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NOTICE OF BOND RELEASE

In accordance with KRS 350.093, notice is hereby given that Kentucky Land Resources, Inc., 46226 National Road, St. Clairsville, Ohio 43950, has applied for Phases II and III bond release on Increment 1 of Permit No. 892-5017, which was last issued on 5 December 2025 (Permit 892-5017 MI-13). The application covers a total area of 30.5 acres, located approximately one-half mile northeast of Centertown in Ohio County.

The mine operation was approximately one-half mile northeast from the KY 69 eastern junction with KY 85 and located along Big Run.

The bond now in effect for Increment 1 is Bond #N-6000995 in the total amount of $52,000. Its entire remaining bond (100%) is included in the application for Phases II and III release.

The following reclamation steps have been successfully achieved for this increment. For Phase II: (1) Re-vegetation has been established in accordance with the approved reclamation plan and the standards for success of revegetation have been met. (2) The lands are not contributing suspended solids to stream flow or runoff outside the permit area or increment in excess of regulatory requirements. (3) The reclamation was completed in May 2013, awaiting further crop productivity data and five-year liability expiration. For Phase III: (1) There has been successful completion of all surface coal mining and reclamation operations in accordance with the approved reclamation plan, such that the land is capable of supporting the ap-proved postmining land use (pastureland). (2) There has been achievement of compliance with the re-quirements of KRS Chapter 350, Title 405, Chapters 7 through 24, and the permit. (3) The expiration of the five-year liability period occurred on 31 May 2018.

Written comments, objections, and requests for a public hearing or informal conference must be filed with the Director, Kentucky Department for Natural Resources (KDNR), Division of Mine Reclamation and Enforcement, 300 Sower Boulevard, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601, by Friday, 16 October 2026.

A public hearing on the application has been scheduled for Tuesday, 20 October 2026 at 9:00 A.M. at the Kentucky Department for Natural Resources (KDNR), Madisonville Regional Office, 625 Hospital Drive, Madisonville, Kentucky 42431-1683. The hearing will be cancelled if no request for a hearing or informal conference is received by Friday, 16 October 2026.

City of Beaver Dam

ORDINANCE 081426

An Ordinance of the City of Beaver Dam
Amending Ordinance 071023 Regulations for the Operation of Short-Term Rentals Within the City.

WHEREAS, On August 14, 2023, the City of Beaver Dam adopted Ordinance 071023 to promulgate rules, regulations and licensing for certain standards, requirements and safety measures to ensure the health and safety of Beaver Dam residents, property owners and those persons visiting Beaver Dam, while ensuring that all lawfully owed taxes are remitted to the relevant taxing agencies, and

WHEREAS, certain updates to the ordinance are necessary to provide for the health, safety, and welfare for the citizens of the City of Beaver Dam.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF BEAVER DAM, KENTUCKY that Ordinance No. 071023 shall be and is amended as follows:

SECTION ONE

THE FOLLOWING SECTIONS ARE HEREBY CREATED UNDER THE CITY OF BEAVER DAM CODE OF ORDINANCES.

SHORT-TERM RENTAL PROPERTIES

Sec. 1-01. Definitions.

Sec. 1-02. General Provisions.

Sec. 1-03. Short-Term Rental Registration Required.

Sec. 1-04. Compliance with federal, state, and local laws and regulations.

Sec. 1-05. Registration with the Ohio County Fiscal Court.

Sec. 1-06. Transient room taxes to be remitted to City of Beaver Dam.

Sec. 1-07. Duties of a Host.

Sec. 1-08. Short-Term Rental Location Requirements.

Sec. 1-09. Advertising on a hosting platform.

Sec. 1-10. Compliance timeline.

Sec. 1-11. Penalty.

SECTION TWO

If any section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, clause, phrase, or a portion of this ordinance is declared illegal, unconstitutional, or otherwise invalid, such declaration shall not affect the remaining portions hereof.

SECTION THREE

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

SECTION FOUR

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon passage and publication. The ordinance is being published in summary form. The complete ordinance is available for review in the Clerk's Office of the City of Beaver Dam.

PUBLICLY INTRODUCED AND READ FIRST TIME: 08/10/2026

PUBLICLY READ SECOND TIME AND PASSED: 08/14/2026

Paul Sandefur, Mayor

ATTEST:

Jill Barrett, City Clerk

City of Beaver Dam

ORDINANCE 081426

An Ordinance of the City of Beaver Dam
Amending Ordinance No. 021113(b) Imposing a Transient Room Tax and Providing for Assessment and Collection Pursuant to KRS 91A.350 through KRS 91A.390

WHEREAS, On February 11, 2013, the City of Beaver Dam adopted Ordinance 021113(b) to impose a transient room tax on room rentals in the City of Beaver Dam, and

WHEREAS, Ordinance 021113(b) addresses the assessment and collection of transient room taxes from specified business operators, and

