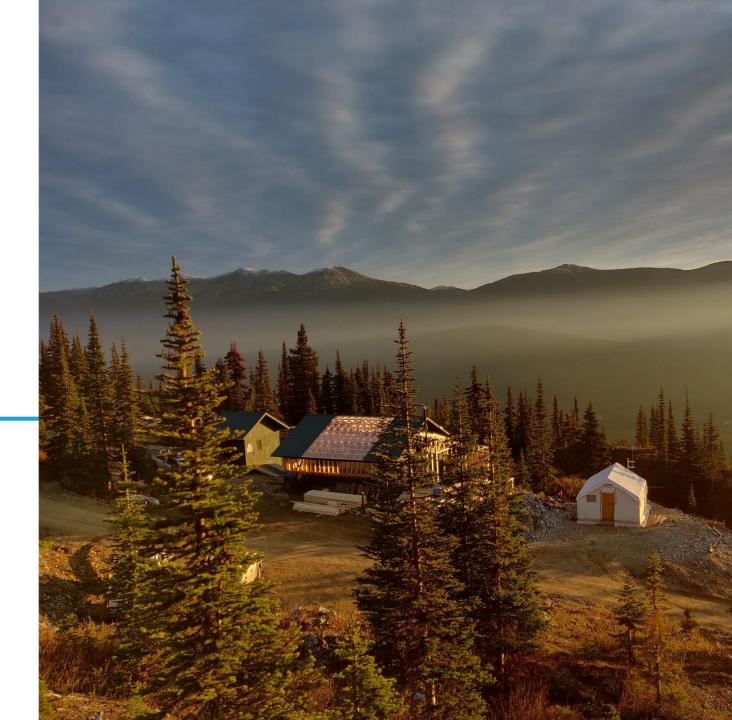
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# BUILDING A COPPER DISTRICT IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

**July 2023** 



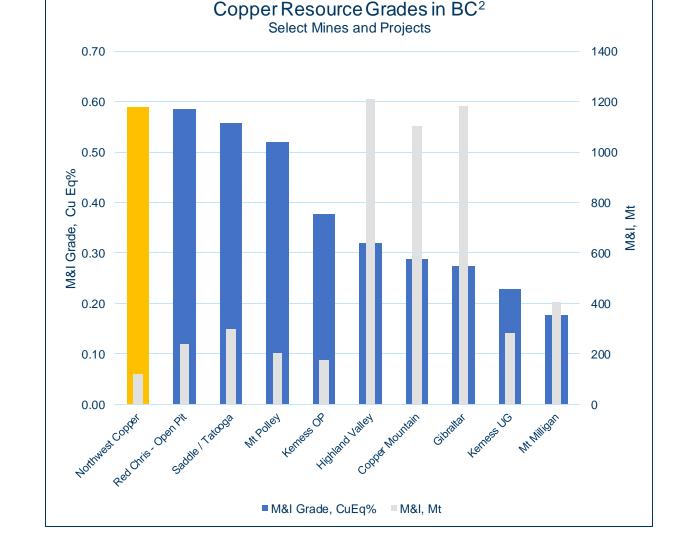
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# NorthWest Copper

- Some of the highest grades in BC
- Value underpinned by <u>1.5 billion</u> <u>pounds</u> of CuEq Measured and Indicated Resources<sup>1</sup>
- Road accessible projects at low elevation
- Plan to focus 2023 drill program on greenfield and brownfield targets



Note 1: For NorthWest Copper Resources and associated notes please refer to appendix Note 2: Company filings, for NorthWest Copper Resources and associated notes please refer to appendix

# World Class Drilling Results at Kwanika

#### NorthWest Copper Drill Highlights from Kwanika<sup>4</sup>

Hole	From (m)	Interval <sup>1</sup> (m)	CuEq <sup>2</sup> (%) Cu (%) Au (g/t)		Ag (g/t)		
K-21-217	253.2	235.5	2.65	2.00	1.21	5.30	
K-08-062	130.9	610.1	1.15	0.74	0.78	1.83	
K-18-182	25.0	500.3	1.04	0.66	0.80	2.24	
K-18-180	33.0	513.9	1.05	0.64	0.80	2.08	
K-16-177	160.0	438.4	1.14	0.71	0.83	1.99	
K-20-198	214.7	697.6	0.83	0.40	0.65	1.90	
K-22-255	152.2	399.8	1.01	0.62	0.74	2.00	
K-07-015	27.4	328.3	1.04	0.72	0.61	1.80	
K-21-210	263.5	416.5	0.74	0.44	0.57	1.60	
K-21-210	263.5	416.5	0.74	0.44	0.57	1.6	
K-22-242	339.3	304.2	0.75	0.47	0.53	1.70	
K-18-183	407.4	312.0	0.83	0.45	0.73	1.8	

Note 1: True widths of the reported mineralized intervals have not been determined

Note 2: Assumptions used in USD for the copper equivalent calculation (CuEq) were metal prices of \$3.50/lb. Copper, \$1,650/oz Gold, \$21.50/oz Silver, and recovery is assumed to be 86.0% for copper, 63.5% for gold and 61.6% for silver. The following equation was used to calculate copper equivalence: CuEq = Copper (%) + (Gold \$(g/t)\$ x 0.5078\$) + (Silver <math>\$(g/t)\$ x 0.0064\$)

Note 3: Jr. Mining Hub (www.iuniormininghub.com) online drill data base, May 2, 2023

Note 4: See NI 43-101 technical report titled "Kwanika-Stardust Project NI 43-101 Technical Report on Preliminary Economic Assessment" dated February 17, 2023, with an effective date of January 4, 2023, filed under the Company's SEDAR profile at <a href="https://www.sedar.com">www.sedar.com</a>.

