

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

Washington, D.C. 20549

**FORM 10-Q**

(Mark One)

**QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

For the quarterly period ended March 31, 2021

OR

**TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

FOR THE TRANSITION PERIOD FROM TO

Commission File Number 001-36908

**PARAMOUNT GOLD NEVADA CORP.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Nevada

(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

665 Anderson Street  
Winnemucca, NV

(Address of principal executive offices)

98-0138393

(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

89445

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (775) 625-3600

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant: (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. YES  NO

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically every Interactive Data File required to be submitted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit such files). YES  NO

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company or an emerging growth company. See the definition of "large accelerated filer", "accelerated filer", "smaller reporting company", and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer

Accelerated filer

Non-accelerated filer

Small reporting company

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). YES  NO

The number of shares of registrant's Common Stock outstanding, \$0.01 par value per share, as of May 4, 2021 was 37,696,420.

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value Per Share	PZG	NYSE American

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**PART I – FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

**Item 1. Financial Statements.**

**PARAMOUNT GOLD NEVADA CORP.**  
**Condensed Consolidated Interim Balance Sheets**  
**(Unaudited)**

	<b>As at March 31, 2021</b>	<b>As at June 30, 2020</b>
<b>Assets</b>		
<b>Current Assets</b>		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 4,607,317	\$ 5,434,081
Prepaid expenses and other deposits	479,783	442,596
Other assets	18,182	—
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	<b>5,105,282</b>	<b>5,876,677</b>
<b>Non-Current Assets</b>		
Mineral properties (Note 7)	47,333,313	47,333,313
Reclamation bond (Note 8)	462,952	695,041
Property and equipment	6,583	8,467
<b>Total Non-Current Assets</b>	<b>47,802,848</b>	<b>48,036,821</b>
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$ 52,908,130</b>	<b>\$ 53,913,498</b>
<b>Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity</b>		
<b>Liabilities</b>		
<b>Current Liabilities</b>		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 460,992	\$ 925,260
Reclamation and environmental obligation, current portion (Note 8)	75,000	154,231
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>	<b>535,992</b>	<b>1,079,491</b>
<b>Non-Current Liabilities</b>		
Convertible debt (Note 6)	4,146,467	5,256,228
Promissory note	35,947	35,628
Reclamation and environmental obligation, non-current portion (Note 8)	336,143	460,939
<b>Total Non-Current Liabilities</b>	<b>4,518,557</b>	<b>5,752,795</b>
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>5,054,549</b>	<b>6,832,286</b>
<b>Stockholders' Equity</b>		
Common stock, par value \$0.01, 200,000,000 authorized shares, 37,313,267 issued and outstanding at March 31, 2021 and 50,000,000 authorized shares, 32,958,404 issued and outstanding at June 30, 2020 (Note 5)	373,133	329,584
Additional paid in capital	106,071,651	100,881,957
Deficit	(58,591,203)	(54,130,329)
<b>Total Stockholders' Equity</b>	<b>47,853,581</b>	<b>47,081,212</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity</b>	<b>\$ 52,908,130</b>	<b>\$ 53,913,498</b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

Subsequent Events: Note 12

**PARAMOUNT GOLD NEVADA CORP.**  
**Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Loss**  
**(Unaudited)**

	For the Three-Month Period Ended March 31, 2021	For the Three-Month Period Ended March 31, 2020	For the Nine-Month Period Ended March 31, 2021	For the Nine-Month Period Ended March 31, 2020
<b>Revenue</b>				
Other income (Note 9)	\$ —	\$ 391,492	\$ 254,800	\$ 728,910
<b>Total Revenue</b>	<u>—</u>	<u>391,492</u>	<u>254,800</u>	<u>728,910</u>
<b>Expenses</b>				
Exploration	590,245	1,068,021	2,100,760	3,335,221
Land holding costs	130,284	131,633	391,867	401,346
Professional fees	21,812	35,477	94,964	124,809
Salaries and benefits	277,360	228,680	1,113,237	740,369
Directors' compensation	38,891	27,555	115,002	64,499
General and administrative	130,615	160,868	369,492	423,736
Insurance	49,542	34,825	148,866	103,286
Depreciation	624	651	1,884	2,096
Accretion (Note 8)	15,010	23,648	45,030	70,942
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<u>1,254,383</u>	<u>1,711,358</u>	<u>4,381,102</u>	<u>5,266,304</u>
<b>Net Loss before Other Expense</b>	<u>1,254,383</u>	<u>1,319,866</u>	<u>4,126,302</u>	<u>4,537,394</u>
<b>Other Expense (Income)</b>				
Interest income	(27)	(1,725)	(2,283)	(14,466)
Interest and service charges	100,111	122,231	336,855	266,460
<b>Net Loss and Comprehensive Loss</b>	<u>\$ 1,354,467</u>	<u>\$ 1,440,372</u>	<u>\$ 4,460,874</u>	<u>\$ 4,789,388</u>
<b>Loss per Common Share</b>				
Basic	\$ 0.04	\$ 0.05	\$ 0.13	\$ 0.17
Diluted	\$ 0.04	\$ 0.05	\$ 0.13	\$ 0.17
<b>Weighted Average Number of Common Shares Used in Per Share Calculations</b>				
Basic	36,323,652	27,774,419	34,783,677	27,489,446
Diluted	36,323,652	27,774,419	34,783,677	27,489,446

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**PARAMOUNT GOLD NEVADA CORP.**

**Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Stockholders' Equity  
(Unaudited)**

	Shares (#)	Common Stock	Additional Paid-In Capital	Deficit	Total Stockholders' Equity
<b>Balance at June 30, 2019</b>	<b><u>26,519,954</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 265,200</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 94,764,730</u></b>	<b><u>\$(47,700,188)</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 47,329,742</u></b>
Stock based compensation	—	—	203,192	—	203,192
Capital issued for services	1,096,791	10,968	965,176	—	976,144
Capital issued for payment of interest	161,217	1,612	117,697	—	119,309
Capital issued for financing	5,180,442	51,804	4,831,162	—	4,882,966
Net loss	—	—	—	(6,430,141)	(6,430,141)
<b>Balance at June 30, 2020</b>	<b><u>32,958,404</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 329,584</u></b>	<b><u>\$100,881,957</u></b>	<b><u>\$(54,130,329)</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 47,081,212</u></b>
Stock based compensation	—	—	77,424	—	77,424
Capital issued for payment of interest	183,395	1,834	203,579	—	205,413
Capital issued for financing	595,281	5,953	764,561	—	770,514
Capital issued on conversion of debt	200,000	2,000	190,066	—	192,066
Net loss	—	—	—	(1,331,508)	(1,331,508)
<b>Balance at September 30, 2020</b>	<b><u>33,937,080</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 339,371</u></b>	<b><u>\$102,117,587</u></b>	<b><u>\$(55,461,837)</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 46,995,121</u></b>
Stock based compensation	—	—	201,465	—	201,465
Capital issued for services	166,792	1,668	179,790	—	181,458
Capital issued for financing	132,500	1,325	125,517	—	126,842
Capital issued on conversion of debt	350,609	3,506	334,277	—	337,783
Net loss	—	—	—	(1,774,899)	(1,774,899)
<b>Balance at December 31, 2020</b>	<b><u>34,586,981</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 345,870</u></b>	<b><u>\$102,958,636</u></b>	<b><u>\$(57,236,736)</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 46,067,770</u></b>
Stock based compensation	—	—	80,864	—	80,864
Capital issued for payment of interest	179,032	1,790	191,574	—	193,364
Capital issued for financing	1,897,863	18,979	2,219,291	—	2,238,270
Capital issued on conversion of debt	649,391	6,494	621,286	—	627,780
Net loss	—	—	—	(1,354,467)	(1,354,467)
<b>Balance at March 31, 2021</b>	<b><u>37,313,267</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 373,133</u></b>	<b><u>\$106,071,651</u></b>	<b><u>\$(58,591,203)</u></b>	<b><u>\$ 47,853,581</u></b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

**PARAMOUNT GOLD NEVADA CORP.**  
**Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Cash Flows**  
**(Unaudited)**

	For the Nine-Month Period Ended March 31, 2021	For the Nine-Month Period Ended March 31, 2020
Net Loss	\$ (4,460,874)	\$ (4,789,388)
Adjustment for:		
Depreciation	1,884	2,096
Share based payments (Note 5)	181,458	976,144
Stock based compensation (Note 5)	359,753	127,012
Amortization of debt issuance costs (Note 6)	47,868	37,225
Interest expense	278,155	(102,425)
Accretion expense (Note 8)	45,030	70,942
Interest earned on reclamation bond	(16,968)	(14,447)
Increase in other assets	(18,182)	—
Increase in prepaid expenses	(37,187)	(422,089)
Decrease in accounts payable	(343,327)	(131,540)
<b>Cash used in operating activities</b>	<u>(3,962,390)</u>	<u>(4,246,470)</u>
Purchase of equipment	—	(4,719)
<b>Cash used in investing activities</b>	<u>—</u>	<u>(4,719)</u>
Capital issued for financing (Note 5)	3,135,626	—
Convertible debt issued (Note 6)	—	5,201,807
<b>Cash provided by financing activities</b>	<u>3,135,626</u>	<u>5,201,807</u>
Change in cash during period	(826,764)	950,618
Cash at beginning of period	5,434,081	463,690
<b>Cash at end of period</b>	<u>\$ 4,607,317</u>	<u>\$ 1,414,308</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

Non-Cash Transactions: Note 4

**PARAMOUNT GOLD NEVADA CORP.**  
**Notes to Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements**  
**For the Nine-Month Periods Ended March 31, 2021 and 2020**  
**(Unaudited)**

**Note 1. Description of Business and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

Paramount Gold Nevada Corp. (the “Company” or “Paramount”), incorporated under Chapter 78 of Nevada Revised Statutes, and its wholly-owned subsidiaries are engaged in the acquisition, exploration and development of precious metal properties. The Company’s wholly owned subsidiaries include New Sleeper Gold LLC, Sleeper Mining Company, LLC, and Calico Resources USA Corp (“Calico”). The Company is in the process of exploring its mineral properties in Nevada and Oregon, United States. The Company’s activities are subject to significant risks and uncertainties, including the risk of failing to secure additional funding to advance its projects and the risks of determining whether these properties contain reserves that are economically recoverable. The Company’s shares of common stock trade on the NYSE American LLC under the symbol “PZG”.

**Basis of Presentation and Preparation**

The unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements are prepared by management in accordance with accounting principles for interim financial information and Article 10 of Regulation S-X. Accordingly, they do not include all of the disclosures required by U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (“U.S. GAAP”) for complete financial statements. In the opinion of management, all the normal and recurring adjustments necessary to fairly present the interim financial information set forth herein have been included.

The Company faces various risks related to the COVID-19 global pandemic. The Company cannot at this time predict the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic, but it could have a material adverse effect on the business, financial position, results of operations and/or cash flows. The results of operations for the interim period ended March 31, 2021 is not necessarily indicative of the operating results expected for the year ended June 30, 2021 or for any future period.

The condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared on an accrual basis of accounting, in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (“U.S. GAAP”), are presented in US dollars and follow the same accounting policies and methods of their application as the most recent annual financial statements. The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and its wholly owned subsidiaries. All significant intercompany accounts and transactions are eliminated in consolidation. The condensed consolidated interim financial statements should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements and related footnotes for the year ended June 30, 2020.

**Significant Accounting Policies**

Please see Note 1- Description of Business and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies contained in the 2020 10-K.

**Note 2. Recent Accounting Guidance**

In June 2016, the FASB issued ASU No. 2016-13, Financial Instruments – Credit Losses. The changes were effective for the Company’s fiscal year beginning July 1, 2020. Among other things, these amendments require the measurement of all expected credit losses for financial assets held at the reporting date based on historical experience, current conditions, and reasonable and supportable forecasts. The Company adoption of this guidance on July 1, 2020 did not have a material effect on the Company’s consolidated financial position, results of operations, cash flows and related disclosures.

In August 2018, the FASB issued ASU No. 2018-13, Fair Value Measurement. These changes were effective for the Company’s fiscal year beginning July 1, 2020. The amendments on changes in unrealized gains and losses, the range and weighted average of significant unobservable inputs used to develop Level 3 fair value measurements, and the narrative description of measurement uncertainty should be applied prospectively for only the most recent interim or annual period presented in the initial fiscal year of adoption. All other amendments should be applied retrospectively to all periods presented upon their effective date. Early adoption is permitted. The Company adoption of this guidance on July 1, 2020 did not have a material effect on the Company’s consolidated financial position, results of operations, cash flows and related disclosures.

### Note 3. Fair Value Measurements

Fair value accounting establishes a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The fair value hierarchy consists of three broad levels, which gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3).

