

MAGNA GOLD CORP.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

FOR THE THREE AND SIX MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2021 AND 2020

(EXPRESSED IN MILLIONS OF US DOLLARS, UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED)

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INTRODUCTION

The following Management's Discussion and Analysis ("MD&A") for Magna Gold Corp. together with its subsidiaries ("Magna" or the "Company") is prepared as of August 26, 2021, and relates to the financial condition and results of operations for the three and six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020. Past performance may not be indicative of future performance. This MD&A should be read in conjunction with the condensed interim consolidated financial statements ("interim financial statements") and related notes for the three and six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, which have been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 - *Interim Financial Reporting* using accounting policies consistent with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IFRS" or "GAAP"). As such, the interim financial statements do not contain all the disclosures required by IFRS for annual financial statements and should be read in conjunction with the Company's audited consolidated financial statements for the nine months ended December 31, 2020, and year ended March 31, 2020 ("consolidated financial statements").

The first, second, third and fourth quarters of the Company's fiscal years are referred to as "Q1", "Q2", "Q3" and "Q4", respectively. The three months ended June 30, 2021, are also referred to as "Q2 2021". As a result of the change in the Company's year-end from March 31 to December 31 during the previous fiscal year, the comparative period for Q2 2021 is the three months ended June 30, 2020. The six months ended June 30, 2021, and 2020, are also referred to as "YTD 2021" and "YTD 2020", respectively.

All amounts are presented in United States dollars, the Company's presentation currency, unless otherwise stated. References to "C\$" and "MXN" are to Canadian dollars and Mexican pesos, respectively.

Statements are subject to the risks and uncertainties identified in the "Risk Factors" and "Cautionary Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements" sections of this document. The Company has included the non-GAAP performance measures of cash cost per gold ounce on a by-product basis and all-in sustaining cost per gold ounce on a by-product basis throughout this document. For further information and detailed calculations of these measures, see the "Non-GAAP Measures" section of this document.

Additional information relating to the Company, including the Annual Information Form filed by the Company, is available on SEDAR at www.sedar.com.

QUARTERLY OPERATIONAL OVERVIEW AND RECENT DEVELOPMENTS

San Francisco Mine Highlights

During the three months ended June 30, 2021, the San Francisco Mine produced 11,713 ounces of gold, an increase of 20% compared to the three months ended March 31, 2021.

During the three months ended June 30, 2021, the San Francisco Mine sold 11,777 ounces of gold, an increase of 40% compared to the three months ended March 31, 2021, at an average realized price of \$1,783.

During June 2021, the San Francisco Mine completed planned pre-stripping activities and began full-scale and steady rate commercial production.

Corporate Activities

Preliminary short form base shelf prospectus

On April 21, 2021, the Company filed a preliminary short form base shelf prospectus (the "Preliminary Prospectus") in connection with the qualification for distribution by the Company, from time to time, of up to an aggregate offering of C\$100.0 million of the following securities: common shares, warrants, subscription receipts, units, convertible securities and debt securities (collectively, the "Securities").

On July 20, 2021, the Company filed an amended and restated preliminary short form base shelf prospectus (the "Amended Preliminary Prospectus"). The Amended Preliminary Prospectus is subject to approval from the securities regulatory authorities.

Argonaut payment and promissory note

Pursuant to a definitive share purchase agreement dated March 5, 2020, as amended April 24, 2020, and as assigned May 5, 2020, between Timmins Goldcorp Mexico S.A. de C.V. ("Timmins"), a Mexican subsidiary of Argonaut Gold Inc. ("Argonaut"), and the Company's Mexican subsidiary Minera Magna S.A. de C.V. ("Minera Magna") for the acquisition of the San Francisco Mine, Minera Magna was required to pay \$5.0 million plus a working capital differential of \$2.7 million by May 6, 2021.

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On May 5, 2021, Minera Magna paid \$5.0 million to Timmins as required by the definitive share purchase agreement.

On May 6, 2021, Minera Magna provided a promissory note to Timmins for the working capital differential of \$2.7 million to be paid in four monthly installments, plus interest, commencing July 6, 2021, and ending October 6, 2021. The promissory note bears uncompounded interest at a rate of 5% per annum.

At the date of this MD&A, the Company had made two of the scheduled payments.

Private placement of convertible debentures

On May 12, 2021, the Company entered into a non-brokered private placement of C\$10.0 million secured convertible debentures (the "Debentures") with Delbrook Capital Advisors Inc. ("Delbrook") on behalf of funds managed by Delbrook. The terms of the private placement were subsequently updated.

The principal amount of the Debentures is convertible, at the election of Delbrook, into common shares of the Company at a conversion price of C\$1.25 per common share, subject to adjustment in certain events. The interest on the Debentures is convertible, at the election of Delbrook, into either cash or common shares of the Company based on the closing price on the day prior to the issuance of a press release relating to the applicable interest payment date and will be paid in full, including in the event of early conversion.

The Debentures mature twenty-four months from the closing date. The Debentures will initially be unsecured obligations of the Company and will bear interest at a rate of 8.5% per annum until the date, on or before September 30, 2021 (or such later date as may be agreed by the Company and Delbrook), that the security contemplated by the Debentures is delivered to Delbrook. Following such delivery, if applicable, the Debentures will bear interest at a rate of 6.5% per annum.

The private placement closed on August 19, 2021, and the Company received C\$10.0 million in exchange for 10,000 debentures. Additionally, the Company paid Delbrook a 1.25% arrangement fee upon closing.

In connection with the private placement, the Company issued 600,000 common shares and 450,000 share purchase warrants to Medalist Capital Ltd. in lieu of cash finder's fees. The share purchase warrants were issued with an exercise price of C\$1.25 and have an expiry date thirty-six months following the closing date.

The securities issued in connection with the private placement are subject to a four month plus one day hold period, in accordance with the rules and policies of the TSX Venture Exchange ("TSXV") and applicable Canadian securities laws. The private placement of the Debentures is subject to the final approval of the TSXV.

Labour Reform in Mexico

On April 21, 2021, Mexican Congress approved a bill prohibiting outsourcing services in Mexico. Following the approval, a labour and tax reform (the "Reform") was later published in the Mexican Official Gazette. The Reform includes various changes to the Federal Labour Law, including the elimination of labour subcontracting arrangements, also known as outsourcing. The effective date of the elimination of outsourcing was initially set on August 1, 2021, but then extended to September 1, 2021.

As at and prior to June 30, 2021, the Company's Mexican personnel were outsourced. During July 2021, to comply with the Reform, the Company proceeded with transferring its Mexican outsourced personnel to direct employees of either Molimentales del Noroeste, S.A. de C.V. ("Molimentales") or Minera Magna. LM Mining Corp, S.A. de C.V. does not have direct employees or outsourced personnel.

The Company is currently estimating the impact of the Reform and does not anticipate significant impacts on its labour costs. As of the date of this MD&A, the employee compensation structure complies with the stated requirements of the Reform.

OVERVIEW OF THE BUSINESS

Magna was incorporated on January 9, 2018, pursuant to the *Business Corporations Act* (Ontario) under the name Magna Gold Corp. The authorized share capital of the Company consists of an unlimited number of common shares, without nominal or par value. Its shares have been listed on the TSX Venture Exchange under the symbol "MGR" since June 10, 2019. In addition, Magna's shares trade on the OTCQB Venture Market, a U.S. trading platform that is operated by OTC Markets Group in New York, under the symbol "MGLQF". The Company's address is 18 King Street East, Suite 902, Toronto, Ontario, M5C 1C4.

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On June 6, 2019, the Company completed its Qualifying Transaction, as defined in TSXV Policy 2.4 - *Capital Pool Companies*, consisting of the property option agreement dated September 25, 2018, pursuant to which the Company acquired an option to acquire a 100% interest in the Mercedes Property in Yécora, Mexico.

Magna is a gold mining company engaged in acquisition, exploration, development and operation of quality precious metals properties in Mexico. Magna's vision is to create a leading precious metals company by leveraging its existing platform of assets and people to maximize value for all its stakeholders.

Magna operates one open-pit heap leach operating mine: the San Francisco Mine in the state of Sonora, Mexico, located approximately 150 kilometers north of Hermosillo and 120 kilometers south of the United States/Mexico border via Highway15 (Pan-American Highway). The San Francisco Mine was in residual leaching when it was acquired on May 6, 2020. The mining and crushing activities restarted late in June 2020. During June 2021, the San Francisco Mine completed planned pre-stripping activities and began full-scale and steady rate commercial production.

In addition, Magna has exploration stage projects in Mexico. The exploration stage projects of the Company at the date of this MD&A consist of: (i) the Mercedes Property; (ii) the San Judas Project; (iii) the La Pima Project; (iv) the Las Marias Property; (v) the Los Muertos Project; (vi) the La Fortuna Project (previously described as the Cuproros Project); and (vii) the Margarita Project.

The Company's current sources of operating cash flows are primarily from the sale of gold and silver contained in doré bars produced at the San Francisco Mine. The doré is refined offsite and the refined gold and silver is sold primarily in the London spot market. As a result, Magna is not dependent on a particular purchaser.

TRENDS AND ECONOMIC CONDITIONS

Management regularly monitors economic conditions and estimates their impact on the Company's operations and incorporates these estimates in both short-term operating and longer-term strategic decisions.

Gold price

During the three months ended June 30, 2021, the spot gold price fluctuated between a low of \$1,726 per ounce and a high of \$1,903 per ounce. The average spot gold price for the quarter was \$1,816 per ounce, an increase of 6% compared to \$1,712 per ounce for the three months ended June 30, 2020, and an increase of 1% compared to the average spot gold price of \$1,794 per ounce during the three months ended March 31, 2021.

During the six months ended June 30, 2021, the spot gold price fluctuated between a low of \$1,684 per ounce and a high of \$1,943 per ounce. The average spot gold price for the six months was \$1,805 per ounce, an increase of 10% compared to \$1,645 per ounce for the six months ended June 30, 2020.

COVID-19

Due to the worldwide COVID-19 pandemic, material uncertainties may arise that could influence management's going concern assumption. Management cannot accurately predict the future impact COVID-19 may have on:

- Global gold prices;
- Demand for gold and the ability to explore for gold;
- The severity and the length of potential measures taken by governments to manage the spread of the virus, and their effect on labour availability and supply lines;
- Availability of government supplies, such as water and electricity;
- Purchasing power of the United States dollars, Canadian dollars and Mexican pesos; and,
- Ability to obtain funding.

During the six months ended June 30, 2021, and during the nine months ended December 31, 2020, there has been no material impact on the operating and exploration activities of the Company. Production at the San Francisco Mine has continued as per the schedule detailed in the pre-feasibility study ("PFS") dated August 28, 2020. As of the date of this MD&A, the Canadian and Mexican authorities have not introduced any further measures that are impacting, or are expected to impact, the Company's operations in Canada or Mexico. The United States authorities have not introduced any further measures that are impacting, or are expected to impact, the Company's deliveries of gold doré bars to its customer in the United States.

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The focus of the Company is to ensure the safety of its workforce and community. The Company instituted numerous social distancing measures, including working from home, eliminating travel of any kind, and restricting access to sites. Further, the Company has increased efforts to clean and sanitize common areas as well as provide training and information to employees to reduce the risk of exposure and transmission of the virus.

Even though the Company has not incurred material impacts to date from the COVID-19 pandemic, the duration and impact of the COVID-19 outbreak is undetermined. As a result, it is not possible to reliably estimate the length and severity of COVID-19 developments and the impact on the financial results and condition of Magna in future periods.

Apart from these factors and the risk factors noted under the heading "*Risk Factors*", management is not aware of any other trends, demands, commitments, events or uncertainties that would have a material effect on the Company's business, financial condition or results of operations.

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OPERATING STATISTICS

San Francisco Mine

The San Francisco Mine is located in the Arizona-Sonora desert in the north of the Mexican state of Sonora. The San Francisco Mine is an open pit operation, with crushing and heap leach processing facilities. The San Francisco Mine consists of two separate mineral deposits, the San Francisco pit and La Chicharra pit.

