# GELUM RESOURCES LTD. (formerly GELUM CAPITAL LTD.) MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

FOR THE PERIOD ENDED JANUARY 31, 2022

# **OVERVIEW**

The following sets out the Management's Discussion and Analysis ("MD&A") of results of operations and financial condition of Gelum Resources Ltd. (formerly Gelum Capital Ltd.) (the "Company", "Gelum", "our" and "we") describing the operating and financial results of the Company for the period ended January 31, 2022 and 2021. The following MD&A should be read in conjunction with the Company's audited financial statements and related notes for the year ended April 30, 2021 copies of which are filed on the SEDAR website: <a href="http://www.sedar.com">www.sedar.com</a>. The Company prepares its financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS"). The audited financial statements of the Company are presented on a historical cost basis. All dollar figures included herein and in the following discussion and analysis are quoted in Canadian dollars unless otherwise noted.

The financial information in this MD&A is derived from the Company's financial statements prepared in accordance with IFRS. This MD&A may contain forward looking statements based on assumptions and judgments of management regarding events or results that may prove to be inaccurate as a result of risk factors beyond its control. Actual results may differ materially from the expected results.

# **COMPANY OVERVIEW**

The Company was a publicly traded Canadian company listed on the Canadian Securities Exchange under the symbol 'JEM', with an emphasis on acquiring and developing oil and gas properties.

The Company ceased to be directly or indirectly engaged in oil and gas activities as of July 24, 2018. Its principal business is the identification and evaluation of assets, or a business, and once identified or evaluated, to negotiate the acquisition or participation in the business. On September 21, 2021 the Company received conditional listing approval from the Canadian Securities Exchange (the "CSE")

Effective September 24, 2021, the Company changed its name to Gelum Resources Ltd.

### **OVERALL PERFORMANCE**

The Company will continue to seek new opportunities while maintaining the Company's status as a reporting issuer.

# **OPERATIONAL UPDATE**

Under the terms of the Development Agreement signed on August 7, 2014, the Company paid \$4,644,326 (US\$4,153,378) to drill, complete and equip three development wells. In the initial phase of the project, 70% of gross proceeds flow to the Company in order to recover its investment. As at 30 April 2017, the Company had realized accumulated investment returns of \$2,717,566 (US\$2,139,390). During the year ended 30 April 2017, realized investment returns were \$485,601 (US\$371,483).

According to Central production reports, since the first well started producing oil in October, 2014 until October 26, 2016, gross cumulative production of the three wells drilled in the Catriel Oeste field reached 57,483 barrels of crude oil, generating net proceeds of \$2,717,566 which represents the 70% stake that Jagercor received from the total sales of crude oil.

The Catriel Oeste concession expired on October 25, 2016. In January, Central advised Jagercor that Central continued to be involved in negotiations with the Rio Negro Province to extend the concession. Then Central advised Jagercor that the Province of Rio Negro rejected its offer, denying an extension of the concession agreement. Central has operated the Catriel Oeste oilfield until the end of February 2017. The Province transferred the asset (concession) to Provincial Hydrocarbons Company. As a result of Central's inability to obtain a concession extension, production rights over the 3 wells terminate.

The Development Agreement has been impacted (and effectively terminated) by Central's inability to obtain a concession extension.

On April 27, 2018, the Company sold its interest in its 57.64% owned subsidiary, Jagercor Energia Argentia SA (JEA) to a director of the Company for proceeds of 415,000 Argentine pesos (\$25,000).

During the year ended April 30, 2019, the Company received proceeds of \$151,004 related to the sale and for partial repayment of a previously written-off loan to JEA resulting in a gain on loan receivable of \$126,004.

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The Company has identified and acquired the Eldorado Gold Property (the "Property") is located within the Bralorne-Bridge River Gold District in south-central British Columbia. On March 24, 2021 the Company entered into an option agreement to acquire 50% ownership interest in and to the Property and form a joint venture with the Optionor in respect of the Property, with the ability of the Company to acquire an additional 30% interest in the Property.

