



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

**DATED: APRIL 2<sup>ND</sup>, 2018**

Additional information relating to Freegold Ventures Limited ("Freegold" or the "Company"), including the Company's Annual Information Form for the year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 is available on SEDAR at [www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com).

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

**INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS**

The 2017 and 2016 information set forth in this document should be read in conjunction with the consolidated audited financial statements and related notes, prepared in accordance with IFRS, for the years ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 and 2016.

**CHANGE IN PRESENTATION CURRENCY**

**These consolidated financial statements are presented in United States Dollars ("U.S. Dollars"), unless otherwise specified.** The functional currency of Freegold Ventures Limited is Canadian Dollars. The functional currency of the Company's foreign subsidiaries is the U.S. Dollar. In 2016, the Company changed its presentation currency from Canadian Dollars to U.S. Dollars. Accordingly, these consolidated financial statements are presented in U.S. Dollars. The change in presentation currency is to better reflect the Company's business activities and to improve investor's ability to compare the Company's financial results with other publicly traded businesses in the mineral exploration industry. Unless otherwise noted, 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". As of April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018, the Company had 174,018,906 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 Shorty Creek and Golden Summit Projects. During the year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017, a six hole diamond drill program was carried out at Shorty Creek while an oxide expansion drill program was completed at Golden Summit to determine if the current oxide resource could be expanded to the north.

## **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 be responsible. 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.

In 2015, Freegold commenced its first drilling (3 holes) at Hill 1835 with the objective of testing both the ground and airborne geophysical anomalies, and to determine if the mineralization extended beyond the 150 metres depth drilled by Asarco in 1989-1990 while exploring for gold. Twenty-five years later, Hole 15-01 successfully intersected copper mineralization beyond the depth of the limited previous Asarco drilling. Hole 15-02 intersected the pyritic halo outside the main magnetic feature, and hole 15-03, not only discovered significant copper mineralization, (**91.4 metres grading 0.81% Cu equivalent\***) but also demonstrated that the copper mineralization was associated with the magnetic high at Hill 1835. The magnetic feature at Hill 1835 covers a **700 metre by 1,000-metre** area.

Drilling in 2016 (2 holes) at Hill 1835 continued to demonstrate the association of copper mineralization with the magnetic high at Hill 1835 and also successfully intersected mineralization to a depth of at least 520 metres, (**Hole 16-01 – 434.5 metres grading 0.64% Cu equivalent\***) and (**Hole 16-02 – 409.5 metres grading 0.48% Cu equivalent\***), demonstrating both the size and tonnage potential of Hill 1835. Drilling was also carried out on Hill 1710, an area located 2.5 km northwest of Hill 1835. Five holes were drilled, each spaced 400 metres apart. Although grades intersected were not economic, each hole intersected strongly anomalous copper mineralization throughout the entire hole with copper grades increasing as the drilling moved to the northeast, further confirming the size potential of the mineralized system at Shorty Creek. Drilling has only tested 1.2 km of the 6 km long magnetic feature present at Hill 1710. The 2016 program also consisted of additional ground magnetics, soil sampling and staking, which resulted in the identification of two additional target areas within the 100 square kilometre project area.

In 2017, Freegold drilled six additional holes at Hill 1835, five of which were completed. These holes continue to be significant step outs (average 100 metres) with the results continuing to demonstrate the size and grade potential of Hill 1835. Both holes 17-01 (**360 metres grading 0.42% Cu equivalent\***) and 17-02 (**339 metres grading 0.46% Cu equivalent\***) intersected broad zones of copper mineralization consistent with the results of the 2016 drilling in addition to significant by-product credits of gold, silver, cobalt and tungsten.

Holes 17-03 and 17-04 were both angle holes drilled on the eastern edge of the magnetic high. Hole 17-03 **averaged 0.47% copper equivalent\* over 105.2 metres** and was lost at depth of 362 metres. This hole is expected to be completed during the 2018 program. Hole 17-04 encountered substantial faulting throughout the entire hole with both gold and copper values increasing at depth.

Hole 17-05A was collared 125 metres north of Hole 15-03 and was aimed at testing both the northern portion of the magnetic high and the potential for gold mineralization in the area surrounding the magnetic high. **Hole 17-05A returned 165 metres grading 0.60% Cu equivalent** - (0.29% Cu, 0.18 g/t Au, 6.81 g/t Au and 135 ppm Co). Hole 17-07 was collared 90 metres northeast of Hole 17-05 and was completed to a depth of 41 metres before winter conditions set in rendering it impossible to complete the hole. Gold and silver values of 0.07 g/t Au and 1.7 g/t Ag respectively, were returned over the top 34 metres, and all within oxide. Hole 17-07 is expected to be completed during the 2018 field program.

Significant Intervals from the 2017 Drill Program

Hole Number	Depth (m)	From (m)	To (m)	Int (m)		*Cu Eq %	Cu %	Au g/t	Ag g/t	Co ppm	W03 %*
SC 17-01	443	3	83	80	Oxide	----	----	0.05	5.35	----	0.02
		<b>83</b>	<b>443</b>	<b>360</b>		<b>0.42</b>	<b>0.24</b>	<b>0.07</b>	<b>4.04</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>0.03</b>
		<b>200</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>87</b>		<b>0.50</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0.09</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>0.06</b>
SC 17-02	485	4.5	77	72.5	Oxide	----	----	0.07	5.14	----	0.04
		<b>77</b>	<b>485</b>	<b>408</b>		<b>0.42</b>	<b>0.27</b>	<b>0.05</b>	<b>4.97</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>0.05</b>
		Incl <b>95</b>	<b>434</b>	<b>339</b>		<b>0.46</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0.05</b>	<b>5.72</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>0.06</b>
SC 17-03	362.2	20	116	96	Oxide	----	----	0.06	NSV	----	
			116	362.2	246.2	0.36	0.2	0.08	3.82	77	0.02
		Incl <b>257</b>	<b>362.2</b>	<b>105.2</b>		<b>0.47</b>	<b>0.27</b>	<b>0.05</b>	<b>6.75</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>0.02</b>
SC 17-04	500.5	4	308.5	304.5		NSV	NSV	0.04	NSV	NSV	NSV
			308.5	500.5	192	0.25	0.11	0.13	1.48	56	NSV
		Incl	425.5	500.5	75	0.33	0.15	0.12	2.64	79	NSV
SC17-05A	495.3	0	209	209	Oxide	----	----	0.08	4.83	----	NSV
			209	495.3	286.3	0.44	0.21	0.15	4.52	99	0.011
		Incl <b>209</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>165</b>		<b>0.60</b>	<b>0.29</b>	<b>0.18</b>	<b>6.81</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>0.017</b>
SC 1707	41	7	41	7	Oxide	---	----	0.07	1.7	----	----

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: copper US\$3.20/lb, gold US\$1330 per oz and silver US\$17 per oz and cobalt US\$34/lb. Metal recoveries have not been applied in the copper equivalent calculation. The copper equivalent calculation is as follows;  $CuEq = Cu \text{ grade} + (Au \text{ grade} \times Au \text{ price} + Ag \text{ grade} \times Ag \text{ price}) / (22.0462 \times 31.1035 \times Cu \text{ price}) + (Co \text{ grade} \times 22.0462 \times Co \text{ price} / Cu \text{ price} / 22.0462)$ . NSV – no significant values. \*Tungsten - Tungsten is not included in the copper equivalent.

Similar to other large-scale porphyry projects, Shorty Creek hosts an abundance of highly prospective target areas in addition to the Hill 1835 target area. Five main target areas have been identified at Shorty Creek - Hills' 1835, 1710, 1890, Steel Creek and the Quarry.

Considerable geochemical differences are present between the various target areas. The mineralization at Hill 1835 is comprised of copper, gold, silver, cobalt and tungsten, whilst the mineralization at Hill 1710 is primarily copper and molybdenum. Results from the one hole at Steel Creek indicate that the mineral suite appears to be similar to Hill 1835. Limited work has been undertaken on Hill 1890 and Quarry targets to date. Rock and soil sampling on the Quarry target returned 0.05% copper in oxidized quartz feldspar porphyry with stockwork veining. The presence of oxidized quartz feldspar porphyry with stockwork veining has not been noted on surface anywhere else on the project to date.

Drill cores in the 2015 program were cut in half using a tile saw where both the 2016 and 2017 drill programs utilized a core saw. In all cases one one-half of the core was placed in sealed bags for 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. geochemical analysis. 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 2016 and 2017 drill program, reference should be made to the full news releases contained on the Company's website at [www.freegoldventures.com](http://www.freegoldventures.com), 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 on SEDAR.

## **GOLDEN SUMMIT**

The Golden Summit Project is a road accessible gold exploration project near Fairbanks, Alaska. 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, 2016 and Amended and Restated as of May 11, 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 also been filed 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 offset through strong legislative and financial support at state and federal levels.

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.

## **EXPLORATION**

Freegold has been exploring the Golden Summit Project 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.

The Golden Summit Project has a number of competitive advantages including existing infrastructure, a favorable permitting climate and proximity to Fairbanks. The site is within eight kilometres of Kinross Gold's Fort Knox mine, a heap leach and milling operation. There is ready access to an available, seasoned labour pool in nearby Fairbanks.

Activities throughout 2014 and 2015 focused on engineering programs associated with completing the PEA. Tetra Tech of Golden, Colorado was engaged to complete the PEA utilizing the current resource estimate and recently completed engineering studies. These studies included baseline environmental, cultural and geochemical surveys as well as an extensive metallurgical program utilizing both the services of SGS and McClelland Laboratories.

Additional drilling, metallurgical testwork, environmental analyses, other permitting and property confirmation activities will need to be undertaken as the project moves forward through pre-feasibility and feasibility studies. During 2016, additional soil geochemical work was undertaken and has delineated several higher priority oxide expansion targets. In the near term, exploration efforts will focus on the expansion of the known oxide resource as well as additional baseline and cultural resource studies.

