

# Potential Funding Sources for Mine Drainage Abatement

Organization	Contact	Phone No.	Comments
<b>FEDERAL GOVERNMENT</b>			
<b>U.S. Army Corps of Engineers</b> Baltimore District	James Johnson	(410) 962-4900	Section 1135: applies to watershed projects damaging Corps property or if Corps projects are having a negative effect that would result in AMD formation. The project area has to be on public lands.  Section 206: Aquatic Ecosystem Restoration Program. This program has not yet been funded.  Planning assistance to states for watershed cleanups.  Stream Bank Erosion Program.
Philadelphia District	Robert Callegari	(215) 656-6540	
Buffalo District	Phillip Berkeley	(716) 879-4145	
Detroit District	David Dulong	(313) 226-6766	
Huntington District	Jim Everman	(304) 529-5636	
Louisville District	Jeff Klekner	(502) 582-5658	
Nashville District	Tom Waters	(615) 736-5646	
Pittsburgh District	Jack Goga	(412) 644-6817	
Mobile District	Roger Simmons	(205) 690-2777	
<b>U.S. Department of Agriculture</b> <b>Natural Resources Conservation Service</b> Lexington, KY	David G. Sawyer	(606) 224-7350	<i>PL 566: Small watershed program</i> <i>PL534: Flood prevention program.</i> <i>Resource Conservation and Development Program: provides technical assistance to help identify problems and locate funding.</i> <i>Wildlife Habitat Incentives Program: Under the Farm Bill.</i>
Columbus, OH	Patrick K. Wolf	(614) 469-6962	
Harrisburg, PA	Janet L. Oertly	(717) 782-2202	
Morgantown, WV	William Hartman	(304) 291-4153	

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<b>U.S. Department of Energy (DOE)</b> Morgantown Energy Center Morgantown, WV	Robert Bedick	(304) 285-4505	Availability of funds will depend on Congressional budget authorizations and proposed organizational changes.
FE-232 Office of Coal Combustion Control Systems	Douglas Uthus	(301) 903-0479	Projects of this kind are funded by the appropriate DOE Field Center.
Advanced Research and Environmental Technology	Neil H. Coats Jer Yu Shang	(301) 903-6229 (301) 903-2795	Advanced Research and Environmental Technology (Env) \$2.5 Million FY96.
Coal Preparation	Randy Penington	(301) 903-3485	R&D project funding.
Environmental Science & Technology Div.	Bob Kleinman	(412) 892-6555	Provides technical assistance.
<b>U.S. Environmental Protection Agency</b> U.S. EPA Region III			
<i>Environmental Justice (EJ)</i>	Reginald Harris	(215) 566-2988	Provide financial assistance to eligible community groups. Organizations must be incorporated to receive funds.
<i>Section 319</i>	Hank Zygmunt	(215) 566-5750	Provides financial support for projects which demonstrate water quality improvement from non-point source pollution.
<i>Source Watershed Protection Program</i>			Provides financial support for projects which potentially impact drinking water supplies
<i>Environmental Justice through Pollution Prevention (EJP2)</i>	Jeff Burke	(215) 566-2761	To use pollution prevention resources for addressing environmental problems in low income, high minority areas.
<i>Sustainable Development Challenge (SDC)</i>	Mindy Lemoine/ Theresa Martella	(215) 566-2736	Provide community funding for establishing partnerships to encourage environmentally and economically sustainable business practices.
<i>Environmental Education (EE)</i>	Nan L. Ides	(215) 566-5546	Provide financial support for projects which design, demonstrate, disseminate environmental education practices, methods, or techniques.
<b>Appalachian Regional Commission</b>	Karen Holloway	(202) 884-7754	

