

### ASX ANNOUNCEMENT

#### ABOUT CALIDUS RESOURCES

Calidus Resources is an ASX listed gold exploration company that controls the Warrawoona Gold Project in the East Pilbara district of the Pilbara Goldfield in Western Australia.

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### Diggers & Dealers Mining Forum Presentation

Calidus Resources Limited (CAI) (Calidus or the Company) advises that Managing Director, Mr David Reeves, will be presenting at the Diggers & Dealers Mining Forum on Tuesday, 6 August 2019 at 2:25pm.

The Presentation is attached and is also available on the Company's website:

www.calidus.com.au

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The Warrawoona Gold Project hosts a total Mineral Resource of 1,248,000 ozs at 1.83g/t Au (Indicated Mineral Resource of 13.5 Mt @ 1.83 g/t Au for 795,000 ozs, Inferred Mineral Resource of 7.7Mt @ 1.81g/t Au for 453,000 ozs) defined over a continuous 5km of strike which remains open in all directions. The Company controls approximately 781 square kilometres of prospective tenements that host over 200 historic workings and three satellite Mineral Resources at Fieldings Gully, Copenhagen and Coronation.

The Directors believe that the Company is well positioned to grow the current resource base around the existing resources and via regional exploration. This is positioning the Company to become a new Australian focussed gold development company.

5 August 2019



# WARRAWOONA GOLD PROJECT DERISKING OUR PATH TO GOLD PRODUCTION INVESTOR PRESENTATION AUGUST 2019

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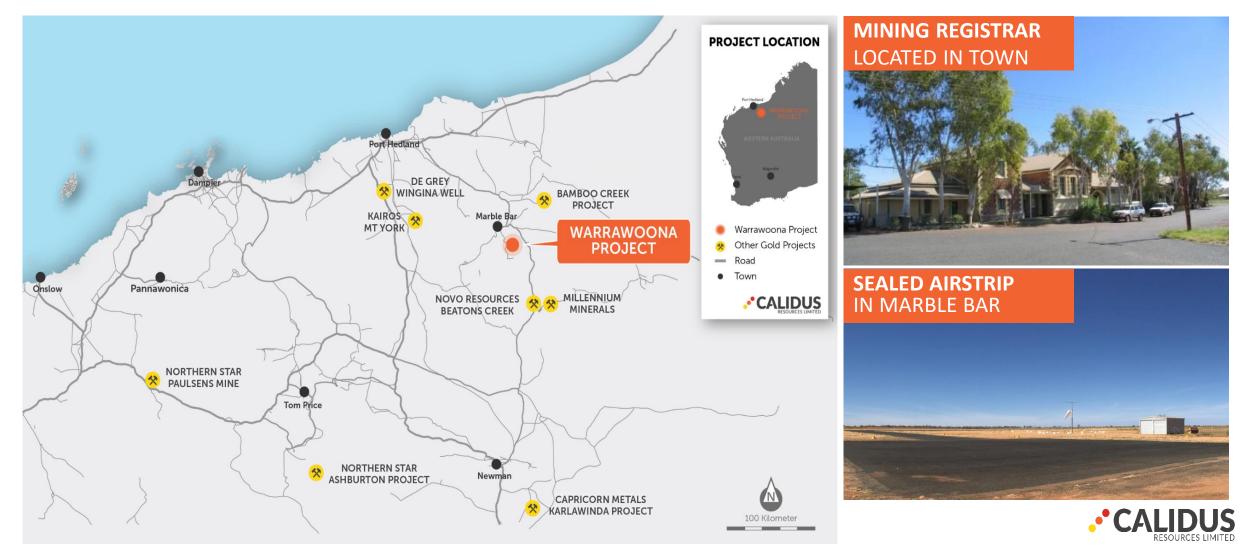
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# WARRAWOONA GOLD PROJECT

