

**CENTENNIAL NATURAL RESOURCES, LLC.  
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ALABAMA SURFACE MINING COMMISSION

SURFACE MINING PERMIT APPLICATION

**P A R T I**

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# STATE OF ALABAMA SURFACE MINING COMMISSION

- ( X ) Transfer Application for a Surface Coal Mine  
( ) Transfer Application for an Underground Coal Mine  
( ) Transfer Application for a Preparation Facility

NAME OF CURRENT PERMITTEE: Reed Minerals, Inc.  
ADDRESS: 3699 Industrial Parkway, Jasper AL 35501

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## PART I A. IDENTIFICATION

### 1. PERMIT APPLICANT

Name: Centennial Natural Resources, LLC.  
Street Address: 3699 Industrial Parkway  
City: Jasper State: AL Zip: 35501  
Mailing Address: P. O. Box 2420  
City: Jasper State: AL Zip: 35502  
Telephone Number: (205) 295-2224  
Social Security Number (Voluntary): - -  
Employer Identification Number: 46-4161047  
ASMC License#: L-836

### 2. ENTITY OR PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR PAYING ABANDONED MINE LAND RECLAMATION FEES

Name: Centennial Natural Resources, LLC.  
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### 3. IDENTIFY THE OPERATOR FOR THIS MINE IF DIFFERENT FROM THE PERMITTEE

Name: SAME AS PERMITTEE  
Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Number: ( ) -  
Social Security Number (Voluntary): - -  
Employer Identification Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
ASMC License#: \_\_\_\_\_

### 4. CONTACT PERSON FOR PERMIT REVIEW ISSUES AND CORRESPONDENCE

Name: McGehee Engineering, Corp.  
Mailing Address: P. O. Box 3431, 450 19th Street West  
City: Jasper State: AL Zip: 35502  
Telephone Number: (205) 221-0686  
Email Address: jwhitlock@mcgehee.org

**PART I B. OWNERSHIP AND CONTROL**

**1. PERMIT APPLICANT OWNERSHIP AND CONTROL.**

At the time of filing of this application provide an update of all information contained in the applicant's license file or certify that the information contained in the license is accurate and complete. The updated information shall be submitted on Part I A through Part I F of the License application form. Check one of the following:

A license update is included.

Information contained in the license file is accurate and complete at the time of filing of this application.  
No update is included.

Following notification that the permit appears eligible for issuance, the applicant must certify that all information in this application and the license file pertaining to ownership and control, surface mining history and violation history is still valid or the applicant must submit the appropriate update information.

**2. OPERATOR OWNERSHIP AND CONTROL.**

If someone other than the permittee has been identified as the operator under this permit, an update of the ownership and control information contained in the operator's license file must be provided or certify that the information contained in the license file is accurate and complete. The updated information shall be submitted on Part I A through Part I F of the License application form. Check one of the following:

A license update is included.

Information contained in the license file is accurate and complete at the time of filing of this application.  
No update is included.

Following notification that the permit appears eligible for issuance, the applicant must certify that all information in this application and the license file pertaining to ownership and control, surface mining history and violation history is still valid or the applicant must submit the appropriate update information.

**3. CONTROL OF MINING OPERATION THROUGH CONTROL OF COAL TO BE MINED.**

Provide the information below for any person or entity who owns or controls the coal to be mined under this permit and who, by lease, sublease, or other contract:

- A. has the right to receive the coal after mining, or,
- B. has the authority to determine the manner in which the operator or permittee conducts surface coal mining operations.

(USE ADDITIONAL SHEETS IN THE FORMAT BELOW IF NECESSARY)

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PART I C. (CONTINUED)

**2. OWNERSHIP OF SURFACE AND MINERAL LANDS CONTIGUOUS TO THE AREA TO BE MINED.**  
**INSTRUCTIONS:**

Provide the information below for the owners of record of all surface and mineral properties contiguous to any part of the proposed permit area.

USE ADDITIONAL SHEETS IN THE FORMAT BELOW AS NECESSARY

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Name: U.S.X. CORPORATION  
Address: 600 GRANT STREET  
City: PITTSBURGH State: PA Zip: 15219  
Interest owned (Surface, Coal or Fee Simple): SURFACE and MINERAL  
Type of Interest (Owner, Lease, or Other): OWNER

**3. INTERESTS OR PENDING INTERESTS IN LANDS CONTIGUOUS TO THE PERMIT AREA.**  
**INSTRUCTIONS:**

THE APPLICANT HAS NO INTEREST IN ANY LANDS OR CONTIGUOUS LAND  
OTHER THAN THE PERMITTED AREA.

Give the legal description of all lands contiguous to the permit area for which the permit applicant:

1. Holds an interest,
2. Holds an option, or
3. Has made a bid for ownership, lease or other interest.

**USE ADDITIONAL SHEETS IN THE FORMAT BELOW AS NECESSARY**

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Legal description: \_\_\_\_\_

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**PART I D. PERMIT AREA INFORMATION**

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1. Give the requested term of this permit: 5 years.
2. Give the legal description of the land upon which the applicant proposes to conduct surface coal mining operations. List each quarter-quarter section, section, township, range, and county.

