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All-in Sustaining cost (AISC) is calculated as: Operating costs (mining, processing and G&A) + Incremental PTUs + Concentrate Transportation + Treatment & Refining Charges + Penalties + Sustaining Capital + Closure Costs + Silver Revenue Royalty and is reported on using a per tonne mined, AgEq plant feed, AgEq recovered for sale, and AgEq payable basis

PEA work completed by:

Kirkham Geosystems Ltd. (KGL): mineral resource estimate from June, 2024;

**Entech Mining Limited (Entech):** mine design and mine OpEx and capital;

**Ausenco Engineering (Ausenco):** process flowsheet, mine site design and surface OpEx, CapEx and discounted cash-flow model – reviewed and scrutinized metallurgical assumptions;

Metallurgical Process Consultants Limited (MPC): metallurgy and process flowsheet

# **Investment Highlights**



### Focused on developing the Cerro Las Minitas (CLM) Ag-Cu-Pb-Zn project located in Durango, Mexico



One of the Largest and Highest Grade Undeveloped Silver Projects in the World

**Mineral Resource Update** 

- Ind: 116Moz AgEq at 271g/t AgEq<sup>1</sup>
- Inf: 186M oz AgEq at 248g/t AgEq<sup>1</sup>
- Well-established silver mining district in Durango, Mexico near several major mining companies



#### **2024 PEA Highlights**

- 17yr Life-of-Mine
- Robust Project Economics
- Strongly Leveraged to Silver and Zinc prices
- High Revenues/Free Cash-flow



#### **Corporate Highlights**

- 100% ownership and control of the CLM Project
- Treasury to continue ESG initiatives, permitting, drilling, engineering and other Corporate objectives



# Company Catalysts (pending News Flow)

- Updated PEA announced
- Further Drilling CLM Project
- New targeting developed at Oro Cu-Mo project, NM
- Permitting for 2024 drilling-Hermanas Au-Ag Project, NM

<sup>1.</sup> Parameters for the NI 43-101 Compliant Mineral Resource Estimate are described on Slide 11 and in the SSV News Release, dated Mar 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2023

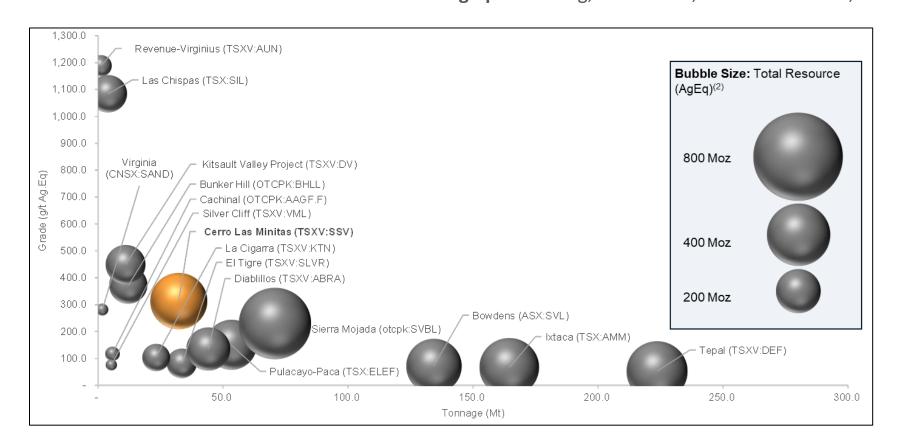
#### One of the Largest and Highest Grade Undeveloped Silver Assets in the World



2023 Mineral Resource Estimate (as of March 20<sup>nd</sup>, 2024 using a \$60NSR/t cut-off)<sup>1</sup>;

Indicated – 116Moz AgEq 43Moz Ag, 32Kozs Au, 49Mlb Cu, 374Mlb Pb and 921Mlb Zn

Inferred – 186Moz AgEq: 83Moz Ag, 111Mlb Cu, 582Mlb Pb and 1,106Mlb Zn



#### Notes:

 Parameters for the NI 43-101 Compliant Mineral Resource Estimate are described on Slide 11 and in the SSV News Release, dated Jun 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024

