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March 30, 2026

P2026_0042
By Email

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Dear Andrew Menezes,

Re: Class 1 Notification P2026_0042 - 2026 Investigation - Casino Mining Corporation
Allowed with additional terms and conditions.

This letter is to inform you that your Class 1 Notification P2026_0042 is valid as of March 30, 2026.

Your Class 1 Notification and proposed work program (May 26, 2026 - August 20, 2026) is allowed to proceed with the following terms and conditions:

1. The operator shall avoid exploration and exploration related activities in wetlands, if avoidance is not possible, the operator shall minimize disturbance to wetlands.
2. All reclamation must be completed prior to the end of the work program date identified in this Class 1 Notification, including but not limited to: closure of all test pits, trenches, hand shafts, removal of camps, removal of vehicles and equipment, etc. Reclamation must be completed to the standards listed in the Operating Conditions, Schedule 1 of the Placer Mining Land Use Regulation/Quartz Mining Land Use Regulation. In areas where wetlands have been disturbed, reclamation

shall be done in a manner that supports the return of wetland benefits to those areas.

3. The operator shall maintain a 50m no disturbance buffer around known and observed raptor nests from April 1 - September 30. If two or more nests are within 100m of each other they shall be considered as one nest site and a 50m buffer applied around the whole area. The operator shall make best efforts to not island raptor nests, allowing for connectivity to the forest from nest sites. The operator shall contact the Wildlife Key Area (WKA) program (wka@yukon.ca), for information on known raptor nests within the project area. The operator shall report any observed nests to the WKA program.
4. The operator shall take all necessary precautions to minimize disturbance to caribou specific habitat (lichen) within the project area. Where disturbance is unavoidable, the lichen mat shall be separately stored and replaced as soon as exploration activities are complete.
5. The operator shall communicate plans and timing of activities to affected First Nations and other land and resource users as soon as practicable and prior to the commencement of project activities to identify potential land use conflicts and any potential negative effects on other users. The operator shall make best efforts to resolve these issues.
6. The operator shall suspend exploration activities if ungulates are observed from active work areas, until they move off on their own accord.
7. The operator shall backfill each trench/drill hole once a geological evaluation of the trench/drill hole has been completed or prior to the end of the work program date identified in this Class 1, whichever occurs first.
8. Upon discovery of a heritage resource the operator shall notify the Heritage Department of Selkirk First Nation and the Heritage Department of the White River First Nation in addition to the Government of Yukon, Manager, Mining Lands and Heritage Department.
9. 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 Manager, Mining Land Use. The operator may contact heritage.review@yukon.ca for more information on the areas of heritage potential or to discuss potential mitigation options.
10. 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 affected First Nation on whose traditional territory the resources are uncovered.
11. There are documented historical features within the notification area, as identified on the map provided. The operator shall not conduct any land-altering activities within 30 m of the(se) site(s) unless prior approval has been granted by the Manager, Mining Land Use. The operator is encouraged to contact the Historic Sites Unit (historic.sites@yukon.ca) for more information on the historic features.
12. There are documented archaeological sites within the notification area, as identified on the map provided. The operator shall not conduct any land-altering activities within 30 m of the(se) site(s) unless prior approval has been granted by the Manager, Mining Land Use. The operator is encouraged to contact heritage.review@yukon.ca for information on the archaeological sites.

13. There are documented heritage sites within the notification area, as identified on the map provided. KeVi-1 and KeVi-2 are legacy sites that no longer exists in the mapped location. This site does not need to be avoided. The operator is encouraged to contact heritage.review@yukon.ca for further information if needed.
14. Since claims will be accessed by air, the operator shall review and follow applicable best management practices outlined in the publication "Flying in Caribou Country" (<https://yukon.ca/en/flying-caribou-country>).
15. The operator shall ensure trenches are sloped on at least one end at a grade shallow enough to allow ungulates to exit the trench.
16. Drill holes shall be decommissioned and backfilled or plugged to avoid wildlife entrapment.
17. The operator shall become familiar with the identification of Leathery Grapefern (*Sceptridium multifidum*) and typical habitat (wet, rocky areas) for the species in Yukon. Information on this species can be found online at: <https://yukon.ca/sites/default/files/env/env-leathery-grapefern.pdf>. If Leathery Grapefern is observed during project activities, further work should be planned to avoid individual plants where possible and its location recorded; information should be shared with Yukon Conservation Data Center at yukoncdc@yukon.ca.
18. The operator shall become familiar with the identification of Oriental June Grass (*Koeleria asiatica*) and typical habitat (dry grassy meadows and tundra) for the species in Yukon. Information on this species can be found online at: <https://yukon.ca/sites/default/files/env/env-oriental-junegrass.pdf>. If Oriental June Grass is observed during project activities, further work should be planned to avoid individual plants where possible and its location recorded; information should be shared with Yukon Conservation Data Center at yukoncdc@yukon.ca.
19. The operator shall become familiar with the identification of the Siberian Wormwood (*Artemisia laciniata*). If Siberian Wormwood is observed during project activities, further work should be planned to avoid individual plants where possible and its location recorded; information should be shared with Yukon Conservation Data Center at yukoncdc@yukon.ca. An information sheet on Siberian Wormwood is attached and available at <https://yukon.ca/en/siberian-wormwood>.
20. Management of attractants and use of deterrents are effective ways to reduce conflict with bears. The operator shall report to the TIPP line (1-800-661-0525) any wildlife incident, mortality and/or ongoing bear presence/habituation.

For greater certainty, the conditions contained in this Notification pertain only to my authorities under the *Placer Mining Act* and do not limit the authorizations, prohibitions, or restrictions in other federal, territorial or municipal laws.

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

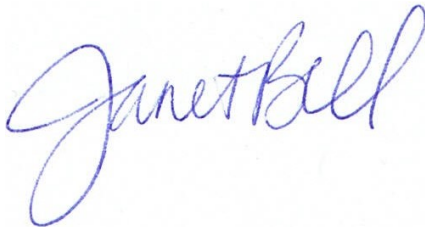
To help improve the environmental performance of your program, you are encouraged to refer to the attached operational guidelines. In addition, you are encouraged to contact affected First Nations to further discuss your program.

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 March 29, 2027 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,
Janet Bell-MacDonald



Manager, Mining Land Use

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