

PUBLIC NOTICE

SALE OF OIL AND GAS LEASES

Office of the Commissioner of Public Lands
P.O. Box 1148
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-1148

Public Notice is hereby given pursuant to New Mexico Law 1929, Chapter 125, Section B, as amended, and rules and regulations of the State Land Office, that the Commissioner of Public Lands will hold a sale of oil and gas leases at Morgan Hall, Edward J. Lopez State Land Office Building, Santa Fe, New Mexico, at 9:30 a.m., on April 15, 2014 for the tracts of land herein described. The sale will be held and conducted in accordance with the following terms and conditions:

No bids will be considered for less than the whole of any tract, nor for less than the specified minimum acceptable bid. Separate bids must be made for each tract, and a separate remittance made for each bid.

Sealed bids must be plainly marked, "Oil and Gas Sealed Bid" on the outside of the envelope, along with the date and hour to be opened. Sealed bids may be submitted by mail or otherwise to the Commissioner of Public Lands. All bids submitted will be opened at 9:30 a.m. for the Regular Sale, and at the specified time for the Special Sale on said date. The lease will be awarded to the highest bidder, if the offer made is deemed to be satisfactory.

Sealed bids must be on the proper form issued by the New Mexico State Land Office, complete, and notarized, and must be accompanied by a check, money order, or certified check drawn on a solvent bank. This payment must include the amount bid, plus the application fee of \$30.00.

Each tract on which no sealed bid is received in the Special Sale may then be offered for oral bidding at the public auction, and awarded to the highest bidder.

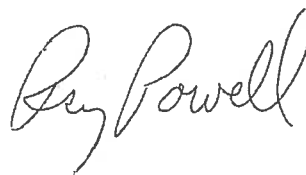
The successful bidder in every case of oral bidding will be required to deposit forthwith, in cash or by check, money order or certified check drawn on a solvent bank, the amount bid, plus the application fee of \$30.00, and to file application in due form before the close of business on said date.

The applications received pursuant hereto will be deemed to have been filed simultaneously. In all cases, leases will be made on the specified Lease Form as set forth in the Sale Notice. Application forms will be furnished upon request. Form 0-00 (formerly No. OG-57) Bid Application, is applicable to all Lease Forms advertised in this Sale Notice.

Disabled individuals who require aids to participate in the Oil & Gas Lease Sale may call (505) 827-5744, e-mail Anise Valdez at avaldez@slo.state.nm.us, or contact Relay New Mexico at (505) 292-0454 or the AT&T Operator Service for TTY at (800) 855-1155.

The State Land Office makes no warranty as to the conditions of the lands. Lessees must comply with all applicable federal and state laws or regulations.

THE COMMISSIONER RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS. ENVELOPES CONTAINING BIDS SHOULD BE MARKED, "OIL AND GAS SEALED BID."



RAY POWELL, M.S., D.V.M.
COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS

NOTICE OF SALE

OIL AND GAS LEASES

BY AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME, I, RAY POWELL, COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS, WILL OFFER FOR SALE TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER, OIL AND GAS LEASES ON THE TRACTS OF LAND LISTED BELOW, UNDER THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS:

1. NO BIDS WILL BE CONSIDERED FOR LESS THAN THE MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE BID AS LISTED IN THE SALE NOTICE, PLUS A \$30.00 APPLICATION FEE.
2. EACH BID MUST BE SUBMITTED FOR THE WHOLE OF ANY TRACT HEREIN DESCRIBED.
3. SEPARATE BIDS MUST BE MADE ON EACH TRACT, ACCOMPANIED BY A SEPARATE REMITTANCE.
4. PAYMENT SHALL BE MADE THE DAY OF THE SALE IN CASH, BY CHECK, MONEY ORDER, OR CERTIFIED CHECK ON A SOLVENT BANK.
5. ENVELOPES CONTAINING BIDS SHOULD BE PLAINLY MARKED "OIL AND GAS SEALED BID," GIVING DATE AND TIME OF SALE.
6. IN ALL CASES, LEASES WILL BE ISSUED ON THE APPROPRIATE STATUTORY LEASE FORM AS SET FORTH IN THE SALE NOTICE.
7. APPLICATION FORMS WILL BE MAILED UPON REQUEST. THE APPLICATION FORM MUST ACCOMPANY EACH SEALED BID.
8. ALL MONEY TENDERED BY BIDDERS WILL BE RETURNED IF THEIR BIDS ARE UNSUCCESSFUL.
9. SALE WILL BE HELD IN MORGAN HALL, EDWARD J. LOPEZ STATE LAND OFFICE BUILDING, 310 OLD SANTA FE TRAIL, SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO.
10. THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS.

