

# Abandoned Mine Lands (AML) Projects

## HLC Ongoing Activity – 8/15/2016 update

Helena Ranger District				
Project	Specific Area	Current Activities	Delays or Closures	Contact(s)
Warm Springs Tailings Removal (USFS)	Middle Fork Warm Springs Creek	Stream reconstruction & ongoing waste excavation; aggregate import and waste haul traffic on the 4016 Rd, Mon - Fri, 0630-1730	<p><b>Area Closure Order (USFS)</b> in-place specific to the tailings impoundment and repository areas.</p> <p><b>Road 4016 (County) – Road closed Mon – Fri, 6:00 a.m. – 6:30 p.m. during construction; Project use and in-drainage landowner access only; travel variance required in advance for all other access needs (Contact the Helena RD)</b></p>	DeGeest (D2 Ranger) 495-3924; Stovall (COR) 495-3766; Oaks (Insp.) 495-3730
Lilly/Orphan Boy (DEQ & Trout Unlimited)	Telegraph Creek (PVT inholding)	Ongoing waste excavation and haul to Luttrell Repository for disposal	No closures at this time; watch for pilot-car-led haul truck trains (5-6 trucks) on <b>upper 495, FSR 1863 and FSR 1863-A1.</b>	DeGeest (D2 Ranger) 495-3924; Joel Chavez (DEQ) 444-6407; Oaks (Geol.) 495-3730
Upper Tenmile Creek Mining Area (EPA Superfund)	Banner Creek and Minnehaha Creek	No 2016 activity planned	None	DeGeest (D2 Ranger) 495-3924; Tillman McAdams (EPA) 457-5015; Oaks (Geol.) 495-3730
	Landmark Subdivision (Residential)	2016 onsite work complete	None	DeGeest (D2 Ranger) 495-3924; Tillman McAdams (EPA) 457-5015; Oaks (Geol.) 495-3730

Townsend Ranger District				
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Park Mines Maintenance Project (DEQ)	Private Land Areas, North Fork Indian Creek (FSR 360)	Waste removal and stream reconstruction complete; equipment has been demobilized; site revegetation to occur late Sept.–Oct. 2016	None	Lewellen (D1 Ranger) 266-3425; Oaks (Geol.) 495-3730; Scott Graham (DEQ) 444-6473

**Lincoln Ranger District**

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<i>UBMC Mike Horse Reclamation (DEQ &amp; USFS)</i>	Repository, Tailings Impoundment, & Mike Horse Cr.	Ongoing waste excavation (lower Mike Horse Cr. and tailings impoundment) & haul for disposal; ongoing upper Mike Horse Cr. stream restoration	<b>Old Mike Horse Rd. &amp; Meadow Creek Rd. - Closed to all traffic 7days/week; travel variance required in advance for all access; watch for increased traffic on Hwy(s) 200 and 279. (Contact the Lincoln RD)</b>	Opp (OSC) 495-3716; Stovall (Eng.) 495-3766; Stansberry (D4 Ranger) 362-7002; Shellie Haaland (DEQ) 431-1401

**Belt Creek Ranger District**

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<i>Carpenter Creek Tailings (EPA Superfund &amp; USFS)</i>	EPA Superfund (Tailings Removal)	No 2016 activity planned	None	Ihle (Ranger) 236-5101; Noland (Eng.) 791-7736; Opp (OSC) 495-3716
	USFS (Tailings O&M)	No 2016 activity planned	None	Ihle (Ranger) 236-5101; Noland (Eng.) 791-7736; Opp (OSC) 495-3716
<i>Barker Hughesville (EPA Superfund &amp; USFS)</i>	N/A	No 2016 activity planned	None	Ihle (Ranger) 236-5101; Noland (Eng.) 791-7736; Opp (OSC) 495-3716