#### Notes for chart

- Data as of September 8, 2022
- Prices Used (US\$): Gold \$1,708/oz, Silver \$18.59/oz,
   Copper \$7811/MT, Iron \$98/dMT, Lead \$1,881/MT,
   Zinc \$3,128/MT
- Discovery Silver's Cordero Mine removed from output. Total tonnage of 782 Mt, grade of 44.1 g/t Ag.Eq
- Applies to primary asset only (100% basis)

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# **Capital Markets Profile**



Capital Structure								
Ticker	TSX-V:SSV							
Share Price (Aug 13, 2024)	C\$0.24							
Current Shares Outstanding	307M							
Options	24.3M <sup>1</sup>							
Warrants	49.8M <sup>2</sup>							
Fully Diluted Shares Outstanding	381M							
Market Capitalization	C\$74M							
Cash & Cash Equivalents	C\$2.5M							
Enterprise Value	C\$71.4M							
Enterprise Value	US\$52.8M							
EV/Oz AgEq	US\$0.17							
P/NAV	0.15x							
Top Shareholders								
Electrum Global Holdings	25%							
Institutional (as of July 30, 2021)	12%							
Management & Directors	2.3%							

<sup>1.</sup> Includes 24.3M options outstanding with a weighted average exercise price of C\$0.37/share and a weighted average remaining term of 3.8 years



#### **Analyst Coverage**

Timothy Lee – Red Cloud Securities Ltd.

Siddharth Rajeev – Fundamental Research Corp.

Recent Ratings							
	Date	Reccomendation (C\$)					
Red Cloud Securities	Jun-11-2024	Buy (\$0.90)					
Fundamental Research	Jun-21-2024	Buy (\$0.60)					
Newsletter Coverage							

Caesars Report – Thibaut Lepouttre

Silver Stock Investor – Peter Krauth

GoldSilver.com/SilverChartist - Jeff Clark

<sup>2.</sup> Includes 49.8M warrants outstanding with a weighted average exercise price of C\$0.44/share and a weighted average remaining term of 1.8 years

# **PEA Highlights**



- Robust Project Economics Base Case<sup>1</sup>: after-tax NPV5% of US\$501M (C\$682M) and IRR of 21.2%;
- Excellent Silver and Zinc Price Leverage Base-case +20%<sup>2</sup>: after-tax NPV5% of US\$875M (C\$1,193M) and IRR of 30.2%;
  - 1. Base Case Metal Prices (\$US): Ag- \$23.00/oz, Au \$1850/oz, Cu \$4.00/lb, Pb \$1.00/lb and Zn \$1.25/lb
  - 2. Base Case +20% metal prices (\$US): Ag- \$27.60/oz, Au \$2220/oz, Cu \$4.80/lb, Pb \$1.20/lb and Zn \$1.50/lb
- A Large-Scale Underground Mining Operation with a 17-year mine life and an annual average plant feed of 14.3 Mozs AgEq (inc. 5.8 Mozs Ag) and life of mine (LOM) feed totalling 242.7 Mozs AgEq; (inc. 98.6 Mozs Ag). LOM sales total 194.3 Mozs AgEq at an AISC of US\$13.23/oz AgEq sold;
- A High-Revenue Project with base-case gross revenues totalling US\$4.5B with silver and gold representing 45% of revenues, and zinc representing 35% of projected revenues. The project has an Initial CapEx of US\$388M, an NPV5%-to-CapEx ratio of 1.3X and a paydown of 48 months; and
- A Well-Located Project in a mining friendly jurisdiction with excellent infrastructure in southeast Durango state, Mexico;



## In comparison to the earlier 2022 economic model, the updated PEA now:

- Increases the Life of Mine (LOM) production by 5Mt, representing an approximate 20% increase;
- Increases daily mine production to up to 5300tpd, representing an approximate 18% increase;
- Extends the mine life by 2.6yrs;
- Increases the LOM Revenue by US\$765M, representing an approximate 17% increase in revenues.
- Increases the after-tax NPV5% by 45% to **US\$501M**; and
- Similarly, increases the IRR by 3.3% to **21.2%**

