

CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the years ended November 30, 2022 and 2021

(Expressed in Canadian Dollars)

Management's Responsibility for Financial Reporting

The accompanying consolidated financial statements of Galleon Gold Corp. and all the information contained in the consolidated financial statements are the responsibility of management and have been approved by the Board of Directors. They have been prepared by management in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, consistently applied, which are based upon International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board. Some amounts included in the financial statements correspond to management's best estimates and have been derived with careful judgment. Financial information in the Management's Discussion and Analysis for the year ended November 30, 2022 is consistent with these financial statements.

Management has established a system of internal control that it believes provides reasonable assurance that, in all material respects, transactions are authorized, assets are safeguarded from loss or unauthorized use, and financial records are reliable for the purpose of preparing financial statements. The Board of Directors carries out its responsibilities for the financial statements through the Audit Committee which is composed of three independent directors. The Audit Committee periodically reviews and discusses financial reporting matters with Galleon Gold Corp.'s auditors, Grant Thornton LLP, as well as with management.

"R. David Russell"

R. David Russell, Executive Chairman and Chief Executive Officer "Sonia Agustina"
Sonia Agustina
Chief Financial Officer

March 23, 2023



Grant Thornton LLP Suite 501 201 City Centre Drive, Mississauga, Ontario L5B 2T4

T +1 416 369 7076 F +1 905 804 0509

Independent auditor's report

To the Shareholders of Galleon Gold Corp.

Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements Galleon Gold Corporation and its subsidiaries (the "Company"), which comprise the consolidated statements of financial position as at November 30, 2022, and 2021 and consolidated statements of loss and comprehensive loss, consolidated statements of changes in equity, and consolidated statements of cash flows for the years then ended, and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of Galleon Gold Corp. as at November 30, 2022 and 2021, and its consolidated financial performance and its consolidated cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS).

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Material Uncertainty Related to Going Concern

We draw attention to Note 1 in the consolidation financial statements, which indicates that additional funding will be necessary to advance the Company's ongoing operations. This condition, along with the matters set forth in Note 1, indicate the existence of a material uncertainty that may cast significant doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

Information Other than the Consolidated Financial Statements and Auditor's Report Thereon

Management is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the Management Discussion and Analysis but does not include the consolidated financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

We obtained the Management Discussion and Analysis prior to the date of this auditor's report. If, based on the work we have performed, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS), and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements,
 whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and
 obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk
 of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from
 error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the
 override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures
 that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the
 effectiveness of the Company's internal control.

- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements.
 We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor's report is Kathleen Quinn.

Mississauga, Canada March 23, 2023 Chartered Professional Accountants Licensed Public Accountants

Grant Thornton LLP

GALLEON GOLD CORP. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION (Expressed in Canadian dollars)

As at	Notes		November 30, 2022		November 30, 2021
Assets					
Cash	4	\$	517,218	\$	1,074,656
Restricted cash equivalents	4	*	40.000	,	40,000
Taxes receivable	5		144,393		105,303
Prepaid expenses			116,177		87,995
Marketable securities	6		753,112		544,084
Total current assets			1,570,900		1,852,038
Property, plant and equipment	7		160,492		191,948
Exploration and evaluation assets	8		25,142,032		22,141,630
Royalty interest	9		1		1
Reclamation bond	8		118,195		111,930
Total assets		\$	26,991,620	\$	24,297,547
Liabilities and shareholders' equity Current					
Account payable and accrued liabilities	10	\$	1,676,045	\$	1,672,634
Accrued penalties and part XII.6 taxes	20		1,791,911		1,881,698
Current portion of mortgage payable	11		-		145,644
Total current liabilities			3,467,956		3,699,976
Flow-through share premium liability	12		40,957		
Total Liabilities			3,508,913		3,699,976
Shareholders' equity					
Share capital	12		77,083,161		74,508,589
Reserves	13		7,531,016		8,520,673
Accumulated other comprehensive income			1,440,279		1,415,742
Deficit			(62,571,749)		(63,847,433)
Total shareholders' equity			23,482,707		20,597,571
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity		\$	26,991,620	\$	24,297,547

NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND GOING CONCERN (Note 1) COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT LIABILITIES (Note 20) SUBSEQUENT EVENTS (Note 22)

Approved on behalf of the board of directors:

"R. David Russell"	"Thomas S. Kofman"
R. David Russell, Director	Thomas Kofman, Director

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

GALLEON GOLD CORP. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF LOSS AND COMPREHENSIVE LOSS

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

For the years ended	Note]	November 30, 2022	November 30, 2021
T.				
Expenses	1.4	Φ.	2 122 555	Φ 2.600.27.6
Administration and general	14	\$	2,432,555	\$ 2,690,276
Business development			500	65,472
(Reversal of impairment) impairment of exploration and			-	
evaluation assets	8		(1,521,873)	2,317
Operating loss			(911,182)	(2,758,065)
Other income (expenses):				
Interest (expense) income			(20,998)	14,364
Dividend income	6		100,587	- -
Finance expense	11		(4,356)	(8,247)
Gain on sale of exploration and evaluation properties	8		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	862,662
Unrealized (loss) gain on marketable securities	6		(398,178)	272,605
Realized gain on marketable securities	6		4,320	158,329
Flow-through premium income	12		252,964	1,117,545
Foreign exchange loss			5,059	(3,853)
Net loss for the year		\$	(971,784)	\$ (344,660)
Others assume have been				
Other comprehensive loss			24.527	(15.201)
Currency translation adjustment			24,537	(15,291)
Total comprehensive loss for the year		\$	(947,247)	\$ (359,951)
Loss per share - basic and diluted		\$	(0.02)	\$ (0.01)
Weighted average number of shares			52,096,465	46,510,161

GALLEON GOLD CORP.

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY
(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

				RESE	RVE	S			
		•	Sh	nare based			 cumulated other orehensive		Total shareholders'
	Sha	are Capital		ayments	,	Warrants	 income	Deficit	equity
Balance, November 30, 2021	\$	74,508,589	\$	1,513,109	\$	7,007,564	\$ 1,415,742 \$	(63,847,433)	\$ 20,597,571
Net loss		-		-		-	-	(971,784)	(971,784)
Issued on private placement (Note 12)		2,330,072		-		756,373	-	-	3,086,445
Shares issued for West Cache (Note 8)		244,500		-		-	-	-	244,500
Share-based compensation (Note 13)		-		501,438		-	-	-	501,438
Expiry of options (Note 13)		-		(87,381)		-	-	87,381	-
Expiry of warrants (Note 13)		-		-		(2,160,087)	-	2,160,087	-
Currency translation		-		-		-	24,537	-	24,537
Balance, November 30, 2022	\$	77,083,161	\$	1,927,166	\$	5,603,850	\$ 1,440,279 \$	(62,571,749)	\$ 23,482,707
Balance, November 30, 2020	\$	73,778,988	\$	980,602	\$	6,841,766	\$ 1,431,033 \$	(63,480,571)	\$ 19,551,818
Net loss		-		-		-	-	(344,660)	(344,660)
Shares issued for a settlement (Note 12)		701,112		-		93,150	-	-	794,262
Exercise of warrants (Note 13)		28,489		-		(13,603)	-	-	14,886
Expiry of options (Note 13)		-		(64,049)		-	-	64,049	-
Share-based compensation (Note 13)		-		596,556		-	-	-	596,556
Extension of warrants (Note 13)		-		-		86,251	-	(86,251)	-
Currency translation		-		-		-	(15,291)	-	(15,291)
Balance, November 30, 2021	\$	74,508,589	\$	1,513,109	\$	7,007,564	\$ 1,415,742 \$	(63,847,433)	\$ 20,597,571

