

Lewiston Claims Fremont County, Wyoming



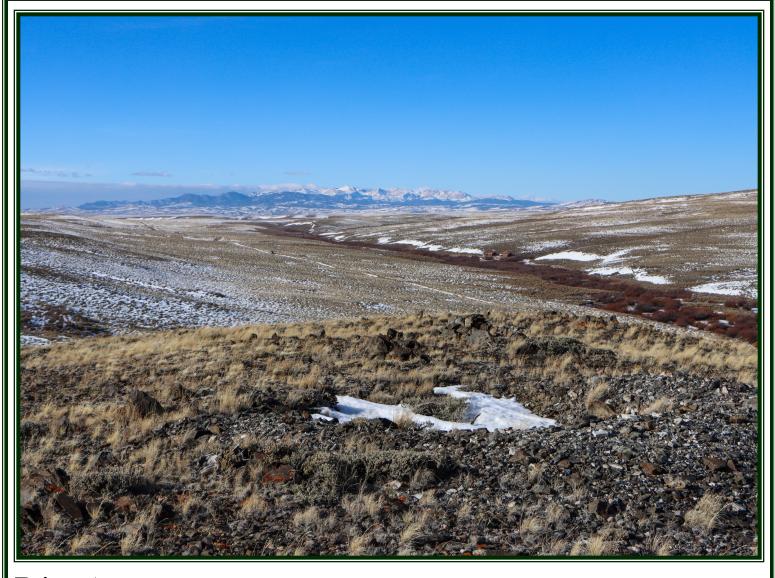
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Price: \$180,000.00

Features: Outstanding Mountain Views, 9 Patented Claims, Borders BLM, Lots of Recreational Opportunities, 4 Historic Trails Nearby

Location: 13 miles east of South Pass, Wyoming

Lot Size: 149 Acres +/-

Taxes: Approximately \$200

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BROKER COMMENTS

The Lewiston Claims are located on the south end of the Wind River Range 13 miles east of South Pass in Fremont County, Wyoming. Comprised of 9 different patented claims, the subject property encompasses approximately 149 deeded acres. There are a number of ideal building sites on the property that capture the breathtaking views of the mountains to the west and the willow lined Strawberry Creek that meanders along the property.



Set in an area with a rich history dating back to when the west was being settled in the early 1800's, the South Pass Historic Mining area rose to fame for the discovery of gold in 1842. The resulting gold rush of 1867 helped settle this part of Wyoming, some 23 years before it became the 44th state. It was in the spring of 1876 when Martin Lewis discovered gold on Strawberry Creek that lead to the development of the Lewiston Claims. A number of prominent historical trails go through the area including the Oregon Trail, California Trail, Pony Express Trail and the Mormon Pioneer Trail.

Today the Lewiston Claims are surrounded by hundreds of thousands of acres of BLM, offering much for those who enjoy the great outdoors. Just above South Pass are thousands of acres of National Forest to explore and recreate in as well. While South Pass might be a ghost of what it used to be, there are great dining and shopping options in Lander, just an hour drive to the north of the property.





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Lewiston Mining District

In the spring of 1876 Martin Lewis discovered placer gold on Strawberry Creek 13 miles east of South Pass City, WY. Upon following up on the placer find a claim is struck to be known as the Bullion Lode. The miners began by sinking a shaft & running a drift under the creek. In return they discover a small fortune. The Bullion Mine reportedly yielded 21,000 ounces of gold in it's heyday. Families such as the Nickersons & Gustins flourished here as well. In 1879, with the discovery of the Burr Mine the camp of Lewiston

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In the late 1870's, early 80's a Montana man by the name of A.T. Burr makes his way to Lewiston with a soldier from the nearby Fort Washakie. On a suggestion from an old friend, Sam Springer, a particular spring from a nearby gulch is panned. During their second pan a nugget valued at \$6 is found. Upon filling several pouches with gold & returning to the fort, news of the strike spreads like wild fire & a mini rush is on.

