NorthWest Copper Identifies Lorraine Boundary Target

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VANCOUVER, July 06, 2023 - NorthWest Copper ("NorthWest" or "the Company") (TSX-V: NWST) (OTCQX: NWCCF) is pleased to announce that it has identified a prospective drill target area approximately 6.5 kilometres northwest of the Lorraine deposit¹. The Boundary Target is shown in Figures 1 & 2 and was identified by the NorthWest exploration team after a detailed review of newly compiled historical data. The target was identified primarily by new interpretations of:

- Magnetic and induced polarization geophysical surveys;
- Post-mineralization structures and their displacements;
- Surface rock geochemical results with values up to 11 % Cu, 60 g/t Au and 262 g/t Ag;
- Similar host geology and hydrothermal alteration to the Lower Main Zone at Lorraine; and
- A historical (1974), non-compliant resource of 7.2 Mt grading 0.55 % Cu and 3.7 g/t Åg² in the northern portion of the target area.

"The Boundary Target is another example³ of a high-priority exploration target in NorthWest's portfolio that we would plan to test in the next drill program at Lorraine," said Interim President and CEO David Moore. "Boundary has the potential to add near-surface mineralization only 6.5 km from the current Lorraine resource. The target has only been tested in a restricted area by a small number of relatively shallow historical drill holes. Our new interpretations of geology and structure in combination with historical geochemical and drilling results will be of great help in locating and orienting new drill holes in this exciting target. The Lorraine project offers many excellent target opportunities with potential to add to the project's resource base."

Figure 1. Plan View of the Boundary Target Area

Figure 2. Cross Section A-A' Showing Chargeability Model and Historic Drilling

Technical aspects of this news release have been reviewed, verified, and approved by Tyler Caswell, P.Geo., Vice President Exploration of NorthWest, who is a qualified person as defined by National Instrument 43-101 - *Standards of Disclosure for Minerals Projects*.

About NorthWest Copper:

NorthWest Copper is a copper-gold explorer and developer with an exciting pipeline of projects in British Columbia. With a robust portfolio in a tier one jurisdiction, NorthWest Copper is well positioned to participate fully in a strengthening global copper market. We are committed to responsible mineral exploration which involves working collaboratively with First Nations to ensure future development incorporates stewardship best practices and traditional land use. Additional information can be found on the Company's website at www.northwestcopper.ca.

On Behalf of the Board of Directors of <u>Northwest Copper Corp.</u> "David Moore" Interim President and CEO

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² Report on Preliminary Feasibility and Financial Analysis of the Boundary Deposit, Tam Property, C.V Dyson, November 1974, internal report Union Miniere Explorations and Mining Corporation Limited ("UMEX"). The use of the term "reserves" in the UMEX estimation of mineralized material is a reproduction of the original terminology and does not reflect the current definition of the term "reserve" or imply that there are current reserves defined within the area. No information regarding the methods or parameters used to calculate the historical mineral resource estimate is available. The cut-off grade is not reported. The methods

¹ See NI 43-101 technical report titled "Lorraine Copper-Gold Project NI 43-101 Report & Mineral Resource Estimate Omineca Mining Division, B.C", dated September 12, 2022, with an effective date of June 30, 2022, filed under the Company's SEDAR profile at www.sedar.com.

of estimation nor any statistical data are provided. The historical mineral resource was calculated prior to the implementation of the standards set forth in NI 43-101 and current CIM standards for mineral resource estimation.

³ Please see NorthWest Copper news release dated June 21, 2023, available on our website www.northwestcopper.ca and SEDAR at www.sedar.com.

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