



Impacts of a Drilling Ban on Federal Lands

A federal leasing ban could have the net effect of increasing carbon emissions, as well as leading to job losses across the U.S.

\$19.6

Billion in Lost Wages

JOBS

Drilling on Federal lands brings jobs across America

72,000

Lost Jobs Annually

By 2040, the total cost amounts to \$670.5 billion in lost GDP and more than 351,000 jobs annually.

States would forego \$159 billion in tax revenues and workers would fail to earn \$300 billion.

NATURAL GAS

Drilling on Federal lands lowers the cost of natural gas



\$400 Billion

Natural gas costs increase by 2025

40%



14%

Power generation by natural gas falls from 40% to 14% by 2025

ENVIRONMENT

Access to domestic natural gas replaces coal-fired power generation and decreases carbon



\$64-196 per ton

Cost of avoided emissions



NOx, SO² and CO² emissions rise by 17%, 62% and 16% respectively in the first year



Economic Impact of a Drilling Ban on Federal Lands

