

# Largo Resources Reports Strong Second Quarter 2019 Production Results

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- Q2 2019 V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> production of 2,515 tonnes, an increase of 20% over Q1 2019 and 2% over Q2 2018
- Record monthly V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> production of 926 tonnes achieved in June
- Successful start to expansion project ramp-up; Commissioning and ramp-up expected to conclude in Q3 2019
- Global V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> recovery rate of 79.1% in Q2 2019; Second quarter of strong global recoveries in 2019
- Q2 2019 financial results conference call: Wednesday, August 14<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at 11:30 a.m. EDT

TORONTO, July 10, 2019 - [Largo Resources Ltd.](#) ("Largo" or the "Company") (TSX: LGO) (OTCQX: LGORF) is pleased to announce second quarter 2019 production results from its Maracás Menchen Mine with 2,515 tonnes of vanadium pentoxide (V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>) produced at an average global recovery rate<sup>1</sup> of 79.1%.

Total production in Q2 2019 from the Maracás Menchen Mine was 2,515 tonnes of V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> representing an increase of 20% over Q1 2019 and a 2% increase over Q2 2018. In addition, the Company achieved a new monthly V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> production record of 926 tonnes in June as a result of greater operational stability at the plant in addition to the optimization of the new and existing deammoniators as part of the commissioning and ramp-up phase of the Company's expansion project. Lower V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> production of 755 tonnes in April was impacted by the restart of operations following the kiln refractory replacement which was completed on March 31, 2019.

Global V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> recovery<sup>1</sup> rates averaged 79.1% during the quarter are in line with Q2 2018 and demonstrate another strong quarter of global recoveries<sup>1</sup> for the Company.

The expansion project to increase production capacity at the Maracás Menchen Mine by 25% from 800 tonnes of V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> per month to 1,000 tonnes continues to advance successfully. The Company plans to install an additional ball mill in August 2019 and expects to finalize the commissioning and ramp-up phase in Q3 2019, reaching the new nameplate capacity of 1,000 tonnes of V<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> per month in Q4 2019.

A summary of Q2 2019 production results from the Maracás Menchen Mine is presented below:

| Maracás Menchen Mine Production                                         | Q2 2019   | Q1 2019   | Q2 2018   |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Global recovery <sup>1</sup> (%)                                        | 79.1%     | 80.0%     | 79.2%     |
| Concentrate produced (tonnes)                                           | 102,320   | 86,673    | 85,639    |
| Grade of concentrate (% V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> )                 | 3.30%     | 3.32%     | 3.37%     |
| Contained V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> (tonnes)                        | 3,380     | 2,874     | 2,889     |
| V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> flake produced (flake + powder) (tonnes)  | 2,515     | 2,099     | 2,458     |
| V <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub> produced (equivalent pounds) <sup>2</sup> | 5,544,619 | 4,627,497 | 5,418,956 |

Mark Smith, Chief Executive Officer of Largo, stated: "I am very pleased with the operational performance demonstrated in Q2 2019 highlighted by another quarter of strong global recoveries<sup>1</sup> and a new monthly production record achieved in June. He continued: "With additional production being realized as a result of the expansion project ramp-up, we look forward to finalizing the installation of the new ball mill and completing the commissioning and ramp-up phase of the expansion project."

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## Conference Call

Largo Resources' management will host a conference call on Wednesday, August 14, 2019, at 11:30 a.m. EDT, to discuss second quarter 2019 operational and financial results.

### Conference Call Details:

Date: Wednesday, August 14, 2019

Time: 11:30 a.m. EDT

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Brazil Toll Free: 08007621359

Conference ID: 69944520

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Website: To view press releases or any additional financial information, please visit our Investor Relations section on the Largo Resources website at: [www.largoresources.com/investors](http://www.largoresources.com/investors)

A playback recording will be available on the Company's website for a period of 60-days following the conference call.

## About Largo Resources

Largo is a Toronto-based strategic mineral company focused on the production of vanadium flake, high purity vanadium and high purity vanadium powder at the Maracás Menchen Mine located in Bahia State, Brazil. The Company's common shares are principally listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange under the symbol "LGO". For more information on Largo, please visit our website at [www.largoresources.com](http://www.largoresources.com).

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<sup>1</sup>Global recovery is the product of crushing recovery, milling recovery, kiln recovery, leaching recovery and chemical plant recovery.

#### Contact

Conversion of tonnes to pounds: 1 tonne = 2,204.62 pounds or lbs  
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