

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 March 17, 2015 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 Sale may 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, 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."



AUBREY DUNN
COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS

NOTICE OF SALE

OIL AND GAS LEASES

BY AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME, I, AUBREY DUNN, 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. 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.)
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. If State Offices, including the State Land Office, is closed on lease sale day due to inclement weather, the lease sale for that month will be cancelled. If there is a two-hour delay, the lease sale will be held at 11:30.
10. THE COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC LANDS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL BIDS.

AUBREY DUNN

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 - MARCH 17, 2015

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 (E)	Lea	36 09S 35E	N2	320.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
002 VO-002 (D, E)	Lea	16 09S 36E	N2	320.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
003 VO-003 (E)	Lea	01 10S 35E	LOT(S) 1, 2, 3, 4, S2N2	320.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
004 VO-004 (D)	Lea	05 14S 32E	LOT(S) 1, 2, S2NE4, SE4	319.52	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
005 VO-005	Lea	22 15S 32E	SE4	160.00	\$0.50	\$2,500.00
006 VO-006	Lea	25 15S 32E	E2	320.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
007 VO-007	Lea	36 15S 32E	E2	320.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00

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TRACT #	COUNTY	SEC TWP RGE	DESCRIPTION	ACRES (MORE OR LESS)	PRIMARY RENTAL	MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE BID
008 VB-001	Eddy	25 19S 27E	NE4SW4, SW4SW4	80.00	\$1.00	\$1,500.00
009 VB-002 (D)	Lea	10 17S 36E	NE4	160.00	\$1.00	\$2,500.00
010 VB-003	Lea	22 18S 37E	W2NW4	80.00	\$1.00	\$1,500.00
011 VB-004 (D)	Lea	16 18S 38E	N2NW4, SE4NW4, SW4	280.00	\$1.00	\$4,500.00
012 VB-005	San Juan	33 25N 12W	NE4, N2SE4, SE4SE4	280.00	\$1.00	\$4,500.00

D: ALL OR PORTION OF SURFACE NON-STATE
 E: SUBJECT TO 3/2012 CONSERVATION AGREEMENT

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

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

Regular Sale - ORAL BID MARCH 17, 2015

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TRACT #	COUNTY	SEC TWP RGE	DESCRIPTION	ACRES (MORE OR LESS)	PRIMARY RENTAL	MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE BID
013 V0-O-001 (E)	Lea	36 09S 35E	S2	320.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
014 V0-O-002 (D, E)	Lea	16 09S 36E	S2	320.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
015 V0-O-003 (E)	Lea	06 11S 38E	LOT(S) 1, 2, 3, 4, S2 (ALL)	392.44	\$0.50	\$6,500.00
016 V0-O-004 (D)	Lea	05 14S 32E	LOT(S) 3, 4, S2NW4, SW4	319.44	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
017 V0-O-005	Lea	22 15S 32E	SW4	160.00	\$0.50	\$2,500.00
018 V0-O-006	Lea	25 15S 32E	W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
019 V0-O-007	Lea	36 15S 32E	W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00

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020 VB-O-001 (D)	Lea	10 17S 36E	SE4	160.00	\$1.00	\$2,500.00
021 VB-O-002	Lea	16 18S 35E	NE4	160.00	\$1.00	\$2,500.00
022 VB-O-003	Lea	22 18S 37E	S2	320.00	\$1.00	\$5,000.00
023 VB-O-004 (D)	Lea	16 18S 38E	E2	320.00	\$1.00	\$5,000.00
024 VB-O-005	San Juan	33 25N 12W	N2NW4, SE4NW4	120.00	\$1.00	\$2,000.00

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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.

