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#### **White Rock Minerals Presents Updated Investor Presentation**

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\$0.6M

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Options: 15.5 million

Cash on hand (31 Mar 2016)

Market Cap (13 July 2016) \$10M at \$0.025 per share

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For further information contact: Matthew Gill or Shane Turner Phone: 03 5331 4644 info@whiterockminerals.com.au www.whiterockminerals.com.au White Rock Minerals Ltd (the "Company") is pleased to provide an updated Investor Presentation recognizing the recent transformational financing package with Cartesian Royalty Holdings.





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The gold and silver Resource figures for Strauss, Kylo, Lady Hampden, Silver King, White Rock, White Rock North and Red Rock have been taken from resource estimates prepared by Ravensgate Minerals Industry Consultants on behalf of White Rock Minerals Ltd and authored by Mr Don Maclean who is a professional geologist with more than 10 years' experience in resource estimation. Mr Maclean is a Competent Person as defined by the JORC Code and consents to the inclusion in this Presentation of references to this resource estimate in the form and context in which they appear.

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The pit optimisation study used a Mineral Resource made up of a combination of Indicated and Inferred Resource blocks. There is a low level of geological confidence associated with Inferred Mineral Resources and there is no certainty that further exploration work will result in the determination of Indicated Mineral Resources or that the production target itself will be realised.

We have estimated the resources reported in this Presentation in accordance with the Australasian Code for Reporting of Identified Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves 2004 Edition ("JORC Code"), which governs such disclosure by companies listed on the Australian Securities Exchange. The JORC Code differs in several significant respects from Industry Guide 7 of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission that governs disclosures of mineral reserves in registration statements and reports filed with the SEC. In particular, Industry Guide 7 does not recognize classifications other than proven and probable reserves, and the SEC does not permit mining companies to disclose mineral resources in SEC filings.

# Why invest in White Rock?

- 1. Commodities and Projects
- 2. Overview of White Rock Minerals
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  - > Mount Carrington, New South Wales
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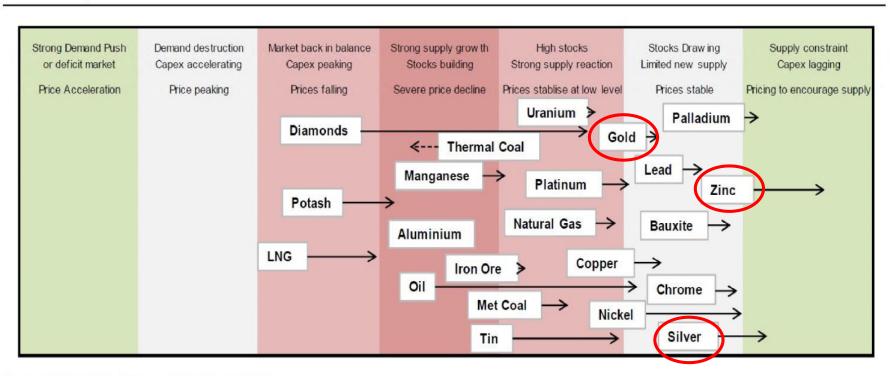


# The right commodities to be investing in

With the exception of zinc, silver and palladium, the medium term outlook for the complex appears bleak to say the least.

Business Insider Australia, Dec 17, 2015

Fig 1 Positions of key mined/extracted commodities in the fundamental cycle – arrow represents two-year forward expectations



Source: Macquarie Research, December 2015

# Gold, Silver and Zinc – the White Rock opportunity

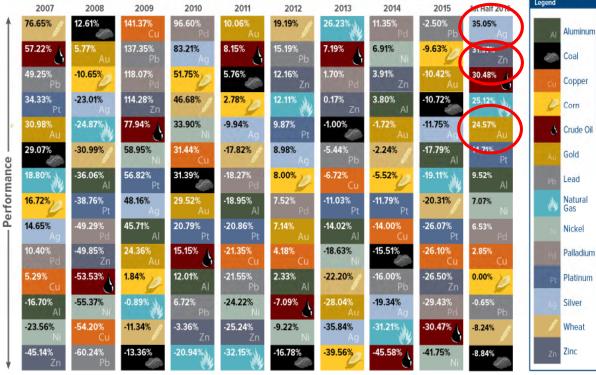


### Silver Takes the Gold: Commodities Halftime Report 2016

July 11, 2016 Frank Holmes, US Global Investors

And gold a very honourable 5<sup>th</sup>.

#### **The Periodic Table of Commodity Returns**



Returns are based on historical spot prices or futures prices. Past performance does not quarantee future results.

