

ND Oil & Gas Lease Auction
November 03, 2015, at 9:00 AM
North Dakota State Capitol House Chambers
Bismarck, North Dakota



Prov.	Lease	T	R	S	Description	MinAc	Nominator	Successful Bidder & Bonus
BOTTINEAU COUNTY								
W	15-00712	163	76	16	SE4	160.00	CRESCENT POINT ENERGY U.S. CORP	
W	15-00713	163	76	16	SW4	80.00	CRESCENT POINT ENERGY U.S. CORP	
COUNTY TOTAL						240.00		
BOWMAN COUNTY								
	15-00714	130	100	8	NW4	8.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
S	15-00715	130	100	16	NE4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
S	15-00716	130	100	16	NW4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
S	15-00717	130	100	16	SE4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
S	15-00718	130	100	16	SW4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
	15-00719	130	100	19	NE4	80.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
	15-00720	130	100	19	E2NW4, LOTS 1,2	78.61	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
	15-00721	130	100	19	S2SE4	40.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
	15-00722	130	100	19	E2SW4, LOTS 3,4	78.87	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
	15-00723	130	100	20	S2NE4	40.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
	15-00724	130	100	20	SE4NW4	20.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
	15-00725	130	100	20	SE4	80.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
	15-00726	130	100	21	SW4SW4	20.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
COUNTY TOTAL						1,085.48		
BURKE COUNTY								
A	15-00727	161	93	10	NE4	80.00	ANCIENT SUNLIGHT RESOURCES LLC	
	15-00728	161	93	10	NW4	80.00	ANCIENT SUNLIGHT RESOURCES LLC	
	15-00729	161	93	10	SE4	80.00	ANCIENT SUNLIGHT RESOURCES LLC	
	15-00730	161	93	16	NE4	80.00	ANCIENT SUNLIGHT RESOURCES LLC	
	15-00731	161	93	16	NW4	160.00	ANCIENT SUNLIGHT RESOURCES LLC	
	15-00732	161	93	16	SE4	80.00	ANCIENT SUNLIGHT RESOURCES LLC	
	15-00733	161	93	16	SW4	160.00	ANCIENT SUNLIGHT RESOURCES LLC	
	15-00734	161	93	19	NE4	80.00	ANCIENT SUNLIGHT RESOURCES LLC	
	15-00735	161	93	19	SE4	80.00	ANCIENT SUNLIGHT RESOURCES LLC	
	15-00736	161	93	19	E2SW4, LOTS 3,4	79.02	ANCIENT SUNLIGHT RESOURCES LLC	
W	15-00737	161	93	28	SE4	160.00	ANCIENT SUNLIGHT RESOURCES LLC	
	15-00738	163	91	18	SE4	80.00	DIAMOND RESOURCES CO	
	15-00739	163	92	13	SE4	80.00	DIAMOND RESOURCES CO	
COUNTY TOTAL						1,279.02		
DIVIDE COUNTY								
	15-00740	161	98	32	NE4	80.00	WILLISTON BASIN ENERGY LLC	
	15-00741	162	97	23	SE4	80.00	DIAMOND RESOURCES CO	
	15-00742	162	100	16	NE4	160.00	JBL MONTANA INC	
	15-00743	162	100	16	NW4	160.00	JBL MONTANA INC	
	15-00744	162	100	16	SE4	160.00	JBL MONTANA INC	
	15-00745	162	100	16	SW4	160.00	JBL MONTANA INC	
	15-00746	162	100	28	NW4	80.00	BORDER RESOURCES LLC	
	15-00747	162	100	33	S2NE4	40.00	BORDER RESOURCES LLC	
	15-00748	162	100	33	S2NW4	40.00	BORDER RESOURCES LLC	
COUNTY TOTAL						960.00		
DUNN COUNTY								
WR	15-00749	150	92	30	MISSOURI RIVER IN NW4	3.18	QEP ENERGY COMPANY	
WR	15-00750	150	92	30	MISSOURI RIVER IN SE4	106.95	QEP ENERGY COMPANY	
WR	15-00751	150	92	30	MISSOURI RIVER IN SW4	133.17	QEP ENERGY COMPANY	