The following is a summary of San Francisco Mine's production statistics:

	Q2 2021 ⁽¹⁾	Q1 2021 ⁽¹⁾	ctober 1 - December 1, 2020 (1)	July 1 - eptember 0, 2020 (1)	May 7 - une 30, 2020 ⁽¹⁾	YTD 2021	YTD 2020
MINING							
Ore mined (dry kt)	1,231	619	427	334	80	1,850	80
Average ore mined grade (g/t Au)	0.43	0.34	0.30	0.32	0.44	0.40	0.44
Waste mined (kt)	4,880	5,195	2,954	3,091	270	10,075	270
Total mined (kt)	6,111	5,814	3,381	3,425	350	11,925	350
Strip ratio	3.96	8.40	6.92	9.26	3.38	5.45	3.38
Average total mined per day (t/d)	67,153	64,597	36,746	37,228	6,370	65,882	6,370
Cost per tonne mined (2)	\$ 2.52	\$ 2.57	\$ 3.23	\$ 2.05	\$ 1.13	\$ 2.54	\$ 1.13
CRUSHING AND PROCESSING							
Ore processed (kt)	1,347	744	746	871	111	2,091	111
Average ore processed grade (g/t Au)	0.49	0.51	0.39	0.29	0.35	0.50	0.35
Including:							
Ore from underground processed (kt)	126	130	87	11	-	256	-
Average ore from underground grade (g/t Au)	0.97	1.35	1.51	2.62	-	1.16	-
Ore from stockpile processed (kt)	-	-	243	529	26	-	26
Average ore stockpiled grade (g/t Au)	-	_	0.23	0.24	0.23	-	0.23
Ore reprocessed (kt)	297	477	168	-	-	774	-
Average ore reprocessed grade (g/t Au)	0.25	0.23	0.22	-	-	0.24	-
Average ore processed per day (t/d)	14,797	8,265	8,112	9,468	2,016	11,549	2,016
Cost per tonne processed	\$ 6.15	\$ 9.95	\$ 9.55	\$ 7.86	\$ 26.44	\$ 7.50	\$ 26.44
Gold deposited on pad (ozs)	21,094	12,177	9,411	8,112	1,248	33,271	1,248
Cost per tonne - administration	\$ 0.91	\$ 1.40	\$ 1.31	\$ 1.13	\$ 4.60	\$ 1.08	\$ 4.60
Total cost per tonne processed	\$ 18.72	\$ 31.86	\$ 25.86	\$ 17.06	\$ 34.62	\$ 23.40	\$ 34.62
PRODUCTION							
Gold sold (ozs)	11,777	8,430	7,827	7,473	4,935	20,207	4,935
Gold produced (ozs)	11,713	9,785	7,485	6,719	5,091	21,498	5,091
Silver produced (ozs)	7,742	8,093	 4,609	 3,211	 2,456	15,835	2,456
COSTS							
Cash cost per gold ounce (3)	\$ 1,484	\$ 1,826	\$ 1,902	\$ 1,660	\$ 1,357	\$ 1,627	\$ 1,357
Site AISC per gold ounce (3,4)	\$ 2,142	\$ 3,003	\$ 2,542	\$ 2,171	\$ 1,357	\$ 2,501	\$ 1,357
TOTAL DAYS IN PERIOD	91	90	92	92	55	181	55

⁽¹⁾ On November 30, 2020, the Company announced a fiscal year-end change from March 31 to December 31. Due to this change, the previously reported "Q1 2021" and "Q2 2021" periods have been renamed "three months ended June 30, 2020" and "three months ended September 30, 2020", respectively, so that the quarterly periods during calendar 2021 can be named "Q1 2021", "Q2 2021", "Q3 2021" and "Q4 2021".

⁽²⁾ Cost per tonne mined includes the underground mine costs and the low-grade stockpile rehandling costs.

⁽³⁾ Refer to the "Non-GAAP Measures" section of the MD&A.

⁽⁴⁾ Site AISC excludes corporate and administrative expenses and accretion for site reclamation and closure.

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Operations review

Mining and crushing activities were reinitiated in late June 2020. During the six months ended June 30, 2021, and the nine months ended December 31, 2020, most of the mining activity related to the stripping of the San Francisco and La Chicharra pits. The redevelopment of the San Francisco Mine is in line with the PFS dated August 28, 2020. To date, ore tonnes and waste tonnes mined from the pits were 2,691,000 and 16,390,000, respectively, compared to 3,697,000 and 16,220,000, respectively, in the PFS. Total tonnes mined are therefore 4% lower than in the PFS.

During June 2021, the San Francisco Mine completed planned pre-stripping activities and began full-scale and steady rate commercial production.

At the date of this MD&A, there has been no impact on the supply chain, workforce and labour hours due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Mining, crushing and leaching activities were not impacted or disrupted due to the implementation of safety measures at the mine site. To date, gold deliveries to the United States have not been impacted or disrupted.

As a result of the required pre-stripping and low amount of ore extracted, the unit costs, cash cost per gold ounce and Site AISC per gold ounce are not representative of a steady rate of operations. Over the long term, unit operating costs, cash cost per gold ounce and Site AISC per gold ounce are expected to be in line with the costs outlined in the PFS dated August 28, 2020.

Acquisition

On May 6, 2020, the Company completed the acquisition of Molimentales and its wholly owned San Francisco Mine. The acquisition of Molimentales was accounted for as a business combination under IFRS. The purchase price has been allocated to the assets acquired and liabilities assumed based on their fair values as follows (amounts in thousands of US Dollars):

Amounts recognized May 6, 2020	Final purchase price allocation
Purchase price allocation	
Common shares of Magna	\$ 2,758
\$5.0 million in cash or a 1% net smelter return royalty	4,671
Working capital difference	2,499
Value added tax ("VAT") payable to seller	570
Total consideration	\$ 10,498
Purchase price allocation	
Cash	\$ 1,465
Trade and other receivables	2,954
Inventories	16,298
Advances and prepaid expenses	483
Mineral properties and plant and equipment	5,244
Deferred tax assets	2,328
Trade payables and accrued liabilities	(5,077)
Other payables (1)	(6,940)
Other provisions	(1,410)
Provision for site reclamation and closure	(4,847)
Net assets	\$ 10,498

- (1) The "Other payables" liability relates to the settlement with Peal de Mexico, S.A. de C.V. ("Peal") and the amount was determined as follows:
 - The amount of \$7.4 million including VAT, corresponding to unpaid invoices issued in 2018, was adjusted from "Trade payables and accrued liabilities".
 - The "Other payables" liability represents the fair value of the \$7.4 million liability at May 6, 2020. The amount of \$6.9 million including VAT is the sum of the following amounts:
 - o An amount of \$2.9 million plus VAT, corresponding to the common share portion of the settlement; and,
 - An amount of \$3.1 million plus VAT, corresponding to the cash portion of \$3.5 million plus VAT due by December 31, 2021, and discounted at 6.86%.

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REVIEW OF QUARTERLY AND YTD RESULTS

The following table includes quarterly and YTD information for each of the eight most recently completed quarters. They are derived from the Company's interim financial statements, which have been prepared in accordance with IFRS:

	Q2 2021 ⁽¹⁾	Q1 2021 ⁽¹⁾	Dec. 31, 2020 ⁽¹⁾	Sep. 30, 2020 ⁽¹⁾	Jun. 30, 2020 ⁽¹⁾	Mar. 31, 2020	Dec. 31, 2019	Sep. 30, 2019	YTD 2021	YTD 2020
FINANCIAL RESULTS										
Metal revenues (2)	\$ 21,212	\$ 15,319	\$ 14,620	\$ 13,964	\$ 8,463	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 36,531	\$ 8,463
Net earnings (loss)	\$ 2,404	\$ (3,379)	\$ (2,183)	\$ (2,983)	\$ (559)	\$ (869)	\$ (419)	\$ (459)	\$ (975)	\$ (1,428)
Net earnings (loss) and comprehensive income (loss) (2,3)	\$ 2,062	\$ (2,671)	\$ (3,460)	\$ (2,890)	\$ (973)	\$ (403)	\$ (438)	\$ (496)	\$ (609)	\$ (1,376)
Net earnings (loss) per share - basic and diluted (3,4)	\$ 0.03	\$ (0.04)	\$ (0.03)	\$ (0.04)	\$ (0.01)	\$ (0.02)	\$ (0.01)	\$ (0.01)	\$ (0.01)	\$ (0.03)
Cash dividends declared	\$ Nil	\$ Nil	\$ Nil	\$ Nil	\$ Nil	\$ Nil	\$ Nil	\$ Nil	\$ Nil	\$ Nil
Total assets (2,3)	\$ 71,339	\$ 64,170	\$ 54,506	\$ 44,270	\$ 40,014	\$ 3,156	\$ 2,790	\$ 3,204	\$ 71,339	\$ 40,014
Total non-current liabilities (2)	\$ 11,011	\$ 10,474	\$ 9,819	\$ 6,038	\$ 6,316	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 11,011	\$ 6,316
OPERATING RESULTS										
Gold produced (ozs)	11,713	9,785	7,485	6,719	5,091	-	-	-	21,498	5,091
Gold sold (ozs)	11,777	8,430	7,827	7,473	4,935	-	-	-	20,207	4,935
Silver sold (ozs)	8,422	6,961	3,756	4,567	865	-	-	-	15,383	865
Average realized gold price (per oz)	\$ 1,783	\$ 1,796	\$ 1,856	\$ 1,855	\$ 1,712	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,788	\$ 1,712
Average London PM fix gold price (per oz)	\$ 1,816	\$ 1,794	\$ 1,875	\$ 1,909	\$ 1,712	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,805	\$ 1,712
By-product cash cost per ounce sold (5)	\$ 1,484	\$ 1,826	\$ 1,902	\$ 1,660	\$ 1,357	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1,627	\$ 1,357
By-product AISC per ounce sold (5, 6)	\$ 2,242	\$ 3,162	\$ 2,730	\$ 2,596	\$ 1,789	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,626	\$ 1,789

⁽¹⁾ On November 30, 2020, the Company announced a fiscal year-end change from March 31 to December 31. Due to this change, the previously reported "Q1 2021" and "Q2 2021" periods have been renamed "three months ended June 30, 2020" and "three months ended September 30, 2020", respectively, so that the quarterly periods during calendar 2021 can be named "Q1 2021", "Q2 2021", "Q3 2021" and "Q4 2021".

⁽²⁾ Amounts are rounded to the nearest thousands of US Dollars.

⁽³⁾ Effective December 31, 2020, the Company has voluntarily adopted a new accounting policy with respect to exploration and evaluation expenditures to reflect the Company's future outlook on its exploration activities. Refer to the "Change in accounting policy" subsection below for a detailed summary of the impacts on the Company's financial performance, financial position and cash flows.

⁽⁴⁾ Quarterly per share amounts may not reconcile to full year per share amounts due to possible difference in the weighted average number of common shares outstanding.

⁽⁵⁾ Refer to the "Non-GAAP Measures" section of the MD&A.

⁽⁶⁾ Previously reported by-product AISC per ounce sold for the three months ended June 30, 2020, was \$1,768. Change is due to restatement of corporate and administrative expenses for the three months ended June 30, 2020.

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Notes to quarterly results

On May 6, 2020, Magna closed the acquisition of the San Francisco Mine located in Sonora, Mexico. Magna had metal revenues for the first time since incorporation during 2020. Prior to May 6, 2020, Magna's focus was solely on exploration. Over the past quarters and fiscal years up to March 31, 2020, variations in the quarterly and annual net loss were caused by fluctuations in general and administrative expenses. Share-based compensation expense varies from quarter-to-quarter depending on the number of stock options granted in a quarter, their vesting periods, and the inputs, including assumptions used in the Black-Scholes Option Pricing Model, which is used to calculate the fair value of the stock options. From April 1, 2020, variations in the quarterly and annual net loss were mainly affected by the number of gold ounces sold, the average realized gold price per ounce, operating costs and corporate and administrative expenses.

At the date of this MD&A, there have been no significant costs incurred due to any impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on supply chain, workforce and labour hours. The Company did not incur any production stoppage costs as the San Francisco Mine was not placed in care and maintenance at any time. There was no significant movement in the price of consumables and supplies. Additionally, the cost of the implementation of safety measures at the mine site is not material.

Change in accounting policy

Effective December 31, 2020, the Company had voluntarily adopted a new accounting policy with respect to exploration and evaluation expenditures to reflect the Company's future outlook on its exploration activities. The Company has capitalized exploration and evaluation activities incurred in connection with the exploration and evaluation of mineral resources before technical feasibility and commercial viability of extracting a mineral resource is demonstrable.

The Company has applied the change retrospectively in the consolidated financial statements and MD&A as if the exploration and evaluation activities have always been capitalized. The amount of exploration and evaluation expenditures capitalized retrospectively for the year ended March 31, 2020, was \$2.2 million. \$1.6 million related to the Mercedes Project, \$0.4 million to the Las Marias Property and \$0.2 million to the San Judas Project. Refer to the "Review of quarterly results" section of the MD&A for the nine months ended December 31, 2020, and year ended March 31, 2020, for a summary of the impact on the consolidated financial statements.

