

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Abandoned Mine Lands Division

Memorandum

TO: Commissioners Christmann, Haugen-Hoffart, Fedorchak
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From: Jonathan Emmer, Matthew Fischer, and Brett Job

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Subject: Request to Initiate 2024 Exploratory Drilling AML Project
PSC Case No. AM-23-358

The 2024 Exploratory Drilling AML Project will locate and characterize underground mine workings beneath public roads and other infrastructure near the cities of New Salem and Scranton. Work is expected to be conducted between June and August 2024 and estimated to cost \$300,000.

The AML Division has funds to complete this project as designed and recommends initiation of the 2024 Exploratory Drilling AML Project.