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November 21, 2024

Mr. Harry Heller Heller, Heller & McCoy 736 Norwich-New London Turnpike Uncasville, CT 06382

Re: Additional Chemical Analyses of Rock Core Sample

GFI Excavation Permit

Dear Mr. Heller:

To provide a higher precision level of chemical testing analysis, I sent a similar core sample of the GFI pink granite, to the RJ Lee Group for ICP-MS chemical analysis for Arsenic (AS). RJ Lee is one of the foremost forensic testing labs in the country. I have attached the result for this analysis as a PDF. As can be seen from the results, the As. is below the detection limit (<) of the ICP instrumentation at 1.84 PPM (0.000184 weight %). This is not 19 PPM as used in the seriously flawed scientific methodology presented by Mr. Fiore.

I also have requested RJ Lee to complete a LECO total sulphur analysis on the same core sample. Looking at the sulphur content is important because the majority of the compounds or elements that leach (ie. arsenic) are sulphides. Therefore, no sulphur, no arsenic, or any potential for acid rock drainage (ARD) from the proposed GFI excavation or material to be excavated and processed. Also attached are the LECO total sulphur results, which show that total sulphur is below the detection limit (<) of the LECO instrumentation at less than 0.01 total weight percent.

Should you have any questions regarding this information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Best regards,

Jeffrey Slade, PG Senior Geologist



LABORATORY REPORT

Continental Placer Inc. 21 Aviation Rd Albany, NY 12205

RJ Lee Group Job No.: TCH411245 RJ Lee Group Chemistry Job No.: IN05112024P015 Samples Received: November 5, 2024

Report Date: November 12, 2024 Client Project: GFI Excavation Permit

Purchase Order No.: N/A Matrix: Solid

Prep/Analysis: Microwave Digestion / EPA 6020

Attn: Jeffrey Slade Phone: 518-458-9203 304

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	RJ Lee Group ID			Sample Concentration		Minimum Reporting Limit			
Client Sample ID		Sampling Date	Analyte	Weight Percent (%)	Parts per Million (PPM) - mg/kg	Weight Percent (%)	Parts per Million (PPM) - mg/kg	Analysis Date	Q
CR Gales DDH-4 pink granite core from DDH-4 -	3191156	NP	Arsenic	< 0.000184	< 1.84	0.000184	1.84	11/08/2024	_

Comments:

Report Qualifiers (Q):

P: PA-DEP Accredited (PA DEP Lab ID 02-00396, NELAP) N: NY ELAP Accredited (NY ELAP Lab Code 10884)

E = Value above highest calibration standard

J = Value below lowest calibration standard but above MDL (Method Detection Limit)

L = LCS (Laboratory Control Standard)/SRM (Standard Reference Material) recovery

outside accepted recovery limits

H = Holding times for preparation or analysis exceeded

A: AIHA LAP, LLC Accredited (Lab ID 100364) - : Test (analyte-matrix-preparation-analysis) is performed under RJLG's General Quality System requirements and is not part to any of the above scopes of accredidations B = Analyte detected in the associated Method Blank

S = Spike Recovery outside accepted limits

R = RPD (relative percent difference) outside accepted limits

D = RL (reporting limit verification) outside accepted limits

NP = Not Provided

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Philip Grindle



11/20/2024

Mr. Jeffrey Slade Continental Placer Inc. 21 Aviation Rd. Albany, NY 12205

Re: Total Sulfur - GFI Excavation Permit

RJLG Project TCH411245

Dear Mr. Slade:

One (1) granite sample was received by RJ Lee Group (RJLG) on November 5, 2024, for total sulfur analyses using a high-temperature combustion furnace method. The sample was assigned an RJLG sample number as indicated in Table 1, with photographs of the as-received sample presented in Figure 1.

Sample Preparation

The sample was crushed to pass #4 mesh (<4.75 mm). A 500 g sub-sample was crushed to pass #60 mesh (<0.3 mm). A portion of the #60 mesh fraction from the sample was extracted for analysis.

Sample Analysis

The samples were analyzed for the total weight percent of sulfur in the aggregate using a Leco TruSpec Sulfur Analyzer with infrared absorption detection system, at a temperature of 1400°C. The overall procedure is ASTM D4239, Standard Test Method for Sulfur in the Analysis Sample of Coal and Coke Using High-Temperature Tube Furnace Combustion. The results are reported in Table 1 below.

Table 1. Total Sulfur

Sample ID	RJLG Sample No.	Total Sulfur % by LECO
Gale's DDH-4 pink granite core	3191156	<0.01

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Should you have any questions regarding this information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Michael Baker

Senior Concrete Petrographer

Manager, Concrete Materials Laboratory

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Figure 1. Photographs of as-received sample.