RAY POWELL, M.S., D.V.M
COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

NEW MEXICO STATE LAND OFFICE
LEASE SALE NOTICE

***** SEALED TRACTS *****

Regular Sale - DEADLINE FOR SEALED BIDS IS 9:30 AM - APRIL 15, 2014

NOTE : THE FOLLOWING TRACTS WILL BE OFFERED FOR SEALED BID PURSUANT TO THE NOTICES. LEASES FOR THE FOLLOWING TRACTS WILL BE ISSUED ON SECTION 19-10-4.2 NMSA 1978, DISCOVERY LEASE FORM, FIVE(5) YEAR TERM, 1/6th ROYALTY, AND HAVE BEEN CLASSIFIED AND CATEGORIZED IN COMPLIANCE WITH 19-10-3 NMSA 1978.

TRACT #	COUNTY	SEC TWP RGE	DESCRIPTION	ACRES (MORE OR LESS)	PRIMARY RENTAL	MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE BID
001 VO-001	Chaves	17 09S 27E	E2	320.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
002 VO-002	Chaves	02 14S 28E	LOT(S) 3, 4, S2NW4, SW4	320.64	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
003 VO-003	Chaves	32 15S 27E	NE4, SW4NW4, W2SW4, N2SE4, SE4SE4	400.00	\$0.50	\$6,500.00
004 VO-004	Eddy	26 16S 25E	E2NW4	80.00	\$1.00	\$1,500.00
005 VO-005 (D)	Eddy	02 22S 21E	LOT(S) 3, 4, S2NW4, SW4	319.85	\$1.00	\$5,000.00
006 VO-006	Harding	10 19N 31E	SE4NW4	40.00	\$0.25	\$1,000.00
007 VO-007 (D)	Lea	32 09S 37E	NE4	160.00	\$0.50	\$2,500.00
008 VO-008 (D)	Lea	21 12S 38E	N2N2, S2SE4	240.00	\$0.50	\$4,000.00
009 VO-009	San Juan	36 24N 08W	SE4NW4	40.00	\$1.00	\$1,000.00

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TRACT #	COUNTY	SEC TWP RGE	DESCRIPTION	ACRES (MORE OR LESS)	PRIMARY RENTAL	MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE BID
010 VB-001 (D)	Eddy	02 16S 31E	LOT(S) 7, 9, 10, 11	160.00	\$1.00	\$2,500.00
011 VB-002	Eddy	32 20H 23E	LOT(S) 3, 4, S2SW4	168.22	\$1.00	\$3,000.00
012 VB-003	Eddy	36 22S 24E	E2	320.00	\$1.00	\$5,000.00
013 VB-004	Eddy	02 23S 24E	S2	320.00	\$1.00	\$5,000.00
014 VB-005	Eddy	21 23S 25E	SW4SW4	40.00	\$1.00	\$1,000.00
015 VB-006 (D)	Lea	27 12S 32E	E2	320.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
016 VB-007 (D)	Lea	05 16S 32E	LOT(S) 3, 4, 9	117.91	\$1.00	\$2,000.00
017 VB-008	Lea	18 16S 33E	E2	320.00	\$1.00	\$5,000.00
018 VB-009	Lea	07 16S 38E	NE4SE4	40.00	\$1.00	\$1,000.00
019 VB-010	Lea	35 22S 35E	S2	320.00	\$1.00	\$5,000.00