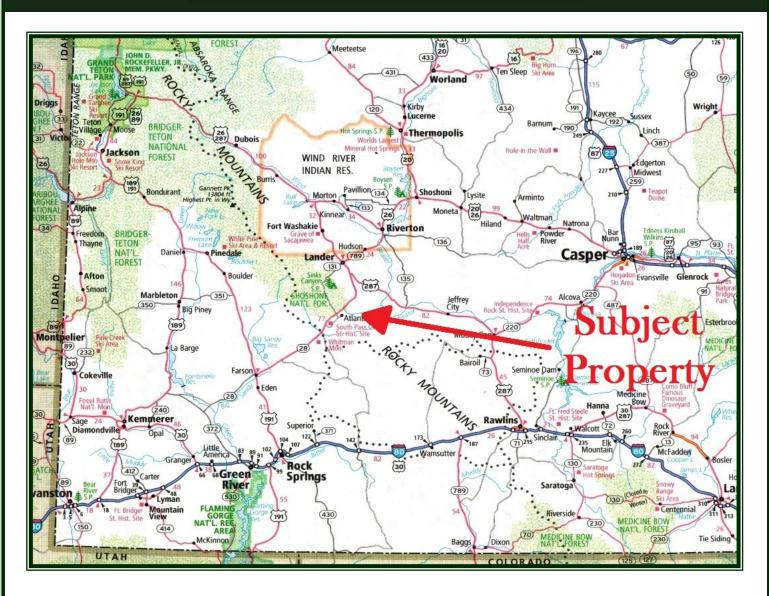
C.G. Coutant, a Wyoming Pioneer historian of the time publishes one issue of his newspaper, The Lewiston Gold Miner, in May of 1894. Due to the cost of it's printing in Cheyenne, WY & 25,000 copies printed only one issue was ever printed.

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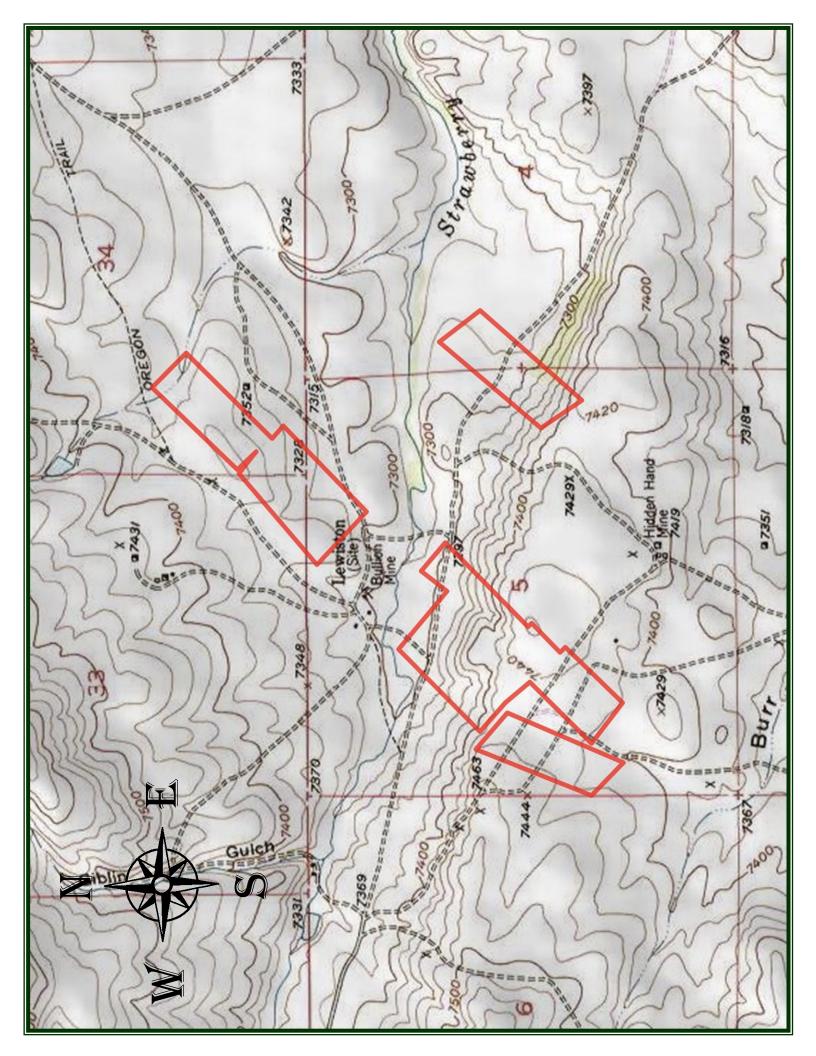


