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# **KEY POINTS**

**Imminent gold production:** H2 2025

**Built and permitted** 

Pre-feasibility mine plan: shows strong free cash flow of mine restart even before including clear upside

**Bulk sample underway:** success delivering planned grade and tonnage has validated thesis



**Funded for mine restart:** US\$35M debt signed in January, \$20M financing in February, gold sales from bulk sample



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# 2025 PLANS & FUNDS

Star	tup Schedule		Funding considerat
Q1	Complete bulk sample mining; start processing Complete Connection Drift Report bulk sample	Continue building stockpiles Maintain rising pace of underground	\$31M on hand * US\$20M available f facility Bulk sample and init
Q2	reconciliation results Start processing ore	operations	processing will pro
H2	Ramp up – gradually incr processing rates towards	-	Gold sales No principal debt re (until 2026)

\* As of 26 Feb 2025



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repayments

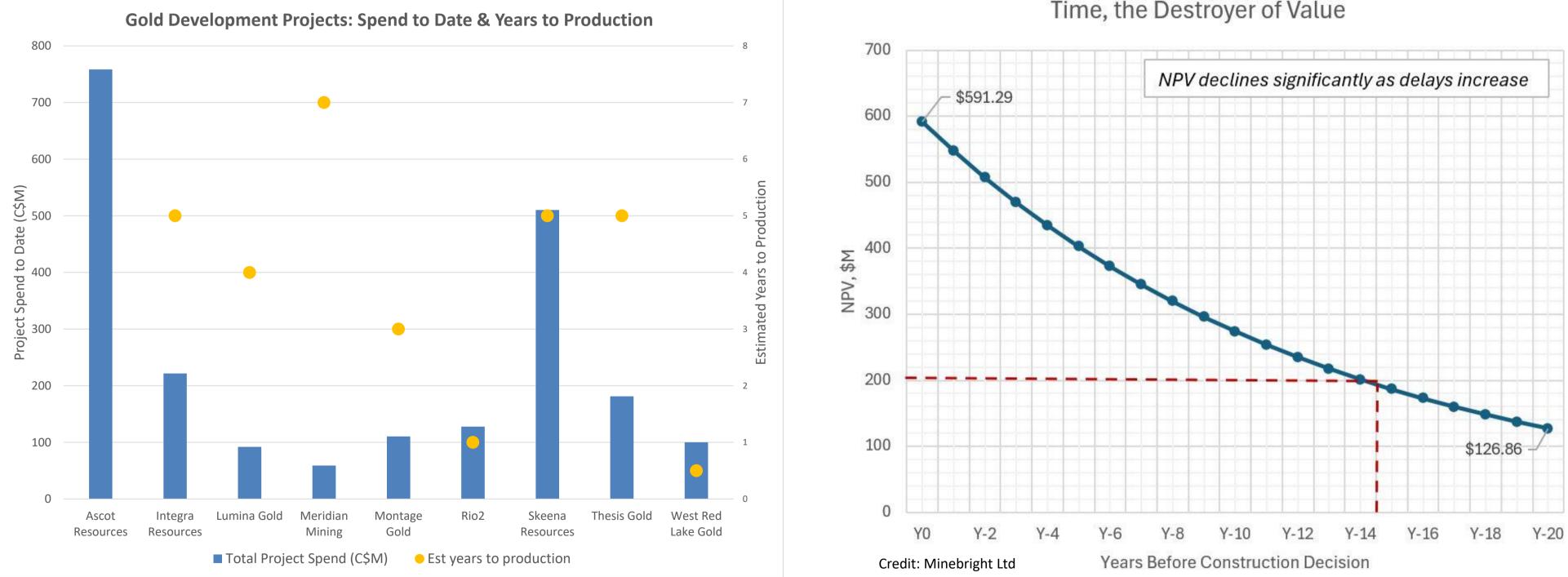


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## **CONTRARIAN PUSH SETTING UP TO PAY OFF**

Bought a hated asset in 2023, with gold at US\$1970/oz, and pushed to be ready for stronger gold market

**Purchase to Production in 2 years**  $\rightarrow$  so rare and valuable





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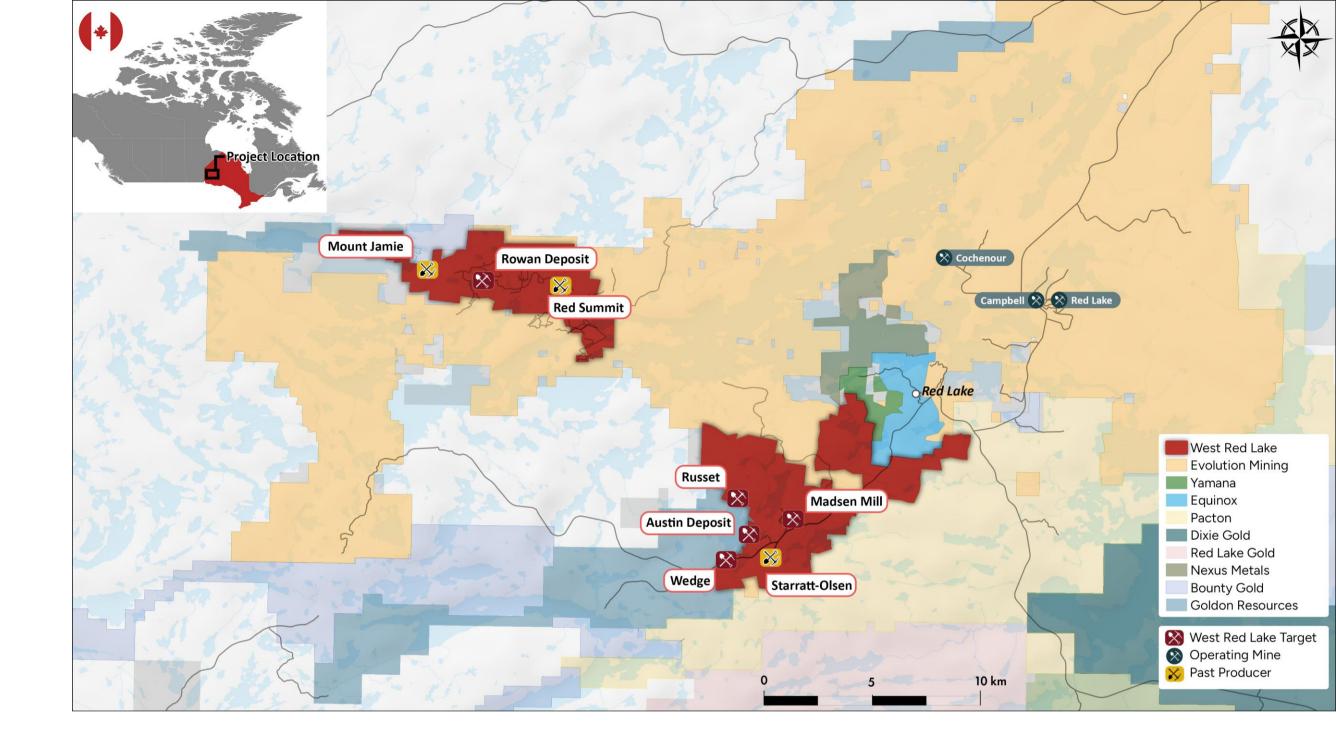


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# MADSEN LOCATION & TIMELINE



### 1936-1972

2 M oz mined at 9 g/t, extensive drilling, track mining, shaft to 8 zone.

## 1996-2014

shaft dewatered to 1275 metres; limited mining.