D: ALL OR PORTION OF SURFACE NON-STATE

ALL HIGH BIDS ARE SUBJECT TO APPROVAL BY THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS

www.nmstatelands.org

***** ORAL TRACTS *****

Regular Sale - ORAL BID APRIL 15, 2014

NOTE : THE FOLLOWING TRACTS WILL BE OFFERED FOR ORAL BID PURSUANT TO THE NOTICES. LEASES FOR THE FOLLOWING TRACTS WILL BE ISSUED ON SECTION 19-10-4.2 NMSA 1978, DISCOVERY LEASE FORM, FIVE(5) YEAR TERM, 1/6th ROYALTY, AND HAVE BEEN CLASSIFIED AND CATEGORIZED IN COMPLIANCE WITH 19-10-3 NMSA 1978.

TRACT #	COUNTY	SEC TWP RGE	DESCRIPTION	ACRES (MORE OR LESS)	PRIMARY RENTAL	MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE BID
020 V0-O-001	Chaves	16 08S 26E	W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
021 V0-O-002	Chaves	02 14S 28E	LOT(S) 1, 2, S2NE4, SE4	320.48	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
022 V0-O-003	Eddy	33 16S 25E	W2NW4	80.00	\$1.00	\$1,500.00
023 V0-O-004	Eddy	14 18S 27E	SW4NW4, NW4SW4	80.00	\$1.00	\$1,500.00
024 V0-O-005 (D)	Eddy	16 19S 21E	W2	320.00	\$1.00	\$5,000.00
025 V0-O-006 (D)	Eddy	02 22S 21E	LOT(S) 1, 2, S2NE4, SE4	319.63	\$1.00	\$5,000.00
026 V0-O-007	Harding	15 19N 31E	NE4NE4	40.00	\$0.25	\$1,000.00
027 V0-O-008 (D)	Lea	08 15S 33E	NW4NE4, SE4NE4, N2NW4	160.00	\$0.50	\$2,500.00

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028 VB-O-001	Eddy	36 22S 24E	W2	320.00	\$1.00	\$5,000.00
029 VB-O-002	Eddy	04 23S 25E	LOT(S) 1, 2, S2NE4, SE4	320.63	\$1.00	\$5,000.00
030 VB-O-003	Eddy	22 23S 25E	SW4NW4	40.00	\$1.00	\$1,000.00
031 VB-O-004 (D)	Lea	27 12S 32E	W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
032 VB-O-005 (D)	Lea	14 15S 34E	W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
033 VB-O-006 (D)	Lea	23 15S 34E	W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
034 VB-O-007 (D)	Lea	18 16S 32E	NE4NW4, SE4SW4	80.00	\$1.00	\$1,500.00
035 VB-O-008	Lea	18 16S 33E	LOT(S) 1, 2, 3, 4, E2W2	320.12	\$1.00	\$5,000.00
036 VB-O-009 (D)	Lea	03 16S 35E	SW4SE4	40.00	\$1.00	\$1,000.00
037 VB-O-010 (D)	Lea	36 22S 35E	S2	320.00	\$1.00	\$5,000.00
038 VB-O-011	Lea	16 23S 36E	SE4SW4, SW4SE4	80.00	\$1.00	\$1,500.00

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Filling out the Bid Application Form

This guide follows the blanks on the Bid Application Form from top to bottom.

OGRID No. Enter your OGRID number here. If you do not have one, contact Paulette Lucero-Romero at (505) 827-5714 or plucero@slo.state.nm.us.

Name of legal entity or personal name – This is the name in which the lease will be issued; it will be the lessee of record. This can be the name of a company or of an individual.

Mailing address – This is the address of the potential leaseholder.