During 2017, twenty-seven holes were completed to an average depth of 70 metres with all holes completed through the oxide zone. Drilling during Phase One was focused to the north of the current mineral resource where previously completed RAB (rotary air blast drilling) identified the potential for higher- grade material as well as additional ground geophysics and geochemical sampling. The results of the 2017 drill program indicated that there maybe potential for expansion of the current oxide resource at Golden Summit with majority of the holes returning average grades above the internal cut-off used in the 2016 PEA, however additional drilling will be undertaken before the oxide resource will be updated. Results of the oxide drilling are as follows:

Hole	Total Depth (m)	From (m)	To (m)	Interval (m)	Au g/t	Oxide Thickness (m)	Oxide Grade Au g/t
GSDL 17-01	62	2.38	62	59.6	0.21	44.6	0.26
GSDL 17-02	62	3	62	59	0.2	45.5	0.23
GSDL 17-03	71	0	71	71	0.19	54.5	0.16
GSDL 17-04	67.5	0	67.5	67.5	0.41	54.4	0.32
GSDL 17-05	71	3	71	68	0.16	50	0.13
GSDL 17-06	71	4.5	71	66.5	0.40	56.5	0.36
GSDL 17-07	71.7	7	71.7	64.7	0.29	45.5	0.35
GSDL 17-08	72	2	72	70	0.16	40	0.17
GSDL 17-09	72	1.5	72	70.5	0.26	41.3	0.32
GSDL 17-10	<b>70.5</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>70.5</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>0.44</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>0.72</b>
GSDL 17-11	70.5	2	70.5	68.5	0.45	56.5	0.51
GSDL 17-12	70.5	1.5	70.5	69	0.23	54	0.26
<b>GSDL 17-13</b>	<b>70.5</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>70.5</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>0.46</b>	<b>52.5</b>	<b>0.56</b>
GSDL 17-14	70.5	1.5	70.5	69	0.74	51	0.19
GSDL 17-15	70.5	3	70.5	67.5	0.38	58.5	0.35
<b>GSDL 17-16</b>	<b>70.5</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>70.5</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>1.14 (uncut)</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>1.40 (uncut)</b>
<b>GSDL 17-16</b>	<b>70.5</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>70.5</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>0.89*</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>1.09*</b>
GSDL 17-17	70.5	1.5	70.5	69	0.42	42	0.55
GSDL 17-18	70.5	6	70.5	64.5	0.51	52.5	0.57
GSDL 17-19	70.5	0	70.5	70.5	Anomalous	42	Anomalous
GSDL 17-20	70.5	0	70.5	70.5	0.12	43.5	Anomalous
GSDL 17-21	70.5	0	70.5	70.5	Anomalous	49.5	Anomalous

\* cut to 30 g/t

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

Hole GSDL 17-16 intersected one of the high-grade east-west trending veins that are documented in the Dolphin-Cleary Area and the presence of visible gold was noted. Holes GSDL 17-17 and 17-18, the northern most holes drilled in this program intersected intrusive mineralization in an area where intrusive has not previously been encountered.

In addition to the drilling program a ground geophysical induced polarization program was also completed to the west of the Dolphin Resource. The survey has outlined a new exploration target within a new resistivity anomaly that covers a 1,500 x 300 metre area with coincident soil geochemical anomalies. (Au, Bi and W)

The Dolphin Area remains open to the west and the southwest and additional drilling will be necessary to determine if the resource can be expanded in these areas. Other areas that may have the potential to enhance the overall grade of the resource is the potential extension of the original high grade Cleary Hill vein system as indicated by the ground geophysical program.

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" under National Instrument 43-101.

## SELECTED ANNUAL INFORMATION

The following table summarizes selected financial data for Freegold for each of the three most recently completed financial years. The information set forth below should be read in conjunction with the consolidated audited financial statements, prepared in accordance with IFRS, and related notes:

	Years Ended December 31 <sup>st</sup> , (audited)		
	2017	2016	2015
Total revenues	\$Nil	\$Nil	\$Nil
General and administrative expenses – non-stock based	640,594	491,788	629,872
General and administrative expenses – stock compensation	4,824	486,138	6,593
Exploration and evaluation property expenditures	2,509,870	1,986,506	1,280,759
Net loss			
o In total	338,535	934,716	744,989
o Basic and diluted loss per share	0.00	0.01	0.01
Comprehensive loss before income taxes			
o In total	247,968	956,990	736,833
o Basic and diluted comprehensive loss per share	0.00	0.01	0.01
Totals assets	37,662,905	36,407,348	32,169,227
Total non-current liabilities	220,655	834,650	826,021
Cash dividends declared	Nil	Nil	Nil

The comprehensive loss for the fiscal year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 decreased to \$247,968 from a comprehensive loss of \$956,990 incurred during fiscal 2016 mainly due to share-based compensation of \$486,138 in the prior year and a gain on forgiveness of debt of \$318,465 in the current year.

The comprehensive loss for the fiscal year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016 increased to \$956,990 from a comprehensive loss of \$736,833 incurred during fiscal 2015 mainly due to share-based compensation of \$486,138 resulting from the granting of stock options.

## RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

### *Year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017*

General and administrative expenses for the year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 were \$645,418, a decrease of \$332,508 compared to \$977,926 for the year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016. The changes in comprehensive loss were mainly attributable to:

- o an increase of \$47,867 in promotion and shareholder relations, from \$25,982 in 2016 to \$73,849;
- o an increase of \$15,335 in rent and utilities, from \$36,077 in 2016 to \$51,412 as the Company renewed its office lease;
- o an increase of \$60,859 in travel expenses, from \$43,959 in 2016 to \$104,818. The increase was mainly attributable to activities to increase investor awareness, to facilitate additional financing requirements and to pursue possible joint ventures;
- o a decrease of \$481,314 in non-cash share-based compensation expense that were charged upon the granting of long-term incentive stock options, from \$486,138 in 2016 to \$4,824 in 2017;
- o forgiveness of debt of \$318,465 was recognized as the Company settled a long term payable of \$622,991 with the issuance of 3,893,689 shares at a deemed price of Cdn\$0.20 per share;



- a decrease of \$3,108 in interest income from \$10,751 in 2016 to \$7,643, due to a decrease in cash on hand;

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

During the year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017, the Company incurred the below acquisition and exploration and evaluation property expenditures:

	Golden Summit Property		Shorty Creek Property		Total
<b>Acquisition costs</b>					
Balance, December 31, 2016	\$	2,833,389	\$	198,546	\$ 3,031,935
Additions		247,775		-	247,775
Balance, December 31, 2017	\$	3,081,164	\$	198,546	\$ 3,279,710
<b>Exploration and evaluation costs</b>					
Balance, December 31, 2016	\$	27,835,798	\$	2,770,272	\$ 30,606,070
Assaying		80,211		44,146	124,357
Camp costs		-		217,413	217,413
Drilling		347,264		625,025	972,289
Engineering and consulting		5,101		80,276	85,377
Geological and field expenses		28,081		71,888	99,969
Geophysical		58,081		-	58,081
Helicopter support		-		404,791	404,791
Land maintenance and tenure		84,143		8,155	92,298
Legal		8,206		-	8,206
Metallurgical studies		25,103		-	25,103
Personnel		137,052		181,448	318,500
Travel		45,247		58,239	103,486
Balance, December 31, 2017	\$	28,654,287	\$	4,461,653	\$ 33,115,940
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>31,735,451</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>4,660,199</b>	<b>\$ 36,395,650</b>

The decrease in cash of \$1,525,229 for the year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 was mainly attributable \$1,896,424 net proceeds received from financing activities less the annual loss of \$338,535 and \$2,868,979 incurred on mineral exploration and acquisition costs. This compares to an increase in cash for the year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016 of \$1,934,782 that was mainly attributable to \$4,851,474 received from financing activities less \$2,463,195 incurred on mineral exploration and acquisition costs.

In September 2017, the Company filed a short form prospectus (the "Prospectus") pursuant to which the Company issued an aggregate of 25,042,600 units of securities (the "Units") at a price of Cdn\$0.12 per Unit for gross proceeds of Cdn\$3,005,112. (US\$2,307,024, US\$1,886,314 net to the Company). The following table compares the previously disclosed use of proceeds (other than working capital) and the variances for the period ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017.

	Budgeted expenditures		Actual expenditures		Variance
<b>Shorty Creek, Alaska</b>					
Drilling program	\$	1,300,000	\$	1,691,381	\$ * 391,381
<b>Golden Summit, Alaska</b>					
Base line studies and cultural resource studies		49,000		-	(49,000)
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<b>Total, December 31, 2017</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>1,349,000</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>1,691,381</b>	<b>\$ 342,381</b>

\* Funds from the Company's working capital were utilized in order to complete the 2017 drilling program.

### Three month period ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017

The three month period ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 resulted in net comprehensive income of \$405,083 which was higher than the net comprehensive loss of \$205,347 for the three month period ended September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017. The current period's income was mainly due to \$318,465 gain on forgiveness of debt and \$225,642 re-allocation of wages to mineral property exploration costs.

The other changes in comprehensive (loss) income from September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017 to December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 were mainly attributable to:

- an increase of \$41,207 in professional fees, from \$61,363 on September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017 to \$102,570 on December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 as the Company accrued the estimated cost of the 2017 annual audit;
- an increase of \$34,265 in travel expenses, from \$70,553 on September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017 to \$104,818 on December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017. The increase was mainly attributable to activities to increase investor awareness, to facilitate additional financing requirements and to pursue possible joint ventures;

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

During the three month period ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017, the Company incurred the following acquisition and exploration and evaluation property expenditures:

	Golden Summit Property		Shorty Creek Property		Total
<b>Acquisition costs</b>					
Balance, September 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2017	\$	2,989,164	\$	198,546	\$ 3,187,710
Additions		92,000		-	92,000
Balance, December 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2017	\$	3,081,164	\$	198,546	\$ 3,279,710
<b>Exploration and evaluation costs</b>					
Balance, September 30 <sup>th</sup> , 2017	\$	28,548,187	\$	3,969,328	\$ 32,517,515
Assaying		-		23,987	23,987
Camp costs		-		28,029	28,029
Drilling		-		169,870	169,870
Engineering and consulting		663		9,900	10,563
Geological and field expenses		2,217		16,098	18,315
Helicopter support		-		48,252	48,252
Land maintenance and tenure		58,092		8,155	66,247
Personnel		45,128		181,270	226,398
Travel		-		6,764	6,764
Balance, December 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2017	\$	28,654,287	\$	4,461,653	\$ 33,115,940
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>31,735,451</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>4,660,199</b>	<b>\$ 36,395,650</b>

## SUMMARY OF QUARTERLY RESULTS

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

	Quarters Ended (unaudited)							
	Dec. 31 <sup>st</sup> 2017	Sept. 30 <sup>th</sup> 2017	June 30 <sup>th</sup> 2017	Mar. 31 <sup>st</sup> 2017	Dec. 31 <sup>st</sup> 2016	Sept. 30 <sup>th</sup> 2016	June 30 <sup>th</sup> 2016	Mar. 31 <sup>st</sup> 2016
Total revenues	\$Nil	\$Nil	\$Nil	\$Nil	\$Nil	\$Nil	\$Nil	\$Nil
Net comprehensive (loss) income – before tax	405,083	(205,347)	(187,724)	(259,980)	48,498	(622,319)	(190,842)	(192,327)
Net comprehensive (loss) income per share	0.00	(0.00)	(0.00)	(0.00)	0.00	(0.00)	(0.00)	(0.00)
Total assets	37,662,905	38,038,616	36,206,296	36,098,863	36,407,348	38,431,471	39,120,294	34,101,392

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 December 31<sup>th</sup>, 2017, the Company's working capital, defined as current assets less current liabilities, was \$233,627 compared to \$1,741,778 at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016. The Company has current liabilities of \$664,471 of which \$50,802 relates to exploration work and \$519,654 is owed to related parties. The Company does not have the required funds to meet all of its contractual and

statutory property payments and exploration commitments and planned activities for the next year, and will be required to seek additional financing to further develop its mineral properties.