Source: Bloomberg and U.S. Global Resear

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# **Project Locations**

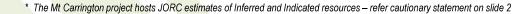


#### Red Mountain, Alaska (Atlas Resources)

- Polymetallic VMS deposit (Zinc-Silver-Lead-Gold-Copper)
- 100km south of Fairbanks, mining friendly jurisdiction
- Greenfields development close to extensive mining infrastructure
- Significant potential exploration upside in a highly prospective yet under-explored district



- Gold and Silver development asset
- JORC resources\*, 338,000 ounces of gold and 23.4 million ounces silver
- Advanced Scoping study stage
- 170km south of Brisbane
- Brownfields development with extensive mining infrastructure in place
- Drill-ready exploration targets identified to extend mine life





# Mount Carrington, New South Wales

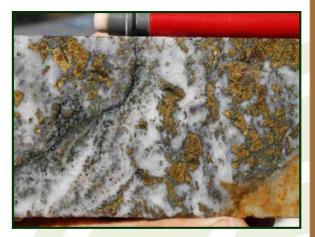
### Flagship Development Asset\*

- ✓ Low capex (~A\$30M inc. DFS & EIS)
- ✓ Initial 7-year Mine Life
- √ 10 month payback
- √ ~A\$100M free cash flow generated

<sup>\*</sup> Refer to WRM release to the ASX of 29 March 2016 - White Rock's Mt Carrington Updated Scoping Study Delivers Justification For Feasibility Study, and to earlier related scoping study releases dated 30 September 2015, 16 September 2014 and 31 July 2012.







# White Rock today

### White Rock Minerals cornerstone asset – Mt Carrington

- ➤ WRM is an ASX listed company. It is the 100% owner of the advanced Mt Carrington gold silver Project in northern NSW, Australia. A detailed Scoping Study has been completed.
  - ➤ The Mt Carrington Project hosts JORC Resources of 338,000 ounces of gold and 23.4M ounces of silver.



- ✓ All deposits commence at surface
- ✓ Multiple shallow targets on Mining Leases
- ✓ Potential for high grade gold-silver at depth ✓ and copper porphyry mineralisation



# **Project Overview- Mt Carrington**

White Rock Minerals has progressed the Mount Carrington Project to an advanced scoping study stage, updated in March 2016\*:-

- ✓ JORC Inferred and Indicated Resources.
- ✓ A one year DFS period followed by a one year construction period.
- ✓ Approved Mining Licence.
- ✓ Compelling Financial metrics:-
  - Low CAPEX entry cost (A\$24.2M)
  - A\$100M in free cash generated to fund broader exploration
- Simple open pit and processing operation focused initially on gold production is expected to provide a low risk quick route to positive cash flow.

<sup>\*</sup> Refer to WRM release to the ASX of 29 March 2016 -White Rock's Mt Carrington Updated Scoping Study Delivers Justification For Feasibility Study

<u>Parameter</u>	2016 Study* Update Summary		
Proposed development	Two gold dominant pits, and three silver dominant pits		
<b>Production – Gold Ounces</b>	111,000		
Production – Silver Ounces	6,700,000		
Life of Mine (years)	7.0		
A\$ Gold price	A\$1600 / oz		
A\$ Silver price	A\$22 / oz		
<b>Pre-tax Net Present Value (NPV<sub>10</sub>)</b>	A\$60.6M		
Free cash flow (undiscounted)	A\$100.2M		
Internal Rate of Return (IRR)	103%		
C1 Cash Cost (A\$/Oz Gold Eq)	A\$754/oz		
C1 Cash Cost (A\$/Oz Silver Eq)	A\$10.40/oz		
Initial Capital payback	10 months		
Capital Cost	A\$24.2M		

### **Great exposure to Gold and Silver**







#### **SILVER**

→ The 2016 Scoping Study used A\$22/oz.

