

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF 45-DAY PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD ASARCO JANUARY ADIT (NORTON MINE) VOLUNTARY REMEDIATOIN PROGRAM (VRP) SITE REMEDIAL ACTION WORK PLAN

The Arizona Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) has received a work plan for remedial actions to be conducted at the ASARCO January Adit (Norton Mine) VRP Site (VRP Site Code 505143-02). The Work Plan was submitted in accordance with Arizona Revised Statutes §§ 49-175 and 176. The Work Plan will address mine influenced water discharges from the January Mine Adit and seepage from historic tailing piles at the Trench Camp, Norton, and January Mine properties. This will be achieved through the construction of an active water treatment plant to treat discharges from the January Mine workings and solutions captured in the underdrain collection pond from the historic tailings and waste rock.

The work plan is available for review online at: http://www.azdeq.gov/notices, at the Patagonia Public Library, 346 Duquesne Ave., Patagonia, AZ, (520) 394-2010 and at the ADEQ Records Center, 1110 W. Washington St., Phoenix. Please call the Records Center at (602) 771-4380 to arrange for an appointment or email recordscenter@azdeq.gov.

PARTIES WISHING TO SUBMIT WRITTEN COMMENTS regarding the Work Plan for the ASARCO January Adit (Norton Mine) VRP Site may do so to Arizona Mining Inc., attention: Johnny Pappas, 3845 North Business Center Dr., Suite 115, Tucson, AZ 85705. Comments may also be submitted to ADEQ, attention: John Patricki, VRP, 1110 W. Washington St., Phoenix, AZ 85007, or jp10@azdeq.gov and reference this listing. Comments must be postmarked to Arizona Minerals and/or ADEQ by June 19, 2017.

ADEQ will take reasonable measures to provide access to department services to individuals with limited ability to speak, write, or understand English and/or to those with disabilities. Requests for language interpretation services or for disability accommodations must be made at least 48 hours in advance by contacting: 7-1-1 for TDD; (602) 771-2215 for Disability Accessibility; or Ian Bingham, Title VI Nondiscrimination Coordinator at (602) 771-4322 or idb@azdeq.gov. Disclaimer: Any ADEQ translation or communication in a language other than English is unofficial.

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Dated this 5th day of May, 2017 John Patricki, Project Manager