# Management Team and Board





<ul> <li>Director and Officer of a number of public prominent exploration and mining companies</li> <li>Major Projects and Mines involvement: Penasquito, Mexico; Hemlo and Eskay Creek, Canada</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>VP of Geological Services for the Manex Resource Group of Companies and Exploration Manager for several publicly listed companies</li> <li>Overseen the exploration of many projects throughout North America including the discovery and delineation of the Homestak Ridge high-grade 1.2M oz Au-Ag deposit in northern British Columbia</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>President and CEO of Malaspina Consultants &amp; Manex Resource Group</li> <li>Served as an Assurance Partner at Wolrige Mahon LLP and served as Served as Senior Manager of KPMG LLP</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Currently serves as corporate secretary to several public resource companies in the minerals sector including Bravada Gold Corporation, Pacific Ridge Exploration Ltd., Southern Silver Exploration Corp. and Valterra Resource Corporation.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Managing Director of QDBS Resources Inc. and former CEO, Director and Exec. Chairman of Calibre Mining Corp</li> <li>Former EVP and CFO of Goldcorp Inc as well as varying capacities with Newmont Mining Corp</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>President, Exploration Division, Electrum Group</li> <li>Served as CFO, Echo Bay Mines</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Currently serves as CFO, CCO PenderFund Capital Management Ltd., Served as CFO for two Vancouver Investment Dealers and CFO, COO for an independent Vancouver brokerage firm.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Served as VP Exploration of Quaterra Resources Inc. and Rio Narcea Gold Mines</li> <li>Major Projects and Mines Involvement: El Valle and Aguablanca, Spain</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Served as President Scorpio Mining Corporation and VP Exploration of Tamaka Gold Corporation</li> <li>Major Projects and Mines involvement: San Nicolas, El Limon and Nuestra Senora, Mexico</li> </ul>
Served as director Suffolk Life Pensions Ltd

# **Project Portfolio**

District Scale Exploration & Development



#### Cerro Las Minitas, Durango, Mexico – Flagship

- 100% owned
- Silver-enriched Skarn/CRD deposits
- +US\$28M spent on acquisition and exploration since 2011
- UPDATED ECONOMICS (June-2024)
- Further Upside on both Exploration and Engineering basis

#### **Oro Project, New Mexico**

- 100%-owned
- Large Laramide Cu-Au-Mo porphyry system with an adjacent near surface gold target
- New targeting developed based on recent drill results

#### **Hermanas Project, New Mexico**

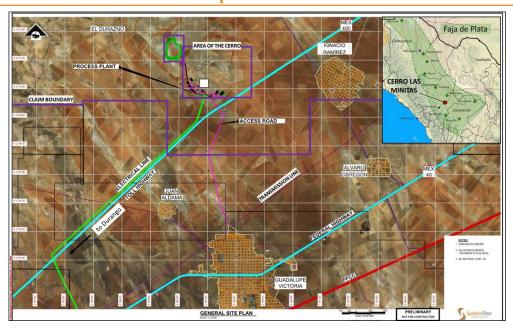
- Option to 100% own
- Large early stage Au-Ag epithermal vein system



#### Infrastructure and Access



# Well Located in an Active Exploration and Development Jurisdiction with Superior Infrastructure



- Safe jurisdiction, around non-narcotic related agriculture
- Located 70km NE of Durango (pop. ~650,000)
- The property is transected by infrastructure including two federal highways, a railway line and transmission lines
- Property is accessed via the town of Guadalupe Victoria (pop: ~35,000) located just 6km to the south

