Interstate Mining Compact Commission Reclamation Award Winners, Past and Present

2023 Winners

Awarded in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania at the 2023 Interstate Mining Compact Commission Annual Meeting

- Coal Category -

Winner:

Paramont Contura LLC - Deep Mine #26 (Virginia)

- Non-Coal Category -

Winner:

Kentucky-Tennessee Clay Company - Sims Mine (Kentucky)

2022 Winners

Awarded in Lexington, Kentucky at the 2022 Interstate Mining Compact Commission Annual Meeting

- Coal Category -

Winner:

The Sterling Mining Corporation - Carroll Hollow #6 Mine (Ohio)

- Non-Coal Category -

Winner

Welch Concrete Products, LLC - Welch Sand & Gravel (Kentucky)

- Non-Coal Small Operator Category -

Winner:

Walker Sand & Stone, INC - #1 Mine (Virginia)

2021 Winners

- Coal Category -

Winner:

Randolph Land Holding Company -- Jordan Grove (Illinois)

- Non-Coal Category -

Winner:

Martin Marietta Materials -- Clinton County Quarry (Ohio)

2020 Winners

- Coal Category -

Winner:

Rosebud Mining Company -- Ehrenfeld Mine and Ehrenfeld Abandoned Mine Reclamation Project (Pennsylvania)

- Non-Coal Category -

Winner:

Lafarge -- Algonquin Pit #5 (Illinois)

2019 Winners

Awarded in Tucson, Arizona at the 2019 Interstate Mining Compact Commission Annual Meeting

- Coal Category -

Winner:

Sabine Mining Company -- South Hallsville No. 1 Mine (Texas)

- Non-Coal Category -

Winner:

Teck American Incorporated -- Magmont Mine (Missouri)

2018 Winners

Awarded in Charlotte, North Carolina at the 2018 Interstate Mining Compact Commission Annual Meeting

- Coal Category -

Winner:

Peabody Energy -- Wild Boar Mine - Barren Fork Pit, Permit # S-00360 (Indiana)

- Non-Coal Category -

Winner:

Freeport-McMoRan, Inc. -- Copper Queen Mine (Arizona)

Honorable Mention:

Pete Lien & Sons, Inc. -- Rifle Quarry, CDRMS Permit # M-1985-038 (Colorado)

- Small Operator Category -

Winner:

Gillies Creek Industrial Recycling -- Bottoms Bridge Mine (Virginia)

2017 Winners

Awarded in Williamsburg, Virginia at the 2017 Interstate Mining Compact Commission Annual Meeting

- Coal Category - Winner:

B & N Coal, Inc. -- Estadt Mine - Permit D-1038, Ohio Division of Mineral Resources (Ohio)

Honorable Mention:

Peabody Midwest Mining, LLC -- Viking Mine, Knox Pit (Indiana)

- Non-Coal Category -

Winner:

Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago -- Expanded Stage 2 (Illinois)

Honorable Mention:

Amerikohl Aggregates, Inc. -- McMillen Quarry (Pennsylvania)

2016 Winners

Awarded in Lake Placid, New York at the 2016 Interstate Mining Compact Commission Annual Meeting

- Coal Category -

Winner:

Paramont Coal Company, LLC -- Hawks Nest Surface Mine (Virginia)

Honorable Mention:

Solar Sources, Inc. -- Cannelburg Mining Complex (Indiana)

- Non-Coal Category -

Winner:

Wyo-Ben, Inc. -- Pit 138L (Wyoming)

2015 Winners

Awarded in Baltimore, Maryland at the 2015 Interstate Mining Compact Commission Annual Meeting

- Coal Category -

Winner:

Harlan Reclamation Services, LLC -- Right Fork Mine (Kentucky)

Honorable Mention:

Paramont Coal Company Virginia, LLC -- Red Onion Surface Mine, Permit #1101849 (Virginia)

- Noncoal Category -

Winner:

Luck Stone Corporation -- Charlottesville Plant (Virginia)

