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	AIR QUALITY
	All new and replacement internal combustion gas field engines of less than or equal to 300 design-rated horsepower shall not emit more than 2 grams of NO_x per horsepower-hour.
	Exception: This requirement does not apply to gas field engines of less than or equal to 40 design-rated horsepower.
	Modification: None
UT-S-01	Waiver: None
	AND
	All new and replacement internal combustion gas field engines of greater than 300 design rated horsepower must not emit more than 1.0 gram of NO_x per horsepower-hour.
	Exception: None
	Modification: None
	Waiver: None
UT-S-78	NO SURFACE OCCUPANCY – CEMETERIES, CULINARY WATER SOURCES, LANDFILL (EXISTING AND CLOSED), LANDS MANAGED UNDER R&PP ACT LEASES, SITES LISTED ON THE NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES, INCORPORATED MUNICIPALITIES, DEVELOPED RECREATION SITES, AND BLM ADMINISTRATIVE SITES.
	No surface occupancy for oil and gas activities.
	Exception: None
	Modification: None
	Waiver: None
	CONTROLLED SURFACE USE – FRAGILE SOILS/SLOPES 30
	PERCENT OR GREATER
UT-S-102	No surface disturbing proposed projects involving construction on slopes greater than 30. If the action cannot be avoided, rerouted, or relocated than a
	proposed project will include an erosion control strategy, reclamation and a site
	plan with a detailed survey and design completed by a certified engineer. This
	proposed project must be approved by the BLM prior to construction and
	maintenance.
	Exception: None
	Modification: None
	Waiver: None

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UT-S-121	NO SURFACE OCCUPANCY – RIPARIAN AND WETLAND AREAS No surface disturbance and/or occupancy within buffer zones around natural springs. Base the size of the buffer on hydrological, riparian, and other factors necessary to protect the water quality of the springs. If these factors cannot be determined, maintain a 330-foot buffer zone from outer edge. Exception: Consider exceptions if it can be shown that (1) there are no practical alternatives to the disturbance, (2) all long-term impacts can be fully mitigated, and (3) the activity will benefit and enhance the riparian area. Consider compensatory mitigation where surface disturbance cannot be avoided within riparian wetland habitats on a site-specific basis. Modification: None Waiver: None
	CONTROLLED SURFACE USE – VRM CLASS II AREAS
UT-S-161	Surface disturbing activities must meet the objectives of Visual Resource Management (VRM) Class II. Exception: The level of change to the landscape should be low; management activities may be seen, but should not attract the attention of the casual observer. Any change to the landscape must repeat the basic elements of form, line, color, and texture found in the predominant natural features of the characteristic landscape. Surface disturbing activities that are determined to be compatible and consistent with the protection or enhancement of the resource values are exempted. Also, recognized utility corridors are exempted only for utility projects, which would be managed according to VRM Class III objectives. Modification : None Waiver : None
	TIMING LIMITATION – CRUCIAL MULE DEER AND ELK WINTER
UT-S-233	 HABITAT Restrict surface disturbing activities in crucial mule deer and elk habitats from December 15 to April 15 to protect winter habitats. Exception: This stipulation does not apply to the maintenance and operation of existing and ongoing facilities. An exception may be granted by the Field Manager if the operator submits a plan that demonstrates that impacts from the proposed action can be adequately mitigated or it is determined the habitat is not being used during the winter period for any given year. Modification: The Field Manager may modify the boundaries of the stipulation area if (1) a portion of the area is not being used as crucial winter range by deer/elk, (2) habitat outside of stipulation boundaries is being used as crucial winter range and needs to be protected, or (3) the migration patterns have changed causing a difference in the season of use. Waiver: A waiver may be granted if the winter range habitat is unsuitable or unoccupied during winter months by deer/elk and there is no reasonable likelihood of future winter range use.