**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/ACR
VO-S-001		28	08S	33E	E2		WITHDRAWN		
VO-S-002	V09874 00	24	12S	31E	N2NE4, NW4, W2SW4, SE4SW4, S2SE4	440.00	YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION SLASH EXPLORATION LP	\$16,130.40 \$8,220.00	\$36.66
VO-S-003	V09875 00	32	09S	36E	W2	320.00	SLASH EXPLORATION LP TIERRA OIL CO., LLC	\$17,760.00 \$16,640.00	\$55.50
VO-S-004		31	11S	32E	LOT(S) 3, 4, E2SW4, SE4		WITHDRAWN		
VO-S-005	V09876 00	7	11S	38E	S2	320.00	TIERRA OIL CO., LLC	\$16,640.00	\$52.00
VO-S-006	V09877 00	4	12S	34E	S2	320.00	YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION GRIFFIN PETROLEUM COMPANY SLASH EXPLORATION LP	\$11,731.20 \$11,300.00 \$8,160.00	\$36.66
VO-S-007	V09878 00	8	06S	34E	S2	320.00	YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION SLASH EXPLORATION LP	\$20,691.20 \$5,660.00	\$64.66
VB-S-001	VB2486 00	11	19S	27E	NE4SW4, SW4SW4, N2SE4, SW4SE4	200.00	MRC PERMIAN COMPANY YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION CHASE OIL CORPORATION FEATHERSTONE DEVELOPMENT CORP FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY LOMA HOMBRE ENERGY, LLC	\$522,904.00 \$112,230.40 \$100,030.00 \$57,007.00 \$23,500.00 \$7,178.00	\$2,614.52
VB-S-002	VB2487 00	36	22S	25E	SE4NE4, NE4NW4, W2SW4	160.00	DOUGLAS W. FERGUSON FEATHERSTONE DEVELOPMENT CORP YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION JUSTIN T. CRUM LOMA HOMBRE ENERGY, LLC FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$121,856.77 \$85,127.00 \$29,945.60 \$10,160.00 \$5,742.40 \$2,600.00	\$761.60
VB-S-003	VB2488 00	29	15S	33E	W2SW4, SE4SW4, W2SE4, SE4SE4	240.00	SLASH EXPLORATION LP FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$5,120.00 \$4,750.00	\$21.33
VB-S-004	VB2489 00	2	15S	35E	LOT(S) 1, 2, S2NE4, W2SE4, SE4SE4	280.82	ROY G. BARTON JR. FEATHERSTONE DEVELOPMENT CORP SLASH EXPLORATION LP FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$14,498.00 \$12,277.00 \$5,641.00 \$4,750.00	\$51.63
VB-S-005	VB2490 00	16	15S	37E	N2	320.00	TURNER OIL & GAS PROPERTIES, SLASH EXPLORATION LP ROY G. BARTON JR. FEATHERSTONE DEVELOPMENT CORP	\$120,000.00 \$57,760.00 \$16,521.00 \$10,037.00	\$375.00
VB-S-006	VB2491 00	30	15S	38E	E2	320.00	YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION SLASH EXPLORATION LP	\$5,971.20 \$5,660.00	\$18.66
VB-S-007	VB2492 00	8	17S	37E	N2NW4, NE4SE4	120.00	FEATHERSTONE DEVELOPMENT CORP TURNER OIL & GAS PROPERTIES, YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION	\$48,637.00 \$45,000.00 \$43,339.20	\$405.31

TRACT #	LEASE #	SEC	TWP	RGE	DESCRIPTION	ACRES	BIDDER	BID AMOUNTS	PRICE/ACR
							SLASH EXPLORATION LP	\$24,120.00	
							LOMA HOMBRE ENERGY, LLC	\$4,306.80	
							FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$2,650.00	
VB-S-008	VB2493 00	36	18S	38E	N2, N2SW4	400.00	FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$7,200.00	\$18.00
VO-O-001	V09879 00	18	14S	30E	LOT(S) 3, 4, SE4	235.52	CHASE OIL CORPORATION	\$4,000.00	\$16.98
VO-O-002	V09880 00	32	09S	36E	E2	320.00	TIERRA OIL CO., LLC	\$19,000.00	\$59.38
VO-O-003	V09881 00	27	10S	32E	W2SE4, SE4SE4	120.00	SLASH EXPLORATION LP	\$2,000.00	\$16.67
VO-O-004		31	11S	32E	LOT(S) 1, 2, NE4, E2NW4		WITHDRAWN		
VO-O-005	V09882 00	10	11S	37E	S2N2, S2	480.00	TIERRA OIL CO., LLC	\$7,500.00	\$15.63
VO-O-006	V09883 00	7	11S	38E	N2NE4, SE4NE4, W2NW4, SE4NW4	240.00	TIERRA OIL CO., LLC	\$4,000.00	\$16.67
VO-O-007	V09884 00	4	12S	34E	LOT(S) 1, 2, 3, 4, S2N2	320.72	GRIFFIN PETROLEUM COMPANY	\$10,000.00	\$31.18
VO-O-008	V09885 00	8	06S	34E	N2	320.00	SLASH EXPLORATION LP	\$8,000.00	\$25.00
VB-O-001	VB2494 00	32	17S	30E	NE4, NE4NW4, S2NW4	280.00	MRC PERMIAN COMPANY	\$45,000.00	\$160.71
VB-O-002	VB2495 00	11	19S	27E	N2NE4, SE4NE4, N2NW4, SE4NW4	240.00	MRC PERMIAN COMPANY	\$200,000.00	\$833.33
VB-O-003	VB2496 00	15	15S	32E	E2, NW4	480.00	SLASH EXPLORATION LP	\$8,000.00	\$16.67
VB-O-004	VB2497 00	23	15S	36E	W2SW4, SE4SW4, SE4	280.00	TURNER OIL & GAS PROPERTIES,	\$100,000.00	\$357.14
VB-O-005	VB2498 00	16	15S	37E	S2	320.00	TURNER OIL & GAS PROPERTIES,	\$90,000.00	\$281.25
VB-O-006	VB2499 00	30	15S	38E	W2	320.00	SLASH EXPLORATION LP	\$5,000.00	\$15.63
VB-O-007	VB2500 00	8	17S	37E	S2SW4	80.00	FEATHERSTONE DEVELOPMENT CORP	\$32,000.00	\$400.00

**** END OF REPORT ****

HIGHEST BID ANALYSIS

REGULAR SALE February 17, 2015

Total \$1,463,639.77 for 27 tracts covering 7,797.06 Acres...\$187.72 per acre.

