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**GENERAL**

This Management's Discussion and Analysis ("MD&A" or "Report") of the financial condition of Northern Superior Resources Inc. ("Northern Superior" or the "Company") and results of operations of the Company for the three and six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024 has been prepared by management in accordance with the requirements under National Instrument 51-102 as at August 29, 2025 (the "Report Date"). The Report should be read in conjunction with the Company's condensed interim consolidated financial statements for the three and six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024 and the notes thereto (collectively, the "Financial Statements"). The Financial Statements are presented in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IFRS"), and Northern Superior's accounting policies are described in the notes to the consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2024 and 2023. All dollar amounts in the Report are in Canadian dollars unless otherwise noted.

This Report includes disclosure in respect of the Company and its wholly owned subsidiaries, Genesis Metals Inc. ("Genesis") and Royal Fox Gold Inc. ("Royal Fox") Genesis wholly owns Chevrier Metals Inc., Royal Fox wholly owns 9396-1217 Québec Inc ("9396-1217") and 9396-1217 wholly owns 9220-5392 Québec Inc ("9220-5392" or "Mines Royales"). The Company also has a majority stake in ONGold Resources Ltd. following the spin out of Northern's Ontario properties to ONGold in exchange for 35,686,686 common shares of ONGold (56% of the issued and outstanding shares of ONGold).

The Financial Statements, together with the MD&A, are intended to provide investors with a reasonable basis for assessing the performance and potential future performance of the Company and are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected in future periods. The information in the MD&A may contain forward-looking statements, and the Company cautions investors that any forward-looking statements by the Company are not guarantees of future performance, as they are subject to significant risks and uncertainties that may cause projected results or events to differ materially from actual results or events. Statements throughout this Report with respect to the cost or timeline of planned or expected exploration are all forward-looking statements. Statements about growth, financial position, capital adequacy and/or the need for future financing are also forward-looking statements. All forward-looking statements, including forward-looking statements not specifically identified in this paragraph, are made subject to the cautionary language in this document. Readers are directed to refer to that cautionary language when reading any forward-looking statements. See "*RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES*" and "*FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS*" in this Report. Additional information relating to the Company may be found on SEDAR+ at [www.sedarplus.ca](http://www.sedarplus.ca).

Northern Superior is an exploration stage company engaged in the identification, evaluation, acquisition and exploration of gold properties in Ontario and Québec. The Company is a reporting issuer in British Columbia, Alberta, Ontario and Québec. The Company trades on the TSX Venture Exchange under the symbol SUP and on the OTCQB under the symbol NSUPF.

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**SIGNIFICANT EVENTS DURING THE SIX MONTHS ENDED June 30, 2025**

**Corporate**

- a) On January 31, 2025, the Company issued 88,235 common shares upon the settlement of 88,235 DSUs with a former director. The Company issued 98,788 common shares upon the issuance of 98,788 vested RSUs.
- b) On February 10, 2025, the Company issued 325,000 common shares upon the exercise of 325,000 options with an exercise price of \$0.34 for total gross proceeds of \$110,500.
- c) On June 25, 2025, the Company completed a bought deal financing for 6,500,000 common share of the Company for gross proceeds of \$5,005,000. Share issue costs of \$568,919 were recorded.

**EXPLORATION PROJECTS**

**Québec Properties**

***Philibert***

The Philibert property was acquired from the Royal Fox transaction (see Northern Superior press release, November 4, 2022). Philibert is a gold exploration project located approximately 53 km South-West of the city of Chibougamau, Quebec, Canada in the Chibougamau Gold Camp.

The property hosts the Philibert deposit, a 3-kilometre trend of near-surface mineralization, which includes 5 mineralized domains associated with northwest-trending shear zones, related to the Opawica-Guercheville Deformation zone, a large system of anastomosing shear and fault zones and host to the historic Joe Mann Mine, which has an historical cumulative production of 4,754,377 t grading 8.26 g/t Au (Faure, 2012). The deposit is also located 9 km north of IAMGOLD's Nelligan deposit with indicated resources of 3.1M oz Au at 0.95 g/t Au and inferred resources of 5.2M oz Au at 0.96 g/t Au\*\*\*\* and 18 km southwest of the Chevrier Deposit (Northern Superior Resources) with indicated resources of 260K oz Au at 1.26 g/t Au and an inferred resource of 652K oz Au at 1.29 g/t Au\*\*\*. The mineralization is parallel to sub-parallel to the northwest-southeast striking gabbro sills of the Philibert Horizon, with moderate dips to the northeast and commonly associated with disseminated pyrite and pyrrhotite in silicified shear zones. The Philibert trend is separated into the northwest and southeast zones by the north-northeast Obatogamau Fault, interpreted from geophysical surveys and drill core. Mineralization has been interpreted on both the northwest and southeast domains to stop at the fault for 280 metres along strike. A total of 60,000 metres of historic diamond drilling, including approximately 25,000 metres of unsampled drill core, from campaigns completed between 1952 and 2014 define the Philibert deposit.

As part of the due diligence process, and to expand its knowledge of the deposit, Royal Fox drilled five diamond drill holes, totaling 1,147 metres during the property acquisition process in March and April 2021. The campaign focused on five key areas – Red Fox, Arctic Fox, Fennec Fox – Fault and Grey Fox part of the footwall of the Philibert deposit and the Corsac Fox part of the hanging wall zone of the Philibert trend to verify and replicate historic intersections and test the Obatogamau Fault for mineralization. Royal Fox also completed a first pass sampling program on unsampled historical drill core from the Philibert deposit. Geologists ranked unsampled intervals using intensity of silicification, alteration, and sulphide mineralization to prioritize sampling. On June 23, 2021, a total of 1,494 samples were sent to AGAT labs in Mississauga, Ontario, including 921 samples from newly drilled holes and 573 samples collected from unsampled historic core from various campaigns. All samples were analyzed for gold by 50 gram fire assay with Atomic Absorption Spectroscopy (AAS) finish and multi-element analysis using a Sodium Peroxide Fusion - Inductively Coupled Plasma-Optical Emission Spectroscopy (ICP-OES) finish. Specific Gravity by Pycnometer was completed on all the 1,474 samples. with all results to be incorporated into the new proposed maiden National Instrument ("NI") 43-101 compliant resource estimate in 2022.

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In the second quarter of 2021, the Vision 4K was contracted to complete a 6,094 line kilometre high resolution drone magnetic survey along lines spaced at 50 metres and oriented 330 degrees north northwest using a Scintrex CS-VL magnetometer.

On October 19, 2021, Royal Fox announced the results from a total of 256 drill core samples from the 2021 diamond drilling campaign including drill hole PB-21-316 which tested the Grey Fox zone returned 1.23 g/t Au over 55.5 metres from 30.0 meters to 85.5 metres. Results from PB-21-316 verified the historical intercept from drill hole 981-12-244 of 55 metres of 2.3 g/t Au, with the location of higher-grade results being almost identical. (Note: the two intercepts would be very similar with grade capping.)

The winter, 2022 drill program consisted of a total of 15,934.3 metres in 120 diamond drillholes including 447 metres from 11 abandoned drill holes. All samples were sent to AGAT labs in Val-d'Or, Québec for sample preparation and Mississauga, Ontario to be analyzed for gold by 50 gram fire assay and all samples returning values of 10 g/t Au or greater were re-analyzed using gravimetric methods.

During the year ended December 31, 2023, results of 16 diamond drill holes, previously completed by Royal Fox Gold were released (SUP press Release Jan. 11, 2023). Results include DDH PB-22-360, which returned 5.96 g/t Au over 10.0 metres from 180.0 to 190.0 metres, including 11.2 g/t Au over 0.5 metres from 181.5 to 182.0 metres and including 12.9 g/t Au over 0.5 metres from 182.5 to 183.0 metres; DDH PB-22-339, which returned 2.94 g/t Au over 14.0 metres from 340.0 to 354.0 metres, including 4.01 g/t Au over 8.9 metres from 341 to 349.9 metres, and including 9.79 g/t Au over 2.0 metres from 346.0 to 348.0 metres and DDH PB-22-400, returning 1.63 g/t Au over 20.6 metres from 86.4 to 107.0 metres, including 3.61 g/t Au over 7.6 metres from 86.4 to 94.0 metres and 1.26 g/t Au over 9.5 metres from 116.0 to 125.5 metres.

In late February 2023, a diamond drill program was initiated to extend and define known mineralized zones into the "Fault Gap" area, as well as an area in the northwest portion of the deposit area. 14 NQ diamond drill holes were completed by March 31, for a total of 3,168m, from which 1740 samples were taken (including QC). Continuity of key marker horizons, such as the quartz-gabbro has been established in the "Fault Gap".

Wide intervals of sericite-carbonate-chlorite and silica alteration, accompanied by variable amounts of disseminated pyrite and quartz veins, have been intersected in both areas.

On July 6, 2023, the Company announced results of metallurgical tests conducted on 3 composite samples of the Philibert deposit. A combination of sulphide floatation, followed by cyanidation yielded gold recoveries of 93.3% to 95.6% and silver recoveries of 37.9% to 67.9%.

Results of the diamond drilling project completed in March, 2023 were released July 17, 2023. The results confirm the presence of significant gold values within the Gap Zone, thereby extending mineralization in the Arctic Fox and Fennec Fox zones into previously untested ground in the Gap Zone. The program was also successful in extending the Cosac Fox Zone to a total strike length of 800 meters. This zone remains open down-dip and along strike to the northwest and southeast. Highlights of the 2023 drilling include:

- DDH PB-23-439 returned **2.93 g/t Au over 16.3 metres** from 186.4 to 202.7 metres, including **6.46 g/t Au over 5.5 metres** from the Gap Zone;
- DDH PB-23-441 returned **1.30 g/t Au over 35.2 metres** from 65.0 to 100.2 metres, including **5.44 g/t Au over 4.0 metres** and including, **8.35 g/t Au over 1.5 metres** from the gap at the Corsac Fox Zone;
- DDH PB-23-438 returned **16.75 g/t Au over 2.5 metres** from 118.0 to 120.5 metres, including **37.2 g/ t Au over 1.1 metres** from the Gap Zone;
- DDH PB-23-432 returned **1.80 g/t Au over 13.4 metres** from 126.9 to 140.3 metres, including **16.89 g/t Au over 1.1 metres** from the Gap Zone;
- DDH PB-23-433 returned **1.04 g/t Au over 20.0 metres** from 181.0 to 201.0 metres, from the Gap Zone; and

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- DDH PB-23-443 returned **0.48 g/t Au over 49.0 metres** from 60.0 to 109.0 metres, from the gap at Corsac Fox Zone

On August 8, 2023, the Company announced a mineral resource estimate (“MRE”) of 1,708,809 gold ounces in inferred category and 278,921 gold ounces in indicated category at 1.10 g/t Au in a maiden NI 43-101 pit constrained resource estimate at Philibert. The effective date of the current MRE is Aug. 4, 2023. A technical prepared in accordance with NI 43-101 was posted on SEDAR September 22, 2023\*.

*MRE Expansion Drilling Program – 2024 and 2025 campaign*

Significant drillhole intersections and drillhole locations from the initial phase of the Company's 20,000 metres expansion drilling campaign are in Table 1 including the following highlights:

- DDH PB-24-448 returned **2.60 g/t Au over 26.5 metres**, including **4.55 g/t Au over 13.4 metres**; 200 metres southeast of the pit extent of the Grey Fox footwall zone;
- DDH PB-24-444 returned **1.86 g/t Au over 9.2 metres**, southeast extension of the Grey Fox hanging wall; and
- DDH PB-24-447 returned **1.28 g/t Au over 13.2 metres**, including **3.47 g/t Au over 3.4 metres**, southeast extension of the Grey Fox footwall zone.

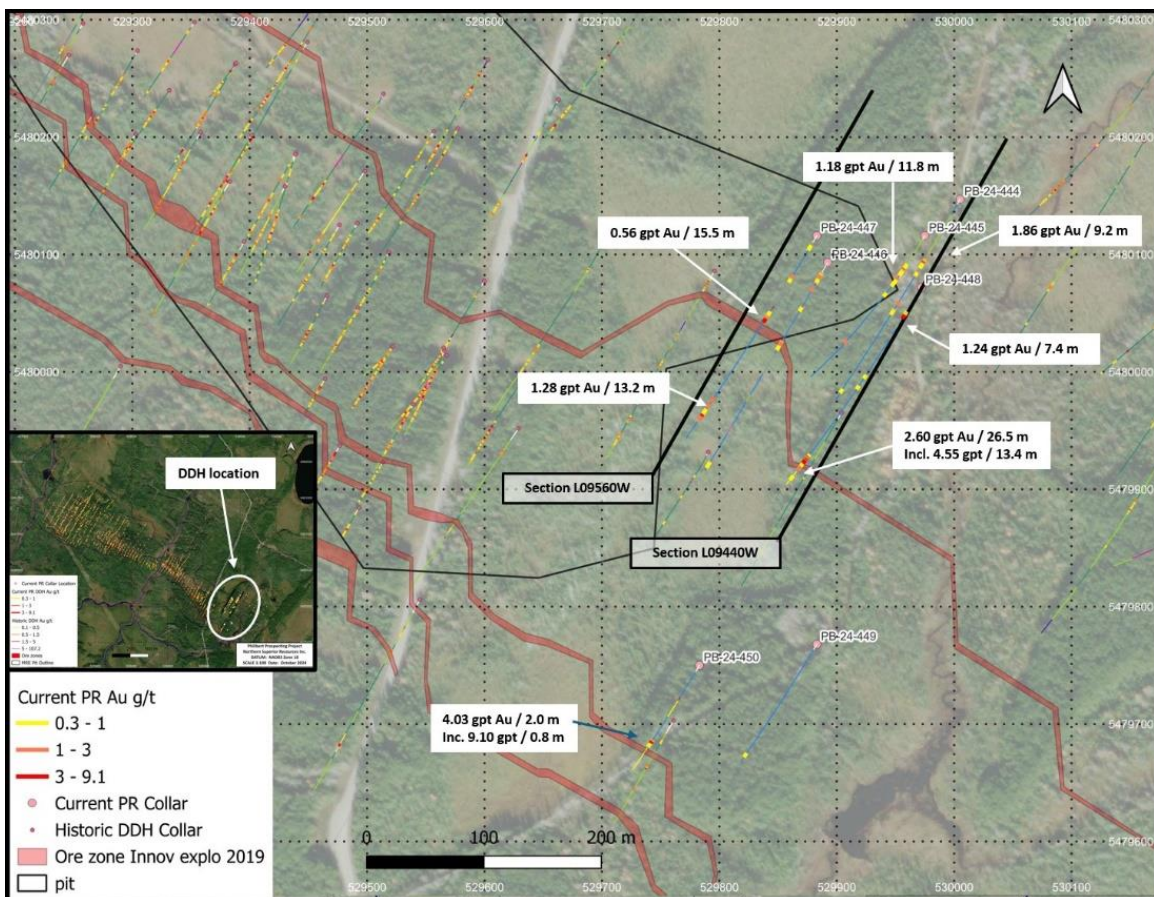


Figure 1: Plan Map of Philibert 2024 Diamond Drilling

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*Table 1: Significant Drillhole Intersections*

