



Oil and Gas Lease auctions in Oceana County

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To: ES_EOI_Nominations@blm.gov

Attention: Kemba Anderson

I am writing asking that you review Bureau of Land Management's (BLM) Environmental Assessment (EA-266) of Expression of Interest (EOI-266). This deals with two 40-acre parcels in Pentwater Township, Oceana County, in the State of Michigan, in which the BLM is evaluating whether to auction the gas and oil rights for those parcels.

Our Duna Vista Resorts association of homeowners' falls within this beautiful natural area on the shores of Lake Michigan. There are 110 property owners with 90 private wells in this association. The leasing rights are only one-half mile from Lake Michigan and even closer to State of Michigan designated Critical Dunes.

The (BLM) draft indicated there would be minimal impact to the area and that they would move ahead with leasing. We who are property owners in the affected areas **strongly disagree** with the BLM's findings and have submitted our comments/concerns to BLM during the "Public Comment" period.

I would ask that all of the comments relating to the EA-266 for EOI-266 be reviewed. It is my understanding the final decision will be made by September 13, 2013.

Thank you,

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