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### **CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

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### **DECISION**

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### **PROTESTS DENIED**

### **PROTESTED PARCELS WILL BE OFFERED FOR SALE**

On December 7, 2012, the Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Wyoming State Office (WSO), timely received two protests to specific oil and gas lease sale parcels planned to be offered in the February 5, 2013 competitive oil and gas lease sale (February 2013 Sale) from Biodiversity Conservation Alliance (BCA), and Western Resource Advocates, representing the National Audubon Society, Audubon Rockies, Audubon Wyoming, and Rocky Mountain Wild (Audubon).

The BLM received nominations for the February 2013 Sale until March 23, 2012. The February 2013 Sale includes Federal fluid mineral estate located in the BLM Wyoming's High Plains District (or HPD, which includes the Buffalo, Casper, and Newcastle Field Offices) and the Wind River/Bighorn Basin District (or WRBBD, which includes the Cody, Lander, and Worland Field Offices). After preliminary adjudication of the nominated parcels by the WSO, the parcels were reviewed by the field offices and District Offices, including interdisciplinary review, field visits to nominated parcels (where appropriate), review of conformance with the Resource Management Plan (RMP) decisions for each planning area, and preparation of an Environmental Assessment (EA) documenting National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) compliance.<sup>1</sup>

During the BLM's review of the February 2013 parcels, the WSO also independently screened each of the parcels, confirmed plan conformance,<sup>2</sup> coordinated with the State of Wyoming Governor's Office and Game and Fish Department, confirmed compliance with national and state BLM policies, and considered on-going efforts by the BLM in Wyoming to revise or amend RMPs for planning areas subject to this sale, including the BLM's on-going planning efforts related to the management of greater sage-grouse habitat on public lands.

<sup>1</sup> <http://www.blm.gov/wy/st/en/info/NEPA/documents/og-ca/2013/febr.html>

<sup>2</sup> See BLM's Land Use Planning Handbook at page 42: "After the RMP is approved, any authorizations and management actions approved... must be specifically provided for in the RMP or be consistent with the terms, conditions, and decisions in the approved RMP." See also 43 CFR 1610.5-3.

The oil and gas lease sale EAs prepared by the HPD (WY-070-EA12-157) and WRBBD (DOI-BLM-WY-R010-2012-0087-EA), along with draft, unsigned Findings of No Significant Impact (FONSIs)<sup>3</sup> were released on July 23, 2012, for a 30-day public review period, ending August 22, 2012. BCA reviewed the EAs and provided public comments to the BLM. Audubon did not provide public comments to the BLM. The EAs tiered to the existing RMPs and their respective Environmental Impact Statements (EISs), in accordance with 40 CFR 1502.20:

*Agencies are encouraged to tier their environmental impact statements to eliminate repetitive discussions of the same issues and to focus on the actual issues ripe for decision at each level of environmental review... the subsequent ...environmental assessment need only summarize the issues discussed in the broader statement and incorporate discussions from the broader statement by reference and shall concentrate on the issues specific to the subsequent action.*

In their protests, BCA and Audubon are protesting, in total, the offering of 14 parcels (out of 162) described in the WSO's Notice of Competitive Oil and Gas Lease Sale for February 5, 2013 (Notice) that was published and released to the public on November 7, 2012. The following table identifies, and describes the acreages associated with, the protested parcels:

Parcel No. WY-1302		Protested By:		Notice Offering [Original nomination acreage: deferred/deleted acreages]
Preliminary	Final	BCA	Audubon	
-039	-034	X	X	840.000 ac [Original nomination of 1679.720 ac: Deferred 839.720 ac – Greater sage-grouse screen and non-contiguous portions in Core less than 640 ac in size]
-110	-069		X	59.760 ac [Original nomination of 1639.440 ac: Deferred 1579.680 ac – Greater sage-grouse screen]
-153	-072		X	176.000 ac [Original nomination of 1763.670 ac: Deferred 1587.670 ac – Preservation of RMP revision decision space relating to recreation and visual resource management (VRM) and Master Leasing Plan (MLP) development]
-162	-075		X	2276.800 ac [Original nomination of 2356.130 ac: Deferred 79.330 ac – Greater sage-grouse screen]
-163	-076		X	1676.480 ac [Original nomination of 1676.480 ac: No deferral or deletion]

<sup>3</sup> See the BLM's NEPA Handbook H-1790-1 at page 76. Though the BLM has elected to release draft, unsigned FONSIs for public review in this instance, the BLM is not asserting that any of the criteria in 40 CFR 1501.4(e)(2) are met. Since the RMP EISs have already evaluated potentially significant impacts arising from the BLM's land use planning decisions, the BLM anticipates a "finding of no new significant impacts" for each EA. See 43 CFR 46.140(c).

Parcel No. WY-1302		Protested By:		Notice Offering [Original nomination acreage: deferred/deleted acreages]
Preliminary	Final	BCA	Audubon	
-203	-083		X	124.26 ac [Original nomination of 2157.460 ac: Deferred 2033.200 ac - Preservation of RMP revision decision space relating to Greater sage-grouse]
-212	-090		X	760.000 ac [Original nomination of 1831.360 ac: Deferred 1071.360 ac - Preservation of RMP revision decision space relating to Greater sage-grouse]
-213	-091		X	2160.000 ac [Original nomination of 2400.000 ac: Deferred 240.000 ac - Preservation of RMP revision decision space relating to Greater sage-grouse]
-303	-117		X	156.280 ac [Original nomination of 1878.260 ac: Deferred 1721.980 ac - Preservation of RMP revision decision space relating to Greater sage-grouse]
-327	-133		X	1829.100 ac [Original nomination of 2191.580 ac: Deferred 362.480 ac - Preservation of RMP revision decision space relating to historic and regional trails and cultural concerns]
-341	-139		X	356.470 ac [Original nomination of 2148.430 ac: Deferred 1791.960 ac - Preservation of RMP revision decision space relating to lands with wilderness character, wildlife, and hydrology]
-363	-144		X	963.800 ac [Original nomination of 1691.240 ac: Deferred 727.440 ac - Preservation of RMP revision decision space relating to wildlife and cultural resources]
-416	-151		X	132.830 ac [Original nomination of 1209.430 ac: Deferred 1076.600 ac - Preservation of RMP revision decision space relating to wildlife, hydrology, and cultural resources]

Parcel No. WY-1302		Protested By:		Notice Offering [Original nomination acreage: deferred/deleted acreages]
Preliminary	Final	BCA	Audubon	
-463	-155	X	X	1195.300 ac [Original nomination of 1275.300 ac: Deferred 80.000 ac – Greater sage-grouse screen and preservation of RMP revision decision space relating to Native American concerns and a regionally important historic trail]

The remainder of our response will answer the protestors' arguments related to these fourteen parcels (final parcel numbers WY-1302-034, -069, -072, -075, -076, -083, -090, -091, -117, -133, -139, -144, -151, and -155). The protestors' substantive arguments are provided in bold, with BLM responses following. In many cases, protestors repeat, often verbatim, arguments used in their protest of BLM's inclusion of certain parcels in the May 2012 and November 2012 oil and gas lease sales. Protestors appealed BLM's dismissal of their arguments related to both of these lease sales. Recently, the Interior Board of Land Appeals ruled on protestors' appeal of the May 2012 lease sale (IBLA 2012-208 (BCA) and IBLA 2012-209 (Audubon)) and rejected each of protestors' arguments. See, *Biodiversity Conservation Alliance, et al*, 183 IBLA 97 (January 8, 2013). Protestor's arguments regarding the February 2013 lease sale reiterate the arguments considered and rejected by the IBLA in *Biodiversity Conservation Alliance, et al* and are therefore subject to summary dismissal. See, *Powder River Basin Resource Council*, 183 IBLA 83 (December 21, 2012). While our responses address these arguments yet again, as well as those that are identical or similar to those raised by the other protestor, and BLM's resolution of the individual arguments raised is inseparable from the sum of our responses, we note that protestors have failed to show that these arguments remain viable in light of *Biodiversity Conservation Alliance*.

#### ISSUES – BIODIVERSITY CONSERVATION ALLIANCE (BCA)

1. **“We protest the following Parcels 34 and 155 within sage grouse Core Areas. Because the BLM is in the process of amending its RMPs through an active NEPA process focused on sage grouse conservation, Core Area lands should not be leased to maintain the maximum range of alternative conservation measures in the Sage Grouse Plan Amendments EIS. These two parcels need to be deferred to prevent BLM from foreclosing options to keep these lands unleased under the Sage Grouse Plan Amendments EIS, pursuant to the recommendations of the National Technical Team Report.” (BCA Protest at page 1)**

#### BLM Response

BCA participated in the HPD's and WRBBD's public reviews of the two EAs, and provided comments to which the HPD and WRBBD responded in Appendices “F” of the EAs. BCA commented, as substantially repeated in their protest, that lands falling within designated Greater sage-grouse Core Areas that are primarily under BLM ownership and are not extensively leased should all be deferred from leasing pending an outcome of applicable RMP amendments. In addition to the following response, we

refer BCA to HPD's and WRBBD's responses in Appendices F of the EAs<sup>4</sup> for additional detail on the BLM's position regarding this argument.

We note that these two parcels described in the February 2013 Sale Notice that BCA protests (parcels WY-1302-034, and -155) are only partially located in State of Wyoming-designated greater sage-grouse Core Population Areas (Core Areas<sup>5</sup>). A portion of each parcel lies outside of Core Areas.

On August 1, 2008, the Wyoming Governor issued Executive Order 2008-2,<sup>6</sup> establishing a "core population area strategy" for sage-grouse in Wyoming, an approach accommodated by the BLM on public lands, including in BLM-Wyoming's Instruction Memorandum (IM) No. WY-2012-019.<sup>7</sup> The Core Population Area strategy has been endorsed by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS)<sup>8</sup>:

*The Service does indeed believe the "core population area strategy," as outlined in the Implementation Team's correspondence to the Governor, is a sound framework for a policy by which to conserve greater sage-grouse in Wyoming.*

BLM Wyoming IM No. WY-2012-019 (at pages 13-15 and the IM's attachment number 7) requires the BLM to conduct a sage-grouse screen on every reviewed oil and gas parcel to determine if the parcel should be offered for sale or deferred pending completion of the on-going RMP amendments and plan revisions in all 10 BLM Wyoming field offices. Screening criteria are described in the IM and the results are provided for all parcels in the February 2013 oil and gas lease sale EAs (HPD WY-070-EA12-157 at Appendix E, and WRBBD DOI-BLM-WY-R010-2012-0087-EA at Appendix C). This screen provides for an objective, repeatable evaluation of nominated parcels to ensure that contiguous blocks of unleased sage-grouse habitat in Core Areas are not leased until the BLM's public RMP revision or amendment processes have been completed, and to balance (1) the need to provide energy production from public lands and the jobs energy production provides with (2) the need to ensure the outcomes of the EISs are not prejudiced or the decision-maker's ability to select from a range of reasonable alternatives designed to enhance protection of sage-grouse habitat is not impeded.

Oil and gas leasing is an important implementation decision arising from the approved RMPs, granting certain rights to the lessee. However, the BLM also has certain obligations to regulate the lessee's or operator's actions on the lease, as described in our regulations (such as 43 CFR 3101.1-2 and 43 CFR 3162.5-1(a)), on the BLM Lease Form 3100-11 (such as standard lease term Sec. 6), and under applicable laws (such as the Federal Land Policy Management Act (FLPMA)). Along with these obligations, the BLM also complies with procedural requirements of NEPA and other applicable substantive laws such as the Endangered Species Act (ESA) and the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA). As required by law and regulation, the lessee or their operator must first submit a plan and obtain approval from the BLM

<sup>4</sup> The BLM's responses to public comments are available at:

<http://www.blm.gov/style/medialib/blm/wy/information/NEPA/og/2013/02febr/version2.Par.23410.File.dat/HPDappF.pdf> and <http://www.blm.gov/style/medialib/blm/wy/information/NEPA/og/2013/02febr/version2.Par.42398.File.dat/Appendix%20F%20Comments%20and%20Agency%20Response%20February%202013%20WRBBD.Ver2.pdf>

<sup>5</sup> The State of Wyoming's current Core Area boundaries are described by the State as "Version 3." See

<http://gf.state.wy.us/web2011/wildlife-1000382.aspx>

<sup>6</sup> Wyoming Office of the Governor, Executive Order 2008-2 "Greater Sage-Grouse Core Area Protection." This Executive Order has since been re-issued (most recently June 2, 2011 as EO 2011-5) and the core population area strategy remains in place.

