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Qualified Person (QP) Pursuant to Canadian National Instrument 43-101

Dean McDonald, PhD. P.Geo., Senior Vice President - Exploration of Hecla Mining Company, who serves as a Qualified Person under National Instrument 43-101("NI 43-101"), supervised the preparation of the scientific and technical information concerning Hecla's mineral projects in this presentation. Information regarding data verification, surveys and investigations, quality assurance program and quality control measures and a summary of analytical or testing procedures for the Greens Creek Mine are contained in a technical report titled "Technical Report for the Greens Creek Mine" effective date March 28, 2013, and for the Lucky Friday Mine are contained in a technical report titled "Technical Report for the Lucky Friday Mine Shoshone County, Idaho, USA" effective date April 2, 2014, for Casa Berardi are contained in a technical report titled "Technical Report on the mineral resource and mineral reserve estimate for Casa Berardi Mine, Northwestern Quebec, Canada" effective date March 31, 2014 (the "Casa Berardi Technical Report"), and for the San Sebastian Mine, Mexico, are contained in a technical report prepared for Hecla titled "Technical Report for the San Sebastian Ag-Au Property, Durango, Mexico" effective date September 8, 2015 . Also included in these four technical reports is a description of the key assumptions, parameters and methods used to estimate mineral reserves and resources and a general discussion of the extent to which the estimates may be affected by any known environmental, permitting, legal, title, taxation, socio-political, marketing or other relevant factors. Copies of these technical reports are available under Hecla's and Aurizon's profiles on SEDAR at www.sedar.com. The Casa Berardi Technical Report was reviewed by Dr. McDonald on behalf of Hecla. To the best of Hecla's knowledge, information and belief, there is no new material scientific or technical information that would make the disclosure of the mineral resources and mineral reserves for Casa Berardi in this document inaccurate or misleading.

Cautionary Note Regarding Non-GAAP measures

Cash cost per ounce of silver and gold, net of by-product credits, EBITDA, adjusted EBITDA, all in sustaining capital ("AISC"), after by-product credits, cash provided by operating activities from working capital changes, and free cash flow represent non-U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) measurements. A reconciliation of these non-GAAP measures to the most comparable GAAP measurements can be found in the Appendix.

Strategy Promotes Consistent Operations

Greens Creek, Casa Berardi, and now opportunities in Nevada with Klondex

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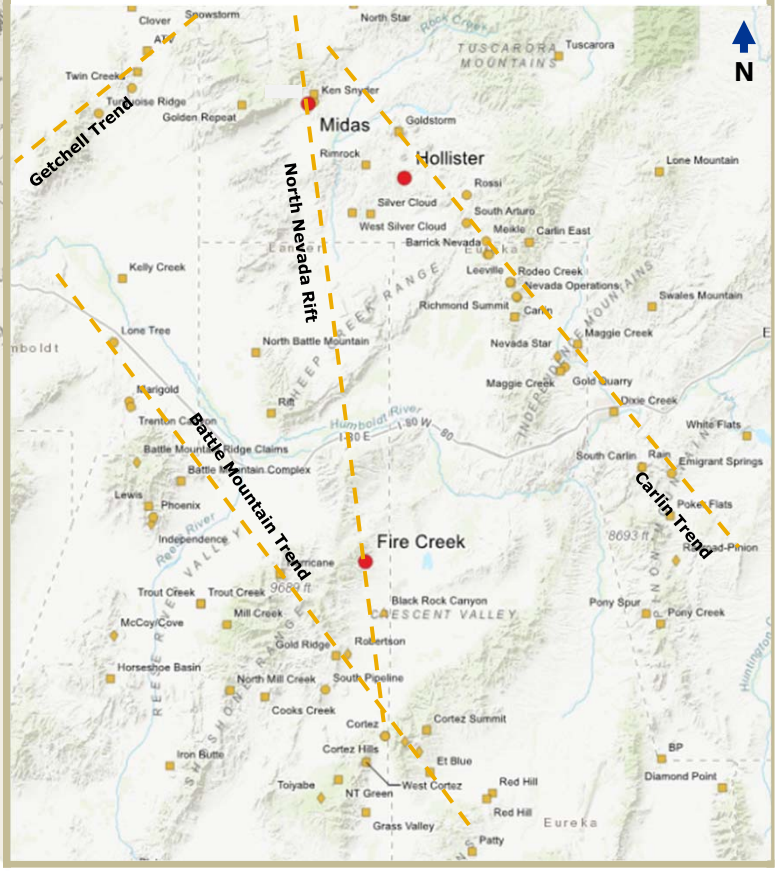
Nevada

"Heart of the Nevada gold district"



Source: Company disclosures.

Financial Review

Strong Financial Performance

Enhanced by strong metals prices and production

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	Q1 2018	Q1 2017
Revenue	**$139.7 M**	$142.5 M
Cash provided by operating activities	**$16.4 M**	$38.3 M
Cost of sales and other direct production costs and depreciation, depletion and amortization* - Silver	**$51.7 M**	$65.2 M
Cost of sales and other direct production costs and depreciation, depletion and amortization* – Gold	**$49.2 M**	$42.5 M
Cash cost, after by-product credits, per silver oz[1]	**$(3.35)/oz**	$0.84/oz
Cash cost, after by-product credits, per gold oz[1]	**$827/oz**	$886/oz
All in sustaining cost (AISC), after by-product credits, per silver oz[2]	**$5.66/oz**	$7.60/oz

*Referred to herein after as “Cost of Sales”

Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

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- Timing of incentive compensation (about $10M).
- Realized loss on foreign exchange of $4.6M.
- $3.4M working capital difference for higher product inventory at Greens Creek and San Sebastian, partially offset by lower inventory at Casa Berardi.
- Higher Lucky Friday suspension costs by $2.9M. Consolidated gross profit is flat quarter-on-quarter.
- Higher exploration expense of $2.8M.
- $2.5M in Klondex acquisition costs.
- Without these items, the cash flow from the mines was similar to prior period.

Strong Silver and Gold Margins

95% silver cash margin is one of the industry's highest

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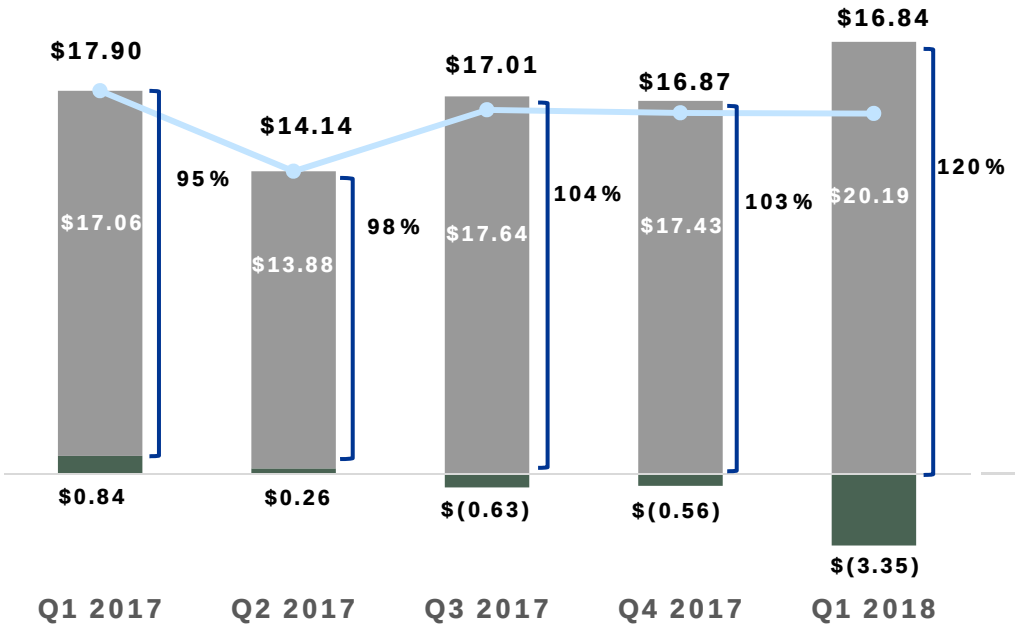
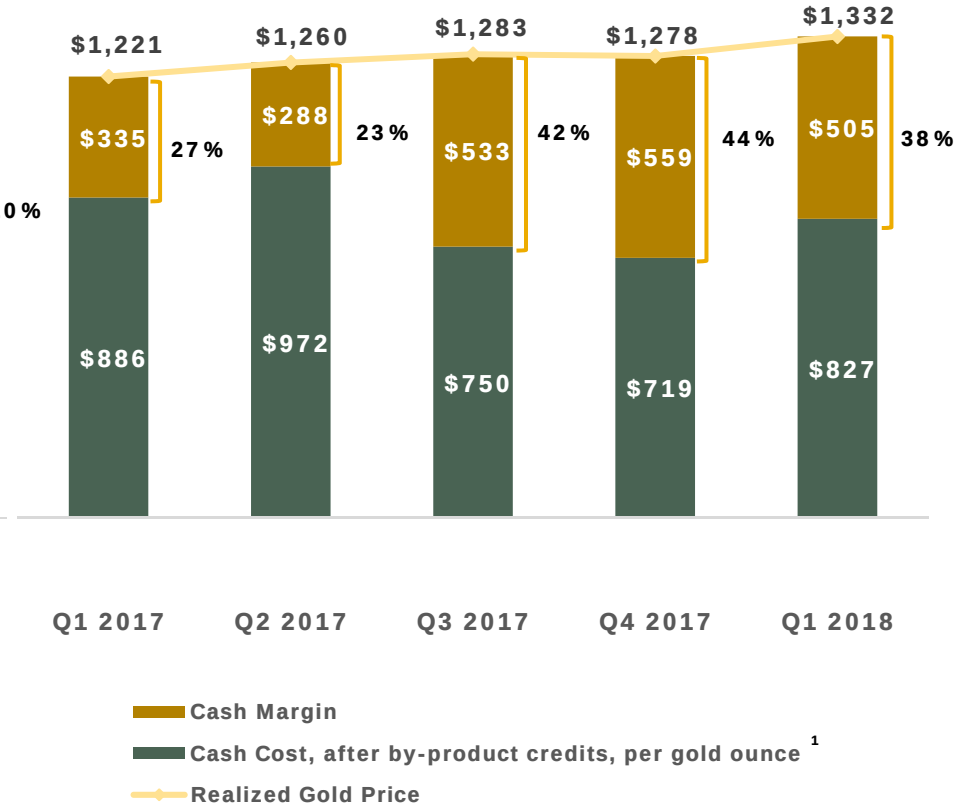
Silver Margins



Gold Margins



Cost of Sales (000s)*					
	Q1 2017	Q2 2017	Q3 2017	Q4 2017	Q1 2018
Silver	$65,162	$59,392	$48,606	$67,449	$51,736
Gold	$42,468	$43,680	$48,595	$45,438	$49,187

*Cost of sales and other direct production costs and depreciation, depletion and amortization

Diversified Revenue Stream Q1/2018

Mitigates risk and enhances economics

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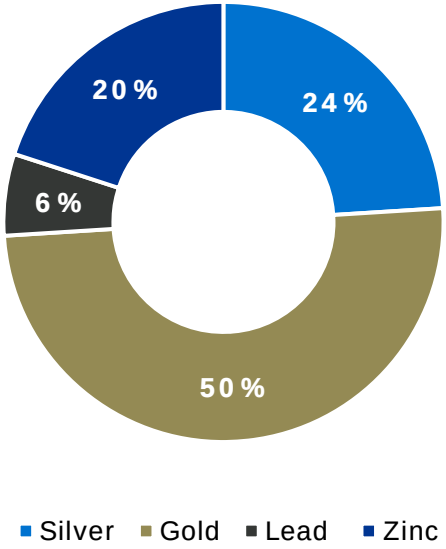
#1 Silver and #3 Lead and Zinc Producer in the U.S.

