I am highly opposed to this project! The whole thing appears to be nothing more then a scam.

Now Perpetua wants to cut a new road into the mine near Burnt Log Creek. They claim for traffic and dust control into Johnson Creek. What a joke! We don't need another road chopped through the National Forrest!

If this road is constructed as purposed, it will chop across Peanut Creek, Burnt Log Creek, East Fork of Burnt Log Creek, Trapper Creek, Riordan Creek, and Riordan Lake, North Fork of Riordan Creek and Meadow Creek. Every one of these creeks will dump silt into Johnson Creek. Who are they trying to kid?

If they really want to control silt in Johnson Creek, tell them to go look at East Fork Road. It is treated with magnesium chloride and had created a hard surface with NO dust. Of which I don't think magnesium chloride does the river any good, but it would be a lesser of the two evil then a road hacked across Burnt Long and all the other tributaries. Treating Johnson Creek Road, and grading it, would achieve better results at a much less cost. But it doesn't seam like cost control is their main objective here. It's more on the line of , Let's make the project look good, so we can sell it to another sucker.

In ending, I am highly opposed to this idea of hacking a new road through the National Forrest, when I seriously dough any minerals will ever come out of Stibnite Mine.

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