

FORM
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State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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Oil and Gas Location Assessment

☐ New Location ☐ Refile ☒ Amend Existing Location Location#: 335318

Submit signed original form. This Oil and Gas Location Assessment is to be submitted to the COGCC for approval prior to any ground disturbance activity associated with oil and gas operations. Approval of this Oil and Gas Location Assessment will allow for the construction of the below specified Location; however, it does not supersede any land use rules applied by the local land use authority. Please see the COGCC website at <http://cogcc.state.co.us/> for all accompanying information pertinent this Oil and Gas Location Assessment.

Location ID:

335318

Expiration Date:

☐ This location assessment is included as part of a permit application.

CONSULTATION

- ☐ This location is included in a Comprehensive Drilling Plan. CDP # _____
- ☒ This location is in a sensitive wildlife habitat area.
- ☐ This location is in a wildlife restricted surface occupancy area.
- ☐ This location includes a Rule 306.d.(1)A.ii. variance request.

Operator

Operator Number: 96850
Name: WPX ENERGY ROCKY MOUNTAIN LLC
Address: 1001 17TH STREET - SUITE #1200
City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

Contact Information

Name: Reed Haddock
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RECLAMATION FINANCIAL ASSURANCE

☐ Plugging and Abandonment Bond Surety ID: _____ ☐ Gas Facility Surety ID: _____

☐ Waste Management Surety ID: _____

LOCATION IDENTIFICATION

Name: GM Number: 323-28
County: GARFIELD
QuarterQuarter: NESW Section: 28 Township: 6S Range: 96W Meridian: 6 Ground Elevation: 5456
Define a single point as a location reference for the facility location. When the location is to be used as a well site then the point shall be a well location.
Footage at surface: 1555 feet FSL from North or South section line
2300 feet FWL from East or West section line
Latitude: 39.492206 Longitude: -108.114880
PDOP Reading: 3.8 Date of Measurement: 06/03/2014
Instrument Operator's Name: J. Kirkpatrick

RELATED REMOTE LOCATIONS

(Enter as many Related Locations as necessary. Enter the Form 2A document # only if there is no established COGCC Location ID#)

This proposed Oil and Gas Location is:

LOCATION ID #

FORM 2A DOC #

FACILITIES

Indicate the number of each type of oil and gas facility planned on location

Wells	<u>12</u>	Oil Tanks	<u>2</u>	Condensate Tanks	<u> </u>	Water Tanks	<u>2</u>	Buried Produced Water Vaults	<u> </u>
Drilling Pits	<u> </u>	Production Pits	<u> </u>	Special Purpose Pits	<u> </u>	Multi-Well Pits	<u> </u>	Temporary Large Volume Above Ground Tanks	<u> </u>
Pump Jacks	<u> </u>	Separators	<u>14</u>	Injection Pumps	<u> </u>	Cavity Pumps	<u> </u>		
Gas or Diesel Motors	<u> </u>	Electric Motors	<u> </u>	Electric Generators	<u> </u>	Fuel Tanks	<u> </u>	Gas Compressors	<u> </u>
Dehydrator Units	<u> </u>	Vapor Recovery Unit	<u> </u>	VOC Combustor	<u>1</u>	Flare	<u> </u>	LACT Unit	<u> </u>
								Pigging Station	<u> </u>

OTHER FACILITIES

Other Facility Type

Number

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
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Per Rule 303.b.(3)C, description of all oil, gas, and/or water pipelines:

2-10" temporary surface water supply lines from GV waterline infrastructure.
1-8" buried steel gas line to tie into existing line running from the GM 11-28 pad.
1-4" buried produced waterline to be installed with gas line.

CONSTRUCTION

Date planned to commence construction: 09/01/2014

Size of disturbed area during construction in acres: 11.70

Estimated date that interim reclamation will begin: 08/03/2015

Size of location after interim reclamation in acres: 2.00

Estimated post-construction ground elevation: 5455

DRILLING PROGRAM

Will a closed loop system be used for drilling fluids: Yes

Is H₂S anticipated? No

Will salt sections be encountered during drilling: No

Will salt based mud (>15,000 ppm Cl) be used? No

Will oil based drilling fluids be used? No

DRILLING WASTE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

Drilling Fluids Disposal: ONSITE

Drilling Fluids Disposal Method: Recycle/reuse

Cutting Disposal: ONSITE

Cuttings Disposal Method: Cuttings trench

Other Disposal Description:

Beneficial reuse or land application plan submitted?

