

NOVAGOLD RESOURCES INC  
Form 6-K  
September 13, 2006

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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM 6-K**

**REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16  
UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

For the month of **September, 2006**

Commission File Number: **001-31913**

**NOVAGOLD RESOURCES INC.**

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

**Suite 2300 – 200 Granville Street, PO Box 24**

**Vancouver, BC Canada V6C 1S4**

(Address of principal executive offices)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant files or will file annual reports under cover Form 20-F or Form 40-F.

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Yes [        ] No [ x ]

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**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

Attached to this Form 6-K submission is the Technical Report of the Rock Creek Property located in Nome, Alaska, USA. To satisfy the technical requirements of the EDGAR system, the appendices of this report will be filed consecutively as Exhibits 99.2 through 99.10 under separate Form 6-K amendments (Form 6-K/As). The unofficial PDF copy submitted herewith contains both the report and associated appendices and may be downloaded for printing.

**SUBMITTED HEREWITH**

Exhibits

99.1 Technical Report of the Rock Creek Property located in Nome, Alaska, USA.

99.1 Technical Report of the Rock Creek Property located in Nome, Alaska, USA (Printer Friendly PDF Version).

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**SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

**NovaGold Resources Inc.**  
(Registrant)

Date: September 13, 2006

By: */s/ Rhylin Bailie*  
Rhylin Bailie

Title: Manager, Corporate Communications

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