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#### **ABOUT CALIDUS RESOURCES**

Calidus Resources is an ASX listed gold producer that is ramping up the 1.7Moz Warrawoona Gold Project in the East Pilbara district of Western Australia.

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# **Euroz Hartleys Institutional Conference Presentation**

Calidus Resources Limited (ASX: CAI) advises that Managing Director, Mr Dave Reeves, will be presenting at the Euroz Hartleys Institutional Conference today.

The presentation associated with this event is attached and is also available on the Company website:

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### WARRAWOONA GOLD PROJECT – WESTERN AUSTRALIA

#### MARCH 2023 – EUROZ HARTLEYS CONFERENCE

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#### COMPLIANCE STATEMENT - WARRAWOONA GOLD PROJECT

The information in this presentation that relates to Exploration Results, Mineral Resources, Ore Reserves and Production Targets (and the forecast financial information derived from the production targets) at the Warrawoona Gold Project has been previously released to the ASX on 29 September 2020 and 21 September 2022. The Company confirms it is not aware of any new information that materially affects the announcement and that all material assumptions underpinning the Exploration Results, Mineral Resources, Mineral Ore Reserves and Production Targets (and the forecast financial information derived from the production targets) continue to apply and have not materially changed

#### COMPLIANCE STATEMENT-BLUE SPEC GOLD / ANTIMONY PROJECT

The information in this presentation that relates to Exploration Results and Mineral Resources at the Blue Spec Gold / Antimony Project has been previously released to the ASX on 2 October 2020. Further exploration results reported in this presentation were announced on 8 November 2021, 2 June 2022 and 29 September 2022, 28 November 2022 and 18 January 2023. The Company confirms it is not aware of any new information that materially affects the announcements and that all material assumptions underpinning the Exploration Results and Mineral Resources continue to apply and have not materially changed.

#### **COMPLIANCE STATEMENT- PIRRA LITHIUM**

The information in this presentation that relates to Exploration Results at the Spear Hill Project have been previously released to the ASX on 8 March 2022 and 11 May 2022, 9 November 2022. The Company confirms it is not aware of any new information that materially affects the announcements.

Demerger – The potential demerger of Pirra Lithium remains subject to various conditions, including entry into a formal demerger agreement, tax and regulatory requirements and shareholder approval.



#### WARRAWOONA GOLD PROJECT

#### POSITIONED FOR GROWTH

#### Warrawoona Gold Project (WGP) – Pilbara, Western Australia

- Stage 1 Open Pit 70,000 80,000 ozs pa
  - Guidance H1 CY2023, 31,000 36,000 ozs @ AISC A\$2,000 A\$2,250/oz
- Stage 2 Increase production via 0.8mtpa underground 100,000 ozs pa
- Stage 3 High Grade Blue Spec Project increases production to 130,000 ozs pa

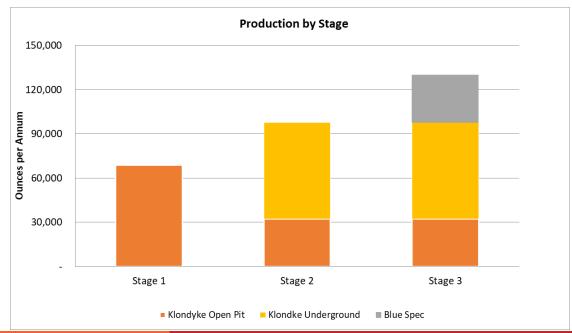
Increase existing 600koz Reserve and 1.7Moz Resource Base through near-mine

and regional exploration to extend mine life

#### **Lithium Exploration**

- 1,063km<sup>2</sup> of highly prospective tenure in the Pilbara, WA
- Outcropping lithium pegmatites combined 4.3km strike length
- Rock chip assays at Spear Hill, up to 2.75% Li<sub>2</sub>O
- Maiden drill program completed to initially test 1.2km of strike
- Applied for additional prospective ground in Northampton
- Calidus working on demerging into a standalone lithium vehicle





