

# State of Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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## Oil and Gas Location Assessment

☒ New Location      ☐ Amend Existing Location      Location#: \_\_\_\_\_

Submit original plus one copy. This form is to be submitted to the COGCC prior to any ground disturbance activity associated with oil and gas development operations. This Assessment may be approved as a standalone application or submitted as an informational report accompanying an Application for Permit-To-Drill, Form 2. Approval of this Assessment will allow for the construction of the below specified location; however, it does not supersede any land use rules applied by the local land use authority. This form may serve as notice to land owners and other interested parties, please see the COGCC web site at <http://colorado.gov/cogcc/> for all accompanying information pertinent to this Oil and Gas Location Assessment.

Location ID:

**429693**

Expiration Date:

**07/25/2015**
☒ This location assessment is included as part of a permit application.

### 1. CONSULTATION

- ☐ This location is included in a Comprehensive Drilling Plan. CDP # \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ This location is in a sensitive wildlife habitat area.
- ☐ This location is in a wildlife restricted surface occupancy area.
- ☐ This location includes a Rule 306.d.(1)A.ii. variance request.

### 2. Operator

Operator Number: 96340

Name: WIEPKING-FULLERTON ENERGY LLC

Address: 4600 S DOWNING ST

City: ENGLEWOOD State: CO Zip: 80113

### 3. Contact Information

Name: Jack Fincham

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### 4. Location Identification:

Name: Mahalo Number: # 10

County: LINCOLN

QuarterQuarter: SWNW Section: 29 Township: 10S Range: 55W Meridian: 6 Ground Elevation: 5213

Define a single point as a location reference for the facility location. This point should be used as the point of measurement in the drawings to be submitted with this application. When the location is to be used as a well site then the point shall be a well location.

Footage at surface: 1980 feet FNL, from North or South section line, and 660 feet FWL, from East or West section line.

Latitude: 39.151430 Longitude: -103.582380 PDOP Reading: 2.6 Date of Measurement: 05/29/2012

Instrument Operator's Name: Keith Westfall

### 5. Facilities (Indicate the number of each type of oil and gas facility planned on location):

Special Purpose Pits: <input type="text"/>	Drilling Pits: <input type="text" value="1"/>	Wells: <input type="text" value="1"/>	Production Pits: <input type="text"/>	Dehydrator Units: <input type="text"/>
Condensate Tanks: <input type="text"/>	Water Tanks: <input type="text" value="0"/>	Separators: <input type="text" value="0"/>	Electric Motors: <input type="text"/>	Multi-Well Pits: <input type="text"/>
Gas or Diesel Motors: <input type="text"/>	Cavity Pumps: <input type="text"/>	LACT Unit: <input type="text"/>	Pump Jacks: <input type="text" value="1"/>	Pigging Station: <input type="text"/>
Electric Generators: <input type="text"/>	Gas Pipeline: <input type="text"/>	Oil Pipeline: <input type="text" value="1"/>	Water Pipeline: <input type="text"/>	Flare: <input type="text"/>
Gas Compressors: <input type="text"/>	VOC Combustor: <input type="text"/>	Oil Tanks: <input type="text" value="0"/>	Fuel Tanks: <input type="text"/>	

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### 6. Construction:

Date planned to commence construction: 08/01/2012 Size of disturbed area during construction in acres: 3.00  
 Estimated date that interim reclamation will begin: 09/01/2012 Size of location after interim reclamation in acres: 1.00  
 Estimated post-construction ground elevation: 5213 Will a closed loop system be used for drilling fluids: Yes ☐ No ☒  
 Will salt sections be encountered during drilling: Yes ☐ No ☒ Is H2S anticipated? Yes ☐ No ☒  
 Will salt (>15,000 ppm TDS Cl) or oil based muds be used: Yes ☐ No ☒  
 Mud disposal: Offsite ☐ Onsite ☒ Method: Land Farming ☐ Land Spreading ☐ Disposal Facility ☐  
 Other: Backfill when dry