Zinc Production: **15.2 Ktons**
Realized Price: **$1.49/lb**

Silver Production: **2.5 Moz**
Cash Costs, after by-product credits: **$(3.35)/oz**[1]
Realized Price: **$16.84/oz**

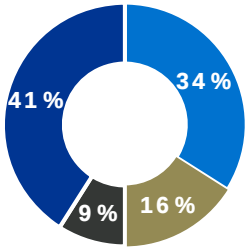
Lead Production: **5.6 Ktons**
Realized Price: **$1.19/lb**



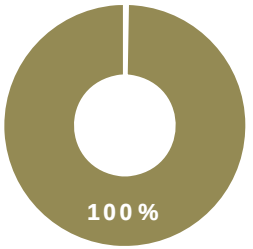
Gold Production: **57.8 Koz**
Cash Costs, after by-product credits: **$827/oz**[1]
Realized Price: **$1,332/oz**

Q1/2018 Margins
Silver Margin: **$20.19/oz**
Gold Margin: **$505/oz**

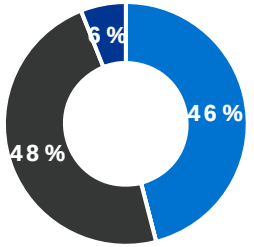
Greens Creek
47% of
Total Revenue



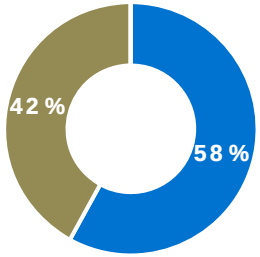
Casa Berardi
40% of
Total Revenue



Lucky Friday
4% of
Total Revenue



San Sebastian
9% of
Total Revenue



Operations Review

Greens Creek

Consistent low-cost production in a wilderness area / National Monument

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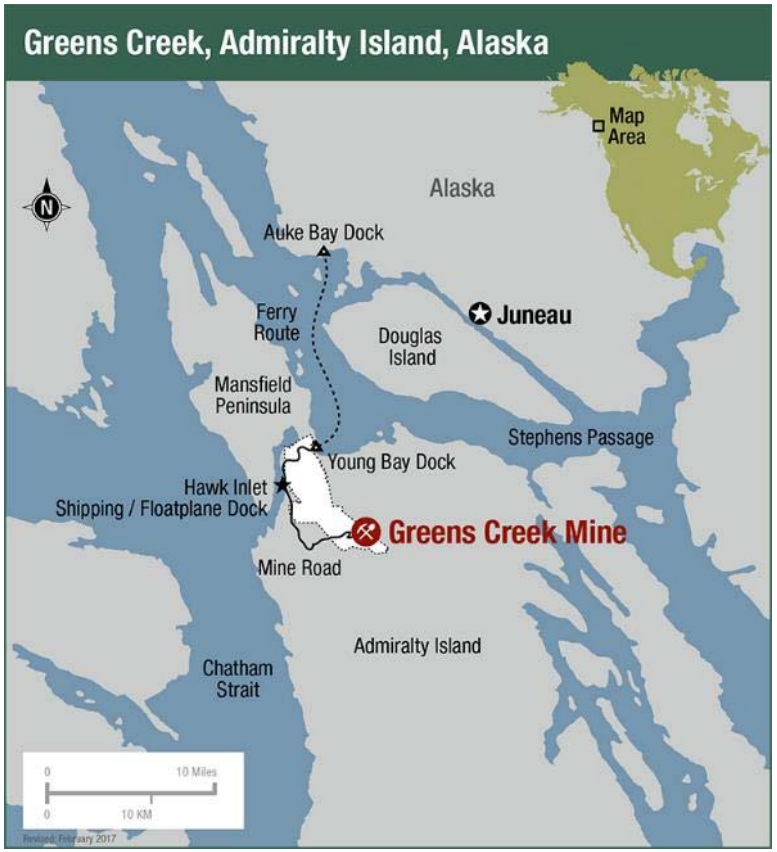

	2017	Q1 2017	Q1 2018	2018E
Silver Production (Moz)	8.4	1.9	**1.9**	7.5-8.0
Gold Production (koz)	50.8	14.0	**13.1**	50-55
Cost of Sales	$201.8 M	$44.0 M	**$41.9 M**	$198 M
Cash cost, after by-product credits, per silver oz[1]	$0.71/oz	$0.65/oz	**$(4.99)/oz**	$0.50/oz
AISC, after by-product Credits, per silver oz[2]	$5.76/oz	$3.86/oz	**$0.59/oz**	$7.75/oz

2018E Sustaining Capital	$51 M
FCF 2017[3]	CF from operating activities of $136.7 M (GAAP) less capital expenditures of $35.3 M resulted in **$101.4 M FCF** (non-GAAP).
FCF To YE 2017	CF from operating activities of $2 billion (GAAP) less capital expenditures of $823 M resulted in **~$1.2 billion FCF** (non-GAAP).

Ventilation on Demand and Teleremote LHD

Increase productivity and lower costs

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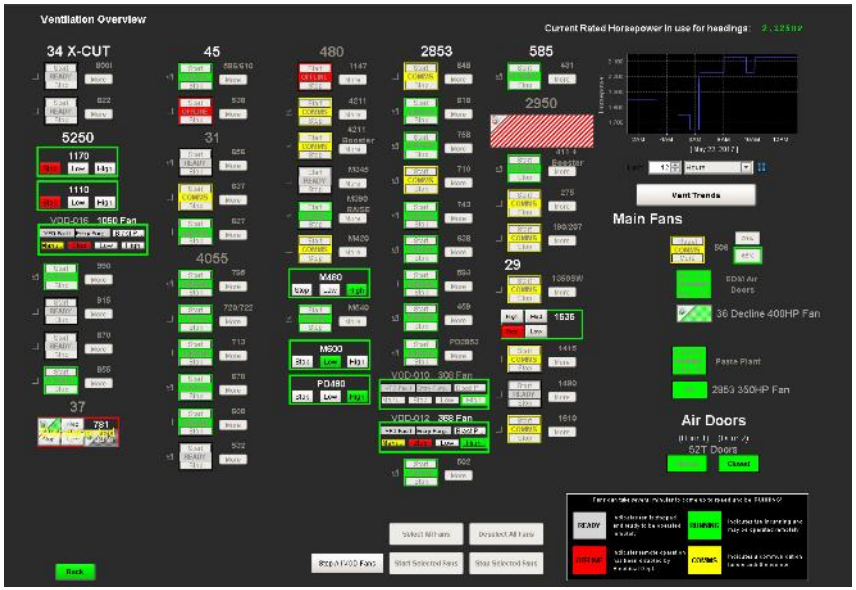





Casa Berardi

Making a good mine great

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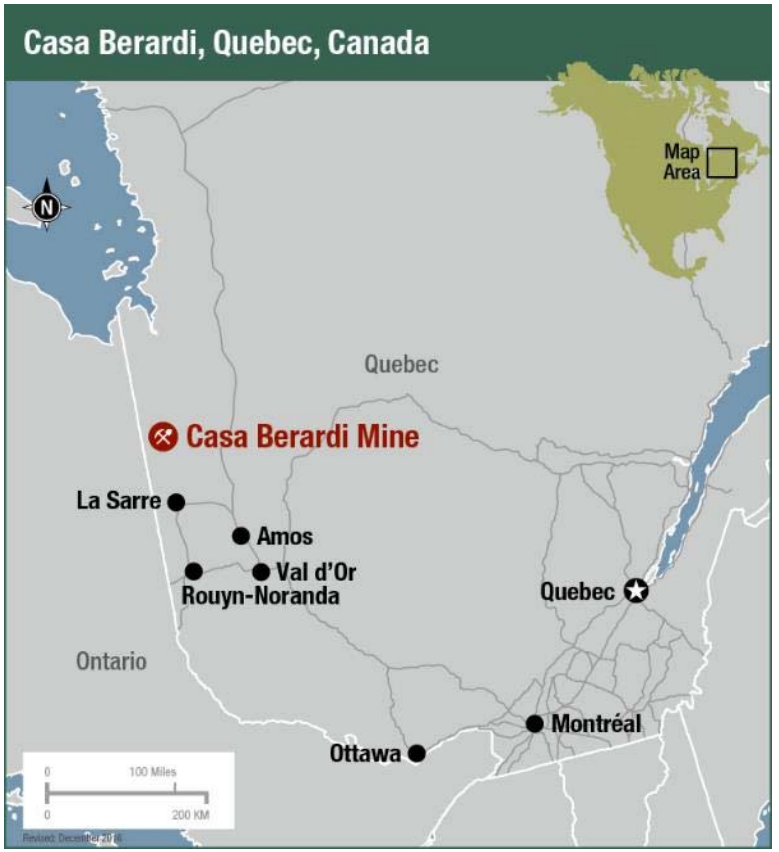

	2017	Q1 2017	Q1 2018	2018E
Gold Production (koz)	156.7	35.8	**40.2**	155-160
Cost of Sales	$180.2 M	$42.5 M	**$49.2 M**	$185 M
Cash cost, after by-product credits, per gold oz[1]	$820/oz	$886/oz	**$827/oz**	$800/oz
AISC, after by-product credits, per gold oz[2]	$1,174/oz	$1,256/oz	**$1,086/oz**	$1,100/oz

2018E Sustaining Capital	$45 M
FCF 2017[3]	CF from operating activities of $69.8 M (GAAP) less capital expenditures of $50.7 M resulted in **$19.1 M FCF** (non-GAAP).
2P Reserves	1.5 Moz gold @ 0.11 oz/t gold
M+I Resources	1.4 Moz gold @ 0.10 oz/t gold

2017	Underground	Open Pit
Tons Milled	805,047	419,177
Gold Grade (oz/t)	0.170	0.089
Gold Production	118,739 oz	37,914 oz

Casa Berardi Ramp-Up

Increased throughput more than 100% since acquisition

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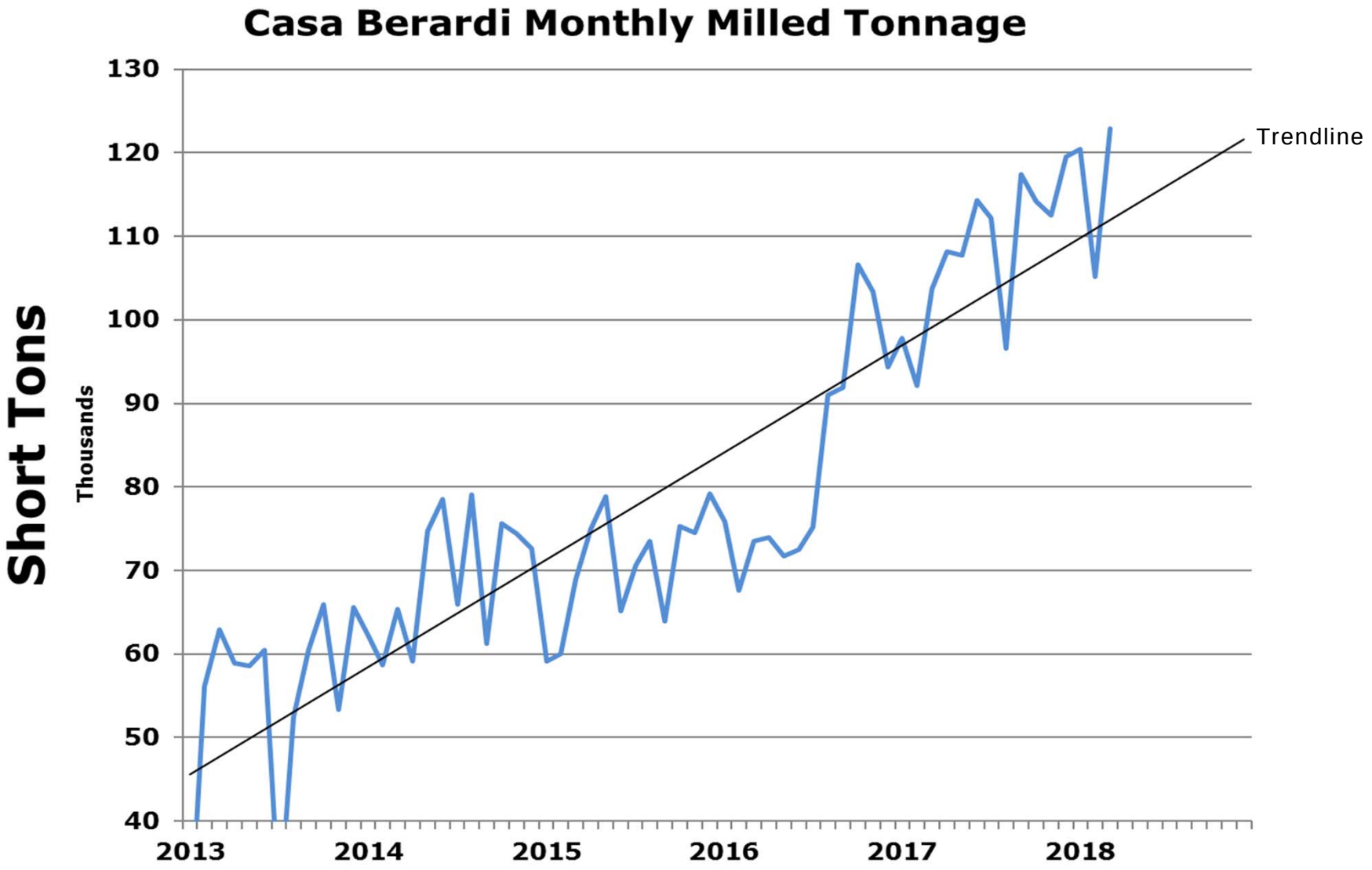

