### **Closure Completion Notification for Closure by Removal**

January 15, 2025 Closure Completion Notification Mitchell Plant Bottom Ash Pond

On December 24, 2024, the Mitchell Plant Bottom Ash Pond was transitioned to closure status in accordance with 40 CFR 257.102. This notice of completion of closure is being placed in the operating record in accordance with 40 CFR 257.102(h).

Effective with the Closure Completion Notification, the former ash storage site is no longer a CCR unit. The following operating record documents are no longer required going forward:

- Hazard Potential Classification
- Emergency Action Plan (EAP)
- Face to Face Meeting Documentation for EAP
- History of Construction and Revisions for Surface Impoundments
- Structural Stability Assessments
- Safety Factor Assessments
- Fugitive Dust Plan
- Inflow Design Flood System Control Plan

### CLOSURE CERTIFICATION BY QUALIFIED PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER

I certify that the AEP Mitchell Bottom Ash Pond has been closed in accordance with the most recent written closure plan specified by 40 CFR 257.102(b) and the requirements of 40 CFR 257.102.

**David Anthony Miller** 

Printed Name of Licensed Professional Engineer

David Anthony Miller

Signature

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License Number

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Date

March 8, 2023 Document Number: APO087.0003



### **VERDANTAS CERTIFICATION**

Based on the construction observations performed by Verdantas representatives, I hereby certify that the Bottom Ash Pond West Basin at the Mitchell Plant in Moundsville, West Virginia, as shown on the record drawing located in Appendix C, has achieved removal of all CCR material and soil with constituent concentrations above relevant background standards (i.e., closed by removal) in substantial compliance with the Construction Quality Assurance (CQA) Plan for Pond Closure and Repurposing, the Construction Drawings for the CCR/ELG closure by removal project, Bottom Ash Pond Closure and Repurposing Contract as provided by Worley (December 3, 2021) and as per 40 CFR 257.102, and as clarified herein. The groundwater monitoring and compliance aspect of CCR Unit closure by removal criteria, as found at 40 CFR 257.102(c), will be certified under a separate report. The Contractor (R.B. Jergens) obtained the survey data used to develop the record drawing. R.B. Jergens verified that the elevations met the closure requirements, and Verdantas also reviewed the survey data.

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Chris Goddard Quality Assurance Officer/CQA Manager

Allen J. Smith Jr., PE Certifying Engineer WV PE# 020463



April 4, 2024 Document Number: APO087.0006



### **VERDANTAS CERTIFICATION**

Based on the construction observations with associated photographic records, testing performed by Verdantas representatives in the field and documented in this report, I hereby certify to the best of my knowledge and to the extent of available information that the East Wastewater Pond at the Mitchell Plant in Moundsville, West Virainia, as shown on the record drawing located in Appendix B, has achieved removal of all CCR material and one foot (minimum) of underlying native soil in substantial compliance with the Construction Quality Assurance (CQA) Plan for Pond Closure and Repurposing, the Construction Drawings for the CCR/ELG Project, the Bottom Ash Pond Closure and Repurposing Contract as provided by Worley (December 3, 2021), per 40 CFR 257.102 and as clarified herein. The groundwater monitoring and compliance aspect of CCR Unit closure by removal criteria, as found at 40 CFR 257.102(c), will be certified under a separate report. This certification is strictly limited to CQA observations and associated field testing and does not include an engineering analysis of previously approved and permitted engineering designs or subsequent approved design/field changes. The Contractor (R.B. Jergens) obtained the survey data used to develop the attached record drawing. R.B. Jergens verified that the elevations met the construction requirements, and Verdantas also reviewed the survey data.

Chris Goddard Quality Assurance Officer/CQA Manager

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## **MONITORING AND EMERGENCY ACTION PLAN**

for the

# Mitchell Bottom Ash Complex Kentucky Power Mitchell Plant

WV ID #05108

Located in

Cresap, Marshall County, West Virginia

American Electric Power Service Corporation 1 Riverside Plaza Columbus, OH 43215

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Issue Date:	12-13-23

# **EMERGENCY ACTION PLAN** CFR 257.73 (a)(3) BOTTOM ASH PONDS COMPLEX MITCHELL PLANT

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I certify to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief that the information contained in Emergency Action Plan meets the requirements of 40 CFR § 257.73 (a)(3)

## **INTRODUCTION**

#### **Purpose of Plan:**

The purpose of this document is to provide for monitoring of the Mitchell Bottom Ash Complex under various conditions so that an emergency situation at the pond will be observed promptly and reported to agencies and persons who may be affected. This document also provides a plan for the orderly notification and evacuation of downstream residents to a place of safety in the event of a potential or actual pond failure.

### **Brief Overview of Pond and Observed Problems:**

The Mitchell Bottom Ash Ponds Complex is an ash disposal facility located adjacent to Kentucky Power's Mitchell Power Plant. The ponds are south of the plant, between Highway 2 and the Ohio River. The ponds are just north of the mouth of Fish Creek. Fish Creek empties into the Ohio River at river milepost 113.75. The pond complex consists of two ponds, the bottom ash pond and the clear water pond. The ponds are partially incised with constructed dikes present as well. The bottom ash pond has a minimum top of dike elevation of about 690 feet (NGVD) and a bottom elevation of about 660 feet. The pool level in the bottom ash pond is about 676 feet. The constructed dikes of the bottom ash pond are about 20 to 28 feet high along the north, west, and south sides. The east side of the bottom ash pond dike is about 10 feet high. The bottom ash pond is rectangular in shape with dimensions of about 700 feet by 600 feet at the top of the dike. The total storage capacity from the bottom of the pond to the top of the dike is about 252 ac-ft. The overflow structure is a cast-in-place concrete shaft and is equipped with removable stop logs. The stop logs allow for a variable pool elevation. However, the pool is typically maintained at elevation 676 feet (NGVD).

