AURORA

FEBRUARY 1992 MONTHLY REPORT

SUMMARY

February 1992 Monthly Report

	Mon	th	YTD	
	Actual	Plan	Actual	Plan
Ore to heap (tons)	34,678	30,000	64,211	61,600
Grade (oz/ton) Est	0.106	0.102	0.110	0.095
Ozs. to Heap	3,689	3,060	7,081	5,872
Ozs. Recovered Heap	2,288	1,647	4,282	3,667
Ozs. Recovered Mill	1,673	1,536	3,744	3,607
Ozs. Recovered Total	3,961	3,183	8,025	7,274
Ore mined (tons)	39,694	29,373	76,267	67,544
Grade (oz/ton)	0.137	0.089	0.145	0.092
Ozs. mined	5,441	2,614	11,027	6,202
Waste mined (tons)	259,724	152,050	442,615	342,050
Strip Ratio	6.5	5.2	5.8	5.1
Manpower	24	23		
Lost Time Accidents	0	0	0	
Cost per Ounce	224		244	

Gold production was 24% over plan for the month (10% ytd) as a result of releaching the higher grade pile which was moved from pad 8 and from the releaching of pad one. Production for next month is expected to be over plan as well due to the secondary leaching.

Ore and Waste production were over plan as LDC took advantage of the good weather. Production from the Humboldt West has been increased to offset production from the bottom which has been delayed as work on slope stabilization is going slower than planned.

Engineering work is underway on the selection of a method for processing the higher grade ore and on the feasibility of underground mining.

Operating costs were \$100,000 unfavourable. The major over expenditures were due to the above plan activity in mining and crushing.

2. MINING

LDC maintained high production through the month of February as the weather was good. If LDC continues above plan in March the excess mining charges will be deferred into next quarter.

Mining for the month was from the 6900 bench in the main pit as well as from the 7500,7480 and 7460 benches on the Humboldt West. Mining in the main pit has been completed for the current phase. The next phase of mining in the bottom will commence after work on stabilizing the slopes on the footwall has been completed. This work is going slower than expected and has delayed completion of mining in the bottom until the end of June. As a result of the delay, mining on the upper benches has been adjusted to compensate for the loss of production from the bottom. Mining should commence in the bottom again sometime in April.

Al Stewart of Piteau Associates was on site February 20th to review our plan for slope stabilization in the fault zone on the hanging wall. Al also met with Jim Barkley of LDC to go over concerns with the slope and our plan of action.

The current plan calls for pushing back the top 40 to 60 feet of the 7280 bench and then cleaning the lower benches by hand with the use of fire hoses and pry bars. Once the benches are clean, MSHA will be called to site and informed of our plan. This is being done in order to avoid any misunderstanding with MSHA at some future date.

CRUSHING

J. CRUSHING	Februa	ry	YTD		
	Actual	Plan	Actual	Plan	
Heap Dry Tons Crushed & Moisture	34,678	30,000	64,211 5.1%	61,600	
% Passing 0.25 inch	86.2%	80.0%	86.0%	80.0%	
Heap Feed Grade by Fire (OPT Au)	0.106	0.102	0.110	0.095	
Contained Ounces to Heap Au (FA)	3,689	3,060	7,081	5,872	
Contained Ounces to Heap Aq (FA)	8,501	-	17,159	-	
Heap Feed by Fire OPT last month	0.115	0.089	0.115	0.089	
Ounces to Heap Au (FA) last month	3,393	2,812	3,393	2,812	

Crusher production to the heaps in February amounted to 34,678 short dry tons, 4,678 tons over plan. This ore graded 0.106 OPT fire equivalent grade and contained 3,689 ounces gold. The grade was derived from actual fire assays up to February 18 and 1.2 times the cyanide assay for the remainder.

Final results on grade and contained value for January's heap production have been received and calculated. Ounces heaped in January were 3,393 ounces for a grade of 0.115 OPT.

At the end of January, all mill-grade ore from Pad #8 had been moved to the top of pads 2 & 3. A fresh heap was started on Pad 8 on February 4, 1992.

4. LEACH

The preg pump was changed out on February 18, 1992 with a rebuilt 15 H.P. Tsurumi KTZ pump. At month end, pumps were running on both primary and secondary leach circuits as well as the agglomeration circuit and no severe problems were encountered as a result of cold weather.