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	NO SURFACE OCCUPANCY - GREATER SAGE-GROUSE PRIORITY
	HABITAT MANAGEMENT AREAS* No surface occupancy within Greater Sage-Grouse Priority Habitat
	Management Areas (PHMA).
	Exception: The Authorized Officer with concurrence with the State Director,
	may grant an exception only where the proposed action: i. Would not have direct, indirect, or cumulative effects on GRSG or its habitat;
	OR,
	ii. Is proposed to be undertaken as an alternative to a similar action occurring
	on a nearby parcel, and would provide a clear conservation gain to GRSG. The conservation gain must include measures, such as enforceable institutional
UT-S-347	controls and buffers, sufficient to allow the BLM to conclude that such benefits
	will endure for the duration of the proposed action's impacts. The Authorized Officer may not grant an exception unless the applicable state
	wildlife agency, the USFWS, and the BLM unanimously find that the proposed
	action satisfies (i) or (ii). Such finding shall initially be made by a team of one field high gift or other CBSC expert from each respective agency. In the event
	field biologist or other GRSG expert from each respective agency. In the event the initial finding is not unanimous, the finding may be elevated to the
	appropriate BLM State Director, USFWS State Ecological Services Director,
	and state wildlife agency head for final resolution. In the event their finding is not unanimous, the exception will not be granted. Approved exceptions will be
	made publically available at least quarterly.
	Modification: None Waiver: None
	CONTROLLED SURFACE USE/NO SURFACE OCCUPANCY –
	DISTURBANCE CAP
	Manage discrete anthropogenic disturbances, whether temporary or permanent,
	so they cover less than 3 percent on all lands (regardless of land ownership) at each level: 1) PHMA associated with a GRSG population area (referred to as
	biologically significant units {BSU} when coordinating across state lines) and
UT-S-348	2) within the proposed project analysis area to protect PHMA and the life- history needs of GRSG from habitat loss and GRSG populations from
	disturbance and limit fragmentation in PHMA. This would only be applicable
	to new fluid minerals leases if the exception criteria identified for the NSO stipulation above (UT-S-347 GRSG) were granted. See Appendix E of the
	GRSG Approved RMP Amendment for disturbance calculation instructions.
	Exception: None
	Modification: None Waiver: None
	*This would only be applicable to new fluid minerals leases if the exception
	criteria identified for the NSO stipulation above were granted.

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	CONTROLLED SURFACE USE/NO SURFACE OCCUPANCY -
UT-S-349	DENSITY LIMITATION
	Limit the density of energy and mining facilities within Priority Habitat Management Areas (PHMA) during project authorization to an average of one energy/mineral facility per 640 acres on all lands (regardless of land ownership) in PHMA within a proposed project analysis area to protect PHMA and the life- history needs of GRSG from habitat loss and limit fragmentation in PHMA. This would only be applicable to new fluid minerals leases if the exception criteria identified for the NSO stipulation above (UT-S-347 GRSG) were granted. See Appendix E of the GRSG Approved RMP Amendment for calculation details.
	Exception: None
	Modification: None Waiver: None
	*This would only be applicable to new fluid minerals leases if the exception criteria identified for the NSO stipulation above were granted.
	TIMING LIMITATION/CONTROLLED SURFACE USE –
	BREEDING SEASON NOISE LIMITATIONS
UT-S-350	Limit noise from discrete anthropogenic disturbances within Priority Habitat Management Areas (PHMA), including activities from construction, operation and maintenance, to below 10 decibels above ambient sound levels (baseline as available at the signing of the GRSG RMP Amendment ROD or as <u>first</u> measured thereafter) at occupied leks from 2 hours before to 2 hours after official sunrise and sunset during breeding season to protect strutting Greater Sage-Grouse from auditory disturbance associated with development during the breeding season. AND
	Limit project related noise in other PHMA habitats and seasons where it would be expected to reduce functionality of habitats that support associated GRSG populations in order to protect GRSG from direct disturbance near leks within PHMA.
	Exception: None
	Modification: As additional research and information emerges, specific new limitations appropriate to the type of projects being considered would be evaluated and appropriate measures would be implemented where necessary to minimize potential for noise impacts on PHMA GRSG population behavioral cycles.
	Waiver: None
	*This would only be applicable to new fluid minerals leases if the exception criteria identified for the NSO stipulation above were granted.

