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State Land Board

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DATE: December 5, 2024

TO: Interested Party

FROM: Oregon Department of State Lands

RE: Update on BLM Classification Decision for In Lieu Lands in Deschutes
County

LaVonne Griffin-Valade

Secretary of State

Tobias Read

State Treasurer

Dear Interested Party,

On March 22, you were contacted about BLM classification decisions on two properties in Deschutes County. These two properties were identified as possible “in lieu” lands owed to Oregon from the federal government. Since March, surveys and other evaluations have been completed to assess the properties.

We have concluded to **not acquire the 440 acres along Rickard Road, near Bend**. This property was identified as follows:

BLM Identifier: OROR 070357; DSL Application 64940-LA Willamette Meridian, Oregon, T. 18 S., R. 13 E., Sec. 21, N1/2NE1/4, W1/2, and SW1/4SE1/4.

We are continuing acquisition of the 80 acres of land in La Pine, along Burgess Road. This property is identified as follows:

BLM Identifier: OROR 070351; DSL Application 64934-LA Willamette Meridian, Oregon, T. 21 S., R. 10 E., Sec. 35, E1/2SE1/4.

If you have any questions or concerns, you may email the Department of State Lands Real Property Program at realproperty@dsl.oregon.gov, or contact the Real Property Program in writing at: Oregon Department of State Lands, Attn: Real Property Program, 951 SW Simpson Ave., Ste. 104 Bend, OR 97702

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