

**NORTH DAKOTA RESOURCE MANAGEMENT PLAN
OIL AND GAS LEASE STIPULATION AND REVIEW AREAS**

**Bureau of Land Management
Dickinson District
1988**

**LEGEND
LEASE STIPULATIONS**

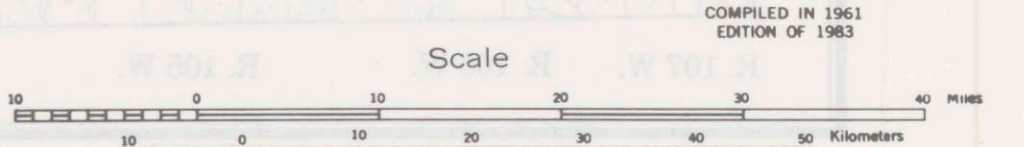
- S SAGE GROUSE** — No surface occupancy or use within 200 feet of sage grouse strutting grounds. No seismic exploration, construction, or other development within two miles of sage grouse strutting grounds during the period March 1 through June 30.
- F FERRUGINOUS HAWK** — No surface occupancy or use within one-half mile of ferruginous hawk nests known to have been occupied at least once within the previous seven years. No seismic exploration, construction, or other development within 1.2 miles of occupied nests during the period March 15 through July 15.
- P PRAIRIE FALCON** — No surface occupancy or use within one-half mile of prairie falcon nests known to have been occupied at least once within the previous seven years. No seismic exploration, construction, or other development within one-half mile of occupied nests during the period March 15 through July 15.
- G GOLDEN EAGLES** — No surface occupancy or use within one-half mile of golden eagle nests known to have been occupied at least once within the previous seven years. No seismic exploration, construction, or other development within one-half mile of occupied nests during the period February 15 through July 15.
- V OFF-ROAD VEHICLE** — Motorized travel is restricted to maintained roads during the period March 1 through June 1. Exceptions will be allowed for emergency or extraordinary circumstances if approved by the Authorized Officer.
- H FORT UNION HISTORIC SITE** — No surface occupancy or use within the visible area within a 3.5-mile radius unless the lessee demonstrates to the Authorized Officer that visual impacts can be satisfactorily avoided or otherwise mitigated.
- M MISSOURI RIVER FLOODPLAIN** — No surface occupancy or use within the Missouri River floodplain.
- W WETLANDS** — No surface occupancy or use within 200 feet of wetlands, lakes, and ponds. No seismic exploration within 500 feet of waterfowl nesting habitat during the period March 1 through July 1.
- R RIPARIAN VEGETATION (HABITAT)** — No disturbance of riparian areas of wetlands, intermittent, ephemeral, or perennial streams and rivers will be allowed except for essential road and utility crossings.
- D PRAIRIE DOG TOWNS** — A black footed ferret inventory may be required prior to any development.

STIPULATION REVIEW AREAS NOT MAPPED

The following stipulations will be applied if the situations arise. As of the date of this document, no overlap between these resources and federal oil and gas were known to occur.

- NATURAL AREAS** — No surface exploration or use on federally designated natural areas, state-dedicated nature preserves, or state-managed natural areas.
- ELK WINTER RANGE** — No seismic exploration, construction, or other development on elk winter range during the period November 30 through May 1.
- ELK CALVING RANGE** — No seismic exploration, construction, or other development on elk calving range during the period June 1 through July 1.
- BIGHORN SHEEP WINTER RANGE** — No seismic exploration, construction, or other development on bighorn sheep winter range during the period December 1 through April 1.
- BIGHORN SHEEP LAMBING RANGE** — No seismic exploration, construction, or other development on bighorn sheep lambing range during the period April 1 through June 15.

- LEGEND**
- State capital
 - County seat
 - City, town, or village
 - Scheduled service airport
 - Interstate highway
 - U. S. highway
 - State highway
 - Other principal roads



POPULATION KEY

FARGO	more than 20,000
BISMARCK	15,000 to 20,000
Dickinson	5,000 to 15,000
Rest of State	1,000 to 5,000
Other	less than 1,000

Physical features based on a 1:50,000 scale
COMPILED IN 1981
EDITION OF 1983

The need for oil and gas lease stipulations and/or special review prior to leasing is indicated within each township where appropriate. Identification of possible stipulations in a township means that there is at least one parcel of Federal oil and gas within that township that will require special review for the identified stipulation. In all cases, stipulations will only be applied to leases where necessary.