# FREEGOLD VENTURES LIMITED

(An Exploration Stage Company)

## CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

(UNAUDITED)

(Expressed in U.S. Dollars)

June 30, 2021 and 2020

## MANAGEMENT'S COMMENTS ON UNAUDITED CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### NOTICE OF NO AUDITOR REVIEW OF INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Under National Instrument 51-102, Part 4, subsection 4.3(3)(a), if an auditor has not performed a review of the interim financial statements, they must be accompanied by a notice indicating that the financial statements have not been reviewed by an auditor.

The accompanying unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements of Freegold Ventures Limited (the "Company") have been prepared by and are the responsibility of the Company's management. The unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements are prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards and reflect management's best estimates and judgements based on information currently available.

The Company's independent auditor has not performed a review of these condensed consolidated interim financial statements in accordance with standards established by the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants for a review of interim financial statements by an entity's auditor.

## **Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Financial Position** (unaudited)

(Expressed in U.S. Dollars)

| ASSETS  |    | June 30, 2021                           |    | December 31,<br>2020                    |
|---|----|---|----|---|
|   |    |   |    |   |
| Current   | ¢  | 22 020 772                              | ¢  |   |
| Cash and cash equivalents   | \$ | 23,029,772                              | \$ | 29,652,808                              |
| Restricted cash ( <i>(Note 4)</i><br>Amounts receivable   |    | 358,460                                 |    | 158,435                                 |
|   |    | 65,216                                  |    | 41,259                                  |
| Prepaid expenses and deposits   |    | <u>228,133</u><br>23,681,581            |    | 207,870<br>30,060,372                   |
|   |    | 23,001,301                              |    | 30,000,372                              |
| Exploration and Evaluation Properties (Note 5)  |    | 51,006,234                              |    | 43,525,670                              |
| Property, Plant and Equipment (Note 6 (a))  |    | 405,357                                 |    | 346,389                                 |
| Right-of-Use Asset (Note 6 (b))   |    | 8,199                                   |    | 34,164                                  |
|   | \$ | 75,101,371                              | \$ | 73,966,595                              |
| Current<br>Trade payables<br>Accrued liabilities<br>Current portion of lease liability (Note 6 (b))<br>Project cost advance received (Note 4) | \$ | 1,231,341<br>1,210<br>12,704<br>358,460 | \$ | 207,688<br>138,719<br>37,499<br>158,435 |
|   |    | 1,603,715                               |    | 542,341                                 |
| Non-Current<br>Restoration and environmental obligations (Note 8)   |    | 250,000                                 |    | 250,000                                 |
|   |    | 230,000                                 |    | 230,000                                 |
| EQUITY  |    | 1,853,715                               |    | 792,341                                 |
| Share Capital (Note 9)  |    | 107,788,056                             |    | 107,488,759                             |
| Reserves  |    | 33,428,003                              |    | 32,794,806                              |
| Deficit   |    | (67,968,403)                            |    | (67,109,311)                            |
|   |    |   |    |   |
|   |    | 73,247,656                              |    | 73,174,254                              |

Nature and Continuance of Operations (Note 1), Commitments (Note 10) and Subsequent Event (Note 14)

APPROVED AND AUTHORIZED FOR ISSUE ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

*"Gary Moore"*, Director

<u>"David Knight</u>", Director

## Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Changes in Equity (unaudited)

|   | Common<br>Shares | Amount            | Stock<br>Options<br>Reserve | Warrants<br>Reserve | Foreign<br>Currency<br>Translation<br>Reserve | Deficit         | Total      |
|---|------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|---|-----------------|------------|
| Balance – December 31, 2019                     | 220,446,210      | \$<br>86,714,664  | \$<br>7,743,180             | \$<br>10,365,657 \$ | (796,629) \$                                  | (65,805,487) \$ | 38,221,385 |
| Issuance and allotment of shares for:           |                  |                   |                             |                     |   |                 |            |
| - Private placement (Note 9c)                   | 20,895,674       | 2,593,651         | -                           | -                   | -   | -               | 2,593,651  |
| - Value assigned to warrants (Note 9c)          | -                | (1,159,917)       | -                           | 1,159,917           | -   | -               | -          |
| - Exercise of warrants (Note 9c)                | 12,600,030       | 2,077,814         | -                           | (826,244)           | -   | -               | 1,251,570  |
| - Exercise of options (Note 9c)                 | 750,000          | 177,645           | (79,597)                    | -                   | -   | -               | 98,048     |
| - Share issue costs (Note 9c)                   | -                | (436,435)         | -                           | -                   | -   | -               | (436,435)  |
| - Share issue costs – agents warrants (Note 9c) | -                | (479,862)         | -                           | 479,892             | -   | -               | -          |
| Foreign currency translation adjustment         | -                | -                 | -                           | -                   | 43,416  | -               | 43,416     |
| Loss for the period                             | -                | -                 | -                           | -                   | -   | (303,121)       | (303,121)  |
| Balance – June 30, 2020                         | 254,691,914      | 89,487,560        | 7,663,583                   | 11,179,192          | (753,213)                                     | (66,108,608)    | 41,468,514 |
| Balance – December 31, 2020                     | 333,139,366      | 107,488,759       | 7,632,988                   | 24,396,251 \$       | 765,567                                       | (67,109,311)    | 73,174,254 |
| Issuance and allotment of shares for:           |                  |                   |                             |                     |   |                 |            |
| - Exercise of options (Note 9c)                 | 1,285,000        | 299,297           | (128,063)                   | -                   | -   | -               | 171,234    |
| Foreign currency translation adjustment         | -                | -                 | -                           | -                   | 761,260                                       | -               | 761,260    |
| Loss for the period                             | -                | -                 | -                           | -                   | -   | (859,092)       | (859,092)  |
| Balance – June 30, 2021                         | 334,424,366      | \$<br>107,788,056 | \$<br>7,504,925             | \$<br>24,396,251 \$ | 1,526,827 \$                                  | (67,968,403) \$ | 73,247,656 |

# Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Loss and Comprehensive Loss

# For the Six Months Ended June 30, (unaudited)

|  | 3 Months<br>Ended<br>June 30,<br>2021 | 3 Months<br>Ended<br>June 30,<br>2020 | 6 Months<br>Ended<br>June 30,<br>2021 | 6 Months<br>Ended<br>June 30,<br>2020 |
|--|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
|  |                                       |                                       |                                       |                                       |
| General and Administrative Expenses                                  |                                       |                                       |                                       |                                       |
| Accretion (Notes 6(b) & 8)   | \$<br>1,352                           | 3,135                                 | 2,529 \$                              | 6,149                                 |
| Consulting fees (Note 7)   | 10,220                                | 3,273                                 | 16,135                                | 5,476                                 |
| Depreciation (Notes 6(a) & 6(b))                                     | 17,350                                | 13,520                                | 34,114                                | 27,182                                |
| Office and miscellaneous   | 18,204                                | 10,506                                | 35,857                                | 21,401                                |
| Professional fees (Note 7)   | 41,843                                | 16,151                                | 63,408                                | 30,546                                |
| Promotion and shareholder relations                                  | 3,999                                 | 14,422                                | 8,302                                 | 16,009                                |
| Rent and utilities   | -                                     | 501                                   | -                                     | 1,098                                 |
| Transfer, filing and other fees                                      | 44,778                                | 11,529                                | 115,900                               | 35,845                                |
| Travel and transportation  | -                                     | -                                     | -                                     | 7,539                                 |
| Wages, salaries and benefits (Note 7)                                | <br>93,825                            | 79,146                                | 198,563                               | 164,966                               |
| Total General and Administrative Expenses                            | <br>(231,571)                         | (152,183)                             | (474,808)                             | (316,211)                             |
| Foreign exchange gain (loss), net                                    | (263,561)                             | (445)                                 | (463,216)                             | 3,606                                 |
| Interest and bank charges  | (1,671)                               | (815)                                 | (2,643)                               | (1,440)                               |
| Overhead recovery fee  | 22,278                                | 1,992                                 | 26,962                                | 4,603                                 |
| Interest income  | <br>25,193                            | 2,949                                 | 54,613                                | 6,321                                 |
|  | <br>(217,761)                         | 3,681                                 | (384,284                              | 13,090                                |
| Net Loss for the Period  | \$<br>(449,332)                       | (148,502)                             | (859,092) \$                          | (303,121)                             |
| Loss per Share – Basic and Diluted                                   | \$<br>(0.00)                          | (0.00)                                | (0.00) \$                             | (0.00)                                |
| Weighted Average Number of Shares Outstanding –<br>Basic and Diluted | 334,002,699                           | 232 741 617                           | 333,633,148                           | 226,593,915                           |
|  |                                       | _32,7 11,017                          |                                       | ,000,010                              |
| Comprehensive Loss   |                                       |                                       |                                       |                                       |
| Net loss for the period  | \$<br>(449,332)                       | (148,502)                             | (859,092) \$                          | (303,121)                             |
| Foreign currency translation adjustment                              | <br>432,073                           | 41,176                                | 761,260                               | 43,416                                |
| Total Comprehensive Loss for the Period                              | \$<br>(17,259)                        | (107,326)                             | (97,832) \$                           | (259,705)                             |

# **Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Cash Flows**

For the Six Months Ended June 30, (unaudited)

| Cash Resources Provided By (Used In)                           |          | 2021                     | 2020      |
|--|----------|--------------------------|-----------|
| Operating Activities   |          |                          |           |
| Loss for the period  | \$       | (859,092) \$             | (303,121) |
| Items not affecting cash:                                      |          |                          |           |
| Depreciation   |          | 34,114                   | 27,182    |
| Accretion  |          | 2,529                    | 6,149     |
| Net changes in non-cash working capital components:            |          |                          |           |
| Amounts receivable   |          | (23,957)                 | (8,906)   |
| Prepaid expenses and deposits                                  |          | (20,263)                 | (116,544) |
| Trade payables   |          | 141,087                  | (74,112)  |
| Accrued liabilities  |          | (137,509)                | (25,941)  |
| Project cost advance received                                  |          | 200,025                  | 316,663   |
| Due to related parties   |          | -                        | -         |
|  |          | (663,066)                | (178,630) |
| Investing Activities   |          |                          | · ·       |
| Exploration and evaluation property acquisition costs          |          | (741,291)                | (95,930)  |
| Exploration and evaluation property deferred exploration costs |          | (6,156,680)              | (452,340) |
| Exploration and evaluation property deferred exploration costs |          | 299,974                  | 54,486    |
| Purchase of capital assets                                     |          | (67,118)                 |           |
|  |          | (6,665,115)              | (493,784) |
| <b>—</b> • • • • • •   |          | (0,005,115)              | (433,704) |
| Financing Activities   |          |                          |           |
| Share capital issued   |          | 171,234                  | 3,943,269 |
| Share issue costs  |          | -                        | (436,435) |
| Repayment of lease liability                                   |          | (24,795)                 | (30,573)  |
| Restricted cash  |          | (200,025)                | (244,713) |
|  |          | (53,586)                 | 3,231,548 |
| Effect of Foreign Currency on Cash and Cash Equivalents        |          | 758,731                  | 5,049     |
|  |          |                          |           |
| Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents           |          | (6,623,036)              | 2,564,183 |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents - Beginning of Year                  |          | 29,652,808               | 1,168,089 |
| Cash and Cash Equivalents - End of Period                      | \$       | 23,029,772 \$            | 3,732,272 |
| Interest received<br>Income taxes paid                         | \$<br>\$ | 54,613 \$<br>- \$        | 395<br>-  |
| Supplemental Disclosure of Non-Cash Items                      |          |                          |           |
| Exploration expenditures included in trade payables            | \$       | 882,566 \$               | 172,480   |
| Exploration experiateles molecular trade payables              | Ψ        | <b>υυ</b> , <b>υυυ</b> ψ | 172,700   |

# Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

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## 1. Nature and Continuance of Operations

Freegold Ventures Limited (the "Company") is in the process of acquiring, exploring and developing precious and base metal properties. The Company will attempt to bring the properties to production, structure joint ventures with others, option or lease properties to third parties or sell the properties outright. The Company has not determined whether these properties contain ore reserves and the Company is considered to be in the exploration stage. The recoverability of the amounts expended by the Company on acquiring and exploring mineral properties is dependent upon future profitable production or selling the property.

The head office, principal address and registered records office of the Company is Suite 888 – 700 West Georgia Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, V7Y 1G5.

The Company's condensed consolidated interim financial statements as at June 30, 2021 and for the period then ended have been prepared on a going concern basis, which contemplates the realization of assets and the settlement of liabilities and commitments in the normal course of business. The Company had a comprehensive loss of \$97,832 for the six-month period ended June 30, 2021 (June 30, 2020 – comprehensive loss \$259,705) had working capital of \$22,077,866 at June 30, 2021 (December 31, 2020 – \$29,518,031).

The Company had cash and cash equivalents of \$23,029,772 at June 30, 2021 (December 31, 2020 - \$29,652,808), but management cannot provide assurance that the Company will ultimately achieve profitable operations or become cash flow positive, or raise additional debt and/or equity capital. If the Company is unable to raise additional capital in the immediate future, management expects that the Company will need to curtail operations, liquidate assets, seek additional capital on less favourable terms and/or pursue other remedial measures or cease operations. However, management believes it has sufficient working capital to continue operations for the next 12 months. These condensed consolidated interim financial statements do not include any adjustments related to the recoverability and classification of assets or the amounts and classification of liabilities that might be necessary should the Company be unable to continue as a going concern.

In March 2020, the World Health Organization declared coronavirus (COVID-19) a global pandemic. This contagious disease outbreak, which has continued to spread, has adversely affected workforces, economies, and financial markets globally, leading to an economic downturn. It is not possible for the Company to predict the duration or magnitude of the adverse results of the outbreak and its effects on the Company's business or ability to raise funds.

## 2. Significant Accounting Policies

The financial statements of the Company and its subsidiaries (the "Group") have been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standards ("IAS") 34, "*Interim Financial Reporting*" using accounting policies consistent with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") and interpretations of the International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee ("IFRIC").

These financial statements have been prepared on the basis of accounting policies and methods of computation consistent with those applied in the Company's annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2020.

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#### a) Consolidation

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements include the accounts of the Company's wholly-owned subsidiaries, Free Gold Recovery, USA, Freegold Ventures Limited, USA, Grizzly Bear Gold Inc., McGrath Gold Inc. and Dolphin Gold Inc. (inactive). Alaska Mining & Development Co., Inc. was acquired on September 30, 2020 and dissolved on December 31, 2020. All subsidiaries are US corporations which are involved in exploration and evaluation of properties. Inter-company balances are eliminated upon consolidation.

## b) Significant Accounting Judgments, Estimates and Assumptions

The preparation of the Company's condensed consolidated interim financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities at the date of the condensed consolidated interim financial statements and reported amounts of income and expenses during the reporting period. Estimates and assumptions are continuously evaluated and are based on management's experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. However, actual outcomes can differ from these estimates.

Areas requiring a significant degree of estimation and judgment relate to the recoverability of the carrying value of exploration and evaluation assets, fair value measurements for financial instruments and share-based payments, the recognition and valuation of provisions for restoration and environmental obligations, the recoverability and measurement of deferred tax assets and liabilities, business combinations, determination of functional currencies and ability to continue as a going concern. Actual results may differ from those estimates and judgments.

Determination of whether a set of assets acquired and liabilities assumed constitute a business may required the Company to make certain judgments, taking into account all facts and circumstances. A business is presumed to be an integrated set of activities and assets capable of being conducted and managed for the purpose of providing a return in the form of dividends, lower costs or economic benefits. The transaction with Alaska Mining & Development Co., Inc. was determined to constitute an acquisition of assets (Note 5 vii).

## c) Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Company considers cash and cash equivalents to include amounts held in banks and highly liquid investments with remaining maturities at point of purchase of 90 days or less. The Company places its cash and cash equivalents with institutions of high-credit worthiness.

As at June 30, 2021, cash and cash equivalents includes a redeemable guaranteed investment certificate of \$43,501 (December 31, 2020 - \$42,031).

## d) Financial Instruments

Financial instruments consist of financial assets and financial liabilities, and are initially recognized at fair value net of transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of the financial asset or liability. Transaction costs of financial assets and financial liabilities carried at fair value through profit or loss are expensed in profit and loss.

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The Company classifies its financial assets and financial liabilities in the following measurement categories:

- a) those to be measured subsequently at fair value (either through other comprehensive income or through profit or loss); and
- b) those to be measured at amortized cost.

The classification of financial assets depends on the business model for managing the financial assets and the contractual terms of the cash flows. Financial assets that are held within a business model whose objective is to collect the contractual cash flows, and that have contractual cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal outstanding, are generally measured at amortized cost at the end of subsequent accounting periods. All other financial assets are measured at their fair values at the end of subsequent accounting periods, with any changes taken through profit and loss or other comprehensive income. The Company's cash and cash equivalents, and amounts receivable are recorded at amortized cost.

Financial liabilities are classified as those to be measured at amortized cost unless they are designated as those to be measured subsequently at fair value through profit or loss (irrevocable election at the time of recognition). Any fair value changes due to credit risk for liabilities designated at fair value through profit and loss are recorded in other comprehensive income.

The Company reclassifies financial assets when and only when its business model for managing those assets changes. Financial liabilities are not reclassified.

## Impairment of Financial Assets

An expected credit loss (ECL) model applies to financial assets measured at amortized cost, contract assets and debt investments at fair value through other comprehensive income, but not to investments in equity instruments. The Company's financial assets, measured at amortized cost and subject to the ECL model, include cash and cash equivalents, and amounts receivable.

An entity is required to recognize expected credit losses when financial instruments are initially recognized and to update the amount of expected credit losses recognized at each reporting date to reflect changes in the credit risk of the financial instruments. In addition, IFRS 9 requires additional disclosure requirements about expected credit losses and credit risk.

