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Hello all,

Attached you will find the ASLM/BLM Agenda and Weekly Report for September 25, 2017.

Best,  
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**BLM-ASLM Agenda**  
**September 25, 2017**  
*Internal Working Document*

**I. Executive Travel: September 24-September 30, 2017**

BLM Acting Director, Michael Nedd:

- Monday, September 25 to Wednesday, September 27: In office to attend regularly scheduled meetings.
- Thursday, September 28 and Friday, September 29: Out of office to attend Public Lands Day in Farmington, NM.

Acting Deputy Director for Operations, John Ruhs:

- Monday, September 25: In office to attend regularly scheduled meetings.
- Tuesday, September 26 to Thursday, September 28: Out of office to attend Great Basin Leadership meeting in Reno, NV.
- Friday, September 29: In office to attend regularly scheduled meetings.

Acting Deputy Director for Policy and Programs, Kathleen Benedetto:

- Monday, September 25: In office to attend regularly scheduled meetings.
- Tuesday, September 26 to Friday, September 29: Out of office to attend Great Basin Leadership meeting in Reno, NV.

**II. Agenda Items**

- E. O. 13783 Recommendations for Alleviating or Eliminating Burdensome Actions
- Energy and Mineral-related *Federal Register* Notices with ASLM/DOI
  1. Venting & Flaring: Rule & EA for Waste Prevention: BLMR001646 (with OIRA)
  2. Notice of Availability Draft Supplemental EIS, Environmental Impact Report & Draft Land Use Plan Amend for Palen Solar Photovoltaic Project: BLMR001655 (with Energy Counselor)
  3. Notice of Availability Final EIS Gold Bar Mine, Nevada: BLMR001668 (with Exec Sec)
  4. Notice of Intent to Prepare a DRAFT Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement for the Proposed United States Gypsum Company Expansion/Modernization Project, Imperial County, California: BLMR001217 (with ASLM)
- Proposed Supplementary Rules (AK, NM, ID)
- ASLM Status Check
  1. Interior Department's Comments on EPA's Proposed Financial Responsibility Requirements Under CERCLA § 108(b): BLM0011079 (with Exec Sec)
  2. BLM's Top Priorities—assignment from Associate Deputy Secretary
- BLM Status Check
  1. Keystone Pipeline
  2. Mitigation Follow-up for Deputy Secretary
  3. Decision Documents on Coal-related IMs (anticipated submission by end of Sept. 2017)
  4. Coal Streamlining Report
  5. Planning & NEPA Streamlining Report to Secretary (due Sept. 12, 2017)
  6. Wild Horse & Burro Report to Congress (due Nov. 2017)
  7. Alaska Energy (NPR-A, Eastern Interior RMP)
  8. S. O. 3354 Supporting and Improving the Federal Onshore Oil and Gas Leasing Program and Federal Solid Mineral Leasing Program

### III. Briefing Papers Requested by ASLM

- Briefing Papers Submitted:
  1. Outcome-based Grazing (provided 8/28)
  2. Grazing Regulations (provided 8/28)
  3. Good Neighbor Act Authority (provided 8/28)
  4. VRM Manual (provided 8/28)
  5. RMP Designations: e.g. ACEC, Backcountry Conservation Area (provided 9/6)
  6. North Dakota Energy Production (provided 9/6)
  7. Regulatory Affairs 101 (provided 9/8)
  8. Rulemaking (provided 9/8)
  9. BLM Foundation (provided 9/8)
  10. BLM'19 Budget (provided 9/18)
  11. BLM's Secretarial Priorities (provided 9/15)
- Briefing Papers Pending:
  1. Recreation Use Fees (waiting on DOI feedback)
  2. DRECP (Plan amendment and withdrawal)
  3. Social Cost of Carbon
  4. Soda Ash Royalty Rate
  5. BLM's Congressional Fellows Program

### IV. Priority Items with ASLM: *(Items in blue font require the template for ROD's and other Decision Documents)*

1. Notice of Availability of a Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Greater Chapita Wells Natural Gas Infill Project, Uintah County, Utah: BLMR001514 (8/25/17)
2. Notice of Application for Withdrawal, Notice of Public Meeting, and Extension of Public Comment Period for Proposed Withdrawal in the Methow Valley; Washington: BLMR001550 (5/26/17)
3. Proposed Supplementary Rules for Public Lands Managed by the Eastern Interior Field Office at the Fairbanks District Office Administrative Site, Fairbanks, Alaska: BLMR001591 (8/21/17)
4. Regulatory Action Alert: Minerals Cost Recovery Rule: BLMR001730
5. Notice of Intent to Prepare a Supplement to the Draft RMP for the Southern Nevada District Planning Area, comprising the Las Vegas and Pahrump Field Offices and Gold Butte NM: BLMR001397 (6/19/17)
6. OIG/GAO Closures:
  - Request to Close Recommendations 4 and 5 in GAO-15-520 - Renewable Energy: BLM Has Limited Assurance that Wind and Solar Projects are Adequately Bonded: BLM0010139 (8/21/17)
  - GAO-15-562 MLAP Controls for Mining Law Rec 3 - Bureau of Land Management: Improvements Needed in internal controls over Mining Law Administration Program Funds: BLM0011735
7. Final Idaho Statewide Supplementary Rules: BLMR001486 (7/7/17)
8. RAC meetings (should publish 30 days ahead, must publish 15 ahead if urgent):
  - Notice of Public Meetings for the Southeast Oregon Resource Advisory Council and Lands with Wilderness Characteristics Subcommittee: BLMR001672  
\*meeting on 10/6\* (8/22/17)

- Notice of Public Meeting: Bureau of Land Management Nevada Resource Advisory Councils: Sierra Front-Northwestern Great Basin Resource Advisory Council, Nevada: BLMR001702 \*meeting on October 12\* (8/29/17)
  - RAC meeting notice - Idaho-Coeur d'Alene October 19, 2017: BLMR001724 \*meeting on October 19\*
9. Call for Nominations and Applications, North Slope Science Initiative, Science Technical Advisory Panel, Alaska: BLMR001568 (8/22/17)
  10. Notice of Availability Craters of the Moon Monument Management Plan Amendment and Record of Decision: BLMR001685 (8/21/17)
  11. OMB FY 2019 Budget Submission: BLM0011921 (8/23/17)
  12. Request to close 11 recommendations in 2015-EAU-079 Bureau of Indian Affairs Federal Indian Minerals Office: BLM0011723 (8/29/17)
  13. Regulatory Reform Comment Summary Report for September 1, 2017: BLMR001737 (9/7/17)
  14. Alaska Native Claims Selection - Notice of Decision for Doyon Ltd: BLMR001728
  15. Alaska Native Claims Selection - Conveyance of 154.55 acres to Chugach Alaska Corp: BLMR001729
  16. Request to Extend Target Due Dates for Recommendations Issued by the OIG and GAO: BLM0011751
  17. Partial Revocation of PLO 3708 Gilmore Creek Satellite Tracking Station: BLM000153
  18. Notice of Realty Action: Classification and Segregation for lease/conveyance for Recreation and Public Purposes for a School in Washoe County, Nevada

**V. Items incoming to ASLM:** *(Items in blue font require the template for ROD's and other Decision Documents)*

- Boardman to Hemingway Transmission Line: BLMR001401 (with WO-200)
- Annual Helium Report of 2015: BLMC000011
- OIG/GAO Closures:
- Closure Request - 5 OIG recommendations in 2015-EAU-037 report: BLM0011556
- Secretary's Order 3353 - Greater Sage-Grouse Conservation and Cooperation with Western States: BLM0011836
- Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget for Review and Approval; Mineral Materials Disposal (OMB Control No. 1004-0103)
- RAC meetings (should publish 30 days ahead, must publish 15 ahead if urgent):
  - Notice of Public Meeting; Central Montana Resource Advisory Council: BLMR001708 \*meeting on October 11\*
  - RAC meeting notice - Idaho-Coeur d'Alene October 19, 2017: BLMR001724 \*meeting on October 19\*
  - Notice of Public Meeting for the Coastal Oregon Resource Advisory Council: BLMR001745\*meeting on October 18\*

**VI. Weekly Report:**

**Week Ahead Announcements and Actions**

**BLM-AK** Glennallen Field Office is continuing to issue permits for the 2017-2018 Unit 13 Federal subsistence moose and caribou hunting seasons. Federally qualified subsistence users must provide evidence of residency within the hunting units to get their permits. As of Sept. 13, the field office has

issued 2,692 caribou permits, 1,312 moose permits, and 350 designated hunter permits for a total of 4,354 permits. Federal subsistence hunting maps, answers to frequently asked questions, and subsistence education materials and links are updated annually and available at the field office.