The mill grade ore from Pad #8 was free dumped into an 8' lift on pads #2 to #5 and is being releached. Pad #1 was was ripped to change the flow patterns and is also being releached. Pad #1 has not been leached for over a year. To date in excess of 900 ounces have been obtained from these areas according to solution values and flows.

The inventory in process on the pads decreased by 74 ounces to 7,442 ounces at the end of February. The decrease was due to the results of the releaching.

Fresh water in the amount of 295,000 gallons was added to the barren pond as make-up during the month of February. This water was pumped solely from the production water well. Total fresh water pumped during the February was 711,000 gallons. Water used for dust suppression on the roads amounted to 416,000 gallons.

No measurable precipitation was recorded during the month of February.

5. PLANT	FEBRU	IARY	YTI)
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Average Flow Through Plant (GPM)	278	300	286	300
Pregnant Solution Grade Au In (OPT)	0.065	0.036	0.057	0.043
Barren Solution Grade Au Out (OPT)	0.015	0.004	0.014	0.005
Grade Au Adsorbed on Carbon (OPT)	0.049	0.031	0.043	0.038
Au Adsorbed on Carbon (OZS)	2,550	1,746	4,595	4,247
Au Carbon Loading Efficiency (%)	76.1%	88.0%	75.9%	88.0%

Carbon was replaced in the "C" set in February.

6. BULLION	FEBRUARY	YTD 1,993.7
Pour AP-4-921 Total Pour (FEB 07,1992) Ounces Au Ounces Ag	2,272.3 631.3 JM 1,583.6	2,624.9
Pour AP-5-921 Total Pour (FEB 18,1992) Ounces Au Ounces Ag	2,360.0 805.0 JM 1,493.9	3,429.9
Pour AP-6-921 Total Pour (FEB 28,1992) Ounces Au Ounces Ag	2,433.8 851.8 AP 1,533.3 (prelim)	4,281.7
Total Gold Ounces Total Silver Ounces	2,288.1 4,610.7	
	(AP Share)	CNGC
NGI-P17 Ounces Au (FEB 3, 1992) Ounces Ag	289.7 789.3	Payment 319.5 789.3
NGI-P18 Ounces Au (FEB 11, 1992) Ounces Ag	195.0 720.2	271.7 720.2
NGI-P19 Ounces Au (FEB 19, 1992) Ounces Ag	190.0 819.0	225.6 819.0
NGI-P20 Ounces Au (FEB 25, 1992) Ounces Ag	120.6 760.2	60.6 760.2
Total Gold Ounces (monthly) Total Silver Ounces (monthly)	795.3 3,088.6	877.3 3,088.6

Gold derived from the heap leach process amounted to 2,288 ounces, with final results being received on Ap-4-92 and AP-5-92. Gold derived from The Aurora Partnership share of the ore transaction with Consolidated Nevada Goldfield Corp. amounted to 795 ounces and gold derived from the Nevada Goldfield portion of the ore transaction amounted to 878 ounces. The portions realized from the ore transactions reflect payments 17 through 20 inclusive. Payment 20 was the final payment from the ore sale transaction. Total gold realized by the Aurora Partnership was 6,008 ounces after deduction of 5,397 ounces for Nevada Goldfield.

Gold production from the leach operation for the month of January, 1992 was 1,994 ounces. Final values from Pour AP-03-92 were 566.140 oz gold and 1,101.44 oz silver.

7. METALLURGY

During the month, final column results were received for the September, 1991 composite sample. Recovery for this test was 57.15% after 60 days of leaching.

A column test on mill-grade ore that had been crushed to minus 10 mesh yielded a recovery of 81.8%.

Column tests that were started in January include leaching at present crush size, at minus 6 mesh and at minus 10 mesh. The tests at 1/4 inch and minus 10 mesh are to be run for a period long enough to allow for maximum recovery. The tests are being run to provide data for the selection of a processing option.

8. REAGENTS & CEMENT

	FEBRUARY lbs/ton	YTD lbs/ton	(Plan) lbs/ton
Soda Ash	0.037	0.040	0.043
Alcohol	0.326	0.369	0.436
Strip Descalent	0.003	0.005	0.004
Antiscalent	0.042	0.038	0.072
Activated Carbon	0.058	0.156	0.183
Sodium Hydroxide	0.042	0.041	0.040
Sodium Cyanide	0.346	0.374	0.400
Cement	5.3	6.6	10.0

9. Safety & Labor

Three minor incidents were reported in February. One was a jammed finger and one was a small piece of slag in the eye. The third incident was a close call in the pit when a rock broke free from the bench face and came close to hitting an employee.

