

2000 [Elk Valley] 2000 people + gross payroll ~ \$150M

FORDING RIVER

Tree. July 6/04
cloudy 42°C

Ken Kornenac with Dave
Prod. (MT) Expl'n

Year	Prod. (MT)	Expl'n	DDH (in pit) (M)	DDH (at top) (M)
2003	9	0.29	78	6100
2002	8.5	0.6		4600
2001	9.45	1.3	7	7020
2000	9.2	0.38		6750
2004	10.3	.15	50	4200

mining Eagle Mtn.
Henretta

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EMPLOYEES: 825 ('03)

~~Elk~~ Turnbill Mtn.
- push back to re-start mining

RESERVES: (217 MT)

MINE LIFE: 24 yrs.

ELK VALLEY COAL

→ Invests ~ \$40M annually in replacements/supply

Est. 2004 Expl'n Exp.: 0.8 (0.15)

EnCanada
CBM study

+ Barry Musil (tour)

Chancen Ridge - (to S.) - expl'n proposal
(not likely)

Geotek (In-Pit) ddh 3100m (17 ddh)
"Development" - deep \$168K

505 Drills

2. Ann. In-Pit (Exp'n)
4200M (50 dell's)
\$145k

"Blending" - 6 'main' products
(all 4 mines)
High P₂O₅
Low P₂O₅
Standard
Premium
mid-val
- minor PCT,
thermal coal

→ at each mine + at port terminal

Met. Coal ~ US \$60/tonne

Shut down - planned - plant upgrade
+ ordered 320-tonne trucks
(already)

* Problem with CP haulage!!
(cars/rail/etc.)

28,000 tonnes/day shipped
100 car trains, each
with 100 tonnes

Tram South Pit (Eagle m. ton)
- esp. '4' seam (10-12m thick)
Photos 60-yd bucket P+H (\$18M!)

(3)
FIELD(S)
M

FORDING

Tue July 6/04

Photo

11-seam - sample

Photo

3 40-tonne trucks #40 k/tire

Eagle Mtn. pit

Turnbill Ridge in bkgd.

Photo - Look S towards Castle Mtn

Photo - Look SW " Greenhills

Photo - Dinosaur footprint

Photo - Look S-SW over Henretta Cr
towards (north) Turnbill pit - logged

Photo - Look SSE towards
11-seam footwall, Henretta pit

Photo - look SSW over Fording
(Greenhills in bkgd)