



Let's Talk:

The Côté Gold Project Community Newsletter

IAMGOLD is proposing to construct, operate and eventually close the Côté Gold Project (the Project) – a new open pit gold mine near Gogama in northeastern Ontario... We are currently conducting engineering studies to further confirm and determine the technical and economic aspects of the Project and are pursuing environmental approvals from both the Provincial and Federal governments.

Environmental Assessment (EA) Process – Refresher

An Environmental Assessment (EA) is a planning and decision-making process used to identify potential project-related environmental effects and to propose ways to lessen or manage adverse environmental effects. EAs also identify if significant adverse



Côté Gold Project Location

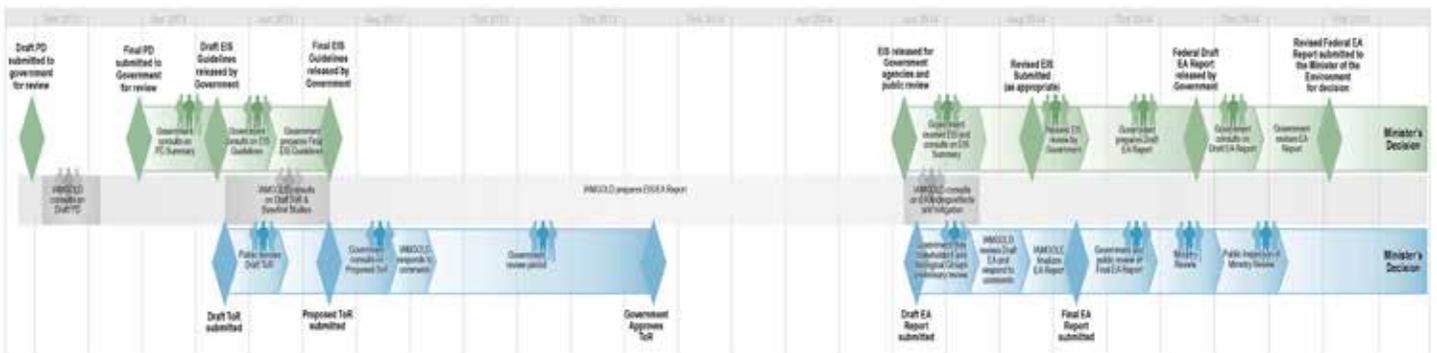
environmental effects from a Project are expected after mitigation measures are put in place. An EA may also include a follow-up program to confirm the accuracy of the EA and the effectiveness of mitigation measures.

The Provincial EA process is managed by the Ontario Ministry of Environment (MOE) in accordance with the Environmental Assessment Act. The Federal EA process is guided by Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) guidelines, issued by the Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency, as per the Canadian Environmental Assessment Act, 2012.

In keeping with IAMGOLD's efforts to coordinate the Federal EIS timeline with the Provincial EA process, one body of documentation entitled the Draft EA/EIS was developed, the Draft EA / EIS was developed to satisfy both of these processes.

You can learn more about the Environmental Assessment process for the Côté Gold Project here:

http://www.iamgold.com/files/doc_downloads/Environmental%20Assessment%20Process%20Factsheet%20-%20web.pdf



Côté Gold Project Update – Submission of Draft Environmental Assessment / Environmental Impact Statement

Since our last newsletter (March 2014), IAMGOLD has been working on preparing the Draft EA / EIS for the Project.

On May 9, 2014 IAMGOLD submitted an Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) to the Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency (the Agency) for conformity review. On May 20, 2014 the Agency informed IAMGOLD that the Report satisfies the EIS guideline requirements. The official Federal review of the Côté Gold Project Environmental Impact Statement subsequently commenced on June 2, 2014. The comment period on the Draft Environment Assessment Report for the Provincial government will run from July 13 to July 14, 2014.

Printed copies of the draft Environmental Assessment Report are being made available for public review and comment beginning June 13, 2014 during regular business hours at the following locations:

<i>Gogama</i>		<i>Timmins</i>
IAMGOLD Corporation Côté Gold Project 3 Mesomikenda Lake Road P.O. Box 100 Gogama, ON P0M 1W0 T: 705-269-0010	Gogama Public Library 3 Low Avenue P.O. Box 238 Gogama, ON P0M 1W0 T: 705-894-2448	Timmins Public Library 320 Second Avenue Timmins, ON P4N 8A4 T: 705-360-2623
<i>Toronto</i>		<i>Sudbury</i>
IAMGOLD Corporation 401 Bay Street, Suite 3200 P.O. Box 153 Toronto, ON M5H 2Y4 T: 416-360-4710	Ministry of the Environment Environmental Approvals Branch 2 St. Clair Ave. West, Floor 12A Toronto, ON M4V 1L5 T: 416-314-8001/1-800-461-6290	Greater Sudbury Public Library 74 Mackenzie Street Sudbury, ON P3C 4X8 T: 705-673-1155

The Draft Report is also be available for download at: <http://www.iamgold.com/CoteGold-DraftEAEISReport> and for review at local Aboriginal offices.