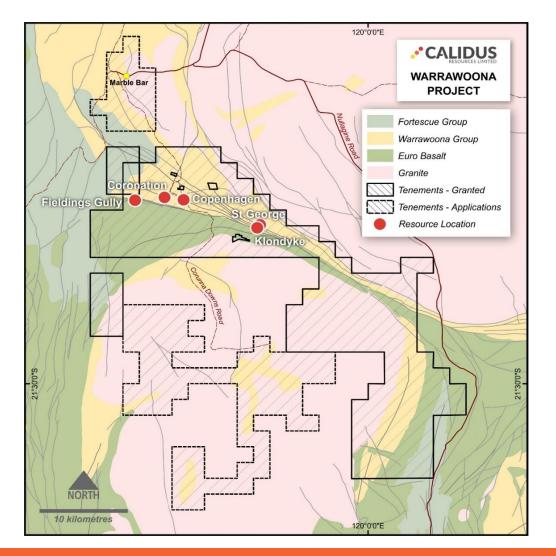
### LOCATED IN AREA WITH PROVEN PRODUCTION & RESOURCE POTENTIAL



# **CONTROL OF PROVEN GREENSTONE BELT**

## 780KM<sup>2</sup> OF HIGHLY PROSPECTIVE & UNDEREXPLORED CONTIGUOUS TENURE

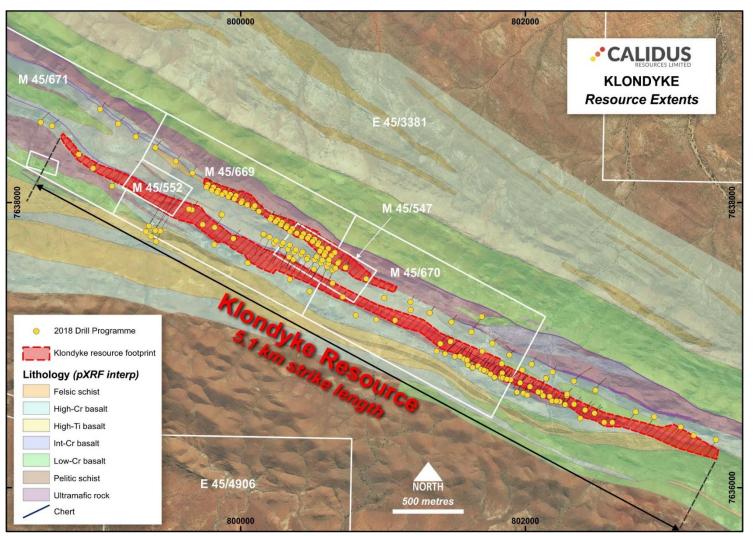
- 780km<sup>2</sup> under control, application or option
- Consolidation of historic goldfield
- Over 200 historic workings
- 1.25Moz resource at 1.83 g/t Au
- 795koz Indicated Resources (64%)
- 203% increase in resource since listing in June 2017 (412koz)
- PFS completed in July 2019





# **KLONDYKE MINERAL RESOURCE**

## CONTINUOUS OUTCROPPING RESOURCE OPEN IN ALL DIRECTIONS

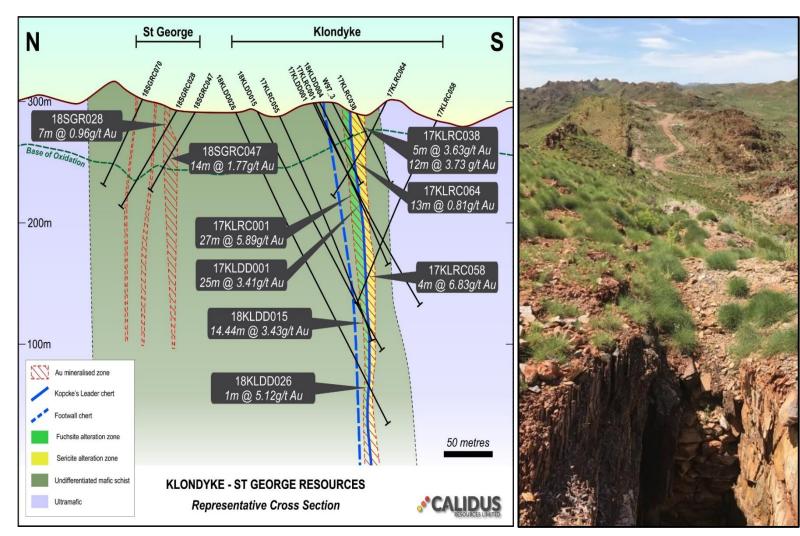


- Klondyke deposit remains open – currently drilling
- Gold mineralisation at Klondyke extends over a total strike length of 5km
- Two main shear zones remain open along strike in both directions



