NOTICE OF INTENT TO IMPOUND BY THE BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the authority of the Code of Federal Regulations, Title 43 Subsection 4150.4-2 which states, in part, that "unauthorized livestock may be impounded without further notice any time within the 12-month period following the effective date of the notice."

A portion of Grazing District Number One, Albuquerque, lying within the following described lands and allotments is subject to impoundment of all unauthorized livestock. Five (5) days after publication and posting of this notice, and for the duration of this notice, all unauthorized livestock are subject to impoundment, removal and disposition under appropriate Federal regulations and State laws. Authorized livestock may also be impounded, temporarily, for brand identification and would then be returned to the public lands.

Upon the impoundment of any unauthorized livestock within the areas listed below, the livestock may be turned over to the New Mexico Livestock Board, in which case the disposition of said livestock will proceed according to the following state statutes:

77-13-1 Possession of estray unlawful.
77-13-2 Impoundment of estray animals.
77-13-3 Examination of brand records; notice to owner; charge for care; limitation.
77-13-4 Owner unknown; publication and posting of notice.
77-13-5 Sale of unclaimed estrays; bill of sale; effect; sale without advertisement; conditions.
77-13-6 Disposition of proceeds; record of sale; payments to owner.
77-13-7 Rights of impounder; charges; determination by board.
77-13-8 Impounding estray; failure to notify board; penalty.
77-13-9 Escape or removal of estray; possessory right of person impounding.
77-13-10 Rights of municipalities not affected.

The area includes all public land managed by the Bureau of Land Management near the village of Placitas, NM within the following allotments and townships:

Las Huertas Creek Allotment
T. 13 N., R. 4 E., N.M.P.M.
T. 13 N., R. 5 E., N.M.P.M.

Lomas Altos Allotment
T. 13 N., R. 5 E., N.M.P.M.

This notice is to be effective until December 31, 2015 per the newspaper posting in the Albuquerque Journal on January 11, 2015.

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Date

Danita Burns, Albuquerque District Manager