

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR EXCEL TEMPLATE:

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TOPIC

COMMENT

RECOMMENDATION

Be as specific as you think is appropriate; for example a section or page of the document, a recommendation #, general comment, etc.

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In General	The Plan appears not to be proofread. There are lots of typo errors and editing issues, for example, tables and figures are poorly organized in Revision History, Table of Contents, and in various sections.	Resubmission is requested.
Section 1	It is stated in page 1 that the information outlined in this Plan is based on Snap Lake’s Extended Care and Maintenance phase and future plans for reclamation and closure of the North Pile. However, the Plan does not provide specific description for “zero occupancy” remote monitoring. During the site visit on February 6, 2018, site security surveillance system was demonstrated. However, it might not help the environmental monitoring, especially water monitoring.	More and consistent information about “zero occupancy” remote monitoring is requested.
Section 2.5.2	In page 23, it is stated that all brine that is collected as a byproduct of the water treatment process will be collected and pumped through to the underground workings.	Justification of doing so is requested.

Section 3.1	Routine daily and weekly inspections are mentioned in page 26 the North Pile monitoring. This should be conducted when staff are on site. How will the inspections be conducted under the scenario of “zero occupancy” remote monitoring?	More information is requested.
Section 3.1	It is stated in page 27 that the objective of the third party inspections is to carry out a detailed review of the conditions of the facilities and facility operation during the spring freshet and prior to freeze up. There appears to be two third party inspections, i.e. one during the spring freshet and another one prior to freeze-up. However, only one geotechnical inspection was reviewed last year.	Clarification is requested.