

STATE OF ALASKA

2025

Application for Permits to Mine in Alaska (APMA)

Single Year  Multi-year Start: 2023 Finish: 2028 APMA Number (A/F/J, Year, \*\*\*\*) \_\_\_\_\_

What type activity are you planning to perform? <small>REQUIRED</small> (1)	Surface estate of mineral properties: <small>REQUIRED</small> (2)
<input type="checkbox"/> Suction Dredging/Reclamation <input type="checkbox"/> Reclamation Only <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Placer Mining/ Reclamation <input type="checkbox"/> Access <input type="checkbox"/> Hardrock Exploration/ Reclamation	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> State (General) <input type="checkbox"/> State (Mental Health) <input type="checkbox"/> Federal <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> City or Borough

Check All That Apply:  Mineral Property Owner  Lessee  Operator \*Required (3)

Name: Michael A Warfield Primary Phone Number: 907 692-5353

Address: PO Box 1767 Secondary Phone Number: none  
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Click here for the Department of Commerce Link

Alaska Business/Corporation Entity# \_\_\_\_\_ Registered Agent (Corp./LLC/LP) \_\_\_\_\_

Check All That Apply:  Mineral Property Owner  Lessee  Operator \*Required (4)

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Check All That Apply:  Mineral Property Owner  Lessee  Operator \*Required (5)

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Check All That Apply:  Mineral Property Owner  Lessee  Operator \*Required (6)

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*Attach a separate sheet for additional contacts*

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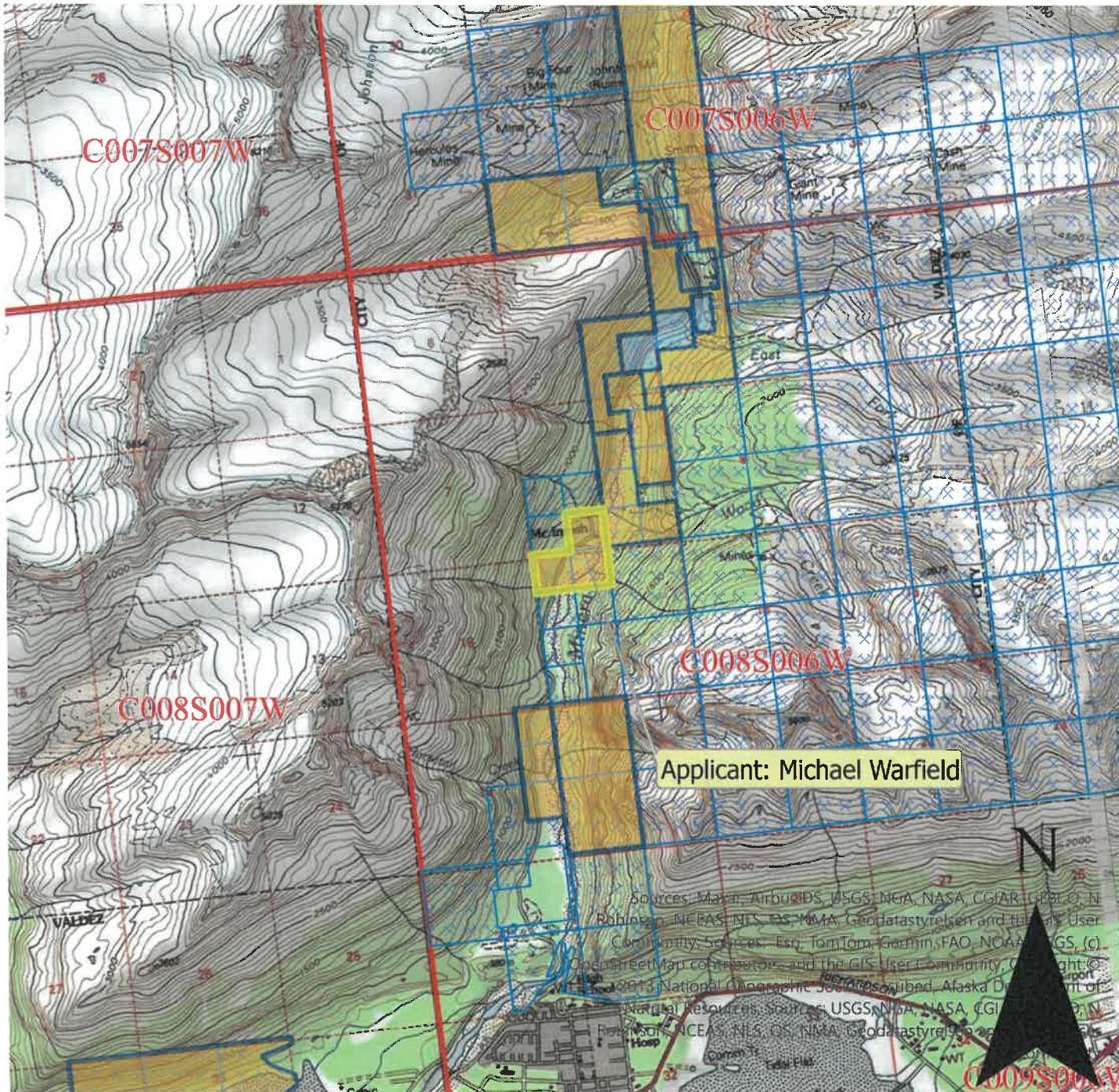
Project Name If Applicable: (7)	Average Number of Workers: <small>REQUIRED</small> (8) 4	Start-Up/Shut Down: (Month/Day) (9) 5/1 to 9/20
Mining District: <small>REQUIRED</small> (10) Valdez	Applicable USGS Map(s): <small>REQUIRED</small> (11) Valdez A-7 AK	On What Stream is This Activity? (12) Mineral Creek
Legal Description of mineral properties to be worked (MTRS) <small>REQUIRED</small> (13) Example: Fairbanks Meridian Township 001N Range 003E Sections 15, 16, and 21 or F 001N 003E Sec. 15, 16, and 21 Glory 5 Meridian C Township 008S Range 006W Section 17 Glory 6 Meridian C Township 008S Range 006W Section 08 Gold Gully Grabber Meridian C Township 008S Range 006W Section 17		Internal Use Only:

