



NOTICE OF DECISION - Bureau of Mining Regulation and Reclamation

Date of Web Posting: 08/26/2025

Deadline for Appeal: 09/05/2025

Nevada Gold Mines, LLC
Arturo Mine Project
WPC Permit NEV2013101

The Administrator of the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection (the Division) has decided to issue renewed Water Pollution Control Permit **NEV2013101 to Nevada Gold Mines, LLC**. This Permit authorizes the construction, operation, and closure of approved mining facilities in Elko County, Nevada. The Division has been provided with sufficient information, in accordance with Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 445A.350 through 445A.447, to assure that the waters of the State will not be degraded by this operation, and that public safety and health will be protected.

The Permit will become effective **September 10, 2025**. The final determination of the Administrator may be appealed to the State Environmental Commission pursuant to Nevada Revised Statute (NRS) 445A.605 and NAC 445A.407. All requests for appeals must be filed by 5:00 PM, **September 05, 2025**, on Form 3, with the State Environmental Commission, 901 South Stewart Street, Suite 4001, Carson City, Nevada 89701-5249. For more information, contact Allie Thibault at (775) 687-9404 or visit the Division website at <https://ndep.nv.gov/posts/category/land>.

Comments were received during the public comment period from Adam Strouse, Forester with the Nevada Division of Forestry. The text of all comments, in some cases excerpted, and the Division responses (in *italics*) are included below as part of this Notice of Decision.

Adam Strouse, Written Comment:

...This project is not in proximity to threatened and endangered species. Any disturbance in proximity to endangered species requires permitting through NDF per NRS 527.

Division Response 1:

Comment noted