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## **CAUTIONARY STATEMENT**



#### Cautionary Note Regarding Forward-Looking Information

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This information is qualified in its entirety by cautionary statements and risk factor disclosure contained in filings made by the Company, including the Company's financial statements and related MD&A for the year ended February 28, 2018 filed with the securities regulatory authorities in certain provinces of Canada and available at <a href="https://www.sedar.com">www.sedar.com</a>.

#### April 2018 resource estimate for the Pahtavaara Project

The Mineral Resource estimate for the Pahtavaara Project is reported in accordance with National Instrument 43-101 ("NI 43-101") and has been estimated using the Canadian Institute of Mining, Metallurgy and Petroleum ("CIM") "Estimation of Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves best Practice Guidelines". This mineral resource estimate was calculated using the multiple indicator kriging method (MIK) and is classified as Inferred as defined by the CIM. Numbers are affected by rounding. A cut-off of 1.5g/t Au was selected for the reported estimate based on historical breakeven operating costs, recoveries of 85% and a gold price of EUR950/oz. See the technical report entitled "NI 43-101 Technical Report: Pahtavaara Project Finland" with an effective date of April 16, 2018, prepared by Brian Wolfe, Principal Consultant, International Resource Solutions Pty Ltd, an independent qualified person under National Instrument 43-101 – Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects ("NI 43-101").

#### November 2018 resource estimate for the Hirsikangas Gold Project

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#### November 2018 resource estimate for the Osikonmäki Gold Project

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#### Cautionary Note to U.S. Investors Concerning Resource Estimate

The resource estimates in this document were prepared in accordance with NI 43-101, adopted by the Canadian Securities Administrators. The requirements of NI 43-101 differ significantly from the requirements of the United States Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"). We use the terms "measured", "indicated" and "inferred" resources. Although these terms are recognized and required in Canada, the SEC does not recognize them. The SEC permits U.S. mining companies, in their filings with the SEC, to disclose only those mineral deposits that constitute "reserves". Under United States standards, mineralization may not be classified as a reserve unless the determination has been made that the mineralization could be economically and legally extracted at the time the determination is made. United States investors should not assume that all or any portion of a measured or indicated resource will ever be converted into "reserves". Further, "inferred resources" have a great amount of uncertainty as to their existence and whether they can be mined economically or legally, and United States investors should not assume that "inferred resources" exist or can be legally or economically mined, or that they will ever be upgraded to a higher category.

#### Review by Qualified Person

Mike Sutton, a qualified person under NI 43-101 has reviewed and approved the scientific and technical information in this presentation.

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### TARGETING LARGE, HIGH VALUE DEPOSITS WITH NSR VALUE OF >USD 2 BILLION

# THE PAHTAVAARA PROJECT

- 297km² contiguous land package along a 20km structural corridor in centre of prospective "new" belt
- Systematic regional exploration resulted in new Area 1 Discoveries in May 2019
- Strategic permitted Pahtavaara mine & mill with an Inferred resource of 474kozs and a 1,400tpd mill

#### **FINLAND**

- 100 year mining heritage but state owned until 1996 and focussed on base metals
- Permitting regime is straightforward and established
- Excellent infrastructure and low power costs

# **CENTRAL LAPLAND GREENSTONE BELT**

- Home to Europe's largest gold deposit (Agnico Eagle's 250koz/a Kittila mine)
- Only 30 years gold exploration on Central Lapland (>100 in Abitibi, Norseman Wiluna and West Africa)
- New discoveries and generation of larger projects being developed in Lapland in last ten years

# STRONG BALANCE SHEET

- CAD8.3m in cash following closing of private placement in September 2019
- Supportive shareholders with long term investment horizon

# EXPLORATION CATALYSTS

- 15,000m exploration drill program underway testing highest priority regional targets
- 7,000m near and in-mine exploration drill program starting October 2019



#### BLEND OF INTERNATIONAL AND LOCAL EXPERTISE

#### **Gunnar Nilsson – Non-Executive Chairman**

Gunnar Nilsson was appointed as Non-Executive Chairman in June 2018. Gunnar has over 30 years experience of developing and operating businesses in Europe and through joint venture companies outside Europe.

#### James Withall - Chief Executive Officer

James has over 20 years' experience in mining. He was previously a Managing Partner and Fund Manager at Baker Steel Capital Managers responsible for their gold equities fund. James worked for more than seven years as a geologist, working in Western Australia for a number of mining companies in exploration, project and mine geologist roles.

#### **Jeffrey Karoly – Chief Financial Officer**

Jeffrey is a Chartered Accountant with a degree in Geology from the University of Bristol. He has worked in the mining sector for over 20 years including 11 years in corporate finance roles with Anglo American on three continents. Since 2008 he has been Chief Financial Officer of several junior resource companies listed on the TSX, ASX and AIM.

