

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE COMMISSION REVIEW)	CAUSE NO. 1
OF OIL AND GAS LOCATION ASSESSMENT,)	
DOCUMENT NUMBER 401725805, AND THE)	DOCKET NO. 190100011
THIRTY (30) RELATED APPLIATIONS FOR)	
PERMITS TO, DRILL WITHIN THE CITY OF)	TYPE: GENERAL
AURORA)	ADMINISTRATIVE
)	

NOTICE OF HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

APPLICATION LANDS

Township 3 South, Range 65 West, 6th P.M.
Section: 18

APPLICATION

On November 9, 2018, the City of Aurora, Colorado ("Aurora" or "Applicant") filed an Appeal and Request for Hearing on Document Number 401725805, Oil And Gas Location Assessment and associated Forms 2A, (Applications For Permits To Drill ("APDs") and Form 2, Oil And Gas Location Assessment, for the QuickSilver and DIBC wells, filed by Axis Exploration, LLC). The City of Aurora timely filed its Appeal and Request for Hearing pursuant to Commission Rules 305.e.2, 503.b.7.c, and 509.

1. That the Commission delay approval of the Form 2A and Form 2s and enter such other findings and orders as the Commission may deem proper or advisable in this matter; and
2. That City of Aurora be allowed to participate in the hearing in its capacity as the relevant local government with land use jurisdiction.
3. Grant such other relief as the Commission may deem appropriate.

APPLICABLE ORDERS AND RULES

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

- Under Rules 305.e.2 and 503.b.7.C, the City of Aurora has a right to appeal the approval of the Form 2A and Form 2s and to appeal the approvals for a hearing before the full Commission provided it notifies the Director of the Appeal and request for hearing within ten (10) days after issuance of the approval. This Appeal and Request for Hearing is

timely filed.

- Local governments have the authority to appeal as of right applications under Rule 503.b.7.C and are given the authority to appeal permit issuance under the 300 series Rules for a reason: their interests in protecting local concerns are entitled to be heard and listened to. An appeal may be filed by the local government to raise environmental or public health, safety, and welfare concerns.
- On October 31, 2018, the Director of the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission ("COGCC") issued approval of a Form 2A, Document Number 401725805, and issued approval for 30 associated APDs, which approvals serve to permit a wellsite location in Section 18, Township 3S, Range 65W within the City of Aurora for thirty (30) 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: January 28-29, 2019
Time: 9:00 a.m.
Place: Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission
The Chancery Building
1120 Lincoln Street, Ste. 801
Denver, Colorado 80203

Additional information about the hearing on this Application will be in the Commission's Agenda, which is posted on the Commission website approximately three 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 call 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 designing to protest or intervene should file with the Commission a written protest or intervention in accordance with Rule 509., no later than January 14, 2019.** Please see Commission Rule 509 at: <http://cogcc.state.co.us>, under "Regulation," then select "Rules". Please note that, under Commission Rule 506.c., the deadline for protests and interventions will not be continued even if the hearing is continued beyond the date that is stated above. Protests and interventions must be sent to the Applicant at the below address, and must be sent to the Commission via email to: dnr_hearingapplications@state.co.us. **Anyone who files a protest or intervention must be able to participate in a prehearing conference during the week of January 14, 2019, 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:


Mimi C. Larsen, Secretary

Dated: December 20, 2018

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