

WARD COUNTY

Planning Unit 103: AML Printout #340: T152N, R81W, Section 29, NE, N1/2
Additional Legal Location: Section 29, NE, NE

Name: Owner:

Buckholz (aka Buchholz) Coal Mine (1933-1938) No data
Schimke Coal Mine (1939-1942)

Category: Commercial/local

Type: Underground, slope (1934): Underground, drift (1935-1938); Underground, slope (1939-1942)

Overburden:	Coal Seam:	Thickness Mined:	Source:
No data	16 ft.	No data	Harrington:1934a, 1936a

Cultural Resource Site Number: Not formally recorded

Basic Data (excerpted from primary sources):

This mine is not listed as a new mine in 1933, and it may have been in operation prior to that time. The mine was operated and reported as the Buckholz (aka Buchholz) Coal Mine from 1933 through 19387 the 1939 CMID Summary of Inspection indicates that the Schimke Cool Mine was "Formerly Buchholz Mine." The mine was operated and reported as the Schimke Coal Mine from 1940 through 1942, when the mine is listed as not operating. No listings were noted for the mine following 1912. It is likely that the mine ceased to be operated following that year; however, it may be that the mine was operated but not reported, or that the mine was operated and reported under some other name following 1942.

Descriptive information pertaining to this mine is included in:

[source:year(pages)]

WCB Map:1937

Notes:

The New Murray and Wyman/Wagner/Nelson coal mines also are located and the Paul and Hanchette coal mines also may be located at this Planning Unit and AML location.

Sources (primary and secondary):

CMID:see table, next page, for appropriate years
Harrington:1934a(19), 1936a(3)
WCB:1937

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Year	Days Operated	Employees	Price Per Ton	Tons Produced	Tons Local Trade	Tons Shipped	Owner or Superintendent*
1933	110	5	1.00	1,276	1,276	none	Ed Buchholz**
1934	175	11	1.25	6,648	6,648	none	Ed Buckholz**
1935	186	10	1.05	8,859	8,859	none	Ed Buchholz**
1936	144	9	1.05	1,854	1,854	none	Ed Buchholz**
1937	201	9	1.18	8,519	8,519	none	Ed Buchholz**
1938	162	9	1.21	4,428	4,428	none	Ed Buchholz**
1939	Summary of Inspection indicates that the Schimke Coal Mine was "Formerly Buchholz Mine." No production figures are provided.						
1940	159	13	1.30	1,650	1,650	none	Gust Schimke**
1941	175	9	1.20+	5,955	5,955	none	Gust Schimke**
1942	90	7	1.30	2,742	2,742	none	Gust Schimke**
1942	"not operating"						

*Unless otherwise indicated, name listed is that of owner.

**Individual was superintendent of the mine; owner not listed.
