

# HIGH GRADE SILVER PRODUCTION FUNDING PRECIOUS METAL DISCOVERIES

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#### **Qualified Persons**

Ben Pullinger, P.Geo, Senior Vice President Geology of Excellon Resources Inc., is responsible for the Company's exploration programs and has supervised the preparation of the technical information, which is disclosed in this presentation. He has acted as the Qualified Person, as defined in NI 43-101, for this disclosure.

#### **CREATING WEALTH**





Platosa Mine's high-grade silver production, improving cost profile and exceptional leverage to silver price



Acquisition of Kilgore Project in Q2 2020 for less than US\$20/ounce, adding US\$300M NPV at US\$1,800 Au and significant growth upside



#### DISCOVERY **FOCUSED**

Discovery focus on all projects and first mover in resurgent high-grade epithermal district in Saxony, Germany - initial drilling delivers 0.45m @ 1,042 AgEq



**NYSE American listing** provides deeper pools of liquidity and broader access for retail and institutional investors

#### **CAPITAL STRUCTURE**



SHARE STRUCTURE	
Share Price (Feb. 17, 2020)	C\$4.01
Issued & Outstanding:	32.79 M
Options:	0.91 M
DSUs:	0.47 M
RSUs:	0.53 M
Warrants: C\$7.00 (Exp Aug. 27, 2021)	1.09 M
Warrants: C\$3.30 (Exp Mar. 29, 2022)	0.30 M
Warrants: C\$5.75 (Exp Jul. 30, 2023)	1.14 M
Fully Diluted:	36.50 M

#### **ANALYST COVERAGE**

- Cantor Fitzgerald Mike Kozak
- Cormark Securities Richard Gray
- **PI Financial** Phil Ker

#### **TOP SHAREHOLDERS**

- Eric Sprott
- Chris Lee-Barber
- Agnico Eagle Mines
- ETF Prime Junior Miners (SILJ)
- Sprott Asset Management
- Global X Silver Miners (SIL)
- Van Eck

TRADING SUMMARY*	TSX: <b>EXN</b>	NYSE: <b>EXN</b>
3M Av. Daily Vol:	135,427	71,772
52-Week Range:	\$6.20-1.55	\$4.65-0.75
Market Cap:	CAD\$130M	US\$103M



Cash equivalents include 3.5 million shares of Wallbridge Mining valued at US\$2.97M

#### **LEADERSHIP WITH A TRACK RECORD OF SUCCESS**



## **Board of Directors**

André Fortier
Independent

- Laurie Curtis
  Independent
- Andrew Farncomb
  Independent
- Brendan Cahill
  Non-Independent
- Michael Timmins
  Independent
- Craig Lindsay
  Non-Independent

- Roger Norwich
  Independent
- Anna Ladd-Kruger
  Non-Independent

## **Management**

- Brendan Cahill
  Director, President & CEO
- Paul Keller
  Chief Operating Officer
- Ronald Mariño

**VP** Finance

- Alfred Colas
- Chief Financial Officer
- Ben Pullinger
  SVP Geology & Corp. Dev.
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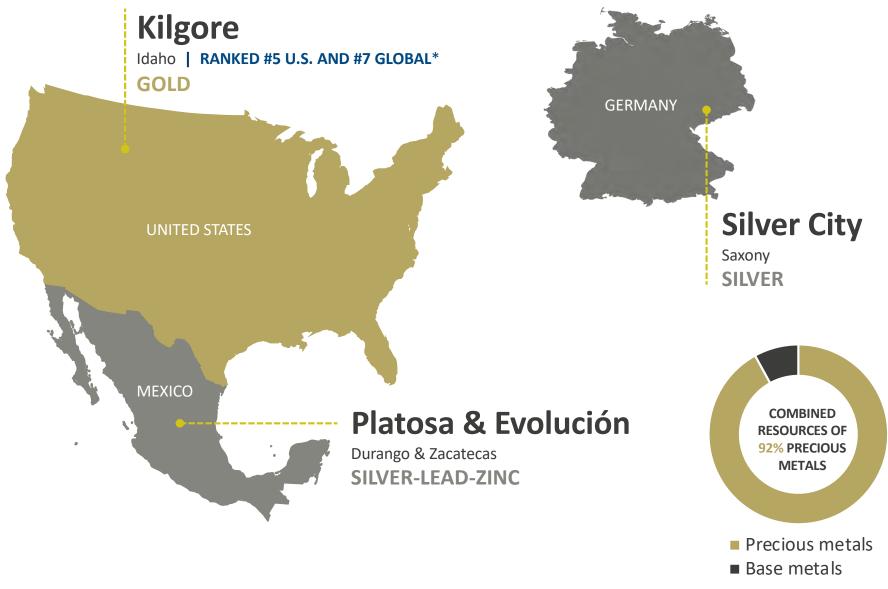






## **QUALITY PROJECTS IN TOP JURISDICTIONS**





## PLATOSA MINE – STRONG RESTART FROM Q3 2020

## Mexico's highest-grade silver producer

- High-grade underground silver mine with resources of 1,000 g/t AgEq<sup>1</sup>
- Over 800,000 tonnes mined since production commenced in 2005
- Post-pandemic suspension, focused on key cost reductions:
  - ✓ Labour (COMPLETE)