# **KLONDYKE DEPOSIT**

## MINERALISATION REMAINS OPEN AT DEPTH



- Shear zone confirmed to be subvertical and mineralised at depth
- Klondyke remains open at depth and along strike
- Limited drilling at depths below 200m from surface across the Klondyke resource footprint



# JULY 2019 PRE-FEASIBILITY STUDY HIGHLIGHTS

### CONFIRMS AN ATTRACTIVE GOLD DEVELOPMENT PROJECT WITH ROBUST ECONOMICS

100,000oz Au PRODUCTION	<ul> <li>Average annual gold production of 97,000oz for 6 years</li> <li>2Mtpa open pit and underground</li> <li>LOM recovery of 95%</li> </ul>	SIMPLE OPERATION	<ul> <li>Low risk single base lode from 2km long Klondyke open-pit</li> <li>Sub-level open stope mining beneath pit</li> <li>Standard CIL operation</li> </ul>
CONSERVATIVE & ACCURATE ESTIMATES	<ul> <li>Modifying factors in pit of 23% dilution &amp; 5.0% ore loss de-risks project economics</li> <li>Class 4 PFS, -15% +20%</li> </ul>	DE-RISKING TO DEVELOPMENT	<ul> <li>Large in-fill drilling programme planned to increase resource confidence</li> <li>Targeting current Inferred Resources in mine plan to be converted to Indicated</li> </ul>
ROBUST ECONOMICS	<ul> <li>LOM AISC of A\$1,159/oz</li> <li>Pre-tax NPV<sub>8</sub> A\$151m, IRR of 40% @ A\$1,800/oz gold price</li> <li>Pre-tax NPV<sub>8</sub> A\$234m, IRR of 56% @ A\$2,000/oz gold price</li> </ul>	SIGNIFICANT EXPLORATION UPSIDE	<ul> <li>Add additional mine life for feasibility via upgrading existing resources</li> <li>Klondyke has been tracked 5km west</li> <li>780km<sup>2</sup> of tenure with limited exploration</li> </ul>

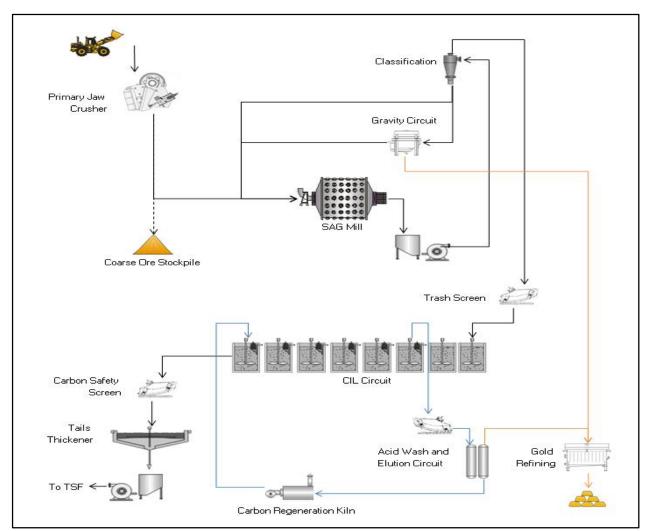


# PROCESSING AND METALLURGY

## SIMPLE, COST EFFICIENT PROCESSING

### Industry standard 2Mtpa CIL plant design

- Primary crush, SAG grinding, gravity, CIL
- Coarse 150 micron grind
- BWi 10.25kWht/t
- Modelled 33% gravity gold
- LOM recovery 95%
- LOM Processing costs of \$15/t



