

November 17, 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 November 17, 2021

Dear Mr. Lennberg,

In accordance with Rule 3, Section 3.1.7 (9) 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 Fourth quarter compliance groundwater samples from monitoring wells CRMW-5B, CRMW-5C, CRMW-5D, and from surface water monitoring location AG 2.0 on October 26, 2021. Upon review of received analytical reports, CC&V determined that monitoring wells CRMW-5B, CRMW-5C, CRMW-5D, and AG 2.0 exceeded established numeric protection limits for fluoride. The table below lists the exceedance for the location and the associated parameter, and the attached graphs demonstrate the parameter trend for the collected data.

Location	Sample Date	Parameter	Value (mg/L)	NPL (mg/L)	Table Value Standard (mg/L)
CRMW-5B	10/26/2021	Fluoride	3.04	2	2
CRMW-5C	10/26/2021	Fluoride	3.11	2	2
CRMW-5D	10/26/2021	Fluoride	3.59	2	2
AG 2.0	10/26/2021	Fluoride	2.84	2	2

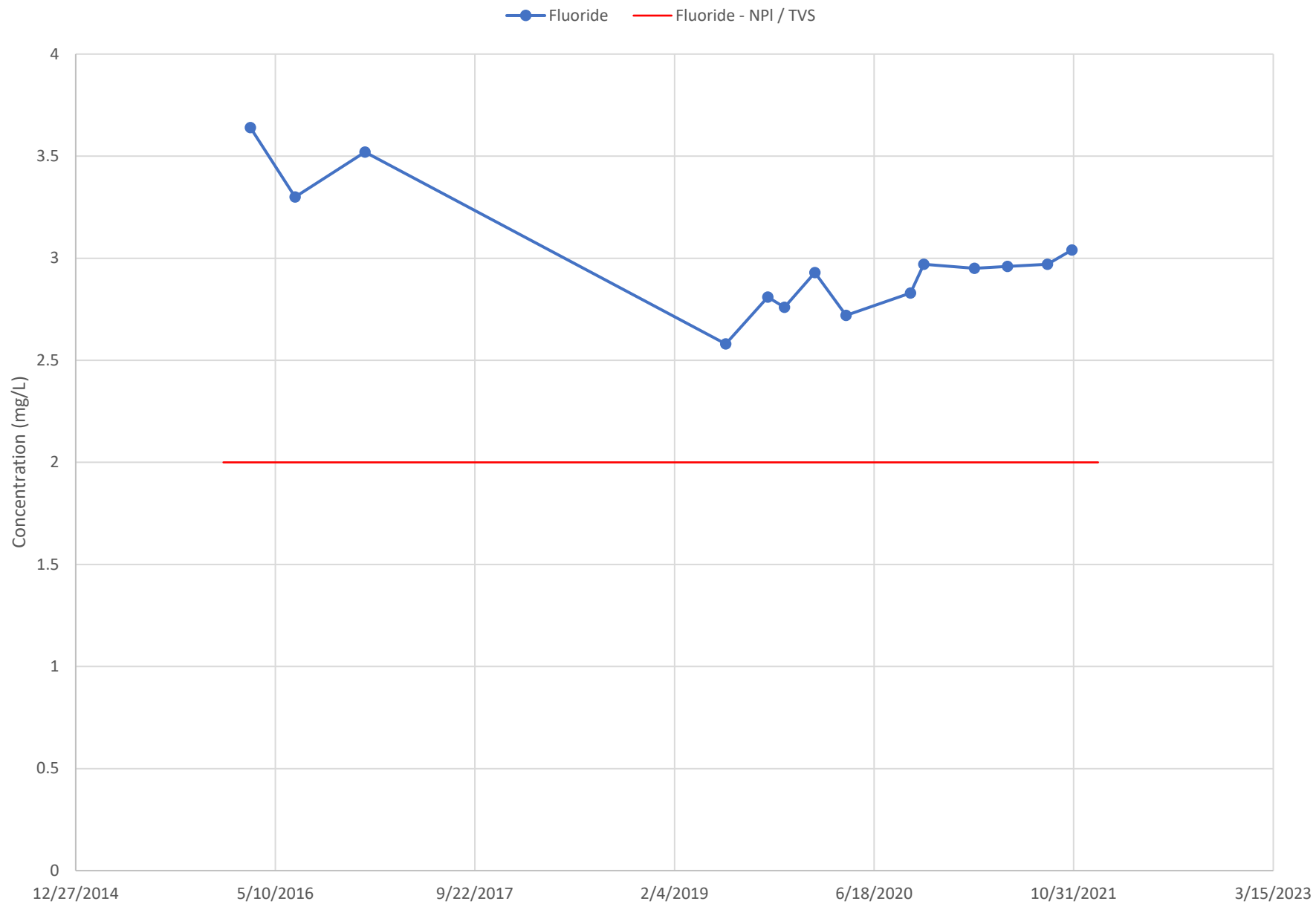
Should you require further information please do not hesitate to contact Ronald Parratt at 719.689.4019 or ronald.parratt@newmont.com or myself at 719.689.4042 or justin.raglin@newmont.com

