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April 26, 2011

Tari Hoagland  
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**VIA HAND DELIVERY**

Re: Notice of Intent to Conduct Surface Operations /  
Compliance with COGCC Rule 306  
Township 3 North, Range 68 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.  
Section 4: S/2SE/4  
Weld County, Colorado

Dear Tari:

The Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission ("COGCC") has adopted guidelines and procedures regarding oil and gas activities affecting the surface. COGCC rule 305 stipulates that an affected surface owner must be given advance notice in writing by an operator at least thirty (30) days prior to drilling an oil and gas well. Apollo Operating, LLC ("Apollo") would like to begin operations to drill oil and gas well(s) as per the attached Exhibit "A" on the above captioned lands upon approval of title and receipt of a permit from the COGCC prior to **December 31, 2011**. As the surface owner, it is your responsibility to notify the tenant farmer, if applicable, of this proposed operation; we expect to stake the well location(s) in the next 2-4 weeks.

As principle of Apollo I would like to personally meet with you on site to conduct a good-faith consultation as required under COGCC Rule 306 regarding the location of said oil and gas well(s), access road(s), pipeline(s), related facilities, and subsequent reclamation plans. The COGCC's brochure for surface owners containing the rules pertaining to notice of oil and gas operations, reclamation and opportunities for consultation thereon, as well as, the rules of procedure for filing complaints and making applications is enclosed herewith; in addition thereto please also find the COGCC's "Onsite Inspection Policy" for your review.

Please call me at 303.830.0888 Ext. 203 (office) or at 303.349.7586 (cell) if you have questions and/or to discuss this matter; I can also be reached via e-mail at [jwhite@apollooperating.com](mailto:jwhite@apollooperating.com).

Very truly yours,

**APOLLO OPERATING, LLC**

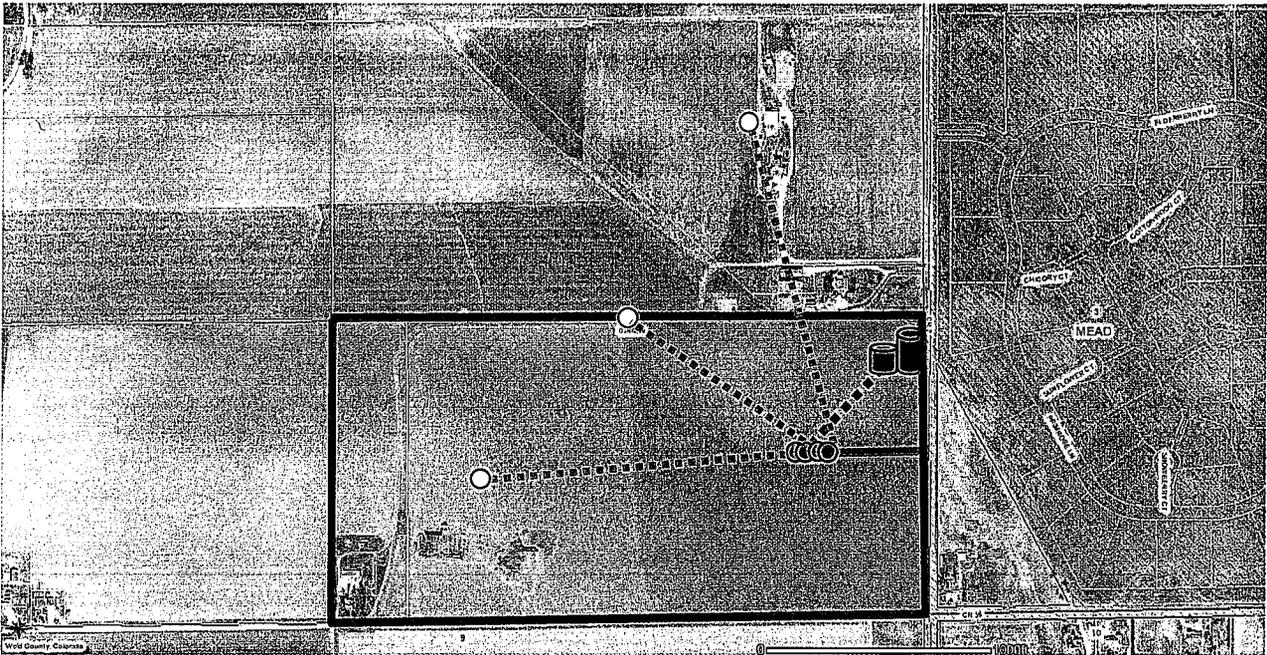
A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jesse".

Jesse L. White, CPL  
Operations Manager

CC. Bruce T. Barker, [bbarker@co.weld.co.us](mailto:bbarker@co.weld.co.us) (Local Government Designee)

Exhibit "A"

Township: 3 North, Range 68 West, 6th P.M.  
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	Permanent Road and Drilling Rig Access
	Flow Lines
	Tank Facility
	Surface Well Head Location
	Directional Well Bottom Hole Location
	Directional Well Bore

\* All locations are approximate and subject to minor adjustments