**From September 24-30**, Larry Claypool, BLM Associate State Director in Wyoming, will be traveling to Canada to visit Winnipeg, Thompson, Estevan, Regina, Fort McMurray, and Calgary as part of an US-sponsored energy tour. As part of this tour, he will meet with Canadian Government and energy industry officials to discuss innovations in the oil and gas sectors, carbon capture, and the energy relationship between Canada and the United States.

**On September 25**, the 60-day public comment period for the proposed rule to rescind the BLM's 2015 Hydraulic Fracturing Rule will end. The BLM's proposal rule aligns with Administration priorities to seek ways to reduce regulatory burdens and compliance costs. The BLM will review the comments received and take appropriate actions to address those that are substantive. Publication of a final rule in the *Federal Register* is anticipated in December 2017 or January 2018.

**On September 26**, BLM-MT Butte Field Manager Scott Haight and Geologist David Williams will meet with Jefferson County and Montana Department of Environmental Quality in Boulder, MT, to discuss the future of the Montana Tunnels mine site. Montana Tunnels is an open pit mine in Jefferson County that has been inactive since 2008. It is behind on the state's bond request and owes Jefferson Co. \$5 million in back taxes, and the site is deteriorating. The meeting is the first to discuss the future of the mine site, including topics of bonding and scope of what's needed for eventual reclamation and site stabilization. The mine is located on a mix of private and BLM lands. The mine site has experienced high wall failures resulting in the capture of Clancy Creek. The creek was placed in a pipe to carry the stream around the edge of the pit, which has the interest of sport fishing groups. It has potential to place a substantial burden on taxpayers for reclamation. Although located primarily on private land, a portion of the pit, tailings pond and yard are located on BLM lands. A newspaper article chronicling troubles at the mine was recently published in the Montana Standard and Missoulian newspapers (Aug. 21, 2017).

**On September 26 - 27**, BLM-MT Acting State Director Jon Raby and Deputy State Director for Resources, Planning and Fire Sandy Leach will attend the Missouri River Breaks Interagency Roundtable Summer Executive Meeting in Bozeman, MT. Agenda has not been released yet. Other agencies in attendance are TBD.

**On September 27**, BLM-NV's Mojave Southern Great Basin Resource Advisory Council is scheduled to meet in Las Vegas, NV.

**On September 27**, BLM-NM Acting State Director Aden Seidlitz will participate in a meet and greet with the Carlsbad Chamber of Commerce in Santa Fe. This meet and greet was requested by the Chamber to meet and welcome Aden as Acting Director. BLM-NM Pecos District Manager Jim Stovall will also be attending. Possible topic of discussion is oil and gas permitting process.

**In late September**, BLM-UT's Canyon County District and the Manti-La Sal National Forest intend to approve a mine plan modification for the La Sal Uranium Mine Complex to consolidate plans of operation for several mines, and authorize expansion of operations and phased expansion of exploration. The decision will include additional safety, environmental protection, and reclamation measures and monitoring requirements. The project is expected to generate 80 to 130 jobs.

**In late September/early October**, BLM-UT Vernal Field Office intends to initiate a 30-day public comment period for an Environmental Assessment analyzing an energy project located 25 miles southeast of Myton, UT. The Badlands Production Company proposes to drill 16 wells on three existing pads and install approximately 26,600 feet of surface-laid gas gathering pipelines. This project was originally approved in 2013 under an EA, Decision Record and Finding of No Significant Impact tiered to the Gasco Uinta Basin Natural Gas Development Project, Record of Decision/Final EIS completed in June 2012. The decision was appealed in District Court and the judge remanded it back to the BLM in October 2016.

with instructions to revise the NEPA to better address air quality and recreation impacts. This project and subsequent court proceedings have garnered national media attention.

**In late September/early October**, BLM-MT Acting State Director Jon Raby and/or Deputy State Director for Energy, Minerals, and Realty Don Judice will meet with BLM Director Mike Nedd and staff from Montana Department of Natural Resources and Conservation in Helena to coordinate on the upcoming tribal consultation session scheduled for October 31-November 1 in Billings. The consultation session will continue efforts to process Phase II of Montana's In Lieu Selection application and engage in robust discussions with the tribes and the State, which may generate some level of controversy. This is not a media event and is not open to the public. The BLM and DNRC will discuss the requested presentation regarding future management of lands selected by the State and the agenda, attendees, and details of the consultation session. This coordination meeting is not open to the public or the media.

### **30 - 60 Day Look-Ahead**

**On October 3 - 4**, BLM-CA, USFS Pacific Southwest Region, and EcoAdapt will meet at the Bachelor Valley Grange in Upper Lake to conduct a vulnerability assessment of natural and cultural resources in northwest California. This effort will provide information and tools for Federal agency planning, management, and regional conservation efforts. During the meeting, Jessi Kershner from EcoAdapt will focus on the southernmost part of the planning region to cover U.S. Forest Service and BLM lands within Yolo, Solano, Napa, Mendocino, Lake, Glenn and Colusa counties. October 3 is dedicated to vulnerability assessment of key resources; October 4 is dedicated to adaptation planning that supports forthcoming environmental impact analyses and decision making.

**On October 5**, BLM-MT North Dakota Field Office will attend the Natural Resource Committee Meeting with the Mandan, Hidatsa and Arikara Nation in Newtown, ND. The event is a regularly scheduled meeting that is held in the Tribal Business Council Chambers. The purpose of the gathering is to bring tribal groups, BLM, Bureau of Indian Affairs and representatives of the oil and gas industry to discuss common goals and the protection of natural resources. An agenda is not available. The ND Field Office routinely coordinates with the Tribe to promote responsible energy development on the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation.

**On October 5 - 9**, BLM Director Michael Nedd will attend the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, MD, to honor BLM firefighters killed in the line of duty.

**On October 8**, the 30-day public comment period concludes for the sale of the Unionville Cemetery property to Pershing County, NV. BLM-NV Winnemucca District is considering a direct sale of public land managed by the BLM at the County's request.

**On October 12 - 13**, BLM-NV's Sierra Front-Northwestern Great Basin RAC will meet at the Winnemucca District Office.

**On October 16**, the 45-day public comment period concludes for the BLM-NV Draft Environmental Impact Statement for a proposed expansion of the Phoenix Mine. The gold and copper mine currently employs about 500 people and is located approximately 12 miles southwest of the town of Battle Mountain in Lander County, NV.

**On October 16 - 25**, BLM partner Wilderness Inquiry will bring its Canoemobile program to the Washington, D.C. area, hosting Voyageur canoe rides for local school children and people with disabilities on the Potomac River.

**On October 17**, BLM-CA will host the annual California Youth Summit at the California State University, Sacramento campus for the 5th year. BLM-CA External Affairs Chief Martha Maciel will be a keynote speaker.

**On October 17**, BLM-MT will hold a sealed-bid competitive coal lease sale at the Montana State Office in Billings. For offer is a 320-acre tract in McLean County, ND, containing an estimated 2.2 million tons of in-place Federal coal resources. The BLM is offering the tract in response to an application filed by the

Falkirk Mining Company in November 2013. Located approximately two miles northeast of Underwood, the tract is within and adjacent to the Falkirk Mine. The mine employs more than 500 workers and produces more than 8 million tons of lignite coal per year. The lease would extend the life of the mine by about seven months. After that, the company will move on to mine other fee, state or Federal parcels. The BLM analyzed the impacts of leasing the coal in an Environmental Assessment and signed a Finding of No Significant Impact and Decision Record earlier this year. The public was invited to participate in all aspects of this environmental analysis.

**On October 17 - 19**, BLM Acting Deputy Director John Ruhs and Wild Horse and Burro Program Division Chief Dean Bolstad will attend the Wild Horse and Burro Advisory Board Meeting in Grand Junction, CO, to discuss program updates.

**On Oct 23 - 24**, a Sage Grouse Task Force meeting is scheduled in Denver to discuss any additional issues or concerns raised by stakeholders, specific proposed policy changes, and any remaining issues that may require a plan amendment in connection with Secretary's Order 3353. The task is led by the Governors of Wyoming and Colorado and includes membership from the 11 sage-grouse States, BLM, Forest Service, Natural Resources Conservation Service, USGS, and the Fish and Wildlife Service.