In September 2017, the Company filed the Prospectus pursuant to which the Company issued an aggregate of 25,042,600 Units at a price of Cdn\$0.12 per unit for gross proceeds of Cdn\$3,005,112 (US\$2,307,024). Each Unit consists of one common share and one-half of one common share purchase warrant. Each whole warrant will entitle the holder to acquire an additional share at a price of Cdn\$0.18 per share for a period of 2 years from the date of the closing.

The Company granted the agent under the Prospectus offering 1,252,130 agent warrants. Each warrant entitles the agent to acquire a common share at a price of Cdn\$0.12 per share for a period of 2 years from the date of the closing. The Company incurred total share issue costs associated with this financing of \$595,438 of which \$508,252 were commissions and related expenses and \$87,186 was the value attributed to the agent warrants.

The Company used the majority of the proceeds for exploration activities on the Shorty Creek project.

On December 22, 2017, the Company concluded a debt settlement agreement to extinguish a long term debt that the Company has been carrying on its balance sheet of \$662,991 with the issuance of 3,893,689 shares at a deemed price of Cdn\$0.20 per share. The Company incurred \$4,685 share issue costs associated with this debt settlement.

### **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> 2017.

### **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 does not have a source of revenue and is dependent on equity financings to fund its activities. The Company had positive working capital at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 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 available capital may not be sufficient to fund the Company's planned activities through 2018.

## **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 10d to the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017.

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 December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017, 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 its 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 and incur exploration expenditures as outlined in the table below but has the ability to reduce or terminate the option agreements upon appropriate notice.

		2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	* 2023 and beyond	Total
Golden Summit payments	\$	335,655	335,000	435,000	435,000	435,000	435,000	\$ 2,410,655
Golden Summit exploration	\$	336,330	95,000	95,000	95,000	95,000	95,000	\$ 811,330
Shorty Creek payments	\$	8,000	8,000	68,000	68,000	68,000	68,000	\$ 288,000
Total	\$	679,985	438,000	598,000	598,000	598,000	598,000	\$ 3,509,985

\*Annual amounts

For more detailed information on the Company's statutory property payments and exploration commitments, see the Company's Annual Information Form for the year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 and note 5 to the Company's audited financial statements for the year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017.

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

	< 1 year (Cdn\$)	2-5 years (Cdn\$)	Total (Cdn\$)
Office lease - Vancouver	66,434	189,810	256,244
Photocopier lease payments	4,006	9,014	13,020
Total	70,440	198,824	269,264

See Note 12 of the Company's consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017.

## Off-balance sheet arrangements

The Company has no off-balance sheet arrangements.

## **Financial Instruments**

The Company classifies all financial instruments as either available-for-sale, financial assets or liabilities at fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL"), loans and receivables or other financial liabilities. Loans and receivables and other financial liabilities are measured at amortized cost. Available-for-sale instruments are measured at fair value with unrealized gains and losses recognized in other comprehensive income (loss). These amounts will be reclassified from shareholders' equity to profit or loss when the investment is sold or when the investment is impaired and the impairment is considered less than temporary. Instruments classified as FVTPL are measured at fair value with unrealized gains and losses recognized on the statement of loss and comprehensive loss.

The Company has designated its cash and cash equivalents as FVTPL, which is measured at fair value. Interest receivable is classified as loans and receivables and measured at amortized cost. Trade payables, accrued liabilities and amounts due to related parties are classified as other financial liabilities which are measured at amortized cost.

## **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 December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017, amounts receivable of \$66,318 (December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016 - \$7,404) was comprised of Goods and Services Tax/Harmonized Sales Tax receivable of \$7,020 (December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016 - \$4,814), interest receivable of \$140 (December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016 - \$2,473) and other receivables of \$59,158 (December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016 - \$117). 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 December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017, the Company had cash of \$780,355 to settle current liabilities of \$664,471 which have contractual maturities of less than 30 days and are subject to normal trade terms.

## **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 years ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 and 2016:

	December 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2017 (Cdn\$)	December 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2016 (Cdn\$)
Cash and cash equivalents	850,972	1,353,465
Trade payables	92,435	118,200
Due to related parties	651,905	588,303

A 1% change in Canadian/US foreign exchange rate at year end would have changed the net loss of the Company, assuming that all other variables remained constant, by approximately \$1,066 for the year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 compared to \$6,470 for the year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016.

The Company has not, to the date of these consolidated financial statements, entered into 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 EVENTS

No significant events have occurred subsequent to December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017.

#### OUTSTANDING SHARE DATA

The Company is authorized to issue unlimited common shares without par value. As at April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018, there were 174,018,906 outstanding common shares compared to 145,082,617 outstanding shares at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016.

The increase reflects the 25,042,600 shares at Cdn\$0.12 issued upon the September 19<sup>th</sup>, 2017 filing of the short form prospectus and 3,893,689 shares issued to settle \$622,991 debt.

As at April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018 there were 46,772,887 warrants outstanding.

	Number Outstanding on April 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 2018	Exercise Price per Share Cdn\$	Expiry Date
	3,186,250	\$0.15	May 4 <sup>th</sup> , 2018
	6,750,000	\$0.15	August 12 <sup>th</sup> , 2018
	20,230,883	\$0.25	May 20 <sup>th</sup> , 2019
	2,832,324	\$0.18	May 20 <sup>th</sup> , 2019
	12,521,300	\$0.18	September 19 <sup>th</sup> , 2019
	1,252,130	\$0.12	September 19 <sup>th</sup> , 2019
<b>Total</b>	<b>46,772,887</b>		



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 10d to the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017.

As at April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018 there were 5,270,000 stock options outstanding as disclosed in the below table:

<b>Number Outstanding April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018</b>	<b>Number Exercisable April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018</b>	<b>Exercise Price per Share Cdn\$</b>	<b>Expiry Date</b>
700,000	700,000	\$ 0.25	January 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2019
150,000	150,000	\$ 0.20	July 23 <sup>rd</sup> , 2019
150,000	150,000	\$ 0.12	July 28 <sup>th</sup> , 2020
4,220,000	4,220,000	\$ 0.21	July 8 <sup>th</sup> , 2021
50,000	50,000	\$ 0.155	April 6 <sup>th</sup> , 2022
<b>Total</b>	<b>5,270,000</b>		

## 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:

	December 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2017	December 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2016
Kristina Walcott – President and CEO *	\$ 159,830	\$ 143,396
Alvin Jackson - VP Exploration and Development *	159,830	143,395
Gordon Steblin - CFO	61,714	56,728
Taryn Downing - Corporate Secretary	22,526	24,506
Stock based compensation	-	452,654
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 403,900</b>	<b>\$ 820,679</b>

\*During the year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017, \$225,642 (December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016, \$198,548) of the President's and Vice President's salary was allocated to the Company's exploration and evaluation properties.

A summary of amounts due to related parties is as follows:

	December 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2017	December 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2016
Kristina Walcott – President and CEO	\$ 186,163	\$ 186,580
Alvin Jackson - VP Exploration and Development	180,351	181,148
Gordon Steblin - CFO	42,100	48,993
Taryn Downing - Corporate Secretary	18,012	21,427
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 426,626</b>	<b>\$ 438,148</b>

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.

The Company incurred certain share issue costs relating to the offering completed in September 2017 with Norton Rose Fulbright Canada LLP ("Norton"), a legal firm of which a Director of the Company is a partner. Norton was paid or accrued \$128,473 for legal services in connection with the financing completed. An amount of \$93,028 was owed as at December 31, 2017 (December 31, 2016 - \$2,946). Additional legal and share issue costs of \$9,721 (December 31, 2016 - \$3,626) were incurred with Norton.

The Company incurred certain share issue costs relating to the offering completed in May 2016 with Norton. Norton was paid \$141,650 for legal services in connection with the financing completed. Further, cash commissions of \$385,612 were paid to Paradigm Capital ("Paradigm"), a firm of which a former Director of the Company is a partner, in respect to the financing completed. 2,832,324 agent warrants were also issued to Paradigm, with an attributed value of \$292,122.

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 year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017. 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 December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 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 year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017. Based on that evaluation, the CEO and CFO concluded that the design and operation of internal controls over financial reporting were effective as at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 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 year ended December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2017 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 time-consuming 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.

### **OUTLOOK**

Given the results of the Golden Summit PEA, the next significant step for the Golden Summit Project, subject to arranging appropriate financing, would be the preparation of a Preliminary Feasibility Study. A significant advantage for the project to keep the initial capital expenditures at a minimum is the superb supporting infrastructure in the immediate vicinity of the property, as well as in the broader region. The city of Fairbanks (population 100,000) is a 30 minute drive via paved highway while industrial scale grid power and rail transport are available nearby. Additional drilling, metallurgical testing, environmental analyses, other permitting and property confirmation activities will need to be undertaken as part of this next level of study. In the near term, particular emphasis will be placed on planning additional drilling aimed at expanding the current oxide resource. Geophysical, geochemical and geological results had identified three primary areas in which drilling should be focused. Drilling during 2017 was focused on the area to the north of the oxide resource and the results indicate that the oxide mineralization extends to the north. Both the areas to the west and southwest remain untested by additional drilling. These areas represent high priority areas for further oxide expansion.

In addition to the studies being planned at Golden Summit, exploration is continuing at Shorty Creek as a result of the encouraging results obtained from the 2015 - 2017 field programs. In 2015, the first core drilling was undertaken at Shorty Creek. Hole SC 15-03 confirmed that copper mineralization present at Hill 1835 is associated with a magnetic high. Drilling during 2016 focused on both Hill 1835 in the area of the 2015 drilling as well as Hill 1710 where a broad magnetic anomaly with coincident copper and molybdenum in soil anomaly was identified. Seven holes were completed in the 2016 program for a total of 3,038 metres (9,966 feet).

The 2016 drill program successfully confirmed the presence of a copper-gold-molybdenum porphyry system at the Shorty Creek Project within the 100 sq. km property. The airborne magnetic survey has identified several northeast trending magnetic highs. Copper-gold-molybdenum mineralization and associated porphyry alteration has been intersected in drill holes at Hills 1835 and 1710.