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

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

For the years ended November 30,	2022	2021
Operating activities		
Net loss for the year	\$ (971,784) \$	(344,660)
Items not affecting cash:		
Depreciation	39,289	37,070
Finance expense	4,356	8,247
Dividend income	(100,587)	-
Share-based compensation	409,953	472,094
Unrealized loss (gain) on marketable securities	398,178	(272,604)
Realized gain on marketable securities	(4,320)	(158,329)
Gain on sale of exploration and evaluation properties	-	(862,662)
(Reversal of impairment) impairment of exploration and		, , ,
evaluation assets	(1,521,873)	2,317
Flow-through premium income	(252,964)	(1,117,545)
Changes in non-cash working capital items:		
Taxes receivable	(39,090)	281,103
Prepaid expenses	(28,182)	(19,847)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(571,726)	160,823
Accrued penalties and part XII.6 taxes	(89,787)	-
Total cash flow used in operating activities	(2,728,537)	(1,813,993)
Investing activities		
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	-	(86,168)
Addition to exploration and evaluation properties	(2,053,681)	(5,993,178)
Proceeds from option payment on Chester property	- -	200,000
Proceeds from sale of exploration and evaluation assets	999,100	642,665
Proceeds from sale of marketable securities	23,240	222,110
Total cash flow used in investing activities	(1,031,341)	(5,014,571)
Financing activities		
Proceeds from a private placement, net of issuance costs	3,380,366	_
Repayment of mortgage payable	(150,000)	(150,000)
Proceeds from exercise of warrants	-	14,886
Total cash flow generated from (used in) financing activities	3,230,366	(135,114)
Currency translation adjustments	(27,926)	(9,430)
Decrease in cash during the year	(557,438)	(6,973,108)
Cash, beginning of the year	1,114,656	8,087,764
Cash, end of the year	\$ 557,218 \$	1,114,656
<u> </u>	,	, ,
Cash	\$ 517,218 \$	1,074,656
Restricted cash equivalents	 40,000	40,000
Total cash and cash equivalents	\$ 557,218 \$	1,114,656

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

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND GOING CONCERN

Galleon Gold Corp. (the "Company" or "Galleon Gold") is a corporation domiciled in Canada, originally incorporated under the laws of British Columbia, Canada, and subsequently continued under the *Canada Business Corporations Act*. The address of the Company's registered head office is TD Canada Trust Tower, 161 Bay Street, Suite 2700, Toronto, ON, M5J 2S1. The Company's common shares are listed on the TSX Venture Exchange ("TSX-V") under the symbol "GGO".

The Company is in the business of acquiring, exploring, and developing mineral properties in Canada and the United States, primarily those containing gold, silver, platinum group elements (PGEs), copper, nickel and associated base and precious metals. The Company is in the process of exploring its exploration and evaluation properties and as of the date of these consolidated financial statements, the Company has not yet determined whether they contain reserves that are economically recoverable. Accordingly, exploration and evaluation properties are recorded at cost on a property-by-property basis, less impairment. The recoverability of the exploration and evaluation costs is dependent upon the existence of economically recoverable reserves, the ability to obtain financing to complete the development of such reserves and meet obligations under various agreements, and future profitable production or, alternatively, upon the Company's ability to recover its costs through a disposition of its exploration and evaluation resource properties.

During the year ended November 30, 2022, the Company had a net loss of \$971,784 (2021 – \$344,660), negative cash flow from operations of \$2,728,537 (2021 – \$1,813,993) and working capital deficiency as at November 30, 2022 of \$1,897,055 (November 30, 2021 – \$1,847,938). The Company is subject to risks and challenges similar to companies in a comparable stage of exploration. As a result of these risks, there are material uncertainties which cast significant doubt as to the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. The Company does not have any revenue generating properties or activities and will need to continue to obtain additional financing to execute exploration and development activities and discharge its day-to-day obligations. There is no assurance that the Company's funding initiatives will be successful, and these consolidated financial statements do not reflect the adjustments to carrying values of assets and liabilities and the reported and consolidated statements of financial position classifications that would be necessary if the going concern assumption was inappropriate. These adjustments could be material.

2. BASIS OF PREPARATION

(a) Statement of compliance

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with *Internal Financial Reporting Standards* ("IFRS") as issued by the *International Accounting Standards Board* ("IASB"). The accounting policies, methods of computation and presentation applied in these consolidated financial statements are consistent with those of the previous financial years.

These consolidated financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors and authorized for issue on March 23, 2023.

(b) Basis of measurement

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis except for certain investments measured at fair value.

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

2. BASIS OF PREPARATION (continued)

(c) Basis of consolidation

These consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and its subsidiaries. Subsidiaries are entities controlled by the Company. Control exists when the Company has power over an investee, when the Company is exposed, or has rights, to variable returns from the investee and when the Company has the ability to affect those returns through its power over the investee. Subsidiaries are included in the consolidated financial statements from the date control is obtained until the date control ceases.

Intercompany assets and liabilities, equity, income, expenses, and cash flows between the Company and its subsidiaries are eliminated on consolidation.

The principal subsidiaries of the Company as at November 30, 2022 were as follows:

Entity	Location	Ownership interest
Explor Resources Inc. ("Explor")	Canada	100%
Nevada Star Resources Corp. ("Nevada Star")	United States	100%
Neal Development Limited Partnership ("Neal LP")	United States	80%

(d) Functional and presentation currency

These consolidated financial statements are presented in Canadian dollars, which is Explor's and the Company's functional currency. The functional currency for Nevada Star Resources Corp. and Neal LP is the United States (US) dollar.

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

(a) Foreign currency translation

Translation of foreign operations

The functional currency for the Company and its subsidiaries is the currency of the primary economic environment in which each operates.

Translation of all assets and liabilities from the US dollar functional currency to the presentation currency is performed using the exchange rate prevailing on the reporting date. The differences arising upon translation from the functional currency to the presentation currency are recorded as currency translation adjustments in other comprehensive income or loss.

Translation of all income and expenses from the US dollar functional currency to the presentation currency are performed using the average exchange rate for the year with translation gains and losses recorded as currency translation adjustments in other comprehensive income or loss.

Foreign currency transactions and balances

Foreign currency transactions are translated into the functional currency using the exchange rates prevailing at the dates of the transactions. Foreign exchange gains and losses resulting from the settlement of such transactions and from the translation at year end exchange rates of monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are recognized in the statement of income or loss. Non-monetary items are not retranslated at year-end and are measured at historical cost (translated using the exchange rates at the transaction date).

(b) Cash and restricted cash equivalents

Cash and restricted cash equivalents include cash on account and demand deposits. Funds that are not available for use by the Company are noted as restricted.

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

(c) Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment is recorded at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses. Depreciation is provided for beginning from the time the property, plant and equipment is utilized, based on the estimated useful lives of the assets using the following annual rates and methods:

Office equipment 20% diminishing balance
Computer hardware 30% diminishing balance
Field equipment 10-50% diminishing balance
Vehicle 20% diminishing balance

When parts of an item of property, plant and equipment have different useful lives, they are accounted for as separate items (major components) of property, plant and equipment and amortized according to their respective useful lives.

(d) Exploration and evaluation properties

Exploration and evaluation costs, including the acquisitions costs, are capitalized as exploration and evaluation properties on a property-by-property basis pending determination of the technical feasibility and commercial viability of the project.

Capitalized costs include all costs incurred in exploration and evaluation of potential mineral reserves and resources, such as exploratory drilling and sample testing and the costs of pre-feasibility studies. General and administrative costs are only allocated to the asset to the extent that those costs can be directly related to operational activities in the relevant area of interest. Costs incurred before the Company has obtained the legal rights to explore an area are recognized in the profit and loss.

The recoverability of the amounts shown for exploration and evaluation properties is dependent upon the existence of economically recoverable reserves, the ability to obtain financing to complete the development of such reserves and meet obligations under various agreements, and future profitable production or, alternatively, upon the Company's ability to recover its costs through a disposition of its exploration and evaluation properties. If a project does not prove to be viable, all unrecoverable costs associated therewith would be written off. The amounts shown for exploration and evaluation of the properties do not necessarily represent present or future value. Changes in future conditions could require a material change in the amount recorded for exploration and evaluation.

(e) Royalty interest

The Company records its royalty interest at cost, net of impairment charges. Royalty revenues received from the royalty interest are recorded against the capitalized amount when received. Royalty revenues received in excess of the capitalized amount are recorded as revenue on the statement of income (loss) when received. Where a potential impairment is indicated, assessments are performed for each area of interest. Any royalty interest that is not expected to be recovered is charged to the results of operations.

(f) Impairment of exploration and evaluation properties and royalty interest

The carrying value of exploration and evaluation properties and royalty interest are reviewed at each reporting date for impairment whenever events or circumstances indicate the recoverable amount may be less than the carrying amount. The recoverable amount is the greater of its value-in-use and its fair value less costs of disposal.

Value-in-use is based on estimates of discounted future cash flows expected to be recovered from an asset or the smallest group of assets that largely generates independent cash inflows (cash generating units or "CGUs") through their use. Estimated future cash flows are calculated using estimates of future recoverable reserves and resources, future commodity prices and expected future operating and capital costs. Once calculated, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset.

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Fair value less costs of disposal is the amount obtainable from the sale of an asset or CGU in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date, less the costs of disposal. Costs of disposal are incremental costs directly attributable to the disposal of an asset or CGU, excluding finance costs and income tax expense.

An impairment loss is recognized when the carrying value of an asset held for use exceeds its estimated recoverable amount. Impairment losses recognized in respect of CGUs are allocated to reduce the carrying amounts of the other assets in the unit (group of units) on a pro rata basis. Assumptions, such as commodity prices, discount rate, and expenditures, underlying the fair value estimates are subject to risks and uncertainties. Impairment charges are recorded in the reporting year in which determination of impairment is made by management.

