



INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

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Mike Braun
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Commissioner

January 16, 2026

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL: Kshort@blackhawkmining.com

Ms. Kelly Short, Engineering Mgr.
Triad Mining, LLC
1216 E County Road 900 S
Oakland City, IN 47660

Dear Ms. Short:

Re: IDEM Approval of Renewal of NPDES General
Permit Coverage No. ING040130
IDNR Permit No. P-002
Triad Mining, LLC - Pike Mine No. 1
0.75 miles east of SR 64 and 1.5 miles south of
County Road 900 South
Oakland City, IN; Pike County

Our Office has reviewed your NPDES Notice of Intent (NOI) submittal that we received on October 29, 2025 requesting renewal of general permit coverage under 327 IAC15-7, the NPDES general permit-by-rule for Facilities Engaged in the Mining of Coal, Coal Processing, and Reclamation Activities. We are pleased to inform you that your NOI submittal is complete and that your NPDES general permit coverage for the Pike Mine No.1 will be renewed.

Our review determined that the activities associated your request are not the result of any new or expanded permitted mining operations. Mining activity is a process of sequential coal removal and reclamation and as mining progresses and reclamation follows these activities will not result in any unanticipated discharges to a receiving stream. IDEM determined, therefore, that your request for renewal of coverage may be approved in accordance with Indiana rules promulgated under 327 IAC15-7 and 327 IAC 2-1.3.

Since your current permit coverage expires on February 28, 2026, the renewed coverage **will become effective on March 1, 2026**, unless a person aggrieved or adversely affected by the approval appeals this decision. **Renewed permit coverage will expire on February 28, 2031**. In order to receive authorization to discharge beyond the date of expiration, the permittee shall submit such information and forms as required by the Indiana Department of Environmental Management no later than ninety (90) days prior to the date of expiration.



One condition of your permit requires periodic reporting of several effluent parameters which are listed in Attachment 2 to this letter. You are required to submit both federal discharge monitoring reports (DMRs) and state Monthly Monitoring Reports (MMRs) on a routine basis. The MMR form can be found at <https://www.in.gov/idem/cleanwater/wastewater-compliance/wastewater-reporting-forms-notice-and-instructions/>. Please note that IDEM no longer accepts paper DMR or MMR forms, so all NPDES permit holders are required to submit their monitoring data to IDEM using NetDMR. For more information on NetDMR, please see <https://www.in.gov/idem/cleanwater/resources/netdmr/>. Also, discharge limitations and monitoring requirements may be found in Attachment 2.

IDEM is required to serve notice of its decision to approve the renewal of general permit coverage for your facility under the general permit in accordance with the requirements of 327 IAC 5-3-14. It should also be noted that any appeal must be filed under procedures outlined in IC 13-15-6, IC 4-21.5-3-7, and the enclosed Public Notice. The appeal must be initiated by filing a petition for administrative review with the Office of Administrative Law Proceedings (OALP) within fifteen (15) days of the emailing of an electronic copy of this letter or within eighteen (18) days of the mailing of this letter. The addresses are as follows:

Director
Office of Administrative Law Proceedings
Indiana Government Center North
Suite N802
100 N. Senate Ave.
Indianapolis, IN 46204

Commissioner
Indiana Department of Environmental Management
Indiana Government Center North
Room 1301
100 N. Senate Ave.
Indianapolis, IN 46204

The OALP will provide parties who request review of this acceptance for coverage with notice of prehearing conferences, preliminary hearings, hearing, and stays or orders disposing of all proceedings. Nonparties may receive such notices without intervening and formally becoming parties in the proceeding by requesting copies of such notices from the OALP.

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact Ms. C. Anne Burget of my staff at (317) 234-8745 or via email at cburget@idem.IN.gov.

Sincerely,



Catherine Hess, Chief
Permits Administration Section
Office of Water Quality

Attachment

cc: Pike County Health Department
Ms. Jayne Peltier, DNR Division of Reclamation
U.S. EPA Region 5

ATTACHMENT 1

TRIAD MINING LLC- PIKE MINE NO. 1

NPDES PERMIT NO. **ING040130**

IDNR PERMIT NO. P-002

EFFECTIVE DATE: **MARCH 1, 2026**

OUTFALLS PERMITTED FOR THIS FACILITY

OUTFALL	DNR BASIN	LATITUDE	LONGITUDE	MINE DRAINAGE STATUS	RECEIVING WATER
603	HHTP186	38 ⁰ , 16', 8.0"	-87 ⁰ , 14', 33"	ALKALINE	ROUGH CREEK

ATTACHMENT 2

Discharge Limitations and Monitoring Requirements for Coal Mine Outfalls with Alkaline Mine Drainage Status

In accordance with 327 IAC 15-7-7(a)(2), the following effluent limitations and monitoring requirements apply to discharges from outfalls with coal mining activities within the drainage area which contain active mining areas, coal preparation plants, and/or coal preparation plant associated areas with a new source alkaline mine drainage status.

