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Subject: Apache Canyon 30-07 2A Document # 400164359, XTO

Kelly,

The COGCC is reviewing the Form 2A (Doc# 400164359) for the XTO Energy Apache Canyon 30-07 location, located in the SWNE Sec 30 T34S R67W Las Animas County, Colorado. The COGCC requests the following changes regarding the data submitted on or attached to the Form 2A prior to passing the Oil and Gas Location Assessment (OGLA).

1. Site specific BMPs: Please provide site specific BMPs for dealing with erosion on the cut/fill slopes and storm water run on/off.
2. COAS:
 - Due to the shallow soils and underlying fractured bed rock the following will apply: Location is in a sensitive area because of potential for adverse impacts to ground water/surface water; therefore all pits will be lined.
 - Location is on steep slopes; therefore the cut and fill slopes should be constructed in such a manner to manage site drainage and slope stability. The slopes shall be stabilized immediately after the location has been constructed.
 - Operator must implement site-specific best management practices in accordance with good engineering practices, including, but not limited to, construction of a berm or diversion dike, site grading, or other comparable measures, sufficient to protect the drainage located 400 feet south of the oil and gas location from a release of drilling, completion, produced fluids, and chemical products.
 - Notify the COGCC Oil and Gas Location Assessment (OGLA) specialist for South Eastern Colorado (Arthur Koepsell; email arthur.koepsell@state.co.us) 72 hours prior to initiating pad construction.

Should you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thanks,

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