



TRUST LANDS ADMINISTRATION

2026 Competitive Mineral Lease Auction Schedule

Disclaimer: This schedule is an estimated timeline and is subject to change at the discretion of the Agency.

February Offering

- **Nominations Due:** Friday, December 5, 2025
- **Auction List Posted:** Friday, February 6, 2026
- **Auction Closes:** Friday, February 20, 2026, at 5:00 PM MT
- **Preliminary Results:** Tuesday, February 24, 2026

June Offering

- **Nominations Due:** Friday, April 10, 2026
- **Auction List Posted:** Friday, June 12, 2026
- **Auction Closes:** Friday, June 26, 2026, at 5:00 PM MT
- **Preliminary Results:** Tuesday, June 30, 2026

October Offering

- **Nominations Due:** Friday, August 7, 2026
- **Auction List Posted:** Friday, October 9, 2026
- **Auction Closes:** Friday, October 23, 2026, at 5:00 PM MT
- **Preliminary Results:** Tuesday, October 27, 2026

Note: Nominations for the **February 2027** Mineral Lease Offering are due no later than Friday, December 4, 2026.

Important Information

- **Registration:** All winning bidders must be registered to do business in the State of Utah to receive lease contracts.
- **Contract Delivery:** Lease contracts will be sent to winning bidders within 30 days of the posted results.
- **OBA Proposals:** To submit an **Other Business Arrangement (OBA)**, please contact us prior to the next auction cycle.
- **Missing Nominations:** If a nomination does not appear in the auction, the lands are likely unavailable at this time. Please contact the lease managers for clarification.

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