

FORM
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State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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Oil and Gas Location Assessment

New Location Amend Existing Location Location#: _____

Submit original plus one copy. This form is to be submitted to the COGCC prior to any ground disturbance activity associated with oil and gas development operations. This Assessment may be approved as a stand alone application or submitted as an informational report accompanying an Application for Permit-To-Drill, Form 2. Approval of this 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. This form may serve as notice to land owners and other interested parties, please see the COGCC web site at <http://colorado.gov/cogcc/> for all accompanying information pertinent to this Oil and Gas Location Assessment.

Location ID:
418617
Expiration Date:
08/30/2013

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

1. 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.

2. Operator

Operator Number: 28600
 Name: EXXON MOBIL CORPORATION
 Address: P O BOX 4358
 City: HOUSTON State: TX Zip: 77210-4358

3. Contact Information

Name: Roy Springfield
 Phone: (281) 654-1932
 Fax: ()
 email: roy.l.springfield@exxonmobil.com

4. Location Identification:

Name: North Piceance Unit Number: 197-5A
 County: RIO BLANCO
 Quarter: NWSE Section: 5 Township: 1S Range: 97W Meridian: 6 Ground Elevation: 6568
 Define a single point as a location reference for the facility location. This point should be used as the point of measurement in the drawings to be submitted with this application. When the location is to be used as a well site then the point shall be a well location.
 Footage at surface: 1887 feet, from North or South section line: FSL and 2159 feet, from East or West section line: FEL
 Latitude: 39.990956 Longitude: -108.303768 PDOP Reading: 2.6 Date of Measurement: 05/08/2009
 Instrument Operator's Name: K. Stewart

5. Facilities (Indicate the number of each type of oil and gas facility planned on location):

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| Special Purpose Pits: <input type="checkbox"/> | Drilling Pits: <input type="checkbox"/> 3 | Wells: <input type="checkbox"/> 1 | Production Pits: <input type="checkbox"/> | Dehydrator Units: <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Condensate Tanks: <input type="checkbox"/> | Water Tanks: <input type="checkbox"/> | Separators: <input type="checkbox"/> | Electric Motors: <input type="checkbox"/> | Multi-Well Pits: <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Gas or Diesel Motors: <input type="checkbox"/> | Cavity Pumps: <input type="checkbox"/> | LACT Unit: <input type="checkbox"/> | Pump Jacks: <input type="checkbox"/> | Pigging Station: <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Electric Generators: <input type="checkbox"/> | Gas Pipeline: <input type="checkbox"/> | Oil Pipeline: <input type="checkbox"/> | Water Pipeline: <input type="checkbox"/> | Flare: <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Gas Compressors: <input type="checkbox"/> | VOC Combustor: <input type="checkbox"/> | Oil Tanks: <input type="checkbox"/> | Fuel Tanks: <input type="checkbox"/> | |

Other: _____

6. Construction:

Date planned to commence construction: 03/01/2011 Size of disturbed area during construction in acres: 5.90
Estimated date that interim reclamation will begin: 03/01/2012 Size of location after interim reclamation in acres: 5.00
Estimated post-construction ground elevation: 6572 Will a closed loop system be used for drilling fluids: Yes
Will salt sections be encountered during drilling: Yes No X Is H2S anticipated? Yes No X
Will salt (>15,000 ppm TDS Cl) or oil based muds be used: Yes X No
Mud disposal: Offsite Onsite X Method: Land Farming Land Spreading Disposal Facility
Other: Burial

7. Surface Owner:

Name: Phone:
Address: Fax:
Address: Email:
City: State: Zip: Date of Rule 306 surface owner consultation: 11/12/2008
Surface Owner: Fee State X Federal Indian
Mineral Owner: Fee State X Federal Indian
The surface owner is: X the mineral owner committed to an oil and gas lease
is the executer of the oil and gas lease the applicant
The right to construct the location is granted by: X oil and gas lease Surface Use Agreement Right of Way
applicant is owner
Surface damage assurance if no agreement is in place: \$2000 \$5000 Blanket Surety ID

8. Reclamation Financial Assurance:

Well Surety ID: Gas Facility Surety ID: Waste Mgnt. Surety ID:

9. Cultural:

Is the location in a high density area (Rule 603.b.): Yes No X
Distance, in feet, to nearest building: 12575 , public road: 954 , above ground utilit: 4204
, railroad: 121440 , property line: 13872

10. Current Land Use (Check all that apply):

Crop Land: Irrigated Dry land Improved Pasture Hay Meadow CRP
Non-Crop Land: X Rangeland Timber Recreational X Other (describe): Grazing
Subdivided: Industrial Commercial Residential

11. Future Land Use (Check all that apply):

Crop Land: Irrigated Dry land Improved Pasture Hay Meadow CRP
Non-Crop Land: X Rangeland Timber Recreational X Other (describe): Grazing
Subdivided: Industrial Commercial Residential

12. Soils:

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 used when segregating topsoil.

The required information can be obtained from the NRCS web site at <http://soildatamart.nrcs.usda.gov/> 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: 73 Renstac channery loam, 5 to 50% slopes

NRCS Map Unit Name: _____

NRCS Map Unit Name: _____

13. 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: 05/08/2009

List individual species: Pinion, Juniper & Cedar trees. Sagebrush & Native Grasses.