No wildlife mortalities were reported to the state during the month.

There were no employee turnovers during the month and at month end, the site had gone 133 days without a lost time accident.

10. STOCKPILE

Stockpiles	Tons	Au oz/ton	Au (oz)
High Grade #1 High Grade #2 Leach Grade	32,682 13,570 30,212	0.341 0.289 0.098	11,156 3,922 2,961
Total	76,464	0.236	18,039

11. GEOLOGY DEPARTMENT

Final bench reconciliations of 7500 and 6900 were completed and are shown below. Mining production from 7480 was too small to warrant a full reconciliation at this time.

In comparing the 7500 bench reserve model to actual production, the pit produced 55% more tons and 100% more ounces of gold than indicated by the model. On the 6900 the bench production was 11% more ore tons and 35% more ounces of gold than indicated by the model. Renconciliations will be reviewed on a ongoing basis to assess the reserve model.

BENCH RECONCILIATION (based on DTM calculation)

	BH ORE TONS	ZONE OUNCES	ORE TONS	RESERVE OUNCES		S MODEL %OUNCES
7520	10,774	1,271	9,474	939	14%	35%
7500	21,095	2,893	13,651	1,447	55%	100%
6920	20,429	3,351	19,737	2,727	48	23%
6900	9,751	2,176	8,754	1,611	11%	35%

Pit mapping at 1" = 50' scale continues with emphasis on current production benches. Face mapping of the 7480 bench on 20' scale indicates that the ore zone closely follows quartz veins and quartz stringer zones which are widely scattered. This is a near surface characteristic of a hydrothermal system where the confining pressures are relatively low, the solutions where not channeled within a definitive fracture. As mining progress downward, these quartz veins should migrate toward the center of the pit.

Pit mapping at 1"=50' scale for the lower pit is completed. Drafting will be done at time permits.

Stope locations and widths on the 7480 bench have been within the general vicinity as indicated by mine plans. The main stope along the 2200 to the 2300 section ranges from 40' to 45' in width. Along the hanging wall of the main stope, there is moderate grade ore (0.060 to .149 opt) of 5 to 10' width. On the 2430 section and within the main stope zone, a raise was defined by blasthole drilling. The blasthole grades in the wall of the raise, ranged from 0.264 to .752 opt. The raise was opened and backfilled with waste as a safety precaution and to minimize loss of ore from mining.

Eklund Drilling will be on site in early March to begin the next phase of drilling, which includes Hilton Extension drilling, additional S. Republic condemnation drilling, a deep hole under the east end of the pit, and Frisco Belle tests. Eklund Drilling was selected as drill contractor after reviewing bids from five companies (Lang Drilling, Drilling Services Co, Ponderosa, Coates Drilling and Eklund). Although not the low bidder, Eklund was selected on the basis of past excellent performance and the availability of track rig versus truck mounted rigs.

12. Administration

The quarterly Management meeting was held in Vancouver on February 14th.

The review of processing options for higher grade ore continued in February with work by Kilborn and by Minerex staff. The emphasis is on the fine crushing option. Several Barmac vertical impact crusher installations have been visited and testwork for the design of the crushing circuit is underway. The majority of this work will be done by Minerex personnel with assistance available from Kilborn if necessary.

R.H. Marshall, a mining consultant, was engaged to review the underground mining potential at Aurora. The initial review indicates that underground mining may be profitable and work on an underground feasibility study is underway.