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Date Application Received Complete: \_\_\_\_\_ Adjudicator: \_\_\_\_\_ LAS Entry: \_\_\_\_\_

Sec 3 CID: \_\_\_\_\_ Sec 4 CID: \_\_\_\_\_ Sec 5 CID: \_\_\_\_\_ Sec 6 CID: \_\_\_\_\_

# APMA 4116 Active Area

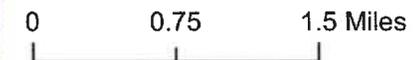


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- Mechanical Placer Mining
- Suction Dredge / Dredging
- State Mining Claim Active
- RS2477 Historic Transportation Routes



Center: 146°21'W 61°10'55"N

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CASE_ID	CSTMRNM	SPCLCDDSCR	CSSTSDSCR	CLAIM_NAME	NTPSTDT	RFSSHDT
ADL 737481	WARFIELD, MICHAEL	MINING CLAIM (MC)	ACTIVE (35)	GLORY 5	2/1/2022 14:55	1/21/2026 4:00
ADL 737482	WARFIELD, MICHAEL	MINING CLAIM (MC)	ACTIVE (35)	GLORY 6	2/1/2022 14:55	1/21/2026 4:00
ADL 713867	WARFIELD, MICHAEL	MINING CLAIM (MC)	ACTIVE (35)	GOLD GULLY GRABBER	3/28/2012 10:24	1/21/2026 4:00