An impairment loss is recognized when the carrying value of an asset held for use exceeds its estimated recoverable amount. Impairment losses recognized in respect of CGUs are allocated to reduce the carrying amounts of the other assets in the unit (group of units) on a pro rata basis. Assumptions, such as commodity prices, discount rate, and expenditures, underlying the fair value estimates are subject to risks and uncertainties. Impairment charges are recorded in the reporting year in which determination of impairment is made by management.

Impairment losses recognized in prior years are assessed at each reporting year date for any indications that the loss has decreased or no longer exists. An impairment loss is reversed if there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the recoverable amount. An impairment loss is reversed only to the extent that the asset's carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depletion or amortization, if no impairment loss had been recognized.

(g) Financial instruments

Recognition and derecognition

Financial assets and financial liabilities are recognized when the Company becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the financial instrument. Financial assets are derecognized when the contractual rights to cash flows from the financial asset expire, or when the financial asset and all risks and rewards are transferred.

A financial liability is derecognized when it is extinguished, discharged, cancelled or expired.

Classification and initial measurement of financial assets

Financial assets are initially measured at fair value adjusted for transaction costs (if any). Financial assets are classified at into the following categories:

- Amortized cost
- Fair value through profit or loss
- Fair value through other comprehensive income

In the periods presented the Company does not have any financial assets categorised as fair value through other comprehensive income.

The classification is determined by both:

- The Company's business model for managing the financial asset
- The contractual cash flow characteristics of the financial asset.

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Subsequent measurement of financial assets

Financial assets measured at amortised cost. Financial assets are measured at amortised cost if the assets meet the following conditions:

- They are held within a business model whose objective is to hold the financial assets and collect its contractual cash flows.
- The contractual terms of the financial assets give rise to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest in the principal amount outstanding.

After initial recognition, these are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Discounting is omitted where the effect of discounting is immaterial. The Company's cash, restricted cash and reclamation bond fall into this category of financial instruments.

Financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL)

Financial assets that are within a different business model other than 'hold to collect' of 'hold to collect and sell' are categorized at fair value through profit and loss. Further, irrespective of business model financial assts whose contractual cash flows are not solely payments of principal and interest are accounted for at FVTPL.

The Company accounts for the marketable securities at FVTPL.

Impairment of financial assets

IFRS 9's impairment requirements use more forward-looking information to recognise expected credit losses – the 'expected credit loss (ECL) model'. This replaces IAS 39's 'incurred loss model. Recognition of credit losses is no longer dependent on the Company first identifying a credit loss event. Instead, the Company considers a broader range of information when assessing credit risk and measuring expected credit losses, including past events, current conditions, reasonable and supportable forecasts that affect the expected collectability of the future cash flows of the instrument.

Classification and measurement of financial liabilities

The Company's financial liabilities include accounts payable and accrued liabilities, accrued penalties and part XII.6 tax, and mortgage payable. Financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value, and, where applicable, adjusted for transaction costs unless the Company designated a financial liability at fair value through profit or loss. Subsequently, financial liabilities are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. All interest-related charges are included within finance costs or finance income.

Extinguishment of financial liabilities with equity instruments

IFRIC 19, Extinguishing Financial Liabilities with equity Instruments, provides guidance on how to account the extinguishment of a fully or partially financial liability by issuing equity instruments. The Company measures the equity instruments issued to creditors to settle or extinguish financial liabilities at fair value. The difference between the carrying amount of the financial liability extinguished and the initial measurement amount of the equity instruments are included in the consolidated statement of loss and comprehensive loss.

(h) Asset retirement obligations

The Company recognizes liabilities for statutory, contractual or legal obligations associated with the reclamation of exploration and evaluation properties, where applicable, when:

- (i) The Company has a present legal or constructive obligation as a result of past events.
- (ii) It is probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle the obligation.
- (iii) The amount can be reliably estimated.

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Initially, a liability for an asset retirement obligation is recognized at its fair value in the year in which it is incurred, and the corresponding asset retirement cost is added to the carrying amount of the related asset. The cost is amortized over the economic life of the asset using either the unit-of-production method or the straight-line method, as appropriate.

Following the initial recognition of the asset retirement obligation, the carrying amount of the liability is adjusted for changes to the amount or timing of the underlying cash flows needed to settle the obligation.

As at November 30, 2022 and 2021, the Company had not incurred any asset retirement obligations related to the exploration of its exploration and evaluation properties.

Reclamation bond

The reclamation bond is a bond held on behalf of the State of Idaho's Department of Lands as collateral for possible rehabilitation activities on the Neal property in connection with permits required for exploration activities. The reclamation bond is released once the property is restored to satisfactory condition, or as released under the surety bond agreement. As they are restricted from general use, they are included under non-current assets on the consolidated statements of financial position.

(i) Flow-through shares

Resource expenditure deductions for income tax purposes related to exploration activities funded by flow-through share arrangements are renounced to investors under Canadian income tax legislation. On issuance, the Company recognizes a flow-through share premium liability equal to the difference between the current market price of the Company's common shares and the issue price of the flow-through share. The residual amount of the issue price of the flow-through shares is then allocated to share capital and warrants based on relative fair value. Upon expenses being incurred and renounced, the premium is recognized as other income and recognized in consolidated statements of loss and comprehensive loss.

Proceeds received from the issuance of flow-through shares must be expended on Canadian resource property exploration within a period of two years.

(j) Share capital

Common shares are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issuance of shares are recognized as a deduction from the proceeds in equity in the period where the transaction occurs.

(k) Warrants

Warrants are classified as equity. Incremental costs directly attributable to the issuance of warrants are recognized as a deduction from the proceeds in equity in the period where the transaction occurs.

(l) Reserves

Reserves include (i) the accumulated fair value of stock options recognized as share-based compensation, and (ii) the fair value of warrants issued in private placements and for share issue costs. Reserves are increased by the fair value of these items as they vest and are reduced by corresponding amounts when the options or warrants expire or are exercised or cancelled.

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

(m) Share-based compensation

The Company has an equity-settled share-based compensation plan for granting stock options to management, directors, employees and consultants. The Company recognizes compensation expense for this plan at fair value so that the fair value of each option grant is estimated on the date of the grant and amortized over the vesting year, with the resulting amortization credited to reserves. The Company uses the accelerated method (also referred to as graded vesting) for allocating stock option expense over the vesting year. Stock option expense incorporates an expected forfeiture rate. The forfeiture rate is based on past experience and expectations of future forfeitures rates. Adjustments are made if the actual forfeiture rate differs from the expected rate. The fair value of each grant is determined using the Black-Scholes option-pricing model. Consideration paid upon the exercise of stock options is recorded as share capital.

(n) Related party transactions

A related party is a person or entity that is related to the Company; that has control or joint control over the Company; that has significant influence over the Company; or is a member of the key management personnel of the Company.

An entity is related to a Company if the entity and the reporting entity are members of the same group (which means that each parent, subsidiary and fellow subsidiary is related to the others).

A related party transaction is a transfer of resources, services or obligations between a Company, and a related party, regardless of whether a price is charged. All transactions with related parties are in the normal course of business and are measured at fair value.

(o) Income taxes

Income taxes expense comprises current and deferred income taxes. Income taxes expense is recognized in the consolidated statements of income (loss) except to the extent that it relates to items recognized directly in equity.

Current income taxes

Current taxes are the expected taxes payable or recoverable on the taxable income or loss, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the reporting date, and any adjustment to income taxes payable in respect of previous years.

Deferred income taxes

The Company accounts for income taxes under the asset and liability method. Under this method of tax allocation, deferred income tax assets and liabilities are determined based on differences between the financial statement carrying values and their respective income tax basis (temporary differences).

Deferred income taxes are measured using the tax rates that are expected to be in effect when the temporary differences are likely to reverse, based on the laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by the reporting date. The effect on deferred income tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates is included in earnings in the year in which the change is substantively enacted. The amount of deferred income tax assets recognized is limited to the amount that is probable to be realized.

(p) Income (loss) per share

Basic loss per share is computed by dividing the net income (loss) by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the year. Outstanding stock options have not been considered in the computation of diluted income (loss) per share as the result would be anti-dilutive.

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

(q) Comprehensive income or loss

Comprehensive income or loss is the change in equity during the year from transactions, events and circumstances other than those under the control of management. It includes all changes in equity during a year except those resulting from investments by shareholders and distributions to shareholders. The Company reports comprehensive income or loss as a separate statement. Comprehensive income or loss represents the change in net equity for the year that arises from unrealized gains and losses on available-for-sale financial instruments and the translation of the Company's subsidiaries' financial statements from their functional currency to the presentation currency. Amounts included in other comprehensive income or loss are shown net of tax.