RDB:vl:Aurora Feb/Mthly

AURORA PARTNERSHIP MONTHLY PRODUCTION SUMMARY

PERIOD: February 1992

MONTH	PLANT	MONTH : GOLD PRODUCTION (GOLD PRODUCTION (OUNCES) MILL TOTAL PLAN		VARIANCE	ORE TO ACTUAL	PADS (dr.) PLAN	ORE TO PADS (dry tons) ACTUAL PLAN VARIANCE	GRADE ACTUAL	TO PADS	GRADE TO PADS (oz/ton) : ACTUAL PLAN VARIANCE :	AC.	WASTE MINED (dry tons) TUAL PLAN VARIA	tons) ;
JANUARY FEBRUARY MARCH	JANUARY 1,994 FEBRUARY 1 2,288 MARCH 1	JANUARY i 1,994 2,071 4,065 FEBRUARY i 2,288 1,673 3,961 MARCH i 0	4,065 3,961 0	3,183	(26) 778 0	(26) 29,533 778 34,678 0	31,600	(2,067); 4,678; 0;	0.115	0.089	0.026 0.004 0.000	182,891	190,000 152,050	(7,109); 107,674;
.T.D.	Y.T.D. 4,282 3,744 8,026	Y.T.D. ; 4,282 3,744 8,026	8,026	7,274	752 10%	64,211 61,600	61,600	2,611	2,611 0.110	0.095	0.015	442,615		342,050 100,565 1

ASSETS

CURRENT	\$
Cash Accounts Receivable and Advances Inventory-In-Process Supplies Inventory Prepaid Expenses and Deposits	1,117,390 325,233 2,607,890 68,438 114,263
	4, 233, 214
MINERAL PROPERTIES, NET FIXED, NET DEFERRED EXPENDITURES, NET POWER LINE EXTENSION, NET DEFERRED STRIPPING COSTS	1,414,363 691,180 2,263,659 56,307
	4,425,509
LIABILITIES	8,658,723 ========
CURRENT	
Accounts Payable and Accruals Royalties Payable	742,959 534,884
	1,277,843
DUE TO MINEREX Humboldt East Purchase Victor Settlement Other Advances	286,062
DUE TO ELECTRA MINING CORPORATION	417,280
	703,342
PARTNERS' EQUITY	
BALANCE, CLOSING	
Minerex Resources (US) Inc. Electra Mining Corporation	5, 254, 142 1, 423, 396
	6,677,538
	8,658,723

The Aurora Partnership Statement of Earnings For the Two Month Period Ended February 29, 1992

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Silver Sales	REVENUE	\$	\$
Royalties	Silver Sales	78,416	3,010,827 91,395 (21,093)
OPERATING COSTS Mining (Schedule A) 372,844 726,828 Crushing (Schedule A) 199,895 381,895 Milling (Schedule B) 43,509 454,089 Payroll (Schedule B) 85,020 175,180 Maintenance (Schedule B) 9,817 25,225 General and Administrative (Schedule C) 53,956 81,774 Operating Costs Before Adjustment (15,651) (83,160 Inventory-In-Process Adjustment (15,651) (83,160 Inventory-High Grade (63,700) (153,400 Depreciation and Amortization (Schedule D) 186,068 322,973 Reclamation Expense 16,250 32,500 Total Operating Costs 887,112 1,963,008 OPERATING MARGIN 604,507 986,112 INTEREST INCOME (2,905) (4,347) MANAGEMENT FEES 16,667 33,333 NET INCOME/(LOSS) 591,078 957,459 OUNCES OF GOLD PRODUCED 3,952 8,043 OUNCES OF GOLD PRODUCED 3,952 8,043 OPERATING COSTS PER OUNCE 224 224	Royalties		3,081,129 (132,009)
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	OPERATING COSTS PER OUNCE	224	244

The Aurora Partnership Statement of Partners' Equity As At February 29, 1992

	Minerex \$	Electra \$
BALANCE, OPENING	2,430,984	1,280,506
CONTRIBUTIONS/ALLOCATIONS	75,000	142,890
ACCUMULATED INCOME - PRIOR YEARS	1,790,699	
NET INCOME/(LOSS) - CURRENT YEAR	957, 459	
	5, 254, 142	1,423,396
DRAWINGS	_	_
BALANCE, CLOSING	5,254,142	1,423,396

The Aurora Partnership Statement of Earnings For the Two Month Period Ended February 29, 1992