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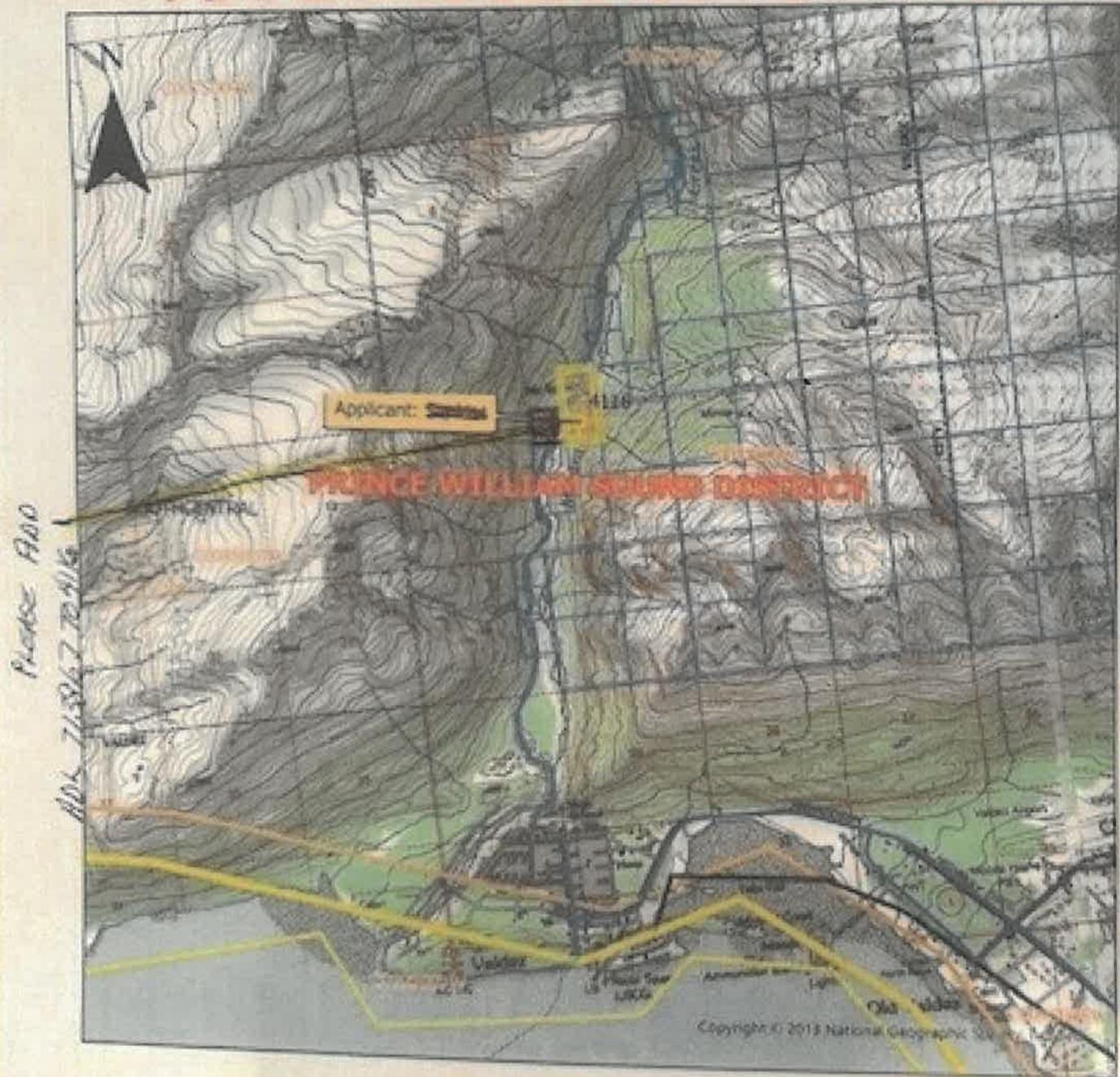
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- Ⓢ APMA
- AK\_MiningDistricts
- APMA Type**
- Hardrock Exploration
- Mechanical Placer Mining
- Suction Dredge / Dredging
- call other values
- State Mining Claim
- BLM Mining Claims
- RS2477 Historic Transportation Routes
- Overall Routes

Center: 146°20'54"W 61°10'4"N  
 0 0.5 1 2 Miles



State of Alaska  
Application for Permits to Mine in Alaska  
Amendment

Date: 1/5/2026

Amendment # 3

APMA: 4116

Please describe your proposed amendment and attach all required forms from the APMA application.

I Michael Warfield will be mining my claims 737481 and 737482 purchased on 6/2025.