## 7. Surface Owner:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Rule 306 surface owner consultation: 05/23/2012  
 Surface Owner: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian  
 Mineral Owner: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian  
 The surface owner is: ☐ the mineral owner ☐ committed to an oil and gas lease  
                                   ☐ is the executer of the oil and gas lease ☐ the applicant  
 The right to construct the location is granted by: ☐ oil and gas lease ☒ Surface Use Agreement ☐ Right of Way  
   ☐ applicant is owner  
 Surface damage assurance if no agreement is in place: ☐ \$2000 ☐ \$5000 ☐ Blanket Surety ID \_\_\_\_\_

## 8. Reclamation Financial Assurance:

☒ Well Surety ID: 20090067 ☐ Gas Facility Surety ID: \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Waste Mgnt. Surety ID: \_\_\_\_\_

## 9. Cultural:

Is the location in a high density area (Rule 603.b.): Yes ☐ No ☒  
 Distance, in feet, to nearest building: 5280 , public road: 660 , above ground utilit: 5280  
   , railroad: 5280 , property line: 660

## 10. Current Land Use (Check all that apply):

Crop Land: ☐ Irrigated ☐ Dry land ☐ Improved Pasture ☐ Hay Meadow ☐ CRP  
 Non-Crop Land: ☒ Rangeland ☐ Timber ☐ Recreational ☐ Other (describe): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Subdivided: ☐ Industrial ☐ Commercial ☐ Residential

## 11. Future Land Use (Check all that apply):

Crop Land: ☐ Irrigated ☐ Dry land ☐ Improved Pasture ☐ Hay Meadow ☐ CRP  
 Non-Crop Land: ☒ Rangeland ☐ Timber ☐ Recreational ☐ Other (describe): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Subdivided: ☐ Industrial ☐ Commercial ☐ Residential

## 12. Soils:

List all soil map units that occur within the proposed location. Attach the National Resource Conservation Service (NRCS) report showing the "Map Unit Description" report listing the soil typical vertical profile. This data is to be used when segregating topsoil.

The required information can be obtained from the NRCS web site at <http://soildatamart.nrcs.usda.gov/> or from the COGCC web site GIS Online map page found at <http://colorado.gov/cogcc>. Instructions are provided within the COGCC web site help section.

NRCS Map Unit Name: 114-Bijou loamy sand, moist, 1-3% slopes

NRCS Map Unit Name: 193-Valent sand, 3-20% slopes

NRCS Map Unit Name:

### 13. Plant Community:

Complete this section only if any portion of the disturbed area of the location's current land use is on non-crop land.

Are noxious weeds present: Yes ☐ No ☒

Plant species from: ☒ NRCS or, ☐ field observation Date of observation: \_\_\_\_\_

List individual species: Blue grama, prairie sandreed, little bluestem, sideoates grama, needleandthread

Check all plant communities that exist in the disturbed area.

- ☐ Disturbed Grassland (Cactus, Yucca, Cheatgrass, Rye)  
☒ Native Grassland (Bluestem, Grama, Wheatgrass, Buffalograss, Fescue, Oatgrass, Brome)  
☐ Shrub Land (Mahogany, Oak, Sage, Serviceberry, Chokecherry)  
☐ Plains Riparian (Cottonwood, Willow, Aspen, Maple, Poplar, Russian Olive, Tamarisk)  
☐ Mountain Riparian (Cottonwood, Willow, Blue Spruce)  
☐ Forest Land (Spruce, Fir, Ponderosa Pine, Lodgepole Pine, Juniper, Pinyon, Aspen)  
☐ Wetlands Aquatic (Bullrush, Sedge, Cattail, Arrowhead)  
☐ Alpine (above timberline)  
☐ Other (describe): \_\_\_\_\_

### 14. Water Resources:

Rule 901.e. may require a sensitive area determination be performed. If this determination is performed the data is to be submitted with the Form 2A.

