

FORM
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State of Colorado
Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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05/13/2014

Oil and Gas Location Assessment

New Location Refile Amend Existing Location Location#: _____

Submit signed original form. This Oil and Gas Location Assessment is to be submitted to the COGCC for approval prior to any ground disturbance activity associated with oil and gas operations. Approval of this Oil and Gas Location 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. Please see the COGCC website at <http://cogcc.state.co.us/> for all accompanying information pertinent this Oil and Gas Location Assessment.

Location ID:

438137

Expiration Date:

07/15/2017

This location assessment is included as part of a permit application.

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.

Operator

Operator Number: 10489

Name: AUGUSTUS ENERGY RESOURCES LLC

Address: 36695 HWY 385

City: WRAY State: CO Zip: 80758

Contact Information

Name: Loni Davis

Phone: (970) 332-3585

Fax: (970) 332-3587

email: ldavis@augustusenergy.com

RECLAMATION FINANCIAL ASSURANCE

Plugging and Abandonment Bond Surety ID: 20130106 Gas Facility Surety ID: _____

Waste Management Surety ID: _____

LOCATION IDENTIFICATION

Name: Hays Number: 14-35 1S44W

County: YUMA

Quarter: SWSW Section: 35 Township: 1S Range: 44W Meridian: 6 Ground Elevation: 3819

Define a single point as a location reference for the facility location. When the location is to be used as a well site then the point shall be a well location.

Footage at surface: 312 feet FSL from North or South section line

322 feet FWL from East or West section line

Latitude: 39.920575 Longitude: -102.278073

PDOP Reading: 1.3 Date of Measurement: 04/30/2014

Instrument Operator's Name: John Thompson

RELATED REMOTE LOCATIONS

(Enter as many Related Locations as necessary. Enter the Form 2A document # only if there is no established COGCC Location ID#)

This proposed Oil and Gas Location is:

LOCATION ID # FORM 2A DOC #

Well Site is served by Production Facilities

422484

FACILITIES

Indicate the number of each type of oil and gas facility planned on location

Wells	<u>1</u>	Oil Tanks	_____	Condensate Tanks	_____	Water Tanks	_____	Buried Produced Water Vaults	_____
Drilling Pits	<u>1</u>	Production Pits	_____	Special Purpose Pits	_____	Multi-Well Pits	_____	Temporary Large Volume Above Ground Tanks	_____
Pump Jacks	<u>1</u>	Separators	_____	Injection Pumps	_____	Cavity Pumps	_____		
Gas or Diesel Motors	_____	Electric Motors	<u>1</u>	Electric Generators	_____	Fuel Tanks	_____	Gas Compressors	_____
Dehydrator Units	_____	Vapor Recovery Unit	_____	VOC Combustor	_____	Flare	_____	LACT Unit	_____
								Pigging Station	_____

OTHER FACILITIES

Other Facility Type

Number

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Per Rule 303.b.(3)C, description of all oil, gas, and/or water pipelines:

There will be aprox. 4,912' of 2" polypipe for water and 2" polypipe for gas and #2 Electric wire laid.

CONSTRUCTION

Date planned to commence construction: 07/10/2014 Size of disturbed area during construction in acres: 2.00

Estimated date that interim reclamation will begin: 08/15/2014 Size of location after interim reclamation in acres: 1.00

Estimated post-construction ground elevation: 3918

DRILLING PROGRAM

Will a closed loop system be used for drilling fluids: No

Is H₂S anticipated? No

Will salt sections be encountered during drilling: No

Will salt based mud (>15,000 ppm Cl) be used? No

Will oil based drilling fluids be used? No

DRILLING WASTE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

Drilling Fluids Disposal: OFFSITE Drilling Fluids Disposal Method: UIC Disposal

Cutting Disposal: ONSITE Cuttings Disposal Method: Drilling pit

Other Disposal Description:

