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August 11, 2010

Mr. Bruce T. Barker
Weld County Commissioners
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Fed Ex: 8723 4231 2854
(970-336-7235)

RE: 20 day comment period (Rule 305.c.) waiver
Notice of decision (Rule 305.d.(1)) waiver
Consultation with local government (Rule 306.b.) waiver


Antelope 18I, Antelope 43-18, and Antelope 44-18, to be drilled from a location in the NE/4 SE/4 of Section 18, T-5N, R-62W, 6th P.M., Weld County, Colorado
Antelope 41-19 and Antelope 44-19, to be drilled from locations in the SE/4 NE/4 and NE/4 SE/4, respectively of Sect 19, T-5N, R-62W, 6th P.M., Weld County, Colorado

Dear Mr. Barker:

Bonanza Creek Energy Operating, LLC ("Bonanza") intends to directionally drill the above mentioned oil and gas wells to be located as described above, on your property. These wells, which were previously permitted as vertical wells were later deemed by the surface owner to be permitted at unsuitable locations. In order to drill the wells directionally, from mutually agreed upon surface locations, Bonanza Creek will be required to sundry or refile the Applications for Permit to Drill, and Amend the OGLA Assessment (Form 2A) for the above referenced wells. In order to maintain our drilling schedule, Bonanza Creek respectfully requests you waive the 20 day comment period, COGCC Rule 305.c, as well as Rules 305.d.(1) and 306.b.

By signing this letter, you hereby grant your consent to Bonanza Creek and the COGCC to expedite the permitting process for the well permits required to be refilled, by waiving Rules 305.c, 305.d.(1) and 306.b.

Sincerely,
BONANZA CREEK ENERGY OPERATING COMPANY, LLC


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Weld County Board of Commissioners

By 

Title: Douglas Rademacher, Chair

Date: AUG 25 2010

Designated Representative (if any)

Designated Representative (Agent): _____

Address: _____

Telephone: Home _____ Work _____

Bonanza Creek Energy Operating Co., LLC

By 

Title: V.P. Operations EM

Date: 8-31-10