DDH ID	From (m)	To (m)	Width (m)	Au Finale (g/t)	Au g/t * width	Comment
<b>PB-24-444</b>	<b>102.0</b>	<b>111.2</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>1.86</b>	<b>17.2</b>	<b>Grey Fox Hanging Wall</b>
and	122.5	124.2	1.7	1.67	2.8	
and	170.5	172.0	1.5	1.69	2.5	
and	183.6	187.0	3.4	0.63	2.1	
and	313.0	314.0	1.0	0.63	0.6	
<b>PB-24-445</b>	<b>68.0</b>	<b>70.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>0.57</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>Grey Fox Hanging Wall</b>
and	<b>75.2</b>	<b>87.0</b>	<b>11.8</b>	<b>1.18</b>	<b>13.9</b>	
including	<b>78.0</b>	<b>83.0</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>2.17</b>	<b>10.9</b>	
and	<b>98.0</b>	<b>111.0</b>	<b>13.0</b>	<b>0.43</b>	<b>5.6</b>	
and	133.0	134.2	1.2	0.32	0.4	
and	240.3	241.3	1.0	1.07	1.1	
<b>PB-24-446</b>	<b>18.0</b>	<b>29.0</b>	<b>11.0</b>	<b>0.83</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>Grey Fox Hanging Wall</b>
and	42.0	42.7	0.7	1.28	0.9	
and	71.0	73.0	2.0	0.76	1.5	
and	124.0	126.0	2.0	0.88	1.8	
and	307.0	310.8	3.8	0.59	2.2	
<b>PB-24-447</b>	<b>19.0</b>	<b>22.0</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>0.37</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>Grey Fox Hanging Wall</b>
and	68.5	69.3	0.8	2.38	1.9	
and	<b>128.5</b>	<b>144.0</b>	<b>15.5</b>	<b>0.56</b>	<b>8.6</b>	<b>Grey Fox Footwall</b>
including	<b>142.0</b>	<b>142.8</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>3.02</b>	<b>2.4</b>	
and	273.6	275.6	2.0	2.34	4.7	
and	284.5	286.0	1.5	1.23	1.8	
and	<b>293.0</b>	<b>306.2</b>	<b>13.2</b>	<b>1.28</b>	<b>16.9</b>	<b>Grey Fox Footwall</b>
including	<b>301.6</b>	<b>305.0</b>	<b>3.4</b>	<b>3.47</b>	<b>11.8</b>	
<b>PB-24-448</b>	<b>51.0</b>	<b>58.4</b>	<b>7.4</b>	<b>1.24</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>Grey Fox Hanging Wall</b>
and	174.0	175.8	1.8	0.30	0.5	
and	196.0	198.0	2.0	0.37	0.7	
and	<b>329.5</b>	<b>356.0</b>	<b>26.5</b>	<b>2.60</b>	<b>68.9</b>	<b>Grey Fox Footwall</b>
including	<b>333.0</b>	<b>347.0</b>	<b>13.4</b>	<b>4.55</b>	<b>61.0</b>	
and	371.5	373.2	1.7	0.36	0.6	
<b>PB-24-449</b>	<b>188.0</b>	<b>192.5</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>0.35</b>	<b>1.6</b>	
<b>PB-24-450</b>	<b>120.0</b>	<b>121.5</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>0.29</b>	<b>0.4</b>	
and	<b>132.0</b>	<b>134.0</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>4.03</b>	<b>8.1</b>	<b>Grey Fox Footwall</b>
including	<b>133.2</b>	<b>134.0</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>9.10</b>	<b>7.3</b>	

*Drilling Results*

Drillholes PB-24-444 through PB-24-448 were designed to explore a 150-metre strike length southeast of the MRE pit in easily accessible areas suitable for year-round operations. These drillholes tested both the hanging wall and footwall zones, extending exploration beyond the pit boundary and targeting previously untested sections. Results revealed significant mineralized intersections, indicating strong potential for increasing the strike length and overall resource base.

*Hanging Wall Results*

All drillholes intersected the interpreted Grey Fox hanging wall approximately 150 metres from the current resource. Although the open pit design extends into this area, it is at a shallow depth and lacks a defined in-pit resource. The following key intersections were recorded:

- PB-24-444: 1.86 g/t Au over 9.2 metres from 102.0 metres;

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- PB-24-445: 1.18 g/t Au over 11.8 metres from 75.2 metres, including 2.17 g/t Au over 5.0 metres; and
- PB-24-448: 1.24 g/t Au over 7.4 metres from 51.0 metres.

Drillholes PB-24-446 and PB-24-447, located 40 and 80 metres southeast of the only historic drill hole defining the pit, intersected the zone at shallow depths. As these holes were collared directly into the hanging wall, they may not represent the true width. PB-24-446 returned 0.83 g/t Au over 11.0 metres from 18 metres, while PB-24-447 intersected 0.37 g/t Au over 3.0 metres.

The hanging wall is an important target for future exploration as it remains poorly defined and unsampled along strike to the southeast and northwest. It represents a litho-structural contact between the Philibert gabbro seam and mafic volcanics with interbedded sediments, including graphitic argillite. The zone exhibits strong deformation, fracturing, and sulphide mineralization with smokey quartz and quartz-tourmaline veins.

### *Footwall Results*

All drillholes tested the Footwall Zone. However, **PB-24-444**, **PB-24-445**, and **PB-24-446** are interpreted to have been stopped short, as the footwall trend extends further south than originally modeled. However, PB-24-448 intersected the footwall approximately 200 metres southeast of the current resource, with the following results:

- **PB-24-448**: 2.60g/t Au over 26.5 metres from 329.5 metres, including 4.55g/t Au over 13.4 metres; and
- **PB-24-447**: 1.28 g/t Au over 13.2 metres from 301.6 metres, including 3.47 g/t Au over 3.4 metres

Mineralization in the footwall is hosted within the siliceous phase of the Philibert gabbro seam, characterized by pervasive and vein silica with variable amounts of ankerite, albite, and disseminated pyrite-pyrrhotite (1–15% abundance).

Two drill holes tested the interpreted near surface extent of the footwall zone including PB-24-449 and 450 reported today. In PB-24-450 a narrow high-grade intersection with 4.03 g/t Au over 2.0 metres starting at 132.0 metres, including 9.10 g/t Au over 0.8 metres. No significant values were reported for PB-24-449.

An upper footwall zone was intersected in PB-24-447, returning 0.56 g/t Au over 15.5 metres from 128.5 metres, including 3.02 g/t Au over 0.8 metres. PB-24-446 intersected 0.88 g/t Au over 2.0 metres from 124.0 metres. Mineralization in this zone is hosted in a sheared magnetic gabbro unit with weak disseminated pyrite and rare quartz tension veins.

These results demonstrate the potential for expanding the resource in both the hanging wall and footwall zones southeast of the current MRE pit. Further drilling is planned to better define these zones and explore their strike extensions to the southeast and west.

### **Historic Core Sampling Program**

In November–December 2024, the Company sampled 1,800 metres of unsampled historic drill core. Results reported March 3, 2025 from previously unsampled core intervals, as well as recalculated composite grades from historical drilling, applying updated methodologies to ensure consistency with modern standards., include:

- **981-89-142**: 20.4 metres of 1.12 g/t Au (new zone).
- **981-14-281**: 81.2 metres of 0.56 g/t Au, including 3.0 metres of 4.07 g/t Au (Red Fox).
- **981-87-043**: 29.0 metres of 1.12 g/t Au, including 0.2 metres of 69.65 g/t Au (Arctic Fox).

This work has successfully identified new areas of mineralization especially in the central part of the western extent of the MRE pit with drill hole 981-89-142 returning 20.4 metres of 1.12 g/t Au and improved grade continuity in the Red Fox and Arctic Fox zones with results such as hole 981-14-281 returning 81.2 metres of 0.56 g/t Au and from drill hole 981-87-043 with 29.0 metres of 1.12 g/t Au. See Table 3 below for a summary of significant intersections.

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Table 2: Significant Historic Drillhole Intersections

<b>DDH ID</b>	<b>From (m)</b>	<b>To (m)</b>	<b>Width (m)</b>	<b>Au (g/t)</b>	<b>Finale</b>	<b>Zone</b>
<b>981-88-100</b>	<b>242.1</b>	<b>261.2</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>1.89</b>		<b>Arctic Fox Footwall</b>
981-88-103	271.3	279.0	7.7	0.79		Arctic Fox Footwall
<b>981-88-110</b>	<b>199.3</b>	<b>231.0</b>	<b>31.7</b>	<b>0.75</b>		<b>Fennec Fox Footwall</b>
981-88-126	84.0	91.5	7.5	0.39		New Zone
981-89-142	40.5	60.9	20.4	1.12		New Zone
981-89-145	19.5	37.0	17.5	0.44		New Zone
981-90-156	239.0	252.5	13.5	0.49		Corsac Fox – Hanging Wall
<b>PH-93-203</b>	<b>599.4</b>	<b>640.2</b>	<b>40.8</b>	<b>0.64</b>		<b>Red Fox Footwall</b>
including	677.8	682.6	4.8	1.77		Red Fox Footwall
PH-93-217	354.5	357.5	3.0	0.75		Corsac Fox – Hanging Wall
981-12-260	111.9	146.4	34.5	0.62		Red Fox Footwall
981-12-264	101.0	123.0	22.0	0.36		Red Fox Footwall
including	114.0	123.0	9.0	0.63		Red Fox Footwall
981-14-277	72.7	87.5	14.8	0.34		Arctic Fox Footwall
981-14-280	206.5	239.0	32.5	0.43		Arctic Fox Footwall
<b>981-14-281</b>	<b>189.3</b>	<b>270.5</b>	<b>81.2</b>	<b>0.56</b>		<b>Red Fox Footwall</b>
including	189.3	206.6	17.3	0.85		Red Fox Footwall
and including	231.3	234.3	3.0	4.07		Red Fox Footwall
981-12-240	112.0	118	6.0	0.6		Red Fox Footwall
981-12-256	174.6	184.5	9.9	0.33		Red Fox Footwall
981-14-289	123.5	134.1	10.6	0.26		Red Fox Footwall
981-14-315	63.0	71.0	8.0	0.55		New Zone
<b>981-87-043</b>	<b>25.0</b>	<b>54.0</b>	<b>29.0</b>	<b>1.12</b>		<b>Arctic Fox Footwall</b>

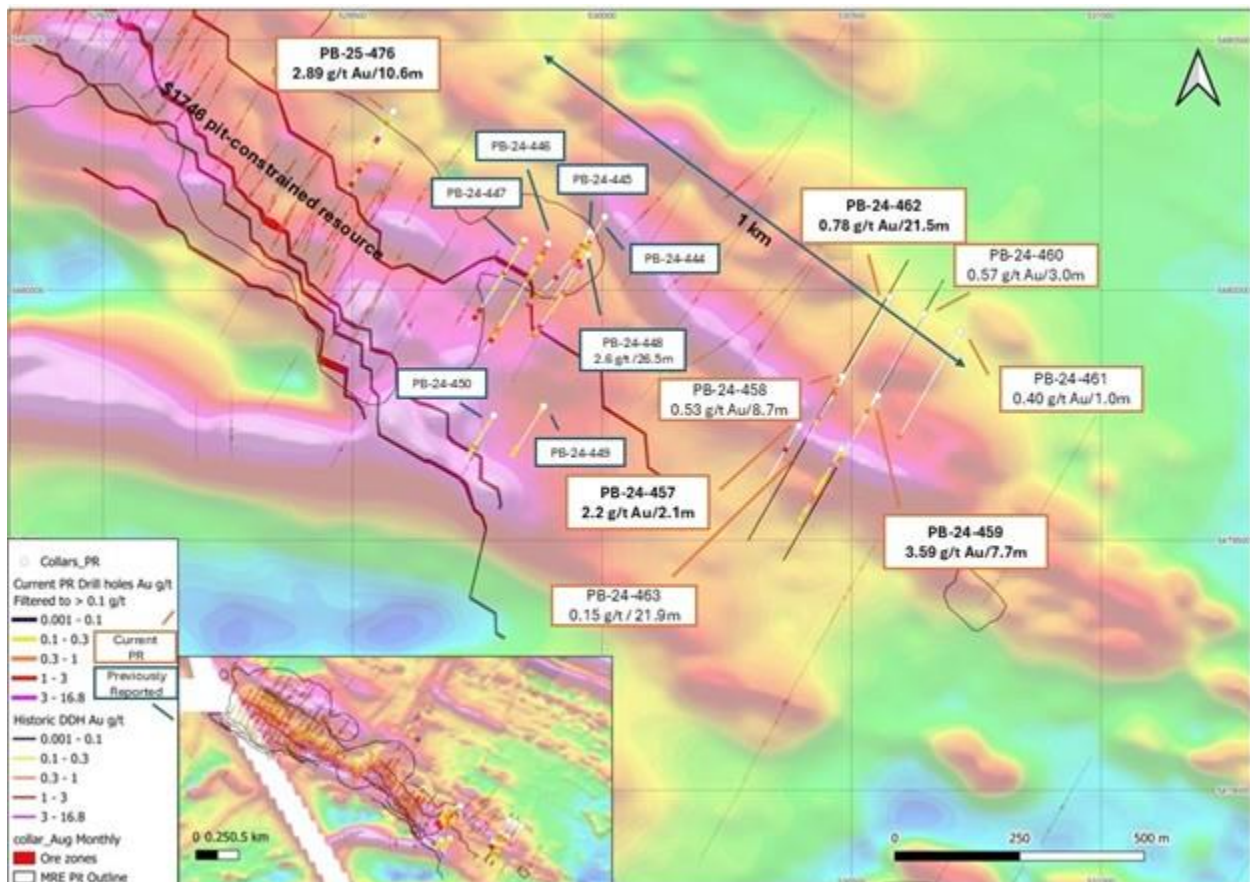
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including	27.5	27.7	0.2	69.65	Arctic Fox Footwall
PH-93-202	391.0	392.5	1.5	1.32	Corsac Fox – Hanging Wall

**2025 Drilling Update**

The 20,000-metre program paused in December 2024 for winter trail and pad preparation, resuming in January 2025 with one rig and expanding to two rigs in late February. Assays were delayed due to backlog from the historic core sampling.

