

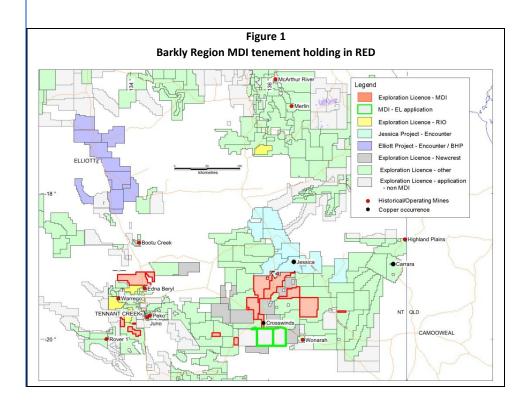
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BARKLY Super Project – Exploration Update

- MDI commences a detailed magnetics and radiometrics survey over the Barkly super project.
- MDI has completed a 2km IP survey over the Crosswinds Copper discovery with results expected shortly.
- 2022 programmes to include ground gravity, target definition and drilling programme with drilling rigs being secured.
- Emmerson Resources Ltd intersects 117m at 3.38% Cu 5km south of MDI tenement EL32291 in the Tennant Creek package.
- MDI's Barkly Super Project has reached over 5000km2 of applications and granted tenements within the highly prospective region.





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Capital Structure:

122,418,222 ordinary shares 20,307,314 unlisted options

Cash and Receivables \$1.7M (as at 20.12.2021)

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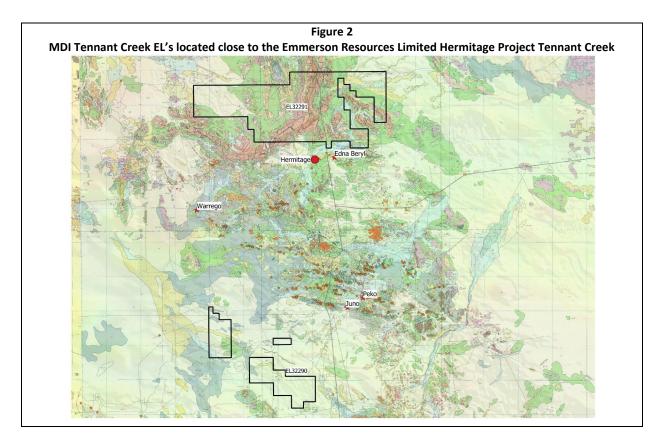
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As noted in ASX release "Sale of Sandstone Gold Project" on 16th December 2021, Middle Island Resources Limited (MDI) is now focussed on exploration at the exciting Barkly Copper Gold Super-Project, Northern Territory (Figure 1). As advised in the 2021 Annual General Meeting presentation, the Barkly region is considered prospective for large copper-gold discoveries. Olympic Dam style IOCG is the target albeit with significantly less cover than in the Olympic dam region. Right now, the Barkly-Tennant region is being intensely explored by multiple ASX listed explorers, including Newcrest Ltd and Rio Tinto Ltd, the Elliot JV (Encounter-BHP) and Emmerson Resources Limited.

The recent announcement by Emmerson Resources Limited (as announced 8 December 2021) of 117m at 3.38% from drill hole HERC003 at its Hermitage Prospect further underpins the prospectivity of MDI's tenements in the Tennant Creek area. The Hermitage Prospect is located 5km south of Middle Islands granted EL32290 (Figure 2).

Middle Island's extensive Barkly tenements are comparable in scale to adjacent tenure held by Newcrest and Encounter Minerals. The Company has initiated exploration at the Crosswinds prospect with an orientation IP survey; results due this month. A detailed aeromagnetic survey has commenced with funding support from the NT government Collaborations Programme. Ground gravity is planned, initially in the priority Crosswinds Prospect area, with other surveys to follow. Upon processing and interpretation of the geophysical data, it is anticipated that drilling targets will be identified and tested in the first half calendar 2022.





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