Process flowsheet for Warrawoona



# CAPITAL AND OPERATING COSTS SUMMARY

### POTENTIAL TO REFINE AND REDUCE

#### **Operating Performance**

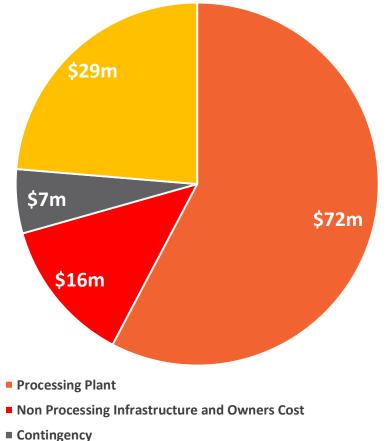
- Average LOM AISC of A\$1,159/oz
- AISC driven by costs & grade tighten up modifying factors in DFS
- A\$367 million in pre-tax LOM cashflow

#### **Capital Costs**

- Development CAPEX of A\$95m
- Pre-production mining costs of \$29m (\$10m open pit, \$19m underground)

AISC Summary	LOM Cost (A\$m)	LOM Cost (A\$/t)	LOM Cost (A\$/oz)
Open Pit Mining	\$258 m	\$27 /t	\$635 /oz
Underground Mining	\$175 m	\$69 /t	\$837 /oz
Mining	\$433 m	\$36 /t	\$746 /oz
Processing and Maintenance	\$181 m	\$15 /t	\$312 /oz
Business Services	\$25 m	\$2 /t	\$44 /oz
Royalties (State and third party)	\$34 m	\$3 /t	\$58 /oz
Total	\$673 m	\$56 /t	\$1,159 /oz

#### **Development CAPEX Breakdown**



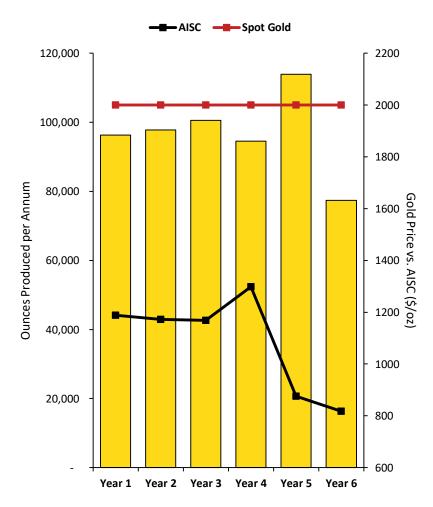
Mine Establishment (Pre-Production)



# **ROBUST PFS ECONOMICS**

### **DEMONSTRATES ATTRACTIVE PRODUCTION & RETURN METRICS**

#### Klondyke Annual Production Profile



#### Warrawoona PFS Summary

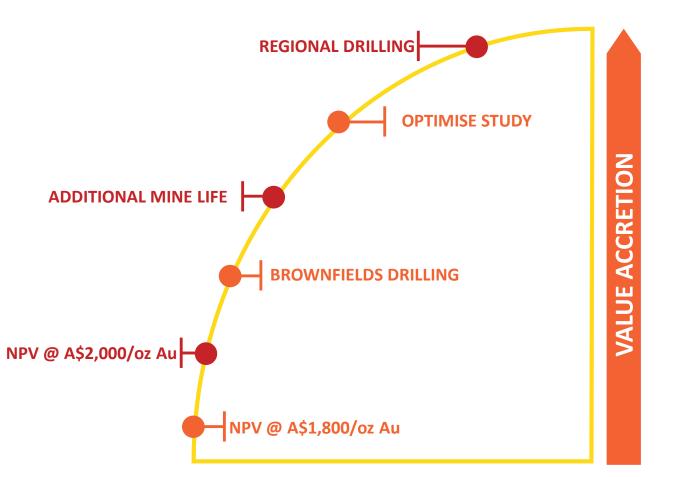
Production Summary					
Project Life	Years	6.0			
Total Material in the Mine Plan	Ounces	11.9Mt @ 1.6 g/t			
Strip Ratio	Ore : Waste	4.93	4.91		
Processing Rate	Mtpa	2.0			
LOM Processing Recovery	%	95			
Gold Revenue		Base Case	Spot Price		
Gold Price	A\$/oz	1,800	2,000		
Gold Sold	OZ	580,490	580,490		
Total Revenue	A\$M	1,045	1,161		
Pre-Production Capital					
Development Capital	A\$M	95.0	95.0		
Pre-Production Mining Costs	A\$M	29.5	29.5		
Pre-Production Capital	A\$M	124.5	124.5		
Operating Costs					
Open Pit Mining	A\$M	258.3	258.3		
Underground Mining	A\$M	174.5	174.5		
Processing and Maintenance	A\$M	181.0	181.0		
Sustaining Capital	A\$M	25.3	25.3		
Royalties (State and third party)	A\$M	33.8	37.7		
Total Operating Costs	A\$M	673.0	676.9		
Return Metrics					
Pre-Tax Project Free Cashflow	A\$M	366.6	479.8		
Pre-tax NPV	A\$M	150.7	234.4		
Pre-tax IRR	% p.a.	39.5%	55.8%		
Post-tax NPV	A\$M	107.9	168.0		
Post-tax IRR	% p.a.	33.3%	46.7%		
Post-tax Payback Period	Months	26.0	19.0		
Production Metrics					
C1 Cash Costs (excluding Royalties)	A\$/oz	1,057.5	1,057.5		
All-in Sustaining Costs	A\$/oz	1,159.4	1,166.1		