(r) Use of estimates and judgements

(i) <u>Use of estimates</u>

The preparation of consolidated financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the period. The estimates and assumptions are based on historical experience and other factors that are considered to be relevant. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

Estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognized in the period in which the estimates are revised and in any future years affected. The areas that require management to make significant estimates and assumptions in determining carrying values include, but are not limited to:

Share-based payments and warrants valuation

The Company uses the Black-Scholes option pricing model to determine the fair value of stock options and brokers' warrants. In estimating fair value, management is required to make certain assumptions and estimates such as the expected life of options, volatility of the Company's future share price, risk free rate, future dividend yields and estimated forfeitures at the initial grant date. Changes in assumptions used to estimate fair value could result in materially different results.

Deferred tax

The Company recognizes a deferred tax benefit related to tax assets and tax losses to the extent recovery is probable. Assessing the recoverability of deferred income tax assets requires management to make significant estimates of future taxable profit and expected timing of reversals of existing temporary differences. To the extent that future cash flows and taxable profit differ significantly from estimates, the ability of the Company to realize the deferred tax assets recorded at the statement of financial position's date could be affected. In addition, future changes in tax laws could limit the ability of the Company to obtain tax deductions in future years from tax assets and tax losses.

At the end of each reporting year, the Company assesses whether or not there has been an impairment of the capitalized royalty interest, or if there is any indication that an impairment loss recognized in prior years for royalty interests may no longer exist or may have decreased. This requires that the Company considers observable market data, significant changes in market conditions, and evidence if the royalty's economic performance will be other than previously expected. Significant judgement required in estimating future cash flows associated with the royalty includes future commodity prices, foreign exchange rates, and production volumes.

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

(ii) Critical judgments

The judgments that management has applied in the application of the Company's accounting policies that have the most significant effect on the amounts recognized in these consolidated financial statements are discussed below:

Exploration and evaluation properties recoverability

The Company's accounting policy for exploration costs results in certain items being capitalized according to the expected recoverability of the projects. This policy requires management to make certain assumptions as to future events and circumstances, in particular whether an economically viable extraction operation can be established. Any such assumptions may change as new information becomes available. The Company considers at the end of each accounting year, whether or not there has been an impairment of the capitalized exploration and evaluation properties.

For non-producing exploration and evaluation properties, this assessment is based on whether factors that may indicate the need for a write-down are present.

If the Company has determined that the deferred costs of non-producing properties may not be recovered based on current economics or permitting considerations, the Company would be required to write-down the recorded value of its exploration and evaluation properties which would reduce the Company's earnings and net assets.

Functional currency

The functional currency of the Company and its subsidiaries have been assessed by management based upon consideration of the currency and economic factors that influence costs, financing, and similar items. Changes to these factors may have an impact on the judgment applied in the determination of the functional currency.

(s) Changes in IFRS accounting policies and future accounting pronouncements

The Company did not adopt any accounting standards during the year ended November 30, 2022, that materially impacted the Company's consolidated financial statements.

The Company plans to adopt the following amendments to the accounting standards, issued by IASB, on their respective effective dates; however, each is not expected to have a material impact on the consolidated financial statements.

<u>Amendments to IAS 1 – Presentation of Financial Statements</u>

In January 2020, the IASB issued amendments to IAS 1 Presentation of Financial Statements, to clarify its requirements for the presentation of liabilities as current or non-current in the statement of financial position. This will be effective on January 1, 2023

Amendments to IAS 12 – Income Taxes

In May 2021, the IASB issued an amendment to IAS 12 Income Taxes to clarify the accounting for deferred tax on transactions such as leases and decommissioning obligations. The scope of the recognition exemption in IAS 12 no longer applies to transaction that, on initial recognition, give rise to equal taxable and deductible temporary differences. The amendments are effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2023, with early adoption permitted.

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Amendments to IAS 16 – Property, Plant and Equipment

In May 2020, the IASB issued Property, Plant and Equipment - Proceeds before Intended Use, which made amendments to IAS 16 Property, Plant and Equipment. Effective January 1, 2022, the amendments prohibit a company from deducting from the cost of PP&E amounts received from selling items produced while the company is preparing the asset for its intended use. Instead, a company will recognize such sales proceeds and related cost in profit or loss.

Amendments to IAS 37 – Provisions Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets

In May 2020, the IASB issued Onerous Contracts - Cost of Fulfilling a Contract, which made amendments to IAS 37 Provisions Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets. Effective January 1, 2022, the amendments specify which costs an entity includes in determining the cost of fulfilling a contract for the purpose of assessing whether the contract is onerous.

<u>Amendments to IFRS 9 – Financial Instruments</u>

In May 2020, the IASB issued an amendment to IFRS 9 Financial Instruments clarifying which fees to include in the test in assessing whether to derecognize a financial liability. Only those fees paid or received between the borrower and the lender, including fees paid or received by either the entity or the lender on the other's behalf are included. The amendment is effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2022, with early adoption permitted.

4. CASH AND RESTRICTED CASH EQUIVALENTS

Cash is comprised of cash held at reputable financial institutions. Restricted cash equivalents of \$40,000 (November 30, 2021 - \$40,000) are funds invested in guaranteed investment certificates as security for corporate credit cards. The funds securing the corporate credit cards are restricted and cannot be withdrawn while the credit cards are outstanding.

5. TAXES RECEIVABLE

As at November 30, 2022 and November 30, 2021, taxes receivable consists of sales tax receivable from Canadian taxation authorities.

6. MARKETABLE SECURITIES

The Company's marketable securities are as follows:

	Noven	nber 30, 2022	November 30, 202		
FVTPL					
Leeuwin Metal PTY Ltd. ("Leeuwin")					
2,500,000 Shares (November 30, 2021 – Nil shares)	\$	341,062	\$	-	
2,500,000 Options (November 30, 2021 – Nil options)		172,015		-	
Murchison Minerals Limited					
500,000 Shares (November 30, 2021 – 500,000 shares)		52,500		67,500	
Poko Innovative Inc. ("Poko")					
1,310,561 Shares (November 30, 2021 – 1,310,561 shares)		32,764		196,584	
Noble Mineral Exploration ("Noble")					
1,828,000 Shares (November 30, 2021 – 2,000,000 shares)		109,680		280,000	
Canada Nickel Company Inc. ("CNC")					
31,532 Shares (November 30, 2021 – Nil shares)		45,091			
Total	\$	753,113	\$	554,084	

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

6. MARKETABLE SECURITIES (continued)

The Company's marketable securities consist of common shares held in Canadian publicly traded companies, except for shares and options held in Leeuwin, a private company based in Australia. Fair values of shares held in Canadian publicly traded companies were determined at the closing price on November 30, 2022 and are included in the Level 1 of the fair value hierarchy. The fair value of Leeuwin's shares was determined based on concurrent equity financing and fair value of stock options held in Leeuwin was determined using Black-Scholes valuation model with the following assumptions: volatility –95%, expected life –4.5 years, risk-free rate – 3.18%, and dividend yield – 0%. The options held in Leeuwin are included in Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy. An increase or decrease of 10% in the volatility assumption used in the Black-Scholes valuation model for the Leeuwin's stock options would result in an increase or decrease in the value of the options by approximately \$25,800 and \$27,800, respectively.

In March 2021, the Company entered into a share purchase option agreement with Poko, granting Poko the right and option to purchase 1,310,561 shares with a purchase price of \$0.15 per share until December 1, 2021. The right has expired unexercised.

During the year ended November 30, 2022, the Company received a special dividend-in-kind in the form of 31,532 shares of CNC, as a shareholder of Noble. The shares were valued at \$100,587, based on the closing price of CNC on the declaration date, which is recognized as dividend income in the consolidated statements of loss and comprehensive loss.

During the year ended November 30, 2022, the Company recorded an unrealized loss of \$398,178 (2021 – unrealized gain of \$272,605).

7. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	(Office	Computer				
	eq	uipment	hardware	Fie	eld equipment	Vehicle	Total
Cost							
Balance as at November 30, 2020	\$	1,075	\$ 35,893	\$	147,148	\$ 2,594	\$ 186,710
Additions		-	2,499		83,669	-	86,168
Foreign exchange translation		-	-		3,366	(36)	3,330
Balance as at November 30, 2021	\$	1,075	\$ 38,392	\$	234,183	\$ 2,558	\$ 276,208
Additions		-	-		-	-	-
Foreign exchange translation		-	-		9,184	92	9,276
Balance as at November 30, 2022	\$	1,075	\$ 38,392	\$	243,367	\$ 2,650	\$ 285,484
Accumulated depreciation							
Balance as at November 30, 2020	\$	75	\$ 31,530	\$	14,574	\$ 519	\$ 46,698
Depreciation		200	1,984		34,485	401	37,070
Foreign exchange translation		-	-		506	(14)	492
Balance as at November 30, 2021	\$	275	\$ 33,514	\$	49,565	\$ 906	\$ 84,260
Depreciation		160	1,464		37,334	331	39,289
Foreign exchange translation		-	-		1,361	82	1,443
Balance as at November 30, 2022	\$	435	\$ 34,978	\$	88,260	\$ 1,319	\$ 124,992
Balance as at November 30, 2020	\$	1,000	\$ 4,363	\$	132,574	\$ 2,075	\$ 140,012
Balance as at November 30, 2021	\$	800	\$ 4,878	\$	184,618	\$ 1,652	\$ 191,948

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

8. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION PROPERTIES

		Onta	rio		Manitoba		New Brunswick	Idaho	
	We	st Cache Gold	Kidd 7	Township	William Lake		Chester	Neal	Total
Balance, November 30, 2021	\$	21,492,447	\$	-	\$ 1	1 \$	-	\$ 649,182	\$ 22,141,630
Acquisition		254,138		-	-		-	-	254,138
Accomodation, meals and travel		14,257		-	-		-	-	14,257
Claims and administration		1,100		-	1,806	5	-	14,463	17,369
Drilling		969,336		-	-		-	-	969,336
Equipment rental and software		107,491		-	-		-	1,994	109,485
Facility and maintenance		67,111		-	-		-	-	67,111
Geological staff, field crew and consulting		701,204		-	-		-	-	701,204
Geophysical, geochemical and assays		110,892		-	-		-	-	110,892
Share-based compensation		91,485		-	-		-	-	91,485
Supplies and materials		24,998		-	-		-	-	24,998
Surveying and permitting		410,481		-	-		-	-	410,481
Technical reports		168,287		-	-		-	-	168,287
Transportation		24,719		-	-		-	1,365	26,084
Add (less):									
Reversal of impairment		-		-	1,521,873	3	-	-	1,521,873
Sale proceeds, net of closing cost		-		-	(1,523,680))	-	-	(1,523,680)
Foreign exchange translation		-		-	-		-	37,082	37,082
Balance, November 30, 2022	\$	24,437,946	\$	-	\$ -	9	5 -	\$ 704,086	\$ 25,142,032

		Ontario		Manitoba	New Brunswick	Idaho	
			Kidd				
	Wes	st Cache Gold	Township	William Lake	Chester	Neal	Total
Balance, November 30, 2020	\$	15,397,413	\$ 1	\$ 1	\$ 200,000	\$ 636,080	\$ 16,233,495
Acquisition		-	-	-	-	-	-
Accomodation, meals and travel		75,254	-	-	-	-	75,254
Claims and administration		7,125	-	1,459	-	14,160	22,744
Drilling		2,653,183	-	-	-	-	2,653,183
Equipment rental and software		93,817	-	-	-	5,351	99,168
Facility and maintenance		59,558	-	-	-	-	59,558
Geological staff, field crew and consulting		1,188,269	-	-	-	-	1,188,269
Geophysical, geochemical and assays		493,853	-	-	-	-	493,853
Metallurgical		54,274	-	-	-	-	54,274
Share-based compensation		124,462	-	-	-	-	124,462
Supplies and materials		69,354	-	-	-	-	69,354
Surveying and permitting		728,379	-	-	-	-	728,379
Technical reports		500,071	-	-	-	-	500,071
Transportation		47,435	-	-	-	1,636	49,071
Less:							-
Option payment received		-	-	-	(200,000)	-	(200,000)
Sale of property		-	(1)	-	-	-	(1)
Impairment		-		(1,459)	-	-	(1,459)
Foreign exchange translation		-	-	_	-	(8,045)	(8,045)
Balance, November 30, 2021	\$	21,492,447	\$ -	\$ 1	\$ -	\$ 649,182	\$ 22,141,630

(a) West Cache Gold, Ontario

West Cache Gold project is located west of Timmins, Ontario in the Townships of Bristol, and Ogden in the Timmins-Porcupine Mining Camp with mining claims which are subject to a 2% or 3% NSR.

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

8. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION PROPERTIES (continued)

On February 28, 2022, the Company acquired 91 mineral claims and 12 patent claims (the "Patent Claims") contiguous to the Company's existing property position at its West Cache Gold project. Pursuant to the agreement, the Company issued 200,000 common shares valued at \$112,000 to obtain 100% interest in the Mineral Claims.

On March 2, 2022, the Company entered into an agreement to acquire 100% interest of 129 mining claims (the "Mining Claims") contiguous to the Company's existing property position at its West Cache Gold project. Pursuant to the agreement, the Company issued 250,000 common shares of the Company and grant a 2% NSR (the "Royalty"). The Company may, at any time, purchase 1% of the Royalty for \$1,000,000.

(b) Neal, Idaho, USA

The Neal project is located southeast of Boise, Idaho. The project consists of five private patented mining claims and another seven unpatented lode claims located on U.S. Forest Service administered public lands.

On May 13, 2019, the Company issued 1,022,173 common shares valued at \$204,235 to acquire 102 units, representing 70% of ownership and controlling interest, in the Neal LP and the right to enter into a lease agreement with the landowner of five patented claims known as Neal Property ("Neal Lease"). In addition, the Company assumed liabilities totalling \$60,000 which has been included in the initial consideration capitalized to the exploration and evaluation property, bringing the total to \$264,235.

On May 15, 2019, the Company entered into the Neal Lease for a period of five years which may be extended for 1-year terms thereafter. Annual lease payment consists of a \$3 per dry ton for all material it removes from the property and a 3% net smelter return royalty, with a minimum annual payment of US\$10,000. Pursuant to the Neal LP agreement, the Company is fully responsible for all expenditures related to the exploration, development, and operation of the Neal property. Upon achievement of production, the unit holders have rights to the net profits or losses relative to their ownership percentage. Since the Neal property is currently not in production, no amounts have been attributed to the unit holders who represent the non-controlling interest in Neal LP.

The Company was required to purchase a reclamation bond of \$118,195 (US\$87,500) (November 30, 2021 - \$111,930) in respect of its expected site reclamation and closure obligations of the Neal Property as required by the State of Idaho's Department of Lands. The reclamation bond represents collateral for possible reclamation activities necessary on mineral properties in connection with the permits required for exploration activities by the Company, which will be released once the property is restored to satisfactory condition, or as released under the surety bond agreement.

On June 3, 2020, the Company issued 50,000 common shares valued at \$30,000 to a minority interest owner, increasing the Company's total ownership in the Neal LP to 80%.

(c) Chester, New Brunswick

The Chester property is located Northumberland County, New Brunswick. The property comprises 114 contiguous claims and is subject to 1% and 2% NSR.

The Company had an option agreement dated January 17, 2019 with Puma Exploration Inc. ("Puma") to grant sole an exclusive right and option to acquire 100% of the property over a three-year period, for the following considerations:

- (i) An aggregate payment of \$300,000 in cash, payable \$100,000 per year; and
- (ii) Puma shall complete a work program of \$1,100,000 on the property, with a minimum of \$250,000 during the first year of the option agreement, \$350,000 the second year and \$500,000 on the third year.

These conditions were completed by 2022 over a period of three years, and Puma acquired a 100% interest in the Property and the Company retains a 2% NSR on the property. Puma has an option to redeem 1% of NSR for \$1,000,000. The option payment received was recorded as a reduction against the cost of the mineral property.

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

8. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION PROPERTIES (continued)

(d) Other properties in Canada

(i) Manitoba

William Lake

The William Lake Property was written down to \$1 in 2015 as no substantive exploration expenditures are planned or budgeted for. The costs to maintain the claims on this property are minimal as the Company has banked work credits that will be used at renewal. The Company purchased the property rights from Falconbridge Limited ("Xtrata") subject to a 2% net smelter return royalty. In addition, Xstrata has a one-time right to repurchase a 50% working interest in William Lake property if certain conditions are met. Xstrata also has the right to purchase 100% of the ore produced at market prices.

On May 31, 2022, the Company sold its 100% interest in William Lake property located in Manitoba to a private company, Leeuwin Metals PTY Ltd. ("Leeuwin"). Pursuant to the terms of the agreement, the Company received \$1,000,000 cash, 2,500,000 common shares of Leeuwin and 2,500,000 options with each option entitling the Company to acquire one share of Leeuwin at a price of AU\$0.50 for a period of 5 years. Leeuwin is a private Australian company intending to be listed on the Australian Securities Exchange ("ASX"). connection with the sale, the Company incurred \$900 of legal fees and recognized a reversal of impairment of exploration and evaluation of \$1,521,873 on the consolidated statements of loss and comprehensive loss for the year ended November 30, 2022.

