



**Corporate Presentation** 

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#### Competent Person and Qualifying Persons Statement

The Information in this presentation that relates to exploration results for the Julimar Project is extracted from the following ASX announcements:

- "High-grade nickel-copper-palladium sulphide intersected at Julimar Project in WA", 23 March 2020
- "Preliminary results from second target at Julimar Project", 24 March 2020
- "Significant nickel-palladium discovery confirmed at Julimar", 15 April 2020
- 1% "Second diamond hole intersects discovery zone at Julimar", 20 April 2020
- The Information in this presentation that relates to the exploration results for the Pyramid Hill Project is extracted from the following ASX announcements:
- 💭 "Extensive gold and arsenic footprint points towards potential gold system at Ironbark Target, Pyramid Hill Gold Project", 14 November 2019
- "Discovery of new >2km gold trend in air-core drilling at Karri Target indicates potential for a significant gold system", 12 December 2019
- "Several new gold zones discovered in first drill holes at Ironbark North Target", 19 December 2019
- $\supset$  "Karri gold trend expanded to over 3km of strike extent", 13 January 2020
- "Infill AC drilling at Karri returns best intercept to date of 4m at ~4g/t gold", 3 February 2020
- "New High-Grade Gold Zones at the Large-Scale Karri Target", 4 March 2020
- "First diamond drill hole at Karri hits primary gold zone", 7 April 2020
- The Information in this presentation that relates to exploration results for the King Leopold Project is extracted from the following ASX announcements:
- "Chalice acquires highly prospective nickel sulphide project in west Kimberley region of WA", 18 June 2019
- "Strong EM Conductors Identified at King Leopold Project", 20 August 2019

The above announcements are available to view on the Company's website at chalicegold.com. The Company confirms that it is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the information included in the relevant original market announcements 2 he Company confirms that the form and context in which the Competent Person and Qualified Person's findings are presented have not been materially modified from the relevant original market announcements.

# A unique, wellfunded exploration specialist



## Chalice has proven ability to:

- Make opportunistic acquisitions
- Explore for mines and rapidly add value
- Divest assets in a disciplined manner •



## Which has created significant value to date...

- $\sim A$ \$107M<sup>1</sup> generated from asset sales
- ~A\$36M returned to shareholders
- No capital raised since 2011

## ...and given us the finances to think big:

- ~A\$25M in working capital + investments (~A\$0.09 per share)<sup>1</sup>
- Track record of prudent capital management

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Chalice's portfolio includes **key district-scale gold and nickel projects** in premier terranes of Australia





## Julimar Nickel-Copper-PGE Project, WA

- New greenfield nickel-copper-PGE sulphide discovery
- 19m @ 8.37g/t Pd, 2.59% Ni, 1.04% Cu, 0.14% Co in 1st hole
- 100% owned, large unexplored intrusive ~70km NE of Perth

## Pyramid Hill Gold Project, Vic

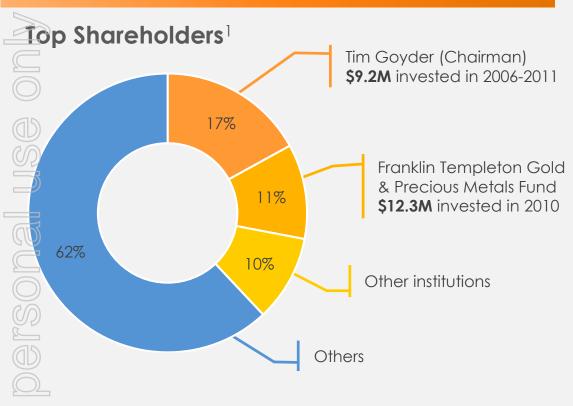
- New >4km gold trend identified, 2 diamond rigs drilling
- >5,000km<sup>2</sup> holding NW and NE of Fosterville Gold Mine
- 100% owned, all under cover in **unexplored** terrane

## King Leopold Nickel Project, WA

- **New** greenfield nickel sulphide opportunity along strike from an isolated Ni-Cu-Co prospect (Merlin Buxton/IGO)
- >1,800km<sup>2</sup> holding in frontier province
- 85-100% owned

Several generative exploration opportunities, investments, royalties and non-operated joint ventures

# We have a tight capital structure and a **strong financial position**



### Research Analyst Coverage

Bridge Street Capital	Chris Baker
Euroz Securities	Andrew Clayton
Mine Life Resources Bulletin	Gavin Wendt
Redcloud Securities	Jacob Willoughby
Sprott Capital Partners	Brock Salier

## **Capital Structure and Financials**

Equity listings ASX: CHN OTCQB: CGMLF	<b>Shares Out.</b> 274.1M <b>Shares (F/D)</b> 296.9M	Market capitalisation <sup>2</sup> ~A\$330M (@ A\$1.20ps)		
<b>Debt</b> nil	<b>Cash</b> ² ∼A\$14M	Working Capital & Investments <sup>2</sup> ~A\$25M		
Key Investments	Position	Current Value <sup>2</sup>		
	MS) 3.7M	~A\$4.3M		
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# We are a dynamic group of **accomplished mine finders** and sound commercial managers





# We have people who know how to <u>find mines</u>...



# People who know how to finance and <u>commercialise</u> them



## Tim Goyder Executive Chairman

- 40+ year industry veteran with track record of success as an investor, entrepreneur and company director
- Founder and largest shareholder of Chalice (~17%)



## Alex Dorsch Managing Director, BEng (Hons), BFin

- Previously a Specialist with McKinsey & Company
- Diverse experience in consulting, engineering and corporate advisory in the energy and resources sectors



## Richard Hacker Chief Financial Officer, BCom, ACA, ACIS

Chartered Accountant with 20+ years experience in junior company financing and management
Company CFO since 2006

Dr Kevin Frost GM – Exploration, BSc (Hons) PhD MAIG

 Co-recipient of AMEC's Prospector of the Year Award in 2009 for the discovery of the **Spotted Quoll** nickel sulphide deposit in WA (Western Areas)

## Bruce Kendall GM – Corporate Development, BSc (Hons) MAIG

 Co-recipient of AMEC's Prospector of the Year Award in 2012 for the discovery of the world-class
 **Tropicana** gold deposit in WA (AngloGold Ashanti)

Supported by a significant team of staff project geologists and mining consultants

