



Jeffrey A. Almond

Current Position

Senior Principal

Profession

Mining Engineering
Consultant

Years' Experience

40+

Education

Attended Virginia
Polytechnic Institute and
State University,
Blacksburg, VA

Professional Registrations

MSHA Certified
Impoundment Instructor

Summary of Experience

Mr. Almond is responsible for consulting and engineering services in order to obtain state and federal mining related permits in West Virginia, Virginia, and Kentucky for coal mining clients.

He has:

- > Managed and coordinated consulting engineering services that included all aspects of environmental permitting, surveying, mine design, reclamation projects, hydrology studies, subsidence studies, pre-blast surveys, and special projects
- > Managed special construction projects
- > Verified production totals for contract miners and prepared monthly reports for lessees
- > Negotiated and secured leases
- > Performed preliminary reserve studies on potential acquisitions

Specifics Projects

- > **West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection Quality Assurance Control Panel:** Has served on the panel since 2004 (*appointed by the West Virginia Coal Association as one of two industry representatives*)
- > **Pittston Coal Subsidiary:** Obtained and maintained all state and federal mining permits. Planned, reviewed, advised, and coordinated permitting process with numerous consulting firms. Managed reclamation and special construction projects as needed. Served as Spill Prevention Control and Countermeasures (SPCC) contact person for Clay, Kanawha, Fayette, and Nicholas county, West Virginia, operations
- > **Maben Energy:** Obtained and maintained all state and federal mining permits. Planned, reviewed, advised, and coordinated permitting process with numerous consulting firms. Managed reclamation and special construction projects as needed. Served as the contact person with the West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection inspector to ensure environmental compliance
- > **Harvey Energy:** Obtained and maintained all state and federal mining permits. Accountable for mine planning, surveying, sediment control and transportation design, drafting, assembly of, and all other aspects of state and federal permits. Managed reclamation and special construction projects as needed. Served as the contact person with the West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection inspector to ensure environmental compliance