The clear water pond has a minimum top of dike elevation of about 675 feet and a bottom elevation of about 645 feet. The dike portions of the clear water pond are about 5 to 12 feet high, with the east side being fully incised below grade. The pool level in the clear water pond is about 662 feet. The clear water pond is rectangular in shape with dimensions of about 500 feet by 350 feet at the top of the dike. The total storage capacity from the bottom of the pond to the top of the dike is about 97 ac-ft. The overflow is controlled by a fixed weir that is set at elevation 662 feet (NGVD).

The Mitchell Power Plant is located along the Ohio River in Marshall County, West Virginia, approximately 7 miles south of Moundsville, West Virginia. Nearby towns are Cresap, Graysville, and Woodlands. Five miles below the plants are the towns of Salem and Clarington, Ohio and Natrium, West Virginia.

A plan view of the pond and its appurtenances is provided following page IV.

There are no known problems concerning the ponds.

**Driving Directions to Pond:** The ponds are located adjacent to Highway 2 (west side), approximately 7 miles south of Moundsville, West Virginia.

#### How to Use This Document:

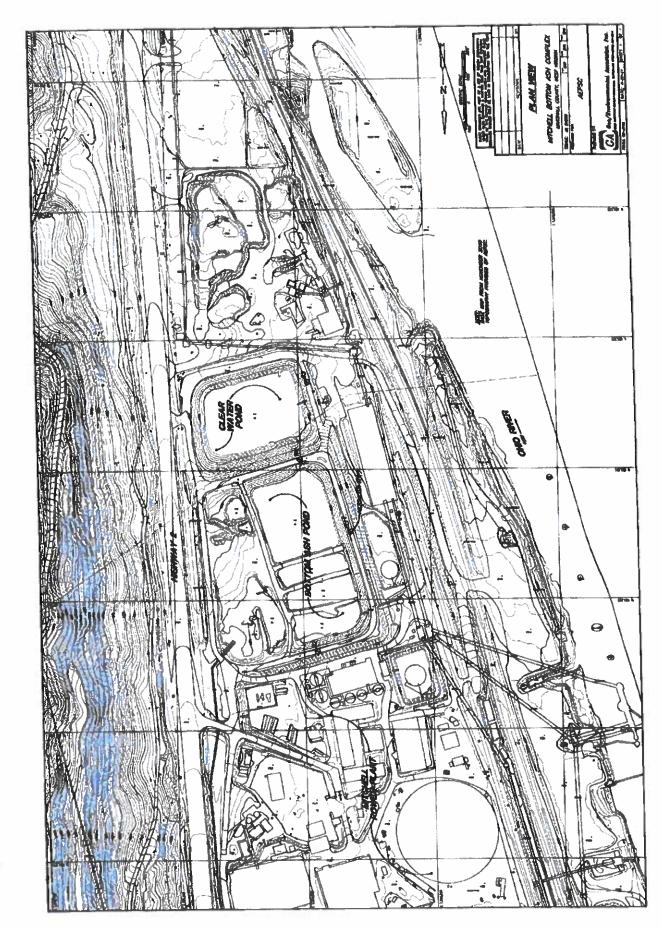
Persons using this plan will find a sequence of actions to be taken depending on rainfall and site conditions. A summary of where to find specific monitoring, reporting and evacuation requirements can be found on the following page (Summary and Index).

### Plans for Training, Exercising, and Updating the Emergency Action Plan:

A review of and training for the Mitchell Bottom Ash Complex Complex EAP will occur on an annual basis. The purpose of an annual review and training of the EAP is to ensure that all contact information listed in the notification charts is accurate and that the owner/operator of the dam and local first responders are familiar with the EAP and understand their respective roles in responding to a dam emergency. Local County Emergency Management Agency/first responders shall be invited to attend the annual training for a face-to-face meeting and to have a general sense of familiarity with the dam site. The plant manager will be responsible for updating and, if revisions are necessary, distributing copies of the revisions. Copies of all updated or revised pages will be provided to all holders of the EAP. An EAP Training Record Form should be used to document each training session it is located in Appendix F.

## MAP (PLAN VIEW) OF POND

A plan view map of the facility is included in the map pocket following this page.



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# Part I - Monitoring Plan and Inspection Schedule

HOMELAND SECURITY. In the event of sabotage or security breach that may lead to failure of the pond, the county Office of Emergency Management must be notified immediately by calling 911. Proceed immediately to Part I, Section C or D as appropriate.

## Section A - Normal Conditions:

Normal conditions are defined as Weather conditions that would not typically stress the pond. This would include normal weather patterns and normal rainfall <u>not exceeding</u> occurrences of 3.51 inches of rain over a 6 hour period (50-year, 6-hour) or 6.67 inches over a 7-day period (50-year, 7-day).

Table No. 1, Condition Response Table, found at the end of the Part I section of this document, page 5, is to be used when performing pond monitoring and inspection under normal conditions. The table provides descriptions of the performance level of the pond, the undesirable features that the pond may exhibit, and the action to be taken by the inspector.

