

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE PROMULGATION AND) CAUSE NO. 421
ESTABLISHMENT OF FIELD RULES TO GOVERN)
OPERATIONS FOR THE CODELL FORMATION,) DOCKET NO. 180900648
HEREFORD FIELD, WELD COUNTY, COLORADO)
) TYPE: POOLING

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

APPLICATION LANDS

Township 11 North, Range 63 West, 6th P.M.

Section 11: All

Section 14: All

APPLICATION

On July 11, 2018, HighPoint Operating Corporation (Operator No. 10071) ("HighPoint" or "Applicant") filed a verified application pursuant to §34-60-116, C.R.S. for an order to:

1) Pool all interests in the Application Lands underlying an approximate 1,280-acre drilling and spacing unit established for the Application Lands, for the development and operation of the Codell Formation.

2) Providing that any party who fails to make a timely election to lease or to participate, or who fails to fulfill its election, is pooled by operation of statute, pursuant to C.R.S. § 34-60-116(6) and (7), and made subject 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., are first incurred for the drilling of the Critter Creek 550-1411H (API No. 05-123-46864), Critter Creek 250-1411H (API No. 05-123-46842), Critter Creek 230-1411H (API No. 05-123-46702), and Critter Creek 210-1411H (API No. 05-123-46700) ("Wells") to the Codell Formation on the Application Lands.

3) For such other findings and orders as the Commission may deem proper or advisable in this matter.

APPLICABLE ORDERS AND RULES

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

- On July 20, 2015, the Commission entered Order No. 421-69 which, among other things, established 11 approximate 1,280-acre drilling and spacing units for certain lands, including the Application Lands, and approved six horizontal wells within each unit, for the development and operation of the Codell Formation, with the productive interval of the wellbore to be located no closer than 460 feet from the unit boundaries, and no closer than 150 feet from the productive interval of any other wellbore producing from the same source of supply within the unit, without exception being granted by the Director.

- On December 13, 2016, the Commission entered Order No. 421-79 which, among other things, modified Order Nos. 421-56, 421-57, 421-62, 421-64, and 421-69, and allowed the productive interval of any permitted well to be located no closer than 300 feet from the unit boundaries of 12 approximate 1,280-acre drilling and spacing units including Sections 11 and 14, Township 11 North, Range 63 West, 6th P.M., for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Codell Formation.

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: September 17-18, 2018
Time: 9:00 a.m.
Place: Garfield County Sheriff's Annex - Rifle
106 County Road 333-A
Rifle, Colorado 81650

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 August 31, 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 September 3, 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.

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By 
Julie Spence Prine, Secretary

Dated: August 8, 2018

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