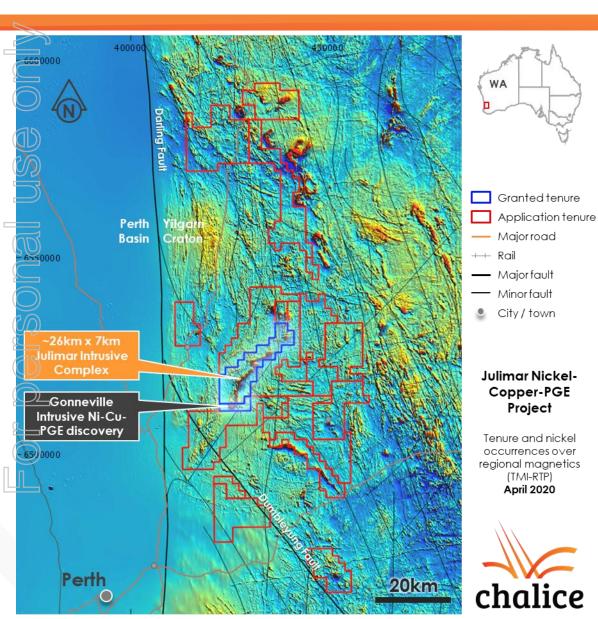


## Julimar Nickel-Copper-PGE Project

## Western Australia

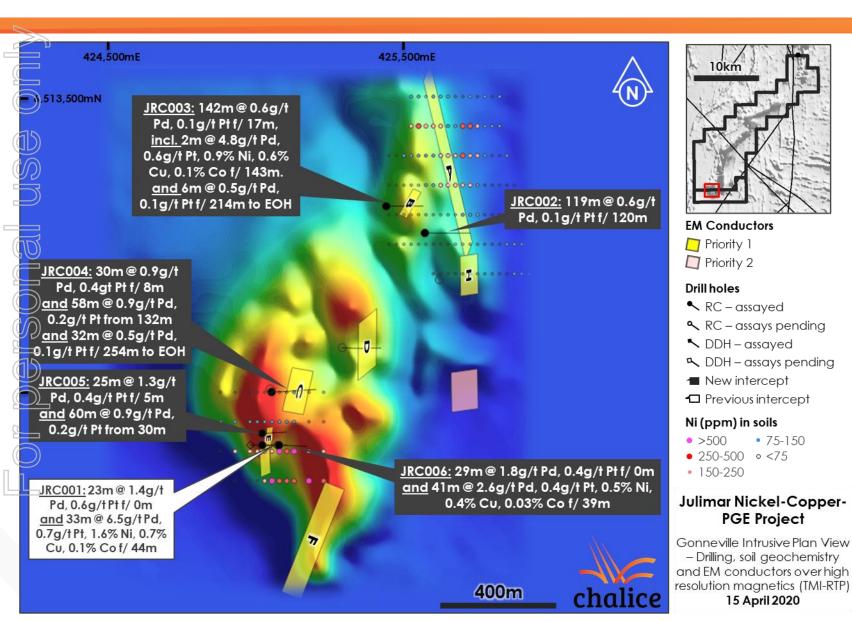


High-grade nickel-copper-palladium sulphide intersected in the first drill hole at Julimar, an unexplored intrusive complex ~70km NE of Perth



- ~1 hour drive NE of Perth, with direct access to major highway, rail, power and port infrastructure
- ~26km x 7km layered ultramafic-mafic intrusive complex was staked in early 2018 (100% owned)
- Intrusive largely under cover and had never been explored for nickel-copper-PGEs
- In mid-2019 recon, MLEM and soil geochemistry completed over a ~1.6km x 0.7km lens-shaped, magnetic feature (Gonneville Intrusive)
- First drill hole in March 2020 discovered wide, shallow zone of high-grade nickel-copper-palladium mineralisation
- Chalice then expanded its regional licence holding significantly with >2,000km<sup>2</sup> of new licence applications

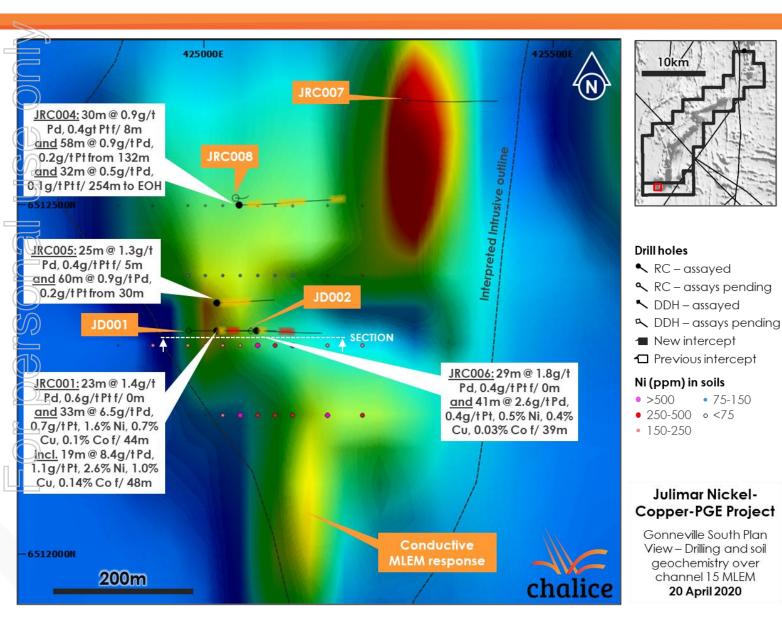
The discovery hole at Gonneville targeted a strong, discrete MLEM conductor and intersected a wide **high-grade Ni-Cu-Pd zone from 44m** 



- JRC001 intersected:
  - 33m @ 6.5g/t Pd, 0.7g/t Pt 1.6% Ni, 0.7% Cu, 0.1% Co from 44m, incl.
    - 13m @ 8.85g/t Pd, 1.09g/t Pt
       3.15% Ni, 1.19% Cu in massive sulphides
- Massive sulphides correlated with MLEM model (Conductor 'E')
  - A very strong conductive zone → zone 'blind' at depth
- A further **5x** high-priority MLEM targets then drilled:
  - A new, wide, high-grade zone of palladium-nickel-copper mineralisation intersected ~60m east of JRC001
  - All drill holes assayed to date have
     intersected wide palladium intervals
- → A significant nickel-palladium discovery