The Company continues to expense mining concession payments as these payments are a regulatory requirement with no future economic benefit to the Company. Mining concession payments are expensed in the period they are incurred and are presented in the consolidated statement of earnings (loss) as exploration expense.

Review of consolidated financial information for the three months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020

The Company had net earnings of \$2.4 million and net earnings and comprehensive income of \$2.1 million during the three months ended June 30, 2021, with basic and diluted earnings per share of \$0.03. This compares with a net loss of \$0.6 million and net comprehensive loss of \$1.0 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020, with basic and diluted loss per share of \$0.01. The increase in net earnings of \$3.0 million was principally due to the following factors:

Metal revenues

During the three months ended June 30, 2021, revenues were \$21.2 million compared to \$8.5 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020. During the three months ended June 30, 2021, the Company sold 11,777 gold ounces at an average realized gold price of \$1,783 per ounce compared to 4,935 gold ounces at an average realized gold price of \$1,712 per ounce during the three months ended June 30, 2020. Revenue was generated from the San Francisco Mine, which was acquired on May 6, 2020, and therefore revenues were generated starting at that time.

Cost of sales

Production costs, which comprise the full cost of operations excluding depreciation and depletion, form a component of cost of sales and were \$17.7 million compared to \$6.7 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020.

A total of 6.1 million tonnes were mined at the San Francisco Mine during the three months ended June 30, 2021, compared to 0.4 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020. Total mining cost was \$15.6 million, of which deferred stripping and underground development costs of \$4.6 million and \$1.1 million, respectively, were capitalized, resulting in costs of mining of \$9.9 million during the three months ended June 30, 2021. This compares with \$0.4 million, of which deferred stripping and underground development costs of \$nil and \$nil, respectively, were capitalized, resulting in costs of mining of \$0.4 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020.

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Crushing and gold recovery costs were \$8.3 million during the three months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$2.9 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020. A total of 1.3 million tonnes were processed at the San Francisco Mine during the three months ended June 30, 2021, compared to 0.1 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020.

Mine site administrative costs were \$1.2 million during the three months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$0.5 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020. The increase is due to a change in the cost structure as the San Francisco Mine restarted full-scale operations during the three months ended June 30, 2021, whereas it was in residual leaching during the three months ended June 30, 2020.

Royalty, transport, and refining costs were \$0.2 million during the three months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$0.1 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020, as a result of increased sales.

Change in inventories decreased cost of sales by \$1.9 million during the three months ended June 30, 2021, compared to an increase of \$2.8 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020. During the three months ended June 30, 2021, the San Francisco Mine returned to full-scale production and it resulted in an increased number of ounces extracted from the pit. Therefore, there were more recoverable gold ounces deposited onto the pad than ounces recovered from the pad. It resulted in a net increase of the inventory value. During the three months ended June 30, 2020, the San Francisco Mine was mostly in residual leaching and there were less recoverable gold ounces deposited onto the pad than ounces recovered from the pad. It resulted in a net decrease of the inventory value.

Depletion and depreciation costs form a component of cost of sales and were \$2.4 million during the three months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$0.2 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020. The increase is due to a larger amount of depreciable assets in operation combined with a higher units of production ("UOP") depreciation rate during the three months ended June 30, 2021. This was partially offset by a higher amount of depreciation and depletion costs valued in inventory.

Corporate and administrative expenses

Corporate and administrative expenses were \$1.1 million during the three months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$0.6 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020. The increase is the result of the addition of Molimentales in May 2020 and general growth in activities of the Company. The significant components of these expenses include salaries, consulting and professional fees, and administrative and other. Salaries were \$0.6 million during the three months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$0.2 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020. Consulting and professional fees were \$0.6 million during the three months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$0.3 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020. Administrative and other expenses were \$0.1 million during the three months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020.

Additionally, the Company expenses the VAT paid by Minera Magna as there is uncertainty on whether it will be refunded by the Mexican tax authority. During the three months ended June 30, 2021, due to payment of intercompany charges, the Company applied a VAT payable by Minera Magna to the Mexican tax authority against the period's VAT expense, resulting in a net VAT recovery of \$0.3 million. During the three months ended June 30, 2020, VAT expense was \$0.1 million.

Share-based compensation

Share-based compensation was \$nil during the three months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$1.5 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020. There were nil options granted during the three months ended June 30, 2021, whereas the Company granted options to certain directors, officers, employees, and consultants to purchase 2,250,000 common shares during the three months ended June 30, 2020.

Exploration expenses

Exploration expenses were \$0.01 million for the three months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$nil during the three months ended June 30, 2020. Exploration expenses relate to the bi-annual concession payments made in order to keep the mineral concessions in good standing. Refer to the "Exploration Properties" section of this document for further details on the exploration activities.

Other income, net

During the three months ended June 30, 2021, the Company had other income of \$3.4 million compared to \$0.1 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020. During the three months ended June 30, 2021, the Company received a tax refund of \$3.5 million and interest of \$0.5 million from the Mexican tax authority related to Molimentales' activities during the 2017 calendar year. Upon the acquisition of Molimentales on May 6, 2020, the receivable was deemed uncollectible. Therefore, the refund and interest received resulted in a net gain of \$3.3 million, inclusive of related fees to retrieve the funds. Refer to the "Contingencies" section of this document for further details.

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Finance expenses

Finance expenses were \$0.5 million during the three months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$0.2 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020. The increase is due to accretion on the Sandstorm and Auramet deferred revenue items, which were \$0.1 million each during the three months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$nil each during the three months ended June 30, 2020. Additionally, the accretion on other payables was \$0.1 million during the three months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020. Finally, accretion on the provisions for site reclamation and the demobilization of the mining contractor totaled \$0.1 million during the three months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020.

Income taxes

Current tax

There was nil current tax expense during the three months ended June 30, 2021, compared to a recovery of \$0.5 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020. During the three months ended June 30, 2020, recovery was a result of increases in costs to restart operations at the San Francisco Mine after its acquisition on May 6, 2020.

Deferred tax

Deferred tax expense was \$0.2 million during the three months ending June 30, 2021, compared to \$nil during the three months ended June 30, 2020.

During the three months ended June 30, 2021, the deferred tax asset increased by \$0.4 million to \$3.0 million due to an increase of loss carryforwards and an increase of the tax value of inventory, decreasing the temporary difference with its accounting basis. These increases were offset by the reduction of the temporary difference related to the Auramet deferred revenue.

During the three months ended June 30, 2021, the deferred tax liability related to the 7.5% special mining duty tax increased by \$0.6 million to \$2.0 million.

Review of consolidated financial information for the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020

The Company had net loss of \$1.0 million and net comprehensive loss of \$0.6 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021, with basic and diluted loss per share of \$0.01. This compares with a net loss of \$1.4 million and net comprehensive loss of \$1.4 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020, with basic and diluted loss per share of \$0.03. The decrease in net loss of \$0.4 million was principally due to the following factors:

Metal revenues

During the six months ended June 30, 2021, revenues were \$36.5 million compared to \$8.5 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020. During the six months ended June 30, 2021, the Company sold 20,207 gold ounces at an average realized gold price of \$1,788 per ounce compared to 4,935 gold ounces at an average realized gold price of \$1,712 per ounce during the six months ended June 30, 2020. Revenue was generated from the San Francisco Mine, which was acquired on May 6, 2020, and therefore revenues were generated starting at that time.

Cost of sales

Production costs, which comprise the full cost of operations excluding depreciation and depletion, form a component of cost of sales and were \$33.3 million compared to \$6.7 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020.

A total of 11.9 million tonnes were mined at the San Francisco Mine during the six months ended June 30, 2021, compared to 0.4 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020. Total mining cost was \$30.9 million, of which deferred stripping and underground development costs of \$10.6 million and \$2.3 million, respectively, were capitalized, resulting in costs of mining of \$18.0 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021. This compares with \$0.4 million, of which deferred stripping and underground development costs of \$nil and \$nil, respectively, were capitalized, resulting in costs of mining of \$0.4 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020.

Crushing and gold recovery costs were \$15.7 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$2.9 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020. A total of 2.1 million tonnes were processed at the San Francisco Mine during the six months ended June 30, 2021, compared to 0.1 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020.

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Mine site administrative costs were \$2.3 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$0.5 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020. The increase is due to a change in the cost structure as the San Francisco Mine restarted full-scale operations during the three months ended June 30, 2021, whereas it was in residual leaching during the three months ended June 30, 2020.

Royalty, transport, and refining costs were \$0.3 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$0.1 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020, as a result of increased sales.

Change in inventories decreased cost of sales by \$3.0 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021, compared to an increase of \$2.8 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020. During the six months ended June 30, 2021, the San Francisco Mine returned to full-scale production and it resulted in an increased number of ounces extracted from the pit. Therefore, there were more recoverable gold ounces deposited onto the pad than ounces recovered from the pad. It resulted in a net increase of the inventory value. During the six months ended June 30, 2020, the San Francisco Mine was mostly in residual leaching and there were less recoverable gold ounces deposited onto the pad than ounces recovered from the pad. It resulted in a net decrease of the inventory value.

Depletion and depreciation costs form a component of cost of sales and were \$3.7 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$0.2 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020. The increase is due to a larger amount of depreciable assets in operation combined with a higher UOP depreciation rate during the six months ended June 30, 2021. This was partially offset by a higher amount of depreciation and depletion costs valued in inventory.

Corporate and administrative expenses

Corporate and administrative expenses were \$2.4 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$1.0 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020, as a result of the addition of Molimentales in May 2020 and general growth in activities of the Company. The significant components of these expenses include salaries, consulting and professional fees, and administrative and other. Salaries were \$1.0 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$0.3 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020. Consulting and professional fees were \$1.1 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021, compared \$0.4 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021 compared to \$0.1 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020.

Additionally, the Company expenses the VAT paid by Minera Magna as there is uncertainty on whether it will be refunded by the Mexican tax authority. During the six months ended June 30, 2021, due to payment of intercompany charges, the Company applied a VAT payable by Minera Magna to the Mexican tax authority against the period's VAT expense, resulting in a net VAT recovery of \$0.2 million. During the six months ended June 30, 2020, VAT expense was \$0.1 million.

Share-based compensation

Share-based compensation was \$nil during the six months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$1.5 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020. There were nil options granted during the six months ended June 30, 2021, whereas the Company granted options to certain directors, officers, employees, and consultants to purchase 2,250,000 common shares during the six months ended June 30, 2020.

Exploration expenses

Exploration expenses were \$0.5 million for the six months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$nil during the six months ended June 30, 2020. Exploration expenses relate to the bi-annual concession payments made in order to keep the mineral concessions in good standing. Refer to the "Exploration Properties" section of this document for further details on the exploration activities.

Other income, net

During the six months ended June 30, 2021, the Company had other income of \$3.4 million compared to \$0.1 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020. During the six months ended June 30, 2021, the Company received a tax refund of \$3.5 million and interest of \$0.5 million from the Mexican tax authority related to Molimentales' activities during the 2017 calendar year. Upon the acquisition of Molimentales on May 6, 2020, the receivable was deemed uncollectible. Therefore, the refund and interest received resulted in a net gain of \$3.3 million, inclusive of related fees to retrieve the funds. Refer to the "Contingencies" section of this document for further details.

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Finance expenses

Finance expenses were \$0.9 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$0.2 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020. The increase is due to accretion on the Sandstorm and Auramet deferred revenue items, which were \$0.3 million and \$0.1 million, respectively, during the six months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$nil and \$nil, respectively, during the six months ended June 30, 2020. Additionally, the accretion on other payables was \$0.3 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$0.1 million during the six months June 30, 2020. Finally, accretion on the provisions for site reclamation and the demobilization of the mining contractor totaled \$0.2 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$0.1 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020.

Income taxes

Current tax

There was nil current tax expense during the six months ending June 30, 2021, compared to a recovery of \$0.5 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020. During the six months ended June 30, 2020, recovery was a result of increases in costs to restart operations at the San Francisco Mine after its acquisition on May 6, 2020.

Deferred tax

Deferred tax recovery was \$0.8 million during the six months ending June 30, 2021, compared to \$nil during the six months ended June 30, 2020.

During the six months ended June 30, 2021, the deferred tax asset increased by \$2.2 million to \$3.0 million due to an increase of loss carryforwards and recognition of a temporary difference related to the Auramet deferred revenue. These increases were offset by a reduction of the tax value of inventory, increasing the temporary difference with its accounting basis.

