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Kelly  
Oct 10/78  
Ross River

Dear Bill:

A quick summary:

- Mag completed over gravity area of VAM - no anomalous response except at our chopper landing site near "sheared basalt". I enclose a X-section. We still have to drill holes with the Overburden Drill (OBD) - possibly around the 13-15<sup>th</sup>. Found outcrop of chlorite carbonate altered sheared amygdaloidal andesite or basalt, and lower down a possible similarly altered diorite? Not enough exposure to determine if a sill or dyke or what. Location 1440E @ 1337 BL. Chopper pad cut @ 1440E - 1560N in center of gravity anomaly. Will clean up Tom Lake when drill moves to VAM.

- Kelly

OBD drill completed line 500E from 29N - 700N @ 30M intervals. Now running a line to east from station 540N on line 500E, sampling a 50M intervals until lake. Then tentatively plan to run line 800E from about 540N south to 0 BL? Will break for a day for VAM work.

Soil sampling complete over all of Kelly anomalies. 3 boxes shipped out Oct 9 to Vangeochem including OBD samples & reconnaissance samples I've collected by helicopter to south & south east. Ron & Brett completed a tight grid @ 10M intervals over <sup>part of</sup> A anomaly from lines 400E - 600E & stations 540N - 600N. This should help us define the near

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surface expression of the soil anomaly, & compare with the OBD.

- We ran a quick loop with the MAB & soil auger south from OBL to 1200 S @ 1000W & 1250W to cover the Mag-EM (airborne) anomaly over Reno. There was no sign left of our passage.

- Pat Lewis & Trevor Jones "cracked off" the job on Oct 9. When I returned to camp on Oct 8 they had made plane reservation & would not change their plans. \*He considered the job was completed and they would be "wasting their time" if they stayed. Pat was definitely the instigator & Trevor just went along & felt a little foolish, but left just the same. They have completed all the E.M. & Mag that appears to need doing for now, but note I said "appears", and I told them that was Vancouver office decision. I consider they quit & left without authorization, & would not want them to work for me again - Pat at least, but possibly Trevor ok. He's been with the company a long time & wouldn't have done it if Pat hadn't charged ahead.

- Mag completed over Lilly slough area and shows a peak 400 & anomaly 250 m south of 2630 NBL on line 1000 W. I don't know if contoured yet.

\* Utterly presumptuous! WA

Wayne