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State of Colorado  
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission  
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Plugging Bond Surety

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**APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO:**

1. ☒ Drill, ☐ Deepen, ☐ Re-enter, ☐ Recomplete and Operate

2. TYPE OF WELL

OIL ☐ GAS ☒ COALBED ☐ OTHER \_\_\_\_\_  
SINGLE ZONE ☐ MULTIPLE ZONE ☒ COMMINGLE ZONE ☒

Refiling ☐  
Sidetrack ☐

3. Name of Operator: OXY USA WTP LP

4. COGCC Operator Number: 66571

5. Address: P O BOX 27757

City: HOUSTON State: TX Zip: 77227

6. Contact Name: Joan Proulx Phone: (970)263.3641 Fax: (970)263.3694  
Email: joan\_proulx@oxy.com

7. Well Name: Cascade Creek Well Number: 697-04-84A

8. Unit Name (if appl): \_\_\_\_\_ Unit Number: \_\_\_\_\_

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 9680

**WELL LOCATION INFORMATION**

10. QtrQtr: NWSW Sec: 4 Twp: 6S Rng: 97W Meridian: 6

Latitude: 39.548810 Longitude: -108.230130

Footage at Surface: 1498 feet FNL/FSL 1134 feet FEL/FWL  
FSL FWL

11. Field Name: Grand Valley Field Number: 31290

12. Ground Elevation: 8642 13. County: GARFIELD

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 04/08/2011 PDOP Reading: 1.6 Instrument Operator's Name: R. Seal

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

Footage at Top of Prod Zone: FNL/FSL 358 FSL 2295 FWL 358 FSL 2295 FWL  
Bottom Hole: FNL/FSL 358 FSL 2295 FWL  
Sec: 4 Twp: 6S Rng: 97W Sec: 4 Twp: 6S Rng: 97W

16. Is location in a high density area? (Rule 603b)? ☐ Yes ☒ No

17. Distance to the nearest building, public road, above ground utility or railroad: 6693 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 4273 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation: 330 ft

20. **LEASE, SPACING AND POOLING INFORMATION**

| Objective Formation(s) | Formation Code | Spacing Order Number(s) | Unit Acreage Assigned to Well | Unit Configuration (N/2, SE/4, etc.) |
|------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Iles                   | ILES           | 510-48                  |                               |                                      |
| Williams Fork          | WMFK           | 510-15                  |                               |                                      |

21. Mineral Ownership: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian Lease #: \_\_\_\_\_

22. Surface Ownership: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian

23. Is the Surface Owner also the Mineral Owner? ☒ Yes ☐ No Surface Surety ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

23a. If 23 is Yes: Is the Surface Owner(s) signature on the lease? ☐ Yes ☐ No

23b. If 23 is No ☐ Surface Owners Agreement Attached or ☐ \$25,000 Blanket Surface Bon ☐ \$2,000 Surface Bond ☐ \$5,000 Surface Bond

24. Using standard QtrQtr, Sec, Twp, Rng format enter entire mineral lease description upon which this proposed wellsite is located (attach separate sheet/map if you prefer):  
See attached Mineral Lease Description

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 4891 ft 26. Total Acres in Lease: 9640

### DRILLING PLANS AND PROCEDURES

27. Is H2S anticipated? ☐ Yes ☒ No If Yes, attach contingency plan.

28. Will salt sections be encountered during drilling? ☐ Yes ☒ No

29. Will salt (>15,000 ppm TDS CL) or oil based muds be used during drilling? ☐ Yes ☒ No

30. If questions 28 or 29 are yes, is this location in a sensitive area (Rule 901.e)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

31. Mud disposal: ☐ Offsite ☒ Onsite **If 28, 29, or 30 are "Yes" a pit permit may be required.**

Method: ☒ Land Farming ☐ Land Spreading ☐ Disposal Facility Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Note: The use of an earthen pit for Recompletion fluids requires a pit permit (Rule 905b). If air/gas drilling, notify local fire officials.

| Casing Type | Size of Hole | Size of Casing | Wt/Ft | Csg/Liner Top | Setting Depth | Sacks Cmt | Cmt Btm | Cmt Top |
|-------------|--------------|----------------|-------|---------------|---------------|-----------|---------|---------|
| CONDUCTOR   | 24+0/0       | 16+0/0         | 65    | 0             | 90            | 4         | 90      | 0       |
| SURF        | 14+3/4       | 9+5/8          | 36    | 0             | 2,690         | 1,210     | 2,690   | 0       |
| 1ST         | 8+3/4        | 4+1/2          | 11.6  | 0             | 9,565         | 1,912     | 9,565   | 5,933   |

