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### South Australia's 5 Moz Au Growth Platform

11 December 2023 | Tunkillia Mineral Resources Update

Perseverance Mine, Tarcoola Project



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### South Australia's Gold Co

### Leading the re-emergence of South Australian gold

- South Australia: 25% of Australian gold / 2.5% of production <sup>(1)</sup>
- Central SA: 130 year high-grade gold production history <sup>(2)</sup>
- Under-explored with Multi-Moz discovery potential



### Regionally strategic leadership position

- ~5,000km<sup>2</sup> tenements (~500,000 ha / ~1.25m acres)
- 100% ownership of region's only gold mill
- New Tunkillia JORC Resources update lifts Barton to ~1.5 Million oz and growing <sup>(3)</sup>

### **Excellent corporate platform**

- Building momentum and awareness
- Monetizing assets, with +A\$13m cash and gold in concentrates <sup>(4)</sup>

Strategic 'first mover' advantage re-opening a proven gold district



Government of South Australia – Dept for Energy & Mining, Geoscience Australia
 Refer to Prospectus
 Refer to Annexures and ASX announcements dated 11 December 2023

4 Refer to ASX announcements dated 30 September and 21 August 2023

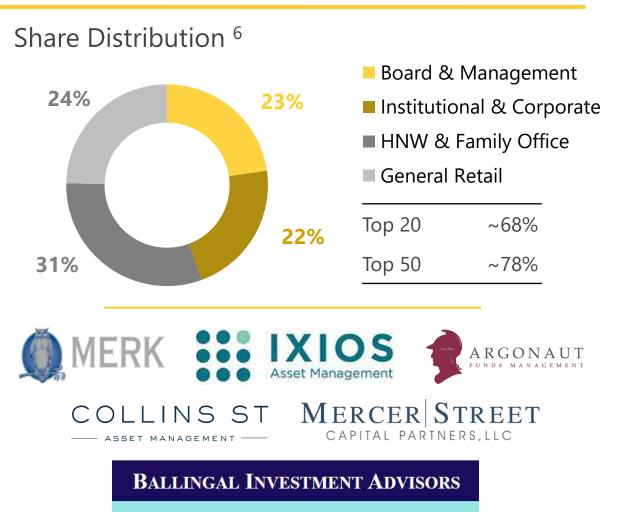


### (\$AUD)

Shares on issue ( Market Cap (\$0.2		195.5 million \$47.9 million <b>\$9.3 million</b>				
Cash <sup>(3)</sup>	L+3 / Share)					
Enterprise Value	\$38.6 million					
Options on issue	ptions on issue <sup>(1)</sup>					
Gold in concent	trates <sup>(5)</sup>	\$4.3 million				
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### Accessible, aligned, and institutionally supported; real time DTCC trade and settlement of US shares



Refer to ASX announcements dated 23 November 2023
 As at market close on Friday, 8 December 2023
 As at 30 Sep 2023; Barton also has another \$4.5m restricted cash posted as security for rehabilitation bank guarantees

4 Market cap less cash and nil debt. Subject to rounding
5 Based on current concentrate stocks on hand and AUD gold price \$3,050; refer to ASX announcement dated 21 August 2023
6 Estimate based upon Company analysis as at 7 Dec 2023



### Strong SA and gold pedigree

### Board of Directors



#### **Ken Williams**

**Non-Executive Chair** 

- ~30 years in mining, aviation & financial services
- Former CFO Normandy Mining (Newmont Australia)



#### **Christian Paech Non-Executive Director**

- ~30 years in private and public legal practice
- Former Santos Ltd General Counsel and CoSec



#### Graham Arvidson Non-Executive Director

- ~20 years' experience in mechanical engineering
- Development and operations specialist



#### Shannon Coates Company Secretary

- ~25 years in legal and Company Secretarial roles
- Qualified lawyer and Chartered Secretary

### Senior Management



#### Alexander Scanlon Managing Director & CEO

- ~20 years in principal investments and resources
- Founder of Barton Gold, former MD PARQ Capital



#### David Wilson General Manager, Projects

- ~40 years in mining and project management
- Former Normandy Chief Surveyor & Technical Super



#### Marc Twining General Manager, Exploration

- ~25 years in resources exploration and development
- Former Normandy / Newmont exploration geologist