#### Michael Sutton - P. Geo., Non-Executive Director

Mike is a geologist who has worked in some of the most prolific producing Canadian gold camps, including Timmins and Kirkland Lake. Mike has been awarded Prospector of the Year by the Ontario Prospectors Association and credited with the discovery of the South Mine Complex at Kirkland Lake.

#### **Thomas Credland – Head of Corporate Development**

A geologist with over 15 years experience in mining, Thomas began his career as a geologist in Western Australia before returning to the United Kingdom to work in mining finance.

### Jukka Nieminen – Managing Director, Rupert Finland Oy

Jukka was instrumental in the acquisition of the Pahtavaara Project for the Company and is a geologist with over 20 years of experience in the mining industry. He started his career in Western Australia before returning to Finland to work as a mine geologist at the Pahtavaara and the Orivesi Gold mines.

#### **Dr Charlotte Seabrook - Group Exploration Manager**

Prior to joining Rupert, Charlie was District Geologist for Newcrest in West Africa. Charlie has 18 years experience in geology and exploration having completed her PhD at the University of Witwatersrand. She also holds an MSc Mineral Resources from the University of Wales (Cardiff) and is based in Finland.

#### **Advisors:**

Dr Julian Barnes – Geological Consultant
Dr Brett Davies – Consulting Structural Geologist
Brian Williams – Geophysics Consultant
Dr David Selley – Geological Consultant

# NEW SIMPLIFIED CAPITAL STRUCTURE



## FUNDING IN PLACE AND OVERHANG FROM CONVERTIBLE BOND REMOVED

Capital Structure					
Shares outstanding*	139,929,156				
Options	10,700,000				
Fully Diluted Shares	150,629,156 CAD119.2M				
Market Capitalisation (at CAD 0.85/shr)					
Approx Cash post Financing*	CAD8.3M				
Ticker	TSXV : RUP				
ISIN	CA78165J1057				

Significant Shareholders (Estimated fully diluted basis)	%	
Founders, Friends and Management	60	
AMG	2	

Recent Private Placements						
Date	Issue price (CAD)	# of shares issued				
Sep 2019*	0.85	8,532,940				
Nov 2018	0.80	9,249,000				
Mar 2018	0.83	5,903,615				
Dec 2016	0.65	17,692,307				

<sup>\*</sup> Based on close of Non-brokered Private Placement 9th Sept 2019

## STRATEGIC POSITION AT EPICENTER OF NEW MINING DISTRICT



## MULTIPLE NEW GOLD DISCOVERIES AND AGNICO EAGLE'S KITTILA (EUROPE'S LARGEST GOLD MINE)

# Pahtavaara Project (Rupert Resources) 1500tnd mine with Inferred Resource

- 1500tpd mine with Inferred Resource of 0.5Moz
- 297km² land package along major structure
- New Area 1 discovery in 2019



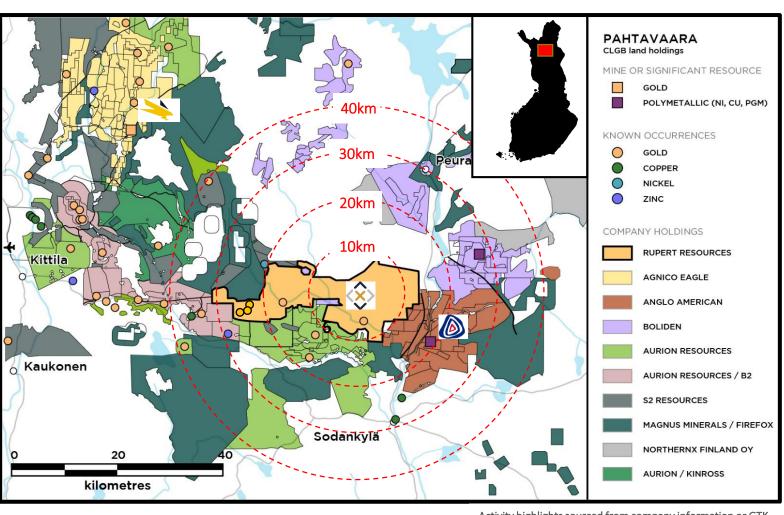












Activity highlights sourced from company information or GTK

## RUPERT'S SYSTEMATIC PROJECT PIPELINE



### AREA 1 DISCOVERY - THE FIRST GOLD DISCOVERY IN THE REGION TO BE FOUND USING GEOPHYSICS AND BOT

- All gold discoveries (until May 2019) in Central Lapland were made at surface
- Sakatti Project (44Mt grading 5% copper equiv.) was discovered using a combination of regional geophysics and base of till drilling