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	CONTROLLED SURFACE USE – TALL STRUCTURES*
	Limit the placement of permanent tall structures** within Priority Habitat
	Management Areas (PHMA) breeding and nesting habitats to minimize
	placement of structures that introduction of e new perching and/or nesting opportunities for avian predators.
	Exception: None
	Modification: None
UT-S-352	Waiver: None
	*This would only be applicable to new fluid minerals leases if the exception
	criteria identified for the NSO stipulation above were granted.
	**For the purposes of this restriction, a tall structure is any man-made structure
	that provides for perching/nesting opportunities for predators (e.g., raptors and
	ravens) that are naturally absent, or that decreases the use of an area by GRSG.
	A determination as to whether something is considered a tall structure will be
	made based on local conditions such as existing vegetation or topography.
	TIMING LIMITATION – GREATER SAGE-GROUSE BREEDING, NESTING AND EARLY BROOD REARING*
	Manage uses to prevent disturbance to GRSG populations and habitat by
	applying seasonal restrictions (e.g., no surface disturbance) between Feb 15 –
	June 15, in Greater Sage-Grouse Priority Habitat Management Areas (PHMA)
	breeding, nesting, and early brood-rearing habitat to seasonally protect those
	habitats from disruptive activity.
UT-S-353	Exception: None
	Modification: Specific time and distance determinations would be based on site-specific conditions and may be modified due to documented local
	variations (e.g., higher/lower elevations) or annual climactic fluctuations (e.g.,
	early/late spring, long and/or heavy winter) in order to better protect GRSG, in
	coordination with the appropriate State of Utah agency.
	Waiver: None
	*This would only be applicable to new fluid minerals leases if the exception
	criteria identified for the NSO stipulation above were granted.
	TIMING LIMITATION – GREATER SAGE-GROUSE
	BROOD-REARING
	Manage uses to prevent disturbance to GRSG populations and habitat by
	applying seasonal restrictions (e.g., no surface disturbance) between April 15 – August 15 in the Greater Sage-Grouse (GRSG) Priority Habitat Management
UT-S-354	Areas (PHMA) brood-rearing habitat to seasonally protect that habitat from
	disruptive activity.
	Exception: None
	Modification: Specific time and distance determinations would be based on
	site-specific conditions and may be modified due to documented local
	variations (e.g., higher/lower elevations) or annual climactic fluctuations (e.g.,

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	early/late spring, long and/or heavy winter) in order to better protect GRSG, in coordination with the appropriate State of Utah agency.
	Waiver: None
	*This would only be applicable to new fluid minerals leases if the exception criteria identified for the NSO stipulation above were granted.
	TIMING LIMITATION – GREATER SAGE-GROUSE
	WINTER HABITAT
	Manage uses to prevent disturbance to GRSG populations and habitat by applying seasonal restrictions (e.g., no surface disturbance) between Nov 15 – March 15 in Priority Habitat Management Areas (PHMA) for Greater Sage-Grouse (GRSG) winter habitat to protect GRSG within PHMA from disruptive activity during the winter season.
UT-S-355	Exception: None
01-8-355	Modification: Specific time and distance determinations would be based on site-specific conditions and may be modified due to documented local variations (e.g., higher/lower elevations) or annual climactic fluctuations (e.g., early/late spring, long and/or heavy winter) in order to better protect GRSG, in coordination with the appropriate State of Utah agency.
	Waiver: None
	*This would only be applicable to new fluid minerals leases if the exception criteria identified for the NSO stipulation above were granted.

