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Linda Jackson
Payette Forest Supervisor
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McCall, ID 83638

Ref: Stibnite Project


Dear Linda Jackson:

This letter is to express my companies support of the Perpetua's Stibnite Gold Project. America needs this project to be permitted. It will produce our country's only source of antimony, a mineral we need for a secure and sustainable future.

Thanks to Perpetua Resources' agreement with Ambri, the Stibnite Gold Project will enable the production of batteries with over 13 Gigawatt hours of clean energy storage. The is more than eight times the total additions to the entire U.S. energy storage market in 2020. With no current domestic source of antimony, the project is not an opportunity we can let pass us by. Our business runs the mail to Yellow Pine, and I am in favor of the company's improved plans using the Burnt Log Route in order to minimize traffic along the South Fork.

I believe they have outlined a path to protect the environment and minimize impacts. The Stibnite Gold Project should be allowed to move forward as outlined under the Modified Mine Plan.

Thank you,


Arnold Aviation
Mike Arnold