

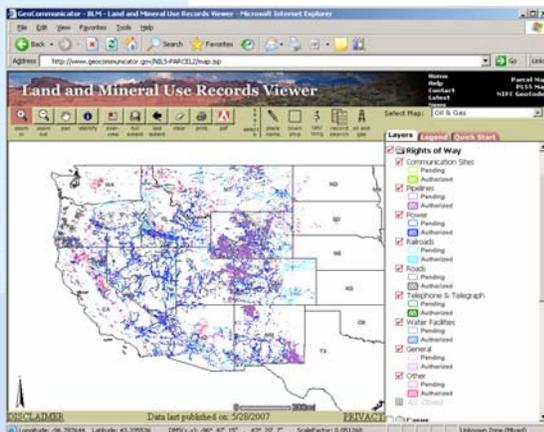


Accessing GeoCommunicator's Rights-of-Way Records

The Land and Mineral Use Records interactive map is available through the BLM's GeoCommunicator website (www.geocommunicator.gov) and contains information from the BLM's National Integrated Land System (NILS) with access to the BLM's Legacy Rehost System - LR2000 (www.blm.gov/lr2000). The following instructions will guide you through an interactive web mapping session where you can search for Rights-of-Way (ROW) data and integrate it with other spatial reference themes from the BLM and USGS.



Land & Mineral Use Records Home



Map Viewer with ROW layer

Connect to the GeoCommunicator website at <http://www.geocommunicator.gov>. Use **Internet Explorer as your browser. Pop-Ups must be allowed.** Note: ROWs are shown on the map by their legal description and not by a center-line. Not all ROW data is in GeoCommunicator.

Click **"Land & Mineral Use Records"**. This link takes you to an introductory page where you can learn about the BLM's Land and Mineral Use Records and what the web site has to offer.

Click **"Launch Map Viewer"** on the left menu.

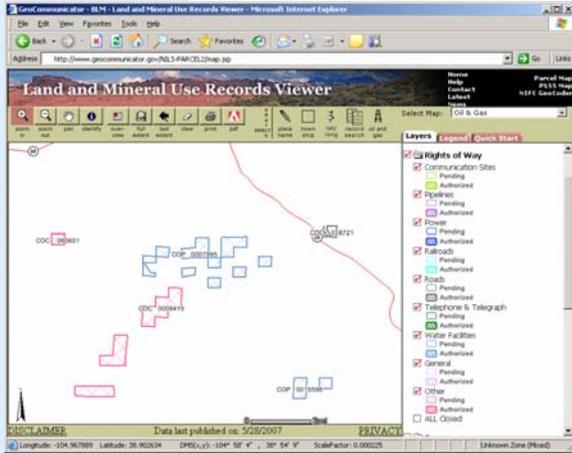
The Land & Mineral Use Records Viewer offers the capability to search, access, and dynamically map data from NILS and provides links to BLM's LR2000 System for reports.

Use the **"Select Map"** pull down arrow to select one of the following maps, Oil & Gas, Mining Claims, Geothermal, Solid Minerals or Energy. ROWs are on **all** map viewers.

The map **layers** provide reference themes from BLM and USGS to provide spatial context that can be used to help you locate an area or to create a map. Open the ROW folder under the **layers** tab and select a layer.

Layers that are active have a check mark next to the name and the name is in **bold**. The map layers in light gray are not active at the current map display. Zooming in/out will activate/deactivate the map layers.

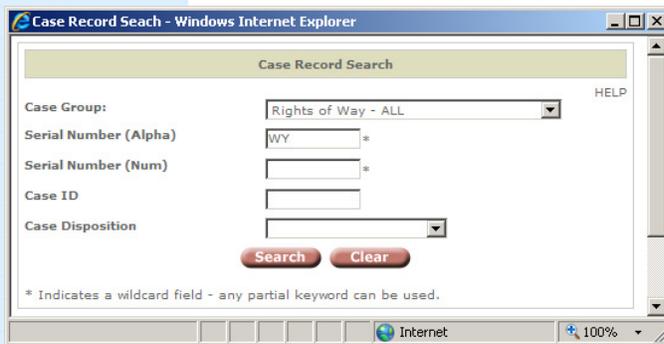
The base maps can be toggled on and off by clicking the buttons under the "Base Maps" folder.



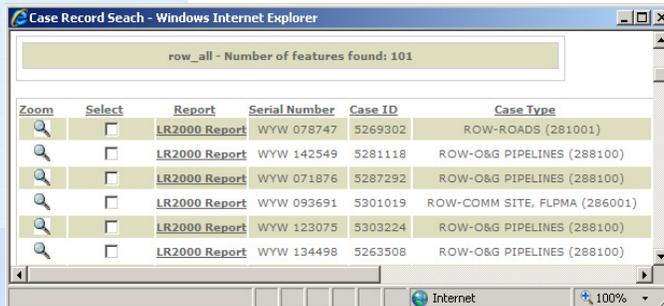
ROW Parcels



Township Search with results



Search Using ROW Information



ROW Search Results

SEARCH For Rights-of-Way 4-ways

1-Search using Map tools



Click "Zoom In" from the menu bar, then click (hold) and drag a box on the map where you want to zoom in to. Zoom in to display the ROW cases.

