Data Submitted (UTC 11): 1/6/2023 12:39:03 AM First name: Louise Last name: Yohalem Organization: Title: Comments: Dear Secretary Haaland,

It is essential that you advocate on behalf of the River of No Return Wilderness. Perpetua must not be permitted to reopen their mines through the Stibnite Gold Project. Once the land is poisoned with their cyanide mining method, precious species will be endangered. These include salmon, steelhead and bull trout.

The Perpetua mining methods will also endanger the water supply from the East Fork of the South Fork. The loss of directly impacted species will endanger wildlife that depends upon them for their sustenance, thereby endangering other species - including Americans and all humans who depend upon the food chain for our own survival. Once this land is destroyed, it will not recover. Instead of allowing Perpetua to continue with their deadly mining, hold them responsible for the damage that was done in the past to this area and charge them with cleaning up their poison and restoring the environment as much as possible.

We must stop endangering our health and the future of our children and grandchildren by standing up to destructive Big Business. Stop toxic mining and ensure that the Forest Service denies any and all permits for Perpetua Resource's Stibnite Gold Project.

Please be sure to save our future from these lying destroyers of the Earth. Louise Yohalem