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ASX ANNOUNCEMENT
2022 Financial Report

Western Gold Resources Limited (ASX:WGR) ("**WGR**" or "**the Company**") is pleased to attach its Financial Report for the year ended 30 June 2022.

This announcement has been authorised for release by Mr Mark Pitts, Company Secretary, Western Gold Resources Limited.

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WESTERN GOLD

RESOURCES LIMITED

2022

FINANCIAL REPORT

Western Gold Resources Limited
ABN: 54 139 627 446

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Corporate Directory

Directors

Mr Gary Lyons

Non-executive Chairman

Mr Warren Thorne

Managing Director

Mr Patrick Burke

Non-executive Director

Mr Teck Siong Wong

Non-executive Director

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Company Secretary

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Company Information

Incorporated in Western Australia, 24 September 2009

ASX Ticker: WGR



Directors' Report

The Directors present their report on the Group, comprising Western Gold Resources Limited (formerly Western Gold Resources Pty Ltd) (referred to in these financial statements as “the Company” or “WGR”) and its wholly owned subsidiary (the “Group”), together with the financial report for the year ended 30 June 2022 and the audit report thereon. The Company was a wholly owned subsidiary of GWR Group Limited for the period from 1 July 2021 to 13 July 2021.

1 DIRECTORS

The names and details of the Company's directors in office during the financial year or since the end of the financial year are set out below.

Unless otherwise indicated, all Directors held their position as a Director throughout the entire year and up to the date of this report.

GARY LYONS

Non-Executive Chairman

Mr Lyons is a successful and well-respected Perth based businessman; being a shareholder and the Managing Director of the Heiniger Group's Australasian operations for the last 32 years.

Mr Lyons is also Chairman of GWR and is a member of both the GWR Audit & Risk Management Committee and the GWR Remuneration Committee. Mr Lyons is also Chairman of ASX listed Tungsten Mining NL and E-Metals Limited.

WARREN THORNE

Managing Director

Mr Thorne is a geologist with over 20 years' experience mainly associated with gold, iron ore, copper and manganese within Western Australia, Queensland, Brazil and West Africa.

Mr Thorne has extensive experience in all stages of regional and near-mine exploration project management, from conceptual targeting and ground acquisition through to resource definition drilling programs and open cut mining geology.

Mr Thorne has held senior exploration and project management roles with a variety of major Australian and international companies including Mineral Resources Ltd, Rio Tinto Iron Ore, Hancock Prospecting

PATRICK BURKE

Non-Executive Director

Mr Burke has extensive legal and corporate advisory experience and over the last 15 years has acted as a Director for a large number of ASX, NASDAQ and AIM listed companies.

Mr Burke's legal expertise is in corporate, commercial and securities law in particular, capital raisings, mergers and acquisitions and IPOs. His corporate advisory experience includes identification and assessment of acquisition targets, strategic advice, deal structuring and pricing, funding, due diligence and execution.

Mr Burke is also Chairman of Province Resources Limited, Lycaon Resources Limited and Meteoric Resources NL and a non-executive director of both Torque Minerals Limited and Triton Minerals Limited. During the previous three years, Mr Burke has also been a director of Mandrake Resources Limited, Koppa Resources Limited, Vanadium Resources Limited and Transcendence Technologies Limited.

TECK SIONG WONG

Non-Executive Director

Mr Wong is a Malaysian based businessman with considerable international experience having worked in Hong Kong, the United Kingdom and now in Malaysia and Indonesia after graduating with a Bachelor of Business degree from Swinburne University (Melbourne).



Directors' Report

Mr Wong is involved with the iron ore mining industry in Indonesia. He was previously involved in the sales and export of steel related products and was a director of a retail chain business in the United Kingdom, previously known as JW Carpenter Ltd. Mr Wong was working in the OEM plastic manufacturing industry in Hong Kong prior to taking up a position in the steel industry in Malaysia.

Mr Wong is an alternate director of GWR and is also a non-executed director of ASX listed Tungsten Mining NL and eMetals Limited.

2 COMPANY SECRETARY

MARK PITTS

Mr Pitts is a Fellow of Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand and a graduate member of the Australian Institute of Company Directors. He has more than 30 years' experience in statutory reporting and business administration.

Mr Pitts has been directly involved with and consulted to a number of public companies holding senior financial management positions. He is a Director of the corporate advisory firm Endeavour Corporate providing company secretarial support, corporate and compliance advice to a number of ASX listed public companies.

3 DIVIDENDS

No dividends have been paid or declared by the Company since the incorporation of the Company.

4 PRINCIPAL ACTIVITIES

The principal activity of the Group during the course of the financial year was the exploration and evaluation of mineral resources.

5 OPERATING AND FINANCIAL REVIEW

GROUP OVERVIEW

During the financial year, the Group's operations have been focused on the exploration of its Wiluna West Gold Projects.

On 13 July 2021, the Company's shares, which were previously held in their entirety by GWR Group Limited ("GWR"), were distributed to GWR's shareholders via an in-specie distribution. Subsequently, the Company issued 35,000,000 shares to participants in the initial public offering of the securities of the Company ("IPO"), and 10,250,000 shares to seed capital investors who had, during the previous financial year, provided the seed capital for the purposes of the IPO. The IPO itself raised \$7,000,000 before costs. Finally, on 21 July 2021, the Group was admitted to the official list of the Australian Securities Exchange.

BOARD & MANAGEMENT CHANGES

During the year, there have been no changes to the Board of Directors, nor senior management.

IMPACT OF COVID-19 PANDEMIC

During the year, as a result of the improvement in conditions, the Group has fully resumed its exploration operations, while still maintaining appropriate health and safety measures to ensure the wellbeing of its staff, contractors, and suppliers. These measures will continue throughout the financial year ended 30 June 2022.

OPERATING RESULTS FOR THE YEAR

The net loss of the Group for the year ended 30 June 2022 was \$4,008,155 (2021: profit of \$2,051,060). This result includes exploration and evaluation expenditures of \$3,464,770 (2021: \$311,397).

Included in the result for the year ended 30 June 2021 was a one-off item, being a gain of \$3,612,121 from the forgiveness of the loan from the ultimate parent entity, GWR Group Limited. The quantum of the gain for the current year was \$36,679.

FINANCIAL POSITION

The Company's net assets at the end of the year totalled \$2,459,517 (2021: \$25,344).

6 SIGNIFICANT EVENTS AFTER THE BALANCE DATE

There have been no matters or circumstances that have arisen since the end of the financial year that have significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of the Group, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the Group, in future financial years.



Directors' Report

7 LIKELY DEVELOPMENTS AND EXPECTED RESULTS

The Company expects to continue exploration of its exploration projects.

8 ULTIMATE PARENT ENTITY

During the comparative year and up until 13 July 2021, Western Gold Resources Limited was a wholly owned subsidiary of GWR Group Limited, which was the Ultimate Parent Entity to the Group. On 13 July 2021, GWR distributed the shares it held in Western Gold Resources Limited to its own shareholders via an in-specie distribution, at which point Western Gold Resources Limited ceased to have an Ultimate Parent Entity.

9 ENVIRONMENTAL REGULATION

The exploration activities of the Group are subject to environmental regulations imposed by various regulatory authorities, particularly those relating to ground disturbance and the protection of rare and endangered flora and fauna. The Group has complied with all material environmental requirements up to the date of this report. The directors believe that the Group has adequate systems in place for the management of its environmental responsibilities and are not aware of any breaches of the regulations during the period covered by this report.

10 INTERESTS IN THE SHARES AND OPTIONS OF THE COMPANY

As at the date of this report, the interests of key management personnel in the shares and unlisted share options of the Company were:

Directors	Ordinary shares	Share Options
	Number	Number
Directors		
G Lyons	715,851	2,500,000
W Thorne	-	2,500,000
P Burke	-	2,500,000
T S Wong	2,613,851	2,500,000
Other executives		
M Pitts	133,518	-

11 OPTIONS

As at the date of this report, the Company has the following ordinary shares under option:

	Exercise price	Expiry date	Unlisted options outstanding	Vested and exercisable
	\$		Number	Number
Unlisted director options	\$0.25	1 July 2024	10,000,000	10,000,000
Unlisted broker options	\$0.25	28 February 2024	3,000,000	3,000,000
Total options on issue			13,000,000	13,000,000

12 INDEMNIFICATION AND INSURANCE OF DIRECTORS AND AUDITORS

The Group has paid premiums to insure the Directors against liabilities incurred in the conduct of the business of the Group and has provided right of access to Group records. In accordance with common commercial practice, the insurance policy prohibits disclosure of the amount of the premium and the nature of the liability insured against.



