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Second Exploration Phase Completed on Persada Tenement

Highlights

- A geological mapping program was carried out along with the collection and subsequent assaying of mineralised rock chip samples. Rock chip and rock float assay results returned gold from <0.01 to 1.58g/t Au; silver 0.01 to 5.7g/t Ag; zinc 19 to 108 ppm Zn; copper 12 to 147 ppm Cu; lead 5 to 87 ppm Pb and arsenic2 to 8870ppm As.
- Based on these results, two prospective areas totaling 111ha have been identified as being priority targets for Au mineralisation that are associated with hydrothermal processes in andesite rocks and sandstone.
- The Persada Tenement has demonstrated potential for Gold and Copper from previous sampling results.

The Board of Western Mining Network Ltd (“WMN” or the “Company”) is pleased to announce that assay results have now been received from the second phase of exploration for the semi detailed geological mapping, float rock chips samples, outcrops via rock chip sampling and trenching within the Persada Tenement. The Persada Tenement is located northeast of Palu in Central Sulawesi, between Toli-toli and Buol. It is approximately 50km east of Toli-toli and covers 5,000ha. There is an existing access road to the Tenement via Lakea village road, west of the Buol – Toli-toli highway.

The second phase of exploration has been undertaken as a follow up to previous Stream Sediment (SS) Exploration conducted in May 2013 which revealed anomalies for Au. Two prospective blocks were identified for additional exploration follow up; Block A ~480ha & Block B ~450ha.



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Figure 1: Map Showing the Persada Tenement and known reported resources by other holders.

Several rock chip samples taken from either in situ outcrops or float were collected during geological mapping. A total of 16 selected samples were used for assay and 4 samples were used for petrographic analyses of the mineralisation and alteration.

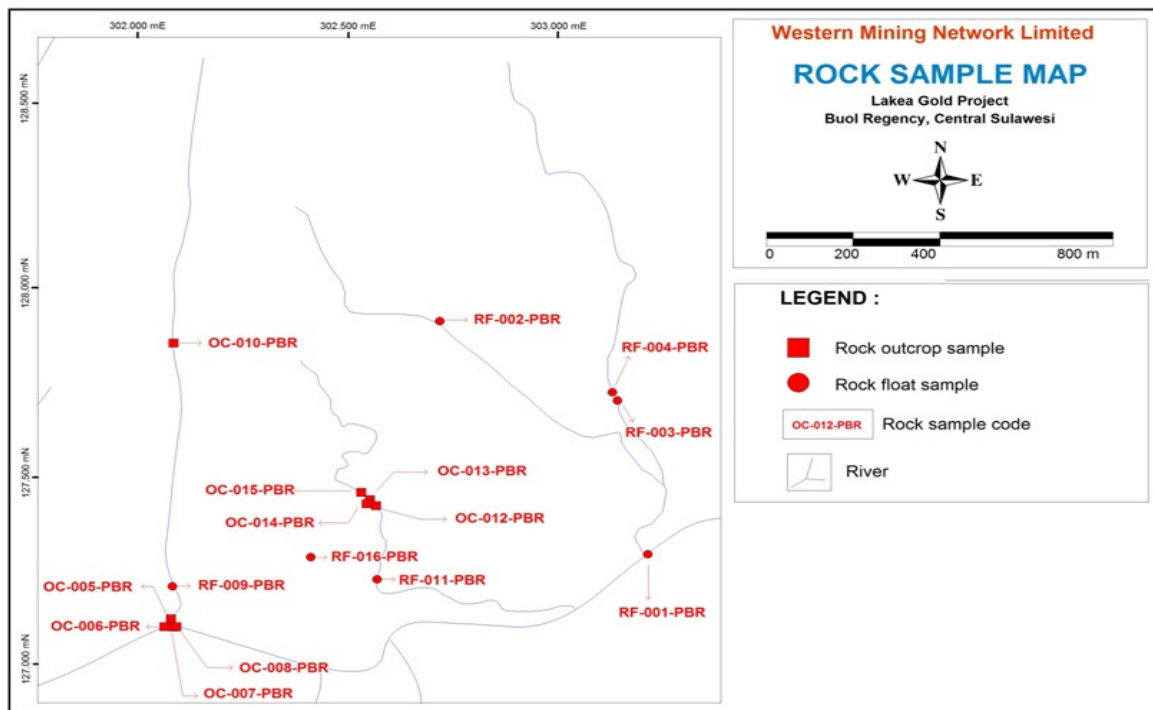


Figure 2: Rock Sample Location Map.

