

Three maps show the HUGE footprint of the Hubday mines in our mountains

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Hudbay Minerals Corporation, a multinational company based in Toronto, Canada, is preparing to carve, dig, and blast an extensive mining operation into our northern Santa Rita Mountains.

This following is a standard “terrain” map of the Santa Rita Mountains. Many Arizona residents think of the Santa Rita Mountains as the landmass around Mt. Wrightson and Mt. Hopkins in the southern part of the mountain range. But the mountains actually stretch much farther north toward Mt. Fagan.



In these maps, four X’s have been printed on landmarks around the northern Santa Ritas: Mt. Fagan, Rosemont Junction (south of Mt. Fagan), the historic Helvetia Cemetery (near the limestone mine), and a point straight north of Helvetia Cemetery. Within these four X’s are our northern mountains.



In the following map, a USGS Topographic Map overlays the same northern part of the mountain range. The red lines outline the Hubday Corporation’s holdings. Note the X’s and the pointer on Mt. Fagan. The rounded shape outlined in black is one of the four open pits that are planned. The dark line that runs

north from the biggest pit, snaking below the “F” shape, down to the Helvetia Cemetery, and then to the northwest across reserved desert land is a “haul road” that will be busy with heavy truck traffic.