History

## 2015-2022

Pure Gold drilled, feasibility, permitted, built, ran, bankrupt; \$350M invested.



18yrs

7yrs

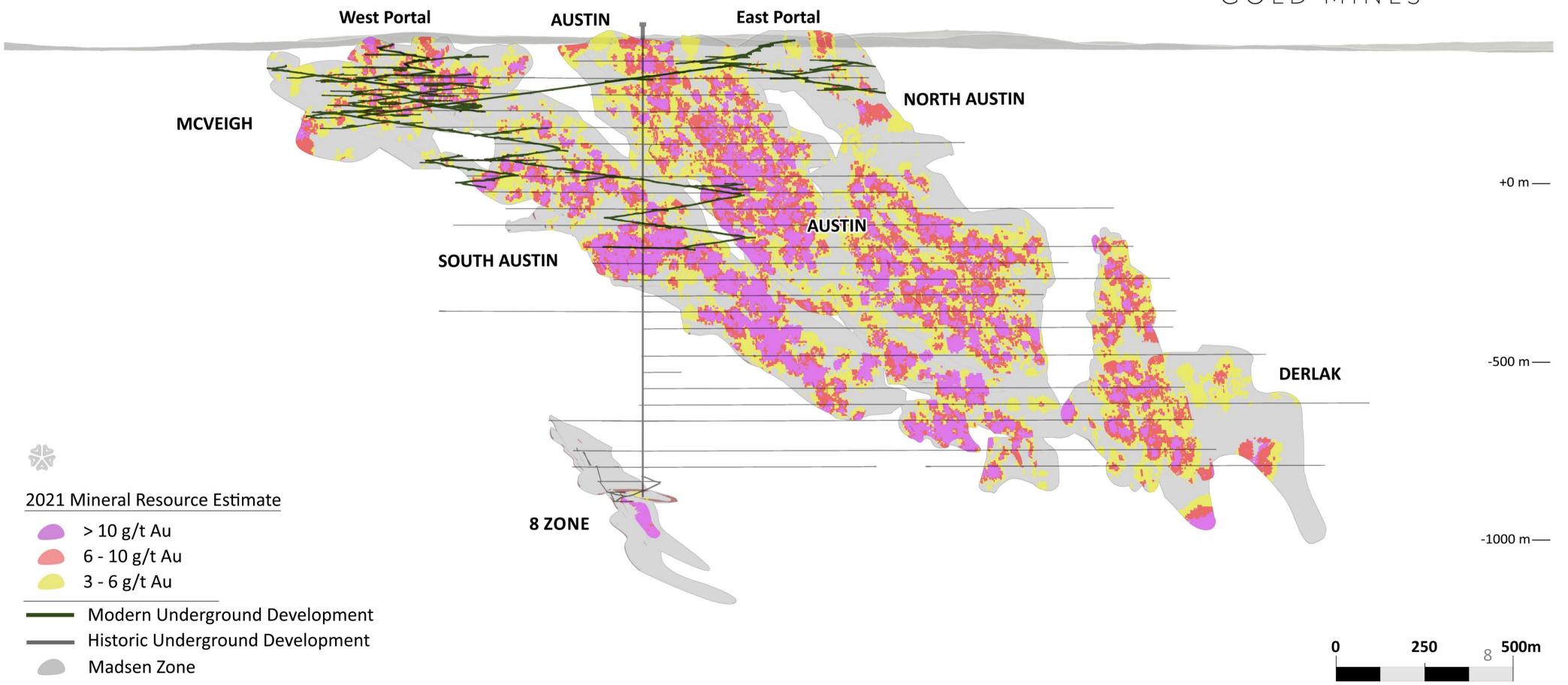
## 2023

WRLG buys for \$6.5M cash, 1% NSR, and debt converted to equity (\$42M total consideration).

Ongoing

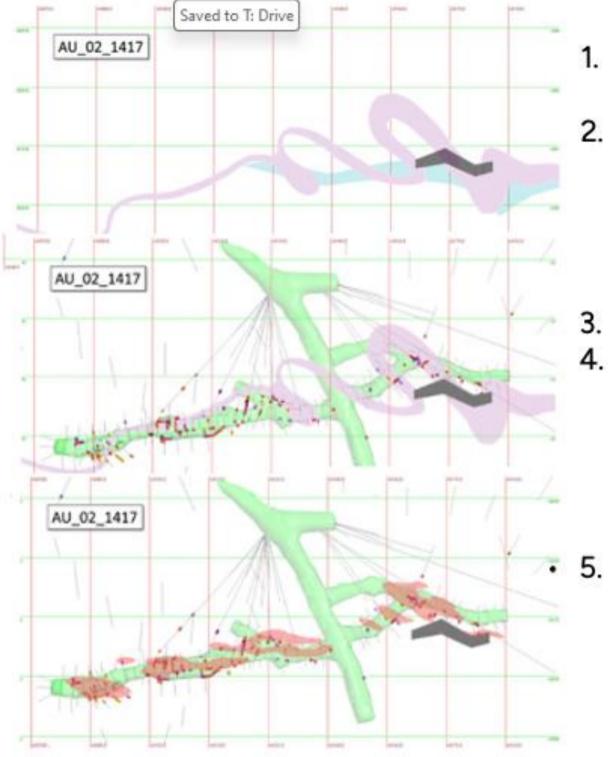
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## **DEPOSIT AND DEVELOPMENT**





## **DEFINITION DRILLING & RESOURCE MODELLING**



- Blue shape represents 2019 JDS model
- Purple shape represents 2021 SRK model
- Add definition drilling
- Evolve understanding of geology

Red shapes represent the implicit model with manual adjustments used in current short-term mine planning

Vein system has been altered, deformed, and reactivated repeatedly – gold is high grade and pervasive but not always continuous

Madsen started to produce in line with estimates near the end of its 2020-2022 campaign because this workflow was implemented. WRLG is building on that workflow



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Tight definition drilling to inform an accurate geologic model is essential in mitigating continuity risk.

