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Creek 93E/11E

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WHITING CREEK - 1979

From DDH #1 Trench

WC-79-1 (High silica) (+ sericite) QFP with ab. dissem.
py. + 2 stages of MoS_2 veining.

WC-79-2 Float - Granodiorite with dissem. py.

From Near DDH #13

WC-79-3 Granodiorite with dissem. + frac. py.

From "Breccia" Trench

WC-79-4 High silica QFP + MoS_2 + gtz vein + dissem. py.
- Also very fn. dissem. MoS_2

WC-79-5 Same as above but better gtz. sthuk.
+ some bx.

WC-79-6 Typical host QFP.

DRILL CORE

10-135' Host granodiorite with dissem. py + cpy.

3-64' ^{Very fn. gr. grey intr.}
~~hornfels~~ with frac gtz + py.

7-105' Granodiorite with Kspar alt'n + py + tr. cpy.

13-86' Crse. hnfels with sec. bro + vein ~~py.~~

8-161' Granodiorite with vein⁺ + dissem. py.

8-350' Por. granodiorite with dissem. cpy.

13-40' Hn fls with ab. py. frac.

3-230' Hornfelsed volc. tuff with multiple gtz + py^{+ MoS₂} veinlets

5-150' Por. granodiorite with frac + dissem. py.

9-140' Gd with frac. py.

9-162' Fn. gr. grey Gd with fn. frac. py.

1-320' Aplitic QFP with multiple gtz + MoS₂ veins

11-105' High silica zone (core) + sericite

8-100' Aplite dyke + dissem. py. + fn. MoS₂?

8-152' Gd with aplite dykelet (2") + py.

10-125' Foliated hypabyssal por. Gd.

Q-72-1-215' Py + ~~py~~ MoS₂ + gypsum in 'hybrid'

Q-72-1-415' As above.

Q-72-1-418' As above.

- Mark Rebag, Mar. 9/87

Whiting Ck.

min. 3000 m (10,000' ~~metre~~)
or twice

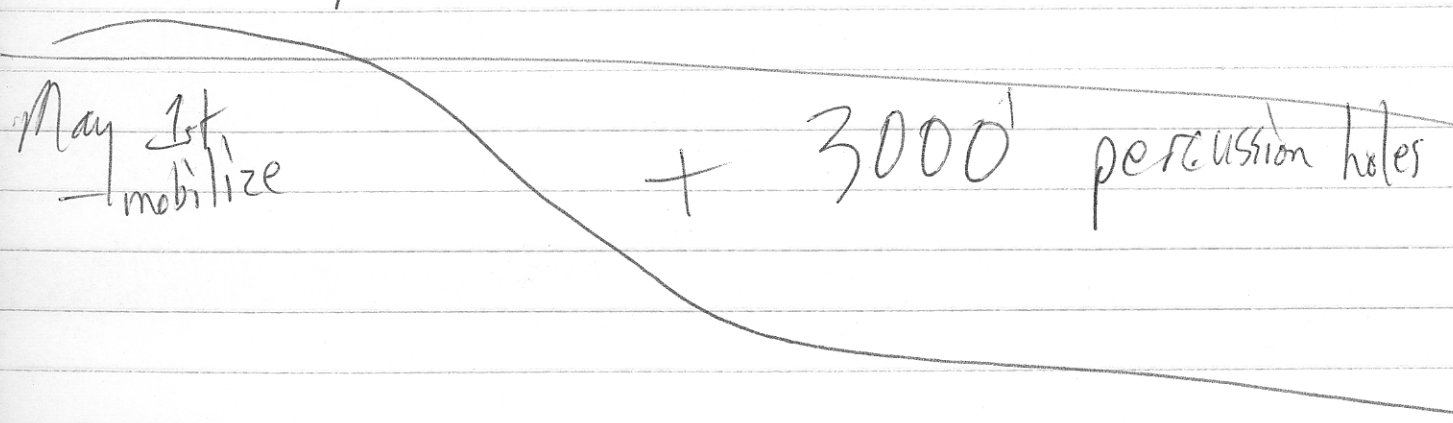
Kenneco must decide to continue
by May 1st \$3/4 m

Bob Cann 2-200 metre holes Geocor

~~Discussion notes~~

8 ddh av. 200 metre
10 perc

- 3 Areas
- 1 ddh - 300 m up on gtz-por. zone
 - 2 perc - between 'Rusty' + Whiting Ck.
 - ddh + perc. - on west side



Whiting Ck. - Visit - July 14/81

- with Mark Rebagliati (SMOC)
+ Terence Bottrill (Samim Canada (H.)
[Italian rep.]
- geol. in charge - Bob Cann (+ Dave?)
- 4 zones identified:
 - 1) Rusty
 - 2) Ridge
 - 3) Creek
 - 4) Sweeny
- most of this yr's drilling on Ridge zone with 2 holes on Ck. zone + possibly a couple on the Sweeny zone.
- Sweeny zone tree covered right down to Sweeny Ck. IP + geochem anomalies (Cu, Mo, Ag) appear coincident.
- DDH-80-25 (last hole) gave good high grade Cu-Mo section (incl. chalcocite)
- still no drilling up high along ridges + in talus.
- Occurrences of breccia in line with menzonite outcrops in Rusty zone appear to "line-up" as if in an older suture zone.

[OVER!]

Whiting Cr.

Mar. 12/82

Creek Zone

.25% Cu

.025% MoS₂

100-200m

.03

200m

.25% Cu

.045% MoS₂

150

Qtz Zone

74 million tons

@ .07% MoS₂

- talk with Mark R. re. Task Force study

22 Zone; Dibr. (2002) - looking @ u/g & d
 - winter '04 ddh (just completed) - some 'interesting' results.
 2006 m of ev. [SM capital cost to drive out to u/g infrastructure]

Last week - 2 rounds of > 30 opt Au grade! (excellent talk!)

MUCKLEBERRY - Carl Battaro (Chief Mine Engineer)

- no waste dumps at end of prog
 i.e. all put under water back into Main Zone pit -

- \$1.05/lb Cu - re-design East Zone pit (200m deep)

- grinding problems (i.e. ^{high} work Index)

Concentrate: 11,500 t/mo. 2003 Prod. 80 M lb (u/g) \$800000 300K \$

Employment \$7K/yr. - av. salary \$1M t Mo

Ann. Exp. = \$48M Exp 1/2 '04 \$500,000 for phase 1 - new full-time geol.

Whiting Cr.: 31.6 x 10⁶ Mt @ .06% Cu, 0.112% MoS₂
 (pre-43-101) within 123.5 Mt .06 .04 MoS₂
 - esp. NE end of pit + N. of Main Zone pit

ENDAKO: Alan Marish - Thompson Cr. Mining (private co.) + Sojitz Noble Alloys Corp (formerly Nisskoten - large trading co. (Japan))

- great aerial photo Main Zone 500m deep - 27,200 tpd - present capacity ~ 230 employees

- Denak West pit (not (xot) devel.) (Av. grade, 12.3% MoS₂ recover ~ 70)

- Uses of MoS₂: * steel alloy (toughen) (i.e. 1 lb Mo/tonne of ore) Prod. 10M lbs/yr of molybdenum oxide
 * jet engines (Ni-Mo alloy)
 * medical implants (Cr-Mo alloy)

In-pit crusher: saved 1/2 costs of haulage + crushing (without) (from Island Copper)

Reserves: 2.5 yrs below S wall (main zone)

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low grade stockpiles 2.5 yrs
 Mine life - 7 yrs (re. 2011)

US \$ 119 to 144 (Apr.)