Check all plant communities that exist in the disturbed area.

- Disturbed Grassland (Cactus, Yucca, Cheatgrass, Rye)
- Native Grassland (Bluestern, 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): _____

14. Water Resources:

Rule 901.e. may require a sensitive area determination be performed. If this determination is performed the data is to be submitted with the Form 2A.

Is this a sensitive area: No Yes Was a Rule 901.e. Sensitive Areas Determination performed: No Yes

Distance (in feet) to nearest surface water: 2004, water well: 5800, depth to ground water: 35

Is the location in a riparian area: No Yes Was an Army Corps of Engineers Section 404 permit filed No Yes

Is the location within a Rule 317B Surface Water Suppl Area buffer zone:

No 0-300 ft. zone 301-500 ft. zone 501-2640 ft. 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: No Yes

15. Comments:

This is for a Refile APD however unable to locate the Location ID # for this pad. This is a 1 well appraisal.

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

Signed: _____ Date: 08/05/2010 Email: roy.l.springfield@exxonmobil.com

Print Name: Roy L Springfield Title: Regulatory Specialist

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

David S. Neslin

COGCC Approved: _____

Director of COGCC

Date: 8/31/2010

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:

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.

All pits, except for flare, must be lined.

The moisture content of any drill cuttings in a cuttings pit, trench, or pile shall be as low as practicable to prevent accumulation of liquids greater than de minimis amounts. At the time of closure, the drill cuttings must also meet the applicable standards of table 910-1.

No portion of any pit that will be used to hold liquids shall be constructed on fill material, unless the pit and fill slope are designed and certified by a professional engineer, subject to review and approval by the director prior to construction of the pit. The construction and lining of the pit shall be supervised by a professional engineer or their agent. The entire base of the pit must be in cut.

Attachment Check List

| Att Doc Num | Name | Doc Description |
|-------------|------------------------|----------------------|
| 2033334 | CORRESPONDENCE | LF@2533092 2033334 |
| 400081228 | FORM 2A APPROVED | LF@2533975 400081228 |
| 400082258 | ACCESS ROAD MAP | LF@2519696 400082258 |
| 400082259 | HYDROLOGY MAP | LF@2519697 400082259 |
| 400082260 | NRCS MAP UNIT DESC | LF@2519698 400082260 |
| 400082262 | OTHER | LF@2519699 400082262 |
| 400082263 | WELL LOCATION PLAT | LF@2519700 400082263 |
| 400082264 | REFERENCE AREA MAP | LF@2519701 400082264 |
| 400082265 | LOCATION PICTURES | LF@2519702 400082265 |
| 400082494 | CONST. LAYOUT DRAWINGS | LF@2519703 400082494 |
| 400082496 | PROPOSED BMPs | LF@2519704 400082496 |
| 400089696 | FORM 2A SUBMITTED | LF@2519695 400089696 |

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General Comments

| <u>User Group</u> | <u>Comment</u> | <u>Comment Date</u> |
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| Permit | Received confirmation on "The Distance to nearest public road" - 954'. | 8/31/2010 9:07:53 AM |
| Permit | Requested confirmation on the "The Distance to nearest building, public road, above ground utility or railroad:" form 2A does not match form 2. | 8/30/2010 11:20:36 AM |
| DOW | CDOW has reviewed the lease agreement between the operator and the WRFO of BLM. CDOW affirms that the stipulations as defined by the lease agreement to be conditions of approval for this location. Submitted by: Ed Winters, Land Use Specialist 20 August 2010 @ 09:40 | 8/20/2010 9:46:17 AM |
| OGLA | Initiated/Completed OGLA Form 2A review on 08-16-10 by Dave Kubeczko; requested clarifications and acknowledgement of lined pits, cuttings low moisture, no pit in fill COAs from operator on 08-16-10; received clarifications and acknowledgement of COAs from operator on 08-19-10; passed by CDOW on 08-20-10, with BLM stipulations and COAs acceptable; passed OGLA Form 2A review on 08-31-10 by Dave Kubeczko; lined pits, cuttings low moisture, no pit in fill COAs. | 8/16/2010 2:51:40 PM |
| Permit | rechecked attachments when laserfiche back up - all looks ok | 8/9/2010 1:09:51 PM |
| Permit | Sarah initially was checking this - I finished/clarified: the 2A filed as new but well is a refile 05-103-11608; Roy indicated there was no location ID - but this is because a 2A had never been submitted before AND his comments DO NOT include the "5 statements". So talking it over with Bill Y he said to proceed with the 2A as new, etc. FYI - Sarah, in discussing the 2a with Jim Milne, Jim followed up with an email to Sara that he thought "the field code (should be changed)to Wildcat-99999 instead of Piceance Creek-68800 because it is several miles from the Piceance Creek Field. If they make a well, we may need to give it a new field name or call it Yellow Creek." I leave it to the permitters; Roy is out until 8/16 - I had left him a voice mail with followup email to ignore - due to above resolution/discussion with Bill Y. There was no location number because a 2A had never been submitted before this point. | 8/9/2010 9:56:23 AM |
| Permit | passed when laserfiche down - I forgot | 8/9/2010 9:55:53 AM |
| Permit | This is a refile but missing Location ID. 8/6 sf | 8/6/2010 1:15:41 PM |

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