(ii) Ontario Kidd Township

The Company sold its interest in Kidd Township property, which comprises 204 claims and four patented claims located in the Kidd, Carnegie, Wark, Prosser and Murphy Townships, Mining Division of Porcupine, in Ontario in October 2021. Pursuant to the terms of the agreement, the Company received \$250,000 cash and 2,000,000 common shares of Noble Mineral Exploration Inc. ("Noble"). Noble is a publicly traded company listed on the TSXV. In connection with the sale, the Company recognized a gain on exploration and evaluation property of \$462,666 during the year ended November 30, 2021.

(iii) Quebec

East Bay, Destor and Nelligan

The Company sold its interest in the East Bay, Destor and Nelligan ("Quebec properties") located in Quebec to a private company, Quebec Aur Ltd. ("Quebec Aur") in May 2021. Pursuant to the terms of the agreement, Quebec Aur paid \$250,000 and obligated to issue 600,000 common shares of Quebec Aur ("Quebec Aur shares"), to obtain 100% ownership of the Quebec properties. Quebec Aur has entered into a letter of intent with a publicly listed TSXV company ("PublicCo") whereby Quebec Aur will be acquired by PublicCo, and each Quebec Aur share will be exchanged for one share of PublicCo. If the acquisition of Quebec Aur is not completed by September 15, 2021, Quebec Aur may elect to abstain from issuing the Quebec Aur shares and pay \$150,000 to the Company or transfer the Quebec properties back to the Company. Quebec Aur elected and paid \$150,000 in September 2021.

Quebec Aur has granted a 1% net smelter return royalty (the "NSR") on any of the Quebec properties' claims that do not have an existing royalty. The NSR can be repurchased by Quebec Aur for \$1,000,000. In connection with the sale, the Company recognized a gain on exploration and evaluation properties of \$400,000.

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

9. ROYALTY INTEREST

Milford Copper Property

The Company holds a 1% net smelter royalty (the "Royalty") on the Milford Copper Property located in Utah. The Milford Copper Property was previously owned by CS Mining LLC ("CS Mining") and is now owned by Tamra Mining Company, LLC ("Tamra") as of August 29, 2018. The royalty is shared with another party on a pro-rata basis, with the Company's royalty capped at US\$5,000,000 (\$6,555,500) and the other party's royalty capped at US\$3,000,000 (\$3,933,330).

Since late 2018, the operation, including the processing of ore, at the Milford Copper Property has been suspended pending new financing partners. Given the uncertainty of future operations and collection of the royalty payments, the royalty had been written down to \$1. As at November 30, 2022, the Company has received a total of \$779,840 (US\$609,631) (November 30, 2021 - \$779,840) in royalty payments, and the maximum royalty remaining balance was US\$4,390,369 (November 30, 2021 - US\$4,390,369) or \$5,930,510 (November 30, 2021 - \$5,616,160).

10. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES

	N	ovember 30, 2022	No	vember 30, 2021
Accounts payable Accrued liabilities	\$	902,546 773,498	\$	275,442 1,397,192
Total	\$	1,676,044	\$	1,672,634

As November 30, 2022, included in the accounts payable and accrued liabilities, a total of \$575,136 (November 30, 2021 - \$418,375) is related to exploration and evaluation assets (Note 8).

11. MORTGAGE PAYABLE

On June 25, 2020, the Company acquired 8 patented claims located in the Ogden Township, contiguous to the eastern boundary of the West Cache property for \$450,000. Pursuant to the purchase agreement, the Company assumed an interest-free vendor take-back mortgage of \$300,000 to be paid in two equal installments of \$150,000 in each of the two anniversaries of closing. The Company had estimated the fair value of the mortgage payable at \$283,499 using an interest rate of 6% (5.87% effective interest rate) which reflects management's best estimate of the interest rate that would apply on a comparable loan. The Company paid the third and final instalment of the mortgage of \$150,000 during the year ended November 30, 2022. The Company recognized a total of finance expense of \$4,356 (2021 - \$6,147) in the consolidated statements of loss and comprehensive loss for the year ended November 30, 2022.

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

12. SHARE CAPITAL

On February 24, 2022, the Company consolidated its issued and outstanding common shares on the basis of one post-consolidation common share for every ten pre-consolidation common shares. All share, option and warrant information have been adjusted to reflect this consolidation.

Share capital consists of unlimited authorized common shares without par value.

	Number of shares	Amount
Balance November 30, 2020	46,433,142	\$ 73,778,988
Issued for a settlement (i)	631,148	701,112
Issued on warrants exercise	27,273	28,489
Balance November 30, 2021	47,091,563	\$ 74,508,589
Issued for acquisition of Patent and Mining Claims (Note 8 (a))	450,000	244,500
Issued on a private placement, net (ii)	6,814,158	2,330,072
Balance, November 30, 2022	54,355,721	\$ 77,083,161

(i) On January 8, 2021, the Company entered into a settlement agreement (the "Settlement") to settle a claim for damages filed with the Superior Court of Québec against Explor and its former officer and directors of approximately \$690,000. Pursuant to the Settlement, the Company issued 631,148 common shares and 90,885 warrants for a release of any claims, demands and future actions. Each warrant entitles the holder to purchase one common share at a price of \$1.80 with expiry date of January 8, 2024.

As the combined fair value of 631,148 common shares of \$701,112 and 90,885 warrants of \$93,150 equal to the total liability of \$794,262, no gain or loss was recognized as a result of this Settlement.

(ii) On March 25, 2022, the Company completed a brokered private placement for a total gross proceed of \$3,500,000, consisting of 2,462,437 units of the Company at a price of \$0.50 per unit, 3,306,821 flow-through ('FT") units of the Company at a price of \$0.55 per FT unit and 642,900 FT units sold to charitable purchasers ("Charitable FT") at a price of \$0.70 per Charity FT unit. Each unit, FT unit and Charitable FT unit consist of one common share and one-half warrant. Each warrant can be exercised for a period of 24 months after closing at a price of \$0.75.

In connection with the private placement, the Company paid issuance costs of a total of \$119,635, paid a commission of \$201,000 settled through the issuance of 402,000 units, and issued 366,729 compensation warrants, with each entitling the holders to purchase one unit at a price of \$0.50 for a period of 24 months. Each unit is comprised of one common share and one-half warrant. Each warrant can be exercised for a period of 24 months after closing at a price of \$0.75. The estimated fair value of 366,729 compensation warrants is \$114,282. The proceeds of the private placement have been allocated as \$2,743,878 to share capital, and \$756,122 to the warrant reserve.

The Company recognized a flow-through premium liability of \$293,921 from this private placement. A pro-rate reduction of flow-through premium liability will be recognized as flow-through income as the required expenditures are incurred. As of November 30, 2022, the Company has spent \$2,125,432 of flow-through funds related to this private placement and recognized flow-through premium income of \$252,964 in the consolidated statements of loss and comprehensive loss for the year ended November 30, 2022.

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

13. RESERVES

SHARE-BASED COMPENSATION

The Company has a common share 10% Rolling Plan (the "Plan") for designated directors, officers, employees, and consultants. Pursuant to the Plan, option awards are recommended by the Compensation Committee of the Board and then reviewed by the Board of Directors. Under the Plan, options on common shares may be issued for up to a cumulative amount that may not exceed 10% of shares outstanding at any given time. As at November 30, 2022, the Company had 1,970,572 options reserved on common shares.

The exercise price for each option granted under the Plan is based upon the five-day weighted average market price at the date of the grant but shall not be lower than the discounted market price, as defined by the TSX Venture Exchange Corporate Finance Manual. The term may not exceed ten years from the date of the grant of the option. The specific terms including vesting year and term of the option are set by the board of directors.

Stock option activity is presented below:

	Number of options	Weighted average exercise price
		\$
Outstanding, November 30, 2020	2,180,000	0.80
Issued	680,000	0.90
Expired	(210,000)	1.50
Outstanding, November 30, 2021	2,650,000	0.80
Issued	985,000	0.60
Expired	(170,000)	1.60
Outstanding, November 30, 2022	3,465,000	0.66

On March 30, 2021, the Company granted a total of 640,000 options to employees, consultants, and directors of the Company. The options are exercisable at a price of \$0.90 per common shares, for a term of 5 years from issuance and vested immediately.

On October 29, 2021, the Company granted a total of 40,000 options to employees, consultants, and directors of the Company. The options are exercisable at a price of \$0.65 per common shares, for a term of 5 years from issuance and vested immediately.