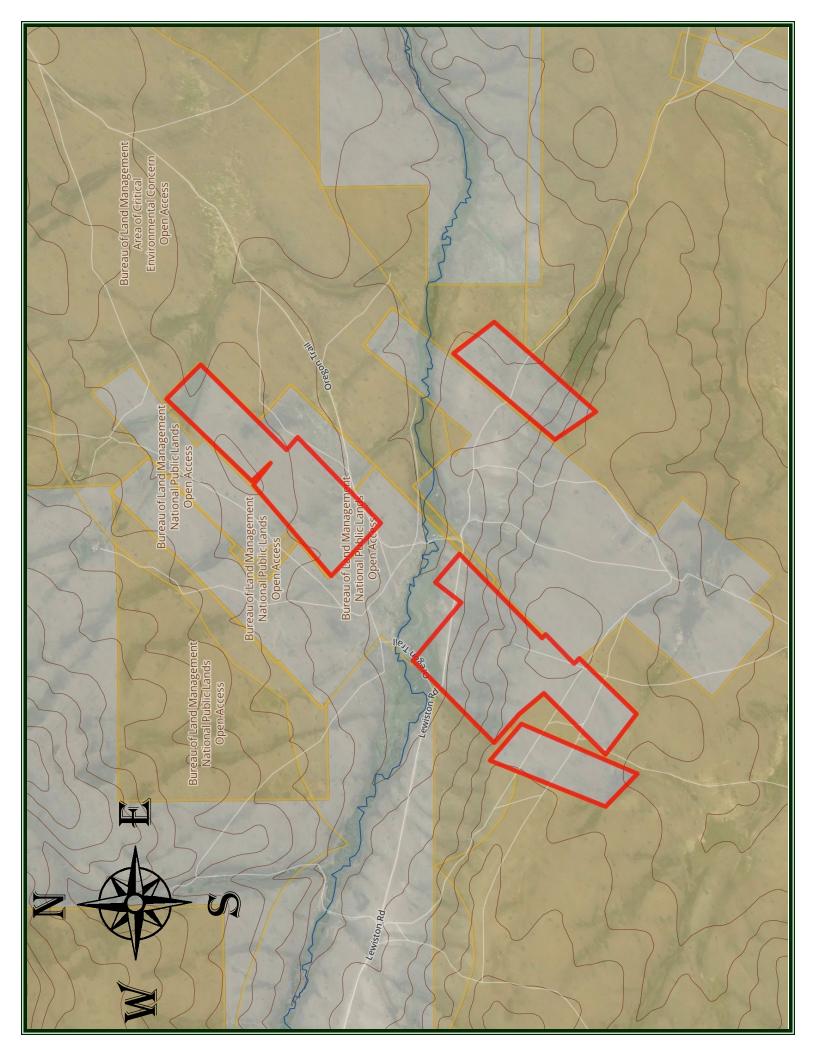
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Note: The Seller is making known to all potential purchasers that there may be variations between the deeded property lines and the location of the existing fence boundary lines on the subject property. Seller makes no warrantees with regard to location of fence lines in relationship to the deeded property lines, nor does the seller make any warrantees or representations with regard to specific acreage within the fenced property lines. Seller is selling the property in an "as is" condition which includes the location of the fences as they exist.

Boundaries shown on accompanying maps are approximate based on the legal description and may not indicate a survey. Maps are not to scale and are visual aids only. Their accuracy is not guaranteed.







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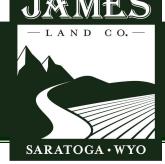
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Seller's Agent. (Requires written agreement with Seller)

If a Seller signs a written listing agreement with a Broker and engages the Broker as a Seller's Agent, the broker represents the Seller. On properties listed with other brokerage companies, the Broker may work as an agent for the Seller if the Seller agrees to have the Broker work as a subagent. As an agent or subagent for the Seller, the Broker represents the Seller and owes the Seller a duty of utmost good faith, loyalty, and fidelity in addition to the **obligations** enumerated below for Intermediaries. Wyo. Stat. §33-28-303(a). The Seller may be vicariously liable for the acts of the Seller's Agent or Seller's Subagent that are approved, directed or ratified by the Seller.

<u>Customer.</u> (No written agreement with Buyer or Seller)

A customer is a party to a real estate transaction who has established no intermediary or agency relationship with any Broker in that transaction. A Broker may work either as an agent for the Seller treating the Buyer as a customer or as an agent for the Buyer treating the Seller as a customer. Also when a Buyer or Seller is represented by another Broker, a Broker may work with the other Buyer or Seller as a customer, having no written agreement, agency or intermediary relationship with either party. A Broker working with a customer shall owe no duty of confidentiality to a customer. Any information shared with Broker may be shared with the other party to the transaction at customer's risk. The customer should not tell the Broker any information which the customer does not want shared with the other party to the transaction. The Broker must treat the customer honestly and with fairness disclosing all material matters actually known by the Broker. The Broker owes the Customer the **obligations** enumerated below for Intermediaries which are marked with an asterisks. W.S. 33-28-310(a).

Buyer's Agent. (Requires written agreement with Buyer)

If a Buyer signs a written Buyer Agency Agreement with a Broker, the Broker will act as an agent for the Buyer. If so, the Broker represents the Buyer and owes the Buyer a duty of utmost good faith, loyalty and fidelity in addition to the **obligations** enumerated below for Intermediaries. The Buyer may be vicariously liable for the acts of the Buyer's Agent that are approved, directed or ratified by the Buyer. As a Buyer's Agent, Wyoming law requires the Broker to disclose to potential Sellers all adverse material facts, which may include material facts regarding the Buyer's financial ability to perform the terms of the transaction. Wyo. Stat. §33-28-304(c). As a Buyer's Agent, Broker has duties to disclose to the Buyer certain information; therefore, the Seller should not tell Broker any information which the Seller does not want shared with the Buyer.