#### Last Twelve Months, Significant Intercepts by Project (World)<sup>3</sup>

Company	Location	Interval Length (m)	Cu (%)	Au (g/t)	Ag (g/t)
Filo Mining	Chile/Argentina	1,338	0.66	0.54	31.50
ATEX	Chile	1,343	1,343 0.46		0.00
Solaris	Ecuador	930	0.62	0.07	0.00
Arras	Kazakhstan	1,124	0.25	0.40	1.70
NGEx	Chile	989	0.51	0.27	1.70
Northwest	Canada	235	2.00	1.21	5.30
Aldebaran	Argentina	1,108	0.43	0.05	1.40
Osisko Metals	Canada	1,011	0.46	0.00	3.20
Northwest	Canada	400	0.62	0.74	2.00

#### Last Twelve Months, Significant Intercepts by Project (Canada)<sup>3</sup>

Company	Location	Interval Cu Length (m) (%)		Au (g/t)	Ag (g/t)	
Northwest	BC	235	2.00	1.21	5.30	
Osisko Metals	Quebec	1,011	0.46	0.00	3.20	
Northwest	BC	400 0.62		0.74	2.00	
American Eagle	BC	956	0.20	0.19	1.30	
Pacific Ridge	ВС	497	0.37	0.40	1.60	
Brixton	ВС	780	0.27	0.27 0.05 2.5		

# Building a Copper District in British Columbia

#### **Tier 1 Jurisdiction**

- Low political risk; attractive for major mining companies
- Over \$5.5 billion in recent mining M&A

### **South Omineca Copper District**

Dominant 73,000 hectares in district

# **Suite of Growth Opportunities and Untested Exploration Targets**

- High grade underground resource expansion potential at Kwanika
- Multiple open pit potential resource growth targets at Lorraine
- Array of near deposit and greenfield discovery targets
- Large Cu-Au system identified at East Niv



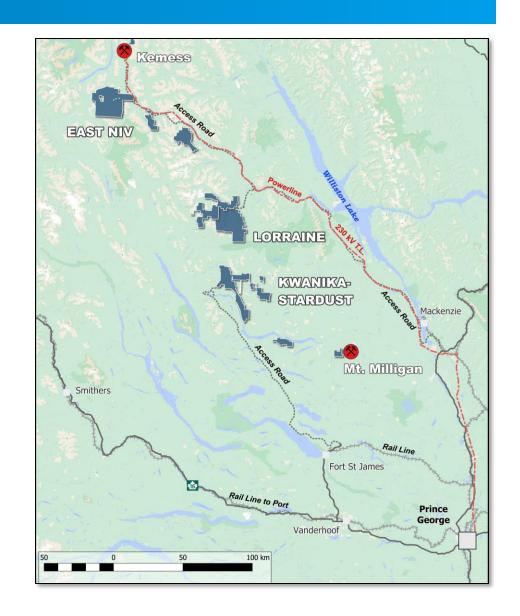
### Location, Location, Location

### British Columbia is the right jurisdiction to look for copper

- Record setting \$740 million spent on mineral exploration in 2022<sup>1</sup>
- Well understood and robust permitting process
- Large, skilled workforce
- Working collaboratively with First Nations is fundamental to our successful exploration in British Columbia

### South Omineca Copper District well located

- Property bookended by two mines owned by Centerra Gold
  - Mt. Milligan (currently operating, historical production<sup>2</sup> of 274 kt Cu and 1.8 Moz Au from 2013-2022)
  - Kemess (currently on care and maintenance, historical production<sup>3</sup> of 360 kt Cu and 3.0 Moz Au from 1998-2011)
- Extensive existing infrastructure roads, rail, bridges, access to BC Hydro grid (hydro power – very low GHG)
- Favorable topography, elevation, climate and precipitation levels compared to many copper deposits in BC and the rest of the world



# South Omineca Mining District

### Demonstrated low capital intensity project

- Only two deposits Kwanika-Stardust in 2022 PEA
  - 12 years of 90 Mlbs CuEq per year for \$600M capital
- Potential to add Lorraine and other regional deposits to mine plan (common process facility)
- Adding open pit tonnes and deferring underground capital spend could improve economics

### Reduced environmental footprint

- Shared infrastructure and underground component
- Connection to low GHG power grid

### NorthWest Copper Mineral Resources<sup>1</sup>

Classification	Tonnes (Mt)	Cu (%)	Au (g/t)	Ag (g/t)	CuEq (%)
Measured	56.3	0.40	0.45	1.31	0.63
Indicated	61.8	0.38	0.31	1.94	0.55
M&I	118.1	0.39	0.37	1.64	0.59
Inferred	79.1	0.40	0.16	4.12	0.50
Classification	Cu (Mlbs)	Au (koz)	Ag (koz)	CuEq (Mlbs)	
Measured	284.4	501.3	1,332.6	783.8	
Indicated	334.5	387.8	2,101.5	747.3	
M&I	618.9	889.1	3,434.1	1531.1	
Inferred	672.9	378.5	4,378.2	875.4	

### Kwanika-Stardust PEA Highlights<sup>2</sup>

Mine Life Initial Capital

Total Copper Recovered

12 years

C\$568 M

694 Mlbs Cu

Total Gold Recovered

Production (Annual Avg)

AISC<sup>4</sup> (CuEq)

803 koz Au

90.6 Mlbs CuEq

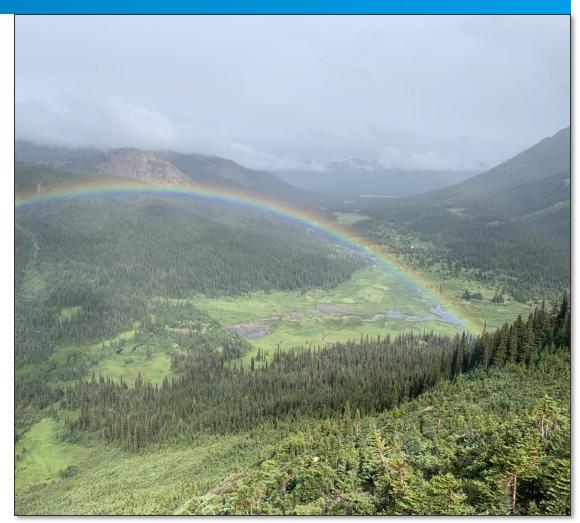
US\$2.01/lb

Note 1: Includes Kwanika-Sstardust and Lorraine, for complete details of NorthWest Copper Resources and associated notes please refer to appendix

