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## PUBLIC NOTICES

### Notice of Intent to Mine Pursuant to application 888-0104, Renewal

In accordance with KRS 350.055, notice is hereby given that Option Land Development, LLC, 2073 Lakeshore Drive, Lexington, Kentucky 40502, has applied for Renewal of a permit for a surface coal mining and reclamation operation, located 2.3 miles northeast of Lenox in Morgan County, Kentucky. The proposed permit will affect 598.59 acres of surface and will underlie an additional 11.86 acres, making a total area of 598.59 acres within the proposed permit boundary.

The proposed operation is approximately 1 mile northeast from KY-172's junction with KY-650 (Straight Creek Road) and located on Straight Creek. The proposed operation is located on the Lenox USGS 7 1/2 minute quadrangle map. The surface area to be disturbed is owned by Larry York, David and Susan May, Leona and Edgar E. Osborne, Henrietta May, John and Patricia Gibson, Stephen and Sally Watson, Denzil Ball, Jeffrey Ball, Donna Ball, Polly Ann Adkins Estate (William Travis Keeton, Executor), Jesse Creech, Ronnie D. Keeton, Menno Rissler (c/o Leon Rissler), Dwight D. Beculhimer, and Debbie and Roger Burchett, Jr.

The operation will affect an area within 100 feet of public road KY-650. The operation will not involve relocation or closure of the public road.

The operation will use area, contour, highwall miner and auger methods of mining, with on-site portable coal preparation and refuse disposal incorporated.

The application has been filed for public inspection at the Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement's Hazard Regional office at 556 Village Lane, Hazard, KY 41702. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Mine Permits, 300 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, KY 40601. C-5-4-4TPD

## Caney Valley News

**By Tracey Hatton**

Hello again from Caney Valley!

"This Little Light of Mine, I am going to let it Shine."

A neighborly hello to Danny Akers and his sweet daughter Margaret Jenkins. We see Danny usually on Sunday mornings at McDonald's eating breakfast before church. He was sharing with us that he has a birthday coming up and he will be 77 years old and the best gift that he received one year was when his daughter, Margaret, was born on his birthday. This was the best gift he could have ever asked for. May you both enjoy your special day and keep serving the Lord daily.

Happy Memorial Day! It is difficult to believe that we are in the last full week of May. Time is flying by. We just celebrated the class of 2023 and now Memorial Day is on our heels and the calendar is getting ready to flip to the sixth month of 2023.

What is the meaning of Memorial Day? "This is a day on which those who died in active military service are remembered." This is a day to honor the men and women who paid the ultimate sacrifice, their life, to protect and defend our freedom and our country. There are men and women each day joining the armed forces. We have several from our community to enlist in active duty. They have thought about the cost, they have weighed the outcome, and they are willing to heed the call. These men and women are on the front line laying down their life so we can have life.

As we prepare to celebrate Memorial Day, may our hearts be humbled, and our thoughts be prayerful for families that have given up their loved ones. From the time we rise in the morning until we lay our head to sleep, they are on the job, 24-7 if there is a need. As the warriors stood shoulder to shoulder to maintain our land, Jesus Christ hung on an old rugged cross to give each one of us eternal freedom.

# PART-TIME CAREGIVER NEEDED

**2 hours in the mornings.**  
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**If interested, call 606-743-3183 for more information.**

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### 2022 Limestone, Sand, Gravel, Gas, Clay and Oil Tax Collection Morgan County

	Starting Date	Ending Date
2% Discount	June 1, 2023	June 30, 2023
Face Amount	July 1, 2023	July 31, 2023
5% Penalty	August 1, 2023	August 31, 2023

**21% PENALTY AFTER AUGUST 31, 2023**

MORGAN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE  
 P.O. Box 305 – 450 Prestonsburg St.  
 West Liberty, KY 41472  
**606-743-3613**  
 Greg Motley, Sheriff

## VISION CARE CENTER

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### NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

Permit No. 888-0101 Inc. Inc. #'s 11, 12, 20 and 21

In accordance with the provisions of KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Southbound Coal, LLC, 12500 St. Rd. 124, Piketon, Ohio 45661, has applied for a Phase I bond release on Inc. #'s 11, 12, 20 and 21 on permit # 888-0101, which was last issued on February 20, 2023. The application covers an area of approximately 540.66 acres located 0.99 miles southwest of White Oak in Morgan County. The operation is approximately 0.89 miles southwest from US Route 460's junction with May Br. Rd on Mays Branch of White Oak Creek and Wells Branch of Caney Ck.