### WRLG is tightening drill spacing from ~20 m to ~7 m

## **TEST MINING A BULK** SAMPLE

## Bulk samples:

- From several stopes in 3 resource areas
- Being batch processed through the Madsen Mill; reconciliation results in early May
- Delivering planned grade and tonnage, stope by stope, will validate the WRLG thesis

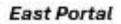
## Test mining is also:

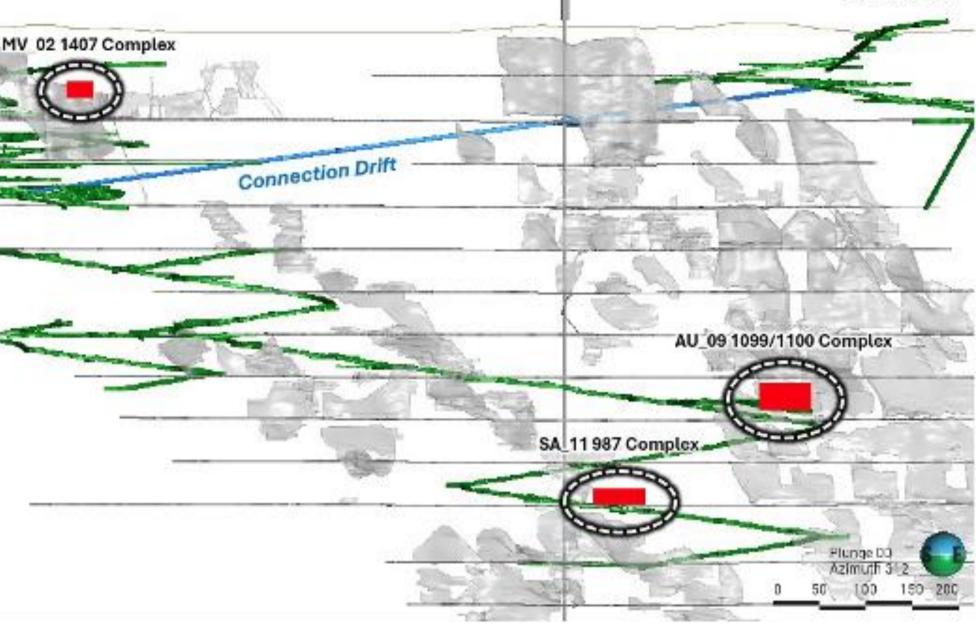
- Supporting safe, accurate, and increasingly efficient mining through ramp up
- Confirm mining methods across range of environments
- Understand additional resource potential within buffer zone around old stopes



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West Portal

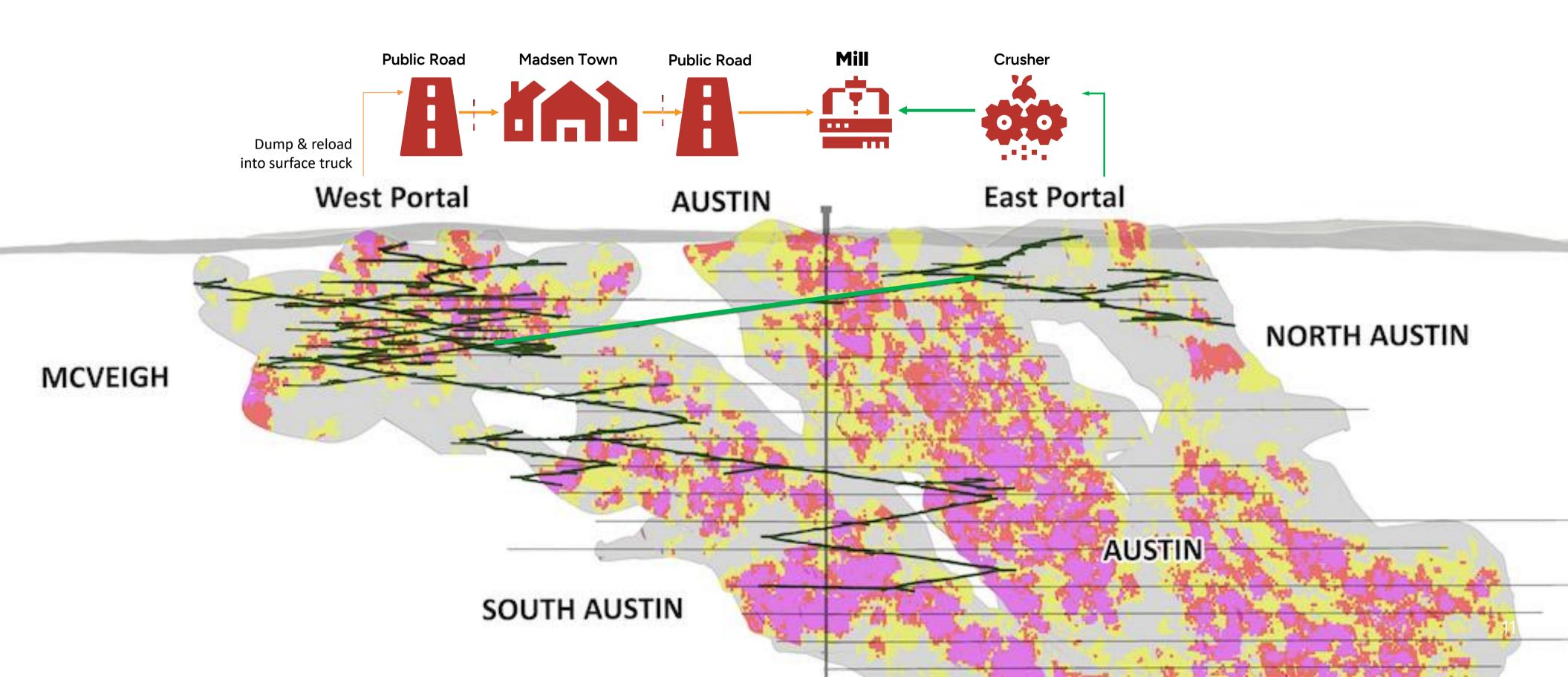




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## **CONNECTION DRIFT** Mining efficiency



• West Portal: inefficient decline, 4x4m portal limits to 30T trucks East Portal + Connection Drift: gradual decline with fewer corners. Fits trucks up to 60 tonnes. >90% complete, done March 2025 • No public road crossings: no daylight restriction, improves safety