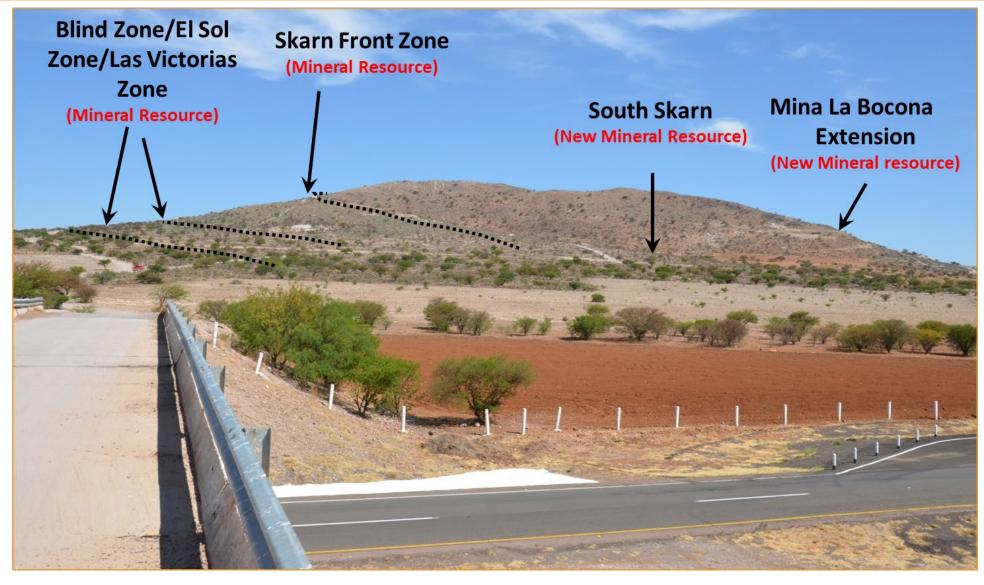
#### **Knowledgeable and Supportive Local Community**



- Exploration permits in place
- Social license initiatives: exploration access agreements in place with the local Ejido;
- Exploration/development team is embedded in the community with a local workforce

Looking North from the Autopista (Highway)

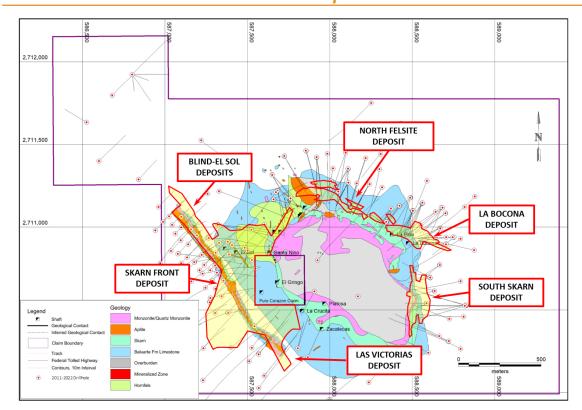




Site Geology and Deposit Distribution

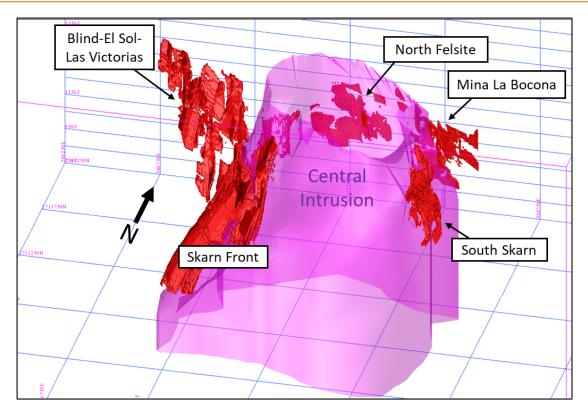


#### A classic Ag-Pb-Zn CRD/Skarn system similar to major polymetallic Mexican deposits



- A Central Monzonite acts as the heat pump to the mineralizing system
- Historic Mines are localized in the skarn/hornfelsed margin of the monzonite

#### Seven deposits make up the current Mineral Resources



- Mineralization is localized in sub-vertical structures and on dyke margins in the Blind and El Sol deposits; and
- Semi-massive and massive sulphide lenses occur at the marble-skarn transition, adjacent to the monzonite contact in the Skarn Front, South Skarn and Mina La Bocona deposits

#### 2024 Resource Estimate



#### **2024 Mineral Resource Estimate** (as of March 20, 2024 using a US\$60/t NSR cut-off);

- Indicated 116Moz AgEq: 43Moz Ag, 49Mlb Cu, 374Mlb Pb and 921Mlb Zn (272g/t AgEq; or US\$132 NSR/t)
- Inferred 186Moz AgEq: 83Moz Ag, 111Mlb Cu, 582Mlb Pb and 1,106Mlb Zn (247g/t AgEq or US\$124 NSR/t)

