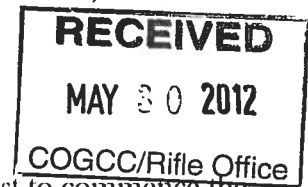




**Krabacher, Jay**

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**To:** Schmidt, Andrew  
**Cc:** Tannehill, Julie; Burt, Samuel; Beougher, Justin; Davis, Gregory; Andrews, David  
**Subject:** RE: Bradenhead pressure on the SG 413-27 (045-21024)



Andrew:

We also spoke on the phone regarding this - and decided that it is in WPX's best interest to commence the venting through the hard line to a tank. The plan outlined below is acceptable.

As is obvious, please do continue to monitor the bradenhead pressure. You also mentioned that a Sundry Notice documenting this should be received by COGCC soon.

Regards,

Jay Krabacher

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**From:** Schmidt, Andrew [<mailto:Andrew.Schmidt@wpxenergy.com>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, May 30, 2012 12:37 PM  
**To:** Krabacher, Jay; King, Kevin  
**Cc:** Tannehill, Julie; Burt, Samuel; Beougher, Justin; Davis, Gregory  
**Subject:** Bradenhead pressure on the SG 413-27

Jay,

This email is to inform you that we have observed bradenhead pressures on a well in the South Grand Valley Field on our SG 24-27 pad.

**SG 413-27 (API 05-045-21024)**

- This is a new well that has not yet been completed. The approximate first frac date is 6/25/2012.
- We do not yet know the top of cement as the well has not been logged (the drilling rig is currently obstructing access to this well).
- The geologist's current pick for the Mesa Verde top is 2358'.
- The geologist's current pick for the top of gas is 3707'.
- Observed bradenhead pressure is 300psi as of 6:45am today.

With your permission, I would like to run a hard line to a tank and vent the bradenhead pressure. I would also like to continue with completion operations as scheduled. Once we begin frac'ing the well, we will shut in the bradenhead, but will monitor during the operation. Once the well is completely stimulated, venting will resume for approximately 1 month at which point we will shut-in and check for build up. If buildup does not occur, then we will shut in the bradenhead and will monitor for the life of the well. Is this plan acceptable?

Thanks,  
Andrew

**Please note my email address has changed as of January 1st, 2012 to: [andrew.schmidt@wpxenergy.com](mailto:andrew.schmidt@wpxenergy.com)**

**Andrew Schmidt**  
Senior Completions Engineer