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Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission
The Chancery Building
1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801
Denver, CO 80203
Attn: Mr. David Neslin, Director

RE: LONG C20-22D
Codell/Niobrara New Drill
Township 4 North, Range 64 West, 6th P.M.
Section 20: NW/4NE/4: 1162' FNL & 2456' FEL (Surface Location)
Section 20: SE/4NE/4: 2550' FNL & 1320' FEL (Bottom Hole Location)
Weld County, Colorado

Mr. Neslin:

Noble Energy, Inc. ("NEI") is planning to drill the captioned boundary well in accordance with the provisions of COGCC Rule 318A.e.

NEI's proposed wellbore spacing unit consists of the S/2NE/4, N/2SE/4 Sec. 20, T4N, R64W, creating a 160-acre wellbore spacing unit. NEI is the only owner within the proposed wellbore spacing unit, therefore NEI hereby attests that no notice letters are required under COGCC Rule 318A.e.(6).

Enclosed are copies of the following documents to assist you in your review and approval of NEI's proposed APD for the captioned well:

- Plat illustrating the proposed wellbore spacing unit and number of Codell/Niobrara wells located within the existing 160-acre governmental quarter section(s) (NE/4) to be less than eight (8) in accordance with COGCC Rule 318A.f.
- Plat illustrating proposed wellbore spacing unit on existing location plat.

Thank you for your attention to the enclosed. NEI respectfully requests that the COGCC review the enclosed information and approve the Application for Permit to Drill the captioned well.