## **Rupert's Approach**

#### 2017 and 2018

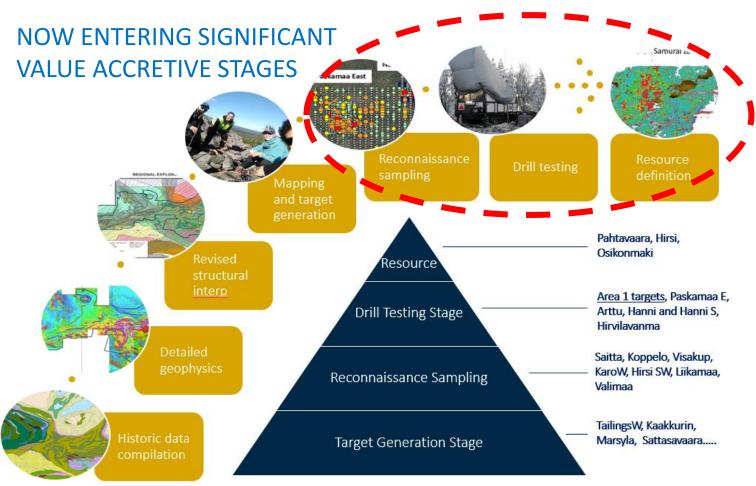
- Compilation and interpretation of historical data
- New IP survey and UAV magnetic survey
- New geological model for property
- Base of till drilling commences

#### H1 2019

- New ground gravity survey over 200km<sup>2</sup>
- Multiple coincident anomalies defined
- Drill testing of new targets begins in April '19
- Area 1 discovery with just 525m of drilling.

#### H2 2019 and 2020

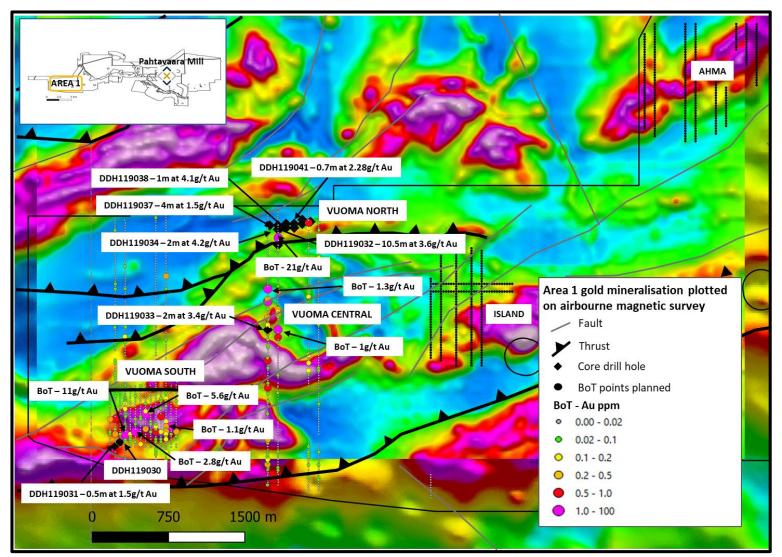
 Funding in place for 15,000m of drilling on advanced exploration targets