During the six months ended June 30, 2021, the deferred tax liability related to the 7.5% special mining duty tax increased by \$1.4 million to \$2.0 million.

Review of derivative contracts for the three and six months ended June 30, 2020

The Company had no outstanding gold option contracts at December 31, 2020.

During the six months ended June 30, 2021, the Company entered into gold option contracts whereby the Company sold the right to a third party to purchase a number of the Company's gold ounces at a set price. The carrying value of the derivatives are based on the valuation of the outstanding gold option contracts using Level 2 inputs and valuation techniques.

Of these gold options contracts entered into during the three months ended June 30, 2021, contracts covering 1,700 gold ounces expired unexercised and contracts covering 3,100 gold ounces exercised. During the three months ended June 30, 2021, realized loss on these contracts was \$0.1 million compared to \$nil during the three months ended June 30, 2020.

Of these gold options contracts entered into during the six months ended June 30, 2021, contracts covering 5,900 gold ounces expired unexercised and contracts covering 3,400 gold ounces exercised. During the six months ended June 30, 2021, realized loss on these contracts was \$0.1 million compared to \$nil during the six months ended June 30, 2020.

Contracts covering 600 gold ounces were outstanding at June 30, 2021. During the three and six months ended June 30, 2021, unrealized loss on the fair value of the outstanding contracts was \$0.1 million and a derivative liability was recognized of \$0.1 million. During the three and six months ended June 30, 2020, unrealized loss on the fair value of the outstanding contracts was \$0.2 million and a derivative liability was recognized of \$0.2 million.

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Subsequent to June 30, 2021, the Company entered into the following contracts with one counterparty, being Auramet International LLC ("Auramet"):

Contract expiry	Ounces	Weighted average exercise price (\$)
July 28, 2021	1,100	1,830
August 27, 2021	1,700	1,869
August 31, 2021	300	1,825
September 28, 2021	1,700	1,919
Total ounces	4,800	
Weighted average price per ounce		1,875

At the date of this MD&A, contracts covering nil gold ounces were exercised, contracts covering 1,100 gold ounces expired unexercised and contracts covering 3,700 gold ounces were outstanding.

During the six months ended June 30, 2021, and in conjunction with an agreement with Auramet, the Company entered into the following contracts:

Contract type	Buy/sell	Contract expiry date range	Ounces	Average exercise price	Exercised	Expired unexercised	Outstanding
Call (1)	Sell	August 31, 2021 to May 31, 2022	3,000	\$ 2,000	-	-	3,000
Call (2)	Sell	May 28, 2021 to January 31, 2022	13,000	\$ 2,011	-	1,000	12,000
Put (3)	Buy	May 28, 2021 to January 31, 2022	13,000	\$ 1,700	-	1,000	12,000
Call (4)	Buy	May 26, 2021 to September 28, 2021	5,000	\$ 1,900	-	2,000	3,000
Forward (5)	Sell	May 26, 2021 to September 28, 2021	5,000	\$ 1,700	2,000	-	3,000

- (1) During the three and six months ended June 30, 2021, unrealized loss on the fair value of the outstanding contracts was \$0.1 million compared to \$nil during the three and six months ended June 30, 2020. A \$0.1 million derivative liability was recognized at June 30, 2021.
- (2) During the three and six months ended June 30, 2021, unrealized loss on the fair value of the outstanding contracts was \$0.2 million compared to \$nil during the three and six months ended June 30, 2020. A \$0.2 million derivative liability was recognized at June 30, 2021.
- (3) During the three and six months ended June 30, 2021, unrealized gain on the fair value of the outstanding contracts was \$0.3 million compared to \$nil during the three and six months ended June 30, 2020. A \$0.3 million derivative asset was recognized at June 30, 2021.
- (4) During the three and six months ended June 30, 2021, unrealized gain on the fair value of the outstanding contracts was \$0.1 million compared to \$nil during the three and six months ended June 30, 2020. A \$0.1 million derivative asset was recognized at June 30, 2021.
- (5) During the three and six months ended June 30, 2021, forward contracts covering 2,000 ounces were exercised and resulted in a realized loss of \$0.3 million compared to \$nil during the three and six months ended June 30, 2020. During the three and six months ended June 30, 2021, unrealized loss on the fair value of the outstanding contracts was \$0.2 million compared to \$nil during the three and six months ended June 30, 2020. A \$0.2 million derivative liability was recognized at June 30, 2021.

All derivative assets and liabilities are presented on a net basis on the condensed interim consolidated statements of financial position. At June 30, 2021, derivative liabilities, net of derivative assets, was \$0.2 million, compared to \$0.2 million at June 30, 2020.

Review of financial position at June 30, 2021

Total assets at June 30, 2021, were \$71.3 million compared to \$54.5 million at December 31, 2020. The increase in total assets of \$16.8 million was primarily due to additions of plant and equipment of \$5.6 million and mineral properties additions of \$13.0 million which include capitalized deferred stripping and underground development costs of \$10.6 million and \$2.3 million, respectively.

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Additionally, the value of inventories increased by \$4.4 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021, as a result of more recoverable ounces being deposited onto the leach pads than ounces recovered from the pads. Finally, the deferred tax asset increased by \$2.2 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021. These increases were offset by a decrease in cash of \$4.9 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021. Please refer to the "Cash Flow" section of this document for further details on the uses of cash.

Total liabilities at June 30, 2021, were \$57.1 million compared to \$39.6 million at December 31, 2020. The increase in total liabilities of \$17.5 million was primarily due to trade payables and accrued liabilities, which increased by \$17.6 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021. Additionally, the Auramet deferred revenue item was recognized during the six months ended June 30, 2021, and increased liabilities by \$3.1 million. Furthermore, the deferred tax liability increased by \$1.4 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021. These increases were offset by a decrease in other payables of \$4.7 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021, as a result of the \$5.0 million payment made to Timmins in relation to the Molimentales acquisition.

Total equity at June 30, 2021, was \$14.3 million compared to \$14.9 million at December 31, 2020. The decrease of \$0.6 million was due to net comprehensive loss for the six months ended June 30, 2021.

EXPLORATION PROPERTIES

The Company has not yet determined whether the Company's exploration properties (Mercedes, San Judas, Las Marias, La Pima, Los Muertos, La Fortuna (previously described as Cuproros), and Margarita) contain an economic mineral reserve. Any activities on these projects will constitute exploratory searches for minerals. Planned expenditures may be adjusted depending on new acquisitions, prioritization of activities, capital allocation and other factors. Refer to the "Risk Factors" section of this MD&A.

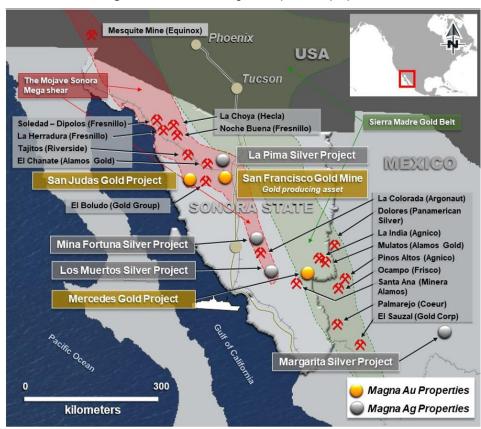


Figure 1: Location of Magna's exploration properties

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The Company reviewed and revised its planned expenditures for the fiscal year 2021 to focus its available capital resources towards the San Francisco Mine and Margarita Project.

Exploration expenditures by property (in thousands of US Dollars)	fo	ctual expenditu or the six montl ded June 30, 20	ns	Revised planned expenditures for 2021	Original planned expenditures for 2021
San Francisco Mine	\$	408	\$	3,818	\$ 4,895
Mercedes Property		256		499	802
Margarita Project		27		2,129	2,241
San Judas Project		70		259	1,316
La Pima Project		43		86	455
Los Muertos Project		20		146	560
La Fortuna Project (1)		14		53	238
Las Marías Property		7		14	11
Total	\$	845	\$	7,004	\$ 10,518

⁽¹⁾ Previously described as the Cuproros Project.

The San Francisco Mine

Planned activities

The Company will continue the infill and exploration drilling programs started during the previous fiscal year. Additionally, the Company intends to drill the Veta Tierra target. It is located 4 kilometers north of the San Francisco Mine and the objective of the drill program is to potentially define a satellite open pit target for heap leaching.

The following table summarizes the Company's planned activities and actual and planned expenditures for the current fiscal year at the San Francisco Mine (amounts in thousands of US Dollars):

Plans for the project during 2021	Actual expenditures for the six months ended June 30, 2021	Revised planned expenditures for 2021	Original planned expenditures for 2021
8,400 meters of delineation and infill drilling on the northern and eastern projections of the San Francisco ore body			
7,000 meters of exploration drilling 1 kilometer to the east of the San Francisco pit	\$408 ⁽¹⁾	\$3,818	\$4,895
• 2,700 meters of reverse circulation ("RC") drilling on the Veta Tierra target			
Other costs (concession payments, other geological and administrative costs)			

⁽¹⁾ The amount of \$408 was allocated as follows during the six months ended June 30, 2021:

- \$32 capitalized in mineral properties; and,
- \$376 in exploration expenses.

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Mercedes Property

Overview

The Mercedes project is an exploration property within the Sierra Madre Occidental province. It is a historically productive, regionally extensive tertiary volcanic field that stretches from the United States/Mexico border to Central Mexico. Previous work at the La Lamosa area, one of the mineralized targets within the mining concessions, display disseminated gold mineralization hosted within an andesitic and rhyodacitic volcanic complex intruded by a quartz-feldspar porphyry. Gold and silver are target commodities sought at Mercedes and the property exhibits textures and alteration consistent with high sulphidation epithermal mineralization, typical of important discoveries in the region.

Planned activities

The following table summarizes the Company's planned activities and actual and planned expenditures for the current fiscal year at the Mercedes Property (amounts in thousands of US Dollars):

Plans for the project during 2021	Actual expenditures for the six months ended June 30, 2021	Revised planned expenditures for 2021	Original planned expenditures for 2021
 IP-R to test the quartz/tourmaline breccias at depth, including five targets located in a geological environment of epithermal high sulphidation copper porphyry targets (2) 			
 Compile and review the data to generate a RC drill program on the quartz/tourmaline breccias 	\$256 ⁽¹⁾	\$499	\$802
 Hydrological study and completion of the IP-R two lines 			
 Other costs (option/concession/land payments, other geological and administrative costs) 			

- (1) The amount of \$256 was allocated as follows during the six months ended June 30, 2021:
 - \$253 capitalized in exploration and evaluation assets; and,
 - \$3 in exploration expenses.
- (2) The Las Marias concessions cover the eastern portion of the Mercedes property where lies the quartz/tourmaline breccias system.

With respect to any prior disclosure by the Company regarding the potential production and sale of gold from the Mercedes Property, the decision of the Company to potentially produce at the Mercedes Property is not based on a technical report supporting mineral reserves or a feasibility study of mineral reserves, demonstrating economic and technical viability, and, as a result, there may be an increased uncertainty of achieving any particular level of recovery of minerals or the cost of such recovery, which include increased risks associated with developing a commercially mineable deposit. Historically, such projects have a much higher risk of economic or technical failure. There is no guarantee that anticipated production costs will be achieved. Failure to achieve the anticipated production costs would have a material adverse impact on the Company's cash flow and future profitability. Readers are cautioned that there is increased uncertainty and higher risk of economic and technical failure associated with such production decisions. It is further cautioned that mineral resources are not mineral reserves and do not have demonstrated economic viability.

Margarita Project

Overview

The Margarita silver project is an exploration property comprised of two mining concessions, covering 125.625 hectares, located within the prolific Sierra Madre Gold Belt, which hosts numerous multimillion-ounce gold-silver deposits, 88 kilometers south of the state capital of Chihuahua in the Municipality of Satevo, State of Chihuahua, Mexico. The property lies 15 kilometers northwest on strike with Gatos Silver Inc's Cerro Los Gatos Mine.

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Planned activities

The Company intends to carry out a mineral resource and preliminary economic assessment ("PEA") upon completion of the drill program. The PEA is expected to be completed by the end of Q1 2022.

