



Blackwater
Mine

March 25, 2026

2025 ELoMC Consultation/Engagement Report

The table below presents an overview of topics discussed during the 2025 Environmental Life of Mine Committee (ELoMC) meetings. Items discussed by the committee are informed by the ELoMC Terms of Reference (ToR) and the drivers described therein. As in previous years, Blackwater Gold developed a calendar of topics to be discussed by the ELoMC based on the ToR early in 2025.

To maintain a collaborative approach to identifying discussion topics, the committee conducted quarterly reviews of its annual calendar, circulated meeting agendas in advance to invite input, and reserved time at the conclusion of each meeting to collectively determine the agenda for the following meeting. Items were added, deferred, or removed based on committee agreement, allowing the agendas to reflect emerging issues, new observations, and matters requiring additional discussion.

Management plans are also discussed at ELoMC, this includes both new and updated plans. As most management plans required by applicable authorizations have been developed, these discussions largely focused on updates to management plans. These items were added to the ELoMC agenda based on the timing for those updates.

Meeting Date	Discussion Topic	Discussion Driver
January 23	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Updates – Community, permitting, and upcoming management plan updates 2. ELoMC effectiveness survey results review 3. 2025 Q1 calendar review 4. 2025 membership and co-chair nominations 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Standing agenda item 2. 2025 Calendar 3. Standing agenda item 4. 2025 Calendar
February 27	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Updates – Community, permitting, and upcoming management plan updates 2. AEMP update and comment review – Presented by Source on behalf of NFNs 3. TDSTP- Review of MP updates 4. TLPP—New MP overview 5. EAC C19 ELoMC ToR Review 6. MCM questions 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Standing agenda item 2. Requested 3. 2025 Calendar 4. 2025 Calendar 5. Updated ELoMC ToR 6. Requested
March 27	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Updates – Community, permitting, and upcoming management plan updates 2. Status of the AEMP update and Chedakuz Creek Kokanee Study – Presented by Source on behalf of NFNs 3. ToR Update-Schedule A 4. 2024 Annual Reporting update and Adaptive Management Framework 5. 2025 Q2 calendar review 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Standing agenda item 2. Requested 3. Updated ELoMC ToR 4. 2025 Calendar 5. Standing agenda item
April 24	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Updates – Community, permitting, and upcoming management plan updates 2. MERP Comments 3. LDN/UFN CMMP and Exploration Plans 4. M-246-Vegetation/ Invasive Plant Management Plan implementation review 5. EAC C29/M-246/EMA-Surface Erosion and Sediment Control Plan Implementation review 6. M-246/EMA-ML/ARD Implementation review 7. Kokanee Fry mortality Comments <p>Deferred:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 8. ELoMC ToR - Continued discussion 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Standing agenda item 2. Requested 3. Requested 4. 2025 Calendar 5. 2025 Calendar 6. 2025 Calendar 7. Requested 8. Updated ELoMC ToR
May 29	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Updates – Community, permitting, and upcoming management plan updates 2. M-246-Mine Site and Discharge Monitoring: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Annual summary • Updated plan comments 3. PE 110652-Review of existing routine effluent and receiving environment monitoring data 4. PE 110652-Groundwater Monitoring Program 5. EAC C26, 27, 28, 30/EMA effluent permit-Aquatic Effects Monitoring Plan annual summary-Water, sediment, and tissue quality summary 6. EAC C41Country Foods Monitoring Program Implementation Review 7. ELoMC ToR Update Review 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Standing agenda item 2. 2025 Calendar 3. 2025 Calendar 4. 2025 Calendar 5. 2025 Calendar 6. 2025 Calendar 7. Scheduled - Deferred from April
June 26	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Updates – Community, permitting, and upcoming management plan updates 2. EAC C26,27,28, 30/EMA effluent permit-Aquatic Effects Monitoring Plan <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Annual implementation review- Fish spawning emergence and distribution • No comments on updated plan to discuss 3. EAC Condition 22-23/M-246 Wildlife/Caribou Mitigation and Monitoring Program implementation review 4. ToR Update Review 5. 2025 Q3 calendar review 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Standing agenda item 2. 2025 Calendar 3. 2025 Calendar 4. Updated ELoMC ToR 5. Standing agenda item

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July 24	1. Updates – Community, permitting, and upcoming management plan updates 2. EMA PE 110650 Air Quality and Fugitive Dust Management Plan (including Trigger Response Plan) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Implementation review • No comments on updated plan to discuss Deferred: 3. EAC C 21 Noise and Vibration Effects Annual Implementation review 4. M-246/EMA PE 110650 Waste and Refuse Monitoring Plan	1. Standing agenda item 2. 2025 Calendar 3. 2025 Calendar 4. 2025 Calendar
August 28	1. Updates – Community, permitting, and upcoming management plan updates 2. Reporting Protocols/Triggers for Plans 3. Update on crushed ore stockpile dust mitigation 4. ToR Update 5. EAC 25/M-246 End Land Use Plan & Workshops/Reclamation Research Trials 6. EAC 21 Noise and Vibration Mitigation and Monitoring Implementation Review 7. M-246/PE-110650 Waste (and Refuse) Management Plan <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Implementation review • Updated plan comments 8. In person ELoMC	1. Standing agenda item 2. Requested 3. Requested 4. Updated ELoMC ToR comments 5. 2025 Calendar 6. 2025 Calendar – Deferred from July 7. 2025 Calendar – Deferred from July 8. Requested
September 25	1. Updates – Community, mine, permitting, and upcoming management plan updates 2. Fish Salvage 3. EAC 36 /M-246/ EMA permits Accidents and Malfunctions Implementation Review 4. EAC 35 Tailings Dam Safety Transparency Plan Implementation Review 5. M-246 Amendment Application – ML/ARD management 6. Overview of EAO Required Changes to Closure/Post-Closure Water Management Plan 7. 2025 Q4 calendar review	1. Standing agenda item 2. Requested 3. 2025 Calendar 4. 2025 Calendar 5. Requested 6. Requested 7. Standing agenda item
October 23	1. Questions on Phase 1A/Cyanide destruct/Groundwater TRP Deferred: 2. EAC C24 -Wetlands mgt and offsetting report 3. EAC C 17 – Aboriginal Group Monitor, Monitoring Plan Summary of reports	1. Requested 2. 2025 Calendar 3. 2025 Calendar
November 27	1. TSF WQ and Groundwater TRP Implementation Update 2. EAC C24 -2024 Wetlands mgt and offsetting report 3. EAC C 17 – 2024 Aboriginal Group Monitor, Monitoring Plan Summary of reports Deferred: 4. ELoMC ToR-Schedule A Discussion	1. Requested 2. 2025 Calendar – Deferred from October, committee decision to review slides outside of meeting and ask questions as needed-Email Review 3. 2025 Calendar – Deferred from October, committee decision to review slides outside of meeting and ask questions as needed 4. Updated ELoMC ToR
December 25	Meeting cancelled due to holidays	