**Every A\$1/oz movement =** another A\$6M in free cash flow WHITE ROCK Over the LoM.



# Significant opportunity for upside

#### Mt Carrington 2016 Scoping Study update production parameters

Parameter	Notes
	Gold - 2.73Mt @ 1.39 g/t Au, 3 g/t Ag
Mining inventory (diluted)	Silver - 0.35 g/t Au, 86 g/t Ag
	Calculated from pit optimisations, and comprised of
	approximately 80% Indicated and 20% Inferred Resources
	8-9 months construction and commissioning period
	800ktpa, 7 year open cut ( five pits) - contractor mining
Construction and production	LOM strip ratio of 2.0:1
profile	3.4 years production (2.73Mt) from gold rich pits (Strauss and
	Kylo), and 3.6 years production (2.86Mt) from silver rich pits
	(Lady Hampden, White Rock and Silver King)
	Gold pits - crushing, grinding, flotation, regrinding and cyanid
Processing	leaching of concentrate
	Silver pits – crushing, grinding, flotation, sale of concentrate
	Concentration ratio – 12x
ROM Grade	Gold pits – 1.39 g/t Au, 3 g/t Ag
NOW Grade	Silver pits - 0.35 g/t Au, 86 g/t Ag
LOM Metallurgical recoveries	Au – 71.8%, Ag – 82.5%
LOM metal production	111koz Au, 6.76Moz Ag
Concentrate for sale	242kt, averaging 860g/t Ag and 3 g/t Au
Metal payability	Au in bullion – 99.9%, Ag in bullion – 99.5%
Wetar payability	Metal in concentrate – 90%
	Mining - \$4.25/tonne moved, Processing – LOM average of
	\$9.22/tonne milled (doesn't include labour), G & A –
C1 unit operating costs	\$2.11/tonne milled, Labour - \$3.61/tonne milled, Total LOM
	average \$27.70/tonne milled
	These have been largely calculated from first principles
Other costs	Concentrate transport of \$90/tonne, NSW state royalty of 4%
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- 1. Mine Plan & Pit Geotech optimisation
- 2. Second hand plant time and cost savings potential
- 3. Concentration ratio improvements
- 4. Flow sheet recovery optimisation
- 5. LoM Extension resource drilling



# Overview of the Cartesian Financing Package

# White Rock Minerals has a binding conditional Term Sheet with New-York based Cartesian Royalty Holdings ("CRH")\*

- Phase 1:- An equity investment of A\$1,000,000 in two equal tranches to fund White Rock's working capital requirements and to contribute funding for White Rock to progress its Definitive Feasibility Study (DFS) and Environmental Impact Statement (EIS) activities); and
- Phase 2:- a future <u>streaming financing of US\$19 million</u> in return for a share of gold and silver production to fund working capital and the construction and commissioning of White Rock's Mt Carrington Project to reach commercial production.
- ✓ This financing package is intended to help White Rock achieve its strategic goal of becoming a cash-generative gold and silver producer.
- ✓ This gives WRM a funding proposal to assist advance its Mt Carrington gold silver Project through feasibility and permitting, and then move directly into construction, commissioning and commercial production, subject to the delivery of a successful DFS and receiving the necessary approvals.

\* Refer ASX announcement of 26 June 2016

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### **Project Metrics including the CRH Streaming Financing**

The CRH Phase 2 streaming financing contemplates a US\$19M facility to be made available over a 6 to 12 month period to construct and commission the Mt Carrington Project on completion of a successful definitive feasibility study (DFS) and the gaining of all necessary permits (via an environmental impact statement (EIS) submission to the NSW Government).

In return, White Rock is to provide a minimum of 40,000 ounces of gold equivalent over a 7-year period (at a minimum of 20% of its annual production pa).

The Financial Metrics in the Scoping Study as a result of this capital injection and subsequent gold revenue repayments are:-

- ✓ Mt Carrington still generates some **A\$54M in free cash flow** over its initial 7-year mine life,
- ✓ At an <u>NPV<sub>10</sub> of A\$37.4M</u>.
  - ➤ At current spot prices, free cash flow is ~A\$96M.
- ✓ No IRR or Payback period as it is fully funded.
- ✓ White Rock maintains 100% ownership of the asset.
- ✓ White Rock can advance its exciting zinc-silver VMS Project in Alaska.
- ✓ The financing <u>arrangement is non-dilutive to shareholders</u>.
- ✓ White Rock gains a cornerstone strategic partner for the 9+ year journey.

WRM joins a stable of other gold investments made by CRH – ASX listed Orinoco, TSX-V listed K92 Mining and TSX-V listed Equitas Resources.

# Mt Carrington Site Layout

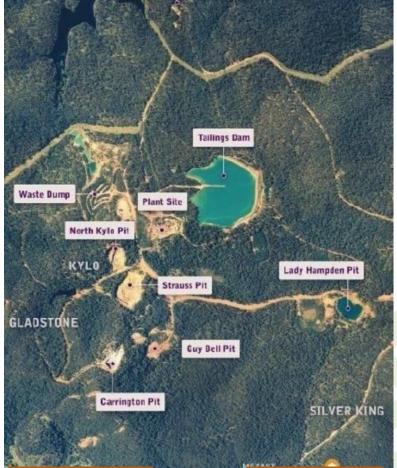
#### Key Infrastructure in place to support future mining.

#### Valued at ~A\$20M.

- ✓ Granted Mining Leases
- √ 1.5Mt Tailings Dam
- √ 750ML Freshwater Dam
- ✓ Site Office
- ✓ RO Water treatment plant
- ✓ Access to State grid power







< Tenterfield 50km

Site Office

Reduces development risk, timeframe and capital cost.

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### Mt Carrington Mine Plan

Strategy based on a 2-stage open pit mining scenario – gold first, then silver.

