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Mr. Jason Thomas
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VIA FAX

Dear Mr. Thomas:

The Moneta Divide Gas Field project proposed by Aethon Energy has the potential to provide economic stimulus to Casper and other surrounding Wyoming municipalities. As the mayor of the City of Casper, I am in support of the Wyoming Department of Environmental Quality (WDEQ) finding that the WYPDES permit with limitations and conditions be issued. This careful consideration by WDEQ is a balanced approach to enhancing the potential for Wyoming's extractive industries. I respectfully ask that the permit be moved forward post haste, once the public comment period ends.

Sincerely,

Charles Powell
Mayor