Impairment losses on financial assets carried at amortized cost are reversed in subsequent periods, if the amount of the loss decreases and the decrease can be objectively related to an event occurring after the impairment was recognized.

## Financial liabilities

All financial liabilities are initially recorded at fair value and designated upon inception as fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL") or amortized cost. Financial liabilities classified as amortized cost are initially recognized at fair value less directly attributable transaction costs.

The Company's trade payables, accrued liabilities and due to related parties are classified at amortized cost. The Company does not currently have any FVTPL financial liabilities.

## e) Exploration and Evaluation Properties

Exploration and evaluation expenditures include the costs of acquiring licenses, costs associated with exploration and evaluation activity, and the fair value (at acquisition date) of exploration and

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evaluation assets acquired in a business combination. Exploration and evaluation expenditures are capitalized. Costs incurred before the Company has obtained the legal rights to explore an area are recognized in profit or loss.

Option payments received are treated as a reduction of the carrying value of the related exploration and evaluation properties and deferred costs until the receipts are in excess of costs incurred, at which time they are credited to income. Option payments are at the discretion of the optionee, and accordingly, are recorded on a cash basis.

Once the technical feasibility and commercial viability of the extraction of mineral resources in an area of interest are demonstrable, exploration and evaluation assets attributable to that area of interest are first tested for impairment and then reclassified to mining property and development assets within property, plant and equipment.

Recoverability of the carrying amount of any exploration and evaluation assets is dependent on successful development and commercial exploitation, or alternatively, sale of the respective areas of interest.

## 3. Approval

These condensed consolidated interim financial statements were approved and authorized for issue by the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors on August 12, 2021.

## 4. Restricted Cash

Restricted cash consists of an advance from an earn-in partner who has forwarded funds to the Company for use on a specific property.

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## 5. Exploration and Evaluation Properties

|                                      |       | Golden Summit<br>Property | Shorty Creek<br>Property | Total            |
|--------------------------------------|-------|---------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| Acquisition costs                    |       |                           |                          |                  |
| Balance, December 31, 2019           |       | \$<br>3,222,819           | \$<br>198,546            | \$<br>3,421,365  |
| Additions                            |       | 1,514,678                 | -                        | 1,514,678        |
| Balance, December 31, 2020           |       | \$<br>4,737,497           | \$<br>198,546            | \$<br>4,936,043  |
| Exploration and evaluation costs     |       |                           |                          |                  |
| Balance, December 31, 2019           |       | \$<br>28,941,211          | \$<br>5,504,527          | \$<br>34,445,738 |
| Assaying                             |       | 184,894                   | 16,952                   | 201,846          |
| Camp costs                           |       | 426,304                   | -                        | 426,304          |
| Drilling                             |       | 2,255,098                 | -                        | 2,255,098        |
| Engineering and consulting           |       | 184,645                   | 15,049                   | 199,694          |
| Environmental studies                |       | 18,931                    | -                        | 18,931           |
| Geological and field expenses        |       | 419,776                   | 48,025                   | 467,801          |
| Land maintenance and tenure          |       | 72,567                    | 122,438                  | 195,005          |
| Legal                                |       | 122,252                   | -                        | 122,252          |
| Metallurgical studies                |       | -                         | 12,310                   | 12,310           |
| Overhead cost                        |       | -                         | 19,336                   | 19,336           |
| Personnel                            |       | 364,954                   | 43.607                   | 408,561          |
| Travel                               |       | 24,926                    | 4,540                    | 29,466           |
| Total incurred during the year ended |       |                           |                          |                  |
| December 31, 2020                    | •     | \$<br>4,074,347           | \$<br>282,257            | \$<br>4,356,604  |
| Less:                                |       |                           |                          |                  |
| Expenditure recovery                 |       | -                         | (212,715)                | (212,715)        |
| Balance, December 31, 2020           | •     | \$<br>33,015,558          | \$<br>5,574,069          | \$<br>38,589,627 |
|                                      | Total | \$<br>37,753,055          | \$<br>5,772,615          | \$<br>43,525,670 |

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|  |       | (  | Golden Summit | Shorty Creek    |                  |
|--|-------|----|---------------|-----------------|------------------|
|  |       |    | Property      | Property        | Total            |
| Acquisition costs                      |       |    |               |                 |                  |
| Balance, December 31, 2020             |       | \$ | 4,737,497     | \$<br>198,546   | \$<br>4,936,043  |
| Additions                              |       |    | 741,291       | -               | 741,291          |
| Balance, June 30, 2021                 |       | \$ | 5,478,788     | \$<br>198,546   | \$<br>5,677,334  |
| Exploration and evaluation costs       |       |    |               |                 |                  |
| Balance, December 31, 2020             |       | \$ | 33,015,558    | \$<br>5,574,069 | \$<br>38,589,627 |
| Assaying                               |       |    | 496,514       | -               | 496,514          |
| Camp costs                             |       |    | 688,349       | 52,370          | 740,719          |
| Drilling                               |       |    | 4,449,398     | 89,118          | 4,538,516        |
| Engineering and consulting             |       |    | 164,046       | 54,742          | 218,788          |
| Environmental studies                  |       |    | 40,351        | ,<br>-          | 40,351           |
| Geological and field expenses          |       |    | 249,542       | 24,044          | 273,586          |
| Helicopter support                     |       |    | -             | 46,047          | 46,047           |
| Legal                                  |       |    | 67,834        | -               | 67,834           |
| Overhead cost                          |       |    | -             | 27,270          | 27,270           |
| Personnel                              |       |    | 546,325       |                 | 546,325          |
| Travel                                 |       |    | 33,199        | 10,098          | 43,297           |
| Total incurred during the period ended |       |    |               |                 |                  |
| June 30, 2021                          |       | \$ | 6,735,558     | \$<br>303,689   | \$<br>7,039,247  |
| Less:                                  |       |    |               |                 |                  |
| Expenditure recovery                   |       |    | -             | (299,974)       | (299,974)        |
| Balance, June 30, 2021                 |       | \$ | 39,751,116    | \$<br>5,577,784 | \$<br>45,328,900 |
|  | Total | \$ | 45,229,904    | \$<br>5,776,330 | \$<br>51,006,234 |

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## a) Golden Summit Property, Alaska, USA

## Fairbanks Exploration Inc.

By various agreements dated from December 1, 1992 to May 9, 1997, the Company acquired from Fairbanks Exploration Inc. ("FEI") certain mineral claims in the Fairbanks Mining District of Alaska known as the Golden Summit Property. In the deed conveying its remaining interest, FEI reserved a 7% working interest which is held in trust for FEI by the Company. The property is controlled by the Company through long-term lease agreements or outright claim ownership.

The Company will fund 100% of the costs until commercial production is achieved at which point FEI will be required to contribute 7% of any approved budget. The property is subject to a 2% Net Smelter Royalty ("NSR"), unless otherwise noted. The Company has a 30 day right of first refusal in the event that the 7% working interest of FEI or the NSR is to be sold. The Company can also purchase the NSR at any time following commercial production, based on its net present value as determined by commercial ore reserves.

## (i) Keystone Claims

By an agreement dated May 17, 1992, the Company entered into a lease with Keystone Mines Partnership ("Keystone") whereby the Company agreed to make advance royalty payments of US\$15,000 per year. In May 2000, the agreement was renegotiated and on October 15, 2000, a US\$50,000 signing bonus was paid. On November 30, 2001, the Company restructured the advance royalty payments as follows:

| 1992 – 1998 (\$15,000 per year) | \$   | 105,000     | (paid)                        |
|---------------------------------|--|-------------|-------------------------------|
| 2000                            | \$   | 50,000      | (\$25,000 paid in cash and    |
|                                 |  |             | \$25,000 with 9,816 treasury  |
|                                 |  |             | shares issued)                |
| 2001 - 2006 (\$50,000 per year) | \$   | 300,000     | (paid)                        |
| 2007                            | \$   | 150,000     | (paid)                        |
| 2008                            | \$   | 150,000     | (paid)                        |
| 2009                            | \$   | 150,000     | (paid)                        |
| 2010                            | \$   | 150,000     | (paid)                        |
| 2011                            | \$   | 150,000     | (paid)                        |
| 2012                            | \$   | 150,000     | (paid)                        |
| 2013                            | \$   | 150,000     | (paid)                        |
| 2014                            | \$   | 112,500     | (paid)                        |
| 2014                            | \$   | 37,500      | (paid)                        |
| 2015                            | \$   | 75,000      | (paid)                        |
| 2015                            | \$   | 75,000 *    | (paid)                        |
| 2016                            | \$   | 150,000 **  | (paid \$75,000)               |
| 2017                            | \$   | 150,000 **  | (paid \$75,000)               |
| 2018                            | \$   | 150,000 *** | (paid \$15,000)               |
| 2019                            | \$\$ \$\$ \$\$ \$\$ \$\$ \$\$ \$\$ \$\$ \$\$ \$\$ \$\$ \$\$ \$\$ | 150,000 *** | (paid \$15,000)               |
| 2020                            | \$   | 150,000 *** | (paid \$15,000 and \$180,000) |
| 2021                            | \$   | 75,000 ***  |                               |
|                                 |  |             |                               |

The property is subject to a 3% NSR.

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In 2011, the Company negotiated an extension of the lease. As long as there is either permitting, development mining or processing being conducted on a continuous basis or advance royalties being paid, the lease shall be renewable for successive 10 year terms.

\* \$75,000 was paid during the year ended December 31, 2016.

\*\* On December 8, 2015, the Company renegotiated the lease to reduce the annual royalty payments to \$75,000 payable in two equal installments on August 1 and November 1, until such time as the price of gold averages \$1,400 per ounce for a period of 3 months, at which time the original agreement will be re-instated. In addition, the Company will undertake \$75,000 in annual exploration expenditures as consideration for the reduced payments, until such time as the advance royalty payments are resumed at \$150,000 per year.

\*\*\* In 2018, the Company negotiated a reduction of payment to \$15,000. Pursuant to a forbearance agreement in March 2019, the Company renegotiated the lease to decrease the annual royalty payments of \$75,000 to \$15,000, payable on August 1 for 2019 and 2020. On November 3, 2020, the Company further renegotiated the lease to reduce the annual royalty payments from \$150,000 per annum to \$75,000 beginning in 2021. As consideration, the Company made a good faith lump sum payment of \$180,000.

## (ii) Newsboy Claims

By lease agreement dated February 28, 1986 and amended March 26, 1996, the Company assumed the obligation to make advance royalty payments of \$2,500 per year until 1996 (paid) and \$5,000 per year until 2006 (paid). During 2006, the Company renewed the existing lease term for an additional 5 years on the same terms and conditions.

On October 12, 2012, the Company amended the lease agreement and the lease term was extended for an additional 5 years from March 1, 2011 to February 29, 2016. The minimum royalty payable under the amended lease was \$12,000 per year for the term of the lease. The Company amended the lease agreement whereby the \$12,000 due on February 29, 2016 was deferred to May 31, 2016 (paid), and the lease term was extended for an additional 5-year term from March 1, 2016 to February 28, 2021. The lease payments are \$12,000 for 2017 (paid), \$12,000 for 2018 (paid), \$5,000 for 2019 (paid), \$5,000 for 2020 (paid) and \$5,000 (paid) for 2021. As consideration, the Company had agreed to a one-time payment of \$50,000 (the "Signing Bonus") due on or before February 28, 2017. The Company renegotiated the agreement to defer payments of the Signing Bonus to two installments of \$25,000 due on February 28, 2017 (\$25,000 paid) and \$25,000 due on February 28, 2018 (\$25,000 paid).

The claims are subject to a 4% NSR. The Company has the option to purchase the NSR for the greater of the current value or US\$1,000,000 less all advance royalty payments completed to date.

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#### (iii) Tolovana Claims

In May 2004, the Company entered into an agreement with a third party (the "Seller") whereby the Seller transferred 100% of the rights via a Quit Claim Deed to a 20-year lease on the Tolovana Gold Property in Alaska.

Under the terms of the agreement, the Company assumed all of the Seller's obligations under the lease, which include making annual payments of \$1,000 per month for the first 23 months, increasing to \$1,250 per month for the 24th to the 48th months, and \$1,500 per month after the 49th month and for the duration of the lease. These payments are current.

In addition, the Company made a cash payment to the Seller of \$7,500 on signing, and issued 66,667 shares on regulatory approval. An additional 33,333 shares were to be issued within 30 days of a minimum 200,000 ounce mineral resource being calculated on the property, if the resource was established in 5 years or less from the date of the agreement. No resource was calculated during the prescribed timeframe; therefore, these shares were not issued to the Seller.

The property is subject to a sliding scale NSR as follows: 1.5% NSR if gold is below \$300 per ounce, 2.0% NSR in the event the price of gold is between \$300 to \$400, and 3.0% NSR in the event that the price of gold is above \$400.

The Company, at its option, can purchase 100% of the Tolovana Gold Property claims and NSR for \$1,000,000 less any amounts paid.

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## (iv) Green Claims

On December 16, 2010, the Company entered into a 20-year lease agreement with Christina Mining Company, LLC ("Christina Mining") to acquire certain mineral claims in the Fairbanks Mining District of Alaska known as the Green Property. The claims are subject to a 3% NSR. The Company is required to make annual cash payments and cumulative exploration expenditures as follows:

|                          | Payments             | Cumulative Exploration<br>Expenditures |
|--------------------------|----------------------|--|
| December 1, 2010         | \$100,000 (paid)     | -                                      |
| December 1, 2011         | \$100,000 (paid)     | \$250,000 (incurred)                   |
| December 1, 2012         | \$100,000 (paid)     | \$500,000 (incurred)                   |
| December 1, 2013         | \$100,000 (paid)     | \$750,000 (incurred)                   |
| December 1, 2014         | \$50,000 (paid)      | \$1,000,000 (incurred)                 |
| December 1, 2014         | \$50,000 (paid)      | -                                      |
| December 1, 2015         | \$50,000 * (paid)    | -                                      |
| December 1, 2016         | \$50,000 ** (paid)   | -                                      |
| December 1, 2017         | \$50,000 ** (paid)   | -                                      |
| December 1, 2018         | \$50,000*** (paid)   | -                                      |
| December 1, 2019         | \$50,000*** (paid)   | -                                      |
| December 1, 2020         | \$200,000 *** (paid) | -                                      |
| December 1, 2021 to 2028 | \$200,000 per year   | -                                      |
| December 1, 2029         | \$250,000 per year   |  |
| Total                    | \$2,800,000          |  |

\*In December 2015, an amendment was negotiated to reduce the annual advance royalty for 2015 to \$50,000, with the payment deferred until March 31, 2016.

\*\* In 2016, the Company renegotiated the lease to reduce the annual royalty payments to \$50,000 until such time as the price of gold averages \$1,400 per ounce for a period of 3 months at which time the original agreement will be re-instated. In addition, the Company guaranteed to pay the 2017 and 2018 land maintenance costs as consideration for the reduced payments or until such time as the advance royalty payments are resumed pursuant to the original agreement.

\*\*\* The Company amended the lease to waive the 2018 and 2019 advance royalty payments however, in May 2021 the Company agreed to pay \$50,000 as full consideration for the 2018 advance royalty and \$50,000 for the 2019 advance royalty. The Company further agreed to pay an additional \$100,000 so the advance royalty payment would increase to \$200,000 after 10 years.

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## (v) Chatham Claims

On July 11, 2011, the Company entered into a 4-year lease agreement to acquire certain mineral claims in the Fairbanks Mining District of Alaska known as the Chatham Property. The claims were subject to a 2% NSR. The Company was required to make annual cash payments and exploration expenditures as follows:

|                        | Payments        | Exploration Expenditures |
|------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|
| Execution of agreement | \$20,000 (paid) | -                        |
| July 11, 2012          | \$30,000 (paid) | \$50,000 (incurred)      |
| July 11, 2013          | \$40,000 (paid) | \$50,000 (incurred)      |
| July 11, 2014          | \$50,000 (paid) | \$50,000 (waived)        |
| July 11, 2015          | -               | \$50,000 (waived)        |
| Total                  | \$140,000       | \$200,000                |

On July 11, 2015, the Company renegotiated and extended the lease agreement for an additional 4 years. The Company is now required to make annual cash payments and exploration expenditures as follows:

|                    | Payments                  | Exploration Expenditures |
|--------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|
| September 30, 2016 | \$25,000 (paid)           | \$20,000 (incurred)      |
| September 30, 2017 | \$50,000 (paid)           | \$20,000 (incurred)      |
| September 30, 2018 | \$50,000* (paid \$15,000) | \$20,000*                |
| September 30, 2019 | \$50,000* (paid \$15,000) | \$20,000*                |
| Total              | \$175,000                 | \$80,000                 |

\*A payment of \$15,000 was made in 2018 and, on March 27, 2019, the Company renegotiated and extended the lease agreement for an additional 2 years. The Company is now required to make annual cash payments as follows:

|                    | Payments        |
|--------------------|-----------------|
| September 30, 2019 | \$15,000 (paid) |
| September 30, 2020 | \$35,000 (paid) |
| September 30, 2021 | \$35,000        |
| Total              | \$85,000        |

The Company has the option to purchase the property for \$750,000 less the annual payments made under the amended lease agreements. On June 29, 2021, the Company agreed to purchase the property for \$610,000 (\$750,000 less \$140,000 annual payments made under the amended lease agreement). On July 7, 2021, a \$200,000 deposit was made with the balance due at closing. As consideration for the early exercise of the option, the Seller agrees to reduce the Royalty to 1.75% of Net Smelter Returns from the production or sale of Minerals from Parcel II only of the Property.