On 2/2025 I bought ADL 713867 it was previously on APMA 4116

I would like to put it back on APMA 4116.

would like Ryan Jerome removed from APMA 4116 as all of his equipment has been sold to

Donovan Baggett. The new equipment list is as follows: 54"X16' Trommel, Kolburg 271 Hopper,

Feeder, Komatsu PC400 Excavator, Caterpillar 235 excavator, 12" Pioneer Pump, 6" Honda Pump

3" Water Pump, Volvo L120C Loader, Misc. hoses and fittings for the pumps, 2018 Polaris RZR,

I intent to follow the outline of the existing APMA 4116

State of Alaska  
Natural Resources  
JAN 05 2026  
Mining Division

- Placer Mining
- Suction Dredging
- Hardrock Exploration

APMA # 4116

Complete and return this statement by December 31, 2024. If you did not operate, fill in your name, check bottom box, sign, and return form.

In accordance with AS 27.19 (Reclamation Act):

I, Michael A Warfield hereby file an annual reclamation statement for the 2024 mining operation described in subject Application for Permits to Mine in Alaska. (Submission of this statement does not constitute reclamation approval.)

Volume of material disturbed in 2024: 0 cubic yards (Includes stripping and processed material.)

Sluice days last season: Cubic yards of material processed daily: Annually:

Total acreage disturbed in 2024: State 0, Federal, Private. (Includes stripped areas, mining cuts, overburden and tailing stockpiles and disposal areas, temporary stream diversions, stream bypasses, and settling ponds.) Federal operators should include area of camp and access roads.

Length feet and Width feet of stream diversion.

Stream diversion: Temporary Permanent No Diversion (check one).

Total Area reclaimed in 2024: 0 acres.

Total un-reclaimed acres: 0 (This should match "total acreage currently disturbed" on the 2025 Reclamation Plan Form.)

For areas reclaimed, the following reclamation measures were used (check only measures that were used).

You must include photographs or videotapes of the completed reclamation work:

- Spread and contoured tailings
- Spread topsoil, vegetation, overburden muck or fines on the surface of contoured tailings
- Reestablished flood plain with stream channel in stable position
- Ponds are reclaimed
- Backfilled and reclaimed temporary stream diversions
- Camp removed, cleaned up and left free of debris
- Hardrock Exploration: Complete and submit an electronic Annual Reclamation Report

Other Reclamation Measures Taken:

I did not own any claims in 2024

Did not operate in 2024 and therefore did not conduct reclamation.

Relationship to Claim(s)

- Owner  Lessee  Operator
- Agent For:

Signed

Date 1/5/2026

# 2025 ANNUAL RECLAMATION STATEMENT

(33)

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Signed Michael A Warfield

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**2026 RECLAMATION PLAN FORM (PLACER EXPLORATION OR MINING)**

<input type="checkbox"/> <b>A. RECLAMATION PLAN</b> (REQUIRED if the operation will disturb five or more acres this year, OR 50,000 cubic yards, OR if the operation has a cumulative disturbed area of five or more acres.)	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>B. RECLAMATION PLAN VOLUNTARY</b> (for an operation below limits shown in Box A but wanting to qualify for the statewide bonding pool. (Operations on BLM Lands, and others not filing Letter of Intent).)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>C. LETTER OF INTENT</b> <span style="float: right;">(34)</span> (less than five acres to be disturbed AND less than 50,000 cubic yards AND less than five acres unclaimed area).
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In accordance with Alaska Statute 27.19, reclamation is required of all mining operations. Reclamation bonding is required of operations with disturbance of 5 acres or greater. Completion of this application will meet the requirements for a "Reclamation Plan" for operations 5 acres and larger in size and for a "Letter of Intent To Do Reclamation" for operations under 5 acres. If you do not intend to use the reclamation methods presented below, you must provide additional information concerning your plans for reclamation under separate attachments.

Total acreage currently disturbed: 0 acres. This should match "Total Unreclaimed Acres" on your 2025 Annual Reclamation Statement for Small Mines, or line #7 on your 2026 Bond Pool Renewal Form. Disturbed ground includes all unclaimed mining and exploration activity (excluding camps and roads) since October 1991. Federal operators must include areas of camps and roads.

New acres to be disturbed in 2026: 4.9 acres. Total acreage (currently disturbed plus new acres): 4.9 acres.