- ☐ General Optimizations (ONGOING)
- ✓ Treatment Charges (COMPLETE)
- ✓ Electricity (COMPLETE)



PRODUCTIO	N	2019	Q1 2020	Q2 2020*	Q3 2020	Q4 2020
Tonnes Mined		74,876	19,899	3,270	21,877	21,455
Tonnes Milled		75,247	19,042	1,288	22,612	22,626
Ore Grades	Ag (g/t)	490	542	492	483	536
	Lead (%)	4.75	5.44	5.37	5.26	5.42
	Zinc (%)	6.82	6.78	6.91	6.81	6.12
	Ag (oz)	1,054,029	296,281	18,919	326,909	355,581
	Lead (Ib)	6,134,888	1,890,456	129,204	2,227,511	2,223,465
Metal Prod.	Zinc (Ib)	8,425,221	2,131,034	158,735	2,746,328	2,452,728
AgEq (oz)		2,002,036	523,742	34,924	524,312	556,332
Recovery	Ag (%)	89.9	89.3	92.9	93.0	91.2
	Lead (%)	79.2	82.8	84.7	85.0	82.9
	Zinc (%)	77.7	74.9	80.9	80.9	80.1

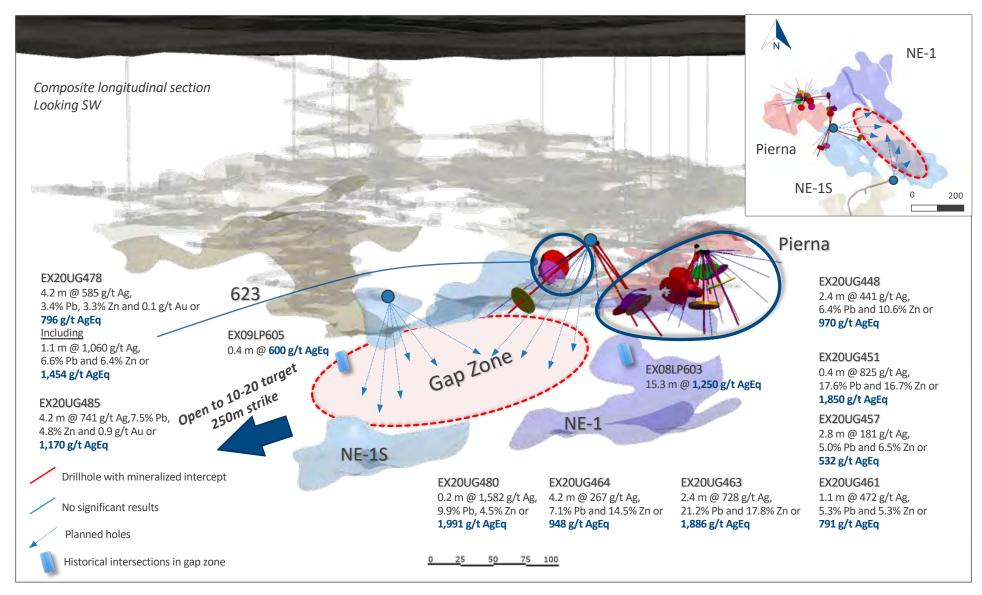
<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Refer to Appendices for complete mineral resource estimate data

<sup>\*</sup> Q2 2020, production suspended from April 1 to June 1 pursuant to decree of the Government of Mexico



#### PLATOSA MINE – UG INFILL & EXPANSION DRILLING

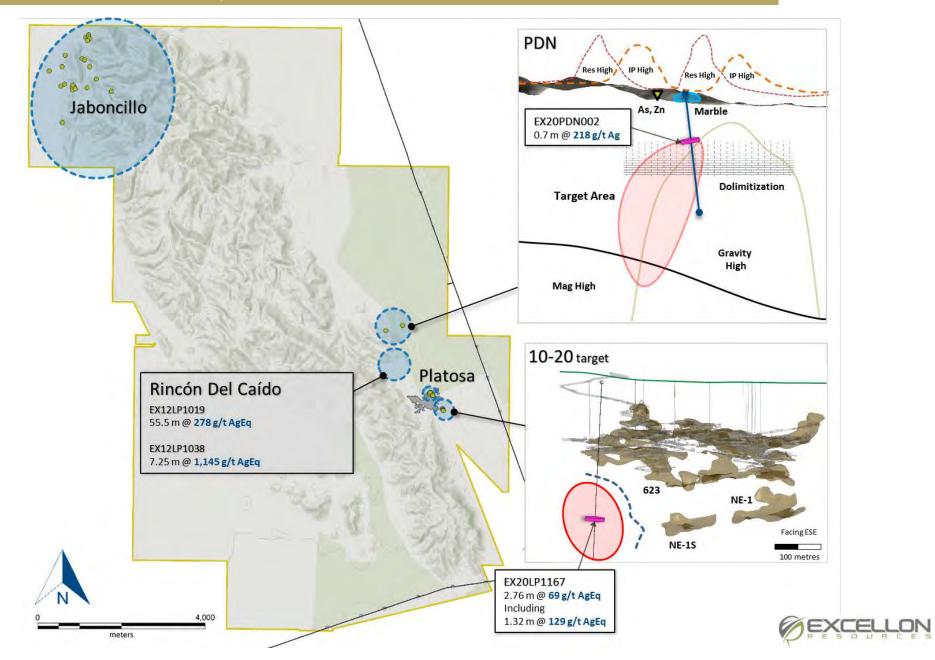
## Targeting vertical mineralization in Gap Zone





