

KEEP AMERICA POWERED: SUPPORT A ROBUST FIVE-YEAR OFFSHORE LEASING PROGRAM



When offshore energy access is delayed or restricted, families pay more through higher energy costs and lost jobs.

OFFSHORE ENERGY POWERS AMERICA'S ADVANTAGE

Offshore energy isn't theoretical - it's proven, reliable, and essential to American strength.

- The Gulf of America holds an estimated 69 billion barrels of oil and 229 trillion cubic feet of natural gas.
- Americans use energy every day to drive to work, heat homes, and power businesses. At today's usage rates, **69 billion barrels of oil could meet about 3.5 days of total U.S. energy demand.**
- Offshore production supports millions of homes, businesses, and industries nationwide.
- Energy is produced under some of the strongest environmental and safety standards in the world.

69 BILLION BARRELS
Estimated offshore oil resources in the Gulf of America

229 TRILLION CUBIC FEET
Estimated offshore natural gas resources in the Gulf of America

The bottom line: Offshore energy strengthens America's economy, security, and communities — while keeping energy affordable.

UNCERTAINTY DRIVES UP ENERGY COSTS



A predictable offshore leasing schedule isn't just good policy — it's a consumer protection.

- Delayed or canceled lease sales discourage investment.
- Reduced investment tightens supply.
- Tight supply leads to higher prices for families and small businesses.

When offshore access is restricted, consumers feel it first — at the pump and on their energy bills.

TOO MUCH IS AT STAKE TO SLOW DOWN OFFSHORE ENERGY

You don't have to be an energy expert to make a difference. Staying informed and speaking up helps ensure energy policies work for families, workers, and communities — not just processes.

Energy decisions affect everyday costs, local jobs, and long-term reliability. When offshore energy access is predictable, it helps keep energy affordable and American-made.

How you can engage:

- Follow offshore energy and leasing updates
- Participate in public comment opportunities
- Share how energy costs affect your household or business



SAMPLE PUBLIC COMMENT LETTER

Dear Mr. President,

On behalf of families, workers, and small businesses across the nation, we want to express our appreciation for your leadership in advancing a new Five-Year Offshore Leasing Program. This step restores predictability to America's energy policy and reinforces the principle that a strong nation must also have a strong, reliable energy foundation.

The Gulf of America is a cornerstone of America's energy strength — a region where responsible production meets real results. Offshore energy development there supports nearly 412,000 American jobs, contributes nearly \$30 billion to our economy every year, and generates more than \$11 billion annually in government revenues. Those dollars don't sit in Washington — they flow back into coastal restoration, community infrastructure, and conservation programs that benefit families and businesses across the country.

Equally important, energy produced in the Gulf has among the lowest carbon intensities in the world, meaning American oil and natural gas are cleaner, safer, and more efficient than imports from abroad. Keeping this production strong ensures that we meet demand responsibly—protecting both consumers and our environment.

We respectfully urge your Administration to continue expanding access in the Five-Year Offshore Leasing Program and maintain a consistent schedule of lease sales. This will give energy producers the certainty they need to invest, innovate, and hire American workers—all while keeping energy affordable for families, farmers, and small businesses.

Every delay or reduction in offshore leasing carries a cost: higher prices at the pump, greater reliance on foreign suppliers, and fewer opportunities for the men and women who build, operate, and maintain our nation's energy infrastructure. Expanding access is the common-sense solution—one that strengthens our economy, protects consumers, and preserves America's global energy leadership.

Mr. President, thank you again for recognizing the importance of responsible offshore development. We ask that you keep this momentum going by ensuring the Five-Year Program remains robust, reliable, and forward-looking—because a stronger America starts with the energy we make ourselves.

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YOU DON'T NEED TO BE AN EXPERT TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE

You can help protect affordable, reliable American energy by staying informed and speaking up.

- Share how energy costs affect your family or business
- Support policies that keep energy affordable and made in America
- Encourage leaders to maintain predictable offshore access

WHY THIS MATTERS — TALKING POINTS TO SHARE

Energy costs are directly affected by policy decisions.

When offshore access is delayed or restricted, supply tightens and prices rise for families and small businesses.

Predictability keeps prices stable.

A consistent Five-Year Offshore Leasing Program allows long-term planning that supports affordability and reliability.

Offshore energy supports jobs and communities.

Offshore oil and natural gas production supports hundreds of thousands of American jobs and billions in economic activity.

American-made energy strengthens security.

Producing energy at home reduces reliance on foreign sources and protects against global disruptions.

Offshore energy is responsibly developed.

U.S. offshore production operates under strong environmental and safety standards.

SUPPORT POLICIES THAT KEEP ENERGY AFFORDABLE, RELIABLE, AND MADE IN AMERICA