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Assessment Report on the Hele Township Property

2021 Field Work

Mineral License 582656

NAD83 UTM Zone 16

February 10 2022

For Benton Resources

Total Expenditures: 6,535.82

By: Jordan Peterzon

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Summary

This report summarizes the work completed on the Hele Property under Benton Resources (“Benton”) over the field season of 2021. The Hele Property is under 100% ownership of Benton Resources and consists of 16 cells in a multi-cell claim, found in the Nipigon MNR district.

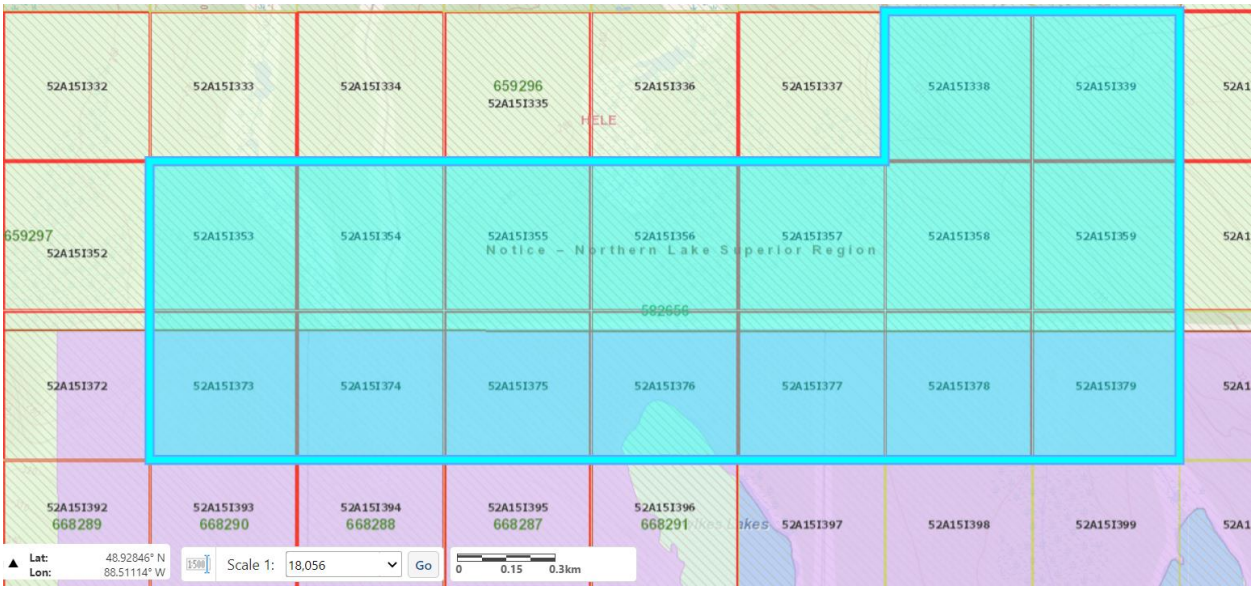

Figure 1 Map of the Mineral Claim 582656. Includes cells 52A15I338, 52A15I339, 52A15I353, 52A15I354, 52A15I355, 52A15I356, 52A15I357, 52A15I358, 52A15I359, 52A15I373, 52A15I374, 52A15I375, 52A15I376, 52A15I377, 52A15I378, 52A15I379.

Approximately $ 6,500 worth of exploration work was completed in the property during the 2021 field season.

Location and Access

The Hele Property is located in north-western Ontario, approximately 75 km north-east of Thunder Bay, approximately 5km north of the Trans-Canada Highway. The property is easily accessible by road through multiple access points including a logging road that cuts across the mineral claims, this makes target areas easily accessible year-round.