Directors' Report

13 REMUNERATION REPORT (AUDITED)

This remuneration report for the year ended 30 June 2022 outlines the director and executive remuneration arrangements of the Company and the Group in accordance with the requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 (the Act) and its regulations. This information has been audited as required by section 308(3C) of the Act.

The remuneration report details the remuneration arrangements for key management personnel ('KMP') who are defined as those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the major activities of the Company and the Group, directly or indirectly, including any director (whether executive or otherwise) of the parent company.

For the purposes of this report the term 'executive' encompasses executive directors and senior executives of the Parent and the Group.

13.1 DETAILS OF KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

Non-executive directors

G Lyons	Chairman
P Burke	Director
TS Wong	Director

Executive directors

W Thorne	Managing Director
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Other executives

M Pitts	Company Secretary
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13.2 REMUNERATION PHILOSOPHY

The performance of the Group depends upon the quality of its key personnel. To prosper, the Group must attract, motivate and retain high skilled directors and executives. Due to the nature of the Group's business activities the overall level of compensation does not focus on the earnings of the Company.

To this end, the Group embodies the following principles in its remuneration framework:

- provide competitive rewards to attract high calibre personnel; and
- link rewards to shareholder value.

13.3 REMUNERATION STRUCTURE

In accordance with best practice corporate governance, the structure of executive and non-executive director remuneration is separate and distinct.

13.4 NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR REMUNERATION

Objective:

The Board seeks to set aggregate remuneration at a level which provides the Company with the ability to attract and retain directors of the highest calibre, whilst incurring a cost which is acceptable to shareholders.

Structure:

The Constitution and the ASX listing rules specify that the aggregate remuneration of non-executive directors shall be determined from time to time by a general meeting of shareholders.



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Non-executive directors, excluding consulting fees are remunerated by way of fees and statutory superannuation. The fees for non-executive directors were previously set by the board at \$400,000 in aggregate.

The amount of aggregate remuneration sought to be approved by shareholders and the manner in which it is apportioned amongst directors is reviewed annually. The Board considers the fees paid to non-executive directors of comparable companies when undertaking the annual review process.

Non-executive directors are remunerated by way of fees and statutory superannuation but no other retirement benefits. Non-executive directors are also reimbursed for all reasonable travelling, accommodation and other expenses incurred as a consequence of their attendance at meetings of Directors and otherwise in the execution of their duties as Directors.

Non-executive directors are also paid consulting fees related to their participation in Executive Committee meetings and the provision of other services.

Non-executive directors participate in share option plans. No such securities were issued during the year.

No remuneration consultants were engaged for the reporting years ended 30 June 2022 and 30 June 2021.

The remuneration of non-executive directors for the reporting years ended 30 June 2022 and 30 June 2021 is detailed in Tables 1 and 2 of this Remuneration Report.

13.5 EXECUTIVE REMUNERATION

Objective:

The Company aims to reward executives with a level and mix of remuneration commensurate with their position and responsibilities within the Group so as to:

- align the interests of executives with those of shareholders; and
- ensure total remuneration is competitive by market standards.

Structure:

In determining the level and make up of executive remuneration, the Board may engage external consultants as needed to provide independent advice. No remuneration consultants were engaged during the year.

Remuneration consists of the following key elements:

- Fixed remuneration; and
- Variable remuneration comprising Short ('STI') and Long ('LTI') term incentives.

Directors and executives participate in share option plans. No such securities were issued during the year.

The proportion of fixed remuneration and variable remuneration of Directors and executives for the reporting years ended 30 June 2022 and 30 June 2021 is detailed in Tables 1 and 2 of this Remuneration Report.

13.6 FIXED REMUNERATION

Objective:

The level of fixed remuneration is set so as to provide a base level of remuneration which is both appropriate to the position and is competitive in the market.

Fixed remuneration is reviewed annually by the Board and the process consists of individual performance, relative comparative remuneration in the market and, where appropriate, external advice.

Structure:

Executives are given the opportunity to receive their fixed (primary) remuneration in a variety of forms including cash and fringe benefits such as motor vehicles. It is intended that the manner of payment chosen will be optimal for the recipient without creating undue cost for the Group. Presently, executives fixed remuneration comprises only payment of salary and statutory superannuation.

The fixed remuneration component of Directors and executives for the years ended 30 June 2022 and 30 June 2021 is detailed in Tables 1 and 2 of this Remuneration Report.

13.7 VARIABLE REMUNERATION — SHORT TERM INCENTIVE (STI)

Objective:

The objective of the STI program is to link the achievement of the Group's operational targets with the remuneration received by the executives charged with meeting those targets. The total potential STI available is set at a level so as to provide sufficient incentive to the executive to achieve the operational targets and such that the cost to the Group is reasonable in the circumstances.

Structure:

Actual STI payments granted to each executive depend on the Board's assessment of the individual's performance and the performance of their business unit. The aggregate of annual STI payments available for executives across the Group is subject to the approval of the Board.



13.8 VARIABLE REMUNERATION — LONG TERM INCENTIVE (LTI)

Objective:

The objective of the LTI program is to reward executives in a manner that aligns remuneration with the creation of shareholder wealth. As such, LTI grants are made to executives who are able to influence the generation of shareholder wealth and thus have an impact on the Group's performance.

Structure:

LTI grants to executives may be delivered in the form of share options or performance rights.

10,000,000 options exercisable at \$0.25 on or before 1 July 2024 were issued to the directors during the year ended 30 June 2021.

No options were granted during the current year.

13.9 EMPLOYMENT CONTRACTS

The details of agreements are provided below.

Warren Thorne

Mr Thorne is the Managing Director and his remuneration, excluding share-based payments, annual and long service leave allowances, is \$240,000 (2021: \$240,000), plus superannuation contributions. Pursuant with his employment agreement, either the Company or Mr Thorne may terminate with three months' notice in writing to the other party.

The agreement with Mr Thorne also includes provision for bonus payments upon the satisfaction of certain key performance indicators as follows:

- \$250,000 payable upon delineation by the Company of a JORC Resource of at least 500,000oz at a minimum grade of 2 g/t at the Wiluna West Gold Project; and
- \$250,000 payable upon commercial gold production by the Company from the Wiluna West Gold Project.

Both of these bonuses are payable in shares, of which the number is to be determined by reference to the volume-weighted average price of the entity's securities on the ASX for the five trading days prior to the announcement of the event giving rise to the bonus.

Directors' Report

TABLE 1 – REMUNERATION TABLE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2022

Details of the nature and amount of each major element of the remuneration of each director of the Company and other key management personnel of the Group are:

Year Ended 30 June 2022	Primary			Post-employment	Equity Compensation		Proportion of remuneration performance related	Value of options and rights as proportion of remuneration
	Salary & fees	Consulting fees	Other short-term benefits	Superannuation benefits	Options and Rights	Total	%	%
Directors	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$		
Executive								
W Thorne	240,000	-	18,456	23,568	-	282,024	-	-
Non-executive								
G Lyons	35,000	-	-	3,500	-	38,500	-	-
P Burke	38,500	-	-	-	-	38,500	-	-
T S Wong	38,500	-	-	-	-	38,500	-	-
Total - Directors	352,000	-	18,456	27,068	-	397,524	-	-
Other Key Management Personnel								
M Pitts	61,000	-	-	-	-	61,000	-	-
Total – all key management personnel	413,000	-	18,456	27,068	-	458,524	-	-



Directors' Report

TABLE 2 – REMUNERATION TABLE FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 JUNE 2021

Details of the nature and amount of each major element of the remuneration of each director of the Company and other key management personnel of the Group are:

Year Ended 30 June 2021	Primary			Post-employment	Equity Compensation	Total	Proportion of remuneration performance related	Value of options and rights as proportion of remuneration
	Salary & fees	Consulting fees	Other short-term benefits	Superannuation benefits	Options and Rights			
Directors	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	%	%
Executive								
W Thorne	67,385	-	-	6,125	250,000	323,510	-	77%
Non-executive								
G Lyons	-	-	-	-	250,000	250,000	-	100%
P Burke	-	50,000	-	-	250,000	300,000	-	83%
T S Wong	-	-	-	-	250,000	250,000	-	100%
M Wilson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
K L Lee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total - Directors	67,385	50,000	-	6,125	1,000,000	1,123,510	-	89%
Other Key Management Personnel								
M Pitts	-	43,906	-	-	-	43,906	-	-
S Borck	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total – all key management personnel	67,385	93,906	-	6,125	1,000,000	1,167,416	-	86%



Directors' Report

13.10 EQUITY INSTRUMENTS

SHAREHOLDINGS OF KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

Details of Shares held in the Company at reporting date (number).

