### 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 on 18 July 2017, for the tracts of land herein described.

The sale will be held online, in two formats. The sealed bid portion will close at 8:30 am MDT on July 18. The open bidding portion closes sequentially by tract beginning at 10:30 am MDT on July 18. Bidding will commence one week prior to lease sale day.

The sale will be held and conducted in accordance with the following terms and conditions:

The online auction will be conducted by the State Land Office contract auction house, EnergyNet. To view the online tract listing go to <a href="https://www.energynet.com/govt\_listing.pl">www.energynet.com/govt\_listing.pl</a> and abide by the terms and conditions therein.

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. Leases will be awarded to the highest bidder, if the offer made is deemed to be satisfactory.

The successful bidder in every case of bidding will be required to deposit forthwith, the amount bid, plus the application fee of \$100.00, and to file application in due form before the close of business on said date. The successful bidder in online bidding will be required to make the deposit via electronic fund transfer, as specified on the EnergyNet auction site.

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.

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.

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COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS

## July oil & gas lease sale

The New Mexico State Land Office Oil & Gas lease sale for 18 July 2017 will be held online in both a sealed bid and open bidding format. Online bidding will commence July 11, one week prior to the lease sale date. Sealed bidding will close at 8:30 am MDT on July 18. Open bidding will close sequentially by tract beginning at 10:30 am MDT on July 18.

The online auction will be conducted by the State Land Office auction house contractor, EnergyNet. When posted, the online tract listing can be viewed at <a href="https://www.energynet.com/govt-listing.pl">www.energynet.com/govt-listing.pl</a> and abide by the terms and conditions therein.

PAYMENT FOR ALL WINNING ONLINE LEASES SHALL BE MADE THE DAY OF THE SALE BY WIRE TRANSFER, OR

IN-PERSON AT THE NEW MEXICO STATE LAND OFFICE BY CASH, CHECK, MONEY ORDER, CERTIFIED CHECK, OR ELECTRONIC TRANSFER ON A SOLVENT BANK.

# LATE PAYMENTS WILL BE REJECTED AND NO LEASE WILL BE ISSUED FOR THAT TRACT

("The successful bidders shall file proper applications for the leases purchased and shall complete the payment of any balance due on their bids before the closing of the office of the commissioner on the day of the sale." §19-10-17 NMSA 1978.)

To verify wire transfer payment, submit copies of the dated wire instructions (sent to your bank) to <a href="mailto:swust@slo.state.nm.us">swust@slo.state.nm.us</a>; <a href="mailto:msena@slo.state.nm.us">msena@slo.state.nm.us</a>; <a href="mailto:slopez@slo.state.nm.us">slopez@slo.state.nm.us</a>; <a href="mailto:slopez@slo

When you provide a check as payment, you authorize the State of New Mexico to either use information from your check to make a one-time electronic fund transfer from your account or to process the payment as a check transaction. Please be advised that payments will be drafted from your account immediately upon receipt. ("The successful bidders shall file proper applications for the leases purchased and shall complete the payment of any balance due on their bids before the closing of the office of the commissioner on the day of the sale." §19-10-17 NMSA 1978.)

# POLICY ON COMMUNICATIONS REGARDING OIL & GAS LEASE SALE NOMINATIONS

Because the listing of oil & gas lease tracts to be offered for bid is neither finalized nor public prior to publication, the State Land Office will not provide notification of whether submitted or internal nominations will be included in a lease sale prior to publication. Notification of inclusion will be in the form of the published lease sale listing.

Acknowledgement of receipt of nominations does not constitute a notification that such nominations will or will not be included in a lease sale.

The State Land Office will no longer track submitted nominations beyond the month they are submitted. Nominated tracts will only be considered for the following month's lease sale. If a nominated tract does not appear in the lease listing, it must be resubmitted the next month in order to be considered for a subsequent lease sale.

To nominate, submit a locational description of the nominated tract to <a href="mailto:swust@slo.state.nm.us">swust@slo.state.nm.us</a> To be considered for the next month's lease sale, nominations must be submitted two Fridays before the current month's lease sale. Lease sales are held the third Tuesday of each month.

If a nominated tract is included in a lease sale, the nominator must ensure that at least a minimum bid is submitted for the nominated tract. If a nominated tract receives no bids and is withdrawn, no further nominations will be accepted from that nominator.