## **OPERATIONAL READINESS**

**Underground development:** rate rising consistently towards goal

Mining: tonnes/day rising *with* good accuracy

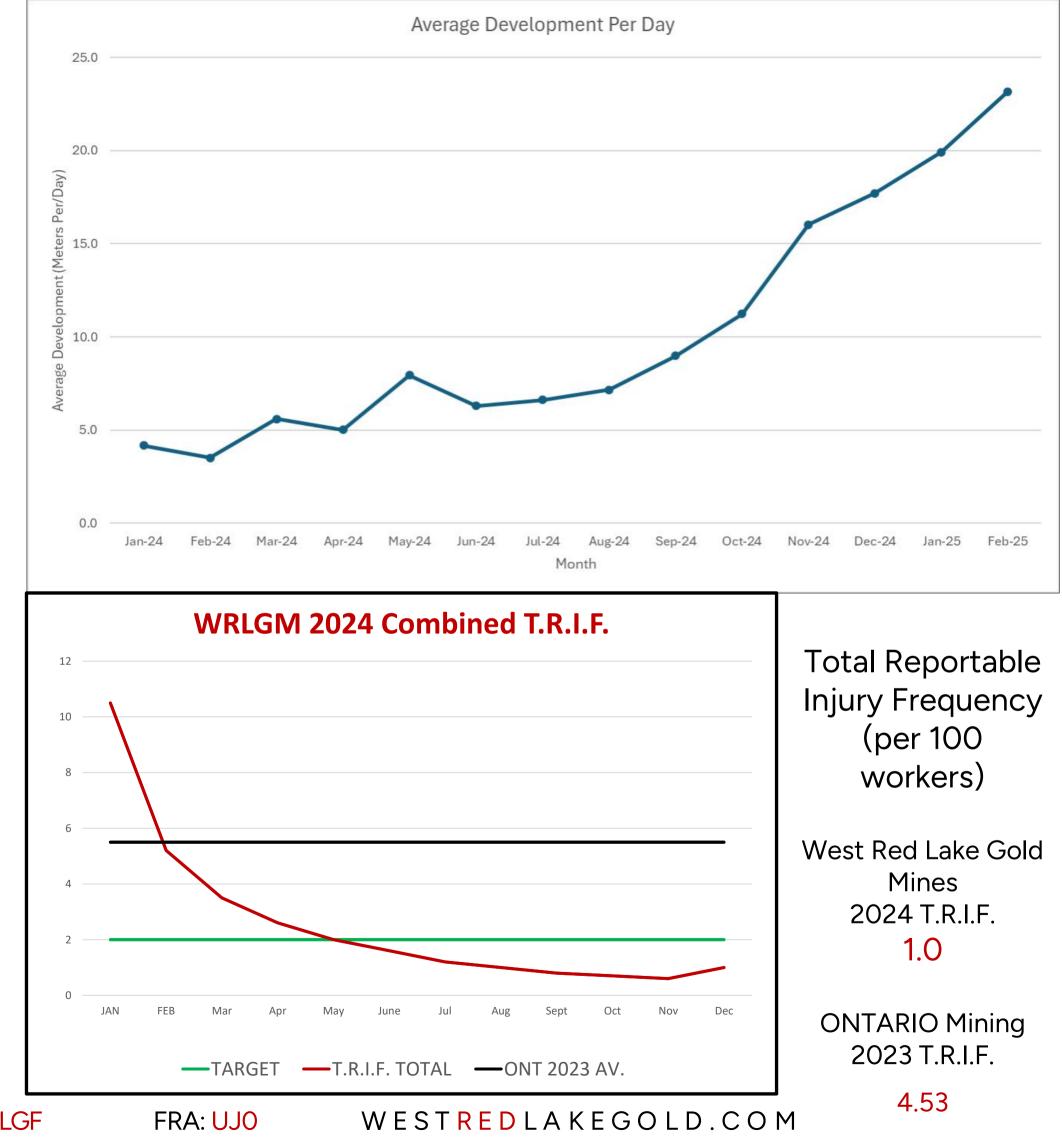
Mill: restarted smoothly after 28 months of maintained dry shutdown

**Stockpiles:** high-grade stockpile growing towards 30,000t goal (+1 month flexibility)

**Safety:** consistent attention to strong safety culture

**ERP:** Implemented new system

Personnel: over 200 personnel hired





# PRE-FEASIBILITY HIGHLIGHTS

**Strong value underlines mine restart** rationale: \$496M NPV

High grade mine: Diluted head grade averages 8.2 g/t gold

Strong Free Cash Flows: \$94M in free cash flow from 67,600 oz/yr over 6 full production years

Mill: 800 tpd, 95.7% gold recovery

**Initial Capital:** \$44M (as of Jan 7<sup>th</sup>)

AISC: US\$1681 per oz.

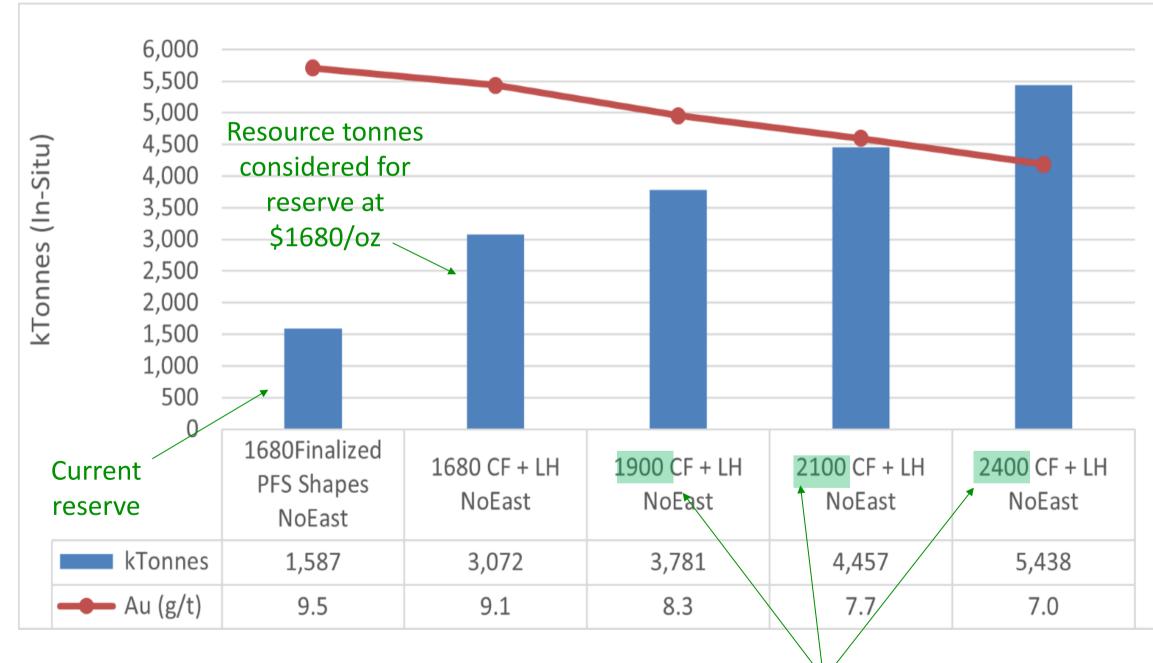
**Tax Paid:** essentially zero

Numbers use long-term gold price of US\$2640/oz, 5% discount rate, 1.4 CDN:US, and are presented post tax



## **RESERVE POTENTIAL**

**Boosting** the gold price used to define reserves from US\$1680/oz **significantly increases** the resource tonnes that could be economic to mine – we are engineering and mining larger stopes than the PFS showed



Resource tonnes that could be economic to mine at higher gold prices

10.0 9.0 8.0 7.0 5.0 4.0 3.0 2.0 1.0 - We expect to **mine more tonnes in each area**.