# **CORPORATE SUMMARY**



CAPITAL STRUCTURE	AUD
Shares on Issue	439.3M
Market Cap (Share price of \$0.23 at 17 Feb 2023)	\$101M
Cash & Bullion <sup>1</sup> (31 Dec 2022)	\$12M
Debt (31 Dec 2022)	\$102M
Options	6.5M

ANALYST COVERAGE	ANALYST
cg/Canaccord	Paul Howard
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BLUE OCEAN	Carlos Crowley Vazquez



#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS & MANAGEMENT**



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TOP SHAREHOLDERS	% HOLDING
Alkane Resources (ASX:ALK)	9.7%
Board & Executives	5.2%



### STAGE 1- OPEN PIT

#### **COMMERCIAL PRODUCTION DECLARED**

- Mill currently operating above nameplate
- Excellent gold recoveries of 97%
- Mining undertaken by Macmahon
- Simple one stage open pit (Klondyke)
- Average Strip Ratio over next three years3.3:1
- Opportunity to increase production through improved grade reconciliation
- Guidance: H1 CY2023, 31,000 36,000 ozs
   @ AISC A\$2,000 A\$2,250/oz
- Costs to reduce as strip ratio falls LOM forecast AISC of A\$1,700 to A\$1,850/oz.

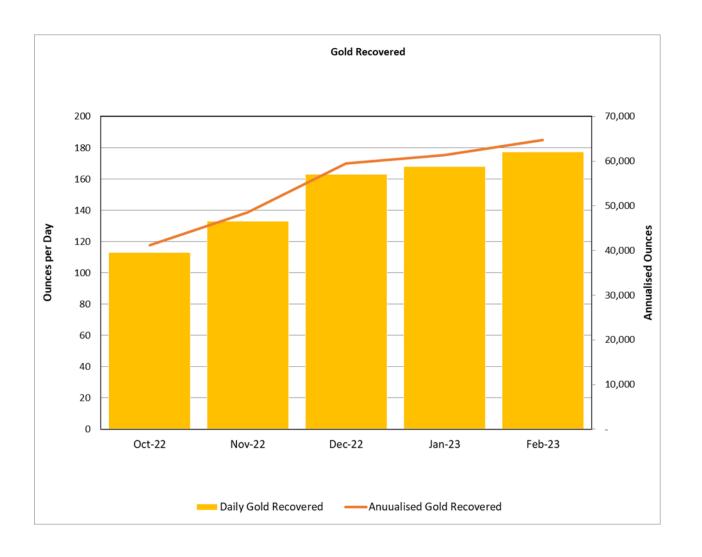




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#### STEP CHANGE IN PERFORMANCE

- Milling averaged 300tph in February, 8% above nameplate blend.
- Averaged 180 ozs per day recovered
- Targeting 200 ozs per day 6,000 ozs per month
- Revenue at 6,000 ozs per month and A\$2,500/oz - \$15m per month
- Costs January \$11.5m will reduce with strip ratio





#### STAGE 2- UNDERGROUND

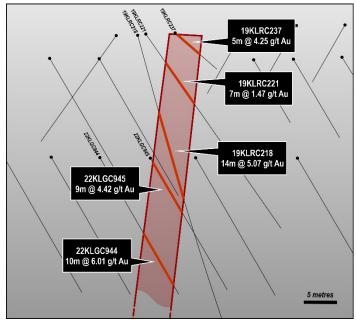
### INCREASES PRODUCTION TO 100,000 OZS PA

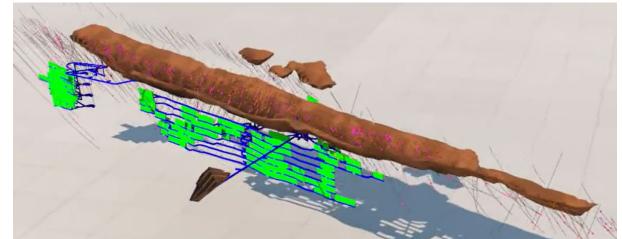
- Simple Long Hole Open Stope below Klondyke Open Pit
- Low cost, large equipment, no backfill, large ounces per vertical metre
- Current Reserves 1.9mt at 2.1g/t, Mineable Inventory 3.4mt at 2.2g/t to an average depth of 170m below pit, open at depth
- Grade control drilling supports high grade core
- Portal to be developed in pit to reduce development costs

High grade core to orebody.