**On October 24**, the BLM-NV State Office will host a competitive geothermal lease sale for 18 parcels located in the Carson City, Ely, and Battle Mountain Districts. This will be the first online geothermal lease sale for NV. At this time, the BLM cannot predict the level of bidding interest.

**On October 26**, BLM-NV will hold a competitive geothermal lease sale for 5 parcels totaling 12,615 acres in Elko, Eureka, and Lander Counties, NV. At this time, the BLM cannot predict the level of bidding interest.

**In late October**, BLM-UT Salt Lake Field Office intends to issue a decision on the Three Creeks Grazing proposal in Rich County, UT. The Rich County Commission and livestock grazing permittees in the project area proposed merging five BLM allotments and five USFS allotments into a single allotment managed as a large rest-rotation grazing area. The BLM and USFS worked closely with the State of Utah and the Natural Resources Conservation Service on this project.

**On November 6**, BLM Acting Director Mike Nedd will attend the National Mining Association/BLM Sustainable Development Awards in Washington, DC. The awards are presented by the BLM in recognition of outstanding reclamation activities that restore land to other productive uses following mining operations, and community outreach programs that provide valuable infrastructure and conservation services to local communities.

**On November 13 - 15**, Special Assistant to the Secretary Kathy Benedetto will attend the Idaho Cattle Association Annual Convention in Sun Valley. She has been asked to speak about the Sage-Grouse Secretarial Order.

**On November 13 - 19**, BLM employees will attend the Society of American Foresters National Convention in Albuquerque, NM. BLM representatives are to be determined and an agenda is not yet available.

**On November 13 - 15**, Special Assistant to the Secretary Kathy Benedetto will attend the Idaho Cattle Association Annual Convention in Sun Valley, Idaho. An agenda is not yet available.

**On December 1-2**, BLM will attend the Western Governors' Association Annual Meeting in Phoenix, AZ. A BLM representative is to be determined. An agenda is not yet available.

**On December 6**, BLM-AK will hold an oil and gas lease sale for 900 tracts in the NPR-A. This will be BLM-AK's first online oil and gas lease sale, coordinated through the National Operations Center. At this point, the sale's controversy is unknown. The sale will be expected to be controversial if BLM-AK modifies the Integrated Activity Plan prior to the sale. Bidding is expected to be moderate due to the size of the sale, which is another potential source of controversy.

**On December 7**, BLM-NM will hold an oil and gas lease sale for 7 parcels totaling 2,104 acres in Eddy and Lea Counties. The sale is expected to be controversial and is likely to be protested by environmental groups who regularly protest all BLM-NM lease sales. The bidding is expected to be robust.

**On December 7**, BLM-CO will hold an oil and gas lease sale for 10 parcels totaling 1,227 acres in Garfield and Mesa Counties. The sale will likely be controversial due to recent media coverage regarding leasing in the Grand Junction area overlapping with potential solar sites. Bidding is expecting to be robust.

**On December 7**, Special Assistant to the Secretary Kathy Benedetto will give the keynote address for the Public Lands session at the American Exploration and Mining Conference in Reno, NV. Topics for the speech have not yet been determined.

## **VII. Major Federal Register Notices and Approval Packages:**

### **BLM Federal Register Notices as of September 21, 2017, 2:00 p.m. ET**

- **Notices in blue text were received by the Division of Regulatory Affairs during the past week.**
- **Notices in green text are managed by the Div. of Lands and Realty. Please contact Brenda Wilhight with questions about these notices.**
- **Notices in red text are energy- and mineral-related notices.**

<b>Alaska State Office</b>		
<b>Title</b>	<b>Date Rcvd.</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
Notice of National Petroleum Reserve in Alaska (NPR A) Oil and Gas Lease Sale 2017	9/15/17	9/18/17 Sent to Solicitor's office (Minerals). (DTS 1758)
Alaska Native Claims Selection for Chugach Alaska Corp	8/21/17	9/7/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1729)
Alaska Native Claims Selection Notice of Decision for Doyon Ltd	8/21/17	9/7/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1728)
Notice of Public Meeting, North Slope Science Initiative Science Technical Advisory Panel, Alaska (Meeting on 11/7/17)	8/9/17	8/21/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1715)
Call for Nominations and Applications, North Slope Science Initiative, Science Technical Advisory Panel, Alaska	4/14/17	8/22/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1568)
Proposed Supplementary Rules for Public Lands Managed by the Eastern Interior Field Office at the Fairbanks District Office Administrative Site, Fairbanks, Alaska	5/2/17	8/21/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1591)

<b>Arizona State Office</b>		
<b>Title</b>	<b>Date Rcvd.</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
Notice of Realty Action: Application for Conveyance of Federally Owned Mineral Interests in Pima County, AZ	9/19/17	9/19/17 in WO 350 Land Tenure (DTS 1763)
Notice of Temporary Closures: Selected Public Lands in La Paz County, Arizona	9/18/17	9/20/17 in OLES. (DTS 1760)
Notice of Availability of the Proposed Resource Management Plan Amendment/Final Environmental Impact Statement for Recreational Target Shooting in the Sonoran Desert National Monument, AZ	5/16/17	7/19/17 On hold in WO 630 pending new court ordered deadline. (DTS 1600)
Notice of Availability of the Draft Ray Land Exchange/Plan Amendment Supplemental EIS, Arizona	3/28/17	8/28/17 in Exec. Sec. (DTS 1526)
Notice of Realty Action: Proposed Noncompetitive Sale and Conveyance of Mineral Interests of Public Land in Maricopa and Pinal Counties, AZ	7/14/16	9/14/17 Cancelled per Adam Eggers. (DTS 1222)
Proposed Noncompetitive (Direct) Sale and Conveyance of Mineral Interests of Public Land in Gila County, AZ	6/19/15	9/12/16 Sent to Solicitor (Lands). (DTS 791)



Notice of Availability of the Sonoran Valley Parkway Project Final Environmental Impact Statement, Maricopa County, AZ	4/10/15	4/22/2016 On hold with AZSO. (DTS 700)
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<b>California State Office</b>		
<b>Title</b>	<b>Date Revd.</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
Notice of Intent to Prepare a Joint Environmental Impact Statement/Environmental Impact Report and Possible Land Use Plan Amendment for the Proposed RE Crimson Solar Project, Riverside County, CA	9/20/17	9/20/17 Sent to WO 210. (DTS 1765)
Notice of Availability of the Draft Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement and Environmental Impact Report and Draft Land Use Plan Amendment for the Palen Solar Photovoltaic Project	6/27/17	9/14/17 Sent from ASLM to SIO Energy Counselor. (DTS 1655)
Notice of Availability of the Draft Environmental Assessment and Draft Land Use Plan Amendment for the OMYA Direct Land Sale Project, California	5/23/17	8/24/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1616)
Notice of Reopening of Public Comment Period and Schedule of Public Scoping Meetings for the Proposed Withdrawal of California Desert Conservation Area Lands; California	4/5/17	8/3/17 On hold with WO 630. (DTS 1544)
Notice of Intent to Amend the Resource Management Plan for the Ukiah Field Office, California and Prepare an Associated Environmental Assessment for the Berryessa Snow Mountain National Monument	4/4/17	5/12/17 On hold per CASO request. (DTS 1542)
Notice of Availability of Final Environmental Impact Statement and Notice of Decision for Proposed Land Exchange between the Bureau of Land Management and Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians, California	2/10/17	9/11/17 Sent to ASLM (DTS 1449).
Notice of Final Supplementary Rules for Fort Ord National Monument, California	1/18/17	6/21/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1413)
Notice of Intent to Prepare a DRAFT Supplemental Environmental Impact Statement for the Proposed United States Gypsum Company Expansion/Modernization Project, Imperial County, California.	7/12/16	8/8/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1217)