On March 3, 2025, results were released for holes **PB-24-457 to PB-24-463**, which tested the Hanging Wall Zone 700–900 metres east of the MRE pit over a 185-metre strike. Results confirmed potential for expansion along strike with both high-grade and broad, lower-grade zones. Drill hole PB-25-476 tested the Grey Fox zone under the current Mineral Resource Estimate (“MRE”) pit. See Figure 5 for a plan map of the drilling, Table 3 for significant drillhole intersections and Table 4 for drillhole locations.



**Figure 2: Plan Map of Philibert 2024 Diamond Drilling**

Drill hole PB-25-476 returned **2.5 g/t Au over 8.4 metres, including 6.47 g/t Au over 1 metre** from the upper footwall of the Grey Fox zone and **2.89 g/t Au over 10.6 metres, including 5.15 g/t Au over 5.3m** from the footwall of the Grey Fox Zone. The intersection tested mineralization at 160 metre vertical depth and approximately 40 metres below the current MRE pit. The 2025 program has focused on

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expanding the depth of the mineralization in the southeast end of the current pit. More results are expected to be reported in the near future.

On section L08880W drill hole **PB-24-462** returned **0.78 g/t Au over 21.5 metres including 7.45 g/t over 0.8 metres and 6.55 g/t Au over 1.0 metre** focused along the litho-structural contact of mafic volcanic, argillite and the Philibert gabbro. Drill holes PB-24-457 and PB-24-458 intersected the contact up-dip over narrow widths returning 2.2 g/t Au over 2.1 metres and 0.53 g/t Au over 8.7 metres respectively. On section L08800W drill holes PB-24-459, PB-24-460 and PB-24-463 were drilled. Drill hole **PB-24-459** returned **3.59 g/t Au over 7.7 metres including 8.53 g/t over 3.0 metres** focused along the hanging wall litho-structural contact. Drill hole PB-24-463 intersected the contact up-dip across significant widths with modestly anomalous grades and further downhole intersected some isolated anomalous values that correspond to mineralized zones along strike from historic drilling. Drill hole PB-24-458 intersected the contact down dip although at lower grades and widths but may have been drilled short of the new interpreted zone. This is also the case for drill hole PB-24-461 drilled 80 metres east of section L08800W where the last sample returned 0.40 g/t over 1 metre. The Company is planning to extend this hole in the near future.

The drilling confirmed that the northern contact of the Philibert gabbro remains a highly prospective target, with strong deformation, silicification, and sulphide mineralization associated with litho-structural contact. Additional work, including litho-geochemical sampling and structural analysis, is ongoing to refine future drill targeting. Further drilling is planned to better delineate these zones and assess their strike extensions to the east and west.

**Exploration Targets – Southeast, Northeast, and Fold Zone**

Nine holes totaling 2,073 metres were completed in November 2024 and January 2025, testing:

- **Southeastern Trend:** 1,212 metres;
  - **PB-24-452:** 4.5 metres of 1.05 g/t Au from 72.5 metres, possibly up-dip continuity of Grey Fox Footwall.
- **Northeastern Trend:** 225 metres; no significant values.
- **Fold Zone South of Trend:** 636 metres;
  - **PB-24-455:** 0.7 metres of 1.31 g/t Au and 1.0 metres of 1.64 g/t Au.

Drill hole locations are provided in Table 3 below.

**Table 3: Significant Drillhole Intersections**

<i>DDH ID</i>	<i>From (m)</i>	<i>To (m)</i>	<i>Width (m)</i>	<i>Au (g/t)</i>	<i>Comment</i>
<i>PB-24-457</i>	<i>95.1</i>	<i>97.2</i>	<i>2.1</i>	<i>2.20</i>	<i>Hanging wall</i>
<i>including</i>	<i>95.1</i>	<i>96.1</i>	<i>1.0</i>	<i>3.10</i>	
<i>PB-24-458</i>	<i>171.5</i>	<i>180.2</i>	<i>8.7</i>	<i>0.53</i>	<i>Hanging wall</i>
<i>including</i>	<i>171.5</i>	<i>176.0</i>	<i>4.5</i>	<i>0.91</i>	
<i>PB-24-459</i>	<i>228.0</i>	<i>235.7</i>	<i>7.7</i>	<i>3.59</i>	<i>Hanging wall</i>
<i>including</i>	<i>228.0</i>	<i>231.0</i>	<i>3.0</i>	<i>8.53</i>	
<i>PB-24-460</i>	<i>339.0</i>	<i>342.0</i>	<i>3.0</i>	<i>0.57</i>	<i>Hanging wall</i>

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<i>and</i>	<b>349.5</b>	<b>351.0</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>0.30</b>	
<b>PB-24-461</b>	<b>362.0</b>	<b>363.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>0.41</b>	<b>Hanging wall</b>
<b>PB-24-462</b>	<b>325.5</b>	<b>347.0</b>	<b>21.5</b>	<b>0.78</b>	<b>Hanging wall</b>
<i>including</i>	<b>333.2</b>	<b>334.0</b>	<b>0.8</b>	<b>7.45</b>	
<i>including</i>	<b>345.0</b>	<b>346.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>6.55</b>	
<b>PB-24-463</b>	<b>64.5</b>	<b>66.0</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>0.32</b>	
<i>and</i>	<b>105.0</b>	<b>126.9</b>	<b>21.9</b>	<b>0.15</b>	
<i>and</i>	<b>193.5</b>	<b>195.0</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>0.99</b>	<b>Hanging wall</b>
<i>and</i>	<b>276.4</b>	<b>277.5</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>0.40</b>	<b>Hanging wall</b>
<b>PB-25-476</b>	<b>98.6</b>	<b>107.0</b>	<b>8.4</b>	<b>2.50</b>	<b>GreyFox_UpperFootwall</b>
<i>including</i>	<b>98.6</b>	<b>100.3</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>6.47</b>	<b>GreyFox_UpperFootwall</b>
<i>and</i>	<b>204.0</b>	<b>214.6</b>	<b>10.6</b>	<b>2.89</b>	<b>GreyFox_UpperFootwall</b>
<i>including</i>	<b>208.3</b>	<b>213.5</b>	<b>5.3</b>	<b>5.15</b>	<b>GreyFox_UpperFootwall</b>

**Table 4: Drill holes collars and parameters**

<i>Drilled Name</i>	<i>Easting</i>	<i>Northing</i>	<i>Elevation</i>	<i>Azimuth</i>	<i>Dip</i>	<i>Final Depth</i>
<i>PB-24-457</i>	<i>530404</i>	<i>5479752</i>	<i>384</i>	<i>210</i>	<i>-55</i>	<i>252</i>
<i>PB-24-458</i>	<i>530482</i>	<i>5479827</i>	<i>385</i>	<i>210</i>	<i>-55</i>	<i>252</i>
<i>PB-24-459</i>	<i>530552</i>	<i>5479789</i>	<i>385</i>	<i>210</i>	<i>-50</i>	<i>252</i>
<i>PB-24-460</i>	<i>530644</i>	<i>5479953</i>	<i>385</i>	<i>210</i>	<i>-50</i>	<i>372</i>
<i>PB-24-461</i>	<i>530717</i>	<i>5479917</i>	<i>385</i>	<i>210</i>	<i>-48</i>	<i>363</i>
<i>PB-24-462</i>	<i>530577</i>	<i>5479986</i>	<i>375</i>	<i>210</i>	<i>-48</i>	<i>375</i>
<i>PB-24-463</i>	<i>530479</i>	<i>5479683</i>	<i>385</i>	<i>210</i>	<i>-55</i>	<i>291</i>
<i>PB-24-464</i>	<i>530297</i>	<i>5479832</i>	<i>384</i>	<i>210</i>	<i>-50</i>	<i>225</i>
<i>PB-25-476</i>	<i>529582</i>	<i>5480358</i>	<i>380</i>	<i>210</i>	<i>-50</i>	<i>285</i>
<i>PB-24-451</i>	<i>529791</i>	<i>5479685</i>	<i>384</i>	<i>210</i>	<i>45</i>	<i>153</i>

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PB-24-452	529852	5479654	384	210	45	150
PB-24-453	529380	5479660	380	360	50	231
PB-24-454	529259	5479611	376	360	60	204
PB-24-455	529316	5479664	379	360	45	201
PB-24-456	530226	5479466	385	210	45	300
PB-24-464	530297	5479832	384	210	50	225
PB-25-472	529774	5479982	383	210	55	282
PB-25-473	529904	5479965	377	210	60	327

On March 25, 2025 the Company reported results for drill holes PB-25-475 and PB-25-477 which successfully targeted the Grey Fox FW zone approximately 80 metres below the current resource pit, 175 metres vertical depth, and 150 metres along strike. These results confirm that mineralization extends at depth and along strike, demonstrating both higher-grade intervals and broader zones of lower-grade mineralization. Drill hole PB-25-475 returned **1.94 g/t Au over 31.0 metres**, including **5.93 g/t Au over 2.0 metres**, **5.01 g/t Au over 3.0 metres**, and **28.0 g/t Au over 1.0 metre** from the Grey Fox FW zone. This interval is approximately 150 metres along strike from PB-25-477, which returned **2.03 g/t Au over 19.7 metres**, including **5.02 g/t Au over 7.1 metres**. Previously reported hole PB-25-476, located between PB-25-475 and PB-25-477, returned **2.89 g/t Au over 10.6 metres**, including **5.15 g/t Au over 5.3 metres** from the Grey Fox FW (see *press release dated March 3, 2025*). These results demonstrate impressive continuity with significant grades and widths. Mineralization in the footwall is hosted within the siliceous phase of the Philibert gabbro seam, characterized by pervasive silica and quartz-veining with variable amounts of ankerite, sericite, and disseminated pyrite-pyrrhotite (1–15% abundance).

The interpreted Grey Fox HW zone was tested with hole PB-25-475, which returned **1.73 g/t Au over 6.1 metres**, including **4.99 g/t Au over 1.4 metres**. Previously reported drill hole PB-25-476 returned **2.5 g/t Au over 8.4 metres**, including 6.47 g/t Au over 1.7 metres, while PB-25-477 returned 0.98 g/t Au over 2.8 metres. The drill holes were primarily designed to test beneath the resource pit of the FW zone rather than target hanging wall mineralization. Mineralization in the HW zone represents a litho-structural contact between the Philibert gabbro seam and mafic volcanics, and locally with interbedded sediments, including graphitic argillite. The zone exhibits strong deformation, fracturing, and sulphide mineralization with smoky quartz and quartz-tourmaline veins. Today's drilling results continue to highlight the potential to expand the pit northward by incorporating the HW zone, while also extending mineralization at depth within the FW zone. Although the FW zone is better understood, the geological team is actively studying the HW and their structural relationships to refine and enhance the mineralization model. See Table 5 below for significant intersections and Figure 3 for a plan view of drill holes.