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#### (vi) Alaska Mental Health Trust Property

By lease agreement effective June 1, 2012, the Company entered into a mining lease to acquire certain mineral claims in the Fairbanks Mining District of Alaska known as the Alaska Mental Health Trust Property. The property is controlled by the Company through a 3-year lease agreement and may be extended for two extensions of 3 years. On February 1, 2013, the Company entered into an agreement to amend the terms of the lease to reflect an increase in the size of the lease to 403 acres. On June 1, 2015, the Company entered into an agreement to amend the terms of the lease to reflect an increase in the size of the lease to 403 acres. On June 1, 2015, the Company entered into an agreement to amend the terms of the lease to reflect an increase in the size of the lease to 403, the Company entered into an agreement to amend the terms of the lease to 1,576 acres. On June 1, 2018, the Company entered into an agreement to amend the terms of the lease to reflect a decrease in the size of the lease to 1,030 acres. On June 1, 2020, the Company entered into an agreement to amend the terms of the lease to 1,576 acres. On June 1, 2021, the Company entered into an agreement to extend the term of the 403 acre amendment and the 627 acre amendment for an additional 3-year term to May 31, 2024. As a result, the work commitment schedule and annual cash payments have been modified. The Company is required to make annual cash payments and exploration expenditures as follows:

For the amendment to 403 acres:

|                        | Payments                                 | Exploration Expenditures              |
|------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|
| Execution of agreement | \$25,000 (paid)                          | -                                     |
| Year 1 (2012)          | \$10 per acre per year<br>(paid)         | \$125 per acre per year<br>(incurred) |
| Year 2 (2013)          | \$10 per acre per year<br>(paid)         | \$125 per acre per year<br>(incurred) |
| Year 3 (2014)          | \$10 per acre per year<br>(paid)         | \$125 per acre per year<br>(incurred) |
| Year 4 (2015)          | \$10 per acre per year<br>(paid)         | \$235 per acre per year<br>(incurred) |
| Year 5 (2016)          | \$15 per acre per year<br>(paid)         | \$235 per acre per year<br>(incurred) |
| Year 6 (2017)          | \$15 per acre per year (paid)            |                                       |
| Year 7 (2018)          | \$20 per acre per year (paid)            |                                       |
| Year 8 (2019)          | \$20 per acre per year<br>(paid in 2020) | \$355 per acre per year<br>(incurred) |
| Year 9 (2020)          | \$20 per acre per year<br>(paid)         | \$355 per acre per year<br>(incurred) |
| Year 10 (2021)         | \$25 per acre per year<br>(paid)         | \$355 per acre per year               |
| Year 11 (2022)         | \$25 per acre per year                   | \$355 per acre per year               |
| Year 12 (2023)         | \$25 per acre per year                   | \$355 per acre per year               |
| Year 13 (2024)         | \$25 per acre per year                   | \$355 per acre per year               |

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For the amendment for an additional 627 acres:

|                | Payments                              | Exploration Expenditures              |
|----------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Year 1 (2015)  | \$10 per acre per year (paid)         | \$125 per acre per year<br>(incurred) |
| Year 2 (2016)  | \$10 per acre per year (paid)         | \$125 per acre per year<br>(incurred) |
| Year 3 (2017)  | \$10 per acre per year (paid)         | \$125 per acre per year<br>(incurred) |
| Year 4 (2018)  | \$15 per acre per year (paid)         | \$235 per acre per year<br>(incurred) |
| Year 5 (2019)  | \$15 per acre per year (paid in 2020) | \$235 per acre per year<br>(incurred) |
| Year 6 (2020)  | \$15 per acre per year (paid)         | \$235 per acre per year<br>(incurred) |
| Year 7 (2021)  | \$18.75 per acre per year (paid)      | \$235 per acre per year               |
| Year 8 (2022)  | \$18.75 per acre per year             | \$355 per acre per year               |
| Year 9 (2023)  | \$18.75 per acre per year             | \$355 per acre per year               |
| Year 10 (2024) | \$18.75 per acre per year             | \$355 per acre per year               |

For the amendment for an additional 546 acres:

|               | Payments                      | Exploration Expenditures              |
|---------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Year 1 (2020) | \$10 per acre per year (paid) | \$125 per acre per year<br>(incurred) |
| Year 2 (2021) | \$10 per acre per year (paid) | \$125 per acre per year               |
| Year 3 (2022) | \$10 per acre per year        | \$125 per acre per year               |
| Year 4 (2023) | \$15 per acre per year        | \$235 per acre per year               |
| Year 5 (2024) | \$15 per acre per year        | \$235 per acre per year               |
| Year 6 (2025) | \$15 per acre per year        | \$235 per acre per year               |
| Year 7 (2026) | \$20 per acre per year        | \$355 per acre per year               |
| Year 8 (2027) | \$20 per acre per year        | \$355 per acre per year               |
| Year 9 (2028) | \$20 per acre per year        | \$355 per acre per year               |

The claims will be subject to the following NSR:

| Price of Gold (per ounce) | Net Royalty |
|---------------------------|-------------|
| \$500 or below            | 1.0%        |
| \$500.01 - \$700.00       | 2.0%        |
| \$700.01 - \$900.00       | 3.0%        |
| \$900.01 - \$1,200.00     | 3.5%        |
| above \$1,200.00          | 4.5%        |
|                           |             |

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## (vii) Alaska Mining and Development Property

By agreement effective September 9, 2020, the Company completed the acquisition of Alaska Mining & Development Co., Inc. ("Alaska Mining"), by purchasing all the issued and outstanding shares of Alaska Mining in exchange for cash consideration of \$1,100,000 (the "Acquisition"). Alaska Mining owned certain mineral claims in the Fairbanks Mining District of Alaska.

The Company determined that Alaska Mining did not qualify as a business at the time of Acquisition; therefore, the transaction was considered an acquisition of the net assets of Alaska Mining and accounted for using the acquisition method, whereby the purchase consideration was allocated to the estimated fair value of the identifiable assets acquired at the date of the Acquisition. The purchase price was allocated to the net asset acquired in the Acquisition as follows:

\$1,100,000

\$1,100,000

Fair value of consideration paid:

Cash

Net asset acquired:

Exploration and evaluation properties

## (viii) **Discovery Claims**

By agreement effective June 23, 2021, the Company purchased certain mineral claims in the Fairbanks Mining District of Alaska for cash consideration of \$500,000.

## b) Shorty Creek Property, Alaska, USA

By agreement dated July 17, 2014, the Company entered into a renewable 10-year lease agreement to acquire certain mineral claims located 100 km northwest of Fairbanks, Alaska known as the Shorty Creek Property. On August 8, 2014, the Company issued 750,000 common shares as consideration. The vendor will retain a 2% NSR and is responsible for the annual State of Alaska rents for the first 5 years after which the Company will be responsible. In 2014 and 2016, additional claims were staked within and outside the area of interest and the Company will be responsible for these annual State of Alaska rents.

On March 5, 2019, the Company entered into an agreement (the "SC Option Agreement") with a wholly-owned subsidiary of South32 Limited ("South32") whereby South32 has the option to earn a 70% interest in the Shorty Creek Property. To maintain the option in good standing under the SC Option Agreement, South32 is required to contribute minimum exploration funding of \$10 million over a 4-year option period with minimum exploration expenditures of \$2 million in Years 1 and 2, and \$3 million in Years 3 and 4 for an aggregate of \$10 million. The first year expenditure of a minimum of \$2 million was completed.

On November 2, 2020, the Company and South32 entered into an amendment to the SC Option Agreement (the "Amending Agreement") to modify and defer South 32's funding obligations for Years 2, 3 and 4 in light of safety concerns presented by the COVID-19 pandemic. Pursuant to

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the Amending Agreement, Year 2, which was originally to have expired on January 31, 2021, was divided into two parts: Year 2, Part 1, which expires on March 31, 2021 and Year 2, Part 2, which expires on January 31, 2022. In order to maintain the option in good standing, South32 must contribute minimum exploration funding of \$300,000 in Year 2, Part 1 (received) and an additional \$2 million in Year 2, Part 2. The Year 3 and Year 4 expiry dates have been deferred for one year and now expire on January 31, 2023 and January 31, 2024, respectively.

South 32 has committed to making the required expenditures for Year 2, Part 1 and, subject to an approved budget, has also committed to making the required expenditures for Year 2, Part 2. The program for Year 2, Part 1 is now focusing on re-logging, hyperspectral analysis, age dating and geological modeling in preparation for a drilling program to be carried out in 2021 as part of the Year 2, Part 2 expenditures. The Company had until February 28, 2021 to deliver the exploration data and information from Year 2, Part 1 program and propose a budget for Year 2, Part 2 (completed). South 32 approved the 2021 budget on March 30, 2021.

Should South32 withdraw prior to exercising its option, the option will lapse and South32 will have no further interest in or claim against the Project.

South32 may exercise its option at any time following Year 1 to subscribe for 70% of the shares of a newly formed project company by committing \$30 million to the newly formed company, less the amount of exploration expenditures contributed by South32 during the option period.

After the subscription funding has been expended by the project holding company, the parties will contribute funding on a pro rata basis (70% and 30% to South 32 and the Company, respectively), as contemplated by the operating agreement which will govern the period subsequent to the option exercise.

The Company will act as the operator of the Project during the option period and will provide annual reports and budgets to a technical committee formed by the Company and South32, for the purpose of reviewing and approving each year's program.

During the six-month period ended June 30, 2021, management fee revenue of \$26,962 (June 30, 2020 - \$4,603) was earned pursuant to the 10% operator fee.

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## 6 (a) Property, Plant and Equipment

| Costs                                   | Automotive     | Computer<br>Equipment | Office<br>Equipment | Exploration<br>Office | Office<br>Equipment | Land               | Total              |
|---|----------------|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Balance, December 31, 2019<br>Additions | \$<br>33,602   | \$<br>12,209<br>-     | \$<br>6,658<br>-    | \$<br>179,944<br>-    | \$<br>13,396<br>-   | \$<br>218,892<br>- | \$<br>464,701<br>- |
| Balance, December 31, 2020              | \$<br>33,602   | \$<br>12,209          | \$<br>6,658         | \$<br>179,944         | \$<br>13,396        | \$<br>218,892      | \$<br>464,701      |
| Accumulated Depreciation                |                |                       |                     |                       |                     |                    |                    |
| Balance, December 31, 2019              | \$<br>(31,955) | \$<br>(10,026)        | \$<br>(5,367)       | \$<br>(52,733)        | \$<br>(11,373)      | \$<br>-            | \$<br>(111,454)    |
| Depreciation                            | <br>(494)      | (686)                 | (185)               | (5,089)               | (404)               | -                  | (6,858)            |
| Balance, December 31, 2020              | \$<br>(32,449) | \$<br>(10,712)        | \$<br>(5,552)       | \$<br>(57,822)        | \$<br>(11,777)      | \$<br>-            | \$<br>(118,312)    |
| Net Book Value                          | \$<br>1,153    | \$<br>1,497           | \$<br>1,106         | \$<br>122,122         | \$<br>1,619         | \$<br>218,892      | \$<br>346,389      |

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| Net Book Value             | \$<br>63,064   | \$<br>1,238           | \$<br>1,026         | \$<br>119,680         | \$<br>1,457                        | \$<br>218,892 | \$<br>405,357   |
|----------------------------|----------------|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|------------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Balance, June 30, 2021     | \$<br>(37,656) | \$<br>(10,971)        | \$<br>(5,632)       | \$<br>(60,264)        | \$<br>(11,939)                     | \$<br>-       | \$<br>(126,462) |
| Depreciation               | <br>(5,207)    | (259)                 | (80)                | (2,442)               | (162)                              | -             | (8,150)         |
| Balance, December 31, 2020 | \$<br>(32,449) | \$<br>(10,712)        | \$<br>(5,552)       | \$<br>(57,822)        | \$<br>(11,777)                     | \$<br>-       | \$<br>(118,312) |
| Accumulated Depreciation   |                |                       |                     |                       |                                    |               |                 |
| Balance, June 30, 2021     | \$<br>100,720  | \$<br>12,209          | \$<br>6,658         | \$<br>179,944         | \$<br>13,396                       | \$<br>218,892 | \$<br>531,819   |
| Additions                  | <br>67,118     | -                     | -                   | -                     | -                                  | -             | 67,118          |
| Balance, December 31, 2020 | \$<br>33,602   | \$<br>12,209          | \$<br>6,658         | \$<br>179,944         | \$<br>13,396                       | \$<br>218,892 | \$<br>464,701   |
| Costs                      |                |                       |                     |                       |                                    |               |                 |
|                            | Automotive     | Computer<br>Equipment | Office<br>Equipment | Exploration<br>Office | Exploration<br>Office<br>Equipment | Land          | Total           |

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## 6 (b) Right-of-Use Asset and Lease Liability

The Company has an office lease with a lease term to September 30, 2021. Upon transition to IFRS 16, the Company recognized a right-of-use asset of \$131,468 and a lease liability of \$131,468.

The lease liability at January 1, 2019 can be reconciled to the operating lease obligation as of December 31, 2018 as follows:

| Operating lease obligation as of December 31, 2018          | \$ 139,235 |
|---|------------|
| Discounted at the incremental borrowing rate <sup>(1)</sup> | (7,767)    |
| Lease liability recognized as of January 1, 2019            | \$ 131,468 |

<sup>(1)</sup> The lease liability was discounted using an incremental borrowing rate as at January 1, 2019 of 4.25% per annum.

The continuity of the lease liability for the six-month period ended June 30, 2021 is as follows:

|  | Lease<br>Liability |
|--|--------------------|
| January 1, 2021                                      | \$ 37,499          |
| Less: lease payments                                 | (27,324)           |
| Accretion expense                                    | 2,529              |
|  | 12,704             |
| Less: Current portion of lease liability             | (12,704)           |
| Long-term portion of lease liability – June 30, 2021 | \$-                |

The continuity of the right-of-use asset for the six-month period ended June 30, 2021 is as follows:

|  | Right-of-Use<br>Asset |
|--|-----------------------|
| January 1, 2021                          | \$ 34,164             |
| Less: Amortization of right-of-use asset | (25,965)              |
| June 30, 2021                            | \$ 8,199              |

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## 7. Related Party Balances and Transactions

A summary of key management compensation is as follows:

|   | Three<br>months<br>ended<br>June 30,<br>2021 | Three<br>months<br>ended<br>June 30,<br>2020 | Six<br>months<br>ended<br>June 30,<br>2021 | Six<br>months<br>ended<br>June 30,<br>2020 |
|---|--|--|--|--|
| Accounting – Chief Financial Officer<br>Consulting – Corporate Secretary<br>Salaries and benefits – President<br>and Vice President | \$<br>16,313<br>6,119<br>79,546              | 14,738<br>3,273<br>70,771                    | 31,889<br>12,034<br>156,438                | 29,133<br>5,476<br>142,378                 |
| Total   | \$<br>101,978                                | 88,782                                       | 200,361                                    | 176,987                                    |

The Company incurred \$11,873 in legal costs (June 30, 2020 - \$83,962 in share issue costs) with WeirFoulds LLP, a legal firm of which a Director of the Company is a partner.

Key management personnel includes individuals having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Company, including the directors, and any companies controlled by these parties.

Amounts owing to key management are non-interest bearing, unsecured and due on demand unless otherwise noted.

## 8. Restoration and Environmental Obligations

The Company's restoration and environmental obligations consist of reclamation and closure costs for the Golden Summit Property (*Note 5a*). As at June 30, 2021, the present value of the estimated obligations relating to properties is 250,000 (December 31, 2020 - 250,000) using a discount rate of 4.25% (2020 - 4.25%) and no consideration of an inflation rate (2020 - none). The Company's restoration and environmental obligation has been fully accreted as of December 31, 2020. Significant reclamation and closure cost activities include land rehabilitation, demolition of field camps, ongoing care and maintenance and other costs.

The undiscounted reclamation and closure cost obligation at June 30, 2021 is \$250,000 (December 31, 2020 – \$250,000).

Movements in the reclamation and closure cost balance during the periods are as follows:

|   | June 30,<br>2021   | December 31,<br>2020    |
|---|--------------------|-------------------------|
| Balance, beginning of year<br>Accretion | \$<br>250,000<br>- | \$<br>239,808<br>10,192 |
| Balance, end of period                  | \$<br>250,000      | \$<br>250,000           |

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#### 9. Share Capital

The Company has authorized an unlimited number of common shares with no par value. At June 30, 2021, the Company had 334,424,366 common shares outstanding (December 31, 2020 – 333,139,366).

## a) Share Issuances and Other

On May 26, 2020, the Company closed a brokered private placement of 20,895,674 Units ("First Tranche Units") at a price of Cdn\$0.17 per First Tranche Unit for gross proceeds of Cdn\$3,552,265 (\$2,647,980) and 8,516,326 subscription receipts (the "First Tranche Subscription Receipts") at a price of \$0.17 per First Tranche Subscription Receipt for gross proceeds of Cdn\$1,447,775 (\$1,079,221). Paradigm Capital Inc. ("Paradigm") acted as sole agent on the private placement. Each First Tranche Unit consists of one common share (each a "Common Share") and one-half of one common share purchase warrant (each whole warrant a "First Tranche Warrant"). Each First Tranche Warrant will entitle the holder thereof to purchase one Common Share at a price of \$0.28 until May 26, 2022. Each First Tranche Subscription Receipt will entitle the holder thereof to receive, without payment of any additional consideration, one Unit (*Note 9b*).

The Company granted Paradigm 1,462,697 agent warrants relating to the 20,895,674 private placement of First Tranche Units and 596,143 agent warrants relating to the placement of 8,516,326 First Tranche Subscription Receipts. Each agent warrant entitles Paradigm to acquire one Common Share at a price of Cdn\$0.225 until May 26, 2022. The Company incurred share issue costs associated with this financing of \$1,189,770 of which \$500,185 were commissions and related expenses and \$689,585 was the value attributable to the agent warrants (*Note 9b*).

