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State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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Oil and Gas Location Assessment

☐ New Location

☒ Amend Existing Location Location#: 415967

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:

415967

Expiration Date:

05/10/2016

☒ 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: 10091

Name: BERRY PETROLEUM COMPANY

Address: 1999 BROADWAY STE 3700

City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202

3. Contact Information

Name: HEIDI BANG

Phone: (303) 999-4262

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email: HSB@BRY.COM

4. Location Identification:

Name: GRASSY OM

Number: I33 595 PAD

County: GARFIELD

QuarterQuarter: NESE Section: 33 Township: 5S Range: 95W Meridian: 6 Ground Elevation: 8267

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: 1923 feet FSL, from North or South section line, and 639 feet FEL, from East or West section line.

Latitude: 39.568358 Longitude: -108.052158 PDOP Reading: 1.5 Date of Measurement: 05/12/2009

Instrument Operator's Name: ROBERT KAY

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="16"/>	Production Pits: <input type="text" value="1"/>	Dehydrator Units: <input type="text"/>
Condensate Tanks: <input type="text" value="4"/>	Water Tanks: <input type="text" value="1"/>	Separators: <input type="text" value="3"/>	Electric Motors: <input type="text" value="3"/>	Multi-Well Pits: <input type="text"/>
Gas or Diesel Motors: <input type="text" value="6"/>	Cavity Pumps: <input type="text"/>	LACT Unit: <input type="text"/>	Pump Jacks: <input type="text"/>	Pigging Station: <input type="text"/>
Electric Generators: <input type="text"/>	Gas Pipeline: <input type="text" value="1"/>	Oil Pipeline: <input type="text"/>	Water Pipeline: <input type="text" value="1"/>	Flare: <input type="text"/>
Gas Compressors: <input type="text"/>	VOC Combustor: <input type="text"/>	Oil Tanks: <input type="text" value="1"/>	Fuel Tanks: <input type="text" value="1"/>	

Other: DRILLING RIG TEMPORARY ON LOCATION FOR 10 DAYS PER WELL. SEPERATORS USED: 2 QUADS, 1 DBL. TEMPORARY OFFICE AND HOUSING.

6. Construction:

Date planned to commence construction: 07/01/2014 Size of disturbed area during construction in acres: 6.13
Estimated date that interim reclamation will begin: 07/01/2015 Size of location after interim reclamation in acres: 2.00
Estimated post-construction ground elevation: 8267 Will a closed loop system be used for drilling fluids: Yes ☒
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: _____

7. Surface Owner:

Name: ENCANA Phone: _____
Address: 370 17TH ST Fax: _____
Address: SUITE 1700 Email: _____
City: DENVER State: CO Zip: 80202 Date of Rule 306 surface owner consultation: 06/08/2009
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: 20040105 ☐ 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: 34968, public road: 15912, above ground utility: 16719,
railroad: 36167, property line: 2114

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): GRAZING
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: #53- PARACHUTE-RHONE LOAMS. 5 TO 30 PERCENT SLOPES

NRCS Map Unit Name: _____

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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: 05/12/2009

List individual species: SAGEBRUSH, SERVICE BERRIES AND NATIVE GRASSES

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: 1158, water well: 22440, depth to ground water: 29

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 Supply 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

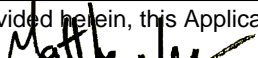
15. Comments:

NO CHANGES SINCE PREVIOUS 2A EXCEPT FOR THE PROPERTY LINE DISTANCE. ATTACHMENTS ARE INCLUDED WITH ORIGINAL 2A.

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

Signed: _____ Date: 04/04/2013 Email: HSB@BRY.COM

Print Name: HEIDI BANG Title: REG COMPLIANCE ASST

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: 5/11/2013

**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.

SITE SPECIFIC COAs:

Notify the COGCC 48 hours prior to start of pad construction, rig mobilization, spud, and start of hydraulic stimulation operations using Form 42 (the appropriate COGCC individuals will automatically be email notified, including the LGD for hydraulic stimulation operations).

Operator must comply with all provisions of the June 12, 2008 Notice to Operators (NTO) Drilling Wells Within $\frac{3}{4}$ Mile of the Rim of the Roan Plateau in Garfield County – Pit Design, Construction, and Monitoring Requirements.

The nearby hillside must be monitored for any day-lighting of drilling fluids throughout the drilling of the surface casing interval.

The moisture content of any drill cuttings in a cuttings pit, trench, or pile shall be as low as practicable to prevent accumulation of liquids greater than de minimis amounts. At the time of closure, the drill cuttings must also meet the applicable standards of table 910-1.

Operator must ensure 110 percent secondary containment for any volume of fluids contained at well site during drilling and completion operations. If fluids are conveyed via pipeline, operator must implement best management practices to contain any unintentional release of fluids.

No portion of any pit that will be used to hold liquids shall be constructed on fill material, unless the pit and fill slope are designed and certified by a professional engineer, subject to review and approval by the director prior to construction of the pit. The construction and lining of the pit shall be supervised by a professional engineer or their agent. The entire base of the pit must be in cut.

Reserve pit must be lined.

Attachment Check List

Att Doc Num	Name
2622591	SURFACE AGRMT/SURETY
400400071	FORM 2A SUBMITTED

Total Attach: 2 Files

General Comments

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>
OGLA	Initiated/Completed OGLA Form 2A review on 05-02-13 by Dave Kubeczko; previously submitted and approved (03-02-10) Form 2A#400024086; OGCC Facility ID#415967; same COAs apply: lined drilling pit; added fluid containment, spill/release BMPs, cuttings low moisture, lined drilling pit, no pit in fill, hillside monitoring, notification and Roan Rim NTO COAs; passed by CPW on 04-12-13 with BMPs acceptable; passed by OGLA Form 2A review on 05-02-13 by Dave Kubeczko; fluid containment, spill/release BMPs, cuttings low moisture, lined drilling pit, no pit in fill, hillside monitoring, notification, and Roan Rim NTO COAs.	5/2/2013 1:26:09 PM
OGLA	<p>PREVIOUS FORM 2A#400024086 COAs:</p> <p>The nearby hillside must be monitored for any day-lighting of drilling fluids throughout the drilling of the surface casing interval.</p> <p>The moisture content of any drill cuttings in a cuttings pit, trench, or pile shall be as low as practicable to prevent accumulation of liquids greater than de minimis amounts. At the time of closure, the drill cuttings must also meet the applicable standards of table 910-1.</p> <p>Operator must ensure 110 percent secondary containment for any volume of fluids contained at well site during drilling and completion operations. If fluids are conveyed via pipeline, operator must implement best management practices to contain any unintentional release of fluids.</p> <p>All pits must be lined.</p> <p>No portion of any pit that will be used to hold liquids shall be constructed on fill material, unless the pit and fill slope are designed and certified by a professional engineer, subject to review and approval by the director prior to construction of the pit. The construction and lining of the pit shall be supervised by a professional engineer or their agent. The entire base of the pit must be in cut.</p> <p>Reserve pit must be lined.</p>	5/2/2013 1:26:07 PM
LGD	KHW Pass	4/26/2013 3:50:59 PM
Permit	Pending other staff approvals.	4/15/2013 9:14:43 AM
DOW	CPW concurs that the BMPs and conditions of approval of the previously approved Form 2A application for this site adequately address wildlife concerns. Approved:Jim Komatinsky4-12-2013	4/12/2013 12:02:56 PM
Permit	Returned to draft. Bond needs to be selected as right to construct. Unless there is a midstream gas gathering or a gas facility, Gas Facility Surety ID should be removed.	4/5/2013 1:30:25 PM

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BMP

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