The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are described below:

- Level 1 Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets that are accessible at the measurement date for identical, unrestricted assets or liabilities.
- Level 2 Quoted prices in markets that are not active, or inputs that are observable, either directly or indirectly, for substantially the full term of the asset or liability; and
- Level 3 Prices or valuation techniques that require inputs that are both significant to the fair value measurement and unobservable (supported by little or no market activity).

Financial assets carried at fair value on a recurring basis by level within the fair value hierarchy in the Condensed Consolidated Interim Balance Sheets at March 31, 2021 and June 30, 2020 are presented in the following table:

	Total	Fair Value at March 31, 2021			June 30, 2020
		Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 4,607,317	4,607,317	—	—	\$ 5,434,081

The carrying values of accounts payable, promissory note and convertible debt (Note 6) approximate fair value as of March 31, 2021 and June 30, 2020.

### Note 4. Non-Cash Transactions

During the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021, the Company issued 362,427 shares of Common Stock for payment of interest accrued and owing on its outstanding 2019 Convertible Notes. Additionally, 1,200,000 shares of Common Stock were issued upon the conversion of 1,200 of its outstanding 2019 Convertible Notes. The Company also issued 166,792 shares of Common Stock to Ausenco Engineering USA South Inc. in exchange for services valued at \$181,458.

During the nine-month period ended March 31, 2020, the Company issued 1,096,791 shares to Ausenco in exchange for services valued at \$976,144 to complete a feasibility study at its Grassy Mountain Project.

### Note 5. Capital Stock

#### Authorized Capital

Authorized capital stock consists of 200,000,000 common shares with par value of \$0.01 per common share (June 30, 2020 – 50,000,000 common shares with par value \$0.01 per common share). An increase to authorized capital stock was approved by the Company's stockholders during the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021.

During the three-month period ended March 31, 2021, the Company issued 1,897,863 shares at an approximate average price of \$1.22 for gross proceeds of \$2,318,522 through its at-the-market offering. Share issuance costs related to this were \$80,252. The Company also issued 179,032 shares for payment of interest accrued and owing at December 31, 2020 (Note 6) with a fair value of \$193,364. Additionally, the Company issued 649,391 shares upon the conversion of 649 notes of the 2019 Senior Secured Convertible Notes (Note 6).

During the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021, the Company issued 2,625,644 shares at an approximate average price of \$1.24 for gross proceeds of \$3,266,548 through its at-the-market offering. Share issuance costs related to this were \$130,922. The Company issued 166,792 shares at a value of \$1.10 for services to complete a feasibility study at its Grassy Mountain Project (Note 4). The Company also issued 362,427 shares for payment of interest accrued and owing at June 30, 2020 and December 31, 2020 (Note 6) with a fair value of \$398,777. The Company also issued 1,200,000 shares upon the conversion of 1,200 of the 2019 Senior Secured Convertible Notes (Note 6).

During the three and nine-month period ended March 31, 2020, the Company issued 1,096,791 shares at a value of \$0.89 per share to Ausenco in exchange for services to complete a feasibility study at its Grassy Mountain Project (Note 4).



At March 31, 2021 there were 37,313,267 common shares issued and outstanding (June 30, 2020 – 32,958,404 common shares).

## Warrants

A summary of warrants exercisable into common stock activity as of March 31, 2021, and changes during the nine-month period ended is presented below:

	Warrants	Weighted Average Exercise Price	Weighted- Average Remaining Contractual Term (Years)	Aggregate Intrinsic Value (\$)
Outstanding at July 1, 2020	1,200,000	\$ 1.40	0.03	—
Issued	—	—	—	—
Expired	(1,200,000)	1.40	—	—
Exercised	—	—	—	—
Outstanding at March 31, 2021	—	\$ —	—	—

## Stock Options and Stock Based Compensation

Paramount's 2015 and 2016 Stock Incentive and Compensation Plans, which are stockholder-approved, permits the grant of stock options and stock to its employees and directors for up to 2.169 million shares of common stock. Option awards are generally granted with an exercise price equal to the market price of Paramount's stock at the date of grant and have contractual lives of 5 years. To better align the interests of its key executives, employees and directors with those of its stockholders, a significant portion of those stock option awards will vest contingent upon meeting certain stock price appreciation performance goals or other performance conditions. Option and stock awards provide for accelerated vesting if there is a change in control (as defined in the employee stock option plan).

During the three-month period ended March 31, 2021, the Company did not grant any stock options. During the three-month period ended March 31, 2021, share-based compensation expense relating to service condition options and performance condition was \$45,021 and \$35,843, respectively (2020- \$23,029 and \$44,477).

During the nine-month period ending March 31, 2021, a total of 755,000 stock options were granted by the Company. During the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021, share-based compensation expense relating to service condition options and performance condition was \$245,022 and \$114,731, respectively (2020- \$50,473 and \$76,539).

The fair value for these options was calculated using the Black-Scholes option valuations method. The weighted average assumptions used for the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021 and fiscal year ended June 30, 2020 were as follows:

	2021	2020
Weighted average risk-free interest rate	0.22%	1.60%
Weighted-average volatility	60%	61%
Expected dividends	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Weighted average expected term (years)	5.00	5.00
Weighted average fair value	\$ 0.57	\$ 0.39

A summary of option activity under the Stock Incentive and Compensation Plans as of March 31, 2021, and changes during the nine-month period ended are presented below:

<b>Options</b>	<b>Options</b>	<b>Weighted Average Exercise Price</b>	<b>Weighted-Average Remaining Contractual Term (Years)</b>	<b>Aggregate Intrinsic Value</b>
Outstanding at July 1, 2020	1,243,995	\$ 1.20	3.63	\$ 165,600
Granted	755,000	1.13	4.69	—
Exercised	—	—	—	—
Forfeited or expired	—	—	—	—
Outstanding at March 31, 2021	<u>1,998,995</u>	<u>\$ 1.17</u>	<u>3.56</u>	<u>\$ —</u>
Exercisable at March 31, 2021	<u>964,997</u>	<u>\$ 1.19</u>	<u>3.27</u>	<u>\$ —</u>

A summary of the status of Paramount's non-vested options as at July 1, 2020 and changes during the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021 is presented below:

<b>Non-vested Options</b>	<b>Options</b>	<b>Weighted-Average Grant-Date Fair Value</b>
Non-vested at July 1, 2020	943,992	\$ 0.51
Granted	755,000	0.57
Vested	664,994	0.50
Forfeited	—	—
Non-vested at March 31, 2021	<u>1,033,998</u>	<u>\$ 0.61</u>

As of March 31, 2021, there was \$218,173 of total unrecognized compensation cost related to non-vested share-based compensation arrangements granted under the employee share option plans. That cost is expected to be recognized over a weighted-average period of 0.93 years. The total fair value of stock based compensation arrangements vested during the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021 and 2020, was \$332,836 and \$49,408, respectively.