On June 2, 2020, the Company closed a brokered private placement of 19,167,000 subscription receipts ("Second Tranche Subscription Receipts") at a price of Cdn\$0.30 for gross proceeds of Cdn\$5,750,100 (\$4,286,321). Paradigm acted as sole agent on the placement. Each Second Tranche Subscription Receipt will entitle the holder thereof to receive, without payment of any additional consideration, one Unit (a "Second Tranche Unit"). Each Second Tranche Unit will consist of one Common Share and one-half of one common share purchase warrant (each whole warrant a "Second Tranche Warrant"). Each Second Tranche Warrant will entitle the holder thereof to purchase one Common Share at a price of \$0.45 until June 2, 2022.

The Company granted Paradigm 1,341,690 agent warrants relating to the 19,167,000 Second Tranche Subscription Receipts. Each agent warrant entitles the agent to acquire one Common Share at a price of Cdn\$0.30 until June 2, 2022. The Company incurred share issue costs associated with this financing of \$853,069, of which \$374,271 were commissions and related expenses and \$478,798 was the value attributable to the agent warrants *(Note 9b)*.

On July 29, 2020, the Company closed a brokered private placement of 31,363,700 subscription receipts ("Third Tranche Subscription Receipts") at a price of Cdn\$1.10 for gross proceeds of Cdn\$34,500,070 (\$25,717,533). Paradigm acted as sole agent on the placement. Each Third Tranche Subscription Receipt will entitle the holder thereof to receive, without payment of any additional consideration, one Unit (a Third Tranche Unit"). Each Third Tranche Unit will consist of one Common Share and one-half of one common share purchase warrant (each whole warrant a "Third Tranche Warrant"). Each Third Tranche Warrant will entitle the holder thereof to purchase one Common Share at a price of \$1.65 until July 29, 2022.

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The Company granted Paradigm 395,454 agent warrants relating to the Third Tranche Subscription Receipts. Each agent warrant entitles the agent to acquire one Common Share at a price of Cdn\$1.34 until July 29, 2022. The Company incurred share issue costs associated with this financing of \$2,074,686 of which \$1,702,299 were commissions and related expenses and \$372,387 was the value attributable to the agent warrants (*Note 9b*).

The exchange of the First Tranche Subscription Receipts, Second Tranche Subscription Receipts and Third Tranche Subscription Receipts (collectively the "Subscription Receipts") for Units was approved by Freegold shareholders on September 15, 2020.

#### b) Share Purchase Warrants

The following is a summary of the changes in the Company's share purchase warrants for the periods ended June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020:

|                                    | June 30, 2 | 2021     | December     | 31, 2020 |  |
|------------------------------------|------------|----------|--------------|----------|--|
|                                    |            | Weighted |              | Weighted |  |
|                                    |            | average  |              | average  |  |
|                                    |            | exercise |              | exercise |  |
|                                    | Number of  | price    | Number of    | price    |  |
|                                    | warrants   | (Cdn\$)  | warrants     | (Cdn\$)  |  |
|                                    |            |          |              |          |  |
| Outstanding, beginning of the year | 56,736,460 | 0.64     | 44,454,582   | 0.11     |  |
| Granted                            | -          | -        | 14,706,000   | 0.28     |  |
| Granted                            | -          | -        | 2,058,840    | 0.225    |  |
| Granted                            | -          | -        | 9,583,500    | 0.45     |  |
| Granted                            | -          | -        | 1,341,690    | 0.30     |  |
| Granted                            | -          | -        | 15,681,850   | 1.65     |  |
| Granted                            | -          | -        | 395,454      | 1.34     |  |
| Exercised                          | -          | -        | (12,521,300) | 0.15     |  |
| Exercised                          | -          | -        | (1,252,130)  | 0.10     |  |
| Exercised                          | -          | -        | (14,535,000) | 0.12     |  |
| Exercised                          | -          | -        | (224,000)    | 0.081    |  |
| Exercised                          | -          | -        | (1,631,626)  | 0.28     |  |
| Exercised                          | -          | -        | (1,000,000)  | 0.225    |  |
| Exercised                          | -          | -        | (321,400)    | 0.45     |  |
|                                    |            |          |              |          |  |
| Outstanding, end of the period     | 56,736,460 | 0.64     | 56,736,460   | 0.64     |  |

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The following table summarizes information regarding share purchase warrants outstanding as at June 30, 2021:

|       | Number                   | Price per Share<br>(Cdn\$) | Expiry Date                                       |  |
|-------|--------------------------|----------------------------|---|--|
|       | 400,000                  | 0.12<br>0.081              | October 26, 2021 (viii<br>September 5, 2022 (vii) |  |
|       | 15,522,152<br>13,074,374 | 0.081                      | May 26, 2022 (Vii)                                |  |
|       | 1,058,840                | 0.225                      | May 26, 2022 (ii)                                 |  |
|       | 9,262,100                | 0.45                       | June 2, 2022 (iii)                                |  |
|       | 1,341,690                | 0.30                       | June 2, 2022 (iv)                                 |  |
|       | 15,681,850               | 1.65                       | July 29, 2022 (v)                                 |  |
|       | 395,454                  | 1.34                       | July 29, 2022 (vi)                                |  |
|       |                          |                            |   |  |
| Total | 56,736,460               |                            |   |  |

- (i) During the year ended December 31, 2020, 14,706,000 share purchase warrants having a relative fair value of \$1,666,857 were issued relating to the May 26, 2020 private placement. Each warrant entitles the holder to purchase one additional common share at a price of Cdn\$0.28 per share exercisable until May 26, 2022. The fair values were calculated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with an expected life of 2.0 years, risk-free interest rate of 0.28%, a dividend yield of 0% and historical volatility of 155% (*Note 9a*).
- (ii) During the year ended December 31, 2020, 2,058,840 agent warrants having a fair value of \$689,585 were issued relating to the May 26, 2020 private placement. Each warrant entitles the holder to purchase one additional common share at a price of Cdn\$0.225 per share exercisable until May 26, 2022. The fair values were calculated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with an expected life of 2.0 years, risk-free interest rate of 0.28%, a dividend yield of 0% and historical volatility of 155% (*Note 9a*).
- (iii) During the year ended December 31, 2020, 9,583,500 share purchase warrants having a relative fair value of \$1,856,154 were issued relating to the June 2, 2020 private placement. Each warrant entitles the holder to purchase one additional common share at a price of Cdn\$0.45 per share exercisable until June 2, 2022. The fair values were calculated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with an expected life of 2.0 years, risk-free interest rate of 0.26%, a dividend yield of 0% and historical volatility of 155% (*Note 9a*).
- (iv) During the year ended December 31, 2020, 1,341,690 agent warrants having a fair value of \$478,798 were issued relating to the June 2, 2020 private placement. Each warrant entitles the holder to purchase one additional common share at a price of Cdn\$0.30 per share exercisable until June 2, 2022. The fair values were calculated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with an expected life of 2.0 years, risk-free interest rate of 0.26%, a dividend yield of 0% and historical volatility of 155% (*Note 9a*).
- (v) During the year ended December 31, 2020, 15,681,850 share purchase warrants having a relative fair value of \$10,886,765 were issued relating to the July 29, 2020 private placement. Each warrant entitles the holder to purchase one additional common share at

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a price of Cdn\$1.65 per share exercisable until July 29, 2022. The fair values were calculated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with an expected life of 2.0 years, risk-free interest rate of 0.23%, a dividend yield of 0% and historical volatility of 157% (*Note 9a*).

- (vi) During the year ended December 31, 2020, 395,454 agent warrants having a fair value of \$372,387 were issued relating to the July 29, 2020 private placement. Each warrant entitles the holder to purchase one additional common share at a price of Cdn\$1.34 per share exercisable until July 29, 2022. The fair values were calculated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with an expected life of 2.0 years, risk-free interest rate of 0.23%, a dividend yield of 0% and historical volatility of 157% (*Note 9a*).
- (vii) During the year ended December 31, 2019, 15,746,152 share purchase warrants having a relative fair value of \$603,249 were issued relating to a private placement. Each warrant entitles the holder to purchase one additional common share at a price of Cdn\$0.081 per share exercisable until September 5, 2022. The fair values were calculated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with an expected life of 3.0 years, risk-free interest rate of 1.27%, a dividend yield of 0% and historical volatility of 115% (*Note 9a*).
- (viii) During the year ended December 31, 2018, 14,935,000 share purchase warrants having a relative fair value of \$372,760 were issued relating to a private placement. Each warrant entitles the holder to purchase one additional common share at a price of Cdn\$0.12 per share exercisable until October 26, 2021. The fair values were calculated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with an expected life of 3.0 years, risk-free interest rate of 2.29%, a dividend yield of 0% and historical volatility of 113%.

## c) Stock Options

The Company has established a stock option plan (the "Stock Option Plan") whereby the Board of Directors (the "Board"), may from time to time, grant options to directors, officers, employees or consultants. At the Company's Annual General Meeting held on June 29, 2021, shareholders reapproved a resolution which reserves up to 10% of the issued and outstanding shares from time to time (including existing stock options), as a "rolling stock option plan". Stock options may be granted under the Stock Option Plan with an exercise period of up to ten (10) years from the date of grant or such lesser period as determined by the Board, subject to a short extension in the case of a Company imposed blackout period. Any stock options granted under the Stock Option Plan will not be less than the closing price of the common shares on the day prior to grant. The policies of the TSX require the approval of all unallocated options, rights or entitlements under the Stock Option Plan by the Company's shareholders every three years with the next such renewal approval requested by shareholders on or before June 29, 2024.

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A summary of the Company's stock options at June 30, 2021 and the changes for the period are as follows:

| Number<br>Outstanding<br>December 31,<br>2020 | Granted | Exercised   | Cancelled | Expired | Number<br>Outstanding<br>June 30,<br>2021 | Number<br>Exercisable<br>June 30,<br>2021 | Exercise<br>Price<br>(Cdn\$) | Expiry Date   |
|---|---------|-------------|-----------|---------|---|---|------------------------------|---------------|
| 3,570,000                                     | -       | (895,000)   | -         | -       | 2,675,000                                 | 2,675,000                                 | 0.21                         | July 8, 2021  |
| 2,735,000                                     | -       | (390,000)   | -         | -       | 2,345,000                                 | 2,345,000                                 | 0.10                         | July 23, 2023 |
| 100,000                                       | -       | -           | -         | -       | 100,000                                   | 100,000                                   | 0.07                         | May 15, 2024  |
| 6,405,000                                     | -       | (1,285,000) | -         | -       | 5,120,000                                 | 5,120,000                                 | 0.16                         |               |

A summary of the Company's stock options at December 31, 2020 and the changes for the period are as follows:

| Number<br>Outstanding<br>December 31,<br>2019 | Granted | Exercised   | Cancelled | Expired | Number<br>Outstanding<br>December<br>31, 2020 | Number<br>Exercisable<br>December<br>31, 2020 | Exercise<br>Price<br>(Cdn\$) | Expiry Date   |
|---|---------|-------------|-----------|---------|---|---|------------------------------|---------------|
| 150,000                                       | -       | (150,000)   | -         | -       | -   | -   | 0.12                         | July 28, 2020 |
| 4,220,000                                     | -       | (650,000)   | -         | -       | 3,570,000                                     | 3,570,000                                     | 0.21                         | July 8, 2021  |
| 50,000  | -       | (50,000)    | -         | -       | -   | -   | 0.155                        | April 6, 2022 |
| 3,150,000                                     | -       | (415,000)   | -         | -       | 2,735,000                                     | 2,735,000                                     | 0.10                         | July 23, 2023 |
| 100,000                                       | -       | -           | -         | -       | 100,000                                       | 100,000                                       | 0.07                         | May 15, 2024  |
| 7,670,000                                     | -       | (1,265,000) | -         | -       | 6,405,000                                     | 6,405,000                                     | 0.16                         |               |

The fair value of each option grant is estimated on the date of grant using the Black-Scholes option-pricing model with the following weighted average assumptions:

|                          | hun a 20, 0004 | December 31, |
|--------------------------|----------------|--------------|
|                          | June 30, 2021  | 2020         |
| Expected dividend yield  | -              | -            |
| Historical volatility    | -              | -            |
| Risk-free interest rate  | -              | -            |
| Expected life of options | -              | -            |

## 10. Commitments

a) The Company has the following commitments related to payments required under a photocopier lease:

|                            | < 1 year | 2-5 years | > 5 years | Total   |
|----------------------------|----------|-----------|-----------|---------|
|                            | (Cdn\$)  | (Cdn\$)   | (Cdn\$)   | (Cdn\$) |
| Photocopier lease payments | 2,789    | 10,461    | -         | 13,250  |

b) The Company has future commitments under exploration and evaluation property option agreements to pay cash and incur exploration expenditures (*Note 5*).

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## **11. Segmented Information**

Details on a geographic basis as at June 30, 2021 are as follows:

|                                       | USA              | Canada           | Total            |
|---------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|
| (Loss) for the period                 | \$<br>(8,846)    | \$<br>(850,246)  | \$<br>(859,092)  |
| Comprehensive (loss) for the period   | \$<br>(8,846)    | \$<br>(88,986)   | \$<br>(97,832)   |
| Current assets                        | \$<br>1,001,937  | \$<br>22,679,644 | \$<br>23,681,581 |
| Right-of-use asset                    | \$<br>-          | \$<br>8,199      | \$<br>8,199      |
| Property, plant and equipment         | \$<br>403,093    | \$<br>2,264      | \$<br>405,357    |
| Exploration and evaluation properties | \$<br>51,006,234 | \$<br>-          | \$<br>51,006,234 |
| Total assets                          | \$<br>52,411,264 | \$<br>22,690,107 | \$<br>75,101,371 |

Details on a geographic basis as at December 31, 2020 are as follows:

|  | <br>USA          | Canada            | Total             |
|--|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Income (loss) for the year               | \$<br>(18,921)   | \$<br>(1,284,903) | \$<br>(1,303,824) |
| Comprehensive income (loss) for the year | \$<br>(18,921)   | \$<br>277,293     | \$<br>258,372     |
| Current assets                           | \$<br>492,554    | \$<br>29,567,818  | \$<br>30,060,372  |
| Right-of-use asset                       | \$<br>-          | \$<br>34,164      | \$<br>34,164      |
| Property, plant and equipment            | \$<br>343,786    | \$<br>2,603       | \$<br>346,389     |
| Exploration and evaluation properties    | \$<br>43,525,670 | \$<br>-           | \$<br>43,525,670  |
| Total assets                             | \$<br>44,362,010 | \$<br>29,604,585  | \$<br>73,966,595  |

Details on a geographic basis as at June 30, 2020 are as follows:

|                                   | <br>USA       | Canada          | Total           |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Loss for the period               | \$<br>(8,357) | \$<br>(294,764) | \$<br>(303,121) |
| Comprehensive loss for the period | \$<br>(8,357) | \$<br>(251,348) | \$<br>(259,705) |

## 12. Comparative Figures

Certain comparative figures have been adjusted to conform to the current period's presentation.

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## 13. Financial Instruments and Risk Management

## a) Financial Instruments

The carrying value of financial assets and liabilities at June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020 are as follows:

|  | June 30, 2021                         | December 31,<br>2020                 |
|--|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Financial Assets   |                                       |                                      |
| Amortized cost<br>Cash and cash equivalents<br>Restricted cash<br>Amounts receivable | \$<br>23,029,772<br>358,460<br>47,003 | \$<br>29,652,808<br>158,435<br>7,228 |
| Financial Liabilities  |                                       |                                      |
| Amortized cost<br>Trade payables<br>Accrued liabilities                              | \$<br>1,231,341<br>1,210              | \$<br>207,688<br>138,719             |

## **Financial instrument hierarchy**

Financial instruments measured at fair value on the condensed consolidated interim statement of financial position are summarized into the following fair value hierarchy levels:

Level 1: quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities. Level 2: inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices). Level 3: inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data (unobservable inputs).

The Company does not carry any financial instruments at fair value through profit or loss.

## b) Capital Management

The capital structure of the Company consists of equity attributable to common shareholders, comprising issued capital, accumulated other comprehensive income and deficit. The Company's objectives when managing capital are to: (i) preserve capital, (ii) obtain the best available net return, and (iii) maintain liquidity.

The Company manages the capital structure and makes adjustments to it in light of changes in economic conditions and the risk characteristics of the underlying assets. To maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Company may attempt to issue new shares, issue new debt, acquire or dispose of assets or adjust the amount of cash and cash equivalents and investments.

Management reviews its capital management approach on an ongoing basis and believes that this approach, given the relative size of the Company, is reasonable. There were no changes in the Company's approach to capital management during the six-month period ended June 30,

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2021. Neither the Company nor its subsidiaries are subject to externally imposed capital requirements.

#### c) Credit Risk

Credit risk is the risk of an unexpected loss if a customer or counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations and arises primarily from the Company's cash and cash equivalents and amounts receivable. The Company manages its credit risk relating to cash and cash equivalents by dealing only with highly-rated Canadian financial institutions. As at June 30, 2021, amounts receivable of \$65,216 (December 31, 2020 - \$41,259) was comprised of goods and services tax receivable of \$18,213 (December 31, 2020 - \$34,031), interest receivable of \$Nil (December 31, 2020 - \$6,764) and other receivables of \$47,003 (December 31, 2020 - \$464). As a result, credit risk is considered insignificant.

#### d) Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will not be able to meet its financial obligations as they fall due. The Company manages liquidity risk by continuously monitoring actual and projected cash flows and matching the maturity profile of financial assets and liabilities. As at June 30, 2021, the Company had cash of \$23,029,772 to settle trade payables of \$1,231,341.

