GREETINGS,

I am writing in support of the Stibnite Gold Project and the benefits it will bring to Idaho. This project has the potential to put hundreds of Idahoans to work, bring a \$1 billion investment into our state

and restore an area of Idaho's backcountry desperately in need of repair.

Midas Gold has made it clear reclamation efforts will start alongside operations. They have worked to find safe access routes to the site that keep vehicles away from our precious waterways. Plus, the company is trying to minimize their impact on the environment by keeping facilities within the existing footprint of historic mining operations. Alternative two appears to be the only viable option to move the project forward, let's get this project permitted and start recognizing the benefits of

mining in Valley County

Thank you for considering my thoughts on the project.

Most Respectfully,

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