Table 1 - Dry Weather Effluent Limits and Monitoring Requirements [1]

Parameter	Effluent Limitations				Monitoring Requirements	
	Daily Minimum	Monthly Average	Daily Maximum	Units	Measurement Frequency	Sample Type
Flow	--	Report	Report	MGD	2 X Monthly	Instantaneous
Total Suspended Solids	--	35	70	mg/l	2 X Monthly	Grab
pH	6.0	--	9.0	s.u.	2 X Monthly	Grab
Total Iron	--	3.0	6.0	mg/l	2 X Monthly	Grab

- [1] These limits are applicable to discharges which occur during dry weather base flow for an outfall. This is the default set of effluent limits unless the permittee provides adequate documentation of eligibility for any alternate precipitation-based effluent limits, as set forth in Tables 2 and 3 below. At least one sampling event per month is supposed to occur during dry weather base flow conditions.

TABLE 2: Alternate Precipitation-Based Effluent Limits for Precipitation Events Less than or Equal to the 10-year, 24-hour Storm Event [2]

Parameter	Effluent Limitations				Monitoring Requirements	
	Daily Minimum	Monthly Average	Daily Maximum	Units	Measurement Frequency	Sample Type
Precipitation Volume	--	--	Report	Inches	Daily	Rain gauge
Precipitation Event duration	--	--	Report	Hours	Daily	Clock
Flow	--	Report	Report	MGD	Weekly	Instantaneous
Settleable Solids	--	--	0.5 [3]	ml/l	Weekly	Grab
pH	6.0	--	9.0	s.u.	Weekly	Grab

[2] In accordance with 327 IAC 15-7-7(c)(1), the permittee may opt to apply the effluent limits and monitoring requirements in Table 2 in lieu of those in Table 1 to a discharge when the discharge flow rate exceeds the dry weather base flow when a precipitation event is less than or equal to the 10-year, 24-hour storm event on the date that the sampling occurred. The permittee must provide documentation that the discharge met the qualifications for utilizing the alternate precipitation-based effluent limits for each instance in which the permittee wishes to apply them.

[3] The limit for settleable solids is a maximum not to be exceeded in any grab sample.

TABLE 3: Alternate Precipitation-based Effluent Limits for Precipitation Events greater than the 10-year, 24-hour storm event [4]

Parameter	Effluent Limitations				Monitoring Requirements	
	Daily Minimum	Monthly Average	Daily Maximum	Units	Measurement Frequency	Sample Type
Precipitation Event Volume	--	--	Report	Inches	Daily	Rain gauge
Precipitation Event Duration	--	--	Report	Hours	Daily	Clock
Flow	--	Report	Report	MGD	Weekly	Instantaneous
pH	6.0	--	9.0	s.u.	Weekly	Grab

[4] In accordance with 327 IAC 15-7-7(c)(2), the permittee may opt to apply the effluent limits and monitoring requirements in Table 3 (in lieu of those in Tables 1 and 2) to a discharge when the discharge flow rate exceeds the 10-year, 24-hour storm event on the date that the sampling occurred. The permittee must provide documentation that the discharge met the qualifications for utilizing this set of alternate precipitation-based effluent limits for each instance in which the permittee wishes to apply them.

**STATE OF INDIANA
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT**

PUBLIC NOTICE NO. 20260116 – ING040130 – GP

DATE OF NOTICE: January 16, 2026

The Office of Water Quality approves the following NPDES GENERAL PERMIT coverage:

RENEWAL of COVERAGE under 327 IAC 15-7

TRIAD MINING, LLC, PIKE MINE NO. 1, NPDES General Permit Coverage No. ING040130. This mine is located 0.75 miles east of SR 64 and 1.5 miles south of County Road 900 South, near Oakland City, Indiana (**PIKE COUNTY**). This facility is an active surface coal mine (DNR Permit No. P-002). The permittee has submitted a Notice of Intent to renew the mine's NPDES general permit coverage under 327 IAC 15-7 for Facilities Engaged in the Mining of Coal, Coal Processing, and Reclamation Activities. There is only one (1) active outfall, #603, which has an alkaline mine drainage status, and which discharges to Rough Creek. For more information regarding this renewal of coverage, please contact Ms. C. Anne Burget at (317) 234-8745 or cburget@idem.IN.gov.

