

STATE OF ALABAMA

SURFACE MINING COMMISSION

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Permit Revision Number: R-9

REVISION TO PERMIT FOR SURFACE COAL MINING OPERATIONS

Pursuant to the Alabama Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act, Act No. 81-435, and duly promulgated rules of the Commission, revision is hereby approved for permit:

P-3919-64-29-U

Prospect Mining and Development Company, LLC

2002 2nd Avenue Jasper, AL 35501 (Carbon Hill Mine)

License No.:

L-788

Pursuant to the

Permit map:

1 of 1

Certified by:

Bradley K. Simmons PE # 33277

Date:

2/7/2024

The permit is revised as follows:

- 1. Delete 3.0 acres (Slurry Impoundment No. 5) from Increment No. 1 as undisturbed.
- 2. Add 4.0 acres to Increment No. 1 for Injection Wells, Slurry Pipelines, and Access.
- 3. Modify the General Plan.
- **R-9 Findings 1:** By comments dated July 27, 2023, the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service concurred the project is not likely to adversely affect the Indiana Bat and/or the Northern Long-Eared Bat if tree removal only occurs from October 15 through March 31.
- **R-9 Condition 1:** The permittee may only conduct tree removal from October 15 through March 31.
- **R-9 Condition 2:** If tree removal from the potential summer roosting habitat is necessary outside October 15 through March 31 timeframe an Indiana Bat and Northern Long-Eared Bat presence/absence survey must be conducted, and the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service approval must be submitted to ASMC prior to tree removal.

ACREAGE	SUMMARY:

*INCREMENT #1: increases ----- 130 acres

Total Acreage Increases to

130 Acres

*BONDED TO DATE

All other terms and conditions remain in effect as well as all Findings in the original permit and any Findings appropriate for this revision.

EFFECTIVE DATE: February 8, 2024

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Kathy H. Love, Director

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cc: I & E, Permit File