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State of Colorado  
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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PluggingBond SuretyID

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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: SYNERGY RESOURCES CORPORATION

4. COGCC Operator Number: 10311

5. Address: 20203 HIGHWAY 60

City: PLATTEVILLE State: CO Zip: 80651

6. Contact Name: Brianne Visconti Phone: (970)737-1073 Fax: (970)737-1045

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7. Well Name: Phelps Well Number: 11-32NHZ

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

9. Proposed Total Measured Depth: 12182

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

10. QtrQtr: SENE Sec: 32 Twp: 1N Rng: 66W Meridian: 6

Latitude: 40.010057 Longitude: -104.792532

Footage at Surface: 1781 feet FNL/FSL 296 feet FEL/FWL  
FNL FEL

11. Field Name: Wattenberg Field Number: 90750

12. Ground Elevation: 5018 13. County: WELD

14. GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 05/22/2013 PDOP Reading: 1.3 Instrument Operator's Name: Aaron Demo

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  
498 FNL 571 FEL 505 FNL 460 FWL  
Sec: 32 Twp: 1N Rng: 66W Sec: 32 Twp: 1N Rng: 66W

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: 814 ft

18. Distance to nearest property line: 296 ft 19. Distance to nearest well permitted/completed in the same formation(BHL): 660 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	GWA

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):

75 acres in the S/2NE/4 and other leases. See attached map. - Wellbore crosses lease lines within drilling and spacing unit; distance to nearest lease line is 0 feet; distance to Unit boundary is 460'.

25. Distance to Nearest Mineral Lease Line: 0 ft

26. Total Acres in Lease: 320

### 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: \_\_\_\_\_

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	1,180	390	1,180	0
1ST	8+3/4	7	26	0	7,801	730	7,801	
1ST LINER	6+1/8	4+1/2	11.6	6990	12,182			

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

33. Comments o Conductor casing will not be used. o Operator request an exception location per rule 318 A.a. Request letter and waiver are attached. o Operator requests the proposed spacing unit: 320 Acres, N/2 of Section 32.

34. Location ID: \_\_\_\_\_

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: Craig Rasmuson

Title: VP Operations

Date: 5/29/2013

Email: crasmuson@syrinfo.com

Operator must have a valid water right or permit allowing for industrial use or purchased water from a seller that has a valid water right or permit allowing for industrial use, otherwise an application for a change in type of use is required under Colorado law. Operator must also use the water in the location set forth in the water right decree or well permit, otherwise an application for a change in place of use is required under Colorado law. Section 37-92-103(5), C.R.S. (2011).

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: \_\_\_\_\_

*Matthew Lee*

Director of COGCC

Date: 7/13/2013

API NUMBER

05 123 37687 00

Permit Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: 7/12/2015

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.

Operator must meet water well testing requirements per Rule 318A.

- 1)Note surface casing setting depth change from 1150' to 1180'. Increase cement coverage accordingly and cement to surface.
- 2)Provide notice of MIRU via an electronic Form 42.
- 3)Comply with Rule 317.i and provide cement coverage to a minimum of 200' above the Niobrara. Verify cement coverage with a cement bond log per 317.o.

### **Applicable Policies and Notices to Operators**

Notice Concerning Operating Requirements for Wildlife Protection.

Policy for Bradenhead Monitoring During Hydraulic Fracturing Treatments in the Greater Wattenberg Area.

### **Attachment Check List**

Att Doc Num	Name
2114110	MINERAL LEASE MAP
400425668	FORM 2 SUBMITTED
400425687	DIRECTIONAL DATA
400425710	PROPOSED SPACING UNIT
400425712	PLAT
400425714	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN
400425716	OFFSET WELL EVALUATION
400425719	EXCEPTION LOC REQUEST
400425720	EXCEPTION LOC WAIVERS

Total Attach: 9 Files

### **General Comments**

<b><u>User Group</u></b>	<b><u>Comment</u></b>	<b><u>Comment Date</u></b>
Permit	Attached map showing 75 acre lease beneath the surface location. Amended comments line 23. Ready to pass pending public comment.	6/11/2013 3:06:25 PM
Permit	Removed unnecessary Variance Request. Corrected TPZ to 571 FEL. Ok'd by operator. Waiting on mineral lease description or map that describes lease.	6/5/2013 11:43:47 AM
Engineer	Evaluated offset wells for adequate isolation.	5/3/2013 1:52:38 PM

Total: 3 comment(s)

### **BMP**

<b><u>Type</u></b>	<b><u>Comment</u></b>
Drilling/Completion Operations	Operator will comply with COGCC Policy for Bradenhead Monitoring During Hydraulic Fracturing Treatments in the Greater Wattenberg Area dated May 29, 2012.
Drilling/Completion Operations	Anti-collision: Prior to drilling operations, Operator will perform an anti-collision scan of existing offset wells that have the potential of being within close proximity of the proposed well. This anti-collision scan will include definitive MWD or gyro surveys of the offset wells with included error of uncertainty per survey instrument, and compared against the proposed wellpath with its respective error of uncertainty. If current surveys do not exist for the offset wells, Operator may have gyro surveys conducted to verify bottomhole location. The proposed well will only be drilled if the anti-collision scan results indicate that there is not a risk for collision, or harm to people or the environment. For the proposed well, upon conclusion of drilling operations, an as-constructed gyro survey will be submitted to COGCC with the Form 5.

Total: 2 comment(s)