Reno, Nevada, April 29, 2015 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- Dakota Territory Resource Corp. (OTCQB: DTRC) ("Dakota Territory" or the "Company") is pleased to announce an update on the Company's on-going research of the Homestake gold deposit and its derivative paleoplacer in the Northern Black Hills of South Dakota.

In 1974, Dr. James J. Norton and the United States Geological Survey published Geological Survey Circular 699 that outlined the potential for repeating Homestake-style gold deposits within the district and proposed exploration techniques for discovering such deposits under the cover of the younger Paleozoic sedimentary and Tertiary igneous rocks that dominate the surface exposure north of the Homestake Mine. Among the conclusions of Dr. Norton's research was that Cambrian-age gold paleoplacer deposits are indicative of hidden Precambrian lode source gold deposits.

Dr. Norton summarized "Gold in the Deadwood basal conglomerate would be the simplest indicator of a deposit once exposed on the pre-Deadwood surface. The chief purpose of this paper is to argue that geologic investigation of the Deadwood Formation can direct the way to other Homestake-type deposits if such deposits exist beneath the Paleozoic rocks. Perhaps the Homestake is the only major gold deposit in the Black Hills, but existing evidence, some of it recently obtained but most of it long available and little noticed, indicates that areas of considerable potential have been only slightly investigated or totally neglected."

Dakota Territory, in conjunction with the Company's consultants Dr. Michael Terry and Dr. James Fox, has advanced Dr. Norton's investigations by incorporating data sets from both the primary lode deposit (Homestake) and its derivative paleoplacer. This work has produced modeling of the Precambrian surface at the time of Homestake lode erosional event approximately 570 million years ago, with the indicated topographical lows being most conducive to paleoplacer deposition.

Richard Bachman, President and CEO of the Company commented: "These investigations have greatly enhanced our understanding of the Homestake paleoplacer and other prospective paleoplacer horizons within the district. The on-going research is providing new insights that will be incorporated in our exploration drill programs."

About Dakota Territory Resource Corp

Dakota Territory Resource Corp. is a Nevada Corporation with offices located at Reno, Nevada. Dakota Territory is committed to creating shareholder value through the acquisition and responsible exploration and development of high caliber gold properties in the Black Hills of South Dakota.

In terms of total historic US gold production, the Black Hills ranks second only to the Carlin District of northeast Nevada, with the gold production of the Black Hills concentrated in a 100 square mile area known as the Homestake District. Dakota Territory maintains 100% ownership of three mineral properties including the Blind Gold, City Creek and Homestake Paleoplacer Properties, all of which are located in the heart of the Homestake District and cover a total of approximately 3,057 acres. The Blind Gold Property is located approximately 4 miles northwest and on structural trend with the historic Homestake Gold Mine. Through its 125 year production history, the Homestake Gold Mine produced approximately 40 million ounces of gold and is the largest iron-formation-hosted gold deposit in the world

In the 1980's and 1990's Homestake Mining Company undertook a $70 million exploration program managed by Richard Bachman, president and chief executive officer of Dakota Territory that was focused primarily on the search for a repeat of the Homestake Mine. This program successfully discovered significant new gold mineralization beyond the confines of the producing mine, demonstrating repeatability and the potential for additional gold deposits in the Homestake iron-formation host. This program also proved the continuous extension of the Homestake iron-formation to a distance of approximately 4 miles from the producing mine and under the Blind Gold Property.

Dakota Territory Resource Corp. is uniquely positioned to leverage Management's extensive exploration and mining experience in the Black Hills of South Dakota with Homestake Mining Company. For more information on Dakota Territory, please visit the Company's website at http://DakotaTRC.com/.

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U.S. investors are urged to consider closely the disclosure in our latest reports filed with the SEC. You can review and obtain copies of these filings at http://www.sec.gov/edgar.shtml.

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