

**MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT**  
Land Management Administration • Bureau of Mines  
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**APPLICATION FOR PERMIT RENEWAL**

Permit Application No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**EXISTING PERMIT INFORMATION:**

Permit No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Issued: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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**RENEWAL PERMIT INFORMATION:**

Date of Request: \_\_\_\_\_

Requested Term of Renewal (No. of years, not to exceed 5): \_\_\_\_\_

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1. Name of Applicant or Company: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone No. \_\_\_\_\_ Applicant Employer ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_

3. If single proprietorship or partnership, list owners. If other structure, list all officers, directors, persons performing function similar to a director, and stockholders owning 10% or more of stock. Use additional pages, if necessary and label Attachment 3.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Attach a copy of the Notice of Application for Renewal of Surface Mining Permit to be submitted to the newspaper(s), as required by COMAR 26.20.04, and label Attachment 4.

**NOTE:** Submit, under separate cover, no later than two weeks after the last date of publication, a copy of the newspaper advertisement and certified proof of publication from the newspaper.

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- 5. Attach a certificate of liability insurance as required by Regulation 26.20.15 and label Attachment 5.
- 6. In accordance with Environment Article §1-202, Annotated Code of Maryland, provide either:
  - a) A Certificate of Compliance with the Maryland Workers' Compensation Act; or
  - b) A Workers' Compensation Insurance policy or binder number: \_\_\_\_\_
- 7. Attach evidence that any performance bond required to be in effect for the operations will continue in full force and effect for the proposed period of renewal and label Attachment 7.
- 8. Has a "Final or Completion Report" been filed with the Bureau for this permit?  
 Yes       No.  
If YES, skip Questions 9 and 10.
- 9. Since the permit was issued, have there been changes in areas adjacent to the permit so that the permit area is now located:

	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>
- Within 300 feet of occupied dwelling(s)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Within 100 feet of the right of way of a public road(s)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Within 25 feet, or a distance of 2 feet, for each vertical foot of a highwall or any adjacent property line?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Within 300 feet of a public building, school, church, community, institutional building or public park?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Within 100 feet of a cemetery?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Within 100 feet of an intermittent or perennial stream?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Within 500 feet of an abandoned or active underground mine?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
- Within an area designated unsuitable for surface mining operations?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

If YES, describe each instance and label Attachment 8.

- 10. Provide any changes or additions to the list of names and addresses of all property owners, or owners of structures within one-half mile of the proposed permit area and label Attachment 10. The list shall identify:
  - Those property owners within 1,000 feet.
  - Those property owners who own dwellings or structures within 1,000 feet (indicate dwelling or type of structure on list).
  - Those persons who own wells and springs within 1,000 feet (indicate well and/or spring on the list).

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**SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT OR AUTHORIZED AGENT**

The undersigned, being first duly sworn, states that to the best of their knowledge all the information provided in this Application for Permit Renewal is true and correct. The undersigned further acknowledges that any information provided or omitted herein for the purpose of defrauding or misleading the Maryland Bureau of Mines may result in criminal charges being instituted pursuant to applicable state laws.

Applicant Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Applicant or Agent Whose Signature Appears Below: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Applicant or Agent\*: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Subscribed and sworn to before me by \_\_\_\_\_

The \_\_\_\_\_ Day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_\_

Notary Public: \_\_\_\_\_

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_ State in which Commissioned: \_\_\_\_\_

\*NOTE: If signer is other than president or secretary of a corporation, attach a notarized copy of power of attorney, or certified resolution which grants signer the legal authority to represent the applicant in this application. (Does not apply to a single proprietorship or partnership.) Such documents should include evidence the power was in effect on the date of the signing.

**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR STRIP MINE PERMIT RENEWAL**

Notice is hereby given that \_\_\_\_\_  
Company or Applicant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

in compliance with Maryland's Federally approved Surface Coal Mine Regulatory Program, has submitted an application for renewal of surface coal mine Permit No. \_\_\_\_\_. This application is for renewal of an existing permit only. The application does not add any area to the existing permit. The operation is located near \_\_\_\_\_,

Town

Maryland on the \_\_\_\_\_ side of \_\_\_\_\_,  
Direction Stream or Tributary

in Election District No. \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ County, MD Grid Coordinates

N. \_\_\_\_\_, E. \_\_\_\_\_. Access to the site is from \_\_\_\_\_,  
Route/street/road

\_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_.  
Miles Direction Town/Intersection/Landmark, etc.

Surface of the permit area is owned by \_\_\_\_\_  
Name(s)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address(es)

and the mineral is owned by \_\_\_\_\_  
Names(s)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address(es)

The permit area is within the U.S. Geologic Survey \_\_\_\_\_ 7.5 minute quadrangle. (A vicinity sketch or written description of the boundaries shall be provided, see Map/Location instructions below).

Questions concerning this application may be directed to the Maryland Bureau of Mines, Permitting Section (301)689-1440.

A copy of the application is available for public review at the Bureau of Mines, 160 South Water Street, Frostburg, MD during normal office hours. Written comments on this application and requests for a Public hearing will be received until \_\_\_\_\_ by the Maryland Bureau of Mines, Permitting Section, 160 South Water Street, Frostburg, Maryland 21532.

Attention: Permit No. \_\_\_\_\_.

**Map/Location Instructions**

The map must be of sufficient size and clarity to be legible in the newspaper advertisement. Possible sources include: USGS Topographic maps, County Topographic maps, and County Road maps.

The Maryland Grid Coordinates in the advertisement and on the map must be the same and should cross at or near the geographical center of the proposed operation.

If a map is not included with the advertisement, the advertisement must include a deed description of the property and the permit area to be mined.

**NOTE: THIS ADVERTISEMENT MUST APPEAR, AT LEAST ONCE A WEEK FOR 4 CONSECUTIVE WEEKS, IN A LOCAL NEWSPAPER OF GENERAL CIRCULATION IN THE COUNTY WHERE THE PERMIT TO BE RENEWED IS LOCATED.**

*This Notice is provided pursuant to § 10-624 of the State Government Article of the Maryland Code. The personal information requested on this form is intended to be used in processing your application. Failure to provide the information requested may result in your application not being processed. You have the right to inspect, amend, or correct this form. The Maryland Department of the Environment ("MDE") is a public agency and subject to the Maryland Public Information Act (Md. Code Ann., State Gov't §§ 10-601, et seq.). This form may be made available on the Internet via MDE's website and is subject to inspection or copying, in whole or in part, by the public and other governmental agencies, if not protected by federal or State law.*