#### e) Currency Risk

Foreign currency exchange risk is the risk that future cash flows, net income (loss) and comprehensive income (loss) will fluctuate as a result of changes in foreign exchange rates. As the Company's operations are conducted internationally, operations and capital activity may be transacted in currencies other than the functional currency of the entity party to the transaction.

The Company's objective in managing its foreign currency risk is to minimize its net exposures to foreign currency cash flows by obtaining most of its estimated annual U.S. cash requirements and holding the remaining currency in Canadian dollars. The Company monitors and forecasts the values of net foreign currency cash flow and condensed consolidated interim statement of financial position exposures and from time to time could authorize the use of derivative financial instruments such as forward foreign exchange contracts to economically hedge a portion of foreign currency fluctuations.

The following table provides an indication of the Company's foreign currency exposures during the periods ended June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020:

|                             | June 30,<br>2021 | December 31,<br>2020 |
|-----------------------------|------------------|----------------------|
|                             | (Cdn\$)          | (Cdn\$)              |
| Cash and cash equivalents   | 14,160,333       | 15,720,683           |
| Trade payables and accruals | 449,518          | 257,939              |

A 1% change in Canadian/US foreign exchange rate at period end would have changed the net loss of the Company, assuming that all other variables remained constant, by approximately \$137,108 for the six-month period ended June 30, 2021 (June 30, 2020 - \$18,051).

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The Company has not entered into any derivative instruments to offset the impact of foreign currency fluctuations.

## f) Interest Rate Risk

The Company is not subject to interest rate risk.

## g) Commodity Price Risk

The Company is in the exploration stage and is not subject to commodity price risk.

## 14. Subsequent Event

The Company issued 2,675,000 shares for proceeds of Cdn\$561,750 on the exercise of options.



#### FORM 51-102F1 MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FOR FREEGOLD VENTURES LIMITED

## DATED: AUGUST 12<sup>TH</sup>, 2021

This discussion contains certain forward-looking information and is expressly qualified by the cautionary statement at the end of this <u>Management's Discussion and Analysis</u> ("MD&A").

## INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS

The 2021 and 2020 information set forth in this document should be read in conjunction with the condensed consolidated unaudited interim financial statements and related notes, prepared in accordance with IFRS, for the six-month periods ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021 and 2020.

## PRESENTATION CURRENCY

The condensed consolidated interim financial statements are presented in United States Dollars ("U.S. Dollars"), unless otherwise specified. The functional currency of Freegold Ventures Limited is Canadian Dollars. However, the functional currency of the Company's foreign subsidiaries is the U.S. Dollar. Accordingly, the condensed consolidated financial statements are presented in U.S. Dollars. <u>Unless otherwise noted</u>, all currency amounts presented in this MD&A are stated in U.S. Dollars.

## **BUSINESS OF FREEGOLD**

Freegold is an exploration stage company engaged in the acquisition, exploration and evaluation of mineral properties of merit with the aim of developing them to a stage where they can be exploited at a profit or to arrange joint ventures whereby other companies provide funding for development and exploitation. The Company was incorporated in 1985 and is listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange under the symbol "FVL". On June 15, 2021, the Company's shares were approved for trading on the OTCQX Best Market, the top tier of the OTC Markets in the U.S. under the symbol "FGOVF". As of August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2021, the Company had 337,099,366 shares outstanding. The Company has its registered corporate office in Vancouver, Canada.

## **REVIEW OF EXPLORATION PROJECTS**

The Company continues to focus its exploration activities in Alaska on its Golden Summit and Shorty Creek Projects.

## **GOLDEN SUMMIT**

The Golden Summit Project (the "Project") is a road accessible gold exploration project near Fairbanks, Alaska. The Project consists of a several long-term leases ("Keystone Claims", "Tolovana Claims", "Newsboy Claims", "Green Claims", "Chatham Claims" and "Alaska Mental Health Trust Property") and claims and lands owned by Freegold. The Project is subject to various fixed and sliding net smelter return royalties ("NSR's") ranging from 1 to 5% dependent on the price of gold. The Project is also subject to various payments and work commitments on an annual basis. In a deed conveying its remaining interest, Fairbanks Exploration Inc. ("FEI") reserved a 7%

working interest, which is held in trust for FEI by the Company on certain mineral claims. The Company will fund 100% of the costs until commercial production is achieved at which point FEI is required to contribute 7% of any approved budget. These claims are subject to a 2% NSR to FEI unless otherwise noted. The Company has a 30 day right of first refusal in the event that the 7% working interest of FEI or the NSR is to be sold. The Company can also purchase the NSR at any time following commercial production, based on its net present value as determined by commercial ore reserves.

In September 2020, the Company completed the acquisition of 13 federal mining claims by outright purchase within the project area as part of its efforts to further consolidate its property position. In June 2021, Freegold further completed the acquisition of additional claims within the project area.

Freegold has been exploring the Golden Summit Project intermittently since 1992. Exploration activities have included ground and airborne geophysics, rock, soil and trench sampling and drilling (reverse circulation, rotary air blast and core). In addition, detailed geochemical and geophysical programs have been undertaken over the entire Project. The Project is host to several high-grade historical gold mines as well as significant historical placer gold production. It is estimated that some 6.75 million ounces of placer gold have been recovered from the streams that drain the Golden Summit Project area.

Since 2011, four resource updates have been completed on the Project. The most recent technical report on the Golden Summit Project, entitled "*Technical Report, Golden Summit Project, Preliminary Economic Assessment, Fairbanks North Star Borough, Alaska, USA*" dated January 20<sup>th</sup>, 2016 and Amended and Restated as of May 11<sup>th</sup>, 2016 prepared by Tetra Tech, Inc. and Mark J. Abrams, C.P.G. and Gary Giroux, P. Eng., M.A.Sc. of Giroux Consultants Ltd. (the "Golden Summit Technical Report") has been filed under the Company's profile on SEDAR.

## The preliminary economic assessment ("PEA") reflected in the Golden Summit Technical Report is preliminary in nature, it includes inferred mineral resources that are considered too speculative geologically to have the economic considerations applied to them that would enable them to be categorized as mineral reserves, and there is no certainty that the PEA will be realized.

The PEA evaluates a two-phase, 24-year life of mine open pit mine generating two gold streams, each operating at 10,000 tonnes per day (tpd). Processing operations for the oxide and sulfide mineralized materials are heap leach and bio-oxidation, respectively. All values are presented in US\$.

Based on a gold price of \$1,300/oz, highlights of the PEA include:

- A post-tax net present value using a 5% discount rate and an internal rate of return of \$188 million and 19.6%, respectively;
- A mine life of 24 years with peak annual gold production of 158 thousand ounces (koz) and average annual gold production of 96 koz;
- 2,358 koz of doré produced over the life of mine;
- Total cash cost estimated at \$842/oz Au (including royalties, refining and transport);
- Ability to execute Phase 1 with low initial capital; initial and sustaining capital costs, including contingency, estimated at \$88 million and \$348 million respectively;

- A payback of 3.3 years post-tax; and
- Favourable geopolitical climate; completion risk is ameliorated through strong legislative and financial support at state and federal levels.

Potential optimization of the project includes the expansion of the oxide material, which may have the potential to increase the project's overall IRR and NPV, by increasing the throughput during the oxide phase. During the 2017 season, a total of 27 holes were drilled in an area to the north of the current resource area. Using results of the previously completed RAB (Rotary Air Blast) drilling, ground resistivity and soil geochemistry, a series of vertical holes, spaced roughly 50 metres apart were completed. The hole pattern was designed to determine if the current oxide resource could be expanded to the north as well as to establish boundaries to the current oxide resource. The results of the 2017 program demonstrated the potential for expansion of the current oxide resource at Golden Summit to the north with the majority of the holes returning average grades above the oxide grade cut-off used in the 2016 PEA. The oxide resource is contained largely within the upper 200 feet (60 metres) of the surface. To date, resource drilling has been confined to a 300 metre by 1.5 kilometre area (approx. 110 acres) however, the entire Golden Summit project area covers 13,000 acres and hosts numerous other significant exploration targets with potential to host additional resources, all of which would have the potential for an oxide cap within 200 feet (60 metres) of surface.

The 2020 winter drill program at Golden Summit commenced on February 26<sup>th</sup>, 2020. The program was designed to test a revised interpretation based on the Company's work that highergrade mineralization may extend to the west of the old Cleary Hill Mine workings in an area of limited previous drilling.

On March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2020, the Company announced the program was suspended as the World Health Organization declared COVID-19 a global pandemic. This contagious disease outbreak, which has continued to spread has adversely affected workforces, economies, and financial markets globally, leading to an economic downturn. Exploration was temporarily suspended as a result of the pandemic but recommenced on June 16, 2020.

On May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2020, the Company announced assay results from its temporarily suspended drill program.

Drill results returned multiple intercepts of higher-grade mineralization within the projected extension of the Cleary Vein system ("CVS"). Hole GSDL2001 was drilled to a depth of 548 metres and intersected 188 metres grading 3.69 grams per tonne (g/t). Significantly, the last 20 metres graded 9.87 g/t Au, indicating the system is open to depth. GSDL2002, drilled 150 metres to the east of GSDL 2001, was drilled to a depth of 165 metres and had just intersected the projected CVS returning 2.4 g/t over 9metres before drilling activities were suspended due to COVID-19. Drilling on this hole was resumed when the program restarted.

These intercepts correspond with Freegold's revised interpretation that the strike of the Cleary Hill vein system may extend west of the old Cleary Hill Mine working towards the Dolphin intrusive in an area of limited previous drilling. As the district's highest grade historical underground mine Cleary Hill produced 281,000 ounces at an average grade of 1.3 oz/t before production ceased in 1942. The historic Cleary Hill mine workings are projected to lie approximately 500-600 metres to the northeast of the current drilling.

Significant results from drilling completed until program suspension in March 2020 are reported below:

| Hole Number | Dip  | Azimuth  | Depth<br>(m) | From<br>(m) | To<br>(m) | Int.<br>(m) | Au g | j/t |
|-------------|------|----------|--------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|------|-----|
| GSDL2001    | -80° | 360°     | 548          | 290.6       | 548       | 257.4       | 2.94 |     |
|             | iı   | ncluding | 365.2        | 367.2       | 2.0       | 169.5       |      |     |
|             |      | ii       | ncluding     | 360         | 548       | 188.0       | 3.69 |     |
|             | 528  | 548      | 20.0         | 9.87        |           |             |      |     |
| GSDL2002    | -70° | 360°     | 165          | 156         | 165       | 9           | 2.4  |     |

Width refers to drill hole intercepts, true widths cannot be determined due to uncertain geometry of mineralization.

Following the announcement of the May 6<sup>th</sup>, 2020 drill results at Golden Summit, the Company raised gross proceeds of Cdn\$45,250,210 (\$33,731,055) pursuant to three private placements. Of the funds raised, Cdn\$3,552,265 (\$2,647,980) were closed by way of a brokered private placement and Cdn\$41,697,945 (\$31,083,075) were completed via subscription receipts, which were approved by the Company's shareholders on September 15, 2020 with the net proceeds received by the Company on September 21<sup>st</sup>, 2020.

On June 16<sup>th</sup>, 2020, drilling recommenced with a Phase1 (10,000 metre) drill program (approximately 15-20 holes) starting with the completion of Hole GSDL2002 which was shut-down at 165 metres in March due to safety concerns resulting from COVID-19. This hole, located 150 metres to the east of GSDL2001, was drilled to a depth of 576 metres and intersected 136 metres grading 1.02 g/t Au from 370.6-507 metres.

On January 12<sup>th</sup>, 2021, the Company reported intercepts from drill holes GSDL2007 and GSDL2008. Located nearly 600 metres apart, both holes successfully intercepted broad zones of above resource grade at their projected target depths. In the Dolphin area, results from Hole GSDL2007 confirmed another broad zone of high-grade mineralization within the schists in the immediate footwall of the intrusive. GSDL2008 was the first of the holes drilled in the Cleary area in 2020 and intercepted another broad zone of above resource grade material. This hole intersected the projected zone at its target depth and returned 1.2 g/t Au over 231 metres. This is interpreted to be the down dip extension of the Cleary Hill vein zone. Previous drilling in the Cleary Hill area was largely shallow in nature.

Table of Significant Intercepts:

| Hole #   | Hole  | Dip  | Azimuth | From  | То    | Interval | Au   |
|----------|-------|------|---------|-------|-------|----------|------|
|          | Depth |      |         | (m)   | (m)   | (m)      | g/t  |
|          | (m)   |      |         |       |       |          |      |
| Dolphin  |       |      |         |       |       |          |      |
| GSDL2007 | 573   | -75° | 360°    | 225   | 573   | 348      | 1.00 |
| incl     |       |      |         | 225   | 315   | 90       | 1.55 |
| incl     |       |      |         | 351   | 573   | 222      | 0.91 |
| Cleary   |       |      |         |       |       |          |      |
| GSDL2008 | 442.4 | -70° | 360°    | 174.7 | 406.1 | 231.5    | 1.20 |
| incl     |       |      |         | 190.8 | 241.7 | 50.9     | 1.86 |
| incl     |       |      |         | 318.4 | 375.7 | 57.3     | 2.07 |

Width refers to drill hole intercepts, true widths cannot be determined due to uncertain geometry of mineralization.

On February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2021, the Company reported intercepts from drill holes GSDL2009 and GSDL2010. Both holes intersected broad zones significantly above resource grade at their projected target depths. The zones are comprised of multiple veins, veinlets and stockwork within a broadly defined zone of mineralization.

Table of Significant Intercepts:

| Hole #   | Hole  | Dip  | Azimuth | From  | То    | Interval | Au   |
|----------|-------|------|---------|-------|-------|----------|------|
|          | Depth |      |         | (m)   | (m)   | (m)      | g/t  |
|          | (m)   |      |         |       |       |          |      |
| Cleary   |       |      |         |       |       |          |      |
| GSDL2009 | 492.3 | -70° | 360°    | 171.6 | 452.2 | 280.6    | 1.35 |
| Incl     |       |      |         | 236.2 | 329.8 | 93.6     | 2.67 |
| Incl     |       |      |         | 236.2 | 239.3 | 3.1      | 55.6 |
| Dolphin  |       |      |         |       |       |          |      |
| GSDL2010 | 518   | -70° | 360°    | 203   | 512   | 309      | 1.16 |
| Incl     |       |      |         | 455   | 458   | 3.0      | 31   |

Width refers to drill hole intercepts, true widths cannot be determined due to uncertain geometry of mineralization.

On April 12<sup>th</sup>, 2021, the Company reported intercepts from drill holes GS2011, GS2014 GS2015, GS2016 and GS2017. All holes intersected broad zones significantly above resource grade at their projected target depths.

| Hole #    | Hole  | Dip  | Azimuth | From  | То    | Interval | Au    |
|-----------|-------|------|---------|-------|-------|----------|-------|
|           | Depth |      |         | (m)   | (m)   | (m)      | g/t   |
|           | (m)   |      |         |       |       |          | -     |
| Dolphin   |       |      |         |       |       |          |       |
| GS2011    | 598.1 | -70° | 360°    | 20    | 62    | 42       | 0.53  |
|           |       |      |         | 278   | 378   | 100      | 0.97  |
|           |       |      |         | 404.2 | 561.8 | 157.6    | 1.34  |
| including |       |      |         | 557.7 | 558   | 0.3      | 66.7  |
| GS2015    | 595.5 | -70° | 350°    | 20    | 69.7  | 49.7     | 0.42  |
|           |       |      |         | 162   | 508   | 346      | 1.13  |
| including |       |      |         | 462.5 | 464   | 1.5      | 86.4  |
| GS2016    | 583.8 | -70° | 360°    | 167   | 479.6 | 312.6    | 0.95  |
| including |       |      |         | 191   | 394   | 203      | 1.03  |
| Cleary    |       |      |         |       |       |          |       |
| GS2014    | 517.2 | -80° | 360°    | 258.2 | 348.2 | 90       | 1.8   |
|           |       |      |         | 418.2 | 458.6 | 40.4     | 0.86  |
| GS2017    | 489.5 | -70° | 360°    | 16.2  | 57.8  | 41.6     | 0.48  |
|           |       |      |         | 268.8 | 488.6 | 219.8    | 1.61* |
| including |       |      |         | 300.5 | 398.7 | 98.2     | 3.07* |
| including |       |      |         | 305.1 | 306.8 | 1.7      | 588   |
| Including |       |      |         | 370.6 | 398.7 | 28.1     | 1.99  |

Table of Significant Intercepts:

\*in the above table, the 1.7 metre sample interval of 588 g/t has been cut to 88 g/t Au for the purpose of calculating a weighted average. The 88 g/t cut grade was based on the drilling results and statistical analysis conducted in conjunction with the previous resource estimate. Visible gold was not noted in the sample. Width refers to drill hole intercepts, true width cannot be determined due to the uncertain geometry of mineralization.

| Zone    | Hole<br>Number | Hole<br>Depth (m) | Dip | Azimuth | From<br>(m) | To<br>(m) | Interval<br>(m) | Au<br>g/t |
|---------|----------------|-------------------|-----|---------|-------------|-----------|-----------------|-----------|
| Dolphin | GS2101         | 692.7             | -70 | 360     | 210.1       | 631.7     | 421.6           | 1.11      |
|         | including      |                   |     |         | 210.1       | 441.1     | 231             | 1.16      |
|         | including      |                   |     |         | 391.4       | 392.3     | 0.9             | 24.6      |
|         | including      |                   |     |         | 437         | 439.2     | 2.2             | 13.55     |
|         | including      |                   |     |         | 467         | 577       | 110             | 1.54      |
|         | including      |                   |     |         | 486.3       | 488.9     | 2.6             | 21.3      |
|         | GS2018         | 656               | -70 | 360     | 82.2        | 433.1     | 350.9           | 0.51      |
|         | including      |                   |     |         | 227         | 245.5     | 18.5            | 0.95      |
|         | including      |                   |     |         | 319         | 429.6     | 110.6           | 0.65      |
|         | GS2108         | 485.9             | -70 | 360     | 189.6       | 485.9     | 296.3           | 1.4       |
|         | including      |                   |     |         | 189.6       | 230.7     | 41.1            | 3.99      |
|         | including      |                   |     |         | 224.6       | 226.6     | 2               | 15.05     |
|         | including      |                   |     |         | 228.4       | 229.7     | 1.3             | 51.8      |
|         |                |                   |     |         |             |           |                 |           |
| Cleary  | GSDL2013       | 423.7             | -80 | 360     | 358.7       | 399.1     | 40.4            | 1.29      |

On June 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2021, the Company reported final results from the 2020 program and results from the first two holes of the 2021 program.

