

Appendix C
Lease Stipulations

**Huntington Valley Oil and Gas Exploration Project
Summary of Lease Stipulations**

Lease Number	Effective Date of Lease	Well Pad	Lands Included in Lease	Stipulations
NVN090953	5-1-2012	B323J B32P	T. 31 N., R. 56 E. Sec. 16: W2NW, SW, S2SE Sec. 20: All Sec. 32: N2, N2SW, SESW, SE	<p>Endangered Species Act, Section 7 Consultation Stipulation The lease area may now or hereafter contain plants, animals, or their habitats determined to be threatened, endangered, or other special status species. BLM may recommend modifications to exploration and development proposals to further its conservation and management objective to avoid BLM-approved activity that will contribute to a need to list such a species or their habitat. BLM may require modification to or disapprove proposed activity that is likely to result in jeopardy to the continued existence of a proposed or listed threatened or endangered species or result in the destruction or adverse modifications of a designated or proposed critical habitat. BLM will not approve any ground-disturbing activity that may affect such species or critical habitat until it completes its obligations under applicable requirements of the Endangered Species Act, 16 USC § 1531 et seq., as amended, including completion of any required procedure for conference or consultation.</p> <p>Cultural Resources and Tribal Consultation This lease may be found to contain historic properties and/or resources protected under the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA), American Indian Religious Freedom Act, Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act, E.O. 13007, or other statutes and executive orders. The BLM will not approve any ground disturbing activities that may affect any such properties or resources until it completes its obligations (e.g., State Historic Preservation Officer (SHPO) and tribal consultation) under applicable requirements of the NHPA and other authorities. The BLM may require modification to exploration or development proposals to protect such properties, or disapprove any activity that is likely to result in adverse effects that cannot be successfully avoided, minimized or mitigated.</p> <p>Mining Claims/Mill Sites This parcel may contain existing mining claims and/or mill sites located under the 1872 Mining Law. To the extent it does, the oil and gas lessee must conduct its operations, so far as reasonably</p>

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NVN079024	10/1/2004	F35O F36D F36M	<p><u>T. 28 N., R. 55 E.</u> Sec. 31: Lots 1-8, E2, E2W2 Sec. 32: Lots 1-4, E2, E2W2</p> <p><u>T. 29 N., R. 55 E.</u> Sec. 36: E2</p> <p><u>T. 30 N., R. 55 E.</u> Sec. 23: All Sec. 24: SWNE, W2, W2SE, SESE Sec. 25 & 26: All Sec. 35 & 36: All</p> <p><u>T. 30 N., R. 56 E.</u> Sec. 5: SWNE, S2NW, Lots 1-4 Sec. 6: 2SNE, SENW, E2SW, SE, Lots 1-7 Sec. 11: All Sec. 12: N2NE, SWNE, W2, SE Sec. 19: N2NE, SENE, NESE</p>	<p>Native American Consultation Required All development activities proposed under authority of this lease are subject to the requirement for Native American consultation prior to BLM authorizing the activity. Depending on the nature of the lease developments being proposed and the resources of concern to tribes potentially affected, Native American consultation and mitigation measures to avoid significant impacts could significantly extend time frames for processing authorizations for development activities, as well as, changes in the ways in which developments are implemented.</p> <p>Areas Containing Cultural Resources/ Archaeological Stipulation Lands having known cultural resources or the potential for containing cultural resources are subject to the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) The BLM reserves the right to deny or restrict surface occupancy at locations where the proposed action would adversely affect any cultural property eligible for listing on the National Register of Historic Places. b) The lessee is responsible for all costs of cultural resource inventory and mitigation associated with the operations. c) The lessee is responsible for ensuring that cultural resources are not impacted. All project personnel shall be informed of the importance of cultural resources and the penalties for collecting artifacts or damaging cultural resources. Should damage occur during the period of the operation, the proponent shall be responsible for costs of rehabilitation or mitigation.

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NVN090950	5/1/2012	G17E G17P G18C G18J G20C G20L	<p><u>T. 30N., R. 56 E.</u> Sec. 4: S2NE, SENW, S2 Sec. 9: N2, N2S2, S2SE Sec. 16: W2SW</p>	<p>Endangered Species Act, Section 7 Consultation Stipulation The lease area may now or hereafter contain plants, animals, or their habitats determined to be threatened, endangered, or other special status species. BLM may recommend modifications to exploration and development proposals to further its conservation and management objective to avoid BLM-approved activity that will contribute to a need to list such a species or their habitat. BLM may require modification to or disapprove proposed activity that is likely to result in jeopardy to the continued existence of a proposed or listed threatened or endangered species or result in the destruction or adverse modifications of a designated or proposed critical habitat. BLM will not approve any ground-disturbing activity that may affect such species or critical habitat until it completes its obligations under applicable requirements of the Endangered Species Act, 16 USC § 1531 et seq., as amended, including completion of any required procedure for conference or consultation.</p> <p>Cultural Resources and Tribal Consultation This lease may be found to contain historic properties and/or resources protected under the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA), American Indian Religious Freedom Act, Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act, E.O. 13007, or other statutes and executive orders. The BLM will not approve any ground</p>