# Partnering with First Nations

NorthWest Copper believes collaboration with First Nations and their Free, Prior and Informed Consent is key to unlocking opportunities, ensuring stewardship, and creating shared value

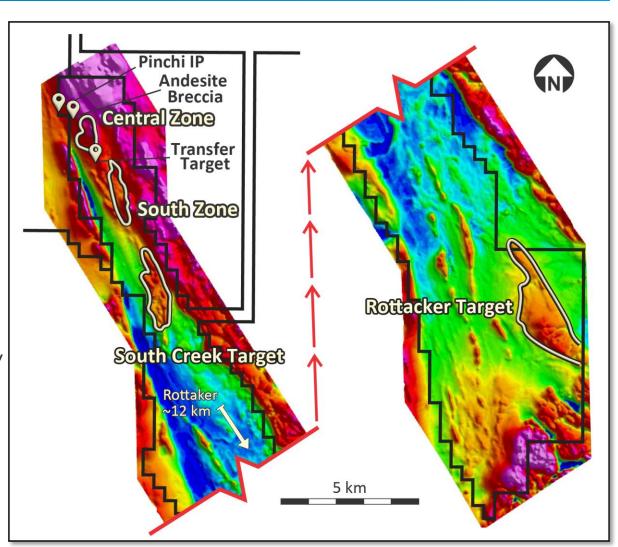
- Currently working with Takla Lake, Tsay Keh Dene, Nak'azdli Whut'en, Gitxsan Hereditary Chiefs, and McLeod Lake
- We embrace the United Nations Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples (UNDRIP) and acknowledge our activities are located on their traditional lands
- We are committed to conducting our work in an environmentally and culturally respectful manner that promotes sound stewardship practices and respects the rights of Indigenous peoples
- Respectful engagement and information sharing are fundamental to Free, Prior and Informed Consent (FPIC) to our activities
- We engage with all groups on an ongoing basis and value transparency and dialogue to understand and minimize impacts and to create economic opportunities



Aerial view of main valley at East Niv

# Kwanika Potential Targets

- Deep Central Zone Red Chris analogue
- Deep South Zone Analogous to the "boot" at the Central Zone
- Transfer Target near-surface, highly prospective target, possible structural offset of Central Zone
- Andesite Breccia Cu-Au mineralization open at depth and along strike
- Pinchi IP Shallow IP target untested
- South Creek Zone Copper in rock samples with porphyry alteration with coincident large magnetic anomaly
- Rottacker Copper in rocks and silts with coincident chargeability and conductivity anomalies, Kwanika Central Zone lookalike



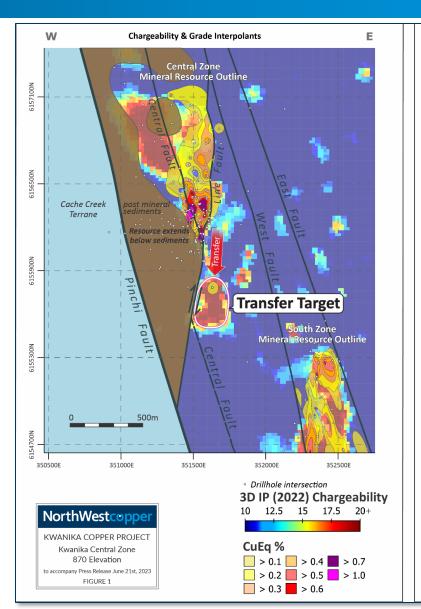
# Kwanika – Transfer Target

### Located ~500 m south of Central Zone

- Identified through new interpretations of:
  - The 3D induced polarization ("3DIP"") survey completed in 2022
  - New models that reconstruct movement on post-mineral structures
  - Alteration and metal zoning patterns
- Transfer Target may represent the faulted offset of the Kwanika
   Central Zone

Figure Note: Level plans approximately 200m below surface at 870m above sea level. (Left) highlights the Transfer Target chargeability anomaly (block model) with property scale structural interpretation, and grade shell interpolations (coloured polygons) from leapfrog geo at the Central and South Zone. (Right) shows the same level plan highlighting the potential position of the Transfer Target relative to the Central Zone mineralization pre-faulting.

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Kwanika Central Zone

870 Elevation

to accompany Press Release June 21st. 2023

FIGURE 2

Chargeability

Possible location

pre-faulting

**Transfer Target** 

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CuEq %

Drillhole intersection

-> 0.3 -> 0.6

3D IP (2022) Chargeability

12.5 15 17.5 20+

—> 0.1 —> 0.4 —> 0.7

—> 0.2 —> 0.5 —> 1.0

Potential offset of mineralization

indicated by chargeability

Mineral Resource Outline

Central Zone

Mineral Resource Outline

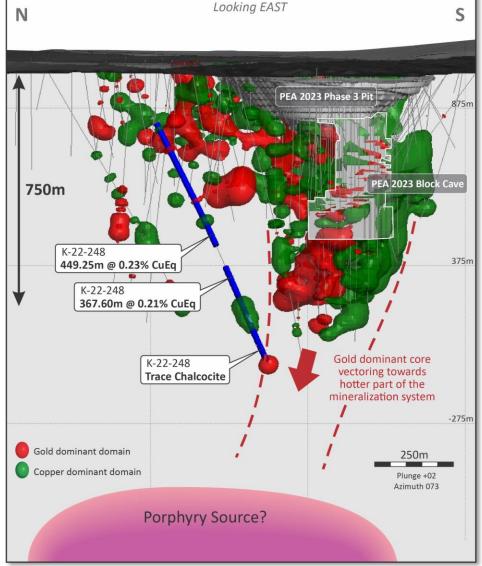
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# Kwanika – Potential Deep Target

