November 6, 2022 Linda Jackson, Payette National Forest Supervisor USFS, Payette National Forest 500 North Mission Street McCall, Idaho 83638 RE: Comment Letter on Stibnite Gold Project -Modified Mine Plan With Burntlog Route Dear Ms. Jackson:

I, Diane Thach have lived in Riggins, Idaho for 70 years and totally believe and support this project and the stipulations Perpetua has put in place to begin this project. It is critical for the United States to start producing their own antimony, rather than relying on China. I support Payette National Forest allowing Perpetua Resources to go forward to construct and operate a plant in Stibnite that mines gold, silver and antimony as long they are required/mandated to do the following:

1.0 Perpetua will reprocess legacy tailings which will remove mercury, arsenic and antimony which are currently contaminating the area stream.

2.0 Perpetua will recycle paper, cardboard, glass, plastic, aluminum, tin and used oil. 3.0 Perpetua will compost kitchen waste and waste treatment plant dried sludge with stockpiled overburden for use during the reclamation/restoration phase at the end of project.

4.0 Perpetua will remove all structures and equipment at the end of the project.

5.0 Perpetua will restore grounds back to their original state as outlined in the Perpetua's SDEIS Modified Mine Plan document.

6.0 Perpetua will provide sufficient bonding to assure that all restoration work can be performed by others if necessary.

Thanks for giving me an opportunity to respond to this SDEIS and again I'm in favor of the project as long as recycling is a priority with Perpetua Resources. Sincerely,

Diane Thach

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P.S. I must have wrong e-mail address for you, it wouldn't go thru - - so will just mail to you,

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