# Two **parallel high-grade Ni-Cu-Pd zones** identified thus far, both remain open along strike and at depth

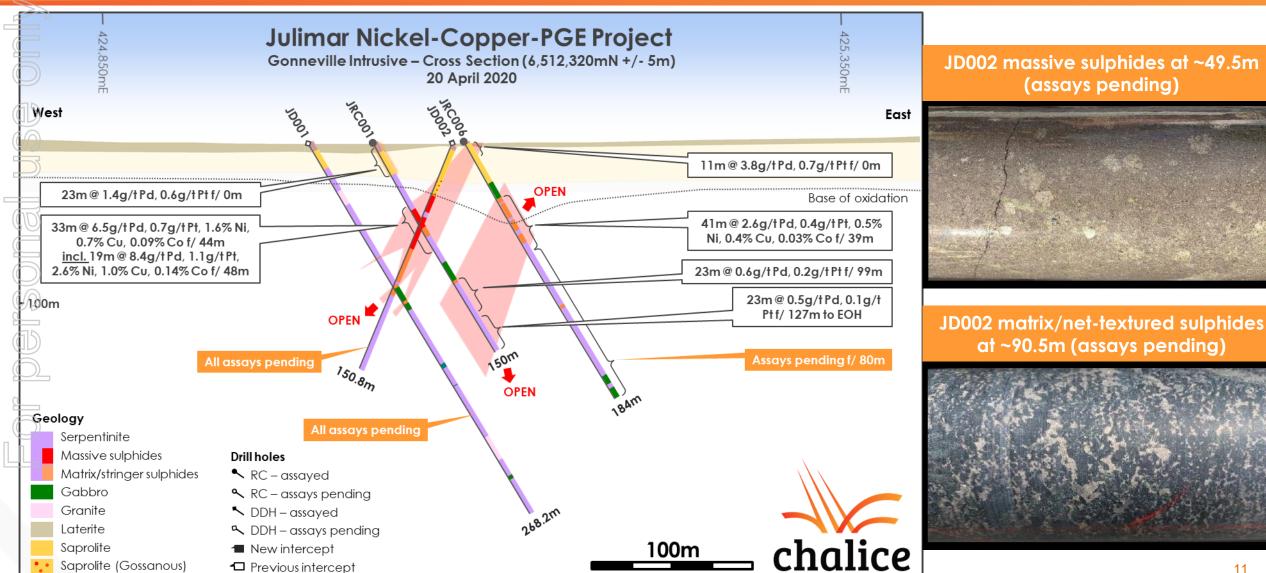




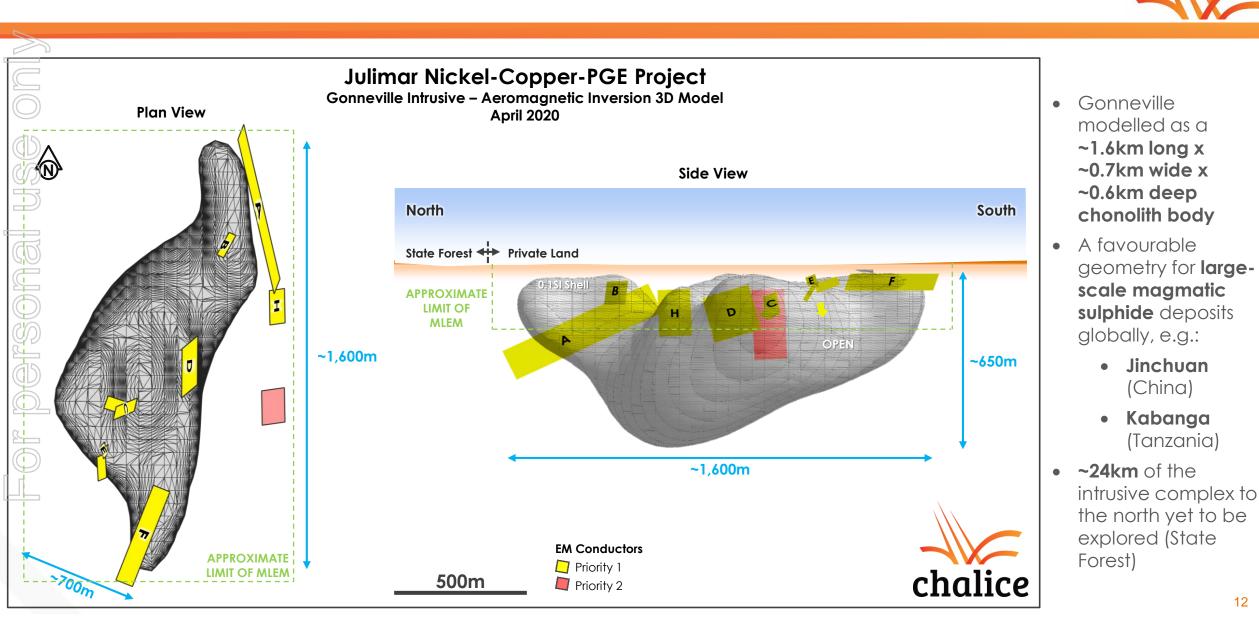
- JRC006, 60m east of discovery hole JRC001, intersected:
  - 41m @ 2.6g/t Pd, 0.4g/t Pt, 0.5% Ni, 0.4% Cu, 0.03% Co from 39m (sulphide) to limit of assays, including:
- The new parallel zone:
  - Is wide open
  - Aligns with conductive response in
     MLEM ~200m to south
- New Ni-Cu-PGE province
- RC and diamond drilling continues
- DHEM continues to generate off-hole targets, interpreted to be massive sulphide zones
- All other PGE assays remain pending

# The parallel high-grade Ni-Cu-Pd zones have a steep westerly dip and remain wide open





Inversion modelling indicates a highly prospective geometry, with similarities to globally significant magmatic Ni-Cu+/-PGE sulphide deposits



## The Project has strong commercial drivers for exploration



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A new Ni-Cu-PGE province in unrecognised complex → never explored for magmatic sulphides

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Located on Perth's doorstep → direct access to established infrastructure in a tier-1 mining jurisdiction

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Chalice has expanded its regional holding to >2,000km<sup>2</sup> → significant regional upside

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100% owned
→ shareholders will get entire uplift of a discovery

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Palladium is very rare and one of the most valuable precious metals with an acute supply shortage

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Project on private land and State Forest → year-round access



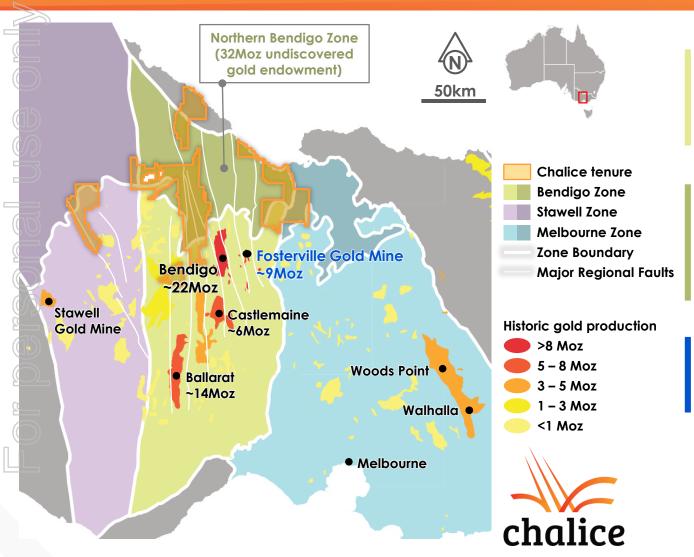
# Pyramid Hill Gold Project

## Victoria



# Why the Bendigo gold district of Victoria? The prospect of finding another **Fosterville Gold Mine**





>60Moz Au produced since 1850's from outcropping South Bendigo Zone, at a avg grade of ~15g/t Au