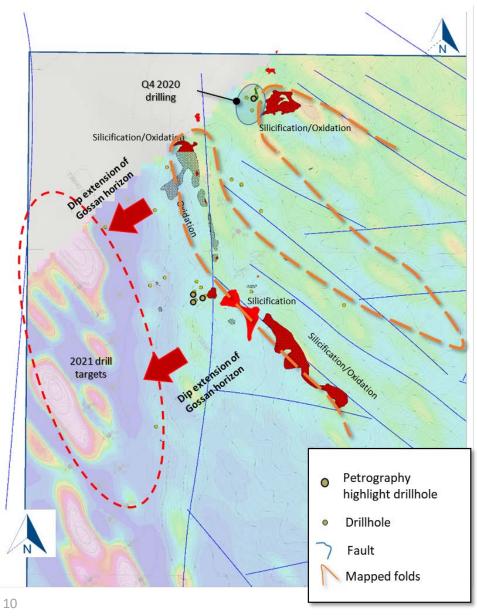
## **PLATOSA REGIONAL EXPLORATION**

# Mine Extensions, New Platosas and Au-Cu Skarns

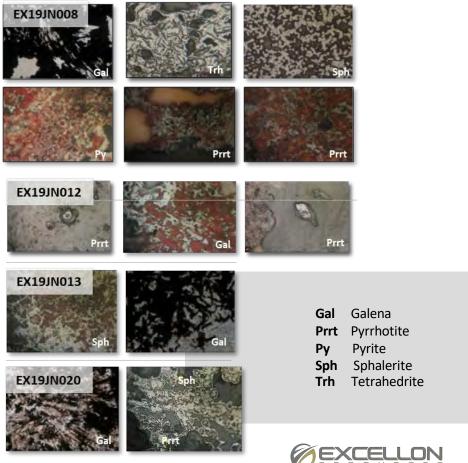


## **JABONCILLO**

## Drilling and Petrography 2021



- Petrographic studies have shown that gossans intersected at Jaboncillo contain relict base metal sulphides including sphalerite and galena
- Further confirmation of potential for Jaboncillo to host deposits similar to Platosa
- Follow up work now also confirming sulphide silver species, silver sulfosalts and base metal sulphides

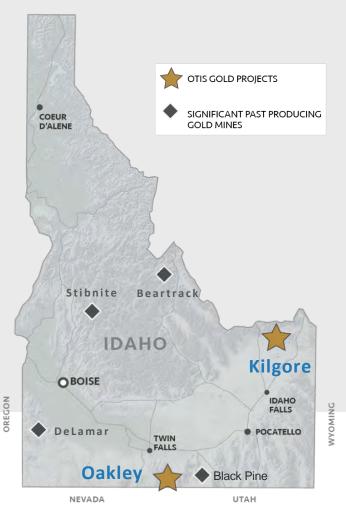




#### **KILGORE – A MULTI-MILLION OUNCE OPPORTUNITY**

# Significant room for resource growth and discovery

# US\$300 million NPV @ \$1,800 Au Acquired for less than US\$20/oz



- 12,000 acre property located in Idaho
- Caldera-related low sulphidation epithermal gold deposit analogous to Kinross Gold's Round Mountain
- Historical mine workings dating back to the 1930's

- High-grade near surface mineralization, including 85.4 m of 2.50 g/t Au in 160KR-338
- High-grade mineralization within the underlying Aspen formation open for expansion. Results include:

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56.4 m of 2.05 g/t Au - 15 OKR 304

59.5 m of 3.79 g/t Au - 15 OKR-305

50.3 m of 4.24 g/t Au - 15 OKR-308

94.5 m of 4.21 g/t Au - 15 OKR-309

30.5 m of 5.37 g/t Au - 16 OKR-315
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## **KILGORE PEA 2019**

# Attractive economics at current gold price range

ASSUMPTIONS	
Gold Price	\$1,300/oz
PRODUCTION PROFILE	
Total Leach Tons Mined	54.0 million
Total Waste Tons Mined	60.0 million
Head Grade - Crushed	0.72 g/T (0.02 opt)
Head Grade - ROM	0.24 g/T (0.007 opt)
Mine Life	5.0 years
Tons per Day Mined - Crushed	15,000 tons per day
Tons per Day Mined - ROM	15,300 tons per day
Strip Ratio (Waste: Mineralized Material)	1.1:1
Average Au Recovery – Crushed / ROM	82% / 50%
Total Gold Ounces Mined	752,200
Total Gold Ounces Recovered	558,700
Average Annual Gold Production	111,700 oz
Peak Annual Gold Production	119,600 oz in year 1
UNIT OPERATING COSTS	
Total Operating Cash Costs	\$780/oz
All-In Sustaining Cost	\$832/oz
KEY ECONOMIC MEASUREMENTS	
Royalties	0%
Initial Cap-ex	\$81 million
Pre-tax NPV <sub>5%</sub> / After-tax NPV <sub>5%</sub>	\$144.0 million/\$110.4 million
Pre-tax IRR/ After-tax IRR	40.6%/34.0%
Undiscounted Operating Pre-tax Cash Flow/ After-tax Cash Flow	\$193.3 million/\$151.8 million
After-tax Payback Period	3.0 years

