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Ms. Linda Jackson,

Thank you for the opportunity to provide feedback on the Stibnite Gold Project as part of the National Environmental Policy Act. I believe the project can help stop America's import reliance on antimony and address legacy impacts in the historic Stibnite Mining District.

The permitting process has made the Stibnite Gold Project better. Perpetua Resources has listened to input from the public and regulators and found ways to reduce its project footprint, improve fish habitat and eliminate the need for long-term water treatment. It is clear to me through the work that I have done with Perpetua and Granite that the company takes safety very seriously and therefore their plans to mine the area will be done in a very responsible way and will minimize its environmental impacts. I hope the USFS will move this improved plan forward.

Six years has given regulators and the public plenty of time to review the company's plan and this SDEIS is one modified plan with two different access options, 75 days is plenty of time for review. I know this project will transform an area in need of environmental repair and secure a domestic supply of antimony.

Thank you,



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