Indicated Resources	Average Grade					Contained Metal								
Zone	Tonnes (Kt)	Ag (g/t)	Au (g/t)	Pb (%)	Zn (%)	Cu (%)	AgEq (g/t)	NSR (US\$/t)	Ag TrOz (000's)	Au TrOz (000's)	Pb (Mlbs)	Zn (Mlbs)	Cu Lbs (Mlbs)	AgEq TrOz (000's)
Blind Zone	2,614	92	0.04	1.8	2.0	0.10	227	113	7,751	4	106	116	6	19,108
El Sol Zone	1,252	77	0.04	2.1	1.9	0.08	214	106	3,102	2	57	54	2	8,598
Skarn Front Zone	7,626	104	0.06	8.0	4.1	0.19	298	143	25,557	15	128	692	32	73,181
La Bocona/North Felsite Zone	1,807	121	0.19	2.1	1.5	0.23	262	135	7,039	11	82	59	9	15,243
Total	13,299	102	0.07	1.3	3.1	0.17	272	132	43,449	32	374	921	49	116,130

Inferred Resources	ferred Resources					Average Grade					Contain	ed Metal		
Zone	Tonnes (Kt)	Ag (g/t)	Au (g/t)	Pb (%)	Zn (%)	Cu (%)	AgEq (g/t)	NSR (US\$/t)	Ag TrOz (000's)	Au TrOz (000's)	Pb (Mlbs)	Zn (Mlbs)	Cu Lbs (Mlbs)	AgEq TrOz (000's)
Blind Zone	1,697	74	0.20	1.2	1.8	0.08	192	95	4,029	11	46	66	3	10,456
Las Victorias Zone	1,417	124	0.65	1.9	2.2	0.12	307	155	5,629	30	58	69	4	14,001
El Sol Zone	1,168	57	0.03	1.7	2.1	0.06	185	90	2,150	1	43	53	1	6,962
Skarn Front Zone	12,444	110	0.05	0.7	2.6	0.32	254	126	43,834	20	180	711	88	101,620
La Bocona/North Felsite Zone	2,666	120	0.22	1.4	1.6	0.13	243	124	10,327	19	85	95	7	20,864
South Skarn Zone	4,036	134	0.19	1.9	1.3	0.08	250	129	17,393	24	170	112	7	32,481
Total	23,428	111	0.14	1.1	2.1	0.21	247	124	83,362	104	582	1,106	111	186,384

#### Notes:

- 1) The current Resource Estimate was prepared by Garth Kirkham, P.Geo., of Kirkham Geosystems Ltd.
- 2) All mineral resources have been estimated in accordance with Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and Petroleum ("CIM") definitions, as required under National Instrument 43-101 ("NI43-101").
- 3) Mineral resources were constrained using continuous mining units demonstrating reasonable prospects of eventual economic extraction.
- silver Equivalents were calculated from the interpolated block values using relative recoveries and prices between the component metals and silver to determine a final AgEq value. Metal recoveries: 95%. silver, 75% gold, 70% copper, 87% lead and 93.2% zinc.
- 5) Silver Equivalents and NSR\$/t values were calculated using average long-term prices of \$22.5/oz. silver, \$1,850/oz. gold, \$3.78/lb. copper, \$0.94/lb. lead and \$1.25/lb. zinc. All prices are stated in \$USD.
- 6) The formula used for NSR\$/t calculations was as follows \$NSR = (Ag g/t x 0.55) + (Au g/t x 34.45) + (Cu% x 48.68) + (Pb% x 13.41) + (Zn% x 15.59)
- 7) Mineral resources are not mineral reserves until they have demonstrated economic viability. Mineral resource estimates do not account for a resource's mineability, selectivity, mining loss, or dilution.
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- All figures are rounded to reflect the relative accuracy of the estimate and therefore numbers may not appear to add precisely.