Width refers to drill hole intercepts, true width cannot be determined due to the uncertain geometry of mineralization.

Hole GS 2101 was drilled northeast of the contact with the Dolphin intrusive, and continues to show very broad zones of greater than 1 g/t mineralization, with significant sections grading better than 1.5 g/t. This is on the projected trend of the mineralization extending towards the Cleary vein system.

Hole GS 2018 is on the northern side of the Tolovana vein zone and indicates weakening of the mineralization to the northwest, although still intersecting very broad zones of above cut-off grade mineralization.

Hole GS 2108 was also located north of the Tolovana vein zone but further to the west than GS 2018, and intersected 41.1 metres of 3.99 g/t Au within a broad zone of 296.3 metres grading 1.4 g/t Au.

Hole GSDL2013 was located in the Cleary Area, and intersected 40.4 metres grading 1.29 g/t Au. The hole successfully demonstrated that mineralization extends beyond the depth of previous drilling. The mineralization remains open to depth.

GSDL2012, located in the Cleary area was terminated at a depth of 44 metres after two attempts due to ground conditions. No significant values were intercepted. Additional holes in this area are planned.

The results of the drilling are continuing to successfully confirm Freegold's revised interpretation that there is potential for a higher-grade corridor, effectively a vein swarm, consisting of multiple veins, veinlets and stockwork zones within areas of intense silicification and alteration extending from the area of the old Cleary Hill mine workings towards the Dolphin intrusive. Drilling is also continuing to demonstrate the potential for higher grade mineralization at Cleary Hill well below the level of previous drilling.

The 2021 drill program will continue to focus on continuing to determine the orientation of the zones of higher-grade mineralization consistent with Freegold's revised interpretation, in particular, to the north, east and west of the Dolphin intrusive. In addition, drilling will also be directed to the south of the Cleary Hill mine workings where previous workings including the Colorado, Wackwitz and Wyoming vein zones which have never been tested to depth or along strike to the east. Past drilling in the Cleary Hill area has been largely shallow in nature and it is interpreted that the Dolphin intrusive likely underlies the Cleary Hill area at depth.

In addition, Freegold is planning to test other targets on the project that may have potential to host additional resources and host other buried intrusive rocks. Ground geophysics and soil sampling has been conducted on these areas and further drilling is being planned to test these. Assay reporting remains slow, largely as a result of the backlog at the preparatory facility in Fairbanks as all samples are prepped in Fairbanks prior to being shipped to either Reno or Vancouver for analyses.

Although some high-grade mineralization has been intercepted in the drilling, drilling is still too widely spaced to correlate one high grade intercept to the next and the orientation of these very high-grade intercepts remains unknown. Closer spaced drilling in order to attempt to correlate these high-grade intercepts will also be undertaken.

The current program has multiple objectives beyond expanding the existing resource and potentially increasing its grade but also to advance the project through pre-feasibility.

- Determining the orientation of the higher-grade mineralization successfully intercepted in GSDL2001, GSDL2002, GSDL 2005, GS2011, GS2015 and GS2017.
- Expanding the currently known resource and upgrading the resource categories as part of the efforts to further advance the project through pre-feasibility, including additional environmental baseline studies, further metallurgical test work, and cultural resource studies.
- Testing other targets on the project that may have potential to host additional resources and host other buried intrusive rocks throughout the project area. Ground geophysics and soil sampling have been conducted on these areas and further drilling is being planned to test these areas.

Holes are being systematically drilled not only to determine the orientation of the higher-grade mineralization but also to define the extent of the mineralization which remains open in all directions. Results will be reported when available; however, the current program has been designed to systematically evaluate the mineralized zone and is not dependent upon individual hole results.

Approximately 80 holes (assuming an average hole depth of 500 metres) are expected to be drilled during 2021. Since drilling recommenced in February, 41 holes have been completed. Drilling remains ongoing and 22,000 metres including holes in progress have now been completed.

Drill cores were cut in half using a diamond saw, with one-half placed in sealed bags for preparation and subsequent geochemical analysis by an accredited laboratory. All assays reported from the 2020 and 2021 programs have completed by ALS Global Ltd., with sample preparation carried out at the ALS facility in Fairbanks, Alaska with subsequent analyses

performed at its Vancouver and Reno laboratories. The Company maintains a Quality control/quality assurance program for all sampling.

The Company may adjust its exploration program plans as it continues to monitor the COVID-19 pandemic and in the interim has implemented extensive safety protocols designed to minimizing the spread of COVID-19 and to protect its contractors, employees and the local community.

### SHORTY CREEK

The Company entered into a renewable ten-year lease agreement to acquire certain mineral claims comprising the Shorty Creek Project in July 2014. The Project is located 120 kilometres northwest of Fairbanks, Alaska and 4 kilometres to the south of the all-weather paved Elliott Highway within the Livengood-Tolovana Mining District. The Company issued 750,000 common shares as consideration. The vendor will retain a 2% net smelter returns royalty ("NSR") and be responsible for the annual State of Alaska rents for the first five years after which, the Company will assume responsibility. In 2014, additional claims were staked in the area of interest and the Company will be responsible for these annual State of Alaska rents. Additional claims were also staked during the 2016 exploration program.

Shorty Creek is a copper–gold porphyry target on which Freegold intersected 91.4 metres grading 0.55% copper during its initial drill campaign in 2015. Subsequent drilling in 2016 and 2017 intersected broad zones of copper mineralization. Highlights include 434.5 metres grading 0.36% copper, 0.12 g/t gold, 7.46 g/t silver in hole SC 16-01, and 409.6 metres grading 0.29% copper, 0.06 g/t gold, and 5.66 g/t silver in Hole SC 16-02. A follow-up program in 2017 continued to expand upon these broad zones of copper mineralization. Highlights from 2017 include 360 metres grading 0.24% copper, 0.07 g/t gold, and 4.04 g/t silver in hole SC 17-01, and 408 metres grading 0.27% copper, and 0.05 g/t gold and 4.97 g/t silver in hole SC 17-02. In addition to the copper mineralization at Hill 1835, significant tungsten mineralization was intersected. Significant intercepts include 207 metres grading 0.045% W03 in hole SC 16-01, 0.03% W0<sub>3</sub> over 409.6 metres in hole SC 16-02, 0.06% W0<sub>3</sub> over 87 metres in hole SC 17-01 and 0.06% W0<sub>3</sub> over 339 metres in hole SC 17-02.

On January 16<sup>th</sup>, 2019, the Company reported results from holes SC 18-01 and SC 18-02 drilled during the 2018 program. A total of 1,166 metres were drilled in two holes within the magnetic high at Hill 1835. Both holes intersected consistent mineralization over broad widths.

| Hole Number  | From | То     | Interval<br>(m) | Cu<br>% | Au<br>g/t | Ag<br>g/t | W03<br>% | Cu<br>EQ % |
|--------------|------|--------|-----------------|---------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| <br>SC 18-01 | 113  | 555.2  | 442.2           | 0.24    | 0.09      | 4.74      | 0.02     | 0.42       |
| Incl         | 194  | 315.15 | 121.15          | 0.45    | 0.15      | 10.5      | 0.045    | 0.80       |
| SC 18-02     | 92   | 534.4  | 442.4           | 0.22    | 0.13      | 4.03      | 0.02     | 0.42       |
| Incl         | 92   | 407    | 315             | 0.25    | 0.08      | 4.61      | 0.026    | 0.44       |
| Incl         | 281  | 407    | 126             | 0.36    | 0.09      | 6.3       | 0.018    | 0.54       |

Highlights from the Hole SC 18-01 & SC 18-02: 2018 program include:

Freegold has not as yet collected sufficient data to determine how the downhole drill intervals might relate to the actual true thickness of mineralization. \*Copper equivalent grades are based on metal prices of US\$2.70/lb copper, US\$1,280 per oz gold and US\$16 per oz silver and US\$220/mtu tungsten. Metal recoveries have not been applied in the copper equivalent calculation. The copper equivalent calculation is as follows;  $CuEq=Cu \text{ grade+}(Au \text{ grade x } Au \text{ price} + Ag \text{ grade x } Ag \text{ price})/(22.0462 \times 31.1035 \times Cu \text{ price}) + tungsten.$ 

Hole SC 18-01 was drilled to a depth of 555.2 metres and terminated in a significant fault zone. Hole SC 18-02, located 175 metres southeast of Hole SC 18-01, was drilled to a depth of 610.85 metres.

The Shorty Creek Project area hosts a cluster of magnetic anomalies commonly seen in porphyry districts. Hill 1835 is only one of the potentially significant areas identified to date. The mineralized area at Hill 1835 extends over a 600 metre x 300 metre area and remains open. The 2016 program also tested a broad magnetic anomaly with coincident geochemistry at Hill 1710, an area located two kilometres north of Hill 1835, with 4 holes spaced on average 400 metres apart. The holes intersected copper mineralization with the copper grades increasing as drilling moved to the northeast. Only 1.6 kilometres of this 6.0 kilometre long magnetic feature has been drill tested.

Other exploration targets within the 100 square kilometre property include the Quarry target, where oxidized porphyritic rock with stockwork veining returned values of 500 ppm copper in rock samples. Steel Creek, which was initially tested with one hole in 2017, lies two kilometres northeast of Hill 1835 and drilling intersected anomalous copper and a mineral suite similar to that seen at Hill 1835.

Drill cores were cut in half using a core saw. In all cases, one-half of the core was placed in sealed bags for geochemical analysis and the other half stored on site. Core samples were either delivered to ALS Chemex at its facility in Fairbanks, Alaska or picked up by ALS Chemex at the camp facility. A quality control assurance program was part of the sampling program to ensure the quality of the assay results.

For results of the 2015 - 2018 drill programs, reference should be made to the full news releases contained on the Company's website at <u>www.freegoldventures.com</u>, as well as a technical report with respect to the Shorty Creek Project entitled, "An Updated *Technical Report for the Shorty Creek Project, Livengood – Tolovana Mining District, Alaska*" by John R. Woodman, B.Sc., P. Geo., dated April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018, which was filed under the Company's profile on SEDAR.

On March 5, 2019, the Company entered into an agreement (the "SC Option Agreement") with a wholly-owned subsidiary of South32 Limited ("South32") whereby South32 has the option to earn a 70% interest in the Shorty Creek Property. To maintain the option in good standing under the SC Option Agreement, South32 was required to contribute minimum exploration funding of \$10 million over a 4-year option period with minimum exploration expenditures of \$2 million in Years 1 and 2, and \$3 million in Years 3 and 4 for an aggregate of \$10 million. The first year expenditure of a minimum of \$2 million was completed.

Should South32 withdraw prior to exercising its option, the option will lapse and South32 will have no further interest in or claim against the Project.

South32 may exercise its option at any time following Year 1 to subscribe for 70% of the shares of a newly formed project company by committing \$30 million to the newly formed company, less the amount of exploration expenditures contributed by South32 during the option period.

After the subscription funding has been expended by the project holding company, the parties will contribute funding on a pro rata basis (70% and 30% to South 32 and the Company, respectively), as contemplated by the operating agreement which will govern the period subsequent to the option exercise.

The Company will act as the operator of the Project during the option period and will provide annual reports and budgets to a technical committee formed by the Company and South32, for the purpose of reviewing and approving each year's program.

The 2019 exploration program commenced in May with a budget of \$2 million fully funded by South32. During the 2019 program 100 km of induced polarization and 98 km of ground magnetic surveys were completed. In addition, 543 soil samples were collected. Results of these surveys will be utilized in helping select further drill targets on the project. A diamond drill program commenced in mid-August and a total of 5 holes (1,542 metres) were drilled. Difficult drill

conditions resulted in the abandonment of three holes. Two holes were abandoned before their target depth on Hill 1835 and one hole on Hill 1710 area was also abandoned before reaching target depth.

The first drill holes of the 2019 drilling program (SC1901 and SC1901A) were collared northeast of Hill 1835. Hole SC1901, the first hole of the 2019 program, was lost at a depth of 67 metres. Hole SC1901A was subsequently drilled from the same platform as SC1901 and intersected 99.1 metres grading 0.29% Cu starting at a down-hole depth of 225.3 metres. The style of mineralization intercepted in hole SC1901A is typical of previous holes that Freegold completed to depth on Hill 1835. Copper mineralization occurs as chalcopyrite within quartz stockwork veining hosted in shale/siltstones and as fine disseminations and blebs primarily along bedding planes.

The second and third drill holes (SC1902 and SC1902A) were collared west of the Hill 1835 magnetic high anomaly. No significant assay values were intersected; however, both holes were abandoned due to ground conditions at 274 metres and 129 metres depth, respectively.

Hole SC1903 was collared near the southwest edge of the Hill 1835 magnetic high anomaly. A significant width of copper mineralization was intersected, and it remains open along strike and to depth. Copper mineralization is primarily chalcopyrite, which occurs within zones of intense biotite alteration within the siltstone/shale sequence. The siltstone/shale sequence are cut by several narrow mineralized porphyritic sills/dikes.

Hole SC1904 was located northeast of Hill 1710. SC1904 was drilled to a depth of 167 metres, far short of the target depth of 450 metres.

| Hole<br>ID | Dip  | Azimuth | Depth<br>(m)                                      | From<br>(m)           | To (m) | Int.<br>(m)  | Cu<br>% | Au<br>g/t | Ag<br>g/t |  |
|------------|------|---------|---|-----------------------|--------|--------------|---------|-----------|-----------|--|
| SC 1901A   | -75° | 135°    | 336.6   | 225.3                 | 324.4  | 99.1         | 0.29    | 0.014     | 1.61      |  |
| SC 1902    | -70° | 135°    |   | No significant values |        |              |         |           |           |  |
| SC1902A    | -60° | 135°    |   |                       | No s   | ignificant v | alues   |           |           |  |
| 004000     | 750  | 1000    | 572   | 251.65                | 505.5  | 253.85       | 0.17    | NSV       | 2.67      |  |
| SC1903     | -75° | 180°    | incl 268.75 424 155.25 0.195 NSV 3.58             |                       |        |              |         |           |           |  |
| SC1904     | -75° | 135°    | Hole abandoned before reaching target depth (NSV) |                       |        |              |         |           |           |  |

### Highlights from the 2019 program include:

Insufficient data to determine the true thickness of mineralization intersected in drilling.

On November 2, 2020, the Company and South32 entered into an amendment to the SC Option Agreement (the "Amending Agreement") to modify and defer South 32's funding obligations for Years 2,3 and 4 in light of safety concerns presented by the COVID-19 pandemic. Pursuant to the Amending Agreement, Year 2, which was originally to have expired on January 31, 2021, was divided into two parts: Year 2, Part 1, which expires on March 31, 2021 and Year 2, Part 2, which expires on January 31, 2022. In order to maintain the option in good standing, South32 must contribute minimum exploration funding of \$300,000 in Year 2, Part 1 and an additional \$2 million in Year 2, Part 2. The Year 3 and Year 4 expiry dates have been deferred for one year and now expire on January 31, 2023 and January 31, 2024, respectively.

South 32 has committed to making the required expenditures for Year 2, Part 1 and, subject to an approved budget, has also committed to making the required expenditures for Year 2, Part 2. The program for Year 2, Part 1 focused on re-logging, hyperspectral analysis, age dating and geological modeling in preparation for a drilling program to be carried out in 2021 as part of the Year 2, Part 2 expenditures. Freegold delivered the exploration data and information from Year 2,

part 1 program and proposed a budget for Year 2, Part 2. The 2021 program of work and budget was submitted to South 32 and was approved on March 30, 2021.

On July 15, 2021 Freegold announced, a 2,500 metre drill program started which is fully funded under the Shorty Creek Option Agreement with South32. Drilling will test the Quarry target as well as additional targets in the 1835 Area. Assays will be reported when received, compiled and interpreted.

The technical disclosure contained in the MD&A has been reviewed and approved by Alvin Jackson, P.Geo., Vice President Exploration and Development for the Company, who is a "Qualified Person" as defined under National Instrument 43-101.

### **RESULTS OF OPERATIONS**

#### Six-month period ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021

On January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2019, the Company adopted all of the requirements of IFRS 16 – Leases. It provides a single lessee accounting model, requiring lessees to recognize assets and liabilities for all leases unless the lease term is 12 months or less or the underlying asset has a low value. The Company's office lease, results in a "right-of-use" asset of \$8,199 and a corresponding current lease liability of \$12,704 as of June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021. The associated depreciation was \$25,965.

The Company's net comprehensive loss for the six-month period ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021 was \$97,832 compared to a net comprehensive loss of \$259,705 for the six-month period ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2020. A \$761,260 foreign currency translation adjustment gain was recognized due to the fluctuating foreign exchange rates between the US and Canadian dollar as the Company's Canadian dollar amounts increased in value.