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Regular Sale - ONLINE SEALED BIDDING COMMENCES JULY 11, 2017. BIDDING FOR THE SEALED TRACTS WILL CLOSE 8:30am MDT

ON JULY 18, 2017. THE ONLINE AUCTION WILL BE CONDUCTED BY THE SLO CONTRACTOR ENERGYNET.

NOTE: THE FOLLOWING TRACTS WILL BE OFFERED FOR SEALED BID PURSUANT TO THE NOTICES. LEASES FOR THE FOLLOWING TRACTS WILL

BE ISSUED ON SECTION 19-10-4.3 NMSA 1978, DEVELOPMENT LEASE FORM, FIVE(5) YEAR TERM, 1/5th ROYALTY, AND HAVE BEEN

CLASSIFIED AND CATEGORIZED IN COMPLIANCE WITH 19-10-3 NMSA 1978.

TRA #	ACT		COUNTY	SEC TWP RO	2 DESCRIPTION	ACRES (MORE OR LESS)	PRIMARY RENTAL	MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE BID
001 VC-		(D)	Chaves	22 06S 22		40.00	\$0.50	\$2,000.00
002 VC-	-002 (	(D)	Chaves	27 06S 22	E SW4NE4	40.00	\$0.50	\$2,000.00
003 VC-	-003 (	(E)	Chaves	22 08S 33	3 S2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
004, VC-	004 (	(E)	Chaves	33 08s 33	E N2NE4	80.00	\$0.50	\$3,000.00
005 VC-	-005 (	(E)	Chaves	35 08S 33	E \$2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
006 VC-	-006		Chaves	36 09S 27	g W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
007 VC-	007		Chaves	36 10s 27	E E2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
008 VC-	-008		Chaves	16 10S 28	S E2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
009 VC-	-009 (	D, E)	Chaves	32 10S 31	3 N2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
010 VC-	-010 (	E)	Chaves	02 115 31	3 S2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
011 VC-	-011		Chaves	36 155 28	E W2NE4	80.00	\$0.50	\$3,000.00
012 VC-	-012		Chaves	36 15S 28	S S2SW4, SE4	240.00	\$0.50	\$8,000.00
013 VC-	-013 {	D)	Chaves	01 155 29	E LOT(S) 3, 4, S2NW4, SW4	320.15	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
014 VC-	-014 (	E)	Chaves	12 158 29	E NE4NE4	40.00	\$0.50	\$2,000.00
015 VC-	-015 (	E)	Chaves	07 15S 30	w2NE4	80.00	\$0.50	\$3,000.00
016 VC-	-016 {	D)	Eddy	02 22S 22	S 82	320.00	\$1.00	\$10,000.00
017 VC-	-017 (	D)	Eddy	32 22S 22	S S2	320.00	\$1.00	\$10,000.00
018 VC-	-018		Eddy	10 248 27	C S2SW4	80.00	\$1.00	\$3,000.00
019 VC-	-019 (	E)	Lea	07 09S 32	LOT(S) 3, 4, E2SW4, SE4	317.96	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
020 VC-	-020 (	E)	Lea	08 09S 32	S S2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
021 .VC-	-021 {	E)	Lea	27 098 35	\$ \$2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
022 VC-	-022 (	D, E}	Lea '	13 105 32	W2NE4, E2NW4	160.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
023 VC-	-023 (	D)	Lea	21 108 32	S \$2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
024 VC-		D, E)	Lea		SW4, N2SE4	240.00	\$0.50	\$8,000.00

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Regular Sale - ONLINE SEALED BIDDING COMMENCES JULY 11, 2017. BIDDING FOR THE SEALED TRACTS WILL CLOSE 8:30am MDT ON JULY 18, 2017. THE ONLINE AUCTION WILL BE CONDUCTED BY THE SLO CONTRACTOR ENERGYNET.