<sup>7</sup> IM No. WY-2012-019 ("Greater Sage-Grouse Habitat Management Policy on Wyoming Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Administered Public Lands Including the Federal Mineral Estate"), dated February 10, 2012.

<sup>8</sup> Letter from Brian Kelly (FWS Wyoming Field Supervisor) to Ryan Lance (Wyoming Office of the Governor), dated May 7, 2008. By letter to the Wyoming Office of the Governor, dated November 10, 2010, the FWS again supported the Core Area strategy as updated through a subsequent Executive Order ("If fully implemented, we believe the Revised Strategy can provide the conservation program necessary to achieve your goal of precluding listing of the Greater sage-grouse in Wyoming.").

in order to initiate surface-disturbing activities on their lease.<sup>9</sup> At that time, the BLM will prepare an environmental record of review to determine, among other things, the appropriate terms and conditions of approval for the plan of operations submitted by the operator.

The BLM has initiated planning efforts across the entire range of the Greater sage-grouse to consider recent scientific studies and conclusions related to sage-grouse habitat conservation measures used by the BLM on public lands. These planning efforts use an open and public process, and take into account the BLM's multiple-use and sustained yield mandates under the FLPMA.<sup>10</sup>

The two parcels protested by BCA in this argument are partially located within the State of Wyoming's Core Population Areas for sage-grouse, but do not meet the criteria described in BLM Wyoming policy and in the HPD's and WRBBD's oil and gas lease sale EAs. The HPD, the WRBBD and the WSO conducted duplicative, independent screens of the parcels to determine which parcels (or portions of parcels) would be deferred under the applicable BLM policy until completion of the pending sage-grouse RMP amendments or revisions. The EAs describe potential impacts under Alternative B to sage-grouse and their habitats on these parcels (see HPD WY-070-EA12-157 at pages 15, 50-51; see WRBBD DOI-BLM-WY-R010-2012-0087-EA at page 4-46, and 111), and include analysis considering application of seasonal Timing Limitation (TL) and Controlled Surface Use (CSU) stipulations (see HPD WY-070-EA12-157 at Appendix C; see WRBBD DOI-BLM-WY-R010-2012-0087-EA at Appendix A) in conformance with the approved RMPs.

The BLM has established an objective process to ensure that the BLM's decision-maker(s) will be able to freely select from the range of reasonable alternatives contemplated in the RMP sage-grouse amendments and plan revisions – the process is described as the “sage-grouse leasing screen” in the BLM-Wyoming instruction memoranda. The Council on Environmental Quality's (CEQ's) regulations at 40 CFR 1506.1 describe the limitations on actions during the NEPA process, including (a):

*Until an agency issues a record of decision... no action concerning the proposal shall be taken which would: (1) Have an adverse environmental impact; or (2) Limit the choice of reasonable alternatives.*

The Department of the Interior's (DOI's) NEPA regulations at 43 CFR 46.160 further explain:

*During the preparation of a program or plan NEPA document, the Responsible Official may undertake any major Federal action in accordance with 40 CFR 1506.1 when that action is within the scope of, and analyzed in, an existing NEPA document supporting the current plan or program, so long as there is adequate NEPA documentation to support the individual action.*

Lastly, the BLM's NEPA Handbook<sup>11</sup> provides:

*You must not authorize any action that would limit the choice of alternatives being analyzed under the NEPA until the NEPA process is complete (40 CFR 1506.1). However, this*

<sup>9</sup> See the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920, as amended. 30 U.S.C. § 226(g): “No permit to drill on an oil and gas lease issued under this chapter may be granted without the analysis and approval by the Secretary concerned of a plan of operations covering proposed surface-disturbing activities within the lease area.” See also Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 1 parts IV and VII. See also 43 CFR 3162.3-1(c) and 3162.3-3.

<sup>10</sup> See BLM-Washington Office IM No. 2012-044 (“BLM National Greater Sage-Grouse Land Use Planning Strategy”). December 27, 2011.

<sup>11</sup> BLM Handbook H-1790-1 (January 30, 2008) at page 3.

*requirement does not apply to actions previously analyzed in a NEPA document that are proposed for implementation under an existing land use plan.*

Offering and subsequently issuing competitive oil and gas leases at the February 2013 Sale is an implementation decision under the applicable RMPs.<sup>12</sup> Of the parcels nominated and reviewed for the February 2013 Sale, 86 percent of the reviewed lease parcel acreage was deleted or deferred, primarily as a result of the BLM-Wyoming Greater sage-grouse screen.<sup>13</sup> We believe the EAs and RMP EISs to which they are tiered provide adequate disclosure for the decision-maker regarding the potential impacts to sage-grouse and their habitats from leasing the protested parcels. BLM-Wyoming's sage-grouse screening process provides an objective, reasonable means for the BLM to facilitate cautious decision-making under the current RMPs and during preparation of the sage-grouse RMP amendments and plan revisions. We find that adherence to the screening process described in the applicable BLM-Wyoming policy will ensure a range of reasonable alternatives is available for the Responsible Official to select from. As the Board ruled in *Biodiversity Conservation Alliance*, appellant "effectively seeks a blanket preclusion of any leasing and development in Core Areas. However, BLM's interim management policy does not provide for a blanket preclusion in development areas, and it is unclear whether such a preclusion would be applicable even were the sage-grouse to be formally designated a threatened or endangered species." Appellants' "position appears to reflect little more than a difference of opinion regarding the proper management of the sage-grouse, which does not establish a NEPA violation." 183 IBLA 97 at 121. As BCA is aware, "BLM is not required to await a further decision regarding the amendment or revision of an existing land use plan, before taking an action that comports with the existing land use plan" and "nothing in NEPA or its implementing regulations requires BLM to postpone or deny a proposed action that is covered by the EIS for the current land use plan, in order to preserve alternatives during the course of preparing a new land use plan and EIS." *Powder River Basin Resource Council and Biodiversity Conservation Alliance*, 180 IBLA 1, 17 (August 23, 2010).

Offering these parcels is in conformance with the approved RMPs, complies with current BLM policy, and a rational basis exists for offering these parcels while the on-going RMP revisions and amendments are being considered. For the reasons described above, and consistent with the IBLA decision in *Biodiversity Conservation Alliance*, we deny BCA's protest.

#### **ISSUES – WESTERN RESOURCE ADVOCATES, REPRESENTING THE NATIONAL AUDUBON SOCIETY, AUDUBON ROCKIES, AUDUBON WYOMING, AND ROCKY MOUNTAIN WILD (AUDUBON)**

Neither Western Resource Advocates, nor any of the parties represented by Western Resource Advocates in their protest, provided comments during the HPD's or WRBBD's public review of the EAs. In their protest, Audubon lists 14 parcels, including the two parcels described above in the BCA protest, that they are protesting, "portions of which include surface lands within identified greater sage-grouse Core Population Areas" (Audubon Protest at page 1). Since the Core Area boundaries have not been surveyed or monumented, the BLM uses the best-available information, a set of GIS data published by the Wyoming Game and Fish Department. Based upon this GIS data, the WSO has determined that a small portion of the area represented by the protested parcels is located inside the Core Area. We have

<sup>12</sup> See BLM's Land Use Planning Handbook (H-1601-1, dated March 11, 2005) at Appendix C, page 24: "Implementation Decisions: Offer leases with appropriate stipulations."

<sup>13</sup> As displayed in Attachment 1, of the 501 parcels nominated and reviewed for the February 2013 Sale (comprising 761,628.410 acres), 162 parcels were carried forward to be either fully or partially offered (comprising 107,909.910 acres). A total of 653,718.500 acres were deferred or deleted, or 86% of that area nominated and reviewed. Forty-seven parcels intersecting Core Areas, and comprising approximately 1,709.625 acres located in Core Areas, were carried forward to be offered from what was nominated and reviewed.

confirmed that all of the protested parcels are, in fact, located only partially in Core Area, with 11 of the 14 protested parcels overlapping Core Area by less than 10 acres. The WSO estimates that 1,709.625 acres (13%) of the 12,707.080 acres within the protested parcels are located within Core Areas. The WSO has also determined that none of the protested parcels meet the criteria for deferral under current BLM policy.

2. **“BLM’s unsigned FONSI (at 4) asserts that listed or sensitive species ‘will not be affected because surface use restrictions... as well as unavailable for leasing designations, will be applied to the lease parcels.’ This is contradicted by a growing body of scientific literature definitively establishing that past measures being relied on have failed to conserve sage-grouse populations or habitat, and that continuing to lease core areas subject to such ‘restrictions’ will result in a full listing.” (Audubon Protest at page 4).**

### BLM Response

In making their argument that “BLM violated NEPA” (Audubon Protest at page 4), Audubon states their belief that a violation of NEPA occurred as a result of the BLM issuing an unsigned, draft FONSI with the contested statements described above. Audubon overlooks the fact that, aside from applying protective measures such as lease stipulations and not allowing for leasing in areas closed for oil and gas leasing under approved RMPs, the BLM has also deferred numerous parcels within Core Areas. The BLM deferred these parcels in accordance with the sage-grouse screen in order to allow for adequate sage-grouse habitat conservation measures to be applied to those parcels upon completion of the BLM’s RMP amendments and revisions, should they be re-nominated.

Please refer to our response to BCA, above. The EAs (and the EISs to which they tier) describe potential impacts to sage-grouse, and we find that the record provides adequate information for the decision-maker to determine if new significant impacts may occur under the alternatives analyzed. The parcels (or portions of parcels) that the BLM intends to offer for the February 2013 Sale have all passed the BLM-Wyoming’s sage-grouse screen.

On the FWS’ listing decision, BLM has explained to the public:<sup>14</sup>

*Based on the identified threats to the greater sage-grouse and the USFWS timeline for making a listing decision on this species, the BLM needs to incorporate explicit objectives and adequate conservation measures into RMPs within the next 3 years in order to conserve greater sage-grouse and avoid a potential listing under the Endangered Species Act. The planning strategy will evaluate the adequacy of BLM RMPs and address, as necessary, revisions and amendments throughout the range of the greater sage-grouse....*

In the interim, until the BLM is able to “incorporate explicit objectives and adequate conservation measures into RMPs” through our land use planning process, the BLM-Wyoming has provided policy direction (IM No. WY-2012-019) through coordination with the State of Wyoming and FWS (among others) for making implementation decisions (such as offering and issuing oil and gas leases) under approved RMPs, while balancing the need for domestic energy production from public lands.

In *Robertson v. Methow Valley Citizens Council* (490 U.S. 332 (1989)), the U.S. Supreme Court found:

<sup>14</sup> See <http://www.blm.gov/wo/st/en/prog/more/sagegrouse/eastern.html>

*NEPA itself does not impose substantive duties mandating particular results but simply prescribes the necessary process for preventing uninformed – rather than unwise – agency action. If adverse environmental effects of the proposed action are adequately identified and evaluated, the agency is not constrained by NEPA from deciding that other values outweigh environmental costs.*

NEPA is an “essentially procedural” statute, meant to ensure “a fully informed and well-considered decision, not necessarily” the best decision. *Vermont Yankee Nuclear Power Corp. v. Natural Res. Def. Council, Inc.*, 435 U.S. 519 (1978).