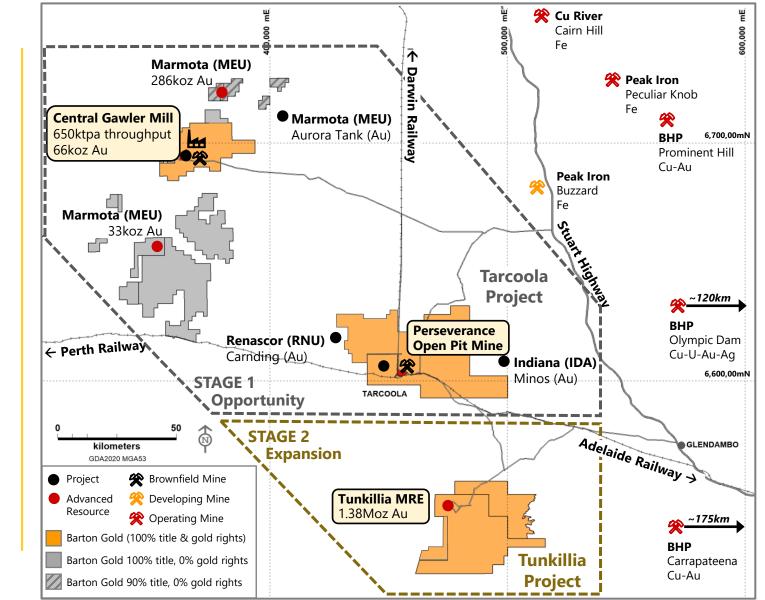


#### lan Garsed Principal Geologist

- ~30 years in resources discovery and definition
- Extensive Australian gold and IOCG experience



### Leverage existing platform to long-term gold leadership



Large-scale ambition

- Build SA's largest independent gold producer (150kozpa)
- Open pit focus: lower cost / risk

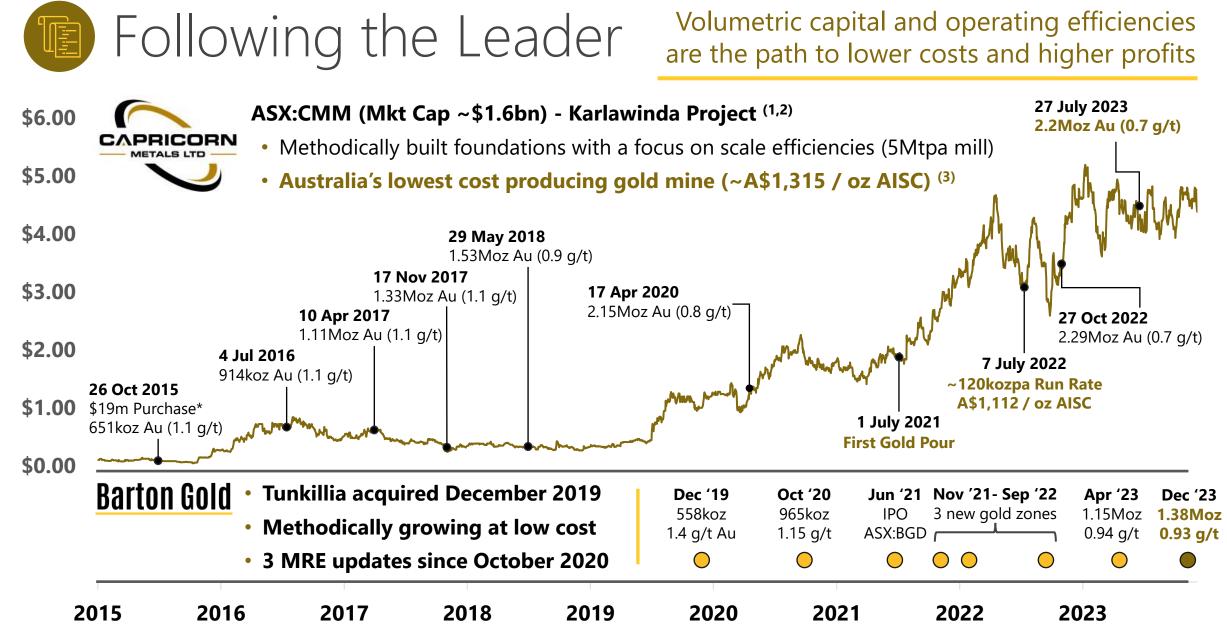


### Tarcoola: Stage 1 opportunity

- Fully permitted MLs and mill, proven logistics and metallurgy <sup>(1)</sup>
- Free cash flow  $\rightarrow$  Stage 2 Expansion



- Bulk open pit operations and new mill → efficiencies of scale
- Tarcoola high-grade  $\rightarrow$  Tunkillia
- Central Gawler Mill  $\rightarrow$  toll milling