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UT-LN-40	GOLDEN EAGLE HABITAT The lessee/operator is given notice that lands in this lease have been identified as containing Golden Eagle Habitat. Modifications to the Surface Use Plan of Operations may be required in order to protect the Golden Eagle and/or habitat from surface disturbing activities in accordance with Section 6 of the lease terms, Endangered Species Act, and 43 CFR 3101.1-2.
UT-LN-45	MIGRATORY BIRD The lessee/operator is given notice that surveys for nesting migratory birds may be required during migratory bird breeding season whenever surface disturbances and/or occupancy is proposed in association with fluid mineral exploration and development within priority habitats. Surveys should focus on identified priority bird species in Utah. Field surveys will be conducted as determined by the authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management. Based on the result of the field survey, the authorized officer will determine appropriate buffers and timing limitations.
	UTAH SENSITIVE SPECIES
UT-LN-49	The lessee/operator is given notice that no surface use or otherwise disruptive activity would be allowed that would result in direct disturbance to populations or individual special status plant and animal species, including those listed on the BLM sensitive species list and the Utah sensitive species list. The lessee/operator is also given notice that lands in this parcel have been identified as containing potential habitat for species on the Utah Sensitive Species List. Modifications to the Surface Use Plan of Operations may be required in order to protect these resources from surface disturbing activities in accordance with Section 6 of the lease terms, Endangered Species Act, Migratory Bird Treaty Act and 43 CFR 3101.1-2.
	NOXIOUS WEEDS
UT-LN-52	The lessee/operator is given notice that lands in this lease have been identified as containing or is near areas containing noxious weeds. Best management practices to prevent or control noxious weeds may be required for operations on the lease.
	DRINKING WATER SOURCE PROTECTION ZONE
UT-LN-56	This lease (or a portion thereof) is within a public Drinking Water Source Protection zone. Before application for a permit to drill (APD) submittal or any proposed surface-disturbing activity, the lessee/operator must contact the public water system manager to determine any zoning ordinances, best management or pollution prevention measures, or physical controls that may be required within the protection zones. Drinking Water Source Protection plans are developed by the public water systems under the requirements of R309-600. Drinking Water Source Protection for Ground-Water Sources. (Utah Administrative Code). There may also be county ordinances in place to protect the source protection zones, as required by Section 19-4-113 of the Utah Code. Incorporated cities and towns may also protect their drinking water sources

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	using Section 10-8-15 of the Utah Code. This part of the Code gives cities and towns the extraterritorial authority to enact ordinances to protect a source of drinking water "For 15 miles above the point from which it is taken and for a distance of 300 feet on each side of such stream" Class I cities (greater than 100,000 population) are granted authority to protect their entire watersheds. Some public water sources qualify for monitoring waivers which reduce their monitoring requirements for pesticides and volatile organic chemicals (VOCs). Exploration, drilling, and production activities within Source Protection zone 3 could jeopardize these waivers, thus requiring increased monitoring. Contact the public water system to determine what effect your activities may have on their monitoring waivers. Please be aware of other State rules to protect surface and ground water: the Utah Division of Water Quality Rules R317 Water Quality Rules; and Rules of the Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, Utah Oil and Gas Conservation Rules R649. At the time of development, drilling operators will additionally conform to the operational regulations in Onshore Oil & Gas Order No. 2 (which requires the protection and isolation of all usable quality waters, $\leq 10,000$ mg/L Total Dissolved Solids), Onshore Oil and Gas Order No. 7 (which prescribes measures required for the handling of produced water to insure the protection of
	surface and ground water sources) and the Surface Operating Standards and Guidelines for Oil and Gas Development, The Gold Book, Fourth Edition- Revised 2007 (which provides information and requirements for conducting environmentally responsible oil and gas operations). Additional mitigation measures may be necessary to prevent adverse impacts from oil and gas exploration and development activities. Mitigation measures may include submitting an erosion control plan with best management practices (BMPs) that address rigorous interim reclamation which might include surface roughening, vegetative buffer strips, etc.; and sediment control through the use of sediment logs, silt fences, erosion control blankets, outlet/inlet protection of water control features such as culverts or diversion ditches, sediment traps, run on/run off pad design features. If project activities are close to sensitive areas or water sources a semi or closed-loop drilling system should be required.
	PUBLIC WATER RESERVE
UT-LN-57	The lessee/operator is given notice that lands in this lease have been identified as a designated Public Water Reserve. Surface occupancy or use is subject to the Public Water Reserve Executive Order No. 107. Modification to the Surface Use Plan of Operations may be required for the protection of the reserve up to and including no surface occupancy or use. Protection of a designated public water reserve as discussed in Public Water Reserve Executive Order No. 107. This limitation does not apply to operations and maintenance of producing wells.

