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Dear Rob, Julie, Marc, Ken and Chris -- I enclose a letter from New York AFL-CIO President Mario Cilento endorsing the NYCO land exchange. The letter is addressed to Assembly Member Sweeney and copied to Speaker Silver.

Best regards,

Mark

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On Jun 5, 2013, at 1:02 PM, Julia Tighe wrote:

> Great news!  
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>>>> Peter Goodwin <peter.goodwin@nycominerals.com> 6/5/2013 1:01 PM >>>  
> Rob/Julie  
>  
> Please see below on the Ward agreement  
>  
> Regards  
> Peter  
>  
> From: Buckley Mark [mailto:mark.buckley@nycominerals.com]  
> Sent: Wednesday, June 05, 2013 12:58 PM  
> To: Peter Goodwin  
> Subject: RE:  
>  
> Peter,  
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> I just spoke to Jeff. He will be signing the agreement and forwarding to me this afternoon.

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> Mark J. Buckley, P.E.  
> Environmental, Health, Safety and Quality Manager  
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> To: jeffward@wardlumber.com<mailto:jeffward@wardlumber.com>  
> Cc: Buckley Mark  
> Subject:  
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> Jeff,  
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> Just checking on the status of your legal review.  
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> Also, on these two parcels of land do you have any ecological studies which we could pass to the  
> DEC. Appreciate your help here if you have something.  
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> Regards  
> Peter  
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June 5, 2013

The Honorable Robert K. Sweeney, Chair  
NYS Assembly Committee on Environmental Conservation  
Room 625  
Legislative Office Building  
Albany, NY 12248

Re: Adirondack Land Exchange

Dear Chairman Sweeney:

On behalf of the hardworking members of the United Steelworkers (USW) employed by NYCO Minerals, Inc. and their 2.5 million sisters and brothers of the New York State AFL-CIO, I write to request the introduction and passage of S4688 (Little) in the New York State Assembly. S4688 is a Concurrent Resolution of the Senate and Assembly that if approved would constitute second passage of a Constitutional Amendment granting temporary rights to 200 acres of the Adirondack Forest Preserve.

At a time when everyone is talking about the need for good, middle class jobs, New York must not throw away family sustaining, union jobs like those at NYCO. Yet, that is exactly what will occur if the State fails to provide NYCO with access to adjacent lands to harvest wollastonite, as the current mine in Lewis approaches the end of its pit life.

In addition to the direct jobs at NYCO, the local economy and companies that do business with NYCO will also suffer as a result of its closure. So too will local governments and schools, which rely on tax revenue from the mine to provide vital services to the public.

Ultimately, if this bill is approved and successful in voter referendum, workers, the local economy, and even the Adirondack Park will benefit. 2,000 acres will be purchased by NYCO and transmitted to grow the park in exchange for access to parkland. In addition, the original 200 acres will be remediated and returned to the public after NYCO completes exploration and mining.

The Honorable Robert K. Sweeney, Chair  
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Once again, we ask that you introduce Adirondack Land Exchange Legislation and usher its passage through the Assembly as you did last year. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mario F. Cilento". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Mario F. Cilento  
President

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cc: Hon. Sheldon Silver, Speaker