

Noriga
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STEWART AREA - GENERAL

1) SILVER BUTTE (SB) [MI 104B150]

Bruce McLeod told me that Tenajon (Northair) have made an application to explore/develop/mine the Kansas Zone which is separate from the 35 (face cut) Zone which was mined last year. These are awaiting a tax ruling from the Federal Government before proceeding. (Photo)

2) GOLD DROP - I met a prospector (Ty?) who had recently discovered a new small high grade gold showing near the mouth of the Marmot River (adj. to John Lueck's old claims).

3) SCOTTIE GOLD - Some damage to camp buildings occurred due to the extreme snow load last winter. Reclamation/clean up was in progress. (Photo)

4) The Granduc Road is 'open' to the Tide Lake airstrip but no maintenance is scheduled. It won't last long if a long term strategy isn't planned.

5) PREMIER - Underground mining is progressing; open pit mining should be completed very soon. The custom milling scenario will be important (eg. Red Mountain; Royal Oak Res.)

6) SULPHURETS - BRUCESIDE [MI 104B020]

Potential new, significant discovery by Newhawk near boundary with Goldwedge prop.

NORIGA [Near MI 93M074]

On August 11th I visited the newly discovered Noriga massive sulphide vein located just downslope (to west) of the Golden Wonder prospect (MI 93M074). The main showing consists of semi-massive sulphides (pyrrhotite, chalcopyrite, arsenopyrite with gold and cobalt values) in vein in argillites ± greywackes. The best showing (sampled by Equity Silver) assayed 0.25 opt Au, 0.25% Co, 175 ppm Ni, and 4% As over a 4 foot width (see photos). Locally feldspar porphyry dykes cut the argillites and are probably genetically and spatially (?) related to the vein mineralization. [Ref: TGS May MR and Wojdak July MR]