Notice of Right to Administrative Review

If you wish to challenge this permit, you must file a Petition for Administrative Review with the Office of Administrative Law Proceedings (OALP) and serve a copy of the petition upon IDEM. The requirements for filing a Petition for Administrative Review are found in IC 4-21.5-3-7, IC 13-15-6-1 and 315 IAC 1-3-2. A summary of the requirements of these laws is provided below.

A Petition for Administrative Review must be filed with the OALP within fifteen (15) days of the issuance of this notice (eighteen (18) days if you received this notice by U.S. Mail), and a copy must be served upon IDEM. Addresses are as follows:

Director
Office of Administrative Law Proceedings
Indiana Government Center North
Suite N802
100 N. Senate Ave.
Indianapolis, IN 46204

Commissioner
Indiana Department of Environmental Management
Indiana Government Center North
Room 1301
100 N. Senate Ave.
Indianapolis, IN 46204

The petition must contain the following information:

1. The name, address and telephone number of each petitioner.
2. A description of each petitioner's interest in the permit.
3. A statement of facts demonstrating that each petitioner is:
 - a. a person to whom the order is directed;
 - b. aggrieved or adversely affected by the permit; or
 - c. entitled to administrative review under any law.
4. The reasons for the request for administrative review.
5. The particular legal issues proposed for review.

6. The alleged environmental concerns or technical deficiencies of the permit.
7. The permit terms and conditions that the petitioner believes would be appropriate and would comply with the law.
8. The identity of any persons represented by the petitioner.
9. The identity of the person against whom administrative review is sought.
10. A copy of the permit that is the basis of the petition.
11. A statement identifying petitioner's attorney or other representative, if any.

Failure to meet the requirements of the law with respect to a Petition for Administrative Review may result in a waiver of your right to seek administrative review of the permit. Examples are as follows:

1. Failure to file a Petition by the applicable deadline;
2. Failure to serve a copy of the Petition upon IDEM when it is filed; or
3. Failure to include the information required by law.

If you seek to have a permit stayed during the administrative review, you may need to file a Petition for a Stay of Effectiveness. The specific requirements for such a Petition can be found in 315 IAC 1-3-2 and 315 IAC 1-3-2.1.

Pursuant to IC 4-21.5-3-17, the OALP will provide all parties with notice of any pre-hearing conferences, preliminary hearings, hearings, stays, or orders disposing of the review of this action. If you are entitled to notice under IC 4-21.5-3-5(b) and would like to obtain notices of any pre-hearing conferences, preliminary hearings, hearings, stays, or orders disposing of the review of this action without intervening in the proceeding you must submit a written request to the OALP at the address above.

If you have procedural or scheduling questions regarding your Petition for Administrative Review, please refer to the OALP's website at <http://www.in.gov/oalp>.



Thursday, October 2, 2025

Indiana Department of Environmental Management
Office of Water Quality – Mail Code 65-42
NPDES Permits Section
100 N. Senate Avenue
Indianapolis, IN 46204-2251

**RE: Pike Mine No.1
NPDES ING040130 Renewal**

Triad Mining, LLC., would like to submit the enclosed renewal for NPDES Permit No. ING040130 for the Pike Mine No. 1 located in Pike County.

I have attached the completed NOI, with the required attachments that reflect this renewal request and the \$50.00 required fee receipt. The Public Notice will be published and the Identification of Potentially Affected parties were notified as required.

Should you have any questions or comments regarding this submittal, please contact me at kshort@blackhawkmining.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Kelly Short".

Kelly Short
Engineering Manager
Blackhawk Mining

CC: Robert Dayson
Division of Reclamation
14619 W SR 48
Jasonville, IN 47438

Check N 081550
50.00 \$

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Indiana Department of Environmental Management
NPDES General Permit Notice of Intent (NOI) Letter Submittal Application
327 IAC 15-7 Facilities Engaging in Mining of Coal, Coal Processing and Reclamation Activities

I. PURPOSE OF SUBMITTAL:

Please check one box. Also provide existing permit number and reason for modification if applicable. You may attach additional sheets if they are needed.

