Ephedra spp., and Opuntia spp.

#### CULTURAL RESOURCES

No cultural resources were recorded during this reconnaissance.

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

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# South Mattix Unit #28

# LOCATION

The drill pad will measure 400 ft by 400 ft and will be centered in the:

NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>, Section 22, T24S, R37E, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico (BLM)

Map Reference: USGS Jal Northeast Quadrangle, 7.5 minute series.

### TERRAIN

Local terrain consists of a flat plain characterized by a desert pavement.

## FLORISTICS

The areal floral assemblage consists of unidentified grasses with Yucca spp., Ephedra spp., and Opuntia spp.

# CULTURAL RESOURCES

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#### RECOMMENDATIONS

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