90% of mines had a recovered grade >8.5g/t Au

**32Moz Au** (P50 mid case) of undiscovered gold to the north in the **Northern Bendigo Zone** (Vic Govt 'Gold Undercover'' estimate)

This area is essentially unexplored – the opportunity

2019 operating cash

costs guidance

**US\$130-**

150/oz

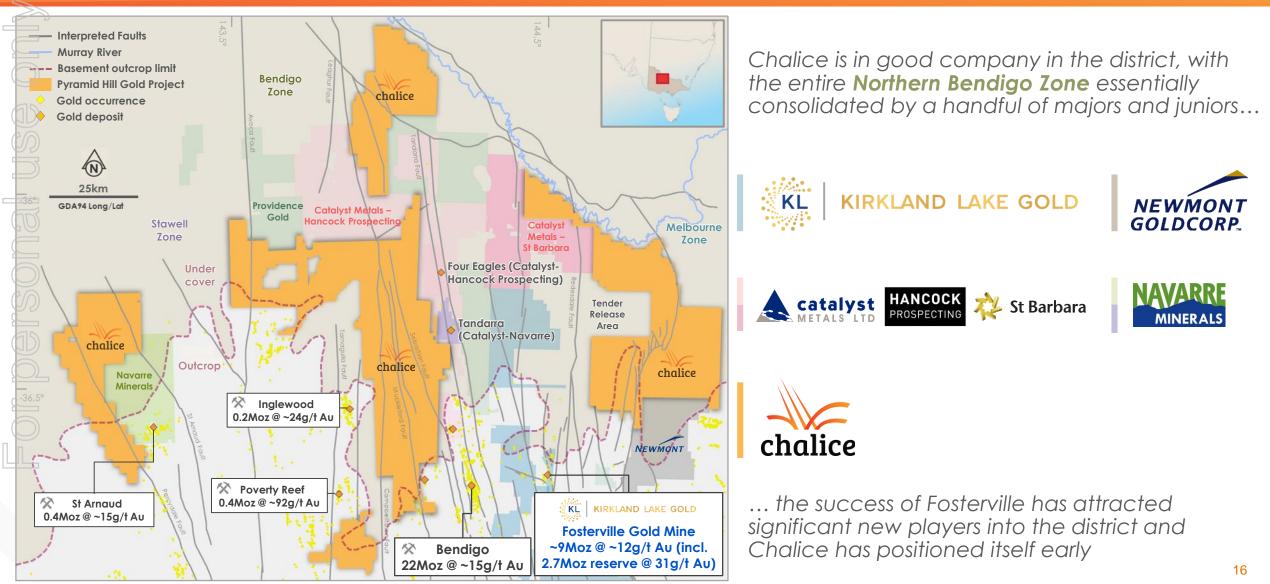
Historic region capturing global attention again thanks to Kirkland Lake Gold's **ultra high-grade Fosterville Gold Mine:** 



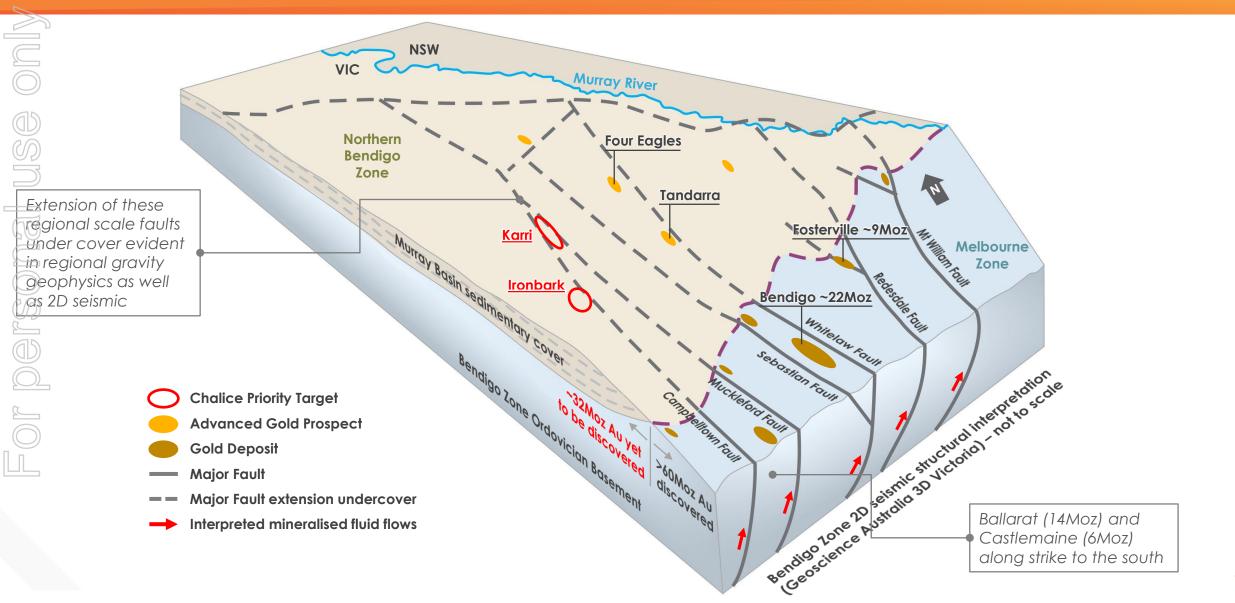
Dec-18 Mineral Reserve

2.7Moz at 31.0g/t Au Chalice has staked a >5,000km<sup>2</sup> essentially unexplored land holding surrounding two world-class gold deposits

