

To Whom it May Concern,

Thank you for the opportunity to provide feedback on the Stibnite Gold Project as part of Midas Gold Idaho's Draft Environmental Impact Statement. Public participation is a huge part of the permitting process and I appreciate the opportunity to share my thoughts.

As a native Nevadan now living in Idaho, I have seen the benefits and prosperity gold mining can bring to a community when proper conservation and reclamation are priority number one. The Reclaiming the old mine site and restoring the fish runs are paramount, and it seems as though Midas Gold has a plan moving forward for doing so.

I would like to see wages in our state improve, and the quality of education. I feel this project will help in both regards.

Thank you for your time.

Best regards,

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