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Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

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APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO:

☒ Drill ☐ Deepen ☐ Re-enter ☐ Recomplete and Operate

TYPE OF WELL OIL ☐ GAS ☒ COALBED ☐ OTHER _____

Refilling ☐

ZONE TYPE SINGLE ZONE ☒ MULTIPLE ZONES ☐ COMMINGLE ZONES ☐

Sidetrack ☐

Well Name: POWERS

Well Number: 2N-27HZ

Name of Operator: KERR MCGEE OIL & GAS ONSHORE LP

COGCC Operator Number: 47120

Address: P O BOX 173779

City: DENVER

State: CO

Zip: 80217-3779

Contact Name: Ronett Powers

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RECLAMATION FINANCIAL ASSURANCE

Plugging and Abandonment Bond Surety ID: 20010124

WELL LOCATION INFORMATION

QtrQtr: NWNE Sec: 22 Twp: 2N Rng: 65W Meridian: 6

Latitude: 40.130530

Longitude: -104.645509

Footage at Surface: 310 feet FNL/FSL FNL 1360 feet FEL/FWL FEL

Field Name: WATTENBERG

Field Number: 90750

Ground Elevation: 4893

County: WELD

GPS Data:

Date of Measurement: 10/14/2014 PDOP Reading: 3.0 Instrument Operator's Name: BART PFEIFER

If well is ☐ Directional ☒ Horizontal (highly deviated) submit deviated drilling plan.

Footage at Top of Prod Zone: FNL/FSL FNL/FWL Bottom Hole: FNL/FSL FEL/FWL

55 FNL 2375 FEL 350 FNL 2351 FEL
Sec: 22 Twp: 2N Rng: 65W Sec: 27 Twp: 2N Rng: 65W

LOCATION SURFACE & MINERALS & RIGHT TO CONSTRUCT

Surface Ownership: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian

The Surface Owner is: ☒ is the mineral owner beneath the location.

(check all that apply) ☒ 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 by this Well: Yes

The right to construct the Oil and Gas Location is granted by: oil and gas lease

Surface damage assurance if no agreement is in place:

Surface Surety ID:

LEASE INFORMATION

Using standard QtrQtr, Sec, Twp, Rng format, describe one entire mineral lease that will be produced by this well (Describe lease beneath surface location if produced. Attach separate description page or map if necessary.)

Township 2 North, Range 65 West, 6th P.M.
Section 22: All
Section 24: W/2NW/4, NW/4SW/4
Weld County, Colorado
Containing 760.00 acres, more or less

Total Acres in Described Lease: 760 Described Mineral Lease is: ☒ Fee ☐ State ☐ Federal ☐ Indian

Federal or State Lease # _____

Distance from Completed Portion of Wellbore to Nearest Lease Line of described lease: 0 Feet

CULTURAL DISTANCE INFORMATION

Distance to nearest:

Building: 3097 Feet
Building Unit: 3251 Feet
High Occupancy Building Unit: 5280 Feet
Designated Outside Activity Area: 5280 Feet
Public Road: 3951 Feet
Above Ground Utility: 1336 Feet
Railroad: 5280 Feet
Property Line: 309 Feet

INSTRUCTIONS:

- All measurements shall be provided from center of the Proposed Well to nearest of each cultural feature as described in Rule 303.a.(5).
- 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: _____

SPACING and UNIT INFORMATION

Distance from Completed Portion of Wellbore to Nearest Wellbore Permitted or Completed in the same formation: 30 Feet

Distance from Completed Portion of Wellbore to Nearest Unit Boundary 979 Feet (Enter 5280 for distance greater than 1 mile.)

