



Dawson Mining District Box 249 (K-DA) Dawson City, YT, Y0B 1G0

July 28, 2023

P2023_0213 By Email

Bryan Sporter 117 Caouette Crescent Fort McMurray, Canada, T9K 2H5 ehplusearthworks@gmail.com

Dear Bryan Sporter,

Re: Class 1 Notification P2023_0213 - Summer Dig Allowed with additional terms and conditions.

This letter is to inform you that your Class 1 Notification P2023_0213 is valid as of July 28, 2023.

Your Class 1 Notification and proposed work program from August 20, 2023 to September 9, 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 not conduct land-altering activities within these areas unless prior approval has been granted by the Heritage Resources Unit. The operator may contact heritage.review@yukon.ca for more information on the areas of heritage potential or to discuss potential mitigation options.
- 2. The notification area is in a fossil-bearing drainage. As per the Schedule 1 Operating Conditions, all palaeontological resources uncovered during operations must be reported to the Government of Yukon and the Yukon First Nation on whose

- traditional territory the resources are uncovered.
- 3. The operator shall install and maintain safety fencing around all trenches/shafts deeper than two meters and install covers over the openings of all trenches/shafts with a material capable of preventing people or wildlife from inadvertently falling into the trenches/shafts.
- 4. The operator shall backfill each trench/shaft once a geological evaluation of the trench/shaft has been completed or prior to the end of the work program date identified in this Class 1, whichever occurs first.
- 5. Any moose encountered on the claim block shall be given the right-of-way until they move off on their own accord.
- 6. The operator shall notify the Dawson Regional Biologist (867-332-8462) of any newly identified lek locations.
- 7. Where possible, land clearing and stripping of the surface layer should take place outside of the nesting season, May 1 to August 31.

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 September 8, 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 867-993-5343, fax at 867-993-6747, or email at dawson.mining@yukon.ca.

Sincerely, Paul Inglis faul Jug C,

A/Manager, Mining Land Use

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