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**ASX CODE: JBY** 

TRANSFORMATIONAL INDEPENDENCE GOLD PROJECT ACQUISITION

31 October 2024

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#### Foreign Estimate of Mineralisation

This Presentation contains references to the foreign mineral resource estimate for the Independence Gold Project announced by the Company on 14 October 2024 (refer to Slide 7 for further details). The foreign estimate is prepared in accordance with Canadian National Instrument 43-101 and has not been reported in accordance with JORC 2012. A competent person has not done sufficient work to classify the foreign estimate as a mineral resource in accordance with JORC 2012 and it is uncertain that following further evaluation and exploration work that the foreign estimate will be able to be reported as a mineral resource under the JORC Code 2012. The Company confirms that it is not in possession of any new information or data relating to the foreign estimate that materially impacts on the reliability of the estimate or the Company's ability to verify the foreign estimate in accordance with the JORC Code 2012. The Company confirms the supporting information provided in the initial market announcement referred to in Listing Rule 5.12 continues to apply and has not materially changed.

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#### Shareholder approvals

The proposed acquisition of the Independence Gold Project remains subject to shareholder approval to be sought at the Company's annual general meeting on 29 November 2024.

## Independence Gold Project Highlights



(Subject to Shareholder approval at annual general meeting on 29 November 2024)

- ✓ Advanced project located in Nevada, America's top-tier gold mining jurisdiction
- ✓ NI 43-101 Mineral Resource Estimate of 1.18Moz Gold with 7.6Moz silver credit¹
- ✓ High grade component of 796,200 Oz Au at 6.53g/t Au open all directions
- √ 334,300 oz Au Measured & Indicated (NI 43-101)
- ✓ Excellent access to infrastructure adjoins NGM's (Newmont and Barrick JV) Phoenix mine
- ✓ Heap leach operation potentially permittable in as little as 8-12 months
- ✓ Recent high grade near surface discovery of 9.1 g/t Au and 25.2 g/t Ag over 24.4 metres<sup>1</sup>.

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### **Corporate Summary - Post Acquisition\***



**Current Shares on Issue** 

60.71M

Transaction Consideration and Placement Shares\*\*

28.25M

Total Post Transaction Shares on Issue

88.96M

Share price (Close Price 30/10/24)

\$0.62

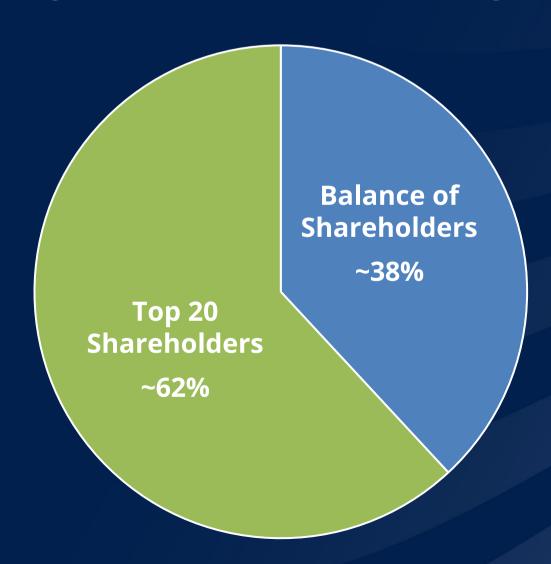
Market Capitalisation

\$55.155M

Cash in Bank

~\$2,74M

(Excluding ~\$888k Accrued Canadian Mining Tax Credits)



<sup>\*</sup> Subject to Shareholder vote on 29 November 2024

<sup>\*\*</sup> Further shares may be issued in the future in accordance with the terms of the IML Earn-in within :ASX Announcement date 14 October 2024 – Acquisition of high-grade Independence Gold Project.