N	IPV	Discount Rate					
		5.0%	7.0%	9.0%			
Gold Prices USD/oz	\$1,100	32.4	23.2	15.1			
	\$1,300	110.4	96.8	84.6			
	\$1,600	223.0	203.0	185.0			
	\$1,800	299.6	275.1	252.9			
	\$2,000	370.7	342.0	316.1			

	Gold Price / oz									
	\$1,100	\$1,300	\$1,600	\$1,800 \$2,						
Post-tax IRR	13%	34%	63%	81%	98%					
PEA at \$1,300 gold price										
	PEA at recent gold prices									

- Latest metallurgical recoveries realized 92% crushed and 56% ROM
- Silver contribution not yet modelled



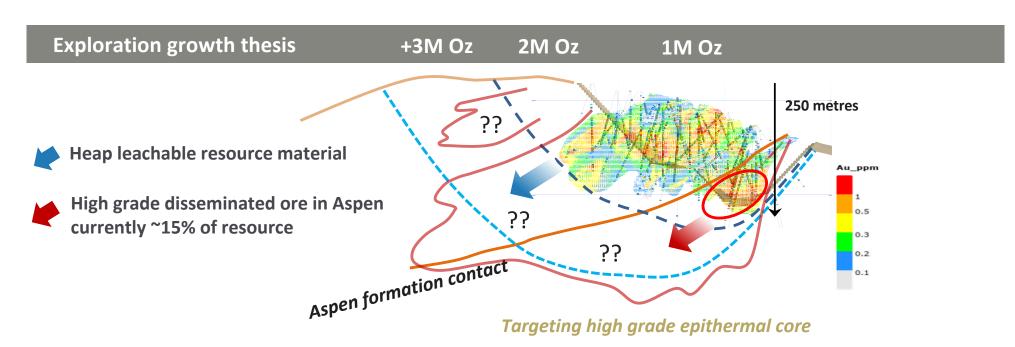
<sup>\*</sup>Refer to Appendices for complete PEA disclosure.

#### **KILGORE – A MULTI-MILLION OUNCE OPPORTUNITY**

## Round Mountain Analog

- Grades comparable with Round Mountain and a similar genetic model
- Current Kilgore resource totals ~1.0M oz, with resource and geology open for expansion
- High-grade intersections within Aspen sequence underlying deposit under-drilled and not well understood
- Exploration thesis is to demonstrate 3-5M oz Au opportunity

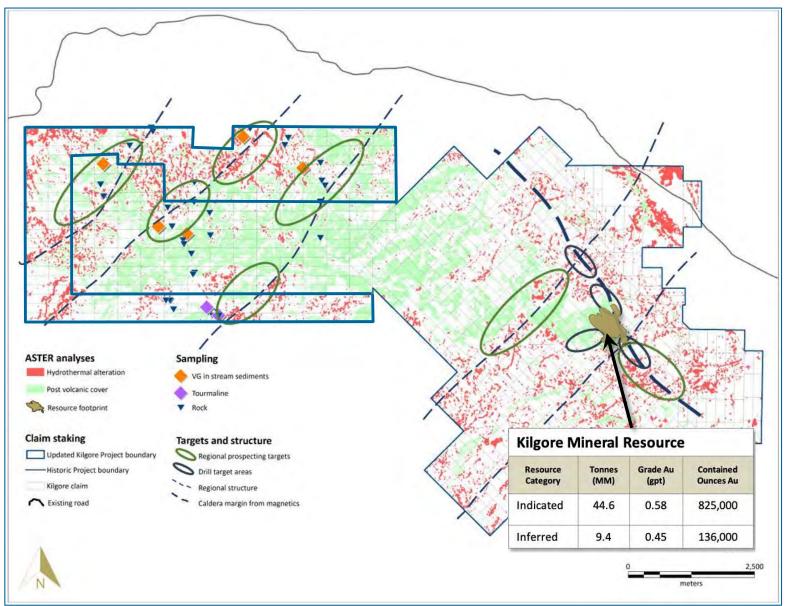
- Current PEA supports potential production of +100k oz per year
- Team capacity being developed on site in Idaho, geophysics and geochem ongoing
- Plan of Operations for next phase of exploration drilling submitted to US Forestry Service