# Eldorado Gold Property

The Eldorado Gold Property is located 22 kilometres north of the Bralorne mine, and 17 kilometres North of the community of Gold Bridge. The 7360 hectare property covers multiple polymetallic Minfile listings and two past producing, small-scale mines that form the northern extent of the Bridge River - Bralorne/Pioneer orogenic gold system. It is underlain by the same rock units and lies along one of the main faults tied to mineralization within the system. Orogenic gold occurs in polymetallic sulphide veins and vein stockwork within broad quartz-carbonate alteration within the Eldorado granodiorite stock and surrounding volcanic, sedimentary, and serpentinized ultramafic rocks. These units are complexly juxtaposed along numerous faults associated with regional-scale structures linked to gold mineralization in the region.

The most recent drilling on the property in 2011 by GFE Exploration Corporation (five holes totaling 1379 metres) intersected numerous, widespread intervals of gold mineralization, including 1.22 metres of 32.6 g/t Au (0.94m true thickness) at 292 metres down-hole, where visible gold occurs within a quartz- carbonate-sulphide vein. This in turn occurs within a broader mineralized zone of 25.6 metres of 2.19 g/t Au between 270.58 - 296.18 metres.

In order to earn a 50% interest in the property, the Company must pay an aggregate \$600,000 to the optionors and issue up to 2,800,000 common shares, a further 30% can be earned paying to the optionors \$800,000 and issuing up to 2,400,000 common shares. In order to complete the 80% ownership during the five-year option period the company will conduct exploration expenditures totaling \$4,250,000.

The Company entered into an agreement to acquire the Roxey claims. The claims are contiguous to the Eldorado Gold Property within the Bralorne-Bridge River Gold District in south-central British Columbia. In order to acquire a 100% right, title and interest in and to the mineral claims, the Company issued 4,000,000 common shares in the capital stock of the Company on August 12, 2021.

# **Qualified Person**

John Drobe, P.Geo., a qualified person as defined by NI 43-101, has reviewed the scientific and technical information and has approved the disclosure herein. Mr. Drobe is not independent of the Company as he is a consultant of the Company

# **RESULTS OF OPERATIONS**

# Three months ended January 31, 2022 and 2021

The Company reported net loss and comprehensive loss of \$434,852 for the period ended January 31, 2022 (2021 - \$39,322).

The Company's operating expenses for the period ended January 31, 2022, included the following:

Consulting expense of \$45,850 (2021 - \$nil) increased due to the activities of the Company increasing to acquire various mineral property claims and increased need to expand management support.

General & administrative of \$84,167 (2021 - \$28,978), Office expense \$9,131 (2021 - \$nil) and Property investigation \$6,344 (2021 - \$nil) has increased compared to the same period of the previous year mainly due to increased office administration fees charged by Marval Office Management Ltd for services rendered.

Professional fees of \$21,529 (2021 - \$nil) has increased due to the increase of activities of the Company which include mineral property acquisitions, financings, convertible note conversion and CSE re-listing application.

Interest expense of \$3,156 (2021 - \$5,096) and accretion expense of \$5,974 (2021 - \$5,248) related to convertible notes and loan payable.

# Nine months ended January 31, 2022 and 2021

The Company reported net loss and comprehensive loss of \$661,924 for the period ended January 31, 2022 (2021 - \$91,541).

The Company's operating expenses for the period ended January 31, 2022, included the following:

Consulting expense of \$115,270 (2021 - \$nil) increased due to the activities of the Company increasing to acquire various mineral property claims and increased need to expand management support.

General & administrative of \$116,371 (2021 - \$60,674), Office expense \$10,760 (2021 - \$nil) and Property investigation \$6,344 (2021 - \$nil) has increased compared to the same period of the previous year mainly due to increased office administration fees charged by Marval Office Management Ltd for services rendered.

Professional fees of \$79,364 (2021 - \$nil) has increased due to the increase of activities of the Company which include mineral property acquisitions, financings, convertible note conversion and CSE re-listing application.

