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# CERTIFICATE OF LOCATION

**Of the** \_\_\_\_\_ **(Placer) Mining Claim**  
I, \_\_\_\_\_ a citizen of the United States

of lawful age, do hereby certify and declare as follows to-wit:

That on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 20\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (Placer) Mining Claim, situate in  
\_\_\_\_\_ Mining District, County of \_\_\_\_\_ State of Montana, was duly  
discovered.

That on said day a written or printed Notice of Location of said claim was duly posted, conspicuously, at the point of discovery on said claim, which said notice contained the name of the locator(s), the date of the location (which said date of location was the date of the posting of such notice), and the approximate area of the claim intended to be appropriated.

That thereafter and within thirty days of the posting of said notice of location the locator(s) distinctly marked the location of said claim on the ground so the boundaries could be readily traced, by placing monuments at each corner and angle of said claim, which said monuments consist of trees, post, stumps, stones and boulders described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the \_\_\_\_\_ Cor. No. 1 of this claim which is a \_\_\_\_\_  
marked \_\_\_\_\_ Cor. No. 1 of the \_\_\_\_\_ Claim,  
Thence First Course \_\_\_\_\_ a distance of \_\_\_\_\_ feet to the \_\_\_\_\_  
Cor. No. 2 of this claim, which is a \_\_\_\_\_  
marked \_\_\_\_\_ Cor. No. 2 of the \_\_\_\_\_ Claim,  
Thence Second Course \_\_\_\_\_ a distance of \_\_\_\_\_ feet to the \_\_\_\_\_  
Cor. No. 3 of this claim, which is a \_\_\_\_\_  
marked \_\_\_\_\_ Cor. No. 3 of the \_\_\_\_\_ Claim,  
Thence Third Course \_\_\_\_\_ a distance of \_\_\_\_\_ feet to the \_\_\_\_\_  
Cor. No. 4 of this claim, which is a \_\_\_\_\_  
marked \_\_\_\_\_ Cor. No. 4 of the \_\_\_\_\_ Claim,  
Thence Fourth Course \_\_\_\_\_ a distance of \_\_\_\_\_ feet to the \_\_\_\_\_  
Cor. No. 1, the place of beginning.

That each tree so marked was at least eight inches in diameter, and blazed on four sides; that each post so marked was at least four inches square by four feet and six inches in length set one foot in the ground, except where solid rock occurred at less depth, in which case the post was set upon such rock, and in all cases such posts were surrounded by a mound of earth and stone at least four feet in diameter by two feet in height, that each stump so marked was squared and was at least eight inches in diameter by four feet in height, and was surrounded by a mound of earth and stone four feet in diameter by two feet in height; that each stone so marked was at least six inches square by eighteen inches in length, set two-thirds of its length in the ground, with a mound of earth and stone alongside at least four feet in diameter by two feet in height; that each boulder so marked was at least three feet above the natural surface of the ground on the upper side of said boulder.

That within sixty days after the date of posting said notice of location:  
The locator(s) named herein did the following work on said claim at the point of discovery

\_\_\_\_\_ That said locator(s) did there, as a result of said work, disclose the vein, lode or deposit so located.  
That said locator(s) claim \_\_\_\_\_ feet in a \_\_\_\_\_ direction, and  
\_\_\_\_\_ feet in a \_\_\_\_\_ direction each way from the discovery point,  
and \_\_\_\_\_ feet on each side of the discovery point, the same being \_\_\_\_\_ feet wide by  
\_\_\_\_\_ feet in length.

That the following reference is hereby made to natural objects and permanent monument so as to identify said claim, to-wit:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

That the claim is situated in the following section, township and range \_\_\_\_\_

That the claim as located, marked, and designated as aforesaid is named and known as the \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ (Placer) Mining Claim, and is situated in \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ Mining District, County of \_\_\_\_\_, State  
of Montana.

That the name(s) of the locator(s) and claimant(s) and the post office address of each follow,  
to-wit:

Name	Post Office Address
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
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Locator(s) and Claimant(s)

State of Montana,  
County of \_\_\_\_\_

being first duly sworn, on his oath says: That he is a citizen of the United States, and that he is of lawful  
age, that he is \_\_\_\_\_ the locator(s) and claimant(s) of the \_\_\_\_\_  
(Placer) Mining Claim; that said location is made in good faith; that this "Certificate of Location" is made  
in good faith, and for the purpose of securing and enjoying all the rights and benefits of Chapter 7 of Title  
50 of the Revised Codes of Montana, 1947, and acts amending and supplementing the same; and that the  
matters and things stated in the foregoing "Certificate of Location" are true of his own knowledge.

Subscribed and sworn to before me on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 20\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public for the State of Montana

Residing at \_\_\_\_\_ My commission expires \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_\_

<p><b>Certificate of Location</b></p> <p>Of the _____ (Quartz Lode) Mining Claim Mining District, _____ County, State of Montana.</p> <p>STATE OF MONTANA County of _____ Filed for Record on the _____ day of _____, A. D. 20____ at _____ o'clock _____ M., and recorded in Book _____ of _____ at Page _____</p> <p>By _____ County Clerk</p> <p>Deputy Fee, \$ _____</p>
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