<b>Colorado State Office</b>		
<b>Title</b>	<b>Date Revd.</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
Notice of Realty Action: Notice of designation of public lands in Garfield County, Colorado, as suitable for lease renewal for agricultural uses	8/1/17	9/18/17 Sent to Exec Sec. (DTS 1692)
Notice of Proposed Supplementary Rules for Travel Management on Public Lands in Montrose, Delta, San Miguel and Ouray Counties, Colorado	12/23/16	8/8/17 Returned to WO 100. (DTS 1387)
Notice of Intent to Collect Fees on Public Lands in Chaffee County, Colorado (Cache Creek Placer Area)	11/3/16	11/10/16 On hold with Solicitors (Lands). (DTS 1325)
Notice of Final Supplementary Rules for Guffey Gorge in Park County, Colorado	11/7/16	5/15/17 Sent to Exec Sec. (DTS 1330)
Notice of Intent to Collect Fees on Public Land in Park County, Colorado (Guffey Gorge Day Use Area)	11/3/16	3/31/17 Sent to Exec Sec. (DTS 1314)
Notice of Availability of the Record of Decision for the Bull Mountain Unit Master Development Plan, Gunnison County, CO	8/5/16	8/3/17 Sent to Exec Sec. (DTS 1241)
Notice of Proposed Supplementary Rules for Canyons of the Ancients National Monument in Montezuma and Dolores Counties, CO	4/18/16	11/17/16 Returned to COSO for edits. (DTS 1128)

<b>Eastern States Office</b>		
<b>Title</b>	<b>Date Revd.</b>	<b>Current Status</b>

Notice of Realty Action; Application for Conveyance of Federally Owned Mineral Interests in Walton County, FL	6/20/17	8/28/17 Returned documents to ESO to respond to SOL comments. (DTS 1645)
Notice of Competitive Coal Lease Sale ALES 55199, Alabama	12/22/16	8/21/17 Document ON HOLD. (DTS 1383)
Notice of Availability of the Proposed Resource Management Plan and Associated Final Environmental Impact Statement for Southeastern States District	5/25/16	8/18/17 ON HOLD to work on issues related to NEPA. (DTS 1169)

<b>Idaho State Office</b>		
<b>Title</b>	<b>Date Rcvd.</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
Notice of Realty Action: Segregation of Land for a Proposed Non Competitive (Direct) Sale of Public Land in Caribou County, Idaho	8/29/17	8/30/17 Sent to WO 350. (DTS 1742)
Notice of Public Meeting, Coeur d'Alene District Resource Advisory Council, Idaho (meeting on Oct. 19, 2017)	8/15/17	8/21/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1724)
Notice of Application for Recordable Disclaimer of Interest in Lands, Bingham County, Idaho	8/14/17	9/8/17 Sent to DOI Solicitor (Lands). (DTS 1721)
Notice of Availability Craters of the Moon Monument Management Plan Amendment and Record of Decision	7/21/17	8/21/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1685)
Notice of Realty Action; Recreation and Public Purposes Act Classification, Idaho	5/22/17	7/7/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1609)
Notice of Proposed Supplementary Rule Revision for the Upper Snake Field Office, Idaho	5/22/17	DOI Solicitor (Lands) coordinating with IDSO. (DTS 1606)
Notice of Temporary Closure on Public Lands in Shoshone County, Idaho	4/10/17	5/9/17 On hold, per IDSO request. (DTS 1559)
Final Idaho Statewide Supplementary Rules	3/7/17	7/7/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1486)
Notice of Intent to Prepare Two Great Basin Wide Programmatic Environmental Impact Statements to Support Sage Grouse Habitat Improvement	1/11/17	7/26/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1407)

<b>Montana State Office</b>		
	<b>Date Rcvd.</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
Notice of Public Meeting; Central Montana Resource Advisory Council (Meeting on Oct. 11 & 12, 2017)	8/8/17	9/18/17 in ASLM. (DTS 1708)
Proposed Reinstatement of Terminated Oil and Gas Leases NDM 98547 and NDM 104389, North Dakota	6/15/17	9/20/17 Cleared the Department. Sent to the Federal Register. (DTS 1636)
Notice of Proposed Reinstatement of Terminated Oil and Gas Leases NDM 94704, NDM 94705 and NDM 94706, North Dakota	6/14/17	9/20/17 Cleared the Department. Sent to the Federal Register. (DTS 1634)
Initial Classification and Extension of the Proposed Classification and Segregation for State In Lieu Selection, Montana	5/25/17	8/21/17 in ASLM. (DTS 1621)
Notice of Proposed Reinstatement of Terminated Oil and Gas Leases NDM 106959 and NDM 106960, North Dakota	5/23/17	9/20/17 Cleared the Department. Sent to the Federal Register. (DTS 1615)
Notice of Intent to Amend the Miles City Field Office 2015 Resource Management Plan and to Prepare an Associated Environmental Assessment, Montana	5/22/17	8/25/17 In WO 100. (DTS 1611)
Notice of Application for Withdrawal and Notification of Public Meetings; South Dakota and Wyoming; Correction	3/13/17	9/13/17 Cancelled per Exec. Sec. (DTS 1497)

Notice of Application for Withdrawal and Notification of Public Meeting; Montana Correction	12/30/16	3/15/17 In Exec. Sec. (DTS 1391)
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<b>Nevada State Office</b>		
<b>Title</b>	<b>Date Rcvd.</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
Notice of Intent to Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement with Minerals Segregation for the Proposed Yellow Pine Solar Project, Clark County, Nevada	8/15/17	9/21/17 Returned to NVSO with WO 410 comments. (DTS 1722)
Notice of Availability of the Carson City District Proposed Resource Management Plan and Final Environmental Impact Statement, Nevada	8/8/17	8/8/17 Sent to WO 210. (DTS 1710)
Notice of Realty Action: Non competitive Direct Sale of the Reversionary Interest in a Recreation and Public Purpose Act (R&PP) Patent of Public Land in Clark County, Nevada (N 94498).	8/8/17	9/19/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1706)
Notice of Public Meetings: Mojave Southern Great Basin Resource Advisory Council and its Planning and Recreation Subcommittees, Nevada (Meeting on 9/27/17)	8/7/17	Published in the Federal Register on 9/21/17. (DTS 1703)
Notice of Public Meeting: Bureau of Land Management Nevada Resource Advisory Councils: Sierra Front Northwestern Great Basin Resource Advisory Council, Nevada (Meeting on October 12)	8/7/17	8/29/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1702)
Notice of Realty Action: Competitive Sale of 40 Parcels of Public Land in Clark County, NV.	8/4/17	9/19/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1701)
Notice of Realty Action: Classification and Segregation for lease/conveyance for Recreation and Public Purposes for a School in Washoe County, Nevada	8/3/17	9/18/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1697)
Notice of Availability of the Final Environmental Impact Statement for the Gold Bar Mine Project, Eureka County, Nevada	7/10/17	9/7/17 Sent to Exec Sec. (DTS 1668)
Notice of Intent to Prepare a Project Environmental Impact Statement with a Proposed Plan Amendment to the 1998 Las Vegas Resource Management Plan and Notice of Segregation for the Crescent Peak Wind	7/3/17	9/19/17 Sent to WO 600. (DTS 1663)
Notice of Availability of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Proposed Greater Phoenix Project, Lander County, Nevada	4/14/17	Published in the Federal Register on 9/1/17. (DTS 1569)
Notice of Intent to Prepare a Supplement to the Draft Resource Management Plan and Associated Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Southern Nevada District Planning Area, comprising the Las Vegas and Pahrump Field Offices and Gold Butte National Monument	1/6/17	6/19/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1397)

<b>New Mexico State Office</b>		
<b>Title</b>	<b>Date Rcvd.</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
Notice of Public Meeting, Pecos District Resource Advisory Council, New Mexico	9/7/17	9/19/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1754)
Notice of Realty Action: Proposed Direct Sale of Public Land for Expansion of San Jose Catholic Cemetery in Socorro County, New Mexico	8/8/17	9/19/17 Sent to Solicitors (Lands). (DTS 1713)
Public Land Order; Transfer of Administrative Jurisdiction, Secretary of the Army, White Sands Missile Range, New Mexico and Fort Bliss, Texas	6/20/17	8/25/17 In WO 100. (DTS 1644)
Notice of Application for a Recordable Disclaimer of Interest: Harris County, Texas	5/18/17	9/11/17 With ASLM. (DTS 1603)