	Balance at beginning of year or on appointment	Paid as Remuneration	On exercise of options	Other net changes ¹	Balance at end of year or on ceasing office
Directors					
G Lyons	-	-	-	715,851	715,851
W Thorne	-	-	-	-	-
P Burke	-	-	-	-	-
T S Wong	-	-	-	2,613,851	2,613,851
Other executives					
M Pitts	-	-	-	133,518	133,518
Total	-	-	-	3,463,220	3,463,220

1 – Represents the number of shares granted to each individual through the in-specie distribution from GWR Group Limited.

OPTION HOLDINGS FOR KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

Details of vesting profiles of the options granted as remuneration to Key Management Personnel of the Company are detailed below (number).

	Balance at beginning of year or on appointment	Granted as compensation during the year	Exercised during the year	Other changes during the year	Balance at end of year or on ceasing office	Exercisable at the end of the year
Directors						
G Lyons	2,500,000	-	-	-	2,500,000	2,500,000
W Thorne	2,500,000	-	-	-	2,500,000	2,500,000
P Burke	2,500,000	-	-	-	2,500,000	2,500,000
T S Wong	2,500,000	-	-	-	2,500,000	2,500,000
Other executives						
M Pitts	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	10,000,000	-	-	-	10,000,000	10,000,000

OPTIONS GRANTED TO KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

No options were granted to Key Management Personnel during the current year. The 10,000,000 options granted during the previous year vested upon the Company's admission to the official list of the Australian Securities Exchange in July 2021.

10,000,000 options exercisable at \$0.25 each on or before 1 July 2024 were granted during the previous year. These options were granted to the directors of the Company, however, were not exercisable until the completion of the Initial Public Offering of securities and listing of the entity's securities on the official list of the Australia Securities Exchange was successful. Furthermore, if the above conditions were unsuccessful, the options were to be cancelled.



Directors' Report

The fair value of these options was determined by reference to the Black-Scholes option pricing model. The key inputs and valuations are summarised as follows:

Director Options	
Underlying security spot price on grant date (a)	\$0.20
Exercise price	\$0.25
Grant date	12 March 2021
Expiration date	1 July 2024
Vesting date (b)	12 March 2021
Life (years)	3.31
Remaining life (years)	2.00
Volatility	85%
Risk-free rate	0.10%
Expected dividend yield	-
Number of options (c)	10,000,000
Valuation per option	\$0.10
Total value	\$1,000,000

(a) – The Company was unlisted at the date these securities were issued, and therefore the price utilised was the price of the initial public offering of securities, being \$0.20.

(b) – The options vested immediately, however in accordance with the requirements of the IPO they were unable to be exercised until the completion of the IPO and the listing of the Company's shares on the ASX.

DETAILS OF OPTIONS OVER EQUITY INSTRUMENTS GRANTED AS COMPENSATION

There were 10,000,000 options granted as compensation held at reporting date by Key Management Personnel (2021: 10,000,000), as noted above.

SHARES ISSUED ON EXERCISE OF OPTIONS

No shares were issued to Key Management Personnel upon exercise of options during the year (2021: nil).

SHARES PAID AS REMUNERATION

No shares were issued to Key Management Personnel as remuneration during the year (2021: nil).

END OF REMUNERATION REPORT

14 PROCEEDINGS ON BEHALF OF THE COMPANY

During and since the end of the financial year, the Company nor its directors are Party to any proceedings.

15 NON -AUDIT SERVICES

The Company's auditors provided non-audit services to the Company during the year ended 30 June 2021 as set out in Note 18 to the financial report. There were no non-audit services provided to the Company during the year ended 30 June 2022.

16 AUDITORS INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION

The lead auditor's independence declaration under Section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001 is set out on page 12 and forms part of the Directors Report for the year ended 30 June 2022.

Signed at Perth this 28th day of September 2022 in accordance with a resolution of the directors made pursuant to s298(2) of the Corporations Act 2001.



Gary Lyons
Chairman





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28 September 2022

The Directors
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Dear Directors

RE: WESTERN GOLD RESOURCES LIMITED

In accordance with section 307C of the *Corporations Act 2001*, I am pleased to provide the following declaration of independence to the directors of Western Gold Resources Limited.

As the Audit Director for the audit of the financial statements of Western Gold Resources Limited for the year ended 30 June 2022, I declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief, there have been no contraventions of:

- (i) the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* in relation to the audit; and
- (ii) any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

Yours sincerely

STANTONS INTERNATIONAL AUDIT AND CONSULTING PTY LTD
(Authorised Audit Company)

Martin Michalik
Director



Consolidated Statement of Profit or Loss & Other Comprehensive Income

For the year ended 30 June 2022

		For the year ended 30 June	
		2022	2021
	Note	\$	\$
<i>Revenue</i>			
Gain on forgiveness of loan	12	36,679	3,612,121
<i>Expenses</i>			
Personnel expenses	4	(255,736)	(73,510)
Corporate compliance expenses	4	(231,382)	(136,614)
Consulting expenses		(41,930)	(4,000)
Occupancy expenses		(23,917)	-
Share based payments	16	-	(1,000,000)
Exploration expenditure	9	(3,464,770)	(311,397)
Depreciation expense		(1,820)	-
Finance expenses		(397)	-
Other expenses		(24,882)	(35,540)
<i>Total Expenses</i>	4	<u>(4,044,834)</u>	<u>(1,561,061)</u>
<i>Profit / (loss) before income tax</i>		(4,008,155)	2,051,060
Income tax benefit/(expense)	21	-	-
<i>Profit / (loss) for the Year</i>		<u>(4,008,155)</u>	<u>2,051,060</u>
Other Comprehensive Income		-	-
<i>Total Comprehensive profit / (loss) for the year</i>		<u>(4,008,155)</u>	<u>2,051,060</u>
Basic and Diluted Earnings / (loss) per share (cents per share)	17	(5.76)	5.68

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

As at 30 June 2022

	Note	30 June 2022 \$	30 June 2021 \$
ASSETS			
Current Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	6	2,132,627	31,253
Trade and other receivables	7	222,768	-
Prepayments	8	-	254,022
Total Non-Current Assets		2,355,395	285,275
Non-Current Assets			
Exploration and evaluation expenditure	9	549,000	549,000
Property, plant & equipment		15,534	4,471
Total Non-Current Assets		564,534	553,471
TOTAL ASSETS		2,919,929	838,746
LIABILITIES			
Current Liabilities			
Trade and other payables	10	421,087	330,681
Employee leave liabilities	11	19,437	-
Loan from GWR Group Limited	12	-	463,624
Total Current Liabilities		440,524	794,305
Non-Current Liabilities			
Rehabilitation provision	13	19,888	19,097
Total Non-Current Liabilities		19,888	19,097
TOTAL LIABILITIES		460,412	813,402
NET ASSETS		2,459,517	25,344
EQUITY			
Issued capital	14	16,560,328	10,400,000
Reserves	15	1,282,000	1,000,000
Accumulated losses		(15,382,811)	(11,374,656)
TOTAL EQUITY		2,459,517	25,344

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.



Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

For the year ended 30 June 2022

	Note	For the year ended 30 June	
		2022	2021
		\$	\$
Cash flows from operating activities			
Payments to suppliers and employees		(695,072)	(67,028)
Payments for exploration and evaluation		(3,464,770)	-
Net cash flows used in operating activities	6	(4,159,842)	(67,028)
Cash flows from investing activities			
Purchase of property, plant & equipment		(12,883)	-
Net cash flows used in investing activities		(12,883)	-
Cash flows from financing activities			
Proceeds from the issue of shares		7,000,000	-
Seed capital received in advance		-	213,200
Repayment of loan to GWR Group Limited	12	(426,945)	(106,213)
Payment of share issue costs		(298,956)	(8,706)
Net cash flows provided by financing activities		6,274,099	98,281
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		2,101,374	31,253
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		31,253	-
Cash and cash equivalents at end of the year	6	2,132,627	31,253

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

Consolidated Statement of Changes in Equity

For the year ended 30 June 2022

	Issued Capital \$	Reserves \$	Accumulated Losses \$	Total Equity \$
At 1 July 2020	10,400,000	-	(13,425,716)	(3,025,716)
Profit for the year	-	-	2,051,060	2,051,060
Other comprehensive income	-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income	-	-	2,051,060	2,051,060
Share based payments	-	1,000,000	-	1,000,000
At 30 June 2021	10,400,000	1,000,000	(11,374,656)	25,344
Loss for the year	-	-	(4,008,155)	(4,008,155)
Other comprehensive loss	-	-	-	-
Total comprehensive loss	-	-	(4,008,155)	(4,008,155)
Issue of shares	7,213,200	-	-	7,213,200
Share based payments – share issue costs	(282,000)	282,000	-	-
Other share issue costs	(770,872)	-	-	(770,872)
At 30 June 2022	16,560,328	1,282,000	(15,382,811)	2,459,517

The accompanying notes for part of these financial statements.

Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements

1 CORPORATE INFORMATION

Western Gold Resources Limited (formerly Western Gold Resources Pty Ltd) (the "Company") is a company domiciled in Australia. The Company's registered office is Level 4, 46 Colin Street, West Perth WA 6005. The ultimate parent entity of the Company was GWR Group Limited until 13 July 2022.

The financial report of the Group comprising Western Gold Resources Limited and its wholly owned subsidiary for the year ended 30 June 2022 was authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the directors on 28 September 2022.

Western Gold Resources Limited is a for profit company limited by shares incorporated in Australia.

The Company's principal activity is exploration and extraction of mineral resources.

2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(a) Basis of Preparation

The financial report is a general-purpose financial report, which has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Corporations Act 2001, Australian Accounting Standards and other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board. The financial report has also been prepared on a historical cost basis, except for held for sale investments, which have been measured at fair value. The financial report is presented in Australian dollars and all values are rounded to the nearest dollar unless otherwise stated.

(b) Going Concern

The financial statements have been prepared on a going concern basis which assumes the settlement of liabilities and the realisation of assets in the normal course of business.

At 30 June 2022 the Group had net assets of \$2,459,517 (30 June 2021: \$25,344) and cash and cash equivalents of \$2,132,627 (2021: \$31,253). The Group incurred a loss after tax for the year of \$4,008,155 (2021: gain of \$2,051,060). The Group recorded cash outflows from operating and investing activities of \$4,172,725 (2021: \$67,028).

Whilst not immediately required, the Group may need to raise additional funds to meet its planned and budgeted exploration expenditure as well as regular corporate overheads.

The Group's capacity to raise additional funds will be impacted by the success of the ongoing exploration activities and market conditions. Additional sources of funding available to the Group include a capital raising via preferential issues to existing shareholders or placements to new and existing investors. If necessary, the Group can delay exploration expenditure and the directors can also institute cost saving measures to further reduce corporate and administrative costs.

However, should the above planned activities to raise or conserve capital not be successful, there exists a material uncertainty surrounding the Group's ability to continue as a going concern and, therefore, realise its assets and dispose of its liabilities in the ordinary course of business and at the amounts stated in the financial report.

(c) New accounting standards and interpretations

In the year ended 30 June 2022, the Group has reviewed all of the new and revised Standards and Interpretations issued by the AASB that are relevant to its operations and effective for the current annual reporting period. It has been determined by the Group that there is no impact, material or otherwise, of the new and revised Standards and Interpretations on its business and, therefore, no change is necessary to Group accounting policies.

(d) Basis of Consolidation

The consolidated financial statements incorporate the financial statements of the Group and Entities (including special purpose entities) controlled by the Group (its subsidiaries). The parent controls an entity when it is exposed to, or has rights to, variable returns from its involvement with the entity and has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the entity. The financial statements of the subsidiaries are prepared for the same reporting period as the parent entity, using consistent accounting policies.



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2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

(d) Basis of Consolidation (continued)

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, all intercompany balances and transactions, income and expenses and profit or losses resulting from intra-group transactions have been eliminated in full. Subsidiaries are fully consolidated from the date on which control is transferred to the group and cease to be consolidated from the date on which control is transferred out of the group. Control exists where the company has the power to govern the financial and operating policies of an entity so as to obtain benefits from its activities. The existence and effect of potential voting rights that are currently exercisable or convertible are considered when assessing when the group controls another entity.

Unrealised gains or transactions between the group and its associates are eliminated to the extent of the group's interests in the associates. Unrealised losses are also eliminated unless the transaction provides evidence of an impairment of the asset transferred. Accounting policies of associates have been changed where necessary to ensure consistency with the policies adopted by the group. When the group ceases to have control, joint control or significant influence, any retained interest in the entity is remeasured to its fair value with the change in carrying amount recognised in profit or loss.

(e) Exploration, evaluation and development expenditure

Exploration and evaluation costs are expensed in the period they are incurred apart from mineral acquisition costs, which are capitalised and carried forward where right to tenure of the area of interest is current and they are expected to be recouped through sale or successful development and exploitation of the area of interest, or where exploration and evaluation activities in the area of interest have not reached a stage that permits reasonable assessment of the existence of economically recoverable reserves.

Where an area of interest is abandoned or the directors decide that it is not commercial, any accumulated mineral acquisition costs in respect of that area are written off in the financial period the decision is made. Each area of interest is also reviewed at the end of each accounting period and capitalised costs written off to the extent it is deemed that they will not be recoverable in the future.

Amortisation is not charged on costs carried forward in respect of areas of interest in the development phase until production commences.

(f) Impairment of non-financial assets

The carrying amounts of the Company's non-financial assets are reviewed at each reporting date to determine whether there is any indication of impairment. If any such indication exists, then the asset's recoverable amount is estimated.

For goodwill and intangible assets that have indefinite lives or that are not yet available for use, the recoverable amount is estimated each year at the same time.

The recoverable amount of an asset or cash-generating unit is the greater of its value in use and its fair value less costs to sell. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. For the purpose of impairment testing, assets are grouped together into the smallest group of assets that generates cash inflows from continuing use that are largely independent of the cash inflows of other assets or groups of assets (the "cash-generating unit"). The goodwill acquired in a business combination, for the purpose of impairment testing, is allocated to cash-generating units that are expected to benefit from the synergies of the combination.

An impairment loss is recognised if the carrying amount of an asset or its cash-generating unit exceeds its recoverable amount. Impairment losses are recognised in profit or loss. Impairment losses recognised in respect of cash-generating units are allocated first to reduce the carrying amount of any goodwill allocated to the units and then to reduce the carrying amount of the other assets in the unit (group of units) on a pro rata basis.

An impairment loss in respect of goodwill is not reversed. In respect of other assets, impairment losses recognised in prior periods are assessed at each reporting date for any indications that the loss has decreased or no longer exists. An impairment loss is reversed if there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the 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 or amortisation, if no impairment loss had been recognised.



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2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

(g) Plant and equipment

Plant and equipment assets are stated at historical cost less accumulated depreciation and any accumulated impairment losses.

Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life of the asset, namely motor vehicles and plant and equipment – depreciated over 2 to 5 years (2021: 2 to 5 years).

Impairment

The carrying values of plant and equipment are reviewed for impairment when events or changes in circumstances indicate the carrying value may not be recoverable.

An item of plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when no further future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal.

Any gain or loss arising on derecognition of the asset (calculated as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the item) is included in the profit or loss in the period the item is derecognised.

(h) Trade and Other Payables

Trade and other payables represent the liabilities for goods and services received by the entity that remain unpaid at the end of the reporting period. The balance is recognised as a current liability with the amounts normally paid within 30 days of recognition of the liability.