### Very little deep drilling has been done at Kwanika

- Possible analogue to Red Chris (Newcrest/Imperial Metals)
  - Significant discovery below pit triggered Newcrest investment
- High Au-to-Cu ratio in the core (hottest part) of the system surrounded by a Cu dominant envelope
- Mineralization open at depth with strong indicators of expansion potential
  - Fine-grained chalcocite in K-22-248 suggests vectoring towards hotter part of the system porphyry source?
  - Physical properties indicate the system may continue at depth
  - Mineralization and alteration envelope dips steeply to the north
  - White mica crystallinity shows high temperature core dipping steeply to the north
  - Wall rock porphyry causative intrusion not identified
  - Fluid pathway likely due to structures and the intersection of the structures focus the high-grade mineralization
- Initial test of 2-3 deep holes planned

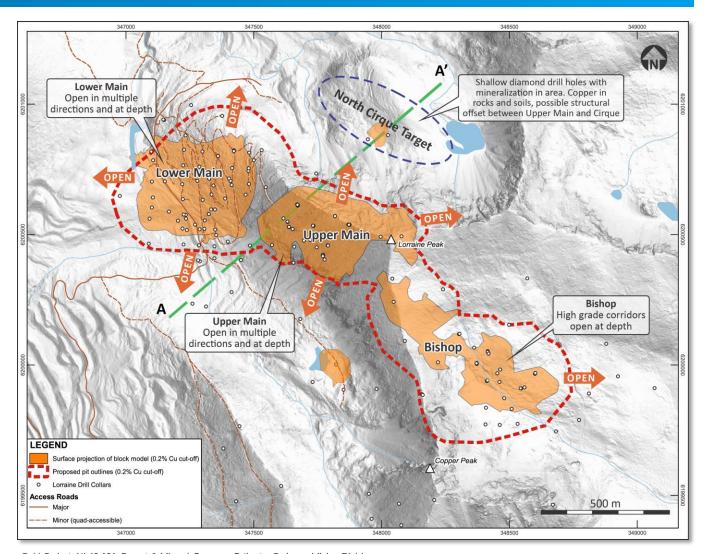
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# Lorraine - Resource Expansion and New Discovery Potential

### 2023 drilling will build on the successful 2022 exploration program

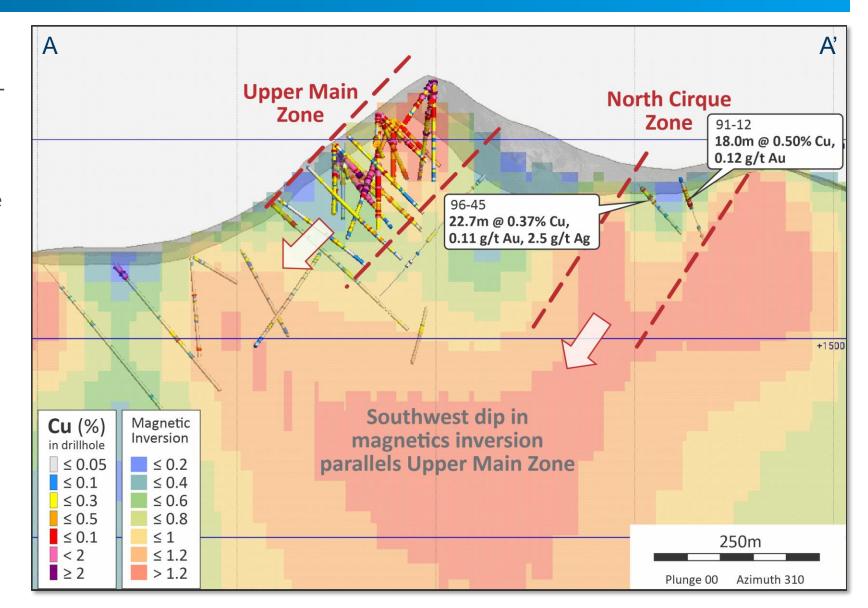
- Bishop
  - 2022 mineral resource (2.5 Mt indicated, 9.1 Mt inferred<sup>1</sup>)
  - Step outs will test open areas to the east
- **North Cirque** 
  - Only 2 shallow holes (96-45 and 91-12) both contain intersections of >1% Cu mineralization.
  - Mapped bornite, chalcopyrite and soil anomalies between the Lorraine Upper Main Zone and the Cirque target area
  - No IP coverage in this area. IP planned to refine target
  - Open in all directions
- **Upper and Lower Main** 
  - Further step outs building on 2022 drilling



# Lorraine Potential Targets - North Cirque

### **North Cirque**

- Only 2 shallow holes (96-45 and 91-12) both contain intersections of >1% Cu mineralization.
- Mapped bornite, chalcopyrite and soil anomalies between the Lorraine Upper Main Zone and the Cirque target area
- Select historic drill results:
  - 96-45: 22.7 m at 0.37% Cu, 0.11 g/t Au, 2.5 g/t Ag
  - 91-12: 18 m at 0.50% Cu, 0.12 g/t Au
- No IP coverage in this area. IP planned to refine target
- Open in all directions



