# 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, FORT	)	DOCKET NO. 180400337
HAYS, CODELL, AND CARLILE FORMATIONS,	ý	
UNNAMED FIELD, WELD COUNTY, COLORADO	ý	TYPE: POOLING

## **NOTICE OF HEARING**

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

## **APPLICATION LANDS**

Township 8 North, Range 67 West, 6th P.M.

Section 27: All Section 28: All

### **APPLICATION**

On March 1, 2018, Enerplus Resources (USA) Corporation (Operator No. 10177) ("Enerplus" or "Applicant"), filed a verified application pursuant to §34-60-116, C.R.S., for an order to:

1) Declare Order No. 535-825, pooling all interests in an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit established for the Application Lands applicable to all previously unnoticed parties.

### APPLICABLE ORDERS AND RULES

(available online at: <a href="http://cogcc.state.co.us">http://cogcc.state.co.us</a>, under "Regulation," then select "Orders" or "Rules")

• On June 12, 2017, the Commission entered Order No. 535-825 which, among other things, pooled all interests in an approximate 1,280-acre drilling and spacing unit for the Application Lands, for the development and operation of the Niobrara, Fort Hays, Codell, and Carlile Formations, and to subject any nonconsenting interests to the cost recovery provisions of §34-60-116(7), C.R.S., for the drilling of the Horsetooth 8-67-28-27C Well (formerly known as the Barely Wine 8-67-28-27C Well) (API No. 05-123-44597), the Carter 8-67-28-27C Well (formerly known as the Bittier 8-67-28-27C Well) (API No. 05-123-44594), the Stagecoach 8-67-28-27C Well (formerly known as the ESB 8-67-28-27C Well) (API No. 05-123-44594), the Stagecoach 8-67-28-27C Well (formerly known as the IPA 8-67-28-27C Well) (API No. 05-123-44599), the Bear Creek 8-67-28-27C Well (formerly known as the Mild Ale 8-67-28-27C Well) (API No. 05-123-44598), the Cherry Creek 8-67-28-27N Well (formerly known as the Old Ale 8-67-28-27N Well) (API No. 05-123-44595), and the Chatfield 8-67-28-27N Well (formerly known as the Stout 8-67-28-27N Well) (API No. 05-123-44593) ("Wells").

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:

Date:

April 30 - May 1, 2018

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 April 16, 2018. 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 April 16, 2018, if a prehearing conference is requested by the Applicant, or any person who has filed a protest or intervention. Pursuant to Rule 511., if the matter is uncontested, it may be approved without a hearing.

OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION

Julie Spence Prine, Secretary

OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Dated: March 23, 2018

Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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