

GEOLOGICAL REPORT

Soo #2 Mineral Claim

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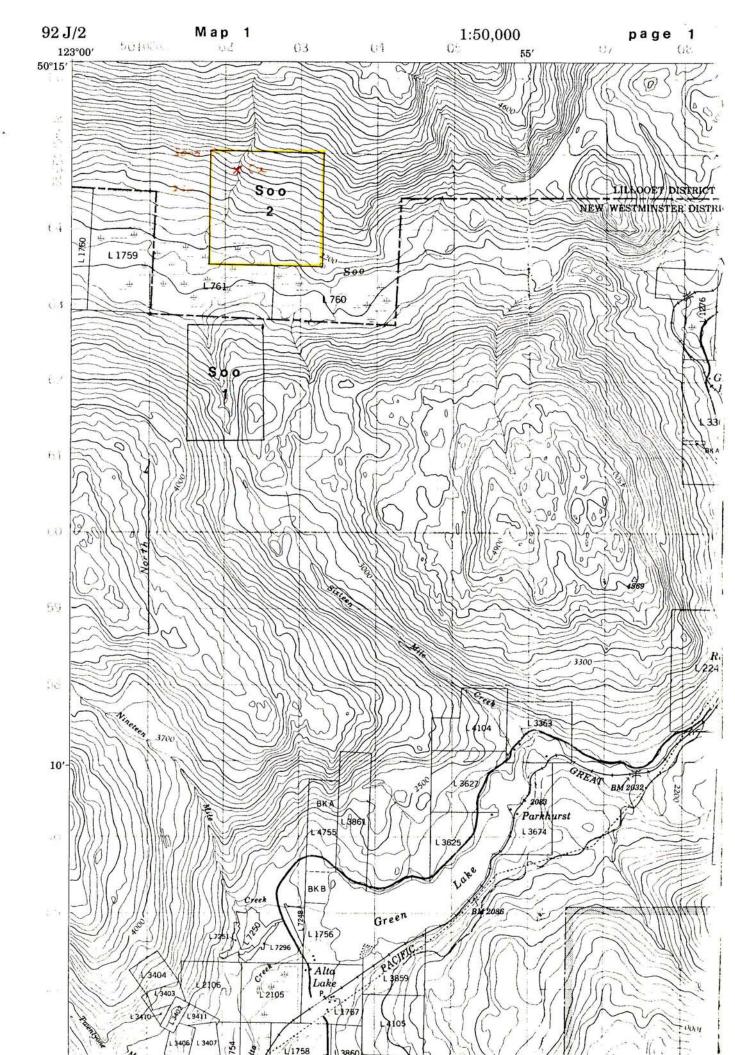
Whistler Area

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Location and Access

The Soo #2 claim is $5\frac{1}{2}$ km due north of Whistler Post Office, just north of the Soo River.

Access is by helicopter from Okanagan Helicopter hangar at Whistler, a distance of 8 km.

Establishing Grid and Elevations

From mid-October to the end of 1976 the writer was assisted at times by A. White, D. Giffen and R. Giffen in establishing a grid by cutting lines, slope chaining and establishing elevations with chain and clinometer.

Lines on the grid are spaced at 400 ft. (121.9 metres), and the intervals along the lines, as well as the elevations, are marked at 100 ft. (30.5 metres) intervals.

General Geology

Soo #2 claim is underlain by a roof pendant within the Coast Plutonic Complex. The rocks within this roof pendant consist largely of meta volcanic strata of probable Lower Cretaceous age, which are dominantly andesitic, dacitic, and rhyolitic volcaniclastics which, as a result of regional metamorphism, are now greenschists.

Detailed Geology

The writer with the assistance of E. Outram and

M. Sandford mapped the geology on the Soo #2 claim during late October 1976 and a portion of June 1977.

Areas of outcrop were outlined, stratigraphy schistosity, rock type and pyrite content were noted.

Metamorphic Rocks

Equal sericite and chlorite content in the rocks was used as the colour index which divided dacite from andesite in the volcanic assemblage. Rhyolites were identified by high quartz content, colour index, and flow banding.

The fragments of pyroclastics in most instances were identifiable only on the weathered surface. Some tuffs are very fine grained and contain phenocrysts which gives them an appearance similar to and possibly indistinguishable from volcanic flows.

Schistosity and fragment elongation is to the northwest sub-parallel to the bedding.

Unmetamorphosed Rocks

Minor basalt dykes are present which may be part of the Garibaldi Group.

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QUALIFICATIONS

- I graduated from Carleton University in 1972 with a B.Sc. in geology.
- 2. I spent twelve years prospecting for economic minerals prior to 1972.
- 3. I have supervised four joint ventures which were financed by major mining companies.
- 4. I have practised as a geologist for the past six years.

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