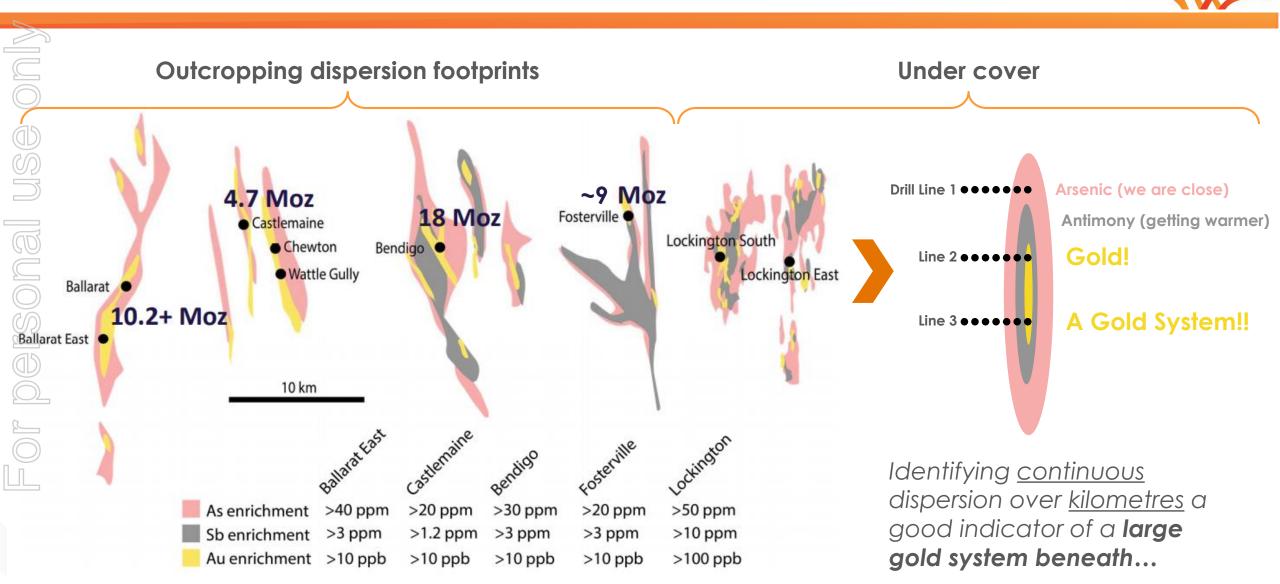




The major gold deposits are controlled by regional scale faults, which continue to the north into Chalice's tenure  $\rightarrow$  follow the strike



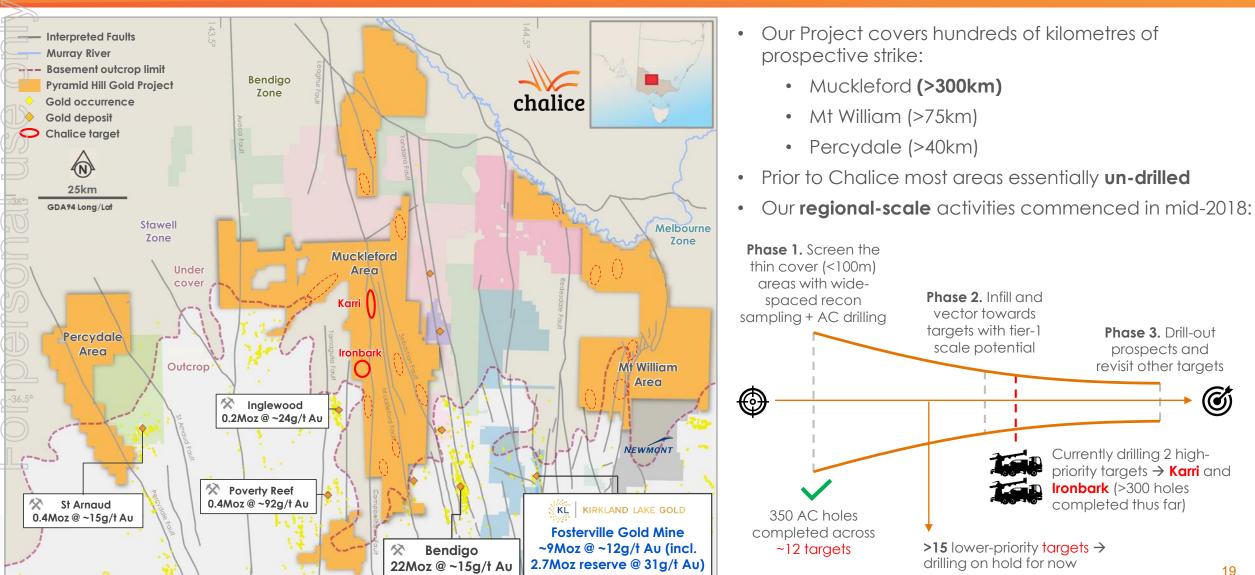
Dispersion of gold and pathfinder metals such as arsenic and antimony is used to **vector towards gold** under cover



SOURCE: Duncan, R. 2019, The five key ingredients that make a world-class gold district, Geological Survey of Victoria

# Chalice has adopted a systematic value-add approach – 'find the big gold systems first'





Drilling at Pyramid Hill Gold Project, Feb-2020



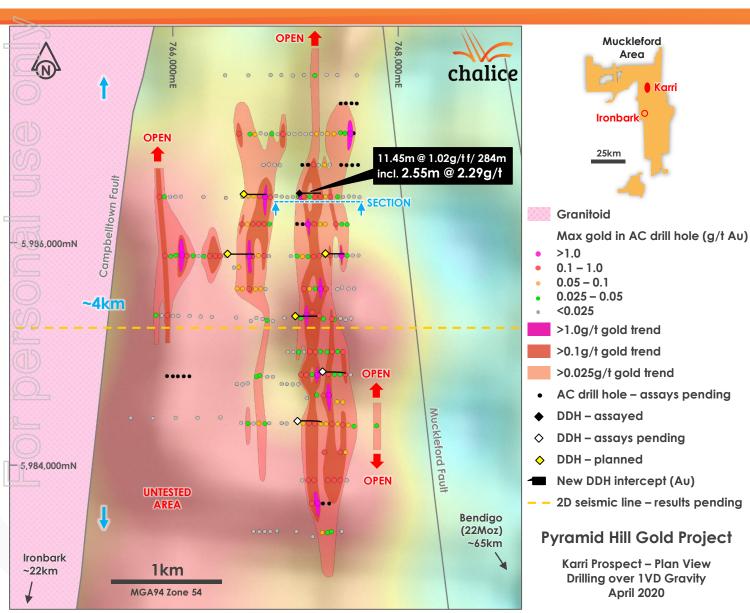
# Pyramid Hill Gold Project

## Key results to date

### **1. KARRI PROSPECT**

First **diamond drill** hole intersected a **wide zone of primary gold** suggesting a significant gold system below the >4km long gold trend