## This should **lower costs while** producing more ounces:

- 1. Cost of access development is spread over more tonnes
- Wider areas are mined with longhole stoping → half the mining cost of cut-and-fill

The mill can handle 40% more feed.

## **RESOURCE EXTENSION TARGETS**

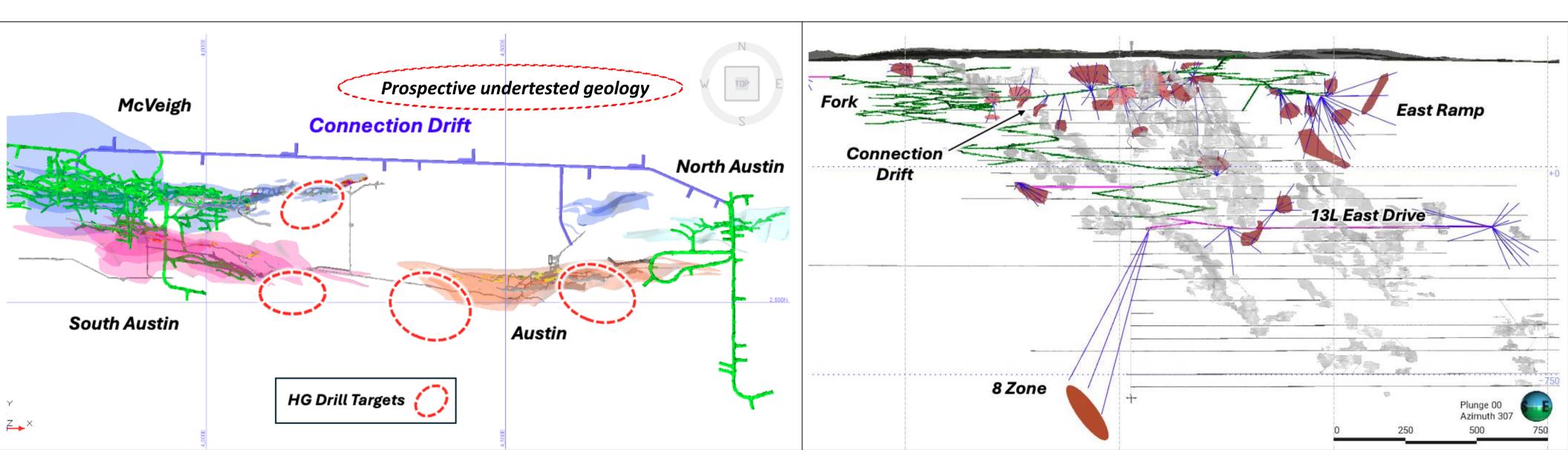
Drilling multiple targets in areas with limited mining with potential for notable tonnages and high grades **Connection Drift:** gives access to high-priority targets extending McVeigh, South Austin, and Austin that

were previously too far from infrastructure.

**East Ramp:** enabling North Austin infill and expansion

13L East Drive: enabling deeper work on Austin and North Austin.

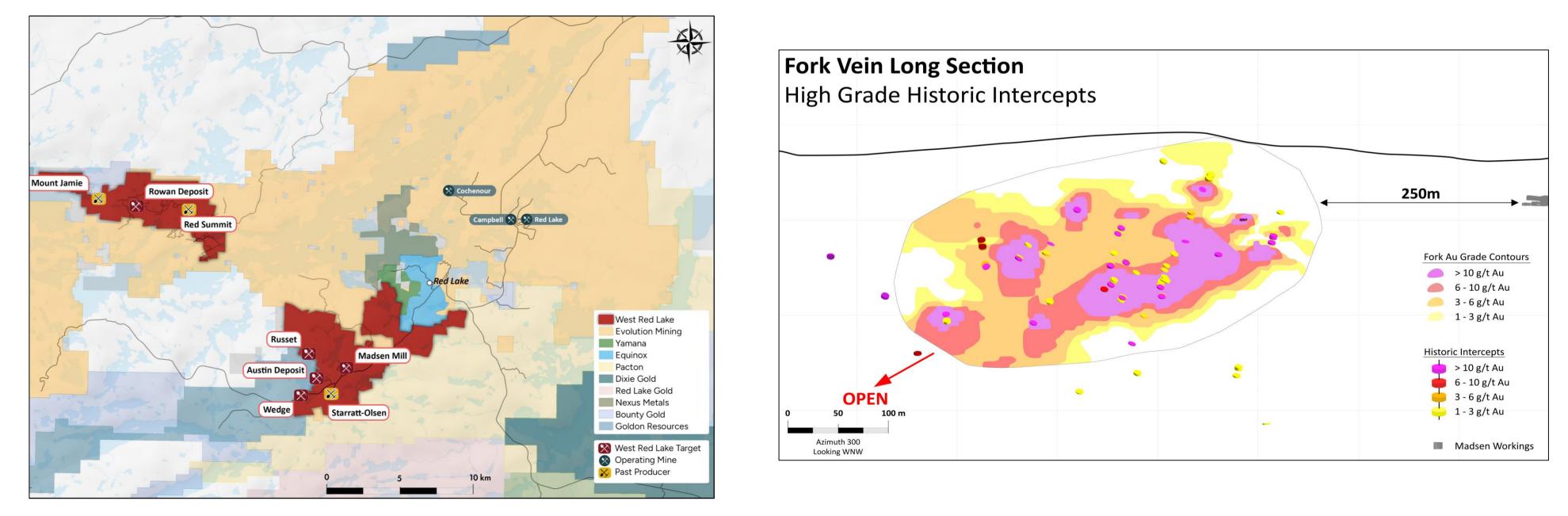
**10L West Drive:** enabling deeper work on South Austin (extending area that returned recent 114 g/t over 10m)



## **OTHER DEPOSITS**

## Other deposits to potentially include in updated mine plan:

- Fork deposit  $\rightarrow$  newly recognized high-grade core measuring 400x250x2 metres, within 250m of mine workings. Planned for drilling H2 2025
- **Rowan deposit**  $\rightarrow$  12.8 g/t near surface indicated resource. Permitting to bulk sample by 2027/28