985 Drift Autonomous Haulage In Operation

Truck runs 24 hours a day; cost savings expected

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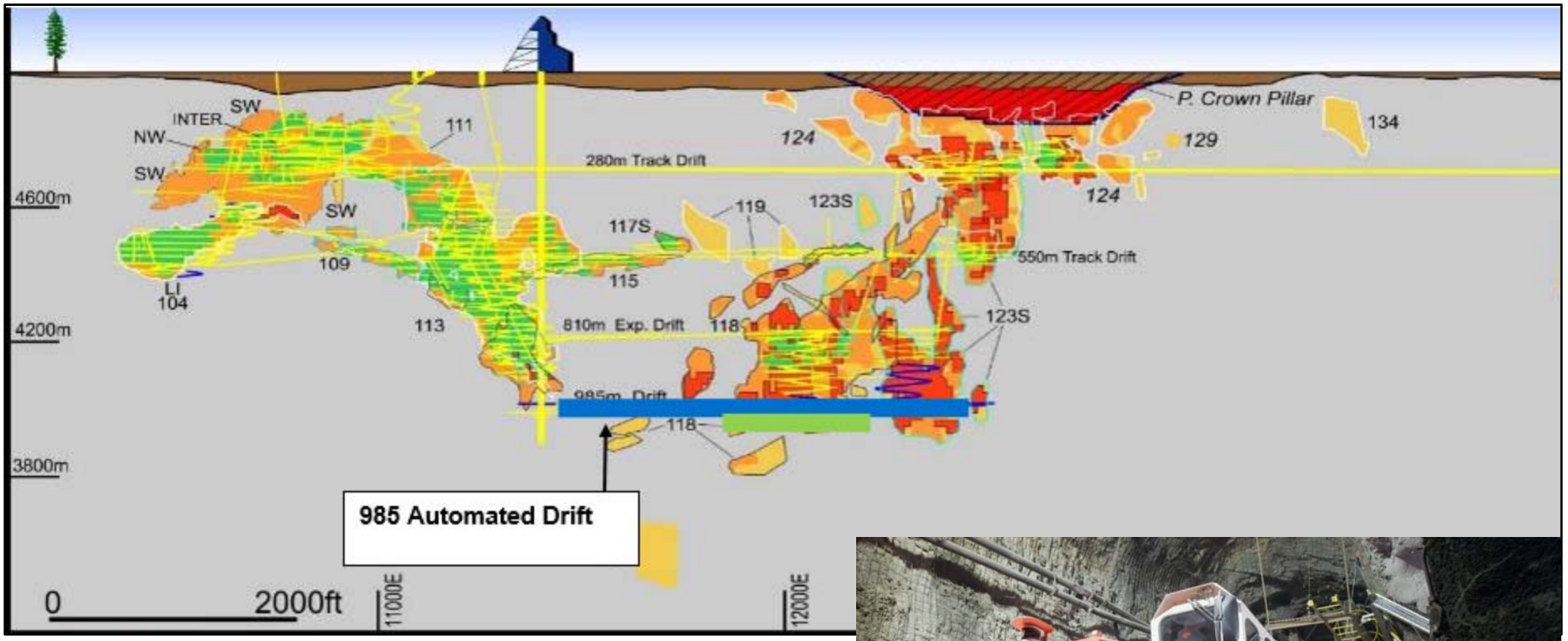



Control room

Loading 40-tonne autonomous Sandvik truck



San Sebastian

Just-in-time mining; looking to make it a long-term mine

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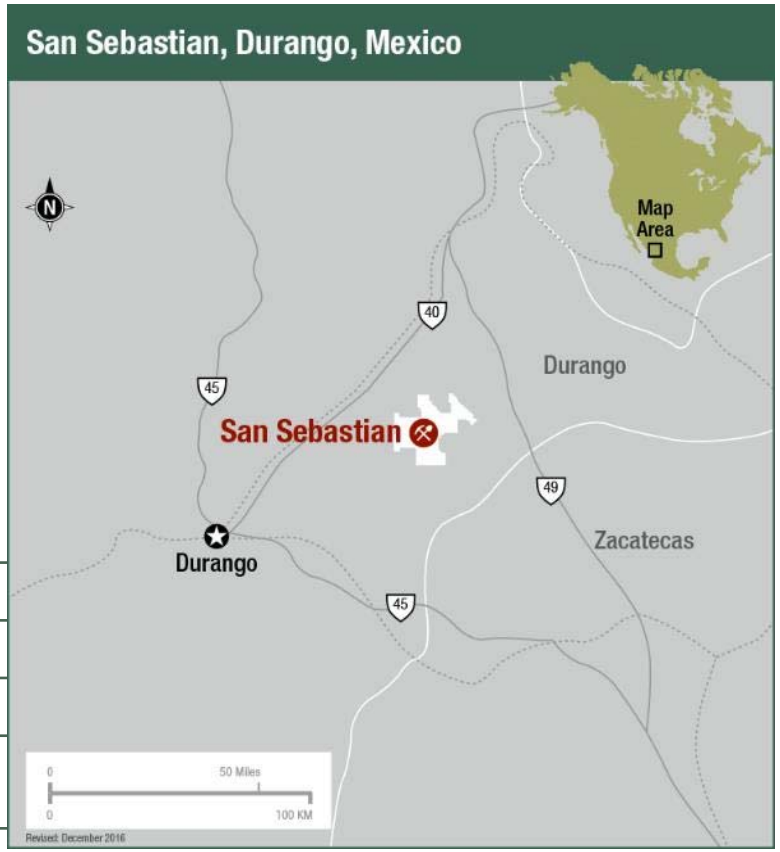

	2017	Q1 2017	Q1 2018	2018E
Silver Production	3.3 Moz	751 koz	**512 koz**	2.0-2.5 Moz
Gold Production (koz)	25.2	6.3	**4.5**	13-17
Cost of Sales	$23.7 M	$6.6 M	**$5.8 M**	$44 M
Cash cost, after by-product credits, per silver oz[1]	$(3.36)/oz	$(3.27)/oz	**$2.81/oz**	$8.50/oz
AISC, after by-product credits, per silver oz[2]	$(0.26)/oz	$0.43/oz	**$8.37/oz**	$12.50/oz

2018E Sustaining Capital	$3.7 M
FCF 2017[3]	CF from operating activities of $62.4 M (GAAP) less capital expenditures of $11.2 M resulted in **$51.2 M FCF** (non-GAAP).
2P Reserves	5.5 Moz silver @ 13.9 oz/t Ag
M+I Resources	8.8 Moz silver @ 5.8 oz/t Ag

Lucky Friday

Positioning for growth and longevity

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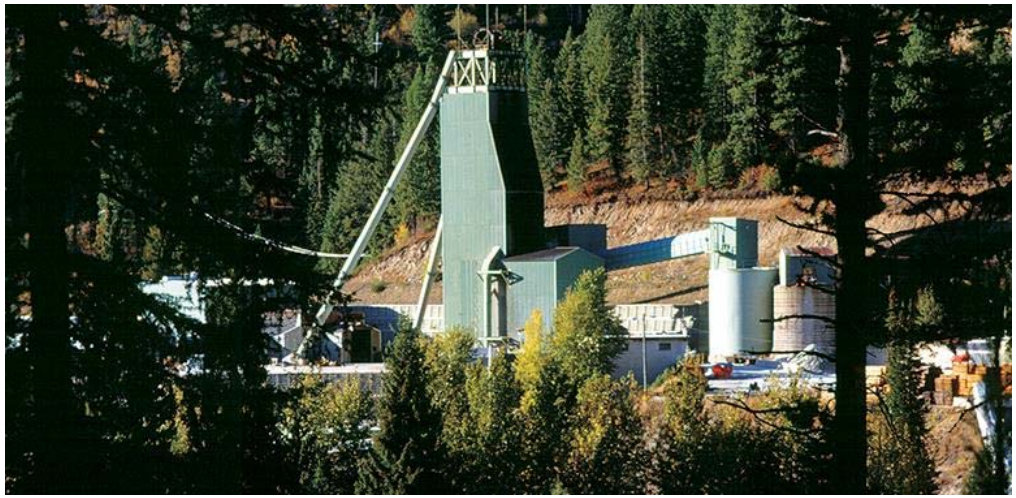
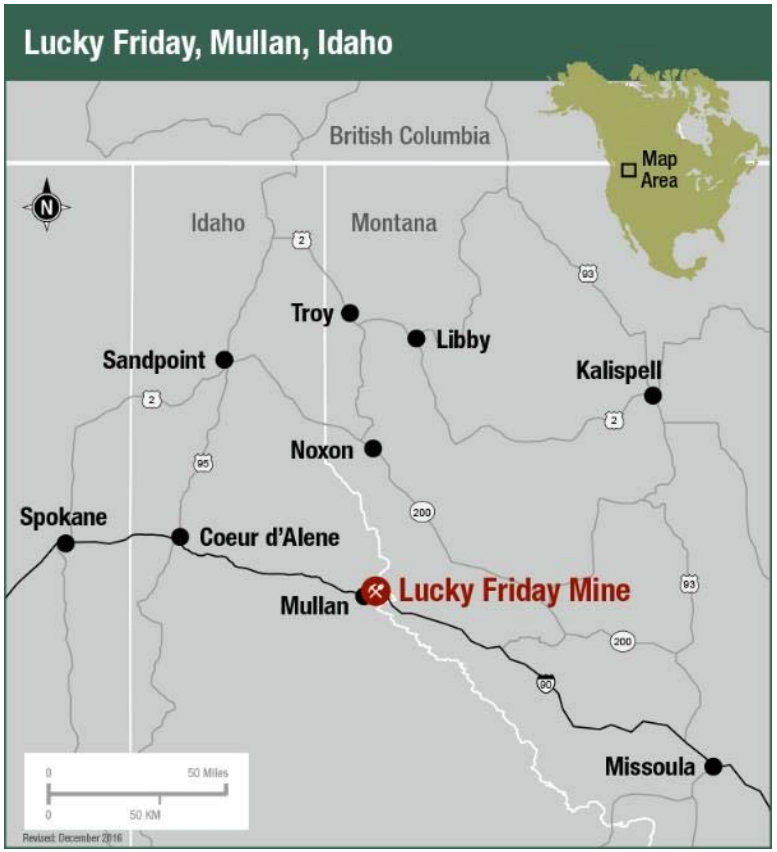


	2017	Q1 2017	Q1 2018	2018E
Silver Production (koz)	838.7	681	**100**	TBD
Cost of Sales	$15.1 M	$14.5 M	**$4.1 M**	TBD
Cash cost, after by-product credits, per silver oz[1]	$5.81/oz	$5.93/oz	**-**	TBD
AISC, after by-product credits, per silver oz[2]	$12.48/oz	$12.06/oz	**N/A**	TBD

2018E Sustaining Capital	TBD
FCF 2017[3]	CF from operating activities of $7.8 M (GAAP) less capital expenditures of $6.3 M and suspension costs of $17.1 M resulted in **$(15.6) M FCF** (non-GAAP).
2P Reserves	81.3 Moz silver @ 14.4 oz/t Ag
M+I Resources	75.1 Moz silver @ 7.7 oz/t Ag



Union workers currently on strike.

