

**The New Mexico  
Commissioner of Public Lands**

**will hold**

**the May 17, 2016**

**New Mexico Oil and Gas Lease Sale  
in**

**Roswell, New Mexico,**

**at the**

**Daniels Leadership Center  
New Mexico Military Institute,  
101 West College Boulevard**

**Access the parking lot by entering from  
201 West 19<sup>th</sup> Street just across from the  
NMMI Golf Course**

**All sale related business transactions will be  
completed in Roswell on sale day**

**Questions? Please call 505-827-5744.**

**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 the Daniels Leadership Center, New Mexico Military Institute, 101 West College Blvd., Roswell, New Mexico, at 9:30 a.m., on May 17, 2016 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 DINN  
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.
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

## 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.

NEW MEXICO STATE LAND OFFICE

LEASE SALE NOTICE

\*\*\*\*\* SEALED TRACTS \*\*\*\*\*

Regular Sale - DEADLINE FOR SEALED BIDS IS 9:30 AM - MAY 17, 2016

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, 3/16th 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 VB-001 (E)	Chaves	02 09S 31E	LOT(S) 1, 2, 3, 4, S2N2	321.05	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
002 VB-002 (D, E)	Chaves	10 09S 31E	N2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
003 VB-003 (E)	Chaves	15 09S 31E	N2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
004 VB-004	Chaves	04 10S 27E	LOT(S) 3, 4, S2NW4, SW4	318.91	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
005 VB-005 (E)	Lea	06 09S 33E	LOT(S) 1, 2, S2NE4, SE4	320.32	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
006 VB-006 (E)	Lea	10 09S 33E	N2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
007 VB-007 (E)	Lea	11 09S 33E	E2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
008 VB-008 (E)	Lea	13 10S 37E	E2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
009 VB-009 (E)	Lea	14 10S 37E	E2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
010 VB-010 (E)	Lea	23 10S 37E	W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
011 VB-011 (E)	Lea	24 10S 37E	W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
012 VB-012 (E)	Lea	25 10S 37E	E2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
013 VB-013 (E)	Lea	26 10S 37E	E2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
014 VB-014 (E)	Lea	16 21S 38E	LOT(S) 1, 2, 3, 4, W2W2 (ALL)	341.56	\$1.00	\$11,000.00
015 VB-015 (E)	Roosevelt	36 07S 32E	N2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
016 VB-016 (E)	Roosevelt	31 07S 33E	LOT(S) 3, 4, NE4SW4	114.96	\$0.50	\$4,000.00

\*\*\*\*\* ORAL TRACTS \*\*\*\*\*

Regular Sale - ORAL BID MAY 17, 2016

NOTE : THE FOLLOWING TRACTS WILL BE OFFERED FOR ORAL BID PURSUANT TO THE NOTICES. LEASES FOR THE FOLLOWING TRACTS WILL BE ISSUED ON SECTION 19-10-4.3 NMSA 1978, DEVELOPMENT LEASE FORM, FIVE(5) YEAR TERM, 3/16th 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
017 VB-O-001 (E)	Chaves	06 08S 33E	LOT(S) 1, 2	79.88	\$0.50	\$3,000.00
018 VB-O-002 (E)	Chaves	28 08S 33E	E2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
019 VB-O-003	Chaves	33 09S 27E	W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
020 VB-O-004 (E)	Chaves	02 09S 31E	S2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
021 VB-O-005 (E)	Chaves	03 09S 31E	LOT(S) 1, 2, S2NE4, SE4	320.52	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
022 VB-O-006 (D, E)	Chaves	10 09S 31E	S2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00

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

NOTE : THE FOLLOWING TRACTS WILL BE OFFERED FOR ORAL BID PURSUANT TO THE NOTICES. LEASES FOR THE FOLLOWING TRACTS WILL BE ISSUED ON SECTION 19-10-4.3 NMSA 1978, DEVELOPMENT LEASE FORM, FIVE(5) YEAR TERM, 3/16th 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
023 VB-O-007 (E)	Lea	03 09S 33E	SW4	160.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
024 VB-O-008 (E)	Lea	04 09S 33E	SE4	160.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00
025 VB-O-009 (E)	Lea	06 09S 33E	LOT(S) 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, SE4NW4, E2SW4	315.70	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
026 VB-O-010 (E)	Lea	11 09S 33E	W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
027 VB-O-011 (E)	Lea	13 10S 37E	W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
028 VB-O-012 (E)	Lea	14 10S 37E	W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
029 VB-O-013 (E)	Lea	23 10S 37E	E2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
030 VB-O-014 (E)	Lea	24 10S 37E	E2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
031 VB-O-015 (E)	Lea	25 10S 37E	W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
032 VB-O-016 (E)	Lea	26 10S 37E	W2	320.00	\$0.50	\$10,000.00
033 VB-O-017 (E)	Roosevelt	36 07S 32E	W2SW4	80.00	\$0.50	\$3,000.00
034 VB-O-018 (E)	Roosevelt	36 07S 32E	SE4	160.00	\$0.50	\$5,000.00