Project Economics



#### PEA Highlights - Effective June 4, 2024

#### 17yr Mine Life

#### **Robust Project Economics**

 Base Case<sup>1</sup>: after-tax NPV5% of US\$501M (C\$686M, C\$2.35/share), IRR of 21.2%

#### **Excellent Silver and Zinc Price Leverage**

 Base-case +20%<sup>2</sup>: after-tax NPV5% of US\$876M (C\$ 997M, C\$3.41/share), IRR of 30.1%

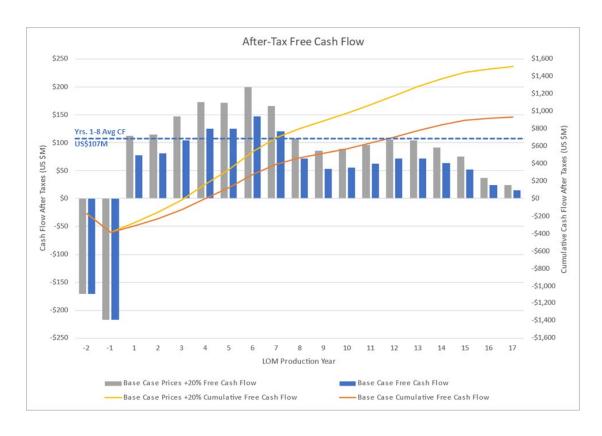
#### **High-Revenue Project**

- Base Case revenues: US\$4.5B
- Balanced precious vs base metal revenues with silver-gold representing 45% of revenues and zinc representing 35% of revenues
- Initial CapEx of \$388M

#### **Well Located Project**

 Mining friendly jurisdiction with excellent infrastructure in southeast Durango

# Higher Margin Mineralization Targeted in the First Eight Years of Production Leading to Improved Economics.



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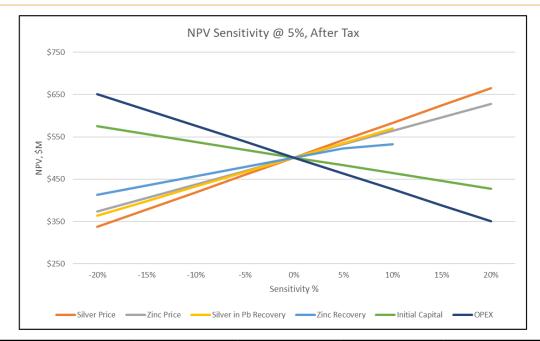
Project Economics – Sensitivities



#### Economics are most sensitive to metal prices

- Base Case NPV5% = \$501M
- The project NPV5% shows greatest sensitivity to silver and zinc metal prices
- "Spot" metal prices in late May underscore increasing value in the project in a potential precious metal bull market

Sensitivity NPV @ 5%, after Tax (US\$M)									
Sensitivity	Silver Price	Zinc Price	Silver in Pb Recovery	Zinc Recovery	Initial Capital	OPEX			
20%	\$164	\$127			-\$74	-\$151			
15%	\$123	\$95			-\$55	-\$113			
10%	\$82	\$63	\$69	\$32	-\$37	-\$75			
5%	\$41	\$32	\$34	\$22	-\$18	-\$38			
0%	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0			
-5%	-\$41	-\$32	-\$34	-\$22	\$18	\$38			
-10%	-\$82	-\$64	-\$68	-\$44	\$37	\$75			
-15%	-\$123	-\$96	-\$103	-\$66	\$55	\$112			
-20%	-\$164	-\$128	-\$137	-\$88	\$74	\$149			



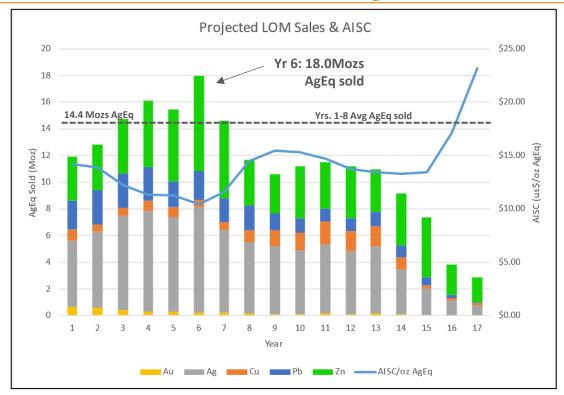
All Metal Price (Ag, Au, Cu, Pb, Zn) Sensitivity									
Metal Price	Revenue	NPV, after tax	NPV, after tax	IRR, after Tax					
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Spot - 29May-24	\$5,493	\$1,583	\$931	31.4%					
+20%	\$5,364	\$1,501	\$876	30.1%					
Base Case	\$4,470	\$923	\$501	21.2%					
-20%	\$3,576	\$339	\$122	9.9%					

