

# Whitehorse Gold Corp. Announces Commencement of Trading on TSX Venture Exchange

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## Skukum Gold Project Resource Estimate and Completion of 2020 Exploration Program

Vancouver, Nov 25, 2020 - [Whitehorse Gold Corp.](#) (TSXV: WHG) ("Whitehorse Gold" or the "Company") announces that its common shares have commenced trading on the TSX Venture Exchange (the "TSXV") under the ticker symbol "WHG" as of market open on November 25, 2020. The Company recently completed its Plan of Arrangement spin-out from [New Pacific Metals Corp.](#) and has also closed a \$6.79-million non-brokered private placement of common shares. Whitehorse Gold currently has 42,656,700 common shares issued and outstanding.

Whitehorse Gold is a new precious metals exploration and development company focused on its wholly-owned, past producing Skukum Gold Project (formerly named Tagish Lake Gold Project) located in the Whitehorse Mining District of the southern Yukon.

Highlights of Whitehorse Gold and the Skukum Gold Project include:

- Proven management team and Board with strong exploration, development, and operations skills, as well as capital markets experience.
- Current indicated mineral resources of 1,331,000 tonnes containing 274,544 oz gold and 5,355,478 oz silver plus additional inferred mineral resources of 1,111,000 tonnes containing 223,873 oz gold and 1,906,433 oz silver, provide a solid foundation for planned resource expansion initiatives.
- Robust infrastructure (roads, camp, underground development, and a past operating processing complex) allows for year-round access and streamlines potential production path.
- Exploration upside at the three gold deposits (Skukum Creek, Goddell and Mt. Skukum) all remaining open in addition to multiple, underexplored gold zones and occurrences on the project.

The project consists of 1,051 mineral claims covering an area of approximately 170 square kilometres and is located approximately 55 kilometres south of Whitehorse with direct road access (see Figure 1).

Figure 1: Skukum Gold Project location map

To view an enhanced version of Figure 1, please visit:

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The Company recently completed its 2020 exploration program, which included data compilation, surface mapping and sampling, relogging and sampling of previous drill core and in excess of 2,000 metres of diamond drilling. Assay results from sampling and drill programs will be released as they are received.

"We are excited to secure our TSXV listing as we continue to move forward in unlocking the strong exploration and development potential we envision on the Skukum Gold Project," stated Kevin Weston, CEO of Whitehorse Gold. "With our inaugural 2020 exploration and drill program now complete, we await assay results as we also develop and plan a more advanced exploration program for 2021. Our goal is to build on the robust, high-grade resource already delineated across the Skukum Gold camp and evaluate environmentally and socially responsible development options over the near term."

The Skukum Gold Project has excellent infrastructure including all-weather road access from Whitehorse (approximately one-hour drive), an all-weather 50-person camp, approximately 4.8 kilometres of underground workings, an extensive surface road network and a previously operating 300-tpd mill along with a tailings management facility and service buildings. Over 140,000 metres of drilling has been previously completed on the project by former operators from the 1980s to 2011.

Historical underground operations on the Mt. Skukum deposit from 1986 to 1988 saw a total of approximately 233,400 tons of ore mined and processed in the plant, recovering approximately 79,750 ounces of gold under a previous operator.

Whitehorse Gold also announces the completion of an updated independent technical report entitled "Skukum Gold-Silver Project NI 43-101 Technical Report" prepared by Ronald G. Simpson, P.Geo. of GeoSim Services Inc. with an effective date of October 1, 2020, which has been filed on SEDAR and is available on the Company's website. The independent resource estimate is based on analytical data from 631 drill holes representing 95,056 metres of drilling and 2,925 underground samples.

