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#### Annual Fee, Report, and Map Due

Under the terms of your NOI or Permit and Colorado Statutes, you must submit an Annual Fee and Annual Report (including a map). You must pay the Annual Fee and submit an Annual Report each year until reclamation responsibility release is granted. The Annual Fee is not a renewal fee. The Fee and Report are for last year's exploration or mining and reclamation season, and must be paid even if your operation was inactive.

If you have requested reclamation responsibility release from the Division of Reclamation, Mining and Safety ("Division") but release has not been granted by the anniversary date listed below, the Annual Fee, Report and Map must be submitted. If the permit is released before the anniversary date, then by Statute, it is not necessary to pay an Annual Fee or submit an Annual Report for that year. The annual fee, report, and map are due on or before the Anniversary Date for the following operation:

Permit:

P2021017

ePermit Number: 786676

Operation Name: Aetna Exploration

Anniversary Date: 04/22/24

Total Fee Due:

\$86.00

As of January 1, 2018, all annual reports, maps and fees must be filed electronically. If you have not yet set up your ePermitting account, click on the link below to get started:

Attached are maps and interesting material concerning the actions of the Capital Prize, CPM, in the last year.

- Map of Colorado's mineral belt.
- The specific location of the CPM
- Map of the mine that is covered by the NOI.
  - The actions in the mine this year have been restricted to clean up, improving the walking surface for the tours, minor repairs and improvements to the track, displays and demonstrations.
- Map of the surface covered by the town's Special use Permit, the state tour mine permit and the NOI.
  - The entire area was covered by a now completed "Voluntary Remediation act" permit involving the EPA. The state department of health and environment who provided the on-site inspections and testified to its complete implementation.
  - Actions in the have not involved any surface disturbance.
    - The traffic route through the attraction has been approved by the town. Gravel was placed on the traveled area to cut down on dust.
    - Grass seed was planted in the areas and is being effectively controlled by the local big horn sheep herd and occasional deer.
- Map of the present extent of the mine.
  - Further access beyond the NOI will require the approval of an operations plan – none has been submitted.
- Mine tour description
- Historic map of Georgetown with the Capital Prize area highlighted
- A photo showing how the mine compressors and ventilation were powered at the time of the peak production of 200 tons a day from multiple levels and areas.