Interest expense of \$9,490 (2021 - \$15,123) and accretion expense of \$22,002 (2021 - \$15,744) related to convertible notes and loan payable.

# SUMMARY OF ANNUAL RESULTS

The following is a summary of the Company's financial results for the three most recently completed financial years:

| Year ended April 30                | 2021      | 2020      | 2019      |
|------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Net loss                           | \$165,628 | \$158,813 | \$1,493   |
| Loss per share – basic and diluted | \$0.03    | \$0.03    | \$0.00    |
| Total assets                       | \$89,262  | \$16,061  | \$87,481  |
| Short-term liabilities             | \$138,653 | \$527,041 | \$481,268 |
| Long-term liabilities              | \$263,651 | \$215,582 | \$173,962 |
| Cash dividends declared per share  | \$Nil     | \$Nil     | \$Nil     |

During the year ended April 30, 2019, the Company focused on seeking new opportunities and working towards maintaining the Company's status as a reporting issuer. The statement of loss and comprehensive loss reflects the decrease in operations for the year ended April 30, 2019. The Company recorded a gain on the recovery of loan receivable \$126,004.

During the year ended April 30, 2020, the Company focused on seeking new opportunities and working towards maintaining the Company's status as a reporting issuer. The statement of loss and comprehensive loss reflects the decrease in operations for the year ended April 30, 2020.

During the year ended April 30, 2021, the Company focused on acquiring the Eldorado Gold Project and maintaining the Company's status as a reporting issuer. The statement of loss and comprehensive loss reflects the increase in operations for the year ended April 30, 2021.

# SUMMARY OF QUARTERLY RESULTS

The following is a summary of the Company's financial results for the eight most recently completed quarters:

| For the quarter ended              | Jan 31,<br>2022 – Q3 2022 | Oct 31,<br>2021 – Q2 2022 | July 31,<br>2021 – Q1 2022 | Apr 30,<br>2021 – Q4 2021 |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| Net loss                           | (\$434,852)               | (\$110,349)               | (\$116,723)                | (\$74,087)                |
| Loss per share – basic and diluted | (\$0.01)                  | (\$0.00)                  | (\$0.01)                   | (\$0.01)                  |
| For the quarter ended              | Jan 31,<br>2021 – Q3 2021 | Oct 31,<br>2020 – Q2 2021 | July 31,<br>2020 – Q1 2021 | Apr 30,<br>2020 – Q4 2020 |
| Net loss                           | (\$39,322)                | (\$34,434)                | (\$17,785)                 | (\$73,075)                |
| Loss per share – basic and diluted | (\$0.01)                  | (\$0.01)                  | (\$0.00)                   | (\$0.02)                  |

The net loss in the quarters ended January 31, 2021, October 31, 2020, July 31, 2020, April 30, 2020, January 31, 2020, January 31, 2020, April 30, 2019, January 31, 2019 and January 31, 2019 were primarily due to decreased operations due to the sale of JEA in the year ending April 30, 2018. The quarter ended April 30, 2021, July 31, 2021, October 31, 2021 and January 31, 2022 primarily consisted of increased costs associated with the acquisition of the Eldorado Gold Property and preparing for re-listing on the CSE.

# LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

As of January 31, 2022, the Company had a working capital surplus (deficit) of \$731,604 (2021 – (\$510,980)) and cash of \$971,007 (2021 - \$9,288). The increase in cash is explained during the nine months ended January 31, 2022, by net private placement financings totaling \$1,792,825 (2021 - \$Nil).

### Share transactions:

During the nine months ended January 31, 2022 the Company issued the following:

a) On July 22, 2021, the Company closed a non-brokered private placement of 8,450,000 units at \$0.10 per unit (the "Offering") for gross proceeds of \$845,000. Each unit consisted of one common share in the capital of the Company and two separate one-half (1/2) of one common share purchase warrants (a "1/2 Warrant A" and a "1/2 Warrant B") and, respectively, each whole warrant, a "Warrant A" and a "Warrant B", and collectively the "Warrants".