32. BOP Equipment Type: ☒ Annular Preventer ☒ Double Ram ☒ Rotating Head ☐ None

33. Comments Oxy is both the surface and mineral owner; Rules 305 and 306 are waived. The well pad has not been constructed. A semi-closed loop system will be used. Per GarCo Vacation Ordinance dated 10-5-1987, CR 213 is now OXY's private property north of Sec 8, 7S, 97W, 6 PM. Oxy will provide appropriate housing for essential personnel in order to conduct safe, efficient drilling operations at this well site. Oxy will comply with Notice to Operators (NTO) Drilling wells on the Roan Plateau (June 12, 2008). The CDOW pre-consultation meeting occurred on Feb. 11, 2011.

34. Location ID: \_\_\_\_\_

35. Is this application in a Comprehensive Drilling Plan ? ☐ Yes ☐ No

36. Is this application part of submitted Oil and Gas Location Assessment ? ☒ Yes ☐ No

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

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Print Name: Joan Proulx

Title: Regulatory Analyst Date: 4/25/2011 Email: joan\_proulx@oxy.com

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: David S. Neslin Director of COGCC Date: 5/19/2011

Permit Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: 5/18/2013

**API NUMBER**

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**CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL, IF ANY:**

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.

(1) COMPLIANCE WITH THE MOST CURRENT REVISION OF THE NORTHWEST COLORADO NOTIFICATION POLICY IS REQUIRED.

(2) GARFIELD COUNTY RULISON-FIELD NOTICE TO OPERATORS. NOTE: ALL NOTICES SHALL BE GIVEN VIA E-MAIL. SEE ATTACHED NOTICE.

(3) OPERATOR MUST ENSURE 110 PERCENT SECONDARY CONTAINMENT FOR ANY VOLUME OF FLUIDS CONTAINED AT WELL-SITE DURING DRILLING AND COMPLETION OPERATIONS. IF FLUIDS ARE CONVEYED VIA PIPELINE, OPERATOR MUST IMPLEMENT BEST-MANAGEMENT-PRACTICES TO CONTAIN ANY UNINTENTIONAL RELEASE OF FLUIDS.

(4) 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.

(5) 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.

(6) THE 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 00 FEET DEEP.

**Attachment Check List**

| Att Doc Num | Name                    |
|-------------|-------------------------|
| 400155022   | FORM 2 SUBMITTED        |
| 400155026   | LEGAL/LEASE DESCRIPTION |
| 400155027   | TOPO MAP                |
| 400155028   | DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN  |
| 400155030   | WELL LOCATION PLAT      |

Total Attach: 5 Files

**General Comments**

| <u>User Group</u> | <u>Comment</u> | <u>Comment Date</u> |
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## **BMP**

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| Storm Water/Erosion Control            | Stormwater management plans (SWMP) are in place to address construction, drilling and operations associated with Oil & Gas development throughout the state of Colorado in accordance with Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE) General Permit No. COR-039527. BMP's will be constructed around the perimeter of the site prior to, or at the beginning of construction. BMP's used will vary according to the location, and will remain in place until the pad reaches final reclamation  |
| General Housekeeping                   | be temporarily stored in sealed containers and regularly collected and disposed of at offsite, suitable facilities. If spills occur prompt cleanup is required to minimize any commingling of waste materials with stormwater runoff. Routine maintenance will be limited to fueling and lubrication of equipment. Drip pans will be used during routine fueling and maintenance to contain spills or leaks. Any waste product from maintenance will be containerized and transported offsite for disposal or recycling. There will be no major equipment overhauls conducted onsite. Equipment will be transported offsite for major overhauls. Cleanup of trash and discarded materials will be conducted at the end of each work day. Cleanup will consist of patrolling the roadway, access areas, and other work areas to pickup trash, scrap debris, other discarded materials, and any contaminated soil. These materials will be disposed of properly. |
| Material Handling and Spill Prevention | Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasures (SPCC) plans are in place to address any possible spill associated with Oil & Gas operations throughout the state of Colorado in accordance with CFR 112.   |

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