Klondex Acquisition

Strengths and opportunities analysis

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Strengths:

- Large, strategic land position
- Experts at ultra-narrow longhole mining
- Excellent focus on productivity measures
- Good safety record
- Excellent resource grade, excellent exploration potential
- Good relationship with Shoshone; needs to transition between companies

Opportunities:

- Capturing the siling effect
- Ramp-up Fire Creek
- Develop Hatter Graben
- Complete CIL installation
- Open-pit potential
- Lower cost/ton and the cutoff grades
- Reallocate resources from Midas to Fire Creek ramp-up and Hatter Graben development
- Preparation of a comprehensive LOM plan
- Replacement of old equipment
- Improved sampling and ore handling
- Reduce turnover
- Invest in development (is behind schedule)
- Advance tailings construction
- Identify new vein at Midas

Exploration

San Sebastian: Strong Exploration Potential

Continued polymetallic and oxide discoveries near mine infrastructure

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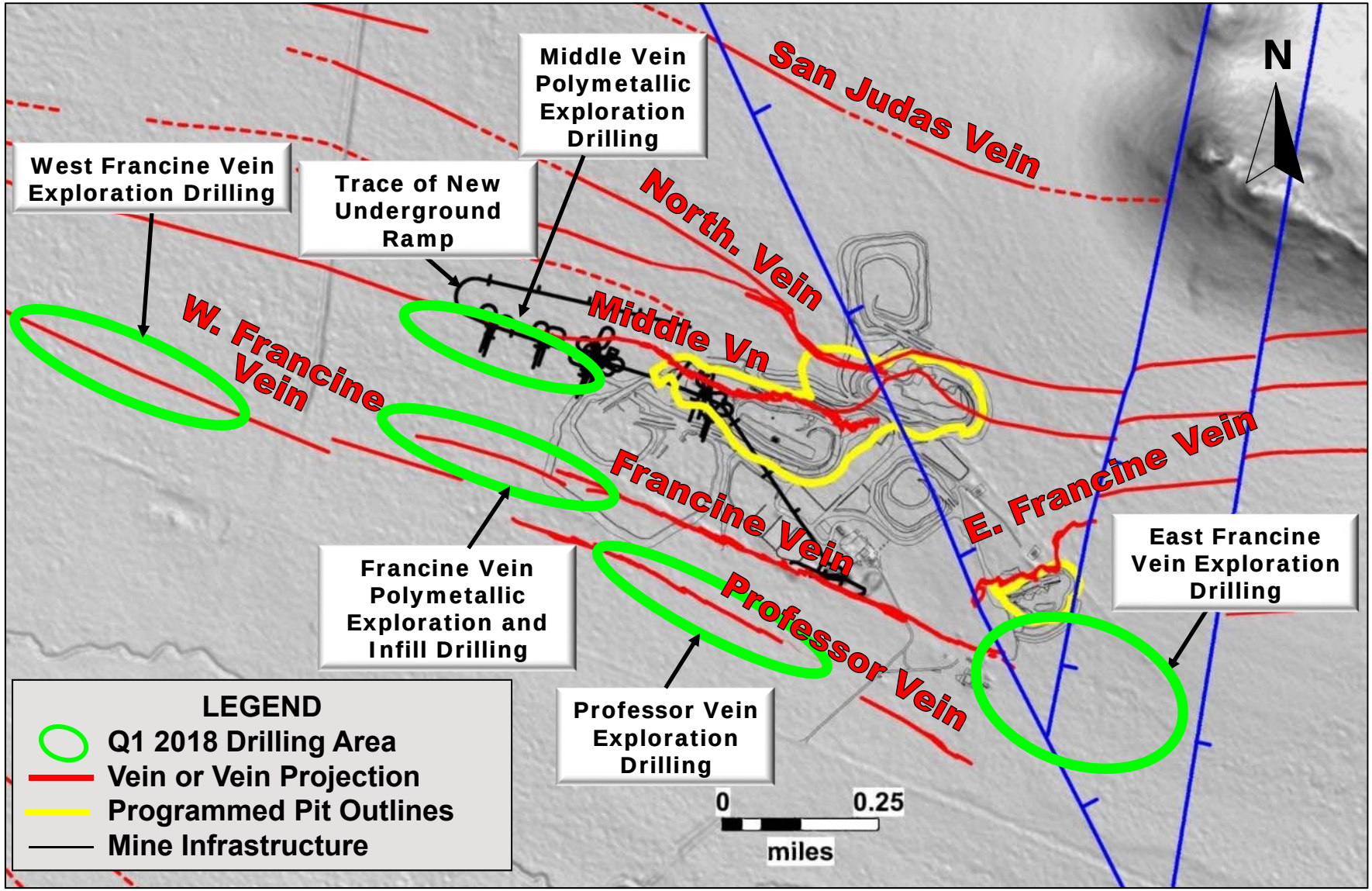

Francine Vein – Expanding Polymetallic

Polymetallic mineralization for over 5,000 feet of strike length; Oxide to the east

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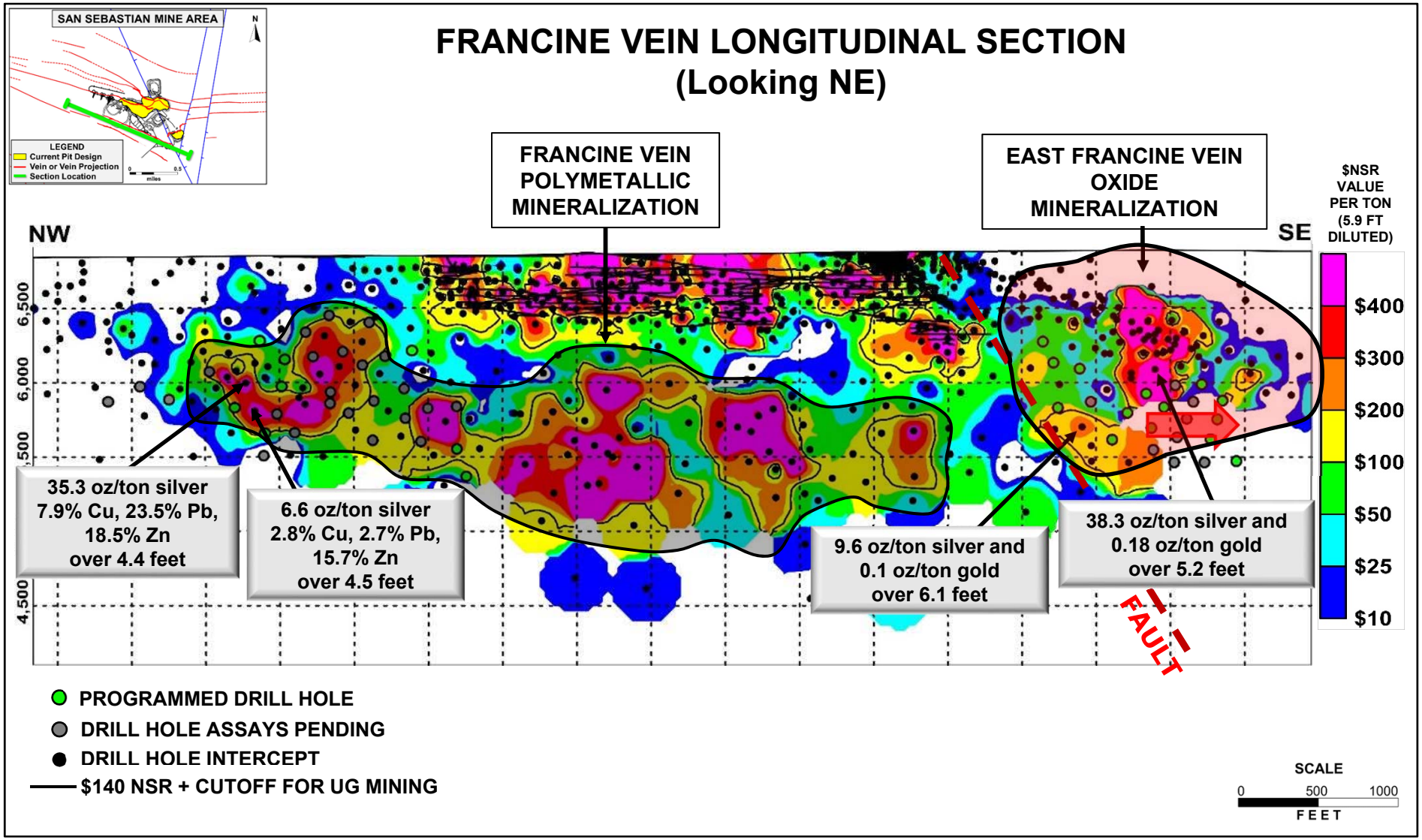

New Middle Vein Polymetallic Metal Zone

Predicting a horizonal polymetallic zone below the oxide reserve

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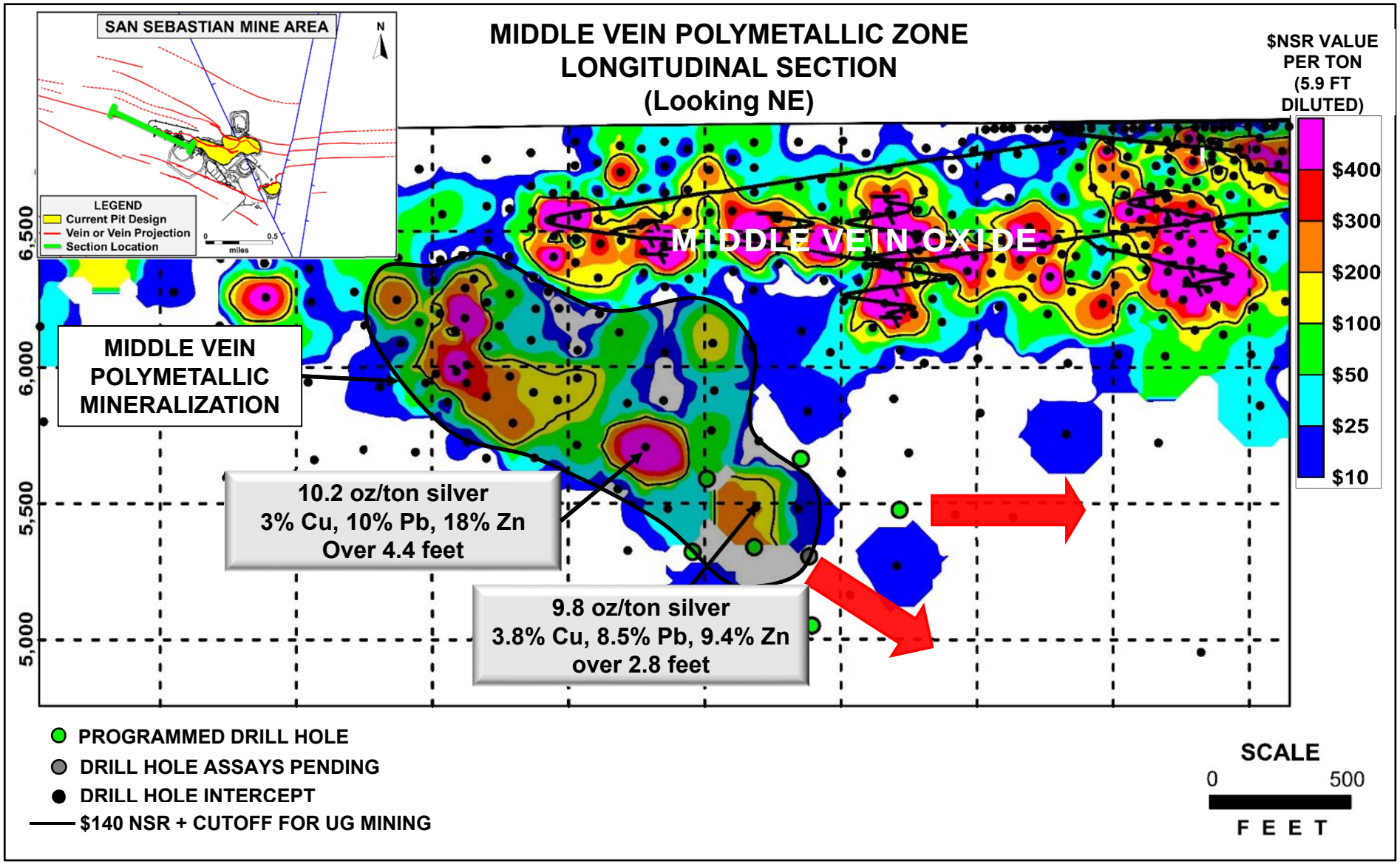