The following table summarizes the Company's planned activities and actual and planned expenditures for the current fiscal year at the Margarita Project (amounts in thousands of US Dollars):

Plans for the project during 2021	Actual expenditures for the six months ended June 30, 2021	Revised planned expenditures for 2021	Original planned expenditures for 2021
Review historical drilling data			
Re-log drill core, re-sample and sample vein and vein extensions			
 Topographic survey of the drill holes and topographic map to support the construction of new cross and long sections to support the following drill program 	\$27 ⁽¹⁾	\$2,129	\$2,241
Drill program of 9,000 meters of core and RC drilling to test continuity of mineral interceptions and explore at depth			
Other costs (concession/land payments, other geological and administrative costs)			

⁽¹⁾ The amount of \$27 was allocated as follows during the six months ended June 30, 2021:

- \$26 capitalized in exploration and evaluation assets; and,
- \$1 in exploration expenses.

San Judas Project

Overview

San Judas is an early-stage exploration project hosting structurally controlled mineralization within lithologies similar in age to the La Herradura and San Francisco gold mines. The project is underlain by a basement composed of a Precambrian aged igneous-metamorphic sequence including granite, gneiss, pegmatites and schists. Augen gneiss is locally present and is likely derived from pegmatitic granitic protolith. The entire sequence is affected by multiple deformations and the emplacement of intrusions such as leucocratic granites and andesitic dikes.

Structural and lithological interpretation of available data suggest the mineralized structures, characterized by gold-bearing quartz veins and mineralized quartz-sericite altered hanging-wall rocks extend under the surface.

Planned activities

The Company is currently carrying out a comprehensive surface exploration program including geological and structural mapping, trenching and reconnaissance sampling in conjunction with a surface geophysical program to define targets in anticipation of a drilling campaign.

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The following table summarizes the Company's planned activities and actual and planned expenditures for the current fiscal year at the San Judas Project (amounts in thousands of US Dollars):

Plans for the project during 2021	Actual expenditures for the six months ended June 30, 2021	Revised planned expenditures for 2021	Original planned expenditures for 2021
 Detailed mapping on surface to collect structural measurements to validate the selection of drill targets 			
 Interpretation of the structural field mapping to define the best sites for drilling on the four targets and extend the exploration to the rest of the property where gold anomalies occur 	\$70 (1)	\$259	\$1,316
 Other costs (option/concession/land payments, other geological and administrative costs) 			

⁽¹⁾ The amount of \$70 was allocated as follows during the six months ended June 30, 2021:

- \$45 capitalized in exploration and evaluation assets; and,
- \$25 in exploration expenses.

La Pima Project

Overview

The La Pima Project is located approximately 25 kilometers north of the San Francisco Mine. The mineralization within the La Pima Project is related to structurally controlled hydrothermal Ba-Ca-Ag-Pb-Zn breccias with over a 2.5 kilometers strike length that are hosted in fossiliferous limestones of Cretaceous age. Artisanal mines and diggings have been developed within the limestone beds.

Planned activities

The following table summarizes the Company's planned activities and actual and planned expenditures for the current fiscal year at the La Pima Project (amounts in thousands of US Dollars):

Plans for the project during 2021	Actual expenditures for the six months ended June 30, 2021	Revised planned expenditures for 2021	Original planned expenditures for 2021
 Review interpretation of the historical drilling results and decide future exploration works, follow step and infill drilling 	\$43 ⁽¹⁾	\$86	\$455
 Other costs (concession/land payments, other geological and administrative costs) 			

⁽¹⁾ The amount of \$43 was allocated in exploration expenses during the six months ended June 30, 2021.

Los Muertos Project

Overview

The Los Muertos Project is located in central Sonora, 75 kilometers southeast of the city of Hermosillo, within the La Colorada municipality, and approximately 30 kilometers southeast of the La Colorada gold mine, owned by Argonaut Gold Inc.

Planned activities

Upon acquisition, the Company has undertaken the task of compiling and interpretating the database of the exploration works performed during 2007 and 2008 and has performed field reconnaisance to confirm the presence of silver and gold mineralization on the property.

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The following table summarizes the Company's planned activities and actual and planned expenditures for the current fiscal year at the Los Muertos Project (amounts in thousands of US Dollars):

Plans for the project during 2021	Actual expenditures for the six months ended June 30, 2021	Revised planned expenditures for 2021	Original planned expenditures for 2021
 Soil and rock chip sampling to confirm the results of previous sampling campaigns Geology mapping 			
 Review and validation of the IP-R survey and, if positive, extend the lines to the north and east targets 	\$20 ⁽¹⁾	\$146	\$560
 Other costs (option/concession/land payments, other geological and administrative costs) 			

⁽¹⁾ The amount of \$20 was allocated as follows during the six months ended June 30, 2021:

- \$4 capitalized in exploration and evaluation assets; and,
- \$16 in exploration expenses.

La Fortuna Project

Overview

The La Fortuna Project, previously described as the Cuproros Project, consists of three contiguous claims covering an aggregate area of approximately 196 hectares located approximately 150 kilometers east from the Sonora state capital, Hermosillo.

Planned activities

The Company will be prospecting the concession, looking for additional mineral occurrences similar to those known to date and extend the mineral potential for exploration.

The following table summarizes the Company's planned activities and actual and planned expenditures for the current fiscal year at the La Fortuna Project (amounts in thousands of US Dollars):

Plans for the project during 2021	Actual expenditures for the six months ended June 30, 2021	Revised planned expenditures for 2021	Original planned expenditures for 2021
Survey of the mining concessionsChip rock sampling			
Consider an IP-R survey to identify sulfide rich mineral shoots below surface	\$14 ⁽¹⁾	\$53	\$238
Other costs (option/land payments, other geological and administrative costs)			

⁽¹⁾ The amount of \$14 was allocated as follows during the six months ended June 30, 2021:

- \$12 capitalized in exploration and evaluation assets; and,
- \$2 in exploration expenses.

Las Marías Property

Overview

The Las Marias Property consists of seven mining concessions covering 646 hectares adjacent to the Mercedes Property. It also includes the Las Cabanas mineral claims, which consist of two claims covering 248 hectares located approximately 10 kilometers south-west of the Mercedes Property.

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Planned Activities

The following table summarizes the Company's planned activities and actual and planned expenditures for the current fiscal year at the Las Marias Property (amounts in thousands of US Dollars):

Plans for the project during 2021	Actual expenditures for the six months ended June 30, 2021	Revised planned expenditures for 2021	Original planned expenditures for 2021
 The Las Marias concessions cover the eastern portion of the Mercedes property where lies the quartz/tourmaline breccias system with exploration works included in the Mercedes property (IP-R; drilling and review and interpretation of results) 	\$7 ⁽¹⁾	\$14	\$11
 Other costs (concession/land payments, other geological and administrative costs) 			

⁽¹⁾ The amount of \$7 was allocated in exploration expenses during the six months ended June 30, 2021.

Quality assurance and quality control ("QA/QC")

The exploration works and their results discussed in this MD&A comply with the QA/QC protocols, which consists of the regular insertion of duplicates, blanks and certified reference standards into the sample stream. Check samples are submitted to an umpire laboratory at the end of the drilling programs. Samples are kept in a secure facility and transferred to Bureau Veritas in Hermosillo, Mexico, in sealed containers on a weekly basis from the work site by the Company's own laboratory personnel. Personnel handling samples are using Company-approved protocols for all phases of chip logging, sample delineation, sample layout, and storage. Bureau Veritas is ISO 9001 certified. Bureau Veritas has a standard operating procedure for all aspects of sample drop off, drying and preparation, digestion, instrument analysis, quality control assurance and computerized data reporting. QA/QC protocols applies both to chips rock and soil samples.

OUTLOOK

With the ramp-up of the San Francisco Mine completed, the main objective of the Company is to establish stable low-cost production. This will help strengthen the financial position of the Company and will enable the Company to pursue external growth opportunities and advance the exploration pipeline. The Company remains committed to the protection of health, safety and environment and will continue to operate in a sustainable and socially responsible manner.

The Company had retained Micon International Limited to complete a PFS to re-evaluate the resource model, examine potential operational improvements and develop an optimized production schedule that incorporates all currently available drill data, updated operating costs and revised gold price assumptions. The results of the PFS were announced on September 17, 2020. The goal of the Company is to successfully execute the PFS operating plan and to create additional value through the advancement of a number of identified opportunities.

Since acquiring the San Francisco Mine in May 2020, the Company has been focusing on pre-stripping both the San Francisco and La Chicharra open pits. In parallel, the Company has also been processing lower grade stockpile material and fresh ore from the open pits and from the underground mine. The Company has reinvested approximately \$30.0 million towards plant and equipment refurbishing, leach pad construction, infill drilling to increase resources, pre-stripping of the pits, and underground mine exploration and development. The full ramp-up of the San Francisco Mine was completed during June 2021 and it is now operating at a full-scale and steady rate of production.

The Company expects the San Francisco Mine to produce between 55,000 to 65,000 ounces during 2021. The production profile is weighted to the latter half of 2021, representing approximately 60% of the yearly production, which will result in a very strong operational progression through 2021. With a YTD 2021 production of 21,498 ounces of gold, the Company is on track to achieve its targeted production.

The expected cash generated by the operation will help strengthen the financial position and support the execution of the Company's exploration strategy in and around the existing open pits of the San Francisco Mine and across its extensive portfolio of gold and silver projects.

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The Company has over 45,000 hectares of highly prospective ground, a gold operation with increasing resources, two very promising gold projects, and a portfolio of four silver properties including La Pima and Margarita - all in two of the most mining-friendly states in Mexico. The Company has a well-defined exploration program for 2021 and details of the on-going activities are described in the "Exploration Properties" section of this document.

LIQUIDITY, CONTINGENCIES AND CASH FLOWS

Liquidity

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will encounter difficulties in meeting obligations associated with its financial liabilities and other contractual obligations. The Company's strategy for managing liquidity is based on achieving positive cash flows from operations to internally fund operating and capital requirements.

Factors that may affect the Company's liquidity are continuously monitored. These factors include the market price of gold, production levels, operating costs, capital costs, exploration expenditures, the timing of VAT recoveries, income tax refunds, foreign currency fluctuations, health and safety risks related to the coronavirus (COVID-19), and other risks and uncertainties (refer to "Risk Factors" section of this MD&A). In the event that the Company is adversely affected by any of these factors and, as a result, the operating cash flows are not sufficient to meet the Company's working capital requirements, there is no guarantee that the Company would be able to raise additional capital on acceptable terms to fund a potential cash shortfall. Consequently, the Company is subject to liquidity risk.

At June 30, 2021, the Company had negative net working capital of \$17.9 million. The Company had cash of \$2.1 million, trade and other receivables of \$8.8 million, inventories of \$16.2 million, advances and prepaid expenses of \$0.9 million, trade payables and accrued liabilities of \$35.5 million, other payables of \$6.6 million, current deferred revenue liabilities of \$3.8 million, and derivative liability of \$0.2 million.

During the three months ended March 31, 2021, the Company entered into an agreement with Auramet pursuant to which the Company received \$4.0 million in exchange for nine equal payments of 270 gold ounces to be delivered to Auramet starting May 31, 2021 and ending on January 31, 2022. The funds are not restricted for use and are budgeted for operational activities at the San Francisco Mine. In conjunction with the agreement, the Company is required to maintain a minimum consolidated cash balance of \$1.0 million and will be required to do so until the gold delivery obligation is fulfilled on January 31, 2022. As at the date of this MD&A, the Company had made the scheduled gold deliveries and therefore was in compliance with the agreement.

During the three months ended June 30, 2021, an income tax refund was received by the Company for \$3.5 million, with an additional \$0.5 million representing interest. This refund relates to tax instalment payments made by Molimentales during the 2017 calendar year. Prior to and after the acquisition of Molimentales from Alio Gold Inc., the receivable was deemed as uncollectible due to uncertainty of collectability from the Mexican tax authority.

During the three months ended June 30, 2021, the Company fulfilled its commitment in relation with the Molimentales acquisition and paid \$5.0 million in cash to Timmins, a Mexican subsidiary of Argonaut. Additionally, a promissory note of \$2.7 million corresponding to the working capital difference due to Timmins in relation with the Molimentales acquisition, was provided by Minera Magna on May 6, 2021. The promissory note bears uncompounded interest at a rate of 5.0% per annum, to be paid in four monthly instalments, plus interest, starting on July 6, 2021, and ending on October 6, 2021. As at the date of this MD&A, the Company had made the first two scheduled payments.

During the three months ended June 30, 2021, the Company entered into a non-brokered private placement of C\$10.0 million convertible debentures with funds managed by Delbrook, subject to the approval of the TSXV. The Debentures will initially be unsecured obligations of the Company and will bear interest at a rate of 8.5% per annum until the date, on or before September 30, 2021 (or such later date as may be agreed by the Company and Delbrook), that the security contemplated by the Debentures is delivered to Delbrook. Following such delivery, if applicable, the Debentures will bear interest at a rate of 6.5% per annum. The funds were received on August 19, 2021, and will go towards meeting the Company's working capital obligations and supporting its exploration programs.