NEW	RENEW	MODIFY	EXISTING PERMIT NO.	IF MODIFICATION WHAT IS CHANGING
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		ING040130	

II. GENERAL INFORMATION

Complete all boxes in sections a and b for name of company and person who is to receive the permit. Complete boxes in sections c, d, e, f, g, h, and i or fill in N/A for non-applicable as they apply for the facility that the permit is to apply to.

a. APPLICANT NAME (TO THE ATTENTION OF)			e. FACILITY SIC CODE		f. FACILITY COUNTY		g. DNR PERMIT OR AML SITE NUMBER	
Triad Mining LLC. – Kelly Short			1221		Pike		#P-002	
b. APPLICANT'S COMPANY AND COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS			h. LATITUDE AND LONGITUDE OF APPROXIMATE FACILITY CENTER					
COMPANY NAME Triad Mining, LLC			Latitude			Longitude		
STREET ADDRESS 250 West Main St. Ste. 2000			Degree N38	Minute 16	Second 4.08	Degree W87	Minute 14	Second 19.68
CITY Lexington	STATE KY	ZIP CODE 40507						
c. FACILITY NAME			i. FACILITY TOWNSHIP, RANGE, SECTION, QUARTER SECTION					
Pike Mine No. 1			Township 3S	Range 7W	Section Section 1	Quartersection SW NW		
d. FACILITY MAILING ADDRESS			j. FACILITY PHYSICAL LOCATION IF DIFFERENT FROM IId					
STREET ADDRESS 250 West Main St., Ste. 2000			STREET ADDRESS 1216 E. County Road 900 E.					
CITY Lexington	STATE KY	ZIP CODE 40507	CITY Oakland City	STATE IN	ZIP CODE 47660			

III. CONTACT INFORMATION AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY

This section applies to the responsible corporate officer and/or alternate person who is authorized in writing by the responsible corporate officer to carry signatory responsibilities for the facility under 327 IAC 15-4-3 (g). Please complete all boxes or mark N/A for non-applicable. If the signatory is not a corporate officer please also submit the letter from the responsible corporate officer granting him/her this authority.

a. APPLICANT SIGNATORY CONTACT PERSON AND TITLE		d. ALTERNATE PERSON TO ANSWER QUESTIONS	
Kelly Short, Engineering Manager			
b. APPLICANT SIGNATORY CONTACT PERSON TELEPHONE		e. ALTERNATE PERSON'S TELEPHONE	
(859) 543-0515			
c. APPLICANT EMAIL ADDRESS		f. ALTERNATE PERSON'S EMAIL ADDRESS	
kshort@blackhawkmining.com			

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IV. CONTACT INFORMATION OTHER:			
DISCHARGE MONITORING REPORTS CONTACT AND MAILING INFORMATION		c. <u>CONTACT AND COMPANY NAME</u> Kelly Short Triad Mining, LLC	
a. <u>CONTACT TELEPHONE NUMBER</u> (859) 543-0515		d. <u>STREET ADDRESS</u> 250 West Main St., Ste. 2000	
b. <u>CONTACT EMAIL ADDRESS</u> kshort@blackhawkmining.com		e. <u>CITY</u> Lexington	f. <u>STATE</u> KY
		g. <u>ZIP CODE</u> 40507	
ANNUAL FEE AND FINANCIAL CONTACT AND BILLING ADDRESS		j. <u>COMPANY AND CONTACT PERSON NAME</u> Triad Mining LLC. Kelly Short	
h. <u>CONTACT TELEPHONE NUMBER</u> (859) 543-0515		k. <u>STREET ADDRESS</u> 250 West main St. Ste. 2000	
i. <u>CONTACT EMAIL ADDRESS</u> kshort@blackhawkmining.com		l. <u>CITY</u> Lexington	m. <u>STATE</u> KY
		n. <u>ZIP CODE</u> 40507	
OTHER CONTACT AND MAILING INFORMATION (SPECIFY BELOW)		q. <u>COMPANY AND CONTACT PERSON NAME</u>	
o. <u>CONTACT TELEPHONE NUMBER</u>		r. <u>STREET ADDRESS</u>	
p. <u>CONTACT EMAIL ADDRESS</u>		s. <u>CITY</u>	t. <u>STATE</u>
		u. <u>ZIP CODE</u>	