The following five blanks require information to be recorded exactly as you find in the SLO monthly Oil and Gas Lease Sale Notice. The information includes the tract number in the sale, the name of the county in which it lies, the legal land description describing the tract on which you are bidding, whether it is a regular sale or special sale, and how many acres the tract contains. Note that some of the portions are already filled in, to give you a guide to proper annotation.

EXAMPLE: 001 S12 T13S R28E
 Sealed: V0-001 Description W2NW4, SE4NW4, SW4

Notice the V0 –type lines are different for sealed and oral bids.

The amount of dollars that you enter in the next blank is your bid. Notice that your first year's rental is included in your bid. Your bid on a 320-acre tract may be \$10,000; if the rental rate on that tract is \$1/acre, we will apply \$320 of your \$10,000 to the first year's rental.

The amount of dollars that you enter in the "Total remittance" blank is your bid plus the \$30.00 application fee. In the above example, you would remit \$10,030.

Name of applicant or agent – This blank is for the printed name of either the applicant or the agent of the applicant.

Signature – The form must be signed in the presence of a notary public. The signature here is of the person named in the previous, "printed name" blank.

Acknowledgment section – Your notary public will complete the remainder of the form.

Remember that the bid application and your remittance must be in the Accounting office of the State Land Office before 9:30 a.m. the day of the oil and gas lease sale.

NEW MEXICO STATE LAND OFFICE
BID APPLICATION
FOR A STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL AND GAS LEASE

OGRID No. _____

TO: Commissioner of Public Lands
P.O. Box 1148
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504-1148

(Please print the name of the legal entity, or, if applying as an individual, the personal name.)

whose address is _____
(mailing address) (city) (state) (zip code)

a corporation qualified to do business in New Mexico, OR a citizen (or eligible to become a citizen) of the United States, over the age of twenty-one years hereby makes application for an oil and gas lease for the exploration, development and production of oil and natural gas thereon, upon the following described

land situated in the County of _____, State of New Mexico, to-wit:

TRACT NUMBER	LAND DESCRIPTION	REGULAR SALE	SPECIAL SALE
0 _____	S _____ T _____ R _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Sealed: _____ - 0 _____ Description _____

Oral: _____ - 0 - 0 _____

containing _____ acres, more or less.

Tendered herewith as bonus and first year's rental thereon is the sum of \$ _____, plus an application fee of \$30.00;
(a) (b)

Total remittance sum of (a) and (b).....\$ _____.

I, _____
(Please print name of applicant or of attorney in fact / authorized agent.)

do solemnly swear that every statement made in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature of individual or of attorney in fact / authorized agent)

Acknowledgment in an Individual Capacity:

State of _____)
County of _____) SS)

This instrument was acknowledged before me on _____
Date

By _____
Name of Person

(Seal)

Signature of Notarial Officer

My commission expires: _____

Acknowledgment in a Representative Capacity:

State of _____)
County of _____) SS)

This instrument was acknowledged before me on _____
Date

By _____
Name(s) of Person(s)

as _____ of _____
Type of authority; e.g., officer, trustee, etc. Name of party on behalf of whom instrument was executed

(Seal)

Signature of Notarial Officer

My commission expires: _____

**HOW TO MAKE A FEDWIRE DEPOSIT
TO
NEW MEXICO STATE LAND OFFICE**

**Direct any questions concerning this type of payment to Margaret Sena in the State Land Office
Accounting Office at 505-827-5705**

When you intend to pay by a wire transfer, please let the SLO Accounting Office know by filling out the form below. You can include the form inside any sealed bid you offer to the SLO. You can get copies of the form by calling the Accounting Office at (505) 827-5700.

