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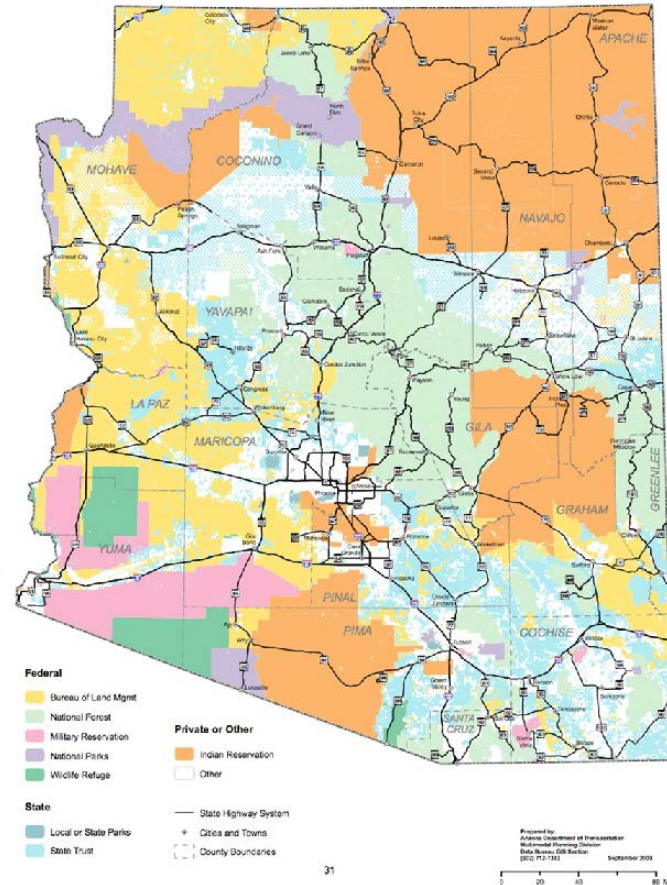
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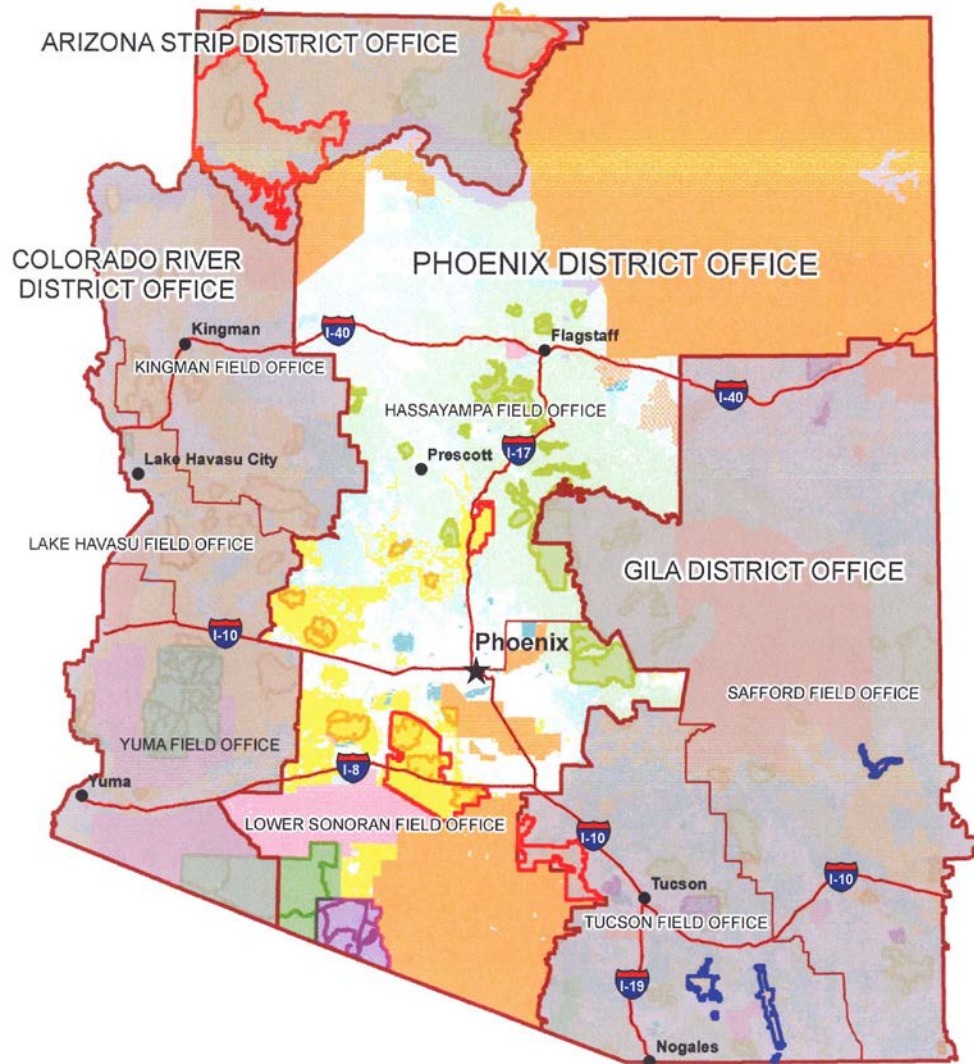
BLM Arizona administers 12.2 million surface acres of public lands, and another 17.5 million subsurface acres within the state, providing a **\$432 million** in economic output.





