Drivers of Shaft Design Criteria

Bill Strickland, Hecla Mining, will lead the discussion of design considerations for shafts and winzes, including collar location, construction, and planning for operations. The talk will concentrate on the sinking of Lucky Friday’s #4-Shaft, a winze sunk from the mine’s 4760 level to the 8620 level, over 9,500 feet below surface.

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Bill Strickland is currently Project Manager with Hecla Limited’s Lucky Friday Mine on their #2-Shaft Hoist Upgrade project. Prior to that, he spent seven years as Project Engineer on the mine’s #4-Shaft Project. Bill has over 40-years of experience in surface and underground mining and construction projects. He holds BS and MS degrees from CSM, and managed the Edgar Mine at the school from 1990 to 1995.