

Example Publication for Incremental Bond Reduction

Public Notice
Application for Bond Reduction
Under Chapter 19, Title 45.1
Code of Virginia

(Company Name) is applying for bond reduction on Permit No. _____ located in _____ County (Precise Location). This permit consists of _____ acres which are bonded for \$ _____ in the form of (**Specify bond type: cash, certificate of deposit, and/or insurance surety**). As provided by §§4 VAC 25-130-800.40 and 4 VAC 25-130-801.17 of the **Virginia Coal Surface Mining Reclamation Regulations**, the Applicant is requesting a [Specify Phase of release requested as shown] **Phase I, Phase II or Phase III-(final release of increments listed)** bond reduction of \$ _____ on increment number(s) _____, consisting of _____ acres.

This bond reduction request is based on completion of **(number)** full growing season(s) and the following reclamation:

1. **Types of Reclamation Work Performed**
2. **Appropriate Date(s) of Reclamation Work Performed**
3. **Description of Reclamation Results Achieved**
4. **Description of the Post-Mining Land Use**

Any person with a valid legal interest which might be adversely affected by this proposal; or an officer or head of any federal, state or local government agency or authority may within 30 days of **(Date of Last Publication)** submit written comments or objections concerning this bond reduction, and may also request, in writing, that the Division of Mined Land Reclamation hold a public hearing or an informal conference. A copy of materials concerning this request will be available for public inspection at the Division of Mined Land Reclamation's office in Big Stone Gap, Virginia.

All correspondence should be submitted to the Division of Mined Land Reclamation (**Attention: Permit Section**), P. O. Drawer 900, Big Stone Gap, Virginia, 24219. Telephone (276) 523-8100. Written comments and a request for informal conference may be e-mailed to the Division at DmlrPublicNotice@dmme.virginia.gov.