Casa Berardi Longitudinal Section

Aggressive exploration adds to reserve and resource base

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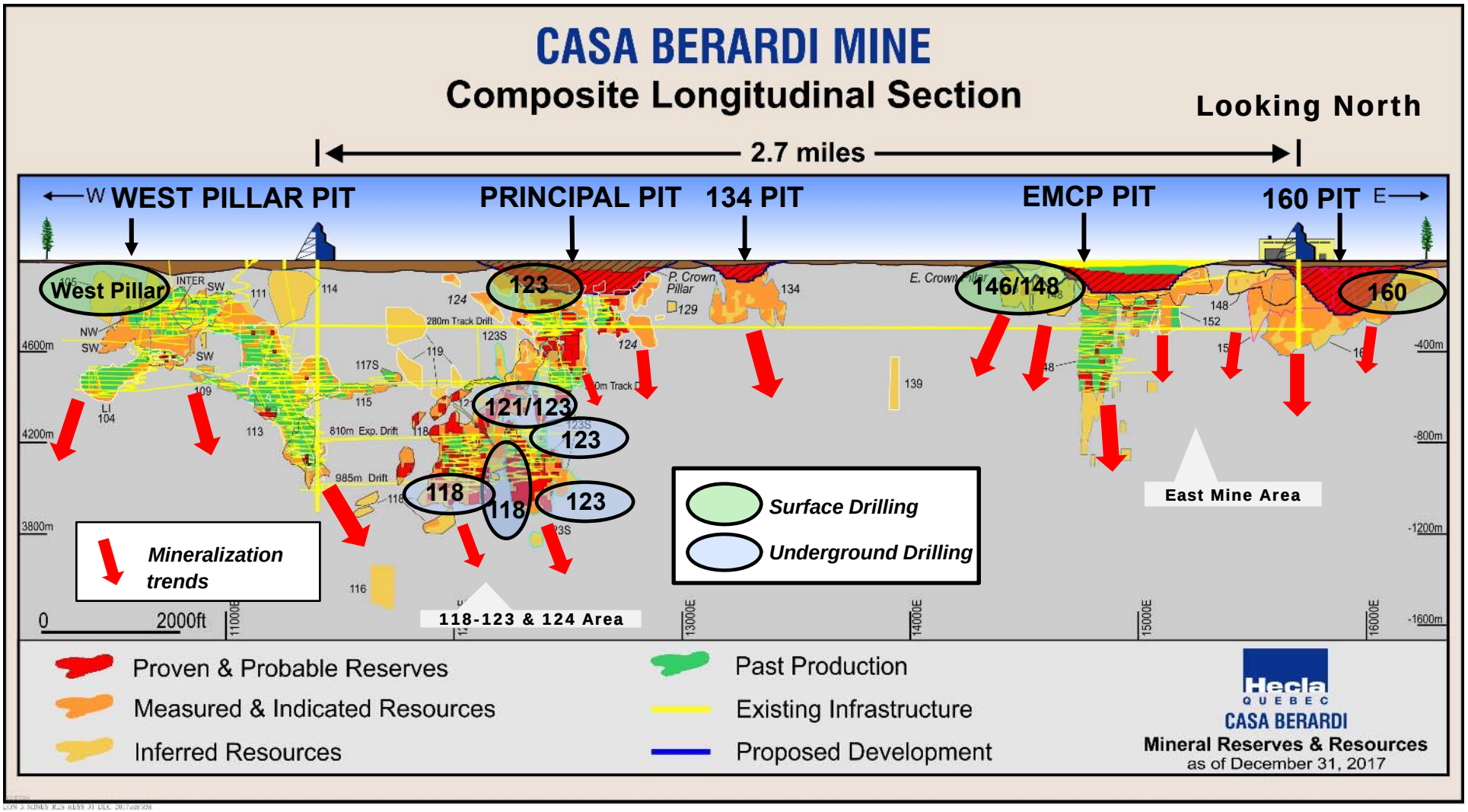

Casa Berardi: Mineralization Along Deformation Zone

Surface view showing drilling areas with potential to define/expand open pits

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Greens Creek: Adding to the Known Trends

Drilling continues to add to resources and convert to reserves

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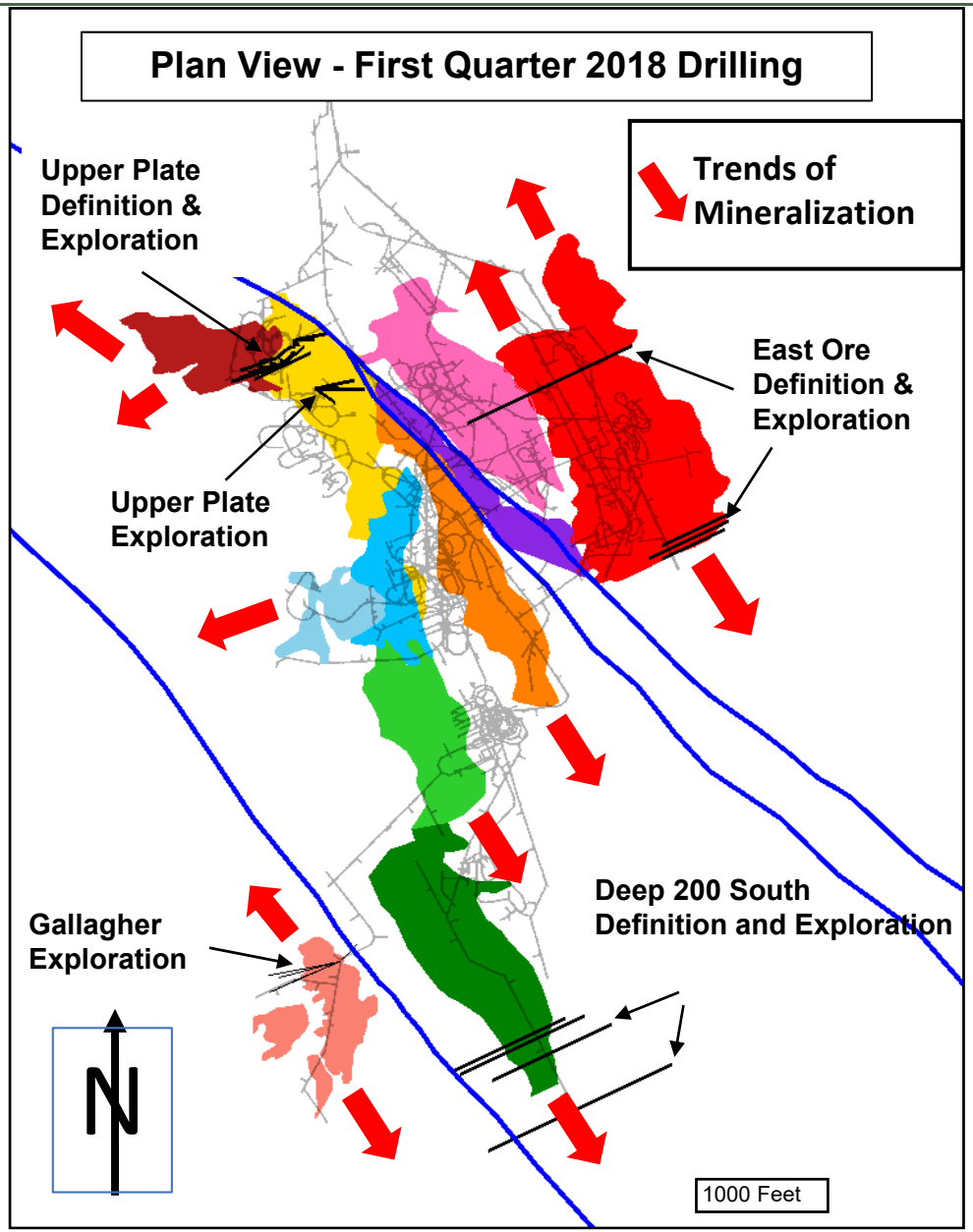