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NVN090948	5/1/2012	G41 G9D G9O	<u>T. 30N., R. 56 E.</u> Sec. 4: S2NE, SENW, S2 Sec. 9: N2, N2S2, S2SE Sec. 16: W2SW	<p>Endangered Species Act, Section 7 Consultation Stipulation The lease area may now or hereafter contain plants, animals, or their habitats determined to be threatened, endangered, or other special status species. BLM may recommend modifications to exploration and development proposals to further its conservation and management objective to avoid BLM-approved activity that will contribute to a need to list such a species or their habitat. BLM may require modification to or disapprove proposed activity that is likely to result in jeopardy to the continued existence of a proposed or listed threatened or endangered species or result in the destruction or adverse modifications of a designated or proposed critical habitat. BLM will not approve any ground-disturbing activity that may affect such species or critical habitat until it completes its obligations under applicable requirements of the Endangered Species Act, 16 USC § 1531 et seq., as amended, including completion of any required procedure for conference or consultation.</p>

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NVN090951	5/1/2012	G8C G8H	T. 30N., R. 56 E. Sec. 7: E2NE Sec. 8: N2, N2SE	<p>Endangered Species Act, Section 7 Consultation Stipulation The lease area may now or hereafter contain plants, animals, or their habitats determined to be threatened, endangered, or other special status species. BLM may recommend modifications to exploration and development proposals to further its conservation and management objective to avoid BLM-approved activity that will contribute to a need to list such a species or their habitat. BLM may require modification to or disapprove proposed activity that is likely to result in jeopardy to the continued existence of a proposed or listed threatened or endangered species or result in the destruction or adverse modifications of a designated or proposed critical habitat. BLM will not approve any ground-disturbing activity that may affect such species or critical habitat until it completes its obligations under applicable requirements of the Endangered Species Act, 16 USC § 1531 et seq., as amended, including completion of any required procedure for conference or consultation.</p> <p>Cultural Resources and Tribal Consultation This lease may be found to contain historic properties and/or resources protected under the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA), American Indian Religious Freedom Act, Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act, E.O. 13007, or other statutes and executive orders. The BLM will not approve any ground disturbing activities that may affect any such properties or resources until it completes its obligations (e.g., State Historic Preservation Officer (SHPO) and tribal consultation) under applicable requirements of the NHPA and other authorities. The BLM may require modification to exploration or development proposals to protect such properties, or disapprove any activity that is likely to result in adverse effects that cannot be successfully avoided, minimized or mitigated.</p>

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NVN081140	3/1/2006	J28M	<p>T. 29N., R. 56 E. Sec. 21: W2NE, W2, SE Sec. 22: Lots 4, 5, Parcel A Sec. 27: Parcel A, B Sec. 28: All</p>	<p>15. This stipulation does not apply to operating facilities.</p> <p>Threatened, Endangered, and Sensitive Species The lease area may now or hereafter contain plants, animals, or their habitats determined to be threatened, endangered, or other special status species. BLM may recommend modifications to exploration and development proposals to further its conservation and management objective to avoid BLM-approved activity that will contribute to a need to list such a species or their habitat. BLM may require modification to or disapprove proposed activity that is likely to result in jeopardy to the continued existence of a proposal or listed threatened or endangered species or result in the destruction or adverse modification of a designated or proposed critical habitat. BLM will not approve any ground-disturbing activity that may affect any such species or critical habitat until it completes its obligations under applicable requirements of the Endangered Species Act as amended, 16 USC&1531 et seq., including completion of any required procedure for conference or consultation.</p> <p>Raptor Nesting Sites This lease may contain lands with active raptor nesting sites. These lands are subject to seasonal protection from disturbance to avoid displacement and mortality of raptor young. Restrictions apply up to a 0.5 mile radius around the active nesting sites of the following species during the period described. The entire Elko District may provide suitable nesting for one or more of the species listed below.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Golden Eagles and Great Horned Owls during the period 1/1/-6/30, inclusive. B. Long-eared Owls during the period 2/1-5/15, inclusive. C. Prairie Falcons during the period 3/1-6/30, inclusive. D. Ferruginous Hawks, Northern Harriers and Barn Owls during the period 3/1-7/31, inclusive. E. Goshawk and Sharp-shinned Hawks during the period 3/15-7/15, inclusive. F. Cooper's Hawks, Kestrels, and Burrowing Owls during the period 4/1-6/30, inclusive. G. Red-tailed and Swainson's Hawk during the period 4/1-7/15, inclusive. H. Short-eared Owls during the period 2/1-6/15, inclusive.
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NVN081141	3/1/2006	J29C J29L J31I J32G	T. 29N., R. 56 E. Sec. 29: All Sec. 30: Lots 1-4; E2, E2W2 Sec. 31: : Lots 1-4; E2, E2W2 Sec. 32: All	<p>Threatened, Endangered, and Sensitive Species The lease area may now or hereafter contain plants, animals, or their habitats determined to be threatened, endangered, or other special status species. BLM may recommend modifications to exploration and development proposals to further its conservation and management objective to avoid BLM-approved activity that will contribute to a need to list such a species or their habitat. BLM may require modification to or disapprove proposed activity that is likely to result in jeopardy to the continued existence of a proposal or listed threatened or endangered species or result in the destruction or adverse modification of a designated or proposed critical habitat. BLM will not approve any ground-disturbing activity that may affect any such species or critical habitat until it completes its obligations under applicable requirements of the Endangered Species Act as amended, 16 USC&1531 et seq., including completion of any required procedure for conference or consultation.</p> <p>Raptor Nesting Sites This lease may contain lands with active raptor nesting sites. These lands are subject to seasonal protection from disturbance to avoid</p>

