

FAX COVER SHEET

TO	Amy Leuders
FROM	Michael Bayer
DATE	2016-02-19 03:10:18 GMT
RE	Re: Protest of Parcel NM-201604-043

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I respectfully submit a protest to parcel NM-201604-043 on the follow page. Thank you
for your time and consideration.

M.C. Bayer

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TO	Amy Leuders
FROM	Michael Bayer
DATE	2016-02-19 02:51:40 GMT
RE	Protest of Parcel NM-201604-043

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Official protest on following page. Thank you for your consideration.

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February 18, 2016

Amy Leuders, Director
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Re: Protest of proposed auction of parcel NM-201604-043, a 258.90 acre area located
in Denton County, Texas, adjacent to and under Lake Lewisville

Dear Ms. Leuders and Ms. Serrano:

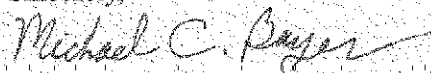
County! I am writing you to protest the auction of parcel NM-201604-043, a 258.90 acre area located in Denton
not only my residence in Highland Village, Texas, but also for the city of Dallas, Texas. I have grave concerns
regarding the risks of fracking or any other method of fossil fuel reclamation so close to a major water supply.

Should the lake become contaminated, it will have a severe, potentially catastrophic, effect on the
surrounding environment. My town would be required to purchase water from other areas, thereby raising our
water significantly. A contamination would also have a negative effect on property values which are adjacent
to the lands.

The Lewisville Lake dam was recently damaged by storms in May 2015. The Army Corps of Engineers
has identified numerous elements that need to be addressed including, but not limited to, internal erosion,
probability of a sliding collapse and portions of the dam that may become unstable under higher pool loadings.
Prior to the weather events of May 2015, the Corps had listed the dam as the eighth most hazardous in the
nation.

For these reasons, I hereby submit this protest and objection to the proposed auction of a mineral lease
of Parcel NM-201604-043 and respectfully request that said parcel be withdrawn from the April 20, 2016
auction. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. I thank you for your time and consideration
in this matter.

Sincerely,



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