

# Nevada Sunrise Metals Corp. Receives Initial Lithium Analyses from Borehole GEM22-03

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VANCOUVER, Dec. 6, 2022 - [Nevada Sunrise Metals Corp.](#) ("Nevada Sunrise", or the "Company", formerly Nevada Sunrise Gold Corp.) (TSXV: NEV) (OTC: NVSGF) is pleased to announce that preliminary geochemical analyses have been received for borehole GEM22-03 at its 100%-owned Gemini Lithium Project ("Gemini") located in the Lida Valley basin in Esmeralda County, Nevada. In the upper part of the hole, the Company has intersected lithium-bearing sediments in the characteristic lithium-bearing green clay that was encountered in the first two holes (GEM22-01 and GEM22-02) drilled in the spring of 2022. Drilling of GEM22-03 is still in progress with the hole depth currently at approximately 1,380 feet (420.73 metres).

Borehole GEM22-03 was collared at a location approximately 0.47 miles (0.76 kilometres) north of GEM22-01 and 1.14 miles (1.83 kilometres) north of GEM22-02. Sampling of the lithium-bearing green clay layer began at 300 feet (91.46 metres), after the drill passed through the surficial alluvium (sand and gravel) layer, and 22 representative spot samples were collected from various intervals in the hole to provide an initial geochemical assessment of the green clay layer to a depth of 810 feet (246.95 metres). The 22 representative samples were submitted on a rush basis to American Assay Laboratories in Sparks, Nevada, and produced results ranging from 615 parts per million ("ppm") lithium to 1,450 ppm lithium (see Table 1).

Table 1. Initial analytical results from borehole GEM22-03

Feet Metres	Lithology Description	Lithium (weighted avg. ppm)
310 94.51	Dark gray-green clay, medium firm	1101
380 115.85	Gray-green clay, sticky and soft	1005
390 118.9	Gray-green clay, sticky and soft	949
400 121.95	Gray-green clay, sticky and soft	1084
430 131.1	Gray-green clay, medium firm	1298
440 134.15	Gray-green clay, medium firm	1336
480 146.34	Gray-green clay, soft, trace pyrite	1406
490 149.39	Gray-green clay, soft, trace pyrite	1450
560 170.73	Gray-green clay, sticky and soft	1188
580 176.83	Mixed siliceous chips and gray-green clay	1000
590 179.88	Mixed siliceous chips and gray-green clay	1278
610 185.98	Mixed gray chips and light gray hard clay	898
620 189.02	Mixed siliceous chips, medium gray hard clay, and dark gray-green firm clay	1044
640 195.12	Dark gray-green clay, firm	702
660 201.22	Dark gray-green clay, firm	947
680 207.32	Mixed medium gray, firm, crumbly clay and dark gray-green clay	632
690 210.37	Mixed soft dark gray-green clay and fine lithic tuff	680
760 231.71	Light gray-green fine lithic tuff with quartz eyes and trace biotite	623
770 234.76	Mixed lithic tuff and gray-brown medium firm clay	725
780 237.8	Gray-brown, medium firm clay	777
790 240.85	Medium gray-green ash to fine lithic tuff. Trace pyrite/sulfide	615
810 246.95	Mixed medium to dark gray-green clay	684

A total of 143 additional sediment samples were collected from hole GEM22-03 representing the clay zones intersected to date between 300 and 1,280 feet (91.46 to 390.24 metres) and those samples have been submitted to ALS Group USA in Reno, Nevada.

Groundwater samples exhibiting elevated conductivity and total dissolved solids have been collected in several zones beginning at 500 feet (152.44 metres) with the most recent groundwater sample collected at 1,360 feet (414.63 metres). Twenty-three groundwater samples were submitted to Western Environmental

Laboratories in Reno, Nevada for analysis.

#### About the 2022 Gemini Drilling Program

Nevada Sunrise drilled two reverse circulation ("RC") boreholes for a total of 2,020 feet (615.85 metres) in its Phase 1 program at Gemini in March and April 2022. The drill sites were located within a defined gravity low that hosts conductive layers detected by historical ground time domain electromagnetic ("TDEM") surveys. The results from the first two holes at Gemini represented a new discovery of lithium-bearing sediments and a lithium-bearing brine in the western Lida Valley, which has not been historically drill tested for lithium mineralization (see Nevada Sunrise news release dated June 6, 2022).

