

STATE OF NEVADA
CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION - LODE MINING CLAIM

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

That American Carbonate Rock Inc., by and through their lawful and authorized agent Barry K. Bradshaw, gives notice that he/they claims the land described below as a lode mining claim pursuant to the laws of the United States of America and the State of Nevada, and in making such claim and establishing his/their rights, states and certifies as follows:

1. The name of the claim is ACR 172.
2. The name and current mailing address of the locator is:

American Carbonate Rock Inc.
 In Care of: Avansino, Melarkey, Knobel, McMullen & Mulligan
 165 West Liberty Street, Suite 210
 Reno, NV 89501

3. The date of location is the 14th day of July, 1996.

4. The claim is 1500 feet long and 600 feet wide, such that 10 feet is claimed

in a Northerly direction and 1490 feet in a Southerly direction from the

discovery monument, at which the Location Notice is posted, lengthwise of the claim,

together with 300 feet in width on each side of the discovery monument and

centerline of the claim. The general course of the lode or vein is Northerly and

Southerly as nearly as can be determined.

5. The location work consisted of making maps as provided by NRS 517.040.

6. The number location and markings (metal tags attached to each monument) of each boundary or

corner is as follows:

LOCATION	MARKINGS	DESCRIPTION
No. 1 Northwest Corner	NW Cor.	2" x 2" x 4' wood post
No. 2 Northeast Corner	NE Cor.	2" x 2" x 4' wood post
No. 3 Southeast Corner	SE Cor.	2" x 2" x 4' wood post
No. 4 Southwest Corner	SW Cor.	2" x 2" x 4' wood post

The definition of the boundaries of the claim, together with the erection and marking of boundary and corner monument was completed by the 14th day of July, 1996.

7. Corner No. 1 (The NW Corner) of this claim bears South 38,400 feet and West 4,100 feet from NW Corner Section 30, T. 20 N., R. 52 E., M. D. B. & M.

8. This claim is located within the:

NE 1/4 of Sec. 1, T. 18 N., R. 51 E.;
 1/4 of Sec. , T. N., R. E.;
 1/4 of Sec. , T. N., R. E.;
 M. D. B. & M. Eureka County, Nevada

Dated this 26th day of August, 1996.

[Signature]
 AGENT

* FOR RECORDER'S USE

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 OFFICIAL RECORDS
 RECORDED AT THE REQUEST OF
 American Carbonate Rock
 96 SEP 17 AM 9:04
 EUREKA COUNTY NEVADA
 M.N. REBALERTI, RECORDER
 FEES \$9.50