Intermediary. (Requires written agreement with Seller and/or Buyer)

The Intermediary relationship is a non-agency relationship which may be established between a Broker and a Seller and/or a Broker and a Buyer. A Seller may choose to engage a Broker as an Intermediary when listing a property. A Buyer may also choose to engage a Broker as an intermediary. An Intermediary shall not act as an agent or advocate for any party and shall be limited to providing those services set forth below. Wyo. Stat. §33-28-305.

As an Intermediary (Non-Agent), Broker will not represent you or act as your agent. The parties to a transaction are not legally responsible for the actions of an Intermediary and an Intermediary does not owe the parties the duties of an agent, including the fiduciary duties of loyalty and fidelity. Broker will have the following **obligations** to you:

- perform the terms of any written agreement made by the Intermediary with any party or parties to the transaction:
- exercise reasonable skill and care:*
- advise the parties to obtain expert advice as to material matters about which the Intermediary knows but the specifics of which are beyond the expertise of the Intermediary;*
- present all offers and counteroffers in a timely manner:*
- account promptly for all money and property Broker received;*
- keep you fully informed regarding the transaction;*
- obtain the written consent of the parties before assisting the Buyer and Seller in the same real estate

transaction as an Intermediary to both parties to the transaction;

- assist in complying with the terms and conditions of any contract and with the closing of the transaction;*
- disclose to the parties any interests the Intermediary may have which are adverse to the interest of either party;*
- disclose to prospective Buyers, known adverse material facts about the property;*
- disclose to prospective Sellers, any known adverse material facts, including adverse material facts pertaining to the Buyer's financial ability to perform the terms of the transaction;*
- disclose to the parties that an Intermediary owes no fiduciary duty either to Buyer or Seller, is not allowed
 to negotiate on behalf of the Buyer or Seller, and may be prohibited from disclosing information
 about the other party, which if known, could materially affect negotiations in the real estate
 transaction.

As Intermediary, Broker will disclose all information to each party, but will not disclose the following information without your informed consent:

- that you may be willing to agree to a price different than the one offered;
- the motivating factors for buying or selling the property;
- that you will agree to financing terms other than those offered; or
- any material information about you, unless disclosure is required by law or if lack of disclosure would constitute dishonest dealing or fraud.

Change From Agent to Intermediary - In-House Transaction

If a Buyer who has signed a buyer Agency Agreement with Broker wants to look at or submit an offer on property Broker has listed as an agent for the Seller, the Seller and the Buyer may consent in writing to allow Broker to change to an Intermediary (non-agency) relationship with both the Buyer and the Seller. Wyo. Stat. § 33-28-307.

An established relationship cannot be modified without the written consent of the Buyer or the Seller. The Buyer or Seller may, but are not required to, negotiate different commission fees as a condition to consenting to a change in relationship.

<u>Designated Agent.</u> (Requires written designation by the brokerage firm and acknowledgment by the Buyer or Seller) A designated agent means a licensee who is designated by a responsible broker to serve as an agent or intermediary for a Seller of Buyer in a real estate transaction. Wyo. Stat. § 33-28-301(a)(x).

In order to facilitate a real estate transaction a Brokerage Firm may designate a licensee as your agent or intermediary. The Designated Agent will have the same duties to the Buyer and Seller as a Buyer's or Seller's Agent Intermediary. The Broker or an appointed "transaction manager" will supervise the transaction and will not disclose to either party confidential information about the Buyer or Seller. The designation of agency may occur at the time the Buyer or Seller enters into an agency agreement with the Brokerage Firm or the designation of agency may occur later if an "in house" real estate transaction occurs. At that time, the Broker or "transaction manager" will immediately disclose to the Buyer and Seller that designated agency will occur.

Duties Owed by an Agent but not Owed by an Intermediary.

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THIS WRITTEN DISCLOSURE AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT, BY ITSELF, SHALL NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT WITH THE BROKER OR HIS/HER FIRM. UNTIL THE BUYER OR SELLER EXECUTES THIS DISCLOSURE AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT, NO REPRESENTATION AGREEMENT SHALL BE EXECUTED OR VALID. WY. STAT. §33-28-306(b).

NO MATTER WHICH RELATIONSHIP IS ESTABLISHED, A REAL ESTATE BROKER IS NOT ALLOWED TO GIVE LEGAL ADVICE. IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS NOTICE OR ANY DOCUMENT IN A REAL ESTATE TRANSACTION, CONSULT LEGAL COUNSEL AND OTHER COUNSEL BEFORE SIGNING.