Excellent Land Position Near Large Gold Mines

Located along important North Nevada Rift and Carlin/Battle Mtn Trends

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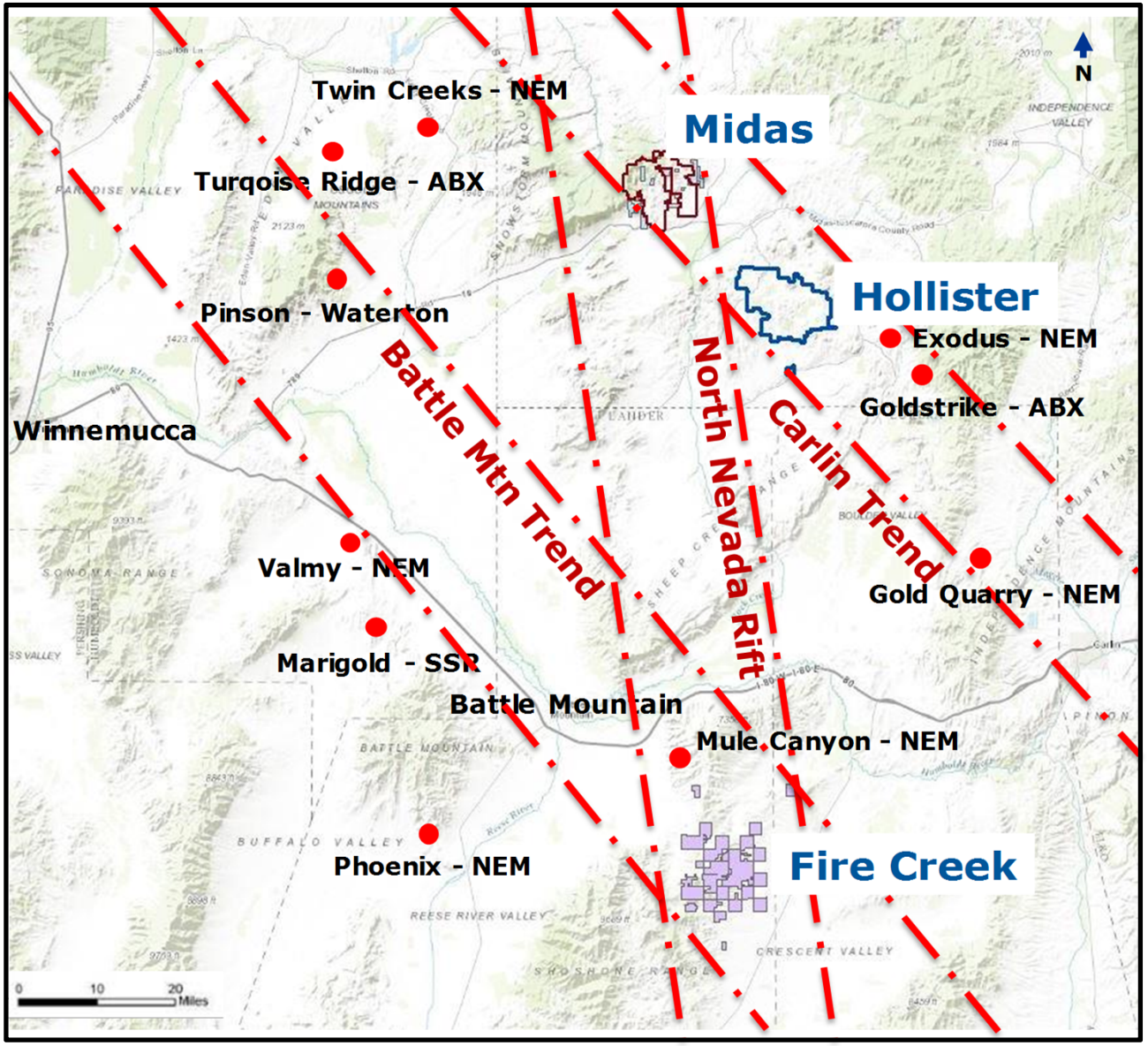
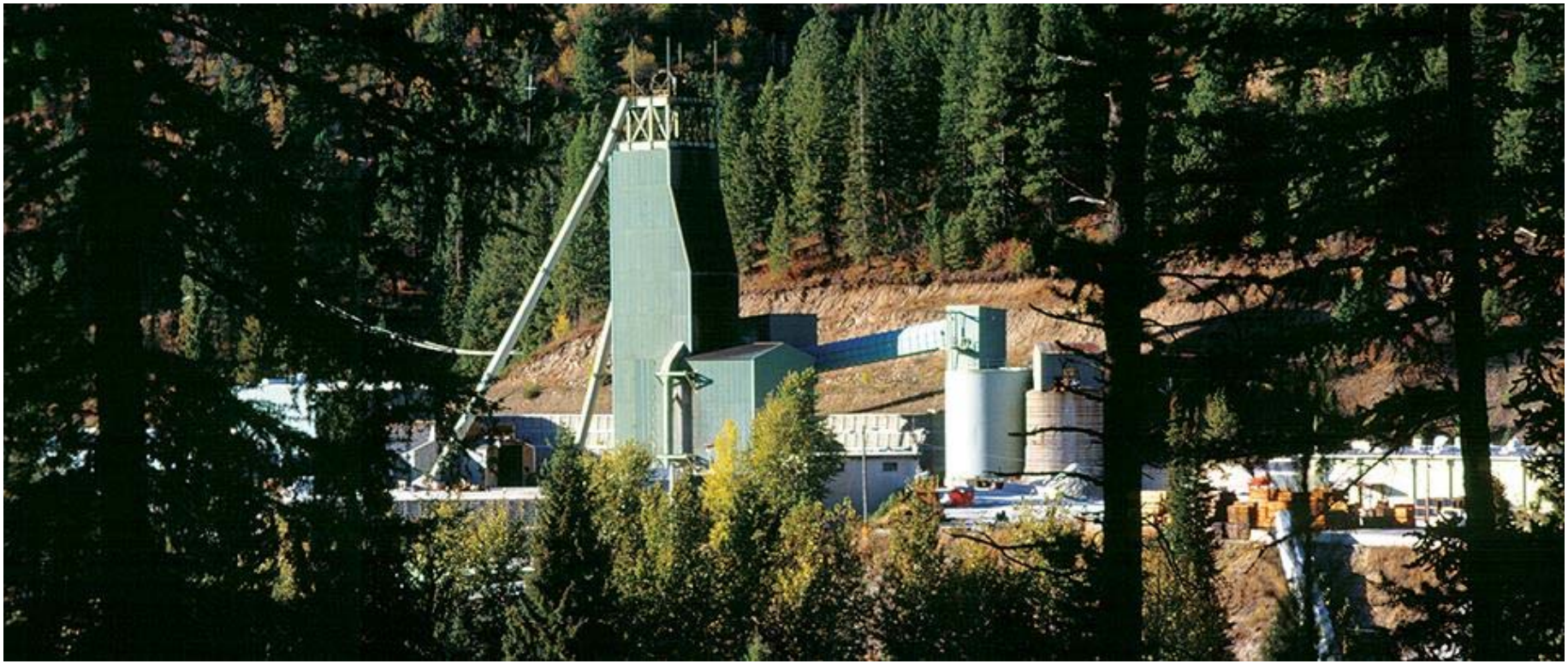


Conclusion



Appendix

2018 Outlook

Lowering cash cost and AISC, after by-product credits, per silver ounce

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Production Outlook

	Silver Production (Moz)	Gold Production (Koz)	Silver Equivalent (Moz)4	Gold Equivalent (koz)[4]
Greens Creek	7.5 – 8.0	50 - 55	21.0 – 22.5	300 - 313
Lucky Friday				
San Sebastian	2.0 – 2.5	13 – 17	3.0 – 3.5	40 – 52
Casa Berardi		155 - 160	11.0 – 11.5	155 – 160
Total	**9.5 – 10.5**	**218 – 232**	**35.0 – 37.5**	**495 - 525**

Cost Outlook

	Costs of Sales (million)[5]	Cash cost, after by-product credits, per silver / gold ounce[1]	AISC, after by-product credits, per produced silver / gold ounce[2]
Greens Creek	$198	$0.50	$7.75
Lucky Friday			
San Sebastian	$44	$8.50	$12.50
Total Silver	**$242**	**$2.25**	**$12.75**
Casa Berardi	$185	$800	$1,100
Total Gold	**$185**	**$800**	**$1,100**

Capital and Exploration Outlook

2018E capital expenditures[7] (excluding capitalized interest)	$95-$105 million
2018E exploration expenditures[7] (includes corporate development)	$30-$37 million
2018E pre-development expenditures[7]	$5 million
2018E research and development expenditures[7]	$12-$16 million

Cash Cost and AISC Reconciliation to GAAP

Silver Operations

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Reconciliation of Cost of Sales and Other Direct Production Costs and Depreciation, Depletion and Amortization (GAAP) to Cash Cost, Before By-product Credits and Cash Cost, After By-product Credits (non-GAAP) and All-In Sustaining Costs, Before By-product Credits, per Ounce and All-In Sustaining Costs, After By-product Credits, per Ounce (non-GAAP)

In thousands (except per ounce amounts)

	Q1 2017	Q2 2017	Q3 2017	Q4 2017	Q1 2018
Cost of sales and other direct production costs and depreciation, depletion and amortization (GAAP)	$65,162	$59,392	$48,607	$67,449	$ 51,736
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	(16,438)	(14,225)	(13,248)	(17,557)	(11,944)
Treatment costs	18,173	11,682	12,929	10,934	12,164
Change in product inventory	2,736	(4,727)	9,008	(7,466)	6,770
Reclamation and other costs	(1,158)	(669)	(870)	(1,571)	(1,451)
Exclusion of Lucky Friday costs	-	-	-	-	(2,984)
Cash Cost, Before By-product Credits(1)	68,475	51,423	56,426	51,789	54,291
Reclamation and other costs	962	784	821	784	955
Exploration	2,189	3,526	3,914	3,339	3,116
Sustaining capital	10,361	12,522	9,836	12,460	10,029
General and administrative	9,206	10,309	9,529	6,567	7,735
AISC, Before By-product Credits(1,2)	91,193	78,594	80,526	74,939	76,126
Total By-product credits	(65,626)	(50,698)	(58,503)	(53,440)	(62,406)
Cash Cost, After By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce	$ 2,849	$ 725	$ (2,077)	$ (1,651)	$ (8,115)
AISC, After By-product Credits	$25,567	$27,896	$22,023	$21,449	$ 13,720
Divided by ounces produced	3,361	2,799	3,312	2,976	2,425
Cash Cost, Before By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce	$ 20.37	$ 18.37	$ 17.03	$ 17.41	$ 22.38
By-products credits per Silver Ounce	(19.53)	(18.11)	(17.66)	(17.96)	(25.73)
Cash Cost, After By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce	$ 0.84	$ 0.26	$ (0.63)	$ (0.55)	$ (3.35)
AISC, Before By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce	$ 27.13	$ 28.08	$ 24.31	$ 25.19	$ 31.39
By-products credits per Silver Ounce	(19.53)	(18.11)	(17.66)	(17.96)	(25.73)
AISC, After By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce	$ 7.60	$ 9.97	$ 6.65	$ 7.23	$ 5.66

1. Includes all direct and indirect operating cash costs related directly to the physical activities of producing metals, including mining, processing and other plant costs, third-party refining and marketing expense, on-site general and administrative costs, royalties and mining production taxes, before by-product revenues earned from all metals other than the primary metal produced at each unit.

Cash Cost and AISC Reconciliation to GAAP

Greens Creek

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Reconciliation of Cost of Sales and Other Direct Production Costs and Depreciation, Depletion and Amortization (GAAP) to Cash Cost, Before By-product Credits and Cash Cost, After By-product Credits (non-GAAP) and All-In Sustaining Costs, Before By-product Credits, per Ounce and All-In Sustaining Costs, After By-product Credits, per Ounce (non-GAAP)

In thousands (except per ounce amounts)

	2017	Q1 2017	Q1 2018	2018E
Cost of sales and other direct production costs and depreciation, depletion and amortization (GAAP)	$ 201,803	$ 43,996	$ 41,861	$ 198,000
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	(56,328)	(13,332)	(10,639)	(50,000)
Treatment costs	47,774	14,131	11,388	44,000
Change in product inventory	(2,247)	3,265	5,154	-
Reclamation and other costs	(2,715)	(386)	(912)	(2,900)
Cash Cost, Before By-product Credits[1]	188,287	47,674	46,852	189,100
Reclamation and other costs	2,666	666	849	2,500
Exploration	4,265	278	360	3,500
Sustaining capital	35,255	5,234	9,482	51,000
AISC, Before By-product Credits[1,2]	230,473	53,852	57,543	246,100
Total By-product credits	(182,360)	(46,413)	(56,408)	(186,000)
Cash Cost, After By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce	$ 5,927	$ 1,261	$ (9,556)	$ 3,100
AISC, After By-product Credits	$ 48,113	$ 7,439	$ 1,135	$ 60,100
Divided by ounces produced	8,352	1,929	1,913	7,750
Cash Cost, Before By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce	$ 22.54	$ 24.71	$ 24.49	$ 24.40
By-products credits per Silver Ounce	(21.83)	(24.06)	(29.48)	(24.00)
Cash Cost, After By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce	$ 0.71	$ 0.65	$ (4.99)	$ 0.40
AISC, Before By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce	$ 27.59	$ 27.92	$ 30.07	$ 31.75
By-products credits per Silver Ounce	(21.83)	(24.06)	(29.48)	(24.00)
AISC, After By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce	$ 5.76	$ 3.86	$ 0.59	$ 7.75

1. Includes all direct and indirect operating cash costs related directly to the physical activities of producing metals, including mining, processing and other plant costs, third-party refining and marketing expense, on-site general and administrative costs, royalties and mining production taxes, before by-product revenues earned from all metals other than the primary metal produced at each unit. In addition, on-site exploration, reclamation, and sustaining capital costs are also included.

2. All-in sustaining costs, before by-product credits for our consolidated silver properties includes corporate costs for all general and administrative expenses and exploration and sustaining capital which support the operating properties.

Cash Cost and AISC Reconciliation to GAAP

Lucky Friday

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Reconciliation of Cost of Sales and Other Direct Production Costs and Depreciation, Depletion and Amortization (GAAP) to Cash Cost, Before By-product Credits and Cash Cost, After By-product Credits (non-GAAP) and All-In Sustaining Costs, Before By-product Credits, per Ounce and All-In Sustaining Costs, After By-product Credits, per Ounce (non-GAAP)

In thousands (except per ounce amounts)

	2017	Q1 2017	Q1 2018
Cost of sales and other direct production costs and depreciation, depletion and amortization (GAAP)	$ 15,107	$ 14,543	$ 4,100
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	(2,447)	(2,433)	(621)
Treatment costs	4,759	3,817	572
Change in product inventory	1,853	(149)	(1,022)
Reclamation and other costs	(114)	(182)	(45)
Exclusion of Lucky Friday costs	-	-	(2,984)
Cash Cost, Before By-product Credits[1]	19,158	15,596	-
Reclamation and other costs	217	179	-
Exploration	(1)	1	-
Sustaining capital	5,377	3,990	-
AISC, Before By-product Credits[1,2]	24,751	19,766	-
Total By-product credits	(14,281)	(11,556)	-
Cash Cost, After By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce	$ 4,877	$ 4,040	-
AISC, After By-product Credits	$ 10,470	$ 8,210	-
Divided by ounces produced	839	681	-
Cash Cost, Before By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce	$ 22.83	$ 22.90	-
By-products credits per Silver Ounce	(17.02)	(16.97)	-
Cash Cost, After By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce[3]	$ 5.81	$ 5.93	-
AISC, Before By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce	$ 29.50	$ 29.03	-
By-products credits per Silver Ounce	(17.02)	(16.97)	-
AISC, After By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce	$ 12.48	$ 12.06	-

1. Includes all direct and indirect operating cash costs related directly to the physical activities of producing metals, including mining, processing and other plant costs, third-party refining and marketing expense, on-site general and administrative costs, royalties and mining production taxes, before by-product revenues earned from all metals other than the primary metal produced at each unit. In addition, on-site exploration, reclamation, and sustaining capital costs are also included.
2. All-in sustaining costs, before by-product credits for our consolidated silver properties includes corporate costs for all general and administrative expenses and exploration and sustaining capital which support the operating properties.
3. Cash cost, after by-product credits, per silver ounce includes only costs directly related to limited production during the strike and excludes suspension costs, and is not indicative of results under full production.