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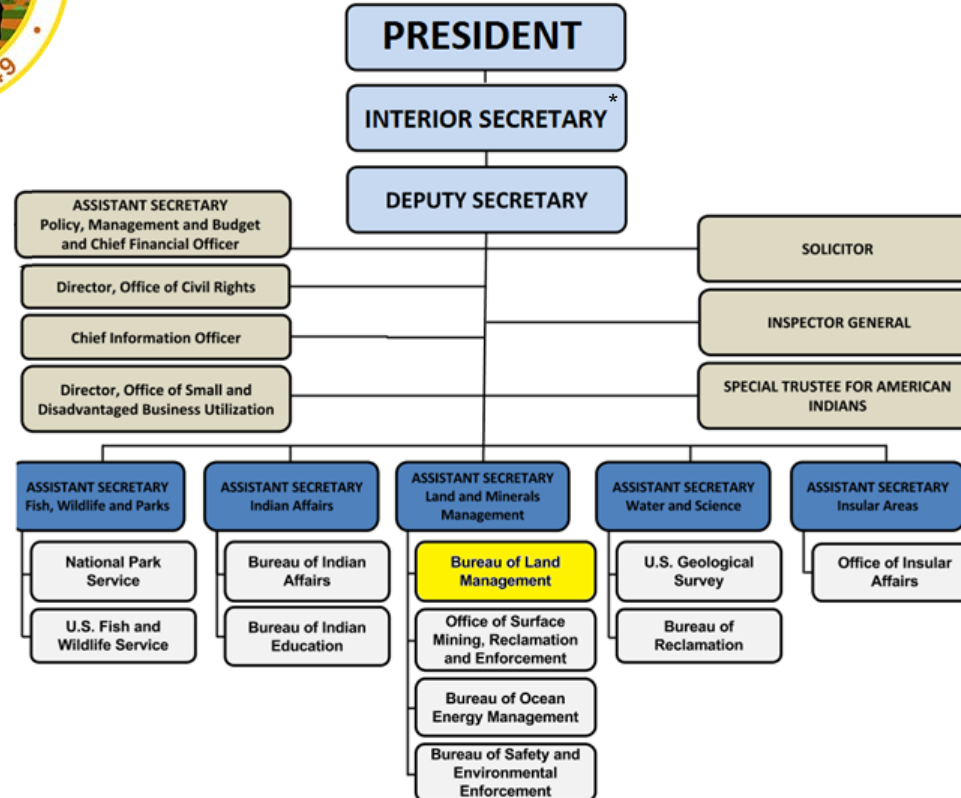
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