

Quimbaya Gold Completes Tahami Center Exploration Targets; Cu-Mo-Au Porphyry System Confirmed Ahead of Q2 Drill Testing

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Geophysics, surface geochemistry, and underground channel sampling independently confirm Cu-Mo-Au porphyry corridor; preserved lithocap and up to 2.14% CuEq

Vancouver, May 6, 2026 - [Quimbaya Gold Inc.](#) (CSE: QIM) (OTCQX: QIMGF) (FSE: K05) ("Quimbaya" or the "Company") has completed its integrated pre-drill program at Tahami Center, Segovia, Colombia. Building on the previously announced 3.1-kilometer magnetic anomaly (March 2, 2026), three additional independent datasets - radiometric survey, soil geochemistry, and underground/surface channel sampling - consistently define the same large-scale Cu-Mo-Au porphyry target. Initial drill testing of the system is planned for Q2 2026.

Highlights

- Channel sampling: 0.8m @ 1.82% Cu, 1,047 ppm Mo (2.14% CuEq) at surface, within a broader 1.35m composite at 0.53% CuEq
- 2.4 × 1.3 km Cu-Mo-Au corridor, larger than the footprint independently confirmed by Dr. Redwood, Cu-Mo-Au core flanked by classic Pb-Zn halos across 3+ km of open strike: textbook porphyry geometry
- Geophysics and geochemistry align perfectly - stacked on top of each other, two independent datasets pointing to the same target; fault corridors control mineralization along 3+ km of open strike
- The system is intact: surface mineralogy confirms the porphyry lithocap is preserved, the core is below, and the drill has a clean, de-risked target

"We did our homework. Four independent datasets - geophysics, radiometrics, geochemistry, and channel sampling - return one consistent answer: a large, intact Cu-Mo-Au porphyry system with a defined drill target. Tahami Center is ready."

Alexandre P. Boivin, CEO of Quimbaya Gold

Completed Exploration Datasets

Surface Geochemistry - Soil Sampling

A 276-sample ridge-and-spur soil program at 100-meter spacing across 400 hectares outlines a coherent 2.4 × 1.3 km Cu-Mo-Au corridor (up to 930.90 ppm Cu, 77 ppm Mo), expanding the system footprint beyond the 2.0 × 1.4 km extent documented by Dr. Redwood in November 2025. Lead and zinc form a distal peripheral halo along the same trend - textbook porphyry metal zonation. Gold values up to 387 ppb Au; gold concentrations in porphyry systems typically increase with depth toward the potassic core, which drill testing will target.

Figure 1. Plan view of the Tahami Center Project showing Lithology map / copper (left) values, and hydrothermal alteration map / molybdenum (right) geochem values, rock and stream sediments geochemistry anomalies associated with the porphyry Cu-Mo-Au system. Dashed line outlines interpreted mineralised corridor.

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Figure 2. Plan view - Cu and Mo soil geochemistry, Tahami Center. Coherent 2.4 x 1.3 km NW-SE corridor. System open in all directions.

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Figure 3. Plan view - Pb and Zn peripheral halos, Tahami Center. Distal Pb-Zn signature surrounding the Cu-Mo core is characteristic of classical porphyry metal zonation.

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Channel Sampling - El Diamante Mine and surface outcrops

Channel sampling within the El Diamante artisanal workings and surface outcrops confirms Cu-Mo mineralization directly beneath the surface anomalies. A total of 95 composited intercepts were generated across 45.3 meters of sampled strike. A top-cut of 0.64% Cu was applied to high-grade outliers. Channel intervals are measured along exposed workings and may not represent true widths.

Channel	Length (m)	Cu (%)	Mo (ppm)	CuEq (%) [*]	Best Sub-interval
CH_4132	1.35	0.391	438	0.525	0.8m @ 1.82% Cu, 1,047 ppm Mo (2.14% CuEq)
CH_4134	0.90	0.303	332	0.404	0.4m @ 0.65% Cu, 1,281 ppm Mo (1.04% CuEq)
CH_4133	1.06	0.356	82	0.381	0.56m @ 1.53% Cu, 127 ppm Mo (1.57% CuEq)
CH_5035	1.40	0.292	57	0.309	0.6m @ 0.83% Cu, 110 ppm Mo (0.86% CuEq)
CH_5033	7.40	0.134	352	0.241	0.5m @ 0.92% Cu, 674 ppm Mo (1.13% CuEq)
CH_5036	3.40	0.172	123	0.210	0.7m @ 0.84% Cu, 429 ppm Mo (0.97% CuEq)
CH_0303	2.10	0.123	301	0.215	0.7m @ 0.29% Cu, 565 ppm Mo (0.46% CuEq)
CH_4131	1.15	0.108	242	0.182	0.65m @ 0.144% Cu, 346 ppm Mo (0.25% CuEq)

Table 1. *CuEq (%) = Cu (%) + Mo (%) x 3.059 | Cu US\$4.25/lb, Mo US\$13.00/lb | Equal recoveries assumed pending metallurgical testing. For illustrative purposes only.