-OR-

2-Search using Place Name or Township Search



Click on "Place Name" from the menu bar, and enter the name of a place, such as a city, state, county, etc. A list of place names is returned. Click on the appropriate name in the list to zoom to your area of interest.

-OR-

3-Search using Township Search

Click Township and enter State, Meridian, Township, Range. From the search results select zoom to go to the location. For a list of all ROW cases in the township, select **LR2000 CR Geo Report**. See Run LR2000 Reports below for more info.



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4-Search using Case Record Search



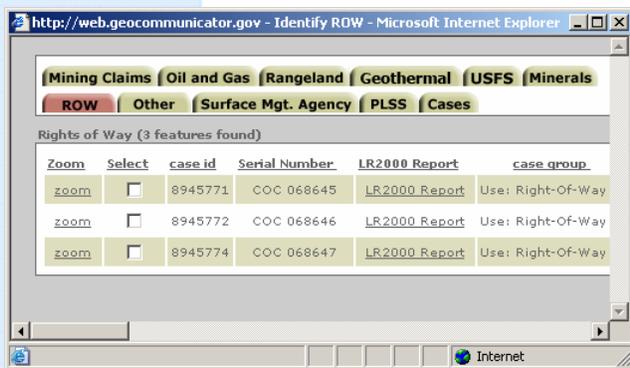
Click on "Record Search" from the menu bar. A new Case Record Search window will appear. Select Rights-of-Way from the scroll bar. Search for a ROW by Serial Number and/or Case ID.

A partial serial number may be entered in either the alpha or numerical field. For example, enter WY in the Serial Number (Alpha) field and click "Search".

SEARCH RESULTS

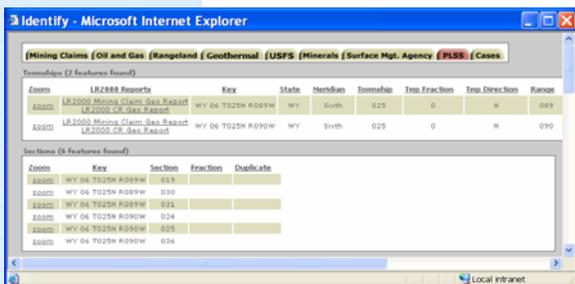
All of the ROW cases that meet your search criteria will be displayed in the search results. Click in the "Select" box to highlight the parcel or select "Zoom" to go to the parcel on the map.

Click "LR2000 Report" to get an **up-to-date** serial register report of the case directly from the BLM LR2000 Reporting System. The report contains all the online data we have for the ROW case.



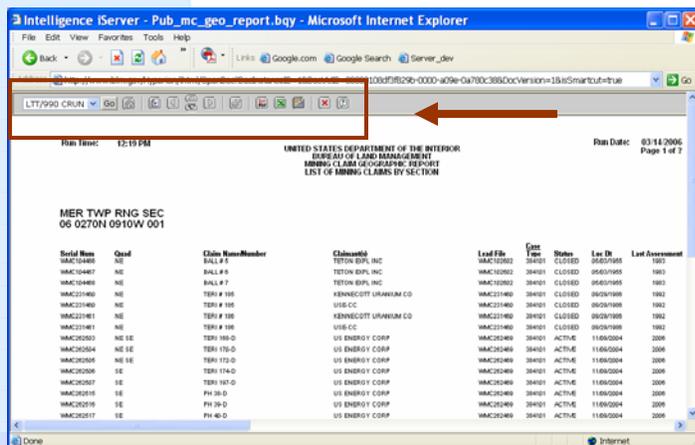
Identify Window – Showing ROW Record Information

For a full **up-to-date** report, click on **“LR2000”** from the **Identify Window** to get a serial register page directly from the BLM’s LR2000 Reporting System.



Identify Window - showing information under the PLSS tab including links to TWP CR GeoReport

The **Township Search** also provides links to the **TWP CR Geo Report**.



For more information visit <http://www.geocommunicator.gov>.

Identify Rights-of-Way Parcels



The **“Identify”** button is used to display record information about a parcel on the map. Click the **“Identify”** button and then click on the parcel on the map. From the **Identify Window** click on the tabs for record data including Surface Management Agency, PLSS (T/R/S) and Cases That Affect Land Status (conveyances, withdrawals and classifications).

Click on **“Zoom”** to go to the record you want to display on the map. To highlight the parcel on the map, check the **“Select”** box next to the record. The data in the **Identify Window** is a subset of the data that is in LR2000 and is a few weeks old.

Run LR2000 Reports - Find ROW cases that aren't being displayed

Under the **PLSS** tab you can get a **LR2000 CR Geo Report**. Click on the link to launch a live report from the LR2000 reporting system. This report will display the active and closed ROW cases by serial number that occur within the township. All ROWs have a casetype that begins with 28.

This will help you to find all of the ROW cases occurring on a piece of land even though they are not displayed on the map or contained in GeoCommunicator.

LR2000 Reports

Use the controls at the top of the LR2000 report to view all of the pages in the report or to export the data to an excel spreadsheet.

You can also get LR2000 reports directly from the LR2000 Reporting System at: <http://www.blm.gov/lr2000>, select Reports from the menu bar.