**NEW MEXICO STATE LAND OFFICE
DRAFT FOR OIL & GAS SALE**

DATE _____ 20____

PAY TO THE
ORDER OF _____ **COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS** _____ \$ _____
_____ DOLLARS

TRACT # _____

Wells Fargo **COMPANY NAME** _____
For the Account of State Land Commissioner

AUTHORIZED AGENT

TRACT #	LEASE #	SEC	TWP	RGE	DESCRIPTION	ACRES	BIDDER	BID AMOUNTS	PRICE/ACRE
VO-S-001	V09634 00	15	18S	23E	W2SE4	80.00	ROY G. BARTON JR. FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$1,520.00 \$1,501.99	\$19.00
VO-S-002	V09635 00	11	15S	36E	E2	320.00	DOUG J. SCHUTZ MRC PERMIAN COMPANY TURNER OIL & GAS PROPERTIES, ROY G. BARTON JR. YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$296,640.00 \$243,664.00 \$226,880.00 \$103,040.00 \$14,419.20 \$5,001.99	\$927.00
VO-S-003	V09636 00	14	15S	36E	N2NW4	80.00	FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY TURNER OIL & GAS PROPERTIES, MRC PERMIAN COMPANY ROY G. BARTON JR. YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION	\$86,160.00 \$60,560.00 \$36,160.00 \$27,760.00 \$3,612.80	\$1,077.00
VO-S-004	V09637 00	25	15S	36E	NE4SW4, SE4	200.00	FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY TURNER OIL & GAS PROPERTIES, ROY G. BARTON JR. MRC PERMIAN COMPANY YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION	\$185,400.00 \$151,400.00 \$147,400.00 \$90,400.00 \$22,471.20	\$927.00
VO-S-005	V09638 00	1	16S	33E	LOT(S) 3, 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13, 14, SW4	493.30	YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION FEATHERSTONE DEVELOPMENT CORP ROY G. BARTON JR. FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$137,043.67 \$21,211.90 \$9,999.19 \$8,001.99	\$277.81
VO-S-006	V09639 00	33	16S	34E	E2	320.00	CONOCOPHILLIPS COMPANY MRC PERMIAN COMPANY FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY ROY G. BARTON JR. YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION FEATHERSTONE DEVELOPMENT CORP FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$168,000.00 \$160,000.00 \$104,640.00 \$75,840.00 \$22,358.40 \$13,760.00 \$5,001.99	\$525.00
VO-S-007	V09640 00	12	16S	35E	NE4	160.00	FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY TURNER OIL & GAS PROPERTIES, MRC PERMIAN COMPANY ROY G. BARTON JR. CROWN OIL PARTNERS V, L.P. YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION	\$148,320.00 \$113,440.00 \$80,000.00 \$37,920.00 \$26,300.50 \$9,580.80	\$927.00
VO-S-008	V09641 00	2	16S	36E	LOT(S) 1	48.95	ROY G. BARTON JR. DOUG J. SCHUTZ TURNER OIL & GAS PROPERTIES, MRC PERMIAN COMPANY FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$48,034.00 \$45,376.65 \$37,055.15 \$27,020.40 \$1,001.99	\$981.29
VO-S-009	V09642 00	3	16S	37E	LOT(S) 4	52.78	ROY G. BARTON JR. MRC PERMIAN COMPANY TURNER OIL & GAS PROPERTIES, BILL FENN	\$51,010.00 \$42,224.00 \$39,954.46 \$16,625.70	\$966.46