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<b>U.S. Department of Interior Office of Surface Mining</b>			
<i>Clean Streams Initiative</i>	James Taitt	(412) 937-2106	Provides funding for stream cleanups impacted by AMD from abandoned coal mines.
<i>Abandoned Mine Land Program (AML)</i>			Established by Title IV of SMCRA. Under this program, fees collected from coal operators go to the Abandoned Mine Reclamation Fund (AMRF). Most AMRF monies are potentially available for contaminated CMD cleanup.
<i>Pittsburgh, PA</i>	James Taitt	(412) 937-2106	AMD Program Coordinator.
<i>Harrisburg, PA</i>	Dave Hamilton	(717) 782-2285	PA ACSI Coordinator.
<i>Maryland</i>	Pete Hartman	(301) 724-4860	MD ACSI Coordinator.
<i>Charleston, WV</i>	Rick Buckley	(304) 347-7162	WV ACSI Coordinator.
<i>Columbus, OH</i>	Max Luehrs	(614) 866-0578	OH ACSI Coordinator.
<i>Big Stone Gap, VA</i>	Ronnie Vicars	(540) 523-0024	VA ACSI Coordinator.
<i>Lexington, KY</i>	Dave Beam	(606) 233-2896	KY ACSI Coordinator.
<i>Knoxville, TN</i>	Willis Gainer	(423) 545-4103	TN ACSI Coordinator.
<b>STATE PROGRAMS</b>			
Abandoned Mine Lands Program	Your state office		
Special Reclamation Fund	Your state office		
Acid Mine Drainage Abatement and Treatment Fund - 10% Set Aside.	Your state office		
State Revolving Fund	Your state office		
State Nonpoint Source Programs	Your state office		
State Division of Natural Resources	Your state office		
Civil Penalties	Your state office		
State's Development Office	Your state office		
Federal and State Appropriations	Your state office		
Governor's Discretionary Funds	Your state office		

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<b>State of Maryland</b>			
State of Maryland	Suzanne Arcella <i>State Coordinator</i>	(401) 631-3584	RFPs for Maryland 319 Funds come out in April each year. The Maryland Mining Program can compete for funds.
Maryland Department of Environment <i>Water Management Administration</i>	J.L. Hearn <i>Director</i>	(410) 631-3567	MDE has an established tradition of supporting projects with funding in which they have an interest.
Maryland Bureau of Mines (BOM)	Connie Lyons John Carey	(301) 689-6764 (301) 689-6764	Source of additional contacts.
Maryland Geological Survey	James Reger Ken Schwartz Emery Cleaves	(410) 554-5523 (301) 689-6104 (410) 554-5504	Potential source of contribution; source of additional contacts.
<b>State of Pennsylvania</b>			
Mineral Resources Management Bureau of Abandoned Mine Reclamation	Ernie Giovenetti <i>Director</i>	(717) 783-2267	Source of potential funding; additional contacts; information.
<b>State of Virginia</b>			
Department of Mines, Minerals, & Energy Division of Mined Land Reclamation	Bob Herron <i>Coordinator</i>	(540) 523-8100	Source of potential funding; additional contacts; information.
<b>State of West Virginia</b>			
Stream Mitigation Fund	Ken Politan	(304) 759-0510	
<i>Section 319</i>	Lyle Bennett		
<b>RESEARCH ORGANIZATIONS / ENDOWMENTS / TRUSTS</b>			
Heinz Endowments	Andy McElwaine	(412) 281-5777	The Heinz Endowments holds two meetings per year (Spring and Fall) to allocate funds from two separate Heinz endowments. The Howard Heinz Endowment is solely for projects inside the State of Pennsylvania. The Vira Heinz Endowment occasionally considers projects outside of Pennsylvania and does fund AMD projects.

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<b>ENVIRONMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS</b>			
Clean Water Action	David Zwick	(202) 895-0420	In-kind technical/scientific consultation; In-kind research support; networking.
American Rivers	Rebecca Wadders	(202) 547-6900	In-kind research support; media support; networking.
Friends of the Earth		(202) 783-7400	In-kind research support; media support; networking.
Friends of the River	Betsy Reifsnider	(415) 771-0400	Funds river preservation and restoration projects through Friends of the River Foundation; media support; networking.
Izaak Walton League of America		(703) 548-0150	In-kind research support; media support; networking.
National Water Resources Association	Tom F. Donnelly	(703) 524-1544	Bestows awards; networking.
River Network		(202) 364-2550	In-kind research support; media support; networking.
Sierra Club	Carl Pope	(415) 977-5500	Bestows awards; networking; media support.
Society for Ecological Restoration	William Jordan	(608) 262-9547	In-kind technical/scientific consultation; networking.
Thorne Ecological Institute	Steve Eandi	(303) 499-3647	In-kind technical/scientific consultation; networking.

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