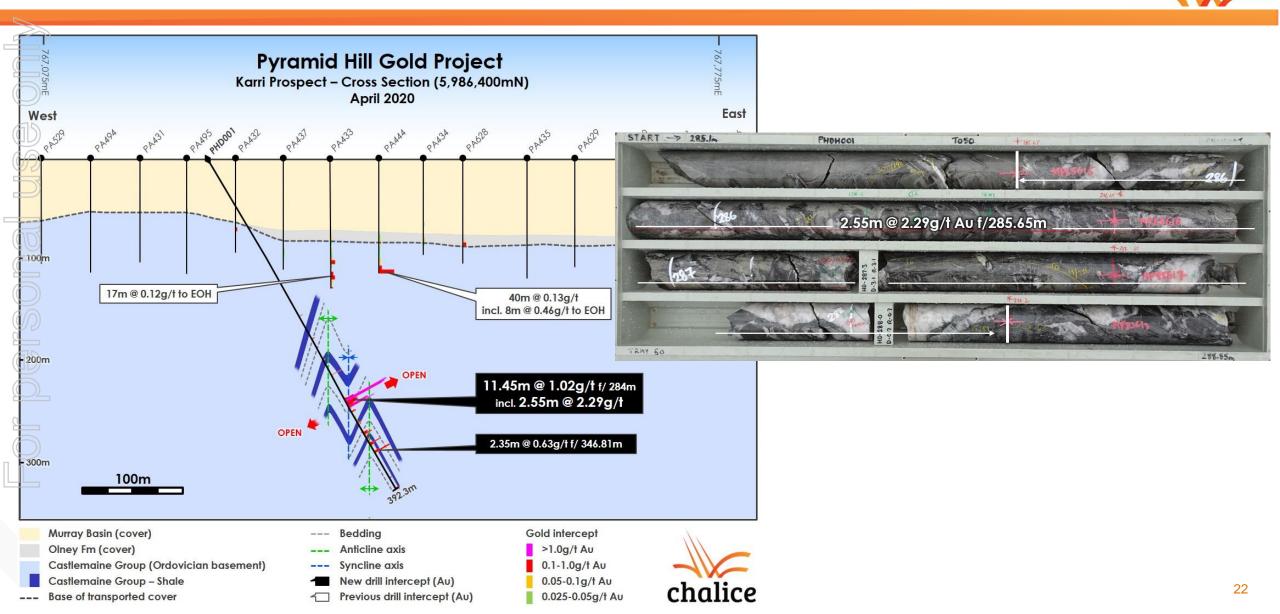




- ~Maiden 7 hole diamond program for structure / geology in progress
- First ever test at depth into a 'blind target'
- PHD001 intersected:
  - 2.55m @ 2.29g/t Au within 11.45m @ 1.02g/t Au from 284m
- Associated with stockwork quartz veining in Castlemaine Group sediments – similar to other major gold systems in the region
- Suggests a significant gold system below the >4km long gold trend
- Drilling continues with two diamond rigs on 500m-1km spaced drill lines
- Assays pending for a further three diamond holes

### **1. KARRI PROPSECT**

The gold zone is associated with a tight upright fold hinge – a **characteristic feature of the large gold systems** in the Bendigo Zone



### **1. KARRI PROPSECT**

# The gold footprint at Karri indicates the potential for a sizeable gold system beneath → the size of the prize is significant

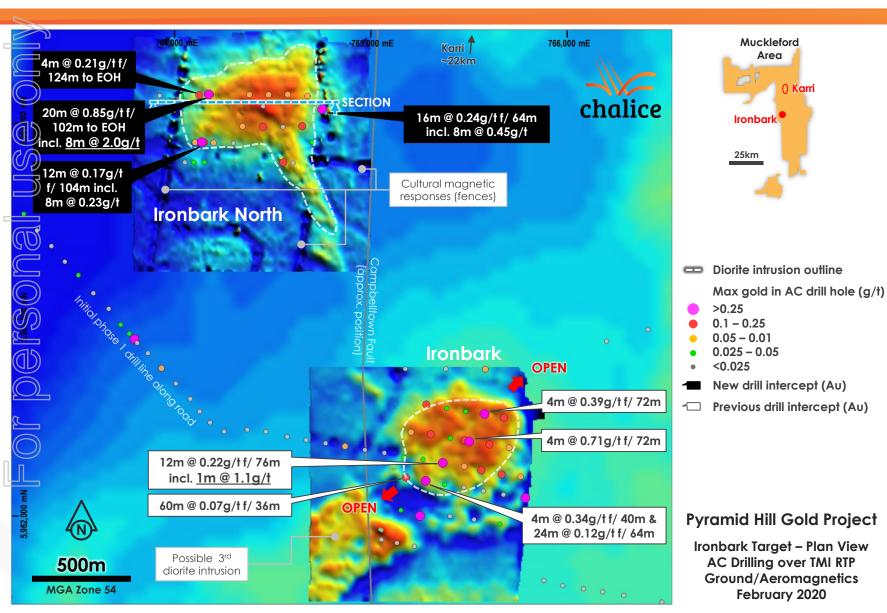


Source: Kirkland Lake Gold News Release 10 Dec 2019. 1 As of 31 Dec 2018

O'Dwyer's South

### 2. IRONBARK TARGET

Two distinct, large diorite intrusions identified at the **Ironbark Target**; up to 3g/t gold intersected in the first AC drill holes

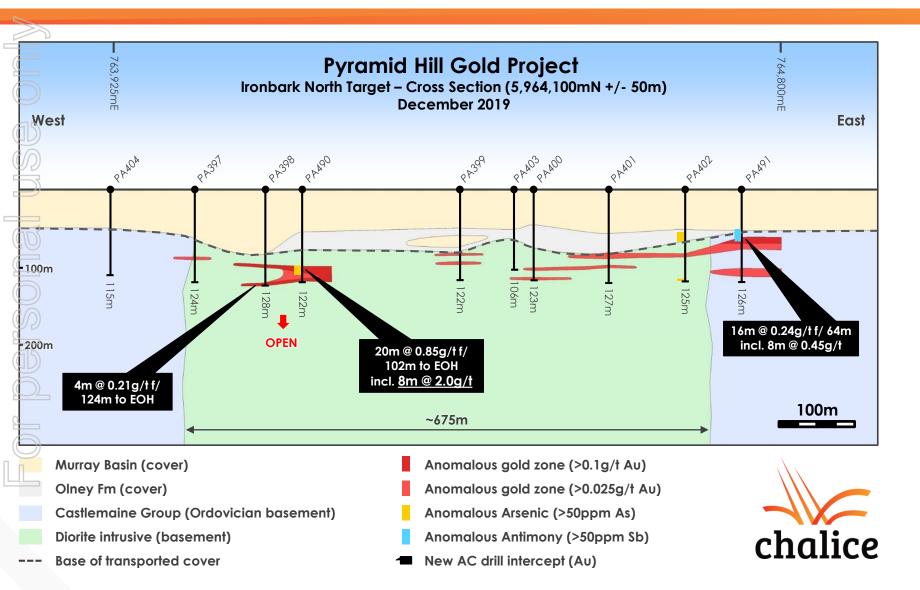


- ~100 vertical AC holes completed to date – no historical drilling
- 50-80m of Murray Basin cover
- New 4m composite drill intercepts at Ironbark North:
  - 4m @ 3.0g/t Au, within 8m @ 2.0g/t Au
  - 8m@ 0.45g/t Au, within 16m @ 0.24g/t Au
- Ironbark intrusion also mineralised with up to 1g/t Au to date
- Gold within diorite intrusion and on margins simple drill targets
- All gold zones remain **open**
- 250m x 50m infill AC grid drilling in progress
- Maiden diamond program for structural / drill planning purposes in progress 24

