



March 8, 2021

Nelson & Harriet Giacomo
5666 Woodhaven Rd
Pinckneyville, IL 62274

Dear Sir/Madam:

As you may be aware, Knight Hawk Coal, LLC recently submitted Permit No. 377, Significant Revision No. 6 to the Illinois Department of Natural Resources, Office of Mines and Minerals, Land Reclamation Division (IDNR-OMM-LRD). The purpose of the permit application is to obtain approval to add an additional underground mining area to our existing Prairie Eagle Underground Mine. The additional mining area will allow coal removal utilizing underground mining methods.

The proposed mining area, including an area one-half mile beyond the extents of the mining area is located in portions of Section(s) 19, 21, 22, 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, and 34, Township 4 South, Range 3 West, and Section(s) 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 34, 35, and 36, Township 4 South, Range 4 West, and Section(s) 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 27, and 28, Township 5 South, Range 3 West, and Section(s) 1, 2, 3, 11, 12, and 13, Township 5 South, Range 4 West, all in Perry County, Illinois.

The permit application requires mine operators to submit information to IDNR-OMM-LRD relative to private water supplies in the general area of the mine location. Public records indicate you own property within one-half mile from the proposed boundary of the new underground mining area.

Enclosed, please find a map illustrating the location of the proposed mining area outlined in blue, and the boundaries within one-half mile of the proposed mining area outlined in red. Please take a few minutes of your time to review the map to determine if you own property, and possess an active water supply within the interior of the thick red line. Should you determine you do have an active water supply inside the red line please complete the enclosed water usage survey to the best of your knowledge and mail it to the address listed on the survey form.

In accordance with the regulations of 62 Illinois Administrative Code, Section 1780.21(e), Knight Hawk Coal, LLC is required to solicit this information from you. Although Knight Hawk Coal, LLC would appreciate your participation, current regulations do not require that you respond to this request. Any information you provide is voluntary on your part.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact personnel at Midwest Reclamation Resources, Inc., (618) 687-5590.

Sincerely,

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Vice President - Engineering & Development

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Prairie Eagle Mine – Shadow Area Expansion

Nelson Giacomo

Your Name

5666 Woodhaven Rd

Your Street Address

Pinckneyville, IL 62274

City, State, Zip Code

Please complete survey and mail to:
Midwest Reclamation Resources, Inc.
P.O. Box 1642
Murphysboro, IL 62966

Source of water supply (circle all that apply):

Municipal, Well, Cistern, Other CISTERN

Name of municipal supplier (if applicable):

For what purpose(s) do you use water from the municipal supplier (circle all that apply):

Drinking, Cooking, Sanitary, Irrigation, Livestock Watering, Other

Total number of wells on property (if applicable):

Approximate age of well(s) (if known):

Well(s) construction method (circle all that apply): Drilled, Dug, Other

Well(s) depth & diameter (if known):

Well(s) casing material (if known):

PVC, Concrete, Concrete Pipe, Brick, Block, Other

For what purpose(s) do you use water from the well (circle all that apply):

Drinking, Cooking, Sanitary, Irrigation, Livestock Watering, Other

Total number of cisterns on property (if applicable): 1

Approximate age of cistern(s) (if known): 60 yrs

Cistern(s) construction method (circle all that apply): Drilled, Dug, Other Dug

Cistern(s) depth & diameter (if known): 9 ft x 8 ft

Cistern(s) casing material (if known):

PVC, Concrete, Concrete Pipe, Brick, Block, Other Plaster

For what purpose(s) do you use water from the cistern (circle all that apply):

Drinking, Cooking, Sanitary, Irrigation, Livestock Watering, Other

Prairie Eagle Mine - Shadow Area