The Company's Skukum Gold Project hosts the following global mineral resources:

Skukum Gold Project Global Mineral Resource (using a 3.0 g/t AuEQ cut-off grade):

Class	Tonnes	Contained oz Au	Contained oz Ag	Contained oz AuEQ
Indicated	1,331,000	274,544	5,355,478	335,611
Inferred	1,111,000	223,873	1,906,433	245,590

The three delineated deposits on the Skukum Gold Project (Skukum Creek, Goddell and Mt. Skukum) individually host the following mineral resources:

Skukum Creek Deposit Mineral Resource (using a 3.0 g/t AuEQ cut-off grade):

Class	Tonnes	Au (g/t)	Ag (g/t)	AuEQ (g/t)	Contained oz Au	Contained oz Ag	Contained oz AuEQ
Indicated	1,001,300	5.85	166.4	7.75	188,334	5,355,478	249,401
Inferred	537,000	4.99	108.3	6.22	86,124	1,869,065	107,415

Goddell Deposit Mineral Resource (using a 3.0 g/t Au cut-off grade):

Class	Tonnes	Au (g/t)	Ag (g/t)	AuEQ (g/t)	Contained oz Au	Contained oz Ag	Contained oz AuEQ
Indicated	329,700	8.13	-	8.13	86,210	-	86,210
Inferred	483,900	7.13	-	7.13	110,867	-	110,867

Mt. Skukum Deposit Mineral Resource (using a 3.0 g/t AuEQ cut-off grade):

Class	Tonnes	Au (g/t)	Ag (g/t)	AuEQ (g/t)	Contained oz Au	Contained oz Ag	Contained oz AuEQ
Inferred	90,100	9.28	12.9	9.43	26,882	37,368	27,308

Cost Assumptions used in Cut-off Grade Determination:

Assumptions	Value
Gold Price (US\$ per oz)	\$1,450
Silver Price (US\$ per oz)	\$16.50
Gold Recovery	90%
Silver Recovery	90%
Underground Mining Cost (US\$ per tonne milled)	\$90
Processing (US\$ per tonne milled)	\$25
G&A Cost (US\$ per tonne milled)	\$10
Total Operating Cost (US\$ per tonne milled)	\$125
Cut-off Grade (g/t Au)	3.0

Notes:

1. CIM Definition standards (2014) were used for reporting the Mineral Resources.
2. Mineral resource estimate prepared by GeoSim Services Inc. with an effective date of October 1, 2020.
3. Mineral Resources are not mineral reserves and do not have demonstrated economic viability. An Inferred Mineral Resource is that part of a mineral resource for which quantity and grade or quality are estimated on the basis of limited geological evidence and sampling. Geological evidence is sufficient to imply but not verify geological and grade or quality continuity. An Inferred Mineral Resource has a lower level of confidence than that applying to an Indicated Mineral Resource and must not be converted to a Mineral Reserve. It is reasonably expected that the majority of Inferred Mineral Resources could be upgraded to Indicated Mineral Resources with continued exploration.
4. A base case cut-off grade of 3.0 g/t Au represents an in-situ metal value of US\$126 per tonne at a gold price of \$1450/oz, silver price of \$16.50/oz and a metal recovery of 90% for gold and silver, which is believed to provide a reasonable margin over operating and sustaining costs for narrow vein mining and processing.
5. Mineral resources are diluted to a minimum width of 1.5 metre.
6. Technical report filed on SEDAR on November 18, 2020.
7. Totals may not sum due to rounding.

#### Qualified Persons

The independent Qualified Person for the mineral resource estimate is Ronald G. Simpson, P.Geo. from GeoSim Services, Inc. The technical information contained in this news release has been reviewed and approved by Tim Kingsley, Vice President of Exploration of Whitehorse Gold and a Qualified Person for the purposes of National Instrument 43-101 - Standards of Disclosure of Mineral Projects ("NI 43-101").

On Behalf of [Whitehorse Gold Corp.](#)

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#### ABOUT WHITEHORSE GOLD CORP.

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This news release contains forward-looking statements and forward-looking information (collective, "forward

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Readers are cautioned not to place undue reliance on forward-looking statements. The Company undertakes no obligation to update any of the forward-looking statements in this news release or incorporated by reference herein, except as otherwise required by law.

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