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State of Colorado  
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission  
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Document Number:  
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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO:

Drill       Deepen       Re-enter       Recomplete and Operate

Date Received:  
11/14/2014

TYPE OF WELL    OIL     GAS     COALBED     OTHER \_\_\_\_\_  
ZONE TYPE      SINGLE ZONE     MULTIPLE ZONES     COMMINGLE ZONES

Refiling   
Sidetrack

Well Name: YATER      Well Number: 11D-17-07-95  
Name of Operator: URSA OPERATING COMPANY LLC      COGCC Operator Number: 10447  
Address: 1050 17TH STREET #2400  
City: DENVER      State: CO      Zip: 80265  
Contact Name: JENNIFER LIND      Phone: (720)508-8362      Fax: ( )  
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RECLAMATION FINANCIAL ASSURANCE

Plugging and Abandonment Bond Surety ID: 20120125

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

QtrQtr: NWSW      Sec: 17      Twp: 7S      Rng: 95W      Meridian: 6  
Latitude: 39.435228      Longitude: -108.026398

Footage at Surface: 1742 feet      FNL/FSL      FEL/FWL  
FSL      1129 feet      FWL

Field Name: PARACHUTE      Field Number: 67350  
Ground Elevation: 5513      County: GARFIELD

GPS Data:  
Date of Measurement: 09/26/2014      PDOP Reading: 1.2      Instrument Operator's Name: HOFFMANN

If well is  Directional       Horizontal (highly deviated)      **submit deviated drilling plan.**

Footage at Top of Prod Zone: FNL/FSL      FEL/FWL      Bottom Hole: FNL/FSL      FEL/FWL  
1051      FNL      660      FWL      1051      FNL      660      FWL  
Sec: 17      Twp: 7S      Rng: 95W      Sec: 17      Twp: 7S      Rng: 95W

LOCATION SURFACE & MINERALS & RIGHT TO CONSTRUCT

Surface Ownership:  Fee       State       Federal       Indian

The Surface Owner is:  is the mineral owner beneath the location.  
(check all that apply)  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 by this Well: No

The right to construct the Oil and Gas Location is granted by: Surface Use Agreement

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

**LEASE INFORMATION**

Using standard QtrQtr, Sec, Twp, Rng format, describe one entire mineral lease that will be produced by this well (Describe lease beneath surface location if produced. Attach separate description page or map if necessary.)

PLEASE SEE ATTACHED LEASE MAP

Total Acres in Described Lease: 160 Described Mineral Lease is:  Fee  State  Federal  Indian

Federal or State Lease # \_\_\_\_\_

Distance from Completed Portion of Wellbore to Nearest Lease Line of described lease: 128 Feet

**CULTURAL DISTANCE INFORMATION**

Distance to nearest:

Building: 475 Feet

Building Unit: 475 Feet

High Occupancy Building Unit: 1577 Feet

Designated Outside Activity Area: 5280 Feet

Public Road: 893 Feet

Above Ground Utility: 917 Feet

Railroad: 5280 Feet

Property Line: 196 Feet

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- All measurements shall be provided from center of the Proposed Well to nearest of each cultural feature as described in Rule 303.a.(5).

- 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: 10/14/2014

**SPACING and UNIT INFORMATION**

Distance from Completed Portion of Wellbore to Nearest Wellbore Permitted or Completed in the same formation: 330 Feet

Distance from Completed Portion of Wellbore to Nearest Unit Boundary 660 Feet (Enter 5280 for distance greater than 1 mile.)

Federal or State Unit Name (if appl): \_\_\_\_\_ Unit Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**SPACING & FORMATIONS COMMENTS**

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**OBJECTIVE FORMATIONS**

Objective Formation(s)	Formation Code	Spacing Order Number(s)	Unit Acreage Assigned to Well	Unit Configuration (N/2, SE/4, etc.)
WILLIAMS FORK	WMFK	440-58	240	Sec 17 NW, W/2NE

**DRILLING PROGRAM**

Proposed Total Measured Depth: 7463 Feet

Distance to nearest permitted or existing wellbore penetrating objective formation: 330 Feet (Including plugged wells)

Will a closed-loop drilling system be used? Yes

Is H<sub>2</sub>S gas reasonably expected to be encountered during drilling operations at concentrations greater than or equal to 100 ppm? No (If Yes, attach an H<sub>2</sub>S Drilling Operations Plan)

Will salt sections be encountered during drilling? No

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

Will oil based drilling fluids be used? No

BOP Equipment Type:  Annular Preventor  Double Ram  Rotating Head  None

### GROUNDWATER BASELINE SAMPLING AND MONITORING AND WATER WELL SAMPLING

Water well sampling required per Rule 609

### DRILLING WASTE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

Drilling Fluids Disposal: OFFSITE Drilling Fluids Disposal Methods: Recycle/reuse

Cuttings Disposal: OFFSITE Cuttings Disposal Method: Commercial Disposal

Other Disposal Description:

See J(1) Waste Management Plan attached to 2A

Beneficial reuse or land application plan submitted? No

Reuse Facility ID: \_\_\_\_\_ or Document Number: \_\_\_\_\_

### CASING PROGRAM

Casing Type	Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Wt/Ft	Csg/Liner Top	Setting Depth	Sacks Cmt	Cmt Btm	Cmt Top
CONDUCTOR	24	16	84	0	60	111	60	0
SURF	12+1/4	8+5/8	32	0	1856	383	1856	0
1ST	7+7/8	4+1/2	11.6	0	7463	485	7463	

Conductor Casing is NOT planned

### 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)

### GREATER WATTENBERG AREA LOCATION EXCEPTIONS

Check all that apply:

Rule 318A.a. Exception Location (GWA Windows).

