

Acquisition of the

Uley North Graphite Project, South Australia

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& Capital Raising

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Option to acquire high grade graphite project

Westar has entered an option agreement to acquire 100% of the Uley North Graphite Project in South Australia.

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Low enterprise value

Trading on the ASX close to cash backing, Westar holds significant upside potential



Existing portfolio of projects giving exposure to various commodities

Existing projects in Western Australia, including Opaline Well, Mindoolah, Gidgee North & Mt Finnerty, with unexplored potential for gold, lithium and base metals.



Highly experienced Board & Management

Westar's team brings outstanding experience spanning a broad range of tier one and junior resources companies.



Focus on critical minerals opportunities

Westar continues to pursue other potential acquisitions and opportunities in the critical minerals space.



Highly Active and Capable Explorer

Westar has generated and drilltested multiple targets in the last 3 years and entered three JV's.



Pro Forma Capital Structure



Pro Forma

(ASX: WSR)

A\$0.01

Share Price

A\$**4.13**m

Cash at Bank

171.9m

Options & Performance Rights

A\$**5.08**m

Market Cap (508m shares on issue)

A\$**0.95**m

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Listed Options

Unlisted Options

Management Performance

Rights

Uley North Vendor Performance Rights

45,798,319 31,317,538

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Listed options – exercise price \$0.045 Unlisted options – exercise price \$0.02 (20m), & \$0.014 (11.318m)

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Board and Management





Non-Executive
Chairman

B.Laws (LLB), BArts

- Extensive experience in the resource sector
- Senior positions with Woodside and chaired NASDAQ listed company Tierra Grande Resources
- Secured both the Rothsay and Central Murchison gold projects for EganStreet Resources in 2011 and Aragon Resources in 2010 respectively prior to their takeovers
- Executive Director at M3M Mining & Managing Director at Phosco



Lindsay Franker
Executive Director

BEng-Mining WASM (MAusIMM)

- Over 25 years' experience in operations, mining finance and consultancy
- Employed by several mining, consulting and investment banks
 Specialising in both openpit and underground operations in various commodities at both early and late stages of development globally
- Executive Director at EganStreet resource prior to a successful takeover by Silverlake Resources



Karl Jupp

Non-Executive Director

BAppSc (Hons), GradDip(Bus),

MAIG, GAICD

- Over 25 years' experience in exploration, mining, feasibility studies, IER, JORC Mineral Resource delineation and management of Ore Reserve conversion
- Held a variety of technical and leadership positions in the Australian and international mineral resources sector
- Member of AusIMM and AIG



Ben Donovan

Joint - Company Secretary

B.Com (Honours), Applied Finance and Commercial Law, Graduate Diploma in applied Corporate Governance

- Director at Argus Corporate Partners Pty Ltd
- Provides corporate advisory, IPO and consultancy services to a number of ASX listed and public unlisted companies
- Extensive experience in listing rules compliance and corporate governance, having served as a Senior Adviser at the ASX in Perth for nearly 3 years, where he managed the listing of nearly 100 companies on the ASX



Anthony Tornatora

Joint - Company Secretary

- Anthony is a Chartered Secretary
- Provides company secretary, corporate advisory, IPO and consultancy services to listed and unlisted companies as an employee of Argus Corporate
 Partners Pty Ltd
- Mr Tornatora brings a
 wealth of experience
 across various roles
 including financial advice,
 business development,
 capital raisings,
 compliance, governance
 and company secretary
 functions



Jason Boladeras

Exploration Manager

B.Eng (Hons), MAIG

- Over 25 years' experience
- Exploration manager with extensive experience in Australia and overseas
- Exploration Manager for Northern Star Resources (ASX: NST), he played a pivotal role in the company's remarkable growth
- Director of Geoarc, corporate and exploration management geological services primarily for smallcap exploration companies and private investors across a variety of commodities