Action * Re	sponsibility
1. Regular inspection. Monthly pond inspection checklist is provided in Appendix E of this document.	Plant Personnel*
2. If an "Unusual Condition with Minimal Potential for Pond Failure" is found, contact AEP's Geotechnical Engineering Section report on inspection checklist and increase inspection frequency in accordance with the Geotechnical Engineering recommendations.	
3. If a serious problem is observed, which is classified as a "Serious but Non-Emergency- Potential Pond Failure is Developing", proceed to Part I, Section C-Standby Alert.	Plant Personnel*
4. If an "Emergency- Failure is Imminent or Has Occurred" feature is observed, proceed to Part I, Section D- Evacuation Conditions.	e Plant Personnel*
5. Annual geotechnical safety inspection	Professional Engineer

### Monitoring Plan and Inspection Schedule for Normal Conditions

\* The names of plant personnel performing inspections, monitoring conditions, filling out checklists and making decisions relating to the pond are shown on Appendix B.

## **Section B - Adverse Conditions:**

Adverse Conditions are defined as: Weather conditions that could be stressful to the pond. This would include rainfall occurrences equal to or greater than 3.51 inches of rain over a 6 hour period (50-year, 6-hour) or 6.67 inches over a 7-day period (50-year, 7-day).

Table No. 1, Condition Response Table, found at the end of the Part I section of this document, page 5, is to be used when performing pond monitoring and inspection under adverse conditions. The table provides descriptions of the performance level of the pond, the undesirable features that the pond may exhibit, and the action to be taken by the inspector.

If no potentially hazardous conditions are identified and adverse conditions no longer exist, then resume routine inspection schedule as outlined in Section A - Normal Conditions.

**EARTHOUAKE** Occurrence of an earthquake of sufficient magnitude to cause structural damage to buildings or property in the general area of the pond shall be considered an "adverse condition." Damage from an earthquake may be internal to the pond and problems may not appear for days or weeks after the event. The pond shall be inspected immediately after the quake, and daily for several weeks thereafter. Attention should be directed to looking for cracks, slips, new wet or seepage areas and leakage, both on the face of the pond and in the natural ground areas downstream and at the abutments of the pond.

Action	Responsibility
1. Inspect pond and appurtenances in accordance with the	Plant Personnel*
checklist (Appendix E) as a result of adverse conditions or	
after the installation of stop logs. This should be accomplished	
within 24 hours of adverse conditions.	
2. If a "minor deficiency" is found, report on inspection	Plant Personnel*
checklist and write a repair order, if appropriate.	
3. If conditions are observed that are classified as "Unusual	Plant Personnel*
Condition- Minimal Potential for Pond Failure", contact,	
AEP's Geotechnical Engineering Section, report on checklist,	
increase inspection frequency, and monitor conditions as	
recommended by the Geotechnical Engineering Section.	
4. If conditions are observed that are classified as "Serious	Plant Personnel*
but, Non-Emergency- Potential Pond Failure is Developing",	
proceed to Part I, Section C - Standby Alert.	
5. If conditions are observed are classified as "Emergency –	Plant Personnel*
Failure is imminent or Has Occurred" proceed to Part I,	
Section D - Evacuation Conditions.	

\* The names of plant personnel performing inspections, monitoring conditions, filling out checklists and making decisions relating to the pond are shown on Appendix B.

## Section C - Standby Alert:

Standby Alert conditions are defined as: Specific problems have been identified at the pond, which could lead to an evacuation condition. Such malfunctions or undesirable features are summarized in Table 1, Condition Response Table, found at the end of the Part I section of this document, page 5, as "SERIOUS, BUT NON-EMERGENCY - POTENTIAL POND FAILURE SITUATION IS DEVELOPING."

Action	Responsibility	
1. Notify Team Leader and begin constant surveillance of pond. Read all field instrumentation daily and Report on inspection checklist (Appendix E).	Plant Personnel *	
2. Standby Alert shall be issued in accordance with the Standby Alert notification chart in Appendix C.	Team Leader *	
3. Respond to notification of Standby Alert.	DWWM - Dam Safety Section, Marshall County Office of Emergency Management (OEM)	
4. If warranted, start emergency communications to involved parties, based upon the continuing deterioration of site conditions. Request additional assistance as necessary. If possible, attempt to lower the pond pool elevation.	Marshall Co. OEM (304-843-1500) or Marshall Co. Sheriff (304-843-1500) or Plant Personnel	
5. Evaluation of the pond and problem areas for corrective action.	Plant Personnel, Geotechnical Engineering Section and/or DWWM- Dam Safety Section	
6. Commence corrective/emergency repairs, if possible	Plant Personnel or Contractor	

\* The names of plant personnel and team leaders are shown on Appendix B

Standby Alert Notifications: The responsible person shall phone or contact each agency listed below in sequence and cover the following items:

Check when completed:

\_\_\_\_\_ identify yourself

- refer to the pond by name and location (on title page)
- advise the person contacted that you are calling as required by the
- monitoring and emergency action plan
- \_\_\_\_\_ state the condition of the pond
- \_\_\_\_\_ state that a standby alert is declared
- advise the person contacted of any requested assistance or action
- \_\_\_\_\_ answer any questions

Check when notified:

Phone

DWWM Dam Safety Section		1-800-642-3074
Marshall County Office of Em	ergency Management	911 or 304-845-1920

## Section D - Evacuation Conditions:

Evacuation Conditions are defined as: the condition of the pond has deteriorated to the point where failure is likely to occur. Such malfunctions or undesirable features are summarized in Table 1, Condition Response Table, found at the end of the Part I section of this document; page 5, as "Emergency-Failure is Imminent or Has Occurred".

In some instances it may be determined that evacuation conditions have been met when there are conditions that are considered as "Serious, but Non-Emergency, Potential Pond Failure Exists".

