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State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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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 ☐ COMMINGLE ☐

Refiling ☐

Sidetrack ☐

3. Name of Operator: PETROLEUM DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION

4. COGCC Operator Number: 69175

5. Address: 1775 SHERMAN STREET - STE 3000

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80203

6. Contact Name: Liz Lindow Phone: (303)831-3974 Fax: ()

Email: llindow@petd.com

7. Well Name: Wells Ranch Well Number: 34E-232

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

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 11191

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: NWNW Sec: 34 Twp: 6N Rng: 63W Meridian: 6

Latitude: 40.446780 Longitude: -104.432520

Footage at Surface: 1240 feet FNL/FSL FNL 50 feet FEL/FWL FWL

11. Field Name: Wattenberg Field Number: 90750

12. Ground Elevation: 4804 13. County: WELD

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 02/19/2012 PDOP Reading: 1.1 Instrument Operator's Name: Adam Kelly

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

Footage at Top of Prod Zone: FNL/FSL FEL/FWL Bottom Hole: FNL/FSL FEL/FWL
200 FNL 500 FWL 200 FNL 500 FEL
Sec: 34 Twp: 6N Rng: 63W Sec: 34 Twp: 6N Rng: 63W

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: 1240 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 50 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation(BHL): 450 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.)
Niobrara	NBRR		320	See comments

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 Bond ☐ \$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):

All of section 34 T6N R63W

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 200 ft

26. Total Acres in Lease: 640

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: Closed loop

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
SURF	12+1/4	9+5/8	36	0	875	730	875	0
1ST	8+3/4	7	26	0	7,215	650	7,215	600
1ST LINER	6+1/8	4+1/2	11.6	6018	11,191			

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

33. Comments Conductor casing will not be used. Operator requests an exception location per rule 318Aa, rule 318Ac, and rule 603a2: well will not be drilled in a legal drilling window, not be twinned with an existing well, and will be closer than 150' to the nearest property line. Waviers attached. Per rule 318Ae, the Operator requests the proposed spacing unit consisting of 320 acres, N2N2 of Sec 34 and S2S2 of Sec 27 in T6N R63W. Proposed spacing unit map and 30-day certificate are attached.

34. Location ID: 427366

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: Liz Lindow

Title: Permit Representative Date: 4/18/2012 Email: llindow@petd.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: _____ Director of COGCC Date: _____

API NUMBER

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Permit Number: _____ Expiration Date: _____

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.

Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num	Name
400266100	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400266109	30 DAY NOTICE LETTER
400266111	EXCEPTION LOC WAIVERS
400266127	PROPOSED SPACING UNIT
400273682	DIRECTIONAL DATA
400273683	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN
400273684	EXCEPTION LOC REQUEST
400273685	EXCEPTION LOC WAIVERS
400273687	TOPO MAP

Total Attach: 9 Files

General Comments

User Group	Comment	Comment Date

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