# SYSTEMATIC VALUE CREATION IN THE COMING YEAR

### **ROBUST PFS PROVIDES STRONG PLATFORM FOR VALUE CREATION**

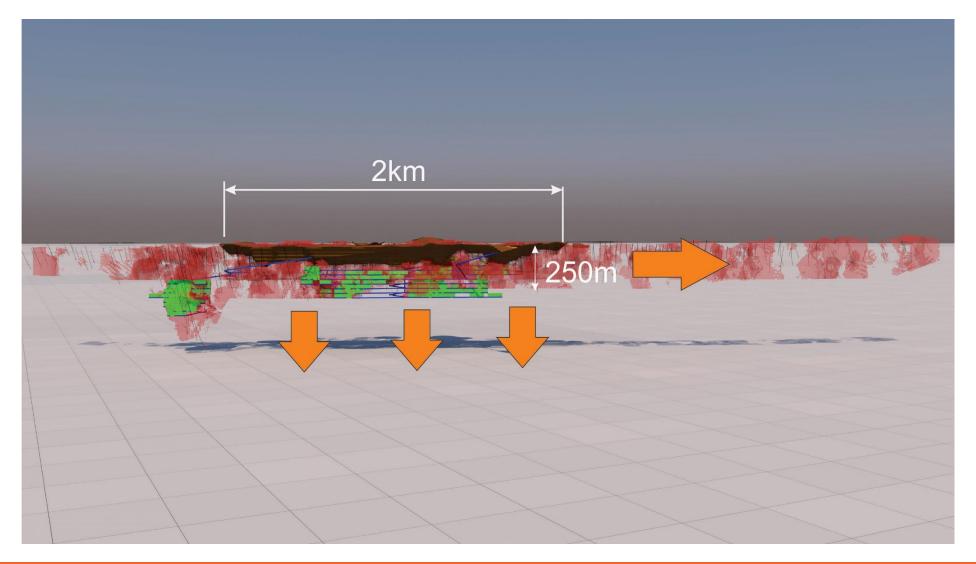
- Recent PFS based on conservative mining assumptions underpins a base value that derisks Calidus' ability to create a sustainable gold business
- Investing in resource conversion and infill drilling to de-risk and grow mine life
- Significant value creation from ongoing extensional drilling along strike and at depth of current resource
- Numerous regional targets with large scale discovery potential