The intent of preparing an environmental assessment is to briefly provide sufficient evidence and analysis for determining whether to prepare an EIS or a FONSI (40 CFR 1508.9).

We find that the BLM has provided “reasoned analysis containing quantitative or detailed qualitative information” (BLM’s NEPA Handbook at page 131) in the EAs and RMP EISs to which it tiers, has taken a hard look at the effects of offering the protested parcels, and has satisfied NEPA’s procedural requirements. In addition, as IBLA ruled in *Biodiversity Conservation Alliance*, “while Audubon constantly indicates that its approach is in line with the “best available science,” it fails to identify that science or demonstrate how that science supports its position.” 183 IBLA 97 at 121. Like its challenge to the May 2012 lease sale, “nowhere does Audubon offer any convincing argument or supporting evidence that the decision to offer the 42 parcels at issue is likely, alone or together with other leasing and development, to cause or even contribute to the listing of the sage-grouse as a threatened or endangered species under the ESA.” *Id.*

We deny this portion of Audubon’s protest.

3. **“...BLM is poised to approve leasing of the protested parcels based on its conclusion that the proposed action would not “significantly affect[] the quality of the human environment.” 42 U.S.C. § 4332(2)(C); 40 C.F.R. §1502.4. But BLM’s decision was uninformed by analysis of key new information that became available after existing RMPs tiered to by the leasing EA... BLM needs to proceed cautiously consistent with its own planning strategy” (Audubon Protest at page 5).**

#### BLM Response

Before addressing Audubon’s claims regarding each piece of “key new information” they assert the BLM was uninformed of, we must first address Audubon’s admonition that the BLM “needs to proceed cautiously consistent with its own planning strategy.”

As we explained, above, the BLM’s development of the sage-grouse screen (first, in BLM-Wyoming IM 2010-013 and subsequently replaced by IM 2012-019) is intended to provide a cautious and objective approach when considering potential lease parcels in Core Areas. This approach is being used during the period the BLM is revising or amending its land use plans throughout the entire State of Wyoming to ensure appropriate sage-grouse conservation measures are adopted.

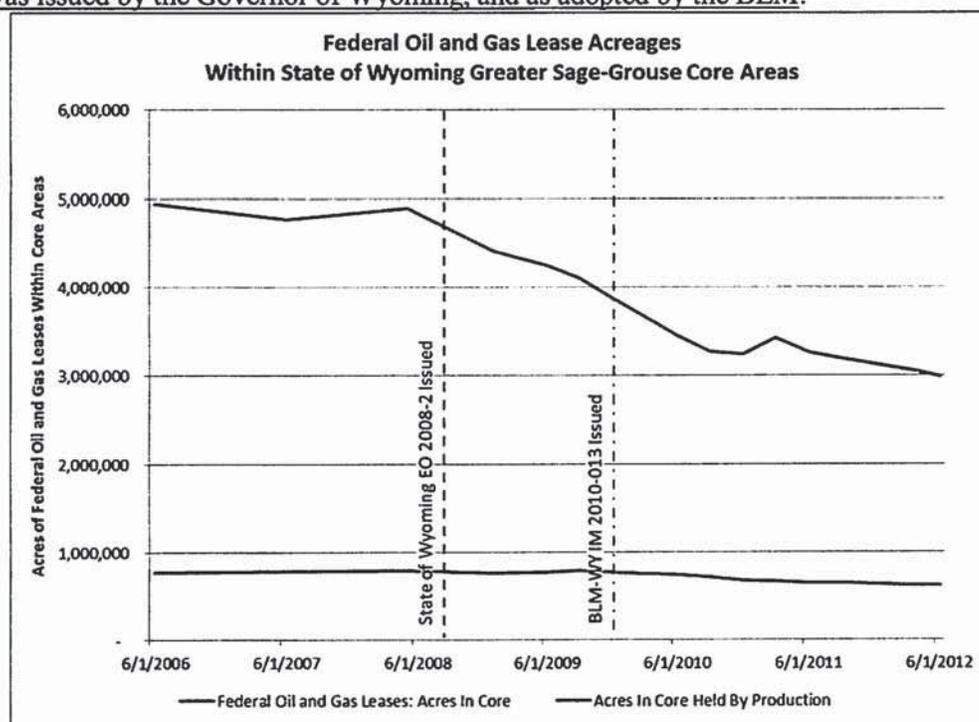
Audubon is entitled to their belief that, consistent with their mission to “conserve and restore natural ecosystems” (Audubon Protest at page 1), the temporary closing of over 10 million acres of BLM-administered oil and gas estate within Core Areas in Wyoming to new oil & gas leasing would be

preferable.<sup>15</sup> However, the BLM's multiple-use mandate requires that the BLM also weigh other considerations, to ensure public lands (Section 103(c) of FLPMA):

*are utilized in the combination that will best meet the present and future needs of the American people; making the most judicious use of the land for some or all of these resources or related services over areas large enough to provide sufficient latitude for periodic adjustments in use to conform to changing needs and conditions...*

By developing and utilizing the BLM-Wyoming's sage-grouse screen, the BLM has sought to ensure that the BLM's ability to select from a range of reasonable alternatives in the RMP sage-grouse amendments and plan revisions is protected, while allowing for continued use and management of public lands within Core Areas to the degree appropriate under existing land use plans. In this manner, we believe, the BLM has struck a judicious balance to best meet the present and future needs of the country, the State of Wyoming, and the local communities affected by the BLM's Federal oil and gas leasing decisions.

Furthermore, Audubon has offered no evidence that the Core Area strategy, including BLM's adoption of an interim approach during the period the land use plans are being revised state-wide, is not effective at reducing potential and actual impacts to sage-grouse and their habitats. In fact, the area encompassed by Federal oil and gas leases within Core Areas is currently the lowest it has been since before the Core Area strategy was issued by the Governor of Wyoming, and as adopted by the BLM.<sup>16</sup>



<sup>15</sup> See Attachment 3 for a map displaying the Federal oil and gas estate within Core Areas of Wyoming that are managed by the BLM. Approximately 10,589,147 acres within Core Areas are comprised of Federal oil and gas estate, or 69% of Core Areas.

<sup>16</sup> These data represent GIS analysis of the BLM's Federal oil and gas leasing data from June 1, 2006 through June 1, 2012. To obtain these data, the WSO utilized sixteen GIS shapefiles representing the extent of Federal oil and gas leasing within Wyoming at varying (but generally 3-month) intervals. The shapefiles were clipped to Version 3 Core Area boundaries, and the total acreages of the Federal oil and gas leases in Core Areas were calculated and summed, first for all leases and second for those leases held by production. These data indicate that approximately 19% of the 15.3-million acre Core Area is leased (as of June 2012) for Federal oil and gas development, down from a high of approximately 32% in May of 2008. These same data indicate that approximately 4% of the Core Area is currently in held by production status under a Federal oil and gas lease.

Due to lease expirations, lease terminations, and the relatively subdued pace of new leasing in Core Areas, the amount of Federal oil and gas estate leased by the BLM in Core Areas has fallen by 39 percent since the time the State of Wyoming issued the first sage-grouse Core Population Area Executive Order in 2008. The relatively subdued pace of new leasing in Core Areas is the direct result of the application of the BLM's sage-grouse leasing screen, whereby many parcels in recent sales have been deferred from sale until the sage-grouse RMP amendments and on-going plan revisions are completed.<sup>17</sup>

Given these circumstances, we disagree with Audubon's contention that "additional leasing of core areas will be the straw that breaks the camel's back regarding the Service's upcoming listing decision, and, much more importantly, the recovery prospects of this magnificent species and the entire sagebrush ecosystem" (Audubon's Protest at page 5). Rather, we find that the evidence suggests the BLM's cautious decision-making with regards to leasing in Core Areas has materially and substantially reduced the potential for adverse effects to sage-grouse habitat on public lands in Core, during the period that the BLM is amending or revising its RMPs to ensure appropriate sage-grouse conservation measures are adopted range-wide.

As the IBLA admonished Audubon in *Biodiversity Conservation Alliance*, "It is not enough to cite to general scientific literature without making any effort to relate such scientific information to the proposed action and the circumstances under which it will occur, or otherwise demonstrate its relevance to the environmental consequences of that action. Mere citation does not demonstrate that BLM failed to properly understand the expected consequences of the proposed leasing, or to fully appreciate its significance, and thus does not establish a violation of NEPA. *Biodiversity Conservation Alliance*, 171 IBLA at 228-29, *Biodiversity Conservation Alliance*, 169 IBLA 321, 343 (2006)" *Biodiversity Conservation Alliance* 183 IBLA at 122. For the reasons described above, and consistent with the decision at 183 IBLA 97, we deny this portion of Audubon's protest.

4. **"Additional leasing of Core Population Area parcels cannot proceed without analyzing the new scientific findings and recommendations set forth in the December 21, 2011 'Report on National Greater Sage-Grouse Conservation Measures' produced by the BLM's Sage-grouse National Technical Team (Technical Team Report)... Consistent with the recommendations of BLM's National Technical Team, Core Population Areas should be deferred from leasing as BLM considers what new management policies are needed to recover sage-grouse and habitat" (Audubon Protest at page 6).**

#### BLM Response

In this argument, Audubon refers to the BLM's National Technical Team (NTT) report, released in BLM Washington Office IM No. 2012-044. First, the IM describes the intent of the report:

*The BLM must consider all applicable conservation measures when revising or amending its RMPs in Greater Sage Grouse habitat. The conservation measures developed by the NTT and contained in [the NTT Report] must be considered and analyzed, as appropriate, through the land use planning process...*

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<sup>17</sup> It is not possible to ascribe a single causative factor to this observed decline; many factors likely have contributed, including the implementation of BLM policies adopting the Governor's Core Area strategy and national or regional economic trends. While the BLM does not claim that BLM policies are the sole factor contributing to this decline, it is self-evident that by deferring and deleting parcels from the February 2013 and previous lease sales, the BLM's cautious approach to leasing in Core Areas has contributed to this decline.

The NTT Report also emphasizes the intent of the conservation measures in the report for land use planning purposes (at page 5):

*The conservation measures described in this report are not an end point but, rather, a starting point to be used in the BLM's planning processes*

The NTT Report does not weigh the conservation measures relative to the BLM's multiple-use and sustained yield mandate. As such, it would be premature for the BLM to apply alternatives or recommendations from the NTT Report to the February 2013 Sale. As described by the IM and NTT Report, the RMP revisions or amendments will consider the NTT Report's conservation measures relative to other land use objectives;<sup>18</sup> on a Greater sage-grouse range-wide basis; and through coordination with the states (and the states' wildlife management agencies), the FWS, other cooperating agencies, and the public. The conservation measures in the NTT Report must be considered and analyzed through the BLM's land use planning process, and were not intended or designed to be applied to implementation decisions (such as leasing decisions) prior to their evaluation through the RMP process. Offering lease parcels subject to the numerous conservation measures described in the NTT Report (some of which, we note, are described as "alternatives" in the NTT Report) would not be in conformance with the current, approved RMPs, and so the BLM will not apply those measures until the plan revisions or amendments are completed.

Audubon also raises the argument that "[s]peculative conditions of approval on future [Applications for Permit to Drill, or APDs] cannot constitute adequate regulatory mechanisms" (Audubon Protest at page 6), apparently referring to the FWS' consideration of regulatory mechanisms in making its determination whether or not to list greater sage-grouse as threatened or endangered.

Should a parcel be offered, a successful bid received, a lease issued, and oil and gas development be proposed, the BLM will have the ability to apply protection measures for sage-grouse and their habitats on the Federal oil and gas leases. Aside from completing the approved RMP EISs, the HPD's and WRBBD's lease sale EAs analyzed and disclosed the purpose and need, alternatives, affected environment, and environmental consequences (to the extent reasonably foreseeable) of offering the parcels and possibly issuing leases as described in the Notice. The EAs included site-specific review of individual parcels and potentially-affected resources.