#### Note 6. Convertible Debt

	<b>Debt</b>			
	<b>March 31, 2021</b>		<b>June 30, 2020</b>	
	<b>Current</b>	<b>Non-Current</b>	<b>Current</b>	<b>Non-Current</b>
2019 Secured Convertible Notes	\$ —	\$ 4,277,690	\$ —	\$ 5,477,690
Less: unamortized discount and issuance costs	—	(131,223)	—	(221,462)
	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ 4,146,467</u>	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ 5,256,228</u>

In September 2019, the Company completed a private offering of 5,478 Senior Secured Convertible Notes ("2019 Convertible Notes") at \$975 per \$1,000 face amount due in 2023. Each 2019 Convertible Note will bear an interest rate of 7.5% per annum, payable semi-annually. The principal amount of the 2019 Convertible Notes will be convertible at a price of \$1.00 per share of Paramount common stock. Unamortized discount and issuance costs of \$275,883 will be amortized as an additional interest expense over the four year term of the 2019 Convertible Notes. During the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021, the Company amortized \$47,868 (2020-\$37,225) of discount and issuance costs. At any point after the second anniversary of the issuance of the convertible notes, Paramount may force conversion if the share price of its common stock remains above \$1.75 for 20 consecutive trading days. The convertible notes are secured by a lien on all assets of the Company and the Company is required to maintain a working capital balance of \$250,000.

During the three-month period ended March 31, 2021, 649 of the 2019 Convertible Notes outstanding were converted into 649,391 shares of common stock of the Company (Note 5) and \$21,611 of unamortized discount and issuance costs were debited to additional paid in capital to reflect the issued common stock.

During the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021, 1,200 of the 2019 Convertible Notes outstanding were converted into 1,200,000 shares of common stock of the Company (Note 5) and \$42,371 of unamortized discount and issuance costs were debited to additional paid in capital to reflect the issued common stock.

**Note 7. Mineral Properties**

The Company has capitalized acquisition costs on mineral properties as follows:

	<u>March 31, 2021</u>	<u>June 30, 2020</u>
Sleeper	\$ 24,147,585	\$ 24,147,585
Grassy Mountain	23,185,728	23,185,728
	<u>\$ 47,333,313</u>	<u>\$ 47,333,313</u>

Sleeper:

Sleeper is located in Humboldt County, Nevada, approximately 26 miles northwest of the town of Winnemucca. The Sleeper Gold Mine consists of 2,322 unpatented mining claims totaling approximately 38,300 acres.

Grassy Mountain:

The Grassy Mountain Project is located in Malheur County, Oregon, approximately 22 miles south of Vale, Oregon, and roughly 70 miles west of Boise, Idaho. It consists of 442 unpatented lode claims, 3 patented lode claims, and various leased fee land surface and surface/mineral rights, covering approximately 8,300 acres.

**Note 8. Reclamation and Environmental**

The Company has funds in a commutation account which is used to reimburse reclamation costs and indemnity claims at its Sleeper Gold Project. It also has provided financial security for future reclamation work in the form of reclamation bonds held by the U.S Bureau of Land Management (“BLM”) for the Sleeper Gold Project and Grassy Mountain Project. The balance of the commutation account and reclamation bonds at March 31, 2021 is 462,952 (June 30, 2020- \$695,041).

The Company holds an insurance policy which is in effect until 2033 related to its Sleeper Gold Project. The policy covers reclamation costs up to an aggregate of \$25 million in the event the Company’s commutation account is insufficient to cover any mandated reclamation obligations.

Reclamation and environmental costs are based principally on legal requirements. Management estimates costs associated with reclamation of mineral properties and properties under mine closure. On an ongoing basis the Company evaluates its estimates and assumptions, however, actual amounts could differ from those based on estimates and assumptions.

The asset retirement obligation at the Sleeper Gold Project has been measured using the following variables: 1) Expected costs for earthwork, re-vegetation, in-pit water treatment, on-going monitoring, labor and management, 2) Inflation adjustment, and 3) Market risk premium. The sum of the expected costs by year is discounted using the Company’s credit adjusted risk free interest rate from the time it expects to pay the retirement obligation to the time it incurs the obligation. The reclamation and environmental obligation recorded on the balance sheet is equal to the present value of the estimated costs.

The current undiscounted estimate of the reclamation costs for existing disturbances at the Sleeper Gold Project is \$4,010,403 as required by the BLM and the Nevada Department of Environmental Protection. Assumptions used to compute the asset retirement obligations as at March 31, 2021 and June 30, 2020 for the Sleeper Gold Project included a credit adjusted risk free rate and inflation rate of 9.76% (June 30, 2020– 9.76%) and 1.6% (June 30, 2020 – 1.6%), respectively. Expenses are expected to be incurred between the years 2021 and 2049.

Changes to the Company's asset retirement obligations for the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021 and the year ended June 30, 2020 are as follows:

	Nine-Month Period Ended March 31, 2021	Year Ended June 30, 2020
Balance at beginning of period	\$ 615,170	\$ 965,677
Accretion expense	45,030	94,591
Payments	(249,057)	(723,279)
Change in estimate of existing obligation	—	278,181
Balance at end of period	<u>\$ 411,143</u>	<u>\$ 615,170</u>

The balance of the asset retirement obligation of \$411,143 at March 31, 2021 (June 30, 2020 -\$615,170 ) is comprised of a current portion of 75,000 (June 30, 2020 -\$154,231 ) and a non-current portion of 336,143 (June 30, 2020 -\$460,939). The Company recorded an accretion expense for the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021 of \$45,030 (March 31, 2020 - \$70,942)

#### Note 9. Other Income

The Company's other income details for the three and nine-month period ended March 31, 2021 and 2020 were as follows:

	Three- Month Period Ended March 31, 2021	Nine- Month Period Ended March 31, 2021	Three- Month Period Ended March 31, 2020	Nine- Month Period Ended March 31, 2020
Re-imbursement of reclamation costs	\$ —	\$ 249,057	\$ 391,492	\$ 723,279
Leasing of water rights to third party	—	5,743	—	5,631
Total	<u>\$ —</u>	<u>\$ 254,800</u>	<u>\$ 391,492</u>	<u>\$ 728,910</u>

#### Note 10. Segmented Information:

Segmented information has been compiled based on the material mineral properties in which the Company performs exploration activities.

