

Applicant: Ridgeholm Energy Partners, LLC  
Mine Name: John Poe Mine  
Permit Number: P-3981

Part IV - Reclamation Plan

A. Post-mining Land Use

1. Describe the proposed post-mining land use(s) for the permit area. If more than one land use is proposed, show on a map and give acreage for each use. Include comments from the legal owner of record concerning the proposed land use. (780.23, 816.133)

18.38 acres Prime Farmland and 51.62 acres undeveloped or no current use are in Increment No. 1. 1 acre for Roads 1P, 2P and 3P for permanent access roads and 5 acres for Basin 001P are in Increment No. 4. 63 acres undeveloped or no current use are in Increment No. 2. 3 acres for Basin 004P and 1 acre for Roads 4P and 5P are in Increment No. 3. Basins 001P and 004P will be Permanent Impoundments Fish & Wildlife Habitat.

2. Is the proposed land use different from the current land use? (780.23, 816.133)(XX)Yes( ) No

If yes, complete the following:

- (a) Is the area zoned for the proposed land use?  
(XX) Yes ( ) No
- (b) Is the proposed use compatible with adjacent land uses and applicable local and state land use policies?  
(XX) Yes ( ) No
- (c) Explain the feasibility of the proposed land use as related to land use trends, and explain how the land use will be developed, achieved, and sustained.

The proposed post mining land uses of undeveloped forest lands or no current use or land management, pastureland, access roads, are compatible with the land uses of the surrounding area. All basins and access roads will be designed, constructed and certified by or under the direct supervision of a registered professional engineer. There will be no public health or safety hazards or no threat of water diminution or pollution caused by the post mining land uses. The proposed post mining land uses, will not cause unreasonable delays in reclamation.

- (d) Include letters of commitment from outside parties ensuring the provision of any necessary public facilities and any state and local governmental agencies which have to initiate, implement, approve or authorize the proposed land use.
- (e) Enclose design plans for the proposed post-mining land use, if applicable.