Written comments about the Draft EA Report are requested by July 14, 2014. Comments should be directed to:

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IAMGOLD will host several consultation and community engagement events in June 2014 to share information about the EA / EIS and invite comments on the Report. See the Consultation and Community Engagement section of this newsletter for more information about events and dates.

PLAY – Promoting Life-Skills in Aboriginal Youth – A Partnership Program with Côté Gold, Right To Play and Mattagami First Nation

In the fall of 2012, IAMGOLD Côté Gold and Mattagami First Nation partnered with Right to Play to introduce the PLAY program into the community of Mattagami First Nation. The PLAY program ramped up in the spring of 2013, led by a local Community Mentor. The PLAY program encourages life and leadership skill development in youth ages 4-13 through the facilitation of fun and educational activities.



An important part of the program is providing youth with a space to learn and play after school 3 times a week. During this time, youth are encouraged to plan activities they are interested in implementing, helping them to cultivate leadership and time management skills, and a positive approach to work. The activities have a unique cultural spin on them, providing a space for youth

in the community to learn about their history while strengthening the capacity of their own generation. For instance, in January of 2014, youth (ages 9-13) in the PLAY program, hosted a 'Youth and Elders' event that focused on traditional knowledge and activities. The PLAY program is also looking to develop a homework club in the community, to provide a space where students can mentor one another to improve their studies in and outside of the classroom.

With support from IAMGOLD, the PLAY program has expanded to 39 First Nation communities across the province of Ontario. You can learn more about the PLAY program, and how your community can be involved here:

<http://www.righttoplay.ca/Learn/ourstory/Pages/PLAY-Program.aspx>



Gogama Annual Canada Day Celebration

IAMGOLD is pleased to be collaborating again this year with the Gogama Volunteer Fire Department to host a Canada Day Celebration for our local community members in Gogama. The event will take place at the Gogama Community Centre on July 1, 2014, and is expected to draw around 500 people from Gogama and the surrounding areas.

IAMGOLD welcomes opportunities to work with the Gogama Volunteer Fire Department who are committed to the safety of their local community and cottagers residing nearby. The Canada Day

celebration offers a time to for the Fire Department to provide some fire safety training for residents, while offering exciting activities for the kids. Please join IAMGOLD

for a BBQ, fireworks and tons of great activities to celebrate Canada's 147th birthday!



Consultation and Community Engagement

IAMGOLD will host a consultation series in June 2014 to review the draft EA / EIS with local Aboriginal groups, government agencies and regional communities. As part of this process, we will be seeking your input regarding alternatives that have been assessed in the EA, proposed Project related infrastructure and facilities (e.g. transmission line, watercourse realignments), and strategies for minimizing the potential Project related effects on the local physical, biological and human environments.

IAMGOLD is committed to regular community consultation events. We see public open houses as an opportunity to share information about the Project and to take your comments and concerns into consideration as part of Project planning.

IAMGOLD will provide further details of the scheduled events by placing notices in local newspapers, community halls and on our Project website.

If you are unable to attend one of our upcoming events, but want to discuss the Project with us, please contact us! Our contact details are listed below. You can also contact us to request to be added to our Project mailing list for invites to future consultation events and to receive key updates on the Project. A comment form will also be available from June 13 to July 14, 2014 on our website.

IAMGOLD is grateful for, and looks forward to your continued participation!

Following consultation on the Draft EA / EIS, IAMGOLD will work to address comments received during the June 2014 comment period to ensure that questions and concerns have been answered and considered in the final EA Report. The final EA Report will then be submitted to the Provincial Ministry of the Environment.

The Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency will also prepare their own EA report, based on the findings outlined in the Environmental Impact Statement and comments the Agency receives during their published comment period.

Community Open Houses are scheduled as follows:

- June 23, 2014 – Timmins, 3-8 PM
Days Inn & Conference Centre
- June 24, 2014 – Sudbury, 3-8 PM
Radisson Hotel
- June 25, 2014 – Gogama, 4-8 PM
Gogama Community Centre



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