

# Velocity Minerals Ltd. Announces Strategic Investment by Dundee Precious Metals

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VANCOUVER, Nov. 16, 2020 - [Velocity Minerals Ltd.](#) (TSXV: VLC) ("Velocity" or the "Company") is pleased to announce that it has entered into an investment agreement dated November 13, 2020 (the "Investment Agreement") with [Dundee Precious Metals Inc.](#) (TSX: DPM) ("DPM"), whereby DPM will invest up to \$7,000,000 to acquire a 9.99% ownership interest in Velocity on a non-diluted basis (the "Strategic Investment"). Under and subject to the terms and conditions of the Investment Agreement, DPM has agreed to purchase up to 14,000,000 common shares of Velocity (each, an "Offered Share") at the price of \$0.50 per Offered Share, on a private placement basis.

In connection with the Strategic Investment, DPM will be granted the right to nominate one director to Velocity's board of directors upon increasing its ownership in Velocity to at least 15% of Velocity's issued and outstanding common shares (the "Common Shares"). The Investment Agreement provides that for so long as DPM holds at least 9.99% or more of Velocity's issued and outstanding Common Shares, DPM shall have a right to participate in future equity issuances in order to maintain its then pro rata percentage ownership interest. The Investment Agreement also provides that DPM is subject to certain voting and resale restrictions for a period of 12 months from the closing date of the Strategic Investment.

In connection with the Strategic Investment, Artemis Gold Inc. ("ARTG") has the participation right (the "Participation Right") to subscribe for that number of Common Shares that results in ARTG maintaining its pro rata ownership interest in the Company at the same price per Common Share as the Strategic Investment. Additionally, certain other investors may subscribe for Common Shares (the "Ancillary Subscriptions") in connection with, and at the same price as, the Strategic Investment. ARTG is also entitled under the Participation Right to participate on any Common Shares issued pursuant to the Ancillary Subscriptions to maintain its pro rata ownership interest in the Company.

The net proceeds from the Strategic Investment, together with any proceeds from the exercise of the Participation Right and the Ancillary Subscriptions, will be used to advance the Company's Rozino project and other exploration properties, and for general working capital purposes.

"We are pleased to welcome DPM as a strategic investor. DPM is an innovative and socially responsible, mid-tier precious metal company with two operating mines in Bulgaria," stated Keith Henderson, President & CEO of Velocity. "DPM's recently commissioned Ada Tepe open pit gold mine is located 40 km by road from our Rozino gold project, with which it shares many geological and technical similarities."

David Rae, President and CEO of DPM stated, "We are pleased to be investing in further gold exploration in southeastern Bulgaria through our equity financing in Velocity." Mr. Rae continued, "Given our strong presence and capabilities in the region, we believe that we are uniquely positioned to support Velocity as a strategic shareholder."

The closing of the Strategic Investment is subject to certain conditions including, but not limited to, the receipt of all necessary approvals including the approval of the TSX Venture Exchange (the "TSXV"). All Common Shares issued in connection with the transactions contemplated in this news release will be subject to a hold period of four months and one day in Canada.

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#### About Velocity Minerals Ltd.

Velocity is a gold exploration and development company focused on southeastern Bulgaria. Velocity's strategy is to develop a low cost centralized "Hub and Spoke" operation whereby multiple projects within this emerging gold district produce gold concentrates for trucking to a central processing plant for production of doré. The Company envisions staged open pit mining of satellite deposits and processing in a currently operating carbon-in-leach plant. Velocity has a 70% interest in the Tintyava prospecting licence, which includes the Rozino gold project, option agreements to earn a 70% interest in the Obichnik and Makedontsi gold projects, and an option agreement to earn a 100% interest in the Igljika project. Velocity's management and board includes mining industry professionals with combined experience spanning Europe, Asia, and the Americas as employees of major mining companies as well as founders and senior executives of junior to mid-tier public companies. The team's experience includes all aspects of mineral exploration, resource definition, feasibility, finance, mine construction and mine operation as well as a track record in managing publicly listed companies.

#### About Dundee Precious Metals

[Dundee Precious Metals Inc.](#) is a Canadian based, international gold mining company engaged in the acquisition of mineral properties, exploration, development, mining and processing of precious metals. The Company's operating assets include the Chelopech operation, which produces a gold-copper concentrate containing gold, copper and silver and a pyrite concentrate containing gold, located east of Sofia, Bulgaria; the Ada Tepe operation, which produces a gold concentrate containing gold and silver, located in southern Bulgaria; and the Tsumeb smelter, a complex copper concentrate processing facility located in Namibia. DPM also holds interests in a number of developing gold and exploration properties located in Canada, Serbia and Ecuador, including its 9.4% interest in [Sabina Gold & Silver Corp.](#) and its 19.4% interest in INV Metals Inc.

On Behalf of the Board of Directors  
"Keith Henderson"  
President & CEO

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