Expenses and mineral property carrying values by material project for the three and nine-month period ended March 31, 2021:

	Exploration Expenses		Land Holding Costs		Mineral Properties As at March 31, 2021
	Three-Month Period Ended March 31, 2021	Nine-Month Period Ended March 31, 2021	Three-Month Period Ended March 31, 2021	Nine-Month Period Ended March 31, 2021	
Sleeper Gold Project	\$ 219,185	\$ 651,070	\$ 106,906	\$ 320,715	\$24,147,585
Grassy Mountain Project	371,060	1,449,690	23,378	71,152	23,185,728
	<u>\$ 590,245</u>	<u>\$ 2,100,760</u>	<u>\$ 130,284</u>	<u>\$ 391,867</u>	<u>\$47,333,313</u>

Expenses for the three and nine-month period ended March 31, 2020 and mineral property carrying values as at June 30, 2020 by material project:

	Exploration Expenses		Land Holding Costs		Mineral Properties As at June 30, 2020
	Three-Month Period Ended March 31, 2020	Nine-Month Period Ended March 31, 2020	Three-Month Period Ended March 31, 2020	Nine-Month Period Ended March 31, 2020	
Sleeper Gold Project	\$ 99,962	\$ 761,271	\$ 106,903	\$ 316,605	\$ 24,147,585
Grassy Mountain Project	968,059	2,573,950	24,730	84,741	23,185,728
	<u>\$ 1,068,021</u>	<u>\$ 3,335,221</u>	<u>\$ 131,633</u>	<u>\$ 401,346</u>	<u>\$ 47,333,313</u>

**Note 11. Commitments and Contingencies:*****Lease Commitments***

The Company has an office premise lease that expires on June 30, 2021. The aggregate minimum rentals payable for these operating leases are as follows:

<u>Year</u>	<u>Total Amount</u>
2021	\$ 2,644

During the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021, \$41,951 was recognized as rent expense in the statement of operations and comprehensive loss.

***Other Commitments***

During the three-month period ended March 31, 2021, Paramount entered into an agreement to purchase 152 unpatented lode mining claims (“South Sleeper Claims”) located two miles south of the Company’s Sleeper Gold Project. With an effective date of April 6, 2021 and upon satisfaction of several closing conditions, Paramount has agreed to pay a total consideration of \$350,000 in a combination of cash and common stock of the Company. The mining claims are subject to a mineral production royalty based on net smelter returns of 1%. The South Sleeper Claims are without known mineral reserves.

Paramount has an agreement to acquire 44 mining claims (“Cryla Claims”) covering 589 acres located immediately to the west of the proposed Grassy Mountain site from Cryla LLC. Paramount is obligated to make annual lease payments of \$40,000 per year for the first two years of the lease term commencing in 2018 and \$60,000 per year thereafter with an option to purchase the Cryla Claims for \$560,000 at any time. The term of the agreement is 25 years. In the event Paramount exercises its option to acquire the Cryla Claims, all annual payments shall be credited against a production royalty that will be based on a prevailing price of the metals produced from the Cryla Claims. The royalty rate ranges between 2% and 4% based on the daily price of gold. The agreement with Cryla can be terminated by Paramount at any time. All lease payments under the agreement are up-to-date and no other payments were made during the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021. The Cryla Claims are without known mineral reserves and there is no current exploratory work being performed.

Paramount has an agreement with Nevada Select Royalty (“Nevada Select”) to purchase 100% of the Frost Project, which consists of 40 mining claims located approximately 12 miles west of its Grassy Mountain Project. A total consideration of \$250,000 payable to Nevada Select will be based on certain events over time. Nevada Select will retain a 2% NSR on the Frost Claims and Paramount has the right to reduce the NSR to 1% for a payment of \$1 million. During the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021, the Company made a payment to Nevada Select for \$15,000 upon receipt of its drilling permit from state and federal regulators and all required payments under the agreement are up-to-date as of March 31, 2021. The Frost Claims are without known mineral reserves.

**Note 12 Subsequent Events**

Subsequent to the period-ended March 31, 2021, the Company sold, pursuant to its “at the market” equity offering program, 138,307 shares at an approximate average price of \$1.06 per share for gross proceeds of \$145,965. Additionally, the Company issued 257,353 shares for the purchase of the South Sleeper Claims.

## **Item 2. Management’s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations.**

Certain statements in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q (“Form 10-Q”) constitute forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Forward-looking statements give the Company's current expectations and forecasts of future events. All statements other than statements of current or historical fact contained in this quarterly report, including statements regarding the Company's future financial position, business strategy, budgets, projected costs and plans and objectives of management for future operations, are forward-looking statements. The words “anticipate,” “believe,” “continue,” “estimate,” “expect,” “intend,” “may,” “plan,” and similar expressions, as they relate to the Company, are intended to identify forward-looking statements. These statements are based on the Company's current plans, and the Company's actual future activities and results of operations may be materially different from those set forth in the forward-looking statements. These forward-looking statements are subject to risks and uncertainties that could cause actual results to differ materially from the statements made. Any or all of the forward-looking statements in this quarterly report may turn out to be inaccurate. The Company has based these forward-looking statements largely on its current expectations and projections about future events and financial trends that it believes may affect its financial condition, results of operations, business strategy and financial needs. The forward-looking statements can be affected by inaccurate assumptions or by known or unknown risks, uncertainties and assumptions. Factors that could cause or contribute to these differences include those discussed below and elsewhere in this Form 10-Q, and in the risk factors on Form 10-K that was filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on September 25, 2020. The Company expressly disclaims any obligation or undertaking to disseminate any updates or revisions to any forward-looking statement contained herein, to reflect any change in our expectations with regard thereto, or any other change in events, conditions or circumstances on which any such statement is based.

### **Cautionary Note to U.S. Investors**

Paramount is subject to the reporting requirements of the Exchange Act and this filing and other U.S. reporting requirements are governed by the SEC Industry Guide 7. Additionally, Paramount is subject to certain reporting requirements under applicable Canadian securities laws with respect to our material mineral properties under National Instrument 43-101 Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects (NI 43-101) We caution investors that certain terms used under Canadian reporting requirements and definitions of NI 43-101 to describe mineralization may not be classified as a “reserve” unless the determination has been made that the mineralization could be economically and legally produced or extracted at the time the reserve determination is made. Therefore, investors are cautioned not to assume that all or any part of the mineralized material contained at any of our material projects will ever be converted to Industry Guide 7 compliant reserves.