Other payables are carried at amortised cost and represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Group prior to the end of the financial year that are unpaid and arise when the Group becomes obliged to make future payments in respect of the purchase of these goods and services. Trade and other payables are presented as current liabilities unless payment is not due within 12 months.

(i) Employee entitlements

Wages, salaries, annual leave, and long service leave

Liabilities for wages and salaries are recognised and are measured as an amount unpaid at the reporting date at current pay rates in respect of employee's services up to that date.

Superannuation

The Group contributes to defined contribution superannuation funds for its employees. The cost of these contributions is expensed as incurred. A liability in respect of superannuation at the current superannuation guarantee rate has been accrued at the reporting date.

(j) Income Tax

Current tax assets and liabilities for the current and prior periods are measured at the amount expected to be recovered from or paid to the taxation authorities based on the current period's taxable income. The tax rates and tax laws used to compute the amount are those that are enacted or substantively enacted by the balance sheet date.

Deferred income tax is provided on all temporary differences at the balance sheet date between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts for financial reporting purposes. Deferred income tax liabilities are recognised for all taxable temporary differences except:

- when the deferred income tax liability arises from the initial recognition of goodwill or of an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and that, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss; or
- when the taxable temporary difference is associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates or interests in joint ventures, and the timing of the reversal of the temporary differences can be controlled and it is probable that the temporary difference will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

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2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

(j) Income Tax (continued)

Deferred income tax assets are recognised for all deductible temporary differences, carry-forward of unused tax credits and unused tax losses, to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the deductible temporary differences and the carry-forward of unused tax credits and unused tax losses can be utilised, except:

- when the deferred income tax asset relating to the deductible temporary difference arises from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable profit or loss; or
- when the deductible temporary difference is associated with investments in subsidiaries, associates or interests in joint ventures, in which case a deferred tax asset is only recognised to the extent that it is probable that the temporary difference will reverse in the foreseeable future and taxable profit will be available against which the temporary difference can be utilised.

The carrying amount of deferred income tax assets is reviewed at each balance sheet date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable profit will be available to allow all or part of the deferred income tax asset to be utilised.

Unrecognised deferred income tax assets are reassessed at each balance sheet date and are recognised to the extent that it has become probable that future taxable profit will allow the deferred tax asset to be recovered.

Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply to the year when the asset is realised or the liability is settled, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date. Income taxes relating to items recognised directly in equity are recognised in equity and not in profit or loss. Deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities are offset only if a legally enforceable right exists to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and the deferred tax assets and liabilities related to the same taxable entity and the same taxation authority.

(k) Goods and Services Tax ("GST")

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of GST except:

- when the GST incurred on a purchase of goods and services is not recoverable from the taxation authority, in which case the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense item; and
- receivables and payables are stated with the amount of GST included.

The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is included as part of receivables or payables in the balance sheet.

Cash flows are included in the cash flow statement on a gross basis and the GST component of cash flows arising from investing and financing activities, which is recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority are classified as operating cash flows. Commitments and contingencies are disclosed net of the amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority.

(l) Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the Group has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. When the Group expects some or all of a provision to be reimbursed, for example under an insurance contract, the reimbursement is recognised as a separate asset but only when the reimbursement is virtually certain. The expense relating to any provision is presented in the income statement net of any reimbursement.

Provisions are measured at the present value of management's best estimate of the expenditure required to settle the present obligation at the balance sheet date. If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are discounted using a current pre-tax rate that reflects the time value of money and the risks specific to the liability. The increase in the provision resulting from the passage of time is recognised in finance costs.



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2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

(m) Financial instruments

Recognition, initial measurement and derecognition

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognised when the Group becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the financial instrument. Financial instruments (except for trade receivables) are measured initially at fair value adjusted by transactions costs, except for those carried “at fair value through profit or loss”, in which case transaction costs are expensed to profit or loss. Where available, quoted prices in an active market are used to determine the fair value. In other circumstances, valuation techniques are adopted. Subsequent measurement of financial assets and financial liabilities are described below.

Trade receivables are initially measured at the transaction price if the receivables do not contain a significant financing component in accordance with AASB 15.

Financial assets are derecognised when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the financial asset expire, or when the financial asset and all substantial risks and rewards are transferred. A financial liability is derecognised when it is extinguished, discharged, cancelled or expires.

Classification and subsequent measurement

Financial assets

Except for those trade receivables that do not contain a significant financing component and are measured at the transaction price in accordance with AASB 15, all financial assets are initially measured at fair value adjusted for transaction costs (where applicable).

For the purpose of subsequent measurement, financial assets other than those designated and effective as hedging instruments, are classified into the following categories upon initial recognition:

- amortised cost;
- fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI); and
- fair value through profit or loss (FVPL).

Classifications are determined by both:

- The contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial assets; and
- The entities business model for managing the financial asset.

Financial assets at amortised cost

Financial assets are measured at amortised cost if the assets meet the following conditions (and are not designated as FVPL):

- they are held within a business model whose objective is to hold the financial assets and collect its contractual cash flows; and
- the contractual terms of the financial assets give rise to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

After initial recognition, these are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Discounting is omitted where the effect of discounting is immaterial. The Group's cash and cash equivalents, trade and most other receivables fall into this category of financial instruments.

Financial assets at fair value through other comprehensive income

The Group measures debt instruments at fair value through OCI if both of the following conditions are met:

- The contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding; and
- The financial asset is held within a business model with the objective of both holding to collect contractual cash flows and selling the financial asset.



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2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

(m) Financial instruments (continued)

For debt instruments at fair value through OCI, interest income, foreign exchange revaluation and impairment losses or reversals are recognised in the statement of profit or loss and computed in the same manner as for financial assets measured at amortised cost. The remaining fair value changes are recognised in OCI.

Upon initial recognition, the Group can elect to classify irrevocably its equity investments as equity instruments designated at fair value through OCI when they meet the definition of equity under AASB 132 Financial Instruments: Presentation and are not held for trading.

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL)

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss include financial assets held for trading, financial assets designated upon initial recognition at fair value through profit or loss, or financial assets mandatorily required to be measured at fair value. Financial assets are classified as held for trading if they are acquired for the purpose of selling or repurchasing in the near term.

Financial liabilities

Financial liabilities are classified, at initial recognition, as financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss, loans and borrowings, payables, or as derivatives designated as hedging instruments in an effective hedge, as appropriate. Financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value, and, where applicable, adjusted for transaction costs unless the Group designated a financial liability at fair value through profit or loss.

Subsequently, financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method except for derivatives and financial liabilities designated at FVPL, which are carried subsequently at fair value with gains or losses recognised in profit or loss. All interest-related charges and, if applicable, gains and losses arising on changes in fair value are recognised in profit or loss.

Impairment

The Group assesses on a forward-looking basis the expected credit losses associated with its debt instruments carried at amortised cost and FVOCI. The impairment methodology applied depends on whether there has been a significant increase in credit risk. For trade receivables, the Group applies the simplified approach permitted by AASB, which requires expected lifetime losses to be recognised from initial recognition of the receivables.

(n) Segment reporting

An operating segment is a component of an entity that engages in business activities from which it may earn revenues and incur expenses (including revenues and expenses relating to transactions with other components of the same entity), whose operating results are regularly reviewed by the entity's chief operating decision maker to make decisions about resources to be allocated to the segment and assess its performance and for which discrete financial information is available. Operating segments have been identified based on the information provided to the chief operating decision makers – being the executive management team.

Operating segments that meet the quantitative criteria as prescribed by AASB 8 are reported separately. However, an operating segment that does not meet the quantitative criteria is still reported separately where information about the segment would be useful to users of the financial statements. The Group determines and presents operating segments based on the information internally provided to the Board. During the years ended 30 June 2022 and 30 June 2021, the Group operated within 1 reportable and geographical segment, being mineral exploration in Western Australia.

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2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

(o) Earnings/Loss per share

Basic earnings/loss per share is calculated as net profit/loss attributable to members of the Group, adjusted to exclude any costs of servicing equity divided by the weighted average number of ordinary shares.