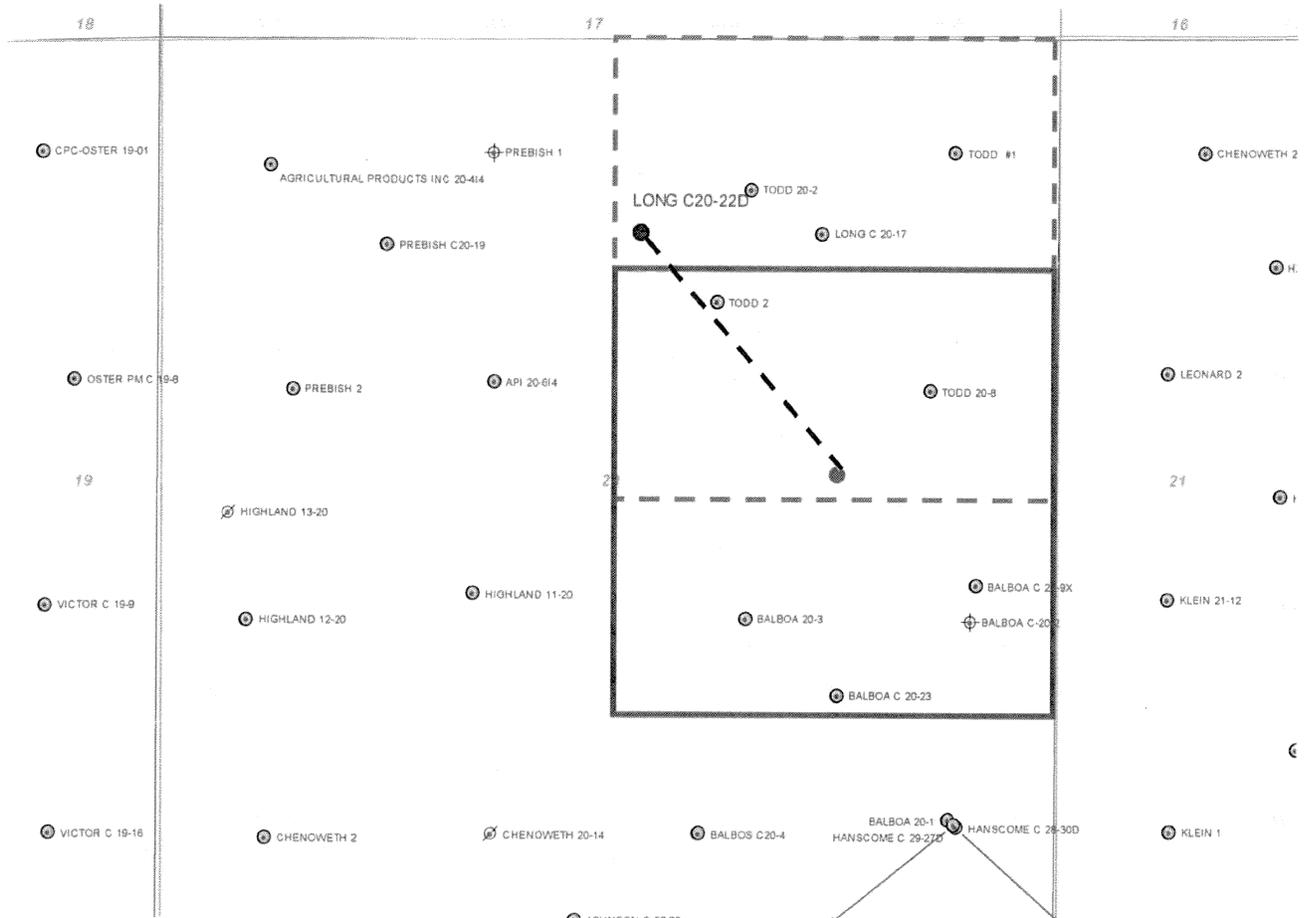
Sincerely,

Mari Clark
Regulatory Analyst II
Noble Energy Inc.

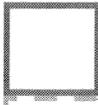
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SE/4NE/4 Section 20, Township 4 North, Range 64 West



Legend

 Proposed 160 acre spacing unit	 Bottom Hole Location
 Bottom Hole Located NE/4, Sec. 20, T4N, R64W	

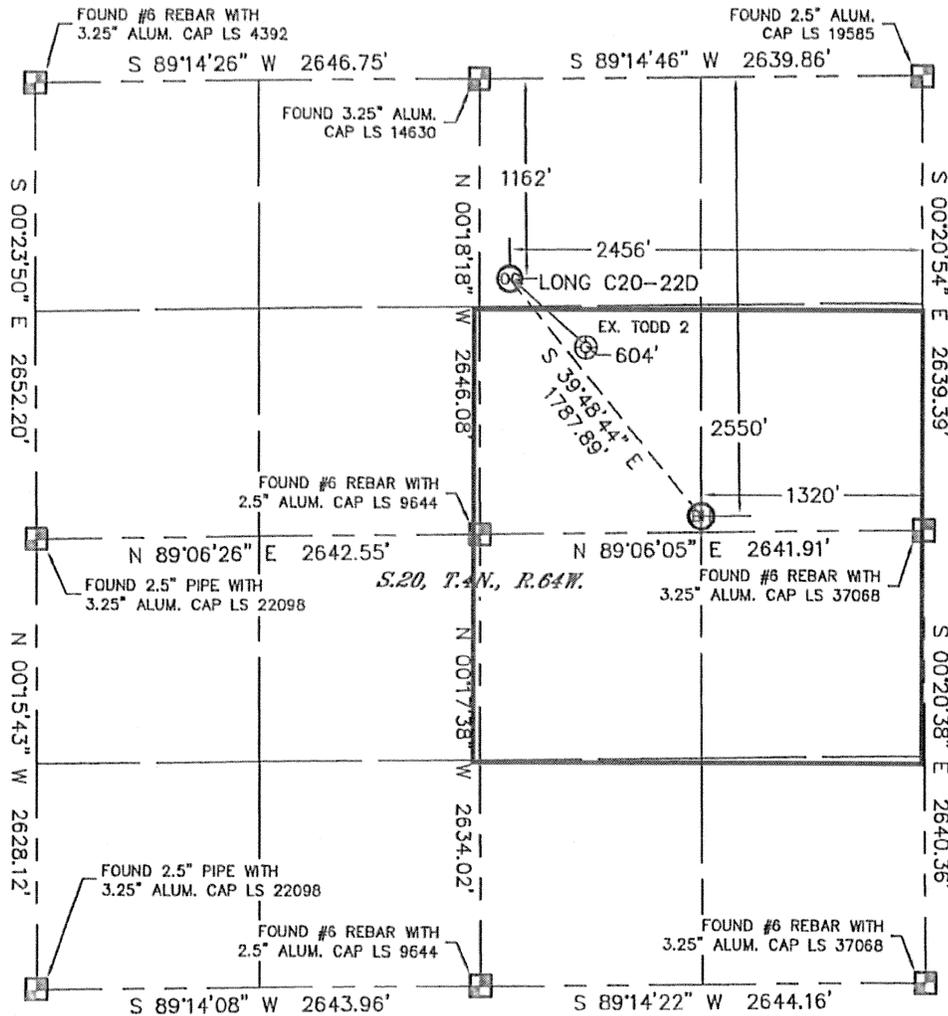
The governmental ¼ Section has less than 8 bottom hole wells producing from the Codell, Niobrara, and J-Sand formations.