Cash Cost and AISC Reconciliation to GAAP

San Sebastian

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Reconciliation of Cost of Sales and Other Direct Production Costs and Depreciation, Depletion and Amortization (GAAP) to Cash Cost, Before By-product Credits and Cash Cost, After By-product Credits (non-GAAP) and All-In Sustaining Costs, Before By-product Credits, per Ounce and All-In Sustaining Costs, After By-product Credits, per Ounce (non-GAAP)

In thousands (except per ounce amounts)

	2017	Q1 2017	Q1 2018	2018E
Cost of sales and other direct production costs and depreciation, depletion and amortization (GAAP)	$ 23,700	$ 6,623	$ 5,775	$44,000
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	(2,693)	(673)	(684)	(6,000)
Treatment costs	1,185	225	204	550
Change in product inventory	(55)	(380)	2,638	$ (1,000)
Reclamation and other costs	(1,467)	(590)	(494)	(500)
Cash Cost, Before By-product Credits[1]	20,670	5,205	7,439	37,050
Reclamation and other costs	468	117	106	240
Exploration	6,879	1,532	2,312	4,800
Sustaining capital	2,770	1,132	430	3,700
AISC, Before By-product Credits[1,2]	30,787	7,986	10,287	45,790
Total By-product credits	(31,625)	(7,657)	(5,998)	(18,000)
Cash Cost, After By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce	$ (10,995)	$ (2,452)	1,441	19,050
AISC, After By-product Credits	$ (838)	$ 329	4,289	27,790
Divided by Ounces Produced	3,258	751	512	2,250
Cash Cost, Before By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce	$ 6.35	$ 6.93	$ 14.52	$ 16.47
By-products credits per Silver Ounce	(9.71)	(10.20)	(11.71)	(8.00)
Cash Cost, After By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce	$ (3.36)	$ (3.27)	2.81	8.47
AISC, Before By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce	$ (9.45)	$ 10.63	$ 20.08	$ 20.35
By-products credits per Silver Ounce	(9.71)	(10.20)	(11.71)	(8.00)
AISC, After By-product Credits, per Silver Ounce	$ (0.26)	$ 0.43	$ 8.37	$ 12.35

1. Includes all direct and indirect operating cash costs related directly to the physical activities of producing metals, including mining, processing and other plant costs, third-party refining and marketing expense, on-site general and administrative costs, royalties and mining production taxes, before by-product revenues earned from all metals other than the primary metal produced at each unit. In addition, on-site exploration, reclamation, and sustaining capital costs are also included.

2. All-in sustaining costs, before by-product credits for our consolidated silver properties includes corporate costs for all general and administrative expenses and exploration and sustaining capital which support the operating properties.

Cash Cost and AISC Reconciliation to GAAP

Casa Berardi

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Reconciliation of Cost of Sales and Other Direct Production Costs and Depreciation, Depletion and Amortization (GAAP) to Cash Cost, Before By-product Credits and Cash Cost, After By-product Credits (non-GAAP) and All-In Sustaining Costs, Before By-product Credits, per Ounce and All-In Sustaining Costs, After By-product Credits, per Ounce (non-GAAP)

In thousands (except per ounce amounts)

	Q1 2017	Q2 2017	Q3 2017	Q4 2017	2017	Q1 2018	2018E
Cost of sales and other direct production costs and depreciation, depletion and amortization (GAAP)	$ 42,466	$ 43,680	$ 48,595	$ 45,438	$ 180,179	$ 49,187	$ 185,000
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	(12,514)	(11,344)	(15,596)	(15,140)	(54,594)	(16,110)	(58,000)
Treatment costs	571	554	682	658	2,432	535	400
Change in product inventory	1,381	(212)	(288)	584	1,466	(101)	-
Reclamation and other costs	(17)	(212)	(124)	(122)	(476)	(142)	(800)
Cash cost, before by-product credits[1]	31,887	32,466	33,269	31,418	129,007	33,369	126,600
Reclamation and other costs	17	213	123	122	475	143	450
Exploration	797	1,071	1,161	1,322	4,351	1,190	5,000
Sustaining capital	12,411	12,059	13,775	12,419	50,664	9,067	45,000
AISC, Before By-product Credits[1,2]	45,112	45,809	48,328	45,281	184,497	43,769	177,050
Total By-products credits	(147)	(142)	(161)	(164)	(614)	(148)	(800)
Cash Cost, After By-product Credits, per Ounce	$ 31,740	$ 32,324	$ 33,108	$ 31,254	$ 128,393	$ 33,221	$ 125,800
AISC, After By-product Credits	$ 44,965	$ 45,667	$ 48,167	$ 45,117	$ 183,883	$ 43,621	$ 176,250
Divided by ounces produced	36	33	44	43	157	40	158
Cash Cost, Before By-product Credits, per Ounce	$ 891.00	$ 976.07	$ 753.70	$ 723.19	$ 821.70	$ 834.23	$ 801.00
By-products credits per Ounce	(4.00)	(4.25)	(3.65)	(3.77)	(3.92)	(3.70)	(5.00)
Cash Cost, After By-product Credits, per Ounce	$ 887.00	$ 971.82	$ 750.05	$ 719.42	$ 819.60	$ 830.53	$ 796.00
AISC, Before By-product Credits, per Ounce	$ 1,260.00	$ 1,377.21	$ 1,094.86	$ 1,042.28	$ 1,177.14	$ 1,094.23	$ 1,121.00
By-products credits per Ounce	$ (4.00)	$ (4.25)	$ (3.65)	$ (3.77)	$ (3.92)	$ (3.70)	$ (5.00)
AISC, After By-product Credits, per Ounce	$ 1,256.00	$ 1,372.96	$ 1,091.21	$ 1,038.51	$ 1,171.22	$ 1,090.53	$ 1,116.00

1. Includes all direct and indirect operating cash costs related directly to the physical activities of producing metals, including mining, processing and other plant costs, third-party refining and marketing expense, on-site general and administrative costs, royalties and mining production taxes, before by-product revenues earned from all metals other than the primary metal produced at each unit. In addition, on-site exploration, reclamation, and sustaining capital costs are also included.

2. All-in sustaining costs, before by-product credits for our consolidated silver properties includes corporate costs for all general and administrative expenses and exploration and sustaining capital which support the operating properties.

Greens Creek Free Cash Flow Reconciliation

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Greens Creek Free Cash Flow Reconciliation

(in thousands)

	2017	1987-2017*
Gross profit	$ 76,588	$ 1,414,488
Non-cash elements in gross profit:		
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	56,328	668,380
Other	2,360	1,340
Working capital changes	1,378	(17,516)
Net cash provided by operating activities	136,654	2,066,692
Additions to properties, plants, equipment and mineral interests	(35,255)	(823,678)
Free cash flow	**$ 101,399**	**$ 1,243,014**

*1987 – 2017 amounts reflect results of the Greens Creek mine on a 100% joint-venture basis (Hecla owned 29.7% until 2008).

Endnotes

1. Cash cost, after by-product credits, per silver and gold ounce represents a non-GAAP measurement, a reconciliation of which to cost of sales and other direct production costs and depreciation, depletion and amortization (sometimes referred to as "cost of sales" in this release), can be found in the Appendix. It is an important operating statistic that management utilizes to measure each mine's operating performance. It also allows the benchmarking of performance of each mines versus those of our competitors. As a primary silver mining company, management also uses the statistic on an aggregate basis - aggregating the Greens Creek, Lucky Friday and San Sebastian mines - to compare performance with that of other primary silver mining companies. With regard to Casa Berardi, management uses cash cost, after by- product credits, per gold ounce to compare its performance with other gold mines. Similarly, the statistic is useful in identifying acquisition and investment opportunities as it provides a common tool for measuring the financial performance of other mines with varying geologic, metallurgical and operating characteristics. In addition, the Company may use it when formulating performance goals and targets under its incentive program.
2. All in sustaining cost (AISC), after byproduct credits, is a non-GAAP measurement, a reconciliation of which to cost of sales and other direct production costs and depreciation, depletion and amortization, the closest GAAP measurement, can be found in the appendix. AISC, after by-product credits, includes cost of sales and other direct production costs, expenses for reclamation and exploration, and sustaining capital costs at the mines sites. AISC, after by-product credits for our consolidated silver properties also includes corporate costs for all general and administrative expenses, exploration and sustaining capital which support the operating properties. AISC, after by-product credits, is calculated net of depreciation, depletion, and amortization and by-product credits. 2018E refers to Hecla's estimates for 2018. Current GAAP measures used in the mining industry, such as cost of goods sold, do not capture all the expenditures incurred to discover, develop and sustain silver and gold production. Management believes that all in sustaining costs is a non-GAAP measure that provides additional information to management, investors and analysts to help in the understanding of the economics of our operations and performance compared to other producers and in the investor's visibility by better defining the total costs associated with production. Similarly, the statistic is useful in identifying acquisition and investment opportunities as it provides a common tool for measuring the financial performance of other mines with varying geologic, metallurgical and operating characteristics. In addition, the Company may use it when formulating performance goals and targets under its incentive program.
3. Free Cash Flow is a non-GAAP measure calculated as Operating Cash Flow (GAAP) less Capex (GAAP). Cash flow conversion calculated as Free Cash Flow from mines divided by Operating Cash Flow.
4. Silver and gold equivalent is calculated using the average market prices for the time period noted.
5. Cost of sales and other direct production costs and depreciation, depletion and amortization.
6. Expectations for 2018 includes silver, gold, lead and zinc production from Lucky Friday, Greens Creek, San Sebastian and Casa Berardi converted using Au $1,225/oz, Ag $17.25/oz, Zn $1.30/lb, Pb $1.00/lb.
7. 2018E refers to Hecla's estimates for 2018.