Diluted earnings/loss per share is calculated as net profit/loss attributable to members of the Group, adjusted for:

- Costs of servicing equity.
- The after-tax effect of dividends and interest associated with dilutive potential ordinary shares that have been recognised as expenses.
- Other non-discretionary changes in revenues or expenses during the period that would result from the dilution of potential ordinary shares.

divided by the weighted average number of ordinary shares and dilutive potential ordinary shares, adjusted for any bonus element.

3 CRITICAL ACCOUNTING JUDGEMENTS AND KEY SOURCES OF ESTIMATION UNCERTAINTY

In the application of the Group's accounting policies, which are described in note 2, the directors are required to make judgements, estimates and assumptions about the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period or in the period of the revision and future periods if the revision affects both current and future periods.

Significant accounting estimates and assumptions:

The carrying amounts of certain assets and liabilities are often determined based on estimates and assumptions of future events. The key estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of certain assets and liabilities within the next annual reporting year are:

Exploration and evaluation expenditure

Determining the recoverability of exploration and evaluation expenditure capitalised in accordance with the Group's accounting policy (refer note 2(e)), requires estimates and assumptions as to future events and circumstances, in particular, whether successful development and commercial exploitation, or alternatively sale, of the respective areas of interest will be achieved. Critical to this assessment is estimates and assumptions as to ore reserves, the timing of expected cash flows, exchange rates, commodity prices and future capital requirements. Changes in these estimates and assumptions as new information about the presence or recoverability of an ore reserve becomes available, may impact the assessment of the recoverable amount of exploration and evaluation assets. If, after having capitalised the expenditure under accounting policy 2(e), a judgement is made that recovery of the expenditure is unlikely, an impairment loss is recorded in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income in accordance with accounting policy 2(f).

As at 30 June 2022, capitalised exploration and evaluation totalled \$549,000 (2021: \$549,000).

Deferred taxation

Deferred tax assets are recognised for unused tax losses to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which the losses can be utilised. Significant management judgement is required to determine the amount of deferred tax assets that can be recognised, base level of future taxable profits together with future tax planning strategies.



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4 EXPENSES

	30 June 2022 \$	30 June 2021 \$
(a) Expenses incurred during the year include		
Salaries, wages and directors' fees	237,697	67,385
Superannuation	15,284	6,125
Other employment expenses	2,755	-
Insurance	59,935	-
Company secretarial	55,000	-
Share registry, ASX and ASIC fees	44,731	96,236
Accounting and Audit	53,295	40,378
Other corporate compliance expenses	18,421	-
Consulting expenses	41,930	4,000
Occupancy expenses	23,917	-
Share based payments	-	1,000,000
Exploration expenses	3,464,770	311,397
Depreciation expense	1,820	-
Finance expenses	397	-
IT expenses	6,815	22,029
Other expenses	18,067	13,511
Total expenses	4,044,834	1,561,061

5 DIVIDENDS PAID AND PROPOSED

No dividends have been paid or proposed (2021: \$Nil).

6 CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	30 June 2022 \$	30 June 2021 \$
Cash at bank and in hand	2,132,627	31,253
	<u>2,132,627</u>	<u>31,253</u>
Reconciliation from the net profit / (loss) after tax to the net cash flows from operations:		
Net profit / (loss)	(4,008,155)	2,051,060
Adjustments for:		
Share based payments	-	1,000,000
Forgiveness of loan	(36,679)	(3,612,121)
Depreciation	1,820	-
Changes in assets and liabilities relating to operating activities:		
(increase)/decrease in trade and other receivables	(222,768)	-
(increase)/decrease in prepayments	-	(254,022)
(decrease)/increase in trade and other payables	86,503	121,716
(decrease)/increase in employee leave liabilities	19,437	-
(decrease)/increase in loan from GWR Group Limited	-	626,339
Net cash from operating activities	(4,159,842)	(67,028)



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7 TRADE AND OTHER RECEIVABLES

	30 June 2022 \$	30 June 2021 \$
GST refundable	163,191	-
Other receivables	59,577	-
	<u>222,768</u>	<u>-</u>

Receivables are non-interest bearing and generally 30-day terms and trading terms are being followed by debtors. An allowance for expected credit losses is recognised when there is objective evidence that it is impaired. No allowance for expected credit losses is required. At the reporting date there were no trade and other receivables that were past due or impaired.

8 PREPAYMENTS

	30 June 2022 \$	30 June 2021 \$
Prepaid IPO costs	-	254,022
	<u>-</u>	<u>254,022</u>

Prepaid IPO costs were as a result of the completion of the IPO on 16 July 2021, subsequently been recognised as capital raising costs as a reduction against issued capital during the year ended 30 June 2022.

9 EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION EXPENDITURE

	30 June 2022 \$	30 June 2021 \$
Reconciliation:		
Balance at the beginning of the year	549,000	549,000
Balance at the end of the year	<u>549,000</u>	<u>549,000</u>

During the year, the Group incurred \$3,464,770 (2021: \$311,397) of exploration and evaluation expenditure which, in accordance with the accounting policy described in Note 2(e) was expensed as incurred.

The ultimate recovery of costs carried forward for exploration and evaluation phases is dependent on the successful development and commercial exploitation or sale of the respective areas of interest at an amount greater than or equal to carrying value.

10 TRADE AND OTHER PAYABLES

	30 June 2022 \$	30 June 2021 \$
Trade Payables and accruals	421,087	117,481
Seed capital funds received in advance	-	213,200
	<u>421,087</u>	<u>330,681</u>

During the previous year the Company received \$213,200 in seed capital funding relating to the initial public offering of the Company's securities. On 16 July 2021, 10,250,000 ordinary shares were issued in satisfaction of this amount.

11 EMPLOYEE LEAVE LIABILITIES

	30 June 2022 \$	30 June 2021 \$
Annual leave liabilities	19,437	-
	<u>19,437</u>	<u>-</u>



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12 LOAN FROM GWR GROUP LIMITED

	30 June 2022 \$	30 June 2021 \$
Reconciliation:		
Balance at the beginning of the year	463,624	3,555,619
Loan balance repaid	(426,945)	(106,213)
Increase in loan owing due to costs paid by GWR Group Limited	-	626,339
Loan balance forgiven	(36,679)	(3,612,121)
Balance at the end of the year	-	463,624

GWR Group Limited, the ultimate parent entity of the Group until 13 July 2022, made no payments on behalf of the Group during the year ended 30 June 2022 (2021: \$626,339).

13 REHABILITATION PROVISIONS

	30 June 2022 \$	30 June 2021 \$
Rehabilitation provision – Wiluna West Gold exploration activities	19,888	19,097
	<u>19,888</u>	<u>19,097</u>

14 ISSUED CAPITAL

	30 June 2022 \$	30 June 2022 No. of shares	30 June 2021 \$	30 June 2021 No. of shares
Ordinary Shares:				
Issued and fully paid	16,560,328	81,375,000	10,400,000	36,125,000
Movement in ordinary shares on issue:				
At 1 July	10,400,000	36,125,000	10,400,000	52,000,000
Consolidation of capital (a)	-	-	-	(15,875,000)
Issue of shares for cash – seed capital (b)	213,200	10,250,000	-	-
Issue of shares for cash – initial public offering (c)	7,000,000	35,000,000	-	-
Options issued as share issue costs (Note 16)	(282,000)	-	-	-
Other share issue costs paid	(770,872)	-	-	-
At 30 June	16,560,328	81,375,000	10,400,000	36,125,000

(a) On 12 March 2021 the Company consolidated its share capital on an approximate 1.44 to 1 basis.

(b) The funds for these seed capital ordinary shares were received during the year ended 30 June 2021, and were recognised as liabilities until the issue of the shares during the current half-year on 16 July 2021. These shares were issued at an average price of \$0.0208 per share.

(c) Initial Public Offering of shares was completed at \$0.20 per share on 16 July 2021.

The shares do not have a par value.

Ordinary shares entitle the holder to participate in dividends and the proceeds on the winding up of the company in proportion to the number of and amounts paid on the shares held. The fully paid ordinary shares have no par value and the company does not have a limited amount of authorised capital.

On a show of hands every member present at a meeting in person or by proxy shall have one vote and upon a poll each share shall have one vote.



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14 ISSUED CAPITAL (CONT'D)

Capital risk management

The company's objectives when managing capital is to safeguard its ability to continue as a going concern, so that it can provide returns for shareholders and benefits for other stakeholders and to maintain an optimum capital structure to reduce the cost of capital.