- .. Base Case Metal Prices: Ag- \$23.00/oz, Au \$1850/oz, Cu \$4.00/lb, Pb \$1.00/lb and Zn \$1.25/lb
- . Base Case +20% metal prices: Ag- \$27.60/oz, Au \$2220/oz, Cu \$4.80/lb, Pb \$1.20/lb and Zn \$1.50/lb
- 29May-24 "Spot" price assumes: Ag = \$31.53/oz, Au = \$2332/oz, Cu = \$4.69/lb, Pb = \$1.05/lb, Zn = \$1.41/lb

#### **Project Economics**



# Modelled LOM Production: 29.5 Mt @ 104 g/t Ag, 0.11g/t Au, 0.19 % Cu, 1.06 % Pb, and 2.41 % Zn - Average NSR of \$US 131/t



LOM Ag/Au/Cu/Pb/Zn sales are shown on an AgEq basis based on: Ag = \$23.00/oz, Au = \$1850/oz, Cu = \$4.00/lb, Pb = \$1.00/lb and Zn = \$1.25/lb

All-in Sustaining cost (AISC) is calculated as: Operating costs (mining, processing and G&A) + Concentrate Transportation + Treatment & Refining Charges + Penalties + Sustaining Capital + Closure Costs and is reported on co-byproduct basis using AgEq.

#### Robust AgEq Production which Peaks in Year 6

#### **Large-Scale Underground Mining Operation**

- LOM Production: 29.5 Mt @ 104 g/t Ag, 0.11g/t Au, 0.19 % Cu,
   1.06 % Pb, and 2.41 % Zn Average NSR of \$US 131/t
- 17-year mine life
- Annual Sales of 11.4Mozs/yr AgEq (inc. 4.9 Mozs Ag)
- Peak Annual Sales (Yr. 6): 18.0Mozs AgEq (inc. 7.9Mozs Ag)
- LOM Sales of 194.3Mozs AgEq (inc. 83.9Mozs Ag)
- LOM AISC of \$13.23/oz AgEq sold

#### **Further Project Upside**

- **Resource Expansion:** deposits remain open laterally and to depth to be explored
- Mineral Processing: initial testwork suggests that preconcentration may be an effective means to reduce mine operating and capital costs

#### Potential Economic Updates



The PEA has modelled robust annual average cashflow particularly in the first eight years of mine-life. Further work could enhance the profitability of the project

#### **Further Opportunities:**

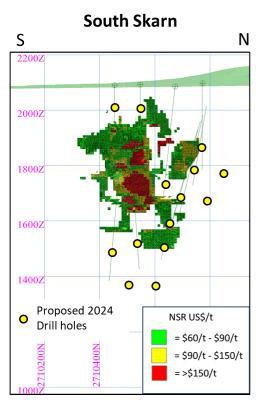
- Mine life extension: Mineralization on the eastern and northern sides of the Cerro remains relatively under-drilled and several gaps occur in the current resource model both at relatively shallow depths and down dip of several of the main higher-grade zones. Identification of further mineralization at relatively shallow depths would potentially add more value in the earliest parts of the mine schedule.
- *Infill Drilling:* Infill drilling, specifically on the portions of the deposit that fall within the Inferred category of classification will increase confidence in the Mineral Resource estimate, will further de-risk the project and potentially increase the value of the project.
- Metallurgical Upside: XRT-based preconcentration testwork showed excellent discrimination between sulphide and oxide material enabling a 3-4x upgrade of run-of-mine rock crushed to 80% passing 75mm with the sub-15 mm fines removed. Pay metal retention in the sulphidic fraction exceeded 98%. This option provides an excellent opportunity for further reductions in project Capex and Opex should the need arise.