Recent grade control

Intercepts confirm this.



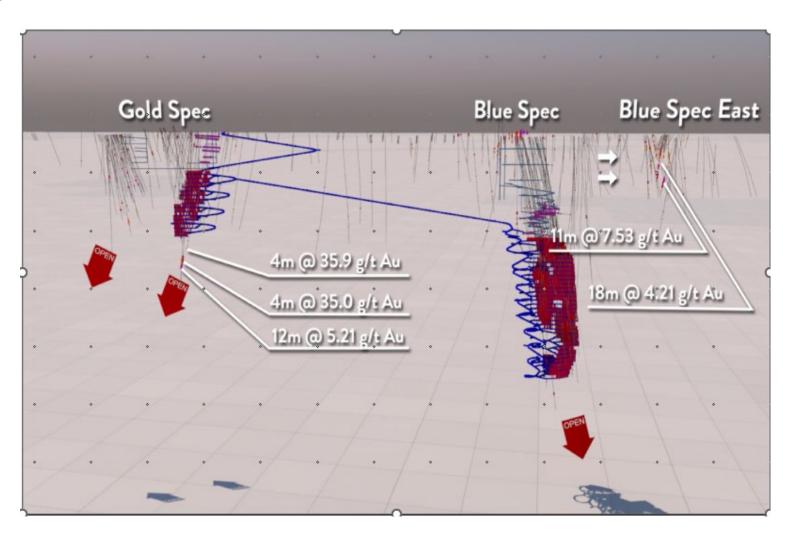




#### STAGE 3-BLUE SPEC

### RESOURCE 190,000 OZS @ 24.4g/t

- Low risk cut and fill mining method
- Truck 10g/t ore 75km to a 100ktpa Sulphide Plant at Warrawoona
- Float and sell high grade concentrate (antimony credit pays for smelting charge)
- Utilise Warrawoona Infrastructure and overheads to lower costs
- Positive DFS recently released
- AISC A\$1,641
- Peak capital A\$34m
- Permitting underway
- FID H2 CY 2023



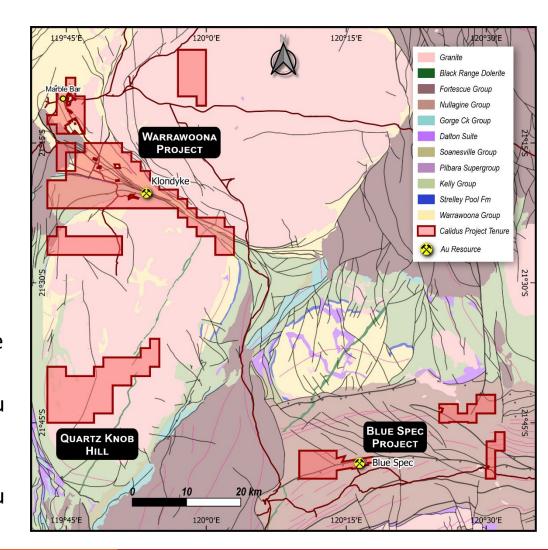


#### **GROWTH STRATEGY**

#### UNLOCKING THE POTENTIAL OF THE EAST PILBARA GOLDFIELD IN WESTERN AUSTRALIA

1 NEAR MINE

- Klondyke Deposit open along strike and down dip
- Multiple Warrawoona structural trends
- 2 ) WARRAWOONA REGIONAL
  - Drilling has confirmed the down-dip extension of the Marble Bar quartz reef with high-grade intercepts
  - Actively assessing regional M&A consolidation opportunities
  - **BLUE SPEC, BLUE SPEC EAST AND FELIX** 
    - High-grade mineralisation open down dip and along strike
    - Blue Spec East suggest potential for open-pit operation<sup>1</sup>:
      - 52m @ 1.40g/t Au from 22m, 20m @ 1.41g/t Au from 44m and 10m @ 1.95g/t Au from 81m
    - Felix recent results include
      - 6m @ 40.15g/t Au from 38m, 41m @ 2.37 g/t Au from 32m, 7m @ 4.52g/t Au from 46m

