SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL

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SUPPLEMENTARY FIGURE 1. Ethidium bromide-stained pulse field gel of digested 3 4 genomic DNA of Diplosphaera colotermitum strain TAV2. Numbers above lanes refer to: 1) TAV2 genomic DNA digested with the restriction enzyme *Pme*1; 2) low range pulse field maker, 5 and 3) lambda ladder pulse field marker. 6

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SUPPLEMENTARY FIGURE 2. Southern hybridizations of the 16S rRNA gene of 8 9 Diplosphaera colotermitum strain TAV2-digested genomic DNA. Numbers above lanes refer to genomic DNA digested with the following restriction enzymes: 1) ApaI; 2) HaeII; 3) SmaI. Lane 10 4 is a DIG-labeled λ molecular marker digested with *Hind*III. 11