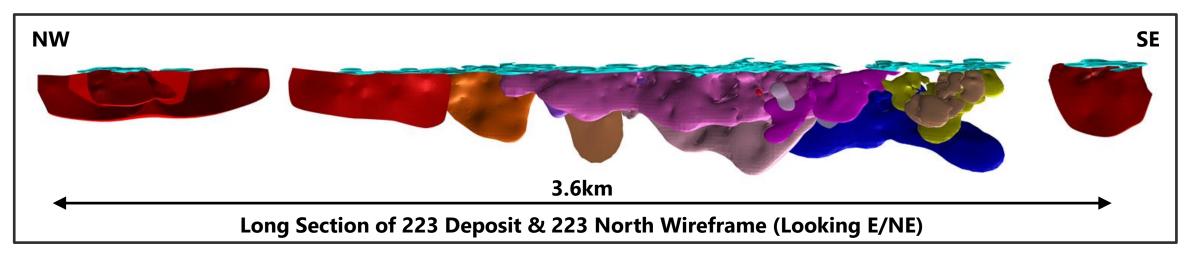
\* Based upon CMM price of \$0.11 per share (as adjusted) on 26 Oct 2015; Market Cap as at 7 Dec 2023 1 Market data at 7 Dec 2023, for each event refer to BGD or CMM ASX Announcements of the same date; 2 All \$ figures are AUD; AISC = All In Sustaining Cost; figures subject to rounding 3 Refer to CMM AGM Presentation dated 29 November 2023; based on 'gold only' production assets



JORC Mineral Resource Estimate (MRE) <sup>(1,2)</sup>

Tunkillia MRE Update

- Total 413koz Au added to MRE during 2023
- 3<sup>rd</sup> MRE update since late 2020 (prior update April 2023)<sup>1</sup>
- Three new zones of mineralisation → MRE (red wireframes)



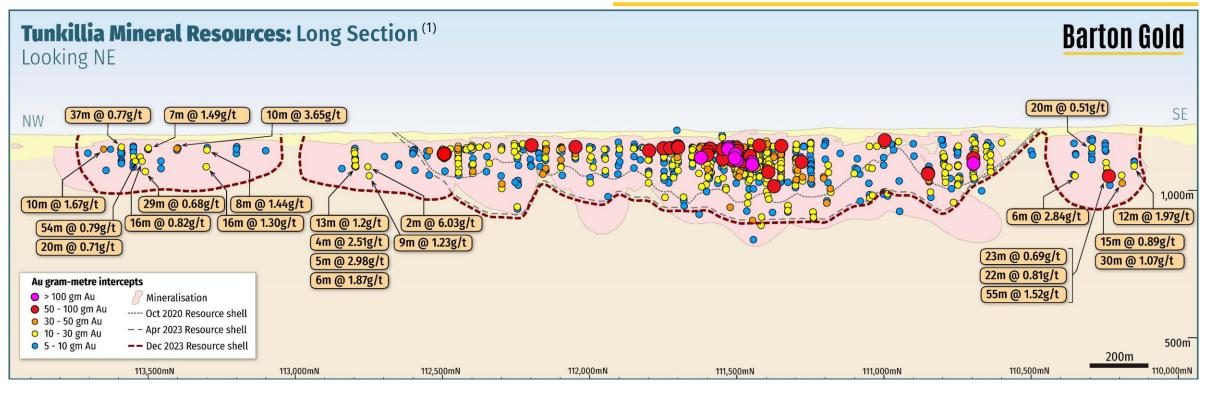


### Rapid, efficient growth during 2023: (1,2)

- Apr 2023: +189koz Au @ 'all in' cost of AUD ~\$12 / new oz
- Dec 2023: +224koz Au @ 'all in' cost of AUD ~\$16 / new oz
- Total 2023 MRE growth now 413koz Au @ ~A\$14 / oz 'all in' with ~15 new JORC Resource ounces added / meter drilled



### Tunkillia MRE Update Conservative modeling with production mentality; $\rightarrow$ goal is bulk efficiency and strong reconciliations



Strong return on drilling: <sup>(1)</sup>

- **A\$3.6m invested** 'all in'  $\rightarrow$  89 RC holes totalling 15,189 metres drilling
- **224,000 new oz→** ~A\$16 / oz cost; ~14.75 new oz Au / metre drilling
- **Total Tunkillia Indicated Resources** increase to 794,000 oz Au

	<b>Indicated</b>			<b>Inferred</b>			<u>Total</u>		
( <b>0.4 g/t cut off)</b> <sup>(1)</sup>	Tonnes (Mt)	Grade (g/t Au)	Gold (Koz Au)	Tonnes (Mt)	Grade (g/t Au)	Gold (Koz Au)	Tonnes (Mt)	Grade (g/t Au)	Gold (Koz Au)
Oxide & Transitional	3.77	1.21	147	4.60	0.88	131	8.36	1.03	277
Fresh	22.0	0.92	648	15.9	0.88	453	37.9	0.90	1,100
Total	25.8	0.96	794	20.5	0.88	583	46.3	0.93	1,378