- The 2016 Updated Scoping Study Mine Plan:-
  - <u>Stage 1</u>:- Mining the higher confidence gold resources Strauss and Kylo deposits (in-pit Resources, 67% Indicated, 33% Inferred) \*\*
- These first two production sources already pre-stripped
  - Stage 2:- Mining the silver-rich resources Lady Hampden, White Rock and Silver King deposits (in-pit Resources, 69% Indicated, 31% Inferred) #

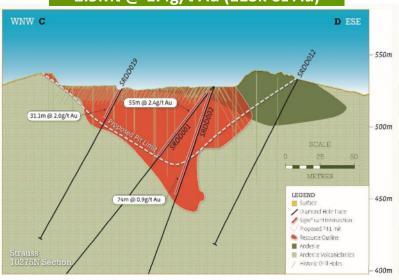
**Stage 1** (first 3.5 years) gold-only development has a number of low risk advantages including:

- Lower Capex
- Simple flowsheet and salable product (dore)
- Faster timeline to production

# Refer to Mineral Resources table on page 26 of this presentation for full Resource figures
\* Refer to WRM release to the ASX of 16 September 2014 – 2014 Scoping Study



Strauss – Global Resource 2.5Mt @ 1.4g/t Au (113k oz Au)



### **Mt Carrington Processing Plant**

- Preliminary flow sheet considers a standard crushing & grinding circuit, a flotation step and then CIL.
- The 3-D Plant model considers using the existing cleared old plant site and existing foundations also.
- One simple flotation –
   CIL plant suitable for
   gold, silver and
   potentially copper.



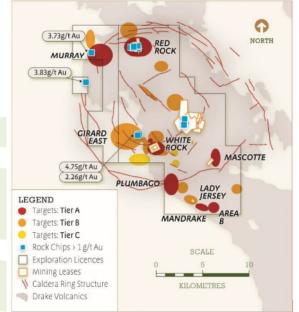
✓ This provides for significant design and construction capital cost savings.

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### Mt Carrington – Exploration upside





#### **Priority Near-Mine Targets**

#### 1. Mining Leases: Potential Resource Additions

- Multiple shallow targets
- Historic drill intercepts for follow-up
- High grade underground potential poorly tested

#### 2. Exploration Licences: Silver-Gold-Copper Targets

- Pipeline of prospects
- Drill ready targets based on:
  - Mapping
  - Geochemcial anomalies
  - Geophysical IP/resistivity anomalies

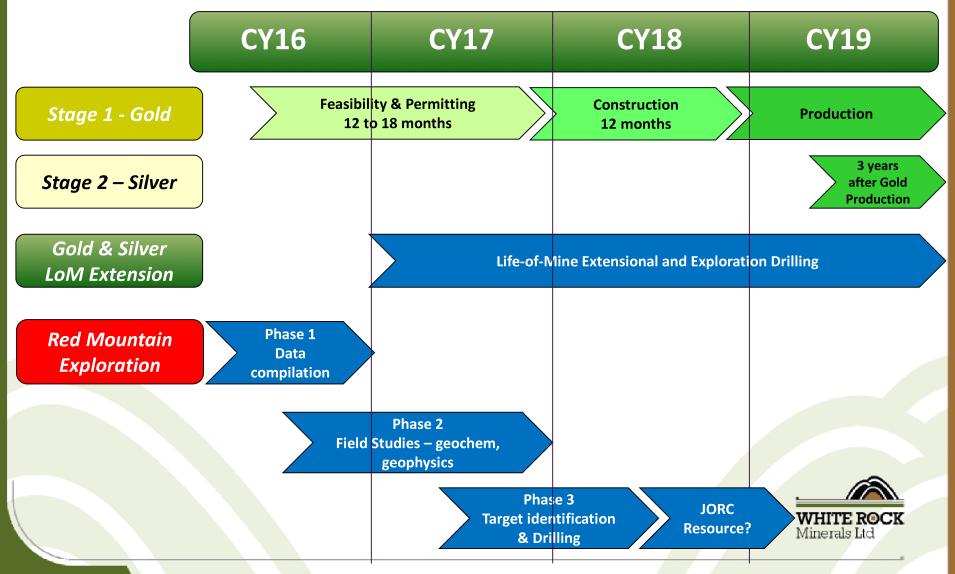
#### 3. Porphyry Potential: Zoned Copper-Gold-Silver

- Robust intrusion related copper model at Mt Carrington
- Strong secondary copper in shallow drilling
- Large open geophysical IP anomalies with confirmed alteration source
- Under-drilled
- Similar zoned Copper-Gold-Silver systems recognised at White Rock and Red Rock

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### **Indicative Activity Timeline**



# Red Mountain, Alaska

**Atlas Resources – Advanced Exploration Project** 



### Overview of the Red Mountain Asset

# White Rock acquisition of Atlas Resources Pty Ltd\*

- Atlas Resources was an Australian unlisted company with an option over 100% of the Red Mountain VMS project, located in central Alaska, 100km south of Fairbanks, Alaska, in the Bonnifield Mining District.
- ➤ Atlas Resources was acquired by White Rock who immediately expanded the tenement package to now comprise 110 mining claims over a total area of 71km².
- The Red Mountain Project contains polymetallic VMS mineralisation rich in zinc, silver and lead. Previous exploration has defined mineralisation at the two main prospects (Dry Creek and West Tundra Flats).
- The Red Mountain Project has had no exploration since 1999, and had been held privately for the last decade.