General and administrative expenses increased from \$316,211 in 2020 to \$474,8087 in 2021 with the changes mainly attributable to:

- an increase of \$14,456 in office expenses from \$21,401 in 2020 to \$35,857 in 2021 due to increased corporate activity;
- an increase of \$32,862 in professional fees from \$30,546 in 2020 to \$63,408 in 2021 due to costs associated with the annual general meeting and the OTCQX application process;
- an increase of \$80,055 in filing fees, from \$35,845 in 2020 to \$115,900 in 2021 as a result of increased regulatory costs as the share capital of the Company increased significantly and the company listed its shares on the OTCQX;
- a decrease of \$7,539 in travel and transportation expenses, from \$7,539 in 2020 to \$Nil in 2021 as travel was severally restricted due to the COVID-19 pandemic; and
- an increase of \$33,597 in wages, from \$164,966 in 2020 to \$198,563 in 2021 as the Company hired a Senior Executive Coordinator.

All other general and administrative costs were relatively similar to those incurred in the previous year.

Other expenses increased from a gain of \$13,090 in 2020 to a loss of \$384,284 in 2021 with the changes mainly attributable to:

- a foreign exchange loss of \$463,216 was recorded due to the decrease in the value of the company's US dollar accounts;
- \$26,962 in management fee revenue was recorded to recognize the 10% management fee associated with the Shorty Creek option agreement as compared to \$4,603 in 2020. The prior year program was severally restricted due to the COVID-19 pandemic; and
- an increase of \$48,292 in interest income, from \$6,321 in 2020 to \$54,613 in 2021, due to increased amounts of cash on deposit.

|   |        | Golden Summit<br>Property | Shorty Creek<br>Property | Total            |
|---|--------|---------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| Acquisition costs                         |        |                           |                          |                  |
| Balance, December 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2020 | \$     | 4,737,497                 | \$<br>198,546            | \$<br>4,936,043  |
| Additions                                 |        | 741,291                   | -                        | 741,291          |
| Balance, June 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2021     | \$     | 5,478,788                 | \$<br>198,546            | \$<br>5,677,334  |
| Exploration and evaluation costs          |        |                           |                          |                  |
| Balance, December 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2020 | \$     | 33,015,558                | \$<br>5,574,069          | \$<br>38,589,627 |
| Assaying                                  |        | 496,514                   | -                        | 496,514          |
| Camp costs                                |        | 688,349                   | 52,370                   | 740,719          |
| Drilling                                  |        | 4,449,398                 | 89,118                   | 4,538,516        |
| Engineering and consulting                |        | 164,046                   | 54,742                   | 218,788          |
| Environmental studies                     |        | 40,351                    | -                        | 40,351           |
| Geological and field expenses             |        | 249,542                   | 24,044                   | 273,586          |
| Helicopter support                        |        | -                         | 46,047                   | 46,047           |
| Legal                                     |        | 67,834                    | -                        | 67,834           |
| Overhead cost                             |        | -                         | 27,270                   | 27,270           |
| Personnel                                 |        | 546,325                   | -                        | 546,325          |
| Travel                                    |        | 33,199                    | 10,098                   | 43,297           |
| Total incurred during the period ended    |        |                           |                          |                  |
| June 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2021              | \$     | 6,735,558                 | \$<br>303,689            | \$<br>7,039,247  |
| Less:                                     |        |                           |                          |                  |
| Expenditure recovery                      |        | -                         | (299,974)                | (299,974)        |
| Balance, June 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2021     | \$     | 39,751,116                | \$<br>5,577,784          | \$<br>45,328,900 |
| Tot                                       | tal \$ | 45,229,904                | \$<br>5,776,330          | \$<br>51,006,234 |

During the six-month period ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021, the Company incurred the below acquisition and evaluation property expenditures:

### Three-month period ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021

The Company's net comprehensive loss for the three-month period ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021 was \$17,259 compared to a net comprehensive loss of \$107,326 for the three-month period ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2020. A \$432,073 foreign currency translation adjustment gain was recognized due to the fluctuating foreign exchange rates between the US and Canadian dollar as the Company's Canadian dollar amounts increased in value.

General and administrative expenses increased from \$152,183 in 2020 to \$231,571 in 2021 with the changes mainly attributable to:

- an increase of \$25,692 in professional fees from \$16,151 in 2020 to \$41,843 in 2021 due to costs associated with the annual general meeting and the OTCQX application process;
- an increase of \$33,249 in filing fees, from \$11,529 in 2020 to \$44,778 in 2021 as a result of increased regulatory costs as the share capital of the Company increased significantly and the company listed its shares on the OTCQX; and
- an increase of \$14,679 in wages, from \$79,146 in 2020 to \$93,825 in 2021 as the Company hired a Senior Executive Coordinator.

All other general and administrative costs were relatively similar to those incurred in the previous year.

Other expenses increased from a gain of \$3,681 in 2020 to a loss of \$217,761 in 2021 with the changes mainly attributable to:

- a foreign exchange loss of \$263,561 was recorded due to the decrease in the value of the company's US dollar accounts;
- \$22,278 in management fee revenue was recorded to recognize the 10% management fee associated with the Shorty Creek option agreement as compared to \$1,992 in 2020. The prior year program was severally restricted due to the COVID-19 pandemic; and
- an increase of \$22,244 in interest income, from \$2,949 in 2020 to \$25,193 in 2021, due to increased amounts of cash on deposit.

During the three-month period ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021, the Company incurred the below acquisition and evaluation property expenditures:

|  |       | Golden Summit<br>Property | Shorty Creek<br>Property | Total            |
|--|-------|---------------------------|--------------------------|------------------|
| Acquisition costs                      |       |                           |                          |                  |
| Balance, March 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2021 | \$    | 4,746,997                 | \$<br>198,546            | \$<br>4,945,543  |
| Additions                              |       | 731,791                   | -                        | 731,791          |
| Balance, June 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2021  | \$    | 5,478,788                 | \$<br>198,546            | \$<br>5,677,334  |
| Exploration and evaluation costs       |       |                           |                          |                  |
| Balance, March 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2021 | \$    | 35,930,769                | \$<br>5,575,886          | \$<br>41,506,655 |
| Assaying                               |       | 192,189                   | -                        | 192,189          |
| Camp costs                             |       | 386,391                   | 52,370                   | 438,761          |
| Drilling                               |       | 2,574,142                 | 89,118                   | 2,663,260        |
| Engineering and consulting             |       | 96,335                    | 21,905                   | 118,240          |
| Environmental studies                  |       | 35,708                    | -                        | 35,708           |
| Geological and field expenses          |       | 181,611                   | 13,868                   | 195,479          |
| Helicopter support                     |       | -                         | 46,047                   | 46,047           |
| Legal                                  |       | 26,099                    | -                        | 26,099           |
| Overhead cost                          |       | -                         | 22,586                   | 22,586           |
| Personnel                              |       | 308,534                   | -                        | 308,534          |
| Travel                                 |       | 19,338                    | 4,452                    | 23,790           |
| Total incurred during the period ended |       |                           |                          |                  |
| June 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2021           | \$    | 3,820,347                 | \$<br>250,346            | \$<br>4,070,693  |
| Less:                                  |       |                           |                          |                  |
| Expenditure recovery                   |       | -                         | (248,448)                | (248,448)        |
| Balance, June 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2021  | \$    | 39,751,116                | \$<br>5,577,784          | \$<br>45,328,900 |
| Tot                                    | al \$ | 45,229,904                | \$<br>5,776,330          | \$<br>51,006,234 |

The decrease in cash of \$6,623,036 for the six-month period ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021 was mainly attributable to \$6,597,997 in mineral exploration and acquisition costs. Mineral exploration costs of \$6,156,680 and acquisition costs of \$741,291 were incurred offset by \$299,974 being recovered pursuant to the option agreement with South32. This compares to an increase in cash of \$2,564,183 for the six-month period ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2020 that was mainly attributable to net proceeds of share capital issued of \$3,506,834 offset by mineral exploration and acquisition costs of \$493,784.

### SUMMARY OF QUARTERLY RESULTS

The following selected financial information is derived from the unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements of the Company prepared in accordance with IFRS:

|   | June 30 <sup>th</sup><br>2021 | Mar. 31 <sup>st</sup><br>2021 | Dec. 31 <sup>st</sup><br>2020 | Sept. 30 <sup>th</sup><br>2020 | June 30 <sup>th</sup><br>2020 | Mar. 31 <sup>st</sup><br>2020 | Dec. 31 <sup>st</sup><br>2019 | Sept. 30 <sup>th</sup><br>2019 |
|---|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Total revenues<br>Net (loss)<br>income – before | \$22,278<br>(449,332)         | \$4,684<br>(409,760)          | \$12,890<br>(808,019)         | \$1,462<br>(192,684)           | \$1,992<br>(148,502)          | \$2,608<br>(154,619)          | \$31,956<br>50,470            | \$106,576<br>(91,882)          |
| tax<br>Net (loss)<br>income per                 | (0.00)                        | (0.00)                        | (0.00)                        | (0.00)                         | (0.00)                        | (0.00)                        | 0.00                          | (0.00)                         |
| share<br>Total assets                           | 75,101,371                    | 74,806,996                    | 73,966,595                    | 73,077,285                     | 43,161,155                    | 39,464,700                    | 39,586,075                    | 40,115,631                     |

#### Quarters Ended (unaudited)

The Company's exploration expenses generally tend to be lower during winter months as much of the field exploration is carried out during the summer season. In particular, the Shorty Creek drill season is limited largely from May to September, although drilling is possible year-round at Golden Summit.

## Liquidity and capital resources

At June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021, the Company's working capital, defined as current assets less current liabilities, was \$22,077,866 compared to \$29,518,031 at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2020. The Company has current liabilities of \$1,603,715 of which \$1,231,341 relates to trade payables, \$1,210 relates to accrued liabilities, \$12,704 relates to the current portion of the office lease liability and \$358,460 relates to a project cost advance.

The Company has sufficient working capital to fund its operations and planned exploration activities for the next twelve months.

In March 2019, the Company announced an option agreement with South32 whereby South32 has the option to earn a 70% interest in the Shorty Creek Property by committing \$30 million. The 2019 program of \$2 million was funded by South32 and the 2020 program was also to be funded by South32. In February 2020, the Company received notice that South32 intended to proceed to the Year 2 of the option. The Company and South 32 subsequently decided to defer the 2020 program to 2021 due to concerns regarding the Covid-19 pandemic. On March 30, 2021, the Company received notice that South32 approved the 2021 work program and budget.

### Significant Accounting Judgments, Estimates and Assumptions

The preparation of the Company's consolidated financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities and contingent liabilities at the date of the consolidated financial statements and reported amounts of income and expenses during the reporting period. Estimates and assumptions are continuously evaluated and are based on management's experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. However, actual outcomes can differ from these estimates.

Areas requiring a significant degree of estimation and judgment relate to the recoverability of the carrying value of exploration and evaluation assets, fair value measurements for financial instruments and share-based payments, the recognition and valuation of provisions for restoration and environmental obligations, the recoverability and measurement of deferred tax assets and

liabilities, determination of functional currencies and ability to continue as a going concern. Actual results may differ from those estimates and judgments.

A detailed summary of all of the Company's significant accounting policies is included in Note 2 to the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31<sup>st</sup> 2020.

### Going Concern Assumption

The recoverability of amounts shown for exploration and evaluation properties and related exploration and development expenditures is dependent upon the economic viability of recoverable reserves, the ability of the Company to obtain the necessary permits and financing to complete the development, and future profitable production or proceeds from the disposition thereof.

Currently, the Company has interest income and management fee revenue but is dependent on equity financings to fund the majority of its activities. The Company has positive working capital at June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021 and the Company endeavors to manage the cash position prudently through ongoing monitoring of current and future cash and working capital balances relative to planned activities. The proceeds from the Private Placements completed in May, June and July 2020, will be sufficient to fund the Company's planned activities for the next twelve months.

In March 2020, the World Health Organization declared coronavirus COVID-19 a global pandemic. This contagious disease outbreak, which has continued to spread, has adversely affected workforces, economies, and financial markets globally, leading to an economic downturn. It is not possible for the Company to predict the duration or magnitude of the adverse results of the outbreak and its effects on the Company's business or ability to raise funds.

### Interests in Mining Properties and Exploration and Development Expenditures

In accordance with the Company's accounting policies, acquisition costs and exploration expenditures relating to exploration and evaluation properties are capitalized until the properties are brought into commercial production or disposed. Amortization will commence when a property is put into commercial production. As the Company does not currently have any properties in commercial production, no amortization has been recorded.

Mineral reserve and mineral resource estimates are not precise and also depend on statistical inferences drawn from drilling and other data, which may prove to be unreliable. Future production could differ from mineral resource estimates for the following reasons:

- mineralization could be different from those predicted by drilling, sampling and similar tests;
- the grade of mineral resources may vary from time to time and there can be no assurance that any particular level of recovery can be achieved from the mineral resources; and
- declines in the market prices of contained minerals may render the mining of some or all of the Company's mineral resources uneconomic.

Any of these factors may result in impairment of the carrying amount of interests in mining properties or exploration and development expenditures.

### Share-Based Payments, Warrants and Compensation Options

Directors, officers, employees and contractors are granted options to purchase common shares under the Company's Stock Option Plan. This plan and its terms and outstanding balance are disclosed in Note 9(c) to the condensed consolidated interim financial statements for the six-month period ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

The Company recognizes an expense for option awards using the fair value method of accounting. The Company also records the fair value of warrants granted through private offerings or in lieu of fees and compensation options granted using a fair-value estimate. Management estimates the fair value of stock options, warrants granted through private offerings or in lieu of fees, and compensation options using the Black-Scholes Option Pricing Model. The Black-Scholes Option Pricing Model, used by the Company to calculate fair values, as well as other accepted option valuation models, was developed to estimate fair value of freely tradable, fully transferable options and warrants, which may significantly differ from the Company's stock option awards or warrant grants. These models also require four highly subjective assumptions, including future stock price volatility and expected time until exercise, which greatly affect the calculated values. Accordingly, management believes that these models do not necessarily provide a reliable single measure of the fair value of the Company's stock option awards. The valuation models are used to provide a reasonable estimate of fair value given the variables used.

### **Restoration and Environmental Obligations**

Legal or constructive obligations associated with site restoration on the retirement of assets are recognized when they are incurred and when a reasonable estimate of the value of the obligation can be made. While, the Company has not commenced operations on its mining properties and the principal projects are in the exploration stage, certain exploration activities have occurred that have given rise to a constructive obligation related to the reclamation of the site for the Golden Summit Project. As such, the Company has recognized an environmental rehabilitation provision for the project. Due to the uncertainty around the settlement date and measurement of potential asset retirement obligations for the Company's projects, management considers the assumptions used to calculate the present value of such liabilities at each reporting period and updates the value recognized as required.

#### **Contractual Commitments**

The following table discloses, as of June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021, the Company's contractual obligations, including anticipated mineral property payments and work commitments. Under the terms of the Company's mineral property purchase agreements, mineral leases and the terms of the unpatented mineral claims held by it, the Company is required to make certain scheduled acquisition payments, incur certain levels of expenditures, make lease or advance royalty payments, make payments to government authorities and incur assessment work expenditures as summarized in the table below in order to maintain and preserve the Company's interest in the related mineral properties. If the Company is unable or unwilling to make any such payments or incur any such expenditures, it is likely that the Company would lose or forfeit it rights to acquire or hold the related mineral properties. The following table assumes that the Company retains the rights to all of its current mineral properties, but does not exercise any lease purchase or royalty buyout options:

The Company is committed under exploration and evaluation property option agreements to pay cash as outlined in the table below but has the ability to reduce or terminate the option agreements upon appropriate notice.

|                        | 2021          | 2022    | 2023    | 2024    | 2025    | * 2026<br>and<br>beyond | Total           |
|------------------------|---------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-------------------------|-----------------|
| Golden Summit payments | \$<br>399,000 | 405,291 | 408,021 | 408,021 | 408,021 | 410,751                 | \$<br>2,439,105 |

\*Annual amounts

For more detailed information on the Company's statutory property payments, see the Company's Annual Information Form for the year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2020 and Note 5 to the Company's condensed consolidated interim financial statements for the six-month period ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

The Company has future commitments related to payments required under a photocopier lease agreement (amounts in Canadian dollars).

|                            | < 1 year | 2-5 years | Total   |
|----------------------------|----------|-----------|---------|
|                            | (Cdn\$)  | (Cdn\$)   | (Cdn\$) |
| Photocopier lease payments | 2,789    | 10,461    | 13,250  |

See Note 10 of the Company's condensed consolidated interim financial statements for the sixmonth period ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

### **Off-balance sheet arrangements**

The Company has no off-balance sheet arrangements.

## **Credit Risk**

Credit risk is the risk of an unexpected loss if a customer or counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations and arises primarily from the Company's cash and cash equivalents and amounts receivable. The Company manages its credit risk relating to cash and cash equivalents by dealing only with highly-rated Canadian financial institutions. As at June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021, amounts receivable of \$65,216 (December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2020 - \$41,259) was comprised of goods and services tax receivable of \$18,213 (December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2020 - \$34,031), interest receivable of Nil (December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2020 - \$6,764) and other receivables of \$47,003 (December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2020 - \$464). As a result, credit risk is considered insignificant.

### Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will not be able to meet its financial obligations as they fall due. The Company manages liquidity risk by continuously monitoring actual and projected cash flows and matching the maturity profile of financial assets and liabilities. As at June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021, the Company had cash of \$23,029,772 to settle trade payables of \$1,231,341.

### **Currency Risk**

Foreign currency exchange risk is the risk that future cash flows, net income and comprehensive income will fluctuate as a result of changes in foreign exchange rates. As the Company's operations are conducted internationally, operations and capital activity may be transacted in currencies other than the functional currency of the entity party to the transaction.