#### **KILGORE – A MULTI-MILLION OUNCE OPPORTUNITY**

## Multiple regional targets for follow up in 2021



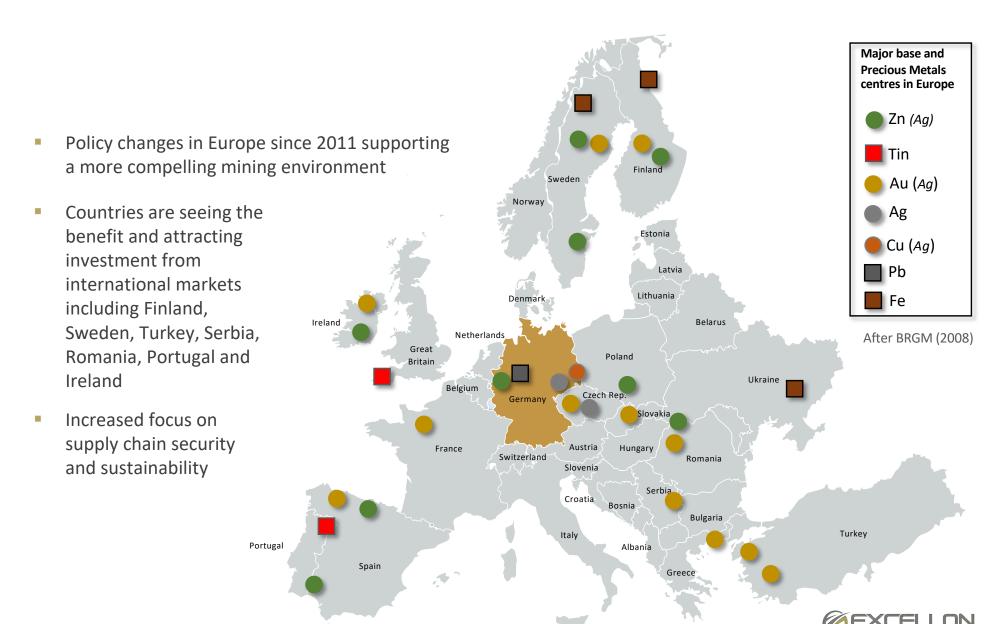
# PROGRESS IN 2020 INCLUDED:

- Completed ASTER and LiDAR geophysical surveying over 110 km<sup>2</sup>
- Enlarged KilgoreProperty byapproximately 28%
- Identifying multiple new regional targets through sampling and prospecting, returning visible gold in sediments and outcrop
- Re-logging 3,000 metres of historical core to support updated geology model



## **SILVER CITY**

# Europe is rich in metals



## **SILVER CITY**

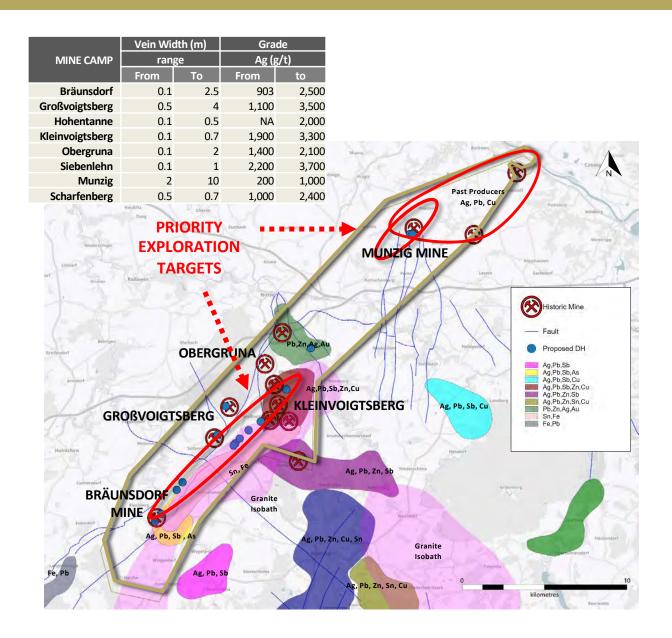
## High-grade silver mining district in Saxony, Germany

- +750 years of historical production with no modern exploration
- Located on the periphery of a large epithermal province centered around Freiberg in Saxony
- District scale: 164 km² with
   36 km of strike
- High-grade historical veins up to
   10 m wide and up to 3,700 g/t Ag
- Plan of operation submitted in Q1 and received efficiently in Q2 2020
- Drill testing multiple historical highgrade targets since early July 2020, with initial results delivering up to:
  - 1,042 g/t AgEq over 0.45m
  - Assays pending from nine holes





#### SILVER CITY – FIRST MOVER ADVANTAGE



- Mining ceased in the 1880s due to geopolitics and breakdown in gold:silver ratio
- License includes several historical mine camps; prospects mined to shallow depths seldom exceeding 200 m below surface
- Petrographic and fluid inclusion studies suggest a productive depth for precious metals from 50 to 450 m below surface
- High-priority exploration targets identified through historical analysis, mapping, geochem and IP surveys