The deferred revenue liabilities with Sandstorm and Auramet are met through the deliveries of monthly gold ounces and as at the date of this MD&A, the Company has made all scheduled deliveries. In addition, Molimentales has agreed to pay \$3.5 million in cash, plus value added taxes of 16%, to Peal by December 31, 2021.

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During the three months ended June 30, 2021, Molimentales and Inmobiliaria y Hotelaria Los Algodones, S.A. de C.V. ("Algodones") entered into a settlement agreement regarding their amparo suit with respect to an amount of \$1.7 million. Under the settlement agreement, Molimentales is required to pay Algodones \$1.7 million in twenty-four equal principal payments, in monthly instalments starting June 2021. Molimentales is also required to pay interest of \$0.3 million over the payment schedule which is subject to VAT of 16%. As at the date of this MD&A, the Company had made the scheduled payments.

The Company holds, directly or through option contracts, a total of 38 mineral concessions and must pay bi-annual fees in order to keep them in good standing. The expected amount of concession payments for fiscal 2021 is \$0.9 million. During the six months ended June 30, 2021, the first bi-annual payments of \$0.5 million were submitted. Additionally, the Company is party to four option agreements to acquire mineral concessions (Mercedes, San Judas, Los Muertos and La Fortuna). The expected amount of option payments for fiscal 2021 is \$0.4 million. During the six months ended June 30, 2021, option payments of \$0.1 million were made.

With the San Francisco Mine now operating on a full-scale and steady rate of production and the other financial resources described above, the Company believes it is able to generate sufficient amounts of cash during the fiscal year to fund its operating and corporate costs and its revised exploration plans of \$7.0 million at the San Francisco Mine and its other projects, while meeting its contractual obligations in relation to the Argonaut promissory note, Sandstorm and Auramet deferred revenue items, debentures, other payables, and settlement of the amparo suit. However, the Company may prioritize expenditures in the short term and may require additional financing in order to fulfill its financial commitments and carry out its operational activities.

At this time, it is challenging to definitively project the funds necessary to support the planned activities of the Company over the long term. For these reasons, management considers it to be in the best interests of the Company and its shareholders to afford management a reasonable degree of flexibility as to how the funds are employed, or for other purposes, as needs arise. See the "Risk Factors" and "Cautionary Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements" sections of this MD&A.

Changes in capital markets, including a decline in the market price for gold, could materially and adversely impact Magna's ability to continue as a going concern.

A summary of undiscounted liabilities and future operating commitments, in thousands of US Dollars, at June 30, 2021, are as follows:

	Total	Within 1 year	1 - 3 years	4 - 5 years	Greater than 5 years
Maturity analysis of financial liabilities					
Trade payables and accrued liabilities	\$ 35,494	\$ 34,703	\$ 791	\$ -	\$ -
Other payables (1)	6,785	6,785	-	-	-
	42,279	41,488	791	-	-
Commitments					
Option payments on exploration and evaluation properties	3,466	381	1,600	1,485	-
Other provisions (2)	1,732	-	-	-	1,732
Provision for site reclamation and closure (3)	6,277	-	-	-	6,277
Total financial liabilities and commitments	\$ 53,754	\$ 41,869	\$ 2,391	\$ 1,485	\$ 8,009

- ⁽¹⁾ Other payables include the following:
 - (i) Undiscounted consideration of \$4.1 million due to Peal; and,
 - (ii) Working capital differential of \$2.7 million and scheduled interest payments of \$0.1 million due to Timmins.
- Other provisions represent the undiscounted amount of the demobilization costs related to the mining contractor, whereby the Company is responsible for demobilization costs payable one month prior to the end of the mining contract. This obligation has been recorded at an annualized discount rate of 5.25%, reflecting the implied interest rate, and calculated according to the formula stipulated in the contract. The undiscounted amount is \$1.7 million. At June 30, 2021, the discounted obligation was determined to be \$1.2 million.
- (3) Provision for site reclamation and closure represents the undiscounted amount of the estimated cash flows required to settle the retirement obligations of the San Francisco Mine. This obligation has been recorded at an annualized discount rate of 5.25%, reflecting the implied interest rate. The undiscounted amount is \$6.3 million. At June 30, 2021, the discounted obligation was determined to be \$5.6 million.

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Contingencies

Various tax and legal matters may arise from time to time. The Company will recognize the financial effects of these matters in the consolidated financial statements in the period such matters occur.

Molimentales Income Tax Refund

On April 26, 2021, Molimentales was made aware that an income tax refund from the 2017 calendar year was to be refunded by the Mexican tax authority after multiple attempts to retrieve these funds in the past had failed. At the time of the acquisition of Molimentales from Alio Gold on May 6, 2020, this receivable was deemed uncollectible by the seller due to uncertainty of collectability. After the acquisition completed, the Company continued to deem the income tax refund as uncollectible due to uncertainty that future attempts to retrieve the funds would be met with similar response from the Mexican tax authority.

At March 31, 2021, the income tax refund was categorized as a contingent asset due to uncertainty of collectability and therefore no asset or income was recognized in the interim financial statements.

As the Company was made aware of the refund on April 26, 2021, and therefore became certain that an inflow of economic benefit would arise, the refund and corresponding income was recognized in the reporting period in which the Company became certain that the refund would be collectable from the Mexican tax authority.

On April 29, 2021, the full 2017 income tax refund was received by the Company for \$3.5 million, with an additional \$0.5 million representing interest. The refund and interest received, less related fees to retrieve the funds, were recognized in the consolidated financial statements as a net gain in other income of \$3.3 million during the three months ended June 30, 2021.

Cash Flows

Effective December 31, 2020, the Company had voluntarily adopted a new accounting policy with respect to exploration and evaluation expenditures. These expenditures were capitalized in the consolidated financial statements and MD&A retrospectively as if such activities have always been capitalized. The below discussion on cash flows refers to periods that have been retrospectively restated to reflect exploration expenditures as an investing activity. Refer to the "Change in accounting policy" subsection of this document for a detailed summary of the impacts on the Company's financial performance and financial position.

Three months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020

At June 30, 2021, the Company had cash of \$2.1 million compared to \$5.9 million at March 31, 2021. The three-month decrease in cash was primarily due to the payment made in relation to the Molimentales acquisition and significant investment in deferred stripping, machinery and infrastructure at the San Francisco Mine, illustrated by the cash used in investing activities of \$12.5 million. The investment was partially funded internally with cash flow provided by operating activities of \$8.7 million, mostly as a result of an increase in trade payables and accrued liabilities, and with the receipt of a \$4.0 million income tax refund. At June 30, 2020, the Company had cash of \$14.3 million compared to \$0.2 million at March 31, 2020.

Net earnings for the three months ended June 30, 2021, were \$2.4 million compared to a loss of \$0.6 million for the three months ended June 30, 2020. For the three months ended June 30, 2021, items not affecting cash totaled \$1.5 million, including depletion and depreciation of \$2.4 million, finance expense of \$0.5 million, income tax expense of \$0.2 million and unrealized loss on derivative contracts of \$0.2 million. This was offset by non-cash gold delivery to satisfy the Sandstorm and Auramet deferred revenue agreements of \$0.3 million and \$1.0 million, respectively, and unrealized foreign exchange gain of \$0.5 million. For the three months ended June 30, 2020, items not affecting cash totaled \$1.0 million, including share-based compensation of \$1.5 million, depletion and depreciation of \$0.2 million, unrealized loss on derivative contracts of \$0.2 million, and finance expenses of \$0.2 million, offset by unrealized foreign exchange gain of \$0.5 million and income tax recovery of \$0.5 million.

Change in non-cash working capital balances increased cash by \$4.7 million during the three months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$6.5 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020. During the three months ended June 30, 2021, trade payables and accrued liabilities increased cash by \$7.3 million. This was offset by movements in inventories, trade and other receivables, and advances and prepaid expenses, which decreased cash by \$1.9 million, \$0.4 million and \$0.2 million, respectively. During the three months ended June 30, 2020, movements in inventories and trade payables and accrued liabilities increased cash by \$2.9 million and \$2.1 million, respectively. Movements in trade and other receivables, and advances and prepaid expenses, also increased cash by \$1.4 million and \$0.1 million, respectively.

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Cash used in investing activities was \$12.5 million during the three months ended June 30, 2021, compared to cash provided by investing activities of \$0.8 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020. During the three months ended June 30, 2021, investing activities included \$5.7 million related to deferred stripping and underground development. \$1.7 million was spent on property, plant and equipment and mineral properties at the San Francisco Mine, mostly for the expansion of the leaching pads and the refurbishment of the crushing circuits. Additionally, a payment of \$5.0 million was made to Timmins in relation with the Molimentales acquisition. Finally, \$0.1 million was spent on exploration and evaluation projects. During the three months ended June 30, 2020, cash provided by investing activities included \$1.5 million acquired in connection with the Molimentales acquisition. This was offset by \$0.6 million paid to Timmins in relation with the Molimentales acquisition, and \$0.1 million spent on exploration and evaluation expenditures.

Cash provided by financing activities was \$nil during the three months ended June 30, 2021, compared to proceeds from private placements, net of transaction costs, of \$6.5 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020.

The effects of exchange rate changes on the balance of cash held in foreign currencies increased cash by \$0.1 million during the three months ended June 30, 2021, compared to a decrease of \$0.1 million during the three months ended June 30, 2020.

Six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020

At June 30, 2021, the Company had cash of \$2.1 million compared to \$7.1 million at December 31, 2020. The six-month decrease in cash was primarily due to the payment made in relation to the Molimentales acquisition and significant investment in deferred stripping, machinery and infrastructure at the San Francisco Mine, illustrated by the cash used in investing activities of \$22.2 million. The investment was partially funded internally with cash flow provided by operating activities of \$13.3 million, as a result of an increase in trade payables and accrued liabilities, and externally with the receipt of a \$4.0 million income tax refund and with cash provided by financing activities of \$3.9 million. At June 30, 2020, the Company had cash of \$14.3 million compared to \$0.8 million at December 31, 2019.

Net loss for the six months ended June 30, 2021, was \$1.0 million compared to \$1.4 million for the six months ended June 30, 2020. For the six months ended June 30, 2021, items not affecting cash totaled \$2.7 million, including depletion and depreciation of \$3.7 million, finance expense of \$0.9 million, unrealized foreign exchange loss of \$0.3 million and unrealized loss on derivative contracts of \$0.2 million. This was offset by non-cash gold delivery to satisfy the Sandstorm and Auramet deferred revenue agreements of \$0.6 million and \$1.0 million, respectively, and income tax recovery of \$0.8 million. For the six months ended June 30, 2020, items not affecting cash totaled \$1.5 million, including share-based compensation of \$1.5 million, depletion and depreciation of \$0.2 million, unrealized loss on derivative contracts of \$0.2 million, and finance expenses of \$0.2 million, offset by income tax recovery of \$0.5 million and unrealized foreign exchange gain of \$0.1 million.

Change in non-cash working capital balances increased cash by \$11.6 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021, compared to \$6.6 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020. During the six months ended June 30, 2021, trade payables and accrued liabilities increased cash by \$15.9 million. This was offset by movements in inventories, trade and other receivables, and advances and prepaid expenses, which decreased cash by \$2.9 million, \$1.2 million and \$0.2 million, respectively. During the six months ended June 30, 2020, movements in inventories and trade payables and accrued liabilities increased cash by \$2.9 million and \$2.1 million, respectively. Movements in trade and other receivables, and advances and prepaid expenses, also increased cash by \$1.4 million and \$0.1 million, respectively.

Cash used in investing activities was \$22.2 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021, compared to cash provided by investing activities of \$0.5 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020. During the six months ended June 30, 2021, investing activities included \$12.9 million related to deferred stripping and underground development. \$4.1 million was spent on property, plant and equipment and mineral properties at the San Francisco Mine, mostly for the expansion of the leaching pads and the refurbishment of the crushing circuits. Additionally, a payment of \$5.0 million was made to Timmins in relation with the Molimentales acquisition. Finally, \$0.3 million was spent on exploration and evaluation projects. During the six months ended June 30, 2020, cash provided by investing activities included \$1.5 million acquired in connection with the Molimentales acquisition. This was offset by \$0.6 million paid to Alio Gold in relation with the Molimentales acquisition, and \$0.4 million spent on exploration and evaluation expenditures.

