Summa Silver Expands Phase I Drill Program to Follow-Up on Recent High-Grade Silver and Gold Discovery of 3,760 g/t Silver Equivalent over 2.5 m

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VANCOUVER, Oct. 14, 2020 - <u>Summa Silver Corp.</u> ("Summa" or the "Company") (CSE: SSVR) (OTCQB: SSVRF) (Fra is pleased to announce that it has increased the size of the current Phase I drill program at the high-grade silver (Ag) a Hughes Property near Tonopah, Nevada to 12,500 metres. The Company is also planning a significant Phase II drill program is scheduled to begin in the first quarter of 2021.

Key Highlights:

- Phase I Drill Program Expanded: The current program has been expanded to at least 12,500 m to follow up on each high-grade Ag and Au results and encouraging preliminary visual results observed in multiple drill holes. (3,760 g equivalent over 2.5 m in hole SUM20-06; see news release dated September 30, 2020)
- Assays Pending for Multiple Holes: The Company is awaiting assay results for 13 additional holes, all of which we
 assess high-priority targets consisting of both unmined extensions of known veins and new prospects in areas of
 exploration (see attached figure).
- Current Focus on Step-Out and Exploration Drilling: Two core rigs remain in full operation on the property with on
 final stages of completing a widely-spaced drilling pattern on the Murray target and the other now beginning follow
 around the Belmont Mine.
- Third Rig Mobilized to Property: A reverse-circulation rig is currently in transit to the property and will drill pre-colla minimum of 12 additional core holes.
- Phase II Drilling Program Planned: A significant Phase II drill program is being planned for early 2021.

Galen McNamara, CEO, stated: "The current Phase I drill program on the Hughes Property near Tonopah, Nevada has our expectations. With assay results from the first three holes locally exceeding 2,000 g/t silver equivalent in three separations in the size of the current program was an easy decision. In addition, it is very clear the property merits significated drilling and we are planning to commence a Phase II drill program in early 2021 after all assay results from the current received and compiled."

Drilling Details

Since mobilizing drill rigs to the Hughes property in late June, 2020, a total 8,100 m in 16 holes have been completed. have been completed at the Belmont Mine, 2 holes have been completed at the Mizpah Extension Mine and 5 holes have completed at the Murray target. At least 12 additional holes will be drilled this season as part of the expanded program.

At the Ruby target, approximately 1.3 km east and along strike from the historic Belmont mine, 1 hole has been partially was paused prior to reaching the target depth where the presence of strong and pervasive clay alteration at several interprevented the advancement of the hole through the target area. Zones of centimeter- to meter-scale quartz-adularia vehowever, intersected immediately above the current depth of 653 m. The presence of adularia in quartz veins is indicated boiling and is a hallmark of mineralization-proximal alteration assemblages in many low-sulfidation epithermal systems, reverse-circulation rig currently in transit to the property will be used to stabilize the hole at Ruby via reaming and then be advanced through the zones of strong alteration. The hole will then be completed via core drilling.

Exploration Plans

The Company is also planning a multidisciplinary exploration program comprised of geological and a uav-based magnet geophysical surveys. Both surveys will concentrate on the northern and eastern portions of the property where largely areas of extensive and strong zones of outcropping hydrothermal alteration have been documented. Results from these are expected to guide further geophysical surveys and inform drill hole targeting on the eastern portion of the property, be host to a significant strike extension of the Tonopah District.

Stock Option Grant

The Board of Directors has approved the grant of 2,235,000 incentive stock options to directors, officers, and consultar Company. The options vest over one year and are exercisable at a price of \$1.41 for a period of 60 months.

Qualified Person

The technical content of this news release has been reviewed and approved by Galen McNamara, P. Geo., the CEO or

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Company and a qualified person as defined by National Instrument 43-101.

About Summa Silver Corp

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