



Mayo Mining District Box 10 (K-MA) Mayo, YT, Y0B 1M0

March 21, 2022

P2022\_0035 By Email

Lauren Blackburn

Dear Lauren Blackburn:

Re: Class 1 Notification P2022\_0035 - Allowed with additional terms and conditions.

This letter is to inform you that your Class 1 Notification P2022\_0035 is valid as of March 21, 2022.

Your Class 1 Notification and proposed work program (May 15, 2022 - October 15, 2022) is allowed to proceed with the following terms and conditions:

- The map provided identifies areas with elevated potential for heritage resources. The
  operator shall avoid ground disturbing activities within these areas unless prior
  approval has been granted by the Heritage Resources Unit. The operator may
  contact Holly Smith at the Heritage Resources Unit (867-332-4057 or
  holly.smith@gov.yk.ca) for more information on the areas of heritage potential to
  discuss potential mitigation options prior to conducting any ground disturbing
  activities.
- The proponent shall communicate plans and timing of activities to the First Nation of Na-Cho Nyäk Dun Lands and Resources Department ext 141.
- The operator should share wildlife observation information with First Nation of Na-Cho Nyäk Dun Lands and Resources ext 141.

- You are reminded of Schedule 1 Operating Condition #17 which states: "A spill
  contingency plan for petroleum products and other hazardous substances must be
  prepared and posted in the camp and at all fuel handling locations used in carrying
  out the operation."
- The operator shall cease work when any moose, caribou, bears and sheep are observed on active claim blocks until the moose, caribou, bears or sheep move off on their own accord.

Security may be required at any time by the Chief. The operator must furnish security within thirty (30) days of receiving the written notice from the Chief of the requirement to post security.

To help improve the environmental performance of your program, you are encouraged to refer to the attached operational guidelines. In addition, you are encouraged to contact affected First Nations to further discuss your program.

Class 1 work cannot occur on claims/leases that have lapsed or pending claims/leases until they are granted by a Mining Recorder. Please ensure the claims/leases within your Class 1 Notification are in good standing prior to beginning your work program. Any work occurring on pending or lapsed claims/leases will be in contravention of the *Placer Mining Act* and *Territorial Lands (Yukon) Act* and representation work conducted will not be accepted by the Mining Recorder.

Please note: the notification will expire on February 01, 2023 and all reclamation must be completed at the end of the program or prior to the expiry of this notification, whichever comes first. All proposed activities must abide by Schedule 1 (Operating Conditions) of the *Placer Mining Land Use Regulation*. In the event that claims/leases lapse, a Class 3 or 4 authorization is issued, or that agreements to operate on claims/leases are dissolved, the Class 1 notification becomes null and void for that portion of the program, where there is no right to the minerals.

If you have any questions about this letter, please contact the district office by phone at 867-996-2256, fax at 867-996-2617, or email at mayo.mining@yukon.ca.

Sincerely, Saleem Dar

Chief of Placer Land Use

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Tourism and Culture

First Nation of Na-cho Nyäk Dun