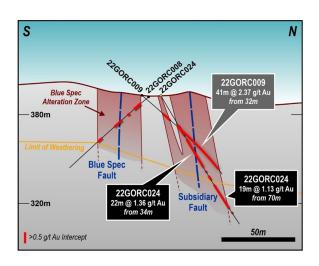


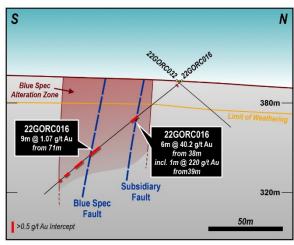


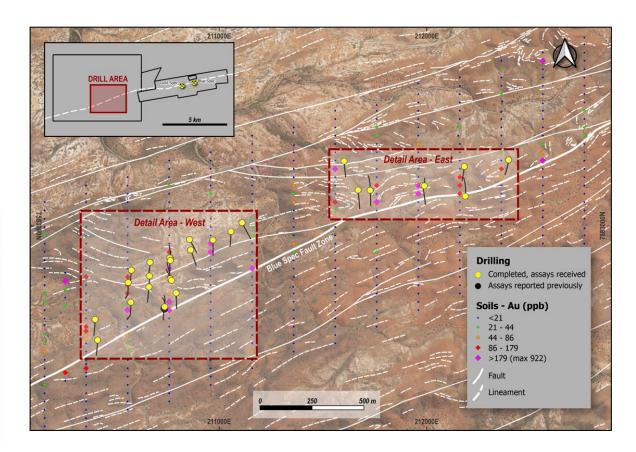
### NEW DISCOVERIES WILL ADD TO MINE LIFE

#### NEW HIGH GRADE FELIX DISCOVERY - HIGH PRIORITY

- 5km west of 190,000 oz, 24g/t Blue Spec deposit
- Coincident with alteration zones and structural corridor
- Potential to significantly enhance Blue Spec economics
- Drilling highlights include
  - 6m @ 40.15g/t Au from 38m in 22GORC016 (including 1m @ 220.17g/t Au from 39m);
  - 41m @ 2.37 g/t Au from 32m in 22GORC009
  - 7m @ 4.52g/t Au from 46m in 22GORC004







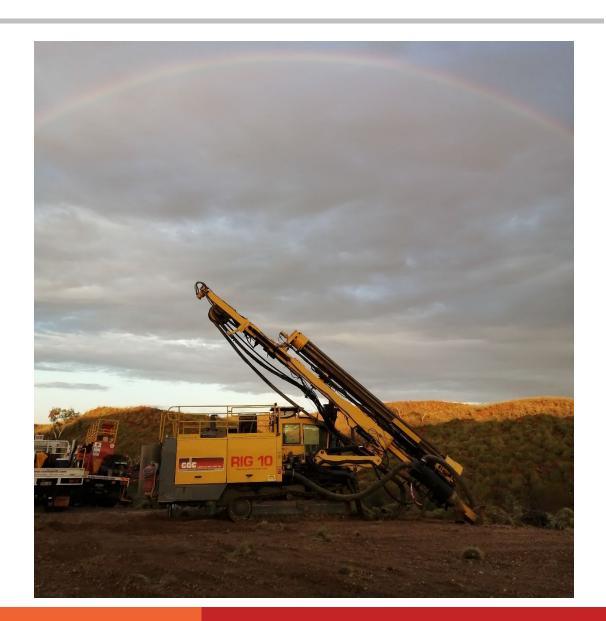


## DRILLING RE-COMMENCED ON FELIX

- Drilling being undertaken on a step out basis from 6m
   @ 40g/t intercept
- Looking at options targeting treating a bulk sample of 5,000 tonnes at Warrawoona
- Potential to be another Blue Spec from surface