Dwayne Povey
Consulting Geologist

BAppSc (Hons), (MAusIMM)

- Experienced geologist with over 24 years' experience in the mineral resource industry
- Over 16 years graphite experience in the Port Lincoln region
- Previous experience includes Exploration Superintendent at Gold Road Resources and Chief Geologist at Lincoln Minerals
- Member of the Australian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy
- Certified in JORC Code Reporting (2018)

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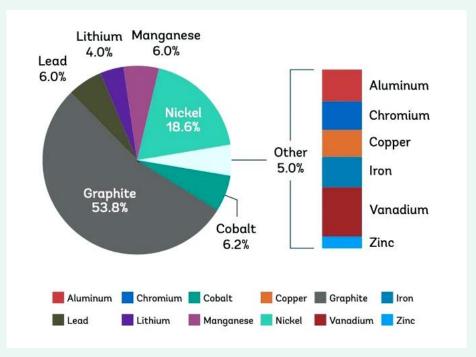
Why Graphite?

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- Critical Minerals: Graphite is listed as a critical mineral for the energy transition in Australia, the EU, USA, Japan and India. Australia currently has no operational graphite mines
- Current Demand: A key component in lithium-ion batteries, fuelling the electric vehicle revolution
- Future Demand: By 2050, graphite is expected to account for nearly 54% of the overall mineral demand in energy storage applications
- Renewable Energy: Used in solar panels, wind turbines, and energy storage, contributing to the clean energy transition
- Electronics and Technology: Essential for various electronic components, with increasing demand from sectors like consumer electronics and 5G
- Limited Supply: Geographic concentration and potential supply chain disruptions create investment opportunities. China, the world's largest graphite producer announced export restrictions in late 2023

Share of Mineral Demand from Energy Storage Under IEA 2DS Through 2050

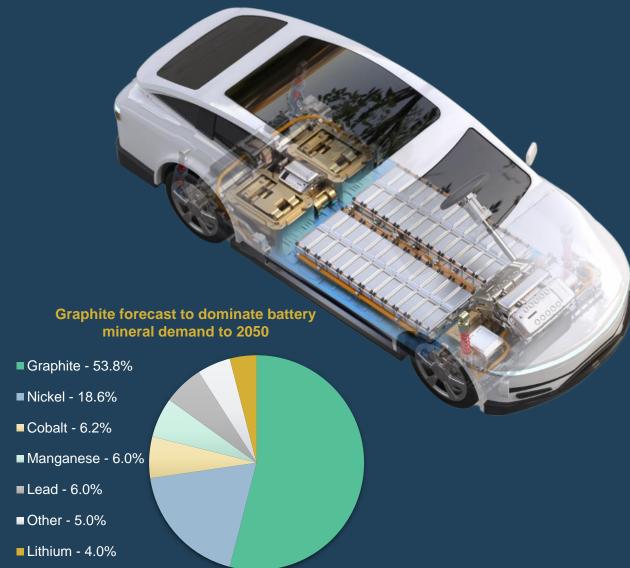


*World Bank

Graphite the Key Mineral in an EV Battery



- Graphite represents almost 50% by weight of the materials needs of batteries, no matter the chemistry of the battery. Graphite is the anode in Lithium-ion batteries¹
- An average plug-in EV has 70 kg of graphite or 10 kg for a hybrid²
- Graphite represents approx. 95% of the anode market³
- Battery charging speed is determined by the anode material, graphite allows quick and effective charging speeds⁴
- Graphite provides the potential to be recycled from used batteries and can be repurposed for further use⁵



