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Thank you for the opportunity to provide my feedback as part of Midas Gold Idaho's public permitting process.

Midas Gold Idaho is proposing a great project for our economy, our citizens and our environment. The Stibnite Gold Project would help to properly restore a brownfield site in Idaho's backcountry and provide a significant positive economic impact. In fact, if the project goes into production the company plans to invest \$1 billion in Idaho and provide hundreds of jobs over the course of the mine's life. The company has promised to look to Idaho first for talent and supplies so this will have a huge trickledown effect. The salaries of the positions at Midas Gold Idaho will be two times higher than typical jobs in Valley County. The financial security these positions could bring to families could be life changing. I also appreciate that Midas Gold Idaho plans to have employees be on a two weeks on, two weeks off schedule. This allows Idahoans who live outside of Valley County, or who would not want to relocate to the area, the same opportunity to apply for these positions.

Thank you for your time, consideration and for giving Idahoans meaningful time to comment on the Stibnite Gold Project. Alternative two is by far the best option in the DEIS.

Allowing Midas Gold to continue the project is helping our nation, for now and the future.

Not only are they committed to the local economy, the national economy will be greatly helped. For too long China has held the monopoly on the production of minerals critical to the technology industry, and very importantly our defence industry! Midas Gold and this project will be instrumental in supplying these vital minerals within the United States.

The vast gold reserves within the project will help bolster the United States position in the global monetary market keeping us strong.

Aside from the huge economic boost the project will give the company is investing heavily in ensuring its production will not be detrimental to the environment. They will be improving water quality and helping nature. Fish migration will be restored where it's been blocked for over 80 years.

Midas Golds project is important! Let's help American Companies help America.

Thanks for your time and I really hope you vote to allow the project proceed.

Sincerely, James Wade

Name: James Wade