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							FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$1,001.99	
VO-S-010	V09643 00	6	16S	38E	LOT(S) 3, 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13, 14, 17, 18, E2SW4	481.00	ROY G. BARTON JR. YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$60,125.00 \$25,844.13 \$8,001.99	\$125.00
VO-S-011	V09644 00	8	16S	38E	N2	320.00	BILL FENN YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION ROY G. BARTON JR. FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$84,800.00 \$40,246.40 \$24,000.00 \$5,001.99	\$265.00
VB-S-001	VB2366 00	3	23S	25E	LOT(S) 1, 2, S2NE4, SE4	320.69	DOUGLAS W. FERGUSON CROWN OIL PARTNERS V, L.P. FEATHERSTONE DEVELOPMENT CORP YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION ROY G. BARTON JR. FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$365,940.00 \$242,750.00 \$81,000.00 \$34,618.49 \$5,033.00 \$5,001.99	\$1,141.10
VB-S-002	VB2367 00	19	23S	26E	SE4NE4, E2W2, N2SE4, SE4SE4	320.00	CROWN OIL PARTNERS V, L.P. DOUGLAS W. FERGUSON BVX OPERATING INC. YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION ROY G. BARTON JR. FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$1,027,159.50 \$227,200.00 \$99,200.00 \$34,774.40 \$5,043.00 \$5,001.99	\$3,209.87
VB-S-003	VB2368 00	32	23S	36E	NW4, S2S2	320.00	ROY G. BARTON JR. FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$7,040.00 \$5,001.99	\$22.00
VO-O-001	V09645 00	36	07S	28E	E2	320.00	DOUG J. SCHUTZ	\$5,000.00	\$15.63
VO-O-002	V09646 00	23	19S	23E	NE4, S2NW4, SW4	400.00	YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION	\$6,500.00	\$16.25
VO-O-003	V09647 00	31	19S	23E	E2	320.00	YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION	\$5,000.00	\$15.63
VO-O-004	V09648 00	13	10S	36E	NW4	160.00	SHAW INTERESTS, INC.	\$6,500.00	\$40.63
VO-O-005	V09649 00	7	10S	37E	LOT(S) 1, 2, E2NW4	159.23	SHAW INTERESTS, INC.	\$7,500.00	\$47.10
VO-O-006	V09650 00	19	15S	35E	W2NE4, N2SE4	160.00	YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION	\$2,500.00	\$15.63
VO-O-007	V09651 00	3	15S	36E	W2SE4	80.00	TURNER OIL & GAS PROPERTIES,	\$46,000.00	\$575.00
VO-O-008	V09652 00	11	15S	36E	W2	320.00	DOUG J. SCHUTZ	\$230,000.00	\$718.75
VO-O-009	V09653 00	18	15S	36E	LOT(S) 1, 2, E2NW4	159.82	MRC PERMIAN COMPANY	\$96,000.00	\$600.68
VO-O-010	V09654 00	1	16S	33E	LOT(S) 1, 2, 7, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16	332.70	YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION	\$15,000.00	\$45.09
VO-O-011	V09655 00	33	16S	34E	W2	320.00	CONOCOPHILLIPS COMPANY	\$190,000.00	\$593.75

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VO-0-012	V09656 00	33	16S	35E	E2	320.00	DOUG J. SCHUTZ	\$195,000.00	\$609.38
VO-0-013	V09657 00	2	16S	37E	LOT(S) 9	40.00	MRC PERMIAN COMPANY	\$25,000.00	\$625.00
VO-0-014	V09658 00	3	16S	37E	LOT(S) 5	40.00	MRC PERMIAN COMPANY	\$38,000.00	\$950.00
VO-0-015	V09659 00	5	16S	37E	LOT(S) 8, 9	80.00	MRC PERMIAN COMPANY	\$88,000.00	\$1,100.00
VO-0-016	V09660 00	6	16S	38E	LOT(S) 1, 2, 7, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, NE4SE4, S2SE4	465.75	BILL FENN	\$64,000.00	\$137.41
VO-0-017	V09661 00	8	16S	38E	N2SW4, SE4SW4	120.00	BILL FENN	\$32,000.00	\$266.67
VO-0-018	V09662 00	28	06S	34E	N2	320.00	YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION	\$54,000.00	\$168.75
VO-0-019	V09663 00	28	06S	34E	S2	320.00	FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$68,000.00	\$212.50
VB-0-001	VB2369 00	3	23S	25E	LOT(S) 3, 4, S2NW4	160.63	DOUGLAS W. FERGUSON	\$155,000.00	\$964.95
VB-0-002	VB2370 00	3	21S	35E	LOT(S) 13, 14, 15, 16, SW4	320.00	ROY G. BARTON JR.	\$5,000.00	\$15.63

**** END OF REPORT ****

HIGHEST BID ANALYSIS
REGULAR SALE March 18, 2014

Total \$ 4,001,192.17 for 35 tracts covering 8,434.85 Acres...\$474.36 per acre.
Sealed (Five Year) \$2,667,192.17 for 14 tracts covering 3,516.72 Acres...\$758.43 per acre.
Oral (Five Year) \$1,334,000.00 for 21 tracts covering 4,918.13 Acres...\$271.24 per acre.