The bond now in effect for Inc. #'s 11, 12, 20 and 21, totaling \$309,300.00 of which approximately 60 % of the original bond amount is included in the application for release.

Reclamation work performed includes: Grading, seeding, and mulching, and successful establishment of the post-mining land use, which was completed in March of 2023.

Written comments, objections, or requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director of the Division of Field Services, 300 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by July 10, 2023.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for 10:00 am. on July 12, 2023 at the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement's Hazard Regional Office, 556 Village Lane, Hazard, Kentucky 41702. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by July 10, 2023. C-5-18-4T

### NOTICE OF ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE

The County of Morgan, Kentucky Fiscal Court, at a meeting held on May 12, 2023, adopted the following ordinance:

AN ORDINANCE APPROVING A LEASE FOR THE FINANCING OF A PROJECT; PROVIDING FOR THE PAYMENT AND SECURITY OF THE LEASE; CREATING A SINKING FUND; AND AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF VARIOUS DOCUMENTS RELATED TO SUCH LEASE.

It is hereby certified that the foregoing ordinance provides for approval of a lease with Kentucky Association of Counties Leasing Trust, as administrator, and the bank, financial institution or finance corporation offering the lowest and best interest rate, as lessor for financing certain public improvements and provides a general obligation pledge to assess and levy sufficient taxes to comply with the obligations to make lease payments, establishes and maintains a sinking fund for the deposit and application of tax revenues, and makes certain designations regarding the Lease.

A complete copy of the ordinance may be reviewed at the office of the County of Morgan, Kentucky at 450 Prestonsburg Street, West Liberty, Kentucky 41472.

**DID YOU KNOW?**

The May birthstone emerald is an amulet believed to protect against evil spells. Emerald has enthralled the elites of civilizations with its stunning beauty and symbolic power for over 6,000 years. The name comes from the old French "esmeralde" through Latin "smaragdus" through Greek "smargdos." One of the world's first emerald mines was in Egypt was named "Cleopatra's emerald mine" for her lifetime love affair with the stone. Emeralds were part of the plunder when 16th century Spanish explorers invaded the New World. The Spanish, who treasured gold and silver far more than gems, traded emeralds for precious metals. Their trades opened the eyes of European and Asian royalty to emerald's majesty.

— The Gemological Institute of America

## PUBLIC NOTICE

Kentucky Habitat for Humanity is applying for USDA RD Housing Preservation grant funding to complete critical repairs on homes in Rowan, Morgan, Menifee, Wolfe, Bath, Elliot and Magoffin Counties. Public comment will run from 6/22/2022 through 7/10/2022. Email public comments to [Mary@kyhfh.org](mailto:Mary@kyhfh.org).

Publication Dates 5-18 & 5--25, 6-1

As found in Romans 5:8, He stood alone. Jesus Christ "But God commendeth his love toward us, in that while faced his death, because he loved us that much. I ask you; we were sinners, Christ died would you be willing to die for us." See TRACEY, Page 10

## SEALED BIDS

The City of West Liberty will accept sealed bids on several listed surplus items. Bids should be submitted on individual items only. The 2006 Chevy Impala, 2010 Ford Truck and trencher can be examined at the West Liberty Wastewater Treatment Plant at 600 Wells Hill Lane from 7:00AM thru 3:30PM Monday thru Friday. The 2005 Chevy Impala can be viewed at City Hall, at 565 Main Street, from 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM Monday thru Friday. The items will be sold as is. Bids will be accepted at City Hall 565 Main Street until Friday, June 2nd, 2023 at 4:00PM. For more information, call 606-743-4129 or 606-743-3330. The City of West Liberty reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids. The City of West is an equal opportunity provider.

- 2005 Chevy Impala (not running)
- 2010 Ford F 250
- 2006 Chevy Impala (for parts only)
- Ditch Witch Trencher (needs transmission)

COUNTY OF MORGAN, KENTUCKY

By /s/ Randy Williams  
 Fiscal Court Clerk

CERTIFICATION

The undersigned, an attorney licensed to practice law in the Commonwealth of Kentucky, hereby certifies that the foregoing is a true and accurate summary of an Ordinance that has been prepared by an attorney licensed to practice law in the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

[Signature]  
 LICENSED KENTUCKY ATTORNEY