*Table 5: Significant Drillhole Intersections*

DDH ID	From (m)	To (m)	Width (m)	Au Final (g/t)	Zone
PB-25-475	76.5	82.6	6.1	1.73	Grey Fox HW
including	79.1	80.5	1.4	4.99	Grey Fox HW

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and	111.0	126.0	15.0	0.23	Grey Fox HW
<b>and</b>	<b>204.0</b>	<b>235.0</b>	<b>31.0</b>	<b>1.94</b>	<b>Grey Fox FW</b>
Including	204.0	206.0	2.0	5.93	Grey Fox FW
and including	214.0	217.0	3.0	5.01	Grey Fox FW
<b>and including</b>	<b>231.0</b>	<b>232.0</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>28.00</b>	<b>Grey Fox FW</b>
<b>PB-25-477</b>	145.7	148.5	2.8	0.98	Grey Fox HW
<b>and</b>	<b>247.3</b>	<b>267.0</b>	<b>19.7</b>	<b>2.03</b>	<b>Grey Fox FW</b>
<b>including</b>	<b>256.7</b>	<b>263.8</b>	<b>7.1</b>	<b>5.02</b>	<b>Grey Fox FW</b>

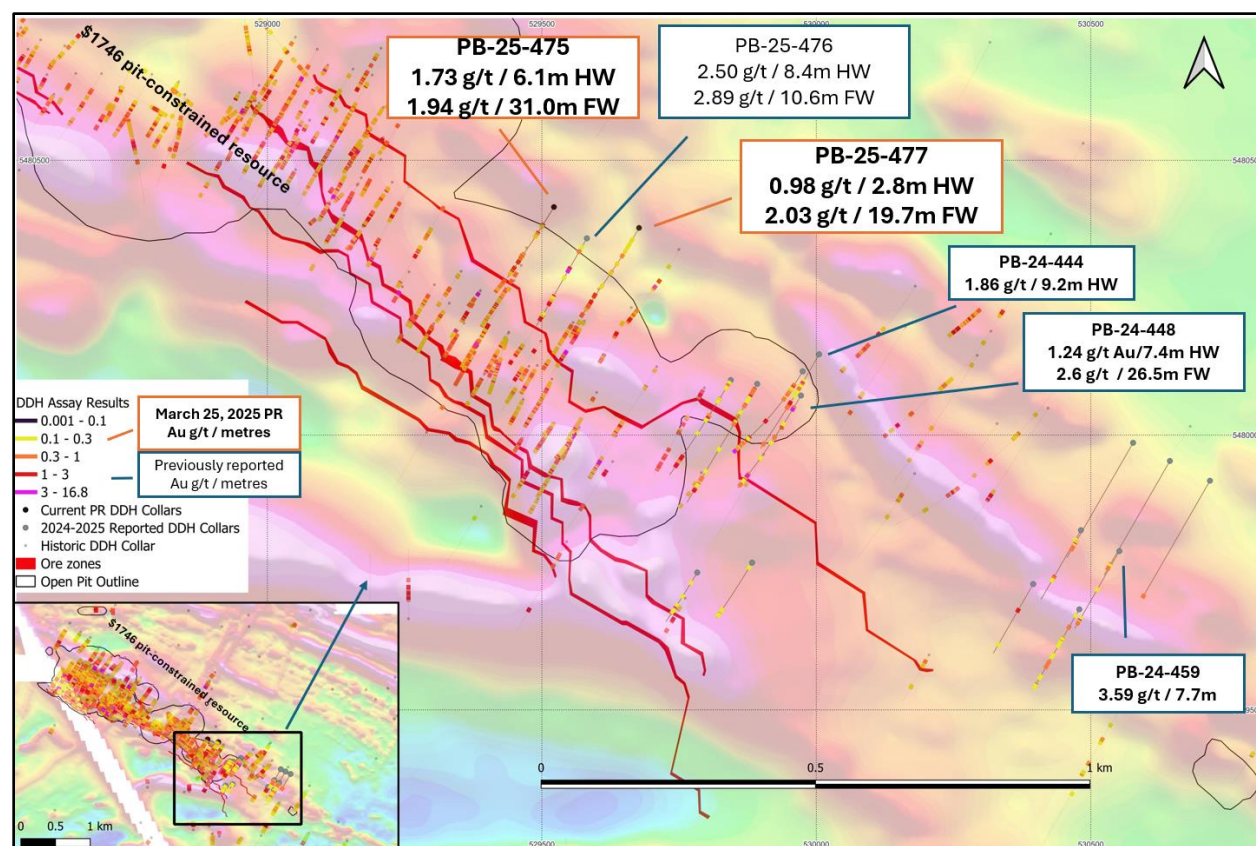


Figure 3: Plan View of 2024-2025 Drilling Highlights – March 25, 2025 Press Release

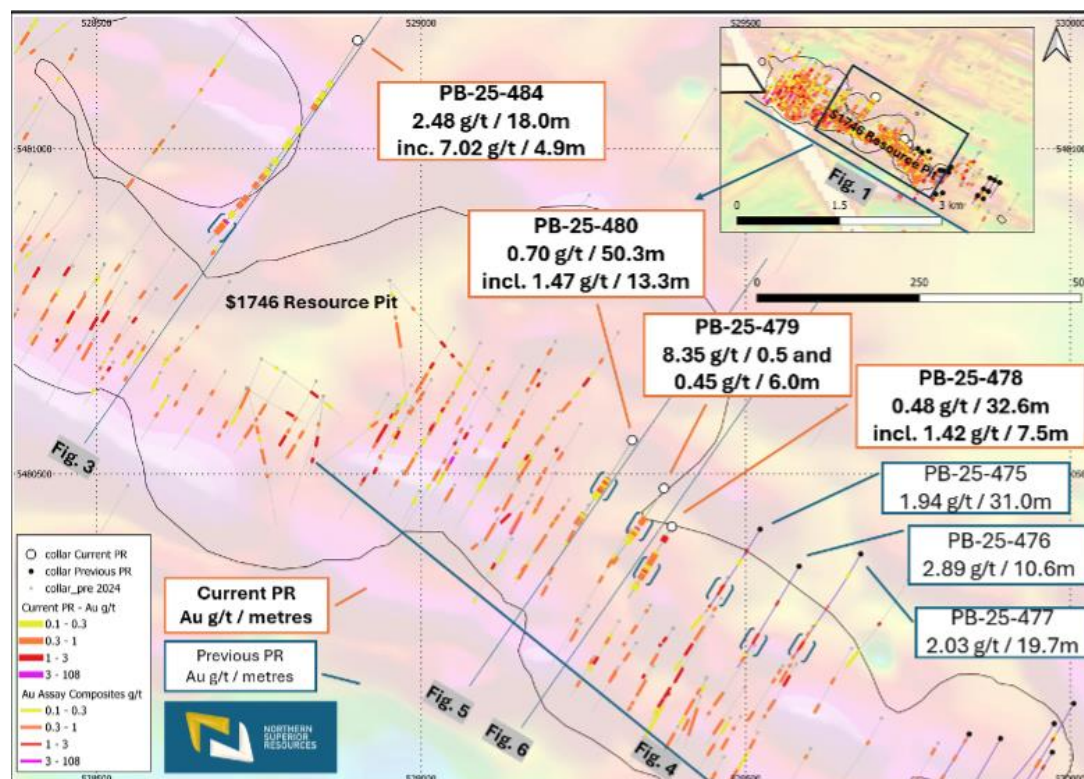
On May 13, 2025, the Company announced drillhole a new discovery with hole **PB-25-484** which targeted a section of the resource with limited drilling density, where the pit shallows. It intersected **2.48 g/t Au over 18.0 metres, including 7.02 g/t Au over 4.9 metres**, from a downhole depth of 620 metres (~520 metres vertical). The mineralization may represent a new zone or a down-plunge extension of the Arctic Fox FW zone.

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The Company also announced additional drilling targeting down dip of the Grey Fox and Fennec Fox FW zones with hole **PB-25-478** intersecting **0.48 g/t Au over 32.6 metres**, including a higher-grade interval of **1.42 g/t Au over 7.5 metres**, down-dip of the Grey Fox FW zone. The mineralized zone occurs at 140 metres vertical depth, or approximately 50 metres beneath the proposed resource pit shell. **PB-25-479**, collared 60 metres west and down-dip of PB-25-478, returned a discrete high-grade intercept of **8.35 g/t Au over 0.5 metres** and a lower grade intersection of 0.45 g/t Au over 6.0 metres within a wider weakly anomalous interval of 0.31 g/t Au over 29.6 metres. This hole tested a sparsely drilled area outside the modeled plunge of mineralization between the Fennec Fox and Grey Fox FW zones. Mineralization was encountered at a vertical depth of 150 metres, approximately 120 metres below the pit shell, in a section where the proposed pit geometry flattens toward surface.

**PB-25-480**, drilled 80 metres west of PB-25-479, intersected **0.70 g/t Au over 50.3 metres**, including **1.47 g/t Au over 13.3 metres**, at a vertical depth of 160 metres, approximately 100 metres below the resource pit in an area where the pit shallows to surface.

Gold mineralization is hosted within the siliceous phase of the Philibert gabbro seam, characterized by pervasive silicification, quartz veining, ankerite and sericite alteration, and 1–15% disseminated pyrite–pyrrhotite. When combined with previously released intercepts—including **PB-25-475: 1.94 g/t Au over 31.0 metres**, **PB-25-477: 2.03 g/t Au over 19.7 metres** (see press release dated March 25, 2025), and **PB-25-476: 2.89 g/t Au over 10.6 metres**, including **5.15 g/t Au over 5.3 metres** (see press release dated March 3, 2025)—the data define a **400-metre mineralized corridor** situated outside the current resource pit envelope. See Figures 4 and 5 below for a plan and longitudinal view of the drilling and Table 6 below for significant drill hole intersections.



**Figure 4: Plan View of 2024-2025 Drilling Highlights – May 13, 2025 Press Release**

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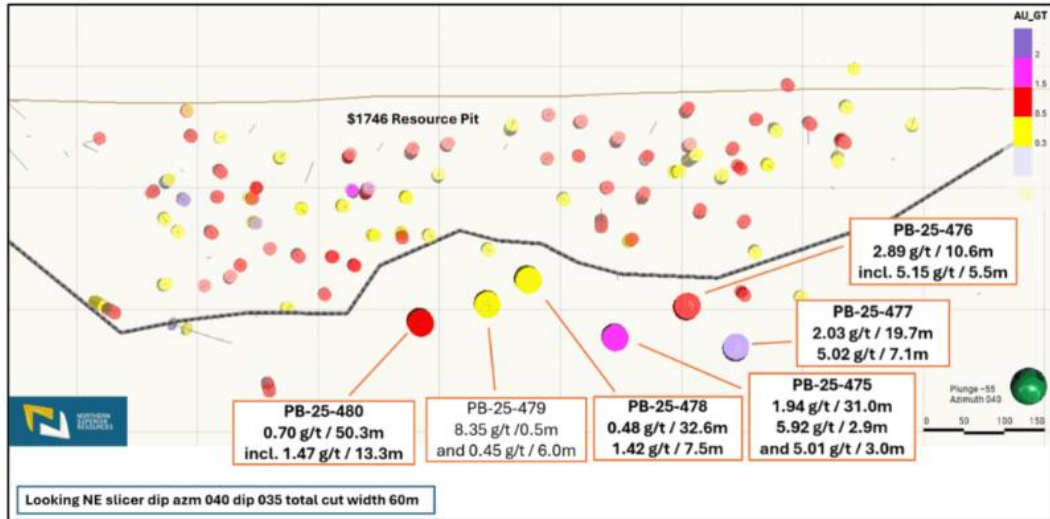


Figure 5: Longitudinal View of Drilling Highlights – May 13, 2025 Press Release

Table 6: Significant Drillhole Intersections – May 13, 2025 Press Release

DDH ID	From(m)	To(m)	Core Length(m)	Au (g/t)	Comment
<b>PB-25-476</b>	44.0	44.9	0.9	2.81	HW – New Zone
<b>and</b>	<b>147.0</b>	<b>179.6</b>	<b>32.6</b>	<b>0.48</b>	FW – New Zone
<b>including</b>	<b>167.0</b>	<b>174.5</b>	<b>7.5</b>	<b>1.42</b>	FW – New Zone
<b>and</b>	211.9	213.4	1.5	0.82	FW – New Zone
<b>PB-25-479*</b>	155.4	185	29.6	0.31	FW – New Zone
<b>including</b>	155.4	155.9	0.5	8.35	FW – New Zone
<b>and including</b>	178	184	6.0	0.45	FW – New Zone
<b>and</b>	261.7	268	6.3	0.41	FW – New Zone
<b>PB-25-480</b>	<b>148.7</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>50.3</b>	<b>0.70</b>	FW – New Zone
<b>including</b>	<b>185.7</b>	<b>199</b>	<b>13.3</b>	<b>1.47</b>	FW – New Zone
<b>and including</b>	<b>193</b>	<b>195.2</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>5.01</b>	FW – New Zone
<b>and</b>	278.8	281.6	2.8	0.68	FW – New Zone
<b>and</b>	294.1	302.5	8.4	0.27	FW – New Zone
<b>PB-25-484</b>	443.5	447.2	3.7	0.82	Fault – Footwall
<b>and</b>	<b>620.0</b>	<b>638.0</b>	<b>18.0</b>	<b>2.48</b>	FW – New Zone
<b>including</b>	<b>621.1</b>	<b>626.0</b>	<b>4.9</b>	<b>7.02</b>	FW – New Zone

On June 10, 2025, the Company announced results from drilling proximal to the new discovery reported on May 13, 2025. Drillhole **PB-25-498** intersected **4.82 g/t Au over 21.6 metres**, including **11.86 g/t Au over 7.0 metres**, from a downhole depth of 583 metres (~490 metres vertical). The mineralization is over 200

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metres east of the previously announced hole **PB-25-484** which may represent a new zone or a down-plunge extension of the fault gap foot wall ("FW") zone. Historic drilling suggested deeper potential, with nearby intercepts located 190 metres up-dip and 150 metres along strike. Some narrow intersections were returned for the hanging wall ("HW") zone and 0.47 g/t Au over 6.5 metres starting at 437.5 metres from the fault gap FW zone.

Drillhole **PB-25-501** intersected **2.09 g/t Au over 22.2 metres**, including a higher-grade interval of **3.54 g/t Au over 10.0 metres**, from a downhole depth of 478.0 metres. The intersection is located between holes PB-25-498 and 484 (100 metres along strike) and over 100 metres up dip. The mineralized zone occurs at 400 metres vertical depth, or approximately 350 metres beneath the current resource pit shell (see *Table 1 and Figures 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5*). The HW zone was also intersected in this hole returning 0.64 g/t Au over 10.5 metres starting at 34.5 metres. Down dip of the fault gap FW zone the hole returned a narrow intersection of 1.30 g/t Au over 2.4 metres starting at 310.6 metres.

