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RE: **Nomination Request for the Next Possible BLM Oil & Gas Lease Sale**

To Whom It May Concern:

Please nominate all Federal minerals in the following described lands for the next possible BLM Oil & Gas Lease Sale:

Township 144 North, Range 101 West, 5th PM, ND
Section 34: SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$
Billings County, North Dakota

The United States of America is the surface owner of these lands.

Please advise at your earliest possible convenience as to the date of the sale in which these lands will be offered via email to wlott@sm-energy.com. If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned at (406) 869-8772.

Thank you,

SM ENERGY

Whitney Lott
Landman