# ADVANCING THE PROJECT PIPELINE - NEW AREA 1 DISCOVERY (2019)



#### PROOF OF CONCEPT - SIGNIFICANT GOLD MINERALISATION THROUGHOUT A PREVIOUSLY UNTESTED AREA



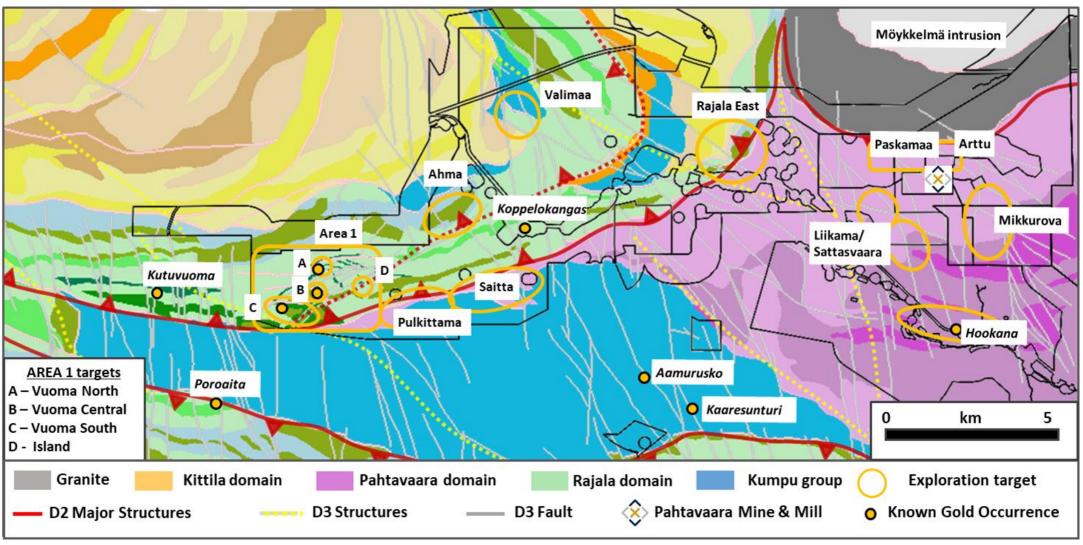


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# POTENTIAL TO DISCOVER LARGE, HIGH VALUE DEPOSITS



#### SYSTEMATICALLY PROGRESSING OVER 20 NEW TARGETS OVER 2019 AND 2020



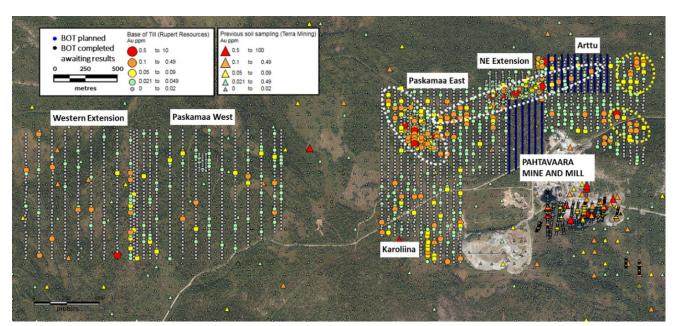
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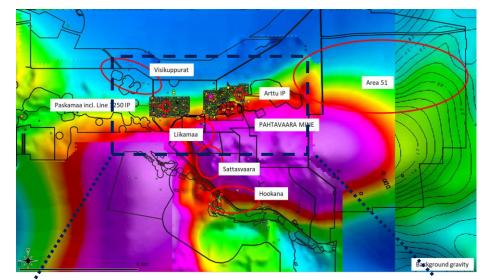
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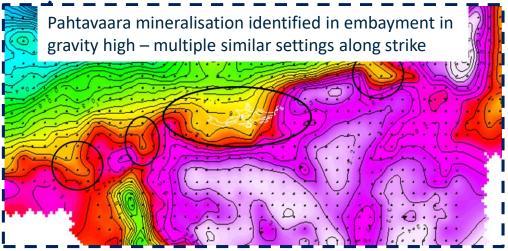


#### BOT FOLLOW-UP ON NEW GEOPHYSICAL INTERPRETATION

- New interpretation and base of till (BoT) sampling generating multiple gold anomalies
- Paskamaa East, NE Extension and Arttu appear to form 1.75km linear trend
- Further BoT sampling planned to north, east and south east of the mine
- New structural model developed through combination of BoT geology, recent drilling beyond mine limits, detailed magnetics and ground gravity surveys







## PAHTAVAARA MINE – ESTIMATED REPLACEMENT VALUE OF USD120M



## EURO GOLD PRICE NOW 40% HIGHER THAN USED IN 2018 RESOURCE ESTIMATE (EURO 950/OZ)

#### Mining operations

- Selectively mined high wall angle open pits
- Mechanised underground long hole open stoping
- 30km of 5m x 5m existing development to 450m depth

### 500ktpa processing plant

- Plant has historically produced over 350koz
- Free milling ore with 80 to 90% recoveries (1)

### **Permitted tailings facility**

- Environmentally uncomplicated tailings (no cyanide)
- Potential capacity estimated up to 8M m<sup>3</sup>

#### Historically low operating costs

- Good ground conditions
- Cheap grid power (hydroelectric)
- Low work index and physical processing

#### Low capital restart potential

- Restart capital estimate of USD10M undertaken by leading engineering firm
- Estimate includes new gold room for dore production

#### Pahtavaara Inferred Resource (May 2018) (1)

Cut-off (g/t Au)	Grade (g/t Au)	Tonnage	Au oz	Au kg
0.5	1.6	14,540,000	756,000	23,500
1.0	2.4	7,980,000	605,000	18,800
1.5	3.2	4,640,000	474,000	14,700
2.0	4.0	3,030,000	385,000	12,000

