

Dear Free Miner,

Re: Changes to MTO Mapping Functions

Note: All free miners who hold a valid free miner certificate or are a recorded holder of a valid title are receiving this email.

This is the third email regarding the changes to the Mineral Titles Online (MTO) map viewer and further to our first email of May 3, 2016 and second email of May 24, 2016.

The change-over to the new map viewers occurred on May 31, 2016.

Whether accessing the map viewers from the main MTO web page or after logging onto MTO, you should now see buttons or hyperlinks for two sets of map viewers, one set using Common Web Mapping (CWM) and one set using Internet Mapping Framework (IMF2).

We understand that it may be daunting for some users to learn how to use these new map viewers. To aid your transition, we have updated our MTO Help Guide and have added new transition guides on our Mineral Titles branch website.

The MTO Help Guide is where you find step by step instructions that will help walk you through the various event registrations in MTO. These have been updated to reflect the change-over to the CWM map viewer.

A number of transition guides are also now available.

- The “Tool Comparison: Internet Mapping Framework to Common Web Mapping” guide provides a very quick comparison between where the tools were located in the old map viewer and where they are now found in the new CWM map viewer;
- The “Common Web Mapping – Quick Reference” guide provides a short description, location, and use of the tools available in the new CWM map viewer;
- The “Internet Mapping Framework2 – Quick Reference” provides a short description, location and use of the tools available in the new IMF2 map viewer.
- The “Overview: Internet Mapping Framework to Common Web Mapping” guide provides a detailed comparison of the tools in the former map viewer and where their new equivalent tools are now located in the CWM map viewer; and
- The “Legend Comparison: Internet Mapping Framework to Common Web Mapping” guide provides a detailed comparison of the former map legend and how the new CWM map legend appears now.

The MTO Help Guide and the transition guides can be found at the following location on our Mineral Titles branch website:

<http://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/industry/mineral-exploration-mining/mineral-titles/news-notices-announcements/notices-mineral-placer-titles/mto-mapping>

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us at Mineral.Titles@gov.bc.ca

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