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Mr. David Neslin, Director
Colorado Oil & Gas Commission
1120 Lincoln St. Suite 801
Denver, CO 80203

RE: NW/4 Section 2 T3N R68W
Weld County, Colorado
Well Name: Margil Farms 11-2D, Margil Farms 25-2D, Margil Farms 12-2D

Dear Mr. Neslin,

Apollo Operating, LLC, respectfully requests your consent to drill the Margil Farms 11-2D well located 1531 feet from the North Line and 711 feet from the West Line, Margil Farms 25-2D well located 1550 feet from the North Line and 717 feet from the West Line and Margil Farms 12-2D well located 1569 feet from the North Line and 723 feet from the West Line, in the NW/4 of Section 2 T3N R68W. This proposed surface location lies outside of the designated drilling windows according to the Rule 318.c. setback, for all wells drilled for oil and gas to a common source of supply.

This request is being made due to proximity to surface property lines and consultation with the surface owner.

Very Respectfully,

APOLLO OPERATING, LLC

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Nick Granruth". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long, sweeping tail that extends downwards and to the right.

Nick Granruth
General Partner