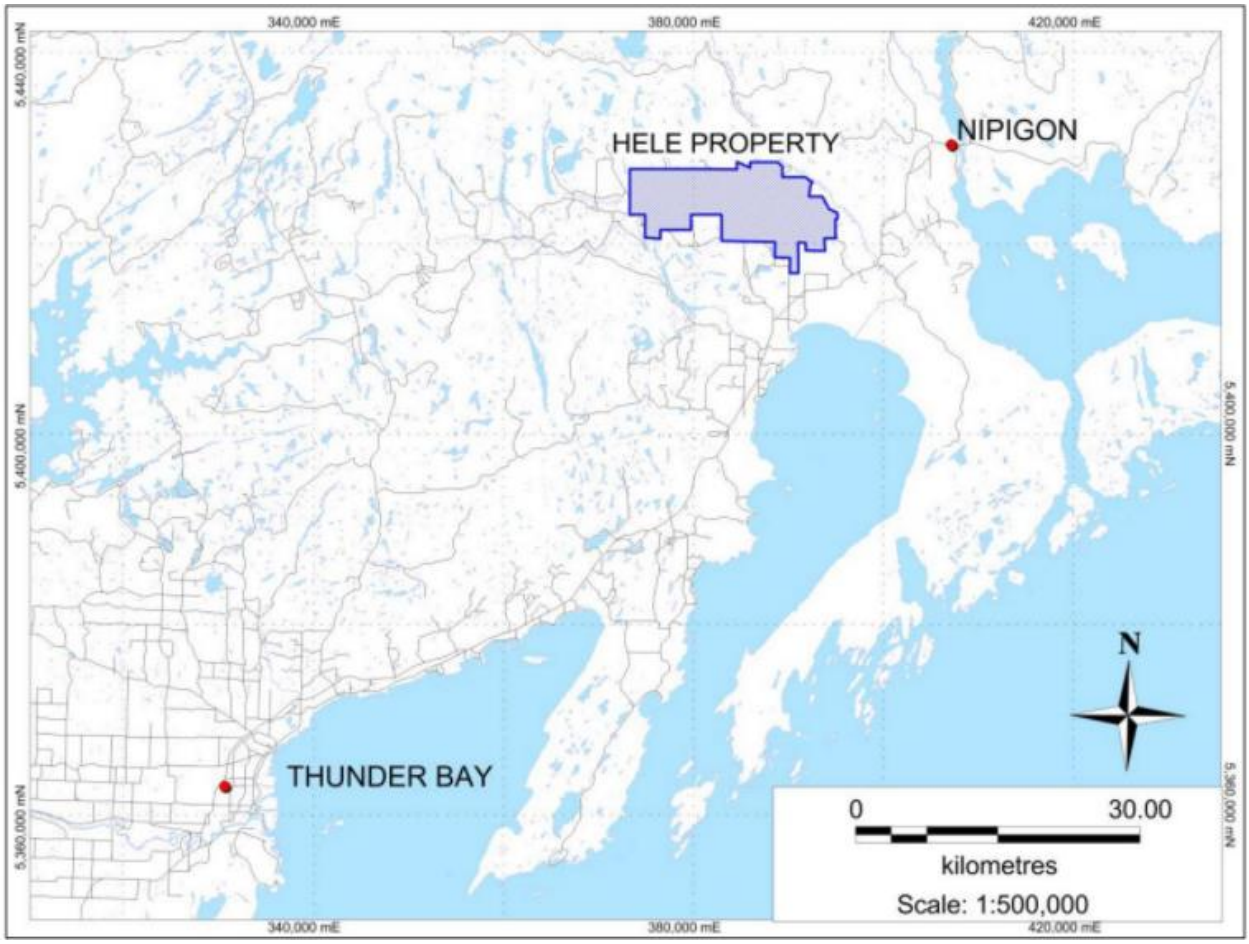

Figure 2 Hele Property location map

Property claim details

This report is written for a single mineral license with 16 claim cells which are listed below.