Cash provided by financing activities was \$3.9 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021, as proceeds from the Auramet agreement, net of transaction costs, were received, compared to proceeds from private placements, net of transaction costs, of \$6.5 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020.

The effects of exchange rate changes on the balance of cash held in foreign currencies increased cash by \$0.1 million during the six months ended June 30, 2021, compared to a decrease of \$0.1 million during the six months ended June 30, 2020.

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CAPITAL RESOURCES

The capital of the Company consisted of consolidated equity and other payables, net of cash. Amounts are disclosed in thousands of US Dollars.

	June 30, 2021	December 31, 2020
Equity	\$ 14,269 \$	14,871
Other payables	6,613	11,285
	20,882	26,156
Less: Cash	(2,114)	(7,056)
	\$ 18,768 \$	19,100

At June 30, 2021, the Company was required to maintain a minimum consolidated cash balance of \$1.0 million and will be required to do so until the gold delivery obligation in relation to the Auramet agreement is fulfilled on January 31, 2022.

At December 31, 2020, the Company was not subject to any externally imposed capital requirements.

Subsequent to June 30, 2021, the Company received gross proceeds of C\$10.0 million from a non-brokered private placement of Debentures. Refer to the "Quarterly operational overview and recent development" section of this document for further details.

The economic analysis included in the PFS of the San Francisco Mine, dated August 28, 2020, with an effective date of August 8, 2020, indicates that an annual average of \$2.6 million of sustaining capital expenditures will be required to maintain the production capacity over the life of mine. Additionally, the Company estimates, based on the mine plan included in the PFS, to capitalize a total of \$69.0 million of deferred stripping costs over the life of mine. As at June 30, 2021, cumulative deferred costs capitalization totaled \$17.0 million since the restart of mining activities in June 2020. As of the date of this MD&A, both the sustaining capital expenditures and deferred stripping costs are expected to be funded by cash flow from operations.

The Company has planned exploration expenditures of \$7.0 million for the fiscal year 2021. Further exploration expenditures cannot be determined at the date of this MD&A as they are dependent on the results of current exploration programs and the financial condition of the Company. Additionally, the Company must pay \$0.9 million in bi-annual fees in order to keep its 38 mineral concessions in good standing. Finally, the Company is party to four option agreements to acquire mineral concessions and has, as of June 30, 2021, remaining payments of \$3.5 million over the course of the next four years.

RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Key Management Personnel

Key management personnel include those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing and controlling the activities of the Company as a whole.

a) The Company defines its key management personnel as its Board of Directors, Chief Executive Officer ("CEO"), Chief Financial Officer ("CFO"), and Chief Operating Officer ("COO"), and certain officers of the Company. Remuneration of Directors and key management personnel of the Company was as follows, in thousands of US Dollars:

	Three months ended			Six months ended		
			June 30,			June 30,
	2021		2020	2021		2020
Salaries and benefits (1)(2)(3)	\$ 295	\$	63	\$ 378	\$	138
Share-based compensation (4)	\$ -	\$	709	\$ -	\$	709

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- (1) The Board of Directors, with the exception of the CEO, CFO and COO, do not have employment or service contracts with the Company. There were no director fees accrued or paid during the six months ended June 30, 2021 (six months ended June 30, 2020 \$nil).
- (2) Salaries and benefits exclude fees paid to the former CFO's associated companies.
- (3) Includes Arturo Bonillas, CEO and director, Colin Sutherland, CFO and director, Miguel Bonilla, COO and director, and Miguel Soto, VP Exploration.
- (4) Includes Arturo Bonillas, CEO and director, Colin Sutherland, CFO and director, Miguel Soto, VP Exploration, and Alex Tsakumis, director.
- b) On January 27, 2021, the Company entered into an employment agreement with Colin Sutherland. Mr. Sutherland served, and continues to serve, as a member of the Board of Directors prior to the employment agreement.
- c) During the three and six months ended June 30, 2021, Carmelo Marrelli, the former CFO of Magna, provided services through entities controlled by Mr. Marrelli for total fees of \$nil and \$0.01 million, respectively, (three and six months ended June 30, 2020 \$0.03 million and \$0.04 million, respectively) on terms equivalent to those that prevail with arm's length transactions.

As at June 30, 2021, these entities were owed \$nil (December 31, 2020 - \$0.01 million) for these services.

d) The Company receives legal advisory services through two Mexico-based entities of which Laura Diaz, a director of the Company, is a partner. Ms. Diaz was elected to the Board of Directors on September 15, 2020, at the Company's annual and special meeting of shareholders. During the three and six months ended June 30, 2021, legal advisory services of \$0.1 million and \$0.1 million, respectively, were incurred by the Company (three and six months ended June 30, 2020 - \$nil). The cost of the legal advisory services is on market terms.

As at June 30, 2021, these entities were owed \$0.1 million (December 31, 2020 - \$nil) for these services.

In addition, Ms. Diaz provided legal advisory consulting services directly to the Company. During the three and six months ended June 30, 2021, the Company incurred legal advisory consulting services of \$nil and \$0.1 million (three and six months ended June 30, 2020 - \$nil). The cost of the legal advisory services is on market terms.

As at June 30, 2021, the Director was owed \$nil (December 31, 2020 - \$nil) for these services.

e) During the three and six months ended June 30, 2021, the Company incurred \$nil (three and six months ended June 30, 2020 - \$0.01 million) for business development advisory fees performed by Alex Tsakumis, a director of the Company. The services related to the preparation and review of the Company's corporate communications material and the cost of these services was on market terms.

NON-GAAP MEASURES

Cash cost per gold ounce on a by-product basis

Cash cost per gold ounce on a by-product basis is a non-GAAP performance measure that management uses to assess the Company's performance and its expected future performance. The Company has included the non-GAAP performance measure of cash cost per gold ounce on a by-product basis throughout this document. In the gold mining industry, this is a common performance measure but it does not have any standardized meaning. As such, it is unlikely to be comparable to similar measures presented by other issuers.

Management believes that, in addition to conventional measures prepared in accordance with GAAP, certain investors use this information to evaluate the Company's performance and ability to generate cash flow. Accordingly, presentation of this measure is to provide additional information and should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for measures of performance prepared in accordance with GAAP.

The cash cost per gold ounce on a by-product basis is calculated by dividing the operating production costs by the total number of gold ounces sold and deducting the by-product silver credits per gold ounce sold.

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The following table provides a reconciliation of the cash cost per gold ounce on a by-product basis to the interim financial statements, in thousands of US Dollars:

	Three months ended June 30,			Six months ended June 30,			
	2021		2020 (1)		2021		2020 (1)
Production costs	\$ 17,700	\$	6,712	\$	33,273	\$	6,712
Divided by gold sold (ozs)	11,777		4,935		20,207		4,935
, ,	1,503		1,360		1,647		1,360
Less: by-product silver credits per gold ounce sold (2)	(19)		(3)		(20)		(3)
Cash cost per gold ounce sold on a by-product basis	\$ 1,484	\$	1,357	\$	1,627	\$	1,357

⁽¹⁾ The numbers for the three and six months ended June 30, 2020, are restated due to adjustments relating to the Molimentales acquisition purchase price allocation.

For further details on the calculation of production costs, refer to the notes of the interim financial statements. Cash cost is not necessarily indicative of earnings from operations or cash flow from operations as determined under GAAP. Other companies may calculate these measures differently.

All-in sustaining cost per gold ounce

The Company has adopted an all-in sustaining cost per ounce on a by-product basis performance measure which is calculated based on the guidance note issued by the World Gold Council. Management uses this information as an additional measure to evaluate the Company's performance and ability to generate cash.

All-in sustaining costs on a by-product basis include total production cash costs, corporate and administrative expenses, sustaining capital expenditures and accretion for site reclamation and closure costs. These reclamation and closure costs represent the gradual unwinding of the discounted liability to rehabilitate the area around the San Francisco Mine at the end of its mine life. The Company believes this measure to be representative of the total costs associated with producing gold; however, this performance measure has no standardized meaning. As such, there are likely to be differences in the method of computation when compared to similar measures presented by other issuers.

The following table provides a reconciliation of the Site AISC per gold ounce on a by-product basis and of the all-in sustaining cost ("AISC") per gold ounce on a by-product basis to the interim financial statements, in thousands of US Dollars:

	Three	e mor	nths ended	Si	x mo	nths ended
			June 30,			June 30,
	2021		2020 (1)	2021		2020 (1)
Production costs	\$ 17,700	\$	6,712	\$ 33,273	\$	6,712
Sustaining exploration expenses (2)	10		-	376		-
Capital expenditures (2,3)	7,739		-	17,330		-
Less: development expenditures (4)	-		-	(32)		-
Less: by-product silver credits	(221)		(15)	(402)		(15)
Site all-in sustaining costs	25,228		6,697	50,545		6,697
Divided by gold sold (ozs)	11,777		4,935	20,207		4,935
Site AISC per gold ounce sold on a by-product basis	\$ 2,142	\$	1,357	\$ 2,501	\$	1,357
Site all-in sustaining costs (per above)	\$ 25,228	\$	6,697	\$ 50,545	\$	6,697
Corporate and administrative expenses	1,104		2,082	2,373		2,492
Less: Corporate and administrative expenses Q1 2020 (5)	-		-	-		(410)
Accretion for site reclamation and closure	73		49	145		` 49
All-in sustaining costs	26,405		8,828	53,063		8,828
Divided by gold sold (ozs)	11,777		4,935	20,207		4,935
AISC per gold ounce sold on a by-product basis	\$ 2,242	\$	1,789	\$ 2,626	\$	1,789

⁽¹⁾ The numbers for the three and six months ended June 30, 2020, are restated due to adjustments relating to the Molimentales acquisition purchase price allocation.

⁽²⁾ Management determined that silver metal revenues, when compared to gold metal revenues, are immaterial and therefore considered a by-product of the production of gold. For the three and six months ended June 30, 2021, total by-product silver credits were \$0.2 million and \$0.4 million, respectively (three and six months ended June 30, 2020 - \$0.1 million).

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- (2) Sustaining exploration expenses and capital expenditures only include expenditures related to the San Francisco Mine.
- (3) Sustaining capital expenditures include deferred stripping and underground development costs of \$5.7 million and \$12.9 million for the three and six months ended June 30, 2021, respectively (three and six months ended June 30, 2020 \$nil).
- (4) Management determined the exploration program costs at the San Francisco Mine to be development capital expenditures.
- (5) The acquisition of Molimentales completed on May 6, 2020. To better reflect the performance of the Company, management determined that only the corporate and administrative expenses for the three months ended June 30, 2020, should be included in the calculation of the AISC per gold ounce sold on a by-product basis for the six months ended June 30, 2020.

Site AISC calculated for the San Francisco Mine excludes corporate and administrative expenses and accretion for site reclamation and closure.

OFF-BALANCE-SHEET ARRANGEMENTS

As of the date of this MD&A, the Company does not have any off-balance-sheet arrangements that have, or are reasonably likely to have, a current or future effect on the results of operations or financial condition of the Company including, without limitation, such considerations as liquidity and capital resources that has not previously been discussed.

PROPOSED TRANSACTIONS

There were no material proposed transactions as of the date of this MD&A.

INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS

The interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with IFRS as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB"), effective as of June 30, 2021. The Company's significant accounting policies are described in note 4 of the Company's consolidated financial statements for the nine months ended December 31, 2020, and year ended March 31, 2020.

CRITICAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND ESTIMATES

The preparation of the Company's interim financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires management to make estimates based on assumptions about future events that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period.

The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis of making the judgements about carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results could differ from those estimates. The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognized prospectively in the period in which the estimate is revised.

The critical judgements made by management of the Company in the application of the accounting policies are consistent with those applied and disclosed in note 4 of the Company's consolidated financial statements for the nine months ended December 31, 2020, and year ended March 31, 2020.

FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS AND RISK MANAGEMENT

Fair value measurement of financial assets and liabilities

The Company has established a fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of inputs of valuation techniques used in making fair value measurements as follows:

Level 1 - quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities;

Level 2 - inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. from derived prices); and,

Level 3 - inputs for the asset or liability that are not based upon observable market data.

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The carrying values of cash, trade and other receivables, trade payables and accrued liabilities, other payables and amounts due to and from related parties approximate their fair value due to their short-term nature, and are classified at amortized cost.

The derivative liability was classified as a Level 2 instrument because the inputs are derived from observable market data.

At June 30, 2021, and December 31, 2020, there were no financial assets or liabilities measured and recognized in the statements of financial position at fair value that would be categorized as Level 3 in the fair value hierarchy above.

