



NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTION - Bureau of Mining Regulation and Reclamation

Date of Web Posting: 03/24/2026

Deadline for Comments: 04/24/2026

The Administrator of the Division of Environmental Protection (NDEP) gives notice that an application for renewal of a Water Pollution Control Permit for the **Mountain Springs Mine**, a mining and beneficiation facility, has been properly filed with the NDEP in Carson City. The Applicant for renewal of Water Pollution Control Permit **NEV2014115** (Permit) is:

M-I, L.L.C.
PO Box 370
2 North Second Street
Battle Mountain, NV 89820

The facility is located on public land in Lander County, within Sections 4, 5, and 6 and Sections 8, 9, and 10, T28N, R44E, MDB&M, 23 miles southwest (by air) of the town of Battle Mountain.

The Project consists of an open pit mining and physical separation facility, pursuant to Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 445A.414.

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 April 24 2026) 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 TJ Mohammed at (775) 687-9405 or visit the NDEP public notice website at www.ndep.nv.gov/posts/category/land.