

Steven Carrick
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24.11.2004

Dear Steve

RE: Application for Development of the Harbour View Mine
Notice under Sections 10 & 11 of the *Heritage of Western Australia Act 1990*

Schedule 1 - The Land

Tectonic Resources NL wish to apply under sections 10 & 11 of the *Heritage of Western Australia Act 1990* to develop the site of the historic Harbour View Mine, currently included in the Heritage Council of Western Australia's backlog of places to be considered for assessment. The Harbour View Mine is located in the Phillips River Mineral field within the Kundip mining leases currently held by Tectonic Resources NL (refer to Fig.1).

The Kundip mining project area includes tenements M74/51; M74/41; M74/53 & M74/135 and P74/153, all tenements are 100 percent owned by Tectonic Resources NL. The historic Harbour View mining area is encompassed within the active Mining Tenement M74/51.

The timber supports that surround the shaft and a small tin shed are all that remain of the Harbour View Mine. The coordinates of the Harbour View Shaft taken with a handheld GPS [Zone 51 - GDA 94] are 240 128 mE and 626 9769 mN. The timber remains of the mill affiliated with the mine will not be disturbed by the project development. Please refer to the attached photos that depict the shaft, tin shed and affiliated mill.

The Kundip lease area is located 16 km south east of Ravensthorpe and 34 km north of the coastal town of Hopetoun. The historical townsite of Kundip lies outside the western margin of the leases. It is not the intent of Tectonic Resources NL to have any impact on the Kundip townsite.

Tectonic Resources NL sought clarification from the Heritage Council of Western Australia if the historic Kundip Mining Area - including the Beryl, Harbour View & Flag Mines were places listed in the Register of Heritage Places, or are places subject to either a Heritage Agreement or a Conservation Order. I refer to your letter dated 20 May 2004 which states that no Heritage Agreement's are in place, and no Conservation Order has been issued for any place within the Kundip lease area.

In accordance with the records - these mines are not situated within an historic precinct, have not been entered in the Register of Heritage Places and are not listed with either the National Trust or the Australian Heritage Commission.

Tectonic Resources NL acknowledge that the Heritage Council of Western Australia has an interest in the site of the Harbour View Mine, and that it will be assessed and considered for inclusion on the State Register of Heritage Places, (as it is included in Heritage Council of Western Australia's backlog of places to be considered for assessment).

Schedule 2 – The Purpose

Tectonic Resources NL intend to develop the Harbour View Mine in conjunction with gaining approval to mine and develop additional mineral resources located at Kundip. It is anticipated that statutory assessment of the Phillips River Gold Project will commence in January 2005.

The historic Harbour View Mine site and Kundip mining area have been extensively disturbed by numerous tributaries working the area prior to Tectonic Resources NL acquiring the leases. In excess of one hundred open shafts within the Kundip mining area is evidence of the extent of the disturbance to the specified area.

The ore sourced from the Kundip mining area will be processed at an existing mine site, north of the South Coast Highway. Tectonic Resources NL acknowledge the significance and value of the heritage in the Shire of Ravensthorpe, and will undertake to liaise and work with the local community to preserve and enhance areas identified as being of significance within the project area.

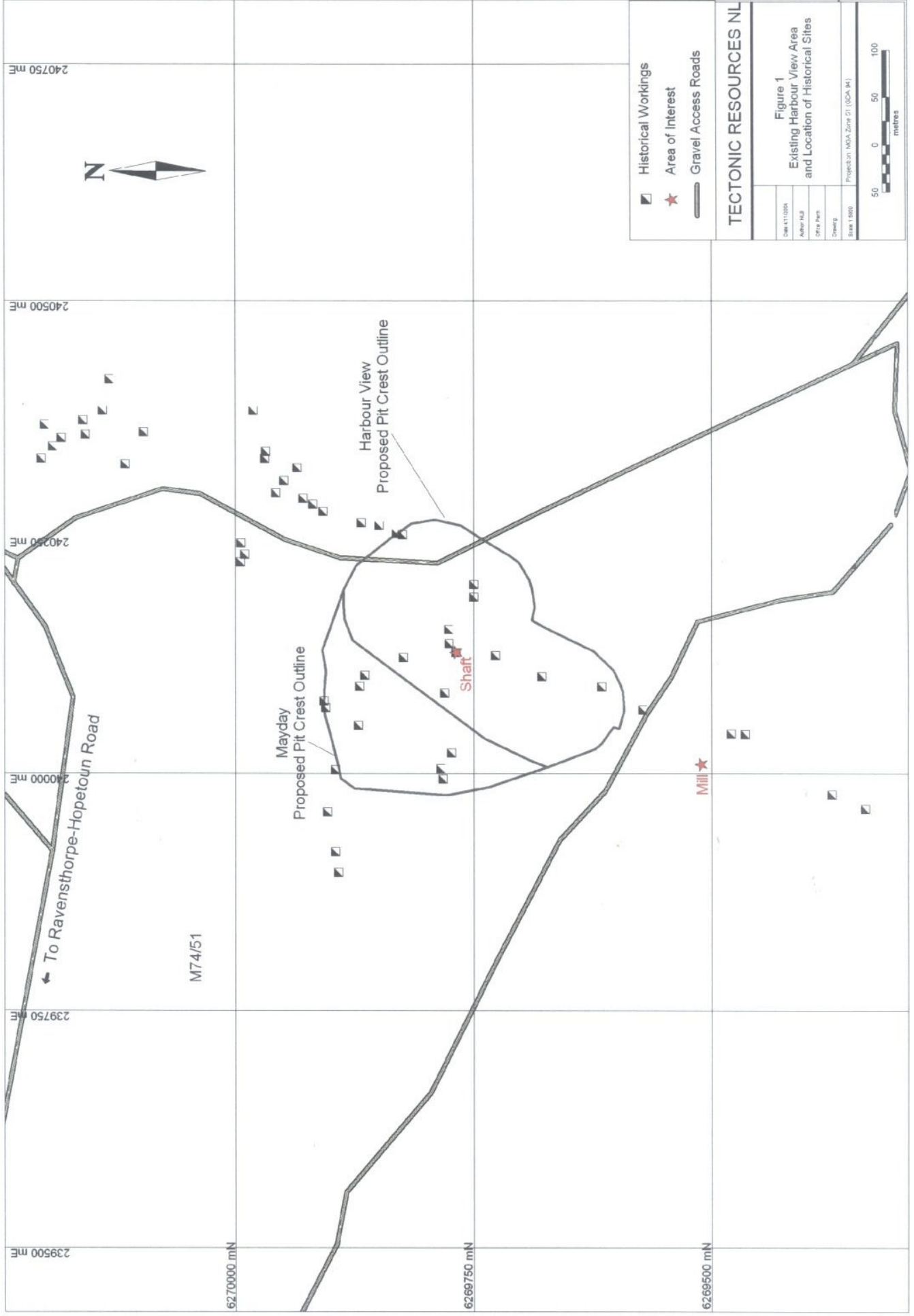
The Harbour View Mine is the only section of development within the Kundip lease area requiring approval under Sections 10 & 11 of the *Heritage of Western Australia Act (1990)*.