\* Figures subject to rounding

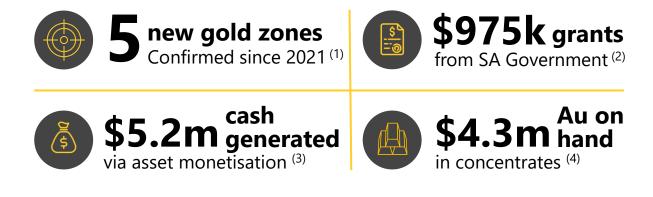
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2 Refer to ASX announcements dated 26 April and 11 December 2023



Barton Gold is applying new technologies and leveraging its asset platform to accelerate regional development, reduce exploration and discovery costs, and minimise dilution

Significant ongoing success and value created since June 2021 IPO with material growth and asset monetisation:

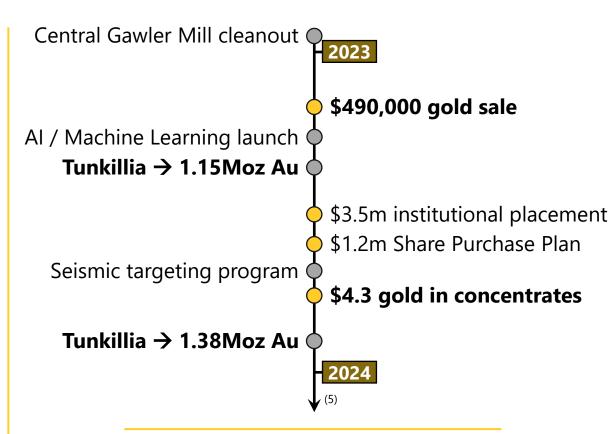


### Building momentum and on track to generate nearly \$10 million in additional non-dilutive cash

1 Refer to Prospectus and ASX announcements 27 Oct and 3/8/15 Nov 2021, 5 Sep 2022, 19 Apr and 15/21 Nov & 11 Dec 2023 2 Refer to ASX announcements dated 4 Aug and 7 Dec 2021, and 15 Jun 2022

3 Refer to ASX announcements dated 28 / 30 Jun, 26 Sep, 25 Oct and 11 Nov 2022, 28 Mar 2023 & FY 2022 / 2023 Appendix 5Bs 4 Based on current concentrate stocks on hand and AUD gold price \$3,050; refer to ASX announcement dated 21 August 2023 5 Timeline: Refer to ASX announcements 20 Dec 2022, and 28 Mar, 11/26 Apr, 1/19/26 Jun, 10/19 Jul, 14/21 Aug and 11 Dec 2023

### Building solid foundations for long-term value



### Looking forward to 2024:

- Tunkillia: Keep scaling up anchor for 150kozpa
- Tarcoola: Accelerate low cost / risk 'Stage 1' option
- Corporate: Further evolution & asset monetisation

# **Tunkillia** Growing Up...



### **Rapidly expanding ~1.4Moz gold footprint**

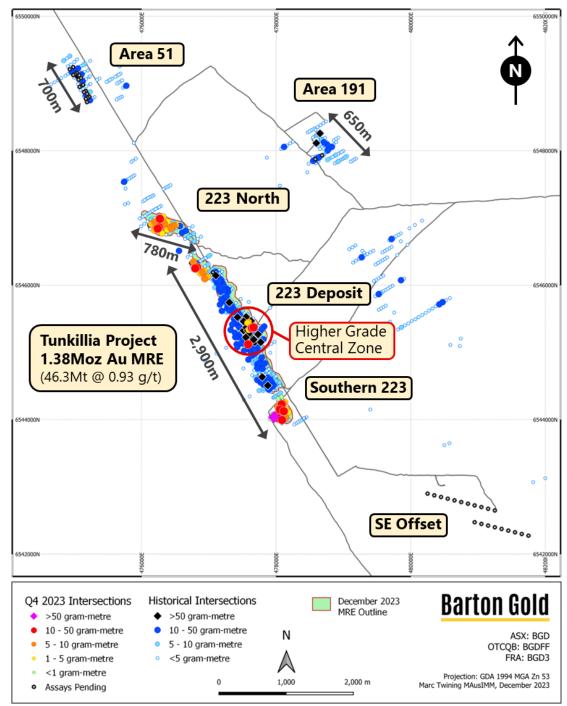
- Shallow historical drilling during low gold prices: 77% completed between 1996 2005 (gold <US\$400/oz) <sup>(1)</sup>
- BGD has grown Tunkillia three times since October 2020
- Mineralised strike more than doubled since November 2021, including 3 new satellites (223N, 191 & 51) <sup>(2)</sup>



