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Application Number 898-4673 Renewal
In accordance with KRS 350.055 notice is hereby given that Clintwood JOD LLC, PO Box 100, Belcher, KY 41513 has applied for renewal of a permit for an underground coal mining operation located 3.5 miles north of Feds Creek in Pike County. The operation disturbs 28.7 surface acres and 139.8 underground for a total area within the permit boundary of 168.5 acres. The proposed operation is approximately 1.5 miles north from KY 1758s junction with KY 194 and located on Second Fork. The operation is located on Jamboree U.S.G.S. 7-1/2-minute quadrangle map. The operation will use the underground mining method. The surface area and surface overlying underground are owned by KY Berwind Land Company. The application has been filed for public inspection at the Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement's Pikeville Regional office, 121 Mays Branch Road, Pikeville, Kentucky 41501-9331. Written comments, objections, or requests for a permit conference must be filed with the Director, Division of Permits, 300 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

ADVERTISE-MENT FOR BIDS
THE PIKE COUNTY FISCAL COURT IS ACCEPTING SEALED BIDS FOR THE PURCHASE OF THE FOLLOWING:
LIZZIE FORK EMERGENCY WATERSHED PROTECTION STREAMBANK STABILIZATION PROJECT
BIDS WILL BE ACCEPTED UNTIL 2:00 P. M., LOCAL TIME, JANUARY 30, 2026. THE METHOD OF AWARD WILL BE THE LOWEST EVALUATED BID. SPECIFICATIONS AND BID FORMS MAY BE OBTAINED MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY FROM 8:00 A.M. TO 4:30 P.M., LOCAL TIME FROM GREG FANNIN, PURCHASING DIRECTOR, PIKE COUNTY COURTHOUSE, 146 MAIN STREET, PIKEVILLE, KENTUCKY, OR BY CALLING (606) 432-6398. BID FORMS MUST BE RETURNED TO CHRISTINE DAMRON, FISCAL COURT CLERK OF THE PIKE COUNTY FISCAL COURT, 146 MAIN STREET, PIKEVILLE, KY 41501.

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The Pike Board of Education ("Board") is seeking applications for appointment to fill a vacancy on the Board representing seat **District #1**. This appointment will be effective until the end of the term in December 31, 2026. Responsibilities include: setting policy to govern the District; hiring/evaluating the Superintendent; and levying taxes and adopting the District budget. Board members must:

- Be at least 24 years old and a Kentucky citizen for the last three years;
- Be a registered voter in the particular District of the vacancy;
- Have completed the 12th grade or have a GED certificate;
- Meet all other legal qualifications (KRS 160.180); and
- Complete required annual in-service training.

Applications are available at Pike County Board of Education Office at 316 South Mayo Trail, Pikeville, KY 41501.

Applications should be completed and mailed by **January 19, 2026**.

Interviews will be scheduled approximately 6-15 working days after this mail date. All qualified applications received before the interviews are scheduled will be considered.

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Mr. Freddie Bowling, Superintendent,
ATTN: Board Vacancy, District # 1,
316 South Mayo Trail, Pikeville, KY 41501

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