Notice of Closure, Kasha Katuwe Tent Rocks National Monument	5/25/17	9/11/17 NMSO and SOL are working to resolve issues. (DTS 1624)
Notice of Availability of the Draft Resource Management Plan and Environmental Impact Statement for the BLM Carlsbad Field Office, New Mexico	4/4/17	8/27/17 NMSO is revising FRN. (DTS 1545)
Notice of Realty Action: Proposed Recreation and Public Purpose Act Classification for Conveyance of Public Lands in Sante Fe County, New Mexico	2/9/17	8/17/17 NMSO is responding to comments. (DTS 1445)
Notice of Application for Recordable Disclaimer of Interest: New Mexico	12/22/16	7/7/17 In ASLM. (DTS 1380)
Notice of Availability of the Rio Puerco Proposed RMP and Final EIS for the Rio Puerco Field Office, New Mexico	3/11/15	10/12/16 NMSO is revising the communication plan. (DTS 665)
Notice of Final Supplementary Rules for Public Lands in New Mexico	6/23/16	9/19/17 With ASLM. (DTS 1198)

<b>Oregon State Office</b>		
<b>Title</b>	<b>Date Rcvd.</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
Notice of Intent to Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement for the Proposed Hult Reservoir and Dam Safety Environmental Impact Statement in Lane County, Oregon	8/30/17	9/19/17 Sent to Solicitor's office. (DTS 1746)
Notice of Public Meeting for the Coastal Oregon Resource Advisory Council (Meeting on 10/18/17)	8/30/17	9/21/17 Withdrawn at ORSO request. (DTS 1745)
Notice of Public Meeting for the Northwest Oregon Resource Advisory Council (Meeting on 10/26/17)	8/29/17	9/5/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1740)
Public Meeting for the San Juan Island National Monument Advisory Committee (Meeting on October 19, 2017)	7/19/17	Published in the Federal Register on 9/21/17. (DTS 1680)
Notice of Public Meeting for the John Day Snake Resource Advisory Council, Oregon (Meeting on October 12, 2017)	8/15/17	Published in the Federal Register on 9/21/17. (DTS 1723)
Notice of Public Meeting for the Eastern Washington Resource Advisory Council (Meeting on October 26, 2017)	7/19/17	Published in the Federal Register on 9/21/17. (DTS 1678)
Notice of Public Meetings for the Southeast Oregon Resource Advisory Council and Lands with Wilderness Characteristics Subcommittee (Meeting on September 14, 2017)	7/14/17	8/22/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1672)
Notice of Subcommittee Meeting for the Steens Mountain Advisory Council (Meeting on September 21, 2017)	7/28/17	Published in the Federal Register on 9/21/17. (DTS 1689)
Final Supplementary Rules for the Table Rocks Area of Critical Environmental Concern in Jackson County, Oregon	6/5/17	8/31/17 Sent to OLES. (DTS 1625)
Notice of Application for Withdrawal, Notice of Public Meeting, and Extension of Public Comment Period for Proposed Withdrawal in the Methow Valley; Washington	4/7/17	5/26/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1550)
Notice of Availability of the Record of Decision for the Boardman to Hemingway Transmission Line Project and Approved Land use Plan Amendments, Oregon	1/9/17	9/19/17 ORSO addressing SIO Energy Counselor's comments. (DTS 1401)
Notice of Intent to Establish Recreation Fees on Public Lands in Clackamas County	12/6/16	9/19/17 Sent to WO 100. (DTS 1365)
Final Supplementary Rules for Public Lands at Bastendorff Beach and the Associated Headlands in Coos County, Oregon	11/1/16	7/11/17 Returned to WO 100. (DTS 1337)
Notice of Temporary Emergency Road Closure for Public Lands in the Neal Creek Area of Linn County, Oregon	3/31/16	5/2/16 Returned to ORSO for revisions.

		(DTS 1103)
Notice of Proposed Supplementary Rules on Public Lands in Oregon	2/24/15	7/17/17 Sent to Solicitor's office (Lands). (DTS 644)
Notice of Temporary Closure on Public Lands in Douglas County, OR (White Castle)	8/22/13	11/19/2013 On hold. (DTS 74)

<b>Utah State Office</b>		
<b>Title</b>	<b>Date Rcvd.</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
Notice of Availability for the Alton Coal Tract Coal Lease by Application Final Environmental Impact Statement, Utah	9/20/17	9/20/17 In WO 210. (DTS 1768)
Notice of Proposed Class II Reinstatement of Terminated Oil and Gas Leases, Utah	7/19/17	9/12/17 Published in the Federal Register on Tuesday, September 12, 2017. (DTS 1681)
Interim Final Supplementary Rule to Prohibit Target Shooting on 2,004 acres of Public Lands in the Eastern Lake Mountains, Utah County, Utah	4/7/17	9/14/17 With WO 100. (DTS 1554)
Notice of Availability for the Draft Resource Management Plan and Environmental Impact Statement for the Cedar City Field Office Planning Area, Utah	3/28/17	9/13/17 In WO 200. (DTS 1527)
Notice of Availability of a Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Greater Chapita Wells Natural Gas Infill Project, Uintah County, Utah	3/22/17	9/6/17 In ASLM. (DTS 1514)
Notice of Availability of the Draft Monument Management Plan Amendment and a Draft Environmental Impact Statement for Livestock Grazing for the Grand Staircase Escalante National Monument	3/1/17	5/17/17 Sent to Solicitors (Lands). (DTS 1471)

<b>Wyoming State Office</b>		
<b>Title</b>	<b>Date Rcvd.</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
Notice of Availability of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Riley Ridge to Natrona Project, Wyoming	8/31/17	8/31/17 Sent to WO 350. (DTS 1749)
Notice of Availability of the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for the Converse County Oil and Gas Project, Converse County, Wyoming.	7/19/17	8/29/17 Sent to ASLM. (DTS 1677)
Notice of Intent to Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement for the Alkali Creek Reservoir Project, Big Horn County, Wyoming	3/14/17	8/28/17 Sent to Exec Sec. (DTS 1498)
Notice of Realty Action: Proposed Non Competitive Lease of Public Land in Johnson County, WY	2/10/17	9/19/17 Cleared the Department. 9/21 received updated signature pages from WY and sent to the Federal Register. (DTS 1447)
Notice of Intent to Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement to Address Livestock Grazing in the Granite Mountain Open Common Allotment	11/29/16	9/8/17 Sent to Exec Sec. (DTS 1358)
Notice of Intent to Prepare an Environmental Impact Statement for the Leavitt Reservoir Expansion Project, Big Horn County, Wyoming	10/7/16	9/11/17 Sent to Exec Sec. (DTS 1293)

<b>Washington Office</b>		
<b>Title</b>	<b>Date Rcvd.</b>	<b>Current Status</b>
Notice of Intent to Amend Greater Sage Grouse Related Land Use Plans	9/20/17	9/20/17 in SOL (DTS 1766)

2017 Second National Call for Nominations for Resource Advisory Councils	9/18/17	9/20/17 in WO 100 (DTS 1761)
Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget for Review and Approval; Mineral Materials Disposal (OMB Control No. 1004 0103)	9/11/17	9/11/17 in WO 100 (DTS 1756)
Renewal of Approved Information Collection; 30 Day Notice (OMB Control No. 1004 0041)	9/6/17	9/6/17 in WO 100 (DTS 1751)
Notice of Information Collection; Request for Comment (OMB Control No. 1004 0201)	8/30/17	9/6/17 in WO 100 (DTS 1747)
Wild Horse and Burro Advisory Board Meeting (Meeting on Oct. 17 19, 2017)	8/15/17	9/13/17 in Exec. Sec. (DTS 1725)
Agency Information Collection Activities; Use and Occupancy under the Mining Laws; 60 day notice (OMB Control No. 1004 0169)	8/11/17	8/11/17 in WO 100. (DTS 1716)
Automatic Adjustment of Minimum Special Recreation Permit Fees and Assigned Site Fees	4/24/17	5/19/17 in ASLM (DTS 1583)
Gold Butte National Monument Advisory Committee Establishment; Call for Nominations, Nevada	1/13/17	4/4/17 in WO 640 (DTS 1409) On hold.
Bears Ears National Monument Advisory Committee Establishment; Call for Nominations, Utah	1/12/17	4/4/17 in WO 640 (DTS 1408) On hold.

## VIII. Congressional Activities:

### Hearings

- September 27 - House Natural Resources Committee plans to hold an oversight hearing on *“Empowering State-Based Management Solutions for Greater Sage Grouse Management.”* No DOI witness requested.
- September 28 - Senate Indian Affairs Committee plans to hold a Roundtable on *“Best Practices in Tribal Consultation and Stakeholder Engagement: Federal Permitting and Infrastructure Project Review in Indian Country.”* DOI participant TBD.