Sincerely,



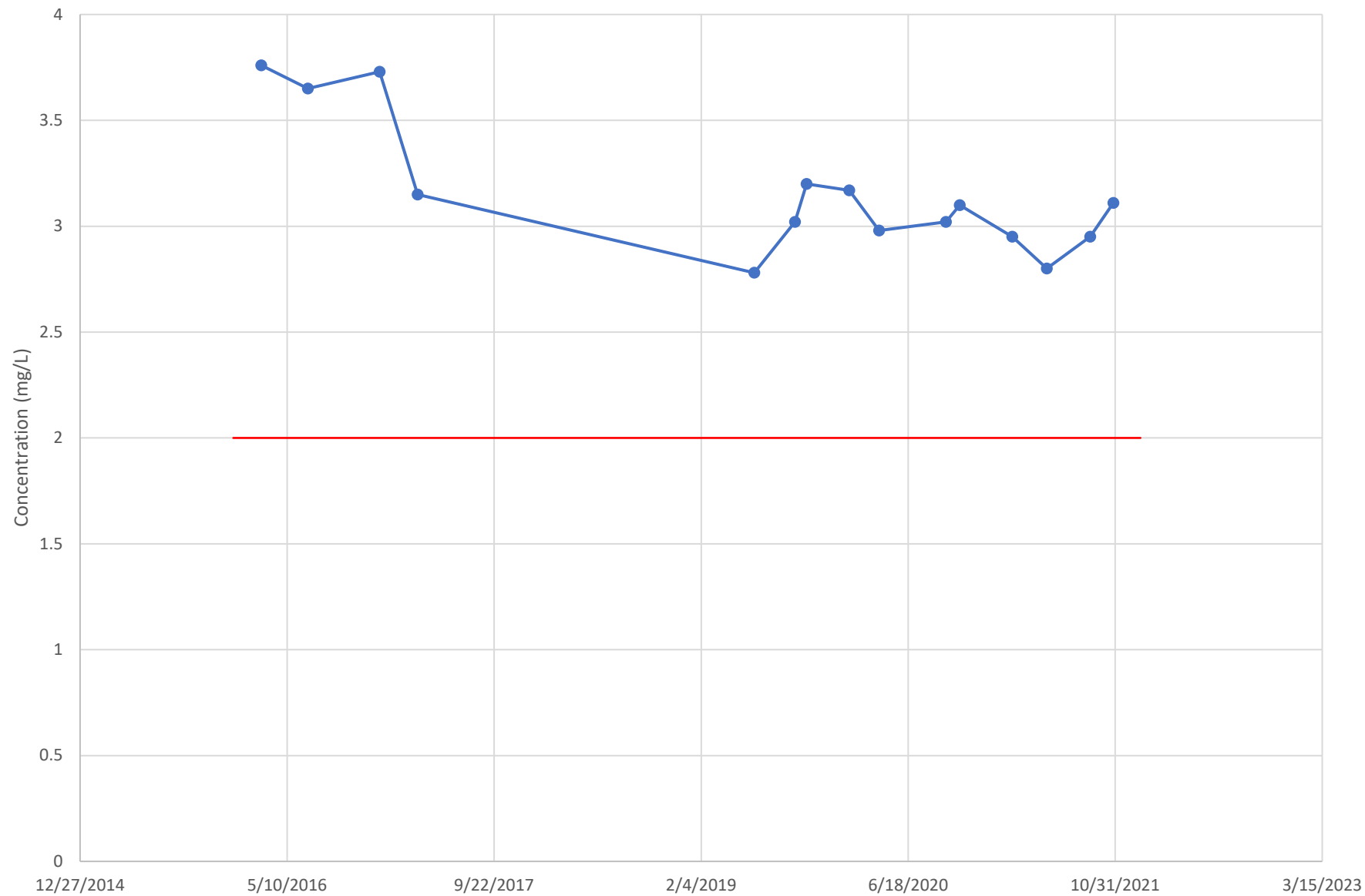
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Sustainability & External Relations Manager