Sealed (Five Year) \$929,139.77 for 13 tracts covering 3,760.82 Acres...\$247.06 per acre.

Oral (Five Year) \$534,500.00 for 14 tracts covering 4,036.24 Acres...\$132.43 per acre.

Total of 30 tracts were offered.... 27 tracts were sold.

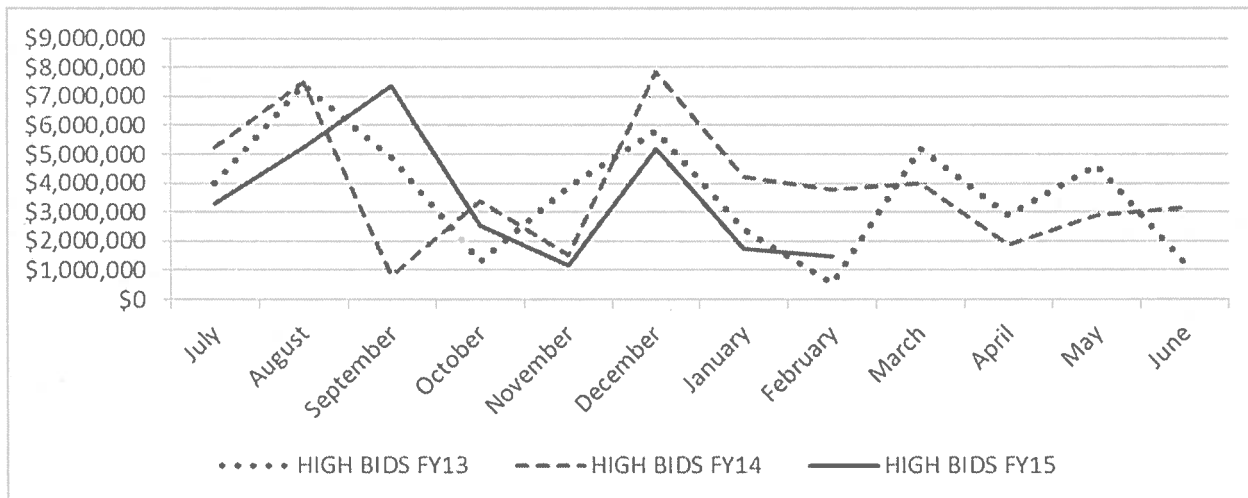
Highest Sealed Bid (Five Year Term)
Tract No. VB-S-001
\$ 522,904.00
 NE4SW4, SW4SW4, N2SE4, SW4SE4, of Section 11, Township 19 South, Range 27 East, containing 200.00 acres, more or less, in Eddy County, approximately 14.6 miles southeast of Artesia, New Mexico, by MRC Permian Company of Dallas, TX.

Highest Sealed Bid (Five Year Term)
Per Acre
Tract No. VB-S-001
\$ 2,614.52
 NE4SW4, SW4SW4, N2SE4, SW4SE4, of Section 11, Township 19 South, Range 27 East, containing 200.00 acres, more or less, in Eddy County, approximately 14.6 miles southeast of Artesia, New Mexico, by MRC Permian Company of Dallas, TX.

Highest Oral Bid (Five Year Term)
Tract No. VB-O-002
\$ 200,000.00
 N2NE4, SE4NE4, N2NW4, SE4NW4 of Section 11, Township 19 South, Range 27 East, containing 240.00 acres, more or less, in Eddy County, approximately 14.6 miles southeast of Artesia, New Mexico, by MRC Permian Company of Dallas, TX.

Highest Oral Bid (Five Year Term)
Per Acre
Tract No. VB-O-002
\$ 833.33
 N2NE4, SE4NE4, N2NW4, SE4NW4 of Section 11, Township 19 South, Range 27 East, containing 240.00 acres, more or less, in Eddy County, approximately 14.6 miles southeast of Artesia, New Mexico, by MRC Permian Company of Dallas, TX.

February 2014 Regular Sale was \$3,799,844.99 for 5,258.13 acres or \$2,336,205.22 more than the February 2015 Regular Sale.





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.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "A. Dunn".

Aubrey Dunn
Commissioner of Public Lands



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COMMISSIONER

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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.

2015 Oil & Gas Lease Sale Calendar

NEW MEXICO STATE LAND OFFICE

January						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
		1	2	3		
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
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February						
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22	23	24	25	26	27	28

March						
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29	30	31				

April						
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19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

May						
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17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
31						

June						
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21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

July						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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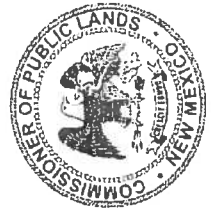
August						
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☐ Regularly scheduled sale (Third Tuesday of each month)

☐ Last day to nominate tracts for following monthly sale

~~~~~*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/>



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