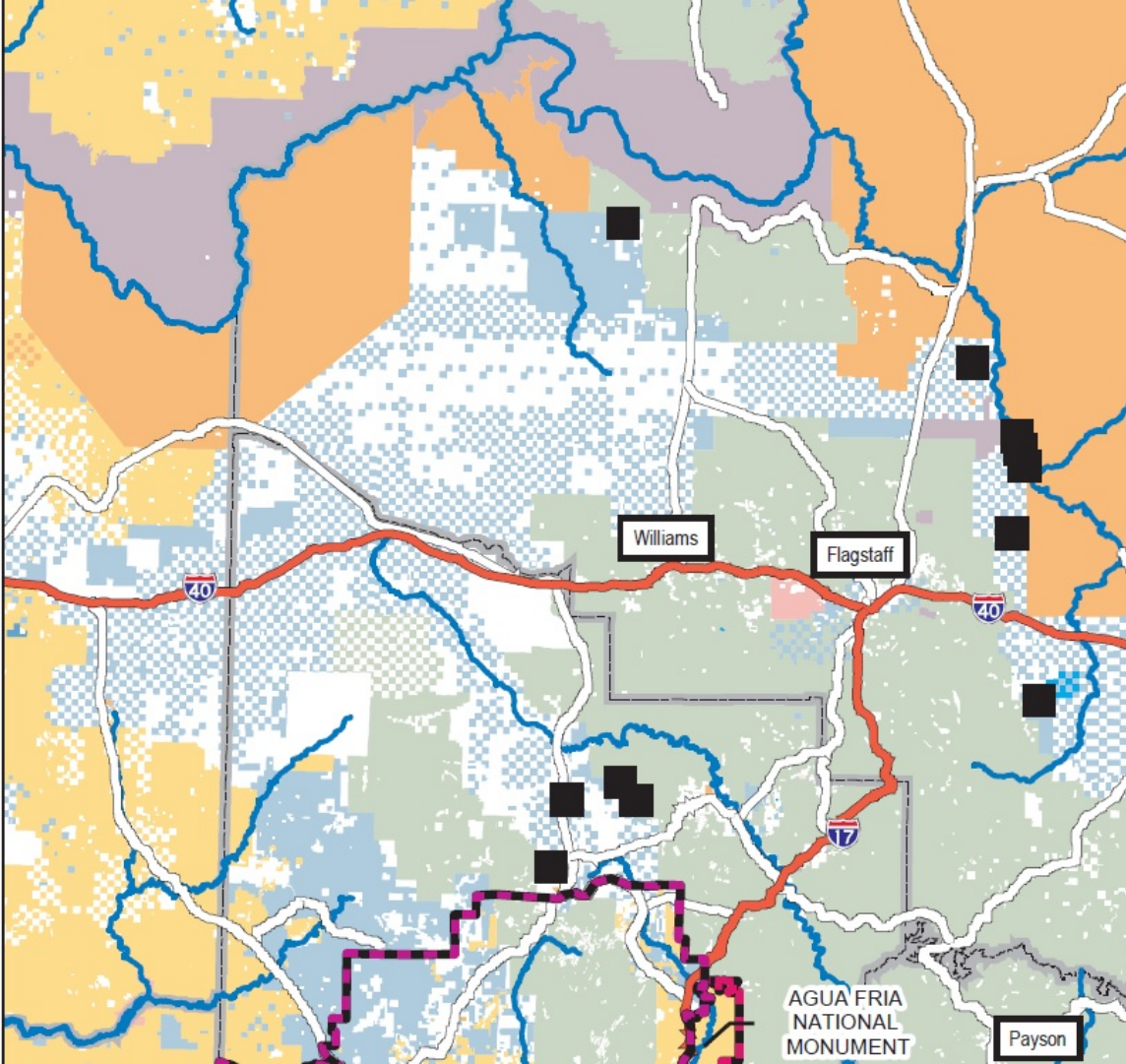
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■ Locations of public land parcels from 40 to 1,280 acres in size