Action	Responsibility
1. Continue constant surveillance of the pond and monitor the conditions affecting the pond.	Plant Personnel, AEP Geotechnical Engineering and/or the WVDEP- DWWM -Dam Safety
2. If evacuation is deemed appropriate or necessary proceed immediately with Part II, section of this document.	Team Leader, Mitchell Plant Management, AEP Geotechnical Engineering and/or WVDEP-DWWM Dam Safety Section

PERFORMANCE	MALFUNCTIONS	ACTIONS TO BE TAKEN
LEVEL OF POND	OR	BY FIELD PERSONNEL
	UNDESIRABLE FEATURES	(In Order Indicated)
NON-EMERGENCY	Sloughing	1. Report on inspection
	Rodent burrows.	checklist.
MINOR DEFICIENCY	• Surface or rip rap erosion.	
	• Trees and tall vegetation.	2. Write repair order, if
	Poor vegetation cover	appropriate.
	<ul> <li>Deteriorated riprap.</li> </ul>	
	Cracks parallel or transverse to pond.	1. Contact AEPSC
NON-EMERGENCY	<ul> <li>Soft zones in downstream face or toe.</li> </ul>	Geotechnical Engineering
HOR-EMERGENCI	<ul> <li>Previously undetected springs with clear water.</li> </ul>	Section. Report on inspection
UNUSUAL CONDITION	<ul> <li>Existing springs with stable, but turbid, flow rate on pond</li> </ul>	checklist.
WITH MINIMAL	abutments.	
POTENTIAL FOR POND	Settlement of top of dike.	2. Increase frequency of
FAILURE	• Settlement of top of dike.	inspection as necessary.
SERIOUS, BUT NON-	• The formation of new springs with turbidity or a change in the	1. Notify Energy Production
EMERGENCY	characteristics of flow from existing springs on the downstream	Team Leader (EPTL) who in
	face of the dike. This may include an increase in flow rate or steady	turn would issue an Alert
	flow rate with additional turbidity.	(Initiate Emergency
POTENTIAL POND	• The formation of pipes, cavities or holes that could be attributed to	Notification Procedure) in
FAILURE SITUATION IS	internal erosion even without evidence of seepage.	Appendix C.
DEVELOPING	• Slide with no seepage and that does not reach the dike crest.	2. Contact AEP Geotechnical
DEVELOPING	Noticeable increase in amount of foundation or abutment seepage	Engineering Manager/Engineer
	with no apparent reason.	3. Determine appropriate
	The formation of new large cracks or the enlargement of existing	advisory notification actions
	cracks on the top of the dike, on the faces or on the abutments	4. Initiate a constant
	of the pond.	surveillance program.
		5. Report on inspection
		checklist.
EMERGENCY	• The pond is overtopping.	1. Notify Team Leader who in
	• The formation of a significant breach or significant slide on the	turn should issue a Notification
FAILURE IS IMMINENT	downstream face that extends below the water line and seeps water.	(See Appendix D).
OCCURRED	• The formation of a significant breach or significant slide on the	2. Continue 24 hr. surveillance
OCCURRED	upstream face that extends from below the pool elevation to the	program, if possible.
	crest of the dike.	program, ir possiole.
	• The formation of new springs with, or significantly increased flow	3. Report on inspection
	from existing springs on abutment or downstream slope with muddy water and progressively increasing flow rate.	checklist.
	<ul> <li>Other occurrence or situation that in the eyes of the observer</li> </ul>	
	• Other occurrence or situation that in the eyes of the observer indicates potential problems with the structural integrity of the	
	pond or abutments.	
	pond of uputitions.	
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### Part I – Monitoring Plan and Inspection Schedule CONDITION RESPONSE TABLE

# **Part II - Emergency Action and Evacuation Plan**

# **Section A - Notification of Agencies:**

Action	Responsibility
1. Issue Notification as outlined on the Emergency Action and Evacuation Notification Chart in Appendix D of this document.	Team Leader, DWWM Dam Safety or AEPSC

The actions and responsibilities in the event of an evacuation situation are shown in the following table.

Action	Responsibility
1. Establish road blocks as necessary on Highway 2.	Marshall County OEM, Marshall County Sheriff and State Police with Mitchell Plant personnel provided assistance as required.
2. Evacuate employees and other persons at the plant as necessary.	Plant Personnel
3. Establish a command post at Mitchell Plant to direct emergency operations organize recovery efforts and direct officials of cooperating agencies.	County OEM Director and executed by local officers
4. Police security of area to maintain or initiate alternate vehicular traffic and to prevent looting.	Ranking local law enforcement officer
5. Establish additional roadblocks as necessary to prevent unauthorized entry.	Planned by County OEM Director and executed by local officers.
6. Locate additional or alternate evacuation centers, as needed.	Planned by the American Red Cross or county OEM Director and executed by local officers.
7. Notification of utilities (see below for names of utilities and corresponding phone numbers)	Plant Personnel

#### Check when completed:

identify	yourself	

- refer to the pond by name, location (on title page)
- advise the person contacted that you are calling as required by the
- monitoring and emergency action plan
- state the condition of the pond
- state that an evacuation notice is declared
- advise the person contacted of any requested assistance or action
- answer any questions

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### **Utilities**

Electric Service- American Electric Power	(800) 852-6942
Gas- Columbia Gas	(800) 835-7191
Telephone- Frontier	(800) 921-8101
Transportation-WV Division of Highways	(304) 843-4055
	(304) 238-1060
Public Water Grandview-Doolan PSD	(304) 455-1921

### Section B - Evacuation Notification of Downstream Persons:

In accordance with WV Code 22-14-10, it is the responsibility of the pond owner to notify downstream persons, if county emergency authorities are not available or are unable to notify downstream persons.

