

Building the pre-eminent vertically integrated **Lithium** business in Ontario, Canada

DIRECTOR APPOINTMENT FROM SOUTH KOREAN PARTNER AND EV BATTERY METALS PRODUCER, ECOPRO

HIGHLIGHTS

- **Mr. Han Seung Cho from EcoPro Innovation appointed as Non-Executive Director further strengthens GT1's partnership with EcoPro Innovation**
- **Han brings valuable experience in managing North American OEM relationships, strategic business development, and investment supporting GT1's strategic growth initiatives**
- **New appointment enhances GT1's leadership as the Company continues to advance its North American Lithium Strategy**

Green Technology Metals Limited ("GT1" or "the Company"), a Canadian-focused multi-asset lithium business, is pleased to announce the appointment of Han Seung Cho to its Board of Directors as Non-Executive Director, effective today, 3 March 2025.

Mr. Cho is the General Manager of EcoPro Innovation's (**EcoPro**) Strategic Business team, where he has played a key role for over five years, bringing extensive experience in strategic business management, raw material procurement, and project execution. Prior to EcoPro, Mr. Cho held a position at an automotive interior parts manufacturing specialist company, managing projects and overseeing sales operations across multiple North American OEMs.

Mr. Cho has been instrumental at EcoPro in securing long-term raw material offtake agreements, negotiating contracts with equipment suppliers, and supporting the procurement of equipment for EcoPro's first Lithium Hydroxide Manufacturing (**LHM**) plant. He also leads key partnerships and investments, driving EcoPro's mid-to-long-term business planning and growth strategy.

Han's appointment further strengthens GT1's strategic partnership with EcoPro, as both companies continue to progress towards finalising joint ventures (**JV**) for the development of GT1's lithium projects and proposed conversion facility in Ontario. Mr. Cho's expertise and understanding of the lithium supply chain will provide valuable support to GT1's strategy. GT1 welcomes Mr. Cho to the Board and looks forward to his contributions as the Company continues to advance its integrated strategy to become the first chemicals and concentrates business in Ontario.

"We are delighted to welcome Han Seung Cho to the GT1 Board of Directors. His deep expertise in lithium supply chains, strategic partnerships, and raw material procurement will be invaluable as we advance our business relationship with EcoPro. Han's appointment further strengthens our confident long-term outlook for the sector and with EcoPro, this appointment reinforces our shared vision of establishing a fully integrated lithium supply chain in Canada. We look forward to working closely with Han as we drive the development of our lithium projects and conversion facility forward in Ontario."

- GT1 Non-Executive Chairman, John Young

"I am excited to join the GT1 Board at such a pivotal time for the company. GT1 and EcoPro share a strong vision for developing a vertically integrated lithium supply chain in Canada and I look forward to contributing my experience to support this strategy. Together, we are well-positioned to advance these important projects and play a key role in the future of the North American critical minerals supply chain."

- GT1 Non-Executive Director - Han Seung Cho



Figure 1: Green Technology Metals and EcoPro team at EcoPro Innovations offices in Korea. Non-Executive Director - Han Seung Cho (Second from the left), Managing Director - Cameron Henry (middle)

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About EcoPro Innovation

EcoPro Innovation Co., Ltd is a subsidiary of The EcoPro Co., Ltd Group of Companies which include EcoPro BM, EcoPro Materials and EcoPro Innovation. EcoPro Group specialises in lithium-ion batteries and environmental business. EcoPro Innovation has secured a value chain for lithium cells by developing, manufacturing and processing technologies for lithium compounds, which is a core material of lithium cells.

Green Technology Metals (ASX:GT1)

GT1 is a North American-focussed lithium exploration and development business with a current global Mineral Resource estimate of 24.9Mt at 1.13% Li₂O.

Project	Tonnes (Mt)	Li ₂ O (%)
Root Project		
Root Bay		
Indicated	9.4	1.30
Inferred	0.7	1.14
McCombe		
Inferred	4.5	1.01
Total	14.6	1.21
Seymour Project		
North Aubry		
Indicated	6.1	1.25
Inferred	2.1	0.8
South Aubry		
Inferred	2.0	0.6
Total	10.3	1.03
Combined Total	24.9	1.13

The Company's main 100% owned Ontario lithium projects comprise high-grade, hard rock spodumene assets (Seymour, Root, Junior and Wisa) and lithium exploration claims (Allison, Falcon, Gathering, Pennock and Superb) located on highly prospective Archean Greenstone tenure in north-west Ontario, Canada. All sites are proximate to excellent existing infrastructure (including clean hydro power generation and transmission facilities), readily accessible by road, and with nearby rail delivering transport optionality. Targeted exploration across all three projects delivers outstanding potential to grow resources rapidly and substantially.