Each whole Warrant A entitles the holder to purchase one common share in the capital of the Company at an exercise price of \$0.25 per share for a period of 24 months from issuance and, each whole Warrant B entitles the holder to purchase one common share in the capital of the Company at an exercise price of \$0.50 per share for a period of 24 months from issuance. No value was attributed to the warrant component of the units issued.

The Offering closed in three separate tranches, issuing 3,350,000 units on June 28, 2021, 5,000,000 units on July 6, 2021 and 100,000 units on July 14, 2021. The Company paid finders' fees of \$21,700, issued 217,000 finders' warrants exercisable at a price of \$0.25 until June 28, 2021 the fair value of the finders' warrants was determined to be \$6,646 using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following inputs: i) exercise price: \$0.25; ii) share price: \$0.10; iii) term: 2 years; iv) volatility: 100%; v) discount rate: 0.44%.

- b) On July 13, 2021, the Company completed the conversion of convertible notes by issuing 5,380,274 common shares at a price of \$0.05 and 5,380,274 common share purchase warrants exercisable at \$0.06 for one year. No value was attributed to the warrant component of the units issued.
- c) On September 20, 2021, the Company issued 200,000 common shares at a fair value of \$20,000 (\$0.10 per share) pursuant to the option agreement on the Eldorado project.
- d) On August 31, 2021, the Company completed a non-brokered private placement offering of 1,100,000 units at a price of \$0.10 per unit raising aggregate gross proceeds of \$110,000. Each unit consists of one Common Share and two separate one-half (1/2) of one common share purchase warrants (a "1/2 Warrant A" and a "1/2 Warrant B" and, respectively, each whole warrant, a "Warrant A" and a "Warrant B", and collectively the "Warrants"). Each whole Warrant A entitles the holder to purchase one Common Share at an exercise price of \$0.25 per share for a period of 24 months from issuance, and each whole Warrant B entitles the holder to purchase one Common Share at an exercise price of \$0.50 per share for a period of 24 months from issuance.

The Company paid finders' fees of \$7,350 and issued 76,650 finder's warrants with each such warrant entitling the holder thereof to purchase one Common Share at an exercise price of \$0.25 per share for a period of 24 months. The fair value of the finders' warrants was determined to be \$2,251 using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following inputs: i) exercise price: \$0.25; ii) share price: \$0.10; iii) term: 2 years; iv) volatility: 100%; v) discount rate: 0.43%.

- e) On August 12, 2021, the Company issued 4,000,000 common shares at a fair value of \$400,000 (\$0.10 per share) pursuant to the option agreement on the Eldorado project Roxey claims.
- f) On December 30, 2021 and January 4, 2022, the Company closed a flow-through non-brokered private placement and the first tranche of a non-flow-through non-brokered private placement. The Company issued 1,485,714 flow-through shares at a price of \$0.35 per share (the "FT Shares") and, 1,670,000 non-flow through units ("NFT Units") at a price of \$0.25 per NFT Unit for aggregate proceeds of \$937,500.

The FT Shares were issued at a premium to the trading value of the Company's common shares, which reflects the value of the income tax write-offs that the Company will renounce to the flow-through shareholders. The premium was determined to be \$148,571 and has been recorded as a reduction of share capital. An equivalent flow-through share premium liability has been recorded, which is being reversed pro-rata as the required exploration expenditures are incurred.

Each NFT Unit consists of one common share of the Company and one-half of one common share purchase warrant, each whole warrant entitles the holder to purchase an additional common share of the Company at a price of \$0.45 per share for a period of 18 months from the closing of the Offering. No value was attributed to the warrant component of the units issued.

The Company paid finders' fees of \$65,625 and issued 116,900 finders' warrants exercisable at a price of \$0.25 until July 4, 2023. The fair value of the finders' warrants was determined to be \$18,187 using the Black-Scholes option

pricing model with the following inputs: i) exercise price: \$0.25; ii) share price: \$0.27; iii) term: 1.5 years; iv) volatility: 125%; v) discount rate: 0.98%.