### Hill Visits

- **September 20** - Majority staff on the House Natural Resources Subcommittee on Energy and Minerals have requested a briefing on Renewable Energy Leasing. John Kalish, Acting Deputy Assistant Director, Energy Minerals and Realty Management; and Jayme Lopez, National Program Lead; and WO-620.

### Field Visits

- **September 21** - Rep. Gianforte (R-MT-At Large) plans to visit the BLM Miles City District Office. Jon Raby, Acting Montana/Dakotas State Director; Diane Friez, Mile City District Manager; and staff will be in attendance.

### Updates on Major Legislation of Interest to BLM

- OMB request for views on various public lands bills reported by the House Natural Resources Committee (on which DOI/BLM did not testify): BLM-cleared document pending with ASLM.
- H.R. 2810, 2018 NDAA - House passed July 14; Senate passed Sept. 18. BLM/DOI developing comments regarding provisions for indefinite military land withdrawals: BLM-cleared options paper pending with ASLM.
- S. 1460, Energy and Natural Resources Act: BLM developing reviews document on BLM-related provisions.
- H.R. , Tulare Reversionary Interest: BLM-cleared document pending with ASLM.

- The House Natural Resources Committee reported (22 to 13) H.R. 3668, Sportsmen's Heritage and Recreational Enhancement Act (SHARE Act; Rep. Duncan, R- SC-3) on September 13. OCL-requested views document pending.

#### **Upcoming Announcements**

- September 21 - Oil and gas lease sales in Wyoming and Eastern States.

#### **Questions for the Record**

- QFRs from June 29 House Natural Resources Subcommittee on Energy and Minerals hearing on Oil and Gas Access on Federal Lands (MacGregor witness):
  - QFRs received on July 5;
  - Status: BLM-cleared responses under review with ASLM.
- QFRs from July 12 House Natural Resources Subcommittee on Energy and Minerals hearing on Federal Offshore Oil and Gas (MacGregor witness):
  - BLM-related QFRs received on July 17;
  - Status: BLM-cleared responses under review with ASLM.
- QFRs from July 26 Senate Energy and Natural Resources Subcommittee on Public Lands, Forests, and Mining hearing on Public Lands Legislation (Ruhs witness):
  - QFRs received on July 31;
  - Status: BLM-related responses under review with ASLM.

#### **Reports to Congress**

- Helium Stewardship Act of 2013, Annual Financial Report to Congress:
  - Status: Under review with PMB.
- Stewardship Contracting for Fiscal Year 2016:
  - Status: Under review with ASLM.
- Southern Nevada Public Land Management Act, Annual Report to Congress for Fiscal Year 2016:
  - Status: Under review with BLM.
- Fiscal Year 2016 Allocation of Funds and Accomplishments of BLM Oil and Gas Project Offices:
  - Status: Under review with BLM.

#### **Hill Outreach / Requests**

- **CBO -**
  - Request for information on various public lands bills reported by the House Natural Resources Committee in July.
  - Request for data that would allow the estimate of various oil and gas inspection fees.
- **CRS -**
  - Request for ten years of data on threats against BLM employees; pending.
- **Maps -**
  - Rep. Cook (R-CA-8) - Twentynine Palms Area.
  - Sen. Heller (R-NV) - Douglas County Land Conveyances.
  - Sen. Udall (D-NM) - Chaco Canyon Land Status.
  - Rep. Huffman (D-CA-2) - Yurok Reservation.
- **Sen. Udall (D-NM) -**
  - Requested status update on Carlsbad Municipal School land acquisition:

- Status: Under review with ASLM.
  - Requested status update on Rio Grande del Norte Land Exchange:
    - Status: Under review with BLM.
- **Rep. Labrador (R-ID-1), Sen. Crapo (R-ID), and Sen. Risch (R-ID)** - Requesting status update on Coeur d'Alene R&PP lease:
  - Status: Under review with ASLM.
- **Sen. Cortez-Masto (D-NV), Rep. Amodei (R-NV-2), Sen. Heller (R-NV)** - Requesting status update on Washoe County School R&PP land acquisition:
  - Status: Under review with ASLM.
- **Drafting Services** - None
- **Technical Assistance** - Rep. Emmer (R-MN-6) request for technical assistance on discussion draft related to mineral leasing and withdrawals in National Forest System lands in the State of Minnesota, H.R. :
  - Status: BLM review ongoing.
- **Technical Assistance** - Sen. Cassidy (R-LA) request for technical assistance on S.1219, Lake Bistineau Land Stability Act:
  - Status: BLM review ongoing.

#### IX. Weekly Audit Report:

There are no outstanding OIG/GAO report responses. Therefore no report this week.

#### X. Packages in WO-100:

Line #	Sig Level	DCN	Doc. Type	Subject	Synopsis	Addressee	Received Date
1		BLM0011663	MEM	BLM Financial Assistance Actions for Review	Round 4 of the Financial Actions for Review	BLM WO 855 ACQ/FINANCE	
2		BLM0011877	RPT Report	SO 3354 Supporting and Improving Federal Onshore Oil and Gas Leasing Program and Federal Solid Mineral Leasing Program	Attached is the 45 day Report that describes the actions that the BLM has taken to date to meet the goals of S.O. 3354. Due to the Secretary's Office on 8/21 (45 days after SO was signed on 7/6/2017).	Zinke, Ryan	
3		BLMR001706	FRN	Notice of Realty Action: Non competitive Direct Sale of the Reversionary Interest in a Recreation and Public Purpose Act (R&PP) Patent of Public Land in Clark County, Nevada (N 94498).	The Black Mountain Golf and Country Club (BMGCC) applied for a direct sale of the reversionary interest of their existing 140 acre parcel of land. The purpose of the direct sale is to dispose of the reversionary clause in the transfer document which contains these certain restrictions and conditions, thereby, giving fee title to		08/08/2017



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					the BMGCC and allowing them to use the land for other purposes.***This publication must be published prior October 1, 2017***		
4		PMB0004103	IM	FY 2016 Environmental Justice Annual Implementation Report		SOL DAD	
5	A/S	BLM0012140	MEM	BLM Annual Assurance Statement		MacGregor, Katharine	
6	A/S	BLM0012184	MEM	FA Secretary Review Qs and As Round 2		Cason, James	
7	A/S	BLM0012199	DT	Five Year Deferred Maintenance and Capital Improvement Plan	The 2019 2023 Five Year Plan is to be provided with the Department's 2019 OMB budget submission, and finalized for publication with release of the President's 2019 Budget in February 2018. To meet these deadlines, the Department's goal is to have a draft plan ready for surnaming by Wednesday, September 27.	BLM WO 880 BUDGET DIVISION	
8	A/S	BLMR001730	RIN Request	Regulatory Action Alert: Minerals Cost Recovery Rule			
9	A/S	BLM0010345	CP	Keystone XL Pipeline Communication Plan and Press Release		BLM WO 350 LAND TENURE STAFF	
10	A/S	BLMR001738	RUL	Minerals Cost Recovery Rule: FY 2018	This needs to be published in the Federal Register before October 1, 2017.		
11	A/S	BLMR001695	RUL	Effectuating Congressional nullification of the Resource Management Planning Rule under the Congressional Review Act	This final rule implements Public Law Number 115 12, which nullified the Planning 2.0 rule under the CRA. This final rule removes the text of the Planning 2.0 Rule from the CFR and replaces it with the text of the regulations in place prior to promulgation of the Planning 2.0 Rule.		
12	A/S	BLML000137	PLO	Proposed Withdrawal, Limestone Caves and Crooks Creek Fisheries Areas, Oregon	The proposed action would protect geological, fisheries, and wildlife resources within the Crooks Creek Fisheries	LM ASSISTANT SECRETARY	