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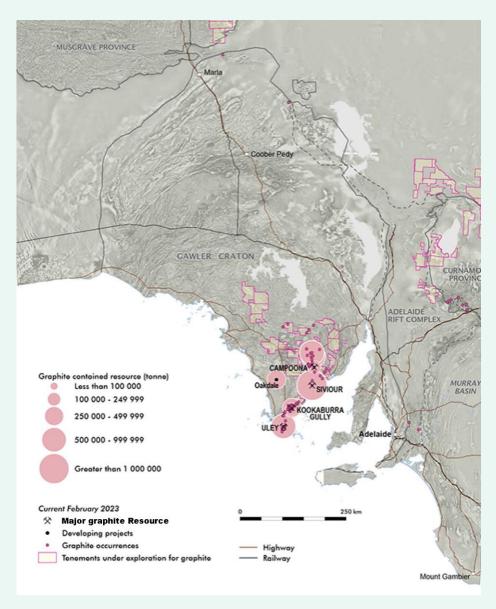
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Uley Graphite Project

- Westar has a entered a binding agreement for an option to acquire 163km² tenement package in a renowned graphite region of South Australia
- Includes potential extensions of Quantum Graphite's Uley graphite mine (7.2Mt @ 10.5% TGC – resource¹, 500m from tenure), Australia's highest grade flake graphite resource
- Located 100km southwest along strike from Renascor's Siviour
 Graphite Deposit (93.5Mt at 7.3% TGC)², the world's 2nd largest proven graphite reserve which is now nearing development
- Highly conductive EM targets on the tenements with graphite mineral occurrences
- Advanced targets require limited additional exploration work prior to drilling
- Multiple secondary targets that can be immediately progressed via geophysics



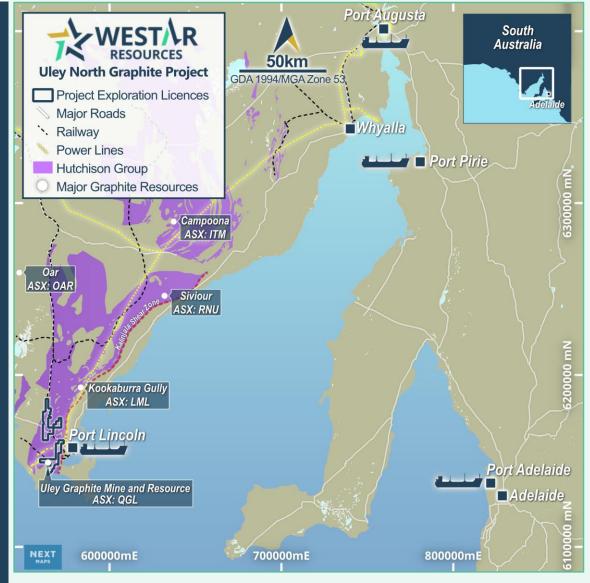


¹ ASX:QGL announcement 18 November 2021 "Uley 3 Drill Program Results in Mineral Resource Estimate" ² ASX:RNU announcement 18 August 2022 "Upgrade of Siviour Mineral Resource"

A Powerhouse of Graphite Neighbours



- Tier 1 jurisdiction: South Australia contains 66% of Australia's confirmed graphite resources¹, predominantly located in the highly prospective **Hutchinson Group** formation
- Quantum Graphite (ASX:QGL) MC = A\$165m²
 - 7.2Mt @ 10.5% TGC³
 - Fully permitted, development ready and executed binding offtake. High purity coarse graphite flake
- Renascor Resources Ltd (ASX:RNU) MC = A\$210m²
 - 93.5Mt at 7.3% TGC⁴
 - Non-binding MOU with POSCO⁵
 - \$185m loan from AUS Govt Critical Minerals Facility & Granted Major Project Status⁶
- Lincoln Minerals (ASX:LML) MC = A\$13.6m²
 - 12.8Mt at 7.6% TGC @ 2% COG⁷
 - Developing the Kookaburra Gully Graphite Project, 35 km N of Port Lincoln
 - Initial FS in 2017 and accelerating updated FS to include recent drilling



¹ Department for Energy and Mining 2022

² As of 16 April 2024

³ ASX:QGL announcement 18 November 2021 "Uley 3 Drill Program Results in Mineral Resource Estimate"