#### **Board of Directors**



**Andrew Dornan Executive Director** 

Founder of ASX: JBY and SS1 with over 19 years senior commercial management experience within various major and midtier international mining organisations including Newmont, Rio Tinto Copper-Gold, Pilbara Minerals, Tianqi Lithium and Fortescue Metals Group.



**Gerard O'Donovan Non-Executive Chair** 

Executive Director of Sun Silver, holding a large silver-gold project in Nevada, USA. Previously MD of Battery Age Minerals, along with senior management roles within Pilbara Minerals and Rio Tinto.



Judy Baker
Non-Executive Director

8-year Director of Nemaska Lithium
Quebec, which developed the largest
Spodumene deposit in North America.
Founder of Lithium Canada Corporation.
Geologist, Engineer, MBA with strong
Capital markets experience.



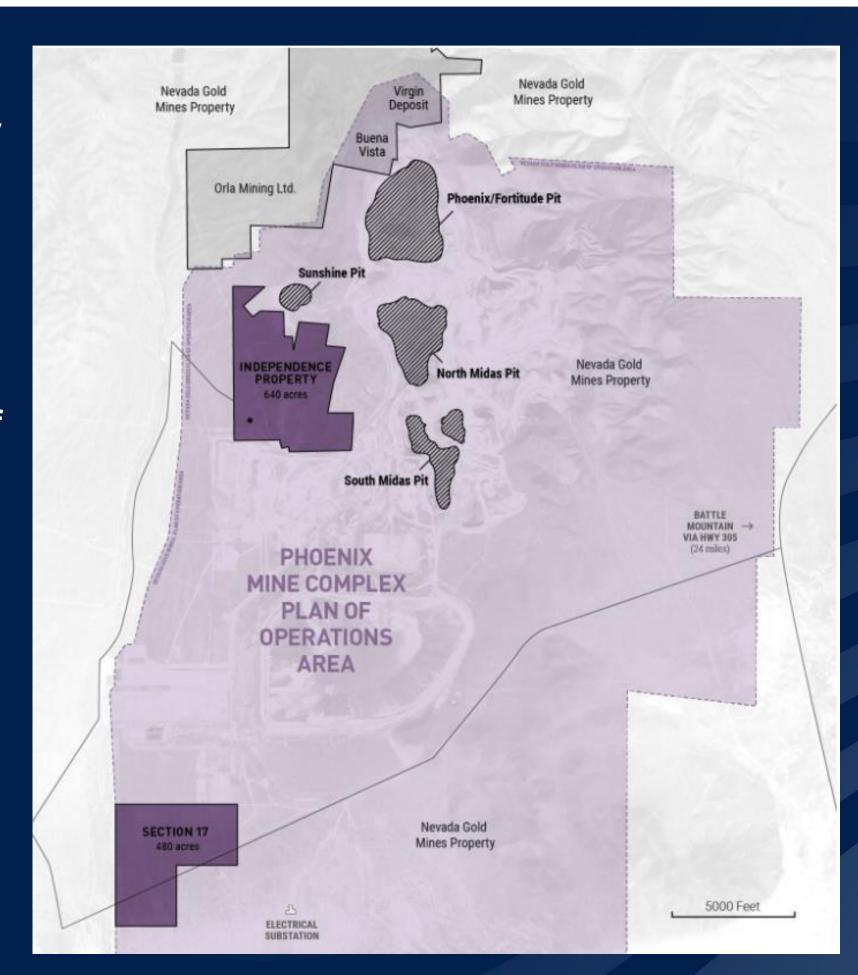
Dean Ercegovic
Non-Executive Director

Founding Director and Chief Operating
Officer of Primero Group where he spent
over 11 years. Primero now operates in
multiple regions globally and is an industry
leader in the design, construction and
operations of mineral processing facilities.