#### Potential for resource expansion at surface, depth and along strike

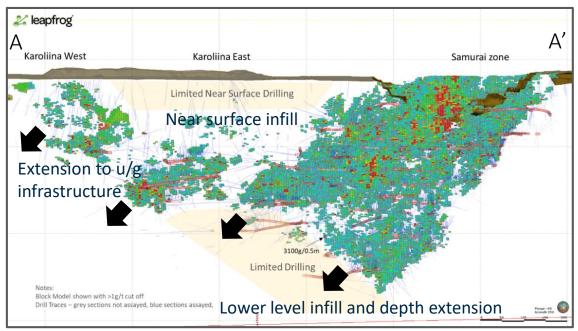
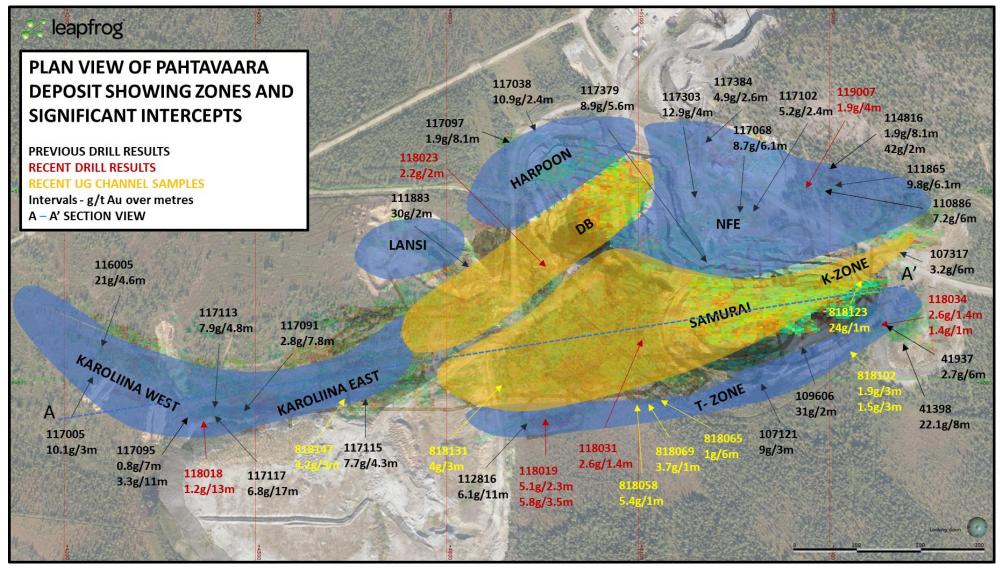


Image - Refer to announcements from May 24, 2018 for further information, Mike Sutton, a qualified person under NI 43-101 reviewed and approved the scientific and technical information in these news releases

## PAHTAVAARA MINE – PLAN VIEW AND SIGNIFICANT INTERCEPTS



#### POTENTIAL TO INCREASE NEAR MINE RESOURCE





## COMMENCING HIGH IMPACT WORK PROGRAMMES

## Why the Pahtavaara Project?

- Owns the permitted Pahtavaara mill strategically located in the Central Lapland Greenstone Belt
- Prospective land package and proof of concept achieved with Area 1 discoveries in May 2019
- Multiple <u>advanced exploration</u> targets identified to be drilled in 2019 and 2020
- Opportunity to upgrade the resource base at Pahtavaara mine and evaluate <u>potential for restart</u>

## Why now?

- <u>Funding in place</u> for high impact work programs
- Simplified balance sheet with <u>overhang removed</u> from convertible bond
- Progressing opportunities with <u>potential strategic partners</u> for properties in Canada and Finland
- Primed for market engagement

#### **GUIDING PRINCIPLE: MAXIMISE RETURNS ON EXPLORATION EXPENDITURE**



## RESOURCE GROWTH IN MATURE GREENSTONE BELTS



# FIRST COMMERCIAL GOLD DISCOVERIES IN WEST AFRICA OVER 140 YEARS AGO BETWEEN 1995 AND 2015 AN ESTIMATED 22 NEW DEPOSITS WERE DISCOVERED

### Commercial gold discoveries in the Birimian Greenstone Belt of West Africa



## ...meanwhile in Central Lapland

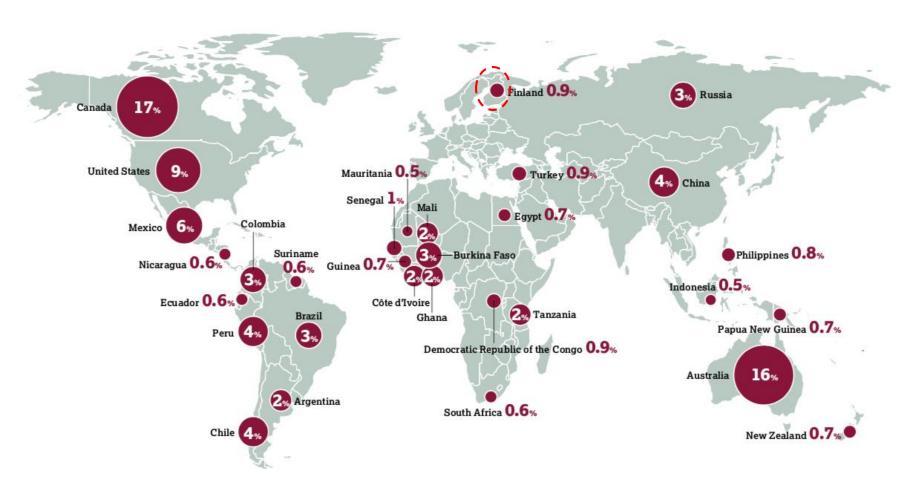
Data sourced from Skarn Consulting and Finex 2015