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UT-LN-58	DRINKING WATER PROTECTION ZONE The lessee/operator is given notice that this lease parcel overlaps a drinking water protection zone for public water sources in Utah. At the time of development, drilling operators will conform to the provisions of the operational regulations and Onshore Oil & Gas Order Number 2, which requires the protection and isolation of all useable quality waters.
UT-LN-65	OLD SPANISH TRAIL The lessee/operator is given notice that lands in this lease are crossed by the Old Spanish Trail National Historic Trail [Old Spanish Trail Recognition Act of 2002, (Old Spanish Trail PLO 107-325)]. Modifications to the Surface Use Plan of Operations may be required to protect the historic integrity of the Trail, its resources, its values – such as landscape view sheds, and outdoor recreational opportunities associated with the foregoing.
UT-LN-68	NOTIFICATION & CONSULTATION REGARDING CULTURAL RESOURCES The lease area may now or hereafter be found to contain historic properties and/or resources protected under the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA), the Archaeological Resources Protections Act (ARPA), the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA), the American Indian Religious Freedom Act (AIRFA), other statues and Executive Order 13007, and which may be of concern to Native American tribes, interested parties, and the State Historic Preservation Officer (SHPO). BLM will not approve any ground disturbing activities as part of future lease operations until it completes applicable requirements of the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA), including the completion of any required procedure for notification and consultation with appropriate tribe(s) and/or the SHPO. BLM may require modifications to exploration and development proposals to further its conservation and management objectives on BLM-approved activities that are determine to affect or impact historic or cultural properties and/or resources.
UT-LN-72	HIGH POTENTIAL PALEONTOLOGICAL RESOURCES The lessee/operator is given notice that lands in this lease have been identified as having high potential for paleontological resources. Planned projects should be consistent with BLM Manual and Handbook H8270-1, Chapter III (A) and III (B) to avoid areas where significant fossils are known or predicted to occur or to provide for other mitigation of possible adverse effects (RX, NF, ESR). Modifications to the Surface Use Plan of Operations may be required in order to protect paleontological resources from surface disturbing activities in accordance with Section 6 of the lease terms and 43 CFR 3101.1-2.

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UT-LN-99	 REGIONAL OZONE FORMATION CONTROLS To mitigate any potential impact oil and gas development emissions may have on regional ozone formation, the following Best Management Practices (BMPs) would be required for any development projects: Tier II or better drilling rig engines Stationary internal combustion engine standard of 2g NOx/bhp-hr for engines <300HP and 1g NOx/bhp-hr for engines >300HP Low bleed or no bleed pneumatic pump valves Dehydrator VOC emission controls to +95% efficiency Tank VOC emission controls to +95% efficiency
UT-LN-102	AIR QUALITY ANALYSIS The lessee/operator is given notice that prior to project-specific approval, additional air quality analyses may be required to comply with the National Environmental Policy Act, Federal Land Policy Management Act, and/or other applicable laws and regulations. Analyses may include dispersion modeling for deposition and visibility impacts analysis, control equipment determinations, and/or emission inventory development. These analyses may result in the imposition of additional project-specific air quality control measures.
UT-LN-107	 BALD EAGLE The Lessee/Operator is given notice that the lands in this parcel contains nesting/winter roost habitat for the bald eagle. The bald eagle was de-listed in 2007; however, it is still afforded protection under the Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act (16 U.S.C. 668-668c, 1940). Therefore, avoidance or use restrictions may be placed on portions of the lease. Application of appropriate measures will depend on whether the action is temporary or permanent, and whether it occurs within or outside the bald eagle breeding or roosting season. A temporary action is completed prior to the following breeding or roosting season leaving no permanent structures and resulting in no permanent habitat loss. A permanent action continues for more than one breeding or roosting season and/or causes a loss of eagle habitat or displaces eagles through disturbances, i.e. creation of a permanent structure. The following avoidance and minimization measures have been designed to ensure activities carried out on the lease will not lead to the need to consider listing the eagle as threatened or endangered. Integration of, and adherence to the following measures will facilitate review and analysis of any submitted permits under the authority of this lease. Current avoidance and minimization measures include the following: Surveys will be required prior to operations unless species occupancy and distribution information is complete and available. All Surveys must be conducted by qualified individual(s), and be conducted according to protocol.