Drillholes **PB-25-483**, collared 120 metres south and up-dip of PB-25-501, returned 0.41 g/t Au over 23.7 metres starting at 223.0 metres from fault gap FW zone including 1.47 g/t Au over 3.3 metres and may have intersected the up-dip extension of the new discovery zone near the end of the hole, which the Company plans to extend. The HW zone was also intersected in this drill hole returning 0.51 g/t Au over 8.0 metres starting at 58.0 metres.

**PB-25-482** drilled 280 metres south and 40 metres west of PB-25-498, intersected 0.76 g/t Au over 10.0 metres starting at 322.0 metres, approximately 50 metres below the resource pit. This interval may represent the up-dip projection of the new discovery zone. Additional extension drilling is planned. The drill hole also intersected a zone down dip of the fault gap FW zone returning 0.59 g/t Au over 1.6 metres starting at 245.7 metres.

Gold mineralization is hosted within the siliceous phase of the Philibert gabbro seam, characterized by pervasive silicification, quartz veining, albite, ankerite and sericite alteration, and 1–15% disseminated pyrite–pyrrhotite. See Figure 6 below for a plan view of the drill holes and Table 7 below for significant intersections.



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**Table 7: Significant Drillhole Intersections – June 10, 2025 Press Release**

DDH ID	From (m)	To (m)	Width (m)	Au Finale (g/t)	Comment
PB-25-482	24.3	25.5	1.2	0.99	Fault Gap HW
and	79.5	80.8	1.3	1.10	Fault Gap HW
and	89.0	90.0	1.0	0.57	Fault Gap HW
and	111.0	112.0	1.0	0.55	Fault Gap HW
and	245.7	247.3	1.6	0.59	Fault Gap FW
and	312.0	315.0	3.0	0.54	FW – New Zone
<b>and</b>	<b>322.0</b>	<b>332.0</b>	<b>10.0</b>	<b>0.76</b>	<b>FW – New Zone</b>
PB-25-483	58.0	66.0	8.0	0.51	Fault Gap HW
<b>and</b>	<b>223.4</b>	<b>247.1</b>	<b>23.7</b>	<b>0.41</b>	<b>Fault Gap FW</b>
<b>including</b>	<b>243.8</b>	<b>247.1</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>1.41</b>	
and	271.5	273.0	1.5	1.12	<b>Fault Gap FW</b>
<b>and</b>	<b>322.0</b>	<b>352.5</b>	<b>30.5</b>	<b>0.36</b>	<b>FW – New Zone</b>
<b>including</b>	<b>333.0</b>	<b>342.5</b>	<b>9.5</b>	<b>0.64</b>	
PB-25-498	60.5	66.5	6.0	0.46	Fault Gap HW
and	74.9	77.4	2.5	0.96	Fault Gap HW
and	154.6	157.5	2.9	0.65	Fault Gap HW
and	437.5	444.0	6.5	0.47	Fault Gap FW
<b>and</b>	<b>583.5</b>	<b>605.1</b>	<b>21.6</b>	<b>4.82</b>	<b>FW – New Zone</b>
<b>including</b>	<b>595.0</b>	<b>602.0</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>11.86</b>	<b>FW – New Zone</b>
PB-25-501	34.5	45.0	10.5	0.64	Fault Gap HW
and	310.6	313.0	2.4	1.30	Fault Gap HW
<b>and</b>	<b>447.8</b>	<b>470.0</b>	<b>22.2</b>	<b>2.09</b>	<b>FW – New Zone</b>
<b>including</b>	<b>460.0</b>	<b>470.0</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3.54</b>	<b>FW – New Zone</b>
<b>including</b>	<b>461.0</b>	<b>467.5</b>	<b>6.5</b>	<b>4.82</b>	<b>FW – New Zone</b>
and	484.5	489.5	5.0	0.59	FW – New Zone

**Lac Surprise**

The Lac Surprise Project is a large (152 km<sup>2</sup>) property situated in the Chapais-Chibougamau mining camp, Québec. Infrastructure is excellent, with year-round road access. The geology of the property broadly consists of mafic-intermediate volcanics, iron formations and sedimentary to volcano-sedimentary packages, wrapped around a series of felsic-intermediate plutons. The property is crossed by three major deformation corridors: the Doda, Remick and Opawica-Guercheville Deformation Zones. These structural features extend off the property and are associated with several gold deposits in the immediate vicinity of Lac Surprise, including Nelligan (IAMGOLD) deposit and Philibert (Northern Superior Resources). Several gold showings and zones occur on the property, the most important of which is the Falcon Gold Zone (FGZ).

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### *The FGZ: Proven Robust Lateral Continuity*

The FGZ is a major, near-surface discovery made by Northern Superior in 2019 and can be traced west over 1000m from the eastern boundary of the property, on strike and within 3 km of IAMGold's Nelligan gold deposit with Indicated Resources of 2M oz Au at 0.84 g/t Au and Inferred Resources of 3.9M oz Au at 0.85 g/t Au\*\*\*\* and 11 km southwest of Philibert (Northern Superior Resources) with Indicated Resources of 279K oz Au at 1.1 g/t Au and Inferred Resources of 1.709M oz Au at 1.1 g/t Au\*, see Figure 3 and Northern Superior press release, June 14, 2022).

### *Exploration Targets, Target 1 Area*

Step-out exploration diamond drilling northwest of the Falcon Zone was successful in finding new gold occurrences within the Opawica-Guercheville Deformation Zone (see Table 3 below, see NSR News Release October 21, 2022), which are now recognized as belonging to a corridor of mineralization within the OGDZ. This new mineralized corridor is defined from drill core assays derived from three drill holes completed during the Company's 2022 spring-summer drill program (see Table 1; Northern Superior press release, February 28, 2022) and two historic holes completed in previous drill programs. The new holes include: LCS-19-003ext. (1.15 g/t Au over 9.5 m); LCS-22-063 (0.43 g/t Au over 3.1 m); and LCS-22-064 (0.17 g/t Au over 74.0 m and 0.14 g/t Au over 35 m). see Northern Superior press releases December 9th, 2019; January 21, 2021, October 21, 2022). These holes outline a large and highly prospective mineralized trend over a strike length of 3 km within the regional scale (OGDZ).

### *Amber Area*

Northern Superior completed an extensive IP and magnetometer geophysical survey program (58 line kilometers) over its prospective Amber area that was announced in March of 2022 (see Northern Superior press release, March 14, 2022). This geophysical program was designed to test the southeastward extension of these three gold-bearing shear zones previously identified in this area of the Lac Surprise property (see Northern Superior press releases, February 17, 2015; October 5, 2015; March 9, 2017).

A property-wide campaign of geological mapping and sampling, completed in 2022, identified several new occurrences of anomalous gold mineralization, with grab samples assaying up to 1.78 g/t Au.

Between September and December, 2022, a 8,283m core drill program was completed on the Lac Surprise Property. The main objectives of this program are to:

- 1) Infill drilling within the upper part of the Falcon Zone, to provide confirmation of grades;
- 2) Further exploration drilling on the Opawica-Guercheville Deformation Zone, concentrating on the area near the intersections in LCS-19-003ext, LCS-22-064 and LCS-20-019; and
- 3) Exploration drilling northeast of the Amber Showing, where diamond drilling in 2016 intersected 0.82 g/t Au over 11.55 metres (see *Northern Superior press release, July 11, 2016*-Figure 4).

Initial results from this program were reported Jan. 16, 2023 and included several intersections from the Falcon Zone, largely confirming the grade and continuity of this zone. During the quarter, results of the remaining holes were released (SUP press Release, June 6, 2023). Drilling on the FGZ continued to confirm the robust and continuous nature of this deposit, highlighted by hole LCS-22-075, which returned 0.90 g/t Au over 59.0 metres, from 86.0 to 145.0 metres (including 3.23 g/t Au over 4.2 metres from 96.5 to 100.7 metres and including 3.67 g/t Au over 4.5 metres from 126.0 to 127.5 metres) and LCS-22-077, which returned 0.73 g/t over 61.0 metres from 233.5 to 294.5 metres (including 11.36 g/t Au over 1.5 metres from 264.0 to 265.5 metres) (see Northern Superior press release, June 6, 2023).

Northwest of the FGZ, follow-up drilling around hole LCS-19-003ext returned 1.84 g/t Au over 11.5 metres (including 18.5 g/t Au over 1.0 metre) in hole LCS-22-081, drilled 70m west of LCS-19-003. 80 metres to the east of LCS-19-003ext, hole LCS-22-080 returned 0.78 g/t Au over 14.5 metres within a broader interval that returned 0.41 g/t Au over 31.9 metres. Together, these results outline a mineralized zone near the mafic volcanic/sediment contact. Hole LCS-22-082 was stopped before reaching this contact and the Company plans to extend this hole, when drilling resumes on this project.

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In the Amber area holes LCS-22-083, 084, 084 and 086 all intersected low to moderate gold grades over narrow widths (see Press Release, June 6, 2023). This area would benefit from additional geological mapping and surface sampling to better understand the geology and controls on mineralization.

Plans

Follow-up mapping and sampling is warranted in the Amber area, near the grab sample that assayed 1.78 g/t Au in 2022.

The Company is currently completing a property wide compilation and data integration project to identify high priority phase 1 and phase 2 trench and diamond drill targets for 2026. The Company is also planning to complete some field mapping and prospecting in Q3 2025.

#### ***Croteau Est***

The Croteau Est property is highlighted by an NI 43-101 compliant inferred gold resource consisting of 640,000 ounces at 1.7 g/t Au, referred to as the Croteau Bouchard Shear Zone (CBSZ)\*\*. The resource was determined from only 64 core drill holes over a 550m strike length and a width of 150m, with most of the drill holes <350m. Within the CBSZ there are at least nine high grade ore shoots of mineable width (5m true width) and grade (2g/ t Au).

#### ***Summer 2022 Mapping/Prospecting***

Northern Superior completed a property-wide bedrock mapping and prospecting program in 2022, the purpose of which was to:

- Further test observations made from the various drill programs of stacked, gold-bearing shear zones within the area of the CBSZ;
- Expand the gold footprint associated with the CBSZ through testing for the eastward strike extension of the stacked, gold-bearing shear zones identified in the area of the CBSZ;
- Improve our understanding of the economic potential of gold showings previously discovered across the Croteau Est property (Figure 2); and
- explore several areas identified across the property as being highly prospective for gold mineralization.
- Excavate trenches to expose bedrock in areas identified from the mapping program

#### ***Induced Polarization (IP) Survey***

During Q4, 2022, a 89.6 km IP survey was completed over a 3 km X 3 km area of the northeast section of the property. This appears to locate the contact between the basaltic Bruneau Formation and the volcano-sedimentary Blondeau Formation. As well several areas of coincident high chargeability and high resistivity present compelling exploration targets. These anomalies have not been investigated further in the field, at this time.

#### ***Late 2022 Diamond Drill Program***

The Company completed a fall core drill program based on the compilation and interpretation of data derived from the various drill programs and current bedrock mapping and prospecting programs. Several core targets have already been established and include (see Figure 1; Northern Superior press release March 22, 2022):

- Test an area of gold values up to 0.64 g/t over 10.9 m in surface channel samples within sericite-carbonate altered shear zones and anomalous Au, Ag and As RC bedrock chip geochemistry with four holes, v, vi, vii;
- Test with two holes the proposed gold-bearing shear zone designated "C", with two holes (x, xi); and
- Test with two holes the proposed gold-bearing shear zone hosting the Croteau Est showing, designated "D".

This program resulted in several new gold intersections within the North Basalt Domain, released October 16, 2023. These include:

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- DDH CRO-22-150 intersected multiple mineralized zones, including 10.94 g/t Au over 7.00 metres starting at 272.10 metres including 16.15 g/t Au over 4.6 metres and 1.66 g/t Au over 21.55 metres starting at 224.0 metres, including 3.20 g/t Au over 2.0 metres and 4.87 g/t Au over 4.65 metres, 1.26 g/t Au over 7.15 metres, starting at 315.85 metres (including 2.70 g/t Au over 2.0 metres and 0.53 g/t Au over 11.5 metres, starting at 330.0 metres);
- DDH CRO-22-127ext, intersected multiple mineralized zones, including 1.33 g/t Au over 16.80 metres starting at 375.20 metres including 3.25 g/t Au over 3.5 metres, and 1.29 g/t Au over 9.40 m, starting at 285.00 metres, including 5.16 g/t Au over 2.00 m (approximately 250m east of CRO-22-150 and 128);
- DDH CRO-22-128 returned 1.32 g/t Au over 12.50 metres starting at 237.25 metres including 6.58 g/t Au over 1.00 metre (on strike of CRO-22-150 and 127Ext);
- DDH CRO-22-147 returned 1.31 g/t Au over 13.30 metres starting at 220.00 metres, including 3.56 g/t Au over 2.90 metres;
- Numerous gold values in step-out drilling of the mineralization discovered in 2022 in CRO-22-120 (1.06 g/t Au over 26.30 metres; *see press release dated July 19, 2022*), highlighted by hole CRO-22-137, which intersected 12.82 g/t Au over 1.9 metres starting at 63.10 metres, including 40.30 g/t Au over 0.60 metres;
- DDH CRO-22-135, drilled between the Z120 Zone and the historic Croteau-Est Showing, intersected 5.13 g/t Au over 3.05 metres starting at 254.30 metres;
- DDH CRO-22-151 returned 1.65 g/t Au over 5.00 m, starting at 285.00 metres; and
- DDH CRO-22-152 returned 2.03 g/t Au over 6.50 m starting at 244.80 metres

***Current, Future Exploration Plans***

Results of the work completed in 2022, plus previous work, continue to suggest that the property holds potential to host a significant gold deposit outside of the CBSZ area. Recommendations for future exploration include:

- Follow-up the IP survey with prospecting and mapping
- Further mapping, prospecting and possible till sampling further north, within the North Basalt Domain, closer to the Fairibault Fault
- Additional diamond drilling in the NBD, as warranted by results of the 2022 program, particularly in the area between holes CR)-22-128, CRO-22-150 and CRO-22-127 ext, and around holes CRO-22-135 and Cro-22-137.

