

*SUBJECT:* Pre-Blast Surveys

*DATE:* December 5, 2006

This policy covers the situation where a permit has satisfied 22-3-13a, 38 CSR 6.8, and 199 CSR 1-3.8 and then proposes to extend permitted area by IBR or amendment. In this situation the IBR or amendment area(s) are the only areas requiring pre-blast survey notification. The original permit area or previously approved IBR or amendment areas with approved pre-blast surveys would require additional pre-blast surveys only when blasting plan changes would dictate additional pre-blast surveys or where pre-blast surveys or updates are otherwise required.