Note to evacuating authorities: No person may be ordered to leave or to be physically removed from the evacuation area against their will. Notification to persons and providing of assistance to persons in the evacuation area should fulfill agency responsibility under this section of the plan.

Due to the close proximity of the Bottom Ash Complex to the Ohio River, there are no residences within the estimated inundation area. Employees of AEP/Ohio Power Company, contractors, or visitors may be present within the inundation area. It will be the responsibility of the Plant Personnel to evacuate and secure this area. The flood inundation map is included in Section C, page 11.

Overtopping of West Virginia State Route #2 is not anticipated. However, roadblocks outside of the inundation area may be established as deemed necessary by local law enforcement officials.

The Marshall County OEM shall follow their County Emergency Operations Plan. The OEM will be the agency in charge outside of AEP property. The following measures will be implemented for an evacuation.

Action	Responsibility*
1. Establish road blocks as necessary on Highway 2.	Marshall County OEM, Marshall County Sheriff and State Police with Mitchell Plant personnel provided assistance as required.
2. Evacuate employees and other persons at the plant as necessary.	Plant Personnel
3. Establish a command post at the AEP Mitchell Plant if necessary, direct emergency operations to organize recovery efforts and direct officials of cooperating agencies.	Marshall County OEM Director or local officers.
4. Police security of area to maintain or initiate alternate vehicular traffic and to prevent looting.	Ranking local law enforcement officers.
5. Establish additional roadblocks as necessary to prevent unauthorized entry.	Planned by Marshall County OEM Director and executed by local officers.
7. Locate additional or alternate evacuation centers, as needed.	Planned by the American Red Cross or Marshall County OEM director and executed by local officers.
8. Notification of utilities on following page.	Plant personnel
*Appropriate names, addresses, and phone numbers are provided in Appendix B.	

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#### **Check When Notified**

### **Telephone Number**

Electric Service- American Electric Power

Gas- Columbia Gas

\_\_\_\_Telephone- Frontier

Transportation-WV Division of Highways

\_\_\_\_ Public Water Grandview-Doolan PSD

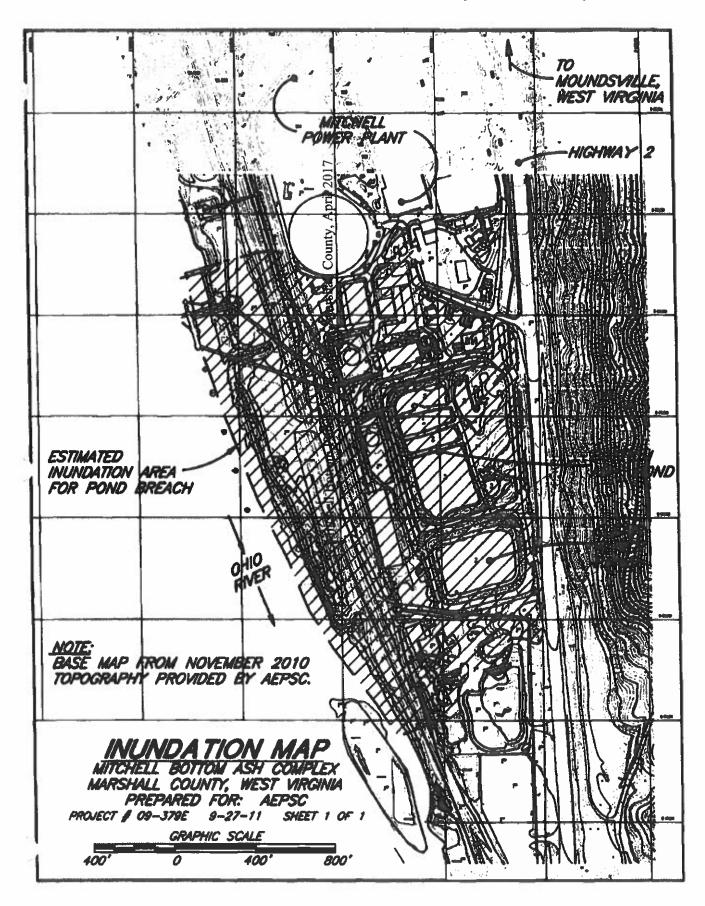
(800) 852-6942 (800) 835-7191 (800) 921-8101 (304) 843-4055 or (304) 238-1060 (304) 455-1921

## Section C - Evacuation Notification Map

The Evacuation Notification Map is included on the following page. This map shows the locations of the pond, inundation area, and potential evacuation area.

It should be noted that, due to the method and procedure used to develop the flooded area, the limits of flooding shown are approximate and should be used solely as a guideline for establishing evacuation zones. Actual evacuation zones may be greater than the area covered by the flood areas shown and should be re-established by local officials based on their judgment and knowledge of local conditions. Evacuation of persons outside of the area shown may be warranted and shall be at the discretion of the Marshall County OEM and/or sheriff's department, or AEP if located on plant property.

In accordance to the Marshall County emergency operations plan, the location of an evacuation center will be determined at the time of the incident at the discretion of the Marshall County Director of Emergency Services. Facilities at the Mitchell Plant will be offered as evacuation center or command post to the proper authorities if an event occurred.



