










The Truth About Pebble...



Northern Dynasty has already filed 1,900 pages of mine plans and permit applications for Pebble Mine.

Here's what their own plans risk:

-  Destruction and draining of salmon habitat at the headwaters of the Koktuli River and Upper Talarik Creek.
-  Detonation of up to 58,000 one-ton blasts a year to create one of the largest open-pit mines in North America, driving residents of a nearby village from their homes.
-  Destruction of one of the traditional calving grounds of the Mulchatna caribou herd.
-  Stripping metals from ore with cyanide or other toxic agents that could wipe out Bristol Bay salmon with a single accident.
-  Generating dissolved copper, tiny amounts of which can destroy the homing mechanism of salmon.
-  Construction of some of the largest earthen dams in the world to hold toxic mining waste in a seismically active area at the headwaters of Bristol Bay salmon spawning rivers.
-  Requiring taxpayers to pay for monitoring, and potentially the expensive clean-up, of some of the world's largest toxic storage sites.
-  Threatening 6,300 existing Alaska salmon-related jobs for 1,000 temporary jobs that will mostly go to non-Alaskans.
-  Threatening the efforts by fishermen to increase the value of Bristol Bay salmon by creating a "Pure wild Alaska Salmon" image.

All this from a company whose own documents state that they cannot be held to account when a catastrophe occurs.

Local residents have waited, they've listened and now they've seen the plans for Pebble Mine – and **75% are now strongly opposed.**

Do you want to risk Alaska's clean water, fishing jobs, and reputation for a few temporary mining jobs?

OPPOSE THE PEBBLE MINE

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