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La Plata County Planning Department
1060 East Second Avenue
Durango, CO 81031

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Colorado Oil & Gas Conservation Commission
Attn: Karen Spray
P.O. Box 2651
Durango, CO 81302

**RE: Williams Field Services Exploration and Production (E&P) Waste Treatment Facility
(Williams Gas Plant (W.G.P.))**

Dear Ms. Spray,

Thank you for the opportunity to provide comment regarding county permitting requirements for the E&P Waste Treatment Facility located at the W.G.P. within Section 36 of T34N-R9W N.M.P.M.

Williams's records reflect the W.G.P. to have been constructed in 1956-1957. This is prior to county permitting, and therefore, the facility is considered to be a grandfathered location. Since there is no change in use, the change of regularity authority from the CDPHE to the COGCC will not trigger the need for Williams Field Services to apply for any county oil/gas facility permits.


In the future, any activity on the E&P waste treatment facility with a greater land use impact would likely trigger the need for County oil/gas facility permits to be obtained.

As the COGCC processes this permit, the County respectfully requests

- 1.) Odor produced by the facility be mitigated
- 2.) Williams Field Services ensures a current 24 hour emergency contact is on file with the county's Office of Emergency Management, and
- 3.) Williams Field Services notify the County of any future modifications to the site

Thank you again for the opportunity to provide comment. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 382-6263.

Sincerely,


Anthony Martinez
Natural Resources Planner