



February 25, 2026

ADEC
Division of Water
Compliance and Enforcement Program
555 Cordova Street
Anchorage, AK 99501

RE: Hawk Inlet Monitoring Program 2025 Annual Report (APDES Permit AK0043206)

Attached, please find the Hecla Greens Creek Mining Company Hawk Inlet Monitoring Program 2025 Annual Report.

The Hawk Inlet Monitoring Program components include monitoring and reporting of the following:

- Outfall 002 diffuser condition report (permit Section 1.2.6)
- Hawk Inlet monitoring report (permit Section 1.6.1.5)
- Mixing zone monitoring report (permit Section 1.6.3.6)
- Annual water quality monitoring summary (permit Section 1.8)

Per the requirement in permit Section 1.6.2.8, the annual report will be submitted electronically, and a hard copy provided upon request.

Should you have any questions regarding this report, please contact me at (907) 600-7737 ext. 8472 or plillesve@hecla.com.

I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel accurately gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for collecting the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of a fine and imprisonment for knowing violations.

Sincerely,

Paula Lillesve
Environmental Manager

Attachment (1)

cc: D. Khan - ADEC