Payette National Forest ATTN: Forest Supervisor Keith Lannom Stibnite Gold EIS 500 N. Mission St. McCall, Idaho 83638

Dear Sir:

I recently attended your meeting in McCall to seek comments for the Midas Gold Project. I found that all the presentations were exceptional and I believe the economic value to our region will be very positive. I only hope that preference will be given to hiring the l000 employees from our region.

I listened following the meeting to many of the attendees who seem to be skeptical at first; however, once they talked to the Midas Golf and Forest Service staff, they seemed quite pleased with what they heard.

The old Stibnite mining area resembled a waste land and the improvements to date made by Midas Gold are already showing great progress. I feel that any negative environmental impact will be temporary and outweighed by all of the improvements to be made by Midas Gold.

I fully intend to remain involved in the future hearings regarding this project and would appreciate any new information emailed to me.

Sincerely,

James T. and Mona Anderson

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