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NOTICE

The Bureau of Land Management will hold four (4) Competitive Oil and Gas Lease Sales during Fiscal Year 2017. The tentative scheduled dates are shown below:

December 13, 2016 Oil and Gas Lease Sale (POSTPONED) Ely

This Competitive Lease Sale is postponed until December 12, 2017, due to pending formal Endangered Species Act Section 7 consultation with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service on the Ely District Programmatic Biological Opinion. Therefore no lands will be offered for lease until next year. As a reminder, EOIs must be submitted on or before March 17, 2017 in order to be offered for the December 2017 Competitive Oil and Gas Lease Sale.

March 14, 2017 Oil and Gas Lease Sale Elko/Southern Nevada

Closing Date for Expressions of Interest (EOI)	June 17, 2016
Sale Notice Posted on website	December 14, 2016
30 Day Protest Period	December 14, 2016 - January 13, 2017

As a reminder, EOIs must be submitted on or before April 14, 2017 in order to be offered for the March 2018 Competitive Oil and Gas Lease Sale.

June 13, 2017 Oil and Gas Lease Sale Battle Mountain

Closing Date for Expressions of Interest (EOI)	September 16, 2016
Sale Notice Posted on website	March 15, 2017
30 Day Protest Period	March 15, 2017 - April 14, 2017

As a reminder, EOIs must be submitted on or before July 14, 2017 in order to be offered for the June 2018 Competitive Oil and Gas Lease Sale.

September 12, 2017 Oil and Gas Lease Sale Winnemucca/Carson City

Closing Date for Expressions of Interest (EOI)	December 16, 2016
Sale Notice Posted on website	June 14, 2017
30 Day Protest Period	June 14, 2017 - July 14, 2017

As a reminder, EOIs must be submitted on or before October 13, 2017 in order to be offered for the September 2018 Competitive Oil and Gas Lease Sale.

Federal lands administered by an agency outside of the Department of the Interior require Surface Management Agency (SMA) consent. Meeting the closing dates does NOT guarantee your EOI will be on the scheduled sale date. Every effort will be made to offer your EOI in a timely manner.