⁴ ASX:RNU announcement 18 August 2022 "Upgrade of Siviour Mineral Resource"

⁵ ASX:RNU announcement 25 August 2021 "Strategic Cooperation and Offtake Agreement with POSCO"

⁶ ASX:RNU announcement 2 February 2022 "Australian Government Conditionally Approves A\$185 million Loan Facility"

⁷ ASX:LML announcement 15 April 2024 "Target Achieved of Doubling The Kookaburra Gully Graphite Project"

Uley North – Prospects



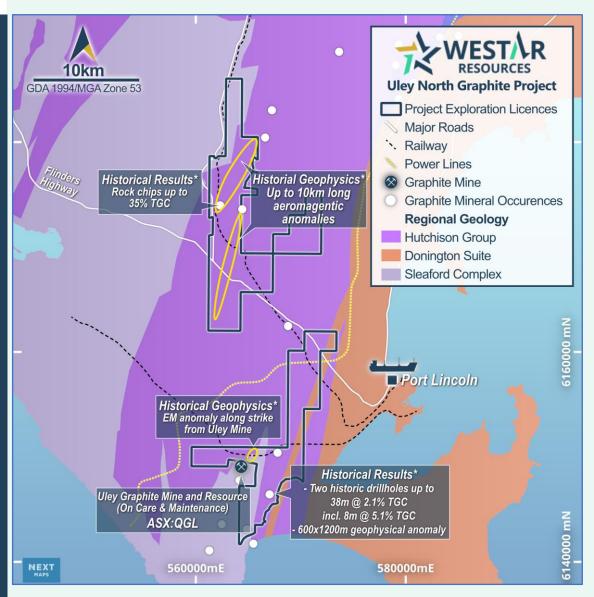
Uley North – Northern Prospect

- EL/6826 Walk up drill targets
- 12km north of the previously mined Uley deposit
- Rock chips up to 35% TGC¹
- Graphitic horizons associated with magnetic highs along mineralised trends; up to 10km long aeromagnetic anomalies
- Never been drill tested

Uley North – Southern Prospect

- EL/6827 Walk up drill targets
- Historic drilling returned wide graphite intercepts of 38m @ 2.1% TGC from surface to EOH, including 8m @ 5.1% TGC in only two holes drilled²; these holes were never followed up
- **Uley Graphite Mine** Potential extensions
- Tenements surrounding Quantum Graphite and only 550m from historic pit and existing plant
- Untested, highly conductive EM anomalies along strike from Uley deposit

Historical Report - 25 October 2023 Astralis Resources Pty Ltd "Uley North Graphite Project (EL6826) First Annual Technical Report"
 Historical Report CRA Exploration Pty Limited January 1984 Report #12559



Uley North Graphite Project

Uley North – Potential Upside

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- Critical Minerals thematic in a highly prospective graphite belt
- Excellent location with Quantum Graphite planned operations <1km away, Lincoln Minerals and Renascor
- Several advanced targets, along with proven geophysical techniques and reasonable to good comprehension of the local geology and mineralisation controls in many areas
- Some targets could be considered 'drill ready', all targets would benefit from validation and possibly geophysics to maximise probability of success prior to drilling
- The southern prospect would be an immediate focus with infill and extensional drilling from known mineralisation
- Locally based consultant geologist with knowledge of graphite, the project and key stakeholders



Existing Projects

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Mindoolah

- Historical production of 161kg of gold from 7,621 tonnes of ore at an average grade of 21.18g/t Au was mined from old workings and pits, between 1989-90
- Currently assessing potential for a cut back for high-grade gold mineralisation beneath mined open pits
- Investigating the potential to toll treat over 200 stockpiles, mined in the 1980's