## World Class Jurisdiction & Advanced Permitting



- Nevada has consistently been voted top mining jurisdiction by the Frasers Institute.
- ~75% of the US gold comes from Nevada.
- Direct neighbours NGM (Newmont / Barrick JV).
- Project sits within the Phoenix Mine Complex Plan of Operations.
- Advanced permitting enables expedited mine approvals within
   ~8 12 months.
- World class infrastructure on the property's doorstep (Sealed roads, power and water)
- Water rights to service any future operations



#### NI 43-101 Mineral Resource



- Updated estimate in May 2021 incorporating data from 92 RC holes.
- Current estimate reported December 2021 to incorporate data from additional 12 RC holes and metallurgical cut-off grades.
- Conversion to JORC commenced by the JBY
- Drilling to target future resource upgrades

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Independence Near Surface Mineralisation  Measured and Indicated Resources									
Oxidation (Cutoff) (gr. Au/tonne)	Tonnes	Gold	Silver	Gold Eq.	Ounces Gold	Ounces Silver	Ounces GoldEq		
Oxide (0.175)	24,100,000	0.35	7.46	0.39	270,900	5,777,500	302,700		
Transition (0.215)	33,280,000	0.47	7.49	0.52	50,100	801,700	55,500		
Sulphide (0.425)	569,000	0.73	16.79	0.95	13,300	307,200	17,300		
Total Measured and Indicated Resources									
Total M&l	29,997,000	0.37	7.65	0.42	334,300	6,886,400	375,500		
		Inferred	Resour	ces					
Oxidation (Cutoff) (gr. Au/tonne)	Tonnes	Gold	Silver	Gold Eq.	Ounces Gold	Ounces Silver	Ounces GoldEq		
Oxide (0.175)	4,450,000	0.29	4.46	0.32	41,600	637,400	45,100		
Transition (0.215)	626,000	0.34	3.63	0.37	6,900	73,000	7,400		
Sulphide (0.425)	142,000	0.51	4.42	0.58	2,300	20,200	2,600		
Independence Skarn Mineralisation									
Inferred Resources									
Oxidation (Cutoff) (gr. Au/tonne)	Tonnes	Gold	Silver	Gold E.g.	Ounces Gold	Ounces Silver	Ounces GoldEq		
Approx. 3.4	3,794,000	6.53	0	6.53	796,200	0	796,200		

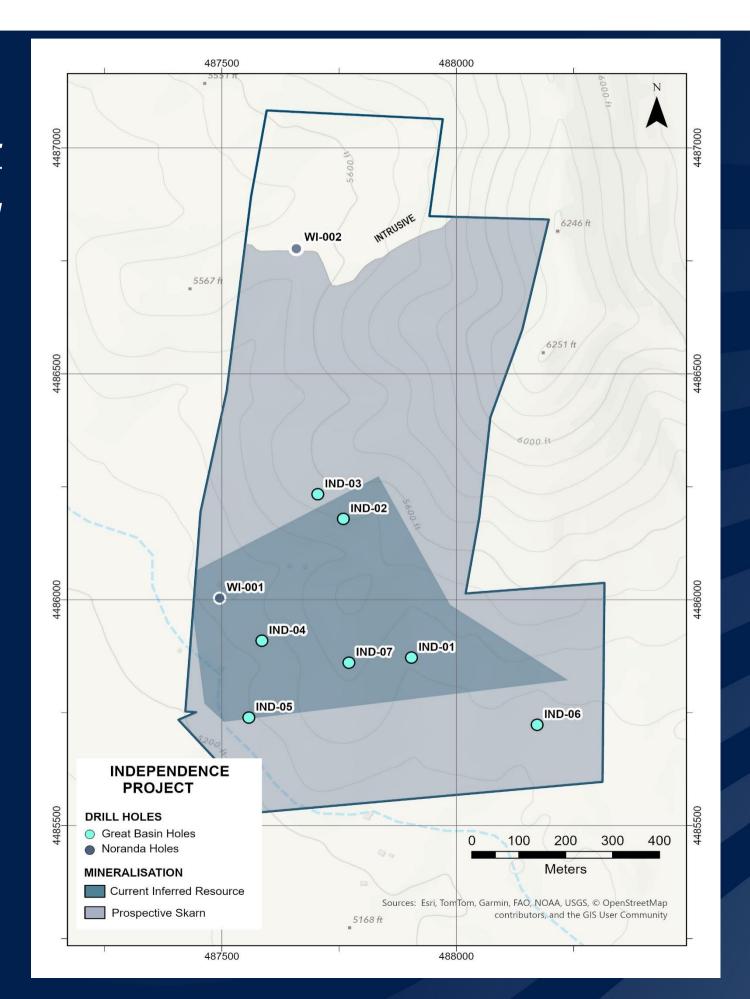
**Metal equivalents**: the near-surface estimate has been calculated based on a gold price of US\$1,800/oz and a silver price of US\$24/oz. Assumed recoveries for gold are 79% in the oxide, 50% in transitional and 22% in sulphide, and 27% for silver across all material. Resultantly, the AuEq calculation is = g Au/t + (g Ag/t / ((1,800 x Au Recovery) / (24 x 0.27). The Company believes that all metals included in the metal equivalent calculation have a reasonable potential to be recovered and sold.