NOTE: THE FOLLOWING TRACTS WILL BE OFFERED FOR SEALED BID PURSUANT TO THE NOTICES. LEASES FOR THE FOLLOWING TRACTS WILL BE ISSUED ON SECTION 19-10-4.3 NMSA 1978, DEVELOPMENT LEASE FORM, FIVE(5) YEAR TERM, 1/5th 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
	VC-025	(D)	Lea	28 10S 32E		320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
026	VC-026	(E)	Lea	06 10S 36E	LOT(S) 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, S2NE4, SE4NW4	318.10	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
027	VC-027		Lea	25 14S 34E	W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
028	VC-028		Lea	05 158 34E	S2S2	160.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
029	VC-029		Lea	04 15S 35E	S2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
030	AC-030		Lea	05 15S 35E	S2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
031	VC-031	(D)	Lea	22 15S 35E	N2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
032	VC-032	(D)	Lea	27 15S 35E	N2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
033	AC-033		Lea	29 15S 35E	N2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
034	VC-034		Lea	35 15S 36E	SE4	160.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
035	VC-035	(D)	Lea	35 15S 37E	SW4, W2SE4	240.00	\$0.50	\$8,000.00
036	VC-036	(D)	Lea	36 15S 37E	S2	320,00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
037	VC-037		Lea	02 16S 33E	LOT(S) 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8	349.16	\$1.00	\$11,000.00
038	VC-038	(D)	Lea	23 16S 36E	SW4, W2SE4	240.00	\$1.00	\$9,000.00
039	VC-039		Lea	18 16S 37E	LOT(S) 1, 2, NE4, E2NW4	342.07	\$1.00	\$11,000.00
040	VC-040	(D)	Lea	15 17S 36E	E2	320.00	\$1.00	\$10,000.00
041	VC-041	(E)	Lea	16 20S 36E	NE4, E2SE4	240.00	\$1.00	\$8,000.00
042	VC-042	(D)	Lea	35 22S 35E	N2	320.00	\$1.00	\$10,000.00
043	VC-043		Lea	36 23S 35E	SE4SE4	40.00	\$1.00	\$2,000.00
044	VC-044		Lea	28 26S 36E	E2	320.00	\$1.00	\$10,000.00
045	VC-045	(E)	Roosevelt	08 07S 35E	W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
046	VC-046	(E)	Roosevelt	29 07S 35E	W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00

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TRACT #		COUNTY	SEC TWP RGE	DESCRIPTION	ACRES (MORE OR LESS)	PRIMARY RENTAL	MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE BID
047 VC-0-001	(D)	Chaves	17 06S 22E		40.00	\$0.50	\$2,000.00
048 VC-O-002	(E)	Chaves	21 08S 33E	NW 4 NW 4	40.00	\$0.50	\$2,000.00
049 VC-O-003	(E)	Chaves	22 08S 33E	NE4	160.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
050 VC-O-004	(E)	Chaves	27 08S 33E	W2NE4, SE4NE4	120.00	\$0.50	\$4,000.00
051 VC-0-005	(E)	Chaves	35 08S 33E	S2NE4, SE4NW4	120.00	\$0.50	\$4,000.00
052 VC-0-006		Chaves	36 09S 27E	E2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
053 VC-0-007		Chaves	36 10S 27E	W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
054 VC-0-008		Chaves	16 10S 28E	W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
055 VC-0-009	(D, E)	Chaves	32 10S 31E	S2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
056 VC-0-010	(D)	Chaves	11 11S 31E	N2NE4, SW4NE4, NW4	280.00	\$0.50	\$9,000.00
057 VC-0-011		Chaves	35 15S 28E	SE4	160.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
058 VC-0-012	(D, E)	Chaves	01 15S 29E	LOT(S) 1, 2, S2NE4, SE4	320.05	\$0.50	.\$10,000.00
059 VC-0-013	(E)	Chaves	05 158 30E	LOT(S) 4, SW4NW4	80.31	\$0.50	\$3,000.00
060 VC-O-014		Eddy	09 16S 28E	W2SW4	80.00	\$1.00	\$3,000.00
061 VC-0-015	(D)	Eddy	02 22S 22E	LOT(S) 1, 2, 3, 4, S2N2	320.64	\$1.00	\$10,000.00
062 VC-0-016		Eddy	32 22S 22E	N2	320.00	\$1.00	\$10,000.00
063 VC-0-017	(E)	Ľea	07 09S 32E	LOT(S) 1, 2, NE4, E2NW4	317.88	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
064 VC-0-018	(E)	Lea	08 09S 32E	N2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
065 VC-0-019	(D, E)	Lea	13 10S 32E	SW4, W2SE4	240.00	\$0.50	\$8,000.00
066 VC-0-020	(D)	Lea	21 10S 32E	N2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
067 VC-0-021	(D)	Lea	24 10S 32E	W2NE4, SE4NE4	120.00	\$0.50	\$4,000.00
068 VC-0-022	(D)	Lea	28 10S 32E	N2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
)69 VC-0-023	(D, E)	Lea	05 108 36E	LOT(S) 1, 2, 3, 4, S2N2	320.20	\$0.50	\$10,000.00