Gidgee North

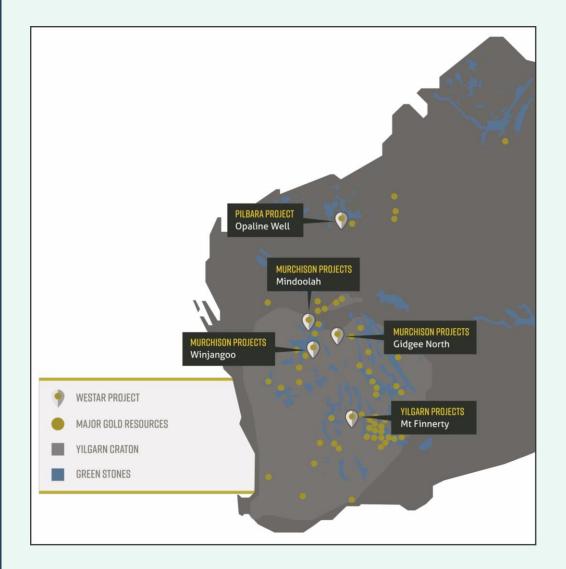
- Dominant land position in the Gum Creek Greenstone Belt
- WSR Maiden RC drilling intersected: 15m @ 0.23% Cu from 80m, 7m @ 0.18% Zn from 103m, and 16m @ 0.33% Zn from 81m

Opaline Well

- 100% owned 67km² landholding 40km west of Nullagine in the Pilbara Craton
- Historical rock chip samples in the Project area include:
 - 200g/t Au, 44.6 g/t Au, 20.5g/t Au, 79-155g/t Ag, 0.25-1.15% Cu

Mt Finnerty Project (25%)

- JV with Ramelius Resources (ASX: RMS) Westar, have a free carried interest of 25% until decision to mine
- Historic high-grade drill results include:
 - 9m @ 98.2g/t Au from 62m and
 - 24m @ 3.68g/t Au from 45m
- Ramelius Drilling results include :
 - 5m at 66.7g/t Au from 175m in FLRC0002,
 - 4m at 14.1g/t Au from 136m in FLRC0003,
 - 1m at 35.0g/t Au from 125m in FLRC0004



Investment Summary





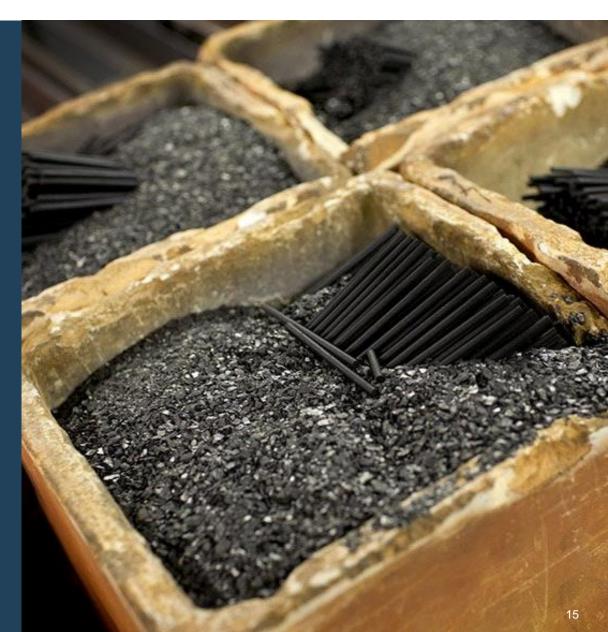
Acquisition Terms



Acquisition of Uley North Graphic Project¹

- \$75k in cash to secure a 3-month option agreement to acquire the tenement package to complete due diligence and explore
- Acquiring 100% of 163km² tenement package EL6826 & EL6827
- Initial payment of 30 million WSR shares
- Performance Rights (PR) in 3 milestones
 - 28m PR when samples of at least 10 rock chips with a grade of 5% TGC or greater are reported
 - 28m PR when a drill program of at least 20 drillholes or 1,000m of drilling; and achieving 5 drill holes at least 100 metres apart, with intercepts of at least 5 metres at 5% TGC or greater are reported
 - 24m PR when Mineral Resource of 5 million tonnes or greater at a grade of >7.5% TCG or greater is reported

¹ Refer to ASX:WSR Announcement 17 April 2023 "Acquisition of Uley North Graphite Project" for an overview of specific and general risks associated with the transaction and Company.