### Significant growth and discovery potential

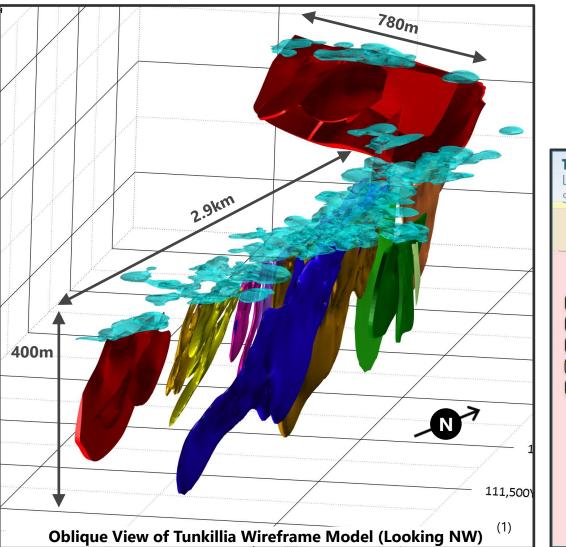
- 2023 growth of +413koz Au at ~A\$14/oz all-in cost <sup>(3)</sup>
- Areas 191 and 51 not yet included in JORC Resources, with assays pending on ~3,800m new RC & DD drilling
- ~4,000m RC drilling assays pending on SE Offset target
- Targeting further Resources updates early 2024

Company analysis of historical gold price and Tunkillia drilling data
 Refer to Prospectus and ASX announcements dated 3 / 8 / 15 Nov 2021, 5 Sep 2022 and 19 Apr 2023
 Refer to ASX announcement dated 11 December 2023

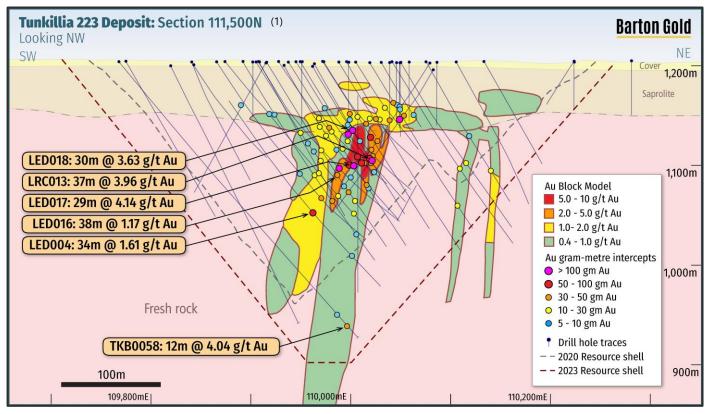


# **Tunkillia** Mineralisation

Attractive characteristics with higher-grade central core and shallow supergene zone



- ~80% of MRE tonnes & ounces within 200m of surface <sup>(1)</sup>
- > ~300m long high-grade core with 80m+ width <sup>(1)</sup>
- > ~277koz Au in shallow (~35m deep) supergene blanket <sup>(1)</sup>



<sup>1</sup> Refer to ASX announcement dated 11 December 2023

## **Tunkillia** District Scale Potential

### 20km+ of untested strike on a major shear system



### **District scale geology**

- 'Triple point' of major geological formations <sup>(1)</sup>
- Kilometres-wide Kalgoorlie style shear zone <sup>(2)</sup>
- Potential for areas of significant fluid flow

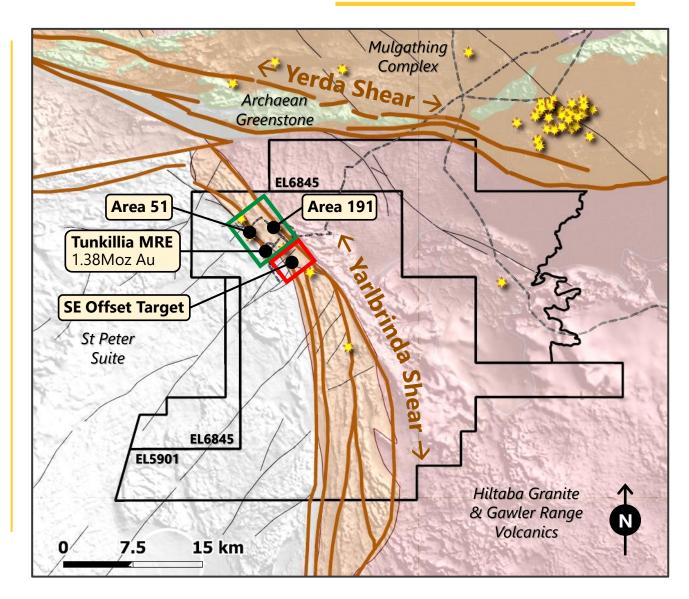
### Early days: majority untested

- Current focus area only ~10% of shear
- New gold zones all within ~5km cluster
- More than 20km untested along strike