Tectonic Resources NL trust you view this development application to the Heritage Council of Western Australia with respect to the Harbour View Mine site favorably. If you have any queries arise with respect to this application, please do not hesitate to contact myself or the Managing Director - Steve Norregaard.

Yours faithfully

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Substantiation of historic disturbance to the Harbour View mine site area
Looking WSW toward the tin shed adjacent to the Harbour View Shaft



View looking East towards the Tin shed and the Harbour View Shaft
Kundip Mining Area - 2004



Looking West towards the timber supports that surround the Harbour View Shaft
The Shaft opening is encompassed by a small mound of stockpiled dirt
Kundip Mining Area - 2004



Timber supports that surround the open Harbour View Shaft
It is not deemed safe to enter any of the open shafts within the Kundip Lease area



Remains of the Harbour View Mill
Kundip Mining Area - 2004



View looking South towards evidence of historic disturbance
These vestiges of the Harbour View Mill will not be disturbed by the proposed
Phillips River Gold Project

17 January 2005

Ms Kim Bennett
Environmental Manager
Tectonic Resources NL
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Dear Kim

HARBOUR VIEW MINE SHAFT

Further to your conversation of 6 January 2005 with Lara Watson, I write to confirm that the Heritage Council is concerned about the potential impact of the Philips River Gold Project on the Harbour View mine shaft, including other remnant workings associated with early mining activities on the site.

The place will be considered as part of our backlog review process at the next Register Committee meeting of 25 February 2005, on the basis of the information that you submitted. At this time, a decision will be made to clarify whether we have a further interest in the place that would require a full heritage assessment to be completed.

We will contact you after this meeting to inform you of the decision of the Committee and, if necessary, to arrange to meet with you to discuss the impact and extent of the proposed development, and options for completing an urgent heritage assessment of the place.

Please contact Clare Schulz on 9220 4149 if you require further information regarding this matter.

Yours sincerely



Penny O'Connor
SENIOR CONSERVATION OFFICER - ASSESSMENTS

Your ref:

Our ref: P14027

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24 May 2005

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Dear Ms Bennett

ASSESSMENT PROGRAM – PRELIMINARY REVIEW
P14027 HARBOUR VIEW Ravensthorpe Range, Kundip

This letter is to advise you that the place known as *Harbour View* has recently been reconsidered as part of the Heritage Council's Assessment and Registration Program.

The review involved the completion of a physical survey of the property from the street and the preparation of brief historical information about the place, which was then presented to the Heritage Council's Register Committee to allow it to ascertain whether there should be any further investigation of the place's heritage value/s in relation to the *Register of Heritage Places*.

The Register Committee agreed that *Harbour View* does not warrant further assessment for consideration for entry in the *Register of Heritage Places*. If further information becomes available in the future, the Register Committee may reconsider this decision.

The Register Committee of the Heritage Council have requested however that a full archive record, including an archaeological survey, be commissioned for this place prior to any development.

Although the *Harbour View* may not be considered to be of State significance, the Register Committee believes that the place may have local significance and its decision has no bearing on the status of the place in relation to the Shire of Ravensthorpe's Municipal Inventory of Heritage Places.

If you have any further enquires regarding this matter, please contact a Client Liaison Officer on (08) 9221 4177.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Penny O'Connor".

Penny O'Connor

SENIOR CONSERVATION OFFICER (ASSESSMENTS)

