acre drilling and spacing unit for the Application Lands, and approved one horizontal well within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Codell Formation.
- On May 18, 2015, the Commission entered Order No. 535-648 which, among other things, 1) vacated the approximate 708.80-acre drilling and spacing unit established by Order No. 535-5 for Section 13 (Lots 1-4) and Section 24 (All), Township 12 North, Range 65 West, 6th P.M.; 2) established the approximate 1349-acre drilling and spacing unit established for the Application Lands and approved seven horizontal wells within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation; 3) approved an additional five horizontal wells, for a total of six horizontal wells, in the approximate 1349-acre drilling and spacing unit established for the Application Lands, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Codell Formation; and 4) required the productive intervals of the wellbore to be located not less than 600 feet from the unit boundaries, and not less than 600 feet from any other well or productive interval of a well producing from the Codell Formation, without exception being granted by the Director.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to §§ 34-60-101 to -130, C.R.S. and the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, 2 CCR 404-1, that the Commission has scheduled this matter for hearing on:

Dates: January 26-27, 2016

Time: 9:00 a.m.


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

Additional information about the hearing on this Application will be in the Commission's Agenda, which is posted on the Commission website approximately 3 days before the hearing.

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 January 12, 2016.** 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 12, 2016.** 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  _____
Julie Murphy, Secretary

Dated: December 18, 2015

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