



March 26, 2023

Dear Neighbor,

We are writing to notify you that Kerr McGee Oil & Gas Onshore, LP, a subsidiary of Oxy USA Inc., will soon begin developing oil and natural gas wells within 2,000 feet of your home or property. We are committed to being good neighbors by providing frequent and transparent information, safeguarding the environment, and protecting the health and safety of the communities we live and work in.

Work activity, location, and schedule

Enclosed, you will find information about the phases of energy development and well locations. Please visit our website OxyColoradoStakeholder.com for more information on oil and natural gas development. Below is a summary of the planned work and the estimated schedule.

Phase	Work activity	Estimated start	Estimated end
1	Prepare location and install mitigations	Late Apr 2023	Mid June 2023
2	Drill and install surface casing to protect groundwater	June 24 2023	Mid July 2023
3- 6	Horizontal drilling, well completions, facility construction, and reclamation.	We will send additional notices before starting phases 3 through 6.	

[For up-to-date information on timing, please visit oxycoloradostakeholder.com/project-updates](https://oxycoloradostakeholder.com/project-updates)

Standard practices and mitigation strategies

Our standard practices align with the guidelines of Weld County, the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission (COGCC) and the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment. In addition, we carefully planned the development and mitigation techniques for this location to ensure the temporary impacts are minimized as much as possible. Mitigations during development include a robust traffic management plan, installation of sound walls, and continuous sound and air monitoring.

To access the most up-to-date information on current projects, please visit the Project Updates tab at oxycoloradostakeholder.com/project-updates.

Sincerely,

Oxy Stakeholder Relations

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AREA OF OPERATION

SWARTZ 2-4HZ



- **Location:** 8810 WCR 38, Weld County, Colorado 80543
- **Parcel #:** 120904100029
- **Cross streets:** County Road 38 and County Road 17
- **Legal:** NE/4, SECTION 4 TOWNSHIP 3 NORTH, RANGE 67 WEST, 6TH P.M.
- **Well Description:** Swartz 2-4HZ, 16 wells
- **Weld County Permit #:** 1041WOGLA21-0027
- **COGCC Permit ID:** 402958552
- **Weld County Oil and Gas Energy Department:**
 - Stephanie Frederick
 - 1301 N. 17th Avenue, Greeley, CO
 - sfrederick@weldgov.com, 970.400.3581
- **Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission:** cogcc.state.co.us, 303.894.2100

For more information on oil and natural gas development or project updates, please visit www.oxycoloradostakeholder.com



Phases of Energy Development

For more information, please visit www.OxyColoradoStakeholder.com/Oil-and-Gas-101

Pad Construction (30-45 days per pad)

1

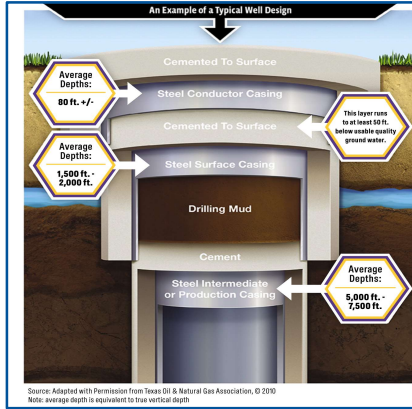
Standard construction equipment prepares the well site. A wall may be installed to reduce or minimize noise and light during development.



Surface Casing Set (1-2 days per well)

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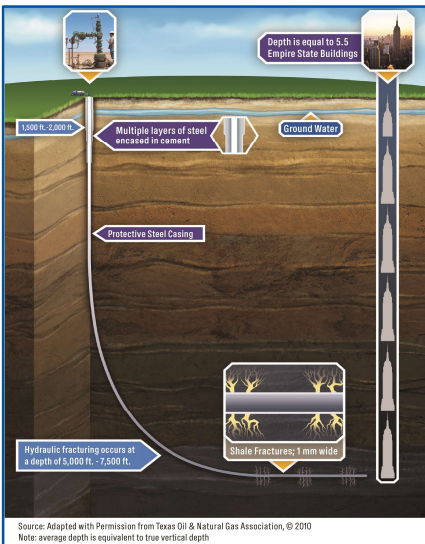
A drilling rig begins the underground construction process by installing steel pipe and cement (surface casing) to protect groundwater. Surface casing is set at least 50' below the aquifer, typically about 1,000' below the surface.



Horizontal Drilling (4-6 days per well)

3

A production rig arrives and drills to a depth of 7,000 to 8,000 feet. The horizontal portion of the wellbore can extend more than two miles. Additional layers of protective steel casing and cement are installed.



Well Completions (6-9 days per well)

4

Hydraulic Fracturing: A safe, highly engineered technology developed in the 1940s. Fluid is pumped over a mile below the earth's surface under pressure to create hairline fractures in the rocks.



Flowback: After fracturing, the wells are opened, and oil and gas flow into the mobile production facility.

Well clean-out and Tubing: We clean out the wells to remove excess sand and install the production tubing.

Production Facility Construction (30-45 days per facility)

5

Production facilities are constructed adjacent to the wells to collect and separate the oil, natural gas, and water that are produced. Facility production is 30-45 days of work, completed in stages over about four months.



Reclaim Well Site (30 days per pad)

6

Once development phases are complete, the pad is reclaimed to the largest extent possible to match the existing landscape. Each well will produce energy vital to the health and welfare of our communities for decades to come.