The 2017 program at Shorty Creek was aimed at expanding the mineralization at Hill 1835, an already large scale porphyry target. Results from the drilling at Hill 1835 has indicated continuous mineralization both laterally and to depth.

In addition to the Hill 1835 drilling, one hole was completed in the Steel Creek area during 2017. Steel Creek lies 1.5 km to the northeast of Hill 1835, and is defined by a large magnetic anomaly measuring 2.0 km by 2.5 km. Hole 17-06 was drilled in the centre of the magnetic feature, and returned anomalous values. Of particular significance is the anomalous metal suite encountered within the hole, which includes copper, gold silver, cobalt and tungsten, consistent with that seen at Hill 1835. Additional drilling will be necessary to further test this promising target area.

Drilling at Hill 1835 is still very early stage with the spacing between holes averaging 120 metres and a large untested area remaining. Considerable infill drilling will be necessary in order to define a resource, however, each hole drilled to date has intersected broad zones of mineralization, despite the wide spacing, and results continue to confirm both the grade and overall tonnage potential of this sizeable target area. In addition, several untested targets remain and will require drilling to evaluate their potential.

*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, 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.*

# **FREEGOLD VENTURES LIMITED**

**(An Exploration Stage Company)**

## **CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**(Expressed in U.S. Dollars)**

**December 31, 2017 and 2016**

## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Shareholders of  
Freegold Ventures Limited

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of Freegold Ventures Limited, which comprise the consolidated statements of financial position as at December 31, 2017 and 2016 and the consolidated statements of loss and comprehensive loss, changes in equity and cash flows for the years then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

### *Management's Responsibility for the Consolidated Financial Statements*

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these consolidated financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

### *Auditors' Responsibility*

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained in our audits is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

### *Opinion*

In our opinion, these consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Freegold Ventures Limited as at December 31, 2017 and 2016 and its financial performance and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards.





***Emphasis of Matter***

Without qualifying our opinion, we draw attention to Note 1 in the consolidated financial statements which describes conditions and matters that indicate the existence of a material uncertainty that may cast significant doubt about Freegold Ventures Limited's ability to continue as a going concern.

**“DAVIDSON & COMPANY LLP”**

Vancouver, Canada

Chartered Professional Accountants

April 2, 2018

**Freegold Ventures Limited**  
(An Exploration Stage Company)

**Consolidated Statements of Financial Position**

**As at December 31,**

(Expressed in U.S. Dollars)

<b>ASSETS</b>	<b>2017</b>		<b>2016</b>	
<b>Current</b>				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	780,355	\$	2,305,584
Amounts receivable		66,318		7,404
Prepaid expenses and deposits		51,425		79,178
		<u>898,098</u>		<u>2,392,166</u>
<b>Exploration and Evaluation Properties</b> (Note 5)		<b>36,395,650</b>		<b>33,638,005</b>
<b>Property, Plant and Equipment</b> (Note 6)		<u>369,157</u>		<u>377,177</u>
	\$	<b>37,662,905</b>	\$	<b>36,407,348</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>				
<b>Current</b>				
Trade payables (Note 7)	\$	119,707	\$	184,005
Accrued liabilities		25,110		25,289
Due to related parties (Note 8)		519,654		441,094
		<u>664,471</u>		<u>650,388</u>
<b>Restoration and Environmental Obligations</b> (Note 9)		<b>220,655</b>		<b>211,659</b>
<b>Trade payables – Non-current</b> (Note 7)		<u>-</u>		<u>622,991</u>
		<u>885,126</u>		<u>1,485,038</u>
<b>EQUITY</b>				
<b>Share Capital</b> (Note 10)		<b>85,316,169</b>		<b>84,141,989</b>
<b>Reserves</b>		<b>16,158,672</b>		<b>15,138,848</b>
<b>Deficit</b>		<u>(64,697,062)</u>		<u>(64,358,527)</u>
		<u>36,777,779</u>		<u>34,922,310</u>
	\$	<b>37,662,905</b>	\$	<b>36,407,348</b>

**Nature and Continuance of Operations** (Note 1), **Commitments** (Note 12) and **Subsequent Events** (Note 16)

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

“Gary Moore”, Director “David Knight”, Director

**Freegold Ventures Limited**
*(An Exploration Stage Company)*
**Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity**
**For the Years Ended December 31, 2017 and 2016**
*(Expressed in U.S. Dollars)*

	Common Shares	Amount	Stock Options Reserve	Warrants Reserve	Foreign Currency Translation Reserve	Deficit	Total
<b>Balance – December 31, 2015</b>	<b>104,370,851</b>	<b>\$ 81,776,736</b>	<b>\$ 7,074,207</b>	<b>\$ 5,931,183</b>	<b>\$ (853,831)</b>	<b>\$ (63,423,811)</b>	<b>\$ 30,504,484</b>
Issuance and allotment of shares for:							
- Public offering (Note 10a)	40,461,766	5,508,750	-	-	-	-	5,508,750
- Value assigned to warrants (Notes 10a and 10c)	-	(2,207,184)	-	2,207,184	-	-	-
Exercise of warrants (Note 10b)	250,000	41,449	-	(13,085)	-	-	28,364
Share-based payments (Note 10d)	-	-	523,342	-	-	-	523,342
Share issuance costs (Note 10a)	-	(685,640)	-	-	-	-	(685,640)
Share issuance costs – agent's warrants (Note 10a)	-	(292,122)	-	292,122	-	-	-
Foreign currency translation adjustment	-	-	-	-	(22,274)	-	(22,274)
Loss for the year	-	-	-	-	-	(934,716)	(934,716)
<b>Balance – December 31, 2016</b>	<b>145,082,617</b>	<b>84,141,989</b>	<b>7,597,549</b>	<b>8,417,404</b>	<b>(876,105)</b>	<b>(64,358,527)</b>	<b>34,922,310</b>
Issuance and allotment of shares for:							
- Public offering (Note 10a)	25,042,600	2,307,024	-	-	-	-	2,307,024
- Value assigned to warrants (Notes 10a and 10c)	-	(837,247)	-	837,247	-	-	-
Shares issued for debt (Notes 7 and 10a)	3,893,689	304,526	-	-	-	-	304,526
Share-based payments (Note 10d)	-	-	4,824	-	-	-	4,824
Share issuance costs (Note 10a)	-	(512,937)	-	-	-	-	(512,937)
Share issuance costs – agent's warrants (Note 10a)	-	(87,186)	-	87,186	-	-	-
Foreign currency translation adjustment	-	-	-	-	90,567	-	90,567
Loss for the year	-	-	-	-	-	(338,535)	(338,535)
<b>Balance – December 31, 2017</b>	<b>174,018,906</b>	<b>\$ 85,316,169</b>	<b>\$ 7,602,373</b>	<b>\$ 9,341,837</b>	<b>(785,538)</b>	<b>\$ (64,697,062)</b>	<b>\$ 36,777,779</b>

- See Accompanying Notes -

**Freegold Ventures Limited**  
*(An Exploration Stage Company)*

**Consolidated Statements of Loss and Comprehensive Loss**  
**For the Years Ended December 31,**

*(Expressed in U.S. Dollars)*

	2017	2016
<b>General and Administrative Expenses</b>		
Accretion <i>(Note 9)</i>	\$ 8,996	\$ 8,629
Consulting fees <i>(Note 8)</i>	27,617	36,242
Depreciation <i>(Note 6)</i>	9,743	10,800
Office and miscellaneous	49,076	38,579
Professional fees <i>(Note 8)</i>	102,570	91,252
Promotion and shareholder relations	73,849	25,982
Rent and utilities	51,412	36,077
Transfer, filing and other fees	79,730	80,606
Travel and transportation	104,818	43,959
Share-based payments <i>(Notes 8 and 10d)</i>	4,824	486,138
Wages, salaries and benefits <i>(Note 8)</i>	132,783	119,662
<b>Total General and Administrative Expenses</b>	<b>(645,418)</b>	<b>(977,926)</b>
Foreign exchange gain (loss), net	(16,376)	21,494
Interest and bank charges	(2,849)	(3,250)
Interest income	7,643	10,751
Write down of assets held for sale <i>(Note 4)</i>	-	(912)
Write down of trade payables	-	15,127
Gain on forgiveness of debt <i>(Note 7)</i>	318,465	-
	<b>306,883</b>	<b>43,210</b>
<b>Net Loss for the Year</b>	<b>\$ (338,535)</b>	<b>\$ (934,716)</b>
<b>Loss per Share – Basic and Diluted</b>	<b>\$ (0.00)</b>	<b>\$ (0.01)</b>
<b>Weighted Average Number of Shares Outstanding – Basic and Diluted</b>	<b>152,245,442</b>	<b>129,473,995</b>
<b>Comprehensive Loss</b>		
Net loss for the year	\$ (338,535)	\$ (934,716)
Foreign currency translation adjustment	90,567	(22,274)
<b>Total Comprehensive Loss for the Year</b>	<b>\$ (247,968)</b>	<b>(956,990)</b>

**Freegold Ventures Limited**  
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**Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows**

**For the Years Ended December 31,**

(Expressed in U.S. Dollars)

<b>Cash Resources Provided By (Used In)</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
<b>Operating Activities</b>		
Loss for the year	\$ (338,535)	\$ (934,716)
Items not affecting cash:		
Depreciation	9,743	10,800
Accretion	8,996	8,629
Write down of assets held for sale	-	912
Write down of trade payables	-	(15,127)
Gain on forgiveness of debt	(318,465)	-
Share-based payments	4,824	486,138
Net changes in non-cash working capital components:		
Amounts receivable	(58,393)	2,336
Prepaid expenses and deposits	31,460	(22,919)
Trade payables	(37,449)	(48,693)
Accrued liabilities	(1,894)	7,498
Due to related parties	38,280	50,292
	<u>(661,433)</u>	<u>(454,850)</u>
<b>Investing Activities</b>		
Exploration and evaluation property acquisition costs	(247,775)	(337,825)
Exploration and evaluation property deferred exploration costs	(2,577,633)	(2,125,370)
Proceeds on sale of assets held for sale	-	31,147
Property, plant and equipment additions	(1,723)	(1,284)
	<u>(2,827,131)</u>	<u>(2,433,332)</u>
<b>Financing Activities</b>		
Share capital issued	2,307,024	5,537,114
Share issuance costs	(410,600)	(685,640)
	<u>1,896,424</u>	<u>4,851,474</u>
<b>Effect of Foreign Currency on Cash and Cash Equivalents</b>	<u>66,911</u>	<u>(28,510)</u>
<b>Net Increase (decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents</b>	<b>(1,525,229)</b>	<b>1,934,782</b>
Cash and Cash Equivalents - Beginning of Year	<u>2,305,584</u>	<u>370,802</u>
<b>Cash and Cash Equivalents - End of Year</b>	<b>\$ 780,355</b>	<b>\$ 2,305,584</b>
<b>Interest received</b>	<b>\$ 7,503</b>	<b>\$ 8,239</b>
<b>Income taxes paid</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ -</b>
<b>Supplemental Disclosure of Non-Cash Items</b>		
Exploration expenditures included in trade payables and due to related parties	\$ 226,659	\$ 917,412
Share issuance costs included in trade payables and due to related parties	\$ 108,319	\$ -
Shares issued to settle debt	\$ 304,526	\$ -
Share-based payments included in exploration and evaluation properties	\$ -	\$ 37,204
Fair value reversal for warrants exercised	\$ -	\$ 13,085
Fair value of agent's warrants	\$ 87,186	\$ 292,122

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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 metal exploration and evaluation 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 that are economically recoverable and the Company is considered to be in the exploration stage. The recoverability of the amounts expended by the Company on acquiring and exploring exploration and evaluation properties is dependent upon the existence of economically recoverable reserves, the ability of the Company to complete the acquisition and/or development of the properties and upon future profitable production.