For the parcels described in the February 2013 Sale Notice, the HPD and WRBBD followed BLM policy (the sage-grouse screen) to ensure that the Responsible Official may select from a range of reasonable alternatives in the sage-grouse RMP amendments or plan revisions. The HPD and WRBBD prepared documentation of NEPA compliance, considered conformance with the approved RMPs, and provided recommendations to the WSO on the disposition of each parcel based upon their interdisciplinary review.

We find that offering (and subsequently issuing, should a successful bid be received by the BLM) the lease parcels described in the Notice is in conformance with the approved land use plans. Additionally, the lease stipulations described in the Notice provide adequate protection measures for those parcels to be offered in sage-grouse habitat, given the substantial authority the BLM has to condition approval of lease development actions with reasonable measures to protect natural resources and environmental quality. Where the BLM has identified, through policy guidance, a need to defer parcels within Core Areas to

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<sup>18</sup> Where there are competing resource values in the same area, Section 103(c) of FLPMA (43 U.S.C. §1702(c)) requires that the BLM manage the public lands and their various resource values so that they are utilized in the combination that will best meet our multiple use and sustained yield mandates.

ensure that the Responsible Official's choice of reasonable alternatives is not limited, the HPD and WRBBD appropriately deleted or deferred the parcels.

For the reasons described above, we deny this portion of Audubon's protest.

5. **"If leasing within sage-grouse Core Population Areas continues, the Service will have little choice but to conclude that such actions establish the continued inadequacy of regulatory mechanisms that constrict or eliminate management options for the largest landowner of sage-grouse habitat. Furthermore, the cumulative expanses of leasing proposed within core areas for 2012-13 lease sales could jeopardize current proactive recovery efforts and doom future options beyond Wyoming. Leasing large acreage of important sage-grouse habitat, prior to completion of regional conservation planning efforts, will push the species closer to a full listing and must therefore be avoided." (Audubon Protest at page 6).**

#### BLM Response

Even though Audubon is a "key participant" in the Wyoming Sage Grouse Implementation Team (Audubon Protest at page 2), Audubon is perhaps spared from knowing the actual extent of Federal oil and gas leasing within the Core Areas over the recent past and up to the present day. Although Audubon believes that "the cumulative expanses of leasing proposed within core areas for 2012-13 lease sales could jeopardize" sage-grouse recovery efforts and "doom future options," (Audubon Protest at page 6), this assertion is incompatible with the actual observed changes to the amount of existing leases within Core Areas throughout Wyoming. As we described in our response to Issue No. 3, above, the area encompassed by Federal oil and gas leases in Core Areas has decreased 39 percent since issuance of the State's Core Area strategy. While Audubon is entitled to their belief that temporarily closing over 10 million acres of Federal lands to additional oil and gas leasing until the RMP amendments and revisions are completed is preferable, the BLM must also weigh other considerations, including the socioeconomic effects from deferring or deleting lease sale parcels as described in the EAs, including this (HPD February 2013 Sale EA at Section 3.3.6, Socioeconomic Resources):

*Local communities depend heavily upon oil, gas, and mining activities. Agriculture and tourism also support local economics. The State of Wyoming receives a percentage of the lease sale receipts as well as a portion of the royalties should a lease begin production. Furthermore, the county where the lease is located receives monies from the State of Wyoming's allocation.*

Audubon's presumption that the FWS will determine the BLM's interim actions (to say nothing of the final outcome of the BLM's RMP amendments and revisions) to be inadequate regulatory mechanisms to prevent listing of the greater sage-grouse may be founded in Audubon's preference to see Core Areas protected from "[a]nthropogenic habitat impacts" (Audubon Protest at page 7, citing to the NTT Report). However, Audubon has not substantiated their opinion that the BLM's interim actions are jeopardizing the potential outcomes of the RMP amendments and revisions with objective evidence, or convincingly demonstrated that the BLM's actions have resulted in new significant adverse impacts.

For these reasons, we deny this portion of Audubon's protest.

6. **"...offering core area parcels would (1) undermine the RMP sage-grouse amendment process currently proceeding within Wyoming, (2) violate existing BLM sage-grouse policies and Instruction Memoranda, (3) violate NEPA..., (4) compromise the Audubon Vision of 'Open spaces rich in birds and other wildlife, and citizens who value that richness;' (5) violate [FLPMA] provisions, including the multiple-use, sustained-yield mandate and**

**unnecessary and undue degradation provisions (see 43 U.S.C. §§ 1712(c)(1), 1732(a) and (b); and 43 C.F.R. §1601.0-2); and (6) risk undermining the public's trust in the agency's stewardship responsibility of the nation's public lands and wildlife resources." (Audubon Protest at page 7).**

### BLM Response

As described above, the BLM has determined that offering the parcels as described in the Notice will not constrain the BLM's ability to complete the RMP sage-grouse amendments or select from a range of reasonable alternatives in those RMP EISs. Offering these parcels is in conformance with the approved RMPs and applicable BLM policy. The BLM has substantial authority to ensure that (should a successful bid be received, a lease issued, and development operations proposed on the protested parcels) current and appropriate conservation measures are applied to actions taken on Federal oil and gas leases.

Next, Audubon argues that offering the protested parcels would "violate" existing BLM policies. In fact, offering the parcels is consistent with current BLM policy. Rather, not offering the protested parcels would be inconsistent with policy, since all of the protested parcels passed the sage-grouse leasing screen described in current BLM policy (BLM-Wyoming IM 2012-019).

In response to Audubon's argument that the BLM has violated NEPA, we have carefully reviewed the EAs prepared by the HPD and WRBBD which tier to the applicable RMP EISs. We find that the record provides ample information and disclosure for the decision-maker to make an informed decision.

Next, Audubon argues that offering and leasing the protested parcels will "compromise" Audubon's vision of "[o]pen spaces rich in birds and wildlife, and citizens who value that richness." However, the BLM must consider applicable laws, regulations, and policies that have prompted the BLM to consider offering the protested parcels. To the extent that Audubon's vision aligns with the goals and objectives of the approved RMPs, offering these parcels may not compromise Audubon's vision. Regardless, the BLM cannot defer to a single entity's vision when fulfilling its obligations under FLPMA and the Mineral Leasing Act (MLA). During the RMP development process, Audubon has had (and continues to have) ample opportunity to provide input to the management goals and objectives for management of public lands.

Next, Audubon argues that offering the protested parcels will violate FLPMA's multiple use and sustained yield mandates, and the prohibition of "undue or unnecessary degradation."

Section 302(a) of FLPMA directs the Secretary of the Interior to manage the public lands under principles of multiple use and sustained yield "in accordance with the land use plans developed under section 202 of this Act..." Section 302(b) of the Act states in part, "[i]n managing the public lands the Secretary shall, by regulations or otherwise, take any action necessary to prevent unnecessary or undue degradation of the lands."

As we have previously described, offering the protested parcels is in conformance with the approved RMPs, prepared pursuant to Section 202(c) of FLPMA, which requires:

*In the development and revision of land use plans, the Secretary shall— (1) use and observe the principles of multiple use and sustained yield set forth in this and other applicable law...*

Audubon has not provided objective evidence that the approved RMPs do not “use and observe” the principles of multiple use and sustained yield. Regardless, a challenge of the RMPs is outside the scope of this protest.

Similarly, Audubon has not demonstrated that offering these parcels (with the stipulations provided as described in the Notice and in consideration of the Core Area Population strategy and the BLM’s related policies) will result in injury to sage-grouse. Accordingly, “unnecessary and undue degradation” to the public lands will not occur, and Audubon has failed to show otherwise. As the IBLA held in *Colorado Environmental Coalition*, 165 IBLA 221. 229 (2005):

*...to show that an action results in undue or unnecessary degradation of leasehold land, at a minimum, an appellant would have to show that a lessee’s operations are or were conducted in a manner that does not comply with applicable law or regulations, prudent management practice, or reasonably available technology, such that the lessee could not undertake that action pursuant to a valid existing right.*

Finally, Audubon argues that by offering these parcels in accordance with the approved RMPs, the BLM risks undermining the public’s trust in the agency’s stewardship of the public lands. We disagree. In the BLM’s administration of activities on public lands for multiple-use management (“a deceptively simple term that describes the enormously complicated task of striking a balance among the many competing uses to which land can be put...<sup>19</sup>), the BLM continues to follow applicable laws, our regulations, and policies to (43 CFR 1601.0-2):

*...maximize resource values for the public through a rational, consistently applied set of regulations and procedures....*

For the reasons described above, we deny this portion of Audubon’s protest.

7. **“BLM Wyoming has previously disregarded the agency’s national policy commitment to sage-grouse conservation by approving leasing of core area parcels even after BLM commenced its range-wide planning effort. Now yet another federal agency has published a comprehensive document supporting the case for fully protecting remaining core area habitat as region-wide planning proceeds: [referencing the FWS’ Sage-Grouse Conservation Objectives Report].” (Audubon Protest at page 9).**

#### BLM Response

First, Audubon’s assertion that BLM-Wyoming has “disregarded” BLM national policy is not substantiated in fact, and is based on Audubon’s misunderstanding of what BLM national policy requires. As we have pointed out to Audubon previously, BLM national policy specifically allows for the approach developed by BLM-Wyoming in BLM-Wyoming IM 2012-019, which underwent coordination with the State of Wyoming, the FWS, and the BLM Washington, D.C. Office.

Though the BLM-Washington Office has issued an IM (No. 2012-043, “Greater Sage-Grouse Interim Management Policies and Procedures” dated December 22, 2011) regarding interim management actions in sage-grouse habitats, that policy does not apply to the fluid minerals program in Wyoming (“The BLM field offices do not need to apply the conservation policies and procedures described in this IM in areas in

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<sup>19</sup> *Norton v. Southern Utah Wilderness Alliance*, 542 U.S. 55, 58 (2004).

which (1) a state and/or local regulatory mechanism has been developed for the conservation of the Greater Sage-Grouse in coordination and concurrence with the FWS (including the Wyoming Governor's Executive Order 2011-5, Greater Sage-Grouse Core Area Protection); and (2) the state sage-grouse plan has subsequently been adopted by the BLM through the issuance of a state-level BLM IM."'). Therefore, contrary to Audubon's unfounded assertions, the applicable BLM policy provided in IM 2012-019 is consistent with national policy.

Audubon next, citing a draft FWS report, argues that the BLM erred by not "fully protecting remaining core area habitat" (Audubon Protest at page 9). However, the draft report does not advocate the specific conservation measure that Audubon advocates for the February 2013 Sale – that all oil and gas leasing cease within Core Areas (described as "Priority Areas for Conservation", or PACs, in the draft report). Rather, the BLM's understanding of the report's purposes and conclusions differs from Audubon's, and we disagree with Audubon's assertion that this draft report somehow supports deferral of all Core Area parcels in Wyoming. The draft report provides important descriptions of the principles of conservation biology as they apply to conservation of sage-grouse populations, but does not limit the adoption of different conservation measures across the range of the species. The draft report's "Conservation Goal, Objectives and Strategies and Recommendations" (pages 29-36 of the report) are not specific to any one land use, and do not even specifically mention energy development other than to say (discussing management of PAC and non-PAC areas at pages 30-31):

*we also recognize that development in sagebrush ecosystems is important to securing energy and other resources critical to our nation.*

On close inspection, then, the FWS' draft report provides important guidance for the BLM and other stakeholders to consider and follow when developing and implementing conservation objectives for sage-grouse. It does not, however, require the BLM to conduct additional analysis of the objectives described in the draft report or defer leasing of the parcels protested by Audubon in the February 2013 Sale.

For these reasons, we deny this portion of Audubon's protest.