The Company's Phase 2 drilling program is designed to expand the footprint of the lithium mineralization encountered to date. Following a holiday break in the third week of December, drilling is planned to continue into the First Quarter of 2023. To date, high-grade lithium-bearing sediments have been intersected over a strike length of 1.14 miles (1.83 kilometres) and the current geophysical model suggests the presence of many highly-prospective drill targets at Gemini.

For further information on Gemini, including location maps and photos click [here](#)

#### About Gemini

Gemini consists of 582 unpatented placer and lode claims (covering about nine square miles) located in the western Lida Valley, Esmeralda County, approximately 6 miles (10 kilometres) east of the town of Lida, Nevada. The Lida Valley is a flat, arid basin with a similar geological setting to the better-known Clayton Valley basin where Albermarle Corporation operates the Silver Peak lithium brine mine, which has operated continuously since 1966.

Gemini is situated adjacent to the Gold Point Solar Energy Zone, a Bureau of Land Management land reserve set aside for solar and wind power generation projects until 2033. Exploration at Gemini is complemented by the Company's 80.09 acre/feet/year water right, a pre-requisite for the exploration and development of lithium brine projects in Nevada. Under the laws of Nevada, water cannot be pumped from a subterranean source without a valid water permit. Drill pads and access roads are in place at Gemini with an active drilling permit for up to 12 holes, good until July 2024.

#### Sampling and Analytical QA/QC and Statement of Qualified Person

Sediment samples described in this new release were submitted to American Assay Laboratories in Sparks, Nevada, and analyzed utilizing a multi-element ICP-AES method. Specifically, the analytical method involves aqua regia digestion of the sample followed by the inductively coupled plasma (ICP) technique to ionize the sample, and atomic emission spectrometry (AES) to determine elemental concentrations. Duplicates, field blanks, and certified reference standards were inserted at regular intervals in the sample stream to ensure accuracy of the analytical method.

The scientific and technical information contained in this news release has been reviewed and approved by Robert M. Allender, Jr., CPG, RG, SME and a Qualified Person for Nevada Sunrise as defined in National Instrument 43-101 - Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects.

#### About Nevada Sunrise

Nevada Sunrise is a junior mineral exploration company with a strong technical team based in Vancouver, BC, Canada, that holds interests in gold, copper, cobalt and lithium exploration projects located in the State of Nevada, USA.

Nevada Sunrise owns 100% interests in the Gemini and Jackson Wash lithium projects, both of which are located in the Lida Valley in Esmeralda County, NV. The Company owns Nevada water right Permit 86863, also located in the Lida Valley basin, near Lida, NV.

The Company's key gold asset is a 20.01% interest in a joint venture with Copaur Minerals Inc. at the Kinsley Mountain Gold Project near Wendover, NV. Kinsley Mountain is a Carlin-style gold project hosting a National Instrument 43-101 compliant gold resource consisting of 418,000 indicated ounces of gold grading 2.63 g/t Au (4.95 million tonnes), and 117,000 inferred ounces of gold averaging 1.51 g/t Au (2.44 million tonnes), at cut-off grades ranging from 0.2 to 2.0 g/t Au<sup>1</sup>.

<sup>1</sup> Technical Report on the Kinsley Project, Elko County, Nevada, U.S.A., dated June 21, 2021 with an effective date of May 5, 2021 and prepared by Michael M. Gustin, Ph.D., and Gary L. Simmons, MMSA and filed under New Placer Dome Gold Corp.'s Issuer Profile on SEDAR ([www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com)).

Nevada Sunrise has right to earn a 100% interest in the Coronado VMS Project, located approximately 48 kilometers (30 miles) southeast of Winnemucca, NV. The Company owns a 15% interest in the historic Lovelock Cobalt Mine and the Treasure Box copper properties, each located approximately 150 kilometers (100 miles) east of Reno, NV, with Global Energy Metals Corp. holding an 85% participating interest.

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