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# EV NICKEL DRILLING UPDATE: PHASE 2 COMPLETED ON THE HIGH-GRADE W4 EXTENSION AND PHASE 3 INITIATED ON THE LARGE-SCALE CARLANG TARGET

- Phase 2 drilling was completed on the High-Grade W4 Extension, with Assay results over the coming months
- Phase 3 drilling began last week on the Large-Scale CarLang Target, in the northeast of EVNi's property
- The previously announced non-brokered Private Placement has been fully allocated to investors and is now expected to close on or before July 15<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**TORONTO, ON – EV Nickel Inc. (TSX-V: EVNI)** ("EVNi" or the "Company") is pleased to update on its exploration drilling related to its Shaw Dome Nickel Project, southeast of Timmins, Ontario.

The Company's Phase 2 drilling is now complete. and tested the down plunge potential of the High-Grade Langmuir W4 Zone. This work is targeting the "W4 Extension" of the currently defined mineralized envelope with an objective of identifying additional high-grade nickel mineralization targeting the area between 200 and 500 metres from surface. Results will be published as they are received this summer.

EV Nickel immediately shifted into Phase 3, starting with the Large-Scale CarLang Target in the northeast of the Company's land package. The drills have been mobilized and initiated diamond drilling and the exploration team has begun to see core from this target.

Management conducted an interview related to the Exploration Drilling, outlining Phases 1 through 4 and the plans for a future Technical Report. That is now posted online and <u>can be viewed by clicking here</u>.

Investors can jump straight to discussion of Phase 3 here, or Phase 4 here.

"As we shift to the Northeast of our land package, we are very interested to see what this Large-Scale target holds" states Sean Samson, President, CEO of EV Nickel. "Our strategy is to combine the High-Grade mineralization like we have at W4 and has been historically mined across the Shaw Dome with the enormous potential of the Large-Scale mineralization we now hope to prove out in Phase 3 and future phases, exploring these huge dunitic targets."

# Non-brokered Private Placement (previously announced)

The Company is currently managing a non-brokered private placement (the "Offering") for gross proceeds of up to C\$2,000,000 from the sale of any combination of flow-through units of the Company (each, a "FT Unit") at a price of C\$0.18 per FT Unit and FT Units to be sold to charitable purchasers (each, a "Charity FT Unit") at a price of C\$0.24 per Charity FT Unit. Each FT Unit and Charity FT Unit will consist of one common share of the Company to be issued as a "flow-through share" within the meaning of the Income Tax Act (Canada) and one half of one common share purchase warrant (each whole warrant, a "Warrant"). Each Warrant will entitle the holder thereof to purchase one common share of the Company at a price of C\$0.25 for a period of 24 months following the closing date of the Offering. The Proceeds of the Offering will be primarily used towards Phase 3 exploration on the Shaw Dome Project. (For further information, please consult the News Release from June 15, 2022.)

As an update, the Offering has now been fully allocated to investors and the Company expects to close on or before July 15, 2022. There has been a delay related to the complexity involved in structuring the Charity FT Units.

#### **About EV Nickel Inc.**

EV Nickel's mission is to accelerate the transition to clean energy. It is a Canadian nickel exploration company, focussed on the Shaw Dome area, south of Timmins, Ontario. In addition to extensive historic production, the Shaw Dome area is home to the Langmuir W4 Zone, the basis of a 2010 historical estimate of 677K tonnes @ 1.00% Ni, ~15M lbs of Class 1 Nickel. EV Nickel plans to grow and advance a Clean Nickel TM business, targeting the growing demand for Class 1 Nickel from the electric vehicle battery sector. EV Nickel has more than 30,000 hectares to explore and has identified more than 100km of favourable strike length.

# **Qualified Person**

The Company's Projects are under the direct technical supervision of Paul Davis, P.Geo., and Vice-President of the Company. Mr. Davis is a Qualified Person as defined by NI 43-101. He has reviewed and approved the technical information in this press release. There are no known factors that could materially affect the reliability of the information verified by Mr. Davis.

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