Capital is regarded as total equity, as recognised in the statement of financial position, plus net debt. Net debt is calculated as total borrowings less cash and cash equivalents.

In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the company may adjust the amount of any dividends paid to shareholders, return capital to shareholders, issue new shares or sell assets to reduce debt.

15 RESERVES

	Note	For the year ended 30 June	
		2022	2021
		\$	\$
Share based payments reserve		1,282,000	1,000,000
		<u>1,282,000</u>	<u>1,000,000</u>
<i>Movements:</i>			
Balance at 1 July		1,000,000	-
Options issued to directors (Note 16)		-	1,000,000
Options issued to brokers as share issue costs (Note 16)		282,000	-
Balance at 30 June		<u>1,282,000</u>	<u>1,000,000</u>

(a) Summary of options

The following table illustrates the number and weighted average exercise prices (WAEPs) of, and movements in, share options on issue throughout the year:

	For the year ended 30 June			
	2022		2021	
	No.	WAEP	No.	WAEP
Outstanding at 1 July	10,000,000	\$0.25	-	-
Granted during the year	3,000,000	\$0.25	10,000,000	\$0.25
Exercised during the year	-	-	-	-
Expired during the year	-	-	-	-
At 30 June	<u>13,000,000</u>	<u>\$0.25</u>	<u>10,000,000</u>	<u>\$0.25</u>
Exercisable at 30 June	<u>13,000,000</u>	<u>\$0.25</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

The following table illustrates the number of options and those that have vested and are exercisable at the year-end:

	Number outstanding	Number vested and exercisable	Exercise price	Expiry date	Remaining contractual life
Unlisted options					
Unlisted director options	10,000,000	10,000,000	\$0.25	1 July 2024	2.00 years
Unlisted broker options	3,000,000	3,000,000	\$0.25	28 Feb 2024	1.67 years



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16 SHARE BASED PAYMENTS

	Note	For the year ended 30 June	
		2022	2021
		\$	\$
Unlisted options issued to directors		-	1,000,000
Unlisted options issued to brokers (a)		282,000	-
Total share-based payments		282,000	1,000,000

- (a) The value of these options has been expensed against the costs of raising capital, as they relate directly to the capital raising mandate between the Company and Lead Managers of the Initial Public Offering of the entities securities.

Options issued during the year were valued using the Black-Scholes option pricing model. The following inputs were used in the measurement of the fair values at grant date of the share-based payments noted above:

	Broker Options	Director Options
Fair value at grant date	\$0.094	\$0.10
Share price at grant date	\$0.20	\$0.20
Exercise price	\$0.25	\$0.25
Expected volatility	87.5%	85%
Option life	2.6 years	3.3 years
Expected dividends	-	-
Risk-free interest rate	0.15%	0.10%
Number of options issued	3,000,000	10,000,000
Total value	\$282,000	\$1,000,000

The underlying share price on grant date for both issues was assumed to be \$0.20, as the Company was unlisted on the grant date and therefore the offer price of the initial public offering of securities was used.

17 EARNINGS PER SHARE

	30 June 2022	30 June 2021
	\$	\$
Profit / (loss) used in calculating basic and diluted earnings / (loss) per share	(4,008,155)	2,051,060
	No.	No.
Weighted average number of ordinary shares used in calculating basic earnings / (loss) per share	69,591,740	36,125,000
	Cents	Cents
Basic and diluted earnings / (loss) per share	(5.76)	5.68

All potential ordinary shares were considered anti-dilutive.

18 AUDITORS' REMUNERATION

	30 June 2022	30 June 2021
	\$	\$
The auditor of the Company is Stantons International		
Amounts received or due and receivable for:		
• Audits of financial reports	29,365	30,000
• Preparation of the investigating accountants report	-	10,000
	29,365	40,000



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19 RELATED PARTIES

SUBSIDIARIES

Details of the Group's subsidiaries at the end of the reporting period are as follows:

Name of subsidiary	Principal activity	Place of incorporation and operation	Proportion of ownership interest and voting power held by the Group	
			30 June 2022	30 June 2021
Wiluna West Gold Pty Ltd	Mineral Exploration	Australia	100%	100%

Western Gold Resources Limited is the head entity of the Group. GWR Group Limited was the Ultimate Parent Entity of the Western Gold Resources Limited Group until 13 July 2022.

OTHER TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES

During the current year, amounts totalling \$10,106 were paid to Endeavour Corporate Pty Ltd, a Company Associated with Mr Mark Pitts, for accounting and administration services (2021: \$Nil). As at 30 June 2022, a total of \$107 was payable.

Other than the transactions noted above and those with the GWR Group Limited as disclosed in Note 12, were no other transactions with related parties (2021: Nil).

20 KEY MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL DISCLOSURES

	Note	For the year ended 30 June	
		2022	2021
		\$	\$
Compensation of Key Management Personnel			
Short term benefits		431,456	161,291
Long term benefits		-	-
Post-employment benefits		27,068	6,125
Equity-based compensation		-	1,000,000
		<u>458,524</u>	<u>1,167,416</u>

21 INCOME TAXES

	For the year ended 30 June	
	2022	2021
	\$	\$
A reconciliation of income tax expense applicable to accounting loss before income tax at the statutory income tax rate to income tax expense at the company's effective income tax rate is as follows:		
Accounting profit/(loss) before income tax	(4,008,155)	2,051,060
At the statutory income tax rate of 25% (2021: 26%)	(1,002,039)	533,276
Non-assessable income	(9,170)	-
Effect of temporary differences that would be recognised directly in equity	(263,218)	-
Tax losses recognised	-	(533,276)
Tax loss and temporary differences not brought to account as a deferred tax asset	1,274,427	-
Income tax expense / (benefit)	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Weighted average rate of tax	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>

Recognised in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income:

Current tax expense / (benefit)	-	-
Deferred tax expense / (benefit)	-	-
Total income tax expense / (benefit)	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>



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21 INCOME TAXES (CONT'D)

	Note	For the year ended 30 June	
		2022	2021
		\$	\$
Unrecognised deferred tax assets and liabilities as at 30 June 2022 comprise:			
<i>Unrecognised deferred tax assets</i>			
Trade and other payables		3,750	-
Provisions		4,972	-
Employee benefits		4,859	-
Unused tax losses		1,050,271	-
Other future deductions		210,575	-
		<u>1,274,427</u>	<u>-</u>
Set-off of deferred tax liabilities		-	-
Net unrecognised deferred tax asset		<u>1,274,427</u>	<u>-</u>

Net deferred tax assets have not been recognised because it is not yet probable that future taxable profit will be available against which the Group can utilise the benefits.

There were no unrecognised deferred tax assets or liabilities reported for the year ended 30 June 2021 as the Group was part of a tax consolidated group, of which GWR Group Limited is the head entity. The Group left the GWR Group Limited tax consolidated group on 13 July 2021.

22 COMMITMENTS

In order to maintain current rights of tenure to mining tenements, the Group has discretionary minimum annual tenement expenditure requirements and lease rentals of \$546,725 (2021: Nil). This discretionary expenditure is capable of being varied from time to time in order to maintain these rights of tenure to mining tenements

23 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT POLICIES

The Group's financial instruments consists solely of accounts payable.

Derivatives are not used by the Group for hedging purposes. The Group does not speculate in the trading of derivative instruments.

TREASURY RISK MANAGEMENT

The Group's Board of Directors meet when required to analyse financial risk exposure and to evaluate treasury management strategies in the context of the most recent economic conditions and forecasts. The Board's overall risk management strategy seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on financial performance. Risk Management initiatives are addressed by the Board when required.

FINANCIAL RISK EXPOSURES AND MANAGEMENT

The main risks the Group is exposed to through its financial instruments is liquidity risk and interest rate risk.

LIQUIDITY RISK

The Group manages liquidity risk by monitoring forecast cash flows.

INTEREST RATE RISK

The Group's exposure to market interest rates relates primarily to the Group's interest-bearing cash and cash equivalents. Trade and other receivables disclosed in note 7 and Trade and other payables disclosed in note 10 are non-interest bearing. The Group's policy is to manage its finance costs using a mix of fixed and variable rate debt. The Group regularly analyses its interest rate exposure. Within this analysis consideration is given to potential renewals of existing positions, alternative financing and the mix of fixed and variable interest rates.