Field work and a structural study are being completed in 2025 to develop high priority drill targets for 2026 to focus on the new discovery area of the North Basalt Domain.

***Chevrier***

The Chevrier gold property was acquired as a result of the Genesis Metals transaction (see Northern Superior press release, July 13, 2022). In keeping with the Company's thesis of acquiring large land packages with the intention of capturing complete mineralized systems, this property 100% owned by Northern Superior, includes 574 mineral claims covering an area of 290 km<sup>2</sup>. The property is located within the Chibougamau gold camp and is well connected by a road network to all major communities within the area, supplying all required supplies and services, an airport, rail head and hydro.

The property has an NI43-101 compliant indicated resource of 260K oz Au at 1.26 g/t Au and an inferred resource of 652K oz Au at 1.29 g/t Au<sup>\*\*\*</sup>. The current resource is located 18 Km northeast of the Company's Philibert deposit with indicated resources of 279K oz Au at 1.1 g/t Au and inferred resources of 1.709M oz Au at 1.1 g/t Au<sup>\*</sup> and 25 km north of IAMGold Nelligan gold deposit, with indicated resources of 3.1M oz at 0.95 g/t Au and inferred resources of 5.2M oz Au at 0.96 g/t Au<sup>\*\*\*\*</sup>. Along with the resource having the potential for growth, there are 23 additional gold targets identified, including 6 high priority targets. These were all identified from a series of exploration programs including property scale bedrock mapping, till sampling (gold grain-in-till; geochemistry) and IP surveys.

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Northern Superior reviewed property-related data and identified an area east of the Chevrier East deposit that was both prospective for gold mineralization and required assessment work. Consequently, the Company commissioned a 31 km IP and ground magnetometer survey, completed in October, 2022.

Field work on the Trenholme Block commenced June 17, 2023. However, work was discontinued June 20 2023, as a result of a ban on work imposed by the Quebec government, due to active forest fires in the region. Field work resumed during the second week of August 2023, and was completed later in the month. A mineralized shear zone was located on the Trenholme block. Additional mapping and prospecting should be done in this area.

The Company completed a small prospecting program on the Trenholme Block in October 2024, no significant mineralization was returned from the sampling program. The Company completed a prospecting program in June 2025 on the Muscocho pluton area. Approximately \$18,000.00 of expenditure credits were filed and 30 samples collected and 15 analyzed. No significant mineralization was intersected but the team is completing geochemical characterization of the pluton. Further mapping and prospecting work is planned for August 2025 along the Kapunapotagen Fault. The Company is planning to complete further data integration and compilation for a drill testing program in 2026 season.

### **Wapistan**

Wapistan is an early-stage mineral exploration property strategically positioned within the James Bay Lowlands, an emerging and important exploration and mining camp in Québec (see Northern Superior press release, April 5, 2022). Several historical showings occur across the property, including: Lac Atsynia, Know Bull, Threefold, Lac Kaychikuapichu-NW, Anomalie 3-26, Atikamakuch North, Lac Shabudowan, Anomalie 3-40, Poplar, Lac Wapistan, Lac Wapistan Ouest, P-G Zone West and Threefold (see Northern Superior press release January 29, 2019).

On March 29, 2023, the Company entered into an Option Agreement with Rockland for the development of the Wapistan property, in consideration for making staged payments to the Company, as to the issuance of a total of 10,800,000 shares of Rockland and payment of a total of \$400,000 to the Company. On June 2, 2023, Rockland fully exercised its option by issuing the second option payment. The Company has received 10,800,000 shares of Rockland and \$400,000 in total. The Company retains a 2% NSR on production from the property. As of December 17, 2024, the Company disposed of all 10,800,000 shares of Rockland.

### Ontario Properties

The following properties in Ontario were transferred to ONGold upon the completion of the Proposed Transaction on April 26, 2024. Northern still retains a majority stake in the properties by way of holding 35,686,686 common shares of ONGold (72.35% of the issued and outstanding common shares of ONGold).

### **October Gold**

The October Gold property was also acquired from the recently completed Genesis Metals transaction (see Northern Superior press release, July 13, 2022). As with all of Northern Superior's properties, the October property is a large one, consisting of 1,308 claims covering an area of 271km<sup>2</sup>. The property is located in northeastern Ontario, 105 km southwest of Timmins and within the Swayze Greenstone Belt. The property is accessible via an all-season highway and network of forestry roads. This property is situated approximately 35 km northwest of the Côté Lake Mine (IAMGold/Sumitomo) and approximately 50kms southeast of Newmont's Borden Lake mine.

The October Gold property is thought to occur on a western extension of the Cadillac- Larder Lake break, straddling an approximate 15 km portion of the Ridout Deformation zone. Aside from a favorable structural association for gold mineralization and close proximity to an operating gold mine and a second in development, evidence for economic gold potential associated with the property includes two strong gold

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soil gas hydrocarbon anomalies (1.5 km x 3.0 km and 2.0 by 2.0 km), a grab sample that assayed 9.23g/t Au and widespread anomalous gold values from previous diamond drilling.

Between August and October, 2022, reconnaissance geological mapping and prospecting were carried out, mainly close to existing logging roads. Anomalous gold values up to 0.65 g/t were found in three new areas and the historic Woman River Showing was located and sampled, yielding assays up to 11.50 g/t Au. As well, grab samples from the southwestern part of the property assayed up to 0.55g/t Au, 1650ppm Cu and 4100ppm Zn, in separate samples. These results suggest the property is prospective for both gold and base metal deposits.

Consequently, ground magnetometer surveys were completed in two areas: the South Benton grid for 176.45 line km and the Mallard West grid, for 132.55 line km. The purpose of these surveys is to delineate stratigraphy and structure in overburden covered areas and to locate target areas for additional work. At present, the results of these surveys are still being interpreted.

In addition, 4 diamond drill holes were put down, for a total of 853m to better understand the geology around the Ridout Deformation Zone. Although intervals of sericite and silica alteration and pyrite mineralization were encountered, no anomalous gold assays were returned.

On July 10, 2023, the Company entered into a binding letter agreement, which letter of agreement outlines the proposed terms and conditions upon which Northern Superior will sell all of its exploration properties located in the province of Ontario (including October Gold) in consideration for common shares of the acquiring company, which will be a subsidiary of Northern Superior.

On November 6, 2023, Northern announced that it has granted Evolution Mining Limited an option to acquire a 75% undivided interest in October Gold by incurring an aggregate of \$7 million in expenditures and making cash payments totaling \$1.1 million (the "Option") over a period of 5 years. The annual schedule of expenditures and cash payments is as follows:

(a) incurring an aggregate of C\$7,000,000 in expenditures on the October Gold Project as per the following schedule: (i) an amount of at least C\$1,500,000 on or before the second anniversary of the Earn-In Agreement; (ii) an additional amount of at least C\$1,000,000 on or before the third anniversary of the Earn-In Agreement; (iii) an additional amount of at least C\$2,000,000 on or before the fourth anniversary of the Earn-In Agreement; and (iv) an additional amount of at least \$2,500,000 on or before the fifth anniversary of the Earn-In Agreement;

(b) paying to the Properties an aggregate cash payment of C\$1,100,000 as per the following schedule: (i) an amount of C\$350,000 within 20 Business Days following the execution of the Earn-In agreement; (ii) an amount of C\$300,000 within 60 Business Days following the third anniversary of the Earn-In Agreement; and (iii) an amount of C\$450,000 within 60 Business Days following the fifth anniversary of the Earn-In Agreement. The initial payment of \$350,000 was received by Northern.

Upon closing of the Proposed Transaction on April 26, 2024, the Option remains in full force and was assigned to the spin-out company ONGold.

On June 7, 2023, the Company staked three partial claim cells adjoining the western boundary of the Property. On Dec. 20, 2023, the Company staked an additional 24 claim units in the northern part of the property. Under the agreement with Evolution Mining, these claims will be rolled into the option.

The Company has recently learned that Evolution has carried out an airborne magnetics and electro-magnetic survey over most of the October Gold Property. The results of this survey have been filed for assessment and should be sufficient to hold the Property until April 2025.

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***Ti-pa-haa-kaa-ning (“TPK”)***

In September 2022, the Company received its permits to conduct diamond drilling on the TPK property. As a result of receipt of its permit, the Company has initiated contact with relevant First Nations communities to establish an Early Exploration Benefits Agreement (EEBA).

**Monument Bay Project**

Monument Bay is located in northeastern Manitoba, close to the Ontario-Manitoba border, approximately 590 km from Winnipeg and 52 km northeast of Red Sucker Lake First Nation. The site is accessible year-round by aircraft, with winter road access available during freeze-up conditions. The project consists of 136 contiguous mining claims covering 31,250 hectares. ONGold plans to maintain the existing exploration camp at Twin Lakes with access via a 5,000-foot ice runway in the winter, and float planes for summer operations. A high-voltage power line extends to Red Sucker Lake.

Monument Bay is situated within the Oxford-Stull Domain, part of the Western Superior Province. This region is a granite-greenstone terrane characterized by volcanic-sedimentary assemblages and significant plutonic activity, formed through the subduction and collision of major continental terranes.

The gold and tungsten mineralization at Monument Bay is hosted within the Twin Lakes and AZ Shear Zones, which are splays of the regional Stull-Wunnumin Fault Zone (SWFZ). These mylonitic shear zones deform the volcanic and sedimentary rocks of the Stull Lake Greenstone Belt, creating favorable conditions for mineralization. The Twin Lakes deposit, the primary focus of historic exploration, is hosted within the Twin Lakes Shear Zone and exhibits many characteristics typical of Archean orogenic gold systems, including stockwork veins, quartz-carbonate shear veins, and hydrothermal breccias. Gold and tungsten mineralization are associated with porphyry intrusions, with visible gold, pyrite, arsenopyrite, and scheelite present in the deposit. The Mid-East and AZ Zones, located along parallel shear zones, represent additional exploration targets with the potential to supplement the Twin Lakes Deposit.

The Monument Bay Property is contiguous to ONGold’s Rapson Bay Project in Ontario (see description below).

Monument Bay has been subject to several mineral resource estimates that contemplate either open pit and underground mining on the property, or both, since 1991. All resource estimates are no longer current and should be treated as historic in nature. Key assumptions that would affect the resources either negatively or positively, such as mining costs and metals prices are out of date and ongoing exploration has added additional drill holes and other data that needs to be incorporated into a future resource update and presented in an updated NI 43-101 technical report. Consequently, geological interpretations of the form and geometry of the mineralized zones have also changed. The most recent resource estimates and the most relevant to ONGold are those produced by Yamana in 2015, 2017 and 2019.

ONGold is currently preparing an updated NI43-101 compliant technical report which discusses these resources in more detail.

The Company has total contingent consideration payable of \$22,000,000 to the vendor based on the following milestones:

<b>Contingent Consideration</b>	<b>Amount (\$)</b>	<b>Payment Type</b>
Mineral resource estimate greater than 4Moz Gold (MB)	5,000,000	Cash or shares
Completion of positive feasibility study (MB)	5,000,000	Up to 50% in Common Shares
Commercial production (Domain)	500,000	Up to 50% in Common Shares
Commercial production (MB)	4,500,000	Up to 50% in Common Shares

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3 <sup>rd</sup> anniversary of the commencement of Commercial production (MB)	2,000,000	Up to 50% in Common Shares
1Moz of cumulative gold production (MB)	5,000,000	Up to 50% in Common Shares

*Domain Project*

The Domain Project is located in Northeastern Manitoba, Canada, ~180km Southeast of Thompson, Manitoba. The project consists of three mining claims and two pending Mineral Exploration Licenses (19,836 hectares) and is accessible through winter road and trails or aircraft.

The Domain Property occurs within the Archean aged Oxford Lake greenstone belt, within the Gods Lake Domain in the northern part of the Superior Province. The property is underlain by mafic volcanic rocks, diorite, gabbros, intermediate to felsic debris flows and tuffs, greywacke and chert-magnetite iron formation. All of these rocks have been affected by upper greenschist to lower amphibolite facies metamorphism.

According to previous reports, a northwest trending splay of the Stull Wunnumin Fault Zone hosts a narrow zone of gold-bearing quartz veins and silicification at least 2 km long and 200m deep. Since 1971, there have been 68 diamond core holes drilled on the property, totalling 10,633.8m, mainly focused on this zone.

***Thorne Lake, Meston and Rapson Bay properties (“Thorne, Meston and Rapson”)***

The Company initiated in 2022, with the Ontario Provincial Government, the drill permitting process as previous permits have expired. Consultation has not yet been successful with the local First Nations community.

**\* Reference for Northern Superior’s Philibert Mineral Resource Estimations:** “Rachidi, Merouane, P.Geo, PHD and Duplessis, Claude, P.Eng. September 22, 2023. Independent Technical Report Mineral Resource Estimation of the Philibert Property, Québec Canada.

**\*\* Reference for Northern Superior’s 640,000 ounce Inferred Gold Resource:** “Drabble, Mark (B. App. Sci. (Geology), MAIG, MAusIMM); Glacken, Ian (BSc Hons (Geology), FAusIMM (CP), MIMMM, CEng; Kahan, Cervo (B. App. Sci., MAIG, MAusIMM); Morgan, Rebecca (BSc Hons (Geology), GDip (Mining), MAIG, MAusIMM). October 12, 2015. Technical Report on the Croteau Est Gold Project, Québec September 2015, Mineral Resource Estimate.”

