



**WE'RE READY WHEN YOU ARE.**

U.S. Forest Service, Payette National Forest  
Attn: Linda Jackson, Payette Forest Supervisor  
500 North Mission Street  
McCall, ID 83638

Linda Jackson,

Midas Gold Idaho has been a member of our community for the past decade. During this time, the company and its employees have become wonderful champions and supporters of the community. They've volunteered their time in schools and given generously to community causes. In fact, in 2019, Midas Gold spent approximately \$228,000 on community giving and education outreach and employees volunteered more than 2,500 hours of their time in the community.

My company, Western States CAT, holds the same community values as Midas Gold and we believe there is strength in numbers. The more companies hold these beliefs and live by them, the better off our community will be. The company's track record of following through on its promises and doing the right thing gives us the confidence to write in support of permitting the Stibnite Gold Project.

I urge you to permit the Stibnite Gold Project and allow Midas Gold to continue to be the trusting corporate citizen it has already proven to be.

Most Respectfully,

JOHN KIPPER  


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