

August 10, 2017

BOARD MATTER F-1

ACTION: Consider Renewal Applications for Bentonite Lease

AUTHORITY: W.S. § 36-6-101; Board of Land Commissioners' Rules and Regulations, Chapter 22, Section 8

ALTERNATIVES:

- Approve Renewal Applications for Bentonite Lease
- Deny Renewal Applications for Bentonite Lease

ANALYSIS:

The following renewal applications for bentonite lease are submitted for Board of Land Commissioners' consideration.

<u>LEASE NO.</u>	<u>APPLICANT</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>ACRES</u>	<u>COUNTY</u>	<u>STIP #</u>
0-21903	Black Hills Bentonite, LLC	T48N R90W Pt Trt 129 (Sec 36 SWSW)	40.00	Washakie	1, 5, 136
0-42231	Black Hills Bentonite, LLC	T48N R90W Sec. 16 N2:N2SW; T48N R90 Sec. 36 NW:SE:E2SW	800.00	Washakie	1, 5, 136

The specific language of all Standard Stipulations can be found at:
<http://slf-web.state.wy.us/MLease/auctions/stipulations.pdf>

DIRECTOR'S RECOMMENDATION:

The Director recommends that the Board approve the above described renewal applications for bentonite lease with the described Standard Stipulations, and allow the Director to issue the leases effective August 2, 2017.

BOARD ACTION: Board Approved