ROK Resources Announces Full Repayment of its Credit Facility & Working Capital Surplus

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REGINA, May 7, 2025 - <u>ROK Resources Inc.</u> ("ROK" or the "Company") (TSXV:ROK)(OTCQB:ROKRF) is pleased to announce, consistent with the Company's ongoing corporate strategy to expeditiously reduce debt, the Company has unwound its crude oil swap hedges generating proceeds of \$6.29 million resulting in an estimated working capital surplus of approximately \$4.0 million² at May 31st, 2025.

The proceeds of the settlement of the crude oil swap hedges have been used to fully repay the Company's existing line of credit. Since 2022, the Company has retired more than \$85 million of debt while increasing its base production by 38% from 2,900 boepd to 4,000 boepd at year-end 2024. The Company is working with its lender to review financing options that allow the Company to maintain flexibility.

The Company will continue to manage free cash flow to further enhance its already stable balance sheet, facilitate strategic area growth when appropriate, and consider alternative ways to maximize shareholder value.

Hedging Update

The Company's remaining natural gas swaps are as follows:

Notes:

- Prices reported are the average price for the period
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 - Based on a WTI forecast price of US\$60 per barrel

About ROK

ROK is primarily engaged in petroleum and natural gas exploration and development activities in Alberta and Saskatchewan. It has offices located in both Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada and Calgary, Alberta, Canada. ROK's common shares are traded on the TSX Venture Exchange under the trading symbol "ROK".

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Conversion Measures

Production volumes and reserves are commonly expressed on a barrel of oil equivalent ("boe") basis whereby natural gas volumes are converted at the ratio of 6 thousand cubic feet ("Mcf") to 1 barrel of oil

("bbl"). Although the intention is to sum oil and natural gas measurement units into one basis for improved analysis of results and comparisons with other industry participants, boe's may be misleading, particularly if used in isolation. A boe conversion ratio of 6 Mcf to 1 bbl is based on an energy equivalency conversion method primarily applicable at the burner tip and does not represent a value equivalency at the wellhead. In recent years, the value ratio based on the price of crude oil as compared to natural gas has been significantly higher than the energy equivalency of 6:1 and utilizing a conversion of natural gas volumes on a 6:1 basis may be misleading as an indication of value.

Abbreviations

barrels per day
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barrels oil equivalent per day
Initial Production
Natural Gas Liquids
Thousands of barrels of oil equivalent
Milligrams per Litre
Millions of barrels of oil equivalent
Million British thermal units
Proved Developed Producing
Total Proved Reserves
Total Proved and Probable Reserves
West Texas Intermediate, the reference price paid in U.S. dollars at Cushing, Oklahoma for the crude oil standard grade

C\$ Canadian dollars

US\$ U.S. dollars

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