



Kentucky
Department for Surface Mining
Reclamation and Enforcement

Reclamation Advisory Memorandum

From: R. F. Knarr, Commissioner
Subject: Newspaper Advertisements

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Date: May 29, 1987

RAM # 88

In RAM #50 and RAM #79, the Department for Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement issued explanations of the Department's permanent program procedures for newspaper advertisements.

A "Notice of Intention to Mine" must be advertised for all originals, amendments, and major revisions. These advertisements must be published once a week for four (4) consecutive weeks, and may be initiated by the mining company at the time of submission of the permit application or after the notice of administrative acceptance is received from the Division of Permits. In the event an application is found administratively incomplete or incorrect and is returned to the operator for corrections, it is the responsibility of the applicant to insure the publication schedule is maintained.

The advertisements must be run in the newspaper with the largest bona fide circulation in the county(ies) to be affected by the mining operations. In order to satisfy the Cabinet, the operator need do no more than what is outlined in RAM #50. There is no requirement for oversized print or space. Legal advertisements, plus charges for required ads, are covered by KRS 242 and that statute places no special requirements in addition to those discussed and illustrated in RAM #50.

In an effort to assist the industry, attached is a listing of those newspapers with the largest bona fide circulation. This list was compiled using the Kentucky Press Association's 1987 Newspaper Yearbook and Directory. Should any questions arise concerning the circulation figures, all questions should be directed to the Kentucky Press Association at (502) 223-8821, not this Department.

All operators should use RAM #50 as a guide, and should now use the attached listing of papers for placing advertisements. If an operator has begun advertisements in a paper which was designated, but is changing as a result of this listing, the operator should complete his advertising requirement with the paper in which he originally began.

Attachment

LARGEST CIRCULATION NEWSPAPERS BY COUNTY

Listed below are those newspapers of largest bona fide circulation. The Department compiled this listing using the Kentucky Press Association's 1987 Newspaper Yearbook and Directory.

COUNTY	TOWN	NEWSPAPER	WEEKLY OR DAILY
Bell	Middlesboro	Daily News	Daily
Boyd	Ashland	Daily Independent	Daily
Breathitt	Jackson	The Jackson Times	Weekly
Butler	Morgantown	Green River Republican	Weekly
Caldwell	Princeton	Caldwell County Times	Weekly
Carter	Grayson	Journal-Enquirer	Weekly
Christian	Hopkinsville	Kentucky New Era	Daily
Clay	Manchester	Manchester Enterprises	Weekly
Clinton	Albany	Clinton County News	Weekly
Crittenden	Marion	The Crittenden Press	Weekly
Daviess	Owensboro	Messenger Inquirer	Daily
Edmonson	Brownsville	Edmonson News	Weekly
Elliott	Sandy Hook	Elliott County News	Weekly
Estill	Irvine	Citizen Voice & Times	Weekly
Floyd	Prestonsburg	Floyd County Times	Weekly
Greenup	Greenup	The Greenup News	Weekly
Grayson	Leitchfield	Grayson County News-Gazette	Weekly
Hancock	Hawesville	The Hancock Clarion	Weekly
Harlan	Harlan	Harlan Daily Enterprises	Daily
Henderson	Henderson	The Gleaner	Daily
Hopkins	Madisonville	The Messenger	Daily
Jackson	McKee	Jackson County Sun	Weekly
Johnson	Paintsville	The Paintsville Herald	Weekly
Knott	Hindman	Troublesome Creek Times	Weekly
Knox	Barbourville	Mountain Advocate	Weekly
Laurel	London	The Sentinel-Echo	Weekly
Lawrence	Louisa	Big Sandy News	Weekly
Lee	Beattyville	The Beattyville Enterprise	Weekly
Leslie	Hyden	Leslie County News	Weekly
Letcher	Whitesburg	Mountain Eagle	Weekly
Lewis	Vanceburg	Lewis County Herald	Weekly
Madison	Richmond	Richmond Register	Daily
Magoffin	Salyersville	Independent	Weekly
Martin	Inez	Martin Countian	Weekly

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Muhlenberg
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Rowan
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Warren
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Webster
Whitley
Wolfe

Calhoun
Whitley City
Frenchburg
West Liberty
Greenville
Beaver Dam
Booneville
Hazard
Pikeville
Clay City
Somerset
Mt. Vernon
Morehead
Morganfield
Bowling Green
Monticello
Providence
Corbin
Campton

McLean County News
The McCreary County Record
The Menifee News
Licking Valley Courier
Leader News
Ohio County Messenger
Booneville Sentinel
The Herald Voice
Appalachian News-Express
The Clay City Times
Commonwealth-Journal
Mt. Vernon Signal
The Morehead News
Union County Advocate
The Daily News
Wayne County Outlook
Journal Enterprise
Daily Times-Tribune
Wolfe County News

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