During the nine months ended January 31, 2021 the Company did not issue common shares.

### **Cash Flow Activities:**

During the nine months ended January 31, 2022, cash used in operating activities was \$472,485 compared to \$54,413 used during the nine months ended January 31, 2021. Cash from financing activities was \$1,739,669 due to private placement receipts compared to \$49,684 due to related party balances from the nine months ended January 31, 2021. Cash used in investing activities was \$300,976 compared to \$nil from the nine months ended January 31, 2021. The Company completed a private placement financing totaling \$920,950 during the period net of share issuance costs. Additionally, operating costs have increased due to the activity surrounding the acquisition of the Eldorado property and the re-listing application of the Company to the CSE.

### OUTSTANDING SHARES

# **Outstanding Share Data**

As at January 31, 2022 there were 32,563,042 common shares outstanding.

As at the date of this report, there were 33,338,042 common shares outstanding.

As at January 31, 2022, there were 2,650,000 share options.

As at the date of this report, there were 2,650,000 share options.

As at January 31, 2022, there were 16,672,680 warrants outstanding.

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|                          | Number of shares | Share capital |
|--------------------------|------------------|---------------|
| Balance January 31, 2022 | 32,563,042       | \$ 10,111,378 |

# OFF-BALANCE SHEET ARRANGEMENTS

The Company has no off-balance sheet arrangements as at January 31, 2022 or as of the date of this report.

# TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES

A number of key management personnel and Directors hold positions in other entities that result in them having control or significant influence over the financial or operating policies of these entities. There were no loans to key management personnel or Directors, or entities over which they have control or significant influence during the nine months ended January 31, 2022 and January 31, 2021.

1,250,000 stock options were granted to related parties during the nine months ended January 31, 2022 with a fair value of \$122,654. No stock options were granted to related parties during the nine months ended January 31, 2021.

The Company transacted with the following related parties:

- (a) Stephen Brohman is the Company's CFO. He is a principal of Donaldson Brohman Martin CPA Inc. ("DBM CPA") a firm in which he has significant influence. DBM CPA provide the Company with accounting services.
- (b) Shares to be issued include incentive bonus payable to compensate the former Chief Executive officer payable in 36,500 common shares at a price of \$0.80 per share. Issuance pending since 2016.
- (c) On October 14, 2017, convertible notes were issued to two directors, Hendrik Van Alphen and Robert Kopple. These notes have been converted as at July 13, 2021.
- (d) Marla Ritchie is the Company's Corporate secretary and Hendrik Van Alphen is the Company's director. They share control of Marval Office Management Ltd., ("Marval") in which they have significant influence. Marval provides office administration services to the Company on a shared cost basis.
- (e) David Smith is the Company's President and Interim Chief Executive Officer. He is the spouse to the owner of Lucas Investments Ltd. ("Lucas").

The aggregate value of transactions and outstanding balances with key management personnel and Directors and entities over which they have control or significant influence were as follows:

|                    | Transactions<br>9 months ended | Transactions<br>9 months ended | Balances<br>outstanding | Balances<br>outstanding<br>April 30, |
|--------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|
|                    | January 31,                    | January 31,                    | January 31,             |                                      |
|                    | 2022                           | 2021                           | 2022                    | 2021                                 |
|                    | \$                             | \$                             | \$                      | \$                                   |
| DBMCPA             | 22,000                         | 6,000                          | 2,625                   | 26,700                               |
| Marval             | 89,157                         | -                              | 6,398                   | -                                    |
| Lucas              | 70,000                         | -                              | -                       | -                                    |
| Robert Kopple      | -                              | 24,684                         | -                       |                                      |
| Hendrik Van Alphen | -                              | 25,000                         | -                       | 6,038                                |
| Marla Ritchie      | 22,500                         | -                              | -                       | -                                    |
|                    | 203,657                        | 55,684                         | 9,023                   | 32,738                               |

All related party balances are unsecured and are due upon demand without interest.

