WEST VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

OFFICE OF ABANDONED MINE LANDS AND RECLAMATION

Public meetings will be conducted to describe proposed Abandoned Mine Land reclamation projects, which have as their objective the alleviation of health, safety and environmental problems created by coal mines abandoned prior to August 3, 1977. Information regarding these projects, including required NEPA documentation, can be obtained from the WVDEP at 304-926-0485. The following projects, referred to as the **2024 Planning List** listed with county locations will be explained at the public meetings:

Project Name	County	Region
Meadow Fork Clogged Stream	Fayette	South
	Monongali	North
Deckers Creek Stream Restoration	a	
	Monongali	North
Morgantown Drilling and Grouting	a	

These projects will be submitted to the Office of Surface Mining for funding consideration. Public meetings to explain the projects will be conducted as follows:

South Region – Wednesday, November 20, 2024, Fayetteville - WV DEP, Office of Abandoned Mine Lands and Reclamation, 1159 Nick Rahall Greenway, Fayetteville, WV 25840. 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. Contact: Jeff Davis – Planning Supervisor, Southern Region, 304-414-1204, Jeffrey.davis@wv.gov.

North Region – Thursday, November 21, 2024, Fairmont - WV DEP, Office of Abandoned Mine Lands and Reclamation, 1000 Technology Drive, Fairmont, WV 26554, Suite 3220. 2:00 p.m.-4:00 p.m. Contact Jonathan Knight – Planning Administrator, Northern Region, 304-848-2074, <u>Jonathan.l.knight@wv.gov</u>.

An option for virtual attendance will be provided. If planning to attend virtually, please contact Megan Jones at 304-848-2085, megan.a.jones@wv.gov for access. Should you not be able to attend the meeting, please contact one of the listed individuals regarding additional opportunities to discuss the project(s).