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NVN081142	3/1/2006	J33J	<p><u>T. 29N., R. 56 E.</u> Sec. 33: All Sec. 34: Lots 5, 6; S2NE, SW, N2SE Sec. 35: W2NW, NWSW</p>	<p>Threatened, Endangered, and Sensitive Species</p> <p>The lease area may now or hereafter contain plants, animals, or their habitats determined to be threatened, endangered, or other special status species. BLM may recommend modifications to exploration and development proposals to further its conservation and management objective to avoid BLM-approved activity that will contribute to a need to list such a species or their habitat. BLM may require modification to or disapprove proposed activity that is likely to result in jeopardy to the continued existence of a proposal or listed</p>

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NVN081137	3/1/2006	J8E J8M	T. 29N., R. 56 E. Sec. 4: SWNW, W2SW, SESW, S2SE Sec. 5: Lots 1-4; S2N2, S2 Sec. 7: E2SE Sec. 8: All	<p>Threatened, Endangered, and Sensitive Species The lease area may now or hereafter contain plants, animals, or their habitats determined to be threatened, endangered, or other special status species. BLM may recommend modifications to exploration and development proposals to further its conservation and management objective to avoid BLM-approved activity that will contribute to a need to list such a species or their habitat. BLM may require modification to or disapprove proposed activity that is likely to result in jeopardy to the continued existence of a proposal or listed threatened or endangered species or result in the destruction or adverse modification of a designated or proposed critical habitat. BLM will not approve any ground-disturbing activity that may affect any such species or critical habitat until it completes its obligations under applicable requirements of the Endangered Species Act as amended, 16 USC&1531 et seq., including completion of any required procedure for conference or consultation.</p> <p>Raptor Nesting Sites This lease may contain lands with active raptor nesting sites. These</p>

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NVN081138	3/1/2006	J9F J9O J16D	<u>T. 29N., R. 56 E.</u> Sec. 9: All Sec. 10: W2NW, SW Sec. 15: W2 Sec. 16: All	<p>Threatened, Endangered, and Sensitive Species The lease area may now or hereafter contain plants, animals, or their habitats determined to be threatened, endangered, or other special status species. BLM may recommend modifications to exploration and development proposals to further its conservation and management objective to avoid BLM-approved activity that will contribute to a need to list such a species or their habitat. BLM may require modification to or disapprove proposed activity that is likely to result in jeopardy to the continued existence of a proposal or listed threatened or endangered species or result in the destruction or adverse modification of a designated or proposed critical habitat. BLM will not approve any ground-disturbing activity that may affect any such species or critical habitat until it completes its obligations under applicable requirements of the Endangered Species Act as amended, 16 USC&1531 et seq., including completion of any required procedure for conference or consultation.</p> <p>Raptor Nesting Sites This lease may contain lands with active raptor nesting sites. These lands are subject to seasonal protection from disturbance to avoid displacement and mortality of raptor young. Restrictions apply up to a 0.5 mile radius around the active nesting sites of the following species during the period described. The entire Elko District may provide suitable nesting for one or more of the species listed below.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> A. Golden Eagles and Great Horned Owls during the period 1/1-6/30, inclusive. B. Long-eared Owls during the period 2/1-5/15, inclusive. C. Prairie Falcons during the period 3/1-6/30, inclusive. D. Ferruginous Hawks, Northern Harriers and Barn Owls during the period 3/1-7/31, inclusive. E. Goshawk and Sharp-shinned Hawks during the period 3/15-7/15, inclusive. F. Cooper's Hawks, Kestrels, and Burrowing Owls during the period 4/1-6/30, inclusive. G. Red-tailed and Swainson's Hawk during the period 4/1-7/15,

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NVN84378	1/1/2008	J17F	<u>T. 29N., R. 56 E.</u> Sec. 7: Lots 1-3; E2NW	<p>Areas Containing Cultural Resources Lands having known cultural resources or the potential for containing cultural resources are subject to the following: a) The BLM reserves the right to deny or restrict surface occupancy at locations where the proposed action would adversely affect any cultural property eligible for listing on</p>

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NVN78690	6/1/2004	K1E K1L	<u>T. 29N., R. 55 E.</u> Sec. 1: Lots 1-4, S2N2, S2 Sec. 2: Lots 1-4, S2N2, S2	<p>Native American Consultation Required All development activities proposed under the authority of this lease are subject to the requirements for Native American consultation</p>

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