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KATHERINE J. BOWLING, CLERK RECORDER

WHEN RECORDED, RETURN TO:  
NEVADA GOLD MINES LLC  
ATTN: TASHA CAPLE  
1655 MOUNTAIN CITY HIGHWAY  
ELKO, NV 89801

**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:

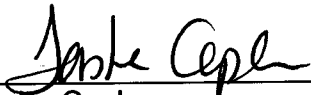
Being duly authorized, I make this affidavit on behalf of Quicksilver Phenomenon LLC, 2017 E. 3/4 Road, Grand Junction, Colorado, 81503, United States.

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, 2024, 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 28, 2023, Quicksilver Phenomenon LLC timely paid the federal claim maintenance fee of \$165.00 for each of the 109 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.
3. The names and current mailing addresses of the owners of the Claims and Mill Sites are: Quicksilver Phenomenon LLC, 2017 E. 3/4 Road, Grand Junction, Colorado, 81503, United States

POWDER KEG EAST (QUICKSILVER)


4. The serial number assigned to each Claim and Mill Site by the Bureau of Land Management is shown on Exhibit A.
5. 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, 2024.

DATED this 24 day of August, 2023.

  
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Tasha Caple  
Land Manager

STATE OF NEVADA     )  
                                  : ss.  
COUNTY OF ELKO     )

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 24 day of August, 2023  
by Tasha Caple

  
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Notary Public



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**Exhibit A**

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**Project: Cortez Exploration**

<b>Affidavit Group: AF1099 - POWDER KEG EAST (QUICKSILVER)</b>								
<b>Owner: Quicksilver Phenomenon LLC</b>								
<b>Claim Group: Powder Keg (East)-Quicksilver (Leased)</b>								
<b>Claim Name</b>	<b>BLM #</b>	<b>Location Date</b>	<b>County</b>	<b>Tw</b>	<b>Range</b>	<b>Section</b>	<b>Book &amp; Page/Doc</b>	<b>Amended</b>
POWDER KEG 2	NMC 854599	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	04	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 118	
POWDER KEG 4	NMC 854601	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	04	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 120	
POWDER KEG 6	NMC 854603	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	04	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 122	
POWDER KEG 8	NMC 854605	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	04	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 124	
POWDER KEG 10	NMC 854607	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	04	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 126	
POWDER KEG 12	NMC 854609	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	04	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 128	
POWDER KEG 14	NMC 854611	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	04	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 130	
POWDER KEG 16	NMC 854613	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	04	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 132	
POWDER KEG 18	NMC 854615	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	04	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 134	
				26N	50E	09		
POWDER KEG 19	NMC 854616	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	08	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 135	
POWDER KEG 20	NMC 854617	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 136	
POWDER KEG 21	NMC 854618	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	08	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 137	
POWDER KEG 22	NMC 854619	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 138	
POWDER KEG 23	NMC 854620	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	08	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 139	
POWDER KEG 24	NMC 854621	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 140	
POWDER KEG 25	NMC 854622	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	08	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 141	
POWDER KEG 26	NMC 854623	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 142	
POWDER KEG 27	NMC 854624	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	08	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 143	
POWDER KEG 28	NMC 854625	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 144	
POWDER KEG 29	NMC 854626	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	08	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 145	
POWDER KEG 30	NMC 854627	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 146	
POWDER KEG 31	NMC 854628	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	08	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 147	
POWDER KEG 32	NMC 854629	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 148	
POWDER KEG 33	NMC 854630	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	08	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 149	
POWDER KEG 34	NMC 854631	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 150	

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**Affidavit Group: AF1099 - POWDER KEG EAST (QUICKSILVER)**

**Owner: Quicksilver Phenomenon LLC**

**Claim Group: Powder Keg (East)-Quicksilver (Leased)**

Claim Name	BLM #	Location Date	County	Tw	Range	Section	Book & Page/Doc	Amended
POWDER KEG 35	NMC 854632	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	08	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 151	
				26N	50E	17		
POWDER KEG 36	NMC 854633	Sep/16/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 152	
				26N	50E	16		
POWDER KEG 77	NMC 854674	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	28	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 193	
POWDER KEG 78	NMC 854675	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	27	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 194	
				27N	50E	28		
POWDER KEG 79	NMC 854676	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	28	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 195	
POWDER KEG 80	NMC 854677	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	27	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 196	
				27N	50E	28		
POWDER KEG 81	NMC 854678	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	28	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 197	
POWDER KEG 82	NMC 854679	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	27	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 198	
				27N	50E	28		
POWDER KEG 83	NMC 854680	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	28	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 199	
POWDER KEG 84	NMC 854681	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	27	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 200	
				27N	50E	28		
POWDER KEG 85	NMC 854682	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	28	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 201	
POWDER KEG 86	NMC 854683	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	27	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 202	
				27N	50E	28		
POWDER KEG 87	NMC 854684	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	28	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 203	
				27N	50E	33		
POWDER KEG 88	NMC 854685	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	27	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 204	
				27N	50E	28		
				27N	50E	33		
				27N	50E	34		
POWDER KEG 90	NMC 854686	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	33	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 205	
				27N	50E	34		