	Actual Current <u>Month</u>	Budget Current <u>Month</u>	<u>Variance</u>	% <u>Variance</u>	Actual <u>Y-T-D</u>	Budget <u>Y-T-D</u>	<u>Variance</u>	% <u>Variance</u>
REVENUE	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Gold Sales	1,483,961	1,190,379	293,582	24.7	3,010,827	2,728,666	282,161	-9.4
Silver Sales	78,416	_	78,416	0.0	91,395	-	91,395	-100.0
Selling Costs	(18,430)	(18,828)	398	-2.1		(37,656)		78.5
	1,543,947	1,171,551	372,396	31.8	3,081,129	2,691,010 (134,797)	390,119	-12.7
Royalties	(52,328)	(58,805)	6,477	-11.0	(132,009)	(134,797)	2,788	2.1
NET OPERATING REVENUE	1,491,619	1,112,746	378,873	34.0	2,949,120	2,556,213	392,907	-13.3
OPERATING COSTS								
Mining (Schedule A)	372,844	259,766	(113,078)	43.5	726,828	576, 983	(149,845)	-20.5
Crushing (Schedule A)	199,895		(15.740)	9.1			(5,817)	
	43,509	215,811		-79.9			26,114	
Payroll (Schedule B)	85,020	97,587	12,567	-12.9		195,174		
Maintenance (Schedule B)		15,005	5.329	-34.4		39,438		
General and Administrative (Schedule C)		53,588	528	-1.0		107,176		
Operating Costs Before Adjustment	764,145	824,912	60,767	-8.2	1,844,095	1,774,408	(69,687)	-2.0
	(15,651)				(83,160)	(506, 472)	(423,312)	509.0
Inventory-Stockpile		32,412			(153, 400)	(296, 971)	(143,571)	93.6
Depreciation and Amortization (Sched.D)			23,652	-11.3	322,973	350,215	27,242	8.4
Reclamation Expense	16,250	16,250		0.0	32,500	32,500	-	0.0
Total Operating Costs	887,112	703,902	183,210	26.6	1,963,008	1,353,680	609,328	-31.6
OPERATING MARGIN	604,507	408,844	(195,663)	47.9	986,112	1,202,533	216,421	21.9
INTEREST INCOME	(2,905)	(3,000)	(95)	-3.2	(4,347)	(6,000)	(1,653)	38.0
INTEREST ON FINANCING	-	5,105	-	-	- 1 -	10,210	-	-
MANAGEMENT FEES	16,667	16,667	-	0.0		(6,000) 10,210 33,334		0.0
	13,762	18,772	5,010	-26.7		37,544		29.5
NET INCOME //I GOOD COCODE CYTOLOGRINADY								
NET INCOME/(LOSS) BOFORE EXTRAORDINARY ITEMS	590,745	390,072	200,673	51.4	957,126	1,164,989	207,863	21.7
EXTRAORDINARY ITEMS								
Gain/(Loss) on Sale of Assets	333	-	(333)	0.0	333	-	(333)	-100.0
NET INCOME/(LOSS)	591,078	390.072	201.006	51.5	957.459	1,164,989	207.530	21.7
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The Aurora Partnership Schedule A - Mining and Crushing Expenses For the Two Month Period Ended February 29, 1992

	Actual Current <u>Month</u> \$	Budget Current Month \$	<u>Variance</u> \$	% <u>Variance</u>	Actual Y-T-D \$	Budget Y-T-D \$	<u>Variance</u> \$	% <u>Variance</u>
MINING EXPENSES								
<u>CONTRACTED</u> Ore Waste	68,212 296,756		92,932	45.6	166,447 516,715	451,217	59,863 65,498	14.5
Force Account Reclamation Miscellaneous	287 6,384 1,205	7,478 2,113	7,191 4,271 1,205			14,956 4,226	9,968 9,639 4,877	56.5 228.1 0.0
	372,844	259,766	113,078	43.5	726,828	576,983		26.0
OTHER	-	-	_	0.0	-	-	-	0.0
Total Mining Expenses	372,844	259,766	113,078	43.5	726,828	576,983	149,845	26.0
CRUSHING EXPENSES								
CONTRACTED Crushing Agglomeration Stacking	145,648 19,073 22,541	16,500	19,648 2,573 3,041	15.6	35,316	258,720 33,880 40,040	1,436 1,697	4.2 4.2 4.2
	187,262	162,000	25,262	15.6	346,739	332,640		4.2
<u>OTHER</u> Cement Power	7,531 5,102		7,205 1,317			30,258 13,180		
	12,633	21,155	8,522	-40.3	35,156	43,438	8,282	-19.1
Total Crushing Expenses	199,895		16,740					
TOTAL MINING AND CRUSHING EXPENSES		442,921	129,818	29.3	1,108,723	953,061	155,662	16.3
Note: Total CONTRACTED Mining and								
Crushing Expenses			129,818					