2. IRONBARK TARGET

High-grade gold in diorite is common in Eastern Victoria, however Chalice's discovery of gold in the Ironbark diorites is the **first in the Bendigo Zone** 





- Gold in the diorites <u>and</u> on the margins
- Several high-grade diorite-associated gold deposits in Eastern Victoria, including:
  - Cohen's Reef

     (~1.5Moz @ 32g/t Au)
     → a single gold lode
     equivalent to half a

     Fosterville!
  - Morning Star
     (~800koz @ 26g/t Au)
- Both Ironbark diorite intrusions have a much larger footprint than those in Eastern Victoria

The Pyramid Hill Gold Project has strong commercial drivers for exploration



Highly prospective but essentially unexplored +++ → a **new** opportunity with huge upside and **no** legacy brownfield issues

High-grade district + operating mines nearby → strong commercial drivers for exploration

>5,000km<sup>2</sup> area with >300km of prospective strike → potential for dozens of discoveries

- 100% owned
- → shareholders will get entire uplift of a discovery

Moderate cost exploration due to cover, however air-core drilling has excellent 'bang for your buck'

Almost exclusively broadacre farmland → year-round access with no environmentally sensitive 'no-go' areas. Chalice maintains strong social licence to operate

# So why invest in Chalice?



RC/diamond drilling at new Ni-Pd discovery in WA + 2 diamond rigs drilling in Vic – all prospects have significant scale potential











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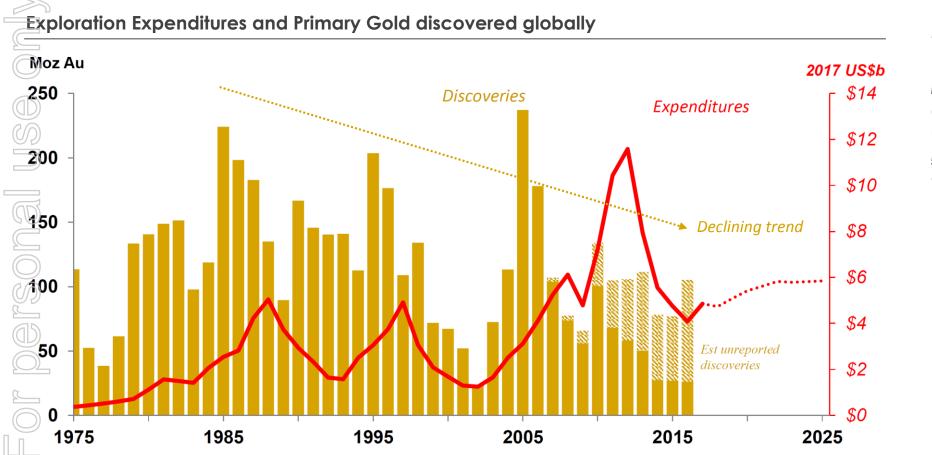
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## STRATEGY

Our strategy is to systematically acquire and explore in premier terranes; aiming to address the **rapid decline in tier-1 scale** discoveries worldwide



Peaks in discoveries precede the peaks in exploration spend. So the best time to get in [to explorers], is when exploration spend bottoms out and starts rising... which is now! MinEx Consulting, Nov 2018 Tier-1 scale discoveries (>US\$1bn NPV) now represent only ~2% of all discoveries worldwide; Only <u>one in Australia in</u> <u>last 10 years (Swan Zone</u> at Fosterville)



#### **COMPANY HISTORY**

Since our 2006 IPO, we have acquired well, advanced projects quickly and generated >A\$100M in after-tax proceeds<sup>1</sup> from asset sales

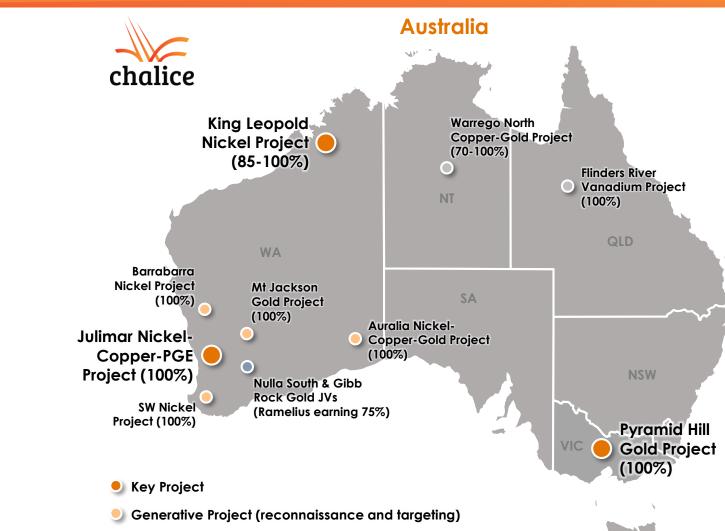


2006 \$7.5M raised on ASX to p Chalice & Higginsville	rogress	<b>2009</b> Zara Gold Project in Eritrea acquired for ~A\$7M	Eritrea ~ <b>US\$11</b> <b>A\$0.10</b>	old Project in sold for <b>4M</b> (pre-tax) <b>ps / ~A\$25M</b> I return to olders	• 2016 Camer Gold P Ontaria for ~A (pre-to	roject in o sold \$25M	capit	<b>04ps / ~A\$10.6M</b> tal return to eholders
2006	2008	2010	2012	2014	2016	2018		2020
	2007 Chalice & Higginsville Projects sold for ~A\$12M (pre-tax)	<b>2009-2011</b> ~A\$43M raised to progress Zara t	o DFS	<b>2013</b> Cameron Gold Project in Ontario acquired for ~A\$8M		<b>2017</b> Acquired East Cadillac Gold Project in Queb and staked Pyramid Hill Go Project in Victor	ld	<b>2019</b> Quebec Gold Projects sold to O3 Mining

## PORTFOLIO

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Chalice's portfolio includes **key district-scale gold and nickel projects** as well as several royalties, investments and non-operated JVs



#### Royalties

- Nyanzaga, Tanzania A\$5 million payment receivable upon commercial production from Orecorp Limited (ASX: ORR)
- East Cadillac, Quebec 1.0% NSR partial
- Kinebik, Quebec 1.0% NSR
- Ardeen, Ontario 0.12-1.0% NSR partial
- Cameron, Ontario 1.0% NSR partial
- Jericho, WA 1.0% NSR capped
- Bunjarra Well, WA 1.0% NSR capped
- Kurrajong Bore, WA 1.25% NSR