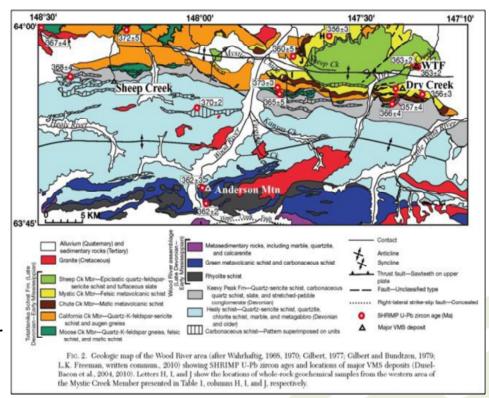
**Red Mountain Location** Alaska **Red Mountain** 

<sup>\*</sup> Refer to WRM release to the ASX of 15 February 2016 - White Rock Minerals Propose to Acquire VMS Project in Alaska

# **Geology and Mineralisation**

- World class deposits with similar siliciclastic felsic associations to the Bonnifield district include:-
  - Rio Tinto (Cu-Zn-Pb-Au-Ag; Spain),
  - Brunswick 12 (Zn-Pb-Ag; Canada) and
  - Eskay Creek (Au-Ag-Zn-Pb; Canada).
- Analysis of worldwide VMS deposits of this type indicate promising exploration potential for Red Mountain:-
  - The deposits nearly always occur in clusters
  - The presence and spatial relationships of the two separate deposits at Red Mountain may prove to be a significant exploration vector for discovery of further deposits.

#### Red Mountain - Regional Geology

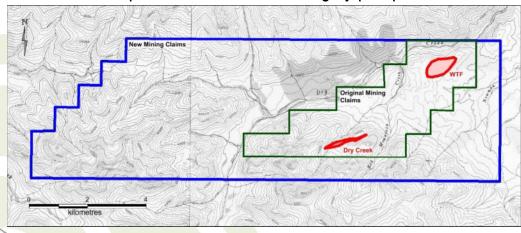


✓ White Rock Minerals has engaged world-renowned VMS expert, Dr. Jim Franklin, to assist with assessing the prospectivity of the district and targeting additional mineralisation.



### Historic Work – Resource Potential

- Polymetallic VMS project zinc and silver rich
- Discovered in 1975 sulphide outcrop
- Historic exploration from 1975-1999
- Two historic estimates of resources:
  - Discovery / Fosters (Red Mountain)
  - West Tundra Flats (WTF)
- Mineralisation from surface
- Good preliminary metallurgical test work results with recoveries >90% zinc, >70% lead, >80% gold, >70% Ag
- 71km² land position established¹ highly prospective.



#### **Dry Creek**

4.6m @ 23.5% Zn, 531g/t Ag, 8.5% Pb, 1.5g/t Au & 1.0% Cu from 6.1m

5.5m @ 25.9% Zn, 346g/t Ag, 11.7% Pb, 2.5g/t Au & 0.9% Cu from 69.5m

7.1m @ 15.1% Zn, 334g/t Ag, 6.8% Pb, 0.9g/t Au & 0.3% Cu from39.1m

#### **West Tundra Flats**

1.3m @ 21.0% Zn, 796g/t Ag,9.2% Pb, 10.2g/t Au & 0.6% Cu from 58.6m

3.0m @ 7.3% Zn, 796g/t Ag, 4.3% Pb, 1.1g/t Au & 0.2% Cu from160.9m

1.7m @ 11.4% Zn, 372g/t Ag, 6.0% Pb, 1.7g/t Au & 0.2% Cu from 104.3m

<sup>1</sup> Refer to WRM release to the ASX of 24 March 2016 - White Rock Minerals Expands Tenement Position at the Red Mountain VMS Project in Alaska



### White Rock Minerals – who we are

#### **Capital Structure**

	ASX Code:	WRM
•	Fully paid shares on issue	401.8M
	<ul> <li>Options unlisted</li> </ul>	15.5M
•	Share price range (12 months)	1c - 3c
•	Market Cap (@ ~2.5c/share)	\$10.0M
•	Cash on hand (March 2016)	\$0.6M
	Debt	\$Nil

■ Top 20 Shareholders (as at end June 2016)