Reuse Facility ID: or Document Number:

Centralized E&P Waste Management Facility ID, if applicable:

SURFACE & MINERALS & RIGHT TO CONSTRUCT

Name: <u>WPX Energy</u>	Phone: _____
Address: <u>1001 17th Street, Suite 1200</u>	Fax: _____
Address: _____	Email: _____
City: <u>Denver</u> State: <u>CO</u> Zip: <u>80202</u>	

Surface Owner: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian

Check all that apply. The Surface Owner: ☐ is the mineral owner
 ☐ is committed to an oil and Gas Lease
 ☐ has signed the Oil and Gas Lease
 ☒ is the applicant

The Mineral Owner beneath this Oil and Gas Location is: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian

The Minerals beneath this Oil and Gas Location will be developed from or produced to this Oil and Gas Location: Yes

The right to construct this Oil and Gas Location is granted by: applicant is owner

Surface damage assurance if no agreement is in place: _____ Surface Surety ID: _____

Date of Rule 306 surface owner consultation _____

CURRENT AND FUTURE LAND USE

Current Land Use (Check all that apply):

Crop Land: <input type="checkbox"/> Irrigated <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dry land	<input type="checkbox"/> Improved Pasture <input type="checkbox"/> Hay Meadow <input type="checkbox"/> CRP
Non-Crop Land: <input type="checkbox"/> Rangeland <input type="checkbox"/> Timber <input type="checkbox"/> Recreational <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (describe): <u>Existing Drill Pad</u>	
Subdivided: <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input type="checkbox"/> Residential	

Future Land Use (Check all that apply):

Crop Land: <input type="checkbox"/> Irrigated <input type="checkbox"/> Dry land	<input type="checkbox"/> Improved Pasture <input type="checkbox"/> Hay Meadow <input type="checkbox"/> CRP
Non-Crop Land: <input type="checkbox"/> Rangeland <input type="checkbox"/> Timber <input type="checkbox"/> Recreational <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other (describe): <u>Existing Drill Pad</u>	
Subdivided: <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial <input type="checkbox"/> Residential	

CULTURAL DISTANCE INFORMATION

Distance to nearest:

Building: 1903 Feet
Building Unit: 2213 Feet
High Occupancy Building Unit: 5280 Feet
Designated Outside Activity Area: 5280 Feet
Public Road: 828 Feet
Above Ground Utility: 325 Feet
Railroad: 5280 Feet
Property Line: 92 Feet

INSTRUCTIONS:

- All measurements shall be provided from center of nearest Well or edge of nearest Production Facility to nearest of each cultural feature as described in Rule 303.b.(3)A.
- Enter 5280 for distance greater than 1 mile.
- Building - nearest building of any type. If nearest Building is a Building Unit, enter same distance for both.
- Building Unit, High Occupancy Building Unit, and Designated Outside Activity Area - as defined in 100-Series Rules.

DESIGNATED SETBACK LOCATION INFORMATION

Check all that apply. This location is within a: ☐ Buffer Zone
☐ Exception Zone
☐ Urban Mitigation Area

- Buffer Zone - as described in Rule 604.a.(2), within 1,000' of a Building Unit.
- Exception Zone - as described in Rule 604.a.(1), within 500' of a Building Unit.
- Urban Mitigation Area - as defined in 100-Series Rules.

Pre-application Notifications (required if location is within 1,000 feet of a building unit):

Date of Rule 305.a.(1) Urban Mitigation Area Notification to Local Government: _____

Date of Rule 305.a.(2) Buffer Zone Notification to Building Unit Owners: _____

SOIL

List all soil map units that occur within the proposed location. attach the National Resource Conservation Service (NRCS) report showing the "Map Unit Description" report listing the soil typical vertical profile. This data is to be used when segregating topsoil.

The required information can be obtained from the NRCS web site at <http://soildatamart.nrcs.usda.org/> or from the COGCC web site GIS Online map page found at <http://colorado.gov/cogcc>. Instructions are provided within the COGCC web site help section.

NRCS Map Unit Name: 47 Nihill channery loam, 6 to 25 percent slopes

NRCS Map Unit Name: _____

NRCS Map Unit Name: _____

PLANT COMMUNITY:

Complete this section only if any portion of the disturbed area of the location's current land use is on non-crop land.

Are noxious weeds present: Yes ☒ No ☐

Plant species from: ☐ NRCS or, ☐ field observation Date of observation: 06/12/2014

List individual species: Kochia, Cheatgrass

Check all plant communities that exist in the disturbed area.

- ☒ Disturbed Grassland (Cactus, Yucca, Cheatgrass, Rye)
☒ Native Grassland (Bluestem, Grama, Wheatgrass, Buffalograss, Fescue, Oatgrass, Brome)
☒ Shrub Land (Mahogany, Oak, Sage, Serviceberry, Chokecherry)
☐ Plains Riparian (Cottonwood, Willow, Aspen, Maple, Poplar, Russian Olive, Tamarisk)
☐ Mountain Riparian (Cottonwood, Willow, Blue Spruce)
☐ Forest Land (Spruce, Fir, Ponderosa Pine, Lodgepole Pine, Juniper, Pinyon, Aspen)
☐ Wetlands Aquatic (Bullrush, Sedge, Cattail, Arrowhead)
☐ Alpine (above timberline)
☐ Other (describe): _____

WATER RESOURCES

Is this a sensitive area: ☐ No ☒ Yes

Distance to nearest

downgradient surface water feature: 877 Feet

water well: 1988 Feet

Estimated depth to ground water at Oil and Gas Location 40 Feet

Basis for depth to groundwater and sensitive area determination:

There is one permitted well just outside the quarter mile buffer (permit number 278414) upgradient of the facility which indicates that the depth to groundwater is approximately 25 feet. The well is approximately at the same elevation as the facility. Therefore it could be assumed that the depth to groundwater in the immediate vicinity of the facility may less than 40 feet.