Equity Raising Overview



Offer Structure

Offer Price

Placement and Entitlement Offer

Use of Proceeds

Ranking

Westar Directors

- Westar is undertaking an Equity Raising of ~\$2.9m consisting of:
- Two tranche placement to raise \$2.0m
- A 1 for 2 non-renounceable Entitlement Offer of New Shares to eligible shareholders to raise approximately \$926,000
- Approximately 292.7 million New Shares to be issued under the Placement and Entitlement Offer, representing approximately 157% of existing shares on issue
- · CPS Capital Group acted as Lead Manager to the Equity Raising
- The Equity Raising will be conducted at \$0.01 per New Share (the "Offer Price") representing a discount of:
- 33.33% to Westar's closing price of \$0.0150 per share as of 12th April 2024;
- 22.93% to Westar's 20-day VWAP of \$0.0130 per share as of 12th April 2024;
- 23.72% to Westar's 10-day VWAP of \$0.0131 per share as of 12th April 2024; and
- 27.16% to Westar's 5-day VWAP of \$0.0137 per share as of 12th April 2024.
- The Placement was well-supported and oversubscribed, allowing the Company to take an additional \$500,000 in oversubscriptions
- The Entitlement Offer will open on Friday, 26th April 2024 to 5.00pm (AWST) Friday, 10th May 2024, to eligible shareholders with a registered address in Australia or New Zealand, as at the Record Date
- Under the Entitlement Offer, eligible shareholders that take up their full entitlement may also apply for additional New Shares in excess of their entitlement, up to a maximum of 100% of their entitlement at the Offer Price (subject to the overall level of participation in the Entitlement Offer and at the discretion of Westar's Board of Directors)
- Cost of Capital Raising
- Cost of Option
- Exploration at existing Projects
- Exploration at Uley North Project
- Working Capital
- New Shares issued under Placement and Entitlement Offer will have the same ranking as existing shares
- Westar Directors intend to participate in the Entitlement Offer in respect of shares they hold; they also intend to participate up to \$150k in the Placement subject to shareholder approval

Sources and Uses of Funds



Sources	
Entitlement Offer	\$926,000
Placement	\$2,000,000
Total Raised	\$2,926,000
Uses	
Cost of Option	\$75,000
Exploration Costs	\$1,650,000
Capital Raising Cost	\$176,000
Working Capital	\$1,025,000
Total	\$2,926,000

In the event the Option to Acquire does not proceed, the proposed exploration spend at Uley North will be used on exploration at existing and or potential new projects. If the maximum funds are not raised, proposed exploration spend at Uley North and existing projects will be scaled back appropriately.



Indicative Timetable#



Activity	Date
Announcement of the Entitlement Offer and lodgement of Appendix 3B, and Cleansing Notice with ASX	17 April 2024
Shares quoted on an 'ex' Entitlement basis	19 April 2024
Record Date for Entitlement Offer (5:00pm AWST)	22 April 2024
Entitlement Offer Opens and dispatch of Offer Booklet	26 April 2024
Entitlement Offer Closing Date (5:00pm AWST) Applications for any Shortfall also due	10 May 2024
New Shares quoted on a deferred settlement basis	13 May 2024
Results of Entitlement Offer announced to the ASX	15 May 2024
Issue of New Shares under the Entitlement Offer Deferred settlement trading ends	17 May 2024
Trading of New Shares issued under the Entitlement Offer	20 May 2024



Timetable subject to change at the board's discretion.



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