

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

IN THE MATTER OF CHANGES TO THE) CAUSE NO. 1R
RULES OF PRACTICE AND PROCEDURE OF)
THE OIL & GAS CONSERVATION) DOCKET NO. 171200767
COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO)
) TYPE: RULEMAKING

AMENDED NOTICE OF RULEMAKING HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

The Oil and Gas Conservation Commission of the State of Colorado ("Commission"), on its own motion, will consider additions and amendments to Commission Rules of Practice and Procedure, 2 C.C.R. 404-1 ("Rules"), 100-Series definitions; 216; 303; 306; 312; 313; 317B; 318A; 325; 328; 330; 602; 604; 605; 706; 711; 802; 906; 907; 1002; 1004; 1100-Series; 1203; 1204; and 1205, as part of its "Flowline Rulemaking."

On August 22, 2017, Governor John Hickenlooper announced seven oil and gas policy initiatives, two of which required rulemaking by the Commission. This Flowline Rulemaking is in response to the Governor's announcement and the Commission's review of its Rules. The Commission has the authority to conduct this rulemaking pursuant to §§ 34-60-105(1), 34-60-106(2)(a), 34-60-106(2)(d), and 34-60-108, C.R.S.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Commission has scheduled the above entitled matter for a rulemaking hearing commencing on:

Date: Monday, January 8, 2018
Tuesday, January 9, 2018

Time: 8:30 a.m.

Place: **University of Colorado Denver
School of Public Affairs
Terrace Room
1380 Lawrence Street, 2nd Floor
Denver, CO 80204**

Public Participation. The Commission encourages the public to participate in the rulemaking by commenting on the proposed rules in advance of or during the rulemaking hearing. Any person may submit written comments in advance of the hearing pursuant to the procedures described below. In addition, any person may participate in the process

and offer oral testimony during the public comment period at the hearing. The Commission may place a time limit on public comments during the hearing depending on the number of people who wish to comment.

Persons or organizations who are not parties, but who would like to participate in the rulemaking process, may present their views to the Commission by submitting written comments in advance of or at the rulemaking hearing, or by speaking during the public comment period allotted during the hearing. Persons wishing to make oral comments at the hearing are encouraged to sign up in advance via emailing to DNR_COGCC.Rulemaking@state.co.us no later than **Wednesday, January 3, 2018, 5:00 p.m.** Those who sign-up in advance will be given priority during the public comment period. Organized groups of individuals are urged to identify one spokesperson. Speakers are asked to be as concise as possible and to avoid repeating comments made by others. Written comments should be emailed to DNR_COGCC.Rulemaking@state.co.us. Please note, written comments received after December 29 may not be delivered to the Commissioners prior to the hearing date.

Filing and service. On or before the deadlines identified above, all written comments, requests for party status prehearing statements, and responses must be filed with the Commission via U.S. Mail in hard copy and electronic copy as follows:

1. The original and 2 copies delivered to Julie Prine, Hearings and Regulatory Affairs Manager, Docket No. 1717000767, Oil and Gas Conservation Commission, 1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801, Denver, Colorado, 80203; and
2. An electronic copy emailed, preferably in portable document format (*pdf*), to DNR_COGCC.Rulemaking@state.co.us.


The Commission may modify or amend the rules described or proposed herein, and make conforming modifications to other rules, as it determines reasonably necessary through the course of the stakeholder process, comment period, and rulemaking hearing.

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if any person 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.

Copies of the proposed Rules and other information about the Flowline Rulemaking are available on the Commission's internet homepage at <http://cogcc.state.co.us> by following the "Flowline Rulemaking" hyperlink or upon request at the Commission offices, 1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801, Denver, CO 80203.

This Amended Notice of Rulemaking Hearing supersedes previous Notices dated October 15, 2017, October 31, 2017, and November 29, 2017.

OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF
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By 
Julie Spence Prine, Secretary

Dated: December 19, 2017