There were no transfers between Level 1 and Level 2, during the six months ended June 30, 2021, or for the six months ended June 30, 2020.

Risk management

The Company's primary business activities consist of the acquisition, exploration, development and operation of mineral resource properties in Mexico. The Company examines the various financial risks to which it is exposed and assesses the impact and likelihood of occurrence. These risks may include credit risk, commodity price risk, currency risk, liquidity risk, and interest rate risk. The Company's risk management program strives to evaluate the unpredictability of financial and commodity markets and its objective is to minimize the potential adverse effects of such risks on the Company's financial performance, where financially feasible to do so. When deemed material, these risks may be monitored by the Company's finance team and they are regularly discussed with the Board of Directors or one of its committees.

i. Credit risk

Counterparty credit risk is the risk that the financial benefits of contracts with a specific counterparty will be lost if a counterparty defaults on its obligations under the contract. This includes any cash amounts owed to the Company by those counterparties, less any amounts owed to the counterparty by the Company where a legal right of set-off exists and also includes the fair values of contracts with individual counterparties which are recorded in the consolidated financial statements.

The Company's credit risk is predominantly limited to cash balances held in financial institutions and any gold and silver sales and related receivables and other receivables. The maximum exposure to credit risk is equal to the carrying value of such financial assets. At June 30, 2021, and December 31, 2020, the Company expected to recover the full amount of such assets.

The objective of managing counterparty credit risk is to minimize potential losses in financial assets. The Company assesses the quality of its counterparties, taking into account their credit worthiness and reputation, past performance and other factors.

Cash is only deposited with or held by major financial institutions where the Company conducts its business.

Gold and silver sales are made to a limited number of large international organizations specializing in the precious metals markets. The Company believes them to be of sound credit worthiness, and to date, all receivables have been settled in accordance with agreed upon terms and conditions.

ii. Commodity price risks

The Company is exposed to price risk associated with the volatility of the market price of commodities, in particular gold and silver, and also to many consumables that are used in the production of gold and silver.

The prices of most commodities are determined in international markets and as such the Company has limited or no ability to control or predict the future level of most commodity prices. In some instances, the Company has the ability to enter into derivative financial instruments to manage the Company's exposure to changes in the price of commodities such as gold, silver, oil and electricity.

iii. Currency risk

The functional currency of Magna and 2660170 Ontario Ltd. is the Canadian dollar and the Mexican Peso for LM Mining Corp, S.A. de C.V. and Minera Magna. The functional currency of Molimentales was determined to be the US Dollar. Therefore, the Company's earnings (loss) and comprehensive income (loss) are impacted by fluctuations in the value of foreign currencies in relation to the US Dollar.

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The table below summarizes the net monetary assets and liabilities held in foreign currencies, in thousands of US Dollars:

	June 30,	December 31,
	2021	2020
Mexican peso net monetary assets	\$ 18	\$ 3,920
Canadian dollar net monetary (liabilities) assets	\$ (784)	\$ 547

The effect on earnings (loss) before income tax at June 30, 2021, of a 10.0% change in the foreign currencies against the US Dollar on the above-mentioned net monetary assets of the Company is estimated to be an increase/decrease of \$0.1 million (December 31, 2020 - \$0.4 million) assuming that all other variables remained constant.

iv. Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with its financial liabilities that are settled by delivering cash or another financial asset. The Company has a planning and budgeting process in place to help determine the funds required to support the Company's normal operating requirements and its exploration and production plans.

In the normal course of business, the Company enters into contracts and performs business activities that give rise to commitments for future minimum payments. The Company has no concentrations of liquidity risk.

v. Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The observable impacts on the fair value and future cash flows of financial instruments that can be directly attributable to interest rate risk include changes in profit or loss from financial instruments whose cash flows are determined with reference to floating interest rates and potential changes in value of financial instruments whose cash flows are fixed in nature. The Company does not have any financial liabilities with floating interest rates and accordingly is not exposed to cash flow risk. Additionally, the Company does not have non-current fixed rate financial liabilities and accordingly is not exposed to fair value risk.

The Company does not enter into derivative contracts, interest rate swaps or other instruments to actively manage these risks.

DISCLOSURE OF OUTSTANDING SHARE DATA

As of the date of this MD&A, the Company had 90,059,874 common shares outstanding, with the following held in escrow:

	Common	
	shares	Options
CPC Escrow	1,875,000	60,000
Value Escrow	213,750	-
Total	2,088,750	60,000

In addition, the Company had the following warrants and stock options outstanding at the date of this MD&A:

Warrants

	Exercise	Warrants
Expiry date	price (C\$)	outstanding
May 6, 2022	0.35	69,124
June 1, 2022	0.41	632,975
August 19, 2024	1.25	450,000
Total		1,152,099

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Options

	Exercise	Options
Expiry date	price (C\$)	outstanding
August 15, 2023	0.10	200,000
June 29, 2025	0.98	2,250,000
August 12, 2025	1.53	2,350,000
Total		4,800,000

DISCLOSURE OF INTERNAL CONTROLS

Management has established processes to provide them with sufficient knowledge to support representations that they have exercised reasonable diligence to ensure that (i) the interim financial statements do not contain any untrue statement of material fact or omit to state a material fact required to be stated or that is necessary to make a statement not misleading in light of the circumstances under which it is made, as of the date of and for the periods presented by the consolidated financial statements; and (ii) the interim financial statements fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, financial performance and cash flows of the Company, as of the date of and for the periods presented.

In contrast to the certificate required for non-venture issuers under National Instrument 52-109 Certification of Disclosure in Issuers' Annual and Interim Filings ("NI 52-109"), the Venture Issuer Basic Certificate filed by the Company does not include representations relating to the establishment and maintenance of disclosure controls and procedures ("DC&P") and internal control over financial reporting ("ICFR"), as defined in NI 52-109. In particular, the certifying officers filing such certificate are not making any representations relating to the establishment and maintenance of:

- (i) controls and other procedures designed to provide reasonable assurance that information required to be disclosed by the issuer
 in its annual filings, interim filings or other reports filed or submitted under securities legislation is recorded, processed,
 summarized and reported within the time periods specified in securities legislation; and
- (ii) a process to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of consolidated financial statements for external purposes in accordance with the issuer's generally accepted accounting principles (IFRS).

The Company's certifying officers are responsible for ensuring that processes are in place to provide them with sufficient knowledge to support the representations they are making in such certificate. Investors should be aware that inherent limitations on the ability of certifying officers of a venture issuer to design and implement on a cost-effective basis DC&P and ICFR as defined in NI 52-109 may result in additional risks to the quality, reliability, transparency and timeliness of interim and annual filings and other reports provided under securities legislation.

RISK FACTORS

There are many risk factors facing companies involved in the mineral exploration and development industry. Risk management is an ongoing exercise upon which the Company spends a substantial amount of time. While it is not possible to eliminate all the risks inherent to the industry, the Company strives to manage these risks, to the greatest extent possible.

The risks described in the Company's MD&A and Annual Information Form for the nine months ended December 31, 2020, and year ended March 31, 2020, are most applicable to the Company but may not be the only risks faced by the Company. Risks and uncertainties not presently known by the Company or which are presently considered immaterial may also adversely affect the Company's business, projections, results of operations and/or condition (financial or otherwise).

Prior to making an investment decision, investors should consider the investment risks set out in the Company's MD&A and Annual Information Form for the nine months ended December 31, 2020, and year ended March 31, 2020, and those described elsewhere in this document, which are in addition to the usual risks associated with an investment in a mineral exploration, development and production company. The directors of the Company consider the risks set out in the aforementioned documents to be the most significant to potential investors in the Company, but not all of the risks associated with an investment in securities of the Company. If any of these risks materialize into actual events or circumstances or other possible additional risks and uncertainties of which the directors are currently unaware or which they consider not to be material in relation to the Company's business, actually occur, the Company's assets, liabilities, financial condition, results of operations (including future results of operations), business and business prospects are likely to be materially and adversely affected. In such circumstances, the price of the Company's securities could decline, and investors may lose all or part of their investment. An investment in the Company may not be suitable for all investors.

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CAUTIONARY NOTE REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

Certain statements and information contained in this MD&A constitute "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of applicable U.S. securities laws and "forward-looking information" within the meaning of applicable Canadian securities laws, which we refer to collectively as "forward-looking statements". Forward-looking statements are statements and information regarding possible events, conditions or results of operations that are based upon assumptions about future economic conditions and courses of action. All statements and information other than statements of historical fact may be forward-looking statements. In some cases, forward-looking statements can be identified by the use of words such as "seek", "expect", "anticipate", "budget", "plan", "estimate", "continue", "forecast", "intend", "believe", "predict", "potential", "target", "may", "could", "would", "might", "will" and similar words or phrases (including negative variations) suggesting future outcomes or statements regarding an outlook.

Forward-looking statements in this MD&A include, but are not limited to, statements and information regarding: the Company's future mining activities, including mining capacity, recovery, cash costs, production and mine life; the Company's reserve and resource estimates; the Company's exploration and development plans, including anticipated costs and timing thereof; the timing and location of future drilling; the timing of geological and/or technical reports; the Company's ability to obtain and maintain required licences, permits, required agreements with third parties and regulatory approvals; the Company's plans for growth through exploration activities, acquisitions or otherwise; and expectations regarding future maintenance and capital expenditures, working capital requirements, the availability of financing and future effective tax rates. Such forward-looking statements are based on a number of material factors and assumptions, including, but not limited to: the Company's ability to carry on exploration and development activities; the Company's ability to secure and to meet obligations under property and option agreements and other material agreements; the timely receipt of required approvals and permits; that there is no material adverse change affecting the Company or its properties; that contracted parties provide goods or services in a timely manner, that no unusual geological or technical problems occur, that plant and equipment function as anticipated and that there is no material adverse change in the price of gold, costs associated with production or recovery. Forward-looking statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors which may cause actual results, performance or achievements, or industry results, to differ materially from those anticipated in such forward-looking statements. The Company believes the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are reasonable, but no assurance can be given that these expectations will prove to be correct and you are cautioned not to place undue reliance on forward-looking statements contained herein.

Some of the risks and other factors which could cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed in the forward-looking statements contained in this MD&A include, but are not limited to: risks and uncertainties relating to the interpretation of drill results, the geology, grade and continuity of mineral deposits and conclusions of economic evaluations; results of initial feasibility, prefeasibility and feasibility studies, and the possibility that future exploration, development or mining results will not be consistent with the Company's expectations; risks relating to possible variations in reserves, resources, grade, planned mining dilution and ore loss, or recovery rates and changes in project parameters as plans continue to be refined; mining and development risks, including risks related to accidents, equipment breakdowns, labour disputes (including work stoppages and strikes) or other unanticipated difficulties with or interruptions in exploration and development; the potential for delays in exploration or development activities or the completion of feasibility studies; risks related to the inherent uncertainty of production and cost estimates and the potential for unexpected costs and expenses; risks related to commodity price and foreign exchange rate fluctuations; the uncertainty of profitability based upon the cyclical nature of the industry in which the Company operates; risks related to failure to obtain adequate financing on a timely basis and on acceptable terms or delays in obtaining governmental or local community approvals or in the completion of development or construction activities; risks related to environmental regulation and liability; political and regulatory risks associated with mining and exploration; risks related to the uncertain global economic environment; risks related to COVID-19; and other factors contained in the section entitled "Risk Factors" per above.

Although the Company has attempted to identify important factors that could cause actual results or events to differ materially from those described in the forward-looking statements, you are cautioned that this list is not exhaustive and there may be other factors that the Company has not identified. Furthermore, the Company undertakes no obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements included in, or incorporated by reference in, this MD&A if these beliefs, estimates and opinions or other circumstances should change, except as otherwise required by applicable law.

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QUALIFIED PERSON AND TECHNICAL REPORTS

James Baughman, Consulting Geologist, and a Qualified Person as defined by *National Instrument 43-101 - Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects*, has approved the scientific and technical information in this MD&A.

For further information on the Company's properties, please see the reports as listed below on the Company's website or on www.sedar.com:

San Francisco Mine	"NI 43-101 F1 Technical Report - Pre-Feasibility Study for the San Francisco Gold Project, Sonora, Mexico" dated August 28, 2020, with an effective date of August 8, 2020
Mercedes Property	"NI 43-101 Technical Report, Initial Mineral Resource Estimate for the La Lamosa Ridge Deposit, Mercedes Project, Santa Rosa de Yécora, Sonora State, Mexico" dated January 22, 2021, with an effective date of January 11, 2021