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SHEEP CREEK PROPOSAL

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THANK YOU FOR THIS OPPORTUNITY TO COMMENT ON THE SHEEP CREEK PROPOSITION.

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS IS MY BACKGROUND. DUN & BRADSTREET (assigning D & B ratings for business?) FOR A YEAR AND AN IRS

AGENT FOR 27 YEARS (law enforcement).

This mentioned only in the hope that it might give credence to what is expressed here.

Having followed the published developments from the beginning it would appear that every effort is being made by a

marginal, inexperienced entity to take advantage of a circumstance evolving due to global conditions and demand for the product involved. Consideration of the management changes as events progressed, and the gross undercapitalization, all combined with the

absence of any knowledge regarding mining AND the absence of any successful activity in any area of self employment results in the conclusion that U.S. Critical Materials is a failing enterprise. Their acceptance into the FAST-41 Program is beyond comprehension

in that they failed every test for acceptance. That they were schooled by involved agencies on avoidance of qualifying determinations was surprising. For a program to require certain things and then advise you on how to avoid them raises questions regarding

the veracity of the agency itself. A new experience at the age of 91.

Location notwithstanding, the results of Rare Earth Mining are visible, both visually and in the lab. By measure they are an ecological disaster that require eons in time and billions in capital.

The damage remains as a result. Transposing the potential for local social, environmental, and economic impact at the levels experienced previously begs the question, Why?

Why have other, more suitable, locations not received equal consideration?

It appears possible that the entire venture could realize its capital needs through government grants. So then when

a taxpayer funded, high failure/low success ratio enterprise that forced involuntary conversion, through government offices, fails what happens? Those responsible escape through bankruptcy, the need for the product is as great as ever. The net result would

be the loss of an entire, functioning social unit? a Gem Unequalled for a failed business attempt by an inexperienced hopeful.

The Bitterroot Valley is unique in its ambience.

Please do not destroy it for any reason?let alone for a fantasy filled attempt to gain fortunes by way of a trusting government. Empty promises with a monumental price tag.

Please Say No to any such proposal.

Thank You. William Campbell, 5290 Hwy 93 So., Conner, Mt [REDACTED ZIP] [REDACTED PHONE]

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