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Dear Interested Party,

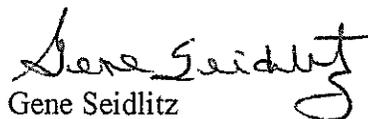
The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Winnemucca District has received 13 nominated oil and gas lease parcels from its Nevada State Office for the December 13, 2011, competitive oil and gas lease sale to be held at the BLM Nevada State Office. The parcels being evaluated encompass approximately 25,000 acres of public lands, surface and mineral estates, located primarily in the Buena Vista Valley area, Pershing County. Lease issuance alone does not authorize any ground-disturbing activities or waive the environmental review and National Environmental Policy Act compliance requirements for subsequent oil and/or gas exploration, drilling, utilization, and reclamation permits.

The BLM is asking for public input regarding issues and concerns relevant to the 2011 oil and gas lease parcel evaluation during a 30-day public comment period ending June 27, 2011. Comments should reach us by the close of business on that day in order to be considered in the evaluation process. Written comments may be submitted to Raquel Minky, Attn: December 13, 2011 Competitive Oil and Gas Lease Sale, BLM Winnemucca District Office, 5100 E. Winnemucca Blvd., Winnemucca, NV 89445-2921.

Public comments submitted for this evaluation, including names and street addresses of commenters will be available for public review at the Winnemucca District Office during regular business hours 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, except federal holidays. Individual respondents may request confidentiality. If you wish to withhold your name or address from public review or from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act, you must state this prominently at the beginning of your comments. Such requests will be honored to the extent allowable by law. Anonymity is not allowed for submissions from organizations or businesses and from individual identifying themselves as representatives or official of organizations or businesses.

The nominated parcel descriptions are available at the BLM Winnemucca District Office. If you have any questions, or need more information please contact Raquel Minky, Project Lead, at the BLM Winnemucca District Office at 775-623-1500.

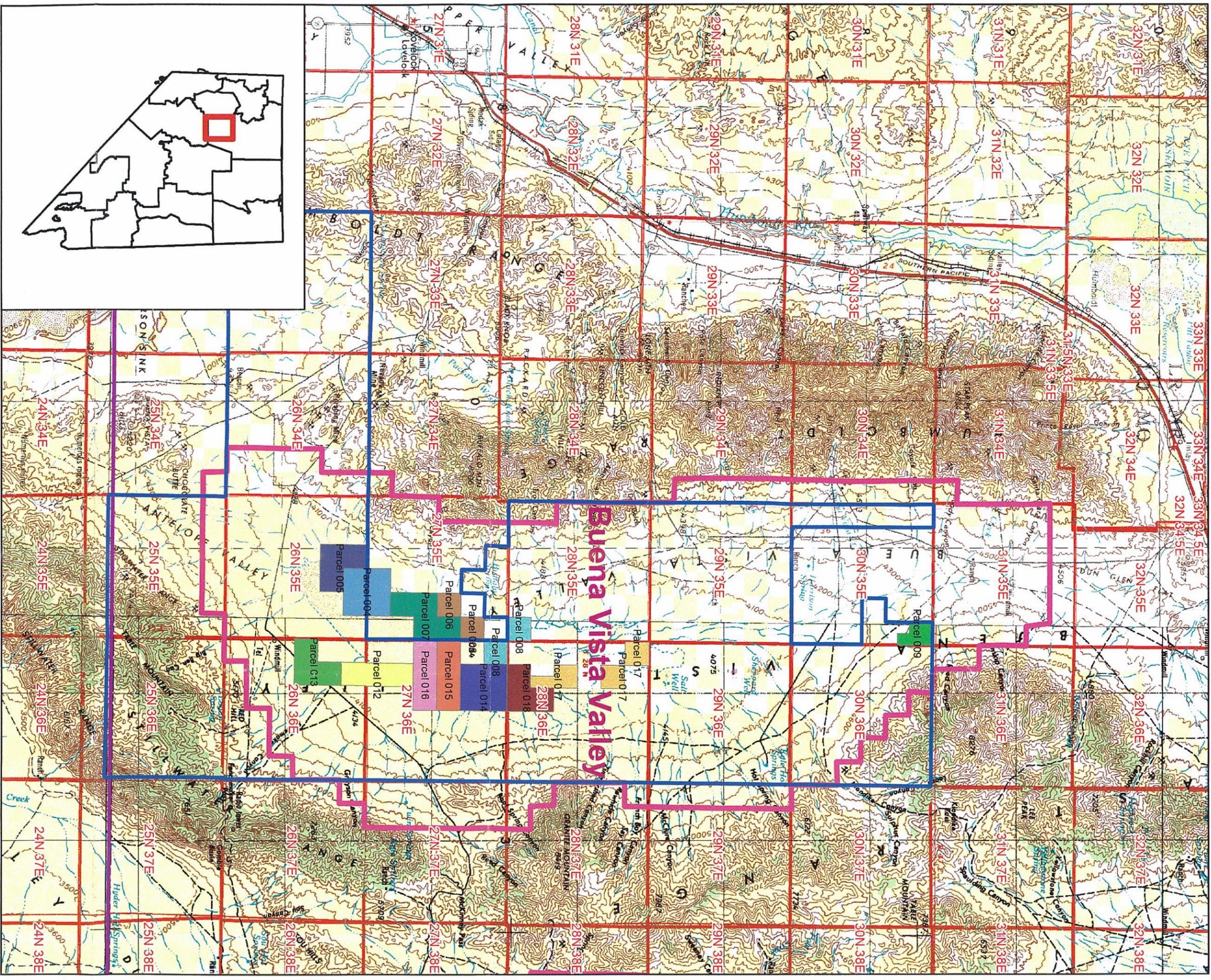
Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Gene Seidlitz". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "S" at the end.

Gene Seidlitz
District Manager
Winnemucca District

Enclosures (1):
Map

December 13, 2011 Competitive Oil & Gas Lease Sale "General Vicinity" Parcel Map



Winnemucca District Office
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Winnemucca NV 89445
Map Date: May 19, 2011

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Legend

- Buena Vista Lease Sale Area (LSA)
- Approx. 227,225 Acres Buena Vista Valley Potential Area (PA)
Modified From USGS 1995
- December 2011 Oil & Gas Parcels
- Winnemucca_District
- Parcel 004
- Parcel 005
- Parcel 006
- Parcel 007
- Parcel 008
- Parcel 009
- Parcel 010
- Parcel 011
- Parcel 012
- Parcel 013
- Parcel 014
- Parcel 015
- Parcel 016
- Parcel 017
- Parcel 018
- Land Status
- Bureau of Reclamation
- Private
- Water



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