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Rubicon 3D Seismic Survey EA
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Scoping Notice Rubicon 3D Seismic Survey

Dear Reader:

The Bureau of Land Management (BLM), Rock Springs Field Office (RSFO) will be preparing an Environmental Assessment (EA) for the "Rubicon 3D Seismic Survey." Devon Energy Production Company LP has indicated their intent to conduct geophysical exploration operations in the BLM RSFO within Sweetwater County, Wyoming. The project area is located on 42 square miles of public lands in the Sugarloaf Special Management Area and Currant Creek Area of Critical Environmental Concern (ACEC) within Ts. 12 and 13 N., Rs. 106 and 107 W, 6th Principle Meridian.

The enclosed document serves as notice of the beginning of the environmental analysis process to fulfill the requirements of the National Environmental Policy Act. The 30-day scoping period will begin on May 12, 2008, and end on June 10, 2008. If you are interested in participating in the process and have concerns, issues, or alternatives you would like to see addressed, respond by supplying your written or e-mail comments to:

Address: Jeromy Caldwell, Project Lead
 Rubicon 3D Seismic Survey
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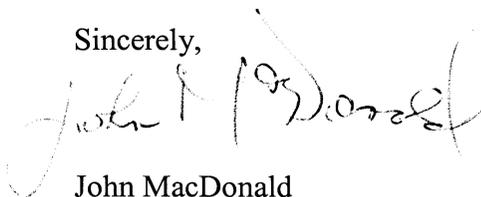
E-mail: rock_springs_wymail@blm.gov
 (Please add "Rubicon 3D Seismic Survey EA" in the subject line)

Written comments in response to this notice, including the names and addresses of respondents, will be available for public review at the BLM RSFO during regular business hours (8:00 a.m. through 4:30 p.m.) Monday through Friday (except federal holidays) after the comment period closes. BLM practice is to make comments, including names and home addresses of respondents, available for public review. Before including your address, phone number,

and e-mail address, or other personal identifying information in your comment, be advised that your entire comment—including your personal identifying information—may be made publicly available at any time. While you can ask us, in your comment, to withhold from public review your personal identifying information, we cannot guarantee that we will be able to do so. All submissions from organizations and businesses, and from individuals identifying themselves as representatives of organizations and businesses, will be available for public inspection in their entirety.

If you have any questions regarding this project, your role or our responsibilities, please contact Jeremy Caldwell at (307) 352-0259 in Rock Springs, Wyoming.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "John MacDonald". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "J" and "M".

John MacDonald
Acting Field Manager

Enclosure: Scoping Notice