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Subject: RE: Bullmoose-Ruth - Notice of Modification under Water License (MV2016L8-0004) - No Landfarm
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Hi Tawanis and Ron,

Thank you for your November 27, 2017 email, letter and accompanying information. Upon review of your letter and memo, Board staff have concluded that this change in how PHC-impacted soil is managed for the Bullmoose-Ruth Remediation Project is not a modification as defined in Water Licence MV2016L8-0004 (the Licence). For reference:

As per the definition of modification in Part A, Item 2 of the Licence, a modification is “a change, other than an expansion, that does not alter the purpose or function of a structure”. Because the Landfarm is not being constructed and therefore no structure is involved, this does not ‘alter the purpose or function of a structure’. However, Board Staff note that the management practices described in Stantec’s November 17, 2017 Memo (Disposition of Bullmoose Mine PHC Impacted Soils – Bullmoose-Ruth Remediation Project) are not included in the approved Waste Management Plan or Construction Monitoring Plan, and have therefore not been approved by the Board.

Part B, Condition 5 of the Licence states:

The Licensee shall review the plans, programs, studies and manuals annually, or as directed by the Board, and make any necessary revisions to reflect changes in operations. All revised plans, programs, studies and manuals shall be submitted to the Board, for approval, at least 60 days, unless otherwise specified, prior to implementing any proposed updates or changes in the approved plan, program, study or manual, and shall be accompanied by a brief summary of the changes made. All revised plans, programs, studies, and manuals shall be presented in a format consistent with the Board’s Standard Outline for Management Plans.

As per the above condition, Board Staff request that any management plans required under the Licence that are affected by the elimination of the Landfarm and/or the procedures described in Stantec’s memo, including but not limited to: the Waste Management Plan and the Construction Monitoring Plan, should be revised and submitted to the Board for approval.

Thank you, and please contact me if you have any questions.

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Good morning Julian,

Please find attached a letter of notice and supporting documentation regarding the cancellation of the landfarm facility at Bullmoose Mine.

Let me know if you require anything else related to this matter.

Regards,

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