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COUNTY TOTAL						243.30		
G.VALLEY COUNTY								
S	15-00752	142	103	36	NE4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
S	15-00753	142	103	36	NW4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
S	15-00754	142	103	36	SE4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
S	15-00755	142	103	36	SW4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
W	15-00756	143	104	12	SE4	80.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
W	15-00757	143	104	12	SW4	80.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
SH	15-00758	143	104	16	NE4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
SAH	15-00759	143	104	16	NW4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
SH	15-00760	143	104	16	SE4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
SH	15-00761	143	104	16	SW4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
W	15-00762	143	104	34	N2NE4, SE4NE4	60.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
W	15-00763	143	104	34	NE4SE4	20.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
S	15-00764	143	104	36	NE4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
S	15-00765	143	104	36	NW4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
S	15-00766	143	104	36	SE4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
S	15-00767	143	104	36	SW4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
COUNTY TOTAL						2,160.00		
MCKENZIE COUNTY								
S	15-00768	147	105	36	NE4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
S	15-00769	147	105	36	NW4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
	15-00770	147	105	36	SE4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
S	15-00771	147	105	36	SW4	160.00	PETRO-SENTINEL LLC	
S	15-00772	148	99	16	NE4	160.00	EMPIRE OIL COMPANY	
S	15-00773	148	99	16	SE4	160.00	EMPIRE OIL COMPANY	
*WR	15-00774	153	98	1	MISSOURI RIVER IN NW4	72.27	SUNDANCE OIL & GAS LLC	
*WR	15-00775	153	98	12	MISSOURI RIVER IN SW4	45.76	SUNDANCE OIL & GAS LLC	
WR	15-00776	154	97	30	MISSOURI RIVER IN NE4	83.54	EMPIRE OIL COMPANY	
WR	15-00777	154	97	30	MISSOURI RIVER IN NW4	21.44	EMPIRE OIL COMPANY	
WR	15-00778	154	97	30	MISSOURI RIVER IN SE4	132.93	EMPIRE OIL COMPANY	
WR	15-00779	154	97	30	MISSOURI RIVER IN SW4	145.51	EMPIRE OIL COMPANY	
WR	15-00780	154	97	31	MISSOURI RIVER IN NE4	0.77	EMPIRE OIL COMPANY	
WR	15-00781	154	97	31	MISSOURI RIVER IN NW4	54.58	EMPIRE OIL COMPANY	
COUNTY TOTAL						1,516.80		
MOUNTRAIL COUNTY								
S	15-00782	150	92	26	W2SW4	80.00	QEP ENERGY COMPANY	
S	15-00783	150	92	27	SE4	160.00	QEP ENERGY COMPANY	
W	15-00784	150	92	28	E2NE4, SW4NE4	60.00	QEP ENERGY COMPANY	
W	15-00785	150	92	28	N2SE4	40.00	QEP ENERGY COMPANY	
COUNTY TOTAL						340.00		
SIOUX COUNTY								
P	15-00786	129	79	19	NE4	80.00	RONALD HETTICH	
S	15-00787	129	80	18	SE4	160.00	RONALD HETTICH	
S	15-00788	129	80	18	E2SW4, LOTS 3,4	157.80	RONALD HETTICH	
	15-00789	129	80	19	NE4	160.00	RONALD HETTICH	
	15-00790	129	80	19	E2NW4, LOTS 1,2	158.24	RONALD HETTICH	
	15-00791	129	81	5	S2NW4, LOTS 3,4	79.64	RONALD HETTICH	
	15-00792	129	81	5	SW4	81.36	RONALD HETTICH	
	15-00793	129	81	9	NW4	80.00	RONALD HETTICH	
	15-00794	129	81	24	NW4	80.00	RONALD HETTICH	
	15-00795	129	81	24	SW4	80.00	RONALD HETTICH	

