# MASON PROJECT

The copper we need mined responsibly.



The Mason project is located in Northern Nevada, in Lyon County, approximately 5 miles west of the City of Yerington.

The project has been actively explored since the mid 1950°s by various companies with numerous geophysical surveys and diamond drilling campaigns gathering information culminating in the publication of the most recent technical report and preliminary economic assessment in 2021. Hudbay Minerals purchased the project in December 2018.

The Mason project is planned to be an open pit copper mine, with a processing mill to extract the metals, a tailings management facility to safely deposit the processed material once the metals have been removed, and a rock storage area to place the rock that is moved to gain access to the copper ore for processing.

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# Modern Mining That Works



### Permitting

Mason will meet or exceed state and federal air and water quality standards. Hudbay will work with the agencies responsible for issuing these permits, to ensure we meet all requirements.



Modern mining begins with the end in mind. Developing a reclamation and remediation plan to reclaim land that could be impacted by our planned operations is one of the first steps we take in the development process.



Ensuring the safety and protection of the quality and quantity of local water resources is one of our top priorities.

# \$\_\_\_\_\_ [][]] Economics

The cost of building the Mason Project is estimated at \$2.1 billion. Similar-sized operations have required approximately 600 employees and created another 3,000 indirect jobs to support the operation.

#### The Copper We Need

Copper is a basic component of our modern lifestyle. Many of the conveniences we take for granted, like electricity and running water in our homes, use copper. Anything that you plug in or that uses batteries also contains copper.

From solar panels to electric vehicles copper is a key element in de-carbonization efforts and the shift to renewable energy sources. Hudbay will support America's transition to a cleaner future, by providing the copper we need to build the innovative products and technologies that will power our new sustainable future.

Mason will support a stronger domestic supply of the copper we need to drive our green energy future.

