

The Silver Bet – King Saul Group

Sedimentary Exhalative - Silver, Lead, Zinc, Tin

Polymetallic veins - Silver – Lead – Zinc +/- Gold

The Silver - Bet Group is located on Crowfoot Mountain, 8 km north of Shuswap Lake and 35 km north of Salmon Arm, BC. Access is by paved road to Magna Bay then via logging roads to the summit of Crowfoot Mountain. The area is rolling, partly forested alpine parkland with elevations ranging from 1700 to 2000 metres above sea level. Much of it was burned over by the Magna Bay fire in 1968 and has reverted to grassland.

Geology

The property is underlain by Devonian age chloritic schist's and minor limestone that are probably equivalent to the Eagle Bay Formation. Foliation in the schist strike 055 to 085 degrees and dips 42 degrees north. The rocks are intruded by diorite dykes. The property is also partially underlain by basalt, tuffite and minor limestone very similar to, and probably equivalent to, the Fennell formation in the Barriere area. The basalts are mostly tuffs, though pillowed units are present, which, together with the numerous thin limestone beds, suggests a possibly shallower water provenance than for the Fennell Formation type. The sequence strikes south-westerly, dips to the northwest at low to moderate angles and forms the southeast limb of a synclinal basin, which underlies the claim area.

Base Metal mineralization occurs in limestone, schists, marble bands and quartz carbonate veins. A grab sample of mineralisation assayed 28 per cent lead, 17 per cent zinc, 77 ounces per tonne silver, and trace gold. Tin values of up to 1.16% have also been sampled within the claimed area.

Numerous soil and geophysical anomalies remain untested. The known mineralised zones are open along strike and down dip. The property has excellent further discovery potential

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