WHEREAS, certain updates to the ordinance are necessary to provide for the health, safety, and welfare for the citizens of the City of Beaver Dam.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY OF BEAVER DAM, KENTUCKY that Ordinance No. 021113(b) is amended as follows:

Section 1. A transient room tax of one percent (1%), is hereby imposed and levied on the rate, rent or other charge for the occupancy of a suite, room or rooms, let or rented by any and all persons, companies, corporations, or other like or similar persons, groups, or organizations doing business as motor courts, motels, hotels, inns, bed and breakfasts, or like or similar accommodations businesses or any person that facilitates the rental of the accommodations by brokering, coordinating, or in any other way arranging for the rental of the accommodations in the City of Beaver Dam, Kentucky. Transient room taxes shall not apply to the rental or leasing of an apartment supplied by an individual or business that regularly holds itself out as exclusively providing apartments. “Apartment” means a room or set of rooms, in an apartment building, fitted especially with a kitchen and usually leased as a dwelling for a minimum of thirty (30) days or more. “City” means the city of Beaver Dam, Kentucky.

Section 2. All persons, firms, organizations, or businesses doing business as motor courts, motels, hotels, inns, bed and breakfasts, or like or similar accommodations businesses or any person that facilitates the rental of the accommodations by brokering, coordinating, or in any other way arranging for the rental of the accommodations, shall collect and pay the transient room tax to the City Clerk, quarterly, being due within 30 days following each March 31, June 30, September 30, and December 31, together with a return on a form to be promulgated and furnished by the City Clerk. Such form shall set forth the aggregate amount of gross rental rates, rents or other charges for the occupancy of the room or rooms let or rented and collected for the period to which the tax applies together with such other information as the City Clerk may require.

Section 3. The City Clerk and her authorized agents are hereby empowered to examine the books and records, including the Kentucky Sales and Use tax returns, of any person, firm, organization, or other like or similar accommodations business or any person that facilitates the rental of the accommodations by brokering, coordinating, or in any other way arranging for the rental of the accommodations required herein to file a return upon three (3) days written notice of such examination. The examination shall be permitted in order to determine the amount of room tax due and owing. It shall be the responsibility of the taxpayer to maintain the books, records and papers in support of all amounts reported on the quarterly return. Provided, that the taxpayer shall not be obligated to provide sales and use tax returns for longer than five (5) years from the date of request.

Section 4. The transient room tax imposed by this ordinance remaining unpaid after it becomes due shall bear interest at the rate of 12% per annum from the date due, and the person from whom the tax is due shall further be charged a penalty of 10% of the amount of the unpaid tax or $25.00 whichever shall be greater. In addition, any person who shall fail, refuse or neglect to complete and file the return as required herein or pay the tax imposed herein, or any part thereof, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be subject to a fine of not less than $100.00 nor more than $500.00, and/or to imprisonment of not more than 30 days. Each day of any violation shall constitute a separate offense. If any taxpayer, firm, association, or corporation required by this ordinance to pay a tax shall fail to file a return for any month, the City Clerk may proceed to estimate and collect the tax due at any time.

Section 5. Pursuant to KRS 91A.350 through KRS 91A.390, the City has created a tourist and convention commission to promote and develop convention and tourist activities and facilities in the City.

Section 6. The City Clerk is hereby charged with the enforcement of this ordinance and is hereby empowered to prescribe, adopt, promulgate, and enforce rules and regulations relating to the administration and enforcement of the provisions hereof, subject to the consent and approval of the City Council.

Section 7. Any information, including returns, documents or payments made pursuant hereto and any other information gained by the City Clerk or any other official, agent, or employee of the City as a result of any return or other records provided to the City shall be confidential except in accordance with a proper judicial order, by subpoena, or as may be reasonably necessary to prosecute civil litigation for the collection of the tax imposed herein. Any person divulging such information shall be subject to a fine of not less than $50.00, nor more than $100.00 per offense. Provided, such person may disclose to the Revenue Cabinet or the Internal Revenue Service, or their agents, such information, and including the right to inspection of books and records, as may be required by such agencies.

Section 8. This tax shall be in addition to any other general tax, business license tax, or other fees payable to the City.

Section 9. The provisions of this ordinance are severable. If any sentence, clause, section, or part of this Ordinance or the application thereto is found to be unconstitutional or illegal for any reason, such invalidity shall not affect or repeal any remaining provisions, clauses, sections, or parts of this ordinance, it being the intent of the City legislative body to ordain and enact each provision, section, paragraph, sentence, and part thereof, separately and independently of each other.

Section 10. This ordinance shall become effective upon passage and publication as required by law.

PUBLICLY INTRODUCED AND READ FIRST TIME: 8-10-2026

PUBLICLY READ SECOND TIME AND PASSED: 8-14-2026

Paul Sandefur, Mayor
City of Beaver Dam, Kentucky

ATTEST:

Jill Barrett, City Clerk

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9/9-10, 2026

Answers

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