- 1986 First gold discoveries in Central Lapland (Pahtavaara and Kittila both found in outcrop)
- 1995 Finland joins the EU, foreign companies able to stake claims
- 2000 Kittila becomes first 1Moz deposit reported in Finland by Riddarhyttan Resources
- 2005 Agnico Eagle completes acquisition of Riddarhyttan for USD150million
- 2009 First production at Kittila, massive sulphides drilled by Anglo American at Sakatti
- 2016 Aurion Resources report first discovery of high grade boulders at Aamurukso
- 2019 Rupert makes new discovery at Area 1

## GLOBAL EXPLORATION SPENDING ON GOLD



#### GOLD EXPLORATION SPENDING IN FINLAND WAS ONLY USD36M IN 2017















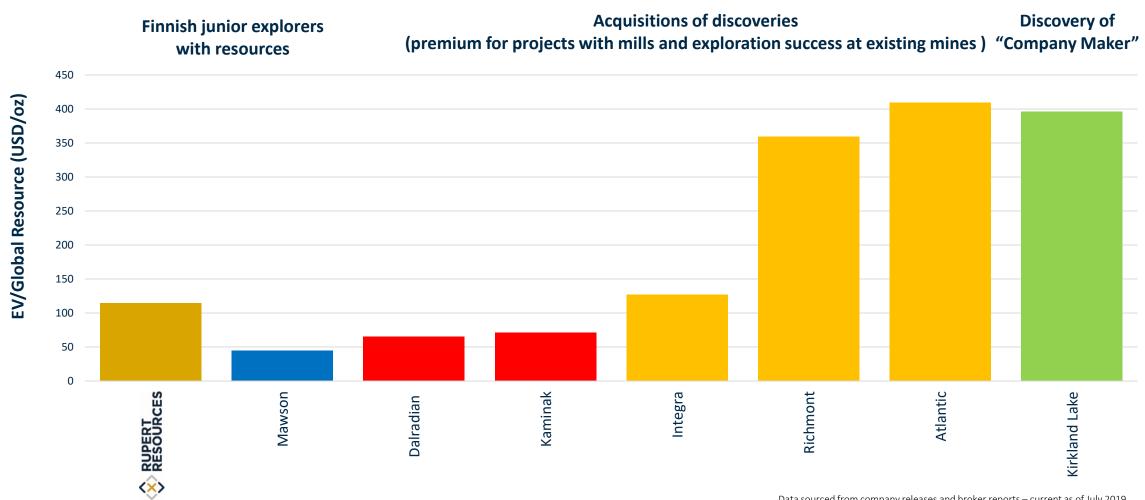
Source: S&P Global Market Intelligence

<sup>\*</sup> Data as of 28 September 2017. From 901 companies budgeting US\$4.05 billion.

## THE STRATEGIC VALUE OF OWNING A MINE AND MILL



#### EXPLORATION SUCCESS AT EXISTING MINES ATTRACTS A PREMIUM VALUATION



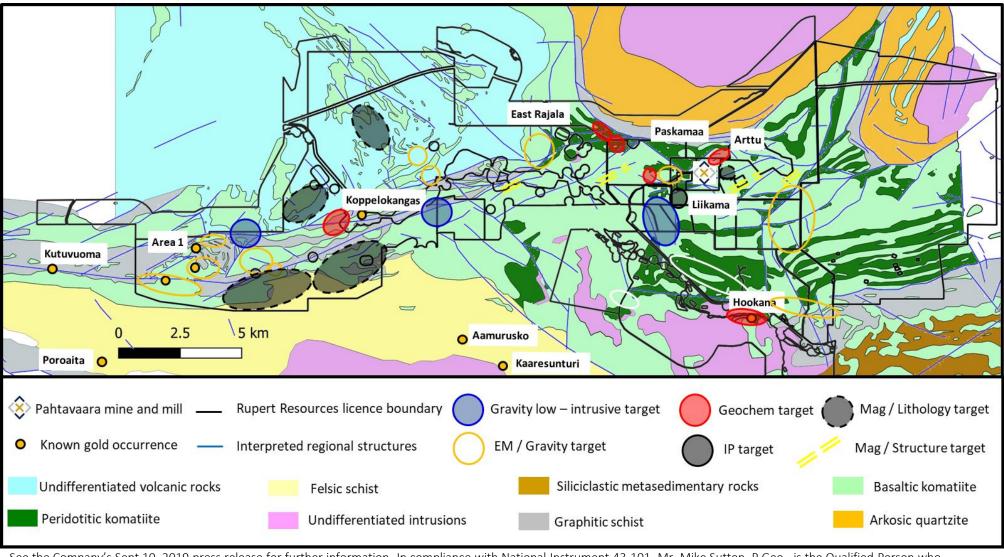
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IMPROVED ABILITY TO REALISE THE VALUE OF DISCOVERY