All samples were analysed by PT Intertek Utama Services, a reputable mineral laboratory in Jakarta. Rock samples were analysed using Fire Assay (Method code: FA 51) for Au with detection limit at 0.01 ppm. Cold vapor AAS (Method Code: CV02) were used for Mercury (Hg) determination and ICP-OES method (Code: IC01) were used after aqua regia digest for Ag, As, Bi, Cu, Mo, Pb, Sb, Te & Zn.

Table 1: Assay results of rock samples from the Persada tenement

Sample	Au ppm	Ag ppm	Cu ppm	Pb ppm	Zn ppm	As ppm	SB ppm	Se ppm	Te ppm	Hg ppm	Bi ppm	Mo ppm
RF-001	<0.01	0.1	29	6	80	7	<1	<10	<5	0.01	<2	<1
RF-002	0.01	0.1	35	13	82	2	<1	<10	<5	<0.01	2	<1
RF-003	<0.01	0.7	18	19	47	<2	<1	<10	<5	0.05	<2	<1
RF-004	<0.01	0.2	26	5	35	4	<1	<10	<5	0.01	<2	<1
OC-005	<0.01	0.6	70	23	54	55	10	<10	<5	0.16	<2	1
OC-006	<0.01	0.1	40	14	59	3	1	<10	<5	0.03	2	<1
OC-007	<0.01	0.3	62	14	64	<2	<1	<10	<5	0.05	3	1
OC-008	<0.01	0.3	89	5	37	<2	<1	<10	<5	0.02	<2	1
RF-009	1.58	5.7	69	63	19	8870	38	<10	<5	0.4	<2	<1
OC-010	0.32	0.8	12	87	108	5420	25	<10	<5	0.1	<2	<1
RF-011	<0.01	0.1	35	9	78	15	1	<10	<5	0.01	<2	<1
OC-012	<0.01	0.1	147	17	107	41	3	<10	<5	0.04	<2	<1
OC-013	0.02	0.5	49	79	95	7	1	<10	<5	<0.01	3	1
OC-014	<0.01	<0.1	52	15	43	14	2	<10	<5	<0.01	2	<1
OC-015	<0.01	0.1	21	12	99	3	<1	<10	<5	0.01	2	<1
RF-016	<0.01	0.1	34	12	55	<2	<1	<10	<5	<0.01	4	<1

The highest Au content is from float sample RF-009 (1.58g/t Au), followed by outcrop sample OC-010 (0.32g/t Au). The gold coincides with high arsenic in RF-009 (8,870ppm As) and OC-010 (5,420ppm As).

RF-009 is a mineralised float sample of hydrothermal breccia with disseminated pyrite from the Salutu River (Fig 3). OC-010 is from an outcrop of silicified sandstone with disseminated pyrite and arsenopyrite (Fig 4).



Figure 3: Silicified float (RF-009) shows quartz, pyrite and arsenopyrite.



Figure 4: OC-010 silicified –argillic sandstone with disseminated pyrite and arsenopyrite.

Ongoing exploration at the Persada tenement will include:

- Topographic & Grid Mapping
- Grid Pattern Soil Sampling using the MMI method for analysis
- Detailed Geological Mapping & Sampling
- Petrography & Mineragraphy Analysis
- Assay

On Behalf of the Board of Directors,

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The information in this report which relates to Exploration Results, Mineral Resources or Ore Reserves is based on information compiled by Mr Brian Varndell, a Fellow Member of the Australasian Institute of Mining & Metallurgy (“AusIMM”) and independent consultant to the Company. Mr Varndell is an employee of Al Maynard & Associates Pty Ltd and has many years of experience in exploration and mining in a variety of mineral deposit styles. Mr Varndell has sufficient experience which is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity which he is undertaking to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2004 Edition of the “Australasian Code for reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves”. Mr Varndell consents to inclusion in the report of the matters based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.