

Coal Section

Surface Mine Permit Bond Release Form

*This application form is for bond release pertaining to Phases I, II, III, IV and/or Undisturbed acres.*

**The applicant agrees to:**

1. If federal minerals or surface are involved, send 1 complete copy to Office of Surface Mining (OSM), Casper Field Office Director and 1 complete copy to OSM, Denver Program Support Division Manager.
2. If there are no federal acres involved, send 1 complete copy of this application and attachments to OSM, Casper Field Office Director.
3. File application during the appropriate time or season pursuant to Administrative Rules of Montana (ARM) 17.24.1111(2).
4. Submit Affidavit of Publication following the publication of Public Notice.

**Attach any** **support documents that are referenced in this application and check the appropriate boxes below to indicate those attached.**

1. [ ]  Copies of letters sent to landowners
2. [ ]  Appropriate narrative and/or tables addressing 82-4-232(6)(a) and (b) MCA, ARM 17.24.1111 and 17.24.1116
3. [ ]  Proposed Public Notice pursuant to 82-4-232(6)(a) MCA
4. [ ]  Maps *(as necessary to evaluate the reclamation)*
5. [ ]  Other *(Please describe)*:

**SECTION A – APPLICANT INFORMATION**

## A1.

1. Permit ID Number:
Site Name:
Date Permit Approved:
2. Name of Applicant:
Address:
City:  State:  Zip Code:

**SECTION B – BOND RELEASE**

## B1.

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| **Name of Bonding Agent** | **Address** | **City** | **State** | **Zip Code** | **Bond No(s)** |
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1. Current bond amount in effect: **$0.00**
2. Total amount of bond requested for release: **$0.00**
3. Bond Remaining if total release is granted: **$0.00**
4. Type of Disturbance: Mine Level [ ]  Associated [ ]  Facilities [ ]
5. Bond Release Phases

|  |  |  |
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| **Phase** | **Acres****\**no decimals*** | **Dollar Amount Requested** |
| **Phase I: (Defined in ARM 17.24.1116(6)(a))** | **0** | **$0.00** |
| **Phase II: (Defined in ARM 17.24.1116(6)(b))** | **0** | **$0.00** |
| **Phase III: (Defined in ARM 17.24.1116(6)(c))** | **0** | **$0.00** |
| **Phase IV: (Defined in ARM 17.24.1116(6)(d))** | **0** | **$0.00** |
| **Undisturbed Acres** | **0** | **$0.00** |

1. Breakdown of Final Bond Release Acres
(*Only applies to Phase IV, Undisturbed, or Pre-1989 Phase III*)

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|  | **Permit Acreage Mineral** | **Permit Acreage Surface** |
|  **Federal:** | **0** | **0** |
| **Tribal:** | **0** | **0** |
| **State:** | **0** | **0** |
| **Private:** | **0** | **0** |
| **County:** | **0** | **0** |
| **Total:** | **0** | **0** |

1. Legal Description of Bond Release Area:
2. Check all that apply:

**Mineral Ownership**

Federal **[ ]** State  **[ ]** Tribal **[ ]** Private **[ ]** County **[ ]** Other **[ ]**

**Surface Ownership**

Federal **[ ]** State  **[ ]** Tribal **[ ]** Private **[ ]** County **[ ]** Other **[ ]**

**SECTION C – CERTIFICATION \*MUST BE CONSISTENT WITH DESIGNATION OF PERMIT COORDINATOR**

Pursuant to ARM 17.24.1111(4), I, the undersigned, hereby certify that all applicable reclamation requirements have been achieved in accordance with the Act, and the approved reclamation plan.

**Signature:**

**Title:**

**Date:**

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the under­signed, a Notary Public for the State of this day of , \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

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 Notary Public for the State of: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Residing at: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

My Commission expires: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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