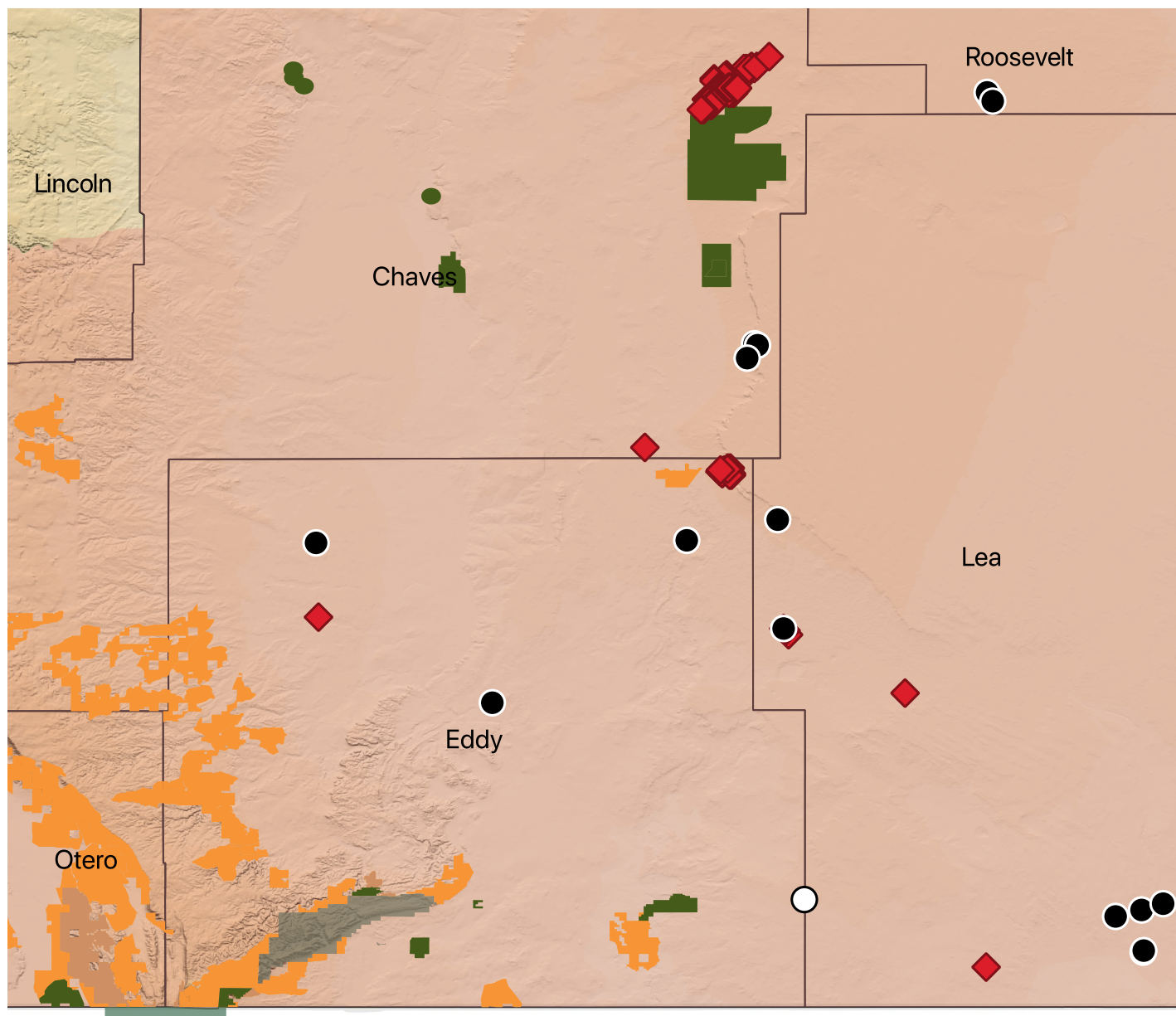


# Federal Oil & Gas Wells in Southeastern New Mexico with Potential Reclamation Violations



Across Chaves, Roosevelt, Eddy, and Lea Counties, there are 68 orphaned wells, 16 wells with expired temporarily abandoned (TA) approval, and 1 well with TA approval that does not have requisite justification for such approval.

All wells with potential reclamation violations overlap big game priority corridors.

- ◆ Orphaned Wells
- Wells with Expired TA Approval
- Wells with TA Approval that Lack Requisite Justification
- Areas of Critical Environmental Concern
- Big Game Priority Corridors
- Potential Wilderness

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Spatial Data Sources:  
ACECs: BLM 2021;  
Potential Wilderness: NM Wild 2021;  
Big Game Priority Corridors: RMW  
2020;  
Wells: EMNRD 2021;  
Topography: Earth Data Analysis  
Center, UNM