Beneficial reuse or land application plan submitted? _____

Reuse Facility ID: _____ or Document Number: _____

Centralized E&P Waste Management Facility ID, if applicable: _____

SURFACE & MINERALS & RIGHT TO CONSTRUCT

Name: Norman Hays

Phone: _____

Address: 23875 County Road Z

Fax: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

City: Vernon State: CO Zip: 80755

Surface Owner: Fee State Federal Indian

Check all that apply. The Surface Owner: is the mineral owner
 is committed to an oil and Gas Lease
 has signed the Oil and Gas Lease
 is the applicant

The Mineral Owner beneath this Oil and Gas Location is: Fee State Federal Indian

The Minerals beneath this Oil and Gas Location will be developed from or produced to this Oil and Gas Location: Yes

The right to construct this Oil and Gas Location is granted by: Surface Use Agreement

Surface damage assurance if no agreement is in place: _____ Surface Surety ID: _____

Date of Rule 306 surface owner consultation 04/24/2014

CURRENT AND FUTURE LAND USE

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

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

CULTURAL DISTANCE INFORMATION

Distance to nearest:

Building: 4694 Feet
Building Unit: 4694 Feet
High Occupancy Building Unit: 5280 Feet
Designated Outside Activity Area: 5280 Feet
Public Road: 4913 Feet
Above Ground Utility: 2337 Feet
Railroad: 5280 Feet
Property Line: 322 Feet

INSTRUCTIONS:

- All measurements shall be provided from center of nearest Well or edge of nearest Production Facility to nearest of each cultural feature as described in Rule 303.b.(3)A.
- Enter 5280 for distance greater than 1 mile.
- Building - nearest building of any type. If nearest Building is a Building Unit, enter same distance for both.
- Building Unit, High Occupancy Building Unit, and Designated Outside Activity Area - as defined in 100-Series Rules.

DESIGNATED SETBACK LOCATION INFORMATION

Check all that apply. This location is within a: Buffer Zone
 Exception Zone
 Urban Mitigation Area

- Buffer Zone - as described in Rule 604.a.(2), within 1,000' of a Building Unit.
- Exception Zone - as described in Rule 604.a.(1), within 500' of a Building Unit.
- Urban Mitigation Area - as defined in 100-Series Rules.

Pre-application Notifications (required if location is within 1,000 feet of a building unit):

Date of Rule 305.a.(1) Urban Mitigation Area Notification to Local Government: _____
Date of Rule 305.a.(2) Buffer Zone Notification to Building Unit Owners: _____

SOIL

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 used when segregating topsoil.

The required information can be obtained from the NRCS web site at <http://soildatamart.nrcs.usda.org/> 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: 11: Colby Silt Loam 6-15 % Slopes
NRCS Map Unit Name: _____
NRCS Map Unit Name: _____

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: Western Wheatgrass, Sideoats Grama, Little Bluestem, Needle and Thread, Blue Grama

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): _____

WATER RESOURCES

Is this a sensitive area: No Yes

Distance to nearest

downgradient surface water feature: 300 Feet

water well: 2304 Feet

Estimated depth to ground water at Oil and Gas Location 72 Feet

Basis for depth to groundwater and sensitive area determination:

Sensitive area due to location in Northern High Plains Designated Groundwater Basin. Depth to Ground water was determined from DWR website via COGCC website. Well Permit # 126153 NESE/4 Sec. 34-T1S-R44W

Is the location in a riparian area: No Yes

Was an Army Corps of Engineers Section 404 permit filed No Yes If yes attach permit.