Table 1 Table displaying claim cells for single mineral license

Township	Cell ID	Due Date	Option
Hele	52A15I338	Feb 21 2022	100
Hele	52A15I339	Feb 21 2022	100
Hele	52A15I353	Feb 21 2022	100
Hele	52A15I354	Feb 21 2022	100
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Hele	52A15I357	Feb 21 2022	100
Hele	52A15I358	Feb 21 2022	100
Hele	52A15I359	Feb 21 2022	100
Hele	52A15I373	Feb 21 2022	100
Hele	52A15I374	Feb 21 2022	100
Hele	52A15I375	Feb 21 2022	100
Hele	52A15I376	Feb 21 2022	100

Hele	52A15I377	Feb 21 2022	100
Hele	52A15I378	Feb 21 2022	100
Hele	52A15I379	Feb 21 2022	100

Geology

The Hele Property is located within the southern portion of the Nipigon Plate, part of the Southern Province of the Canadian Shield. The Nipigon Plate is an extensive area of late Proterozoic sediments and associated mafic intrusive rocks, forming a basin which extends over 150km north of the MCR of Lake Superior. A major set of north-west trending faults, the most notable being the Black Sturgeon Fault, extends through the central portion of the Nipigon Plate. These faults are believed to be the main path of transport for associated mafic intrusions in the region.

Property Geology

The Hele Property has been considered favorable for Cu-Ni-PGE mineralization as a result of its proximately to the Black Sturgeon Fault Zone. The property is also underlain by a large part of a mafic-ultramafic Keweenawan intrusion; similar to an intrusion 35km northwest which is known to host Cu-Ni-PGE mineralization. The Hele Sill, a zoned intrusion of peridotite and olivine-gabbro is the dominating underlying intrusion on the property. The predominant lithologies on the property are mainly mafic to ultramafic volcanics such as diabase sills, dikes and other various volcanic flows and sediments known as the Osler Group. The Sibley Group is also seen on the property which consists of various sediments such as sandstones, and clasts dominated by quartz arenites, with minor basalt and granite fragments. The Hele Property is considered to be favorable for rift-related Ni-Cu-PGE mineralization due to its age similarities and geochemical footprints similar to those of known Ni-Cu-PGE deposits, elevated levels of Ni-Cu and Pt, as well as the previously mentioned proximity to the Black Sturgeon Fault Zone.

Mineralization

Currently, the property is being explored for Cu-Ni-PGE mineralization. Samples have been taken during prospecting programs over the spring and summer of 2021, but further prospecting and exploration is needed in order to further understand the property and any potential economic interest there may be. Some mineralized outcrops were found on the property containing minor sulfides.

Results

Seven samples were sent for geochemical assay from the Hele Property prospecting program. The table below displays the results of Au, Pt, Pb, Cu and Ni.

Table 2 Results of samples taken from the Hele Property during 2021 with coordinates

NAD 83, UTM Zone 16

Sample ID	Easting	Northing	Au ppb_	Pt ppb	Pd ppb	Cu ppm	Ni ppm
179701	386629.29	5420296.67	9	37	39	56	965
179702	386598.39	5420284.79	5	43	45	26	931
179703	386552.12	5420260.99	5	<5	38	163	44
179704	386618.21	5420254.26	3	<5	<5	89	75
179705	386675.18	5420327.11	3	36	39	66	816
179706	386685.76	5420342.90	4	36	43	24	790
179707	386697.00	5420322.87	7	47	47	49	762

Nad 83, UTM Zone 16

Title	Northing	Easting	Sample type	Rock	Mineralization	Percentage	Style
395635	5422365	384085.38	Boulder Grab	Gabbroic	Chalcopyrite	1 <0.5% (Trace)	Disseminated
179580	5423143	383762.7	Float	Host Rock	Bornite	2 0.5-1%	Fracture Fill
395622	5420214	386837.61	Boulder Grab	pyroxenite	Pyrrhotite		
395624	5420327	386671.16	Outcrop Grab	pyroxenite	Pyrrhotite		
395625	5420283	386557.18	Outcrop Grab	pyroxenite	Chalcopyrite		

Conclusions and recommendations

It can be concluded that the Hele Property is underexplored at the moment and could benefit from a prospecting, exploration, and mapping program. These programs could include sampling, small- and large-scale mapping, geophysics, and drilling if warranted. The samples taken from the 2021 prospecting program were not discouraging, and should provide incentive to further explore the property. This could ultimately help delineate and potentially constrain an ore body if found, as well as further understand the geology of the area.