<b>Top 20</b>	70%
<ul> <li>Alchemy</li> </ul>	4.3%
<ul> <li>Suetone</li> </ul>	6.8%
<ul> <li>Vanmar Holdings</li> </ul>	7.7%
<ul> <li>Titeline Drilling</li> </ul>	9.3%
<ul> <li>Avalon</li> </ul>	19.9%

#### **Projects**

Mt Carrington	Gold and Silver
Red Mountain	Zinc and Silver



#### **Directors & Management**

- Brian Phillips Non-exec Chairman
- Peter Lester Non-Exec. Director
- Geoff Lowe Non-Exec. Director
- Matthew Gill CEO
- Shane Turner CFO & Co. Sec.
- Rohan Worland Exploration Manager



# White Rock Board & Management

Brian Phillips
Non Executive Chairman
AWASM (Mining), FAusIMM, C Eng



**Mining Engineer** 

45 years operational and corporate experience. Founding Director.

Chairman – Panoramic Resources Ltd (Ni-Au-PGM)

Peter Lester
Non-Executive Director
B.E (Mining), MAusIMM, MAICD



#### **Mining Engineer**

40 years operational and corporate experience.
Director since April 2013.
Non-Exec Director of Nord Gold NV (Au).
Chairman Doray Minerals Ltd & Kidman Resources (Au).





#### **Geologist**

28 years exploration and corporate experience. Major and junior companies. Founding director.





#### Mining Engineer

33 years operational, technical, project development and corporate experience, as a GM, COO, CEO and MD, in Australia and overseas (PNG, India, Bolivia, Ghana and Myanmar).

### Management

Rohan Worland
Exploration Manager
BSc (Hons), Grad. Dip (F&I)
MAIG



Geologist

23 years exploration experience in Australia, Africa, North America, South America and New Zealand, including 14 years with Normandy and Newmont.

Shane Turner Company Secretary & CFO CA, B. Bus



**Chartered Accountant** 

29 years experience in Business Advisory, Initial Public Offerings, ongoing compliance and Corporate Governance.

Non-exec director, company secretary and CFO of MRG Metals Ltd



# **Investment Motivation**



### **Investment Motivation**

- ✓ Opportunity to be a part of a developing gold & silver company.
- ✓ Opportunity for significant value uplift potential great exposure to the strong Australian gold price.
- ✓ Counter-cyclical exposure to the right commodities silver and zinc.
- ✓ Geological, geographical and commodity diversification for investors.
- ✓ Well credentialed and highly regarded management team and board.
- ✓ Expenditure directed at advancing Mt Carrington to project development stage and value accretive geological studies at Red Mountain.
- ✓ Near term cash flow from Mt Carrington will fund mine life extensional drilling at Mt Carrington and high impact exploration at Red Mountain.
- ✓ First 3 years of gold production from two pits at Mt Carrington, already pre-stripped.
- ✓ Red Mountain exploration has the potential to yield discoveries with similar high grade VMS intersections, and there exists unrealised gold discovery potential.
- Exploration campaigns should generate high levels of news flow.

### **Investment Rationale**

#### Remaining true to the White Rock strategy to develop Mt Carrington while adding geographic and commodity diversification

- Mt Carrington Gold-Silver-Copper Project cornerstone asset.
- Red Mountain Zinc-Lead-Gold-Silver Project advanced exploration project.
- Both silver and zinc market fundamentals seen strengthening in the coming years.
- Stable political, social and environmental jurisdictions; clear pathway for development at both projects.

#### Potential for re-rating of White Rock

- Positive news flow from two projects will provide momentum for development of Mount Carrington while exploring and proving up resources at Red Mountain.
- Feasibility Study completion at Mount Carrington de-risks development.
- Have secured a strategic cornerstone partner to provide the capital funding to build the Mt Carrington operation.
- Tangible and staged milestones for exploration at Red Mountain (e.g. definition of target pipeline from existing data; delivery of a JORC 2012 resource; discovery of additional deposits in the VMS camp; discovery of the big one).

#### Enlarged company presents a compelling valuation relative to peers

- Robust 338,000oz Gold and 23.4Moz Silver JORC Resources with growth upside.
- Historic high grade polymetallic deposit at Red Mountain potential for high grade zinc resource with significant precious metals credits.
- Significant mining assets in place at Mount Carrington, Red Mountain close to mining infrastructure.
- Management Team has the right mix of industry and corporate experience to execute strategy.

### SUMMARY

- ✓ Low cost gold / silver start-up opportunity.
- ✓ Updated Scoping Study\* for its cornerstone Mt Carrington Project:-
  - Robust, seven year operation,
  - Low capital cost (<A\$30M), with ~A\$20M in infrastructure already in place,</li>
  - Less than one year payback,
  - Shallow, low strip ratio mineralisation,
  - C1 cash cost<A\$800/oz AuEq,</li>
  - NPV<sub>10</sub> of ~A\$60M, an IRR of 103% and free cash generated of ~A\$100M.
- ✓ Now with a fully funded construction financing package.
- ✓ Experienced Board and Management.
- ✓ Geological, geographical and commodity diversification for investors.
- ✓ Significant potential for resource expansions and new discoveries.
- ✓ Exciting high-grade zinc and silver VMS potential in Alaska.