Is the location within a Rule 317B Surface Water Supply Area buffer No 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: _____

GROUNDWATER BASELINE SAMPLING AND MONITORING AND WATER WELL SAMPLING

Water well sampling required per Rule 609

DESIGNATED SETBACK LOCATION EXCEPTIONS

Check all that apply:

- Rule 604.a.(1)A. Exception Zone (within 500' of Building Unit)
- Rule 604.b.(1)A. Exception Location (existing or approved Oil & Gas Location now within a Designated Setback as a result of Rule 604.a.)
- Rule 604.b.(1)B. Exception Location (existing or approved Oil & Gas Location is within a Designated Setback due to Building Unit construction after Location approval)
- Rule 604.b.(2) Exception Location (SUA or site-specific development plan executed on or before August 1, 2013)
- Rule 604.b.(3) Exception Location (Building Units constructed after August 1, 2013 within setback per an SUA or site-specific development plan)

RULE 502.b VARIANCE REQUEST

- Rule 502.b. Variance Request from COGCC Rule or Spacing Order Number _____

ALL exceptions and variances require attached Request Letter(s). Refer to applicable rule for additional required attachments (e.g. waivers, certifications, SUAs).

OPERATOR COMMENTS AND SUBMITTAL

Comments

We will be setting a pumping unit sometime in the future as determined by daily production. A Separator may be set at meter shed if determined necessary.

Reference area photos and topo map will be submitted as soon as possible.

Per our surveyor this location does not increase (1) foot of elevation within a (10) foot distance and does not fall within the 10% or greater slope, therefore, a location cross-section plot is not attached.

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

Signed: _____ Date: 05/13/2014 Email: ldavis@augustusenergy.com

Print Name: Loni Davis Title: Oper Acct & Reg Spec

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: 7/16/2014

Conditions Of Approval

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.

<u>COA Type</u>	<u>Description</u>

Best Management Practices

<u>No</u>	<u>BMP/COA Type</u>	<u>Description</u>
1	Drilling/Completion Operations	<p>Best Management Practices Southern Yuma County, Colorado</p> <p>To address construction during drilling and all other operations associated with Oil and Gas development throughout Southern Yuma County, Colorado area StormWater Management Plans(SWMP) are in place and in compliance with the Colorado Department of Health and Environment (CDPHE) under Permit # COR-039920.</p> <p>Best Management Practices (BMP's) will be reviewed and maintained prior to, during and after construction of drilling site, laying of flowlines, installation of surface equipment and reclamation of site. Each location's BMP's will vary according to terrain and phase of construction and will be implemented in accordance to SWMP.</p> <p>Regular location inspections will be performed and any BMP's not effectively working will be documented and resolved in a timely manner.</p> <p>Spill Prevention, Control and Countermeasures will be implemented. Should any spills occur they will be cleaned up immediately and effectively to minimize any integration with storm water runoff. General good housekeeping practices will be performed to keep spills at a minimum.</p>

Total: 1 comment(s)

Attachment Check List

<u>Att Doc Num</u>	<u>Name</u>
2519183	REFERENCE AREA PICTURES
2519184	REFERENCE AREA MAP
400607495	FORM 2A SUBMITTED
400607558	ACCESS ROAD MAP
400607563	HYDROLOGY MAP
400607564	LOCATION DRAWING
400607569	LOCATION PICTURES
400607574	NRCS MAP UNIT DESC
400607581	PROPOSED BMPs
400607588	SURFACE AGRMT/SURETY

Total Attach: 10 Files

General Comments

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>
Permit	Final review completed; no LGD or public comment received.	7/16/2014 5:50:23 AM
OGLA	Removed the comment "See attached Construction lay out map for details." Construction lay out drawings were not provided.	6/26/2014 9:55:55 AM
OGLA	Changed distance to the nearest downgradient surface water body to 300 feet based on the USGS Topo on Othe COGIS Map and the Hydrology Map.	6/25/2014 2:02:48 PM
Permit	Typo on facility ID. Changed number to 422484 from 422485.	6/23/2014 8:53:34 AM
Permit	Requested Operator in the future to revise their location drawings to show improvements 500' from the disturbance rather than from the well location.	5/15/2014 12:04:45 PM
Permit	Permit missing reference area pictures and map. Operator says they will send as soon as possible.	5/15/2014 11:34:42 AM
Permit	Passed completeness	5/14/2014 10:07:49 AM

Total: 7 comment(s)