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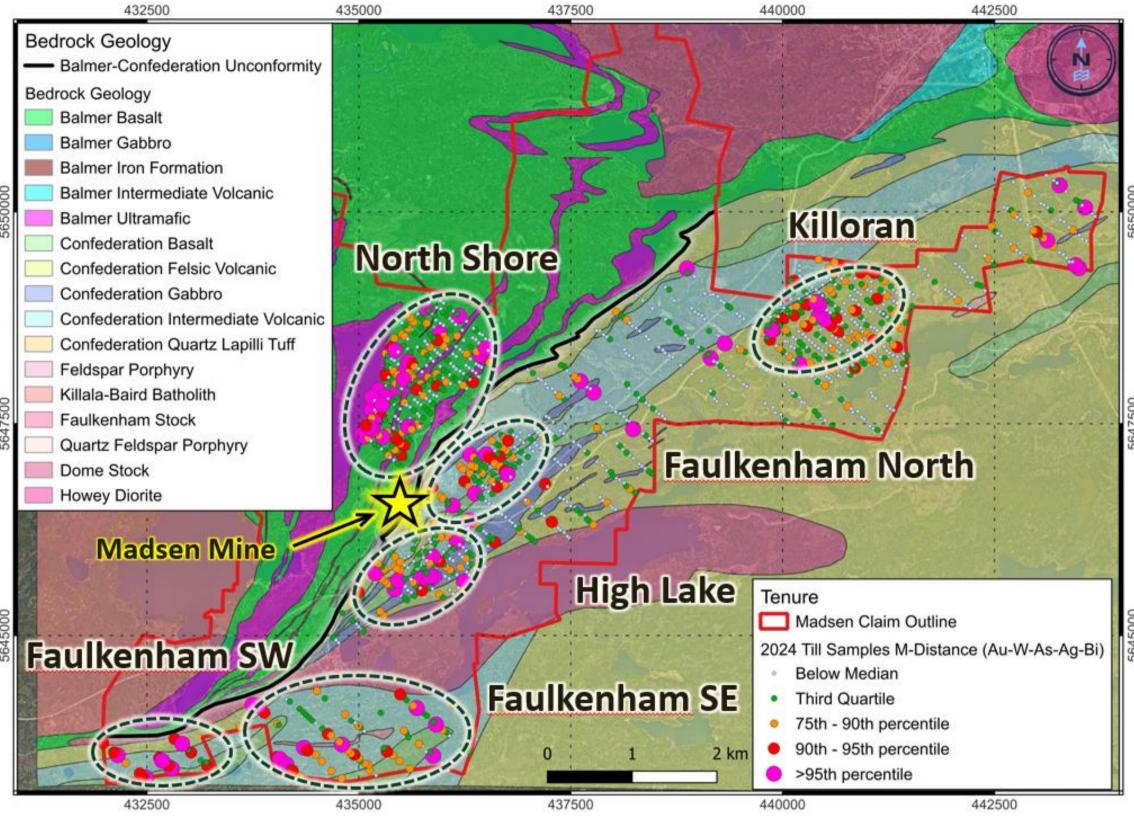
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## **MADSEN EXPLORATION**

**North Shore:** strong till anomaly with Au-W-As-Ag-Bi signature (like Madsen). Sits on eastern contact of Russett Lake Ultramafic (like Upper 8, Fork, Wedge-MJ).

- 2024 drilling returned broad zones of Madsen-style alteration and veining with low gold values
- New till program shifted target slightly west. Top regional drilling target

**Confederation Targets:** Was long assumed that only the Balmer rocks hosted gold in Red Lake. Great Bear showed the Confederation rock are also <u>highly</u> prospective.



- Confederation rocks make up half of the Madsen property and have seen very little exploration
- 2024 till sampling identified 5 Confederation targets with Au +/- Au-W-As-Ag-Bi signatures. Follow up mapping and prospecting in H2 2025; drilling if results warrant

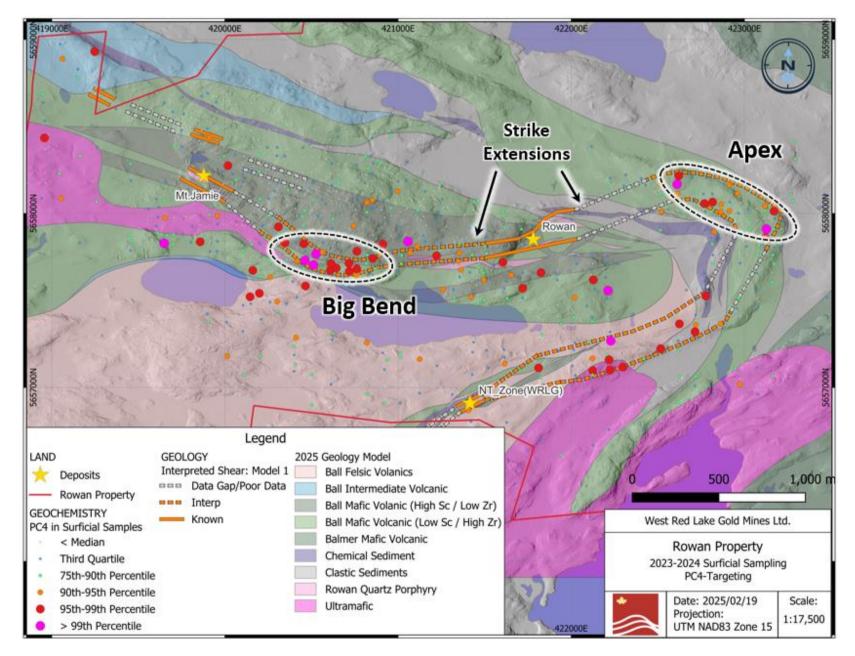


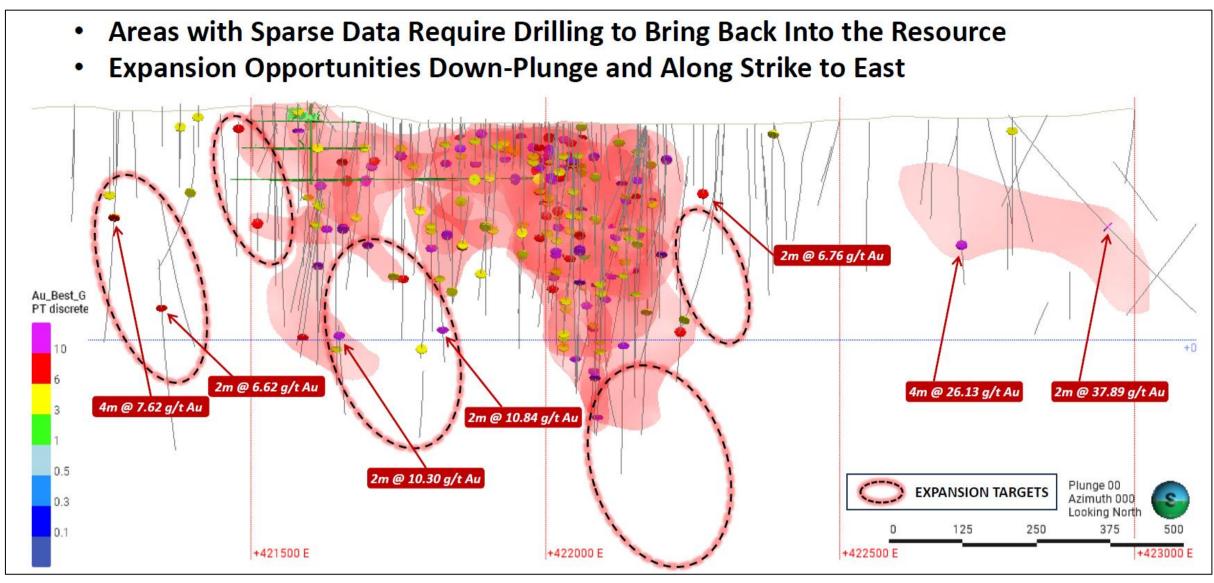
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## **ROWAN POTENTIAL**