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TRACT	<u> </u>	COUNTY	SEC TWP RGE	DESCRIPTION	ACRES (MORE OR LESS)	PRIMARY RENTAL	MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE BID
070 VC-0-024		Lea	25 14S 34E		320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
071 VC-0-025		Lea	04 15S 35E	LOT(S) 2, 3, 4, S2N2	285.74	\$0.50	\$9,000.00
072 VC-0-026	(D)	Lea	22 15S 35E	S2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
073 VC-0-027	(D)	Lea	27 15S 35E	N2SW4, SW4SW4, N2SE4	200.00	\$0.50	\$7,000.00
074 VC-0-028	(D)	Lea	30 15S 35E	LOT(S) 1, 2, NE4, E2NW4	321.73	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
075 VC-0-029	(D)	Lea	35 15S 37E	S2N2	160.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
076 VC-0-030	(D)	Lea	36 158 37E	N2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
077 VC-0-031	(D)	Lea	06 16S 33E	LOT(S) 17, 18, E2SW4, SE4	319.52	\$1.00	\$10,000.00
078 VC-0-032	(D)	Lea	23 16S 36E	N2NE4, SW4NE4, N2NW4	200.00	\$1.00	\$7,000.00
079 VC-0-033	(D)	Lea	10 17S 36E	₩2	320.00	\$1.00	\$10,000.00
080 VC-0-034	(E)	Lea	16 20S 36E	W2	320.00	\$1.00	\$10,000.00
081 VC-O-035	(D)	Lea	19 22S 35E	E2	320.00	\$1.00	\$10,000.00
082 VC-0-036	(E)	Roosevelt	18 07S 35E	E2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00

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# Lease Sale Summary June 2017

The June lease sale was held online, in sealed and open bidding formats.

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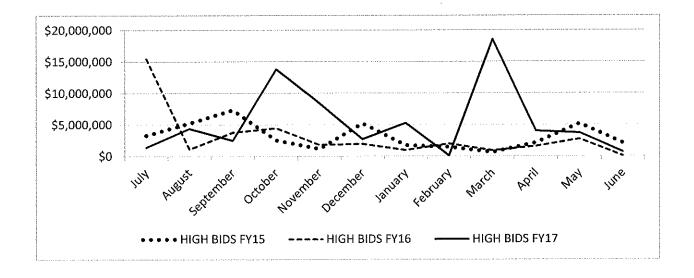
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There were 20 tracts offered, for a total of 5721 acres. There were two tracts in Lea County, both as sealed bids, and 18 in Otero County, in sealed and open bidding.

Total high bids: \$654,448 from two different bidders on the two Lea County tracts covering 640 acres, for an average per acre price of \$1023. There were no bids on any of the Otero County tracts.

Sale Month	Total sale	High tracts	Bid type	Rest	_	S	T	R
20-Jun	\$654,448	\$385,600	S			32	9\$	35E
		\$268,848	S			32	9S	35E
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Total		\$654,448		\$0	sealed	\$654,448		

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TRACT # LEASE #	SEC TWP RGE DESCRIPTION	ACRES BIDDER	BID PRICE/ACR AMOUNTS
VC-S-001 VC0123 00	32 09S 35E N2	320.00 MANZANO LLC	\$385,600.00 \$1,205.00
VC-S-002 VC0124 00	32 098 35E S2	320.00 ABO EMPIRE, LLC.	\$268,848.00 \$840.15
LH-S-001	32 13S 10E N2	WITHDRAWN	
LH-S-002	2 14S 09E S2	WITHDRAWN	
LH-S-003	3 14S 09E LOT(S) 1, 2, 3, 4, S2N2	WITHDRAWN	
LH-S-004	4 14S 09E SW4, W2SE4	WITHDRAWN	
LH-S-005	12 14S 09E N2	WITHDRAWN	
LH-S-006	16 14S 09E S2	WITHDRAWN	
LH-S-007	36 14S 09E N2	WITHDRAWN	
LH-S-008	16 15S 11E N2	WITHDRAWN	
LH-O-001	32 13S 10E S2	WITHDRAWN	
LH-0-002	2 14S 09E LOT(S) 1, 2, 3, 4, S2N2	WITHDRAWN	
LH-O-003	3 14S 09E NE4SW4, SE4	WITHDRAWN	
LH-O-004	4 14S 09E LOT(S) 1, 2, 3, 4, S2N2	WITHDRAWN	
LH-O-005	12 14S 09E S2	WITHDRAWN	
LH-O-006	16 14S 09E N2	WITHDRAWN	
LH-O-007	36 14S 09E S2	WITHDRAWN	
LH-O-008	32 15S 10E NW4	WITHDRAWN	
LH-O-009	16 15S 11E S2	WITHDRAWN	

