ENGLEWOOD, Colo., July 25, 2017 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- <u>Westmoreland Coal Company</u> (Nasdaq:WLB) will issue a press release reporting financial results for the 2017 second quarter before the market opens on August 3, 2017. Kevin Paprzycki, Chief Executive Officer, and Gary Kohn, Chief Financial Officer, will host a webcast and conference call the same day at 10:00 a.m. Eastern Time to discuss the results.

Management invites you to listen to the webcast and to view the slide presentation at www.westmoreland.com. To listen to the conference call via telephone, please use the dial-in information below:

Toll Free in the U.S:1-844-WCC-COAL (844-922-2625)International:1-201-689-8584Webcast:www.westmoreland.com/investors/investor-webcasts

A replay of the call and webcast will be available until August 17, 2017 at:

Replay:1-877-481-4010 or 1-919-882-2331Replay ID:15919Webcast:www.westmoreland.com/investors/investor-webcasts

About Westmoreland Coal Company

<u>Westmoreland Coal Company</u> is the oldest independent coal company in the United States. Westmoreland’s coal operations include surface coal mines in the United States and Canada, underground coal mines in Ohio and New Mexico, a char production facility, and a 50% interest in an activated carbon plant. Westmoreland also owns the general partner of and a majority interest in Westmoreland Resource Partners, LP, a publicly-traded coal master limited partnership (NYSE:WMLP). Its power operations include ownership of the two-unit ROVA coal-fired power plant in North Carolina. For more information, visit www.westmoreland.com.

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