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July 23, 2014

Chairman Ronnie Lupe
White Mountain Apache Tribe
P.O. Box 700
Whiteriver, AZ 85941

**RE: Request for Consultation, Application for Modification 14-1, Tyrone Mine,
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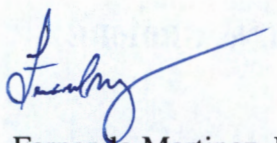
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Navajo Nation
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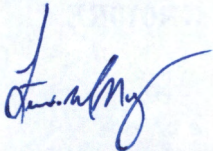
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President Carlton Naiche-Palmer
Mescalero Apache Tribe
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Mescalero, NM 88340

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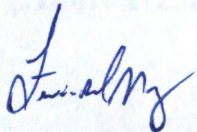
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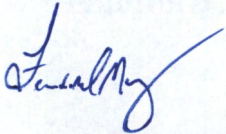
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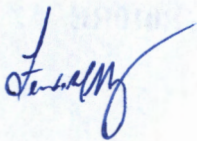
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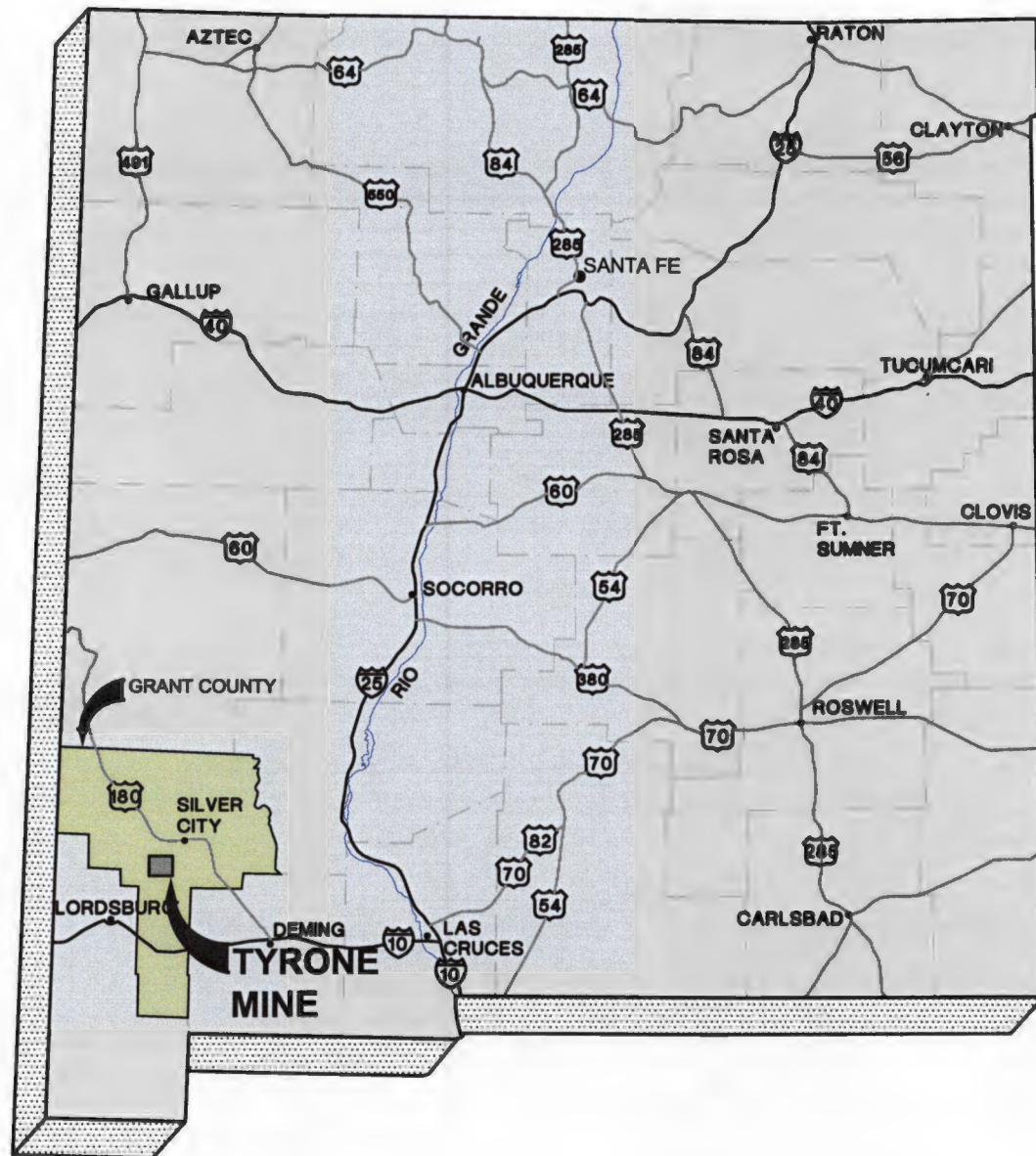
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**FREEPORT MCMORAN TYRONE, INC.
TYRONE CLOSURE/CLOSEOUT PLAN
GRANT COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

MINE LOCATION MAP



PROJECT No. 11380040			FILE No. 1-1 Mine Location		
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CADD	CM	04/08/13	FIGURE 1-1		
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FIGURE 1-1