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	15-00796	129	86	16	NE4	160.00	JOHN T WICKS	
	15-00797	129	86	16	NW4	160.00	JOHN T WICKS	
H	15-00798	129	86	16	SE4	160.00	JOHN T WICKS	
H	15-00799	129	86	16	SW4	160.00	JOHN T WICKS	
	15-00800	129	86	21	NE4	160.00	JOHN T WICKS	
	15-00801	129	86	21	NW4	160.00	JOHN T WICKS	
	15-00802	129	86	21	SE4	160.00	JOHN T WICKS	
	15-00803	129	86	21	SW4	160.00	JOHN T WICKS	
	15-00804	129	86	28	NE4	160.00	JOHN T WICKS	
	15-00805	129	86	28	NW4	160.00	JOHN T WICKS	
COUNTY TOTAL						2,717.04		
GRAND TOTAL						10,541.64		

The Board of University and School Lands will offer at public auction to the highest bidder, oil and gas leases on the land described above. Leases will be issued according to the rules and regulations established by the Board. Bidding will be on the bonus per mineral acre; the minimum bid is \$1.00 per mineral acre. Leases are for a five-year term. The successful bidder must pay for the costs of publishing the notices of sale, one year's rental and the bonus no later than 5:00 PM on November 10, 2015. Any and all bids may be rejected at any time prior to issuance of a lease. Sight drafts will not be accepted. Make checks payable to the North Dakota Department of Trust Lands.

Individuals with disabilities needing assistance or special services, please call (701) 328-2800 at least one week prior to the sale.

Royalty Rate

By actions of the Board of University and School Lands, all leases located within the following counties will be leased at a 3/16 royalty rate:

- Billings
- Divide
- Dunn
- Golden Valley
- McKenzie
- Mountrail
- Williams

In all other counties, where leases will be offered, the lease will carry a 1/6 royalty rate.

- * Non-Standard Opening Bonus of \$10.00
- A** Indicates leases shall contain a stipulation indicating an archaeological resource has been identified on this tract and may need to be protected. At least 20 days prior to any surface disturbance, our lessee shall notify the Department of Trust Lands of the intended surface disturbance. The Commissioner of University and School Lands will consider advice from the Historical Society and Geological Survey to determine what, if any, protection shall be necessary under Sec. 85-06-06-12 of the Board of University and School Lands' rules and regulations.
- H** Indicates leases shall contain a stipulation indicating a historical resource has been identified on this tract and may need to be protected. At least 20 days prior to any surface disturbance, our lessee shall notify the Department of Trust Lands of the intended surface disturbance. The Commissioner of University and School Lands will consider advice from the Historical Society and Geological Survey to determine what, if any, protection shall be necessary under Sec. 85-06-06-12 of the Board of University and School Lands' rules and regulations.
- P** Indicates leases shall contain a stipulation indicating a paleontological resource has been identified on this tract and may need to be protected. At least 20 days prior to any surface disturbance, our lessee shall notify the Department of Trust Lands of the intended surface disturbance. The Commissioner of University and School Lands will consider advice from the Historical Society and Geological Survey to determine what, if any, protection shall be necessary under Sec. 85-06-06-12 of the Board of University and School Lands' rules and regulations.
- R** Indicates that leases will contain an addendum stipulating that no surface occupancy will be allowed.
- S** This tract is within an area identified as essential wildlife habitat. The lessee or lessee's operator must contact the Commissioner prior to any surface activity. Operational mitigation measures to reduce impact, including timing restrictions, location adjustments and reduced or restricted surface occupancy may be required.
- W** This tract is within an area identified as essential wildlife habitat, however the Department of Trust Lands does not manage the surface.

Several Paleocene age formations occur at or near surface in Adams, Billings, Dunn, Golden Valley, Hettinger, McKenzie, Slope and Stark County. Vertebrate, invertebrate, and plant fossils have been found in these formations elsewhere in North Dakota. Lease holders of tracts in these counties should be aware of this and contact the North Dakota Geological Survey if they discover fossils during their activities.

NOTES:

All tracts within a section of land will be offered together. The successful bidder will have the option to take all tracts or select specific tracts, with the exception of "river" tracts. The unselected tracts will again be offered. A separate lease will be issued for each tract.