Federal or State Unit Name (if appl): _____ Unit Number: _____

SPACING & FORMATIONS COMMENTS

UNIT CONFIGURATION:
02N65W SEC 15: SESW, SWSE
02N65W SEC 22: E2W2, W2E2
02N65W SEC 27: NENW, NWNE

OBJECTIVE FORMATIONS

Objective Formation(s)	Formation Code	Spacing Order Number(s)	Unit Acreage Assigned to Well	Unit Configuration (N/2, SE/4, etc.)
NIOBRARA	NBRR		480	GWA

DRILLING PROGRAM

Proposed Total Measured Depth: 13153 Feet

Distance to nearest permitted or existing wellbore penetrating objective formation: 30 Feet (Including plugged wells)

Will a closed-loop drilling system be used? Yes

Is H₂S gas reasonably expected to be encountered during drilling operations at concentrations greater than or equal to 100 ppm? No (If Yes, attach an H₂S Drilling Operations Plan)

Will salt sections be encountered during drilling? No

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

Will oil based drilling fluids be used? Yes

BOP Equipment Type: ☒ Annular Preventor ☒ Double Ram ☒ Rotating Head ☐ None

GROUNDWATER BASELINE SAMPLING AND MONITORING AND WATER WELL SAMPLING

Water well sampling required per Rule 318A

DRILLING WASTE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

Drilling Fluids Disposal: OFFSITE Drilling Fluids Disposal Methods: Commercial Disposal

Cuttings Disposal: OFFSITE Cuttings Disposal Method: Commercial Disposal

Other Disposal Description:

Please see Comments section. Disposal description will not fit in space provided.

Beneficial reuse or land application plan submitted? Yes

Reuse Facility ID: _____ or Document Number: _____

CASING PROGRAM

Casing Type	Size of Hole	Size of Casing	Wt/Ft	Csg/Liner Top	Setting Depth	Sacks Cmt	Cmt Btm	Cmt Top
SURF	13+1/2	9+5/8	36	0	1800	700	1800	0
1ST	7+7/8	5+1/2	17	0	13143	1541	13143	0

☒ Conductor Casing is NOT planned

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)

GREATER WATTENBERG AREA LOCATION EXCEPTIONS

Check all that apply:

- ☒ Rule 318A.a. Exception Location (GWA Windows).
- ☒ Rule 318A.c. Exception Location (GWA Twinning).

RULE 502.b VARIANCE REQUEST

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

OTHER LOCATION EXCEPTIONS

Check all that apply:

- ☐ Rule 318.c. Exception Location from Rule or Spacing Order Number _____
- ☐ Rule 603.a.(2) Exception Location (Property Line Setback).

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

OTHER DISPOSAL DESCRIPTION:

Drilling fluids disposal: KMG will reuse water-based drilling fluids to the maximum extent possible, at which point they will either be land applied or taken to a licensed, commercial disposal site; the decision will be based upon laboratory analysis of fluids.

KMG will reuse oil-based drilling fluids to the maximum extent possible, at which point they will be returned to the fluids manufacturer for reconditioning or disposal at a licensed, commercial disposal site.

Cuttings disposal: If the surface owner authorizes, and if it is feasible for this location at the time of drilling, water-based cuttings will be disposed of onsite using bioremediation/solidification product.

If the surface owner does not authorize onsite disposal and/or it is not feasible for this location at the time of drilling, water-based cuttings will be disposed of using a Centralized E&P Waste Management facility or a private spread field.

Oil-based cuttings will be disposed of offsite and at a licensed, commercial disposal site.

The right to construct this Oil and Gas Location is granted by an oil and gas lease and an executed Surface Use Agreement has been attached only as a matter of record.

This application is in a Comprehensive Drilling Plan _____ CDP #: _____

Location ID: 302423

Is this application being submitted with an Oil and Gas Location Assessment application? Yes

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

Signed: _____ Print Name: Ronett Powers

Title: Regulatory Analyst II Date: 6/25/2015 Email: djregulatory@anadarko.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:  Director of COGCC Date: 7/27/2015

Expiration Date: 07/26/2017

API NUMBER

05 123 41950 00

Conditions Of Approval

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.