**Capital Prize Mines** 

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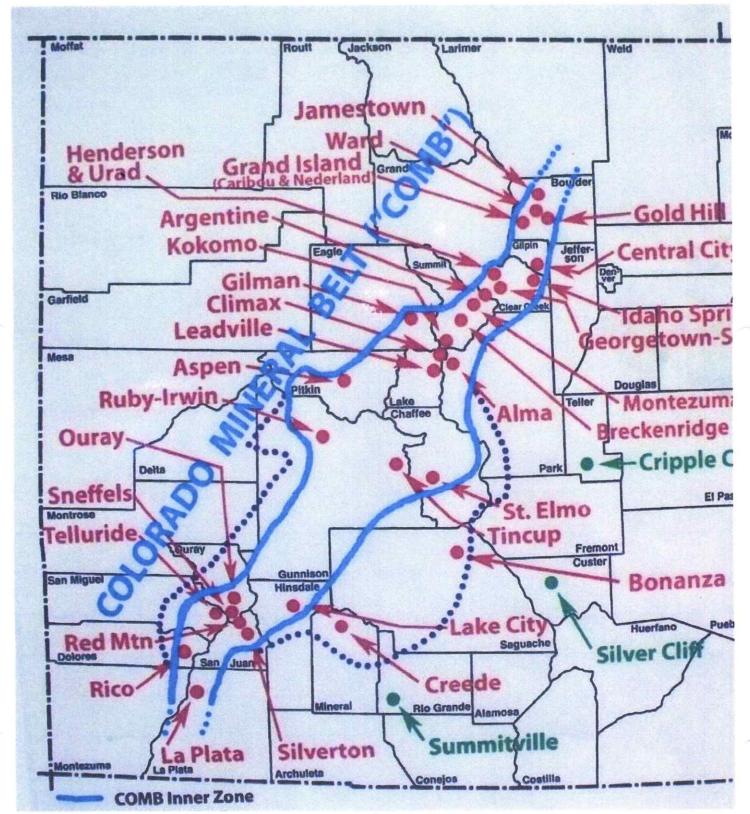
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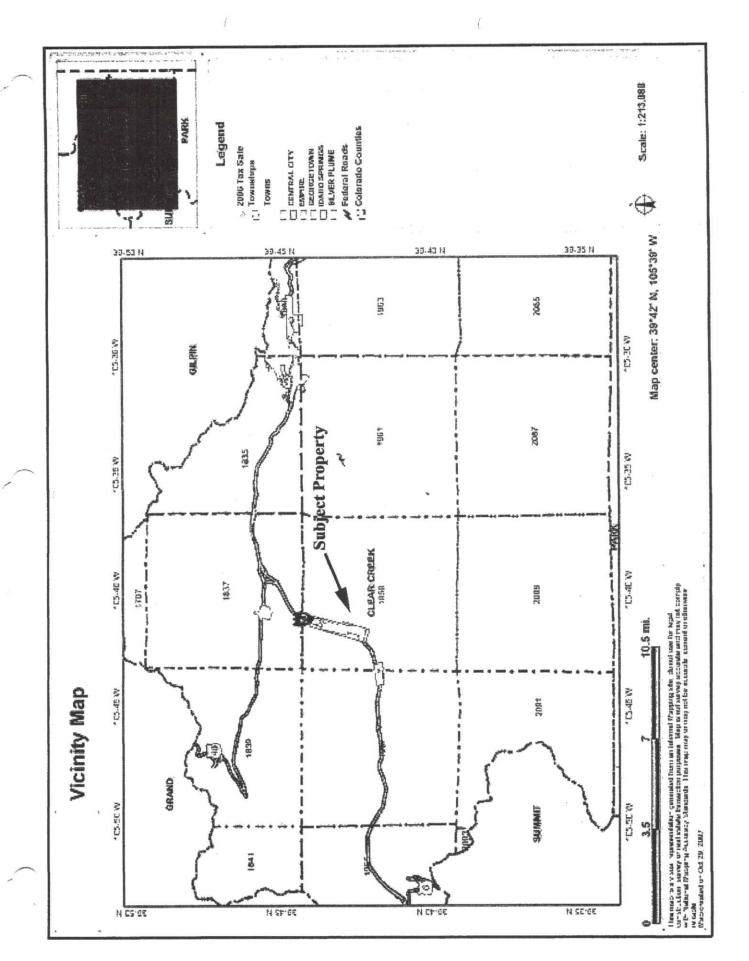
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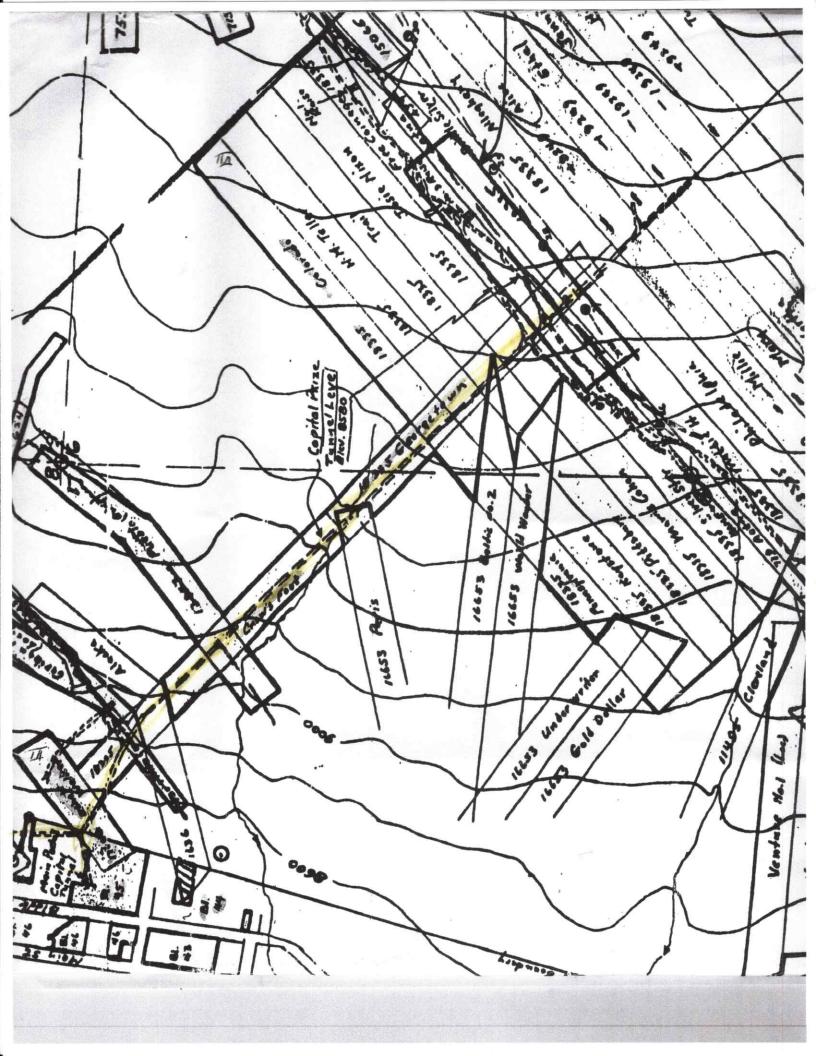
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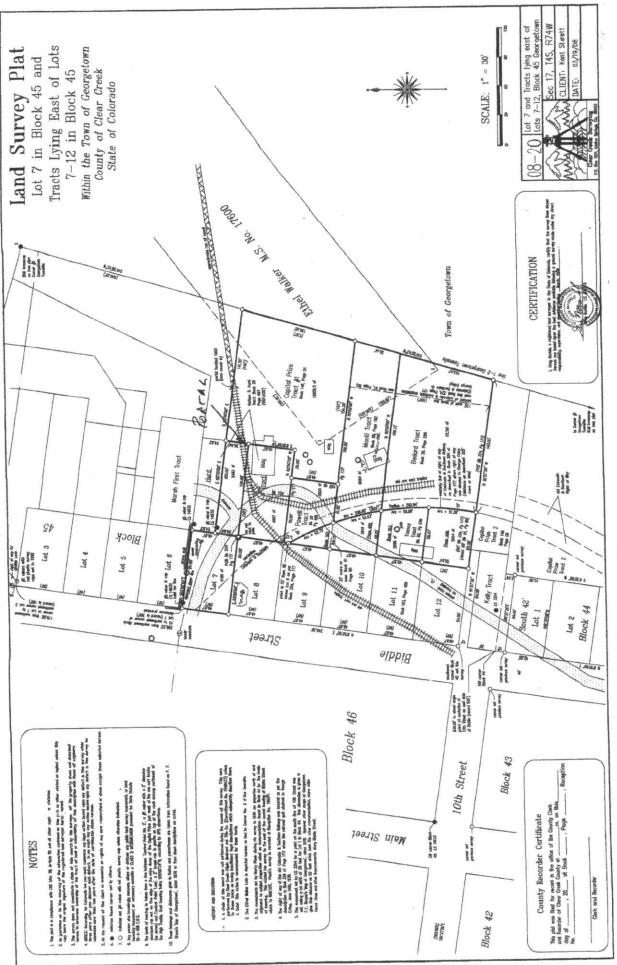
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- Experience the sights and sounds of air powered mining equipment
- . See how the miners are mining today
- View several of the 17 gold veins intersected on their 3,200 feet journey
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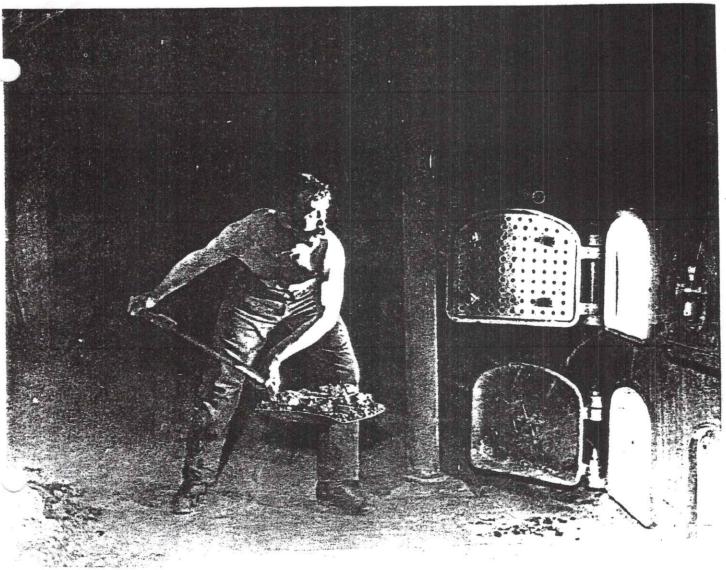
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BOILER FIREBOXES at the Capital Prize Mine near Georgetown were receiving the undivided attention of this well-muscled fireman.

