

Ms. Jackson,

Midas Gold Idaho's Stibnite Gold Project presents Idaho, particularly rural Idaho, with a huge economic and environmental opportunity. I am writing to encourage you to permit the project as quickly as possible.

The Stibnite Gold Project will generate significant federal, state and local job opportunities A Huge economic opportunity, badly needed in Valley County. This project is well thought out, planned and scientifically sound. This great country was and should continue to be built on our natural resource base. This county is over eighty percent federal owned. As a majority landowner and is responsible to the people of the United states for the management of the lands should consider the local input paramount to its management. Mitigation measures have advanced significantly since the prior activities of this site, This is a sound project and encourage your favorable decision.

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