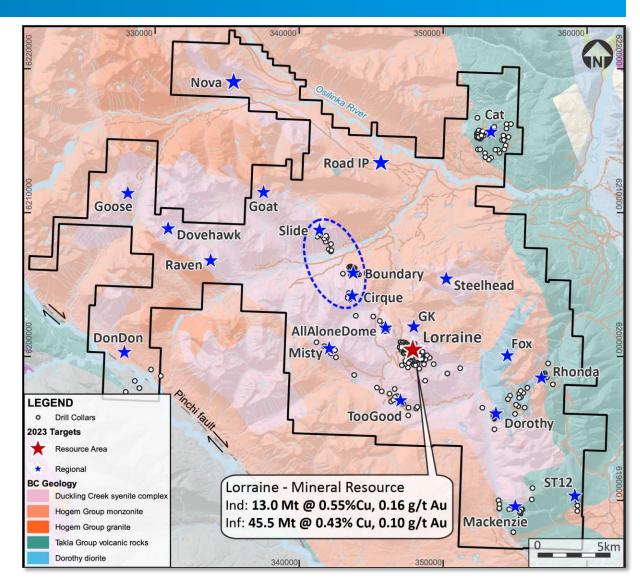
# Lorraine Potential Targets – Slide, Cirque, Boundary

#### Slide

- Similar magnetic response on Lorraine and Top Cat claim groups on Slide ridge, high rock/soil geochemistry
- Similar host rocks to Tam/Lorraine, several highgrade intervals drilled, high rock/soil geochemistry, possible continuation on to Top Cat property

### **Cirque and Boundary**

- Non-compliant historical resource 7.2Mt at 0.55 %
   Cu and 3.7 g/t Ag (Boundary Zone; Dyson, 1974)
- Select historic drill results:
  - JTM-74-06: 51.8 m at 1.29 % Cu, 0.14 Au, 8.76 Ag (from 3 m), and 112.8 m at 0.50 % Cu, 0.05 g/t Au, 3.90 g/t Ag
- Inferred steep-moderate SW dipping, and NW plunging mineralized zone

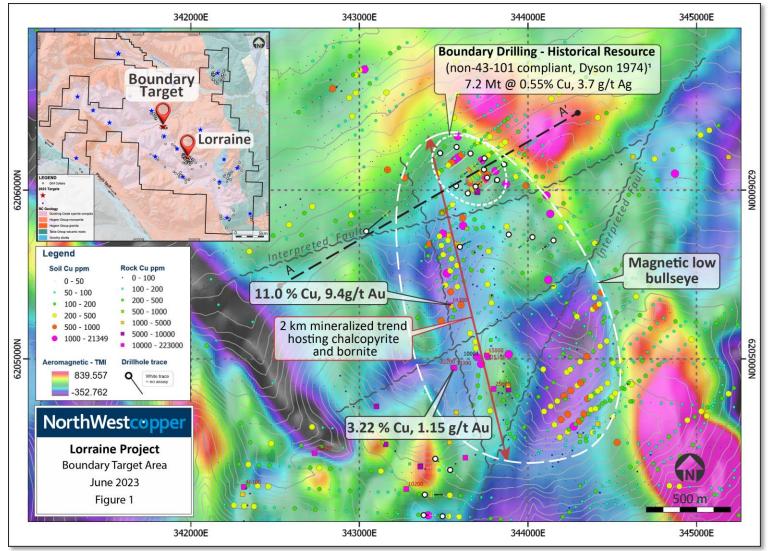


# Lorraine - Boundary

### Tier 1 Target

Target identified by new interpretations of:

- Magnetic and induced polarization geophysical surveys;
- Post-mineralization structures and their displacements;
- Surface rock geochemical results with values up to 11% Cu, 60 g/t Au and 262 g/t Ag;
- Similar host geology and hydrothermal alteration to the Lower Main Zone at Lorraine; and
- The presence of a historical (1974), noncompliant resource of 7.2 Mt grading 0.55 % Cu and 3.7 g/t Ag<sup>1</sup> in the northern portion of the target area.

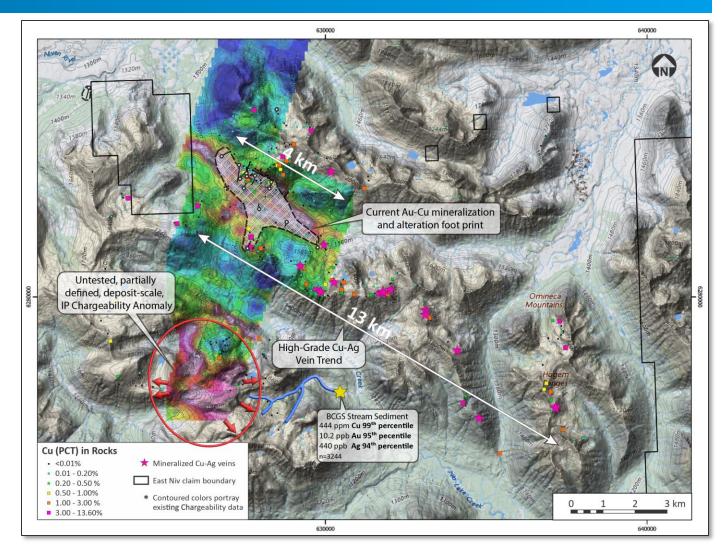


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# East Niv – 2021 Discovery with Growth Potential

### East Niv covers 43,000 hectares

- Drilling has identified a 4-km porphyry hydrothermal system, open along strike, at depth, and to the southwest<sup>1</sup>
- Extensive 2022 surface sampling program outlined a 13-km trend of copper mineralization<sup>2</sup>
  - 206 surface rock samples sent for analysis
  - 11 high-grade samples range from
     1.08 % Cu to 6.55 % Cu
- ~35 km to Kemess (owned by Centerra)



### Capital Structure

### **Capital Structure**

Basic Shares Outstanding 189.8 million

Warrants 11.0 million

Options/RSUs/DSUs 17.2 million

Fully Diluted Shares
Outstanding
218.0 million

Completed a C\$5.1 million financing on February 10, 2023

### Share Ownership



### **Analyst Coverage**



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# Right metal, in the right jurisdiction, at the right time

