

**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR****Bureau of Indian Affairs**

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**Proclaiming Certain Lands as  
Reservation for the Bois Forte Band of  
the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe of  
Minnesota**

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Indian Affairs,  
Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of Reservation  
Proclamation.

**SUMMARY:** This notice informs the public that the Acting Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs proclaimed approximately 1,146.17 acres, more or less, an addition to the reservation of the Bois Forte Band of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe of Minnesota on July 9, 2018.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Sharlene M. Round Face, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Division of Real Estate Services, 1849 C Street NW, MS-4642-MIB, Washington, DC 20240, telephone (202) 208-3615.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This notice is published in the exercise of authority delegated by the Secretary of the Interior to the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs by part 209 of the Departmental Manual.

A proclamation was issued according to the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984; 25 U.S.C. 5110), for the land described below. The land was proclaimed to be an addition to the reservation of the Bois Forte Band of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe, Saint Louis County, State of Minnesota.

**Reservation for the Bois Forte Band of the  
Minnesota Chippewa Tribe**

**23 Contiguous Parcels**

**Principal Meridian**

**Saint Louis County, State of Minnesota**

**Legal Description Containing 1,146.17 Acres,  
More or Less**

Parcel 1: NW $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 34, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (40 acres)

Parcel 2: That portion of the Westerly 100 ft. of the Easterly 600 ft. of Government Lot 2, Section 22, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian, lying South of County Highway 414 (0.92 acres)

Parcel 3: SE $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 33, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (40 acres)

Parcel 4: N $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 27, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (80 acres)

Parcel 5: N $\frac{1}{2}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 27, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (80 acres)

Parcel 6: NE $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 28, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (40 acres)

Parcel 7: SE $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 28, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (40 acres)

Parcel 8: S $\frac{1}{2}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 27, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (80 acres)

Parcel 9: Government Lot 1, Section 27, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (25.25 acres)

Parcel 10: S $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 27, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (80 acres)

Parcel 11: W $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 22, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (80 acres)

Parcel 12: SW $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 27, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (40 acres)

Parcel 13: NE $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 27, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (40 acres)

Parcel 14: W $\frac{1}{2}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 27, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (80 acres)

Parcel 15: SE $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 27, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (40 acres)

Parcel 16: S $\frac{1}{2}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 22, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (80 acres)

Parcel 17: NW $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 34, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (40 acres)

Parcel 18: SE $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 34, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (40 acres)

Parcel 19: NE $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 34, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (40 acres)

Parcel 20: NE $\frac{1}{4}$  NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 34, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (40 acres)

Parcel 21: SW $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 34, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (40 acres)

Parcel 22: SE $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 34, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (40 acres)

Parcel 23: SW $\frac{1}{4}$ , NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 34, Township 62N, Range 16W, 4th Principal Meridian (40 acres)

The above described lands contain a total of 1,146.17 acres, more or less, which are subject to all valid rights, reservations, rights-of-way, and easements of record.

This proclamation does not affect title to the land described above, nor does it affect any valid existing easements for public roads, highways, public utilities, railroads, and pipelines or any other valid easements or rights-of-way or reservations of record.

Dated: July 9, 2018.

**John Tahsuda,**

*Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs, Exercising the Authority of the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.*

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**Proclaiming Certain Lands as  
Reservation for the Rincon Band of  
Luiseno Mission Indians of the Rincon  
Reservation, California**

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Indian Affairs,  
Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of Reservation  
Proclamation.

**SUMMARY:** This notice informs the public that the Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs proclaimed approximately 520 acres, more or less, an addition to the reservation of the Rincon Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Rincon Reservation, California on July 9, 2018.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Ms. Sharlene M. Round Face, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Division of Real Estate Services, 1849 C Street NW, MS-4642-MIB, Washington, DC 20240, telephone (202) 208-3615.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This notice is published in the exercise of authority delegated by the Secretary of the Interior to the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs by part 209 of the Departmental Manual.

A proclamation was issued according to the Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 986; 25 U.S.C. 5110) for the lands described below. The land was proclaimed to be part of the reservation for the Rincon Band of Luiseno Mission Indians of the Rincon Reservation, California, County of San Diego, and State of California.

**Reservation for the Rincon Band of Luiseno  
Mission Indians of the Rincon Reservation,  
California**

**One Tribal Trust Tract Encompasses Two  
Parcels**

**San Bernardino Base and Meridian San  
Diego County, California**

**Legal Descriptions Containing 520 Acres,  
More or Less**

*The Mowry Property (Tract 587-T-5532)*

Parcel 1: APN 133-190-04

The South half, the West half of the Northeast quarter, the Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter and the Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section 36, Township 10 South, Range 1 West, San Bernardino Base and Meridian in the County of San Diego, State of California, according to official plat thereof.

Parcel 2: APN 133-190-07

The Southeast quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section 36, Township 10 South, Range 1 West, San Bernardino Base and

Meridian, in the County of San Diego, State of California, according to official plat thereof.

