



## Call for Speakers

The National Association of Abandoned Mine Land Programs (NAAML) is requesting abstracts for presentations at the 44<sup>th</sup> annual conference of NAAML. NAAML is a non-profit organization whose members consist of 32 states and tribes conducting abandoned mine reclamation programs under the Federal Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977. The Conference is scheduled for September 24<sup>th</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at the Hyatt Regency Chicago, Illinois. Technical break-out sessions will reach a national abandoned mine reclamation audience and will be recorded for use of the NAAML membership.

Potential Topics for technical sessions can include:

AML Economic Revitalization

Acid Mine Drainage Case Studies

Coal Fires

Coal Mining Heritage/Historic Preservation

Economic Development and Reclamation

GIS/Technology

Hardrock Reclamation

Partnerships

Permitting Issues

Policy/ BIL Grants

Rare Earth Elements and Reclamation

Remining and Reclamation

Revegetation and Reforestation Techniques

Subsidence

Water Supply Replacement

Wildlife Habitat Enhancement

For more information or to submit an abstract, please email [Brent.Guttman@illinois.gov](mailto:Brent.Guttman@illinois.gov). Please limit abstracts to 2 pages. Abstracts due by March 31, 2023.

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