Names of personnel

Name	
Nathan Sims	Geologist, P.Geo
Lauren Norenberg	Geologist
Jordan Peterzon	Geologist
steve stares	Prospector
Cindy Stares	Prospector

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386,500 mE
387,000 mE
387,500 mE

659296

582656

Nathan June 14, 2021

HELE

052A15

STIRLING

5,420,500 mN
5,420,000 mN

Nathan July 7,

Nathan, June 14, 2021

Steve and Cindy Stares
May 6 and 7, 2021

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179,707
179,705
179,701
179,702
179,703
179,704

395,624
395,625
395,622

LEGEND

Grab Samples colleced on June 14, 2021
Grab Samples Collected on May, 2021

Benton Claims
Roads
Streams
Marsh
Lakes

Traverse July 2021
Traverse June 14, 2021
Traverse May, 2021

Hele Sample Location map
052A15
Nad 83, UTM Zone 16

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meters
Scale 1:2,000

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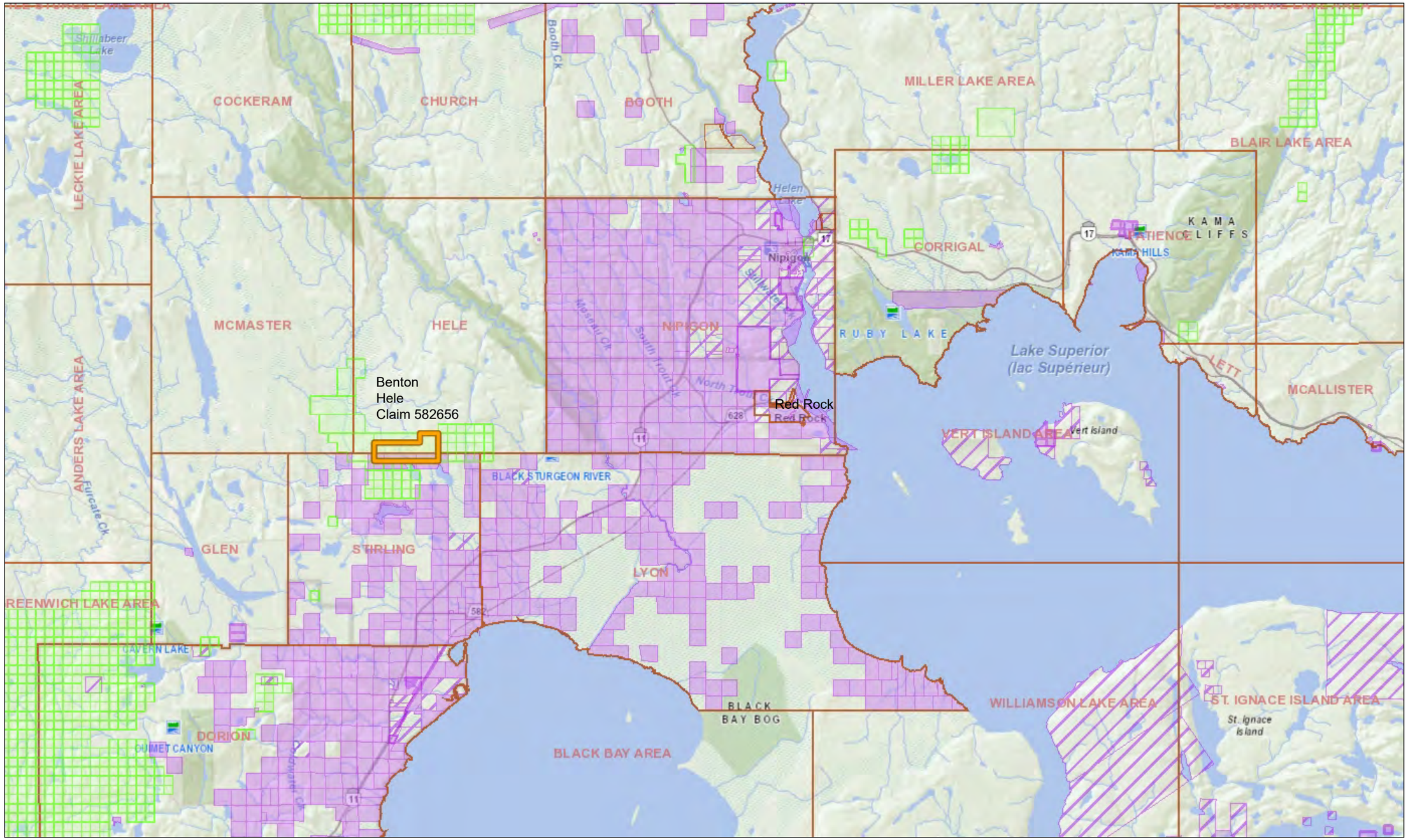
MLAS Map Viewer