# PFS FOCUSSES ON INDICATED RESOURCE - 2KM OF 5KM DEFINED

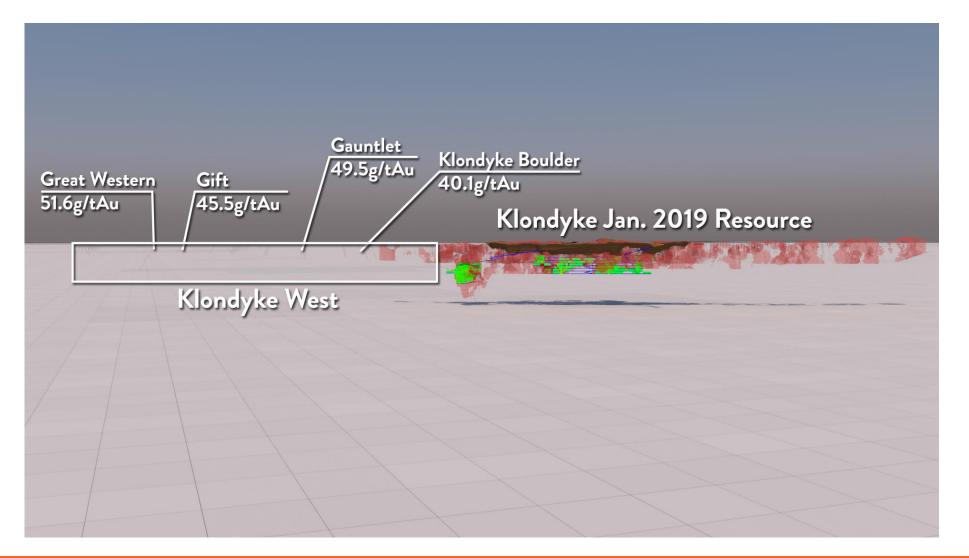
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# **RESOURCE EXTENSION POTENTIAL**

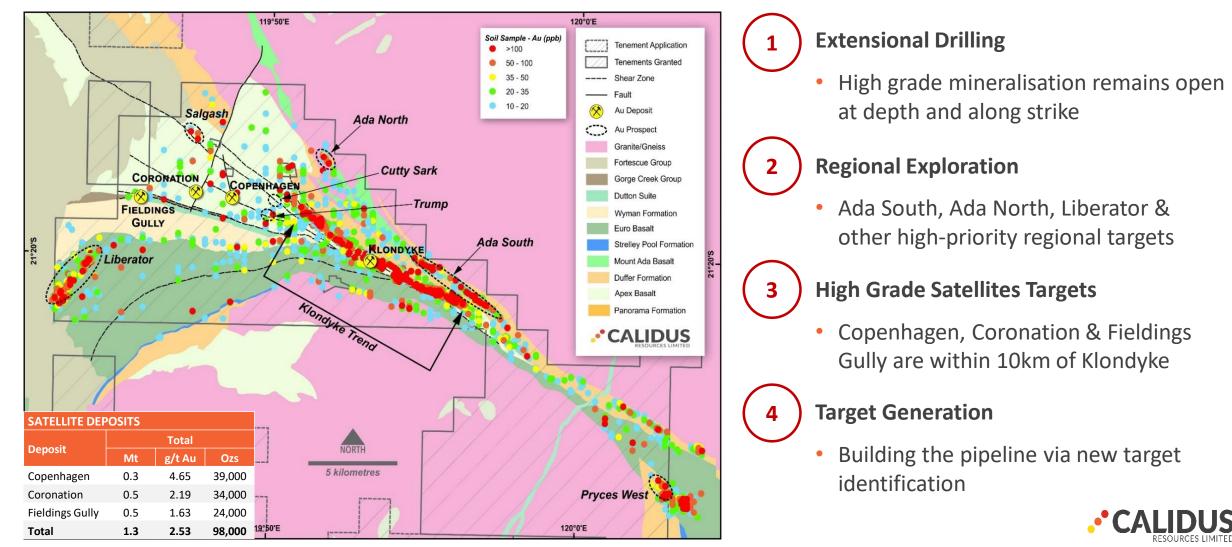
### **REGIONAL DRILLLING HIGHLIGHTS TARGET TO WEST OF KLONDYKE**





# **EXPLORATION STRATEGY - RESOURCE GROWTH**

## **REGIONAL UPSIDE – 780km<sup>2</sup> TENEMENT PACKAGE REMAINS LARGELY UNTESTED**



# **DEVELOPMENT TIMELINE**

### **DE-RISKING AND ADDING RESOURCES DURING FEASIBILITY**

	2019					
	Q3	Q4	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
DRILLING						
RESOURCE DRILLING						
KLONDYKE INFILL AND EXTENSIONAL						
GRADE CONTROL						
REGIONAL EXPLORATION						
HIGH PRIORITY TARGETS						

