



Whitehorse Mining District 102 - 300 Main Street (K-102) Whitehorse, YT, Y1A 2B5

February 02, 2023

P2023\_0001 By Email

Jordon Carey

Dear Jordon Carey:

Re: Class 1 Notification P2023\_0001 - Allowed with additional terms and conditions.

This letter is to inform you that your Class 1 Notification P2023\_0001 is valid as of February 03, 2023.

Your Class 1 Notification and proposed work program (February 03, 2023 - February 02, 2024) is allowed to proceed with the following terms and conditions:

- 1. 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@yukon.ca) for more information on the areas of heritage potential to discuss potential mitigation options prior to conducting any ground disturbing activities.
- 2. The operator shall install and maintain safety fencing around all trenches deeper than two meters and install covers over the openings of all trenches with a material capable of preventing people or wildlife from inadvertently falling into the trenches.
- 3. The operator shall backfill each trench once a geological evaluation of the trench has

been completed or prior to the end of the work program date identified in this Class 1, whichever occurs first.

- 4. Earthworks shall be sloped at one end to allow for wildlife escapement and shall be reclaimed as soon as they are no longer required for mining purposes.
- 5. The operator shall avoid land clearing within 1 km of any observed active raptor nests between May 1st and August 15th.
- The location of active raptor nests identified by the operator shall be reported to Environment Yukon, Conservation Data Centre (867-667-3684 or yukoncdc@yukon.ca).

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 02, 2024 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 867-667-3190, fax at 867-667-5150, or email at whitehorse.mining@yukon.ca.

Sincerely, Kelly Constable

Kelly Constant

Chief of Placer Land Use

cc Environmental Affairs Branch, Environment Tourism and Culture Champagne and Aishihik First Nations Kwanlin Dün First Nation