


PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Abandoned Mine Lands Division

Memorandum

TO: Commissioners Clark, Kalk and Cramer
Darrell Nitschke
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From:  Jim Deutsch, Director - AML Division

Date: November 16, 2011

Subject: Close-out of Contract No. AM-609-11 for construction services at the 2011 Columbus, Phase 12, AML project, Case No. AM-11-28

On June 8th the Commission awarded Contract No. AM-609-11 to Gary Morlock Construction Inc. for construction services at the 2011 Columbus, Phase 12, AML project. This project involved backfilling dangerous highwalls and spoil grading at an abandoned surface mine south of Columbus in Burke County. The contract required Gary Morlock Construction to reclaim approximately 120 acres of abandoned highwalls and pits. Approximately 518,630 cubic yards of spoil material had to be moved during reclamation. The original contract amount was \$922,416.00.

Work on the Columbus Phase 12 AML project started on August 15th and was completed October 27th. Project Manager Mark Knell and construction inspector Ray Kelsch supervised the project work and determined that all conditions of the contract were completed. The contracted work was completed for a total cost of \$922,416.00, the full amount of the contract. Final payment has also been made to Gary Morlock Construction.

Attached is a motion for the November 23, 2011, Commission meeting to close Contract AM-609-11.

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