

**Informal Conference**

10:00 a.m. May 19, 2009

Application #1005514

Long Canyon Coal LLC

Department of Mines, Minerals and Energy  
Buchanan- Smith Building (Conf. Room 219)

1. **Informal conference opened at 10:05 a.m. by Harve Mooney (DMME, facilitator)**
2. **Purpose of the meeting – to receive public comments on the proposed application to mine.**
3. **Eight persons from the public attended three persons spoke in comment in reference to the permit application.**
4. **Other persons present – Regina Holbrook, DMLR Office Services Specialist (serving as conference recorder); Kathy Sexton, DMLR Permit Review Specialist; Mike Giles and James Meacham, DMLR Area Supervisors; Gary Cole and Ken Artrip, DMLR Reclamation Enforcement Inspectors.**
5. **Attendees were informed of the DMLR decision process –**
  - **Within 30 days from the close of the conference to approve, disapprove, or require additional information.**
  - **Permittee and Commenter would be informed in writing of the DMLR's decision on the application as well as the right to administrative review of such.**
6. **Comments were received from Mr. Greg Hamilton, Ms. Kathy Selvage and Mr. Bill Bradshaw on behalf of his clients – Concerns were voiced about the rights of entry, mining within 300 feet of an occupied dwelling and stream sedimentation and pollution. (transcript to be prepared)**
7. **There being no other persons wishing to submit comments, the conference was closed at 10:35 a.m.**