\*\*\*\* END OF REPORT \*\*\*\*



Aubrey Dunn COMMISSIONER

# State of New Mexico Commissioner of Public Lands

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20 January 2015

To the representatives of the oil and gas industry:

In 2012, the New Mexico State Land Office entered into 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 agreement was expanded in 2014.

The purpose of the CCAA is to provide protections for the Lesser Prairie Chicken and Dunes Sagebrush Lizard, while allowing industry activities to continue on State Lands. There are now 404,000 acres of State Lands enrolled in the program.

By enrolling State Lands, the New Mexico State Land Office has provided for program eligibility for lease holders on these lands. Enrolled lands are marked on the oil & gas lease sale tract listing with a footnote.

This is a voluntary program entered into by industry through CEHMM. Information on the program can be found at the CEHMM web site: www.cehmm.org/ccaccaa.

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# NOTICE: CULTURAL RESOURCE PROTECTION

All oil & gas or mineral leases, assigns, and operators conducting drilling, production, injection, or related operations on state trust lands should be aware that it is a criminal offense for any person to knowingly excavate, injure, or destroy cultural property located on state land. [§ 18-6-9, NMSA 1978]. Applicants and lessees should exercise due caution to ensure that cultural properties are not inadvertently excavated, injured, or destroyed by any person. A cultural resource survey prior to any surface disturbing activity may assist in site identification and avoidance of criminal liability associated with disturbance or destruction of sites. Should any activity reveal suspected cultural property, the activity should cease until a site evaluation is made. For further information, please contact the New Mexico State Land Office Oil & Gas Division at 505-827-5774.

#### CALICHE PITS ON OIL & GAS LEASES

#### **FROM SLO MINERALS RULE 5:**

- 19.2.5.11 USE OF NECESSARILY DISTURBED CALICHE FROM OIL AND GAS LEASE ACREAGE. The commissioner shall make no charge for caliche necessarily moved within the roadbed or within the perimeter of a specific well pad while in the process of developing oil and natural gas under a state oil and gas lease, subject to the following conditions.
- **A.** Only caliche derived from the cellar and reserve pit or cut and fill, which is necessarily disturbed in the process of building an access road and/or that oil and gas well location, may be used without charge.
- **B.** Caliche necessarily disturbed during construction must remain within the boundaries of the oil and gas lease. If excess caliche exists from a necessary disturbance, that caliche may only be moved from that location to another well site within the lease once an operator or lessee of record obtains a permit and compensates the commissioner pursuant to the terms of a community caliche pit permit.
- C. Only caliche excavated during cut and fill construction of a well pad or roads built to 19.2.20 NMAC standards will be considered necessarily disturbed. [5/14/99; 19.2.5.11 NMAC Rn, 19 NMAC 3. SLO 5.11, 09/30/02]

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

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New Mexico State Land Office, leasing/royalty management agency for state trust lands: <a href="https://www.nmstatelands.org">www.nmstatelands.org</a>

New Mexico Tech site for State Land Office ONGARD data presentation to the public.

<a href="http://octane.nmt.edu/slo/">http://octane.nmt.edu/slo/</a>

ONGARD database for open acres and a wealth of other state data you didn't know you needed.

<a href="http://www.ongard.state.nm.us/">http://www.ongard.state.nm.us/</a>

NM Bureau of Geology and Mineral Resources, subsurface geology for the state.

Their publications website: <a href="http://geoinfo.nmt.edu/">http://geoinfo.nmt.edu/</a>

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



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