Acreage disturbed by land status: 4.9 State (general) \_\_\_\_\_ State (Mental Health) \_\_\_\_\_ Private \_\_\_\_\_ Federal \_\_\_\_\_

Total acreage to be reclaimed in 2026: 4.9 acres. Total volume of material to be disturbed in 2026: 48,000 cubic yards.  
 Include strippings and overburden to be removed. Cubic yards = Length (yards) x Width (yards) x Depth (yards).

Reclamation will be conducted concurrently with activity.  Reclamation will be conducted at the end of the season.

**THE FOLLOWING RECLAMATION MEASURES SHALL BE USED:**

(These measures are required by law. Those that do not apply may be crossed out, but, an explanation must be given as to why these measures are not necessary at your site.)

- Topsoil, vegetation, and overburden muck, not promptly redistributed to an area being reclaimed, will be individually separated and stockpiled for future use. This material will be protected from erosion and from contamination by acidic or toxic materials and will not be buried by tailings.
- The area reclaimed will be reshaped to blend with the surrounding area using tailings, strippings, and overburden and be stabilized.
- Stockpiled topsoil, overburden muck, will be spread over the contoured exploration sites to promote natural plant growth such that the area can reasonably be expected to revegetate within five years. Stockpiled vegetation will be spread over topsoils.
- Settling ponds located within the active flood plain and necessary for continued use during the next mining season will be protected from erosion or the fines removed.
- If the mining operation diverts a stream channel or modifies a flood plain to the extent that the stream channel is no longer stable, the stream channel will be reestablished in a stable location in the valley flood plain.
- The flood plain will be established as appropriate to accommodate seasonal high-water flood events and prevent undue erosional degradation.
- Exploration trenches will be backfilled. Brush piles, stumps, topsoil, and other organics will be spread on the backfilled surface to inhibit erosion and promote natural revegetation.
- Shallow auger holes (limited to depth of overburden) will be backfilled with drill cuttings or other locally available material in such a manner that closes the hole to minimize the risk to humans, livestock and wildlife.
- At placer drift mine closure, all mine shafts, adits, tunnels, and air vents to underground workings will be stabilized and properly sealed to ensure protection of the public, wildlife, and the environment.
- On state lands, all buildings and structures constructed, used or improved will be removed, dismantled, or otherwise properly disposed of unless the surface owner or manager authorizes that the buildings and structures may stay.
- On state lands, all scrap iron, equipment, tools, piping, hardware, chemicals, fuels, waste, and general construction debris will be removed or properly disposed of.
- Reclamation measures taken will be consistent with any alternate post mining land use approved by the Commissioner, subject to the provisions of 11 AAC 87.300(h) and the conditions (if any) of an approved reclamation plan.

**IMPORTANT:** 1. Alternative reclamation measures may be approved if the reclamation measures presented above are not applicable to your site. Please explain in separate correspondence. Submit a sketch and describe additional reclamation measures you propose to conduct at your operation. Reclamation measures must comply with AS 27.19.

**BONDING:** In accordance with AS 27.19, bonding is required for all operations having a mined area of greater than or equal to five acres on State Land. This area must be bonded for \$750.00 per acre, unless the miner can demonstrate that a third party contractor can do the needed reclamation for less. The Statewide Bonding Pool may be joined by completing a bond pool application form and meeting certain requirements. No reclamation plan approval goes into effect until the bonding pool deposit and annual nonrefundable fees are paid. Use bond form to calculate area of disturbance for bonding.

BLM requires that a reclamation plan be consistent with 543 CFR 3808.420. Performance Standards for the Surface Management regulations for Federal Operations. Refer to 43 CFR 3809 or the BLM minerals website available at <https://www.blm.gov/programs/energy-and-minerals/mining-and-minerals> for more information on what is needed for a reclamation plan on Federal lands, as they may be different than those identified above.

Michael A Warfield Printed name (Applicant)  Signature (Applicant)	Relationship to Mineral Property: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Owner <input type="checkbox"/> Lessee <input type="checkbox"/> Operator <input type="checkbox"/> Agent For: _____	Date: <u>1/5/2026</u> APMA #: <u>4116</u>
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