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Newspapers: Harlowton Times/Clarion, Big Timber Pioneer and Lewistown News-Argus

**RE: Legal Notice on Proposed Bond Release for four Montana Rockworks, LLP Sites near Harlowton**

Dear Editor:

Please place the following notice in the next legal publication section of your newspaper for two consecutive weeks, preferably the Sunday edition:

#### Legal Notice

Montana Rockworks, LLP has submitted a request to the Montana Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) for full bond release for the Elk Mountain I, II and III sites as well as for the Voss site (Operating Permit 00175). Elk Mountain I, II and III and the Voss site are located in Wheatland County. Elk Mountain I and II are located about ten miles west of Harlowton, MT. Elk Mountain III is located about one mile south of Two Dot, MT. The Voss site is located about two miles southeast of Two Dot. The amount of obligated bond for these four sites is \$92,720. The DEQ has inspected the sites and believes that full bond release should be granted.

Pursuant to Section 82-4-338(5), MCA, DEQ may not release or decrease a reclamation bond until the public has been provided an opportunity for a hearing and a hearing has been held if requested. A request for a hearing on the proposed bond release must be submitted by September 3, 2010, to the postal or e-mail address set forth below.

Comments on the proposed bond release or requests for additional information should be sent to: Montana Department of Environmental Quality, Environmental Management Bureau, PO Box 200901, 1520 E. Sixth Ave., Helena, MT 59620-0901, or by calling Herb Rolfes at (406) 444-3841 or e-mail at [hrolfes@mt.gov](mailto:hrolfes@mt.gov).

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***Please send your invoice, tear sheet, and affidavit of publication to Environmental Management Bureau of DEQ (address above). Please make sure your invoice contains Purchase Order # 50311.23. Thank you.***

Sincerely,

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