## **SILVER CITY**

# Similar characteristics to Mexican epithermal belts





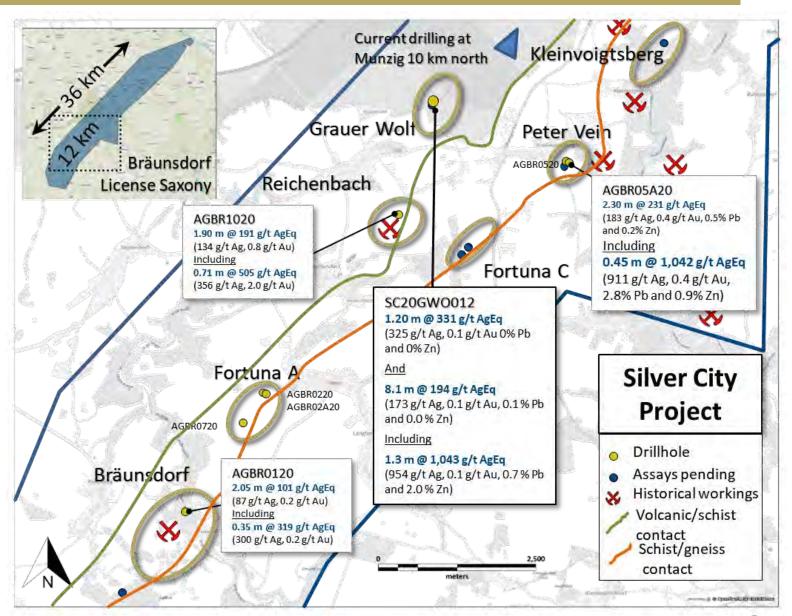


- Freiberg mineralogical galleries have spectacular collection of mineral samples from historical mines, used for insight into geology and potential
- All specimens shown here assay multi kilo per tonne silver



#### SILVER CITY - INITIAL DRILLING

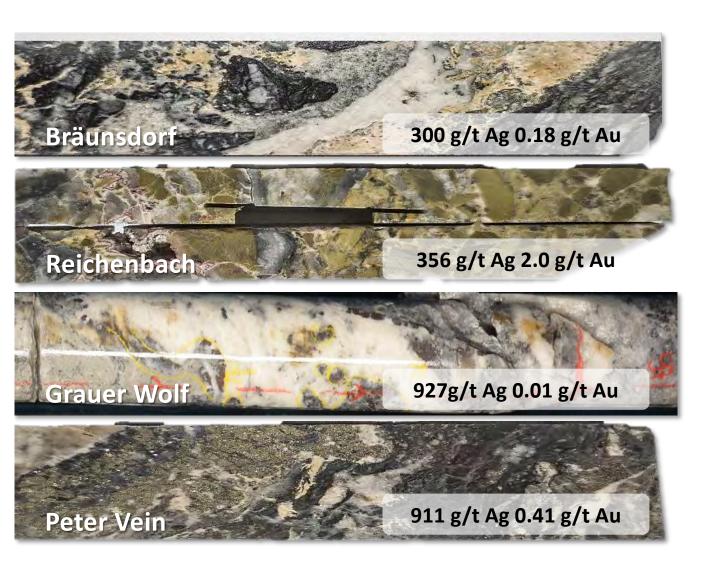
## Confirming high-grade, district-scale epithermal silver system





#### **SILVER CITY**

## Geology confirming high-grade potential

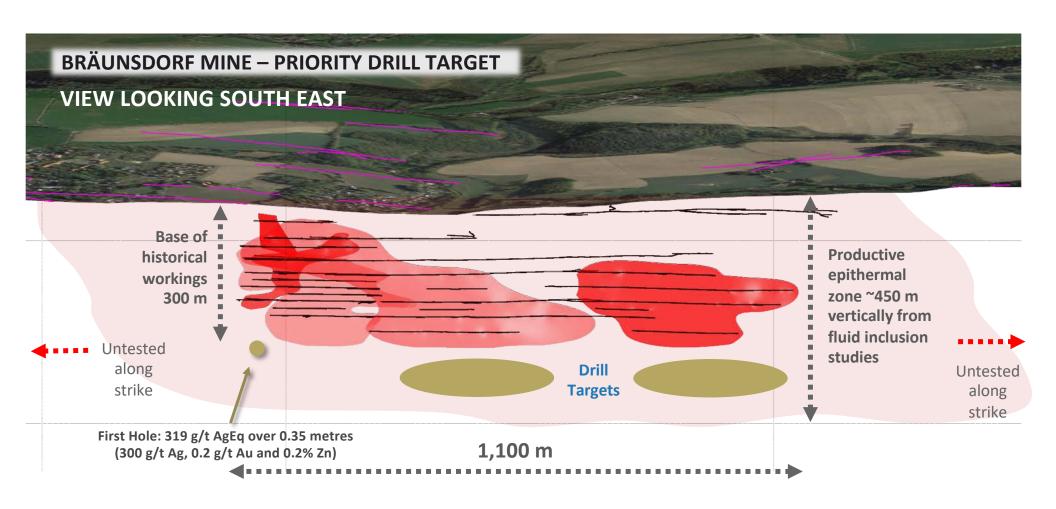


- Four priority targets for 2021 drilling
- Targets defined over 7.5 kilometres along strike and on multiple structures
- Multiple high-grade silver species, including pyrargyrite and freibergite, and fine-grained native silver