### **Copper** is the right Metal

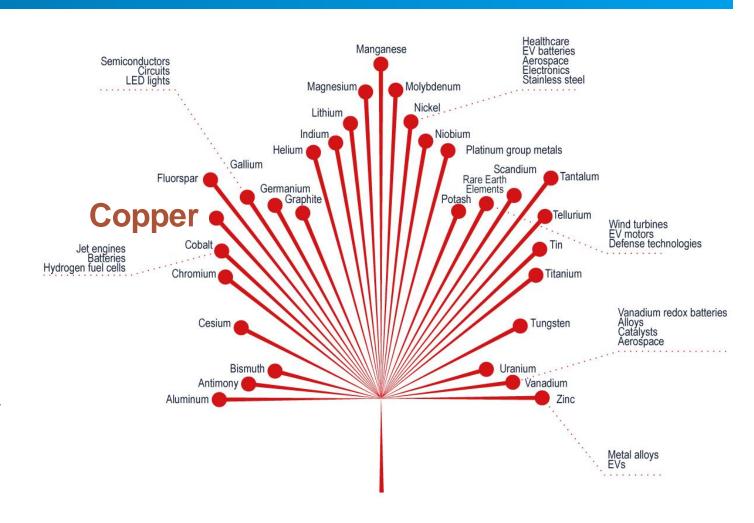
- Electrification drives demand
- New discoveries are rare and mines harder to develop
- Canada directly supporting critical minerals development

### Central British Columbia is the right jurisdiction

- Well understood and robust permitting process
- Infrastructure and water with large, skilled workforce
- Working collaboratively with First Nations fundamental to successful exploration in British Columbia

### Now is the right time for **NorthWestcopper**

- Higher grade resources with proven low capital intensity
- Significant resource expansion potential and opportunity for new discoveries
- Optionality on discovery at East Niv near Kemess



Canada's List of 31 Critical Minerals, The Canadian Critical Minerals Strategy

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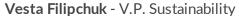
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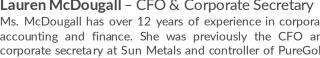
# Experienced Team

#### Dave Moore- Interim-President & CEO

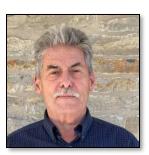
Mr. Moore is interim-President and CEO. He previously served as a Director of NorthWest Copper and was the President and CEO of Serengeti Resources from 2004, through the successful merger. He brings experience and expertise ranging from grassroots prospecting to international exploration, business management and development, and a proven ability to recognize high-potential exploration targets and transform them into successful projects.



Ms. Filipchuk has over 30 years of experience in Indigenous relations, negotiations, community engagement, consultation and environmental management. Her career includes experience with Teck Resources, most recently on the Galore Creek Copper Project. She holds a MA in Resource Management from the University of Victoria.



**Lauren McDougall** - CFO & Corporate Secretary Ms. McDougall has over 12 years of experience in corporate accounting and finance. She was previously the CFO and corporate secretary at Sun Metals and controller of PureGold. She holds a Bcomm from Carleton University and is a CPA and CMA

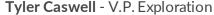






#### James Lang - Chief Geoscientist

Dr. Lang has 37 years of experience including with MDRU as a global consultant and 16 years with Hunter Dickenson Group. Jim was involved in major discoveries at Pebble and Xietongmen (Tibet). He holds a PhD in Geology from the University of Arizona.



Mr. Caswell has over 18 years of experience as a geologist in the Americas and Asia. He has worked in base metals, and gold. Tyler has experience spanning early-stage exploration to brownfields. He holds a BSc in geology from the University of Victora and is a P. Geo.



#### Peter Lekich - Investor Relations

Mr. Lekich has more than ten years of experience in investor relations, and previously worked at Galiano Gold and Eldorado Gold. In both roles he led the investor relation functions and developed strategies to engage the investment community. He holds a B.A.SC in Chemical Engineering from the University of British Columbia and an MBA from the Sauder School of Business.





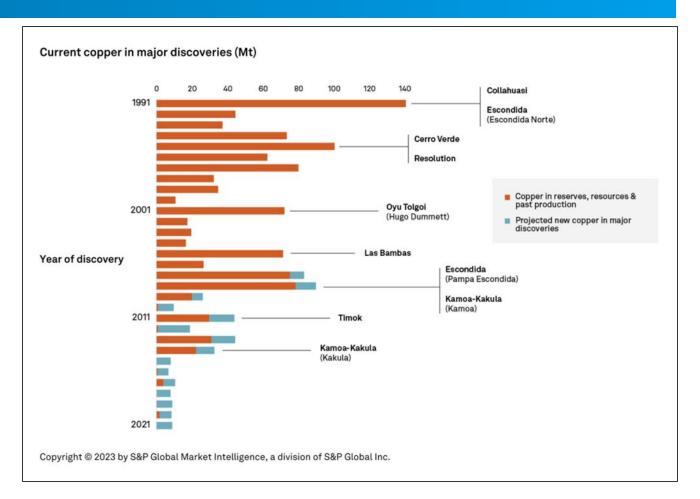


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# Copper: Supply Perspective – Lack of Discovery

The copper demand story is well established, supply constraints are less broadly known

- New discoveries are rare
- Most deposits are deeper blind discoveries
- Many producing countries are facing political, community and water challenges
- Limited grassroots exploration
- Time to permit and build new mines is 10-15 years
- Most new deposits require multi-billion dollar initial capital
- Supply response is slow and at risk



