

CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION FOR LOPE MINING CLAIM

STATE OF NEVADA

169485

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the BOWSER NO. 26 lode mining claim was located by:

MOUNT HOPE MINES, INC.
945 West Kenyon Ave., Suite 100
Englewood, Colorado 80110

on the 15th day of October, 97, situated in the Mt. Hope Mining District, Eureka County, State of Nevada.

Said claim is located in the following 1/4 section(s):

NE 1/4 of Section 12, Township 22 N., Range 51 1/2 E., M.D.B. & M.
SE 1/4 of Section 12, Township 22 N., Range 51 1/2 E., M.D.B. & M.
Lot No. _____ of Section _____, Township 22 N., Range 51 1/2 E., M.D.B. & M.
Lot No. _____ of Section _____, Township 22 N., Range 52 E., M.D.B. & M.

To tie this claim to the Public Survey, begin at the Northeast Corner of Section 1, Township 22 North, Range 51 East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, thence South, approximately 1,099 feet and East, approximately 2,043 feet to the Northeast Corner (Cor. No. 1) of this claim.

Locator claims 1,500 linear feet along the course of the mineral bearing ledge, lode or vein, extending 1,475 feet from the location monument in a Northeasterly direction and 25 feet in a Southwesterly direction, together with 300 feet on each side of the center of the ledge for the entire length of the claim.

The exterior boundaries of this claim are clearly marked by 4" x 4" x 4 1/2" long wooden post monuments firmly set in the ground and bearing applicable monument designation. The description of such claim is:

Beginning at the Northeast Corner (Corner No. 1),

thence, S.27°59'18"W., 1,500 feet to the Southeast Corner (Cor. No. 2),
thence, N.74°13'23"W., 600 feet to the Southwest Corner (Cor. No. 3),
thence, N.27°59'18"E., 1,500 feet to the Northwest Corner (Cor. No. 4),
thence, S.74°13'23"E., 600 feet to the Northeast Corner (Cor. No. 1),
the point and place of beginning.

The monumentation and marking of the corners was completed by the 24th day of October, 1997. The location work consisted of making a claim map as provided by NRS 517.040. Two copies of this claim map have been filed with the Eureka County Recorder and the lode claim filing fee has been paid to the County Recorder.

Locator: MOUNT HOPE MINES, INC.
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Englewood, CO 80110

BY: Dean Williams
Agent

Dated this 23rd day of December, 1997.

When recorded, Return To:

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M.H. REBAL EATL. RECORDER
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