

Payette National Forest Supervisor,

I am writing to express my full support of Midas Gold Idaho and the Stibnite Gold Project. Over the past several years Midas Gold has shown its commitment to Valley County and the state of Idaho and I encourage you to permit the proposed activities outlined by Midas Gold in its Alternative 2. The current global situation is very solid on higher prices in gold and silver we can't leave our state out of this cyclic market that is expected to last 3 to 5 years . That will mean higher prices for idahoans and the lost opportunities for revenue and employment for hundreds. Prosperity doesn't come out of a money printer but out of hard work, saving and investing. Please allow this company to be part of it

The Stibnite Gold Project will help to restore the environment in our region. Under alternative two, Midas Gold has prioritized restoration work so many of the efforts occur early in the project. The company is also required to set aside all of the funds needed to properly restore the site in a special trust so the land will be restored no matter what happens to the company. Reclamation efforts have already started at the site. Midas Gold has planted thousands of trees and worked to reduce sediment entering waterways near the site. To me, these actions prove the company is truly committed to restoring the site.

It is with this knowledge that I encourage the U.S. Forest Service to continue to move the project forward and permit the site using alternative 2 as the guide.

Please keep my comments in mind,

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