General location map- **Benton**

Notes:



Legend

Provincial Grid Cell
- Available
- Pending
- Unavailable

Mining Claim
- Mining Claim
- Boundary Claim

Alienation
- Withdrawal
- Notice

NDM Administrative Boundaries
- NDM Townships and Areas
- Geographic Lot Fabirc
- UTM Grid 1K
- UTM Grid 10K
- Mining Division
- Mineral Exploration and Development Region
- CLUPA Protected Area - Far North
- Resident Geologist District
- Federal Land Other
- Native Reserves
- AMIS Sites
- AMIS Features
- Drill Hole
- Mineral Occurrences

MLAS Mining History
- Withdrawal - History
- Notice - History
- Mining Claim - History
- Mining Land Tenure - History
- Legacy Claim

Provincial Grid
- Provincial Grid 250K
- Provincial Grid 50K
- Provincial Grid Group

Land Tenure
- Surface Rights
- Mining Rights
- Mining and Surface Rights
- Order-in-Council

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Projection: Web Mercator

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Report No.: **A21-08164**
Report Date: **01-Jun-21**
Date Submitted: **07-May-21**
Your Reference: **Foxden**

Benton Resources Inc.
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Thunder Bay ON P7B 4A8
Canada

ATTN: Nathan Sims (Inv)

CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

7 Rock samples were submitted for analysis.

The following analytical package(s) were requested:		Testing Date:
1C-OES-Tbay	QOP PGE-OES (Fire Assay ICPOES)	2021-05-21 21:57:21
1E3-Tbay	QOP AquaGeo (Aqua Regia ICPOES)	2021-05-31 14:38:20

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Notes:

Values which exceed the upper limit should be assayed for accurate numbers.

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LabID: 673

CERTIFIED BY:

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Quality Control Coordinator

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Analyte Symbol	Au	Pd	Pt	Ag	Cd	Cu	Mn	Mo	Ni	Pb	Zn	Al	As	B	Ba	Be	Bi	Ca	Co	Cr	Fe	Ga	Hg
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Analyte Symbol	K	La	Mg	Na	P	S	Sb	Sc	Sr	Ti	Th	Te	Tl	U	V	W	Y	Zr
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PK2 Cert	4785	5918	4749																				
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Method Blank				< 0.2	< 0.5	< 1	< 5	< 1	< 1	< 2	< 2	< 0.01	< 2	< 10	< 10	< 0.5	< 2	< 0.01	< 1	< 1	< 0.01	< 10	< 1

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CDN-PGMS-27 Cert																		
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Hele Property - Cu-Ni-PGE mineralization

Aboriginal Consultation

Mineral License 582656

For Benton Resources

A meeting occurred between Nathan Sims, Hoss Pelletier, Business Project Officer, and Sean Ruth (position unknown) from the Red Rock Indian Band on July 22, 2021, to discuss exploration and details for upcoming permit. No issues or objections were raised.

Exploration to date consist of grass roots prospecting and the collection of grab samples. Addition work consist of geophysics and drilling. See permit PR-21-000200.