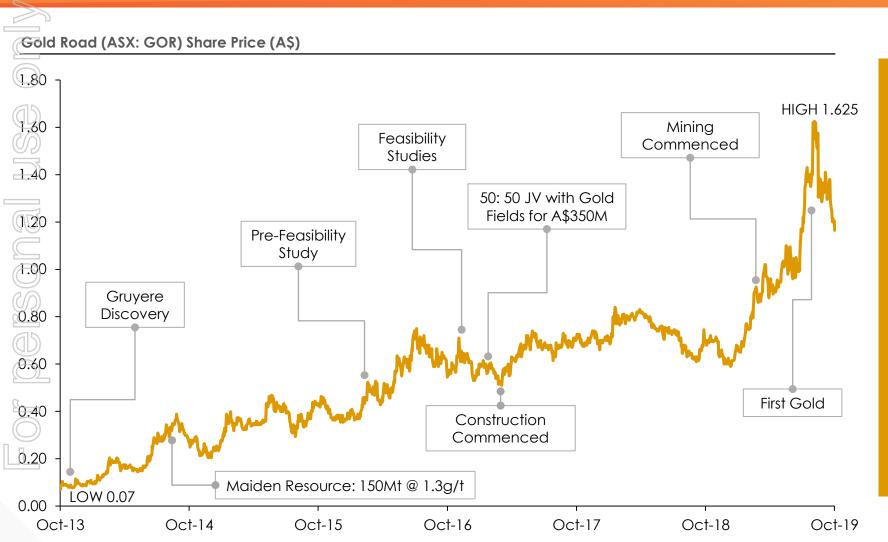
#### Key Investments

• ~3.1M shares (~7%) in O3 Mining Inc. (TSX-V: OIII)

- Non-Operated Joint Ventures
- Available for JV / sale

### **CASE STUDY**

# Gold Road Resources (ASX: GOR) started with greenfield exploration in an underexplored belt and are now a >A\$1Bn company



- The Gruyere discovery was located in a **similar underexplored yet proven mineral province**
- 50:50 JV partner with Gold Fields (NYSE: GFI) – a major global miner
- Sale provided GOR with A\$350 million in cash plus a 1.5% Net Smelter Return royalty
- Gruyere has a 12yr mine life at 300koz p.a. and is cashed up for new exploration opportunities
- A recent and highly relevant example of how a junior explorer grew rapidly off the back of a single discovery

King Leopold field reconnaissance, Jun-2019



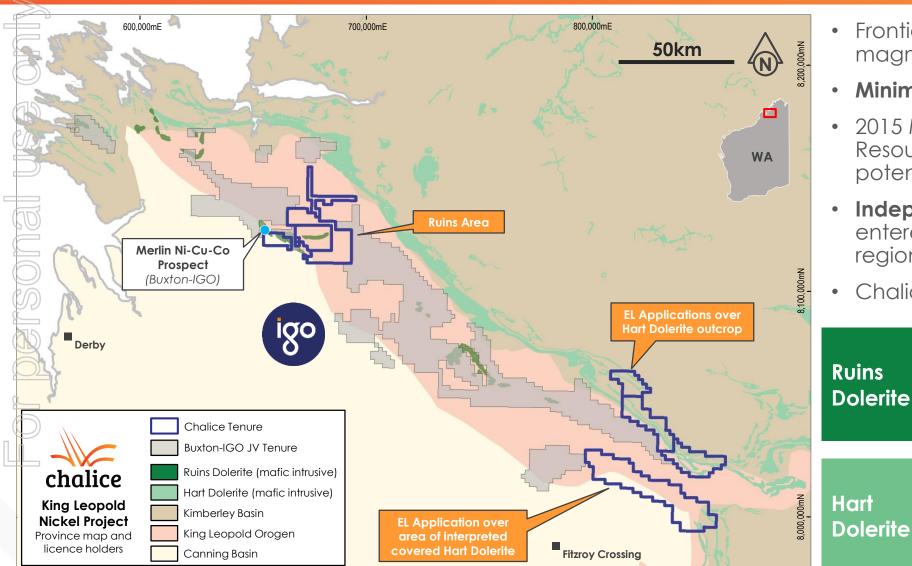
## King Leopold Nickel Project

## Western Australia



The King Leopold Nickel Project covers **1,800km<sup>2</sup>** in the frontier and largely unexplored King Leopold Orogen of the west Kimberley





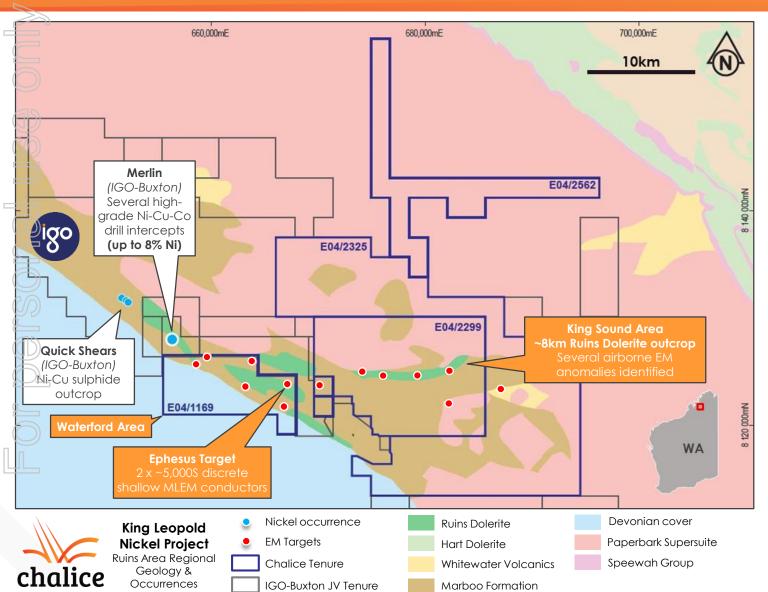
- Frontier province highly prospective for magmatic Ni-Cu-Co sulphide deposits
- Minimal modern exploration
- 2015 Merlin discovery by Buxton Resources (ASX: BUX) highlighted potential of Ruins Dolerite
- Independence Group (ASX: IGO) entered the region in late 2018 with a regional JV with Buxton
- Chalice now a **significant** player:



- 1,200km<sup>2</sup> of EL applications made in late 2018
- Conceptual host to magmatic sulphides

Chalice's immediate focus is the Ruins Area, where **several nickel sulphide targets** have already been defined





- Merlin (IGO-Buxton) hosts drill intercepts in Ruins Dolerite with grades up to 8.14% Ni, 5.26% Cu and 0.69% Co
- 11 airborne EM targets defined by Chalice to date along strike to SE and E of Merlin
- Ground based MLEM completed over 4 targets to date
- 7 airborne EM targets yet to be surveyed with ground EM
- 2 x ~5,000 Siemens conductors identified at Ephesus target
- Field activities to recommence mid-2020 due to access constraints