## SILVER CITY - BRÄUNSDORF

## Mineralization hit below plunge on first hole



Historical records describe veins up to 2.5 m at 900 - 2,500 g/t Ag



## **SILVER CITY**

# Mineral exploration in Saxony

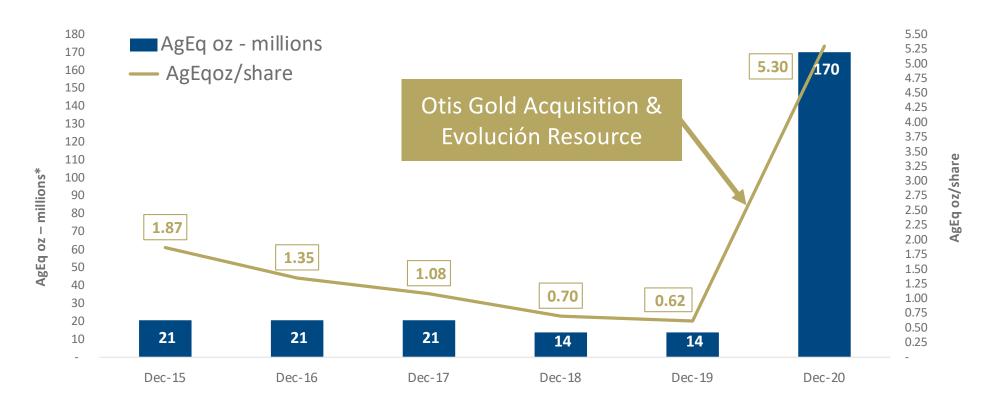
- Most "mining-friendly" state in Germany
- Proud mining history, with many famous economic geologists originating from Freiberg
- University of Freiberg, the oldest mining university in the world
- EXN and Helmholtz Institute
   Freiberg (HIF) have a research
   and development arrangement
   to test cutting-edge exploration
   technologies, including
   hyperspectral core scanning,
   on drill core from Silver City





#### **GROWTH STRATEGY**

## Increasing precious metal resources and NAV/share



2020 acquisitions and organic growth tremendously increasing asset base to:

- Indicated resources: 21.7M oz Ag, 825K oz Au, 200M lb Pb and 225M lb Zn
- Inferred resources: 18.7M oz Ag, 299k oz Au, 249M lb Pb and 380M lb Zn



<sup>\*</sup> AgEq calculated based on \$26.25 Ag, \$0.89 Pb, \$1.24 Zn and \$1,892 Au Refer to Appendices for complete mineral resource estimate data

## **OUR COMMITMENT TO RESPONSIBLE BUSINESS**

# Transparency and accountability



- Active and influential member of the Mining Association of Canada (MAC)
- Implementing a practical, best-in-class management system that:
  - Addresses safety, health, security, environmental and community aspects (UN Sustainable Development Goals)
  - Incorporates MAC's Towards Sustainable Mining Initiative and other leading programs
- Improving safety systems, training and hazard recognition



#### **CATALYSTS**

## Multiple opportunities on the mining value curve

#### **COMPLETE**

- Oakley Exploration Update and Property Expansion
- ✓ Evolución resource update
- ✓ Commencement of drilling programs at Jaboncillo & PDN (Platosa)
- ✓ NYSE American commencement of trading
- ✓ Ongoing ramp-up of Platosa lower costs, higher productivity
- ✓ Silver City Drill Results confirming high-grade epithermal silver system.
- ✓ Q4 production results demonstrating continued operational improvements

#### **NEAR-TERM**

- Assays pending from nine drill holes at Silver City
- Drill results from priority underground, Jaboncillo and PDN targets (Platosa)
- Drilling program commencing at Oakley
- Ongoing improvements in Platosa's cost profile

## **Any Time!**

 Multiple discovery opportunities at Silver City, Kilgore, Platosa, Evolución and Oakley







## **RESOURCES**



GOLD						
	IN	DICATED RESOU	IRCES	IN	IFERRED RESOURCES	
Property	Tonnes (000's)	Au (g/t)	Au ('000s oz)	Tonnes (000's)	Au (g/t)	Au (koz)
KILGORE PROJECT – Idaho	44,556	0.58	825	9,399	0.45	136
OAKLEY PROJECT – Idaho	-	-	-	9,972	0.51	163

#### SILVER-LEAD-ZINC

#### PLATOSA DEPOSIT – Durango, Mexico

Category	Tonnes	Ag (g/t)	Pb (%)	Zn (%)	AgEq (g/t)	Ag ('000s oz)	Pb ('000s lb)	Zn ('000s lb)	AgEq ('000s oz)
Indicated	485,000	549	5.6	5.9	1,055	8,562	59,752	62,953	16,456
Inferred	13,000	516	4.7	6.5	1,014	216	1,344	1,859	426

#### SILVER-LEAD-ZINC-GOLD

#### **EVOLUCIÓN DEPOSIT- Zacatecas, Mexico**

Category	Tonnes (000's)	Ag (g/t)	Au (g/t)	Pb (%)	Zn (%)	AgEq (g/t)	Ag ('000s oz)	Au ('000s oz)	Pb ('000s lb)	Zn ('000s lb)	AgEq ('000s oz)
Indicated	6,407	64	0.09	1.00	1.14	170	13,154	19	140,741	161,548	35,091
Inferred	14,960	39	0.10	0.75	1.15	135	18,524	49	247,459	377,747	64,813

Additional technical information and disclaimers provided on subsequent page.

