

Nighthawk Gold Corp. Applauds Completion of Tlicho Highway Project

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TORONTO, Nov. 8, 2021 - [Nighthawk Gold Corp.](#) ("Nighthawk" or the "Company") (TSX: NHK) (OTCQX: MIMZF) is pleased to announce that the new Tlicho Highway (known as Highway 9), a permanent 97km two-lane gravel highway on a former winter road alignment from Hwy 3, roughly 40km south of Behchoko - to the Community of Whati, Northwest Territories, Canada, is scheduled to open to the public on November 30, 2021.

A joint announcement on November 3, 2021, by the Federal Government of Canada (Infrastructure Canada), the Tlicho Government and the Government of the Northwest Territories (the "GNWT"), slated opening of the new highway to the public on November 30, 2021, at 10:00am Highway 9 is a 97-km, two-lane gravel road providing all-year round access to the community of Whati, where previously, the community of around 500 people was only accessible by winter road or aircraft. Due to current Covid-19 restrictions, the ribbon cutting ceremony has been postponed to a later date. The Tlicho Highway will provide new economic opportunities, increased tourism, and improved accessibility. The new highway will also increase the winter road window-of-access to the communities of Gameti and Wekweeti (a community situated approx. 50km east of Nighthawk's property package).

Keyvan Salehi, President & CEO commented, "This is a very exciting step forward for this region and one that remained on schedule and on budget even with implications due to the current pandemic. It is great to see this type of partnership and collaborative efforts put forth from the three levels of government who came together to complete this much needed infrastructure development project.

The community of Whati now have year-round access to Yellowknife and the ice roads that continue to the other two communities (and through our project) will likely have improved window-of-access. There are also other mineral projects in the area, that are now significantly closer to having year-round access where their project would have previously been considered remote. We remain encouraged and supportive of the commitment to connect these remote communities, and to build infrastructure that will also foster additional resource development opportunities within the region."

Technical Information

Nighthawk has implemented a quality-control program to comply with best practices in the sampling and analysis of drill core. Drill core samples were transported in security-sealed bags for analyses at ALS Global Assay Laboratory in Vancouver, BC ("ALS Global"). ALS Global is an ISO/IEC 17025 accredited laboratory. Pulp and metalics assaying for gold was conducted on the entire pulverized sample.

As part of its QA/QC program, Nighthawk inserts external gold standards (low to high-grade) and blanks every 20 samples in addition to the standards, blanks, and pulp duplicates inserted by ALS Global.

About Nighthawk

Nighthawk is a Canadian-based gold exploration company with 100% ownership of a district-scale land position within the Indin Lake Greenstone Belt, located approximately 200km north of Yellowknife, Northwest Territories, Canada. Within this largely under explored Archean gold camp, the Company has identified a number of high-priority targets all centred around a growing deposit. These targets lie within large regional deformation zones that contain gold mineralization which warrant additional exploration and follow-up. The main objectives over the next 6-12 months will be to carry out exploration to foster resource expansion opportunities as well as testing new, near-surface discoveries that support the growth of the global mineral resource base.

The Company has an experienced and dedicated team with a track record of successfully advancing projects and is well funded and supported to advance its near-term goals and objectives.

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