V. RULE QUALIFICATION:
<p>The purpose of this rule is to regulate wastewater discharges from surface mining, underground mining, and reclamation projects which utilize sedimentation basin treatment for pit dewatering and surface run-off and to re best management practices for storm water run-off.</p> <p>Does this facility meet these requirements? (please check one) <u>YES</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>NO</u> <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>The mine contains reclaimed mine land, an unreclaimed coal refuse disposal slurry impoundment, roads and other misc. features. The slurry pond is under a reclamation deferral in order to allow the slurry to be Processed so as to recover salable product at some future point. The basin is located downstream of slurry impoundment to treat water runoff.</p>

VI. OUTFALL INFORMATION: Please fill out the following information FOR ALL OUTFALLS											
a. IDEM OUTFALL NO.	b. DNR BASIN NO	c. LATITUDE			d. LONGITUDE			e. DRY WEATHER BASE FLOW	f. MINE DRAINAGE STATUS	g. Is this discharge to a STORM SEWER	h. Name of RECEIVING WATER OR if g is YES name of OPERATOR OF MUNICIPAL STORM SEWER, AND WATER IT DISCHARGES TO
		deg	min	sec.	deg	min	sec.				
603	Basin HHTP186	N 38	16	08	W 87	14	33	0.00	Active-Alkaline	Y / N	Rough Creek

VII. OUTFALL INFORMATION FOR MODIFICATIONS: Please provide the following if this is a request to ADD, DELETE, or CHANGE MINE DRAINAGE STATUS of one or more outfalls:

a. IDEM OUTFALL NO.	b. DNR BASIN NO.	c. DEL, ADD, or CHANGE	d. DATE OF CHANGE	e. REASON FOR THE CHANGE: EXPLAIN IN DETAIL AND ATTACH CONFIRMING DOCUMENTATION IN THE FORM OF INSPECTORS REPORTS, LAB DATA, ETC.
N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

VIII. TOPOGRAPHICAL MAP

A topographical map must be submitted with this application. The map must include the following items:

- (A) the location of the coal mining operation, including contiguous facility property lines, shown clearly and identified by name and by mark;
- (B) the location of each numbered outfall shown clearly and identified by number and by mark;
- (C) the receiving streams and tributaries to them that each outfall discharges to shown clearly and identified by name;
- (D) any existing permanent structures or roads in the area shown clearly and identified by name.

Please see the Attachment VIII.

IX. PROOF OF PUBLICATION

It is required that a public notice statement be published in a newspaper of largest circulation in the area where the discharge(s) will be occurring. This publication must be in the newspaper for a minimum of one day and must include the following language: (your facility name, address, address of the location of the discharging facility, and the streams receiving the discharge(s)) "is submitting a Notice of Intent letter to notify the Indiana Department of Environmental Management of our intent to comply with the requirement under 327 IAC 15-7 to discharge wastewater associated with the mining of coal, coal processing and /or reclamation activities. Any person aggrieved by this action may appeal in writing to the Environmental Law Judge of the Office of Environmental Adjudication for an adjudicatory hearing on the question of whether this facility should operate under this NPDES general permit rule. An appeal must be postmarked no later than fifteen (15) days from the date of this public notice. Such a written request for an adjudicatory hearing must:

- (A) state the name and address of the person making the request.
- (B) identify the interest of the person making the request.
- (C) identify any person represented by the person making the request.
- (D) state with particularity the reasons for the request.
- (E) state with particularity the issues proposed for consideration at the hearing; and
- (F) state with particularity the reasons why the NPDES general permit rule should not be available to the discharger identified in this notice.

Any such request shall be mailed or delivered to:
 Office of Environmental Adjudication
 Indiana Government Center – North
 100 North Senate Avenue, Room N501
 Indianapolis, Indiana 46204"

Please Note: The public notice for this area was published and submitted with the renewal application.

X. POTENTIALLY AFFECTED PERSONS FORM

Pursuant to IC 4-21.5 it is required that a Potentially Affected Person form be completed and submitted with this application. The form and instructions are attached.

No additional persons are potentially affected by the modifications contained herein. The original permit application and subsequent renewals included all potentially affected persons within and adjacent to the permit area. See the attached.

XI. REQUIRED FEES:

A \$50 application fee is required to be submitted with applications for new permits, permit modifications, and permit renewals in accordance with IC 13-18-20-12. In addition the \$500 annual fee is required to be submitted for NEW APPLICATIONS at the time of submitting the application.

Please list amount submitted \$ 50.00, attach to and submit with application. Checks or money orders shall be made payable to IDEM.

XII. NOTIFICATION OF INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

It is required in all circumstances that a copy of this application is sent to the Indiana Department of Natural Resources (IDNR) Division of Reclamation in Jasonville, Indiana.