Honorable Mention:

Kinross Fairbanks Gold Mining, Inc. -- True North Gold Mine (Alaska)

2014 Winners

Awarded in Reno, Nevada at the 2014 Interstate Mining Compact Commission Annual Meeting

- Coal Category -

Winner:

Luminant Mining Company, LLC -- Big Brown Mine B (Texas)

Honorable Mention:

United Minerals Company, LLC/Peabody Midwest -- Somerville East Mine, Permit #S-354 (Indiana)

- Non-Coal Category -

Winner:

Newmont Mining Corporation -- Twin Creeks Mine Pinon Tailings Facility (Nevada)

Honorable Mention:

Hanson Material Service -- Fairmount Quarry (Illinois)

- Small Operator Category - Winner:

T & T Coal, Inc. -- Larue Mine (Kentucky)

2013 Winners

Awarded in Cincinnati, Ohio at the 2013 Interstate Mining Compact Commission Annual Meeting

- Coal Category -

Winner:

Vigo Coal Operating Co., Inc. -- Cypress Creek Mine (Indiana)

Honorable Mention:

Bridger Coal Company -- Jim Bridger Mine Complex (Wyoming)

- Non-Coal Category -

Winner:

M-I SWACO, LLC (A Schlumberger Company) -- M-I SWACO Bentonite Mine (Wyoming)

Honorable Mention:

Vulcan Construction Materials -- Skippers Quarry (Virginia)

- Small Operator Category -

Winner:

Continental Coal, Inc. -- Cottonwood Creek Mine (Missouri)

2012 Winners

Awarded in Asheville, North Carolina at the 2012 Interstate Mining Compact Commission Annual Meeting

- Coal Category -

Winner:

Peabody Powder River Operations, LLC -- North Antelope Rochelle Mine (Wyoming)

- Non-Coal Category -

Winner:

Virginia Vermiculite, LLC -- R.E. Sansom Mine & Mill (Virginia)

2011 Winners

Awarded in Wheeling, West Virginia at the 2011 Interstate Mining Compact Commission Annual Meeting

- Coal Category -

Winner:

Patriot Coal Company, LP -- Patriot Surface Mine (Kentucky)

Honorable Mention:

Vigo Coal Operating Co., Inc. -- Friendsville Mine (Illinois)

- Non-Coal Category -

Winner:

Frozen Ropes Baseball Company, LLC -- Frozen Ropes Sports Park (New York)

2010 Winners

Awarded in Point Clear, Alabama at the 2010 Interstate Mining Compact Commission Annual Meeting

- Coal Category -

Winner:

Enterprise Mining Company, LLC -- Big Branch South Mine (Kentucky)

Honorable Mention:

Larry D. Baumgardner Coal Company, Inc. -- Turner Operations, Surface Mining Permit #17990111

- Non-Coal Category -

Winner:

Thelen Sand and Gravel, Inc. -- Fox Lake Pit (Illinois)

- Small Operator Category -

Winner:

Warren C. Hartman, Contractor -- Mine #28, Permit #14980101 (Pennsylvania)

2009 Winners

Awarded in Anchorage, Alaska at the 2009 Interstate Mining Compact Commission Annual Meeting

- Coal Category -

Winner:

Peabody Energy and Black Beauty Coal Company -- Viking Mine (Indiana)

Honorable Mention:

Texas Westmoreland Coal Company -- Bobwhite Quail Release Project (Texas)

- Non-Coal Category -

Winner:

Iluka Resources, Inc. -- Old Hickory Operation (Virginia)

2008 Winners

Awarded in Teton Village (Jackson Hole), Wyoming at the 2008 Interstate Mining Compact Commission Annual Meeting

- Coal Category -

Winner:

ICG Eastern, LLC -- Birch River Mine Complex (West Virginia)

Honorable Mention:

Rio Tinto Energy America -- Jacobs Ranch Mine (Wyoming)

- Non-Coal Category -

Winner:

