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Press Release

District of Wells and Barkerville Gold Mines/Osisko Gold

Sign a "Support and Benefits Agreement"

For Immediate Release 2026, Wednesday, July 22—4:00pm PST

The District of Wells and Barkerville Gold Mines/Osisko Gold, have signed a three-year Support and Benefits Agreement. The Agreement relates to the Cariboo Gold Project in Wells, BC.

The Support and Benefits Agreement is for the years 2026 to 2028 inclusive. It comes with supports of:

- 2026--\$500,000 Transfer to WILDways Destination High School for Capital and Operating Support
- 2026--\$1,000,000 for the District of Wells for Community Improvements and Support
- 2027--\$750,000 for the District of Wells for Community Improvements and Support
- 2028--\$750,000 for the District of Wells for Community Improvements and Support

The contributions are voluntary by Osisko Gold.

The Parties will continue to work collaboratively over the term of the Agreement, including holding quarterly meetings to discuss the Agreement.

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