



Public Lands Round Table

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Keeping Public Land in Public Hands for Multiple Use

Agenda for April 23rd, 2026 at 6pm

Conference Room, BLM Field Office, 300 S. Richmond Rd, Ridgecrest

Comments from Chair

- Welcome
- Pledge of Allegiance
- Communication and discussion is why we are here; however, discussions must be civil. **Please stay on topic, be recognized before speaking and keep comments to 3 minutes per subject. To be recognized, please raise your name placard or your hand if a guest and the chair will note your request to speak. Meetings are recorded, so please state your name before speaking.**

Introduction of Membership/Announcements/Comments

Members

GUEST SPEAKERS

None scheduled.

ROUNDTABLE BUSINESS

- New Member and Substitute Member Applications

Members

BLM Reports

- BLM Project Updates (burro, power line and pipeline ROWs)
- WEMO Court Decision for road closures over Desert Tortoise Habitat
 - BLM needs to supply by June a monitoring plan
 - By Oct 2029 BLM has to amend WEMO, which would be “WEMO 3.0”

New Business

- Discuss PLRT involvement in WEMO 3.0 – potentially we could:
 - Request an update to the ‘minimizing criteria’ to include advocating recreation.
 - request a legislative review to revisit the lines of critical habitat because smaller communities are under duress due to severe economical impacts
 - Review overall ACEC areas and their resource management plans for each. These plans have relevance and importance criteria.

Old Business

- Field trip suggestions

Adjourn

Chair

Next Roundtable Meetings Next executive meeting for future agendas will be held after the regular meetings to decide on future agenda. Next PLRT meeting May 28th, 2026