### **Overview**

We are a company engaged in the business of acquiring, exploring and developing precious metal projects in the United States of America. Paramount owns advanced stage exploration projects in the states of Nevada and Oregon. We enhance the value of our projects by implementing exploration and engineering programs that have the goal to expand and upgrade known mineralized material to reserves. The following discussion updates our outlook and plan of operations for the foreseeable future. It also analyzes our financial condition and summarizes the results of our operations for the three and nine-month period ended March 31, 2021 and compares these results to the results of the prior year three and nine-month period ended March 31, 2020.

### **Operating Highlights:**

During the three-month period ended March 31, 2021, Paramount entered into an agreement to purchase 152 unpatented lode mining claims (“South Sleeper Claims”) located two miles south of the Company’s Sleeper Gold Project. Upon satisfaction of several closing conditions, Paramount has agreed to pay a total consideration of \$350,000 in a combination of cash and common stock of the Company. The mining claims are subject to a mineral production royalty based on net smelter returns of 1%. The South Sleeper Claims are without known mineral reserves. The transaction closed in April 2021 subsequent to the period ending March 31, 2021.

Also, during the three-month period ended March 31, 2021, Paramount continued to progress its permitting activities at its Grassy Mountain Project. In addition to conducting several meetings with the State of Oregon to address comments Paramount received on its initial Consolidated Mining Application, the Company received acceptance of its wildlife baseline data report for its proposed gold mine in Malheur County. To date, 20 of 22 baseline data reports have been accepted by the state regulators. The final two reports, ground water and geochemistry, are expected to be filed in advance of submitting the revised Consolidated Permit Application.

During the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021, the Company announced that the Oregon Water Resource Department (“OWRD”) had reviewed and approved the plans and specifications for the tailings dam proposed for the Grassy Mountain mine and stated that from a safety perspective the plans are construction ready. The OWRD reviewed the data within the Consolidated Permit Application which Paramount submitted in November 2019 and which included all tailings design drawings, safety analysis, field data collected and laboratory testing. The OWRD and its engineering team are required to review and evaluate the data and design, classify the hazard level (high, significant, or low hazard rating) and evaluate readiness for construction from a dam safety perspective. Considering the project’s remote geographic location, low population density, arid nature with no rivers or permanent streams in close proximity, seismic analysis and all other data compiled, OWRD has rated the dam as low hazard, its lowest risk level. The approval for construction is valid for 5 years with extensions possible on request.

In September 2020, we announced the results of a Canadian NI 43-101 Feasibility Study (“FS”) for our Grassy Mountain Project in Oregon. The FS was completed by a group of industry leading consulting firms led by Ausenco Engineering Canada Inc. (“Ausenco”) who managed the overall study and were responsible for processing and infrastructure design and oversaw metallurgical testing; Mine Development Associates (“MDA”) who updated the mineral resource estimate and completed the mine planning and reserves estimation; Golder Associates designed the tailings storage facility and EM Strategies oversaw the environmental aspects of the FS.

This mining scenario in the FS results in an average annual production of 47,000 ounces of gold and 55,000 ounces of silver for eight years. The metal prices used for the economic analysis includes \$1,472 per ounce of gold sold and \$16.64 per ounce of silver sold. The life of mine average cash operating costs are estimated to be \$583 per gold ounce including silver revenues as by product credit and the total initial capital requirements are estimated to be \$97.5 million resulting in a net present value of \$105 million using a 5% discount rate. In October, 2020, we filed the completed FS on SEDAR as required by Canadian security laws.

### **Outlook and Plan of Operation:**

We believe that investors will gain a better understanding of the Company if they understand how we measure and disclose our results. As an exploration and development company, we do not generate cash flow from our operations. We recognize the importance of managing our liquidity and capital resources. We pay close attention to all cash expenses and look for ways to minimize them when possible. We ensure we have sufficient cash on hand to meet our annual land holding costs as the maintenance of mining claims and leases are essential to preserve the value of our mineral property assets.

As reported in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended June 30, 2020 the Company expects to undertake the following activities:

### **Grassy Mountain Project:**

Paramount received the final Feasibility Study report from Ausenco during the three-month period ended December 31, 2020 and expects to focus its efforts on continued state and federal mining permitting for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021. As a follow up to submitting the Consolidated Permit Application (“CPA”) in November 2019, Paramount will respond to the State of Oregon’s CPA completeness review (“Review”) received in February 2019. The Review provided requests for additional information required by the Company and its proposed resolutions will assist the Company in submitting a revised CPA. The Company expects the revised CPA to address all the comments and requests for additional information with the objective of submitting a complete revised CPA that allows the State of Oregon to determine whether to issue a state mining permit for the Grassy Mountain Project. In addition to the State of Oregon permitting activities, Paramount expects to respond to BLM comments it received on its Plan of Operation (“PoO”). Once all the comments have been addressed and the PoO is deemed complete, the BLM will register a Notice in the Federal Register. The Notice initiates the EIS process under the National Environmental Policy Act. To complete these activities Paramount will engage specialized mining consulting firms, work with State and Federal contracted thirds parties and work directly with both state and federal permitting agencies.

### **Sleeper Gold Project:**

Paramount is planning to initiate several programs during the upcoming fiscal year that it believes will enhance the value of the Sleeper Gold Project. The programs planned include: 1) a review of all geological, geochemical and geophysical data for the purposes of generating targets for exploration drilling to locate additional higher-grade mineralization in the close proximity of the original Sleeper pit or in the large mining claim package owned by the Company; (2) evaluate the various successful metallurgical tests, previously conducted on the sulfide bearing mineralized material in order to optimize the best economic alternatives and increase the number of gold ounces that could be produced in a proposed mining scenario. (this could include bio or alkaline oxidation in a heap leach scenario, flotation and oxidation and gold recoveries from concentrates); and (3) update the resource estimation and preliminary economic assessment with the best alternatives identified for the project.

## **Frost Project:**

The Company will implement an initial reverse circulation drill program to test historical drill results and additional selective targets.