The Aurora Partnership Schedule B - Milling, Payroll and Maintenance Expenses For the Two Month Period Ended February 29, 1992

	Actual Current	Budget Current		Z.	Actual	Budget		7.
	Month \$	Month \$	Variance \$	Variance	<u>Y-T-D</u>	<u>Y-T-D</u>	<u>Variance</u> \$	Variance
MILLING EXPENSES								
Piping	3,359	5,596	2,237	-40.0	7,432	11,315	3,883	-34.3
Milling Supplies	5,412	5,312	100	1.9	6,327	6,824	497	-7.3
Operating Supplies		1,843	868	-47.1	2,043	3,686	1,643	-44.5
Cyanide	6,240	7,434	1,194	-16.1	12,516	15,265	2,749	-18.0
Carbon	4,303	7,363	3,060	-41.5	15,207	15,118	89	0.6
Chemicals	6 791	9 965	2 074	-22 4	14 040	17 990	3 940	-21.5
Reagents	38	1.893	1,855	-98.0	2,325	2,177	148	5.8
Pover	4,147	4.551	404	-8.9	8.644	9,102	458	-5.0
Assaying	1,655	2.208	553	-25.0	5,020	4.416	604	13.7
Column Test	7, 959	3.087	4.872	157.8	14,580	4,631	9,949	214.8
Boiler Fuel	7,303	-	4,872	0.0		-	-,	0.0
Propane	2 530	2,087	543	26.0	4 355	4 278	77	1.8
Toll Milling - NGI	2,000	165.572	165,572	-100.0	361,600	385, 795	24,195	-6.3
Total Marriage Mar								
	43,509	215,811	172,302	-79.8	454,089	480,487	26,398	-5.5
PAYROLL EXPENSES								
Mine Site	13,573	24,864	11,291	-45.4	28,152	49,728	21,566	-43.4
Mill Site	35,163	53,083	17,920	-33.8	71,414	106,166	34,752	-32.7
Maintenance	4,805	7,485	2,680	-35.8	9,472	14,970	34,752 5,498	-35.7
Safety	2,669	-	17,920 2,680 2,669	0.0	5,338	-	5,338	0.0
Office Site	9,586	12,155	2.569	-21.1	22.073	24,310	2,237	-9.2
Employer FICA Tax	5,033	-	5,033	0.0	10,439	-	10,439	0.0
Federal Unemployment	363	-	363	0.0	898	-	898	0.0
State Unemployment	581	-	581	0.0	1,207		1,207	0.0
SIIS/Workmans Compensation		-	2,610	0.0	5, 491	-	5,491	0.0
Personnel Insurance	10,430	-	10,430	0.0	20,333	-	20,333	0.0
Personnel Physicals	85	Jan -		0.0	85	-	85	0.0
Casual Labor	_	1	J	0.0	85	-	. 20 to 2	0.0
Payroll Charges	122	-	122	0.0	268	-	268	
	85,020	97,587	12,567	-12.9	175,180	195,174	19,994	-10.2
MAINTENANCE EXPENSES								
	0.044	0.005			4 454	4 450		
Automobile Fuel	2,244	2,226	18	0.8	4,461	4,452	9	0.2
Automobile Leases	1,059		1,059	0.0	1,059		1,059	0.0
Automobile Repair and Maint.	2,620	3,060	440	-14.4	8,255	10,420	2,165	-20.8
Equipment Fuel	1,434	866	568	65.6	6,156	1,732	4,424	255.4
Equipment Leases		4 500	-	0.0		-	0 101	0.0
Equipment Repair and Maint.	1,137	1,500	363	-24.2	1,379	3,800	2,421	-63.7
Maintenance Supplies Other/Force	888 435	-3,910 3,443	3,022	-77.3 -87.4	3,480 435	11,220 6,886	7,740 6,451	-69.0 -93.7
								-34.5
	9,817	15,005	5,188	-34.6	25,225	38,510	13,285	-34.3
TOTAL MILLING, PAYROLL AND	120 246	328,403	190,057	-57.9	C54 494	714,171	50 677	-8.4
MAINTENANCE EXPENSES	138,346	320,403	130,037	J/#J	654,494	714,171	59,677	-0.4

