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## AFFIDAVIT OF MAINTENANCE FEE PAYMENT AND NOTICE OF INTENTION TO HOLD CLAIMS

STATE OF NEVADA ) : ss. COUNTY OF ELKO )

Tasha Caple, being duly sworn, says:

Being duly authorized, I make this affidavit on behalf of Frances Mae Thiercof, Trustee of the Amended and Restated Trust Agreement of Drury J. Thiercof and Frances Mae Thiercof, 18748 Deerhorn Valley Road, Jamul, CA, 91935.

- 1. Pursuant to the provisions of 30 U.S.C. §§ 28f-k and 43 C.F.R. §§ 3834.10 to -23, a claim maintenance fee of \$165.00 is to be paid to the Bureau of Land Management for each non-exempt mining claim, mill site, or tunnel site for the assessment year ending September 1, 2023, in lieu of the requirement to perform and record affidavits of proof of annual assessment work for mining claims and to record a notice of intent to hold mill sites under 30 U.S.C. §§ 28-28e and 43 U.S.C. § 1744.
- 2. On June 13, 2022, Nevada Gold Mines LLC timely paid the federal claim maintenance fee of \$165.00 for each of the 4 claims and/or mill sites situated in Eureka County, State of Nevada identified in the attached Exhibit A ("Claims and Mill Sites"), in accordance with federal law.

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- 3. The names and current mailing addresses of the owners of the Claims and Mill Sites are: Frances Mae Thiercof, Trustee of the Amended and Restated Trust Agreement of Drury J. Thiercof and Frances Mae Thiercof, 18748 Deerhorn Valley Road, Jamul, CA, 91935
- The serial number assigned to each Claim and Mill Site by the Bureau of Land Management is shown on Exhibit A.
- Notwithstanding any defect of deficiency in the foregoing affidavit, the undersigned states that it is not her intention, nor the intention of the owner of the Claims and Mill Sites, to abandon or otherwise relinquish their interest in any of the Claims and Mill Sites. It is the owner's intention to hold each of the Claims and Mill Sites through the assessment year ending September 1, 2023.

DATED this 26 day of August, 2022.

: SS.

Tasha Caple Land Manager

STATE OF NEVADA

COUNTY OF ELKO

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 4 by Tasha Caple

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Notary Public

Khatlyn Micheli-Gordon
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF NEVADA
Appt. No. 21-1099-06
My Appt. Expires
June 21, 2025

## **Exhibit A**

Project: Leeville

Affidavit Group: AF1061 - LEEVILLE - LHC (THIERCOF)

Owner: Frances Mae Thiercof, Trustee of the Amended and Restated Trust Agreement of Drury J. Thiercof and Frances Mae Thiercof

Claim Group:

Claim Name	BLM#	Location Date	County	Twn	Range	Section	Book & Page/Doc	
DIXIE LEA	NMC27470	May/17/1969	Eureka County	35N	51E	07	EUREKA: Bk 29 / Pg 200	Amended
				35N	51E	18	1 7 3 200	
DIXIE LEA NO. 1	NMC27471	May/17/1969	Eureka County	35N	50E	12	EUREKA: Bk 29 / Pg 201	
				35N	51E	07	/ /	
				35N	51E	18		
BACK PAY	NMC27472	May/17/1969	Eureka County	35N	51E	18	EUREKA: Bk 29 / Pg 187	
BACK PAY NO. 1	NMC27473	May/17/1969	Eureka County	35N	50E	12	EUREKA: Bk 29 / Pg 188	
				35N	51E	18	/	

Number of Claims for this Claim Group: 4

Total Claims: 4

Total Claims in Eureka County: 4

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