Airborne Geophysics

Radiometric processing of the GeoScan Ingeniería S.A.S. survey (1,000 ha, 116 line-km) identifies potassium enrichment zones overlapping the 3.1-kilometer high magnetic corridor at depth - consistent with potassic alteration where Cu-Mo-Au concentrates in porphyry systems. Structural analysis defines a dominant NW-SE fault network interpreted to have controlled mineralization emplacement across the corridor.

Figure 4. 3D Magnetization Vector Intensity model vs hydrothermal alteration map with the dashed line outlines interpreted mineralised corridor (right). Cross sections of the MVI, Lithology and alteration (left).

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"Field observations confirm a porphyry copper system - a first for the Segovia district. An analogy can be made with the great Cu-Mo deposits of southern Peru: Toquepala, Cuajone, and Quellaveco, formed on the same continental magmatic arc - exactly what we are seeing at Tahami Center."

- Dr. Stewart D. Redwood, BSc (Hons), PhD, FIMMM, FGS | Field examination November 2025

Next Steps

Initial drill testing of the Tahami Center porphyry system is planned for Q2 2026, targeting the convergence of the magnetic, radiometric, and geochemical anomalies at approximately 200 - 400 meters depth. A separate announcement will follow upon commencement of drilling.

Sample preparation and QA/QC analysis

All samples were prepared and analyzed by SGS laboratories in Medellín, Colombia, and Lima, Peru. SGS Colombia and SGS Peru are ISO 17025-accredited and are independent of the Company. Gold assays were completed using fire assay methods, with multi-element analysis conducted using ICP techniques. Gold was determined by fire assay on a [30] g charge with an atomic absorption finish (SGS method code FAA313); multi-element analysis was conducted by four-acid digestion with ICP-AES/ICP-MS finish (SGS method code ICP40B). Over-range copper assays above the upper detection limit of 1% Cu were re-analysed by ore-grade assay methods (SGS code AAS41B). Detection limits for the primary elements were Cu 0.5 ppm, Mo 1 ppm, Au 5 ppb, Pb 2 ppm, and Zn 0.5 ppm. The analytical protocols used are industry-standard for porphyry-style mineralisation and are considered appropriate for the style and grade of the samples collected.

Quimbaya implemented a quality assurance and quality control (QA/QC) program that included the regular insertion of certified reference materials, blanks, and field duplicates. Control samples were inserted at an approximate rate of 15-20% throughout the sampling program. QA/QC results were reviewed by the Company's Qualified Person and are considered acceptable, supporting the reliability of the analytical data. Certified reference materials (CRMs) used included PORF43, PORF44, PORF35 if target rock certificates covering the expected grade range for Cu, Mo, and Au. CRMs returned values within ± 2 standard deviations of their certified means. Coarse blank material sourced from Bureau Veritas quartz certificates returned values below 10x detection limit] for all elements of interest. Field duplicates showed an average pair correlation of 91% for Cu and 83% for Au, within industry-accepted tolerances.

Channel samples were collected as continuous chip channels cut perpendicular to the observed structural orientation within underground workings at the El Diamante mine and surface outcrops. Channel dimensions were approximately 15 cm wide by 2m long. Sample intervals reported in Table 2 represent sample lengths along the channel; the orientation of mineralization relative to channel direction has not yet been independently determined, and reported intervals are therefore not representative of true width. Because the channels were cut within active artisanal workings, which preferentially target higher-grade material, the results in Table 2 should not be interpreted as representative of average mineralization grade across the broader system. Selection of composited intervals reported in Table 2 was based on a 0.642% Capping with an average composite of 2m internal dilution and a minimum composite length of 0.5 m. Full channel sample results will be disclosed in a subsequent technical report.

Qualified Person

Ricardo Sierra, AusIMM, is a non-independent Officer "VP Exploration" and the Qualified Person for this news release. The scientific and technical content of this press release has been reviewed and approved by Mr. Sierra, who has sufficient experience with South American exploration projects relevant to the style of mineralization and type of deposit under consideration. He consents to the inclusion of the Exploration Results in the form and context in which they appear.

About Quimbaya

Quimbaya Gold is a Colombia-focused exploration company advancing a district-scale portfolio of more than 73,000 hectares across highly prospective mineral belts in Antioquia, Colombia. Its flagship Tahami Project, located in Segovia, is immediately adjacent to Colombia's most prolific high-grade gold mining camp, while the Berrio and Maitamac projects are strategically positioned in Puerto Berrío and Abejorral, respectively. Early-stage exploration has identified extensive mineralized vein systems and documented features consistent with a large, multi-commodity porphyry system prospective for gold, copper and molybdenum, highlighting the district-scale discovery potential of Quimbaya's land package. The Company is led by a proven technical and management team committed to disciplined exploration and responsible mining practices.

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