



COAL MINING PERMIT - TECHNICAL REVISION DECISION

New Elk Mine, New Elk Coal Company, LLC
Permit No. C-1981-012

The Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety has proposed the decision stated below. Provided there are no objections, the decision will become effective upon the termination of the ten (10) day public comment period, in accordance with Rule 2.08.4(6)(b)(iii).

Technical Revision No. 68

Decision: Approve

Submittal Date: July 2, 2013

Decision Date: January 26, 2015

Description of Revision: Responses to 2012 Midterm Review

DIVISION OF RECLAMATION, MINING AND PERMITTEE
SAFETY

Michael P. Boulay

Authorized Representative - Division

Authorized Representative - Permittee (if applicable)

Date: January 29, 2015

Date:

| CHANGE IN ACREAGE | | REVISED TOTAL ACREAGE | | PERFORMANCE BOND | |
|-------------------|------|-----------------------|----------|----------------------|----------------|
| Disturbed: | 0.00 | Disturbed: | 222.60 | Prior Liability: | \$4,183,216.08 |
| Affected: | 0.00 | Affected: | 2,899.21 | Change in Liability: | (\$60,416.10) |
| Permit: | 0.00 | Permit: | 4,198.90 | Revised Liability: | \$4,122,799.98 |
| State: | 0.00 | State: | 3,288.40 | Bond Held: | \$4,133,137.02 |
| Federal: | 0.00 | Federal: | 0.00 | | |
| Private: | 0.00 | Private: | 910.50 | | |
| County: | 0.00 | County: | 0.00 | | |

REVISED APPLICATION PAGES

Table of Contents
Pages 2.03-1 through -9 will be replaced with:
Section 2.03, pages 1-13
Pages 2.04-1 through -4
Pages 2.04-51 and -52
Pages 2.05-1 through -60 will be replaced with:
Section 2.05, pages 1-73. (Please scan this as
"Section 2.05, part 1 of 2")

REVISED MAPS

Maps 1, 2, 10, 11-Sheet 1, 11-Sheet 2, 11-Sheet 3,
13, 14, 15, 23

Pages 2.05-61 through -87 will be retained. Pages 2.05-88 through -94 will be replaced with: Section 2.05, pages 88-100, and figures 2-23. (Please scan this as “Section 2.05, part 2 of 2”)

Section 3.0, pages 1-6

Exhibit 14: 2013 Soil Survey, New Elk Mine (30 pages) to be added

Exhibit 15: March 24, 2014 letter from CPW (1 page) to be added

Exhibit 16 title page will be replaced with: Exhibit 16, pages 1 and 2

Exhibit 28 title page

Exhibit 28 Appendix B part 1 (129 pages)

DELETED APPLICATION PAGES

N/a

DELETED MAPS

N/a