The transactions with the key management personnel and Directors are included in operating expenses as follows:

- (a) Professional fees
  - Includes the accounting services of Company's CFO, Stephen Brohman, charged to the Company by DBM; and
  - Includes the corporate secretary services of Marla Ritchie.
- (b) General and administrative expenses, Office expenses and Property investigation
  - Includes the administrative services charged to the Company by Maval.
- (c) Consulting expense
  - Includes the CEO services charged to the Company by Lucas.

# CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES

The Company makes estimates and assumptions about the future that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities. Estimates and judgments are continually evaluated based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

In the future, actual experience may differ from these estimates and assumptions. The effect of a change in an accounting estimate is recognized prospectively by including it in comprehensive income in the year of the change, if the change affects that year only, or in the year of the change and future years, if the change affects both.

Information about critical judgments in applying accounting policies that have the most significant risk of causing material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities recognized in the financial statements within the next financial year are discussed in the audited financial statements.

# **RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES**

The Company believes that the following risks and uncertainties may materially affect its success.

### Limited Operating History

The Company has no history of business or exploitation operations, revenue generation or production history. The Company was incorporated on June 8, 1987 and has not yet generated a significant profit from its activities. The Company is subject to all of the business risks and uncertainties associated with any new business enterprise, including the risk that it will not achieve its growth objective. The Company anticipates that it may take several years to achieve positive free cash flow.

#### **Credit risk**

Credit risk is the risk of an unexpected loss if a customer or counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations and arises primarily from the Company's cash. The Company manages its credit risk relating to cash by dealing with only with highly-rated financial institutions. As a result, credit risk is considered insignificant.

# **Currency Risk**

Currency risk is the risk to the Company's earnings that arises from fluctuations of foreign exchange rates and the degree of volatility of these rates.

# Interest rate risk

The Company is exposed to interest rate risk because of fluctuating interest rates. Fluctuations in market rates do not have a significant impact on the Company's operations due to the short term to maturity and no penalty cashable feature of its cash. For the nine months ended January 31, 2022 every 1% fluctuation in interest rates up or down would have an insignificant impact.

# Substantial Capital Requirements and Liquidity

No assurances can be given that the Company will be able to raise the additional funding that may be required. Debt financing, if available, may also involve restrictions on financing and operating activities. There is no assurance that additional financing will be available on terms acceptable to the Company or at all. If the Company is unable to obtain additional financing as needed, it may be required to reduce the scope of its operations or anticipated expansion.

The Company manages liquidity risk by maintaining an adequate level of cash and cash equivalents to meet its ongoing obligations. The Company continuously reviews its actual expenditures and forecast cash flows and matches the maturity dates of its cash and cash equivalents to capital and operating needs. The Company has been successful in raising equity financing in the past; however, there is no assurance that it will be able to do so in the future.

# **Financing Risks and Dilution to Shareholders**

The Company will have limited financial resources. There can be no assurance that the Company will be able to obtain adequate financing in the future or that such financing will be available on favorable terms or at all. It is likely such additional capital will be raised through the issuance of additional equity, which will result in dilution to the Company's shareholders.

### **Reliance on Management and Dependence on Key Personnel**

The success of the Company will be largely dependent upon on the performance of the directors and officers and the ability to attract and retain key personnel. The loss of the services of these persons may have a material adverse effect on the Company's business and prospects. The Company will compete with numerous other companies for the recruitment and retention of qualified employees and contractors. There is no assurance that the Company can maintain the service of its directors and officers or other qualified personnel required to operate its business. Failure to do so could have a material adverse effect on the Company and its prospects.

### Litigation

The Company and/or its directors may be subject to a variety of civil or other legal proceedings, with or without merit.

# FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This MD&A contains forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements are projections of events, revenues, income, future economic performance or management's plans and objectives for future operations. In some cases, you can identify forward-looking statements by the use of terminology such as "may", "should", "expects", "plans", "anticipates", "believes", "estimates", "predicts", "potential" or "continue" or the negative of these terms or other comparable terminology. Examples of forward-looking statements made in this MD&A include statements about the Company's business plans; the costs and timing of its developments; its future investments and allocation of capital resources; success of exploration activities; requirements for additional capital; government regulation of mining operations. These statements are only predictions and involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors, including: general economic and business conditions, fluctuations in worldwide prices and demand for minerals; our lack of operating history; the actual results of current exploration activities; conclusions or economic evaluations; changes in project parameters as plans continue to be refined; possible variations in grade and or recovery rates; failure of plant, equipment or processes to operate as anticipated; accidents, labor disputes or other risks of the oil & gas industry and mineral property exploration industry; delays in obtaining government approvals or financing or incompletion of development or construction activities, any of which may cause our or our industry's actual results, levels of activity, performance or achievements to be materially different from any future results, levels of activity, performance or achievements expressed or implied by these forward-looking statements.

The Company has no working interest in any Property and does not claim to report any reserves, resources other than reserves or measurements thereof. Gelum's interest was limited to a funding agreement in the form of the Agreement entered into with Central which has been terminated.

Any references in this MD&A to test rates, flow rates, initial and/or final raw test or production rates, early production, test volumes behind pipe and/or "flush" production rates are useful in confirming the presence of hydrocarbon, however, such rates are not necessarily indicative of long-term performance or of ultimate recovery. Readers are cautioned not to place reliance on such rates in calculating the aggregate production for Gelum or its partners.

All calculations converting natural gas to barrels of oil equivalent ("boe") have been made using a conversion ratio of six thousand cubic feet (six "Mcf") of natural gas to one barrel of oil, unless otherwise stated. The use of boe may be misleading, particularly if used in isolation, as the conversion ratio of six Mcf of natural gas to one barrel of oil is based on an energy equivalency conversion method primarily applicable at the burner tip and does not represent a value equivalency at the wellhead.

While these forward-looking statements and any assumptions upon which they are based are made in good faith and reflect our current judgment regarding the direction of the Company's business, actual results will almost always vary, sometimes materially, from any estimates, predictions, projections, assumptions or other future performance suggested herein. Except as required by applicable law, including the securities laws of Canada, the Company does not intend to update any of the forward-looking statements to conform these statements to actual results.

# MANAGEMENT'S REPORT ON INTERNAL CONTROLS OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING

In connection with Exemption Orders issued in November 2007 by each of the securities commissions across Canada, the Chief Executive Officer ("CEO") and Chief Financial Officer ("CFO") of the Company will file a Venture Issuer Basic Certificate with respect to the financial information contained in the unaudited interim financial statements and the audited annual financial statements and respective accompanying MD&A.

In contrast to the certificate under National Instrument ("NI") 52-109 (Certification of Disclosure in Issuer's Annual and Interim Filings), the Venture Issuer Basic Certification includes a 'Note to Reader' stating that the CEO and CFO do not make any representations relating to the establishment and maintenance of disclosure controls and procedures and internal control over financing reporting, as defined in NI 52-109.

### FINANCIAL AND OTHER INSTRUMENTS

The Company's financial instruments consist of cash, amounts receivable, trade and other payables and due to related parties.

The carrying value of cash, amounts receivable, trade and other payables and due to related parties, approximates their fair value because of the short-term nature of these instruments.

Convertible note is presented on an amortized cost basis and will be accreted to their face value at their effective interest rates, over the term to maturity.

Financial instruments measured at fair value on the statement of financial position are summarized into the following fair value hierarchy levels:

Level 1: quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.

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 (unobservable inputs).

#### Management of financial risks

The financial risk arising from the Company's operations are credit risk, liquidity risk, interest rate risk, currency risk and commodity price risk. These risks arise from the normal course of operations and all transactions undertaken are to support the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. The risks associated with these financial instruments and the policies on how to mitigate these risks were set out in the "Risks and Uncertainties" section on page 7. Management manages and monitors these exposures to ensure appropriate measures are implemented on a timely and effective manner.

Unless otherwise noted, it is management's opinion that the Company is not exposed to significant interest or commodity risk arising from these financial instruments.