# **Part III - Post Evacuation Notification Action**

# Section A: No Failure of Pond

Should no failure occur:

Action	Responsibility*
1.Cancel Evacuation Notification	Plant Management, DWWM Dam Safety
	Section or Marshall County OEM director
*Appropriate names, addresses, and	
phone numbers are provided in	
Appendix B	

Check when notified:	Phone
Marshall County Office of Emergency Management	911 or 304-845-1920 (24 hour number)
DWWM Dam Safety Section	1-800-642-3074
Hannibal Locks & Dam	(740) 483-2305
Corps of Engineers, Pittsburgh	(412) 395-7150 (24 hr)
American Red Cross	
Electric Service- American Electric Power	(800) 852-6942
Gas- Columbia Gas	(800) 835-7191
Telephone- Frontier	(800) 921-8101
Transportation-WV Division of Highways	(304) 843-4055 or
54_55	(304) 238-1060
Public Water Grandview-Doolan PSD	(304) 455-1921

# **Section B: Failure of Pond**

### Should failure occur:

ACTION	RESPONSIBILITY*
1. Notify agencies according to checklist below.	Plant Management, County Sheriff, or DWWM
	Dam Safety Section
2. Evacuation or assistance to persons stranded	Marshall County OEM, Plant personnel.
in homes due to highway/bridge washout.	
3. Search and Rescue.	Marshall County OEM, Plant personnel.
4. Cleanup Crews and Equipment.	Marshall County OEM, Plant personnel.
*Appropriate names, addresses, and phone	
numbers are provided in Appendix B	

Check when notified:	Phone
Marshall County Office of Emergency Management	
DWWM Dam Safety Section	.1-800-642-3074
Hannibal Locks & Dam	
Corps of Engineers, Pittsburgh	. (412) 395-7150 (24 hr)
American Red Cross	(304) 232-0711
Electric Service- American Electric Power	(800) 852-6942
Gas- Columbia Gas	. (800) 835-7191
Telephone- Frontier	. (800) 921-8101
Transportation-WV Division of Highways	(304) 843-4055 or
	(304) 238-1060
Public Water Grandview-Doolan PSD	(304) 455-1921

# Part IV - Administrative and Record Keeping **Section A - Signature and Distribution List**

#### **County Office of Emergency Management:**

As the director of the Marshall County Office of Emergency Management (OEM), I hereby certify that I have reviewed this Monitoring and Emergency Action Plan (MEAP) and agree with the actions and responsibilities assigned to this office within this MEAP. It is noted that designated response activities may be altered during an actual event based on consideration of other emergency concerns and relative priorities.

Title Director of Marshall County OEM

Date

### Responsible Person for Distribution of the Monitoring and Emergency Action Plan:

The undersigned states he/she will distribute a copy of the Monitoring and Emergency Action Plan for the Mitchell Bottom Ash Complex within fifteen days after receipt of DWWM Dam Safety Section approval to the persons named in the Distribution List below:

Name

Title

Date

Joshua D Snodgrass

Plant Manager

12/13/23

**Distribution:** Names and addresses of all persons or agencies retaining a copy of the plan:

Name	Complete Mailing Address	Copy No.
Leonel Medellin Program Manager	DEP Division of Water and Waste Management EE/Pond Safety Section 601 57 <sup>th</sup> Street SE Charleston, WV 25304	1
Bryan W Brunton, P.E. Manager Geotechnical Engineering	AEPSC Geotechnical Engineering Section 1 Riverside Plaza Columbus, OH 43215	2
Joshua D Snodgrass Plant Manager	AEP Mitchell Plant 8999 Energy Rd. Moundsville, WV 26041	3

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Thomas D. Hart Director	Marshall County Office of Emergency Management 601 7 <sup>th</sup> Street Suite 2 Moundsville, WV 26041	4
William Helms Sheriff	Marshall County Sheriff <sup>*</sup> s Office 600 Sixth St Moundsville, WV 26041	5
WV Emergency Management Division	West Virginia Emergency Management Division 2403 Fairlawn Avenue Dunbar, WV 25064	6
Pittsburgh Emergency Readiness Office	Army Corps of Engineers Pittsburgh District 1000 Liberty Avenue Pittsburgh. PA 15222-4186	7
Erikka Storch AEPSC (External Affairs Mgr)	APCo External Affairs WV 4201 Jacob Street Wheeling, WV 26003	8
David A. Miller Director	AEPSC Environmental Services, Water Quality 1 Riverside Plaza Columbus, OH 43215	9
Cynthia Wiseman President & COO	Kentucky Power Company Suite 1100, Chase Tower 700 Virginia Street E Ashland, WV 25301	10
Aaron D Walker President & COO	Appalachian Power Company Suite 800, Laidley Tower, 500 Lee Street East, 08 Charleston, WV 2530 1	11

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# Section B - Inspection Record

Date Inspected	Inspector	Comments

### <u>APPENDIX A – UNUSUAL OR EMERGENCY EVENT LOG</u>

Monitor or responsible person to enter the following as events occur:

Pond Name: \_\_\_\_\_

When and how was the event detected?\_\_\_\_\_\_

General description of the emergency situation:

### **ACTIONS AND EVENT PROGRESSION**

Date	Time	Action/Event Progression	Taken by
			1.11
_	1225		
	1 A 1 2 3 4		

Report prepared by:	Date:
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### <u>APPENDIX B – LIST OF CONTACTS</u>