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 consolidated financial statements as at December 31, 2017 and for the year 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 \$247,968 for the year ended December 31, 2017 (December 31, 2016 – \$956,990) and had working capital of \$233,627 at December 31, 2017 (December 31, 2016 – working capital of \$1,741,778).

The Company had cash and cash equivalents of \$780,355 at December 31, 2017 (December 31, 2016 - \$2,305,584), 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. Management is aware, in making its assessment, of material uncertainties related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt upon the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. These consolidated 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.

### **2. Significant Accounting Policies**

The consolidated financial statements of the Company have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") and interpretations of the International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee ("IFRIC").

#### **a) Change in presentation currency**

These consolidated financial statements are presented in United States Dollars ("U.S. Dollars"), unless otherwise specified. The functional currency of Freegold Ventures Limited is the Canadian Dollar. The functional currency of the Company's foreign subsidiaries is the U.S. Dollar. In 2016, the Company changed its presentation currency from Canadian Dollars to U.S. Dollars to better reflect the Company's business activities. Accordingly, all financial information within these consolidated financial statements are presented in U.S. Dollars, unless otherwise noted. The change in presentation currency is to better reflect the Company's business activities and to

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improve investor's ability to compare the Company's financial results with other publicly traded businesses in the mineral exploration industry.

In making this change to the U.S. Dollar presentation currency, the Company followed the guidance in IAS 21 *The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates* and have applied the change retrospectively as if the new presentation currency had always been the Company's presentation currency. In accordance with IAS 21, the consolidated financial statements for all years and periods presented have been translated to the new U.S. Dollar presentation currency.

### **b) Consolidation**

These consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company's wholly-owned subsidiaries, Free Gold Recovery, USA, Freegold Ventures Limited, USA, Grizzly Bear Gold Inc., Dolphin Gold Inc. (inactive) and McGrath Gold Inc. (inactive). All subsidiaries are US corporations which are involved in exploration and evaluation of properties. Inter-company balances are eliminated upon consolidation.

### **c) 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.

### **d) 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 December 31, 2017, cash and cash equivalents includes a redeemable guaranteed investment certificate of \$42,024 (December 31, 2016 - \$39,068).

### **e) Financial Assets**

Financial assets are classified as held-to-maturity, loans and receivables, available-for-sale financial assets, financial assets at fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL"), or as derivatives designated as hedging instruments in an effective hedge, as appropriate. The Company determines the classification of its financial assets at initial recognition. Financial assets are recognized initially at fair value. The subsequent measurement of financial assets depends on their classification as follows:

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### *Held-to-maturity and loans and receivables*

Held-to-maturity and loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. Such assets are carried at amortized cost using the effective interest method if the time value of money is significant. Gains and losses are recognized in profit or loss when the financial asset classified in this category are derecognized or impaired, as well as through the amortization process. Amounts receivable are classified as loans and receivables.

### *Available-for-sale*

Available-for-sale financial assets are those non-derivative financial assets that are not classified as loans and receivables. After initial recognition, available-for-sale financial assets are measured at fair value, with gains or losses recognized within other comprehensive income (loss). Accumulated changes in fair value are recorded as a separate component of equity until the investment is derecognized or impaired. Available-for-sale assets include investment in equities of other entities.

The fair value is determined by reference to bid prices at the close of business on the reporting date. Where there is no active market, fair value is determined using valuation techniques. Where fair value cannot be reliably measured, assets are carried at cost. The Company does not have any financial assets classified as available-for-sale.

### *Financial assets at FVTPL*

Financial assets are classified as held for trading and are included in this category if acquired principally for the purpose of selling in the short term or if so designated by management. Derivatives, other than those designated as effective hedging instruments, are also categorized as held for trading. These assets are carried at fair value with gains or losses recognized in profit or loss. Cash and cash equivalents are included in this category of financial assets.

### *Derivatives designated as hedging instruments in an effective hedge*

The Company does not hold or have any exposure to derivative instruments.

## **f) Impairment of Financial Assets**

Financial assets, other than financial assets at FVTPL, are assessed for indicators of impairment at each period end.

### *Assets carried at amortized cost*

If there is objective evidence that an impairment loss on assets carried at amortized cost have been incurred, the amount of the loss is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows discounted at the financial asset's original effective interest rate. The carrying amount of the asset is reduced, with the amount of the loss recognized in profit or loss.



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### *Available-for-sale*

If an available-for-sale financial asset is impaired, the cumulative loss previously recognized in equity is transferred to profit or loss. Any subsequent recovery in the fair value of the asset is recognized within other comprehensive income (loss).

### **g) Financial Liabilities**

Financial liabilities are classified as financial liabilities at FVTPL, derivatives designated as hedging instruments in an effective hedge, or as financial liabilities measured at amortized cost, as appropriate. The Company determines the classification of its financial liabilities at initial recognition. The measurement of financial liabilities depends on their classification, as follows:

#### *Financial liabilities at FVTPL*

Financial liabilities at FVTPL has two subcategories, including financial liabilities held for trading and those designated by management on initial recognition. These liabilities are carried at fair value with gains or losses recognized in profit or loss.

#### *Derivatives designated as hedging instruments in an effective hedge*

The Company does not hold or have any exposure to derivative instruments.

#### *Financial liabilities measured at amortized cost*

All other financial liabilities are initially recognized at fair value, net of transaction costs. After initial recognition, other financial liabilities are subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method. Amortized cost is calculated by taking into account any issue costs, and any discount or premium on settlement. Gains and losses arising on the repurchase, settlement or cancellation of liabilities are recognized respectively in interest, other revenues and finance costs. Trade payables, accrued liabilities and amounts due to related parties are included in this category of financial liabilities.

### **h) 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 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.

Exploration and evaluation assets are assessed for impairment if (i) sufficient data exists to determine technical feasibility and commercial viability, and (ii) facts and circumstances suggest that the carrying amount exceeds the recoverable amount.

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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.

### **i) Impairment**

The carrying amount of the Company's assets is reviewed for an indication of impairment at the end of each reporting period. If an indication of impairment exists, the Company makes an estimate of the asset's recoverable amount. Individual assets are grouped for impairment assessment purposes at the lowest level at which there are identifiable cash flows that are largely independent of the cash flows of other groups of assets. Recoverable amount of an asset group is the higher of its fair value less costs to sell and its value in use. Where the carrying amount of an asset group exceeds its recoverable amount, the asset group is considered impaired and is written down to its recoverable amount. Impairment losses are recognized in profit or loss. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are adjusted for the risks specific to the asset group and are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money.

An assessment is made at each reporting date as to whether there is any indication that previously recognized impairment losses may no longer exist or may have decreased. If such indication exists, the recoverable amount is estimated. A previously recognized impairment loss is reversed only if there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the asset's recoverable amount. An impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the asset's carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation, if no impairment loss had been recognized.

### **j) Restoration and Environmental Obligations**

The Company recognizes liabilities for statutory, contractual, constructive or legal obligations associated with the retirement of long-term assets, when those obligations result from the acquisition, construction, development or operation of the assets. The net present value of future restoration cost estimates arising from the decommissioning of plant and other site preparation work is capitalized to exploration and evaluation assets along with a corresponding increase in the restoration provision in the period incurred. Discount rates using a pre-tax rate that reflect the time value of money are used to calculate the net present value. The restoration asset will be depreciated on the same basis as other mining assets.

The Company's estimates of restoration costs could change as a result of changes in regulatory requirements, discount rates and assumptions regarding the amount and timing of the future expenditures. These changes are recorded directly to mining assets with a corresponding entry to the restoration provision. The Company's estimates are reviewed annually for changes in regulatory requirements, discount rates, effects of inflation and changes in estimates.

Changes in the net present value, excluding changes in the Company's estimates of reclamation costs, are charged to profit and loss for the period. The net present value of restoration costs arising from subsequent site damage that is incurred on an ongoing basis during production are

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charged to profit or loss in the period incurred. The costs of restoration projects that were included in the provision are recorded against the provision as incurred. The costs to prevent and control environmental impacts at specific properties are capitalized in accordance with the Company's accounting policy for exploration and evaluation assets.

**k) Assets Held for Sale**

Assets and liabilities are classified as held for sale if their carrying amounts are expected to be recovered through a disposition rather than through continuing use. The assets or disposal groups are measured at the lower of their carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell. Impairment losses on initial classification as held for sale and subsequent gains or losses on remeasurement are recognized in profit or loss. Assets classified as held for sale are not depreciated, depleted or amortized.

**l) Property, Plant and Equipment**

Property, plant and equipment are recorded at cost and are amortized over their estimated useful lives using the declining balance method at the following annual rates, with half the rate being applied in the year of acquisition:

Automotive	30%
Computer equipment	30%
Exploration office	4%
Land	N/A
Office equipment	20%

Where an item of property, plant and equipment consists of major components with different useful lives, the components are accounted for as separate items of property, plant and equipment. Expenditures incurred to replace a component of an item of property, plant and equipment that is accounted for separately, including major inspection and overhaul expenditures, are capitalized.

**m) Share Capital**

Common shares and warrants are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of common shares, including warrants, are recognized as a reduction of equity, net of tax. For compound financial instruments, the relative fair value method is used to separate the components where the Company issues common shares and warrants as part of its equity financing activities.

The Company has adopted a relative fair value method with respect to the measurement of shares and warrants issued as private placement units. The relative fair value method allocates value to each component on a pro-rata basis, based on the fair value of the components calculated independently of one another. The Company considers the market value of the common shares issued as fair value, and measures the fair value of the warrant component of the unit using the Black-Scholes option pricing model. The unit value is then allocated, pro-rata, between the two components, with the fair value attributed to the warrants being recorded to the warrants reserve.