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	 measures will be evaluated. 3. Water production will be managed to ensure maintenance or enhancement of riparian habitat. 4. Temporary activities within 1.0 mile of nest sites will not occur during the breeding season of January 1 to August 31, unless the area has been surveyed according to protocol and determined to be unoccupied. 5. Temporary activities within 0.5 miles of winter roost areas, e.g., cottonwood galleries, will not occur during the winter roost season of November 1 to March 31, unless the area has been surveyed according to protocol and determined to be unoccupied.
	6. No permanent infrastructure will be placed within 1.0 mile of nest sites.7. No permanent infrastructure will be placed within 0.5 miles of winter roost areas.
	 Remove big game carrion from within 100 feet of lease roadways occurring within bald eagle foraging range. Avoid loss or disturbance to large cottonwood gallery riparian habitats. Where technically and economically feasible, use directional drilling or multiple wells from the same pad to reduce surface disturbance and eliminate drilling in suitable habitat Utilize directional drilling to avoid direct impacts to large cottonwood gallery riparian habitats. Ensure that such directional drilling does not intercept or degrade alluvial aquifers. All areas of surface disturbance within riparian areas and/or adjacent uplands should be re-vegetated with native species. Additional measures may also be employed to avoid or minimize effects to the species between the lease sale stage and lease development stage. These additional measures will be developed and implemented in coordination with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.
UT-LN-128	FEDERAL FLOOD RISK MANAGEMENT STANDARD To mitigate potential impacts to floodplains, activities would be limited or precluded within the 500 year base flood level (area subject to flooding by the 0.2 percent annual chance flood) or the 100 year base flood elevation plus 3 feet. (Executive Order 13690 amending Executive Order 11988.)
UT-LN-129	GREATER SAGE-GROUSE – DISTURBANCE CAP Manage discrete anthropogenic disturbances, whether temporary or permanent, so they cover less than 3 percent of 1) PHMA associated with a GRSG population area (referred to as biologically significant units {BSU} when coordinating across state lines) and 2) within the proposed project analysis area, on all lands (regardless of ownership) at each level. (See Appendix E of the GRSG Approved RMP Amendment for disturbance calculation instructions.)

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	GREATER SAGE-GROUSE – DENSITY LIMITATION
UT-LN-130	Limit the density of energy and mining facilities within Priority Habitat Management Areas (PHMA) during project authorization to an average of one energy/mineral facility per 640 acres on all lands (regardless of land ownership) in PHMA within a proposed project analysis area to protect PHMA and the life- history needs of GRSG from habitat loss and GRSG populations from disturbance and limit fragmentation in PHMA.
	GREATER SAGE-GROUSE – NET CONSERVATION GAIN
UT-LN-131	In Priority and General Habitat Management Areas (PHMA and GHMA) all actions that result in habitat loss and degradation will require mitigation that provides a net conservation gain to the Greater Sage-Grouse (GRSG). Mitigation must account for any uncertainty associated with the effectiveness of the mitigation and will be achieved through avoiding, minimizing and compensating for impacts. Mitigation will be conducted according to the mitigation framework found in Appendix F in the Utah Approved Management Plan Amendment.
	GREATER SAGE-GROUSE – REQUIRED DESIGN FEATURES
UT-LN-132	 Apply the Required Design Features (RDF)* in Appendix C of the Utah Approved Management Plan Amendment when developing a lease within Priority and General Habitat Management Areas (PHMA and GHMA). *RDFs may not be required if it is demonstrated through the NEPA analysis that the RDF associated project/activity is: Documented to not be applicable to the site-specific conditions of the project/activity (e.g. due to site limitations or engineering considerations). Economic considerations, such as increased costs, do not necessarily require that an RDF be varied or rendered inapplicable; An alternative RDF, state-implemented conservation measure, or plan-level protection is determined to provide equal or better protection for GRSG or its habitat;
GREATER SAGE-GROUSE - BUFFER	
UT-LN-133	In Priority and General Habitat Management Areas (PHMA and GHMA), the BLM will apply the lek buffer-distances identified in the USGS Report Conservation Buffer Distance Estimates for Greater Sage-Grouse – A Review (Open File Report 2014-1239) in accordance with Appendix B, Applying Lek- Buffer Distances, consistent with valid and existing rights and applicable law in authorizing management actions.
COUNTY COORDINATION	
UT-LN-135	The Lessee/Operator is given notice that development of this parcel is of particular concern to the County, and that coordination with the County may be necessary when development takes place.