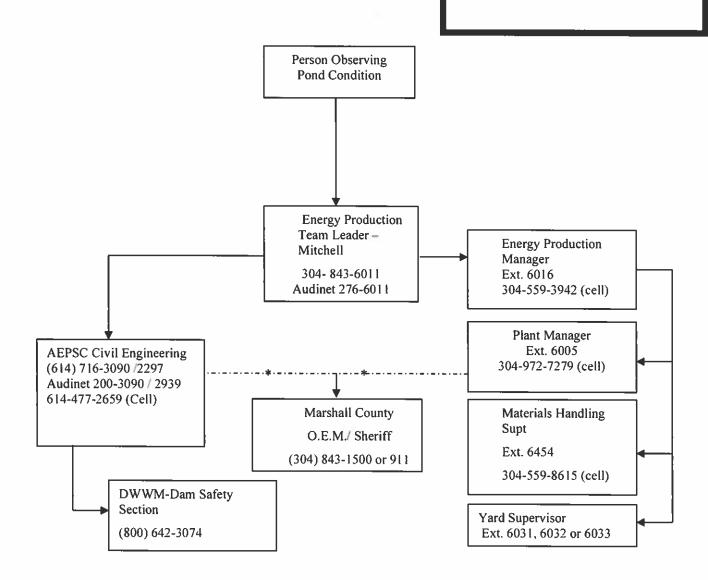
Mitchell Plant Personnel 1. **Operation of the Impoundment** 8999 Energy Road **Dam Inspections** Moundsville, WV 26041 (304) 843-6000 (Telephone System) 8-276-6001 (AEP Audinet System) Contact Names and Telephone Numbers Tammy Wade (Coal Yard Supt.) 304-843-6454 304-559-8615(cell) Daniel Garbark (Plant Env. Coordinator) 304-843-6059 304-231-7177(cell) John E Coup (Chief Chemist) 304-843-6848 304-215-8480(cell) Joshua D Snodgrass (Plant Manager) 304-843-6005 304-972-7279 (cell) Unit 1 Control Room) 304-843-6011 (staffed 24-hours-7 days) (Unit 2 Control Room) 304-843-6012 (staffed 24-hours-7 days) Team Leaders (Control Room) Jordan Stevey • 304-843-6013 304-559-4720 (Cell) D.M. Bodkin 304-843-6016 304-559-3942(cell) • M. Nash 304-843-6018 304-551-6789 (cell) M. Potter 304-843-6015 304-830-0907(cell) Jeff Glasgow 304-843-6017 304-650-6712(cell) • Inspections Performed by One Performance Industrial Hygiene Technician George Kleevic • • Chris Dalrymple Greg Suter • 2. American Electric Power Service Corporation Civil Engineering 1 Riverside Plaza Columbus, Ohio 43215 Bryan W Brunton (Manager, Geotechnical Engineering) Office 614-716-3090 Cell Phone 614-477-2659 Mohammad Ajlouni (Engineer Staff, Geotechnical Engineering) 614-716-2939 3. American Electric Power Service Corporation Belmont Office & Service Center 47687 National Road W St. Clairsville, OH 43950 Erikka Storch (External Affairs Mgr)

6 Mgr) Office 304-234-3109 Cell Phone 304-231-7443

### <u>APPENDIX C – STANDBY ALERT NOTIFICATION CHART</u>

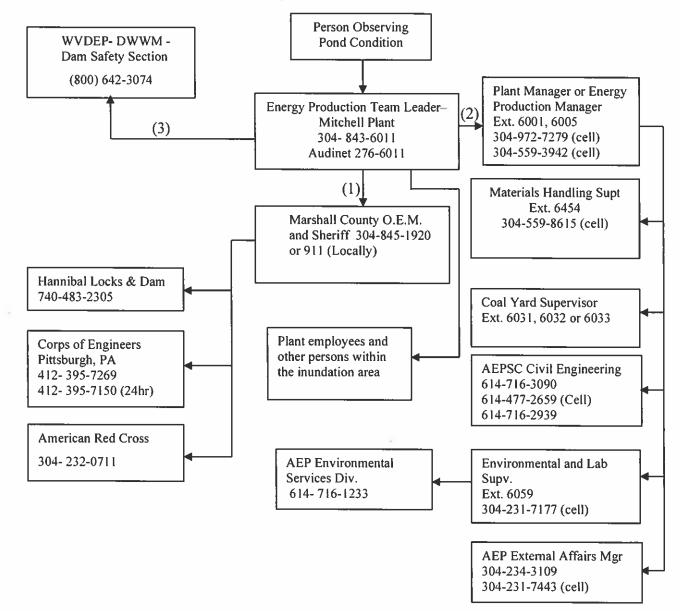
### STANDBY ALERT NOTIFICATION

Note: If failure is imminent or failure has occurred, proceed with Emergency Notification "Appendix D"



\* Denotes that the contact to the "Office of Emergency Management" may be made by either entity or preferably after consultation between both parties.

### APPENDIX D - EMERGENCY ACTION AND EVACUATION NOTIFICATION CHART



Mitchell Bottom Ash Ponds Complex, Marshall County, December 2023

## **APPENDIX E -PERIODIC INSPECTION FORMS**

#### MITCHELL PLANT DAM & DIKE INSPECTION CHECKLIST

### **BOTTOM ASH & CLEAR WATER PONDS INSPECTION**

GENERAL INFORMATION	
Date of inspection	
Inspected by	
Weather	
Temperature	
Rainfall during previous 7 days	
Reservoir elevation Bottom Ash Pond	21111-04112-0-5-30726
Reservoir elevation Clear Water Pond	
Grass Hight	

### 2. BOTTOM ASH POND APPROACH AREA

1

Is there any seepage form the northwest corner of the pond? If so, has the seepage rate increased or decreased since last inspection, and is the seepage water clear or muddy?

