

# Alphamin Resources Corp. Reports Production and Sales Volumes for Q3 2020

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GRAND BAIE, Oct. 14, 2020 - [Alphamin Resources Corp.](#) (AFM:TSXV, APH:JSE AltX, &#8220;Alphamin&#8221; or the &#8220;Company&#8221;) is pleased to provide the following production and sales update for the quarter ended September 2020:

- Tin sales up 3% to 2,695 tons versus previous quarter
- Expected EBITDA of US\$16 million (previous quarter: US\$12.9 million)
- Run-of-mine material processed up 5% versus previous quarter
- Q4 2020 production guidance of 2,600 - 2,800 tons contained tin

## Production and Sales Summary for the Quarter ended September 2020<sup>1</sup>

Description	Units	Actual		
		Quarter ended September 2020	Quarter ended June 2020	Variance
Tons Processed	Tons	96 086	91 928	5 %
Tin Grade Processed	% Sn	3.8	4.3	-12 %
Overall Plant Recovery	%	71	69	3 %
Contained Tin Produced	Tons	2 563	2 739	-6 %
Contained Tin Sold	Tons	2 695	2 613	3 %

Run-of-mine volumes processed increased 5% to 96,086 tons. Underground mining performed well in delivering increased material for processing. Volumes mined and processed are in line with our current target of 96,000 tons per quarter. Our average tin grade was 12% lower than the previous quarter at 3.8% &#8211; importantly, the year-to-date average tin grade is 3.9%, which is in line with the target of 4.0% for the financial year ending December 2020.

As a result of increased plant recoveries and throughput, the 12% lower tin grades processed only resulted in a 6% drop in tin production compared to the prior quarter. This is at the lower end of our previous production guidance range. Tin sales increased 3% to 2,695 tons for the quarter.

The Bisie tin mine recorded zero lost-time injuries during the past quarter.

## EBITDA guidance for the quarter ended September 2020

Alphamin&#8217;s unaudited consolidated financial statements and accompanying Management&#8217;s Discussion and Analysis for the quarter ended September 2020 are expected to be released on or about 2 November 2020. The Q3 2020 average tin price achieved was US\$17,436/t against a current tin price of approximately US\$18,000/t. EBITDA of approximately US\$16 million is expected, net of additional provisions required for concentrate grade adjustments based on smelter assays. The smelter assay results received during Q3 related to Q1 and Q2 sales. The independent operators of the mine site laboratory have subsequently changed their assay method (since late-June 2020) and comparing samples of their Q3 results to a number of international laboratories, indications are that concentrate assays for this past quarter are reported accurately.

## Production Guidance for the quarter ending December 2020

We expect contained tin production of between 2,600 and 2,800<sup>2</sup> tons for the quarter ending December

2020.

#### Covid-19 Pandemic and Impact on Operations:

The health of our employees is of paramount importance and in this regard the Company has a range of Covid-19 awareness, prevention and other risk mitigation controls in place.

To date, the Company has been able to continue with normal production and concentrate sales activities.

#### Qualified Person

Mr Vaughn Duke Pr.Eng. PMP, MBA, B.Sc. Mining Engineering (Hons.), is a qualified person (QP) as defined in National Instrument 43-101 and has reviewed and approved the scientific and technical information contained in this news release. He is a Principal Consultant, Partner and Director of Sound Mining Solutions, an independent technical consultant to the Company.

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*<sup>2</sup> Production guidance is based on certain estimates and assumptions, including but not limited to: quantity of material processed, tin grades of processed material and processing recoveries and assumes mining operations will continue to be conducted in the same manner as the previous quarter and will not be further impacted by the Covid-19 pandemic.*

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