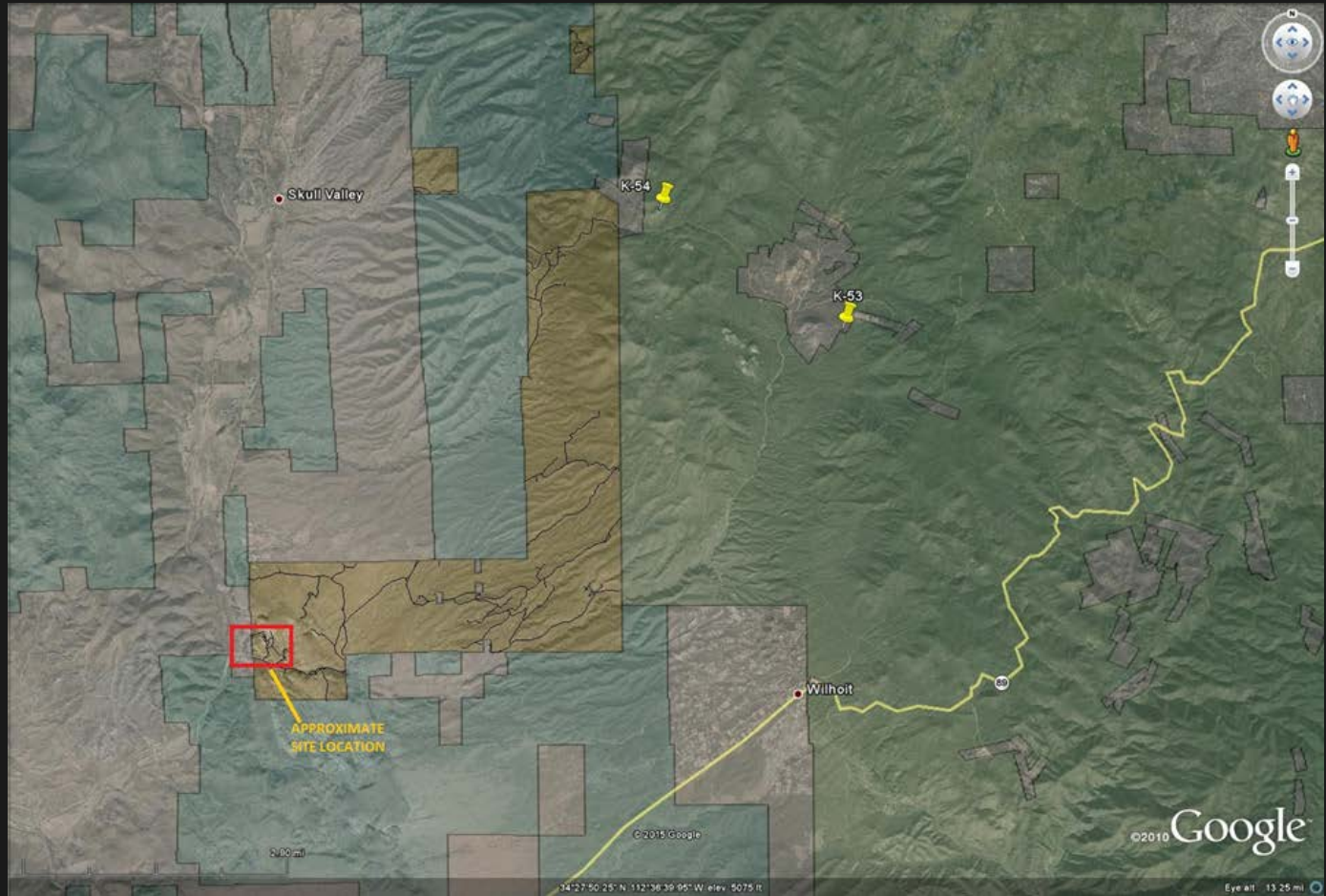
District Projects of Interest to the Hopi Tribe



Skull Valley – Proposed Mine

- Kirkland Mining Company began exploration drilling and removing up to 1,000 tons bulk sample of pozzolan (volcanic tuff) at the Skull Valley “Kitty Litter Mine” in 2016.
- BLM inspected the site several times throughout the year and the operation is in compliance with the mining notice and all regulations.
- On April 18, 2017, the mining company delivered to the Hassayampa Field Office their proposed Mining Plan of operation, under which a 72-acre mining operation would take place over a 40-year period.
- The Hassayampa Field Office will be contacting the Hopi Tribe next month to share the Cultural Resources Report and invite your participation in the environmental assessment process.

Skull Valley Mineral Exploration - Site Location



Skull Valley Mineral Exploration - Stockpile Area



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