

WESCAN GOLDFIELDS INC.



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WESCAN - ALTO FINALIZE DRILL CONTRACT FOR MUD LAKE PROJECT, BEARDMORE-GERALDTON GOLD BELT

Saskatoon, Sask., October 4, 2007. Wescan Goldfields Inc.(Wescan) (WGF: TSX-V) and Alto Ventures Ltd. (Alto) (ATV: TSX-V) are pleased to announce that a contract has been executed for diamond drilling on the Wescan-Alto Mud Lake Project in the Beardmore-Geraldton Gold Belt. The drill contract stipulates a minimum of 1,200 m of drilling in 18 to 20 holes and the drilling is scheduled to start in November. The Mud Lake property lies adjacent to the Hercules Property where Kodiak Exploration Ltd. recently reported drilling results confirming significant gold mineralization, including 38.47 g/t gold across 1.6 m in drill core and 32.96 g/t gold across 11.6 m in surface channel samples (see Kodiak Exploration news release dated October 1, 2007).

Previous work at Mud Lake included the discovery of twelve gold showings associated with a major shear zone (Mud Lake Shear -MLS). The MLS was traced for more than six kilometres on the property but had not been drilled prior to Alto's 2007 winter program which tested three of the twelve surface gold showings and intersected gold-bearing quartz veins at each of those showings. Gold values up to 13.9 g/t across 1.0 m were intersected within a wider zone of gold mineralization that assays 3.39 g/t across 6.1 m. (see Alto news releases dated March 6 and March 20, 2007).

The November drilling will, in part follow-up on gold mineralization intersected at two of the three occurrences drilled previously and test for the first time, another three occurrences along the MLS which have yet to be drill tested. This work is part of a longer term strategy to evaluate each of the surface occurrences with diamond drilling and start to delineate in detail those that display continuity of mineralization and grade and show potential for the concentration of economic mineralization.

Surface trenching, washing and sampling programs were completed in September in two areas along the MLS to fill gaps along strike between previously discovered gold showings. Samples from the trenched areas were delivered for analyses and results are expected within the next four to six weeks.

In June, 2007, Wescan and Alto entered into an Option Agreement on the Mud Lake Property. Under the terms of the Option Agreement, Wescan can earn 50% in the property by funding \$600,000 in exploration and issuing a total of 150,000 Wescan shares to Alto over two years. The surface trenching, washing and sampling and upcoming diamond drilling programs are funded by Wescan in accordance with the terms of the Option Agreement.

Mike Koziol, P. Geo., P.Eng. and Alto's President and Director is the Qualified Person for the project and has reviewed and approved this news release.

Wescan is a Canadian-based corporation engaged in the acquisition, exploration and development of mineral properties. Shares of Wescan trade on the TSX Venture Exchange under the trading symbol "WGF".

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