CRMW-5B

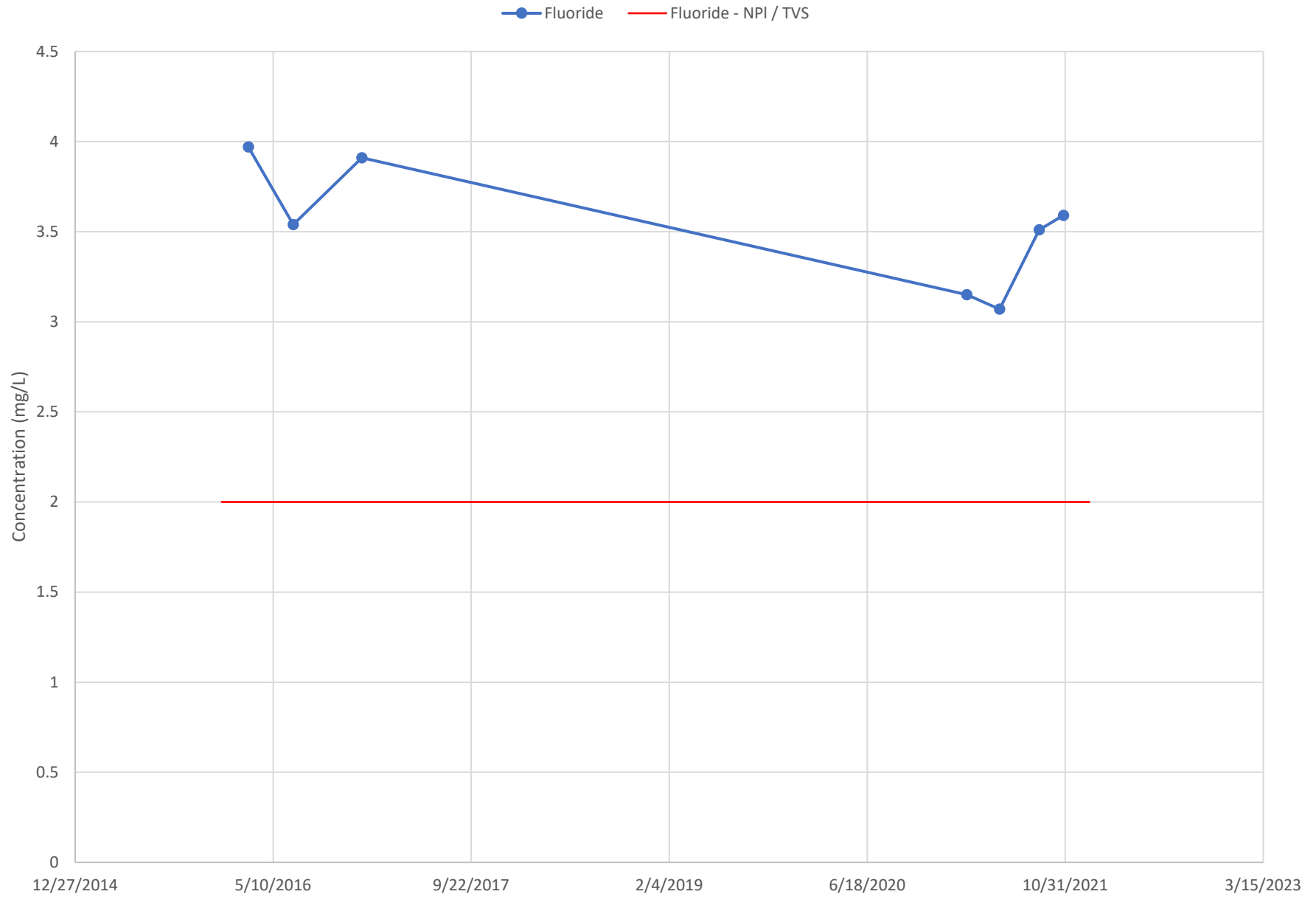


CRMW-5C

Fluoride Fluoride - NPI / TVS



CRMW-5D



AG 2.0