# Appendices

- Mt Carrington Resource Statement
- Red Mountain Back-up Information



# Mount Carrington, New South Wales

### White Rock Minerals – Flagship Development Asset







### **Mount Carrington Resource Statement**

	WITCARRINGTON	MT CARRINGTON JORC (2004) MINERAL RESOURCES – JANUARY 2015					
Silver Dominant Resources							
Resource Category	Deposit	Tonnes	Gold grade	Gold ounces	Silver grade	Silver	
resource category	•		(g/t)	Gold bulles	(g/t)	ounces	
_	Lady Hampden	1,840,000	0.6	37,000	69	4,056,000	
Indicated	White Rock	1,710,000	-	-	77	4,214,000	
	Sub-Total	3,550,000	0.3	37,000	72	8,270,000	
_	Lady Hampden	2,470,000	0.3	27,000	51	4,023,000	
	White Rock	2,660,000	-	-	47	3,978,000	
Inferred	White Rock North	3,180,000	-	-	52	5,314,000	
	Silver King	640,000	-	-	59	1,218,000	
	Sub-Total	8,950,000	0.1	27,000	51	14,533,000	
	Lady Hampden	4,310,000	0.5	64,000	58	8,079,000	
	White Rock	4,370,000	Ī	-	58	8,192,000	
Total	White Rock North	3,180,000	-	-	52	5,314,000	
	Silver King	640,000	-	-	59	1,218,000	
	Total	12,500,000	0,2	64,000	57	22,803,000	
		Gold Domi	nant Resources				
Resource Category	Deposit	Tonnes	Gold grade (g/t)	Gold ounces	Silver grade (g/t)	Silver ounces	
	Strauss	1,240,000	1.4	57,000	3.8	153,000	
Indicated	Kylo	1,590,000	1,2	59,000	2.6	133,000	
	Sub-Total	2,830,000	1.3	116,000	3.1	286,000	
	Strauss	1,260,000	1.4	56,000	2.6	104,000	
	Kylo	760,000	1.5	35,000	1.8	43,000	
Inferred	Red Rock	1,630,000	1.0	54,000	3.5	182,000	
	Guy Bell	160,000	2.5	13,000	4.9	24,000	
	Sub-Total	3,810,000	1.3	158,000	2.9	353,000	
	Strauss	2,500,000	1.4	113,000	3.2	257,000	
	Kylo	2,350,000	1.3	95,000	2.3	176,000	
Total	Red Rock	1,630,000	1.0	54,000	3.5	182,000	
	Guy Be <b>ll</b>	160,000	2.5	13,000	4.9	24,000	
	Total	6,640,000	1.3	275,000	3.0	639,000	
	Total Resources						
Category		Tonnes		Gold ounces		Silver ounces	
Indicated		6,380,000		153,000		8,556,000	
Inferred		12,760,000		185,000		14,886,000	
		19,140,000		338,000		23,442,000	

Resources reported in accordance with the JORC (2004) code



July 2016

### **Project Overview- Red Mountain Alaska**

- Alaska is an exploration and mining friendly state:
  - Well developed history of gold and base metal mining
  - Stable and attractive tax regime
  - Efficient permitting
- Central Alaska location, ~100km to the south of Fairbanks
- Good location with respect to infrastructure and logistics:
  - Major road and rail access located 80km to the west
  - Connection to port of Anchorage (400km south)
  - Access from Fairbanks via helicopter or fixed wing aircraft
  - Access to fresh water
  - No community or environmental legacy issues
  - Established mining hub at Fairbanks; services mines including Pogo, Fort Knox and Usibelli



### **Historic Drilling**

Drilling at Discovery and Fosters Zones ceased in 1999

Drilling at West Tundra Flats ceased in 1983

Multiple shallow

intercepts indicate

potential for stacked

high-grade lodes

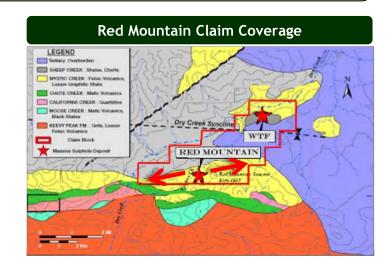
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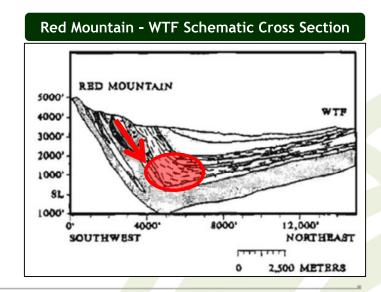
Gold and silver intercepts indicate significant by-product potential



