

USFS,

I am writing to share my thoughts on Midas Gold Idaho's Stibnite Gold project. There are many reasons why I am not excited for Midas Gold's project to come to life and I hope through my comments you will understand why.

Midas Gold prioritizes taking gold and minerals from Idaho. We do not need another open pit nightmare in Idaho. Especially from a Canadian owned company.

The U.S. Forest Service has repeatedly shown that timber sales at a loss and mining claims at an even bigger loss do not benefit anyone but the developers. The "1,000 jobs" that Midas claims will come and go and we will be left with a big hole in our back country.

Do NOT approve this under any circumstances.

Yours,

Steven P. Garman

Name: Steven Garman