

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

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IN THE MATTER OF AN APPLICATION BY)
BISON OIL & GAS II, LLC FOR AN ORDER TO)
ESTABLISH AN APPROXIMATE 640-ACRE)
DRILLING AND SPACING UNIT AND APPROVE)
UP TO TWENTY HORIZONTAL WELLS WITHIN)
THE UNIT WITH WELL LOCATION RULES FOR)
THE DRILLING OF WELLS AND PRODUCING)
OF OIL, GAS, AND ASSOCIATED)
HYDROCARBONS FROM THE NIOBRARA,)
FORT HAYS, CODELL, AND CARLILE)
FORMATIONS FOR SECTION 7, TOWNSHIP 7)
NORTH, RANGE 59 WEST, 6TH P.M.,)
UNNAMED FIELD, WELD COUNTY,)
COLORADO)

Cause No. 535

Docket No. 181200913

Type: SPACING

APPLICATION

Bison Oil & Gas II, LLC ("Applicant" or "Bison"), Operator No. 10661, by and through its attorneys, Welborn Sullivan Meck & Tooley, P.C., respectfully submits this Application to the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission of the State of Colorado ("Commission") for an order establishing an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit for Section 7, Township 7 North, Range 59 West, 6th P.M., and approving up to 20 horizontal wells within the unit, with well location rules applicable to the drilling of wells and producing of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara, Fort Hays, Codell, and Carlile Formations. In support of its Application, Applicant states as follows:

1. Applicant is a limited liability company duly authorized to conduct business in Colorado.
2. Applicant, owns leasehold interests and/or the right to drill, and is an Owner as defined by Commission rules, in the following lands ("Application Lands"):

Township 7 North, Range 59 West, 6th P.M.
Section 7: All

Weld County, Colorado

A reference map of the Application Lands is attached as Exhibit B hereto.

3. Rule 318.a. of the Rules and Regulations of the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission requires that, on unspaced lands, wells drilled in excess of 2,500 feet in depth be located not less than 600 feet from any lease line, and located not less than 1,200 feet from any other producible or drilling oil or gas well when drilling to the same common source of supply.

4. To promote efficient drainage, and to prevent waste, Applicant requests that the Commission establish an approximate 640-acre drilling and spacing unit for the below-described Application Lands, and approve up to 20 horizontal wells within the unit, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Niobrara, Fort Hays, Codell, and Carlile Formations, with the treated interval of each wellbore within the unit being no closer than 600 feet from the unit boundary, and no closer than 165 feet from the productive interval of any other wellbore located within the unit, unless an exception is granted by the Director:

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5. Applicant requests authority to drill only those wells necessary to determine the appropriate well density that allows for the most economic and efficient drainage of the Niobrara, Fort Hays, Codell, and Carlile Formations, that prevents waste, that protects correlative rights, and that assures the greatest ultimate recovery of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons.

6. The drilling and spacing unit is not smaller than the maximum area that can be drained by the proposed wells and will have no adverse effect on correlative rights of adjacent owners.

7. Applicant requests that the wells be drilled from no more than two surface facilities located within the unit or at a legal location on adjacent lands, unless an exception is granted by the Director.

8. The names and addresses of the interested parties according to the information and belief of the Applicant are set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part hereof, and the undersigned certifies that copies of this Application shall be served on each interested party within seven (7) days after filing of the Application as required by Rules 503.e., 507.b.(1), and 507.c.

WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully requests that this matter be set for hearing, that notice be given as required by law and that, upon such hearing, this Commission enter its order consistent with Applicant's proposals as set forth above.

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Dated this 8th day of October, 2018.

Respectfully submitted,
WELBORN SULLIVAN MECK & TOOLEY, P.C.

By: _____



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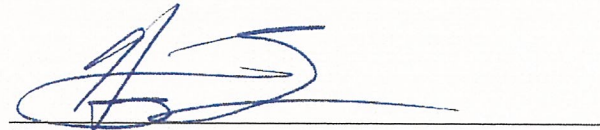
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VERIFICATION

STATE OF COLORADO)
) ss.
CITY & COUNTY OF DENVER)

Heath Lovell, Senior Landman, for Bison Oil & Gas II, LLC, upon oath deposes and says that he has read the foregoing Amended Application and that the statements contained therein are true to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

BISON OIL & GAS II, LLC

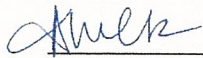


Heath Lovell

~~Vice President - Land~~ Senior Landman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of October 2018 by Heath Lovell, Senior Landman, for Bison Oil & Gas II, LLC.

Witness my hand and official seal.



Notary Public

My Commission Expires: March 8, 2020

ABIGAIL WENK
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF COLORADO
NOTARY ID 20164009689
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES MARCH 8, 2020

EXHIBIT A

INTERESTED PARTIES

Weld County

Troy Swain
Weld County
Department of Planning Services
1555 North 17th Ave.
Greeley CO 80631

Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment

Attn: Kent Kuster, Oil and Gas Liaison
4300 Cherry Creek Dr. South
Denver, CO 80246-1530

Colorado Division of Wildlife

Northeast Region Office
6060 Broadway
Denver, CO 80216

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INTERESTED PARTIES

Unleased Mineral Interests

Weld Mineral Properties LLC

Patricia Ann Carter

Steven Winter

Proved Reserves, LLC

Working Interest Owners

Markus Production, Inc.

DBRB, LLC

Bolling Oil Properties, Inc.

Bison Oil and Gas

Grindstone Resources, LLC

John S. Gibson Production, LLC

Red Spur Resources LLC

Oil India (USA) Inc.

IOCL (USA) Inc.

Haimo Oil & Gas LLC

Verdad Resources LLC

Verdad Resources Nominee Co.

Jade Reserves, Inc.

Pepco, Inc.

Brew Oil Company, LLLP

Harmax, Inc.

Caerus Wascho LLC

Exhibit B - Application Lands



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I, Geoffrey W. Storm, of lawful age, and being first duly sworn upon my oath, state and declare:

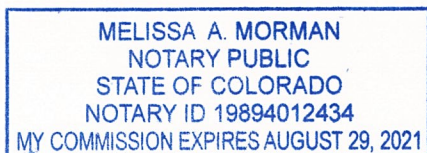
That I am the attorney for Bison Oil & Gas II, LLC and that on or before October 15, 2018, I caused a copy of the attached Application to be deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the parties listed on Exhibit A to the Application.

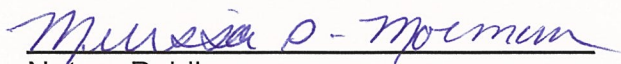


Geoffrey W. Storm

Subscribed and sworn to before me October 15, 2018.

Witness my hand and official seal.





Notary Public

My commission expires:

8/29/2021