PROJECT STUDIES	
ENVIRONMENTAL PERMIT	
RESOURCE UPGRADE	
DEFINITIVE FEASIBILITY STUDY	
PROJECT FINANCING	
COMMENCE CONSTRUCTION	

# **CORPORATE OVERVIEW**

## **CAPITAL STRUCTURE AND SHAREHOLDERS**

13.0%

3.1%

CAPITAL STRUCTURE							
SHARES ON ISSUE	<b>1,859</b> Million <sup>1</sup>						
MARKET CAP (undiluted at \$0.030)	\$55.8 Million <sup>2</sup>						
<b>CASH</b> (as at 30 June 2019)	<b>\$4.1</b> Million						
LISTED INVESTMENTS	<b>\$1.8</b> Million						
ENTERPRISE VALUE	\$49.8 Million						
<b>OPTIONS</b> (raises \$4.7m if exercised)	166.5 Million <sup>3</sup>						
KEY SHAREHOLDERS							
KERAS RESOURCES⁴ (AIM:KRS)	38.9%						

### WELL FUNDED

- Cash reserves of \$4.1m as at 30 June 2019
- \$1.9m options exercised in June 2019
- Investment in Pacton Gold (TSX-V: PAC) valued at \$1.8m

### STRONG CORPORATE MINING SUPPORT

- Keras Resources London listed exploration company<sup>4</sup>
- Alkane Resources ASX listed Australian domiciled gold producer with c.\$72m in cash reserves<sup>5</sup>
- Novo Resources Canadian listed, well funded Pilbara Gold explorer with nearby gold properties and JORC resources

#### **TIGHTLY HELD SHARE REGISTER**

- Over 10% Tier 1 institutional ownership
- Top 20 hold 67%

1. Includes Performance Shares that vest on completion of a positive PFS

2. Using share price of \$0.03 as at 25 July 2019

- 3. 70m @ 3.5c ex.1 Nov 19, 30.5m @ 2.5c ex.13 Jun 20, 16m @ 3.0c ex.13 Jun 20 & 50m @ 2.0c ex.18 Apr 21
- 4. CAI board and management own 18 % of Keras
- 5. ALK cash balance as at 31 March 2019



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# **DRIVING DEVELOPMENT PROGRESS**

### A CENTURY OF EXPERIENCE IN PRECIOUS-METAL PROJECT DEVELOPMENT

#### **EXECUTIVE MANAGEMENT**

#### **DAVE REEVES**

MANAGING DIRECTOR

**30 years' mining** experience in Australia, Africa and Europe. Instrumental in the progression of four mining projects through feasibility to project development

#### **PAUL BRENNAN**

**COO** 

**20 years' mining** experience in Australia, Africa and Europe. Most recently General Manager at Saracen's Carosue Dam operation

#### FERNANDO MOUTINHO

**PROJECT MANAGER** 

**30 years'** international experience with Ausenco, GRD Minproc, Sheffield Resources, Tungsten Mining NL and Grange Resources

#### JANE ALLEN

**GEOLOGY MANAGER** 

**30 years'** international mining experience with Anglogold Ashanti, Resolute Mining, Avion Gold Corporation and GCM

#### BOARD

#### **MARK CONNELLY**

NON-EXECUTIVE CHAIRMAN

**Over 30 years'** resource industry experience in CEO and Managing Director roles across multiple jurisdictions including Australia, West Africa, North America and Europe. Currently Non-Executive Chairman at West African Resources Ltd

#### **ADAM MIETHKE**

NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

**Over 15 years'** experience in exploration and mine geology, funds management and corporate advisory. Previous technical and corporate roles at Rio Tinto, Snowden, Regent Pacific Group and Argonaut

