

* **Siwash Creek** Fairfield Minerals Ltd. are proceeding with a \$1.2M drilling program on the **Elk-Siwash North zone**. The work includes about 10,000 metres of drilling to improve reserves, which currently stand at 234,000 tons @ 0.633 oz/t Au. Drilling has also begun on the adjacent **Dill** property, which is under option to Placer Dome Inc.

* Elsewhere in the **Siwash** area International Tower Resources has announced plans to explore their Siwash property; Laramide Resources are continuing work on the **Hit and Miss** claims, optioned from Inco Gold; Cominco Ltd. has completed a small drilling program on the **Axe** property.

KAMLOOPS FIELD/OFFICE ACTIVITIES

* **July 02 - LandUse** - Final updates and revisions of a Ministry of Forests Mineral Resource map sent to editor. This map will be included in poster-form in displays held during Open House meetings, throughout the south-central region.

* **July 04, 16 and 23** - Complete **final** (We hope) Map 65 revisions for the South-Central district up to Dec. 31, 1991 and sent to B. Grant.

* **July 09** - Aid in the preparation and coordination of a mining history and geologic synopsis of the **Isobel Lake** area, north of Kamloops. This project was undertaken by an independent consultant and shall eventually lead to a published guide to be used by school-aged children.

* **July 15** - Provide information and insight into the past and present mining activity in the **Adams Lake** watershed for Luc Deshesne. This will form the basis for his M.Sc. thesis (Simon Fraser) on resource management in the Adams Lake area.

* **July 19** - Aid in the collection and assessment of mineral potential data of the **Deadman's Creek** area. This is the basis of a Native sponsored study of the land claims and uses of ground claimed by the **Skeetasaan Indian Band**, near Savona.

* **July 23** - John Allen visit.

* **July 24** - Field visit with Gerry Ray, Ian Webster and Ken Daughtry to look at a conglomerate west of Okanagan Lake in presumed Nicola sediments. This unit may be equivalent to the Copperfield conglomerate at Hedley.

* **July 25** - Field examination of the **Dimac tungsten** property, north of Clearwater with Gerry Ray and Ian Webster.

* **July 26-28** - Attended the **Fort St. James** conference and fieldtrip; also was able to attend a brief tour (led by Ian Paterson) of the **Snowbird** prospect, which is currently held by Cominco Ltd. Congratulations to JoAnne, Ted and crews for putting an excellent conference and field trip.

* Provide exploration trends for the South-Central district for Tom Schroeter's quarterly report on the health of the Mining Industry.

* **KEG NEWS** - Rob Pease of Placer Dome and Alistair Kennedy of Connors Drilling have both (coincidentally) been posted to **La Serena, Chile**. Both individuals have made significant contributions to KEG activities during their time in Kamloops.