<sup>\*</sup> Refer to Appendix 1 and ASX announcement dated 14 October 2024 for further details.

## High Grade Skarn – World Class Potential



- <u>Current NI 43-101 Inferred resource of 796,200 oz gold @ 6.5 g/t</u> based on holes drilled by Noranda between 1984 and 1987, and two core holes drilled by Great Basin Gold in 1997.
- Skarn has significant expansion potential to the north, south and at depth.
- Skarn mineralisation has been confirmed outside the mineral resource.



## Near Surface - Resource Expansion



Near-surface high-grade drilling intercept outside existing mineral resource<sup>2</sup>:

• 24.4m at 9.11g/t Au and 25.2g/t Ag (Hole AGEI-32), including:

18.3m at 12.06g/t Au and 30.7g/t Ag 9.1m at 23.16g/t Au and 49.8g/t Ag

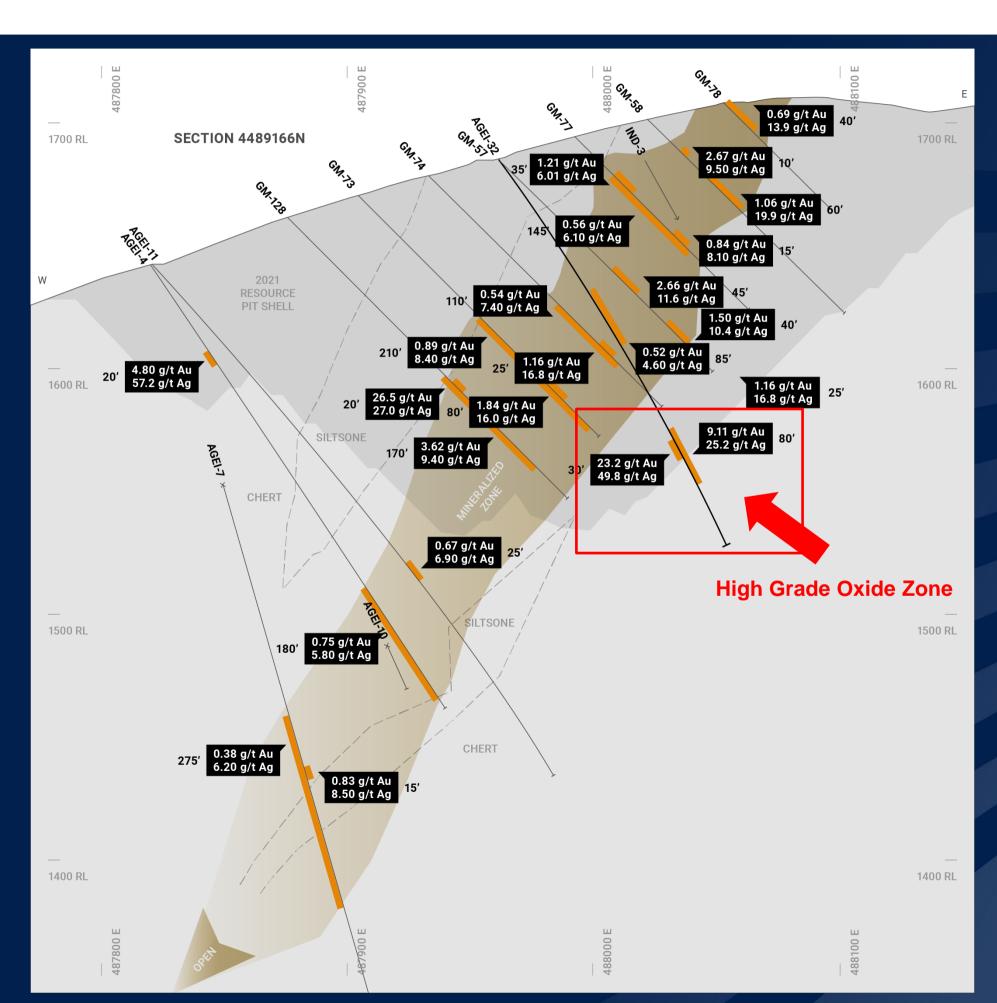
Near-surface high-grade drilling intercepts include<sup>2</sup>:

• **44.2m** at **4.19g/t Au** and **10.53g/t Ag** (Hole GM-128) including:

6.1m at 26.47g/t Au and 27g/t Ag

- 47.2m at 1.33g/t Au and 25.56g/t Ag (Hole GM-88)
- **13.7m** at **9.52g/t** Au and **4.48g/t** Ag (Hole GM-127) including:

6.1m at 19.83g/t Au and 7.78g/t Ag



#### N.G.M Phoenix Gold Complex

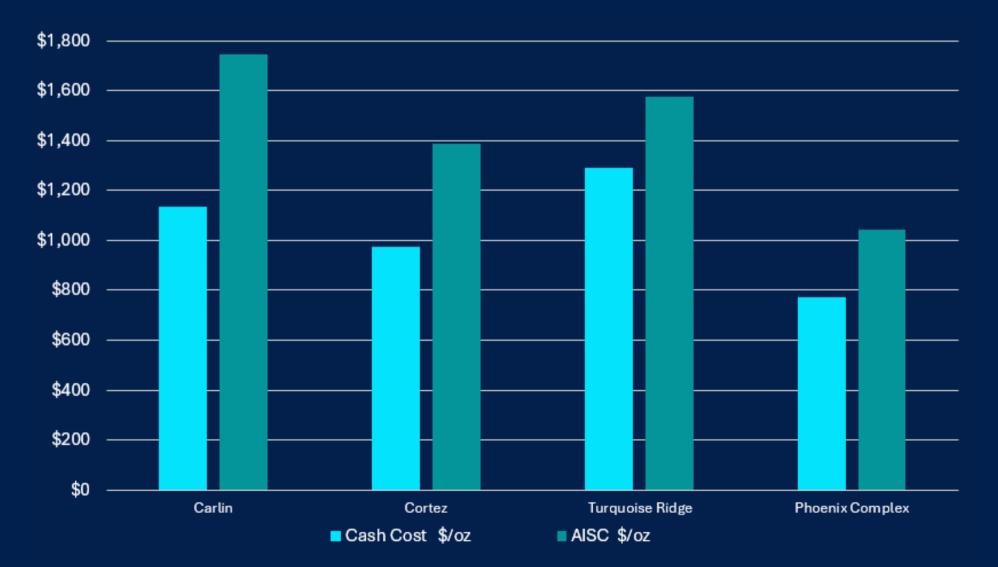
(Newmont and Barrick Joint Venture)