The above described lands contain a total of 520 acres, more or less, which are subject to all valid rights, reservations, rights-of-way, and easements of record.

This proclamation does not affect title to the lands described above, nor does it affect any valid existing easement for public roads and highways, public utilities, railroads, pipelines, or any other valid easement or rights-of-way or reservation of record.

Dated: July 9, 2018.

**John Tahsuda,**

*Principal Deputy Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs Exercising the Authority of the Assistant Secretary—Indian Affairs.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**

**Bureau of Land Management**

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**Notice of Crude Helium Auction and Sale for Fiscal Year 2019 Delivery**

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of auction and sale.

**SUMMARY:** The Secretary of the Interior (Secretary), through the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) New Mexico State Office, is issuing this Notice to conduct an auction and sale from the Federal Helium Program, administered by the BLM New Mexico, Amarillo Field Office. The Helium Stewardship Act of 2013 (HSA) requires the BLM to conduct an annual auction and sale of crude helium. Accordingly, the BLM will once again use the auction and sale process established in the **Federal Register** dated June 20, 2017, for a previous sale.

**DATES:** The schedule for the auction and sale process is:

**Helium Auction**

- August 31, 2018—FY 2019 helium auction held in Amarillo, Texas
- September 4, 2018—FY 2019 helium auction results published on the BLM website
- September 5, 2018—Invoices for auction sent on or before this date; payments due 15 days from invoice

**Helium Sale**

- August 31, 2018—Invitation for offers (IFO) posted for helium sale
- September 4, 2018—Bids due from IFO
- September 4, 2018—Award announcements published on the BLM website
- September 5, 2018—Invoices for sale sent on or before; payments due 15 days from invoice

**Helium Delivery**

September 30, 2018—Helium transferred to buyers' storage accounts  
 If payment is not received by September 20, 2018, volumes will be re-offered for sale to all over bidders, proportionally, on September 21, 2018. Subsequently, for these re-offered volumes to count toward October 1, 2018 allocation percentages, payment must be received by September 28, 2018.

**ADDRESSES:** The August 31, 2018, helium auction will be held in the main conference room of the Amarillo Field Office, 801 South Fillmore, Suite 500, Amarillo, TX 79101. The BLM's Federal Helium Program HSA Implementation page website is located at <https://www.blm.gov/programs/energy-and-minerals/helium/federal-helium-operations>. Questions related to the auction can be submitted by phone to the BLM at 806–356–1000.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Samuel R.M. Burton, Amarillo Field Manager, at telephone: 806–356–1000, email: [sburton@blm.gov](mailto:sburton@blm.gov). Persons who use a telecommunications device for the

deaf (TDD) may call the Federal Relay Service (FRS) at 1–800–877–8339. The FRS is available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, to leave a message. You will receive a reply during normal business hours.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*A. Purpose and Background*

In October 2013, Congress passed the HSA, which requires the Department of the Interior, through the BLM Director, to offer for auction and sale annually a portion of the helium reserves owned by the United States and stored underground at the Cliffside Gas Field near Amarillo, Texas.

On July 23, 2014, the BLM published a “Final Notice for Implementation of Helium Stewardship Act Sales and Auctions” in the **Federal Register** (79 FR 42808) (2014 Final Notice). The 2014 Final Notice contained information about the HSA, definitions of terms used in the Notice, the reasons for the action, and a process for conducting the auctions and sales in FY 2014.

On August 24, 2015, the BLM published a “Notice of Final Action: Crude Helium Sale and Auction for Fiscal Year 2016 Delivery” in the **Federal Register** (80 FR 51304) (2015 Final Notice). The 2015 Final Notice refined the process the BLM used in 2014 for conducting the auction and sale of crude helium. The BLM will use the process set forth in the 2015 Final Notice for the auction and sale of crude helium to occur in FY 2018 for FY 2019 delivery.

Both the 2014 and 2015 Final Notices are available from the BLM's HSA Implementation Page website (see **ADDRESSES**). Search under the “Documents and Reports” link.

*B. Volumes Offered in the FY 2019 Helium Auction and Sale:*

Table 1 identifies the volumes to be offered for auction and sale in FY 2018 for FY 2019 delivery.

**TABLE 1—PROJECTED VOLUMES FOR AUCTION AND SALES FOR FY 2019 DELIVERY**

Fiscal year (FY)	Forecasted production capability (NITEC study)	In-kind sales (sales to federal users)	Total remaining production available for sale/ auction or delivery	Volume available for auction	Volume available for non-allocated sale	Volume available for sale
			MMcf	MMcf	MMcf	MMcf
FY 2019 .....	825	155	300***	210**	9	81

\* MMcf means one million cubic feet of gas measured at standard conditions of 14.65 per square inch atmosphere (psia) and 60 degrees Fahrenheit.

\*\* 70 percent of total production capacity after deducting in-kind (rounded).

\*\*\* Volumes offered fulfill the requirement of the HSA to reach Phase C.