Strong potential to expand down plunge and along strike to the east with more drilling





2024 till sampling program at Rowan defined two strong targets: Big Bend and Apex. Undrilled. Till results created strong geochemical constraint on the

Till results created strong geochemical constraint on the altered shear corridor that controls gold at Mt Jamie, Rowan and NT Zone  $\rightarrow$  should allow for more effective targeting.









## THE VALUE OF PRODUCTION

Madsen Mine NPV is \$496M at US\$2640/oz long term gold price

- $\rightarrow$  Development stage companies are often valued at ~0.4 times their asset value
- $\rightarrow$  Producing companies are often valued between 0.7 and 1.0 times their asset value.

WRLG's market capitalization is  $\sim$ \$230M today

## THE VALUE OF THIS GOLD MARKET

Average annual free cash flow is \$93M at US\$2640/oz long term gold price and 1.4 US:CDN

 $\rightarrow$  Producing companies are often valued at 6 to 8 times their annual free cash flow

NPV and FCF numbers derived from 20% upside cases presented in PFS Technical Report



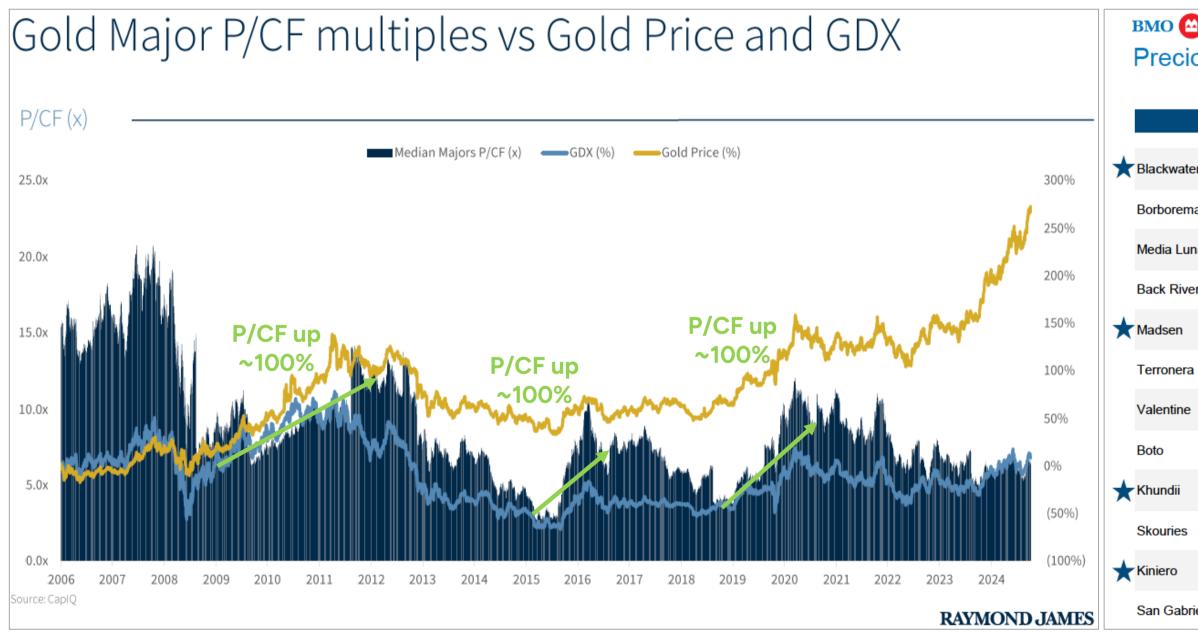
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## **GOLD MARKET CONSIDERATIONS**

Price-to-Cash Flow multiples for gold miners rose ~100% in last three gold equity bull markets (as CF is also rising!)

Investors wanting *moderate-risk gold with leverage* look for companies heading to first production. WRLG is one of only four single-asset companies starting production in 2025 (ARTG is already producing; other two are in Guinea and Mongolia)





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			★ Denotes ass	sets owned by developers
Asset	Country	Commodity	Operator	Timing of Production
(name)	(country)	(Gold / Silver)	(name)	(quarter / half year)
ter	Canada	Gold	Artemis	Q1-25
ma	Brazil	Gold	Aura	Q1-25
una	Mexico	Gold	Torex	Q1-25
ver	Canada	Gold	B2Gold	Q2-25
	Canada	Gold	West Red Lake	Q2-25
ra	Mexico	Silver	Endeavour Silver	Q2-25
e	Canada	Gold	Calibre	Q2-25
	Senegal	Gold	Managem S.A.	H2-25 <sup>(1)</sup>
	Mongolia	Gold	Erdene	Q3-25
5	Greece	Gold	Eldorado	Q3-25 <sup>(2)</sup>
	Guinea	Gold	Robex	Q4-25
oriel	Peru	Gold	Buenaventura	Q4-25

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**John Heslop** Director

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## **SHARE STRUCTURE**

Capitalization	
Issued & Outstanding	343,170,072
Warrants	165,328,263
Options	22,070,575
RSUs	7,659,668
DSUs	2,397,000
Fully Diluted	516,997,579
52 Week High/Low	\$1.04 / \$0.42
Market Capitalization	CAD \$201M
Cash	CAD\$31M
As of February 25, 2025	

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Symbol	# out (M)	Exercise price	Expiry
unlisted	20.2	\$0.68	Nov-26
WRLG.WT.B	42	\$0.90	Oct-27
WRLG.WT.A	18	\$0.95	Mar-29
WRLG.WT	43	\$1.00	May-26
WRLG.WT.C	23.6	\$0.90	Feb-28
WRLG.NT.U		Gold-linked note	



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- Sprott Resource Lending ~9%
- Gold-focused institutions ~30%
  - APAC, Accillent, Commodity Discovery, Extract, Libra, Parkwood Samara, Primevest, Ruffer, Silverspoon, Van Eck, etc
- Management, insiders, advisors ~10%