## **COVID-19 Update**

Paramount continues to monitor the evolution of the COVID-19 pandemic and continues to evaluate its business activities and plans. Our priority is to ensure the health and safety of our employee and consultants. We continue to perform the majority of our activities remotely with a limited amount of on-site or in-office attendance only when required. Video conferencing has replaced in-person participation in conferences, permitting and other corporate meeting and activities that typically required corporate travel.

## **Comparison of Operating Results for the three and nine-months ended March 31, 2021 and 2020**

### **Results of Operations**

We did not earn any revenue from mining operations for the three and nine-months ended March 31, 2021 and 2020. During the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021, we completed and filed a comprehensive feasibility study on the Grassy Mountain Project.

### **Net Loss**

Our net loss for the three-months ended March 31, 2021 was \$1,354,467 compared to a net loss of \$1,440,372 in the previous year. The drivers of the decrease in net loss of 6% are fully described below.

Our net loss for the nine-months ended March 31, 2021 was \$4,460,874 compared to a net loss of \$4,789,388 in the previous year. The decrease in net loss of 7% is fully described below.

The Company expects to incur losses for the foreseeable future as we continue with our planned exploration and development programs.

### **Expenses**

#### ***Exploration and Land Holding Costs***

For the three-month period ended March 31, 2021, exploration expenses were \$590,245 compared to \$1,068,021 in the prior year comparable period. This represents a decrease of 45% or \$477,776. During the three-month period ended March 31, 2021, the Company continued with permitting activities with the State of Oregon and the BLM for its Grassy Mountain Project and began a technical review of its Sleeper Gold Project. In the prior year comparable period the company incurred full period costs related to completing the feasibility study. Included were expenses related to the Company's reclamation activities at the Sleeper Project. Total exploration expenses at the Grassy Mountain Project during the current three-month period were \$371,059.

For the three-month period ended March 31, 2021, land holding costs were \$130,284 compared to \$131,633 in the prior year comparable period. The marginal decrease of land holding costs from the prior year comparable period was due to the expiry of a lease term on non-material BLM mining claims owned by a third party.

For the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021, exploration expenses were \$2,100,760 compared to \$3,335,221 in the prior year comparable period. This represents a decrease of 37% or \$1,234,461. During the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021, the Company completed a feasibility study for its Grassy Mountain project. The Company also has been working with the State of Oregon to address information requests required to advance the permitting process and submit a revised consolidated permit application. In the prior year comparable period the company incurred full period costs related to completing the feasibility study and incurred a higher level of permitting costs to prepare and submit its comprehensive CPA with the State of Oregon. Included in the Company's exploration expenses were costs related to reclamation activities performed at the Sleeper Project. Total exploration expenses at the Grassy Mountain Project during the current six-month period were \$1,449,690.

For the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021, land holding costs were \$391,867 compared to \$401,346 in the prior year comparable period. The marginal decrease of land holding costs from the prior year comparable period was due to the expiry of a lease term on non-material BLM mining claims owned by a third party.



### ***Salaries and Benefits***

For the three-month period ended March 31, 2021, salary and benefits increased by 21% or by \$48,680 to \$277,360 from the prior year's three-month period ended March 31, 2020. Salary and benefits is comprised of cash and stock based compensation of the Company's executive and corporate administration teams. The increase primarily reflects higher stock-based compensation to management and staff that was recorded during the three-month period ended March 31, 2021 compared to the three-month period ended March 31, 2020. Included in the salary and benefits expense amount for the three-month period ended March 31, 2021 and 2020 was a non-cash stock-based compensation of \$60,470 and \$23,361, respectively.

For the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021, salary and benefits increased by 50% or by \$372,868 to \$1,113,237 from the prior year's nine-month period ended March 31, 2020. The increase primarily reflects higher incentive cash compensation and stock-based compensation to management and staff that was recorded during the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021 compared to the nine-month period ended March 31, 2020. Included in the salary and benefits expense amount for the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021 and 2020 was a non-cash stock-based compensation of \$273,382 and \$34,970, respectively.

### ***Directors' Compensation***

For the three-month period ended March 31, 2021, directors' compensation increased by 41% or by \$11,336 to \$38,891 from the prior year's three-month period ended March 31, 2020. Directors' compensation consists of cash and stock-based compensation of the Company's board of directors. The increase reflects the additional stock-based compensation recorded in the current quarter compared to the prior year's comparable period.

For the nine-month period March 31, 2021, directors' compensation increased by 78% or by \$50,503 to \$115,002 from the prior year's nine-month period ended March 31, 2020. The increase reflects the additional stock-based compensation recorded in the current six-month period compared to the prior-year's comparable period.

### ***Professional Fees and General and Administration***

For the three-month period ended March 31, 2021, professional fees were \$21,812 compared to \$35,477 in the prior year's comparable period. This represents a decrease of 39% or \$13,665. Professional fees included legal, advisory and consultant expenses incurred on corporate and operational activities being performed by the Company on a period-by-period basis.

For the three-month period ended March 31, 2021, general and administration expenses decreased by 19% to \$130,615 from \$160,868 in the prior year comparable period. The decrease in general and administration expenses from the previous year's comparable period the Company were due to reduced travel related expenses due to the travel restrictions resulting from the COVID-19 global pandemic.

For the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021, professional fees were \$94,964 compared to \$124,809 in the prior year's comparable period. This represents a decrease of 24%. Professional fees included legal, advisory and consultant expenses incurred on corporate and operational activities being performed by the Company on a period-by-period basis.

For the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021, general and administration expenses decreased by 13% to \$369,492 from \$423,736 in the prior year comparable period. The decrease in general and administration expenses from the previous year's comparable period the Company were due to reduced travel related expenses due to the travel restrictions resulting from the COVID-19 global pandemic.

### ***Liquidity and Capital Resources***

As an exploration and development company, Paramount funds its operations, reclamation activities and discretionary exploration programs with its cash on hand. At March 31, 2021, we had cash and cash equivalents of \$4,607,317 compared to \$5,434,081 as at June 30, 2020. In May 2020, the Company established an \$8.0 million "at the market" equity offering program with Cantor Fitzgerald & Co. and Canaccord Genuity LLC to proactively increase its financial flexibility. During the three and nine-months ended March 31, 2021, the Company issued 1,897,863 and 2,625,644 shares for net proceeds of \$2,238,270 and \$3,135,626 under the program, respectively.