### Strong exploration pipeline

- Area 51 / 191 and SE Offset assays pending
- Currently testing priority targets indicative of large-scale anomalies along strike

Refer to ASX announcement dated 26 Apr 2023
 Refer to Prospectus and ASX announcement dated 26 Apr 2023



## Tarcoola High-Grade History

### Potential high-grade 'Stage 1' feed and future 'Stage 2' blend



### ML6455: the home of SA gold

- Hosted SA's 1893 gold rush (~77koz Au
   @ 37.5 g/t Au from 1900 1955) <sup>(1)</sup>
- Perseverance Mine produced ~3.8 g/t Au to Barton's Mill during 2018 <sup>(1)</sup>

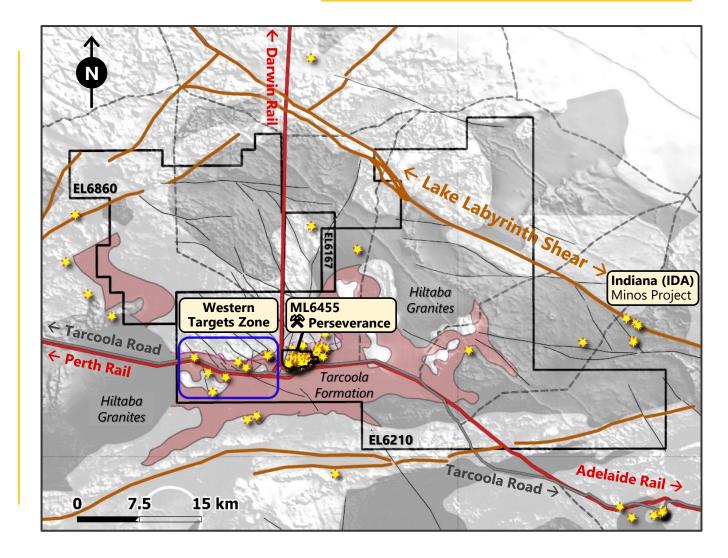


### Perseverance open pit mine

- Shallow open pit on fully permitted ML
- Potential Stage 1 production option lower cost / risk bridge to Stage 2

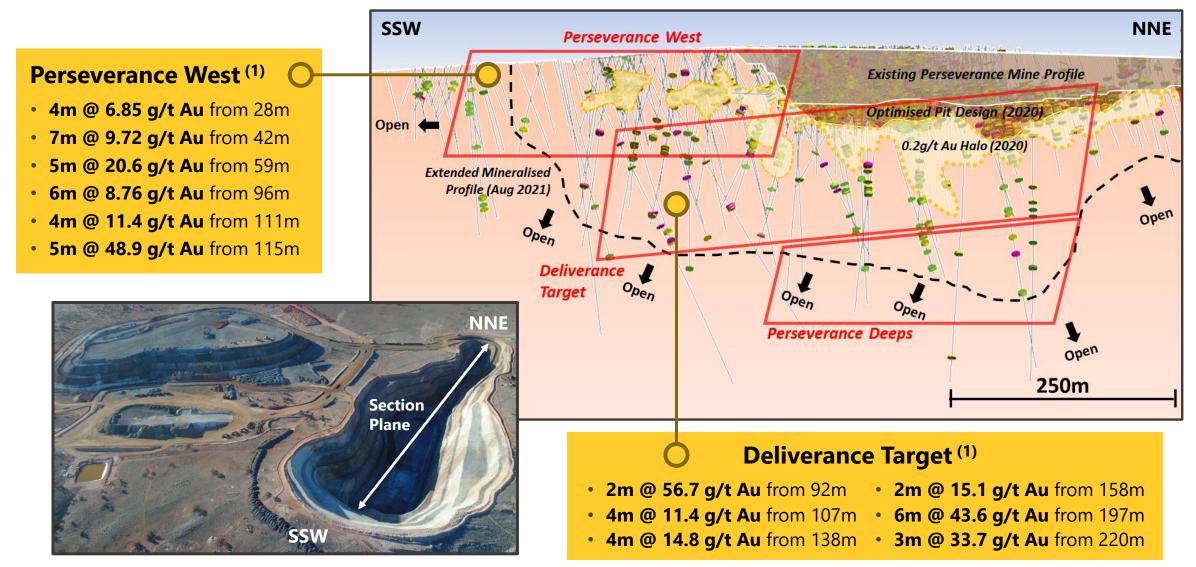
### Large scale target systems

- New structural model developed for highgrade gold in the Tarcoola Goldfield
- Testing high priority targets early 2024