Please forward a copy of this application as is required and identify the party to whom it was addressed and the date that it was mailed:

Robert Dayson, Reclamation Specialist – IDNR Division of Reclamation - Date

10/27/25

XIII. CERTIFICATION STATEMENT

It is required by 327 IAC 15-4-3(g)(3) that the following statement shall be included in the application. The authorized signatory representative (as defined by 327 IAC 15-5-3(g)(2) and identified in item IIIa above) makes the following certification by signing and dating this section of the application below:

"I certify under penalty of law that this document and all its attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations."

Kelly Short
Engineering Manager

Name and official title (type or print)

Signature

Kelly Short

(859) 543-0515

Area Code and phone No.

10/02/2025

Date signed

Submit completed form and attachments to the following address:

Indiana Department of Environmental Management
Office of Water Quality – Mail Code 65-42
NPDES Permits Section
100 North Senate Avenue
Indianapolis, Indiana 46204-2251

Pike Mine No.1, Permit #P-002

Public Notice of Filing NPDES Permit ING040130 Renewal Application

Triad Mining, LLC, 1216 E. County Road 900 South, Oakland City, IN 47660, (surface mine permit area located approximately 0.75 miles east of SR 64 and 1.5 miles south of County Road 900 South in Monroe Township, Pike County, Indiana - stream receiving proposed discharge - Rough Creek a tributary of the South Fork of the Patoka River) is submitting a Notice of Intent letter to notify the Indiana Department of Environmental Management of our intent to renew (under the requirement of 327 IAC 15-7) permit ING040130 to discharge wastewater associated with the mining of coal, coal processing and/or reclamation activities. Any person aggrieved by this action may appeal in writing to the Environmental Law Judge of the Office of Adjudication for an adjudicatory hearing on the question of whether this facility should operate under this NPDES general permit rule. An appeal must be postmarked no later than fifteen (15) days from the date of this public notice. Such a written request for an adjudicatory hearing must:

- (A) state the name and address of the person making the request;
- (B) identify the interest of the person making the request;
- (C) identify any persons represented by the person making the request
- (D) state with particularity the reasons for the request;
- (E) state with particularity the issues proposed for consideration at the hearing; and
- (F) state with particularity the reasons why the NPDES general permit rule should not be available to the discharger identified in this notice.

Any such request shall be mailed or delivered to:

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Indiana Government Center - North
100 North Senate Avenue, Room N501
Indianapolis, IN 46204

Identification of Potentially Affected Parties

State Form 49456 (7-99)

Indiana Department of Environmental Management

Office of Water Quality, Permits Section

The Administrative Orders and Procedures Act (AOPA) IC 4-21.5-3-S(b), requires that the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) give notice of its decision on your application to the following persons:

- (a) each person to whom the decision is specifically directed;
- (b) each person to whom a law requires notice to be given;
- (c) each competitor who has applied to the IDEM for a mutually exclusive license, if issuance is the subject of the decision and the competitor's application has not been denied in an order for which all rights to judicial review have been waived or exhausted;
- (d) each person who has provided the IDEM with a written request for notification of the decision;
- (e) each person who has a substantial and direct proprietary interest in the issuance of the (permit/variance);
- (f) each person whose absence as a party in the proceeding concerning the (permit/variance) decision would deny another party complete relief in the proceeding or who claims an interest related to the issuance of the (permit/variance) and is so situated that the disposition of the matter, in the person's absence may:
 - (1) as a practical matter impair or impede the person's ability to protect that interest, or
 - (2) leave any other person who is a party to a proceeding concerning the permit subject to a substantial risk of incurring multiple or otherwise inconsistent obligations by reason of the person's claimed interest.

IC 4-21.5-3-S(f) provides that we may request your assistance in identifying these people. Our failure to properly identify and notify these people of the decision could have the result of voiding any decision which is made.

Additionally, IC 13-15-3-1 requires IDEM to send notice that the permit application has been received by the department to the following:

- (a) the board of county commissioners of a county affected by the permit application and
- (b) the mayor of a city that is affected by the permit application, or
- (c) the president of a town council of a town affected by the permit application.

Please provide on the following form the names of those persons affected by these statutes, and include mailing labels with your application. These mailing labels should have the names and addresses of the affected parties along with our mailing code (65-42PS) listed above each affected party listing.