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					and Limestone Cave area. The Temporary Segregation expired on 2/16/2017.		
13	AA	BLM0009522	DM	Decision Memo; Affirmative Litigation re Wisteria Island	PLEASE DO NOT DO ANYTHING TO THIS RECORD WITHOUT CONTACTING BRIANA COLLIER OR MELANIE MITCHELL	BLM WO 300 SENIOR ADV	
14	AD	BLM0011950	IB	Spanish Language Editions of Junior Ranger ?Geology and Fossils? and ?Native Plants? Activity Books: Notice of Availability of Joven Guardaparques ?Geología y fósiles? and ?Plantas nativas?		BLM WO 420 EDU, INT, and PARTNER DIVISION	
15	AD	BLM0011402	MEM	MEMO on Designation of Successors		MacGregor, Katherine	
16	AD	BLM0012141	IB	IB for Connecting People		BLM WO 420 EDU, INT, and PARTNER DIVISION	
17	AD	BLM0011638	MEM	Request for Approval to hold a forestry program leads meeting in conjunction with the 2017 Society of American Forester convention		Director,	
18	AD	BLM0010693	IM	IM Surname process for Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act Records of Decision (CERCLA ROD)	IM for establishing the process, protocols, and documents required for the request for signature from the Assistant Secretary of Policy, Management, and Budget for the issuance of records of decision (ROD) for remedial actions managed by the BLM.	BLM WO 280 AML	
19	AD	BLM0012119	MEM	Emergency Foreign Travel		BLM WO 100	
20	AD	BLM0011626	IM	Rescinding the Washington Office Instruction Memorandum No. 2017 037, Waste Mine Methane Policy	All issues related to management and capture of waste mine methane across Bureau of Land Management (BLM) managed lands are to be directed to the BLM Washington Office, Energy, Minerals and	BLM WO 320 SOLIDS DIVISION	

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					Realty Management (WO 300) directorate. Field offices will no longer apply the provisions outlined in either WO IM No. 2017 037.		
21	AD	BLM0011924	RPT Report	2018 Effect Statements		BLM WO 880 BUDGET DIVISION	
22	AD	BLM0011781	MOA/MOU	Memorandum of Understanding with the Public Lands Council for cooperative monitoring	Signing ceremony is on 9/22 John will be signing it at the ceremony. I am surmising with the understanding that BLM takes a look at the comments I've made. If this draft MOU goes to PLC and is revised without my suggestions getting incorporated BLM may lose the opportunity to clarify important aspects of this MOU.	Director,	
23	ADS	BLM0011869	SDM	Proposed Decision for Resource Management Plan Amendment/Environmental Assessment of Kemmerer Field Office RMP	Decision Memo for Federal Register DCN BLMR001049.	Cason, James	
24	ADS	BLM0011641	SDM	Significant Decision Memorandum for BLM Nevada Carson City District RMP FEIS NOA Federal Register Publication	BLM Nevada is awaiting approval of this decision memorandum before sending up the Federal Register notice package for the Notice of Availability of the Final Environmental Impact Statement for this Resource Management Plan. **FRN must publish by 11/3/17, this decision memo must be approved well ahead**	BLM WO 200	
25	D	BLM0011852	BP	Proposed Withdrawal and Expansion for Naval Air Station Fallon, Fallon Range Training Complex and Land Management Evaluation		Brune, Jeff	
26	D	BLMR001761	FRN	2017 Second National Call for Nominations for Resource Advisory Councils	The purpose of this notice is to request a second call for public nominations for the Bureau of Land		

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					Management (BLM) Resource Advisory Councils (RAC) that have members whose terms are scheduled to expire or have expired. RACs provide advice and recommendations to the BLM on land use planning and management of the National System of Public Lands within their geographic areas.		
27	D	BLM0012202	DT	Strategic Plan Review		BLM WO 881 BUDGET Formulation	
28	D	BLMR001724	FRN	RAC meeting notice Idaho Coeur d'Alene October 19, 2017	<b>**TIME SENSITIVE**</b> Must publish nlt Sept. 18, 2017 to meet FACE 30 day advance notice + account for Columbus Day federal holiday.		08/15/2017
29	D	BLM0011908	CC WO	Proposed fee increase at Red Rock Canyon NCA		Titus, Dina	08/22/2017
30	D	BLMR001715	FRN	Notice of Public Meeting, North Slope Science Initiative Science Technical Advisory Panel, Alaska	November 7 and 8, 2017 Publish NLT October 6, 2017 Science Technical Advisory Panel Meeting Pre planning for North Slope field research activities.		08/09/2017
31	D	BLM0011992	LTR	Response to Letter from Guyana Vice President and Minister of Indigenous Peoples Affairs	The incoming letter is a request from Guyana to acquire 2,000 wild horses.	Nedd, Michael D	
32	D	BLM0011316	LTR	Volunteer Award Winner Letters		BLM WO 420 EDU, INT, and PARTNER DIVISION	
33	D	BLM0011830	CC ES	Re constituent Sheriff Craig Doolittle land transfer between BLM and Jefferson County, Montana		Daines, Steve; Chambers, Micah	08/11/2017
34	D	BLMR001611	FRN	Notice of Intent to Amend the Miles City Field Office 2015 Resource Management Plan and to Prepare an Associated Environmental Assessment, Montana	This notifies the public that BLM MT plans to amend its Miles City Field Office Resource Management Plan to accommodate a direct sale of the U.S.' reversionary interest in nearly 12 acres of land that		05/22/2017

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					it sold to Miles Community College in 1992. The college has used the land for school related rodeo, agriculture, and recreation activities. With the purchase of the U.S.' reversionary interest, the school can rent out the facilities on the property to third parties for community events.		
35	D	BLMR001616	FRN	Notice of Availability of the Draft Environmental Assessment and Draft Land Use Plan Amendment for the OMYA Direct Land Sale Project, California	In accordance with the 2011 Settlement Agreement, the BLM is considering a direct sale to OMYA. The lands would be used by OMYA for mining operations.		05/23/2017
36	D	BLML000148	LEXF	Rio Grande del Norte/Sabinoso BLM/State Land Exchange NM	The BLM New Mexico State Office is requesting approval from the BLM Director to proceed with processing of the proposed Rio Grande del Norte/Sabinoso Land Exchange and publish the Notice of Exchange Proposal.	Nedd, Michael D.; MacGregor, Katharine	
37	D	BLMR001365	FRN	Notice of Intent to Establish Recreation Fees on Public Lands in Clackamas County	Northwest Oregon District is seeking public comments for establishing new expanded amenity (overnight) and standard amenity (day use) fees at District recreation sites. The BLM did not have a Resource Advisory Council/Committee to approve any fee changes from 2010 until 2016, and could not carry out this provision of the fee law. In that time, we built several new facilities that were meant to be fee sites to cover operational costs, and we did not have authority to charge fees		12/06/2016
38	D	BLMR001413	FRN	Notice of Final Supplementary Rules for Fort Ord National Monument, California	The new rules allow off leash dog walking, provide BLM rangers the authority to assist with pet enforcement in the national		01/18/2017

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					monument, and clarify who has the right of way among bikers, equestrians, and hikers.		
39	D	BLML000146	PA	Proposed Withdrawal Agua Caliente	Proposed PLO for the withdrawal of 2,560 acres of public lands from location and entry under U.S. mining laws but not from leasing under the mineral and geothermal leasing laws for potential solar energy development.	BLM WO 350 LAND TENURE STAFF	
40	D	BLML000140	LEXF	Nicholson Exchange Feasibility Package		BLM ID 933 LANDS AND REALTY	
41	D	BLMR001387	FRN	Notice of Proposed Supplementary Rules for Travel Management on Public Lands in Montrose, Delta, San Miguel and Ouray Counties, Colorado	The proposed rules would restrict the possession and use of motorized and mechanized vehicles to designated travel routes, implement seasonal closures to protect big game wintering habitat within each travel plan, and restrict pets from within the Ridgway Travel Management planning area.		12/23/2016
42	D	BLMR001337	FRN	Final Supplementary Rules for Public Lands at Bastendorff Beach and the Associated Headlands in Coos County, Oregon	These final rules will enable the BLM to continue necessary law enforcement action to protect public health and safety and curtail illegal activity at Bastendorff Beach in Coos County. The interim final supplementary rules, established April 1, 2016, changed the current 14 day stay limit to a 24 hour stay limit, and required campers to move at least 25 air miles from a previously occupied site after 24 hours of camping. Finalizing the new camping limits will help the BLM minimize damage		11/14/2016
43	DD	BLM0011916	MEM	Request for Approval to Hold October 2017 Wild Horse and Burro Advisory Board Meeting	The purpose of this memorandum is to seek approval to hold a meeting of the National Wild Horse	BLM WO 260 WH/B DIVISION	