- 8. "BLM violated NEP A by not analyzing a Grouse Conservation Alternative proposed by Audubon that would defer all core area parcels (or remove all core area lands from the disputed parcels)." (Audubon Protest at page 3) "BLM is required to analyze this reasonable alternative." (Audubon Protest at page 9).**

#### BLM Response

In the each of the lease sale EAs, the BLM considered two action alternatives and the no-action alternative. The WRBBD also considered but eliminated from detailed analysis two other alternatives, including an alternative requiring deferral of all parcels in Core Areas. WRRBD did not analyze this alternative because it was "within the range of alternatives analyzed in detail" (see WRBBD EA Section 2.5).

Audubon overlooks BLM's alternative to defer all parcels, including those within sage-grouse core areas. Each of the two February 2013 Sale EAs included an alternative labeled "No Action" that would not offer the parcels nominated for lease. This alternative remains available for the decision-maker to select, or a

hybrid alternative that selects from elements of more than one alternative,<sup>20</sup> including deferral of all parcels located within Core Areas. Selection of elements from the no-action alternative (for example, deferral of all portions of parcels within Core Areas) is not just a conjectural hypothesis – the BLM has selected elements from the no-action alternative in recent oil and gas lease sales to incorporate updates to the BLM’s sage-grouse screen.<sup>21</sup> As the Board held in *Biodiversity Conservation Alliance*, “BLM is not required to devise a multitude of alternatives that specifically involve not leasing different groupings of the various parcels proposed for leasing. What is at stake is whether, in deciding whether to lease the proposed parcels, BLM has considered the environmental ramifications of not leasing any or all of the parcels. Clearly, BLM has done so by considering the environmental ramifications of not leasing all of the proposed parcels, which necessarily includes not leasing any one or any one grouping of these parcels. In doing so, it is well established that BLM satisfied section 102(2)(C) of NEPA. See, e.g., *Biodiversity Conservation Alliance*, 171 IBLA at 238.” 183 IBLA at 125. Because the HPD’s and WRBBD’s EAs included an adequate range of reasonable alternatives, and because the IBLA specifically rejected this argument as applied to the May 2012 lease sale, we deny this portion of Audubon’s protest.

**9. “Before proceeding, BLM must analyze the cumulative impacts of leasing the disputed parcels in the context of previous or looming decisions...” (Audubon Protest at page 12).**

BLM Response

Both of the February 2013 Sale EAs address cumulative impacts (see HPD EA Section 4.3 and WRBBD EA Section 4.7). Other than pointing to the existence of previous lease sales and projects of which the BLM was already aware, Audubon has not provided data or new information to suggest that the cumulative impacts analyses provided in the EAs and EISs to which they tier are inadequate. As the IBLA explained to Audubon, “We have long held that, in order to demonstrate a deficiency in BLM’s cumulative effects analysis, “it is not sufficient to merely note the existence of other ... projects... without concretely identifying the adverse impacts caused by such other ... projects to which the action being scrutinized will add.” National Wildlife Federation, 150 IBLA 385, 3999 (1999). In sum, the record leaves no question that BLM considered the likely impacts of oil and gas leasing and development of the 42 parcels on sage-grouse and their habitat in the EA, as tiered to the RMP EISs.” 183 IBLA at 123-24. For these reasons, and consistent with the Board’s decision in *Biodiversity Conservation Alliance* we deny this portion of Audubon’s protest.

DECISION

After a careful review, it was determined that all of the 14 protested parcels described in the Notice of Competitive Oil and Gas Lease Sale will be offered at the February 5, 2013 sale. The protests to these 14 parcels are denied for the reasons described, above.

This decision may be appealed to the Interior Board of Land Appeals, Office of the Secretary, in accordance with the regulations contained in 43 CFR, Part 4 and Form 1842-1 (Attachment 4). If an appeal is taken, your notice of appeal must be filed in this office (at the above address) within 30 days from your receipt of this decision. The protestor has the burden of showing that the decision appealed from is in error.

<sup>20</sup> See 43 CFR 46.420(c): “The Responsible Official must not consider alternatives beyond the range of alternatives discussed in the relevant environmental documents, but may select elements from several alternatives discussed.”

<sup>21</sup> See Decision Record for the May 2012 Sale at pages 2-3, available at: <http://www.blm.gov/style/medialib/blm/wy/information/NEPA/og/2012/05may/ver3.Par.34747.File.dat/hdd-dr.pdf>

If you wish to file a petition for a stay of the effectiveness of this decision during the time that your appeal is being reviewed by the Board, the petition for a stay must accompany your notice of appeal. A petition for a stay is required to show sufficient justification based on the standards listed below. Copies of the notice of appeal and petition for a stay must be submitted to each party named in this decision, to the Interior Board of Land Appeals, and to the appropriate Office of the Solicitor (see 43 CFR 4.413) at the same time the original documents are filed with this office. If you request a stay, you have the burden of proof to demonstrate that a stay should be granted.

Standards for Obtaining a Stay

Except as otherwise provided by law or other pertinent regulation, a petition for a stay of a decision pending appeal shall show sufficient justification based on the following standards:

1. The relative harm to the parties if the stay is granted or denied;
2. The likelihood of the protestor's success on the merits;
3. The likelihood of immediate and irreparable harm if the stay is not granted; and
4. Whether the public interest favors granting the stay.



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4 Attachments

- 1 – BLM-Wyoming February 2013 Competitive Oil and Gas Lease Sale – Parcel Review Table
- 2 – BLM-Wyoming February 2013 Competitive Oil and Gas Lease Sale – Parcel Number Crossover List
- 3 – Federal Oil and Gas Estate within Wyoming Core and Connectivity Areas - Map
- 4 – Form 1842-1

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Feb 2013 Oil and Gas Lease Sale Parcel Review (1302) C. Hite, September 21, 2012  
 Lease in Entirety (with applicable LNs and special lease stipulations)

Defer or Delete in Entirety  
 Defer or Delete in Part

Preliminary Parcel No.	FO(s)	Core?		GSG Screen		Acres			Notes	Partially or Entirely Core	
		DO	WSO	DO	WSO	Reviewed	Defer/Delete	Final		Reviewed	Offered
-001	NFO					40.000	0.000	40.000			
-002	NFO					120.190	120.190	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Whoop-Up Canyon ACEC		
-003	NFO					754.880	0.000	754.880			
-004	NFO					401.400	0.000	401.400			
-005	NFO					1320.000	0.000	1320.000			
-006	NFO					718.120	0.000	718.120			
-007	NFO					155.250	0.000	155.250			
-008	NFO					38.230	0.000	38.230			
-009	NFO					2039.850	2039.850	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Old Woman Hills		
-010	NFO					1000.000	1000.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Old Woman Hills		
-011	NFO					720.000	0.000	720.000			
-012	NFO					520.000	0.000	520.000			
-013	Casper FO					80.000	0.000	80.000			
-014	NFO					2361.700	0.000	2361.700			
-015	NFO					972.260	0.000	972.260			
-016	NFO					400.000	0.000	400.000			
-017	NFO					480.990	0.000	480.990			
-018	NFO					400.840	0.000	400.840			
-019	NFO					1120.000	0.000	1120.000			
-020	NFO					39.010	0.000	39.010			
-021	NFO					80.100	0.000	80.100			
-022	NFO					240.000	0.000	240.000			
-023	NFO					240.000	0.000	240.000			
-024	NFO	Y	Y			1441.500	1360.520	80.980	(1360.520 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	1441.500	80.980
-025	NFO	Y	Y			200.000	200.000	0.000	(200.000 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	200.000	0.000
-026	NFO					203.990	0.000	203.990			
-027	NFO					280.830	0.000	280.830			
-028	NFO					40.820	0.000	40.820			
-029	NFO					240.000	0.000	240.000			
-030	NFO					360.550	0.000	360.550			
-031	NFO					160.000	0.000	160.000			
-032	NFO					640.000	0.000	640.000			
-033	NFO					160.000	0.000	160.000			
-034	NFO					280.000	0.000	280.000			
-035	NFO					320.000	0.000	320.000			
-036	NFO					240.000	0.000	240.000			
-037	NFO					160.000	0.000	160.000			

Feb 2013 Oil and Gas Lease Sale Parcel Review (1302) C. Hite, September 21, 2012  
 Lease in Entirety (with applicable LNs and special lease stipulations)

Preliminary Parcel No.	FO(s)	Core?		GSG Screen		Acres			Notes	Partially or Entirely Core	
		DO	WSO	DO	WSO	Reviewed	Defer/Delete	Final		Reviewed	Offered
		Defer or Delete in Part									
-038	NFO	Y	Y	P	P	1393.400	1073.400	320.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral. (833.200 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	1393.400	320.000
-039	NFO	Y	Y	P	P	1679.720	839.720	840.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral. (520.000 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	1679.720	840.000
-040	NFO	Y	Y	D	D	317.800	317.800	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	317.800	0.000
-041	NFO	Y	Y	D	D	237.580	237.580	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	237.580	0.000
-042	NFO	Y	Y	D	D	355.800	355.800	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	355.800	0.000
-043	NFO	Y	Y	D	D	470.630	470.630	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	470.630	0.000
-044	NFO	Y	Y			40.000	40.000	0.000	(40.000 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	40.000	0.000
-045	NFO	Y	Y			400.000	400.000	0.000	(400.000 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	400.000	0.000
-046	NFO	Y	Y			80.000	80.000	0.000	(80.000 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	80.000	0.000
-047	NFO					40.000	0.000	40.000			
-048	NFO	Y	Y	P	P	2158.550	758.550	1400.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral. (40.260 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	2158.550	1400.000
-049	NFO					1800.000	40.000	1760.000	Thunder Basin National Grassland portion (40 acres) deferred pending consultation with Forest Service		
-050	NFO					120.000	0.000	120.000			
-051	NFO					240.000	0.000	240.000			
-052	NFO	Y	Y	P	P	2039.330	2039.330	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral. (40.000 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	2039.330	0.000
-053	Casper FO	Y	Y			680.000	680.000	0.000	(680.000 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	680.000	0.000
-053	NFO	Y	Y			160.000	160.000	0.000	(160.000 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	160.000	0.000
-054	NFO	Y	Y	D	D	2240.000	2240.000	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	2240.000	0.000
-055	NFO	Y	Y	P	P	1600.000	1600.000	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral. (40.000 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	1600.000	0.000
-056	NFO	Y	Y	D	D	640.000	640.000	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	640.000	0.000
-057	NFO					205.300	0.000	205.300			
-058	Casper FO					156.180	0.000	156.180			
-059	Casper FO					115.710	0.000	115.710			
-060	Casper FO					160.000	0.000	160.000			

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		Defer or Delete in Part									
-061	Casper FO					505.790	0.000	505.790			
-062	Casper FO					80.000	0.000	80.000			
-063	Casper FO					320.000	0.000	320.000			
-064	Casper FO					320.680	0.000	320.680			
-065	Casper FO					120.000	0.000	120.000			
-066	Casper FO	Y	Y	P	P	1318.170	1198.170	120.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral. (400.000 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	1318.170	120.000
-067	NFO	Y	Y			641.960	280.810	361.150	(280.810 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	641.960	361.150
-068	NFO	Y	Y			245.790	245.790	0.000	(245.790 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	245.790	0.000
-069	NFO	Y	Y			124.200	124.200	0.000	(124.200 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	124.200	0.000
-070	NFO	Y	Y			172.020	172.020	0.000	(172.020 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	172.020	0.000
-071	NFO	Y	Y			196.650	196.650	0.000	(196.650 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	196.650	0.000
-072	NFO	Y	Y	D	D	82.030	82.030	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	82.030	0.000
-073	Casper FO	Y	Y			201.410	201.410	0.000	(201.410 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	201.410	0.000
-074	Casper FO					600.000	0.000	600.000			
-075	BFO	Y	Y			280.000	280.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Preserve decision space in RMP for sage-grouse core/connectivity areas	280.000	0.000
-076	BFO					80.000	0.000	80.000			
-077	Casper FO					160.000	0.000	160.000			
-078	Casper FO					1000.000	0.000	1000.000			
-079	Casper FO					289.000	156.550	132.450	156.550 acres deleted because offered in Aug 2012 sale		
-080	Casper FO					335.010	0.000	335.010			
-081	Casper FO					233.590	0.000	233.590			
-082	Casper FO					880.000	0.000	880.000			
-083	Casper FO					238.080	0.000	238.080			
-084	Casper FO					401.200	0.000	401.200			
-085	Casper FO					161.220	0.000	161.220			
-086	Casper FO					40.050	0.000	40.050			
-087	Casper FO					38.980	0.000	38.980			
-088	Casper FO					40.150	0.000	40.150			
-089	Casper FO					160.000	0.000	160.000			
-090	Casper FO					160.000	0.000	160.000			
-091	Casper FO	Y	Y	D	D	74.190	74.190	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	74.190	0.000