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**n) Share-Based Payments**

Share-based payments to employees are measured at the fair value of the instruments issued and recognized over the vesting periods using graded vesting. Share-based payments to non-employees are measured at the fair value of goods or services received or the fair value of the equity instruments issued, if it is determined the fair value of the goods or services cannot be reliably measured, and are recorded at the date the goods or services are received. The corresponding amount is recorded to the stock options reserve. The fair value of options, as determined using the Black-Scholes option pricing model which incorporates all market vesting conditions, is expensed. The number of shares and options expected to vest is reviewed and adjusted at the end of each reporting period such that the amount recognized for services received as consideration for the equity instruments granted shall be based on the number of equity instruments that will eventually vest.

**o) Earnings (loss) per Share**

Basic earnings (loss) per share ("EPS") is computed by dividing net earnings (loss) available to common shareholders by the weighted average number of shares outstanding during the reporting year. Diluted earnings (loss) per share is computed similar to basic earnings (loss) per share except that the weighted average shares outstanding are increased to include additional shares for the assumed exercise of stock options and warrants, if dilutive. The number of additional shares is calculated by assuming that outstanding stock options and warrants were exercised and that the proceeds from such exercises were used to acquire common stock at the average market price during the reporting year.

In a year where the Company reports a net loss, the effect of outstanding stock options and warrants would be considered anti-dilutive.

**p) Income Taxes**

Income tax expense is comprised of current and deferred income taxes. Current income tax and deferred income tax are recognized in profit or loss, except to the extent that they relate to items recognized directly in equity.

Current income tax is the expected tax payable or receivable on the taxable income or loss for the year, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date, and any adjustment to tax payable in respect of previous years.

Deferred income tax is recognized in respect of temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for taxation purposes.

Deferred income tax is measured at the tax rates that are expected to be applied to temporary differences when they reverse, based on the laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date. Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are offset if there is a legally enforceable right to offset current income tax liabilities and assets, and they relate to income taxes levied by the same tax authority for the same taxable entity. A deferred income tax asset is recognized for unused tax losses, tax credits and deductible temporary differences, to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which they can be utilized. Deferred income tax assets are reviewed at each reporting date and are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that the related income tax benefit will be realized.

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**q) Foreign Currency Translation**

The functional currency of each of the Company's entities is measured using the currency of the primary economic environment in which that entity operates. The Company determined that the functional currency of Freegold Ventures Limited is the Canadian dollar. The functional currency of Free Gold Recovery Inc., USA, Freegold Ventures Limited, USA, Dolphin Gold, Inc., Grizzly Bear Gold Inc. and McGrath Gold Inc. is the U.S. dollar.

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rates prevailing at the date of the transaction. Foreign currency monetary items are translated at the period-end exchange rate. Non-monetary items measured at historical cost continue to be carried at the exchange rate at the date of the transaction. Non-monetary items measured at fair value are reported at the exchange rate at the date when fair values were determined.

Exchange differences arising on the translation of monetary items or on settlement of monetary items are recognized in profit or loss in the period in which they arise, except where deferred in equity as a qualifying cash flow or net investment hedge. Exchange differences arising on the translation of non-monetary items are recognized in other comprehensive income (loss) in the consolidated statement of loss and comprehensive loss to the extent that gains and losses arising on those non-monetary items are also recognized in other comprehensive income (loss). Where the non-monetary gain or loss is recognized in profit or loss, the exchange component is also recognized in profit or loss.

On consolidation, the Company's financial statements are translated into the presentation currency, being the U.S. dollar. Assets and liabilities are translated at the period-end exchange rate. Income and expenses are translated at the average exchange rate for the period in which they arise. Exchange differences are recognized in other comprehensive income (loss) as a separate component of equity.

**r) Flow-Through Shares**

Any premium received by the Company on the issuance of flow-through shares is initially recorded as a flow-through liability. Upon renouncement by the Company of the tax benefits associated with the related expenditures, a deferred tax liability is recognized and the flow-through liability will be reversed. To the extent that suitable deferred tax assets are available, the Company will reduce the deferred tax liability and record a deferred tax recovery.

**s) Adoption of new and revised standards and interpretations**

During the year ended December 31, 2017, the Company adopted certain new and amended accounting pronouncements, none of which had a material impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements:

Further, there are certain future standards, amendments and interpretations as follows:

The IASB intends to replace International Accounting Standard ("IAS") 39 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement in its entirety with IFRS 9 Financial Instruments which is intended to reduce the complexity in the classification and measurement of financial instruments. IFRS 9 is effective for periods beginning on or after January 1, 2018. The Company is evaluating the impact the standard is expected to have on its financial statements, which is not expected to be significant.

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IFRS 16 Leases was issued in January 2016 and is effective for periods beginning on or after January 1, 2019. 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 is evaluating the impact the final standard is expected to have on its consolidated financial statements, which is not expected to be significant.

### 3. Approval

These consolidated financial statements were approved and authorized for issue by the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors on April 2, 2018.

### 4. Assets Held for Sale

	December 31, 2017		December 31, 2016	
Balance, beginning of year	\$	-	\$	32,059
Dispositions		-		(31,147)
Write down		-		(912)
Balance, end of year	\$	-	\$	-

During the year ended December 31, 2016, the Company sold its remaining assets held for sale for proceeds of \$31,147. The Company wrote down the value of the assets held by sale in the amount of \$912 during the year end December 31, 2016, to reflect the estimated value.

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### 5. Exploration and Evaluation Properties

	Golden Summit Property	Shorty Creek Property	Total
<b>Acquisition costs</b>			
Balance, December 31, 2015	\$ 2,508,739	\$ 185,371	\$ 2,694,110
Additions	324,650	-	324,650
Staking costs	-	13,175	13,175
Balance, December 31, 2016	\$ 2,833,389	\$ 198,546	\$ 3,031,935
<b>Exploration and evaluation costs</b>			
Balance, December 31, 2015	\$ 27,587,645	\$ 1,031,919	\$ 28,619,564
Assaying	13,101	60,798	73,899
Camp costs	-	150,275	150,275
Drilling	-	646,142	646,142
Engineering and consulting	4,727	82,186	86,913
Geological and field expenses	19,271	114,745	134,016
Geophysical	-	27,486	27,486
Helicopter support	-	217,544	217,544
Land maintenance and tenure	74,099	6,581	80,680
Legal	34,127	-	34,127
Metallurgical studies	9,875	-	9,875
Personnel (includes share-based payments)	83,664	206,959	290,623
Preliminary economic assessment	9,289	-	9,289
Road building	-	225,637	225,637
Balance, December 31, 2016	\$ 27,835,798	\$ 2,770,272	\$ 30,606,070
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 30,669,187</b>	<b>\$ 2,968,818</b>	<b>\$ 33,638,005</b>

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	Golden Summit Property		Shorty Creek Property		Total
<b>Acquisition costs</b>					
Balance, December 31, 2016	\$	2,833,389	\$	198,546	\$ 3,031,935
Additions		247,775		-	247,775
Balance, December 31, 2017	\$	3,081,164	\$	198,546	\$ 3,279,710
<b>Exploration and evaluation costs</b>					
Balance, December 31, 2016	\$	27,835,798	\$	2,770,272	\$ 30,606,070
Assaying		80,211		44,146	124,357
Camp costs		-		217,413	217,413
Drilling		347,264		625,025	972,289
Engineering and consulting		5,101		80,276	85,377
Geological and field expenses		28,081		71,888	99,969
Geophysical		58,081		-	58,081
Helicopter support		-		404,791	404,791
Land maintenance and tenure		84,143		8,155	92,298
Legal		8,206		-	8,206
Metallurgical studies		25,103		-	25,103
Personnel		137,052		181,448	318,500
Travel		45,247		58,239	103,486
Balance, December 31, 2017	\$	28,654,287	\$	4,461,653	\$ 33,115,940
Total	\$	31,735,451	\$	4,660,199	\$ 36,395,650



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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)
2017	\$	150,000 *	(paid)
2018 – 2019 (\$150,000 per year)	\$	300,000 *	

The property is subject to a 3% NSR.

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.

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\* On December 8, 2015, the Company renegotiated the lease to reduce the 2016 annual payment to \$75,000 payable in two equal installments on August 1, 2016 (paid) and November 1, 2016 (paid), until such time as the price of gold averages \$1,400 per oz. 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. The 2017 payment of \$75,000 was paid in 2017.

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

### **(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 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. As consideration, the Company had agreed to a one-time payment of \$50,000 due on or before February 28, 2017. The Company amended the lease agreement whereby the \$50,000 due February 29, 2017 was renegotiated to two installments of \$25,000 due February 28, 2017 (paid) and \$25,000 due February 28, 2018. The lease agreement whereby the \$25,000 due February 28, 2018 will be deferred to June 15, 2018. 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 made.

### **(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 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 increasing to \$1,500 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 is established in 5 years or less from the date of the agreement. No resource was calculated during the prescribed time frame so these shares were not issued.

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.

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

**(iv) Green Claims**

On December 16, 2010, the Company entered into a 20-year lease agreement with Christina Mining Company, LLC 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 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 to 2019	\$100,000 per year	-
December 1, 2020 to 2028	\$200,000 per year	-
December 1, 2029	\$150,000 per year	-
Total	\$2,800,000	

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

\*\* In 2016, the Company renegotiated the lease to reduce the 2016 annual payment to \$50,000 until such time as the price of gold averages \$1,400 per oz. for a period of 3 months at which time the original agreement will be re-instated. In addition, the Company guarantees 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.

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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 are 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
July 11, 2015	-	\$50,000
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	\$20,000
September 30, 2019	\$50,000	\$20,000
Total	\$175,000	\$80,000

The Company has the option to purchase the property for \$750,000 less the annual payments made under the amended lease agreement.

The Company also has the option to purchase one-half of the NSR for \$750,000.

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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 1,576 acres. 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 (paid)	\$125 per acre per year (incurred)
Year 2 (2013)	\$10 per acre per year (paid)	\$125 per acre per year (incurred)
Year 3 (2014)	\$10 per acre per year (paid)	\$125 per acre per year (incurred)
Year 4 (2015)	\$10 per acre per year (paid)	\$235 per acre per year (incurred)
Year 5 (2016)	\$15 per acre per year (paid)	\$235 per acre per year (incurred)
Year 6 (2017)	\$15 per acre per year (paid)	\$235 per acre per year (incurred)
Years 7-9	\$20 per acre per year	\$355 per acre per year

For the amendment for an additional 1,173 acres:

	Payments	Exploration Expenditures
Year 1 (2015)	\$10 per acre per year (paid)	\$125 per acre per year (incurred)
Year 2 (2016)	\$10 per acre per year (paid)	\$125 per acre per year (incurred)
Year 3 (2017)	\$10 per acre per year (paid)	\$125 per acre per year (incurred)
Year 4	\$15 per acre per year	\$235 per acre per year
Years 5-6	\$15 per acre per year	\$235 per acre per year
Years 7-9	\$20 per acre per year	\$355 per acre per year

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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%

**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 in the area of interest and the Company will be responsible for these annual State of Alaska rents.