## → Tarcoola Perseverance Mine

### Majority of intersections not yet modeled in Mineral Resources



1 Example drilling results, refer to Prospectus and ASX announcements dated 20 / 27 Oct 2021, and 25 Jul and 22 Aug 2022

# Tarcoola Unlocking Geology across the historical Tarcoola Goldfield

**Perseverance Mine** Tarcoola 🗄 Warburton West ~3.8 g/t Au ore (2018) 16m @ 3.4 g/t Au Tolmer from 4m depth Tolmer Dark Hill Tarcola Formation - Perth Rail Offshoots of crustal scale Bulgunnia Fault Hiltaba Suite Granite 2km Intrusives Source <sup>1</sup> 2020 seismic indicates system of potential 'repeats' targets

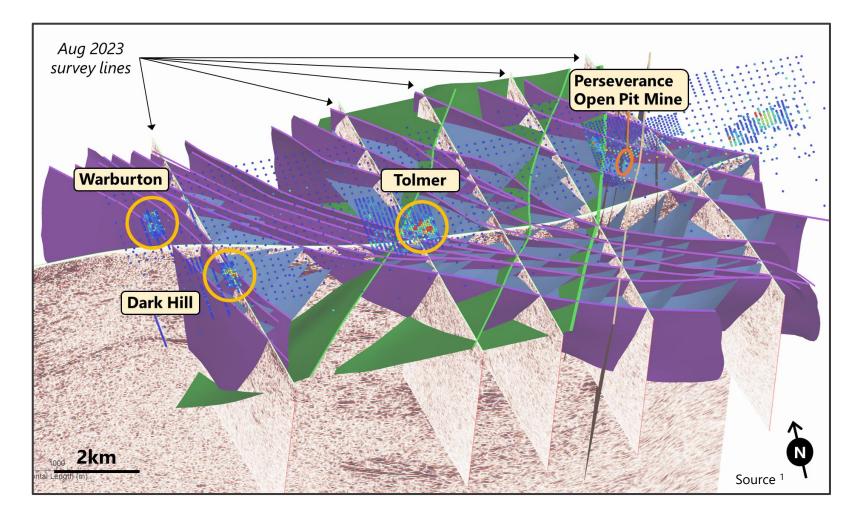
- Mapping out a new geological model across ~15km long zone <sup>1</sup>
- Major structures underlie hundreds of historical high-grade workings<sup>1</sup>
- Attractive bookends: Warburton in the west (16m @ 3.4 g/t Au), and Perseverance Mine in the east <sup>2</sup>
- Opportunity:
  - Identify controls on significant historical high-grade anomalies
  - Identify shallow high-grade 'repeats' of Perseverance Mine
  - Accelerate 'Stage 1' pathway

1 Refer to Prospectus and ASX announcement dated 10 Mar 2022 2 Refer to ASX announcement dated 10 Mar 2022

# Tarcoola Systematic Analysis

### New Aug 2023 seismic reveals Tarcoola Goldfield architecture

validating thesis & driving exploration model



- Recently completed seismic survey shows Tarcoola Goldfield architecture<sup>1</sup>
- First time since discovery (1893) that known gold occurrences can be put into a structural framework <sup>1</sup>
- Larger gold occurrences associated with deeper sub-vertical structures like the Perseverance Fault <sup>1</sup>
- Several analogous structures newly identified, including two adjacent to the Perseverance Mine <sup>1</sup>
- Significant potential for discoveries
- Analysis underway, with drill testing of priority targets planned early 2024

### Asset Monetisation

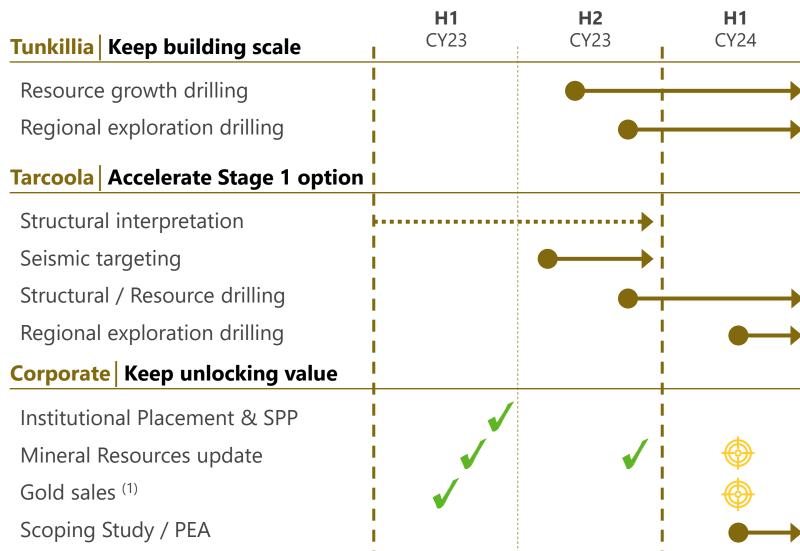
On track to generate ~\$10m non-dilutive cash; protecting shareholders from excess dilution