# **DIRECTORS**

Certain directors of the Company are also directors, officers and/or shareholders of other companies that are similarly engaged in the business of acquiring, developing and exploring natural resource properties. Such associations may give rise to conflicts of interest from time to time. The directors of the Company are required to act in good faith with a view to the best interests of the Company and to disclose any interest they may have in any project opportunity of the Company. If a conflict of interest arises at a meeting of the board of directors, any director in a conflict will disclose his/her interest and abstain from voting in the matter(s). In determining whether or not the Company will participate in any project or opportunity, the directors will primarily consider the degree of risk to which the Company may be exposed and its financial position at the time.

# OUTLOOK

The Company's primary focus for the foreseeable future will be ongoing on the evaluation of possible projects related to acquire and development activities in mineral exploration projects.

#### OTHER REQUIREMENTS

Additional disclosure of the Company's material documents, information circular, material change reports, new release, and other information can be obtained on SEDAR at <u>www.sedar.com</u>.

# **OTHER MATTERS**

### Legal proceedings

The Company is not aware of any legal proceedings.

# **Contingent liabilities**

At the date of report, management was unaware of any outstanding contingent liability relating to the Company's activities.

### **Proposed transaction**

The Company is not aware of any proposed transactions.

### Commitment

On December 30, 2021, the Company completed a private placement of flow-through common shares for gross proceeds of \$520,000 and recognized a flow-through liability of \$148,571. The Company is required to spend the funds on qualified exploration programs no later than December 31, 2022. The Company renounced the expenditures and available income tax benefits to the flow-through shareholders effective December 31, 2021. As at January 31, 2022, all funds have remained unspent. The Company will amortize the premium on a pro-rata basis as the flow-through funds are expended and recognized as other income on settlement of the flow-through premium liability.

# EVENTS AFTER THE REPORTING PERIOD

On March 8, 2022 (the "Option Date"), the Company announced it has entered into an Option Agreement (the "Option") under which the Company may earn a 100% interest in a 8,736 ha (87 km2) ML land position located in south-central British Columbia, Cariboo Mining District. The ML property contains several porphyry-copper prospects (Minfile occurrences) between Gibraltar and Mt. Polley mines.

In consideration of the granting of the Option and to maintain the Option, the Company shall during the Option period issue to the optionors an aggregate of \$450,000 in common shares and make cash payments to the optionors in the amount of \$375,000 as follows:

- a) \$25,000 and \$112,500 worth of common shares within five days of the Option Date (paid and common shares issued at a fair value of \$0.30 representing 375,000 common shares);
- b) \$50,000 and \$112,500 worth of common shares within twelve months of the Option Date;
- c) \$100,000 and \$112,500 worth of common shares within twenty-four months of the Option Date; and
- d) \$200,000 and \$112,500 worth of common shares within thirty-six months of the Option Date.

Where the number of common shares issuable shall be determined by dividing the dollar amount by the market price at the date of issuance. The vendors retain a 2.5% NSR royalty (buyable down to 2%) by payment of \$1,000,000, there are no work commitments on the property. The market price means the 30-day moving average share price at the time of issuance, market price shall be subject to a minimum of \$0.30 and in no instances shall the market price be less than \$0.30 for the purposes of determining the number of common shares issuable.

On March 17, 2022, the Company issued 400,000 common shares pursuant to the option agreement on the Eldorado project.

# OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS OF THE COMPANY

As at March 29, 2022, the officers and directors of the Company are: Robert Kopple –Director Hendrik Van Alphen – Director Susannah Coille Van Alphen - Director David Smith – President, Interim CEO Stephen Brohman – CFO

# APPROVAL

The board of Directors of the Company has approved the disclosure contained in this Management Discussion and Analysis. A copy will be provided to anyone who requests it.

On Behalf of the Board of Directors,

<u>/s/ Robert Kopple</u> Robert Kopple Director March 29, 2022

<u>/s/ Hendrik Van Alphen</u> Hendrik Van Alphen Director March 29, 2022