# NorthWest Copper Mineral Resource Estimate

Kwanika Central										
Open Pit	Classification	Tonnes (Mt)	Cu (%)	Au (g/t)	Ag (g/t)	CuEq (%)	Cu (Mlbs)	Au (koz)	Ag (koz)	CuEq (Mlbs)
	Measured	30.7	0.31	0.31	1.05	0.47	210.8	310.5	1,041.7	320.9
	Indicated	35.9	0.22	0.19	0.8	0.32	174.9	222.0	923.9	254.5
	M&I	66.6	0.26	0.25	0.92	0.39	385.7	532.5	1,965.6	576.8
	Inferred	4.1	0.15	0.15	0.58	0.23	13.8	20.1	77.3	20.8
	Classification	Tonnes (Mt)	Cu (%)	Au (g/t)	Ag (g/t)	CuEq (%)	Cu (Mlbs)	Au (koz)	Ag (koz)	CuEq (Mlbs)
	Measured	25.6	0.5	0.61	1.62	0.82	284.4	501.3	1,332.6	462.9
Underground	Indicated	11.3	0.51	0.65	1.56	0.85	126.2	236.7	565.1	211.8
	M&I	36.8	0.51	0.62	1.6	0.84	410.6	738.0	1,897.8	677.5
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Kwanika South		1								
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Open Pit	Inferred	25.4	0.28	0.06	1.68	0.32	155.0	52.4	1,373.9	179.9
Stardust										
	Class	Tonnes (Mt)	Cu (%)	Au (g/t)	Ag (g/t)	CuEq (%)	Cu (Mlbs)	Au (koz)	Ag (koz)	CuEq (Mlbs)
Underground	Indicated	1.6	1.49	1.63	30.1	2.86	52.2	83.1	1,536.4	100.8
	Inferred	4.1	1.00	1.38	22.8	2.14	90.0	181.1	3,004.3	193.0
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Open Pit	Classification	Tonnes (Mt)	Cu (%)	Au (g/t)	Ag (g/t)	CuEq (%)	Cu (Mlbs)	Au (koz)	Ag (koz)	CuEq (Mlbs)
	Indicated	13.0	0.55	0.16		0.63	156.1	68.0		180.2
	Inferred	45.5	0.43	0.1		0.48	427.9	145.0		481.7
NorthWest Copper	Classification	Tonnes (Mt)	Cu (%)	Au (g/t)	Ag (g/t)	CuEq (%)	Cu (Mlbs)	Au (koz)	Ag (koz)	CuEq (Mlbs)
	Measured	56.3	0.40	0.45	1.31	0.63	284.4	501.3	1,332.6	783.8
	Indicated	61.8	0.38	0.31	1.94	0.55	334.5	387.8	2,101.5	747.3
	M&I	118.1	0.39	0.37	1.64	0.59	618.9	889.1	3,434.1	1531.1
	Inferred	79.1	0.40	0.16	4.12	0.50	672.9	378.5	4,378.2	875.4

### NorthWest Copper Resource Estimate Notes

#### Kwanika Central (Open Pit and Underground) Notes

- The Mineral Resources have been compiled by Mr. Brian S. Hartman, M.S., P.Geo., Ridge Geoscience LLC, and subcontractor to Mining Plus. Mr. Hartman is a Registered Member of the Society for Mining, Metallurgy & Exploration, and a Practicing Member with Professional Geoscientists Ontario. Mr. Hartman has sufficient experience that is relevant to the style of mineralization and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity that he has undertaken to qualify as a Qualified Person as defined by NI 43-101.
- The Mineral Resource estimate has an effective date of January 4, 2023.
- Mineral Resources are not Mineral Reserves and do not have demonstrated economic viability.
- The totals contained in the above table have been rounded. Rounding may cause some computational discrepancies.
- Mineral Resources are estimated consistent with CIM Definition Standards and reported in accordance with NI 43-101.
- Open Pit Mineral Resources are reported on an in-situ basis at an NSR of US\$8.21 and constrained by an economic pit shell. Underground Mineral Resources are reported at an economic cut-off of US\$1.641 and constrained by a conceptual block cave shape. Cut-offs are based on assumed prices of US\$3.50/lb for copper, US\$21.50/oz for silver, and US\$1,650/oz for gold. Assumed metallurgical recoveries are based on a set of recovery equations derived from recent metallurgical test work. Maximum recoveries were limited to 95% for Cu, 85% for Au and 72% for Ag. Milling plus G&A costs were assumed to be US\$8.21/tonne, and underground mining and G&A costs are assumed to be US\$8.20/tonne.
- Actual SG measurements were interpolated into the block model, with an average SG of 2.74.
- The quantity and grade of reported Inferred Mineral Resources in the 2023 PEA are uncertain in nature and there has been insufficient exploration to define these Inferred Mineral Resources as Indicated or However, it is reasonably expected that the majority of Inferred Mineral Resources could be upgraded to Indicated Mineral Resources with continued exploration.
- The estimate of Mineral Resources may be materially affected by geology, environment, permitting, legal, title, taxation, sociopolitical, marketing, or other relevant issues.
- Assumptions used in USD for the copper equivalent calculation (CuEq) were metal prices of \$3.50/lb. Copper, \$1,650/oz Gold, \$21.50/oz Silver, and recovery is assumed to be 86.0% for copper, 63.5% for gold and 61.6% for silver. The following equation was used to calculate copper equivalence: CuEq = Copper (%) + (Gold (g/t) x 0.5078) + (Silver (g/t) x 0.0064)

