

Freeman Gold Corp. Delivers Major 2025 Achievements

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- \$10.5 million financing in addition to warrant exercises of \$4.8 million;
- High-grade drill results; and
- Phase 4 metallurgical program confirms >95% gold recoveries

[Freeman Gold Corp.](#) (TSXV: FMAN) (OTCQB: FMANF) (FSE: 3WU) ("Freeman" or the "Company") is proud to announce a transformative year for its flagship Lemhi gold project ("Lemhi Gold Project" or "Lemhi") in Idaho, marked by major milestones that position the Company for the next phase of growth.

Strategic Financing Strengthens Growth Plans

In July 2025, Freeman successfully raised \$10.5 million through a non-brokered private placement and an unsecured debenture offering. This financing materially enhanced the Company's balance sheet and provides the capital required for exploration, metallurgical optimization, and feasibility-level work at Lemhi. The strong support demonstrated by our investors reflects continued and growing confidence in the quality of the asset and Freeman's development strategy. Additionally, management and insiders continue to support the Company and control 28.5% of the outstanding shares. See July 17, 2025, August 6, 2025 and August 18, 2025 news releases for additional details.

Robust and Strengthening Project Economics

In April 2025, Freeman announced updated economic results that reflected the then current gold price environment. Using a gold price of US\$3,400 per ounce, the Lemhi Gold Project demonstrated a post-tax Net Present Value (NPV5%) of approximately US\$876 million, a post-tax internal rate of return (IRR) of 57.4%, and a payback period of 1.6 years. These enhanced metrics quantify the project's significant leverage to gold prices, highlight its low-cost and low-capital nature, and substantiate strong economics at prevailing market gold prices. This sensitivity analysis underscores Lemhi's value across a range of price scenarios and reinforces its attractiveness as a development asset. See April 9, 2025 news release for additional details.

Drilling Confirms Resource Expansion Potential

During September 2025, the Company completed a 33-hole, 3,328-metre drill program focused on resource conversion and expansion. The program delivered encouraging results, including high-grade intercepts such as 8.0 metres grading 3.1 g/t, confirming mineral continuity within the deposit. Importantly, all drilling was completed on patented claims, and results clearly demonstrate that the deposit remains open to both the north and south of the pit outlined in the pre-feasibility study. These outcomes reinforce the potential for future resource growth and mine life expansion. See September 15, 2025, September 24, 2025, and December 4, 2025 news releases for additional details.

Metallurgical Testing Delivers Outstanding Results

In December 2025, Freeman finalized its Phase 4 metallurgical test work, which delivered exceptional results. Average gold recoveries of 95.4% were achieved using a simple, conventional carbon-in-leach flowsheet, validating the robustness of the processing characteristics. In addition, cyanide destruction tests met applicable discharge standards, further underscoring the project's low-risk metallurgical and environmental profile. See December 9, 2025 news release for additional details.

Management Commentary

"Our achievements in 2025 represent a turning point for Freeman," said Bassam Moubarak, CEO and Director. "The combination of strong drill results, exceptional metallurgical recoveries, strategic financing, and highly attractive economic sensitivity to gold prices has positioned us to deliver an updated resource estimate in Q1 2026. This will be a critical step toward completing the feasibility study in April 2026 and moving the Lemhi Gold Project closer to production. We are excited about the opportunities ahead and remain committed to creating long-term value for our shareholders. On behalf of the Board of Directors and the Freeman team, I would like to thank our shareholders for their continued support and confidence. We look forward to another value-defining year ahead."

Looking Ahead

Freeman expects to release an updated Mineral Resource Estimate in early Q1 2026, incorporating the results of the 2025

program. This updated estimate will form the foundation of the feasibility study and represents a key milestone on the path to a production decision at Lemhi.

About the Company and Project

Freeman Gold Corp. is a mineral exploration company focused on the development of its 100% owned Lemhi Gold project. The Project comprises 30 square kilometres of highly prospective land, hosting a near-surface oxide gold resource. The pit limit Mineral Resource Estimate (NI 43-101) compliant mineral resource estimate is comprised of 988,100 ounces gold ("oz Au") at 1.0 gram per tonne ("g/t") in 30.02 million tonnes (4.7 million tonnes Measured (168,800 oz) & 25.5 million tonnes Indicated (819,300 oz)) and 256,000 oz Au at 1.04 g/t Au in 7.63 million tonnes (Inferred). The Company is focused on growing and advancing the Project towards a production decision. To date, 525 drill holes and 92,696 m of drilling has historically been completed (Murray K., Elfen, S.C., Mehrfert, P., Millard, J., Cooper, Schulte, M., Dufresne, M., NI 43-101 Technical Report, Preliminary Economic Assessment, dated November 20, 2023; www.sedarplus.ca).

The recently updated price sensitivity analysis (see Freeman's news release dated April 9, 2025) shows a PEA with an estimated net present value (5%) of US\$329 million and an internal rate of return of 28.2% using a base case gold price of US\$2,000/oz Au; average annual gold production of 75,900 oz Au for a total life-of-mine of 11.2 years payable output of 851,900 oz Au; and cash costs of US\$925/oz Au; and, all-in sustaining costs of US\$1,105/oz Au using an initial capital expenditure of US\$200 million.

*Note: Mineral resources that are not mineral reserves do not have demonstrated economic viability. The preliminary economic assessment is preliminary in nature, that it includes inferred mineral resources that are considered too speculative geologically to have the economic considerations applied to them that would enable them to be categorized as mineral reserves, and there is no certainty that the preliminary economic assessment will be realized.

The technical content of this release has been reviewed and approved by Dean Besserer, P. Geo., VP Exploration of the Company and a Qualified Person as defined by the NI 43-101.

On Behalf of the Company
Bassam Moubarak
Chief Executive Officer

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