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		Y	Y	D	D	570.340	570.340	0.000		570.340	0.000
-092	Casper FO	Y	Y	D	D	570.340	570.340	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	570.340	0.000
-093	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	640.000	640.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Screen, Native American Consultation	640.000	0.000
-094	Casper FO	Y	Y	D	D	600.000	600.000	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	600.000	0.000
-095	Casper FO	Y	Y	P	P	1793.550	1793.550	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral. (400.000 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	1793.550	0.000
-096	Casper FO	Y	Y			1240.000	1240.000	0.000	(1240.000 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	1240.000	0.000
-097	Casper FO	Y	Y	P	P	1559.620	1559.620	0.000		1559.620	0.000
-098	Casper FO	Y	Y	D	D	1320.000	1320.000	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	1320.000	0.000
-099	Casper FO	Y	Y	D	D	320.000	320.000	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	320.000	0.000
-100	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1588.290	1588.290	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	1588.290	0.000
-101	WFO					2081.040	2081.040	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation, Hydrology		
-102	WFO					2252.000	2252.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Recreation/VRM Special Designation, Hydrology		
-103	WFO					2246.360	2246.360	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation, Hydrology		
-104	WFO					1440.000	1440.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Recreation/VRM Special Designation, Hydrology		
-105	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2133.680	2133.680	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation, Hydrology	2133.680	0.000
-106	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1801.000	1801.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation, Hydrology	1801.000	0.000
-107	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2465.400	2465.400	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	2465.400	0.000
-108	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2304.440	2304.440	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	2304.440	0.000
-109	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	344.700	344.700	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	344.700	0.000
-110	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	1639.440	1579.680	59.760	Sage-grouse screen deferral. Long Rifle Unit is overlapped, but was not effective prior to August 1, 2008	1639.440	59.760
-111	Casper FO	Y	Y	D	D	1280.000	1280.000	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	1280.000	0.000
-111	LFO	Y	Y			939.920	939.920	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral. Long Rifle Unit is overlapped, but was not effective prior to August 1, 2008	939.920	0.000
-112	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1940.240	1940.240	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral. All Lander. No Casper	1940.240	0.000
-113	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	384.780	384.780	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	384.780	0.000
-114	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2278.630	2278.630	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	2278.630	0.000

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-115	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2541.480	2541.480	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Sage-grouse	2541.480	0.000
-116	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2240.000	2240.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	2240.000	0.000
-117	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2366.470	2366.470	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	2366.470	0.000
-118	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2369.700	2369.700	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	2369.700	0.000
-119	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2314.070	2314.070	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	2314.070	0.000
-120	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1952.910	1952.910	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	1952.910	0.000
-121	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1712.980	1712.980	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	1712.980	0.000
-122	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2320.960	2320.960	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	2320.960	0.000
-123	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1832.220	1832.220	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	1832.220	0.000
-124	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1179.590	1179.590	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	1179.590	0.000
-125	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2257.050	2257.050	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	2257.050	0.000
-126	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1863.270	1863.270	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	1863.270	0.000
-127	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2560.000	2560.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	2560.000	0.000
-128	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2022.720	2022.720	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	2022.720	0.000
-129	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1685.360	1685.360	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	1685.360	0.000
-130	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2514.640	2514.640	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	2514.640	0.000
-131	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1280.000	1280.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	1280.000	0.000
-132	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2455.610	2455.610	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	2455.610	0.000
-133	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	210.550	210.550	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	210.550	0.000
-134	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2560.000	2560.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	2560.000	0.000
-135	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1960.000	1960.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	1960.000	0.000
-136	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2560.000	2560.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	2560.000	0.000
-137	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2560.000	2560.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	2560.000	0.000
-138	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2277.120	2277.120	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	2277.120	0.000
-139	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	200.000	200.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	200.000	0.000
-140	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1920.000	1920.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	1920.000	0.000
-141	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2513.520	2513.520	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Cultural, Wildlife	2513.520	0.000
-142	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2010.000	2010.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	2010.000	0.000
-143	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2240.000	2240.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Cultural, Wildlife	2240.000	0.000
-144	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2400.000	2400.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	2400.000	0.000
-145	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2240.000	2160.000	80.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	2240.000	80.000
-146	WFO					480.000	360.000	120.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Recreation/VRM Special Designation		
-147	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1827.130	1827.130	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	1827.130	0.000
-148	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1907.110	1907.110	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, MLP, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	1907.110	0.000
-149	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2248.800	2248.800	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	2248.800	0.000

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-150	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2510.080	2510.080	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	2510.080	0.000
-151	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2112.910	2112.910	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, MLP, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	2112.910	0.000
-152	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2496.720	2496.720	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	2496.720	0.000
-153	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1763.670	1587.670	176.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	1763.670	176.000
-154	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	708.990	708.990	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Recreation/VRM Special Designation, Hydrology	708.990	0.000
-155	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1953.520	1953.520	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	1953.520	0.000
-156	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2515.630	2515.630	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation, Hydrology	2515.630	0.000
-157	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2418.240	2418.240	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	2418.240	0.000
-158	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1713.820	1713.820	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation, Hydrology	1713.820	0.000
-159	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	744.780	744.780	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	744.780	0.000
-160	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	1641.340	1321.340	320.000	Offer portion with abandoned well. FO Deferral Request: Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	1641.340	320.000
-161	LFO					1716.120	640.000	1076.120	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, Highly Significant for Paleo Locality		
-162	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	2356.130	79.330	2276.800	Sage-grouse screen deferral	2356.130	2276.800
-163	LFO	Y	Y			1676.480	0.000	1676.480		1676.480	1676.480
-164	LFO					1120.000	0.000	1120.000			
-165	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1920.000	1920.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	1920.000	0.000
-166	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	2400.000	2400.000	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral. Long Rifle Unit is overlapped, but was not effective prior to August 1, 2008	2400.000	0.000
-167	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1152.980	1152.980	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	1152.980	0.000
-168	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1910.640	1910.640	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	1910.640	0.000
-169	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	240.000	240.000	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	240.000	0.000
-170	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1994.250	1994.250	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	1994.250	0.000
-171	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2080.000	2080.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	2080.000	0.000
-172	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2276.480	2276.480	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	2276.480	0.000
-173	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2480.000	2480.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	2480.000	0.000

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-174	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2530.660	2530.660	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	2530.660	0.000
-175	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1848.880	1848.880	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	1848.880	0.000
-176	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2500.650	2500.650	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	2500.650	0.000
-177	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2560.000	2560.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	2560.000	0.000
-178	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2494.420	2494.420	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	2494.420	0.000
-179	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	479.990	479.990	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	479.990	0.000
-180	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2560.000	2560.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	2560.000	0.000
-181	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1630.560	1630.560	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	1630.560	0.000
-182	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1280.000	1280.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	1280.000	0.000
-183	WFO	Y	Y			1959.570	1959.570	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC	1280.000	0.000
-184	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	630.150	630.150	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	630.150	0.000
-185	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1992.510	1992.510	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	1992.510	0.000
-186	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	517.890	517.890	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	517.890	0.000
-187	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2392.000	2392.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	2392.000	0.000
-188	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	124.100	124.100	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	2392.000	0.000
-189	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2320.000	2320.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	2320.000	0.000
-190	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	318.820	318.820	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	318.820	0.000
-191	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	164.030	164.030	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	164.030	0.000
-192	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2397.360	2397.360	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	2397.360	0.000
-193	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1600.000	1600.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	1600.000	0.000
-194	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	475.450	475.450	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	475.450	0.000
-195	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1346.640	453.960	892.680	Delete 80 acres within Honeycombs WSA. FO Deferral Request: LWC, Cultural	1346.640	892.680
-196	WFO					2289.270	1865.290	423.980	FO Deferral Request: LWC		
-197	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2466.000	750.930	1715.070	Delete 640 acres within Honeycombs WSA. FO Deferral Request: LWC	2466.000	1715.070
-198	WFO					896.970	896.970	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC		
-199	WFO					786.100	274.980	511.120	Delete 274.980 acres within Honeycombs WSA.		
-200	WFO					121.740	121.740	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife		
-201	WFO					412.540	412.540	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology		
-202	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1570.220	1093.180	477.040	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	1570.220	477.040
-203	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2157.460	2033.200	124.260	FO Deferral Request: Sage-grouse	2157.460	124.260
-204	WFO	Y	Y			1278.310	190.580	1087.730	FO Deferral Request: RMP	1278.310	1087.730
-205	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2222.250	2183.060	39.190	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation, Hydrology	2222.250	39.190
-206	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2557.920	1360.000	1197.920	FO Deferral Request: Recreation/VRM Special Designation	2557.920	1197.920
-207	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2041.000	2041.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	2041.000	0.000

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-208	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	795.860	480.000	315.860	FO Deferral Request: Recreation/VRM Special Designation	795.860	315.860
-209	LFO					200.000	0.000	200.000			
-210	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	2031.010	1867.540	163.470	FO Deferral Request: SG Screen, Native American Consultation	2031.010	163.470
-211	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2464.820	2464.820	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation	2464.820	0.000
-212	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	1831.360	1071.360	760.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	1831.360	760.000
-213	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	2400.000	240.000	2160.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	2400.000	2160.000
-214	LFO					880.000	0.000	880.000			
-215	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2236.420	2236.420	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	2236.420	0.000
-216	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2075.000	2075.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	2075.000	0.000
-217	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2240.000	2240.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	2240.000	0.000
-218	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1756.280	1756.280	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	1756.280	0.000
-219	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1120.000	1120.000	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	1120.000	0.000
-220	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	1580.400	1580.400	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	1580.400	0.000
-221	LFO					320.000	0.000	320.000			
-222	LFO					1135.680	0.000	1135.680			
-223	LFO					1365.610	0.000	1365.610			
-224	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1158.100	1158.100	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	1158.100	0.000
-225	WFO	Y	Y			1982.320	1982.320	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	1982.320	0.000
-226	WFO	Y	Y			1962.310	1962.310	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Hydrology	1962.310	0.000
-227	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1310.180	1310.180	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	1310.180	0.000
-228	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2515.170	2515.170	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	2515.170	0.000
-229	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	906.320	906.320	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	906.320	0.000
-230	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1920.000	1920.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	1920.000	0.000
-231	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2240.000	2240.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	2240.000	0.000
-232	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	284.110	284.110	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	284.110	0.000
-233	WFO	Y	Y			800.000	800.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	800.000	0.000
-234	WFO					1887.650	1160.000	727.650	FO Deferral Request: LWC		
-235	WFO					1000.000	1000.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC		
-236	WFO	Y	Y			1157.820	280.000	877.820	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	1157.820	877.820
-237	WFO					40.000	40.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC		
-238	WFO					280.000	80.000	200.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC		