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					and Burro Advisory Board (the Board) in Grand Junction, CO on October 17 19, 2017.		
44	DD	BLM0012115	CC WO	Halt oil and gas leasing in Nevada		Nichols, Jeremy	09/12/2017
45	DD	BLM0011770	MEM	Air Program Workshop 2017 Approval Package	The Bureau of Land Management's (BLM) Air Resources Management (ARM) program is requesting approval to host and attend a workshop in Lakewood, CO from October 11 to October 13, 2017.	BLM WO 280 ENV QUAL DIVISION	
46	DD	BLM0011556	GAO/OIG CLOSURE	Closure Request 5 OIG recommendations in 2015 EAU 037 report	Request to Close Recommendations 1 through 5 in the Office of Inspector General Final Report, "Inspection Report The Bureau of Land Management's Determination Processes for Wind Energy Projects Proposed on Public Lands" (Report No. 2015 EAU 037)	BLM WO 830; MacGregor, Katharine	
47	DD	BLM0010665	MOA/MO U	National Genomic Center	The BLM and U.S. Forest Service have drafted a MOU for cooperation on genetic monitoring of fish and wildlife through the Forest Service's National Genomic Center for Wildlife and Fish Conservation.	BLM WO 100	
48	DD	BLM0011364	CC ES	Cache Creek Placering Area gold prospecting		Zinke, Ryan; Witham, Randy L.	06/16/2017
49	DM	BLMR001740	FRN	Notice of Public Meeting for the Northwest Oregon Resource Advisory Council	The Northwest Oregon RAC will hold a public meeting on Thursday, October 26, 2017		08/29/2017
50	DS	BLM0011460	DM	Decision Memo for the Deputy Secretary Proposed Resource Management Plan Amendment and Associated Environmental Assessment for Visual Resources Management	The Rawlins Field Office (RFO) Resource Management Plan (RMP) and Record of Decision (ROD) were completed in 2008; however, in response to multiple protests, the BLM remanded the Visual Resource Management (VRM) decisions until an	BLM WO 200	

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				in the Rawlins Field Office	updated Visual Resources Inventory (VRI) could be completed. A VRI for the RFO was completed in 2011. The RMP protest resolution also required that five proposed Areas of Critical Environmental Concern (ACECs) be considered in accordance with BLM Manual 1613.		
51	DS	BLM0011763	DM	Significant Decision Memo Notice of Proposed Withdrawal and Intent to Prepare an Associated Environmental Assessment and Notification of Public Meeting; Nevada	The proposed decision is to publish a Notice of Proposed Withdrawal in the Federal Register announcing that the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) is beginning the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) process and holding an associated public meeting related to the possible future withdrawal of lands to Department of the Navy jurisdiction.	BLM WO 350 LAND TENURE STAFF	
52	DSD	BLMR001754	FRN STATE	Notice of Public Meeting, Pecos District Resource Advisory Council, New Mexico	Meeting date is November 15, 2017; Notice must publish at least 30 days prior to the meeting date.		09/07/2017
53	DSD	BLMR001644	FRN	Public Notice to Transfer Administrative Jurisdiction, Secretary of the Army, White Sands Missile Range, New Mexico and Fort Bliss, Texas	The BLM is seeking to transfer jurisdiction of 5,089.31 acres of public land adjacent to the White Sands Missile Range in Las Cruces, New Mexico to the Dept of Army. Sections 2951 and 2952 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2014 (P.L. 113 66) directs the transfer of administrative jurisdiction of public land from DOI to the Dept of Army.		06/20/2017
54	FM	BLMR001701	FRN	Notice of Realty Action: Competitive Sale of 40 Parcels of Public Land in Clark County, NV.	The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) proposes to offer 40 parcels of public land totaling 754.88 acres in the Las Vegas Valley by competitive sale, at not less than the appraised fair		08/04/2017



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					market values (FMV) pursuant to the Southern Nevada Public Land Management Act of 1998 (SNPLMA) ** must publish by 11/15/17**		
55	FW	NPS0023380	Pub	Chaco Canyon (Response to a Feb 13 letter from the World Heritage Centre)	Package contains the response to a February 13th letter from the World Heritage Centre regarding a BLM lease sale and possible impacts to the World Heritage Site	FNP DDCER OIA	
56	Other	BLMR001751	FRN	Renewal of Approved Information Collection; 30 Day Notice (OMB Control No. 1004 0041)	This control number will expire on 10/31/17. PLEASE EXPEDITE!		
57	Other	BLMR001756	FRN	Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission to the Office of Management and Budget for Review and Approval; Mineral Materials Disposal (OMB Control No. 1004 0103)	This control number will expire on 10/31/17. PLEASE EXPEDITE! 1004 0103		
58	Other	BLMR001716	FRN	Agency Information Collection Activities; Use and Occupancy under the Mining Laws; 60 day notice	In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, we are inviting public comment on our request to extend OMB approval of a collection of information that enables the BLM to regulate the use and occupancy of unpatented hardrock mining claims.		
59	Other	BLMR001747	FRN	Notice of Information Collection; Request for Comment (1004 0201)	In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the BLM are proposing to renew an information collection.		
60	S	BLM0011968	RAC CHTR Charter Package	Amended Charter Renewal for Coastal Oregon Resource Advisory Council	We are requesting an amendment to the RAC charter to authorize the RAC to make recommendations on U.S. Forest Service (FS) recreation fee proposals, pursuant to the Federal Lands Recreation Enhancement Act.	Zinke, Ryan	

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61	S	BLM0011952	RAC CHTR Charter Package	Amended Charter Renewal for Southwest Oregon Resource Advisory Council	We are requesting an amendment to the RAC charter to authorize the RAC to make recommendations on FS recreation fee proposals, pursuant to the Federal Lands Recreation Enhancement Act.	Zinke, Ryan	
62	S	BLM0011954	RAC CHTR Charter Package	Amended Charter Renewal for Northwest Oregon Resource Advisory Council	This charter needs to be renewed with amendments so meeting can be held on October 25 26, 2017.	Zinke, Ryan	
63	S	BLM0011836	CC ES	Secretary's Order 3353 Greater Sage Grouse Conservation and Cooperation with Western States		Herbert, Gary R; Zinke, Ryan	08/15/2017
64	S	BLM0011867	CC ES	misc conservation, energy, and water issues		Mead, Matthew H.; Zinke, Ryan	08/17/2017
65	S	BLM0011520	CC ES	Balancing "energy dominance" with FLPMA responsibilities		Grijalva, Raul M; Zinke, Ryan	07/11/2017
66	S	BLM0011470	CC ES	venting and flaring rule		Udall, Tom; Cantwell, Maria; Zinke, Ryan	07/03/2017
67	S	BLM0011246	LTR	National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) Combined Report for Fiscal Years (FY) 2015 and 2016	The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) prepared the enclosed report in response to direction in The National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) for Fiscal Years (FY) 2015 and 2016.	Murkowski, Lisa; Bishop, Bob; Cantwell, Maria; Grijalva, Raúl	
68	SD	BLM0011888	BP	SolarReserve's Proposed Sandstone Project, Battle Mountain District Nevada	SolarReserve has proposed the placement of eight solar power towers. These new towers would be placed on variance lands that total approximately 22,000 acres. SolarReserve (SR) would like to eliminate the possibility of mining claims being filed prior to the lands being segregated.	Shannon, Timothy	
69	SD	BLM0011760	BP	Impoundment of Domestic Horses from Vale and Burns BLM Districts		Acting Deputy Director, Operations	
70	SD	BLM0009574	MOA/MO U	MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING	The purpose of this MOU is to strengthen migratory	BLM WO 230 F/W DIVISION	

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				between the U.S. Department of the Interior Bureau of Land Management and the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service To Promote the Conservation of Migratory Birds	bird conservation by identifying and implementing strategies that promote conservation and avoid or minimize adverse impacts on migratory birds through enhanced collaboration between the Parties, in coordination with state, tribal, and local governments.		
71	SD	BLM0011671	CC ES	land ownership issues along Lake Bistineau in Louisiana		Zinke, Ryan; Landry, Jeff	07/27/2017
72	SD	BLMR001699	FRN STATE	Notice of Proposed Withdrawal and Intent to Prepare an Associated Environmental Assessment, and Notification of Public Meeting; Nevada	Notice must be signed by September 1, 2017.		
73	SD	BLMR001554	FRN	Lake Mountain Target Shooting Supplementary Rule	PLEASE EXPEDITE!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!  This interim final supplementary rule is necessary to implement and allow enforcement of the 2,004 acre long term target shooting closure on public lands in the Lake Mountains in the West Desert District, Salt Lake Field Office.		04/07/2017
74	SS	EST 00003741	GOV	Concern over western economic and ecologic impacts from the Western Governor's Association		Bullock, Steve; Daugaard, Dennis; Zinke, Ryan	07/25/2017