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Dear Ms. Bailey,

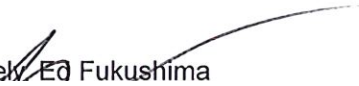
On behalf of Mahon Electric, a trusted provider of electrical motor sales and servicing, industrial pumping system sales and repairs, and motor management support across northwestern Ontario, we are pleased to express our strong support for the continued advancement of First Mining Gold's Springpole Gold Project through the federal environmental assessment process. As a company committed to supporting responsible resource development and long-term regional economic growth, we view Springpole as a project of significant importance for local communities and the broader mining supply chain.

Mahon Electric has closely followed the progress of the Springpole Project and has been encouraged by First Mining Gold's commitment to environmental responsibility, transparent engagement with Indigenous and community partners, and consistent incorporation of technical best practices. Their demonstrated focus on environmental protection, rigorous data collection, and collaborative problem-solving reflects the values we also prioritize in our work.

We further recognize the depth of environmental planning and mitigation strategy development that First Mining has undertaken. This thoughtful and methodical approach provides confidence that Springpole is being advanced with long-term environmental stewardship at its core.

From an industry perspective, Springpole represents one of the most significant advanced-stage gold projects in northwestern Ontario. A development of this scale will create meaningful opportunities for local contractors, trades, and service providers.

For these reasons, Mahon Electric respectfully encourages the Government of Canada to advance the environmental assessment for the Springpole Gold Project and enable it to move into subsequent regulatory and permitting stages. Advancing this project will help unlock new economic potential for the region while supporting responsible, forward-looking resource development.

Sincerely,  Ed Fukushima
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President – Mahon Electric – Thunder Bay

Cc: The Honourable Julie Dabrusin, Minister of Environment, Climate Change and Nature