

Affidavit of Publication of Legal Notice

State of Alabama
Walker County

Before me, a notary public in and for the county and state above listed, personally appeared Jack McNeely, who, by me duly sworn, deposes and says that: "My name is Jack McNeely". I am the Publisher of the *Daily Mountain Eagle*. The Newspaper is printed in the English language, has a general circulation and its principal editorial office in the county above listed and has been mailed under a publication class mailing privilege of the United States Postal Service from the post office where it is published at least 51 weeks a year.

The Newspaper published the attached legal notice in the issues of: 9/14, 9/17, 9/24, 10/1/12 date(s) of publication). A copy of each issue of the paper containing the notice was mailed to the person or official placing the legal notice. (If the post office address of the person to whom the notice is directed can be ascertained, a copy should be mailed by the person or official placing the advertisement to the person to whom the notice was directed).

The sum charged for these publication(s) was \$ _____. The sum charged by the Newspaper for said publication does not exceed the lowest is the actual lowest classified rate paid by commercial customers for an advertisement of similar size and frequency in the same newspaper(s) in which the public notice appeared.

There are no agreements between the Newspaper and the officer or attorney charged with the duty of placing the attached legal advertising notices whereby any advantage, gain or profit accrued to said officer or attorney.

AFFIANT *Jack McNeely*

Sworn and subscribed this 1 day of Oct, 2012.

Barbara Haynes
Notary Public
My Commission Expires 08/02/2016

PUBLIC NOTICE
Pursuant to 880-X-8M-07, Drummond Company, Inc., P.O. Box 1549, Jasper, Alabama 35502, hereby gives notice that it has filed application to renew Permit P-3890-64-13-S for Downey Branch Mine for a term of 5 years. The mine is located on the U.S.G.S. quadrangle map Jasper as follows: SW/SW, Sec. 34; Township 13 South, Range 9 West; NW/NW, NE/NW, SE/NW, SW/NE Sec. 2; NW/NW, NE/NW, SE/NW, SW/NW, NW/NE, NE/NE, SE/NE, SW/NE, NW/SE, SW/SE, NW/SW, NE/SW Sec. 3; NE/NE, SE/NE Sec. 4; Township 14 South, Range 9 West; Walker County, Alabama. A copy will be available for inspection at the Alabama Surface Mining Commission - Jasper Office
On-line at:
www.surface-mining.state.al.us/
Any person wishing to comment or to request an informal conference concerning the permit renewal must do so in writing no later than thirty (30) days following the date of this notice to the Alabama Surface Mining Commission, P.O. Box 2390, Jasper, Alabama 35502.
*Sept. 14, 17, 24, Oct. 1, 2012