A public meeting will be held on **Wednesday, March 23, 2022** at 9:00 a.m. The meeting will be conducted electronically with an anchor location at the Department of Natural Resources Auditorium, 1594 W. North Temple, Salt Lake City, Utah, pursuant to Utah Code Ann. § 52-4-207.

The meeting will be streamed live on the Department of Natural Resources YouTube channel. The link for the Briefing Session is [https://youtu.be/QAPaGxByxxk](https://youtu.be/QAPaGxByxxk), and the link for the Board Hearing is [https://youtu.be/oQo_q21E_T4](https://youtu.be/oQo_q21E_T4).

The Division of Oil, Gas and Mining will conduct a Briefing Session at 9:00 a.m.:

1. Legislative Update
2. Rulemaking
3. Other
4. Next Month’s Agenda and Division Calendar
5. Board Working Lunch
   
   Environmental Excellence Award nominations will be discussed and a training session for Board members may be held, as time allows. The session is open to the public and will be streamed live on [https://youtu.be/oQo_q21E_T4](https://youtu.be/oQo_q21E_T4) (*The training session was continued from the February 23 Board Hearing and may be continued to the Board’s regularly scheduled hearing on April 27*).

6. Opportunity for General Public Comment
   
   Members of the public who wish to participate in the meeting electronically or in-person must contact the Board’s secretary, Ms. Carter, by phone at 801-538-5277, or email at juliecarter@utah.gov, at least 24 hours prior to the meeting. Attendees will be required to abide by all public health protocols in place at the time of the meeting.

The Board will hear the following Matters at or around 10:00 a.m.:

1. **Per Acre Bonding Costs for Small Mines and Exploration** – The Division will present information about average costs per acre for reclamation, followed by an opportunity for public comment. The Board will be asked to approve a figure that will be used for bonding small mines and exploration operations.

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2. **Docket No. 2019-014 Cause No. C/007/0045** – In re: Request by the Utah Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining to forfeit the reclamation surety in order to complete reclamation of the Wellington Dry-Coal Cleaning Facility, Permit No. C/007/0045, located in Section 14, Township 15 South, Range 10 East, SLBM, Carbon County, Utah. *(This matter has been continued to the regularly scheduled Board hearing on June 22, 2022.)*

3. **Docket No. 2022-002 Cause No. S/035/0053** – In the matter of the Request for Agency Action of TREE FARM, LLC for a declaratory ruling regarding (1) the completeness of Tree Farm’s NOI-SMO S/035/0053; and (2) the sufficiency of Tree Farm’s proposed reclamation surety. *(This matter was continued from the February 23, 2022 Board Hearing.)*

4. **Docket No. 2022-004 Cause No. 996-01** – In the matter of: Notice of Agency Action by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining Seeking an Order Forfeiting the Reclamation Bond Provided by TIDEWATER OIL & GAS COMPANY LLC for Reclamation of the Subject Wells well, and Other Related Relief.

5. **Docket No. 2022-005 Cause No. S/003/0049 & M/003/0050** – In the matter of: Notice of Agency Action by the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining Seeking an Order Forfeiting the Reclamation Bonds Provided by GOLD STAR STONE, INC. for Reclamation of the Sierra Starlight Quarry and Lone Pine Quarry Mines, and Other Related Relief.

6. **Docket No. 2022-006 Cause No. 470-05** – In the matter of the Request for Agency Action of FINLEY RESOURCES, INC., ET AL, for an order: (I) Establishing drilling units for production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Lower Green River-Wasatch Formations through long lateral horizontal wells comprised of Sections 13 and 24, 14 and 23, 15 and 22, 16 and 21, 25 and 36, 26 and 35, and 27 and 34, respectively, Township 4 South, Range 1 East, USM, Uintah County, Utah; (2) Reducing the north/south drilling unit boundary setbacks from 660 feet to 100 feet and the east/west drilling unit boundary setbacks from 660 feet to 330 feet for the proposed 1,280-acre (or substantially equivalent) and special acre drilling units within Township 4 South, Range 1 East, USM, Uintah County, Utah; and (3) Establishing overlapping 2,560-acre (or substantially equivalent) drilling units for the production of oil, gas, and associated hydrocarbons from the Lower Green River-Wasatch Formations through internal drilling unit boundary long lateral horizontal wells along the internal boundaries of the proposed 1,280-acre and special acre units within Township 4 South, Range 1 East, USM, Uintah County Utah.

Copies of the agenda are available at [ogm.utah.gov](http://ogm.utah.gov) and at the administrative offices. Pursuant to the Americans with Disabilities Act, persons requiring auxiliary communicative aids and services to enable them to participate in this hearing should call Julie Ann Carter at (801) 538-5277, at least three working days prior to the hearing.