COA Type

Description

	<p>Operator acknowledges the proximity of the listed wells. Operator agrees to provide mitigation Option 1 or 2 (per the DJ Basin Horizontal Offset Policy), ensure all applicable documentation is submitted, and submit a Form 42(s) ("OFFSET MITIGATION COMPLETED") for the remediated wells, referencing the API Number of the proposed horizontal well(s) stating what appropriate mitigation occurred and that it has been completed, prior to the hydraulic stimulation of this well.</p> <p>Bolet Red X 15-16 (API 123-16783) Powers 41-22 (API 123-07669)</p>
	<p>1) Submit Form 42 electronically to COGCC 48 hours prior to MIRU. 2) Comply with Rule 317.j and provide cement coverage from end of 7" casing to a minimum of 200' above Niobrara and from 200' below the Sussex to 200' above Sussex. Verify coverage with cement bond log. 3) Comply with Rule 321. Run and submit Directional Survey from TD to base of surface casing. Ensure that the wellbore complies with setback requirements in commission orders or rules prior to producing the well.</p>

Best Management Practices

No BMP/COA Type

Description

1	Planning	This proposed oil and gas location is located in a rural rangeland area. The nearest building unit is located 3251' away.
2	Drilling/Completion Operations	Kerr McGee acknowledges and will comply with the COGCC Policy for Bradenhead Monitoring during Hydraulic Fracturing Treatments in the Greater Wattenberg Area dated May 29, 2012.
3	Drilling/Completion Operations	Anti-Collision: Kerr-McGee will perform an anti-collision evaluation of all active (producing, shut in, or temporarily abandoned) offset wellbores that have the potential of being within one hundred fifty (150) feet of a proposed well prior to drilling operations for the proposed well. Notice shall be given to all offset operators within one hundred fifty (150) feet prior to drilling.
4	Drilling/Completion Operations	317.p Logging Program: One of the first wells drilled on the pad will be logged with Cased-hole Pulsed Neutron Log with Gamma Ray Log from TD into the surface casing. All wells on the pad will have a cement bond log with gamma-ray run on production casing (or on intermediate casing if production liner is run) into the surface casing. The horizontal portion of every well will be logged with a measured-while-drilling gamma-ray log. The Form 5, Completion Report, for each well on the pad will list all logs run in that well and have those logs attached. The Form 5 for each well shall clearly state "No open-hole logs were run" and shall reference the Rule 317.p Exception granted for the well.

Total: 4 comment(s)

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

<u>Att Doc Num</u>	<u>Name</u>
400839953	FORM 2 SUBMITTED
400856928	DIRECTIONAL DATA
400856929	OPEN HOLE LOGGING EXCEPTION
400856930	OIL & GAS LEASE
400856931	SURFACE AGRMT/SURETY
400856932	EXCEPTION LOC REQUEST
400856933	EXCEPTION LOC WAIVERS
400856934	DEVIATED DRILLING PLAN
400856936	WELL LOCATION PLAT
400856937	PROPOSED SPACING UNIT
400858581	OffsetWellEvaluations Data

Total Attach: 11 Files

General Comments

<u>User Group</u>	<u>Comment</u>	<u>Comment Date</u>
Permit	Final Review Completed. No LGD or public comment received.	7/27/2015 10:30:09 AM
Engineer	<p>Changed distance to nearest permitted or existing wellbore penetrating objective formation from 175' to 30' based on comparison of directional plans for this well and the East-West horizontal Niobrara well API 123-34779 (POWERS X #22-67HN). Changed distance from Completed Portion of Wellbore to Nearest Wellbore Permitted or Completed in the same formation from 243' to 30' for same reason.</p> <p>Powers, Ronett Jun 17</p> <p>to me, Craig, Penny Mark,</p> <p>Here is the clarification I received from the engineers:</p> <p>The ex-Noble well (Powers X 22-67HN) is a Nio C well. All the Nio wells we are proposing to drill on this pad are Nio B wells. Distinctive gamma ray signature differences so we have confidence we know where we are and are not drilling in the Nio C. We will certainly SI that well while we drill this pad.</p> <p>Please let me know if you need additional information or if this is sufficient. Thank you, Ronett</p>	7/23/2015 5:23:36 PM
Engineer	Offset wells evaluated.	7/23/2015 4:46:00 PM
Permit	Permitting Review Complete.	7/17/2015 11:24:33 AM
Permit	Operator requested Exception to Open Hole Logging Rule 317.p. See attached.	7/17/2015 11:24:32 AM
Permit	Passed completeness.	6/30/2015 12:37:24 PM

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