#### Kwanika South (Open Pit) Notes

- The Mineral Resources have been compiled by Mr. Brian S. Hartman, M.S., P.Geo., Ridge Geoscience LLC, and subcontractor to Mining Plus. Mr. Hartman is a Registered Member of the Society for Mining, Metallurgy & Exploration, and a Practicing Member with Professional Geoscientists Ontario. Mr. Hartman has sufficient experience that is relevant to the style of mineralization and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity that he has undertaken to qualifyed Person as defined by NI 43-101.
- The Mineral Resource estimate has an effective date of January 4, 2023.
- Mineral Resources are not Mineral Reserves and do not have demonstrated economic viability.
- The totals contained in the above table have been rounded. Rounding may cause some computational discrepancies.
- Mineral Resources are estimated consistent with CIM Definition Standards and reported in accordance with NI 43-101.
- Open Pit Mineral Resources are reported on an in-situ basis at an economic cut-off of US\$8.21 and constrained by an economic pit shell. Cut-offs are based on assumed prices of US\$3.50/lb for copper, US\$21.50/oz for silver, and US\$1,650/oz for gold. Assumed metallurgical recoveries are based on a set of recovery equations derived from recent metallurgical test work. Maximum recoveries were limited to 95% for Cu, 85% for Au and 72% for Ag. Milling plus G&A costs were assumed to be US\$8.21/tonne.
- Actual SG measurements were interpolated into the block model, with an average SG of 2.68.
- The quantity and grade of reported Inferred Mineral Resources in the 2023 PEA are uncertain in nature and there has been insufficient exploration to define these Inferred Mineral Resources as Indicated or However, it is reasonably expected that the majority of Inferred Mineral Resources could be upgraded to Indicated Mineral Resources with continued exploration.
- The estimate of Mineral Resources may be materially affected by geology, environment, permitting, legal, title, taxation, sociopolitical, marketing, or other relevant issues.
- Assumptions used in USD for the copper equivalent calculation (CuEq) were metal prices of \$3.50/lb. copper, \$1,650/oz gold, \$21.50/oz silver and \$15.00/lb for molybdenum, and recovery is assumed to be 86.0% for copper, 63.5% for gold, 61.6% for silver and 50.0% for molybdenum. The following equation was used to calculate copper equivalence: CuEq = Copper (%) + (gold (g/t) x 0.5078) + (silver (g/t) x 0.006417) + (molybdenum (ppm) x 0.0002492).

### NorthWest Copper Resource Estimate Notes, cont

#### Stardust (Underground) Notes

- The Mineral Resources have been compiled by Mr. B Ronald G. Simpson of GeoSim Services Inc. Mr. Simpson has sufficient experience that is relevant to the style of mineralization and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity that he has undertaken to qualify as a Qualified Person as defined by NI 43-101.
- The Mineral Resource estimate has an effective date of January 4, 2023.
- Mineral Resources are not Mineral Reserves and do not have demonstrated economic viability.
- The totals contained in the above table have been rounded. Rounding may cause some computational discrepancies.
- Mineral Resources are estimated consistent with CIM Definition Standards and reported in accordance with NI 43-101.
- Reasonable prospects for economic extraction were determined by applying a minimum mining width of 2.0 meter and excluding isolated blocks and clusters of blocks that would likely not be mineable.
- The base case cut-off of US\$88/t was determined based on metal prices of \$1,650/oz gold. \$21.50/oz silver and \$3.50/lb copper, underground mining cost of US\$64/t, transportation cost of US\$6/t, processing cost of US\$8.25/t, and G&A cost of US\$9.75/t. Recovery formulas were based on recent metallurgical test results. Maximum recoveries were limited to 95% for Cu, 85% for Au and 72% for Ag.
- Block tonnes were estimated using a density of 3.4 g/cm3 for mineralized material.
- Six separate mineral domains models were used to constrain the estimate. Minimum width used for the wireframe models was 1.5 m.
- For grade estimation, 2.0-meter composites were created within the zone boundaries using the best-fit method.
- Capping values on composites were used to limit the impact of outliers. For Zone 102, gold was capped at 15 g/t, silver at 140 g/t and copper at 7.5%. For all other zones, gold was capped at 6 g/t, silver at 140 g/t and copper at 5%.
- Grades were estimated using the inverse distance cubed method. Dynamic anisotropy was applied using trend surfaces from the vein models. A minimum of 3 and maximum of 12 composites were required for block grade estimation.
- Blocks were classified based on drill spacing. Blocks falling within a drill spacing of 30m within Zones 2, 3, and 6 were initially assigned to the Indicated category. All other estimated blocks within a maximum search distance of 100 m were assigned to the Inferred category. Blocks were reclassified to eliminate isolated Indicated resources within inferred resources.
- The quantity and grade of reported Inferred Mineral Resources in the 2023 PEA are uncertain in nature and there has been insufficient exploration to define these Inferred Mineral Resources as Indicated or However, it is reasonably expected that the majority of Inferred Mineral Resources could be upgraded to Indicated Mineral Resources with continued exploration.
- The estimate of Mineral Resources may be materially affected by geology, environment, permitting, legal, title, taxation, sociopolitical, marketing, or other relevant issues.
- Assumptions used in USD for the copper equivalent calculation (CuEq) were metal prices of \$3.50/lb. Copper, \$1,650/oz Gold, \$21.50/oz Silver, and recovery is assumed to be 94% for copper, 94% for gold and 86% for silver. The following equation was used to calculate copper equivalence: CuEq = Copper (%) + (Gold (g/t) x 0.6875) + (Silver (g/t) x 0.0082)

#### **Lorraine Notes**

- The Lorraine Technical Report was authored by Michael Dufresne, M.Sc., P. Geol., P.Geo. and Alfonso Rodriguez, M.Sc., P.Geo. both of APEX Geoscience Ltd. Each of the Technical Report authors are an independent qualified person in accordance with the requirements of National Instrument 43-101 Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects.
- The Mineral Resource Estimate is constrained in an LG pit optimization utilizing Cu at \$3.50/lb, Au at \$1,650/oz, mining costs of C\$3.50/tonne, processing and G&A at C\$14.50/tonne, pit slopes at 45 degrees and exchange rate of 0.77
- Assumptions used in USD for the copper equivalent calculation (CuEq) were metal prices of \$3.50/lb. copper, \$1,650/oz gold, \$21.50/oz silver, and recovery is assumed to be 86.0% for copper, 63.5% for gold and 61.6% for silver. The following equation was used to calculate copper equivalence: CuEq = copper (%) + (gold (g/t) x 0.5076) + (silver (g/t) x 0.006417)
- The Mineral Resource Estimate is calculated at a 0.20% copper cut-off grade