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POWDER KEG 92	NMC 854687	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	33	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 206	
				27N	50E	34		
POWDER KEG 94	NMC 854688	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	33	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 207	
				27N	50E	34		
POWDER KEG 96	NMC 854689	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	33	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 208	
				27N	50E	34		
POWDER KEG 98	NMC 854690	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	33	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 209	
				27N	50E	34		
POWDER KEG 99	NMC 854691	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	27	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 210	
POWDER KEG 100	NMC 854692	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	27	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 211	
POWDER KEG 101	NMC 854693	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 212	
POWDER KEG 102	NMC 854694	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 213	
POWDER KEG 103	NMC 854695	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 214	
POWDER KEG 104	NMC 854696	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 215	
POWDER KEG 105	NMC 854697	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 216	
POWDER KEG 106	NMC 854698	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 217	
POWDER KEG 107	NMC 854699	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 218	
POWDER KEG 108	NMC 854700	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 219	
POWDER KEG 109	NMC 854701	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 220	
POWDER KEG 110	NMC 854702	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 221	
POWDER KEG 111	NMC 854703	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 222	
POWDER KEG 112	NMC 854704	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 223	
POWDER KEG 113	NMC 854705	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 224	
POWDER KEG 114	NMC 854706	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 225	
POWDER KEG 115	NMC 854707	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 226	
POWDER KEG 116	NMC 854708	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 227	

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				27N	50E	34		
POWDER KEG 119	NMC 854711	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 230	
POWDER KEG 121	NMC 854712	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 231	
POWDER KEG 122	NMC 854713	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 232	
				27N	50E	35		
POWDER KEG 123	NMC 854714	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 233	
POWDER KEG 124	NMC 854715	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 234	
				27N	50E	35		
POWDER KEG 125	NMC 854716	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 235	
POWDER KEG 126	NMC 854717	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	34	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 236	
				27N	50E	35		
POWDER KEG 127	NMC 854718	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	33	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 237	
POWDER KEG 128	NMC 854719	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	33	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 238	
POWDER KEG 129	NMC 854720	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	33	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 239	
POWDER KEG 130	NMC 854721	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	33	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 240	
POWDER KEG 131	NMC 854722	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	33	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 241	
POWDER KEG 133	NMC 854723	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	33	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 242	
POWDER KEG 136	NMC 854725	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	32	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 244	
				27N	50E	33		
POWDER KEG 138	NMC 854727	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	27N	50E	32	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 246	
				27N	50E	33		
POWDER KEG 139	NMC 854728	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	04	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 247	
POWDER KEG 141	NMC 854729	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	04	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 248	

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POWDER KEG 143	NMC 854730	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	04	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 249	
				26N	50E	09		
POWDER KEG 145	NMC 854731	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 250	
POWDER KEG 147	NMC 854732	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 251	
POWDER KEG 149	NMC 854733	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 252	
POWDER KEG 151	NMC 854734	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 253	
POWDER KEG 153	NMC 854735	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 254	
POWDER KEG 155	NMC 854736	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 255	
POWDER KEG 157	NMC 854737	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 256	
POWDER KEG 158	NMC 854738	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 257	
POWDER KEG 159	NMC 854739	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 258	
POWDER KEG 160	NMC 854740	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 259	
POWDER KEG 161	NMC 854741	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 260	
				26N	50E	16		
POWDER KEG 162	NMC 854742	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	09	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 261	
				26N	50E	16		
POWDER KEG 163	NMC 854743	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	16	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 262	
POWDER KEG 164	NMC 854744	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	16	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 263	
POWDER KEG 165	NMC 854745	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	16	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 264	
POWDER KEG 167	NMC 854746	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	16	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 265	
POWDER KEG 169	NMC 854747	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	16	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 266	
				26N	50E	17		
POWDER KEG 170	NMC 854748	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	16	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 267	
POWDER KEG 171	NMC 854749	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	16	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 268	
				26N	50E	17		
POWDER KEG 172	NMC 854750	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	16	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 269	

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POWDER KEG 173	NMC 854751	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	16	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 270	
				26N	50E	17		
POWDER KEG 174	NMC 854752	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	16	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 271	
POWDER KEG 175	NMC 854753	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	16	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 272	
				26N	50E	17		
POWDER KEG 176	NMC 854754	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	16	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 273	
POWDER KEG 177	NMC 854755	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	16	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 274	
				26N	50E	17		
POWDER KEG 178	NMC 854756	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	16	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 275	
POWDER KEG 179	NMC 854757	Sep/01/2003	Eureka County	26N	50E	16	Eureka, Bk 371 Pg 276	
				26N	50E	17		

**Number of Claims for this Claim Group: 109**

**Total Claims: 109**

**Total Claims in Eureka County: 109**