

Assessor's Parcel No.: N/A unpatented mining claims

Recorded at the request of and return to:
McEwen Mining Incorporated
1595 Meadow Wood Lane, Suite 3
Reno, Nevada 89502



The undersigned affirms that there is no social security number contained in this document.

AFFIDAVIT OF PAYMENT OF MAINTENANCE FEES
AND
OF INTENTION TO HOLD MINING CLAIMS

STATE OF NEVADA)
) ss.
COUNTY OF WASHOE)

The undersigned Affiant, being of lawful age and first duly sworn, under penalty of perjury, states as follows:

1. Affiant is the agent of McEwen Mining Inc., the owner, claimant, lessee, or assignee of the claimant ("Owner") of the unpatented lode claims more particularly described in the list set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto and incorporated by this reference (the "Claims") and is duly authorized to execute this Affidavit.

2. The name and address of Owner is:
McEwen Mining Inc.
1595 Meadow Wood Lane, Suite 3
Reno, Nevada 89502

3. The names of the Claims and the United States Bureau of Land Management ("BLM") Serial Numbers for the Claims are more particularly set forth in Exhibit A hereto.

4. Owner has paid to the Nevada State Office of the Bureau of Land Management, on **August 28**, 2015, a maintenance fee in the amount of \$155 for each Claim, pursuant to 30 U.S.C.A. §§ 28f(a) and 28j(c) and related regulations (the "Act"). Such payment was made to hold the Claims for the assessment year ending at noon on September 1, 2016, as required by the Act. The maintenance fees are in lieu of the performance of annual assessment work and the recording of an affidavit of labor under Section 314 of the Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 and 43 CFR 3833.2.



5. By such payment, by Owner's compliance with applicable federal and state mining laws and regulations, and by this Affidavit, Owner hereby expresses its intent to hold and maintain all of its right, title and interest in and to each of the Claims through the end of the assessment year ending at noon on September 1, 2016.

6. By this Affidavit, Owner, in accordance with Nevada state law, also expresses its intent to hold and maintain all of its right, title and interest in and to each of the Claims through the end of the assessment year beginning 12 p.m. on September 1, 2014 and ending 11:59 a.m. on September 1, 2015. Owner further expresses its intent to hold and maintain all of its right, title and interest in and to each of the Claims through the end of the assessment year beginning 12 p.m. on September 1, 2015 and ending 11:59 a.m. on September 1, 2016.

7. Affiant executes this Affidavit on the 23 day of October, 2015.

McEwen Mining Inc.

By: Ruth H. Buffa
Ruth H. Buffa

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 23rd day of October, 2015.

Joann Newbury
NOTARY PUBLIC

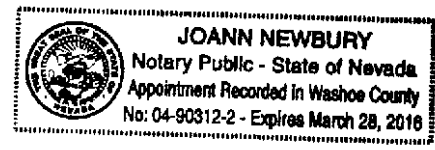




Exhibit A
Affidavit and Notice of Intent to Hold Mining Claims and Sites and
Payment of Maintenance Fees
Lucky Friday Project, Lincoln County, Nevada
5 Lode Claims

Lincoln County Recording

Owner: Tonkin Springs LLC
1595 Meadow Wood Lane, Suite 3
Reno, NV 89502

Claim	NMC #	Document #	Type	Count
LFR 27	1111898	148221	Lode	1
LFR 28	1111899	148222	Lode	2
LFR 29	1111900	148223	Lode	3
LFR 30	1111901	148224	Lode	4
LFR 31	1111902	148225	Lode	5