



Dear Residents,

We are writing to inform you that Anadarko will begin actively developing nine new oil and natural gas wells in and around your community this winter. Please see the map on the reverse side of this letter for the planned location of the wells. Our goal is to provide you with timely information about our operations and listen to your feedback.

Enclosed you will also find a flier with a description of the different phases of new well development. You will begin to see our team members on site in the coming weeks as they prepare the locations (Phase 1) for horizontal drilling. Next, a drilling rig will begin the underground well construction process by installing steel pipe and cement (surface casing) to protect groundwater (Phase 2). Horizontal drilling (Phase 3) is expected to begin in late January and is likely to extend through mid-March 2019. We will send additional information as plans to conduct hydraulic fracturing, facility construction, and reclamation (Phases 4-6) progress.

We strive to make our activities as compatible as we can with the surrounding community and use a variety of mitigation techniques to reduce the temporary impacts to the community. All of our operations are planned with health, safety and the environment as our top priority.

If at any time you would like additional information or wish to report an issue related to our operations, you may reach us through the Anadarko Colorado Response Line. We welcome your feedback at any time as we perform work near your community.

Sincerely,  
Stakeholder Relations Team

**Anadarko Colorado Response Line: Monday - Friday, 7 a.m. - 4 p.m.**

**Phone: 1-866-248-9577**

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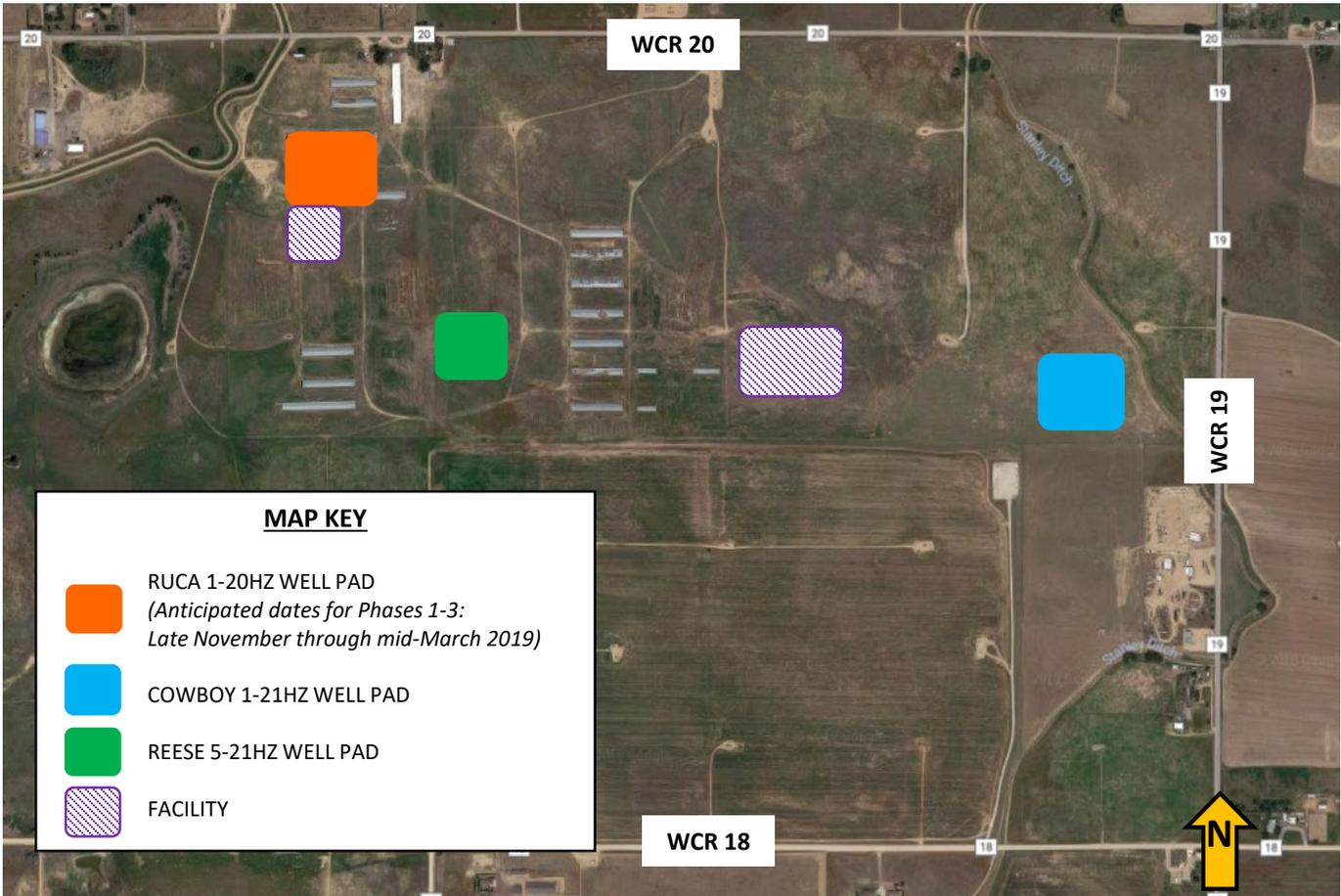
**After-Hours and Emergency Line: 1-970-506-5980**



Please see the other side of this letter for a map and more information. 

# AREA OF OPERATIONS IN WELD COUNTY

When you contact us, please reference this activity by the following name:  
RUCA 1-20HZ



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For more information on oil and natural gas development, visit:

[www.cred.org](http://www.cred.org)  
[www.studyfracking.com](http://www.studyfracking.com)



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## 1 PAD CONSTRUCTION



- Typical earthmoving equipment prepares the well site.
- A wall or straw bales may be installed to reduce or minimize noise and light during future operational phases.

**DAYS**  
10 - 30  
Per Pad

## 4 Hydraulic Fracturing



- Trucks equipped with hydraulic pumps send water and sand down the wellbore to fracture the rock so that oil and natural gas can be produced.
- 95% of all wells in the U.S. require fracking to produce oil and natural gas.
- Visit [fracfocus.org](http://fracfocus.org) for specific well details.

**DAYS**  
2 - 4  
Per Well

## 2 SURFACE CASING SET



- A drilling rig will begin the underground construction process by installing steel pipe and cement (surface casing) to protect groundwater.
- Surface casing is set below the Fox Hills aquifer, which is ~1,000' below the surface.

**DAYS**  
3 - 5  
Per Well

## 5 PRODUCTION FACILITY CONSTRUCTION



- Production facilities are constructed adjacent to the wells to collect and separate the oil, natural gas, and water that are produced.
- Anadarko's wells are monitored with remote automation.

**DAYS**  
30 - 45  
Per Pad

## 3 HORIZONTAL DRILLING



- 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 2 miles.

**DAYS**  
4 - 10  
Per Well

## 6 RECLAIMED WELL SITE



- Once development phases are complete, the pad will be reclaimed to match the existing landscape.
- Each well will produce energy for decades to come.