Example: 65-42PS John Doe
 111 Circle Drive City, State, Zip
 Code

I. Identification of Potentially Affected Persons

Please list here any and all persons whom you have reason to believe have a substantial or proprietary interest in this matter, or could otherwise be considered to be potentially affected under the law. Failure to notify any person who is later determined to be potentially affected could result in voiding our decision on procedural grounds. To ensure conformance with AOPA and to avoid reversal of a decision, please list all such parties. The letter attached to this form will further explain the requirements under the AOPA. Attach additional names and addresses on a separate sheet of paper, as needed. Please indicate below the type of action you are requesting.	
Name: See Attached List	Name:
Street:	Street:
City/State/Zip:	City/State/Zip:
Name:	Name:
Street:	Street:
City/State/Zip:	City/State/Zip:
Name:	Name:
Street:	Street:
City/State/Zip:	City/State/Zip:
Name:	Name:
Street:	Street:
City/State/Zip:	City/State/Zip:
Name:	Name:
Street:	Street:
City/State/Zip:	City/State/Zip:
Name:	Name:
Street:	Street:
City/State/Zip:	City/State/Zip:
Name:	Name:
Street:	Street:
City/State/Zip:	City/State/Zip:
Name:	Name:
Street:	Street:
City/State/Zip:	City/State/Zip:

II. Please complete this form by signing the following statement.

I certify to the best of my knowledge I have listed all potentially affected parties, as defined by IC 4-21.5.		
Signature: <i>Kelly Short</i>	Printed name: Kelly Short	Date: 10/02/2025
Facility Name: Pike Mine No. 1		
Facility Address: 1216 E. CR 900 East, Oakland City, IN 47660		

III. Type of Action (check one)

- ☒ NPDES Permit-327 IAC 5
☐ Land Application Permit-327 IAC 6.1
☐ Confined Feeding Approval-IC 13-18-10
☐ Sewer Ban Waiver Request-327 IAC 4
☐ Operator Certification-327 IAC 5-22
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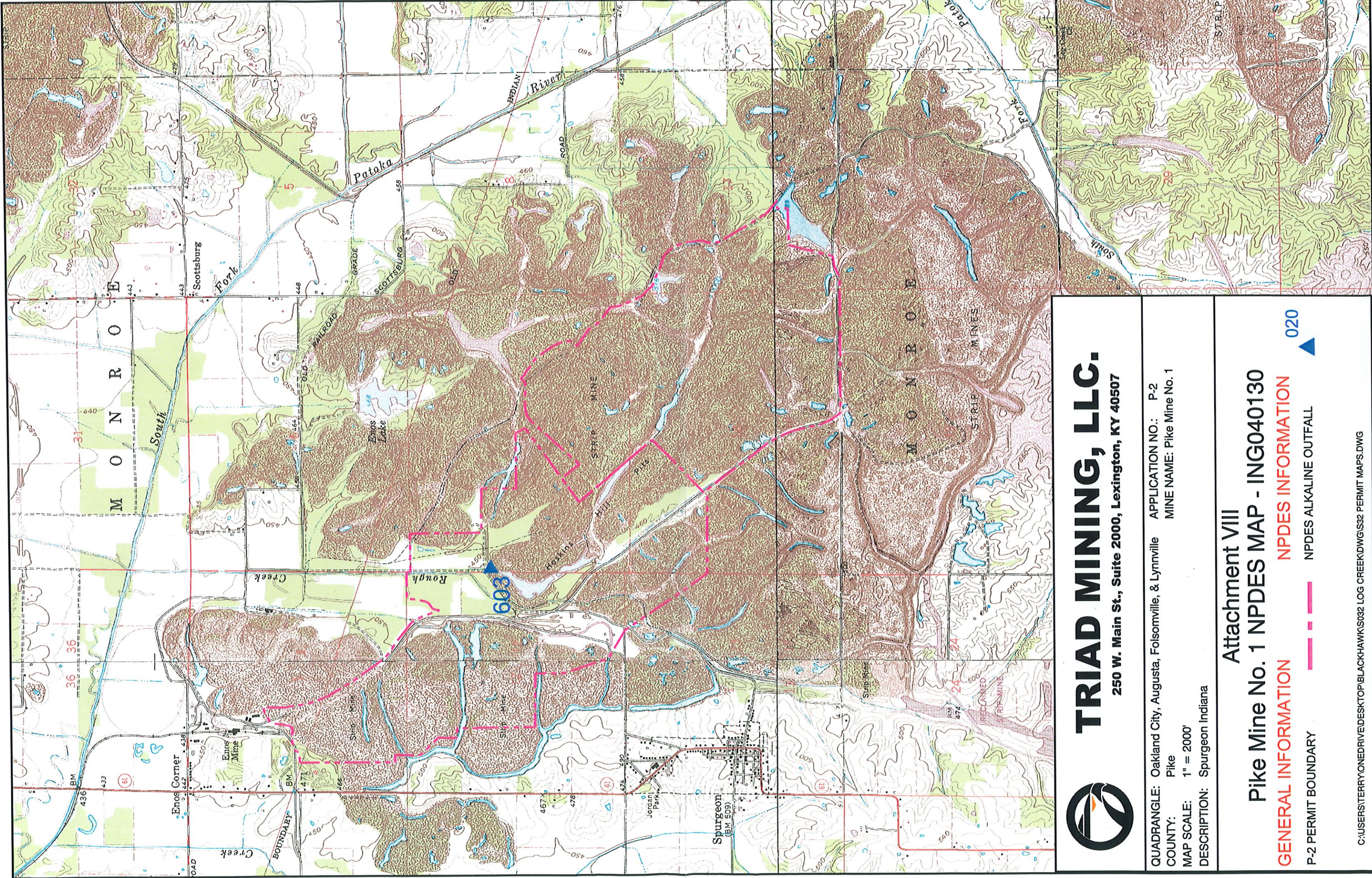
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250 W. Main St., Suite 2000, Lexington, KY 40507

