

Meeting Summary

Pebble Project

August 4, 2020

Attendees (via teleconference): Kyle Moselle (DNR-OPMP),

Attendees (in Atwood): Corri Feige, Jason Brune, Sara Longan, Brent Goodrum, Emma Pokon, James Fueg, Erik Fjelstad.

Meeting purpose:

For PLP to discuss preliminary mitigation plan for the Pebble Project with DNR and DEC leadership.

Agenda with notes:

- Status update
 - FEIS released July 24th
 - ROD
 - Biological Opinions needed from federal agencies
 - 401 certification needed from DEC
 - DEC is not going to notice or solicited public comment son 401 certification. DEC will follow their standard process of releasing the 401 cert with the ROD.
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- Mitigation
 - The USACE is wanting in-kind mitigation in the watershed of the mine site (Koktuli and Mulchatna)
 - Estimated 3,500 acres to be mitigated for at 10:1 ratio equaling an estimated 112,000 acres of actual mitigation area.
 - PLP has numerous state mineral claims that they would be willing to give up as part of the mitigation package.
 - Corri suggested that we explore carbon credits for any lands preserved with conservation easements.
 - Erik – this exercise focuses entirely on the surface estate.
 - Best Interest Finding
 - Third Party management entity
 - Next 45 days we need
 - A plan with conceptual detail that PLP and DNR agree with for meeting mitigation requirements set by USACE.
 - Mineral closure order (or temporary closure for consideration of Legislature) in the near term so others do not enter the area while DNR and PLP develop a path forward.
 - PLP believes DNR has the ability to temporarily prevent claim staking in the Koktuli and Mulchatna while PLP develops a final mitigation plan acceptable to the USACE.
 - Next 7 days
 - Work with Brent on meeting with Marty (meeting held 8/6; follow-up meeting scheduled for 8/10).
 - James will email GIS files to Brent and Kyle (files received 8/5).
 - Loop in Marty P. and get his folks working on MCO (initiated by Brent 8/4).