3. Embankment Conditions at Bottom Ash and Clearwater Ponds Please refer to Bottom Ash and Clearwater Pond Inspection Location Plan, which is found on page 5. Place a number or letter and, if desired, a descriptive sketch on the location plan at each problem area, and place the same number(s) or letter(s) next to the appropriate descriptions below.

DESCRIPTION	LOCATION CODE
Cracks	
Bulges	
Slides	
Erosion	
Soft Soil	
Leaking Pipe	
Seepage/Wetness	
Rodent Burrows	
Exposed Liner	
Torn Liner	
Trees on Dike	
Other (please specify)	

### 4. Discharge Structures at Bottom Ash and Clearwater Ponds

Please mark the appropriate spaces below as to conditions observed.

DESCRIPTION	BOTTOM ASH POND	CLEARWATER POND
Condition at Inlet End:		
Stop Logs Available?		
Condition at Discharged End:		
Erosion Problems:		
(note location(s) on drawing pg. 5)		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Obstructions:		
(note location(s) on drawing pg. 5)		
Concrete Condition:		
Is Access Path Clear?		
Water Level Gauge OK?		
Other (please specify)		

### 5. Miscellaneous at Bottom Ash and Clearwater Ponds

Have there been any changes in the existing bulge at the outboard slope of the Northwest corner of the pond?

### 6.) Piezometers around the Bottom Ash and Clearwell Pond

B2 – North of Bottom Ash Pond	 feet
B3 – East side of Bottom Ash Pond	 _ feet
B4 – Between South end of Bottom Ash Pond and North end of Clearwell Pond	 _ feet
B5 – West of Clearwell Pond Discharge	 _ feet

### All Readings are taken to the Top of the Concrete

7. Bottom Ash and Clearwater Ponds-Notes and comments including remedial work since last inspection.

CC: Lab Folder

Tammy Wade Danielle Roski Mohammad Ajlouni, Civil Engineering, AEPSC Matt Palmer Daniel Garbark John Coup





#### 30-DAY INSPECTION CHECKLIST MITCHELL PLANT BOTTOM ASH POND COMPLEX REVISION: 1

FORM ID: ML-8AP-30DayData FILE NAME: ML-8AP-30DayData mmddyy.pdf REVISION: 1

Date:	
Weather / Temperature:	/
inapector(s):	
Pool Level (BAP/CWP):	1

	ITEM	READINGS (R)	
Pi	Piezometer Readings		
1.	B2 - North of Bottom Ash Pond		
2.	B3 - West of Bottom Ash Pond		
3.	B4 - Between South end of Bottom Ash		
	Pond and North end of Clearwell		
	Pond		
4.	B5 - West of Clearwell Pond Discharge		
5.	Height of Grass	Inches	

Comments:

Contact AEP Geotechnical Engineering if any unsatisfactory conditions or deficiencies are discovered.

INSPECTOR'S SIGNATURE:\_\_\_\_

### **APPENDIX F – INSPECTION CERTIFICATION FORM**

### <u>APPENDIX G – PLANS FOR TRAINING, EXERCISING, AND</u> <u>UPDATING THE EMERGENCY ACTION PLAN</u>

#### **Training and Updating:**

The purpose of an annual review and training of the EAP is to ensure that all contact information listed in the notification charts is accurate and that the owner/operator of the dam and local first responders are familiar with the EAP and understand their respective roles in responding to a dam emergency. Local County Emergency Management Agency/first responders should be invited to attend the annual training for a face-to-face meeting and to have a general sense of familiarity with the dam site. A review of and training for the Mitchell Bottom Ash Ponds Complex's EAP will occur on an annual basis. The plant manager or his representative, will be responsible for updating and, if revisions are necessary, distributing copies of the revisions. Copies of all updated or revised pages will be provided to all holders of the EAP. A copy of the most current EAP will be kept by the distribution list located in Part IV Section A of this plan.

#### **EAP Exercises:**

In addition, the dam owner/operator should work with local emergency management and other first responders to determine what opportunities exist to conduct or participate in a dam related EAP exercises, such as tabletop emergency exercises. Records/summaries of all EAP exercises should be documented in the EAP. In addition, any changes to the EAP stemming from justified concerns raised by anyone participating in any EAP exercise should be documented and distributed to all holders of the EAP.

### **EAP Training Record Form**

Use this form to record training sessions. File the completed form in the EAP. A thorough review of				
all items in the EAP should be discussed during training. Appropriate employees and EAP team				
members should attend the training session, annually or participate in a simulated exercise.				
TRAINING LOCATION:				
			CLASS SIGN-IN	
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
Summary and Commentary:				

### **REVIEW AND UPDATE OF THE PLAN**

This plan will be reviewed and updated annually	y and a thorough review of the entire plan will be
conducted in internals not to exceed five years.	Document these reviews below:
Year 1:	
Date of review:	Date of revisions send to EAP holders:
Notes:	
<u>Year 2:</u>	
Date of review:	Date of revisions send to EAP holders:
Notes:	
Year 3:	
Date of review:	Date of revisions send to EAP holders:
Notes:	
<u>Year 4:</u>	
Date of review:	Date of revisions send to EAP holders:
Notes:	
Year 5:	
Date of review:	

Notes:

Circle Emergency Type and provide general description of scenario.
Emergency Water Release
Watch Condition
Imminent Dam Failure Actual Dam Failure

## Simulated Emergency/ Tabletop Exercise Record Form

Comments/Results of Exercise:			
Revisions Needed to EAP Based on Results of Exercise?	Yes No	If yes, list revisions required:	