QUADRANGLE: Oakland City, Augusta, Folsomville, & Lynnville APPLICATION NO.: P-2
COUNTY: Pike MINE NAME: Pike Mine No. 1
MAP SCALE: 1" = 2000'
DESCRIPTION: Spurgeon Indiana

Attachment VIII

Pike Mine No. 1 NPDES MAP - ING040130

GENERAL INFORMATION

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P-2 PERMIT BOUNDARY

NPDES ALKALINE OUTFALL





Monday, November 3, 2025

Indiana Department of Environmental Management
Office of Water Quality – Mail Code 65-42
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**RE: Pike Mine No.1
NPDES ING040130 Renewal**

Triad Mining, LLC., recently submitted the renewal application of NPDES Permit No. ING040130 for the Pike Mine No. 1 located in Pike County.

Please find enclosed the publishers affidavit for the renewal Public Notice.

Should you have any questions or comments regarding this submittal, please contact me at kshort@blackhawkmining.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Kelly Short".

Kelly Short
Engineering Manager
Blackhawk Mining

CC: Robert Dayson
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14619 W SR 48
Jasonville, IN 47438

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Pike Mine Permit P-002

Affidavit of Publication

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Melanie Miller, being duly sworn, says:

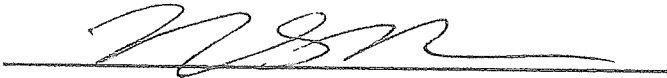
That she is Accounting Clerk of the Press Dispatch, a newspaper of general circulation, printed and published in Petersburg, Pike County, IN; that the publication, a copy of which is attached hereto, was published in the said newspaper on the following dates:

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Pike Mine No.1, Permit #P-002

Public Notice of Filing NPDES Permit ING040130 Renewal Application
Triad Mining, LLC, 1216 E. County Road 900 South, Oakland City, IN 47660,
(surface mine permit area located approximately 0.75 miles east of SR 64 and 1.5 miles south of County Road 900 South in Monroe Township, Pike County, Indiana - stream receiving proposed discharge - Rough Creek a tributary of the South Fork of the Patoka River) is submitting a Notice of Intent letter to notify the Indiana Department of Environmental Management of our intent to renew (under the requirement of 327 IAC 15-7) permit ING040130 to discharge wastewater associated with the mining of coal, coal processing and/or reclamation activities. Any person aggrieved by this action may appeal in writing to the Environmental Law Judge of the Office of Adjudication for an adjudicatory hearing on the question of whether this facility should operate under this NPDES general permit rule. An appeal must be postmarked no later than fifteen (15) days from the date of this public notice. Such a written request for an adjudicatory hearing must:

- (A) state the name and address of the person making the request;
 - (B) identify the interest of the person making the request;
 - (C) identify any persons represented by the person making the request
 - (D) state with particularity the reasons for the request;
 - (E) state with particularity the issues proposed for consideration at the hearing,
- and
- (F) state with particularity the reasons why the NPDES general permit rule should not be available to the discharger identified in this notice.

Any such request shall be mailed or delivered to:

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