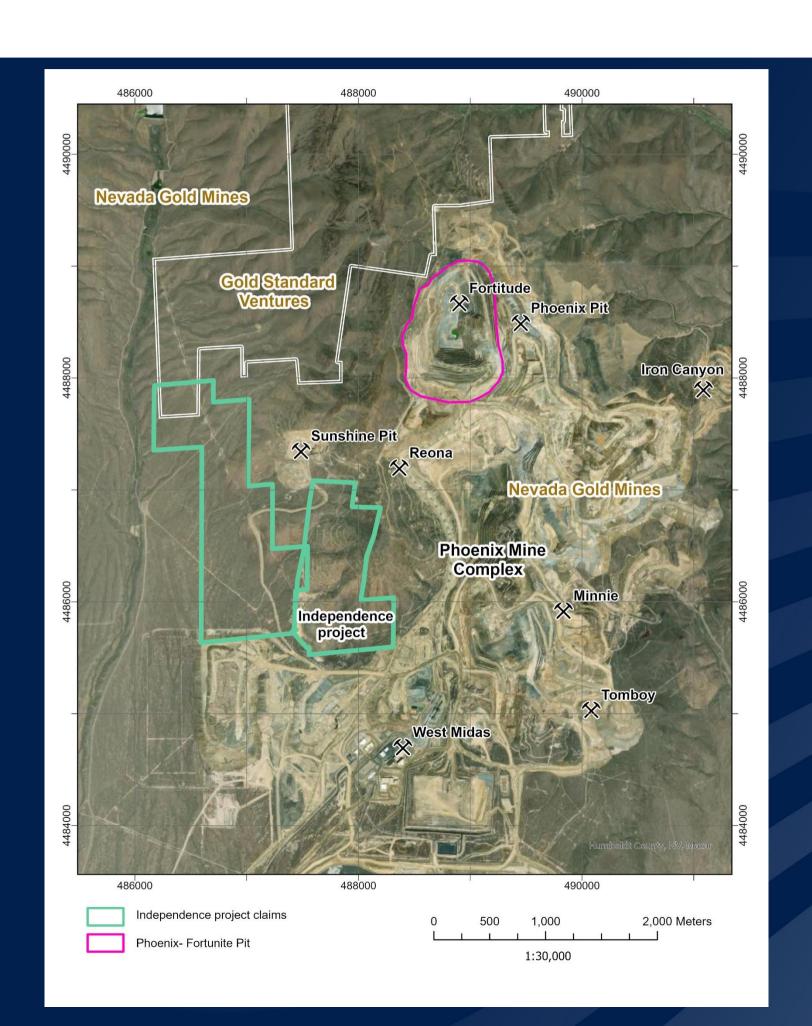
#### **Mine Statistics**

Annual Production	240 k Oz p.a.			
Gold Grade	As low as 0.32 g/t			
Strip Ratio	1.17			
Recovery	Up to 78%			

#### N.G.M. Nevada Complex's



Phoenix has the lowest-cost operation of N.G.M's Operations (Cash Cost and AISC)



## Forward Looking Strategy / Value Levers



- Shareholder vote at AGM 29 November 2024
- Expand and convert NI 43-101 Mineral Resource to JORC 2012
- Grow existing resource base with drilling planned for Q4 2024
- Upgrade resource classification of near surface Inferred Mineral Resource
- Undertake studies to build on existing study work undertaken by IML
- Progress permitting for near-term, low-cost heap leach opportunity



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## Appendix 1 – NI 43-101 Mineral Resource



Independence Near Surface Mineralisation										
Measured Resources										
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Transition (0.215)	946,000	0.47	9.11	0.53	14,200	277,200	16,100			
Sulphide (0.425)	133,000	0.73	16.50	0.94	3,100	70,600	4,000			
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