Lat40°, Inc. 1635 Foxtrail Drive, Suite 325 Loveland, CO 970-776-3321

WELL LOCATION CERTIFICATE

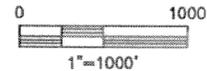
THIS MAP DOES NOT REPRESENT A BOUNDARY SURVEY

SECTION: 20
TOWNSHIP: 4N
RANGE: 64W



In accordance with a request from Brian DeRose with Noble Energy Inc., Lat40°, Inc. has determined the surface location of the LONG C20-22D to be 1162' from the NORTH line and 2456' from the EAST line and the bottom hole to be 2550' from the NORTH line and 1320' from the EAST line as measured at right angles from the section lines of Section 20, Township 4 North, Range 64 West of the Sixth Principal Meridian, County of Weld, State of Colorado.

I hereby state that this Well Location Certificate was prepared by me, or under my direct supervision, that the fieldwork was completed on 5/27/11, for and on behalf of Noble Energy Inc. That this is not a Land Survey Plat or an Improvement Survey Plat, and that it is not to be relied upon for establishment of fence, building, or other future improvement lines.



NOTE:

- 1) Bearings shown are Grid Bearings of the Colorado State Plane Coordinate System, North Zone, North American Datum 1983/2007. The lineal dimensions as contained herein are based upon the "U.S. Survey Foot."
- 2) Ground elevations are based on an observed GPS elevation (NAVD 1988 DATUM).
- 3) NEAREST EXISTING WELL: TODD 2, 604'
- 4) IMPROVEMENTS: See LOCATION DRAWING for all visible improvements within 400' of disturbed area.
- 5) SURFACE USE: PASTURE
- 6) INSTRUMENT OPERATOR: AARON LUND

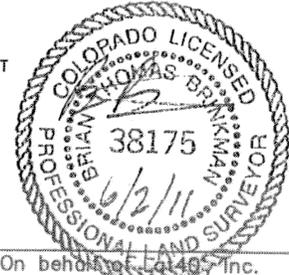
SURFACE LOCATION
 LATITUDE: 40.30198°N
 LONGITUDE: 104.57397°W
 PDOP: 1.6
 ELEV: 4733'
 1/4, 1/4: NW1/4NE1/4
 NEAREST PROPERTY LINE: 184' WEST

BOTTOM HOLE
 LATITUDE: 40.29818°N
 LONGITUDE: 104.56992°W

NOTE

According to Colorado law, you must commence any legal action based upon any defect in this W.L.C. within three years after you discover such defect. In no event, may any action based upon any defect in this survey be commenced more than ten years after the date of the certificate shown hereon. (13-80-105 C.R.S.)

- LEGEND**
-  = ALIQUOT MONUMENT AS DESCRIBED
 -  = CALCULATED POSITION



Brian T. Brinkman—On behalf of Lat40°, Inc.
 Colorado Licensed Professional
 Land Surveyor No. 38175
 PROJECT#: 2011130