Panned visible gold in current RC drilling at Felix

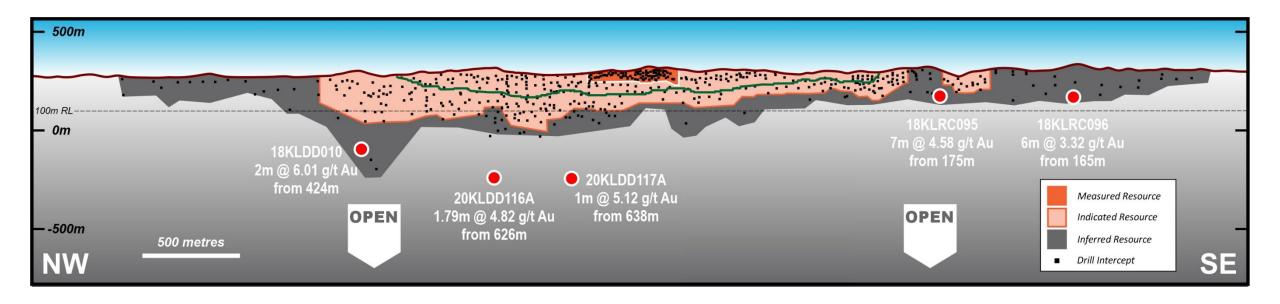




#### IMMEDIATE MINE LIFE GROWTH

#### KLONDYKE REMAINS OPEN DOWN DIP AND ALONG STRIKE

- Mine plan only extends to 250m below surface
- Only limited drilling below 250m depth has been completed
  - Previous deeper holes (+450m) below surface confirm continuation of mineralisation
- Currently reviewing more detailed grade control results to define target drilling of high-grade shoots at depth
- Results from east of the pit show excellent potential and require further follow up





#### PILBARA LITHIUM



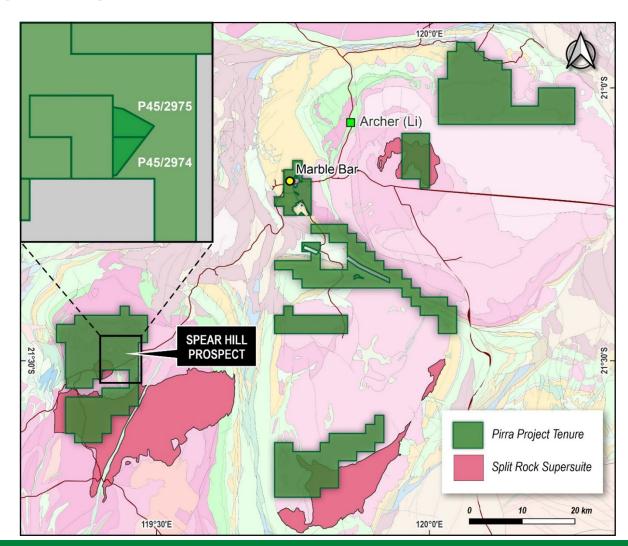
- Pirra Lithium JV 50/50 ownership with Haoma Mining NL, covering 1,063km<sup>2</sup> of highly prospective tenure
- Similar geological settings to the large scale Pilgangoora (ASX:PLS) and Wodgina (ASX:MIN) lithium mines
- Tier 1 lithium mining jurisdiction with combined installed spodumene concentrate output of 1,400,000tpa
- Located within 1 hour drive of WGP, provides excellent and low-cost support for lithium exploration
- Excellent infrastructure, 150km south-east of Port Hedland
- Good understanding of local partners and proven ability to operate in the region
- Calidus managing exploration