Is the location in a riparian area: ☒ No ☐ Yes

Was an Army Corps of Engineers Section 404 permit filed ☒ No ☐ Yes If yes attach permit.

Is the location within a Rule 317B Surface Water Supply Area buffer No zone:

If the location is within a Rule 317B Surface Water Supply Area buffer have all public water supply systems within 15 miles been notified: _____

GROUNDWATER BASELINE SAMPLING AND MONITORING AND WATER WELL SAMPLING

Water well sampling required per Rule 609

DESIGNATED SETBACK LOCATION EXCEPTIONS

Check all that apply:

- ☐ Rule 604.a.(1)A. Exception Zone (within 500' of Building Unit)
- ☐ Rule 604.b.(1)A. Exception Location (existing or approved Oil & Gas Location now within a Designated Setback as a result of Rule 604.a.)
- ☐ Rule 604.b.(1)B. Exception Location (existing or approved Oil & Gas Location is within a Designated Setback due to Building Unit construction after Location approval)
- ☐ Rule 604.b.(2) Exception Location (SUA or site-specific development plan executed on or before August 1, 2013)
- ☐ Rule 604.b.(3) Exception Location (Building Units constructed after August 1, 2013 within setback per an SUA or site-specific development plan)

RULE 502.b VARIANCE REQUEST

☐ Rule 502.b. Variance Request from COGCC Rule or Spacing Order Number _____

ALL exceptions and variances require attached Request Letter(s). Refer to applicable rule for additional required attachments (e.g. waivers, certifications, SUAs).

OPERATOR COMMENTS AND SUBMITTAL

Comments

The WPX GM 728-24-33-HN1 and the WPX GM 728-34-33-HN1 Form 2s will be submitted at a later date (mid-July).

I hereby certify that the statements made in this form are, to the best of my knowledge, true, correct and complete.

Signed: _____ Date: _____ Email: reed.haddock@wpenergy.com

Print Name: Reed Haddock Title: Regulatory Specialist Sta

Based on the information provided herein, this Application for Permit-to-Drill complies with COGCC Rules and applicable orders and is hereby approved.

COGCC Approved: _____ Director of COGCC Date: _____

Conditions Of Approval

All representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in this Form 2A for this location shall constitute representations, stipulations and conditions of approval for any and all subsequent operations on the location unless this Form 2A is modified by Sundry Notice, Form 4 or an Amended Form 2A.

Best Management Practices

No BMP/COA Type

Description

1	Planning	Maximize the utility of surface facilities by developing multiple wells from a single pad (directional drilling), and by co-locating multipurpose facilities (for example, well pads and compressors) to avoid unnecessary habitat fragmentation and disturbance of additional geographic areas. Locate roads outside of drainages where possible and outside of riparian habitat. Avoid constructing any road segment in the channel of an intermittent or perennial stream. Minimize the number, length, and footprint of oil and gas development roads. Use existing roads where possible. Maximize use of remote telemetry for well monitoring to minimize traffic.
2	Drilling/Completion Operations	Conduct well completions with drilling operations to limit the number of rig moves and traffic.
3	Interim Reclamation	Use only certified weed-free native seed in seed mixes, except for non-native plants that benefit wildlife. WPX Energy will use certified, weed free grass hay, straw, hay or other mulch materials used for the reseeding and reclamation of disturbed areas. Install exclusionary devices to prevent bird and other wildlife access to equipment stacks, vents and openings. Reduce visits to well-sites through remote monitoring (i.e. SCADA) and the use of multi-function contractors.

Total: 3 comment(s)

Attachment Check List

<u>Att Doc Num</u>	<u>Name</u>
400631397	CONST. LAYOUT DRAWINGS
400631399	ACCESS ROAD MAP
400631402	HYDROLOGY MAP
400631404	LOCATION DRAWING
400631405	SENSITIVE AREA DATA
400631406	REFERENCE AREA MAP
400631407	FACILITY LAYOUT DRAWING
400631408	NRCS MAP UNIT DESC
400631409	OTHER
400631412	LOCATION PICTURES
400631415	OTHER
400631426	REFERENCE AREA PICTURES
400632673	SURFACE AGRMT/SURETY
400634027	MULTI-WELL PLAN

Total Attach: 14 Files

General Comments

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>

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