The main uses of cash for the nine-month period ended March 31, 2021 comprised of the following material amounts:

- Cash used in operating activities which included general and administration expenses, land holding costs, exploration programs at our Grassy Mountain and Sleeper Gold Projects and reclamation activities of \$3,962,390

We anticipate our operating expenditures for the remainder of the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021 to be as follows:

- \$0.5 million on corporate administration expenses (expenses include executive management and employee salaries, legal, audit, marketing and other general and administrative expenses)
- \$0.75 million to \$1 million on the Sleeper Gold Project (expenses include exploration programs, reclamation costs, employee salary and benefits, and land holding costs) and approximately \$0.09 million for the purchase of the South Sleeper claims
- \$0.8 million on the Grassy Mountain Project and Frost Project (expenses include consulting fees, land holding costs and general and administration expenses, environmental impact statement preparation, and costs associated with the State of Oregon permit revised CPA)

Our anticipated expenditures will be funded by our cash on hand and by other capital resources. Historically, we and other similar exploration and development public companies have accessed capital through equity financing arrangements or by the sale of royalties on its mineral properties. If, however we are unable to obtain additional capital or financing, our exploration and development activities will be significantly adversely affected.

### **Critical Accounting Policies**

Management considers the following policies to be most critical in understanding the judgments that are involved in preparing the Company's consolidated financial statements and the uncertainties that could impact the results of operations, financial condition and cash flows. Our financial statements are affected by the accounting policies used and the estimates and assumptions made by management during their preparation. Management believes the Company's critical accounting policies are those related to mineral property acquisition costs, exploration and development cost, stock-based compensation, derivative accounting and foreign currency translation.

#### *Mineral property acquisition costs*

The Company capitalizes the cost of acquiring mineral properties and will amortize these costs over the useful life of a property following the commencement of production or expense these costs if it is determined that the mineral property has no future economic value or the properties are sold or abandoned. Costs include cash consideration and the fair market value of shares issued on the acquisition of mineral properties. Properties acquired under option agreements, whereby payments are made at the sole discretion of the Company, are recorded in the accounts of the specific mineral property at the time the payments are made.

The amounts recorded as mineral properties reflect actual costs incurred to acquire the properties and do not indicate any present or future value of economically recoverable reserves.

#### *Exploration expenses*

We record exploration expenses as incurred. When we determine that a precious metal resource deposit can be economically and legally extracted or produced based on established proven and probable reserves, further exploration expenses related to such reserves incurred after such a determination will be capitalized. To date, we have not established any proven or probable reserves and will continue to expense exploration expenses as incurred.

#### *Stock Based Compensation*

For stock option grants with market conditions that affect vesting, the Company uses a lattice approach incorporating a Monte Carlo simulation to value stock option granted.

For stock option grants that have no market conditions that affect vesting, the Company uses the Black-Scholes option valuation model to value stock options granted. The Black-Scholes option valuation model was developed for use in estimating the fair value of traded options that have no vesting restrictions and are fully transferable. The model requires management to make estimates which are subjective and may not be representative of actual results. Changes in assumptions can materially affect estimates of fair values.

For stock option grants with performance conditions that affect vesting, the Company recognizes the compensation expense when the Company concludes that it is probable that the performance condition will be achieved. The Company reassesses the probability of achieving the performance condition at each reporting date.

### *Use of Estimates*

The Company prepares its consolidated financial statements and notes in conformity to United States Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (“U.S. GAAP”) and requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. On an ongoing basis, management evaluates these estimates, including those related to allowances for doubtful accounts receivable, long-lived assets and asset retirement obligations. Management bases these estimates on historical experience and on various other assumptions that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis of making judgments about the carrying value of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates under different assumptions or conditions.

### **Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements**

We are not currently a party to, or otherwise involved with, any off-balance sheet arrangements that have or are reasonably likely to have a current or future material effect on our financial condition, changes in financial condition, revenues or expenses, results of operations, liquidity, or capital resources.

### **Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk.**

#### **Foreign Currency Exchange Rate Risk**

The Company holds cash balances in both U.S. and Canadian dollars. We transact most of our business in US dollars. We do not manage our foreign currency exchange rate risk through the use of financial or derivative instruments, forward contracts or hedging activities.

In general, the strengthening of the U.S. dollar will positively impact our expenses transacted in Canadian dollars. Conversely, any weakening of the U.S dollar will increase our expenses transacted in Canadian dollars. We do not believe that any weakening of the U.S. dollar as compared to the Canadian dollar will have an adverse material effect on our operations.

#### **Interest Rate Risk**

The Company's investment policy for its cash and cash equivalents is focused on the preservation of capital and supporting the liquidity requirements of the Company. The Company's interest earned on its cash balances is impacted on the fluctuations of U.S. interest rates. We do not use interest rate derivative instruments to manage exposure to interest rate changes. We do not believe that interest rate fluctuations will have any material effect on our operations.

#### **Item 4. Controls and Procedures.**

##### **(a) Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures**

Our management, with the participation of our Chief Executive Officer and our Chief Financial Officer, evaluated the effectiveness of the design and operation of our disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e) under the Exchange Act) and determined that our disclosure controls and procedures were effective as of the end of the period covered by this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q. The evaluation considered the procedures designed to ensure that the information required to be disclosed by us in reports filed or submitted under the Exchange Act is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the SEC's rules and forms and communicated to our management as appropriate to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure.

##### **(b) Changes in Internal Control over Financial Reporting**

During the period covered by this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q, there was no change in our internal control over financial reporting (as such term is defined in Rules 13a-15(d) and 13d-15(d) under the Exchange Act) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

##### **(c) Inherent Limitations of Disclosure Controls and Internal Controls over Financial Reporting**

Because of its inherent limitations, disclosure controls and internal controls over financial reporting may not prevent or detect misstatements. Projections of any evaluation or effectiveness to future periods are subject to risks that controls may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

## **PART II – OTHER INFORMATION**

#### **Item 1A. Risk Factors.**

There have been no material changes in our risk factors from those disclosed in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended June 30, 2020.

#### **Item 2. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds.**

#### **Item 4. Mine Safety Disclosures.**

Not applicable.

## PART IV

### Item 6. Exhibits.

- (a) Index to Exhibits

<b>Exhibit Number</b>	<b>Description</b>
31.1*	<a href="#"><u>Certification of Principal Executive Officer Pursuant to Rules 13a-14(a) and 15d-14(a) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as Adopted Pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.</u></a>
31.2*	<a href="#"><u>Certification of Principal Financial Officer Pursuant to Rules 13a-14(a) and 15d-14(a) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as Adopted Pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.</u></a>
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