

NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTION - Bureau of Mining Regulation and Reclamation

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Deadline for Comments: 01/18/2025

The Administrator of the Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) gives notice that an application for renewal of a Water Pollution Control Permit for the Toiyabe Mine Project, for post-closure monitoring of a mining and beneficiation facility, has been properly filed with NDEP in Carson City. The Applicant for renewal of Water Pollution Control Permit NEV0060050 (Permit) is:

Nevada Gold Mines LLC 1655 Mountain City Highway Elko, NV 89801

The facility is located on public land in Mineral County, within Section 18, Township 25 North (T25N), Range 47 East (R47E), in Lander County along the west flank of Bald Mountain, Nevada, approximately 30 miles south of the town of Crescent Valley.

The Project is in post-closure monitoring, pursuant to Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 445A.446.

The Administrator is constrained to either issue the renewed Permit or deny the application. The Administrator has made the tentative decision to issue the renewed Permit.

Persons wishing to comment on the proposed Permit, recommend terms and conditions for consideration of incorporation into the Permit, or request a public hearing pursuant to NAC 445A.403, must submit their written comments, objections, or requests by hand delivery, U.S. Postal Service, facsimile, or e-mail transmittal, no later than 5:00 PM on the 30th day following the date of publication of this notice (submittal end date 18 January 2025) to:

Nevada Division of Environmental Protection Bureau of Mining Regulation and Reclamation 901 South Stewart Street, Suite 4001 Carson City, NV 89701-5249.

All comments, objections, or requests received during the public notice period will be considered in the final determination regarding the Permit. If NDEP determines that written comments or requests indicate a significant degree of public interest in this matter, the Administrator shall schedule a public hearing in accordance with the requirements of NAC 445A.405.

The draft Permit and all application documents are on file at NDEP and are available for public inspection and copying pursuant to Nevada Revised Statute 445A.665. For more information, contact Crystal Borotto at (775) 687-9401 or visit the NDEP public notice website at www.ndep.nv.gov/posts/category/land.