- R&D tax incentives and grants, surplus assets, mill workover (gold concentrates)
- Ongoing review of surplus assets, existing stockpiles and historical tailings



### Continuing 2023 pace into 2024







Platform & performance  $\rightarrow$  Value



Strategic platform with valuable existing infrastructure



Growing quickly under strong and aligned leadership



Well capitalized with clear development pathways



Multiple catalysts and frequent news



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### JORC (2012) Mineral Resources<sup>(1)</sup>

Project	Zone	Indicated		Inferred			TOTAL			
		MT	g/t Au	koz Au	MT	g/t Au	koz Au	MT	g/t Au	koz Au
Tunkilla*	Oxide Zone	0.7	1.29	30	0.8	0.95	25	1.5	1.11	54
(100%)	Transitional Zone	3.06	1.19	117	3.80	0.87	106	6.84	1.01	223
	Fresh Zone	22.0	0.92	648	15.9	0.88	453	37.9	0.90	1,100
	Sub-Total	25.8	0.96	794	20.5	0.88	583	46.3	0.93	1,378
Tarcoola*	Perseverance Pit	0.07	1.7	3.8	0.07	1.1	2.4	0.14	1.4	6.2
(100%)	Low Grade Stockpile - Oxide				0.17	1.2	6.9	0.17	1.2	6.9
	Low Grade Stockpile - Fresh				0.06	1.4	2.7	0.06	1.4	2.7
	Sub-Total	0.07	1.7	3.8	0.30	1.2	12.0	0.37	1.3	15.8
Challenger*	Above 215 RL Fault				0.32	4.1	42.6	0.32	4.1	42.6
(100%)	Challenger Deeps (below 90m RL)				0.21	3.5	23.0	0.21	3.5	23.0
	Sub-Total				0.53	3.9	65.6	0.53	3.9	65.6
TOTAL ATTRIBUTABL	E	25.8	1.0	798	21.3	1.0	661	47.2	1.0	1,459

\* Table shows complete JORC Mineral Resources Estimate (MRE) for each Project on a 100% basis. Figures subject to rounding; tonnages are dry-metric tonnes; all Mineral Resources classified as 'inferred' are approximate; cut-off grades applied are 0.4 g/t Au (Tunkillia), 0.4 g/t Au (Tarcoola), 2.0 g/t Au (Challenger).

1 Refer to Prospectus and Barton ASX announcements dated 14 October 2021, and 26 April / 1 September / 11 December 2023 for further details of Barton's attributable JORC (2012) Mineral Resources Inventory

# Competent Persons Statements

The information relating to Exploration Results and Mineral Resources in this presentation is extracted from the Company's Prospectus dated 14 May 2021 (Prospectus) and Barton ASX announcements as cross-referenced in the body of this presentation. A copy of the Prospectus is available for download at www.bartongold.com.au or www.asx.com.au. Following publication of the Prospectus, the Company published details of updated Mineral Resource Estimates (including in respect of the Company's attributable ownership where a project is not wholly owned) on 14 October 2021 and 1 September 2023 (for the Western Gawler Craton Joint Venture Project) and 26 April 2023 and 11 December 2023 (for the Tunkillia Project). The Company confirms that the form and context in which the applicable Competent Persons' findings are presented have not been materially modified from the relevant market announcement. The Company confirms that it is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the Exploration Results and Mineral Resource information included in previous announcements and, in the case of estimates of Mineral Resources, that all material assumptions and technical parameters underpinning the estimates in the previous announcements continue to apply and have not materially changed.

#### **Competent Persons (Tarcoola)**

The information in this presentation that relates to the estimate of Mineral Resources for the Tarcoola Gold Project is based upon, and fairly represents, information and supporting documentation compiled by Dr Andrew Fowler MAusIMM CP (Geo). Dr Fowler is an employee of Mining Plus Pty Ltd and has acted as an independent consultant on Barton Gold's Tarcoola Gold Project, South Australia. Dr Fowler is a Member of the Australian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy (AusIMM) and has sufficient experience with the style of mineralisation, the deposit type under consideration and to the activity being undertaken, to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 Edition of the "Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves" (The JORC Code).

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The information in this presentation that relates to the estimate of Mineral Resources for the Challenger Mine is based upon, and fairly represents, information and supporting documentation compiled by Mr Dale Sims, a Competent Person, who is a Chartered Professional Fellow of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy (AusIMM) and a Member of the Australian Institute of Geoscientists (AIG). Mr Sims is the principal of Dale Sims Consulting Pty Ltd and an independent consultant engaged by Barton Gold for this work and has sufficient experience that is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity being undertaken to qualify as Competent Person as defined in the 2012 edition of the "Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves" (The JORC Code).