VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA--(Marketwired - Dec 28, 2016) - WestKam Gold Corp. (TSX VENTURE:WKG) (the "Company" or "WestKam") announces that it has optioned a 5% interest in its Bonaparte property to MX Gold Corp., a company with a common director, in consideration for MX Gold Corp. incurring a minimum of \$650,000 in exploration expenditures on the property by December 31, 2016.

"The agreement with MX Gold represents a strategic step forward, allowing us to continue to work at Bonaparte," said Matt Wayrynen, WestKam President and CEO. "I look forward to reporting on their progress early in 2017."

About WestKam Gold Corp.

WestKam is a Canadian gold exploration company focused on developing the Bonaparte Gold Project near Kamloops, British Columbia. Additional information can be found on the Company's website at www.westkamgold.com.

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