The Arundel Corporation -- Greenspring Quarry (Maryland)

2007 Winners

Awarded in Indianapolis, Indiana at the 2007 Interstate Mining Compact Commission Annual Meeting

- Coal Category -

Winner:

Associated Electric Cooperative, Inc. -- BeeVeer Mine (Missouri)

- Non-Coal Category -

Winner:

Kennecott Ridgeway Mining Company -- Ridgeway Gold Mine (South Carolina)

Honorable Mention:

Iluka Resources, Inc. -- Old Hickory Operation (Virginia)

2006 Winners

Awarded in Bismarck, North Dakota at the 2006 Interstate Mining Compact Commission Annual Meeting

- Coal Category -

Winner:

Paramont Coal Company Virginia, LLC -- Black Bear #1 (Carrie Branch) (Virginia)

Honorable Mention:

TXU Mining Company -- Oak Hill Mine (Texas)

- Non-Coal Category -

Winner:

Vulcan Materials Company -- Curles Neck Sand and Gravel Mine (Virginia)

Year	Coal	Noncoal	Small Operator
2005	Delta Mine Holding Company (Illinois)	PCS Phosphate Company, Inc. (North Carolina)	None
2004	Arch of West Virginia (West Virginia)	Chaney Enterprises Limited Partnership (Maryland)	Penn-Ohio Coal Company (Ohio)
2003	Tri State Leasing Corporation (Virginia)	Kyanite Mining Corporation (Virginia)	R and S Coal Company (Arkansas)
2002	TXU Mining Company (Texas)	(2 Winners) Lafarge North America (Maryland) & Vulcan Construction Materials, LP (Illinois)	Signor Brothers (Pennsylvania)
2001	Coteau Properties Company (North Dakota)	Pioneer Mid-Atlantic, Inc. (Pennsylvania)	ACV Power Corporation (Pennsylvania)
2000	Black Beauty Coal Company (Vigo Coal Company, contractor) (Indiana)	Reynolds Metals Company (Arkansas)	Porter's Concrete Service (New York)
1999	Cypress Amax Coal Company (Indiana)	Grace Division, W.R. Grace & CoConn. (South Carolina)	South Alabama Materials, Inc. (Alabama)

1998	Drummond Company, Inc. (Alabama)	U.S. Vanadium Corp. (Arkansas)	None
1997	(2 Winners) Catenary Coal Company (West Virginia) & Texas Utilities Mining Company (Texas)	PCS Phosphate Company, Inc. (North Carolina)	Wash Ridge Coal Co., Inc. (Kentucky)
1996	United Minerals Co. (Indiana)	Golden Cat Division of Ralston Purina (Illinois)	Ben Cookson, Inc. (Ohio)
1995	Mid-Continental Fuels, Inc. (Illinois)	T.H. Kinsella, Inc. (New York)	Three Forks Mining, Inc. (Virginia)
1994	R & F Coal Company (Ohio)	Maryland Rock Industries, Inc. (Maryland)	Little Six Corp. (Virginia)
1993	Red River Coal Co., Inc. (Illinois)	Kyanite Mining Corp. (Virginia)	None
1992	R & F Coal Company (Ohio)	York Building Products Co., Inc. (Maryland)	Bar Coal Inc. (Alabama)
1991	Hobet Mining, Inc. (West Virginia)	Cherry Valley Sand & Gravel Corporation (Illinois)	Fowler Excavating, Inc. (Indiana)
1990	Vigo Coal Co., Inc. (Indiana)	Martin Mariette Aggregates (North Carolina)	N/A
1989	(2 Winners) Willowbrook Mining Company (Pennsylvania) & San Juan Coal Co. (West Virginia)	Laurel Sand & Gravel (Maryland)	N/A
1988	Island Creek Coal Co. (West Virginia)	Vulcan Materials Co. (North Carolina)	N/A
1987	B & N Coal Co. (Ohio)	J.M. Huber Corp. (South Carolina)	N/A