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	Automotive		Computer Equipment		Office Equipment		Exploration Office		Exploration Office Equipment		Land		Total	
<b>Costs</b>														
Balance, December 31, 2015	\$	33,602	\$	9,202	\$	6,658	\$	179,944	\$	13,396	\$	218,892	\$	461,694
Additions		-		1,284		-		-		-		-		1,284
<b>Balance, December 31, 2016</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>33,602</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>10,486</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>6,658</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>179,944</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>13,396</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>218,892</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>462,978</b>
<b>Accumulated Depreciation</b>														
Balance, December 31, 2015	\$	(26,744)	\$	(5,629)	\$	(4,004)	\$	(30,167)	\$	(8,457)	\$	-	\$	(75,001)
Depreciation		(2,058)		(1,306)		(458)		(5,990)		(988)		-		(10,800)
<b>Balance, December 31, 2016</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>(28,802)</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>(6,935)</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>(4,462)</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>(36,157)</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>(9,445)</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>(85,801)</b>
<b>Net Book Value</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>4,800</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>3,551</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>2,196</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>143,787</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>3,951</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>218,892</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>377,177</b>

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	Automotive	Computer Equipment	Office Equipment	Exploration Office	Exploration Office Equipment	Land	Total
<b>Costs</b>							
Balance, December 31, 2016	\$ 33,602	\$ 10,486	\$ 6,658	\$ 179,944	\$ 13,396	\$ 218,892	\$ 462,978
Additions	-	1,723	-	-	-	-	1,723
<b>Balance, December 31, 2017</b>	<b>\$ 33,602</b>	<b>\$ 12,209</b>	<b>\$ 6,658</b>	<b>\$ 179,944</b>	<b>\$ 13,396</b>	<b>\$ 218,892</b>	<b>\$ 464,701</b>
<b>Accumulated Depreciation</b>							
Balance, December 31, 2016	\$ (28,802)	\$ (6,935)	\$ (4,462)	\$ (36,157)	\$ (9,445)	\$ -	\$ (85,801)
Depreciation	(1,440)	(1,385)	(373)	(5,755)	(790)	-	(9,743)
<b>Balance, December 31, 2017</b>	<b>\$ (30,242)</b>	<b>\$ (8,320)</b>	<b>\$ (4,835)</b>	<b>\$ (41,912)</b>	<b>\$ (10,235)</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ (95,544)</b>
<b>Net Book Value</b>	<b>\$ 3,360</b>	<b>\$ 3,889</b>	<b>\$ 1,823</b>	<b>\$ 138,032</b>	<b>\$ 3,161</b>	<b>\$ 218,892</b>	<b>\$ 369,157</b>



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### 7. Trade Payables

The Company entered into an agreement with one of its vendors to pay certain trade payables over two years. Accordingly, the Company had presented a portion of its trade payables as non-current as at December 31, 2016. During the year ended December 31, 2017, the Company issued 3,893,689 shares to settle \$622,991 debt and recognized a \$318,465 gain on forgiveness of debt.

### 8. Related Party Balances and Transactions

A summary of key management compensation is as follows:

	December 31, 2017		December 31, 2016
Accounting – Chief Financial Officer	\$ 61,714	\$	56,728
Consulting – Corporate Secretary	22,526		24,506
Salaries and benefits – President and Vice President	* 319,660	*	286,791
Stock option benefits	-		452,654
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 403,900</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>820,679</b>

A summary of amounts due to related parties is as follows:

	December 31, 2017		December 31, 2016
President and Chief Executive Officer	\$ 186,163	\$	186,580
Vice President, Exploration and Development	180,351		181,148
Chief Financial Officer	42,100		48,993
Corporate Secretary	18,012		21,427
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 426,626</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>438,148</b>

\*During the year ended December 31, 2017, \$225,642 (2016 - \$198,548) of the President's and Vice President's salary was allocated to the Company's exploration and evaluation properties.

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.

The Company incurred certain share issue costs relating to the offering completed in September 2017 with Norton Rose Fulbright Canada LLP ("Norton"), a legal firm of which a Director of the Company is a partner. Norton was paid or accrued \$128,473 for legal services in connection with the financing completed. An amount of \$93,028 was owed as at December 31, 2017. Additional legal and share issue costs of \$9,721 were incurred with Norton.

The Company also incurred certain share issue costs relating to the offering completed in May 2016 with Norton. Norton was paid \$141,650 for legal services in connection with the financing completed. Further, cash commissions of \$385,612 were paid to Paradigm Capital ("Paradigm"), a firm of which a

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former Director of the Company is a partner, in respect to the financing completed. 2,832,324 agent warrants were also issued to Paradigm, with an attributed value of \$292,122 (Note 10c). Additional legal costs of \$3,626 were incurred with Norton and as at December 31, 2016, a total of \$2,946 is owing.

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

### 9. 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 December 31, 2017, the present value of the estimated obligations relating to properties is \$220,655 (December 31, 2016 - \$211,659) using a discount rate of 4.25% (2016 - 4.25%) and no consideration of an inflation rate (2016 - none). 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 December 31, 2017 is \$250,000 (December 31, 2016 - \$250,000) and the revised estimate of remediation work is expected to occur in 2020.

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

	December 31, 2017	December 31, 2016
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 211,659	\$ 203,030
Accretion	8,996	8,629
Balance, end of year	\$ 220,655	\$ 211,659

### 10. Share Capital

The Company has authorized an unlimited number of common shares with no par value. At December 31, 2017, the Company had 174,018,906 common shares outstanding (December 31, 2016 - 145,082,617).

#### a) Share Issuances and Other

On December 22, 2017, the Company issued 3,893,689 shares to settle \$622,991 of debt. The Company incurred \$4,685 share issue costs associated with this debt settlement (Note 7).

On September 11, 2017, the Company filed a short form prospectus ("2017 Prospectus"). The 2017 Prospectus qualified the distribution of 25,042,600 units of the Company at a price of Cdn\$0.12 per unit for gross proceeds of Cdn\$3,005,112 (\$2,307,024). Each unit consists of one common share and one-half of one common share purchase warrant. Each whole warrant will entitle the holder to acquire an additional share at a price of Cdn\$0.18 per share for a period of 2 years from the date of the closing.

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The Company granted the agent, Paradigm (Note 8), 1,252,130 agent warrants relating to the 2017 Prospectus offering. Each agent warrant entitles the agent to acquire a common share at a price of Cdn\$0.12 per share for a period of 2 years from the date of the closing. The Company incurred total share issue costs associated with this financing of \$595,438 of which \$508,252 were commissions and related expenses and \$87,186 was the value attributed to the agent warrants (Note 10c).

On May 13, 2016, the Company filed a short form prospectus ("2016 Prospectus"). The 2016 Prospectus qualified the distribution of 40,461,766 units of the Company at a price of Cdn\$0.18 per unit for gross proceeds of Cdn\$7,283,118 (\$5,508,750). Each unit consists of one common share and one-half of one common share purchase warrant. Each whole warrant will entitle the holder to acquire an additional share at a price of Cdn\$0.25 per share for a period of 3 years from the date of the closing.

The Company granted the agent, Paradigm (Note 8), 2,832,324 agent warrants relating to the 2016 Prospectus offering. Each agent warrant entitles the agent to acquire a common share at a price of Cdn\$0.18 per share for a period of 3 years from the date of the closing. The Company incurred total share issue costs associated with this financing of \$977,762 of which \$685,640 were commissions and related expenses and \$292,122 was the value attributed to the agent warrants (Note 10c).

**b) Exercise of Warrants and Options**

During the year ended December 31, 2017, no warrants were exercised (2016 – 250,000 warrants were exercised at a price of Cdn\$0.15 per warrant for proceeds of Cdn\$37,500).

No options were exercised during the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016.

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### c) Share Purchase Warrants

The following is a summary of the changes in the Company's share purchase warrants for the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016:

	December 31, 2017		December 31, 2016	
	Number of warrants	Weighted average exercise price (Cdn\$)	Number of warrants	Weighted average exercise price (Cdn\$)
Outstanding, beginning of the year	38,170,957	0.23	19,479,628	0.22
Exercised	-	-	(250,000)	0.15
Granted	12,521,300	0.18	20,230,883	0.25
Granted	1,252,130	0.12	2,832,324	0.18
Expired	(5,171,500)	0.30	(1,250,000)	0.30
Expired	-	-	(2,871,878)	0.35
Outstanding, end of the year	46,772,887	0.20	38,170,957	0.23

The following table summarizes information regarding share purchase warrants outstanding as at December 31, 2017:

Number	Price per Share (Cdn\$)	Expiry Date	
3,186,250	0.15	May 4, 2018	
6,750,000	0.15	August 12, 2018	
20,230,883	0.25	May 20, 2019	***
2,832,324	0.18	May 20, 2019	****
12,521,300	0.18	September 19, 2019	*
1,252,130	0.12	September 19, 2019	**
<b>Total</b>	<b>46,772,887</b>		

\*During the year ended December 31, 2017, 12,521,300 share purchase warrants having a relative fair value of \$837,247 were issued relating to the 2017 Prospectus offering. Each warrant entitles the holder to purchase one additional common share at a price of Cdn\$0.18 per share exercisable until September 19, 2019. 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 0.69%, a dividend yield of 0% and historical volatility of 123% (Note 10a).

\*\*During the year ended December 31, 2017, 1,252,130 agent warrants having a fair value of \$87,186 were issued to Paradigm relating to the 2017 Prospectus offering. Each warrant entitles the agent to purchase one additional common share at a price of Cdn\$0.12 per share exercisable until September 19, 2019.

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The fair value was calculated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with an expected life of 2.0 years, risk-free interest rate of 0.69%, a dividend yield of 0% and historical volatility of 123% (Note 10a).

\*\*\*During the year ended December 31, 2016, 20,230,883 share purchase warrants having a relative fair value of \$2,207,184 were issued relating to the 2016 Prospectus offering. Each warrant entitles the holder to purchase one additional common share at a price of Cdn\$0.25 per share exercisable until May 20, 2019. 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 0.55%, a dividend yield of 0% and historical volatility of 121% (Note 10a).

\*\*\*\*During the year ended December 31, 2016, 2,832,324 agent warrants having a fair value of \$292,122 were issued to Paradigm relating to the 2016 Prospectus offering. Each warrant entitles the agent to purchase one additional common share at a price of Cdn\$0.18 per share exercisable until May 20, 2019.

