#### COMMITTEE ON NATURAL RESOURCES 113<sup>th</sup> Congress Disclosure Form As required by and provided for in House Rule XI, clause 2(g) and the Rules of the Committee on Natural Resources

Oversight hearing on "Energy in America: BLM's Red-Tape Run Around and its Impact on American Energy Production." February 5, 2014 at 2:00PM

For Individuals:

- 1. Name: Dennis Willis
- 2. Address: [Information Redacted for Privacy]
- 3. Email Address: [Information Redacted for Privacy]
- 4. Phone Number: [Information Redacted for Privacy]

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For Witnesses Representing Organizations:

- 1. Name:
- 2. Name of Organization(s) You are Representing at the Hearing:
- 3. Business Address:
- 4. Business Email Address:
- 5. Business Phone Number:

#### For all Witnesses

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a. Any training or educational certificates, diplomas or degrees or other educational experiences that are relevant to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.

BS in Natural Resources from University of Nevada Reno. Numerous seminars, training courses in related fields

b. Any professional licenses, certifications, or affiliations held that are relevant to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.

c. Any employment, occupation, ownership in a firm or business, or work-related experiences that relate to your qualifications to testify on or knowledge of the subject matter of the hearing.

Retired career BLM employee with 35 years service. Almost 30 of that in the Price Utah Field Office where I worked extensively with oil and gas leasing and post lease authorizations. Served on EIS and EA teams in a variety of capacities, including team leader and NEPA compliance specialist. Received an awards for outstanding performance on some projects including one where I served as team leader. Since retiring, I have served on the board of the Nine Mile Canyon Coalition, a 501c3 organization with interest in federal oil and gas leasing issues. Was part of the team that developed BLM National Training Center course on NEPA compliance

d. Any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) from the <u>Department of the Interior</u> (*and /or other agencies invited*) that you have received in the current year and previous four years, including the source and the amount of each grant or contract.

Not sure if it is considered a contract (I don't). I have developed and teach a course in Outdoor Recreation Permitting Processes. This is a canned, off the shelf course. BLM's National Training Center purchases this course from me under a Purchase Requisition. Much like buying a bolt from a hardware store. I currently have requests to teach two courses in 2014 for a total of \$6,400. 2012- \$6,200. 2011 - \$7,400. 2010 - \$31,567. 2009 - \$3,184.

e. A list of all lawsuits or petitions filed by you against the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit or petition, the subject matter of the lawsuit or petition, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits or petitions were filed.

f. A list of all federal lawsuits filed against you by the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit, the subject matter of the lawsuit, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits were filed.

g. Any other information you wish to convey that might aid the Members of the Committee to better understand the context of your testimony.

## Witnesses Representing Organizations

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h. Any offices, elected positions, or representational capacity held in the organization(s) on whose behalf you are testifying.

i. Any federal grants or contracts (including subgrants or subcontracts) from the <u>Department of the Interior</u> (<u>and /or other agencies invited</u>) that were received in the current year and previous four years by the organization(s) you represent at this hearing, including the source and amount of each grant or contract for each of the organization(s).

j. A list of all lawsuits or petitions filed by the organization(s) you represent at the hearing against the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit or petition, the subject matter of the lawsuit or petition, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits or petitions were filed for each of the organization(s).

k. A list of all federal lawsuits filed against the organization(s) you represent at the hearing by the federal government in the current year and the previous four years, giving the name of the lawsuit, the subject matter of the lawsuit, and the federal statutes under which the lawsuits were filed.

1. For tax-exempt organizations and non-profit organizations, copies of the three most recent public IRS Form 990s (including Form 990-PF, Form 990-N, and Form 990-EZ) for each of the organization(s) you represent at the hearing (not including any contributor names and addresses or any information withheld from public inspection by the Secretary of the Treasury under 26 U.S.C. 6104)).