Is this a sensitive area: ☒ No ☐ Yes Was a Rule 901.e. Sensitive Areas Determination performed: ☒ No ☐ Yes

Distance (in feet) to nearest surface water: 611, water well: 3078, depth to ground water: 30

Is the location in a riparian area: ☒ No ☐ Yes Was an Army Corps of Engineers Section 404 permit filed ☒ No ☐ Yes

Is the location within a Rule 317B Surface Water Suppl Area buffer zone:

☒ No ☐ 0-300 ft. zone ☐ 301-500 ft. zone ☐ 501-2640 ft. zone

If the location is within a Rule 317B Surface Water Supply Area buffer have all public water supply systems within 15 miles been notified: ☐ No ☐ Yes

### 15. Comments:

Nearest Railroad more than 5280'. Nearest utility more than 5280' feet. Nearest building more than 5280' feet. One Separator, one oil tank and one water tank will be located the the Mahalo # 2 tank battery located Sec. 29: NESW, T10S, R55W. No additional surface disturbance required.

I hereby certify that the statements made in this form are, to the best of my knowledge, true, correct and complete.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: 06/15/2012 Email: fincham4@msn.com

Print Name: Jack Fincham Title: Agent

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: 7/26/2012

**CONDITIONS OF  
APPROVAL, IF ANY:**

All representations, stipulations and conditions of approval stated in this Form 2A for this location shall constitute representations, stipulations and conditions of approval for any and all subsequent operations on the location unless this Form 2A is modified by Sundry Notice, Form 4 or an Amended Form 2A.

**Attachment Check List**

Att Doc Num	Name
2533612	CORRESPONDENCE
400296383	FORM 2A SUBMITTED
400296386	ACCESS ROAD MAP
400296387	HYDROLOGY MAP
400296395	LOCATION DRAWING
400296397	NRCS MAP UNIT DESC
400296398	PROPOSED BMPs
400296401	REFERENCE AREA MAP
400296402	REFERENCE AREA PICTURES
400296404	SURFACE AGRMT/SURETY
400296628	LOCATION PICTURES

Total Attach: 11 Files

**General Comments**

<b><u>User Group</u></b>	<b><u>Comment</u></b>	<b><u>Comment Date</u></b>
Permit	Final Review passed 7/10/2012 NKP	7/10/2012 11:33:44 AM
OGLA	Ready to pass 7/9/2012.	6/18/2012 1:28:35 PM
Permit	Returned to draft. Need to check well surety ID box. Missing north and east views of location.	6/18/2012 9:18:45 AM

Total: 3 comment(s)

## **BMP**

<b><u>Type</u></b>	<b><u>Comment</u></b>
Storm Water/Erosion Control	<p>BMP Plan</p> <p>Wiepking-Fullerton Energy, L.L.C. 4600 S. Downing St. Englewood, CO 80113 303-789-1798 303-761-9067 (fax)</p> <p>Certification to Discharge Under CDPS General Permit COR-03000 Stormwater Discharges Associated with Construction</p> <p>Certification Number COR 39788</p> <p>Mahalo # 10 well T10S, R55W Sec. 29: SW1/4NW1/4 Lincoln County, Colorado</p> <p>Description of Well Site and Construction Area 1-3 acre site with access road for drilling of oil and gas well. Terrain is flat with native grass and sagebrush. No receiving waters will be affected by well pad. Surface Roughening will be used on low side of drill site to reduce speed of runoff, increase infiltration, reduce erosion, trap sediment and prepare soil for reseeding. Mud and Water Pits will be reclaimed within 6 months weather permitting. Topsoil will be separated and spread on drill site as final operation before reseeding operations. To prevent soil erosion site will be disked and straw crimped in or manure spread.</p> <p>Stormwater Management Plan (SWMP) is on file in Wiepking-Fullerton Energy, L.L.C. office.</p> <p>Spill Prevention, Control and Countermeasure Plan is on file in Wiepking-Fullerton Energy, L.L.C. office.</p>

Total: 1 comment(s)