

Example Publication for Pool Bonding, Incremental Bond Reduction (4 CONSECUTIVE WEEKS/30 DAY COMMENT)

Public Notice
Application for Bond Reduction
Under Chapter 19, Title 45.2
Code of Virginia

PUBLICATION NUMBER: _____

APPLICATION NUMBER: _____

_____**(Company Name)**_____ is applying for bond reduction on Permit No. _____ located in _____ County _____**(Precise Location)**_____. This permit consists of _____ acres which are bonded under the Virginia Coal Surface Mining Reclamation Fund (Pool Bond) for \$ _____ in the form of **(Specify bond type: cash, certificate of deposit, and/or insurance surety)**. As provided by 4VAC25-130-800.40 of the **Virginia Coal Surface Mining Reclamation Regulations**, the Applicant is requesting a bond reduction of \$ _____ on increment number(s) _____, consisting of _____ acres.

This bond reduction request is based on completion of **(backfilling & regrading-Phase I, two growing seasons-Phase II and/or five full growing seasons-Phase III)** and the following reclamation: **(Note: If multiple phases are being requested in this application (e.g. Phase I and/or Phase II, Phase III) the information should be listed for each phase)**

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 Mined Land Repurposing Program hold an Informal Conference concerning this application. A copy of the application materials is available electronically for public inspection at <https://www.energy.virginia.gov/dmlrinquiry/frmMain.aspx?ctl=4>.

All correspondence concerning this application should be submitted to the Mined Land Repurposing Program (**Attention: Permit Section**), 3405 Mountain Empire Road, Big Stone Gap, Virginia 24219. Telephone (276) 523-8160. Written comments and a request for informal conference may be e-mailed to the Division at repurposingpublicnotice@energy.virginia.gov.