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-239	WFO	Y	Y			1400.870	1400.870	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife	1400.870	0.000
-240	WFO					1684.490	678.060	1006.430	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife		
-241	WFO					1319.500	679.500	640.000	FO Deferral Request: RMP		
-242	WFO					2019.500	0.000	2019.500			
-243	WFO					2060.600	0.000	2060.600			
-244	WFO					1280.000	0.000	1280.000			
-245	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1765.300	1765.300	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	1765.300	0.000
-246	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1879.100	1879.100	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	1879.100	0.000
-247	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2560.000	2560.000	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	2560.000	0.000
-248	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2400.000	2400.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Beaver Rim MLP (NSO Area)	2400.000	0.000
-249	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2265.320	2265.320	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Beaver Rim MLP (NSO Area)	2265.320	0.000
-250	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2000.000	2000.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Screen, Beaver Rim MLP (NSO Area)	2000.000	0.000
-251	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2536.640	2536.640	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Beaver Rim MLP	2536.640	0.000
-252	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1900.560	1900.560	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Beaver Rim MLP, Change to VRM 2	1900.560	0.000
-253	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1120.000	1120.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Screen, Beaver Rim MLP	1120.000	0.000
-254	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	2238.280	2238.280	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	2238.280	0.000
-255	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	2080.000	2080.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	2080.000	0.000
-256	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1920.000	1920.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	1920.000	0.000
-257	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1920.240	1920.240	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	1920.240	0.000
-258	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2442.680	2442.680	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	2442.680	0.000
-259	LFO					501.840	0.000	501.840			
-260	LFO					1585.130	0.000	1585.130			
-261	LFO					640.000	0.000	640.000			
-262	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	934.070	934.070	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Hydrology	934.070	0.000
-263	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2259.320	2259.320	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	2259.320	0.000
-264	WFO	Y	Y			480.000	480.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	480.000	0.000
-265	WFO	Y	Y			640.000	640.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	640.000	0.000
-266	WFO	Y	Y			280.060	280.060	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	280.060	0.000
-267	WFO					80.000	0.000	80.000			
-268	WFO					1356.020	1356.020	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife		
-269	WFO					2151.050	0.000	2151.050			
-270	WFO					420.960	0.000	420.960			
-271	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2232.100	2232.100	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	2232.100	0.000

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-272	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2146.920	2146.920	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Screen, MLP	2146.920	0.000
-273	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2470.600	2470.600	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Screen, MLP	2470.600	0.000
-274	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2315.640	2315.640	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Screen, MLP	2315.640	0.000
-275	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2080.000	2080.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Change to VRM 2	2080.000	0.000
-276	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2560.000	2560.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP	2560.000	0.000
-277	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2468.720	2468.720	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Change to VRM 2	2468.720	0.000
-278	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1760.000	1760.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP	1760.000	0.000
-279	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2440.000	2440.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	2440.000	0.000
-280	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2080.000	2080.000	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	2080.000	0.000
-281	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	560.000	80.000	480.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	560.000	480.000
-282	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2313.280	916.210	1397.070	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation, Hydrology	2313.280	1397.070
-283	WFO					2081.980	0.000	2081.980			
-284	WFO					1955.000	520.000	1435.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation, Hydrology		
-285	WFO					1848.100	1848.100	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Hydrology		
-286	WFO					80.000	80.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife		
-287	WFO					2383.640	1583.640	800.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology		
-288	WFO					1227.480	475.800	751.680	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology		
-289	WFO					783.200	703.200	80.000	FO Deferral Request: Recreation/VRM Special Designation		
-290	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2412.640	2412.640	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Cultural, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	2412.640	0.000
-291	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1150.540	1150.540	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	1150.540	0.000
-292	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1999.090	1999.090	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Cultural, Wildlife	1999.090	0.000
-293	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2240.000	2240.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	2240.000	0.000
-294	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1480.000	1480.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	1480.000	0.000
-295	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	289.380	289.380	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	289.380	0.000
-296	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2320.000	2320.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP	2320.000	0.000
-297	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2560.000	2560.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP	2560.000	0.000
-298	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2480.000	2480.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP	2480.000	0.000
-299	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1240.000	1240.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP	1240.000	0.000
-300	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1894.580	1894.580	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	1894.580	0.000
-301	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2042.860	2042.860	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	2042.860	0.000
-302	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1880.000	1880.000	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	1880.000	0.000
-303	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	1878.260	1721.980	156.280	Sage-grouse screen deferral	1878.260	156.280
-304	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1835.680	1835.680	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	1835.680	0.000

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-305	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	2433.640	2276.000	157.640	FO Deferral Request: Change to VRM 2	2433.640	157.640
-306	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	1618.940	1308.230	310.710	FO Deferral Request: MLP	1618.940	310.710
-307	LFO					1453.800	0.000	1453.800			
-308	WFO					2218.280	2218.280	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife		
-309	WFO					2544.240	2104.240	440.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation		
-310	WFO					2036.030	1956.030	80.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife		
-311	WFO					2308.450	1548.450	760.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Hydrology		
-312	WFO					2297.380	2297.380	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation		
-313	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2084.790	2084.790	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	2084.790	0.000
-314	WFO					695.020	695.020	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation		
-315	WFO					2555.330	2555.330	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Hydrology		
-316	WFO					40.000	40.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation		
-317	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	2112.100	2112.100	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Screen, MLP, Native American Consultation, Change to VRM 2	2112.100	0.000
-318	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	1991.760	1911.760	80.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Screen, MLP	1991.760	80.000
-319	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	1040.000	920.000	120.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Screen, MLP. (40.000 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	1040.000	120.000
-320	LFO					2368.770	0.000	2368.770			
-321	LFO					1941.970	0.000	1941.970			
-322	LFO					2560.000	0.000	2560.000			
-323	LFO					2446.560	0.000	2446.560			
-324	LFO					1921.240	0.000	1921.240			
-325	LFO					560.000	320.000	240.000	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation		
-326	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	1161.830	642.970	518.860	FO Deferral Request: Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	1161.830	518.860
-327	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	2191.580	362.480	1829.100	FO Deferral Request: Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	2191.580	1829.100
-328	LFO					2240.000	0.000	2240.000			
-329	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2538.800	2538.800	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	2538.800	0.000
-330	WFO					200.000	200.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife		
-331	WFO					2440.000	2440.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife		
-332	WFO					2463.880	2463.880	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife		

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-333	WFO					1280.000	1280.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife		
-334	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1982.230	1908.240	73.990	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	1982.230	73.990
-335	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1508.320	1431.300	77.020	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	1508.320	77.020
-336	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1521.470	1281.470	240.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	1521.470	240.000
-337	WFO					1604.890	1604.890	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation		
-338	WFO					2432.220	907.320	1524.900	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Hydrology		
-339	WFO					2514.270	2514.270	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife		
-340	WFO					2520.000	2520.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife		
-341	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2148.430	1791.960	356.470	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife, Hydrology	2148.430	356.470
-342	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2229.890	2229.890	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife, Hydrology	2229.890	0.000
-343	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1901.490	1901.490	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife, Hydrology	1901.490	0.000
-344	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2485.210	2485.210	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Cultural, Wildlife	2485.210	0.000
-345	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2470.150	2470.150	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife, Hydrology	2470.150	0.000
-346	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2493.150	2493.150	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Cultural, Wildlife	2493.150	0.000
-347	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1867.420	1867.420	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife, Hydrology	1867.420	0.000
-348	WFO					1251.830	1251.830	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife, Hydrology		
-349	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	2443.650	2443.650	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education. Also Sage-grouse screen deferral	2443.650	0.000
-350	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1920.000	1920.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	1920.000	0.000
-351	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2222.960	2222.960	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	2222.960	0.000
-352	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1920.000	1920.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	1920.000	0.000
-353	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1502.640	1502.640	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	1502.640	0.000
-354	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2175.000	2175.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	2175.000	0.000
-355	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1994.000	1994.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	1994.000	0.000
-356	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	1908.520	1748.520	160.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Screen, SG Reference and Education	1908.520	160.000
-357	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	1582.920	782.920	800.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	1582.920	800.000
-358	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	1100.360	660.360	440.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	1100.360	440.000
-359	LFO	Y	Y	P	P	2351.600	2351.600	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	2351.600	0.000
-360	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1293.960	1293.960	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	1293.960	0.000
-361	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1294.680	1294.680	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	1294.680	0.000

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-362	WFO					2114.040	1674.040	440.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife		
-363	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1691.240	727.440	963.800	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	1691.240	963.800
-364	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	854.480	854.480	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	854.480	0.000
-365	WFO					1506.200	833.750	672.450	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Hydrology		
-366	WFO					2200.320	2200.320	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Hydrology		
-367	WFO					1920.000	1920.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife		
-368	WFO					1800.000	1800.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Hydrology		
-369	WFO					2504.000	2504.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife		
-370	WFO					1760.000	1760.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife		
-371	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2510.680	2510.680	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC	2510.680	0.000
-372	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2421.270	2421.270	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife, Hydrology	2421.270	0.000
-373	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2201.740	2201.740	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife, Hydrology	2201.740	0.000
-374	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2553.530	2317.030	236.500	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife, Hydrology	2553.530	236.500
-375	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2368.960	1940.860	428.100	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	2368.960	428.100
-376	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2482.040	1631.550	850.490	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	2482.040	850.490
-377	WFO					324.160	162.180	161.980	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Wildlife		
-378	WFO					1545.910	1545.910	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation		
-379	WFO					81.590	81.590	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife		
-380	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1557.160	1557.160	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	1557.160	0.000
-381	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	171.370	171.370	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	171.370	0.000
-382	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1750.170	1750.170	0.000	Recreation/VRM Special Designation		
-383	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1096.210	1096.210	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	1750.170	0.000
-384	WFO					1910.950	1910.950	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife, Hydrology	1096.210	0.000
-385	WFO					1686.140	1686.140	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation		
-386	WFO					1756.820	1756.820	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, MLP, Wildlife		
-387	WFO					1963.540	1963.540	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife		
-388	WFO					2077.120	2077.120	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation		
-389	WFO					1956.550	1956.550	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife		
-390	WFO					1955.920	1955.920	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife		
-391	WFO					1943.790	1943.790	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation		
-392	WFO					1939.780	1939.780	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation		

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		Acres		Acres		Acres		Acres			
-393	WFO					1303.530	1303.530	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation		
-394	Cody FO					1397.200	0.000	1397.200			
-395	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2208.650	2208.650	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	2208.650	0.000
-396	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2560.000	2560.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	2560.000	0.000
-397	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2152.600	2152.600	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education, Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	2152.600	0.000
-398	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2400.000	2400.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	2400.000	0.000
-399	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2560.000	2560.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	2560.000	0.000
-400	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2139.630	2139.630	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education, Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	2139.630	0.000
-401	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1600.000	1600.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	1600.000	0.000
-402	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1726.160	1726.160	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	1726.160	0.000
-403	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2323.330	2323.330	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	2323.330	0.000
-404	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2400.000	2400.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	2400.000	0.000
-405	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2560.000	2560.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	2560.000	0.000
-406	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2344.560	2344.560	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	2344.560	0.000
-407	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2560.000	2560.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	2560.000	0.000
-408	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2560.000	2560.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	2560.000	0.000
-409	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2236.360	2236.360	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	2236.360	0.000
-410	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1760.000	1760.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	1760.000	0.000
-411	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2267.520	2267.520	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	2267.520	0.000
-412	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2560.000	2560.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	2560.000	0.000