#### **TECHNICAL DISCLOSURES**



#### PLATOSA DEPOSIT - Notes to Mineral Reserves and Resources

- · Mineral Resources that are not Mineral Reserves do not necessarily demonstrate economic viability.
- Mineral Resources are estimated pursuant to NI 43-101.
- Mineral Resources are estimated at a cut-off grade of 375 g/t AgEq and silver, lead and zinc prices of \$17.00, \$1.10 and \$1.30, and assuming metal recoveries of 89% for silver and 81% for lead and zinc respectively.
- All figures have been rounded to reflect the relative accuracy of the estimates.
- The Mineral Resources reported herein have been estimated using a geostatistical block modelling approach informed from silver, lead and zinc assay data collected in core borehole samples. The construction of the Mineral Resource model was a collaborative effort between Excellon and SRK personnel.
- The construction and methodology for the creation of the resource wireframes was overseen by Blair
  Hrabi of SRK, P.Geo. (APGO #1723) and geostatistical analysis, variography, mineral resource evaluation
  and classification were undertaken by Sébastien Bernier of SRK, P.Geo. (APGO #1847).
- The Mineral Resource Estimate were prepared in accordance with the Canadian Institute of Mining,
  Metallurgy and Petroleum's (CIM) 'Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves Best Practices' guidelines
  (November 2003) and are classified per the CIM 'Definition Standards for Mineral Resources and Mineral
  Reserves' (May 2014).
- "Technical Report on the Platosa Mine, Mexico" was prepared by SRK Consulting (Canada) Inc. and dated September 7, 2018 with an effective date as of March 31, 2018. Sébastien Bernier, P.Geo., is the Qualified Person that prepared or supervised preparation of the information in the Technical Report. The report is available on SEDAR under the profile of Excellon Resources Inc.

#### **EVOLUCIÓN DEPOSIT - Notes to Mineral Reserves and Resources**

- Mineral Resources are estimated pursuant to NI 43-101 with an effective date of August 31, 2020.
- Mineral Resources are reported at a cut-off grade of 90 g/t AgEq. Cut-off grades are based on a silver price of US\$17 per troy ounce and a silver recovery of 76%; a gold price of US\$1,550 per troy ounce and recovery of 20%; a lead price of US\$0.90 per pound and recovery of 90%; and a zinc price of US\$1.15 per pound and recovery of 88%.
- Mineral Resources that are not Mineral Reserves do not necessarily demonstrate economic viability. All
  figures have been rounded to reflect the relative accuracy of the estimates. Composites have been
  capped where appropriate.
- The mineral resources were estimated in conformity with the widely accepted CIM Estimation of Mineral Resource and Mineral Reserves Best Practices Guidelines (November 2019) and are reported in accordance with the Canadian Securities Administrators' National Instrument 43-101.
- The construction of the Mineral Resource model was a collaborative effort between Excellon and SRK personnel. Dr. Aleksandr Mitrofanov, P.Geo. (APGO#2824) is responsible for resource wireframing, geostatistical analysis, grade estimation and classification with senior review provided by Mr. Glen Cole, PGeo (APGO#1416).

#### KILGORE PROJECT - Notes to Mineral Reserves and Resources

- Mineral resources have been classified in accordance with the CIM Definition Standards on Mineral Resources.
- Gold resources are reported above a 0.21 g/T Au (0.006 opt) cut-off.
- Mineral resources reported here are constrained within an optimized pit shell. Pit shell input parameters: Gold price \$1,300, Selling price \$2.20/oz, Recovery 80%, Mining cost \$2/ton, Process cost + G&A \$4/ton, Pit slope 50°.
- "Independent Technical Report and Mineral Resource Estimate for the Kilgore Project", Clark Country Idaho, U.S.A., was prepared by Rowearth LLC. and Global Resource Engineering, Ltd and dated September 28, 2018 with an effective date as of August 14, 2018. David Rowe, CPG, of Rowearth LLC., is the Qualified Person that prepared or supervised preparation of the information in the Technical Report. Terre Lane with Global Resource Engineering, Ltd. Of Denver ("GRE") is the QP for pit optimization and Todd Harvey, also of GRE, is the QP for metallurgical aspects. The report is available on SEDAR under the profile of Otis Gold Corp.
- The PEA on the Kilgore Project was prepared by Global Resource Engineering. Ltd> (GRE)
  dated August 14, 2018, with an effective date as of March 31, 2019. David Rowe, Terre Lane,
  Jeffrey Todd Harvey and J.J. Brown are Qualified Persons under the Instrument. The report is
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#### **OAKLEY PROJECT**

Technical Report on the Oakley Project was prepared by Childs Geoscience Inc. ("CGI") with an
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preparation of the information in the Technical Report. The report is available on SEDAR
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Ben Pullinger, P.Geo., Excellon's Senior Vice President Geology (APGO #2420), is the Qualified Person under NI 43-101 for Excellon and has reviewed, approved and verified the technical content of this presentation as it relates to Excellon's properties.

# VISION To Create Wealth

# **MISSION**

We realize strategic opportunities through discipline and innovation for the benefit of our employees, communities and shareholders.