#### **EXTENSIVE TENEMENT HOLDINGS TARGETING LITHIUM**

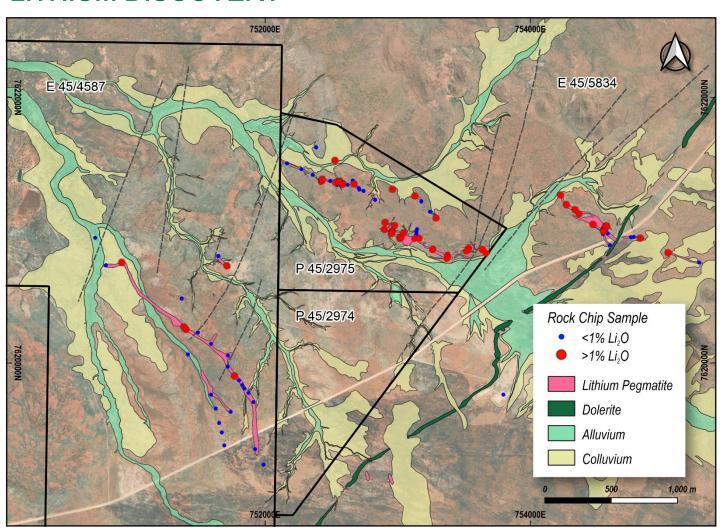
- Tenements are in close proximity to existing lithium deposits that have reported outcrops and target the Split Rock Supersuite
- Tenements mainly cover previous tin and tantalum mining areas, a common denominator in existing lithium mines
- Largely unexplored land package with no systematic or modern exploration for lithium bearing pegmatites
- Pirra is undertaking methodical sampling and mapping across high priority targets and will utilise geophysics and soil sampling to cover lower priority areas





#### SPEAR HILL PROSPECT- SIGNIFICANT LITHIUM DISCOVERY

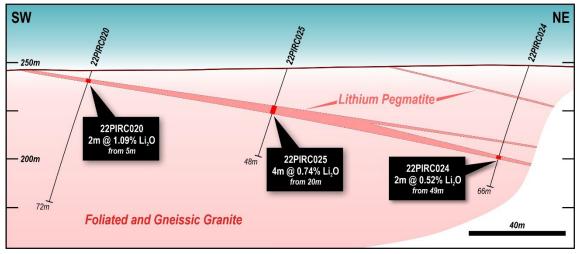
- Outcropping lithium pegmatite body mapped over 4.3km strike.
  - Rock chips assays ranged 0.66%-2.75%
     Li<sub>2</sub>O
  - Up to 808 ppm Ta
  - Pegmatites measure up to 70m in width at surface
- Western area largely covered by historical alluvial cassiterite/tantalite workings.

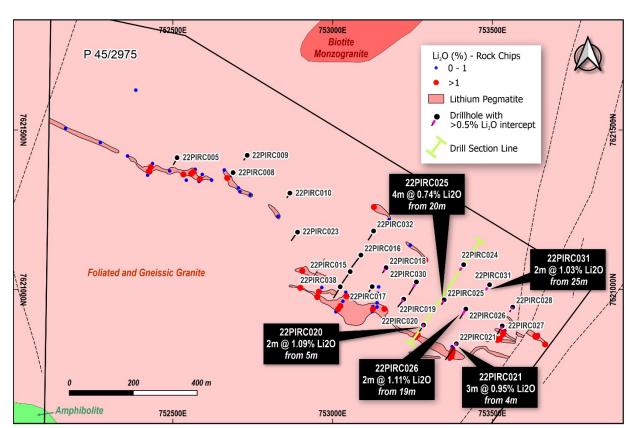




#### SPEAR HILL PROSPECT- CONTINUITY 250M DOWN DIP

- Maiden RC drill program completed tested only one kilometre of strike, open at depth.
- Significant results incl:
  - 2m @ 1.11% Li2O from 19m in 22PIRC026
  - 2m @ 1.09% Li2O from 5m in 22PIRC020
  - 2m @ 1.03% Li2O from 25m in 22PIRC031
  - 3m @ 0.95% Li2O from 4m in 22PIRC021



