

April 2026

Community Notice – Upcoming Drilling Activities Virginiatown

Gold Candle Ltd. wishes to inform residents of McGarry Township and surrounding areas that diamond drilling activities are planned to begin in summer 2026 on our mining patents west of the former Kerr-Addison Mine, north of Government Road (Highway 66). This notice covers the North Block of the 2026 Kerr West exploration program.

Timeline and Operations

Earthworks and site preparation, consisting of light brushing and access trail construction to drill pad locations, are planned for April 2026 utilizing existing trails where possible to minimize ground disturbance. Diamond drilling operations are planned to commence in June to July 2026 and will continue through year-end. One drill rig will operate in the Kerr West North Block area during this period. Operations will run 24 hours per day, 7 days per week during active drilling phases and will include a diamond drill rig and support vehicles for personnel and material transport.

What to Expect

- Drill sites within mining patents as shown on map
- Trail access from residential streets with periodic equipment transport
- Increased industrial traffic during mobilization and active operations
- Completed drillholes secured with 2-metre flagged steel casing caps

Safety and Environment

Gold Candle and its contractors maintain established operational standards:

- Clearly marked safety perimeters and signage around active drilling areas
- Spill prevention systems at all fuel and fluid storage locations
- Noise mitigation through sound-dampening blankets, specialized mufflers, and portable sound barriers
- Progressive site restoration upon completion

All work is conducted on mining patents under Gold Candle's mineral tenure rights in compliance with Ontario's Mining Act, Occupational Health and Safety Act, and applicable environmental regulations.





2026 Kerr West Exploration Proposed Pads and Trail Access

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Plot Date
30-Mar-2026

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Kerr-Addison Project