# POTENTIAL TO DISCOVER LARGE, HIGH VALUE DEPOSITS



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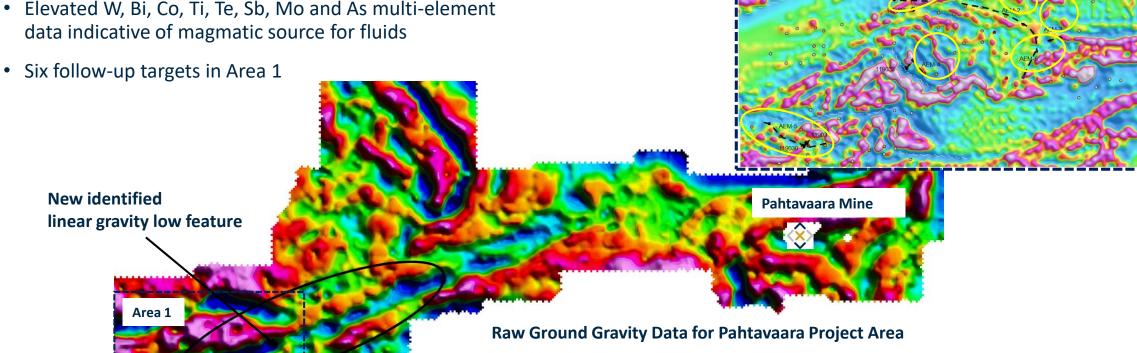
# POTENTIAL TO DISCOVER LARGE, HIGH VALUE DEPOSITS



#### NEW EVIDENCE CONFIRMS LAND PACKAGE POTENTIAL

**Area 1 Targets** 

- New stratigraphy indicative of previously unidentified basin margin environment that has undergone up to greenschist facies metamorphism. Similar sequences observed at other known deposits along the contact between Kittila and Savukoski group rocks, referred to as the Siirkka line
- Evidence from new geophysical surveys suggests potential for a large deep-seated intrusion below the Kumpu Group basin
- Elevated W, Bi, Co, Ti, Te, Sb, Mo and As multi-element



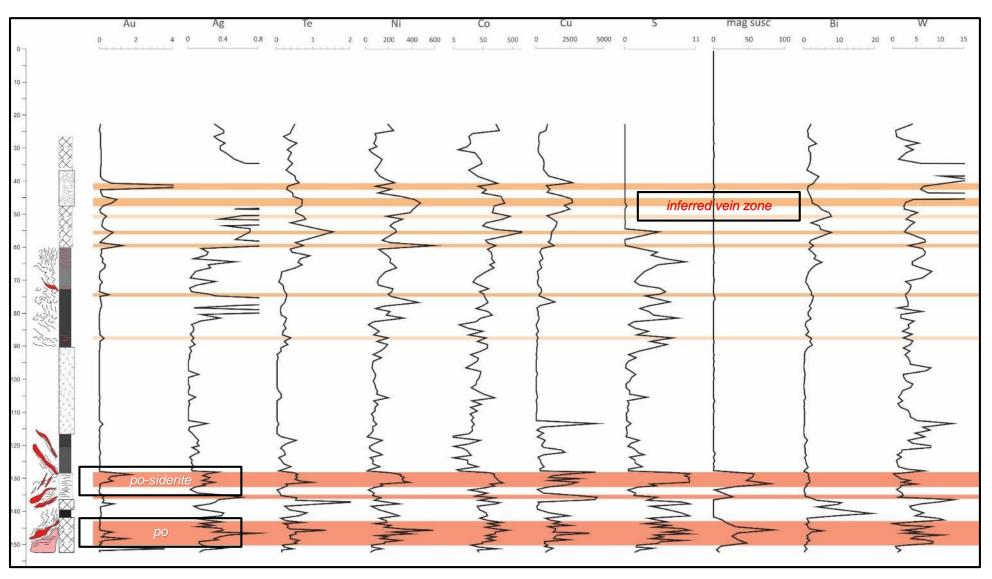
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# AREA 1 DISCOVERY - VUOMA CENTRAL DRILLING