\*\*\*\*\* SPECIAL TRACTS \*\*\*\*\*

Special Sale - MAY 17, 2016

NOTE : THE FOLLOWING TRACTS WILL BE OFFERED FOR SEALED BID PURSUANT TO THE NOTICES. LEASES FOR THE FOLLOWING TRACTS WILL BE ISSUED ON SECTION 19-10-4.1 NMSA 1978, EXPLORATORY LEASE FORM, TEN(10) YEAR TERM, 1/8th ROYALTY, AND HAVE BEEN CLASSIFIED AND CATEGORIZED IN COMPLIANCE WITH 19-10-3 NMSA 1978. IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING REGULAR SALE.

TRACT #	COUNTY	SEC TWP RGE	DESCRIPTION	ACRES (MORE OR LESS)	PRIMARY RENTAL	MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE BID
035 LH-001	Otero	32 13S 10E	N2	320.00	\$0.25	\$10,000.00
036 LH-002	Otero	02 14S 09E	S2	320.00	\$0.25	\$10,000.00
037 LH-003	Otero	03 14S 09E	LOT(S) 1, 2, 3, 4, S2N2	319.20	\$0.25	\$10,000.00
038 LH-004	Otero	04 14S 09E	SW4, W2SE4	240.00	\$0.25	\$8,000.00

Special Sale - MAY 17, 2016

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TRACT #	COUNTY	SEC TWP RGE	DESCRIPTION	ACRES (MORE OR LESS)	PRIMARY RENTAL	MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE BID
039 LH-O-001	Otero	32 13S 10E	S2	320.00	\$0.25	\$10,000.00
040 LH-O-002	Otero	02 14S 09E	LOT(S) 1, 2, 3, 4, S2N2	320.56	\$0.25	\$10,000.00
041 LH-O-003	Otero	03 14S 09E	NE4SW4, SE4	200.00	\$0.25	\$7,000.00
042 LH-O-004	Otero	04 14S 09E	LOT(S) 1, 2, 3, 4, S2N2	321.52	\$0.25	\$10,000.00

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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 Kenda Montoya at (505) 827-5749 or [kmontoya@slo.state.nm.us](mailto:kmontoya@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.

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**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 #	SRC	TWP	RGE	DESCRIPTION	ACRES	BIDDER	BID AMOUNTS	PRICE/ACR
VB-S-001	VB2689 00	2	08S	32E	LOT(S) 1, SE4NE4, E2SE4	159.81	FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$37,000.00	\$231.52
VB-S-002	VB2690 00	2	09S	33E	LOT(S) 3, 4, S2NW4, SW4	320.61	CONTINENTAL LAND RESOURCES, L SLASH EXPLORATION LP	\$152,610.36 \$11,161.00	\$476.00
VB-S-003	VB2691 00	4	09S	33E	LOT(S) 3, 4, S2NW4, SW4	320.20	CONTINENTAL LAND RESOURCES, L SLASH EXPLORATION LP	\$175,469.60 \$19,421.00	\$548.00
VB-S-004	VB2692 00	5	10S	33E	S2	320.00	CONTINENTAL LAND RESOURCES, L FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY SLASH EXPLORATION LP TACTICAL INTERNATIONAL CORPOR	\$85,440.00 \$34,880.00 \$11,160.00 \$10,000.00	\$267.00
VB-S-005	VB2693 00	6	10S	33E	LOT(S) 6, 7, E2SW4, SE4	320.92	CONTINENTAL LAND RESOURCES, L FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY EIGHT ENERGY, INC. SLASH EXPLORATION LP TACTICAL INTERNATIONAL CORPOR	\$161,422.76 \$34,980.28 \$15,217.00 \$11,161.00 \$10,000.00	\$503.00
VB-S-006	VB2694 00	12	10S	37E	W2	320.00	LOMA HOMERE ENERGY, LLC PETROVEN, INC. SLASH EXPLORATION LP	\$64,000.00 \$28,160.00 \$19,360.00	\$200.00
VB-S-007	VB2695 00	2	20S	35E	LOT(S) 1, 2, S2NE4, SE4	321.27	BLACK MOUNTAIN OPERATING LLC. SDX RESOURCES INC SLASH EXPLORATION LP	\$481,905.00 \$80,960.00 \$24,472.00	\$1,500.00
VB-S-008	VB2696 00	36	06S	34E	W2	320.00	DOUG J. SCHUTZ SLASH EXPLORATION LP	\$67,200.00 \$10,160.00	\$210.00
VB-O-001	VB2697 00	4	08S	33E	SW4NE4, SE4	200.00	FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$7,000.00	\$35.00
VB-O-002	VB2698 00	4	08S	33E	LOT(S) 4, SW4NW4, N2SW4	160.10	FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$5,000.00	\$31.23
VB-O-003	VB2699 00	2	09S	33E	LOT(S) 1, 2, S2NE4, SE4	320.36	CONTINENTAL LAND RESOURCES, L	\$14,000.00	\$43.70
VB-O-004	VB2700 00	6	10S	33E	LOT(S) 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, S2NE4, SE4NW4	320.55	CONTINENTAL LAND RESOURCES, L	\$86,000.00	\$268.29
VB-O-005	VB2701 00	12	10S	37E	E2	320.00	PETROVEN, INC.	\$67,000.00	\$209.38
VB-O-006	VB2702 00	16	20S	35E	E2SE4	80.00	MRC PERMIAN COMPANY	\$140,000.00	\$1,750.00
VB-O-007	VB2703 00	36	06S	34E	E2	320.00	DOUG J. SCHUTZ	\$22,000.00	\$68.75
VB-O-008	VB2704 00	31	07S	33E	SE4	160.00	FEDERAL ABSTRACT COMPANY	\$5,000.00	\$31.25