On December 2, 2021, the Company granted a total of 200,000 options to a consultant of the Company at a price of \$0.60. The options vest in tranches of 10,000 options per month starting April 2022 to December 2023. The options expire on December 1, 2026.

On April 20, 2022, the Company granted a total of 785,000 stock options to directors, officers, employees and consultants of the Company. The options are exercisable at \$0.60, vest immediately and expire on April 20, 2027.

The fair value of the options granted or issued was estimated on the date of the grant using the Black-Scholes option pricing model, with the following assumptions:

<u> </u>	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
	For the year ended	For the year ended
	November 30, 2022	November 30, 2021
Volatility	205% -215%	216-223%
Expected life	5 years	5 years
Risk-free interest rate	1.35% -2.74%	0.97-1.50%
Forfeiture rate	0%	0%
Expected dividend yield	0%	0%

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

13. RESERVES (continued)

The following stock options are outstanding and exercisable at November 30, 2022:

	0	ptions outstanding and exercisable	
Exercise			Weighted average exercise
price	Number of	Weighted average remaining	price
\$	options	contractual life in years	\$
0.50	385,000	1.33	0.50
1.00	205,000	0.80	1.00
0.50	1,035,000	2.33	0.50
0.60	55,000	0.58	0.60
1.20	60,000	2.79	1.20
1.05	60,000	2.99	1.05
0.90	640,000	3.33	0.90
0.65	40,000	3.92	0.65
0.60	200,000	4.01	0.60
0.60	785,000	4.39	0.60
	3,465,000	2.89	0.66

WARRANTS

Warrants activity is presented below:

	Number of Warrants	Weighted average exercise price \$
Outstanding, November 30, 2020	14,774,124	1.20
Issued for a settlement (Note 12 (i))	90,885	1.80
Exercised warrants	(27,273)	0.50
Outstanding, November 30, 2021	14,837,736	1.20
Issued on a private placement (Note12 (ii))	3,773,807	0.73
Expired warrants	(5,783,336)	0.83
Outstanding, November 30, 2022	12,828,207	1.22

On May 28, 2021, the Company extended the expiry term of a total of 141,667 warrants by one year, all of which are exercisable at \$1.20 per share. A total of 25,000 warrants are held by a director of the Company. The warrants were issued pursuant to a private placement which closed over two tranches in June and July 2019 as follows:

- (i) For 116,667 warrants issued on June 17, 2019, the expiry term is extended to June 17, 2022; and
- (ii) For 25,000 warrants issued on July 22, 2019, the expiry term is extended to July 22, 2022.

On September 20, 2021, the Company extended the expiry term of a total of 100,000 warrants by one year, all of which are exercisable at \$1.20 per share and are held by an officer of the Company. The warrants were issued pursuant to a private placement which closed on September 24, 2019. The warrants expiry term is extended from September 24, 2021 to September 24, 2022.

The total cost of the warrant extensions is \$86,251 which has been recorded under warrants and the offsetting entry is recorded in the deficit. The fair value of the warrants' extension was estimated using the Black-Scholes model calculated for the difference between the extended period and the remaining period when the decision was taken to extend the warrants. The assumptions used were as follow: no expected dividend yield, 59.11 - 140.95% expected volatility, 0.08-0.45% risk-free interest rate and 0.1-1.2 years warrant expected life. A total of 125,000 warrants are held by a director and officer of the Company.

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

13. RESERVES (continued)

The fair values of the issued warrants were calculated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following assumptions:

	For the year ended November 30, 2022	For the year ended November 30, 2021
Volatility	123%	216%
Expected life	2 years	3 years
Risk-free interest rate	2.31%	0.24%
Forfeiture rate	0%	0%
Expected dividend yield	0%	0%

The following warrants are outstanding and exercisable at November 30, 2022:

	rrants outstanding and exercisable	War	
Weighted average exercise			Exercise
price	Weighted average remaining	Number of	price
\$	contractual life in years	Warrants	\$
0.75	0.03	3,194,316	0.75
1.80	0.87	2,887,067	1.80
1.80	0.87	1,040,299	1.80
1.80	0.87	1,841,833	1.80
1.80	1.11	90,885	1.80
0.75	1.48	3,206,078	0.75
0.75	1.48	201,000	0.75
0.50	1.48	366,729*	0.50
1.22	0.84	12,828,207	

^{*} Each entitles the holders to purchase one unit of the Company at a price of 0.50 per unit until March 25, 2024, consisting of one common share and one-half of a warrant. Each warrant entitles the holder to purchase one additional common share at a price of \$0.75 until March 25, 2024.

14. ADMINISTRATION AND GENERAL EXPENSES

For the years ended	November 30, 2022	November 30, 2021
Consulting (1)	\$ 922,575	\$ 1,175,720
Depreciation	39,289	37,070
Investor relations	230,800	179,948
Occupancy costs	16,071	24,176
Office and miscellaneous	170,463	127,836
Permit and taxes	2,655	8,081
Professional services	91,227	130,294
Promotion and advertising	151,671	71,470
Regulatory, filing and transfer agent fees	100,980	63,257
Salaries and benefits	264,606	361,517
Share-based compensation	409,953	472,094
Travel	32,265	38,813
Total	\$ 2,432,555	\$ 2,690,276

⁽¹⁾ Included in consulting as of November 30, 2022, was \$922,575 (2021 - \$1,167,782) of total remuneration to the senior executive officers of the Company.

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

15. LOSS PER SHARE

The weighted average number of shares outstanding used in the computation of loss per share for the year ended November 30, 2022 was 52,096,465 (2021 - 46,510,161).

For the years ended	November 30, 2022		November 30, 2	
Loss attributable to common shareholders Weighted average number of common shares outstanding	\$	(971,784) 52,096,465	\$	(344,660) 46,510,161
Loss per share basic and diluted	\$	(0.02)	\$	(0.01)

The outstanding and exercisable options and warrants (Note 13) were excluded from the computation of diluted weighted average shares outstanding for the years ended November 30, 2022 and 2021, as their effect would be anti-dilutive.

16. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Company has defined key management personnel as senior executive officers, as well as the Board of Directors. The total remuneration of key management personnel and the Board of Directors for the years ended November 30, 2022 and 2021 are as follows:

For the years ended	Nove	November 30, 2022		nber 30, 2021
Salaries, consulting, and other benefits	\$	1,061,327	\$	1,454,865
Share-based compensation		317,506		449,869
Total	\$	1,378,833	\$	1,904,734

Included in the accounts payable and accrued liabilities as of November 30, 2022, was \$846,055 (November 31, 2021 - \$419,951) due to officers of the Company.

On May 28, 2021, the Company extended the expiry term of a total of 141,667 warrants by one year, all of which are exercisable at \$1.20 per share. The warrants were issued pursuant to a private placement which closed over two tranches in June and July 2019. A total of 25,000 warrants are held by a director of the Company.

On September 20, 2021, the Company extended the expiry term of a total of 100,000 warrants, issued on September 24, 2019, and exercisable at \$1.20 per share by one year to September 24, 2022. The 100,000 warrants are held by an officer of the Company.

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

17. SEGMENTED INFORMATION

The Company operates in one segment being the acquisition, exploration and development of exploration and evaluation properties. The Company has exploration and evaluation properties located in two geographical areas, Canada, and the United States of America.

As at November 30, 2022		Canada	U	nited States	Total
Current assets Property, plant, and equipment Royalty interest		1,563,145 20,486	\$	7,755 140,006 1	\$ 1,570,900 160,492 1
Exploration and evaluation properties Reclamation bond		24,437,947 _		704,085 118,195	25,142,032 118,195
	\$	26,021,578	\$	970,042	\$ 26,991,620
Current liabilities Long-term liabilities	\$	2,812,014 40,957	\$	655,942 -	\$ 3,467,956 40,957
	\$	2,852,971	\$	655,942	\$ 3,508,913
As at November 30, 2021		Canada	U	nited States	Total
Current assets Property, plant, and equipment Royalty interest Exploration and evaluation properties Reclamation bond		1,785,804 26,217 - 21,492,456	\$	66,234 165,731 1 649,174 111,930	\$ 1,852,038 191,948 1 22,141,630 111,930
	\$	23,304,477	\$	993,070	\$ 24,297,547
Current liabilities	\$	3,363,339	\$	336,637	\$ 3,699,976
	\$	3,363,339	\$	336,637	\$ 3,699,976

18. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

(a) Classification of financial instruments

Financial assets and liabilities in the statements of financial position are as follows:

November 30, 2022	Financial assets at fair value through profit of loss		assets at fair Fi				Financial liabilities at amortized cost
Cash	\$	_	\$	517,218	\$ _		
Restricted cash equivalents		_		40,000	_		
Marketable securities		753,112		_	_		
Reclamation bond		_		118,195	_		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		_		_	1,676,044		
Accrued penalties and Part XII.6 taxes		_		_	1,791,911		

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

18. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

November 30, 2021	Financial assets at fair value through profit of loss		Fii	nancial assets at amortized cost	Financial liabilities at amortized cost
Cash	\$	_	\$	1,074,656	\$ _
Restricted cash equivalents		_		40,000	_
Marketable securities		544,084		_	_
Reclamation bond		_		111,930	_
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		_		_	1,672,634
Accrued penalties and Part XII.6 taxes		_		_	1,881,698
Mortgage payable		_		_	145,644

(b) Fair value

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell a financial asset or paid to transfer a financial liability in an orderly transaction between arm's length market participants at the measurement date.