	Actual Current Month \$	Budget Current Month \$	<u>Variance</u> \$	% <u>Variance</u>	Actual Y-T-D \$	Budget Y-T-D \$	<u>Variance</u> \$	% <u>Variance</u>
OPERATING		F00	500	400 0	200	1 000	000	-80.0
Advertising		500	500	-100.0	200	1,000	800 3,483	87.1
Accounting/Audit	E^	2,000	2,000	-100.0	7,483	4,000	70	0.0
Bank Charges and Interest	50	500	50	0.0	70			-100.0
Bonding Fees	2 000	500	500	-100.0		1,000	1,000	-40.0
Claim Fees/Option Payments	3,000	5,000	2,000 873	-40.0 -90.1	6,000 96	1,938	1,842	-95.0
Computer Supplies Communication	96 300	969 300		0.0	600	600	1,042	0.0
			3,531	22.6	29,384	31,288	1,304	-4.2
Consulting Service	19,175 60	15,644 250	190	-76.0	60	500	440	-88.0
Donations	672	300	372	124.0	672	600	72	12.0
Dues and Subscriptions	388	100	288	288.0	388	200	188	94.0
Education and Training	348	1,100	752	-68.4	2,668	2,200	468	21.3
Engineering Supplies	340	50	50	-100.0	2,000	100	100	-100.0
Geo/Engineering Memberships Fines and Penalties	- 42	- 30	30	0.0		100	-	0.0
House Rent	900	900	1000	0.0	1,800	1,800	_	0.0
Insurance	300	2,500	2,500	-100.0	1,000	5,000	5,000	-100.0
Late Charges		2,000	2,000	0.0		3,000	4,000	0.0
Legal	12,424	3,000	9,424	314.1	12,424	6,000	6,424	107.1
Permits/Licenses	163	3,165	3,002	-94.8	187	6,330	6,143	-97.0
Miscellaneous	103	3,103	3,002	0.0	-	-	-	0.0
Office Supplies	582	500	82	16.4	1,062	1,000	62	6.2
Postage	-	60	60	-100.0	151	120	31	25.8
Promotion and Entertainment	101	750	649	-86.5	6	1,500	1,494	-99.5
Property and County Taxes	12,000	10,000	2,000	20.0	12,000	20,000	8,000	-40.0
Safety Supplies	262	1,400	1,138	-81.3	1,204	2,800	1,596	-57.0
Sanitation	184	350	166	-47.4	446	700	254	-36.3
Shipping and Freight	173	600	427	-71.2	280	1,200	920	-76.7
Telephone	949	1,700	751	-44.2	1,586	3,400	1,814	-53.4
Training Supplies		200	200	-100.0	,	400	400	-100.0
Travel	1,233	1,750	517	-29.5	1,511	3,500	1,989	-56.8
Utilities	-, -	-		0.0	-,	-	-	0.0
TOTAL OPERATING	53,060	53,588	528	-1.0	80,878	107,176	26,298	-24.5
INTEREST ON FINANCING								
Interest - Humboldt East	_	5,105	5,105	-100.0	-	10,210	10,210	-100.0
Interest - Other		-	-	0.0	-		-	0.0
TOTAL INTEREST ON FINANCING	-	5,105	5,105	-100.0	-	10,210	10,210	-100.0
MANAGEMENT FEES	16,567	15,567	1.50	0.0	33,333	33,334	1	0.0
EXTRACRDINARY ITEMS Gain/(Loss) on Sale of Assets	333		333	0.0	333	-	333	0.0
TOTAL GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	69,394	75,360	5,966		113,878	150,720	36,842	-24.4

The Aurora Partnership Schedule D - Depreciation and Amortization For the Two Month Period Ended February 29, 1992

Actual Current <u>Month</u> \$	Budget Current <u>Month</u> \$	<u>Varianca</u> \$	% <u>Variance</u>	Actual <u>Y-T-D</u> \$	Budget Y-T-D \$	<u>Variance</u> \$	% <u>Variance</u>
33,482	28,179	5,303	18.8	73,927	52,424	21,503	41.0
95,411 57,175	103,681	8,270 20,685	-8.0 -26.6	176,256 72,790	207,359 90,432	31,103 17,642	-15.0 -19.5
186,068	209,720	23,652	-11.3	322,973	350,215	27,242	-7.8
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