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CALIFORNIA CONDOR

The Lessee/Operator is given notice that the lands located in this parcel contain potential habitat for the California Condor, a federally listed species. Avoidance or use restrictions may be placed on portions of the lease if the area is known or suspected to be used by condors. Application of appropriate measures will depend on whether the action is temporary or permanent, and whether it occurs within or outside potential habitat. A <u>temporary</u> action is completed prior to the following important season of use, leaving no permanent structures and resulting in no permanent habitat loss. This would include consideration for habitat functionality. A <u>permanent</u> action continues for more than one season of habitat use, and/or causes a loss of condor habitat function or displaces condors through continued disturbance (i.e. creation of a permanent structure requiring repetitious maintenance, or emits disruptive levels of noise).

The following avoidance and minimization measures have been designed to ensure activities carried out on the lease are in compliance with the Endangered Species Act. Integration of, and adherence to these measures will facilitate review and analysis of any submitted permits under the authority of this lease. Following these measures could reduce the scope of Endangered Species Act, Section 7 consultation at the permit stage. Current avoidance and minimization measures include the following:

- 1. Surveys will be required prior to operations unless species occupancy and distribution information is complete and available. All Surveys must be conducted by qualified individual(s) approved by the BLM, and must be conducted according to approved protocol.
- 2. If surveys result in positive identification of condor use, all lease activities will require monitoring throughout the duration of the project to ensure desired results of applied mitigation and protection. Minimization measures will be evaluated during development and, if necessary, Section 7 consultation may be reinitiated.
- 3. Temporary activities within 1.0 mile of nest sites will not occur during the breeding season.
- 4. Temporary activities within 0.5 miles of established roosting sites or areas will not occur during the season of use, August 1 to November 31, unless the area has been surveyed according to protocol and determined to be unoccupied.
- 5. No permanent infrastructure will be placed within 1.0 mile of nest sites.
- 6. No permanent infrastructure will be placed within 0.5 miles of established roosting sites or areas.
- 7. Remove big game carrion 100 feet from lease roadways occurring within foraging range.
- 8. Where technically and economically feasible, use directional drilling or multiple wells from the same pad to reduce surface disturbance and eliminate drilling in suitable habitat. Utilize directional drilling to avoid direct impacts to large cottonwood gallery riparian habitats. Ensure that such directional drilling does not intercept or degrade alluvial aquifers.

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	9. Re-initiation of section 7 consultation with the Service will be sought immediately if mortality or disturbance to California condors is anticipated as a result of project activities. Additional site-specific measures may also be employed to avoid or minimize effects to the species. These additional measures will be developed and implemented in consultation with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service to ensure continued compliance with the ESA.
	Additional measures may also be employed to avoid or minimize effects to the species between the lease sale and lease development stages. These additional measures will be developed and implemented in consultation with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service to ensure continued compliance with the Endangered Species Act.