Total of 35 tracts were offered.... 35 tracts were sold.....14 buyers registered for the sale.

Highest Sealed Bid (Five Year Term) SE4NE4, E2W2, N2SE4, SE4SE4 of Section 19, Township 23 South, Range 26 East, containing 320.00 acres, more or less, in Eddy County, approximately 11 miles southwest of Carlsbad, New Mexico, by Crown Oil Partners V, L.P., Midland, TX.
Tract No. VB-002
\$ 1,027,159.50

Highest Sealed Bid (Five Year Term) SE4NE4, E2W2, N2SE4, SE4SE4 of Section 19, Township 23 South, Range 26 East, containing 320.00 acres, more or less, in Eddy County, approximately 11 miles southwest of Carlsbad, New Mexico, by Crown Oil Partners V, L.P., Midland, TX.
Per Acre
Tract No. VB-002
\$ 3,209.87

Highest Oral Bid (Five Year Term) W2 of Section 11, Township 15 South, Range 36 East, containing 320.00 acres, more or less, in Lea County, approximately 7.5 miles northeast of Lovington, New Mexico, by Doug J. Schutz, of Santa Fe, NM.
Tract No. VO-O-008
\$ 230,000.00

Highest Oral Bid (Five Year Term) LOT (S) 8, 9 of Section 05, Township 16 South, Range 37 East, containing 80.00 acres, more or less, in Lea County, approximately 5 miles northeast of Lovington, New Mexico, by MRC Permian Company, of Dallas, TX.
Per Acre
Tract No. VO-O-015
\$ 1,100.00

March 2013 Regular Sale was \$5,207,639.60 for 9,616.59 acres or \$1,206,447.43 more than the March 2014 Regular Sale.

No Special Sale

Total Sale was \$4,001,192.17



Ray Powell, M.S., D.V.M.
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July 25, 2012

Dear representatives of the oil and gas industry:

As you may be aware, on March 2, 2012, I signed a Candidate Conservation Agreement with Assurances (CCAA) with the United States Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) and the Center of Excellence for Hazardous Material Management (CEHMM). The USFWS cited this and similar agreements between industry and the federal government as being instrumental in its June 2012 decision not to list the Dunes Sagebrush Lizard (DSL) under the Endangered Species Act.

This agreement, the result of years of work with the oil and gas industry, the agricultural community, and the Bureau of Land Management, will protect the health of our natural world while ensuring economic activity that supports communities, universities, hospitals and our other beneficiary institutions while helping keep our taxes down. It represents the largest such accord in the nation -- more than 247,000 acres.

Participation in the CCAA virtually assures that oil and gas activity can continue in areas inhabited by the Lesser Prairie Chicken (LPC) and/or the DSL while meeting conservation objectives for these two species.

In the case of an Endangered Species Act listing in the absence of a CCAA, oil and gas development in the species' range would likely be severely delayed by the requisite USFWS consultation process.

The CCAA¹ agreement is available for your review at the State Land Office website www.nmstatelands.org/ConservationAgreement.aspx. Also available on this page are a habitat map and other information concerning the agreement that may be of interest to you.

I encourage all leaseholders and operators to enroll and participate fully in this voluntary program. By agreeing to conduct certain conservation measures the

¹ The CCAA may also be referred to in Oil and Gas Sale Notices as "Subject to 3/2012 Conservation Agreement" due to system restrictions on the length of footnotes.

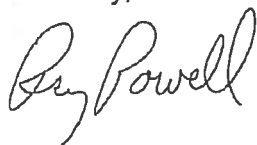
USFWS provides regulatory certainty (assurances) concerning land use restrictions that might otherwise apply should the LPC or DSL become listed in the future as threatened or endangered species.