Rule 318A.c. Exception Location (GWA Twinning).

### RULE 502.b VARIANCE REQUEST

Rule 502.b. Variance Request from COGCC Rule or Spacing Order Number \_\_\_\_\_

### OTHER LOCATION EXCEPTIONS

Check all that apply:

Rule 318.c. Exception Location from Rule or Spacing Order Number \_\_\_\_\_

Rule 603.a.(2) Exception Location (Property Line Setback).

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 First String / Production cement will be > 500 feet above TOG. Distance to nearest well completed in the same formation / permitted or existing well penetrating objective formation was measured to the proposed Yater 12A-17-07-95.

Ursa requests the approval of a Rule 604.a.(1).B. exception location – request letter attached.

Pre-application Notice / Buffer Zone Notice was sent to building unit owners within 1000' of the location on 10/14/14. Pre-application certification is attached to the associated Yater pad Form 2A (Doc #400720918).

This application is in a Comprehensive Drilling Plan \_\_\_\_\_ CDP #: \_\_\_\_\_

Location ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Is this application being submitted with an Oil and Gas Location Assessment application? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_

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

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: JENNIFER LIND \_\_\_\_\_

Title: REGULATORY ANALYST Date: 11/14/2014 Email: JLIND@URSARESOURCES.C

Operator must have a valid water right or permit allowing for industrial use or purchased water from a seller that has a valid water right or permit allowing for industrial use, otherwise an application for a change in type of use is required under Colorado law. Operator must also use the water in the location set forth in the water right decree or well permit, otherwise an application for a change in place of use is required under Colorado law. Section 37-92-103(5), C.R.S. (2011).

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: Matthew Lee Director of COGCC Date: 1/15/2015

Expiration Date: 01/14/2017

**API NUMBER**

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## Conditions Of Approval

All representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in the Form 2A for this location shall constitute representations, stipulations and conditions of approval for this Form 2 Permit-to-Drill and are enforceable to the same extent as all other representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in this Permit-to-Drill.

<u>COA Type</u>	<u>Description</u>
	Open hole resistivity and gamma logs shall be run to describe the stratigraphy of the entire well bore and to adequately verify the setting depth of surface casing and aquifer coverage. On a multi-well pad, these open hole logs are only required on one of the first wells drilled on the pad and the Drilling Completion Report - Form 5 for every well on the pad shall identify which well was logged.
	Operator shall comply with Buffer Zone Move-In, Rig-Up Notice Policy dated 12-16-2013.
	<p>1)Operator shall comply with the most current revision of the Northwest Colorado Notification Policy. See attached notice.</p> <p>2)Operator shall comply with the most current revision of the Garfield County Rulison Field Notice to Operators, with the following exception: all field notice requirements specified in this notice to operators are superseded by the requirements of the most current revision of the Northwest Colorado Notification Policy (see condition of approval #1). See attached notice.</p> <p>3)Operator shall provide cement coverage from the production casing shoe (4+1/2" FIRST STRING) to a minimum of 200' above all Mesa Verde Group (and Ohio Creek Formation, if present) oil, gas, and water-bearing sandstone and coalbed formations. Verify production casing cement coverage with a cement bond log.</p>

## Best Management Practices

<u>No</u>	<u>BMP/COA Type</u>	<u>Description</u>

## Applicable Policies and Notices to Operators

Piceance Rulison Field - Notice to Operators.
NW Colorado Notification Policy.
Notice Concerning Operating Requirements for Wildlife Protection.

## Attachment Check List

<u>Att Doc Num</u>	<u>Name</u>
400721535	FORM 2 SUBMITTED
400725033	MINERAL LEASE MAP
400725034	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400729415	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN
400729417	DIRECTIONAL DATA
400729418	SURFACE AGRMT/SURETY
400729419	EXCEPTION LOC REQUEST

Total Attach: 7 Files

### General Comments

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>
#Error	Final review complete.	1/15/2015 8:15:52 AM
#Error	KHW Pass: Please note any location with greater than 5,000 barrels of total storage capacity (pits/tanks) would require a Garfield County land use change permit.	12/11/2014 4:45:07 PM
#Error	Added into Waste plan comments: Waste management plan attached to 2A includes Cuttings Management and Disposal. Corrected cuttings disposal method from beneficial reuse to commercial as per opr. Corrected spacing unit configuration by adding Sec 17 as per opr. Ready to pass.	12/10/2014 10:29:52 AM
#Error	The proposed surface casing is more than 50' below the depth of the deepest water well within 1-mile of the surface location when corrected for elevation differences. The deepest water well within 1-mile is 285 feet deep. Evaluated existing offset wells within 1,500 feet of this wellbore. No mitigation required.	11/25/2014 11:17:22 AM
#Error	Passed Completeness	11/17/2014 9:55:51 AM

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