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Kyle Moselle Department of Natural Resources Mining, Land & Water 400 Willoughby Street Juneau, AK 99801-01019

Re: FGMI 2019 Clearing and Grubbing

Dear Mr. Moselle:

Fairbanks Gold Mining, Inc. (FGMI) is requesting a modification to the Plan of Operations for the Fort Knox Gold Mine. The modification includes clearing and grubbing 15.5 acres. This area will be used for a growth media stockpile and subbase stockpile for the construction of the Barnes Creek Heap Leach Facility. Please see the figure on the following page.

Should you have any questions, please contact me at 970-490-6184 or Jennifer.pyecha@kinross.com

Sincerely,

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