#### EVIDENCE OF MAGMATIC SOURCE AND LARGE SYSTEM POTENTIAL

- Robust association between pyrrhotite and Au, along with Ni-Co-Cu +/-Ag-Te.
- Particularly evident in lower part of the hole where Au grade intervals are broader and more consistent
- Hole finished in mineralisation
- Drilling to recommence in the Fall



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## CENTRAL FINLAND - HIRSIKANGAS PROJECT



#### EXISITING RESOURCE CONTAINED ON 0.8KM OF A WHOLLY OWNED 32KM CRUSTAL SHEAR ZONE

#### **Regional setting**

- Palaeoproterozoic orogenic gold deposit on 30km of Ruhanperä crustal scale shear zone
- Only 1.2km of strike drilled at shallow levels, open down dip and along strike in both directions

#### Resource estimate<sup>(1)</sup>

- Pit constrained resource update Nov 2018
- 2.2Mt @ 1.2g/t Au Inferred using 0.5g/t cut-off
- Significant unreported mineralisation at depth, and deposit remains open to south east
- Drilling demonstrated parallel & offset structures

#### Historical data and potential upside

- Historical exploration activity includes 8000m of drilling, IP, and magnetic surveys
- Regional surface exploration demonstrating potential for multiple further targets

#### High priority targets defined

- Hanni and Hanni South targets drill ready
- Hisrikangas SW and Kaakkurinkangas to be targerted with high density BoT and heavy mineral sampling

<sup>3.</sup> KAAKKURINKANGAS

<sup>(1)</sup> Refer to page 2, forward looking "Cautionary Statement",

# CENTRAL FINLAND - OSIKONMÄKI PROJECT



#### LOCATED ON CRUSTAL SCALE DEFORMATION ZONE

## **Regional setting**

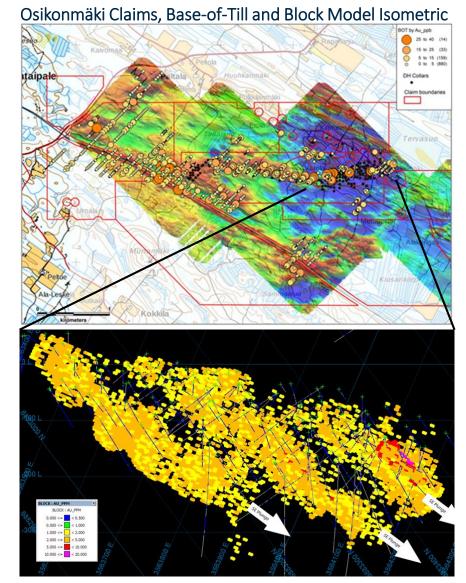
- Deposit model is epigenetic intrusion related Shear zone hosted gold deposit. Located in crustal scale Ladoga-Bothnian deformation zone
- Primary mineralisation controlled by a shear zone oriented east-west, dipping approximately 45° to the south and plunging to the east.

### Resource estimate(1)

- Combined open pit and underground resource
- 3.2Mt @ 2.70 g/t Au Inferred using 1.5g/t cut-off
- Mineralisation focussed on multiple high grade shoots that potentially extend to depth

## Historical data and potential upside

- >20,000M of historical drilling, IP & Magnetic Geophysics, base of till geochemical sampling
- Parallel plunging zones identified in eastern extents
- Base-of-till and gold in boulders indicate further anomalies across claims



<sup>(1)</sup> Refer to page 2, forward looking "Cautionary Statement", prepared under National Instrument 43-101 Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Project (NI 43-101), Companion Policy 43-101CP and Form 43-101F1.

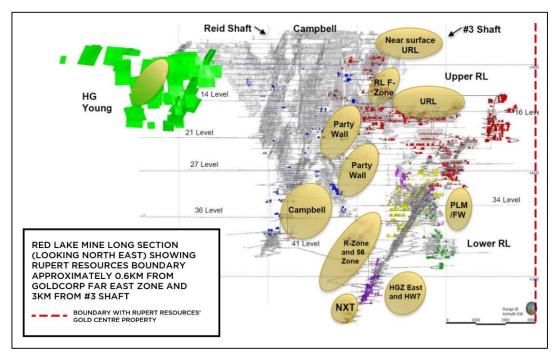
# GOLD CENTRE - RED LAKE, ONTARIO



## STRATEGIC 256 HECTARE LAND POSITION CONTIGUOUS TO 23MOZ RED LAKE MINE

## **The Gold Centre Project**

- Previous exploration has demonstrated the continuation of the Balmer formation
- IP geophysics and limited drilling conducted to date
- Property is 100% owned, licence valid until 2036
- Goldcorp's Far East Zone now 600m from Rupert boundary



Long section sourced from Goldcorp Investor Day, January 2017