The fair value hierarchy establishes three levels to classify the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value:

- Level 1: quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2: inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly
- Level 3: unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

The fair value hierarchy gives the highest priority to Level 1 inputs and the lowest priority to Level 3 inputs.

The Company designated its marketable securities as fair value through profit and loss, which is measured at fair value and classified as level 1, except for shares in Leeuwin, which is classified as level 2 and marketable securities – options, which is classified as level 3. The carrying value of the marketable securities – options is determined using the Black-Scholes option pricing model.

(c) Credit risk

The Company has no trade accounts. The exposure to credit risk for cash and restricted cash equivalents is considered immaterial. The Company maintains all of its cash and restricted cash equivalents invested in guaranteed investment certificate at a major Canadian financial institution. The Company believes that exposure to credit risk is low.

(d) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will encounter difficulty in meeting its financial obligations as they become due. The Company manages its liquidity risk by forecasting cash flows required by operations and anticipated investing and financing activities. The Company's liquidity and operating results may be adversely affected if the Company's access to the capital market is hindered, whether as a result of a downturn in stock market conditions generally or as a result of conditions specific to the Company. As at November 30, 2022, the Company had cash of \$517,218 (November 30, 2021 - \$1,074,656) to settle current liabilities of \$3,467,955 (November 30, 2021 - \$3,699,976).

(e) 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 Company's debentures have fixed interest rates and accrued penalties bear interest at the rate prescribed by CRA, which is revised quarterly. As at November 30, 2022, the Company had no hedging agreements in place with respect to floating interest rates.

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

18. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

(f) Currency risk

As the Company operates in the United States, some of the Company's assets, liabilities, and transactions are denominated in United States funds. Fluctuation in the exchange rates between the United States dollar and the Canadian dollar could have a material effect on the Company's business, financial condition, and results of operations.

As at November 30, 2022, the Company had net monetary liabilities denominated in United States funds of approximately \$582,300 (US\$431,000). Based upon the balance as at November 30, 2022, an increase of 15% in the U.S. to Canadian dollar exchange would result in a decrease in the net loss and comprehensive loss of \$87,300, and a reduction of 15% would result in an increase in the net loss and comprehensive loss of \$87,300. Management believes that it is not likely, but it is possible that the exchange rate could fluctuate by more than 15% within the next 12 months.

19. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

The Company considers all of the components of shareholders' equity to be capital, the balance of which is \$23,482,707 (November 30, 2021 – \$20,597,571). The Company's objectives in managing capital are to safeguard its ability to operate as a going concern and to generate a superior return to shareholders. The Company expects to finance exploration activity through joint ventures, sales of property interests, entering into debt financing and by raising additional share capital when market conditions are suitable. The Company and its subsidiaries are not subject to externally imposed capital requirements. There were no changes to the Company's approach to capital management during the year.

20. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENT LIABILITIES

Flow-through obligations

As a result of the amalgamation with Explor in December 2019, the Company has assumed certain liabilities and contingent liabilities. Canada Revenue Agency ("CRA") has disallowed the eligibility of certain Canadian Exploration Expenses ("CEE") previously renounced and reassessed a shortfall of CEE spending obligations of approximately \$3,800,000 and \$2,300,000 on flow-through financings completed in 2011–2013 calendar years ("2011-2013 FT") and 2016–2017 calendar years ("2016-2017 FT"), respectively. As a result, CRA and Revenue Quebec have assessed a combined associated penalties and taxes of approximately \$2,650,000, of which approximately \$850,000 has been paid to CRA. As of November 30, 2022, the notice of appeal filed with CRA with respect to 2011-2013 FT is in review, and the Company plans to file an objection to the penalties related to 2016-2017 FT within the prescribed time frame.

As of November 30, 2022, the Company has a total of \$143,349 of flow-through funds, from a private placement completed in March 2022 (Note 12 (ii)), to be spent by December 31, 2023. The Company has fully spent the flow-through funds, originated from private placements completed in 2020, which were required to be spent by December 31, 2021.

First Nations Agreement

The Company has Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU") with the Flying Post First Nation and Mattagami First Nation (collectively "West Cache First Nations") pursuant to which the Company will pay 2% of all direct exploration costs incurred on the West Cache Gold property to West Cache First Nations.

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

21. INCOME TAXES

In assessing the realization of the Company's deferred income tax assets, management considers whether it is more likely than not that some portion or all of the deferred income tax assets will not be realized. The ultimate realization of deferred tax assets is dependent upon the generation of taxable income during the periods in which those temporary differences become deductible. Management considers the scheduled reversal of deferred income tax liabilities, projected future taxable income, and tax planning strategies in making this assessment. The amount of deferred income tax assets considered realizable could change materially in the near term based on deferred taxable income generated during the carry-forward period.

(a) Income tax expense (recovery)

Reconciliation of income tax expense (recovery)

	November 30, 2022	No	vember 30, 2021
Current tax expense (recovery)			
Current period	\$ -	\$	-
Deferred tax expense (recovery)			
Origination & reversal of temporary differences	(55,533)		(80,510)
Change in unrecognized deductible temporary differences	55,533		80,510
Income tax expense (recovery)	\$ -	9	_

Income tax rate reconciliation

The actual income tax provision differs from the expected amount calculated by applying the Canadian combined federal and provincial corporate tax rates to income before tax. These differences result from the following:

	November 30, 2022	November 30, 2021		
Loss before tax	\$ (971,785)		\$	(344,660)
Statutory income tax rate	26.50%			26.50%
Expected income tax	(257,523)			(91,335)
Increase (decrease) resulting from:				
Non-taxable items	240,541			13,365
Unrecognized deductible temporary differences change	55,533			80,510
Other	(38,551)			(2,540)
Income tax expense (recovery)	\$ -		\$	

(b) Unrecognized deferred tax assets

Deferred tax assets have not been recognized in these consolidated financial statements in respect of the following items:

	November 30, 2022	Nove	November 30, 2021		
Deductible temporary differences Tax losses	\$ 28,728,774 44,496,700	\$	28,581,556 42,213,082		
	\$ 73,225,474	\$	70,794,638		

NOTES TO ONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED NOVEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

21. INCOME TAXES (continued)

(c) Non-capital losses

As at November 30, 2022, the Company aggregate of \$44,496,700 (2021 - \$42,051,398) in Canadian and United States non-capital loss carry forwards. These losses expire between the years 2025 and 2042. In addition, the Company also has \$161,684 of Canadian capital loss carry forwards that carry forwards indefinitely. The Company has not recognized the deferred tax assets associated with these loss carry forwards balances.

22. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

(a) In December 2022, the Company completed a brokered private placement for a total gross proceed of \$1,849,661, consisting of 583,334 units of the Company at a price of \$0.24 per unit and 6,575,620 flow-through ('FT") units of the Company at a price of \$0.26 per FT unit. Each unit and FT unit consist of one common share and one-half warrant. Each warrant can be exercised for a period of 24 months after closing at a price of \$0.45.

In connection with the private placement, the Company paid issuance costs of a total of \$92,200 and issued 354,999 compensation warrants, with each warrant entitling the holder to purchase one common share at a price of \$0.24 for a period of 24 months.

- (b) On January 27, 2023, the Company granted a total of 815,000 stock options to directors, officers, employees and consultants of the Company. The options are exercisable at \$0.23, vest immediately and expire on January 27, 2028.
- (c) On March 1, 2023 ("closing date"), the Company closed a purchase agreement with a third party (the "Purchaser") to sell data pertaining an abandoned project for \$1,000,000. Pursuant to the purchase agreement, the purchase price will be settled as follows:
 - \$300,000 cash to be paid on closing date (paid);
 - \$200,000 cash due on or before the first anniversary of closing date;
 - \$500,000 to be settled in the Purchaser's shares on or before the first anniversary of the closing date.