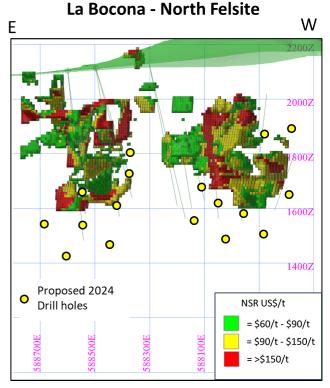
Potential Resource Expansion

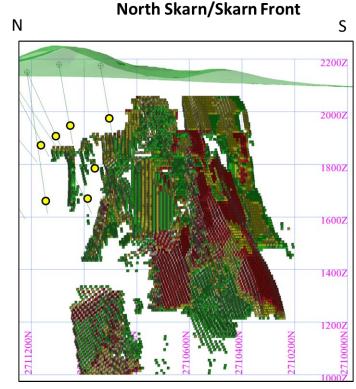


#### New Drill Targeting Highlights a Pathway to Expand Resources on the Eastern Side of the Cerro

- Up to 25,000m of new Drilling is identified which would target Resource Expansion in the Eastern Deposits
- Potential Staged Program:
  - 5000m to test the North Skarn and western North Felsite targets plus some additional shallow targets
  - Up to 20,000m to test deeper targets around the South Skarn and Bocona deposits
- Exploration target of adding 4Mt to 8Mt of mineralization to the Resource Base
- Increase the total resources of the project to +40Mt









Work continues to otherwise de- risk the project in preparation for an eventual development decision

#### ESG - Continuing on the Pathway to Production

- Permitting parameters established
- Environmental/Hydrology baseline studies in progress
- Social engagement ongoing; inc. preparation for Exploitation Agreements
- Government engagement continuing

#### **Preparation for Resource Expansion**

- Technical studies to assist initial drill targeting completed
- Targeting established to grow the Resource to +40Mt

# **Oro and Hermanas Projects**

Assets Overview



#### **US Exploration**

Southern continues to advance two earlier stage projects in southern New Mexico, giving the shareholder additional exposure to copper, gold and silver



- Oro Project
  - Large Laramide Cu-Mo-Au
     Porphyry system
- > Hermanas
  - Widespread Au-Ag epithermal vein system.

# Oro and Hermanas Projects

Assets Overview



#### The Company has Identified Favorable Targets to Provide Investors an Exposure to Copper, Gold and Silver

#### **Oro Property**

- 100% owned by SSV
- +22.4 sq. km property
- +\$8M Expenditures
- New claims added
- Airborne Z-TEM in 2018
- Surface sampling, clay alteration studies, historic compilation and 29 drill holes

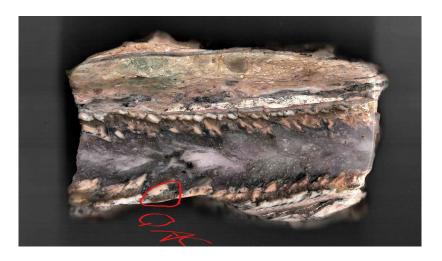
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#### **Geology Favorable for Large Cu-Mo Porphyry Discovery**

- Target is deposit similar to El Chino (P+P reserves of 301Mt of 0.38%Cu) or Tyrone (P+P reserves of 59Mt at 0.32% Cu)<sup>1</sup>
- Zoning over a 4km extent transitioning from Cu-Mo porphyry to Ag-Pb-Zn replacements to distal gold targets
- Evidence suggest the very top of a major porphyry system
- Drilling identified broad areas of mineralization and alteration; new targets identified
- 1. All Reserves on this page are derived from company annual reports and are as of December 31st, 2014

#### **Hermanas Project, Southern New Mexico**

- Newly optioned from Bud and Nick Hillemeyer and Perry Durning
- Optioned by SSV to own 100%
- Geology Favorable for Large Epithermal Vein System
  - Numerous occurrences of anomalous Au, Ag and pathfinder metals
  - High-level textures suggesting good exploration potential at depth
  - Limited historic drilling
- Permitting in progress for drilling in 2024



# Why Southern Silver





#### **Diverse Assets**

Property Package with
Exposure to both
Precious and Base/EV
Metals

#### **PEA Results**

Highlights Robust Asset
Value of the CLM Project

#### **Catalysts**

Updated PEA
Metal Prices
CLM: New Drilling

**Hermanas: Drilling 2024** 

#### **Ongoing**

CLM: Surface Exploration and Targeting

**Oro: New Targeting** 

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# Notes