The fair value was calculated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with an expected life of 3.0 years, risk-free interest rate of 0.55%, a dividend yield of 0% and historical volatility of 121% (Note 10a).

### d) 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, 2015, shareholders re-approved 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 subject to any vesting schedule, unless otherwise determined by the Board. The exercise price of an option 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, 2018.

A summary of the Company's stock options at December 31, 2017 and the changes for the year are as follows:

Number Outstanding December 31, 2016	Granted	Exercised	Cancelled	Expired	Number Outstanding December 31, 2017	Number Exercisable December 31, 2017	Exercise Price (Cdn\$)	Expiry Date
20,000	-	-	-	(20,000)	-	-	0.75	February 20, 2017
700,000	-	-	-	-	700,000	700,000	0.25	January 1, 2019
150,000	-	-	-	-	150,000	150,000	0.20	July 23, 2019
150,000	-	-	-	-	150,000	150,000	0.12	July 28, 2020
4,220,000	-	-	-	-	4,220,000	4,220,000	0.21	July 8, 2021
-	50,000	-	-	-	50,000	50,000	0.155	April 6, 2022
5,240,000	50,000	-	-	(20,000)	5,270,000	5,270,000	0.21	

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During the year ended December 31, 2017, the Company granted the following options to a consultant of the Company which vested immediately:

	Exercise Price (Cdn\$)	Number of options	2017 Vested Amount
Consultant	0.155	50,000	\$4,824

\*The \$4,824 (\$0.096 per option) estimated fair value of 50,000 options is recorded in the Company accounts as share-based payments expense calculated on the vesting date. The offsetting entry was to the stock options reserve.

A summary of the Company's stock options at December 31, 2016 and the changes for the year are as follows:

Number Outstanding December 31, 2015	Granted	Exercised	Cancelled	Expired	Number Outstanding December 31, 2016	Number Exercisable December 31, 2016	Exercise Price (Cdn\$)	Expiry Date
2,035,000	-	-	-	(2,035,000)	-	-	0.87	May 10, 2016
1,585,000	-	-	-	(1,585,000)	-	-	0.65	October 20, 2016
20,000	-	-	-	-	20,000	20,000	0.75	February 20, 2017
200,000	-	-	(200,000)	-	-	-	0.92	November 12, 2017
700,000	-	-	-	-	700,000	700,000	0.25	January 1, 2019
150,000	-	-	-	-	150,000	150,000	0.20	July 23, 2019
150,000	-	-	-	-	150,000	150,000	0.12	July 28, 2020
-	4,220,000	-	-	-	4,220,000	4,220,000	0.21	July 8, 2021
4,840,000	4,220,000	-	(200,000)	(3,620,000)	5,240,000	5,240,000	0.21	

During the year ended December 31, 2016, the Company granted the following options to Directors, Officers and consultants of the Company which vested immediately:

	Exercise Price (Cdn\$)	Number of options	2016 Vested Amount
Consultants	0.21	300,000	\$37,204*
Directors and Officers	0.21	3,920,000	\$486,138**
Total	0.21	4,220,000	\$523,342

\*The \$37,204 (\$0.124 per option) estimated fair value of 300,000 options is recorded in the Company accounts as deferred exploration costs calculated on the vesting date. The offsetting entry was to the stock options reserve.

\*\*The \$486,138 (\$0.124 per option) estimated fair value of 3,920,000 options is recorded in the Company accounts as share-based payments expense calculated on the vesting date. The offsetting entry was to the stock options reserve.

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:

	December 31, 2017	December 31, 2016
Expected dividend yield	0.00%	0.00%
Historical volatility	112.72%	108.69%
Risk-free interest rate	1.12%	0.91%
Expected life of options	5.00 years	5.00 years

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### e) Shareholders Rights Plan

Effective May 9, 2012, the Board has approved and adopted a Shareholders' Rights Plan (the "Rights Plan"). The Rights Plan extends the minimum expiry period for a takeover bid to 60 days and requires a bid to remain open for an additional 10 business days after an offeror publicly announces it has received tenders for more than 50% of the Company's voting shares. The principal purpose of the Rights Plan is to ensure that shareholders have sufficient time to consider a takeover bid without undue time constraints. It is designed to provide the Board additional time to consider alternatives in maximizing for shareholders the full and fair value for their common shares. The termination date is May 9, 2020 unless the plan is terminated by the Board before that date.

### 11. Income Taxes

A reconciliation of income taxes at statutory rates with the reported taxes is as follows, using Canadian federal and provincial statutory tax rates of 26% (2016 – 26%):

	December 31, 2017	December 31, 2016
Loss before income taxes	\$ (338,535)	\$ (934,716)
Expected income tax (recovery)	\$ (88,000)	\$ (243,000)
Changes in tax rates and foreign exchange rates	1,454,000	263,000
Permanent differences	1,000	126,000
Expiry of non-capital losses	-	322,000
Adjustment to prior years provision versus statutory tax returns	(1,811,000)	-
Change in unrecognized deductible temporary differences	444,000	(468,000)
Total income tax expense (recovery)	\$ -	\$ -

The significant components of the Company's unrecognized deferred tax assets are as follows:

	December 31, 2017	December 31, 2016
Deferred tax assets		
Share issue costs	\$ 232,000	\$ 150,000
Non-capital losses	6,509,000	7,188,000
Capital losses	23,000	21,000
Property, plant and equipment	78,000	53,000
Restoration and environmental obligations	46,000	72,000
Exploration and evaluation properties	1,013,000	19,000
Unrecognized deferred tax assets	\$ 7,901,000	\$ 7,503,000

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The significant components of the Company's temporary differences, unused tax credits and unused tax losses that have not been included on the consolidated statement of financial position are as follows:

	2017	Expiry	2016	Expiry
<b>Temporary Differences</b>				
Share issue costs	\$ 859,000	2038 to 2041	\$ 576,000	2037 to 2040
Non-capital losses	26,873,000	2019 to 2037	23,892,000	2019 to 2036
Allowable capital losses	85,000	No expiry date	80,000	No expiry date
Property, plant, and equipment	268,000	No expiry date	235,000	No expiry date
Restoration and environmental obligations	221,000	No expiry date	212,000	No expiry date
Exploration and evaluation properties	3,706,000	No expiry date	55,000	No expiry date

Tax attributes are subject to review, and potential adjustment, by tax authorities.

### 12. Commitments

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

	< 1 year (Cdn\$)	2-5 years (Cdn\$)	> 5 years (Cdn\$)	Total (Cdn\$)
Office lease - Vancouver	66,434	189,810	-	256,244
Photocopier lease payments	4,006	9,014	-	13,020
<b>Total</b>	<b>70,440</b>	<b>198,824</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>269,264</b>

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

### 13. Segmented Information

Details on a geographic basis as at December 31, 2017 are as follows:

	USA	Canada	Total
<b>Income (loss) for the year</b>	<b>\$ 300,440</b>	<b>\$ (638,975)</b>	<b>\$ (338,535)</b>
<b>Comprehensive income (loss) for the year</b>	<b>\$ 300,440</b>	<b>\$ (548,408)</b>	<b>\$ (247,968)</b>
<b>Current assets</b>	<b>\$ 155,206</b>	<b>\$ 742,892</b>	<b>\$ 898,098</b>
<b>Property, plant and equipment</b>	<b>\$ 363,445</b>	<b>\$ 5,712</b>	<b>\$ 369,157</b>
<b>Exploration and evaluation properties</b>	<b>\$ 36,395,650</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 36,395,650</b>
<b>Total assets</b>	<b>\$ 36,914,301</b>	<b>\$ 748,604</b>	<b>\$ 37,662,905</b>



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Details on a geographic basis as at December 31, 2016 are as follows:

	USA	Canada	Total
Loss for the year	\$ (19,821)	\$ (914,895)	\$ (934,716)
Comprehensive loss for the year	\$ (19,821)	\$ (937,169)	\$ (956,990)
Current assets	\$ 201,289	\$ 2,190,877	\$ 2,392,166
Property, plant and equipment	\$ 371,430	\$ 5,747	\$ 377,177
Exploration and evaluation properties	\$ 33,638,005	\$ -	\$ 33,638,005
Total assets	\$ 34,210,724	\$ 2,196,624	\$ 36,407,348

### 14. Comparative Figures

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

### 15. Financial Instruments and Risk Management

#### a) Financial Instruments

The carrying value of financial assets and liabilities at December 31, 2017 and December 31, 2016 are as follows:

	December 31, 2017	December 31, 2016
<b>Financial Assets</b>		
<i>FVTPL, measured at fair value</i>		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 780,355	\$ 2,305,584
<i>Loans and receivables, measured at amortized cost</i>		
Amounts receivable	59,298	2,590
	December 31, 2017	December 31, 2016
<b>Financial Liabilities</b>		
<i>Other liabilities, measured at amortized cost</i>		
Trade payables	\$ 119,707	\$ 184,005
Trade payables – non-current	-	622,991
Accrued liabilities	25,110	25,289
Due to related parties	519,654	441,094

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### Financial instrument hierarchy

Financial instruments measured at fair value on the consolidated 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 fair value hierarchy of financial instruments measured at fair value on the consolidated statement of financial position is as follows:

	December 31, 2017	December 31, 2016
	Level 1	Level 1
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 780,355	\$ 2,305,584

There were no transfers between levels during the years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016.

### 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 year ended December 31, 2017. Neither the Company nor its subsidiaries is 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 December 31, 2017, amounts receivable of \$66,318 (December 31, 2016 - \$7,404) was comprised of Goods and Services Tax/Harmonized Sales Tax receivable of \$7,020 (December 31, 2016 - \$4,814), interest receivable of \$140 (December 31, 2016 - \$2,473) and other receivables of \$59,158 (December 31, 2016 - \$117). As a result, credit risk is considered insignificant.

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### **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 December 31, 2017, the Company had cash of \$780,355 to settle current liabilities of \$664,471 which have contractual maturities of less than 30 days and are subject to normal trade terms.

### **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 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 years ended December 31, 2017 and 2016:

	<b>December 31, 2017 (Cdn\$)</b>	<b>December 31, 2016 (Cdn\$)</b>
Cash and cash equivalents	<b>850,972</b>	1,353,465
Trade payables and accruals	<b>92,435</b>	118,200
Due to related parties	<b>651,905</b>	588,303

A 1% change in Canadian/US foreign exchange rate at year end would have changed the net loss of the Company, assuming that all other variables remained constant, by approximately \$1,066 for the year ended December 31, 2017 (December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016 - \$6,470).

The Company has not, to the date of these consolidated financial statements, entered into 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.

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**16. Subsequent Events**

There were no significant events that occurred subsequent to December 31, 2017.