### Notes

Issued Nov-23 in \$0.52/unit financing

Issued Nov-24 in \$0.68/unit financing

Issued with gold-linked notes

Issued May-24 in \$0.72/unit financing

Issued Feb-25 in \$0.84/unit FT financing

**Trades in USD** 

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# We expect Madsen to operate longer and produce more annually at lower costs than the PFS shows

Aspect	PFS	Constraint	E
Reserve	1.8M probable tonnes at 8.2 g/t	US\$1680/oz reserve cutoff price ignored 1.1M indicated ounces	3- eo gr
Sustaining Capital	\$434M	Conservative reserve amplified access development and required East Shaft build in years 3&4	Ta Ea re
AISC	US\$1681 per oz. (real costing)	Conservative reserve led to 60% cut- and-fill	Lo m
Throughput	800 tpd	Mill currently permitted to 800 tpd; mine life too short with this reserve at higher throughput	A (a
What is included	Only conservative Madsen reserve	PFS asap left insufficient time to include other areas	W ar

### xpectation

8-4 g/t vein buffer zones and more resource pods will be economic to mine. Result: higher tonnage at slightly lower grade <u>and</u> longer mine life

Tapping more of the indicated resource will delay need for East Shaft. Converting resource pods to mineable will reduce access development in places.

onghole stoping will be primary mine method at 50% the nining cost of cut and fill

Achieve mill permit amendments and target 1000 tpd 2026 already built for); higher beyond.

WRLG scoping a mine plan that includes Rowan (~13g/t) and Fork

## Mining IS Risk Mitigation

New Mine Risk	Examples	WRLG Mit
Grade, continuity, modelling errors	Rubicon, Brucejack, Argonaut (Magino)	Definition feedback I
Underbudgeted capex (often earthworks)	lamgold (Cote), Marathon, New Gold (Rainy River), Foran, Ascot, Argonaut (Magino)	\$350M inv to capital a earthworks
Plant commissioning issues	Ascot, Victoria, Cote	Madsen pla fixes, ensu
Insufficient UG development/working faces	Ascot	Active dev feeding a r mining to s
Social and permitting	Pebble, Taseko, Perpetua	All permits
Groundwater	TMAC (Doris & Hope Bay)	Mining hist evaporato
Excessive debt burden	Royal Oak Mines (Kemess)	\$350M inv Arranged l
Geotechnical / ground conditions	Victoria, lamgold (Westwood), Helca (Keno Hill)	Mining hist overall ver
Supply chain and location	B2Gold (Back River), Ascot	Highway a



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### tigation Approach

- drilling to 7-metre spacing, strong geo-engineering loop, focus on resource confidence
- vested prior to purchase reduced burden; team's access allowed mining needs to drive restart plans; no major <s required
- lant operated very well 2020-2022. Implementing some uring strong leadership and staff
- velopment since April 2024. Geo-engineering goal of rolling 12-month stope book, including access. Test support safe efficiency & create stockpile.
- s achieved and in good standing
- story → good understanding of groundwater. Added or fans to increase dewatering capacity
- vested prior to purchase dramatically reduced need. US\$35M debt facility for final construction
- story  $\rightarrow$  good understanding of geotech requirements and ry high RMR
- access, within Red Lake region of 5000 people

## **CURRENT RESOURCES**

Mineral Resource Statement– Madsen[1]					
Classification	Deposit-Zone	Tonnes	Gold Grade (g/t)	Gold Troy Ounces	
	Madsen- Austin	4,147,000	6.9	914,200	
	Madsen-South Austin	1,696,000	8.7	474,600	
	Madsen- McVeigh	388,700	6.4	79,800	
Indicated	Madsen- 8 Zone	152,000	18	87,700	
	Fork	123,800	5.3	20,900	
	Russet	88,700	6.9	19,700	
	Wedge	313,700	5.6	56,100	
	Total Indicated	6,909,900	7.4	1,653,000	
	Madsen- Austin	504,800	6.5	104,900	
	Madsen-South Austin	114,100	8.7	31,800	
	Madsen- McVeigh	64,600	6.9	14,300	
	Madsen- 8 Zone	38,700	14.6	18,200	
Inferred	Fork	298,200	5.2	49,500	
	Russet	367,800	5.8	68,800	
	Wedge	431,100	5.7	78,700	
	Total Inferred	1,819,300	6.3	366,200	

Mineral Resource Statement Rowan [2]				
Indicated	476,323	12.87	195,746	
Inferred	410,794	8.76	115,719	

Mineral resources are estimated at a cut-off grade of 3.38 g/t Au and a gold price of US1,800/oz. Please refer to the technical report entitled "NI 43-101 Technical Report and Prefeasibility Study for the Madsen Mine, Ontario, Canada", prepared by SRK Consulting (Canada) Inc. and dated January 7, 2025. A full copy of the SRK report is available on the Company's website and on SEDAR+ at <u>www.sedarplus.ca</u>.

[2] Mineral Resources are estimated at a cut-off grade of 3.8 g/t Au and using a gold price of US\$1,800/oz. Please refer to the technical report entitled "Updated Mineral Resource Estimate for the Rowan Property, Ontario, Canada" dated April 26, 2024, with an effective date of March 1, 2024, and prepared for WRLG by Sims Resources, LLC. A full copy of the report is available on the Company's website and on SEDAR+ at www.sedarplus.ca.







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## **CURRENT RESERVES**

Mineral Reserve Statement – Madsen					
Classification	Deposit - Zone	Tonnes (kt)	Gold Grade (g/t)	Contained Metal (koz Au)	
Probable	Madsen - Austin	778	7.37	184	
	Madsen - South Austin	861	8.21	227	
	Madsen - McVeigh	66	7.37	16	
	Madsen - 8 Zone	118	13.38	51	
Total Probable		1,823	8.16	478	

### Notes

- 1) Mineral Reserves estimated in accordance with CIM Estimation of Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves Best Practice Guidelines, CIM, November 29, 2019 by Stephen Taylor, P.Eng., Qualified Person.
- 2) Longhole stope cut-off grade of 4.30 gpt Au based on an estimated operating cost of C\$287.34/t including mining, plant and G&A. The mining cost component was benchmarked based on an operating mine in Ontario.
- 3) Mechanized Cut and Fill stope cut-off grade of 5.28 gpt Au based on an estimated operating cost of C\$\$354.90/t including mining, plant and G&A.
- 4) Mineral reserve estimates based on a gold price of US\$1,680/oz and an exchange rate of 1.31 C\$/US\$.
- 5) Incremental development cut-off grade of 1 gpt Au.
- 6) A small amount of incremental longhole tonnes were included at a cut-off grade of not less than 3.4 gpt Au, these must be immediately adjacent to economic stopes that will pay for the capital to access area.



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