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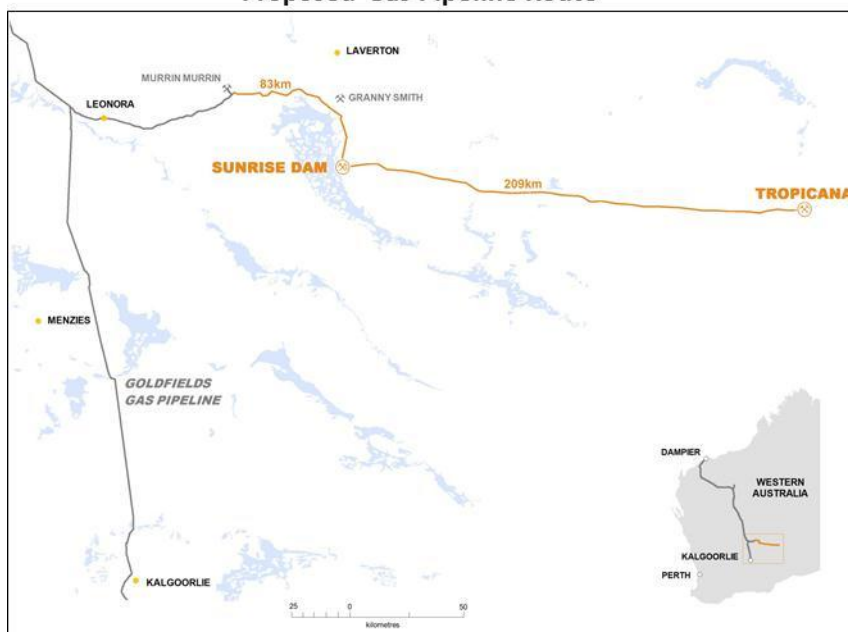
AngloGold Ashanti commits to gas for Western Australian mines

(PERTH – RELEASE) – AngloGold Ashanti Australia Ltd (AGAA) today signed agreements with natural gas infrastructure company APA Group (APA) for the transportation of natural gas to the Sunrise Dam and Tropicana gold mines in Western Australia.

AGAA wholly owns the Sunrise Dam mine, located 220 kilometers northeast of Kalgoorlie, and is manager of the Tropicana mine, 330 km east-northeast of Kalgoorlie, with a 70% interest. The remaining 30% of Tropicana is owned by Independence Group NL.

Under the agreements, APA will construct a new 292 km pipeline which will connect to its Goldfields Gas Pipeline via the lateral pipeline at the Murrin Murrin nickel mine, and then extend past Sunrise Dam to Tropicana. Construction is scheduled to start in February 2015 with first gas scheduled to be available at Tropicana in January 2016.

Proposed Gas Pipeline Route



The power stations at both mines will be modified in order to run on 100% natural gas, while retaining diesel backup capability.

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“Gas power generation is expected to reduce cash operating costs at both sites by between A\$25-\$30/ounce,” said Michael Erickson, Senior Vice President Australia.

“The pipeline and gas transportation agreement will also provide continuity of fuel supply, reduce exposure to diesel price volatility and significantly reduce the number of trucks on the road, which has an important safety benefit as well as reducing road maintenance costs.

Natural gas is a cleaner fuel than diesel and its use will reduce greenhouse gas emissions.

Background

Sunrise Dam began production in 1997 and after many years as a combined open pit/underground operation, transitioned to solely underground mining earlier this year. The mine produces approximately 270,000 ounces of gold annually.

Tropicana, a large-scale open cut operation, poured first gold in September last year, ahead of schedule and on budget. The mine is expected to produce between 485,000 – 528,000 oz (100% project) in 2014.

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