NE/SW, SE/SW & SW/SE of Section 26, NW/NW, NE/NW, NW/NE, SW/NW, SE/NW & NW/SW of Section 35, SE/NE, NE/SE, NE/SW, NW/SW, SW/SW, SE/SW, SW/SE and SE/SE of Section 34, SE/SW, SW/SE, SE/SE, NW/SE & NE/SE Section 33, Township 18 South, Range 8 West, NE/NW, NE/NE, SW/NE, SE/NW, NW/NE, SE/NE, NW/SW, NE/SW, NW/SE, NE/SE, SW/SW, SE/SW & SW/SE of Section 4, NW/NW, NE/NW, NW/NE, NE/NE, SW/NW, SE/NW, SW/NE, SE/NE, NW/SW, NE/SW, NW/SE, NE/SE, SW/SW, SE/SW, SE/SE & SW/SE of Section 3, SW/NW & NW/SW of Section 2, NW/NW, NE/NW and NW/NE of Section 9, NW/NW, NW/NE & NE/NW of Section 10, Township 19 South, Range 8 West, all in Tuscaloosa County, Alabama.

3. Give the acreage of the permit, each increment and the type of bonding.

a. Total permit acreage: 753.0 acres

- b. Give the acreage and type of bond for each mining increment:

<u>Increment</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Type Bond Proposed</u>
1.	162.0	Certificate of Deposit
2.	61.0	Certificate of Deposit
3.	155.0	Certificate of Deposit
4.	158.0	Certificate of Deposit
5.	190.0	Certificate of Deposit
6.	27.0	Certificate of Deposit

- c. Identify the increment(s) on which mining will initially begin upon issuance of this permit: Inc. No. 1 & Inc. No. 6

4. Has any acreage in the proposed permit area been previously disturbed by mining? ( ) YES (XX) NO

If yes, supply the following for any and all previously disturbed areas:

- a. Show the boundaries of the previously disturbed area(s) on the permit map and identify with an appropriate symbol.

See Permit Map

- b. List, for each area, the permit number under which it was disturbed and the number of acres. Indicate the status of each permit as Unreleased, Grading released, or 100% released. (If no permit, indicate as such)

<u>Permit</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Status</u>
<u>P-3509</u>	<u>81 Acres</u>	<u>100% Released</u>
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5. Is disturbance to be conducted within 300 feet, measured horizontally, from an occupied dwelling?

( ) YES (XX) NO.

If YES, attach a signed waiver from the owner of the dwelling indicating the minimum distance disturbance will be allowed by the owner.



**PUBLIC NOTICE FILING OF PERMIT APPLICATION**

In accordance with the provision of Act No. 81-435 of the State of Alabama and the regulations promulgated under this act, Centennial Natural Resources, LLC., 3699 Industrial Parkway, Jasper, Alabama 35501 hereby gives notice that it has filed application to succeed by transfer to the rights granted under Surface Coal Mining Permit Davis Creek West Mine (P-3871) currently held by Reed Minerals, Inc., 3699 Industrial Parkway, Jasper, Alabama 35501. The mine is located in:

NE/SW, SE/SW & SW/SE of Section 26, NW/NW, NE/NW, NW/NE, SW/NW, SE/NW & NW/SW of Section 35, SE/NE, NE/SE, NE/SW, NW/SW, SW/SW, SE/SW, SW/SE and SE/SE of Section 34, SE/SW, SW/SE, SE/SE, NW/SE & NE/SE Section 33, Township 18 South, Range 8 West, NE/NW, NE/NE, SW/NE, SE/NW, NW/NE, SE/NE, NW/SW, NE/SW, NW/SE, NE/SE, SW/SW, SE/SW & SW/SE of Section 4, NW/NW, NE/NW, NW/NE, NE/NE, SW/NW, SE/NW, SW/NE, SE/NE, NW/SW, NE/SW, NW/SE, NE/SE, SW/SW, SE/SW, SE/SE & SW/SE of Section 3, SW/NW & NW/SW of Section 2, NW/NW, NE/NW and NW/NE of Section 9, NW/NW, NW/NE & NE/NW of Section 10, Township 19 South, Range 8 West, all in Tuscaloosa County, Alabama.

A copy of the permit application is available for public inspection and review on the Alabama Surface Mining Commission website <http://surface-mining.alabama.gov>. A copy of the permit application is also available for public inspection and review at the office of the Alabama Surface Mining Commission located on the second floor of the Pinnacle Bank Building at 1811 2nd Avenue, Jasper, Alabama 35501. Written comments, objections, request for public hearing or request for informal conferences concerning this permit should be sent to the Alabama Surface Mining Commission, P.O. Box 2390, Jasper, Alabama 35502-2390, no later than 30 days from the last date of publication of this notice.

This notice to be published in The Tuscaloosa News.

**TO THE TUSCALOOSA NEWS:**

Please run this notice one time as soon as possible. Please send invoice and notarized proof of publication to:

Centennial Natural Resources, LLC.  
P. O. Box 2420  
Jasper, Alabama 35502  
Telephone (205) 295-2224

If you should have any questions or need additional information, please call:  
Also please send a proof of publication to:

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