

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE PROMULGATION ) CAUSE NO. 407  
AND ESTABLISHMENT OF FIELD RULES TO )  
GOVERN OPERATIONS FOR THE CODELL ) DOCKET NO. 160800376  
AND NIOBRARA FORMATIONS, WATTENBERG )  
FIELD, WELD COUNTY, COLORADO ) TYPE: SPACING

SECOND NOTICE OF HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

APPLICATION LANDS

Township 5 North, Range 63 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.

Section 32: S½

Section 33: S½

APPLICATION

On June 30, 2016, Bill Barrett Corporation, Operator No. 10071 ("BBC" or "Applicant") filed a verified application pursuant to §34-60-116, C.R.S., for an order to:

- 1) Establish an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit for the Application Lands, and approve up to four horizontal wells within the proposed unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara Formation;
- 2) Establish an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit for the Application Lands, and approve one horizontal well within the proposed unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Codell Formation;
- 3) Require the productive intervals of the wellbore to be no closer than 460 feet from unit boundaries, and no closer than 150 feet from the productive interval of any other wellbore located in the unit, unless an exception is granted by the Director.
- 4) Applicant states that the proposed wells shall be located on no more than one multi-well pad, unless an exception is granted by the Director.

APPLICABLE RULES AND ORDERS

(available online at: <http://cogcc.state.co.us>, under "Regulation," then click on "Orders" or "Rules")

- On April 27, 1998, the Commission adopted Rule 318A, the Greater Wattenberg Area Special Well Location, Spacing and Unit Designation Rule.

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: October 24-25, 2016  
Time: 9:00 a.m.  
Place: Northeastern Junior College  
Hayes Student Center ballroom  
100 College Avenue  
Sterling, CO 80751


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 October 7, 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 October 7, 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: September 7, 2016

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