

BLM, Elko Field Office

## Project and Planning Schedule

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Currie	Bruce Thompson	Pony Creek	Tom Warren
Badlands	Jennifer Petersen	Hubbard Vineyard	Eric Haakenson
Utah/Nevada (south)	Jennifer Petersen	Little Goose Creek	Jennifer Petersen
Salmon River	Eric Haakenson	Owyhee	Mike Jensen
Pilot	Bruce Thompson	Little Humboldt	Mike Jensen
Big Springs	Karl Scheetz	North Fork Group	Denise Adkins
Tuscarora	Donna Nyrehn	Red Rock	Chuck Petersen
Browne	Chuck Petersen	Andrae	Donna Nyrehn

Documents Completed Since July 1996 Project and Planning Schedule**EA Number:** BLM/EK/PL-96-015**Date EA signed:** 6-12-96**Title:** Midas Joint Venture - Midas Project**Type of Action:** Plan of Operation**Location:** Just east of Midas, Nevada, in western Elko County.**Description:** This is an exploration project. Approximately 200 holes will be drilled resulting in about 43 acres of new surface disturbance.**Contact:** Roger Congdon**EA Number:** BLM-EK-PL-96-019**Date EA signed:** 10-15-96**Title:** Continental Lime-Pilot Peak Plan of Operations Amendment**Type of Action:** Plan of Operation**Location:** T. 34 N., R. 68 E., sections 13, 14, 15**Description:** To construct a transloading facility along the railroad near the mine site.**Contact:** Sarah Schmidt**Title:** Newmont Gold Company-Carlin Exploration Project**Date EA signed:** 11-22-96**Type of Action:** Plan of Operations**Location:** T. 35 N., R. 50 E., sections 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 23, 24; T. 35 N., R. 51 E., sections 19, 30**Description:** Newmont proposes to drill 865 holes, construct associated exploration roads and drill sites, and trench. These exploration activities would occur over a 3 year period beginning in 1996 and ending in 1999. The proposed activities would create a total of 255 acres of surface disturbance of which approximately 91 acres is proposed on public lands and 164 acres on private lands.**Contact:** Janice Stadelman**Title:** ~~Newmont Gold Company-Lantern Mine Expansion Project~~**Date EA signed:** 9-17-96**Type of Action:** Plan of Operations**Location:** T. 35 N., R. 50 E., sections 9, 16; T. 35 N., R. 51 E., section 32**Description:** Newmont proposes to continue mining and expand the Lantern pit, the expansion of the North Lantern Waste Rock Disposal Facility, the construction of the South Lantern Waste Rock Disposal Facility, construction of associated haul roads, construction of a diversion ditch, and a 50 acre expansion of the North Area Leach Facility. The Lantern pit would not penetrate the water table, and consequently mine dewatering operations would not be required. The proposed mining activities would result in an additional 394 acres of disturbance of which 224 acres would occur on public lands and 170 acres would occur on private lands. A small portion of the T lazy S Allotment would be closed to grazing due to the proposed mining activity. A portion of the active permitted grazing use would be suspended until mining activity ceases and the closed area has been reclaimed.**Contact:** Janice Stadelman