Proven & Probable Mineral Reserves

(on Dec. 31, 2017 unless otherwise noted)

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Reserves – 12/31/17[1]

Proven Reserves											
Asset	Tons (000)	Silver (oz/ton)	Gold (oz/ton)	Lead %	Zinc %	Copper %	Silver (000 oz)	Gold (000 oz)	Lead Tons	Zinc Tons	Copper Tons
Greens Creek (2)	7	12.2	0.09	2.4	6.1	-	89	1	170	440	-
Lucky Friday (2)	4,246	15.4	-	9.6	4.1	-	65,448	-	407,520	175,400	-
Casa Berardi (3)	2,458	-	0.13	-	-	-	-	312	-	-	-
San Sebastian (2)	31	23.3	0.19	-	-	-	712	6	-	-	-
Total.....	6,742						66,249	319	407,690	175,840	-

Probable Reserves											
Asset	Tons (000)	Silver (oz/ton)	Gold (oz/ton)	Lead %	Zinc %	Copper %	Silver (000 oz)	Gold (000 oz)	Lead Tons	Zinc Tons	Copper Tons
Greens Creek (2)	7,543	11.9	0.10	3.0	8.1	-	90,130	725	224,880	614,390	-
Lucky Friday (2)	1,387	11.4	-	7.6	3.7	-	15,815	-	104,720	50,640	-
Casa Berardi (3)	11,413	-	0.10	-	-	-	-	1,181	-	-	-
San Sebastian (2)	368	13.1	0.10	-	-	-	4,809	37	-	-	-
Total.....	20,709						110,754	1,943	329,600	665,030	-

Proven and Probable Reserves											
Asset	Tons (000)	Silver (oz/ton)	Gold (oz/ton)	Lead %	Zinc %	Copper %	Silver (000 oz)	Gold (000 oz)	Lead Tons	Zinc Tons	Copper Tons
Greens Creek (2)	7,550	11.9	0.10	3.0	8.1	-	90,219	725	225,050	614,840	-
Lucky Friday (2)	5,632	14.4	-	9.1	4.0	-	81,264	-	512,240	226,030	-
Casa Berardi (3)	13,871	-	0.11	-	-	-	-	1,494	-	-	-
San Sebastian (2)	398	13.9	0.11	-	-	-	5,520	43	-	-	-
Total.....	27,451						177,003	2,262	737,290	840,870	-

[1] The term "reserve" means that part of a mineral deposit that can be economically and legally extracted or produced at the time of the reserve determination. The term "economically," as used in the definition of reserve, means that profitable extraction or production has been established or analytically demonstrated to be viable and justifiable under reasonable investment and market assumptions. The term "legally," as used in the definition of reserve, does not imply that all permits needed for mining and processing have been obtained or that other legal issues have been completely resolved. However, for a reserve to exist, Hecla must have a justifiable expectation, based on applicable laws and regulations, that issuance of permits or resolution of legal issues necessary for mining and processing at a particular deposit will be accomplished in the ordinary course and in a timeframe consistent with Hecla's current mine plans.

[2] Mineral reserves are based on $1200 gold, $14.50 silver, $0.90 lead, $1.05 zinc, unless otherwise stated.

[3] Mineral reserves are based on $1200 gold, and a US$/CAN$ exchange rate of 1:1.37. Reserve diluted to an average of 34.7% to minimum width of 9.8 feet (3 m). Reserves at Casa Berardi were determined by Jonathan Archambault-Giroux, P. Geo., Que., Real Parent, P.Geo. Que., Sylvain Picard, P. Eng., Que. and Alain Quenneville, P. Eng., Que. unless otherwise stated.

Open pit mineral reserves of the Principal Mine were estimated in February 2011 by BBA Inc. based on $950 gold and a US$/CAN$ exchange rate of 1:1. Reserve diluted to 10%.

Technical Report on the Pre-Feasibility Study for the Casa Berardi Principal Zone Open-Pit Project, La Sarre, Quebec, February 2011

Prepared by: Patrice Live, Eng. - BBA Inc.; Amanda Fitch, Jr. Eng. - BBA Inc.; Andre Allaire, Eng., M. Eng., Ph.D. - BBA

Open pit mineral reserves of the 160 and 134 Zones were estimated in January 2018 by Hecla Quebec and Mine Development Associates based on $1225 gold and a US$/CAN$ exchange rate of 1.3.

Hecla Mining, Casa Berardi 160 and 134 Zones, Open Pit Mining Study - 2017

January 12, 2018, by Mine Development Associates, Thomas L. Dyer, P.E.

Measured and Indicated Mineral Resources

(on Dec. 31, 2017 unless otherwise noted)

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Resources – 12/31/17

Measured Resources											
Asset	Tons (000)	Silver (oz/ton)	Gold (oz/ton)	Lead %	Zinc %	Copper %	Silver (000 oz)	Gold (000 oz)	Lead Tons	Zinc Tons	Copper Tons
Greens Creek (4)	341	9.1	0.09	2.4	8.3	-	3,086	30	8,090	28,420	
Lucky Friday (4,5)	7,371	7.6	-	4.9	2.7	-	55,947	-	361,590	200,280	-
Casa Berardi (6)	2,210	-	0.17	-	-	-	-	319	-	-	-
San Sebastian (4,7)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Heva (8)	5,480	-	0.06	-	-	-	-	304	-	-	-
Hosco (8)	33,070	-	0.04	-	-	-	-	1,296	-	-	-
Rio Grande Silver (9)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Star (4,10)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total.....	48,471						59,032	1,948	369,680	228,700	-
Indicated Resources											
Asset	Tons (000)	Silver (oz/ton)	Gold (oz/ton)	Lead %	Zinc %	Copper %	Silver (000 oz)	Gold (000 oz)	Lead Tons	Zinc Tons	Copper Tons
Greens Creek (4)	2,464	11.4	0.09	2.9	7.6	-	28,211	229	72,120	187,060	-
Lucky Friday (4,5)	2,344	8.2	-	5.3	2.5	-	19,202	-	123,120	58,160	-
Casa Berardi (6)	11,037	-	0.10	-	-	-	-	1,055	-	-	-
San Sebastian (4,7)	1,506	5.8	0.07	2.9	3.8	1.7	8,796	103	15,520	20,350	9,020
Heva (8)	5,570	-	0.07	-	-	-	-	369	-	-	-
Hosco (8)	31,620	-	0.04	-	-	-	-	1,151	-	-	-
Rio Grande Silver (9)	516	14.8	-	2.1	1.1	-	7,620	-	10,760	5,820	-
Star (4,10)	1,126	2.9	-	6.2	7.4	-	3,301	-	69,900	83,410	-
Total.....	56,182						67,128	2,907	291,420	354,800	9,020
Measured & Indicated Resources											
Asset	Tons (000)	Silver (oz/ton)	Gold (oz/ton)	Lead %	Zinc %	Copper %	Silver (000 oz)	Gold (000 oz)	Lead Tons	Zinc Tons	Copper Tons
Greens Creek (4)	2,805	11.2	0.09	2.9	7.7	-	31,296	259	80,210	215,480	-
Lucky Friday (4,5)	9,715	7.7	-	5.0	2.7	-	75,148	-	484,700	258,430	-
Casa Berardi (6)	13,246	-	0.10	-	-	-	-	1,373	-	-	-
San Sebastian (4,7)	1,506	5.8	0.07	2.9	3.8	1.7	8,796	103	15,520	20,350	9,020
Heva (8)	11,050	-	0.06	-	-	-	-	672	-	-	-
Hosco (8)	64,690	-	0.04	-	-	-	-	2,447	-	-	-
Rio Grande Silver (9)	516	14.8	-	2.1	1.1	-	7,620	-	10,760	5,820	-
Star (4,10)	1,126	2.9	-	6.2	7.4	-	3,301	-	69,900	83,410	-
Total.....	104,653						126,161	4,854	661,090	583,490	9,020

Inferred Mineral Resources

(on Dec. 31, 2017 unless otherwise noted)

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Inferred Resources												
Asset	Tons (000)	Silver (oz/ton)	Gold (oz/ton)	Lead %	Zinc %	Copper %	Silver (000 oz)	Gold (000 oz)	Lead Tons	Zinc Tons	Copper Tons
Greens Creek (4)	2,708	12.1	0.08	2.7	6.9	-	32,711	222	73,350	185,660	-
Lucky Friday (4,11)	2,820	8.7	-	6.3	2.7	-	24,646	-	178,970	75,270	-
Casa Berardi (6)	6,980	-	0.10	-	-	-	-	717	-	-	-
San Sebastian (4,12)	2,915	5.5	0.03	1.8	2.5	1.5	15,978	95	23,660	33,770	19,520
Heva (8)	4,210	-	0.08	-	-	-	-	350	-	-	-
Hosco (8)	7,650	-	0.04	-	-	-	-	314	-	-	-
Rio Grande Silver (13)	3,078	10.7	0.01	1.3	1.1	-	33,097	36	40,990	34,980	-
Star (4,14)	3,157	2.9	-	5.6	5.5	-	9,432	-	178,670	174,450	-
Monte Cristo (15)	913	0.3	0.14	-	-	-	271	131	-	-	-
Rock Creek (16)	100,086	1.5	-	-	-	0.7	148,736	-	-	-	658,680
Montanore (17)	112,185	1.6	-	-	-	0.7	183,346	-	-	-	759,420
Total.....	246,701						448,217	1,865	495,640	504,130	1,437,620

Note: All estimates are in-situ except for the proven reserves at Greens Creek and San Sebastian which are in surface stockpiles. Resources are exclusive of reserves.

(4) Mineral resources are based on $1350 gold, $21 silver, $0.95 lead, $1.10 zinc and $3.00 copper, unless otherwise stated.

(5) Measured and indicated resources from Gold Hunter and Lucky Friday vein systems are diluted and factored for expected mining recovery.

(6) Measured, indicated and inferred resources are based on $1350 gold and a US$/CAN$ exchange rate of 1:1.37. Underground resources are reported at a minimum mining width of 6.6 to 9.8 feet (2 m to 3 m).
Resources at Casa Berardi were determined by Jonathan Archambault-Giroux, P. Geo., Que., Real Parent, P.Geo. Que., Sylvain Picard, P. Eng., Que. and Ala Quenneville, P. Eng., Que. unless otherwise stated.
Open pit mineral resources of the Principal Mine were estimated in February 2011 by BBA Inc. based on $950 gold and a US$/CAN$ exchange rate of 1:1.
Technical Report on the Pre-Feasibility Study for the Casa Berardi Principal Zone Open-Pit Project, La Sarre, Quebec, February 2011
Prepared by: Patrice Live, Eng. - BBA Inc.; Amanda Fitch, Jr. Eng. - BBA Inc.; Andre Allaire, Eng., M. Eng., Ph.D. - BBA

(7) Indicated resources reported at a minimum mining width of 6.6 feet (2 m) for Hugh Zone and 4.9 feet (1.5 m) for Andrea Vein, Middle Vein, and North Vein. East Francine resources reported at actual vein width.
San Sebastian lead, zinc and copper grades are for 531,900 tons of indicated resource within the Middle Vein and the Hugh Zone of the Francine Vein.

(8) Measured, indicated and inferred resources were estimated in by Goldminds Geoservices Inc. with effective date 12-July-2013, and are based on $1300 gold and a US$/CAN$ exchange rate of 1:1.
The resources are in-situ without dilution and material loss.
NI43-101 Technical Report, Mineral Resource Update, Heva-Hosco Gold Projects, Rouyn-Noranda, Quebec, Hecla Quebec, December 2013
Prepared by: Claude Duplessis, Eng. Project Manager - GoldMinds Geoservices Inc.; Maxime Dupéré, P.Geo - SGS Canada Inc. (Geostat)

(9) Indicated resources reported at a minimum mining width of 6.0 feet for Bulldog; resources based on $26.5 Ag, $0.85 Pb, and $0.85 Zn.

(10) Indicated resources reported at a minimum mining width of 4.3 feet.

(11) Inferred resources from Gold Hunter and Lucky Friday vein systems are diluted and factored for expected mining recovery.

(12) Inferred resources reported at a minimum mining width of 6.6 feet (2 m) for Hugh Zone and 4.9 feet (1.5 m) for Andrea Vein, Middle Vein, and North Vein. E Francine resources reported at actual vein width.
San Sebastian lead, zinc and copper grades are for 1,338,300 tons of inferred resource within the Middle Vein and the Hugh Zone of the Francine Vein.

(13) Inferred resources reported at a minimum mining width of 6.0 feet for Bulldog, 5.0 feet for Equity & North Amethyst veins; resources based on $1400 Au, $26.5 Ag, $0.85 Pb, and $0.85 Zn.

(14) Inferred resources reported at a minimum mining width of 4.3 feet.

(15) Inferred resource reported at a minimum mining width of 5.0 feet; resources based on $1400 Au, $26.5 Ag.

(16) Inferred resource reported at a minimum thickness of 15 feet.
Inferred resources at Rock Creek adjusted given mining restrictions as defined by U.S. Forest Service - Kootenai National Forest in the June 2003 'Record o Decision, Rock Creek Project'.

(17) Inferred resource reported at a minimum thickness of 15 feet.
Inferred resources at Montanore adjusted given mining restrictions as defined by U.S. Forest Service, Kootenai National Forest, Montana DEQ in the Decembe 2015 'Joint Final EIS, Montanore Project' and the February 2016 U.S. Forest Service - Kootenai National Forest 'Record of Decision, Montanore Project'.

* Totals may not represent the sum of parts due to rounding