# **Exploration Upside**

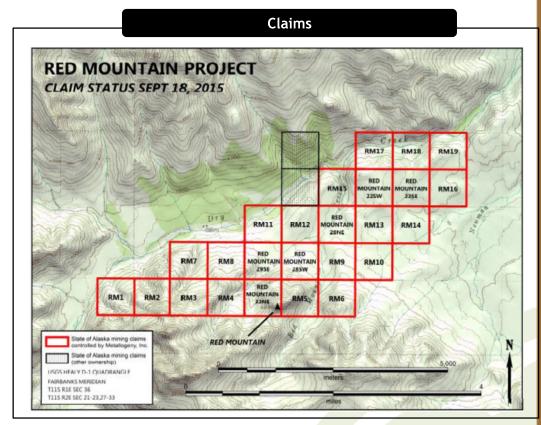
- Historic data is currently being compiled in 3D and integrated with more recent airborne EM & magnetics flown by the Alaskan Geological Survey in 2007.
- Blue sky upside for significant new discoveries exist:
  - Immediately along strike east and west
  - Down dip as additional high grade lenses
  - The syncline between Red Mountain and WTF presents the obvious large tonnage target with potential for structural upgrade in the hinge.
- Analysis of the Red Mountain and WTF deposits in the context of similar VMS districts worldwide indicate:
  - ✓ VMS deposits typically occur in clusters ("VMS camps") at regular spacing. Deposit sizes within camps follow a log normal distribution. Modern exploration has not been applied.
  - ✓ The massive sulphides occur as stacked lenses, with additional potential in the hangingwall and footwall that remains untested
  - ✓ There is potential for a significantly enriched gold zone in the hangingwall of the deposit which may have been missed by previous explorers
  - ✓ Historic drilling shows increasing grade with depth that remains untested





# **Agreement with Metallogeny**

- The key terms of the Red Mountain Project are as follows:
  - US\$1.225m expenditure commitment over 4 years;
  - US\$1.0m in cash payments over 5 years;
  - Share payments: 1 million shares;
  - Metallogeny retain a right to 10% of the proceeds on any sale of the claims.
  - 2% NSR and the option to acquire 1% (i.e. 50% of NSR) for US\$2m.

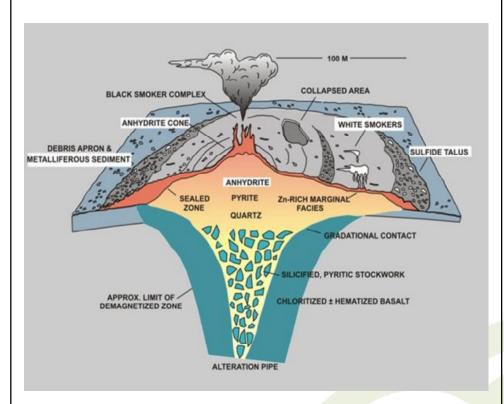




- Volcanogenic massive sulphide (VMS) deposits are important sources of copper, zinc, lead, gold, and silver
- Although generally present as trace constituents, VMS deposits may also host economic occurrences of cobalt, cadmium, molybdenum, nickel, manganese and PGMs among others
- They form at or near the seafloor where circulating hydrothermal fluids driven by magmatic heat are quenched through mixing with bottom waters or porewaters in near-seafloor lithologies
- Massive sulphide lenses vary widely in shape and size and may be podlike or sheetlike
- They are generally stratiform and the main massive sulphide bodies may occur as multiple stacked lenses
- The United States Geological Survey (USGS) classification system outlines five different types of VMS deposits, based on host lithology, metal content and sulphur proportion
- Many VMS deposits are underlain by a discordant stockwork zone of semi-massive and stringer sulphides, and a distinctive alteration halo, which often provide a exploration vector to the main sulphide body
- The deposits range in age from 3.55 billion years to current day black-smokers that are actively forming in extensional settings on the seafloor, especially midocean ridges, island arcs, and back-arc spreading basins

### **VMS Deposit Overview**

#### **Idealised VMS Deposit schematic**





### **Zinc Market Outlook**

- Zinc, used for rustproofing steel in everything from auto bodies to suspension bridges, has surged as much as 25 percent in 2016 to the highest since July as miners supply less of the ore concentrate that's refined to produce the metal, just as demand rebounds in China, the biggest user.
- Banks from Goldman Sachs Group Inc. to Macquarie Group Ltd. see further gains, while Glencore Plc, the biggest miner of the metal, says structural deficits are back.

Bloomberg News, June 2, 2016

#### **Refined Zinc Market**