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

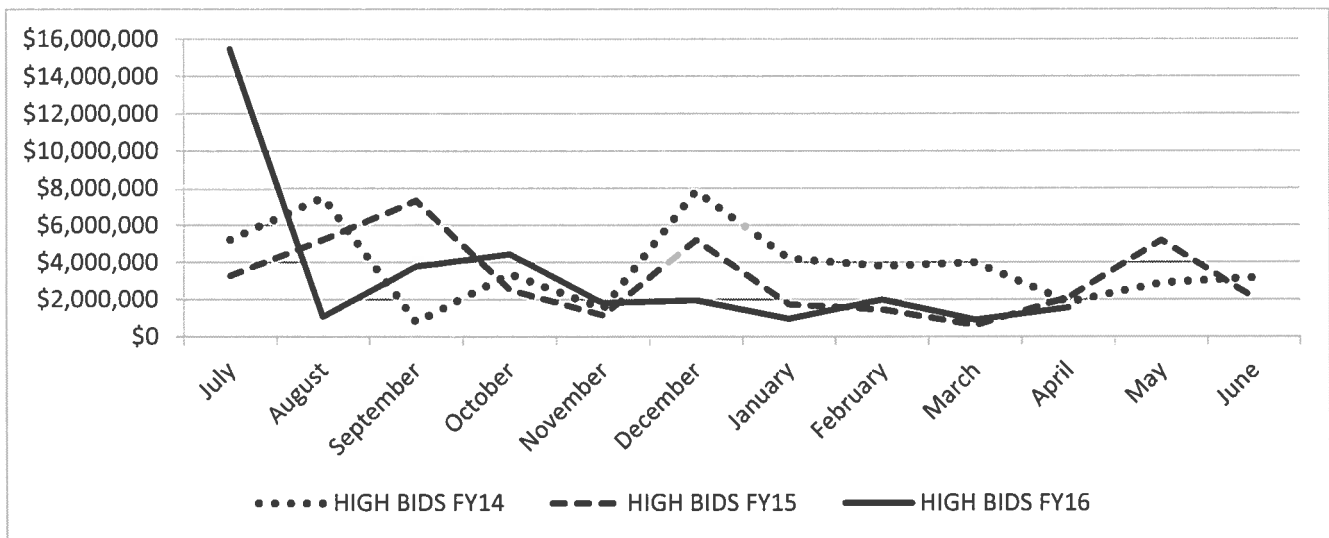
## *Lease Sale Summary*

### *19 April 2016*

Total high bids: \$901,206  
 Total sealed high bids: \$573,206  
 Total oral high bids: \$328,000

There were 17 tracts offered covering 3,290 acres in two counties. All sale tracts offered were sold, with eight different winning bidders.

Sale Month	Total sale	High tracts	Bid type	Rest	S	T	R
19-Apr	\$1,571,048	\$481,905	S		2	20S	35E
		\$152,610	S		2	9S	33E
		\$175,469	S		4	9S	33E
		\$161,423	S		6	10S	33E
		\$140,000	O		16	20S	35E
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$1,111,407</b>		<b>\$459,641</b>			
	<b>% Total</b>	<b>71%</b>					





**Aubrey Dunn**  
COMMISSIONER

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**COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE**

Phone (505) 827-5760

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[www.nmstatelands.org](http://www.nmstatelands.org)

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](http://www.cehmm.org/ccaccaa).

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "A. Dunn", is written over the printed name of the Commissioner.

Aubrey Dunn  
Commissioner of Public Lands



**Aubrey Dunn**  
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.

**2016 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	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	<b>19</b>	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

February						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	<b>16</b>	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29					

March						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	<b>15</b>	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

April						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	<b>19</b>	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

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May						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	<b>17</b>	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

June						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
		1	2	3	4	
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	<b>21</b>	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

July						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	<b>19</b>	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

August						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
		1	2	3	4	5
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	<b>16</b>	17	18	19	20
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Regularly scheduled sale

(Third Tuesday of each month)

~~~~~*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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