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23 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (CONT'D)

NET FAIR VALUES OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

Assets and liabilities included in the Statement of Financial Position are carried at amounts that approximate their fair values. Please refer to Note 2 for the methods and assumptions adopted in determining net fair values for investments. The follow table details the Group's contractual maturities of its financial assets and liabilities:

	Carrying Amount \$	Less than 1 year \$	Maturity 1 to 5 years \$	More than 5 years \$
Year ended 30 June 2022				
Cash and cash equivalents	2,132,627	2,132,627	-	-
Trade and other receivables	222,768	222,768	-	-
Total Financial Assets	2,355,395	2,355,395	-	-
Trade and other payables	421,087	421,087	-	-
Total Financial Liabilities	421,087	421,087	-	-
Year ended 30 June 2021				
Cash and cash equivalents	31,253	31,253	-	-
Total Financial Assets	31,253	31,253	-	-
Trade and other payables	330,681	330,681	-	-
Loan to GWR Group Limited	463,624	463,624	-	-
Total Financial Liabilities	794,305	794,305	-	-

SENSITIVITY ANALYSIS

LIQUIDITY RISK

The Company has performed sensitivity analysis relating to its exposure to liquidity risk at balance date and has determined that increases and decreases are not material to the Company.

INTEREST RATE RISK

The Company has performed sensitivity analysis relating to its exposure to interest rate risk at balance date and has determined that increases and decreases are not material to the Company.

24 PARENT ENTITY DISCLOSURES

FINANCIAL POSITION

	30 June 2022 \$	30 June 2021 \$
Assets		
Current assets	2,558,222	285,275
Non-current assets	361,707	553,472
Total Assets	2,919,929	838,747
Liabilities		
Current liabilities	440,524	2,043,976
Non-current liabilities	19,888	-
Total Liabilities	460,412	2,043,976
Net Assets / (Liabilities)	2,459,517	(1,205,229)



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24 PARENT ENTITY DISCLOSURES (CONT'D)

	Note	30 June 2022 \$	30 June 2021 \$
Equity			
Issued capital		16,560,328	10,400,000
Reserves		1,282,000	1,000,000
Accumulated losses		(15,382,811)	(12,605,229)
Total Equity / (Deficiency of Equity)		2,459,517	(1,205,229)

FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

	Note	For the year ended 30 June 2022 \$	2021 \$
Loss for the year		(2,777,582)	(1,252,279)
Other Comprehensive Income		-	-
Total Comprehensive Loss		(2,777,582)	(1,252,279)

COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

The Parent Entity had no Commitments or Contingencies at 30 June 2022 (2021: Nil).

GUARANTEES

The Company has not entered into any guarantees in relation to the debts of its subsidiaries.

25 SEGMENT REPORTING

An operating segment is a component of the Group that engages in business activities from which it may earn revenues and incur expenses, including revenues and expenses that relate to transactions with any of the Group's other components, whose operating results are regularly reviewed by the entity's chief operating decision maker to make decisions about resources to be allocated to the segment and assess its performance and for which discrete financial information is available. The Group identifies its operating segments based on the internal reports that are reviewed and used by the executive management team (chief operating decision makers) in assessing performance and determining the allocation of resources.

The operations and assets of Western Gold Resources Limited and its controlled entities are primarily employed in exploration and evaluation activities relating to minerals in Australia. The decision to allocate the resources to individual projects is predominantly based on available cash reserve, technical data and the expectation of future metal price. Accordingly, the Group has identified only one reportable segment, being mineral exploration activities undertaken in Australia. The financial information presented in the consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income and consolidated statement of financial position is the same as that presented to the chief operating decision maker.

26 SIGNIFICANT EVENTS AFTER THE BALANCE DATE

There have been no matters or circumstances that have arisen since the end of the financial year that have significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of the Group, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the Group, in future financial years.



Directors' Declaration

In the opinion of the Directors of Western Gold Resources Limited ('the Company'):

1. In the opinion of the directors:

- (a) The financial statements and notes of Western Gold Resources Limited for the financial year ended 30 June 2022 are in accordance with the Corporations Act 2001, including:
 - (i) Giving a true and fair view of the Group's financial position as at 30 June 2022 and of its performance for the year then ended; and
 - (ii) Complying with Accounting Standards (including the Australian Accounting Interpretations) and Corporations Regulations 2001.
- (b) There are reasonable grounds to believe that the Company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

2. This declaration has been made after receiving the declarations required to be made to the Directors in accordance with section 295A of the Corporations Act 2001 for the financial year ended 30 June 2022.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of directors.



Gary Lyons
Chairman
28 September 2022

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF WESTERN GOLD RESOURCES LIMITED

Report on the Audit of the Financial Report

Opinion

We have audited the financial report of Western Gold Resources Limited ("the Company") and its subsidiary (the "Group"), which comprises the consolidated statement of financial position as at 30 June 2022, the consolidated statement of comprehensive income, the consolidated statement of changes in equity and the consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, and the directors' declaration.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial report of the Group is in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:

- (i) giving a true and fair view of the Group's financial position as at 30 June 2022 and of its financial performance for the year then ended; and
- (ii) complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report section of our report. We are independent of the Group in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (the Code)* that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

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

Key Audit Matters

We have defined the matter described below to be a key audit matter to be communicated in our report.

Key audit matters are those matters that, in our professional judgement, were of most significance in our audit of the financial report of the current period. These matters were addressed in the context of our audit of the financial report as a whole, and in forming our opinion thereon, and we do not provide a separate opinion on these matters.

**Share based payments reserve
(Refer to Note 16 to the financial statements)**

During the year, the Company awarded 3 million share options. The options were granted to service providers and were not subject to any vesting conditions, other than the performance of the services.

The Group recognised a share-based payment expense of \$282,000 which was recorded in capital raising costs.

Share based payments are considered to be a key audit matter due to:

- The complexities involved in the recognition; and
- The judgment involved in determining the inputs used in the valuation.

Management used the Black-scholes option valuation model to determine the fair value of the options granted. This process involved estimation and judgments to determine the fair value of the equity instruments granted.

Inter alia, our audit procedures included the following:

- i. Evaluating the agreements to identify the key terms and conditions of the share-based payment issued, and relevant vesting conditions, in accordance with AASB 2 Share Based Payment;
- ii. Verifying the inputs and examining the assumptions used in the Group's valuation of share options granted;
- iii. Challenging management's assumptions in relation to the treatment as a capital raising cost;
- iv. Assessing the fair value of the calculation through re-performance using appropriate inputs; and
- v. Assessing the disclosures made by the Group in the financial report.

Other Information

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Company's annual report for the year ended 30 June 2022 but does not include the financial report and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and accordingly we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial report, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial report or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of the Directors for the Financial Report

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Act 2001* and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the directors are responsible for assessing the ability of the Group to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the Group or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with the Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of this financial report.

As part of an audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional scepticism throughout the audit. An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report.

The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view 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.

The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.

An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the Directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

We conclude on the appropriateness of the Directors' use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Group's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial report or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.

We evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial report, including the disclosures, and whether the financial report represents the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the financial report. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with the Directors regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in Internal control that we identify during our audit.

The Auditing Standards require that we comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements. We also provide the Directors with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

From the matters communicated with the Directors, we determine those matters that were of most significance in the audit of the financial report of the current period and are therefore key audit matters. We describe these matters in our auditor's report unless law or regulation precludes public disclosure about the matter or when, in extremely rare circumstances, we determine that a matter should not be communicated in our report because the adverse consequences of doing so would reasonably be expected to outweigh the public interest benefits of such communication.

Report on the Remuneration Report*Opinion on the Remuneration Report*

We have audited the Remuneration Report included in pages 5 to 11 of the directors' report for the year ended 30 June 2022.

In our opinion, the Remuneration Report of Western Gold Resources Limited for the year ended 30 June 2022 complies with section 300A of the *Corporations Act 2001*.

Responsibilities

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation and presentation of the Remuneration Report in accordance with section 300A of the *Corporations Act 2001*. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Remuneration Report, based on our audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards.

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Martin Michalik
Director

West Perth, Western Australia
28 September 2022