An example of the measures required under the CCAA includes: a requirement that power lines be buried within two miles of LPC lek sites, active at least once in the past five years, or within one mile of historic LPC lek sites. Other requirements include providing escape ramps for open water sources, minimizing surface disturbances, and avoiding DSL habitat.

The health of our state lands and the success of our oil and gas industry are of prime importance to New Mexicans. This agreement helps ensure the future of both.

Please do not hesitate to contact me or my office with any questions or concerns you may have.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ray Powell". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned below the word "Sincerely,".

Ray Powell, M.S., D.V.M.
Commissioner of Public Lands

2014

NEW MEXICO STATE LAND OFFICE



SALE CALENDAR



Regularly scheduled sale
(Third Tuesday of each month)



Last day to nominate tracts for
next monthly sale

To nominate tracts for an oil and gas lease sale, call the Oil, Gas, and Minerals Division Geologists at 505-827-5774 or 505-827-5748, submit your nomination in writing, or by e-mail to, swust@slo.state.nm.us.

TO PRESERVE CONFIDENTIALITY OF YOUR NOMINATION, PLEASE MARK THE OUTSIDE OF YOUR ENVELOPE WITH THE WORDS **CONFIDENTIAL NOMINATION**.

New Mexico State Land Office
Oil, Gas and Minerals Division
P.O. Box 1148
Santa Fe, NM 87504-1148.

Fax number is 505-827-4739.

Fax communication may not be confidential.

Our Web page address is www.nmstatelands.org.

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~~~~~*Do you need New Mexico oil and gas info?*~~~~~

▶▶▶ **USEFUL NEW MEXICO OIL AND GAS LINKS** ◀◀◀

New Mexico State Land Office, leasing/royalty management agency  
for state trust lands: [www.nmstatelands.org](http://www.nmstatelands.org)

New Mexico Tech site for State Land Office ONGARD data  
presentation to the public.  
<http://octane.nmt.edu/slo/>

ONGARD database for open acres and a wealth of other state data  
you didn't know you needed.  
<http://www.ongard.state.nm.us/>

NM Bureau of Geology and Mineral Resources, subsurface geology  
for the state.  
Their publications website: <http://geoinfo.nmt.edu/>

NM Oil Conservation Division, oil industry regulatory agency for  
operating in New Mexico, plus well and  
production data: <http://www.emnrd.state.nm.us/ocd/>



## How may our Oil, Gas, and Minerals Division help you?

### **Unitization & Commingling**

Pete Martinez, 505-827-5791  
Jerome Maestas, 505-827-5783

### **Communitization, Reduced Royalty & Engineering**

Terry Warnell, 505-827-5745  
William Jones, 505-827-6628  
Anchor Holm, 505-827-5759

### **Lease Sales, Potash Enclave, Geophysical Permitting, Geology**

Stephen Wust, 505-827-5774  
[swust@slo.state.nm.us](mailto:swust@slo.state.nm.us)

Niranjan Khalsa  
505-827-5748

### **Lease Expirations, Cancellations, Rentals, Assignments**

Kenda Montoya 505-827-5749  
Rubel Salazar 505-827-5730

### **Bonds, Shut-In Royalty, OGRIDS,** Paulette Lucero-Romero, 505-827-5714

### **Miscellaneous Instruments**

Kenda Montoya 505-827-5749

### **Sand and Gravel, Caliche, General Mining**

In Santa Fe (includes Farmington):

Michael Mariano, 505-827-5750

Jack Yates, 505-827-5743

Monica Fresquez, 505-827-5849

In Hobbs Field Office:

Ben Sturgill, 505-392-8736

or William Sonnamaker, 505-392-3697

### **OGMD Office Procedures, Division Administration**

Greg Bloom Assistant Commissioner, 505-827-4489

Larry Roybal, Division Director, 505-827-5746

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