Reclamation and Environmental Awards

2026 Metallurgical Coal Producers Association (MCPA) Excellence in Mining Award – Best Reclaimed Underground Mine
Paramont Contura's Deep Mine 37

2026 Metallurgical Coal Producers Association (MCPA) Excellence in Mining Award – Best Preparation Plant
Dickenson-Russell Contura's McClure Preparation Plant

2026 Metallurgical Coal Producers Association (MCPA) Excellence in Mining Award – Best Active Fill
Dickenson-Russell Contura's McClure Preparation Plant

2025 WV Department of Environmental Protection and WV Coal Association Environmental Excellence Award for Exemplary Reclamation of Surface Operations – South
Republic Energy's Long Ridge Surface Mine

2025 WV Department of Environmental Protection and WV Coal Association Environmental Excellence Award for Exemplary Construction Techniques Drainage Structures
Republic Energy's Workman Creek Turkey Foot Surface Mine

2025 Metallurgical Coal Producers Association (MCPA) Best Reclaimed Underground Mine Award
Paramont Contura's StoneCoal Mine

2025 Metallurgical Coal Producers Association (MCPA) Best Active Preparation Plant Award
Paramont Contura's Toms Creek Preparation Plant

2024 WV Department of Environmental Protection and WV Coal Association Environmental Excellence Award for Exemplary Drainage Structure Reclamation
Republic Energy's Turkey Foot Surface Mine

2024 WV Department of Environmental Protection and WV Coal Association Environmental Excellence Award for Exemplary Valley Fill Construction
Republic Energy's Long Ridge Surface Mine

2024 Metallurgical Coal Producers Association (MCPA) Best Reclaimed Underground Mine Award
Paramont Contura's Deep Mine 26

2024 Metallurgical Coal Producers Association (MCPA) Best Active Preparation Plant Award
Dickenson-Russell Contura's McClure Preparation Plant

2023 WV Department of Environmental Protection and WV Coal Association Environmental Excellence Award for Exemplary Reclamation of Surface Mining Operations – South
Republic Energy's Workman Creek Middle Ridge Surface Mine

2023 WV Department of Environmental Protection and WV Coal Association Environmental Excellence Award for Exemplary Construction Techniques of Valley Fills – South
Republic Energy's Kingston North Surface Mine

2023 WV Department of Environmental Protection and WV Coal Association Environmental Excellence Award for Exemplary Reclamation of Underground Operations Award – South
Elk Run Coal Company's Queen/Black Queen Mine

2023 Metallurgical Coal Producers Association (MCPA) Best AML Dangerous Highwall Elimination Award
Paramont Contura's Deep Mine 26

2023 Metallurgical Coal Producers Association (MCPA) Best Completed Deep Mine Award
Paramont Contura's Deep Mine 25

2023 Metallurgical Coal Producers Association (MCPA) Best Active Deep Mine Award
Paramont Contura's Deep Mine 41

2023 Metallurgical Coal Producers Association (MCPA) Best Active Fill Award
Dickenson-Russell Contura's McClure Preparation Plant

2023 Interstate Mining Compact Commission (IMCC) National Reclamation Award (Coal)
Paramont Contura's Deep Mine 26

2022 West Virginia Coal Association Underground Reclamation Award
Independence Coal's Black King Mine (Allegiance)

2022 West Virginia Coal Association Drainage Control Award
Republic Energy's Workman Creek/Long Ridge Surface Mine

2022 Metallurgical Coal Producers Association (MCPA) Best Active Refuse Impoundment Award
Paramont Contura's Toms Creek Slurry Impoundment

2022 Metallurgical Coal Producers Association (MCPA) Best Completed Underground Mine Award
Paramont Contura's Toms Creek South Deep Mine

2021 Appalachian Regional Reforestation Initiative (ARRI) West Virginia State Award for Excellence in Reforestation
Republic Energy's Pax No. 2 Surface Mine

2021 Metallurgical Coal Producers Association (MCPA) Best Active Underground Mine Award
Paramont Contura's Deep Mine 44

2021 Metallurgical Coal Producers Association (MCPA) Best Completed Underground Mine Award
Paramont Contura's Deep Mine 25

2021 WV Coal Association Surface Mine Good Neighbor Award
Black Castle Mining Company's Checkmate Surface Mine