#### **KEITH COUGHLAN**

NON-EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

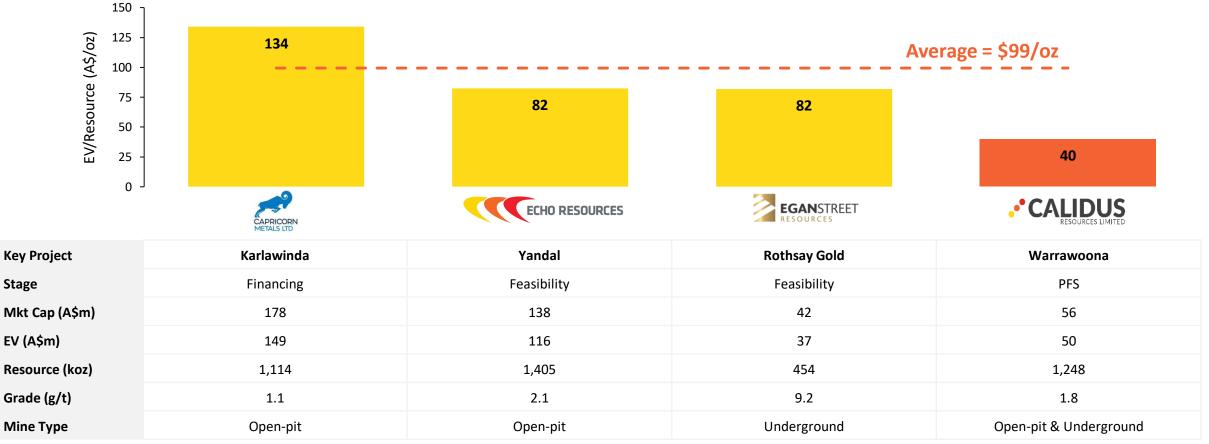
**30 years'** experience in stockbroking and funds management on ASX, AIM and TSX. Currently the MD of European Metals Holdings and recently retired as chairman of Talga Resources



# ASX LISTED AUSTRALIAN GOLD DEVELOPMENT PEERS

### UNDERVALUED COMPARED TO DEVELOPMENT PEERS<sup>1</sup>

### AUSTRALIAN GOLD DEVELOPER UNIVERSE (PFS OR FEASIBILITY COMPLETED)



1. Price data sourced from Bloomberg as at 25 July 2019

2. Average excludes Calidus

# ADVANCING AND DE-RISKING A NEW WA GOLD PROJECT TO PRODUCTION

### **REASONS TO INVEST**

**DELIVERED A 1.25MOZ GOLD PROJECT IN 2 YEARS** 

## TECHNICALLY SIMPLE PROJECT WITH ROBUST RETURN METRICS

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PFS BASED ON CONSERVATIVE ASSUMPTIONS – SIGNIFICANT UPSIDE

HIGHLY EXPERIENCED DEVELOPMENT AND OPERATIONS TEAM

**FURTHER POTENTIAL TO IMPROVE PROJECT RETURNS** 





ideal aud gold price outlook – financing optionality

# **APPENDIX ONE**

### JORC MINERAL RESOURCE at a 0.5g/t cut-off

Deposit	Cut-off	Indicated			Inferred			Total		
	Au g/t	Mt	g/t Au	Ozs	Mt	g/t Au	Ozs	Mt	g/t Au	Ozs
Klondyke Open Pit	0.5	12.3	1.69	670,000	5.5	1.47	260,000	17.8	1.62	930,000
Klondyke Underground	2.0	0.8	3.3	80,000	1.4	3.03	140,000	2.2	3.13	220,000
Copenhagen	0.5	0.2	5.27	36,000	0.1	1.84	3,000	0.3	4.65	39,000
Coronation	0.5				0.5	2.19	34,000	0.5	2.19	34,000
Fieldings Gully	0.5	0.2	1.65	9,000	0.3	1.62	16,000	0.5	1.63	24,000
Total		13.5	1.83	795,000	7.7	1.81	453,000	21.2	1.83	1,248,000

### JORC ORE RESERVE

Denesit	Proven				Probable		Total		
Deposit	Mt	g/t Au	Ozs	Mt	g/t Au	Ozs	Mt	g/t Au	Ozs
Klondyke Open Pit				8.0	1.4	348,000	8.0	1.4	348,000
Klondyke Underground				0.9	2.4	70,000	0.9	2.4	70,000
Total				8.9	1.5	418,000	8.9	1.5	418,000



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