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-413	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1824,480	1824,480	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	1824,480	0.000
-414	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1440,000	1440,000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education	1440,000	0.000
-415	WFO					1747,750	1747,750	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Hydrology		
-416	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1209,430	1076,600	132,830	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Hydrology	1209,430	132,830
-417	WFO					2542,390	2542,390	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife		
-418	WFO	Y	Y			2509,800	2509,800	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	2509,800	0.000
-419	WFO	Y	Y			2226,000	2226,000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	2226,000	0.000
-420	WFO	Y	Y			1680,000	1680,000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Hydrology	1680,000	0.000
-421	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1920,810	1920,810	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	1920,810	0.000
-422	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1910,630	1910,630	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	1910,630	0.000
-423	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1760,000	1760,000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	1760,000	0.000
-424	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2560,000	2560,000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	2560,000	0.000
-425	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2560,000	2560,000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	2560,000	0.000
-426	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1859,760	1859,760	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	1859,760	0.000
-427	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	360,000	360,000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	360,000	0.000
-428	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2556,550	2556,550	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, MLP, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	2556,550	0.000
-429	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1760,000	1760,000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation, Hydrology	1760,000	0.000
-430	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2329,240	2329,240	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, MLP, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	2329,240	0.000
-431	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1853,440	1853,440	0.000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, MLP, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	1853,440	0.000
-432	Cody FO					2549,880	2549,880	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, Regionally Important Historic Trail (Bridger)		
-433	Cody FO					2560,000	1520,000	1040,000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Regionally Important Historic Trail (Bridger)		
-434	Cody FO					2071,860	511,860	1560,000	FO Deferral Request: LWC, Regionally Important Historic Trail (Bridger)		
-435	Cody FO					2400,510	2400,510	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, Regionally Important Historic Trail (Bridger)		
-436	Cody FO					2560,000	2240,000	320,000	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, Regionally Important Historic Trail (Bridger)		

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-437	Cody FO	Y	Y			2235.960	2235.960	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, Regionally Important Historic Trail (Bridger)	2235.960	0.000
-438	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2070.000	2070.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education, Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	2070.000	0.000
-439	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1723.350	1723.350	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education, Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	1723.350	0.000
-440	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2400.000	2400.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education, Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	2400.000	0.000
-441	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1861.430	1861.430	0.000	FO Deferral Request: SG Reference and Education, Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	1861.430	0.000
-442	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2416.280	2416.280	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, SG Reference and Education, Historic and Regional Trails and Cultural Concerns	2416.280	0.000
-443	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	2560.000	2560.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, SG Reference and Education	2560.000	0.000
-444	LFO	Y	Y	D	D	1760.000	1760.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, SG Reference and Education	1760.000	0.000
-445	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1617.910	1617.910	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	1617.910	0.000
-446	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1920.000	1920.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	1920.000	0.000
-447	WFO	Y	Y			1920.550	1920.550	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	1920.550	0.000
-448	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2233.440	2233.440	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	2233.440	0.000
-449	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1400.000	1400.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	1400.000	0.000
-450	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2040.000	2040.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	2040.000	0.000
-451	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2279.890	2279.890	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Hydrology	2279.890	0.000
-452	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	638.690	638.690	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	638.690	0.000
-453	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1956.550	1956.550	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	1956.550	0.000
-454	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1760.000	1760.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	1760.000	0.000
-455	Cody FO					57.200	57.200	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, Regionally Important Historic Trail (Bridger)		

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-456	Cody FO					30.970	30.970	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, Regionally Important Historic Trail (Bridger)		
-457	Cody FO					50.000	50.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, Regionally Important Historic Trail (Bridger)		
-458	Cody FO					89.100	89.100	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, Regionally Important Historic Trail (Bridger)		
-459	Cody FO					54.280	54.280	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, Regionally Important Historic Trail (Bridger)		
-460	Cody FO					20.000	20.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, Regionally Important Historic Trail (Bridger)		
-461	Cody FO					20.000	20.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, Regionally Important Historic Trail (Bridger)		
-462	Cody FO					226.080	226.080	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, Regionally Important Historic Trail (Bridger)		
-463	Cody FO	Y	Y	P	P	1275.300	80.000	1195.300	FO Deferral Request: SG Screen, Native American Consultation, Regionally Important Historic Trail (Bridger)	1275.300	1195.300
-464	Cody FO	Y	Y	D	D	75.600	75.600	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral	75.600	0.000
-465	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1921.310	1921.310	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	1921.310	0.000
-466	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2519.690	2519.690	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	2519.690	0.000
-467	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2320.000	2320.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	2320.000	0.000
-468	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2311.040	2311.040	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	2311.040	0.000
-469	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2360.000	2360.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	2360.000	0.000
-470	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2520.000	2520.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	2520.000	0.000
-471	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2515.080	2515.080	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation, Hydrology	2515.080	0.000
-472	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	2440.000	2440.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	2440.000	0.000
-473	WFO					1718.360	1718.360	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation, Hydrology		
-474	WFO	Y	Y			2523.000	2523.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation, Hydrology	2523.000	0.000

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-475	WFO					2240.000	2240.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation, Hydrology		
-476	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1560.000	1560.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation	1560.000	0.000
-477	WFO	Y	Y	D	D	1280.000	1280.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife	1280.000	0.000
-478	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	1996.610	1996.610	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	1996.610	0.000
-479	WFO					640.000	640.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife		
-480	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2400.000	2400.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Hydrology	2400.000	0.000
-481	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2520.000	2520.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Hydrology	2520.000	0.000
-482	WFO	Y	Y	P	P	2400.000	2400.000	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife	2400.000	0.000
-483	WFO					717.810	717.810	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Hydrology		
-484	Cody FO					270.600	0.000	270.600			
-485	Cody FO	Y	Y			320.000	320.000	0.000	(320.000 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	320.000	0.000
-486	Cody FO	Y	Y			600.000	600.000	0.000	(600.000 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	600.000	0.000
-487	Cody FO	Y	Y	P	P	604.670	604.670	0.000	Sage-grouse screen deferral. (284.670 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	604.670	0.000
-488	WFO					2160.760	2160.760	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation		
-489	WFO					2277.770	2277.770	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation		
-490	WFO					1686.440	1686.440	0.000	FO Deferral Request: MLP, Wildlife, Recreation/VRM Special Designation, Hydrology		
-491	WFO					1946.920	1946.920	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife, Hydrology		
-492	WFO					2370.160	2370.160	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife		
-493	WFO					1041.670	1041.670	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Wildlife		
-494	WFO					2070.400	2070.400	0.000	FO Deferral Request: Cultural, Wildlife		
-495	Cody FO					1559.040	363.520	1195.520	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, Important Historic Trail (Fort Washakie to Meeteetse to Red Lodge)		
-496	Cody FO					1874.680	40.000	1834.680	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, Important Historic Trail (Fort Washakie to Meeteetse to Red Lodge)		
-497	Cody FO					2117.160	0.000	2117.160			

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-498	Cody FO					1710.160	987.030	723.130	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, Important Historic Trail (Fort Washakie to Meeteetse to Red Lodge), Paleocene-Eocene Thermal Maximum ACEC		
-499	Cody FO					1746.120	1111.960	634.160	FO Deferral Request: Important Historic Trail (Fort Washakie to Meeteetse to Red Lodge)		
-500	Cody FO	Y	Y			1120.000	1040.000	80.000	FO Deferral Request: Native American Consultation, Important Historic Trail (Fort Washakie to Meeteetse to Red Lodge). (440.000 acres deferred for being less than 640 contiguous acres in Core)	1120.000	80.000
<b>-501</b>	<b>Casper FO</b>					<b>359.730</b>	<b>0.000</b>	<b>359.730</b>			
503		318	318	283	283	761,656.410	-653,758.500	107,897.910		556,803.700	28,606.370
*		63%	63%	56%	56%					73%	4%
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**Summary:**

Parcels nominated/reviewed	Offer	D/X	P
<b>HPD</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>8</b>
<b>BFO</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Casper FO</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>NFO</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>WRBBD</b>	<b>401</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>67</b>
<b>Cody FO</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>LFO</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>19</b>
<b>WFO</b>	<b>257</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>39</b>
<b>Sale Total *</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>75</b>
	17%	68%	15%

Acres:

Reviewed:	761,656.410
Deleted:	1,151.530
Deferred:	652,606.970
Offered:	107,897.910
	0%
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\* = Totals include two parcels which are each split across two field offices, which may create inconsistency with individual field office totals.

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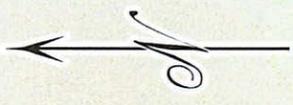
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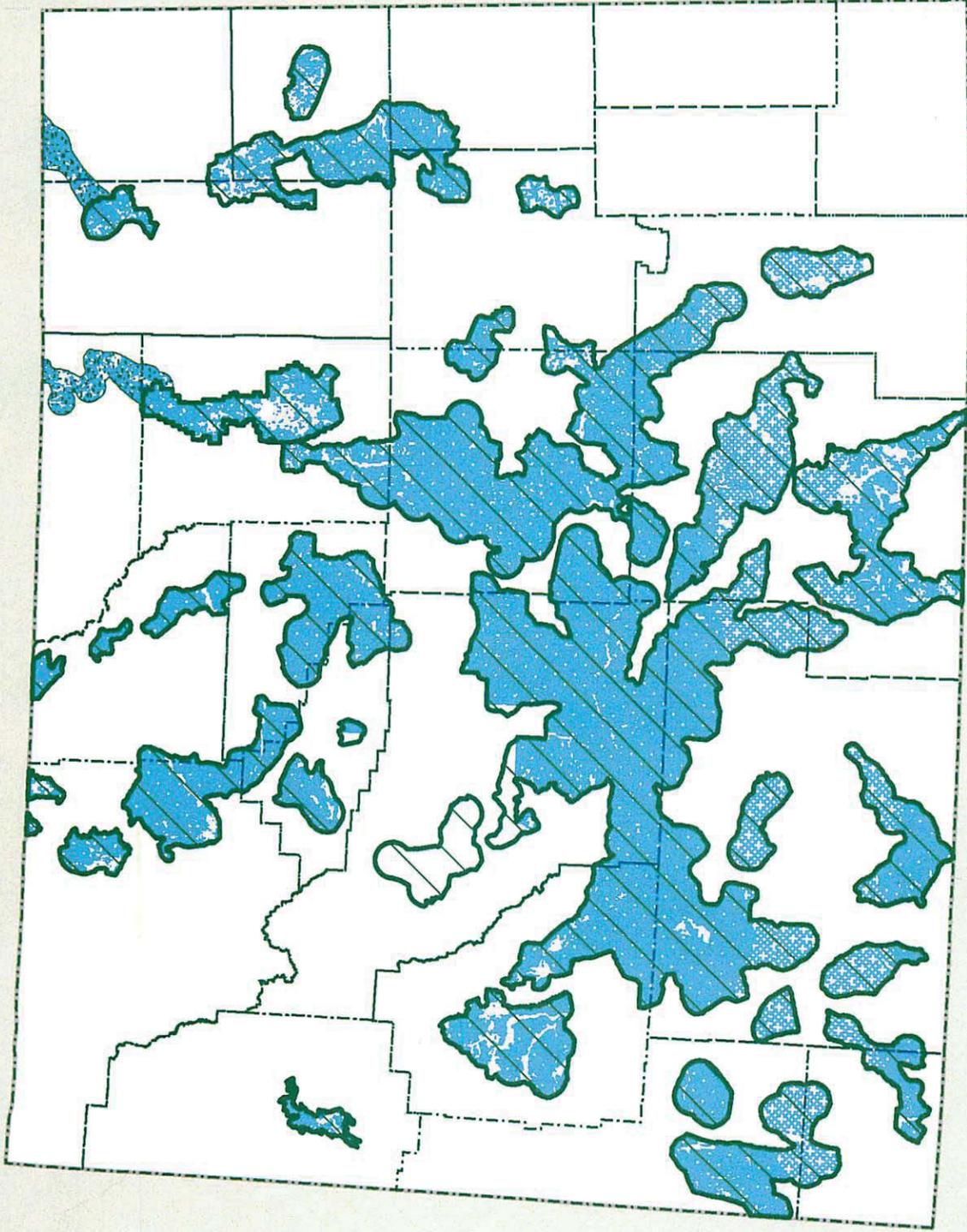
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