The Company's objective in managing its foreign currency risk is to minimize its net exposures to foreign currency cash flows by obtaining most of its estimated annual U.S. cash requirements and holding the remaining currency in Canadian dollars. The Company monitors and forecasts the values of net foreign currency cash flow and consolidated statement of financial position exposures and from time to time could authorize the use of derivative financial instruments such as forward foreign exchange contracts to economically hedge a portion of foreign currency fluctuations.

The following table provides an indication of the Company's foreign currency exposures during the periods ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021 and December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2020:

|  | June 30 <sup>th</sup> ,<br>2021<br>(Cdn\$) | December 31 <sup>st</sup> ,<br>2020<br>(Cdn\$) |
|--|--|--|
| Cash and cash equivalents              | 14,160,333                                 | 15,720,683                                     |
| Trade payables and accrued liabilities | 449,518                                    | 257,939  |

A 1% change in Canadian/US foreign exchange rate at period-end would have changed the net loss of the Company, assuming that all other variables remained constant, by approximately \$137,108 for the six-month period ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021 compared to \$18,051 for the six-month period ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

The Company has not entered into any derivative instruments to offset the impact of foreign currency fluctuations.

#### Interest Rate Risk

The Company is not subject to interest rate risk.

### Commodity Price Risk

The Company is in the exploration stage and is not subject to commodity price risk.

#### SUBSEQUENT EVENT

The Company issued 2,675,000 shares for proceeds of Cdn\$561,750 on the exercise of options.

## OUTSTANDING SHARE DATA

The Company is authorized to issue unlimited common shares without par value. As at August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2021, there were 337,099,366 outstanding common shares compared to 333,139,366 outstanding shares at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2020.

As at August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2021 there were 56,736,460 warrants outstanding.

|       | Number     | Price per Share<br>(Cdn\$) | Expiry Date                      |
|-------|------------|----------------------------|----------------------------------|
|       | 400,000    | 0.12                       | October 26 <sup>th</sup> , 2021  |
|       | 15,522,152 | 0.081                      | September 5 <sup>th</sup> , 2022 |
|       | 13,074,374 | 0.28                       | May 26 <sup>th</sup> , 2022      |
|       | 1,058,840  | 0.225                      | May 26 <sup>th</sup> , 2022      |
|       | 9,262,100  | 0.45                       | June 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 2022      |
|       | 1,341,690  | 0.30                       | June 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 2022      |
|       | 15,681,850 | 1.65                       | July 29 <sup>th</sup> , 2022     |
|       | 395,454    | 1.34                       | July 29 <sup>th</sup> , 2022     |
| Total | 56,736,460 |                            |                                  |

Directors, officers, employees and contractors are granted options to purchase common shares under the Company's Stock Option Plan. This plan and its terms and outstanding balance are disclosed in Note 9c to the consolidated financial statements for the six-month period ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

As at August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2021 there were 2,445,000 stock options outstanding as disclosed in the below table:

|       | Number<br>Outstanding<br>August 12 <sup>th</sup> , 2021 | Number<br>Exercisable<br>August 12 <sup>th</sup> , 2021 |          | tercise<br>ice per<br>Share<br>Cdn\$ | Expiry Date   |
|-------|---|---|----------|--------------------------------------|---|
|       | 2,345,000<br>100,000                                    | 2,345,000<br>100,000                                    | \$<br>\$ | 0.10<br>0.07                         | July 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 2023<br>May 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2024 |
| Total | 2,445,000   | 2,445,000   |          |                                      |   |

### **RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

The Company considers the President and Chief Executive Officer, Chief Financial Officer, Vice-President of Exploration and Development, Corporate Secretary, directors and any companies controlled by these parties to be key management personnel.

A summary of compensation paid to key management personnel is as follows:

|  | June 30 <sup>th</sup> ,<br>2021 | June 30 <sup>th</sup> ,<br>2020 |
|--|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Kristina Walcott - President and CEO             | \$<br>78,219                    | \$<br>71,189                    |
| Alvin Jackson - VP Exploration and Development * | 78,219                          | 71,189                          |
| Gordon Steblin - CFO                             | 31,889                          | 29,133                          |
| Taryn Downing - Corporate Secretary              | 12,034                          | 5,476                           |
| Total  | \$<br>200,361                   | \$<br>176,987                   |

The Company incurred \$11,873 in legal costs (June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2020 - \$83,962 in share issue costs) with WeirFoulds LLP, a legal firm of which a Director of the Company is a partner.

Key management personnel include individuals having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Company, including the directors, and any companies controlled by these parties.

These amounts were incurred in the ordinary course of business, are non-interest bearing, unsecured and due on demand unless otherwise noted.

#### DISCLOSURE CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

The Chief Executive Officer ("CEO") and Chief Financial Officer ("CFO"), together with other members of management, evaluated the design and operating effectiveness of the Company's disclosure controls and procedures as at the financial period ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021. Based on that evaluation, the CEO and the CFO concluded that the design and operation of these disclosure controls and procedures were effective as at June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021 to provide reasonable assurance that material information relating to the Company, including its consolidated subsidiaries, would be made known to them by others within those entities and that information required to be disclosed

by the Company in its annual and interim filings and other reports submitted under securities legislation was recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the periods specified in securities legislation.

## INTERNAL CONTROLS OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING

The CEO and CFO, together with other members of management, evaluated the design and operating effectiveness of the Company's internal controls over financial reporting as at the financial period ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021. Based on that evaluation, the CEO and CFO concluded that the design and operation of internal controls over financial reporting were effective as at June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021 to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of consolidated financial statements for external purposes in accordance with IFRS. In designing and implementing such controls, it should be recognized that any system of the internal control over financial reporting, no matter how well designed and operated, has inherent limitations. Therefore, even those systems determined to be effective can provide only reasonable assurance with respect to consolidated financial statement preparation and may not prevent or detect all misstatements due to error or fraud.

## CHANGES IN INTERNAL CONTROLS OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING

There have been no changes in the Company's internal controls over financial reporting during the six-month period ended June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2021 that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, the Company's internal controls over financial reporting.

## **RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES**

The Company believes that the following items represent significant areas for consideration.

### Cash Flows and Additional Funding Requirements

The Company has limited financial resources, no sources of operating cash flows and no assurances that sufficient funding will be available to continue to carry on its business and develop its mineral properties.

### Industry

The Company is engaged in the exploration of mineral properties, an inherently risky business. There is no assurance that funds spent on the exploration and development of a mineral deposit will result in the discovery of an economic ore body. Most exploration projects do not result in the discovery of commercially mineable ore deposits.

### **Commodity Prices**

The success of the Company's operations will be dependent in part upon the market price of mineral commodities. Mineral prices fluctuate widely and are affected by numerous factors beyond the control of the Company. The prices of mineral commodities have fluctuated widely in recent years. Current and future price declines could cause commercial production to be impracticable.

### Competition

The mining industry is intensely competitive in all of its phases, and the Company competes with many companies possessing greater financial resources and technical facilities than itself with respect to the discovery and acquisition of interests in mineral properties, the recruitment and retention of qualified employees and other persons to carry out its mineral exploration activities. Competition in the mining industry could adversely affect the Company's prospects for mineral exploration in the future.

## Foreign Political Risk

The Company's material property interests are currently located in the United States. A significant portion of the Company's interests are exposed to various degrees of political, economic and other risks and uncertainties. The Company's operations and investments may be affected by local political and economic developments, including expropriation, nationalization, invalidation of government orders, permits or agreements pertaining to property rights, political unrest, labour disputes, limitations on repatriation of earnings, limitations on mineral exports, limitations on foreign ownership, inability to obtain or delays in obtaining necessary mining permits, opposition to mining from local, environmental or other non-governmental organizations, government participation, royalties, duties, rates of exchange, high rates of inflation, price controls, exchange controls, currency fluctuations, taxation and changes in laws, regulations or policies as well as by laws and policies of Canada affecting foreign trade, investment and taxation.

## Government Laws, Regulation & Permitting

Mining and exploration activities of the Company are subject to both domestic and foreign laws and regulations governing prospecting, development, production, taxes, labour standards, occupational health, mine safety, waste disposal, toxic substances, the environment and other matters. Although the Company believes that all exploration activities are currently carried out in accordance with all applicable rules and regulations, no assurance can be given that new rules and regulations will not be enacted or that existing rules and regulations will not be applied in a manner which could limit or curtail production or development. Amendments to current laws and regulations governing the operations and activities of the Company or more stringent implementation thereof could have a substantial adverse impact on the Company.

The operations of the Company will require licenses and permits from various governmental authorities to carry out exploration and development at its projects. There can be no assurance that the Company will be able to obtain the necessary licences and permits on acceptable terms, in a timely manner or at all. Any failure to comply with permits and applicable laws and regulations, even if inadvertent, could result in the interruption or closure of operations or material fines, penalties or other liabilities.

# Title to Properties

Acquisition of rights to the exploration and evaluation properties is a very detailed and timeconsuming process. Title to, and the area of, exploration and evaluation properties may be disputed. Although the Company has made reasonable efforts to investigate the title to all of the properties for which it holds mineral leases or licenses or in respect of which it has a right to earn an interest, the Company cannot give an assurance that title to such properties will not be challenged or impugned.

The Company has the right to earn an interest in certain of its properties. To earn its interest in each property, the Company is required to make certain cash payments and incur certain exploration expenditures. If the Company fails to make these payments and incur such expenditures, the Company may lose its right to such properties and forfeit any funds expended to such time.

### **Estimates of Mineral Resources**

The mineral resource estimates used by the Company are estimates only and no assurance can be given that any particular level of recovery of minerals will in fact be realized or that an identified resource will ever qualify as a commercially mineable (or viable) deposit which can be legally or commercially exploited. In addition, the grade of mineralization ultimately mined may differ from that indicated by drilling results and such differences could be material.

### Key Management

The success of the Company will be largely dependent upon the performance of its key officers, consultants and employees. Locating and developing mineral deposits depends on a number of factors, not the least of which is the technical skill of the exploration personnel involved. The success of the Company is largely dependent on the performance of its key individuals. Failure to retain key individuals or to attract or retain additional key individuals with necessary skills could have a materially adverse impact upon the Company's success.

## Volatility of Share Price

Market prices for shares of early-stage companies are often volatile. Factors such as announcements of mineral discoveries, financial results, and other factors could have a significant effect on the price of the Company's shares.

## Foreign Currency Risk

A substantial portion of the Company's expenses and payables are now, and are expected to continue to be incurred in United States currency. The Company's business will be subject to risks typical of an international business including, but not limited to, differing tax structures, regulations and restrictions and general foreign exchange rate volatility. Fluctuations in the exchange rate between the Canadian dollar and United States dollar may have a material effect on the Company's business, financial condition and results of operations and could result in downward price pressure for the Company's products in or losses from currency exchange rate fluctuations. The Company does not actively hedge against foreign currency fluctuations.

## **Conflict of Interest**

Some of the Company's directors and officers are directors and officers of other natural resource or mining-related companies. These associations may give rise from time to time to conflicts of interest which will be subject to the procedures and remedies under the *Business Corporation Act* (*British Columbia*). As a result of any such conflict, the Company may miss the opportunity to participate in certain transactions.

### Public Health Crises

The Company's business, operations and financial condition could be materially adversely affected by the outbreak of epidemics or pandemics or other health crises beyond its control, including the current outbreak of COVID-19. On January 30, 2020, the World Health Organization declared the COVID-19 outbreak a global health emergency. Many governments have likewise declared that the COVID-19 outbreak in their jurisdictions constitutes an emergency. Reactions to the spread of COVID-19 have led to, among other things, significant restrictions on travel, business closures, guarantines and a general reduction in economic activity. While these effects are expected to be temporary, the duration of the business disruptions and related financial impact cannot be reasonably estimated at this time. Such public health crises can result in volatility and disruptions in the supply and demand for various products and services, global supply chains and financial markets, as well as declining trade and market sentiment and reduced mobility of people, all of which could affect interest rates, credit ratings, credit risk and inflation. The risks to the Company of such public health crises also include risks to employee health and safety and a slowdown or temporary suspension of operations in geographic locations impacted by an outbreak. While the extent to which COVID-19 may impact the Company is uncertain, it is possible that COVID-19 may have a material adverse effect on the Company's business, results of operations and financial condition.

### OUTLOOK

On September 15, 2020, shareholders of the Company approved the exchange of the Subscription Receipts issued pursuant to the Private Placements. The Company raised net proceeds of Cdn\$41,793,494 (\$31,154,300). With these proceeds, the Company is in a position to aggressively pursue further exploration at Golden Summit. By December of 2020, a total of 18 holes were drilled. Assays have now been received for all the holes completed in 2020. Assay results continue to be slow as a result of delay at both the preparatory facilities and assay laboratories. In July 2021, the Company will also use Bureau Veritas Commodities Canada Ltd. for geochemical analysis in order to improve assay turnaround.

In February 2021, drilling recommenced at Golden Summit. Emphasis will be on continuing to delineate zones of higher-grade mineralization consistent with Freegold's interpretation, in particular the area to the north of the Dolphin intrusive. In addition, drilling will also be directed to the south of the Cleary Hill mine workings where older workings included the Colorado, Wackwitz, and Wyoming vein zones which have never been tested to depth or along strike to the east. Past drilling in the Cleary Hill area has been largely shallow in nature and it is interpreted that the Dolphin intrusive likely underlies the Cleary Hill area at depth.

Approximately 80 holes (assuming an average hole depth of 500 metres) are expected to be drilled during 2021. Since drilling recommenced in February 2021, 22,000 metres have been drilled in 41 holes including holes currently in progress.

Although some high-grade mineralization has been intercepted in the drilling, drilling is still too widely spaced to correlate one high grade intercept to the next and the orientation of these very high-grade intercepts remains unknown. Only much closer spaced drilling will permit this correlation to be done which will also be undertaken as part of the 2021 drill program.

The current program has multiple objectives beyond expanding the existing resource and potentially increasing its grade but also to advance the project through pre-feasibility.

- Determining the orientation of the higher-grade mineralization successfully intercepted in GSDL2001, GSDL2002, GSDL 2005, GS2011, GS2015 and GS2017.
- Expanding the currently known resource and upgrading the resource categories as part of the efforts to further advance the project through pre-feasibility, including additional environmental baseline studies, further metallurgical test work, and cultural resource studies.
- Testing other targets on the project that may have potential to host additional resources and host other buried intrusive rocks throughout the project area. Ground geophysics and soil sampling have been conducted on these areas and further drilling is planned to test these.

The Company is continuing to operate with strict COVID-19 protocols in place which includes an expanded all season camp facility at Golden Summit in order to minimize risk to its employees, contractors and the community.

On March 5, 2019, the Company entered into an agreement (the "SC Option Agreement") with a wholly-owned subsidiary of South32 Limited ("South32") whereby South32 has the option to earn a 70% interest in the Shorty Creek Property. To maintain the option in good standing under the SC Option Agreement, South32 was required to contribute minimum exploration funding of \$10 million over a 4-year option period with minimum exploration expenditures of \$2 million in Years 1 and 2, and \$3 million in Years 3 and 4 for an aggregate of \$10 million. The first-year expenditure of a minimum of \$2 million was completed.

On November 2, 2020, the Company and South32 entered into an amendment to the SC Option Agreement (the "Amending Agreement") to modify and defer South 32's funding obligations for

Years 2,3 and 4 in light of safety concerns presented by the COVID-19 pandemic. Pursuant to the Amending Agreement, Year 2, which was originally to have expired on January 31, 2021, was divided into two parts: Year 2, Part 1, which expires on March 31, 2021 and Year 2, Part 2, which expires on January 31, 2022. In order to maintain the option in good standing, South32 must contribute minimum exploration funding of \$300,000 in Year 2, Part 1 and an additional \$2 million in Year 2, Part 2. The Year 3 and Year 4 expiry dates have been deferred for one year and now expire on January 31, 2023 and January 31, 2024, respectively.

South 32 has committed to making the required expenditures for Year 2, Part 1 and, subject to an approved budget, has also committed to making the required expenditures for Year 2, Part 2. The program for Year 2, Part 1 focused on re-logging, hyperspectral analysis, age dating and geological modeling in preparation for a drilling program to be carried out in 2021 as part of the Year 2, Part 2 expenditures. On March 30, 2021, the Company received notice that South32 approved the 2021 work program and budget. In July 2021, a 2,500 metre drill program started which is fully funded under the Shorty Creek Option Agreement with South32. Freegold is the operator.. Drilling will test the Quarry target as well as additional targets in the 1835 Area. Assays will be reported when received, compiled and interpreted.

This discussion contains certain forward-looking information. This forward-looking information includes, or may be based upon, estimates, forecasts, and statements as to management's expectations with respect to, among other things, the size and quality of the Company's mineral resources, progress in development of mineral properties and the amount and quality of metal products recoverable from the Company's mineral resources. Forward-looking information is based on the opinions and estimates of management at the date the information is given, and is subject to a variety of risks and uncertainties and other factors that could cause actual events or results to differ materially from those projected in the forward-looking information. These factors include the, inherent risks involved in the exploration and development of mineral properties, uncertainties with respect to the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the Company's activities, the uncertainties involved in interpreting drilling results and other geological data, fluctuating metal prices, the possibility of unanticipated costs and expenses, uncertainties relating to the availability and costs of financing needed in the future and uncertainties related to metal recoveries. Readers are cautioned to not place undue reliance on forward-looking information because it is possible that predictions, forecasts, projections and other forms of forward-looking information will not be achieved by the Company. These forward-looking statements are made as of the date hereof and the Company assumes no responsibility to update them or revise them to reflect new events or circumstances, except as required by law.