The *Mining and Metallurgical Society of America (MMSA)*, in partnership with *Trout Unlimited (TU)*; *Colorado School of Mines*; *University of Nevada Reno, College of Science*; *University of Arizona, School of Mining & Mineral Resources* presents the 4th Annual Summit: *Improving Abandoned Mine Lands: Building Trust & Taking Action*

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**APRIL 6-7, 2022**
**Holiday Inn & Suites Phoenix Airport | 3220 S 48th St., Phoenix, AZ 85040**

This Summit is the fourth in a series of public forums convened by MMSA and its growing coalition of partners to bring stakeholders with a vested interest in improving landscapes impacted by Abandoned Mine Lands together. Status updates of the ongoing Good Samaritan legislative and administrative efforts will be provided and opportunities for more collaboration will be discussed. Building on the lessons learned from previous Summits, delegates will continue to share their work experiences from the field and explore the best paths forward to ensure that legacy mine lands in the West are improved to the benefit of wildlife and communities. The Summit will occur on April 6, 2022.

**MMSA AML Summit leadership**, the AZ Department of Environmental Quality, and the US Forest Service are excited to offer a field trip that will visit two AML sites on the Prescott National Forest. These tours will collectively illustrate what *can* and *cannot* be done to improve Abandoned Mine Sites without federal Good Samaritan legislation in place to protect those willing to voluntarily improve these legacy landscapes. Building on the themes discussed during the 4th Annual AML Summit, representatives from the AZ Department of Environmental Quality and the US Forest Service will discuss how the nuances of site characterization, project planning, success metrics, and stakeholder collaboration led to successful outcomes at each site. The tour is on April 7, 2022. Some walking and light hiking will be involved at some locations, so please come prepared and dress accordingly (sturdy close-toed shoes, hat, sunglasses, sunscreen, etc.).

Field trip tour packets and driving instructions will be distributed during the Summit on April 6th.

Registration for the conference is free: [https://www.eventbrite.com/e/mmsa-abandoned-mine-lands-building-trust-taking-action-tickets-220884640907](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/mmsa-abandoned-mine-lands-building-trust-taking-action-tickets-220884640907)

Zoom option for Summit: [https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_ACC2lSxESYQtVOiyWdMfIA](https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_ACC2lSxESYQtVOiyWdMfIA)
Pre-registration is required. After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar.

Register for Optional Tour: **MMSA ABANDONED MINE LANDS SYMPOSIUM - OPTIONAL DAY 2 TOUR**
**Tickets, Thu, Apr 7, 2022 at 7:00 AM | Eventbrite**

Hotel arrangements can be made at [Mining & Metallurgical Group rate Holiday Inn Phoenix April 2022](http://www.mmsa.net)
or by calling the hotel at 480-543-1700

Check the MMSA website ([http://www.mmsa.net](http://www.mmsa.net)) for updates and summary reports from the previous Summits.