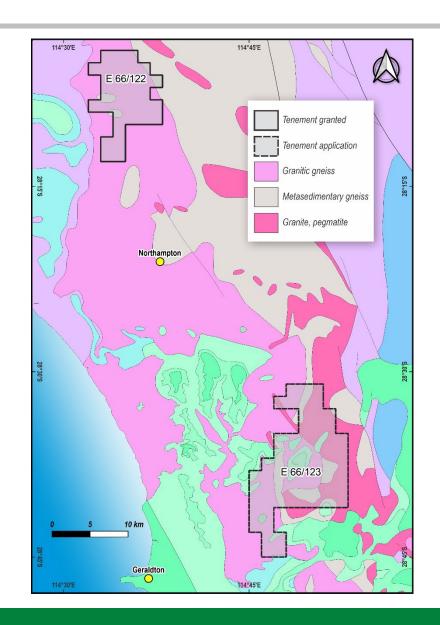




### LITHIUM EXPLORATION - NORTHAMPTON

#### **100% CALIDUS APPLICATION**

- Pegged two tenements of 290km<sup>2</sup> in the Northampton Inliear
- Area known to be intruded by granites and pegmatites
- Strikingly similar to Gascoyne Province in rocks and age where successful lithium exploration underway
- Exploration team continue to assess new areas for applications





# CALIDUS RESOURCES LIMITED (ASX:CAI)

#### A WESTERN AUSTRALIAN GOLD PRODUCER AND LITHIUM EXPLORER

- Built on time and budget Commercial Production declared, operations cashflow positive.
- Stage 1 Open Pit 70koz–80koz pa.
- Stage 2 Increase production to 100,000 oz pa through introduction of higher grade underground.
- Stage 3 Increase production to 130,000 oz pa through construction of Blue Spec.
- Additional mine-life potential through near-mine exploration and new Felix discovery
- Increase shareholder value through an lithium exploration strategy and demerger
- Aspirations to use cashflow to become a multi-mine, mid tier gold producer



# Appendix 1 - Resources and Reserves

#### **Mineral Resource Estimate**

Deposit	Cut- Off	Measured			Indicated			Inferred			Total		
	(g/t)	Mt	Au (g/t)	koz	Mt	Au (g/t)	koz	Mt	Au (g/t)	koz	Mt	Au (g/t)	koz
Klondyke Open Pit	0.3	1.6	0.93	49	28.8	0.90	835	8.3	0.81	217	38.7	0.88	1,101
including	0.5	1.1	1.17	42	20.1	1.12	725	5.0	1.09	176	26.3	1.12	943
Klondyke UG	1.5				1.0	2.87	89	1.8	3.31	162	2.7	2.83	250
including	2.0				0.7	3.36	72	1.2	4.08	130	1.9	3.33	202
Copenhagen	0.5				0.2	5.58	34	0.1	2.65	9	0.3	4.54	43
Coronation	0.5				0.6	1.88`	34	0.2	1.24	9	0.8	1.69	43
Fieldings Gully	0.5				0.3	1.80	16	0.3	1.87	20	0.6	1.84	36
Blue Spec Project					0.1	31.1	95	0.2	20.2	96	0.2	24.3	190
Blue Spec					0.1	31.5	71	0.2	21.2	66	0.2	25.5	136
Gold Spec					0.0	30.1	24	0.1	17.9	30	0.1	21.8	54
Total		1.6	0.93	49	31	1.1	1,103	11	1.7	513	43	1.2	1,662

#### Reserves

Deposit	Cut-Off	Proven				Probable		Total			
2.0	(g/t)	Mt	Au (g/t)	koz	Mt	Au (g/t)	koz	Mt	Au (g/t)	koz	
Klondyke Open Pit	0.33-0.36	1.4	1.0	45	9.8	1.0	326	11.3	1.0	371	
Klondyke Underground	1.2				1.9	2.1	120	1.9	2.1	120	
St George Open Pit	0.36-0.39				0.2	1.2	9	0.2	1.2	9	
Copenhagen Open Pit	1.88				0.1	5.5	17	0.1	5.5	17	
Blue Spec					0.2	11.2	83	0.2	11.2	83	
Total		1.4	1.0	45	12.3	1.4	555	13.8	1.4	600	