**\*\*\* Reference for Genesis Metals Mineral Resources Estimation:** “Lomas, Susan (P.Geo); Lavoie, Jonathan (Eng., M.Sc.); Liboiron, André (Géo). March 10, 2022.NI 43-101 Technical Report Mineral Resource Estimation for the Chevrier Main Deposit, Chevrier Project, Chibougamau, Québec, Canada.”

**\*\*\*\* Reference for IAMGOLD’s Nelligan 3.1M Indicated and 5.2M Inferred Gold Resource:** **Iamgold Corporation News** IAMGOLD Announces Significant Increase in Nelligan Ounces & Update of Global Mineral Reserves and Resources; IAMGOLD Corporation News Release dated February 20, 2025.

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**RESULTS OF OPERATIONS**

*Exploration and evaluation property expenditures*

	Ontario				Quebec				Total
	Monument Bay	Domain	Ti-pa-haa-kaa-ning	October Gold	Croteau Est	Lac Surprise	Chevrier	Philibert	
<b>For the period ended June 30, 2025</b>	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Assessment and maintenance	14,304	1,954	18,946	350	4,775	10,341	-	-	50,670
Analytical	215,005	-	-	-	-	-	1,697	268,002	484,704
Geology	574,590	534	22,371	1,085	5,178	1,978	14,831	85,270	705,837
Drilling	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,069,255	2,069,255
Project Administration	146,513	-	7,668	569	-	-	6,352	-	161,102
Other	13,826	-	-	-	-	-	-	368	14,194
<b>Total exploration and evaluation expenditures</b>	<b>\$ 964,238</b>	<b>\$ 2,488</b>	<b>\$ 48,985</b>	<b>\$ 2,004</b>	<b>\$ 9,953</b>	<b>\$ 12,319</b>	<b>\$ 22,880</b>	<b>\$2,422,895</b>	<b>\$ 3,485,763</b>

	Ontario		Quebec				Total
	Ti-pa-haa-kaa-ning	October Gold	Croteau Est	Lac Surprise	Chevrier	Philibert	
<b>For the period ended June 30, 2024</b>	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Assessment and maintenance	50,801	2,280	749	1,485	-	-	55,315
Analytical	-	-	2,046	2,178	-	-	4,224
Geology	10,113	489	14,283	24,144	-	87,916	136,945
Project Administration	191	-	-	-	180	7,211	7,582
Refundable tax credits and adjustments	-	-	-	-	-	(31,211)	(31,211)
Recovery of exploration and evaluation expenditures	(906,733)	(982,294)	-	-	-	-	(1,889,027)
<b>Total exploration and evaluation expenditures</b>	<b>\$(845,628)</b>	<b>\$(979,525)</b>	<b>\$ 17,078</b>	<b>\$ 27,807</b>	<b>\$ 180</b>	<b>\$ 63,916</b>	<b>\$(1,716,172)</b>

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General and administrative costs

	Three months ended June 30,		Six months ended June 30,	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Expenses</b>				
Exploration evaluation expenses	1,090,839	(1,935,035)	3,485,763	(1,716,172)
Salaries and benefits	270,331	198,010	567,940	351,411
Consulting and management fees	140,767	693,060	280,419	805,884
Professional fees	328,847	163,134	406,797	270,603
Shareholder information	128,130	153,031	312,038	242,549
Office and general	122,562	94,351	198,192	144,280
Share-based compensation	221,086	1,372,925	524,507	1,531,306
<b>(Loss) for the period before other items</b>	<b>(2,302,562)</b>	<b>(739,476)</b>	<b>(5,775,656)</b>	<b>(1,629,861)</b>
<b>Other items</b>				
Interest income	45,438	54,030	104,783	64,040
Flow-through premium recovery	166,191	-	1,089,605	-
Flow-through share reimbursement	-	(5,750)	-	(5,750)
Foreign exchange gain (loss)	4,478	(2,180)	4,954	(2,191)
<b>Net loss for the period</b>	<b>(2,086,455)</b>	<b>(693,376)</b>	<b>(4,576,314)</b>	<b>(1,573,762)</b>

**For the three months ended June 30, 2025 ("Q2/25") as compared with the three months ended June 30, 2024 ("Q2/24")**

The Company recorded a loss of \$2,086,455 for Q2/25 compared to a loss of \$693,376 in Q2/24. Exploration and evaluation expenditures increased to \$1,090,839 (Q2/24: (\$1,935,035)) as the Company continued exploration drilling at Philibert - \$345,235 and \$700,050 at Monument Bay for exploration. In Q2/24 there was minimal activity as the Company spun out the Ontario assets and recorded a recovery. General corporate operating expenditures in Q2/25 was \$990,637 compared to \$1,301,586 in Q2/24 due to lower consulting related to the spin out of the Ontario assets. Share-based payments of \$221,086 (Q2/24: \$1,372,925) decreased due to the timing of vesting of incentive stock options issued. Interest income was \$45,438 in Q2/25 (Q2/24: \$54,030) due to the lower cash balance from the May 2024 private placement and the ONGold 2024 financings and slightly lower interest rates. There was a flow-through premium recovery of \$166,191 (Q2/24: \$nil) due to spending \$1,102,245 of the flow-through eligible expenditures.

**For the six months ended June 30, 2025 ("YTDQ2/25") as compared with the three months ended June 30, 2024 ("YTDQ2/24")**

The Company recorded a loss of \$4,576,314 for YTDQ2/25 compared to a loss of \$1,573,762 in YTDQ2/24. Exploration and evaluation expenditures increased to \$3,485,763 (YTDQ2/24: (\$1,716,172)) as the Company continued exploration drilling at Philibert - \$2,422,895 and \$964,238 at Monument Bay for exploration. In YTDQ2/24 there was minimal activity as the Company spun out the Ontario assets and recorded a recovery of \$1,889,027. General corporate operating expenditures in YTDQ2/25 was \$1,765,386 compared to \$1,814,727 in YTDQ2/24 due to lower consulting related to the spin out of the Ontario assets, but higher salaries and benefits, office and general and shareholder information with the consolidation of ONGold, professional fees related to the proposed acquisition of the properties in the Chibougamau Gold Camp increased. Share-based payments of \$524,507 (YTDQ2/24: \$1,531,306) decreased due to the timing of vesting of incentive stock options issued. Interest income was \$104,783 in YTDQ2/25 (YTDQ2/24: \$64,040) due to the higher cash balance during the period as ONGold received cash from the May 2024 private placement. There was a flow-through premium recovery of \$1,089,605 (YTDQ2/24: \$nil) due to spending \$3,468,241 of the flow-through eligible expenditures.

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**SUMMARY OF QUARTERLY RESULTS**

The table below presents selected financial data for the Company's eight most recently completed quarters (inclusive of the retroactively applied accounting policy change for exploration and evaluation expenditures as described in Note 3 of the consolidated financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2024 and 2023.

Period	Revenue \$	Operating costs \$	Income/(loss) \$	Income/(loss) per share \$	Total assets \$
Q2 - June 2025	-	(2,302,562)	(2,086,455)	(0.01)	11,700,857
Q1 - March 2025	-	(3,473,094)	(2,489,859)	(0.02)	10,150,136
Q4 - December 2024	-	(8,999,982)	(8,562,999)	(0.05)	12,522,167
Q3 - September 2024	-	(2,707,396)	(2,168,755)	(0.01)	12,035,694
Q2 - June 2024	-	(739,476)	(693,376)	(0.00)	13,508,844
Q1 - March 2024	-	(890,385)	(880,386)	(0.03)	2,697,821
Q4 - December 2023	-	7,344,069	7,216,991	0.00	3,372,193
Q3 - September 2023	-	(4,577,952)	(4,798,352)	(0.04)	3,484,682

**RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

The Company has arrangements pursuant to which parties related to the Company by way of directorship or officership provide certain services, either directly or through companies owned or controlled by the officers and directors. Transactions were in the normal course of operations and all the costs are recorded at the terms agreed upon between the parties. The Company's key management and related party expenses for the three and six months ended June 30, 2025 and 2024 are as follows:

	Three months ended June 30,		Six months ended June 30,	
	2025	2024	2025	2024
Management - fees and salaries	\$ 202,502	\$ 202,000	\$ 405,004	\$ 417,750
Management - share based compensation	66,037	550,542	132,686	708,922
Directors - fees	25,625	28,333	53,125	53,333
Directors - share based compensation	-	487,837	-	487,837
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 294,164</b>	<b>\$ 1,268,712</b>	<b>\$ 590,815</b>	<b>\$ 1,667,842</b>

As at June 30, 2025, an amount of \$85,077, included in accounts payable and accrued liabilities, was owed to directors and officers of the Company (December 31, 2024 - \$33,465). The amounts outstanding on fees are unsecured, non-interest bearing, with no fixed terms or repayment.

As at June 30, 2025, the Company has a geological services agreement with a company controlled by a director that was entered into prior to the acquisition of Royal Fox. The minimum remaining commitment is for one year with a balance owing of \$200,000. As at June 30, 2025, an amount of \$20,410, was included in accounts payable and accrued liabilities (December 31, 2024 - \$121,565). The amounts outstanding on fees are unsecured, non-interest bearing, with no fixed terms or repayment.

On April 26, 2024, key management and directors acquired 257,732 shares of ONGold at a price of \$0.51 by way of subscription receipt financing.

On April 26, 2024, a director of the Company acquired 549,000 shares of ONGold at a price of \$0.05 per share, with a fair value of \$0.51 per share, by way of management share grant.

The settlement of the CVRs required the Company to issue 1,968,377 common shares of the Company to certain directors and officers.

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Certain directors and officers acquired 1,820,000 common shares from the May 28, 2024, private placement for gross proceeds of \$1,001,000 to the Company.

**FINANCIAL CONDITION, LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES**

The Company's cash and cash equivalents and restricted cash are comprised of bank deposits and guaranteed investment certificates. Accounts payable and accrued liabilities of \$893,875 are due within 90 days. At June 30, 2025, the Company had cash and cash equivalents, and prepaids and receivable of \$9,937,289 and \$1,647,873, respectively, and working capital of \$10,347,224. Cash used in operating activities for the six months ended June 30, 2025 was \$5,453,910.

The Company must manage its treasury while satisfying regulatory requirements, maintaining its property agreements in good standing, and conducting exploration programs. As results of exploration programs are determined and other opportunities become available to the Company, management may seek to complete external financings as required in order to fund further exploration. Should the Company wish to continue fieldwork on its exploration projects, further financing will be required and the Company will either have to go to the market or engage a strategic partner to achieve this. Given the volatility in equity markets, unfavorable market conditions in the mining industry, cost pressures and results of exploration activities, management regularly reviews expenditures and exploration programs and equity markets in order that the Company has sufficient liquidity to support its growth strategy.

The Company is not in commercial production on any of its mineral properties and continues to incur operating losses, has limited financial resources, no source of operating cash flow, and there can be no assurance that sufficient funding will be available to conduct further exploration and development of its mineral properties. The Financial Statements contain a note that indicates the existence of material uncertainties that raise substantial doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. The Company's ability to continue as a going concern is dependent upon its ability to obtain the financing necessary to fund its mineral properties through the issuance of capital stock, through entering into joint ventures or by realizing proceeds from the disposition of its mineral interests. Management plans to continue to secure the necessary financing through a combination of equity financing and entering into joint venture arrangements; however, there is no assurance that the Company will be successful in these actions. These material uncertainties may cast significant doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. The condensed interim consolidated financial statements do not give effect to adjustments to the carrying values and classification of assets and liabilities that would be necessary should the Company be unable to continue as a going concern. Such adjustments could be material.

**CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

The Company's accounting policies for the year ended December 31, 2024 are described in Note 3 of the Financial Statements. The Company changed its policy for estimation uncertainty and accounting policy judgements. Contingent consideration will be recorded when the actual amount is known.

**OFF-BALANCE SHEET ARRANGEMENTS**

The Company has not entered into any off-balance sheet financing arrangements.

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**OUTSTANDING SHARE CAPITAL INFORMATION AT THE REPORT DATE**

	#	Weighted Average exercise price \$	Potential Proceeds \$
Common shares - issued and outstanding	173,066,738	-	-
Stock options	10,170,000	0.58	5,891,750
Restricted share units	49,394	-	-
Deferred share units	336,710	-	-

**FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS**

As at June 30, 2025, the Company's financial instruments consist of cash and cash equivalents, prepaids and receivables, and accounts payable and accrued liabilities, and consideration payable. IFRS requires disclosures about the inputs to fair value measurements for financial assets and liabilities recorded at fair value, including their classification within a hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to fair value measurement.

*Fair value estimation*

The Company's financial assets and liabilities are initially measured and recognized according to a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets and liabilities and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs.

The three levels of fair value hierarchy are as follows:

- Level 1: Quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Company has the ability to access at the measurement date.
- Level 2: Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices).
- Level 3: Inputs for the asset or liability that are not based on observable market data.

The Company's financial instruments recorded at fair value consist of cash and cash equivalents and marketable securities are measured based on Level 1 inputs. There were no transfers between the three levels.

The carrying values of cash and cash equivalents, receivables and accounts payable and accrued liabilities, contingent value rights and consideration payable approximate their fair values due to the short-term maturity of these financial instruments.

As at June 30, 2025, the Company believes that the carrying values of cash and cash equivalents, prepaids and receivables, accounts payable and accrued liabilities, contingent value rights and consideration payable approximate their fair values because of their nature and relatively short maturity dates or durations.

*Credit risk*

Credit risk is the risk that the counterparty to a financial instrument will fail to meet their payment obligations, thus this risk is primarily attributable to cash. The Company's cash and cash equivalents are held at large Canadian financial institutions such that counterparty risk is considered to be very low.

*Interest rate risk*

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Company is exposed to short-term interest rates through the interest earned on cash balances. A 1% change in short term rates would change the interest income

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and net loss of the Company, assuming that all other variables remained constant, by approximately \$95,700 at June 30, 2025 (December 31, 2024 – \$69,900).

**RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES**

General

Resource exploration and development is a speculative business, characterized by a number of significant risks including, among other things, unprofitable efforts resulting not only from the failure to discover mineral deposits but also from finding mineral deposits, which, though present, may be insufficient in quantity and quality to return a profit from production at a given time. The Company evaluates its property interests on an ongoing basis and intends to abandon properties that fail to remain prospective. A high level of ongoing expenditures is required to locate and estimate ore reserves, which are the basis for further development of a property. At the time of writing this Report the Company expects to incur further property acquisition, and development and exploration expenses. The Company has a history of incurring losses and deficits and is subject to a number of risks and uncertainties due to the nature of its business and present stage of explorations, such as, but not limited to, the risks discussed below and contained elsewhere in this Report. The Company, and thus the securities of the Company, should be considered a highly speculative investment, and investors should carefully consider all of the information disclosed in this MD&A prior to making an investment in the Company as well as during their time as investors.

International Conflict

International conflict and other geopolitical tensions and events, including war, military action, terrorism, trade disputes, and international responses thereto have historically led to, and may in the future lead to, uncertainty or volatility in global energy, supply chain and financial markets. Russia's recent invasion of Ukraine has led to sanctions being levied against Russia by the international community and may result in additional sanctions or other international action, any of which may have a destabilizing effect on commodity prices, supply chain and global economies more broadly. Volatility in commodity prices and supply chain disruptions may adversely affect the Company's business and financial condition.

The extent and duration of the current Russian-Ukrainian conflict and related international action cannot be accurately predicted at this time and the effects of such conflict may magnify the impact of the other risks identified in this MD&A, including those relating to commodity price volatility and global financial conditions. The situation is rapidly changing and unforeseeable impacts may materialize, and may have an adverse effect on the Company's business, results of operations and financial condition.

Limited Financial Resources and Going Concern

The Company has no significant source of operating cash flow and no revenues from operations. The Company has limited financial resources, no operating revenues and its ability to continue operating as a going concern is dependent upon management's success in raising additional monies to sustain the Company until cash flow from operations is adequate to sustain the Company's viability. Substantial expenditures are required to be made by the Company and/or its development partners to establish ore reserves and develop a mining operation. Exploration and development of mineral deposits is an expensive process, and frequently the greater the level of interim stage success the more expensive it can become. At present, the Company has no producing properties and generates no operating revenues; therefore, for the foreseeable future, it will be dependent upon selling equity in the capital markets to provide financing for its continuing exploration budgets.

Failure to obtain additional financing could result in the delay or indefinite postponement of further exploration and development of the Company's projects and the Company may become unable to carry out its business objectives. The Financial Statements contain a note that indicates the existence of material uncertainties that raise substantial doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. The Company's ability to continue as a going concern is dependent upon its ability to obtain the financing necessary to fund its mineral properties through the issuance of capital stock or joint ventures, and to realize future profitable production or proceeds from the disposition of its mineral interests.

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While the Company has been successful in obtaining financing from the capital markets for its projects in recent years, there can be no assurance that the capital markets will remain favorable in the future, and/or that the Company will be able to raise the financing needed to continue its exploration programs on favorable terms, or at all. Restrictions on the Company's ability to finance could have a materially adverse outcome on the Company and its securities, and its ability to continue as a going concern.

#### Flow-through agreements

From time to time, the Company may enter into flow-through agreements ("FT Agreement") with subscribers, pursuant to which the Company commits to incur certain flow-through expenditures, as that term is defined in the FT Agreement ("FT Expenditures") and renounce those FT Expenditures to subscribers. Should the Company be unable to incur and/or renounce all or a portion of those FT Expenditures in accordance with the terms of the FT Agreement, the Company may have liability to the subscriber as a result of failure to renounce FT Expenditures.

#### Title, Rights and Permits

The Company has investigated title to all of its exploration properties and, to the best of its knowledge, title to all of its properties, and properties that it has the right to acquire or earn an interest in are in good standing; however, the Company's properties may be subject to prior unregistered agreements or transfers and title may be affected by undetected defects. These defects could adversely affect the Company's title to such properties or delay or increase the cost of the development of such properties.

The Company's properties may also be subject to Aboriginal/First Nations or other historical rights that may be claimed on Crown properties or other types of tenure with respect to which mineral rights have been conferred. The Company is in ongoing communication with the Aboriginal/First Nations communities associated with its properties, and is aware of the mutual benefits afforded by co-operative relationships with indigenous people in conducting exploration activity, and is supportive of measures established to achieve such co-operation.

The Company may be required to receive permits to conduct some of its exploration work at certain projects. While the Company diligently completes the application process, there is no guarantee that the permit(s) will be secured. Failure to acquire the necessary permit(s) could have a material impact on the Company's ability to fulfill its programs.

#### Market

The Company's securities trade on public markets and the trading value thereof is determined by the evaluations, perceptions and sentiments of both individual investors and the investment community taken as a whole. Such evaluations, perceptions and sentiments are subject to change, both in short term time horizons and longer-term time horizons. An adverse change in investor evaluations, perceptions and sentiments could have a material adverse outcome on the Company and its securities.

#### Metal and Commodities Prices

The mining industry in general is intensely competitive and there is no assurance that, even if commercial quantities of mineral resources are developed, a profitable market will exist for the sale of such product. Factors beyond the control of the Company may affect the marketability of any minerals discovered. No assurance may be given that metal prices will remain stable. Significant price fluctuations over short periods of time may be generated by numerous factors beyond the control of the Company, including domestic and international economic and political trends, expectations of inflation, currency exchange fluctuations, interest rates, global or regional consumption patterns, speculative activities and increased production due to improved mining and production methods. The effect of these factors on the price of minerals and therefore the economic viability of any of the Company's exploration projects cannot accurately be predicted. As the Company's properties are in the exploration stage, the above factors have had no material impact on present operations or income.

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*Exploration and Development*

All of the Company's properties are in the exploration stage and no known reserves have been discovered on such properties. There is no certainty that the expenditures to be made by the Company or its option partners in the exploration of its properties described herein will result in discoveries of metals in commercial quantities or that any of the Company's properties will be developed. Most exploration projects do not result in the discovery of economic deposits of metals and no assurance can be given that any particular level of recovery of metals will in fact be realized or that any identified resource will ever qualify as a commercially mineable (or viable) resource which can be legally and economically exploited. Estimates of reserves, mineral deposits and production costs can also be affected by such factors as environmental permit regulations and requirements, weather, environmental factors, unforeseen technical difficulties, unusual or unexpected geological formations and work interruptions. In addition, the grade of metals ultimately discovered may differ from that indicated by drilling results. There can be no assurance that metals recovered in small-scale tests will be duplicated in large-scale tests under on-site conditions or in production scale.

*Exploration, Development and Operating*

Mineral exploration and mining operations generally involve a high degree of risk. The Company's operations are subject to all the hazards and risks normally encountered in the exploration, development and production of base metals and other minerals, including unusual and unexpected geologic formations, seismic activity, rock bursts, cave-ins, flooding and other conditions involved in the drilling and removal of material, any of which could result in damage to, or destruction of, mines and other producing facilities, damage to life or property, environmental damage and possible legal liability. The financing, exploration, development and mining of any of the Company's properties is furthermore subject to a number of macroeconomic, legal and social factors, including commodity prices, laws and regulations, political conditions, currency fluctuations, the ability to hire and retain qualified people, the inability to obtain suitable adequate machinery, equipment or labor and obtaining necessary services in jurisdictions in which the Company operates. Unfavorable changes to these and other factors have the potential to negatively affect the Company's operations and business.

*Political and Economic Instability*

The Company's activities in Canada are subject to risks common to operations in the mineral exploration and mining industry in general. Mineral exploration and mining activities and production activities may be affected in varying degrees by political stability and government regulations relating to this industry. Any changes in regulations or shifts in political conditions are beyond the control of the Company and may adversely affect its business. Operations may be affected in varying degrees by government regulations with respect to community rights, restrictions on production, price controls, export controls, restriction of earnings, taxation laws, expropriation of property, environmental legislation, water use, labor standards and workplace safety.

*Environmental*

Environmental legislation on a global basis is evolving in a manner that will ensure stricter standards and enforcement, increased fines and penalties for non-compliance, more stringent environmental assessment of proposed development and a higher level of responsibility for companies and their officers, directors and employees. There is no assurance that future changes to environmental legislation in Canada will not adversely affect the Company's operations. Environmental hazards may exist on properties in which the Company holds interests which are unknown at present and which have been caused by previous owners or operators. Furthermore, future compliance with environmental reclamation, closure and other requirements may involve significant costs and other liabilities. In particular, the Company's operations and exploration activities are subject to Canadian federal and provincial laws and regulations governing protection of the environment. Such laws are continually changing and, in general, are becoming more restrictive.

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#### Competition in the Mineral Exploration Industry

The resource industry is intensely competitive in all of its phases, and the Company competes with many companies possessing greater financial resources and technical facilities than itself. Competition could adversely affect the Company's ability to acquire suitable new prospects for exploration in the future. Competition could also affect the Company's ability to raise financing to fund the exploration and development of its properties or to hire qualified personnel.

#### Key Personnel

The Company's operations are dependent to a large degree on the skills and experience of certain key personnel. The Company does not maintain "key man" insurance policies on these individuals. Should the availability of these persons' skills and experience be in any way reduced or curtailed, this could have a materially adverse outcome on the Company and its securities.

#### Information Systems and Cyber Security

The Company's operations depend on information technology ("IT") systems. These IT systems could be subject to network disruptions caused by a variety of sources, including computer viruses, security breaches and cyber-attacks, as well as disruptions resulting from incidents such as cable cuts, damage to equipment, natural disasters, terrorism, fire, loss of power, vandalism and theft. The Company's operations also depend on the timely maintenance, upgrade and replacement of networks, equipment, IT systems and software, as well as pre-emptive expenses to mitigate the risks of failures. Any of these and other events could result in information system failures, delays and/or increase in capital expenses. The failure of information systems or a component of information systems could, depending on the nature of any such failure, adversely impact the Company's reputation and results of operations. Although to date the Company has not experienced any material losses relating to cyber-attacks or other information security breaches, there can be no assurance that the Company will not incur such losses in the future. The Company's risk and exposure to these matters cannot be fully mitigated because of, among other things, the evolving nature of these threats. As a result, cyber security and the continued development and enhancement of controls, processes and practices designed to protect systems, computers, software, data and networks from attack, damage or unauthorized access remain a priority. As cyber threats continue to evolve, the Company may be required to expend additional resources to continue to modify or enhance protective measures or to investigate and remediate any security vulnerabilities.

#### Uninsurable

The Company and its subsidiaries may become subject to liability for pollution, fire, explosion and other risks against which it cannot insure or against which it may elect not to insure. Such events could result in substantial damage to property and personal injury. The payment of any such liabilities may have a material, adverse effect on the Company's financial position.

### **FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS**

Certain of the statements made herein may constitute "forward-looking statements" or contain "forward-looking information" within the meaning of applicable Canadian securities laws. In this context, forward-looking statements often address expected future business and financial performance, and often contain words such as "anticipate", "believe", "plan", "estimate", "expect", and "intend", statements that an action or event "may", "might", "could", "should", or "will" be taken or occur, or other similar expressions. All statements, other than statements of historical fact, included herein including, without limitation; statements about the potential for mineralization at the Company's properties, the timelines to complete the Company's exploration programs, timing for permit applications, timing for resource estimates, timing to complete technical reports, forecasts for exploration expenditures, estimates of future administrative costs and statements about the Company's future development of its properties.

Forward-looking statements are subject to a variety of risks and uncertainties which could cause actual events or results to differ from those reflected in the forward-looking statements, including, without limitation, risks and uncertainties relating to foreign currency fluctuations; risks inherent in mineral exploration and mine development including environmental hazards, industrial accidents, unusual or

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unexpected geological formations, ground control problems and flooding; risks associated with the estimation of mineral resources and reserves and the geology, grade and continuity of mineral deposits; the possibility that future exploration, development or mining results will not be consistent with the Company's expectations; the potential for and effects of labor disputes or other unanticipated difficulties with or shortages of labor or interruptions in production; the potential for unexpected costs and expenses and commodity price; uncertain political and economic environments; changes in laws or policies, delays or the inability to obtain necessary governmental permits; and other risks and uncertainties, including those described under Risk Factors.

Forward-looking information is in addition based on various assumptions including, without limitation, the expectations and beliefs of management, the assumed long-term price of commodities; that the Company can access financing, appropriate equipment and sufficient labor and that the political environment will continue to support the development and operation of mining projects. Should one or more of these risks and uncertainties materialize, or should underlying assumptions prove incorrect, actual results may vary materially from those described in forward-looking statements. Accordingly, readers are advised not to place undue reliance on forward-looking statements. The Company does not intend to update forward-looking statements or information, except as may be required by applicable law.

**QUALIFIED PERSON**

The Company's disclosure of a technical or scientific nature in this Report has been reviewed and approved by Adree DeLazzer P. Geo a Qualified Person ("QP") (as defined in National Instrument 43-101, "Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects").

**APPROVAL**

The Board of Directors oversees management's responsibility for financial reporting and internal control systems through an Audit Committee. This Committee meets periodically with management and annually with the independent auditors to review the scope and results of the annual audit and to review the financial statements and related financial reporting and internal control matters before the financial statements are approved by the Board of Directors and submitted to the shareholders of the Company. The Board of Directors of the Company has approved the Financial Statements and the disclosure contained in this MD&A. A copy of this MD&A will be provided to anyone who requests it.

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Additional information is available on the Company's website at [www.nsuperior.com](http://www.nsuperior.com) or on SEDAR at [www.sedarplus.ca](http://www.sedarplus.ca).