

Notice of Availability for Public Review

Inyo County

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Subject: Notice of Availability for Public Review

This is to advise that Inyo County (Lead Agency) has prepared a DEPUTY BY 

- Negative Declaration
- Environmental Impact Report

for the project identified below. As mandated by State law, the minimum public review period for this document is:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Negative Declaration  | <input type="checkbox"/> EIR   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 20 days (Negative Declaration was not submitted to the State Clearinghouse for review)        | <input type="checkbox"/> 30 days (Draft EIR was not submitted to the State Clearinghouse for review)             |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 30 days (Negative Declaration was submitted to the State Clearinghouse for review) | <input type="checkbox"/> 45 days (Draft EIR was submitted to the State Clearinghouse for a normal 45-day review) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 21 days (State Clearinghouse granted a shortened review period for the Negative Declaration)  | <input type="checkbox"/> 30 days (State Clearinghouse granted a shortened review period for the Draft EIR)       |

The document is available for review at Independence LIBRARY (Location)

A public hearing has been scheduled with Inyo County Planning Commission (Hearing Body) to receive comments on the document.

Date: Not Scheduled yet  
Time: \_\_\_\_\_  
Place: \_\_\_\_\_

The comment period for this document closes on Oct. 31, 2013 (Date)

Testimony at future public hearings may be limited to those issues raised during the public review period either orally or submitted in writing by 5:00 p.m. the day the comment period closes.

Project Title: Conditional Use Permit # 2013-02 & Reclamation Plan # 2013-5 / Mendenhall

Project Location - Specific: Approx 8 miles N of Death Valley Junction on Hwy 127 & Approx. 6 miles N of dirt rd. east of Hwy 127 Sec. 13, 18 & 19, T26N, R. 5E, S. B. B. & U.

Project Description: (brief) vandarbilt is proposing to convert the existing underground operation at the State Hill Mine property to a surface mining operation.

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