Acreage Offered for Lease is Up from Four Year Average

The Bureau of Land Management, (BLM) an agency within the Department of the Interior, offers for lease, varying amounts of federal acreage each year for the purpose of oil and gas development. The graphic below compares the total amount of acres offered by BLM in Fiscal Year (FY) 2018 with the average amount of acres offered by BLM across FY2013-2016.

Acres Offered for Lease	14,000,000		
	12,000,000		_/
	8,000,000		
	6,000,000		
	4,000,000	4,369,641	
	2,000,000		
	0	Avg. FY13-16	