was envisioned by the old-time miners. A veteran prospector named D. E. Dulany lived in that locality, and the presence of rich float ore among the slide talus on the side of the mountain led him to hunt for silver veins long after less persistent prospectors gave up and abandoned all hopes of success. He was finally so fortunate as to strike a lode of extraordinary richness in 1876 which he called the Free America. Reports of mill runs quickly brought in an army of prospectors from Georgetown and Central City. Dulany soon sold to General J. I. Gilbert and W. H. Moore for \$25,000 and the latter sold to Joseph Reynolds of Chicago. Other discoveries were made and the town of Lawson was built along Clear Creek at the base of the mountain during this period. The following summer the Colorado Central Railroad's Georgetown branch was extended from Floyd Hill to Georgetown, passing close by Red Elephant Mountain at Lawson, and within a half mile of its mines. After that the district was a very prosperous one. The Free America paid handsomely the following year. When the location was made, not enough work had been done to determine the course of the vein, and the consequence was that only a part of it was secured. The remainder fell to the Free America

Extension on the east, and the Boulder Nest on the west. The White—an equally important discovery—joined with the Boulder Nest and turned out to be on the same vein. The Free American had five levels leading off from the main shaft. The lower one was started in 1879 and was reported to be 430 feet below the surface at the time. There was a small vein of solid ore in the lower workings, and there were large pockets and ore-bodies at various places from the surface down; a crosscut driven on the second level for a distance of thirty-six feet encountered no walls. Reports in 1879 showed an increase of ore, which indicated as good a body in the newly opened ground as in the upper levels. The yield of the Free America was reported to have been \$100,000 in 1877, and the receipts for ore sales about \$60,000 in 1878.

Few mines in the country can show as fine a record for production and profit in the first two years of work as the Boulder Nest. When Randall visited this mine, his luck was with him as the miners had just broken into a good sized cavity where crystals lined the walls. He was able to extract some superb mineral specimens on the spot and saved them from being destroyed as mining continued. Dubois Tucker, Walter Clark and A. Fellows leased a portion of it for one



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- 7. Washington Stamp Mills.
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