

February 25, 2021

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Mr. Patrick Lennberg
Environmental Protection Specialist
Colorado Department of Natural
Resources Division of Reclamation,
Mining, and Safety Office of Mined
Land Reclamation
1313 Sherman Street, Room 215
Denver, Colorado 80203

**Re: Permit No. M-1980-244; Cripple Creek & Victor Gold Mining Company ("CC&V");
Cresson Project – Notification of Water Quality Analysis Parameter Exceedance
February 25, 2021**

Dear Mr. Lennberg,

In accordance with Rule 9, Section 3.1.7 of the Mineral Rules and Regulations of the Colorado Mined Land Reclamation Board for Hard Rock, Metal, and Designated Mining Operations (Rules), the Cripple Creek and Victor Gold Mining Company (CC&V) hereby provide the Division of Reclamation, Mining, and Safety (Division) with a formal notification of water quality parameter exceedances.

CC&V collected first quarter compliance groundwater samples from monitoring well GVMW-22A on February 1, 2021. CC&V received the lab reports for the GVMW-22A analysis on February 17, 2021. Upon review, CC&V determined that monitoring well GVMW-22A exceeded established numeric protection limits for fluoride. Table 1 below lists the exceedance for the location and the associated parameter and the attached graph demonstrates the parameter trend for collected data from Q1 2018 to present.

Table 1.

Location	Sample Date	Parameter	Value (mg/L)	NPL (mg/L)	Table Standard (mg/L)
GVMW-22A	2/1/2021	Fluoride	2.08	2.0	2.0

Should you require further information please do not hesitate to contact Ronald Parratt at 719.689.4019 or ronald.parratt@newmont.com or myself at 719.689.4048 or katie.blake@newmont.com

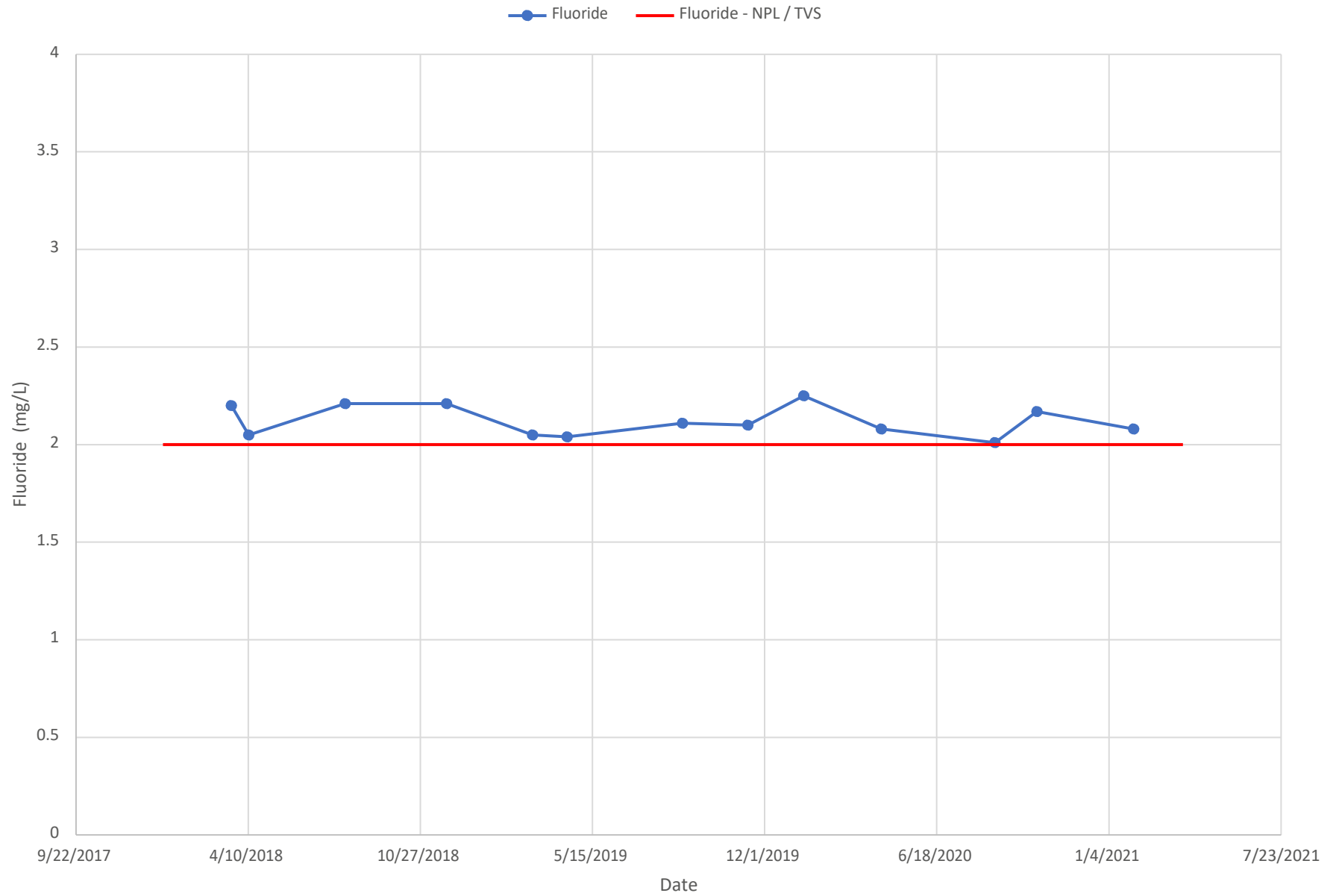
Sincerely,



Katie Blake
Interim Sustainability Manager
Cripple Creek & Victor Gold Mine

Attachments

GVMW-22A



GV-02

GV-03

GVMW-8B

GVMW-8A

GVMW-25

GVMW-22A GVMW-22B

Feet

590

1,180

1,770

2,360

0 295

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CC&V Grassy Valley Location Map

Author: R. Parratt

Date: 2/2021

1 inch = 803 feet

Figure 1

Legend

Compliance Location Type



Ground Water



Surface Water

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