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Public Workshop Scheduled for East Lynn Lake Proposed Coal Leasing

The U.S. Department of the Interior's Bureau of Land Management will hold a public workshop on Tuesday, March 27, in Wayne County, West Virginia to provide the public an opportunity to offer input regarding coal leasing near East Lynn Lake.

The public workshop will be held from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM at the Wayne County Court House, 700 Hendricks Street, in Wayne, West Virginia.

Because this is a workshop, those planning to attend should contact BLM by March 22 either by mail, phone or e-mail.

Mailing address: Bureau of Land Management-Eastern States, 626 E. Wisconsin Avenue
Room 200, Milwaukee, WI, 53202, Attention: East Lynn Lake Workshop

Phone number: (414) 297-4463 or

E-mail address: eastlynnlakecomments@blm.gov

For additional information regarding the workshop or the proposed coal leasing, please visit the website at www.es.blm.gov/EastLynnLake/index.php, e-mail us at eastlynnlakecomments@blm.gov or call 414-297-4463.

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