

### GOLD RESOURCE

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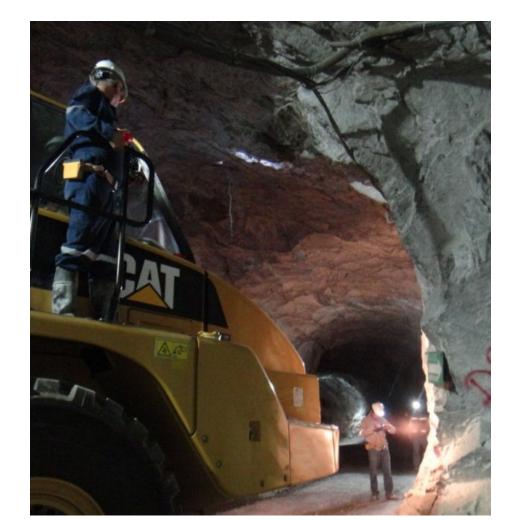
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### Agenda

- Don David Gold Mexico Overview
- What GORO represents
- Rationale for acquisition of Aquila
- Why Aquila was available
- What acquiring Aquila accomplishes
- Support for acquisition of Aquila
- Steps following closing of transaction







### Don David Gold Mexico S.A. de C.V.



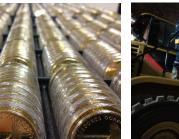
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Production, Development & Exploration Stage Asset

- Mining friendly jurisdiction
- High-grade gold & silver potential

# Socially Responsible - Health and Safety Focused





### Company awarded Mexico's "ESR" seal for seventh

#### consecutive year







#### **Safety Commissions**







#### Fire Brigade



#### Labor Environment



#### **Protections**



### **Environmental and Social Initiatives**

In addition to costs savings at site, added benefit of power line, completed in 2019, was access to electricity for about 25,000 homes for the first time

#### **Plant Nursery / Reforestation**



Dental Clinic Health Clinic



Town Infrastructure



Sustainable Development



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#### **Commitment to Hire**



#### **Student Scholarships**

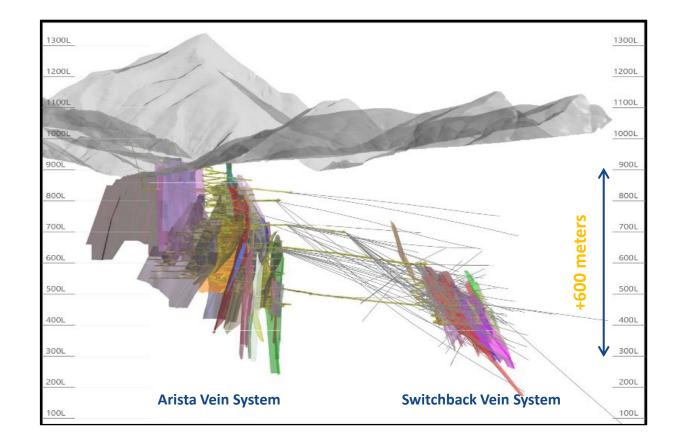


### Arista Mine

- Epithermal vein system
  - Intermediate sulfidation
- Large system, en echelon veins
- High-grade gold, silver deposit (polymetallic)
  - Base metals; Cu, Pb, Zn
- Proven & Probable Reserves
  - 2,328,500 tonnes @ 2.11 g/t Au, 127 g/t Ag, 3.62 g/t AuEq
  - 270,800 oz precious metal AuEq
  - 157,900 oz Au
  - 9,541,700 oz Ag



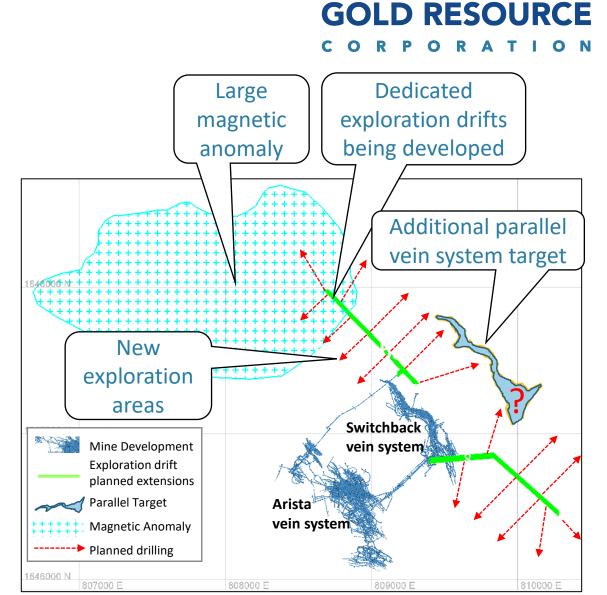
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# Arista – New exploration drifts producing results

- Q2/Q3 drilling confirmed down-dip extension of Switchback vein system
- Intercepts identifying precious and base metal mineralization ~80 meters below mine workings
- Significant gold and silver mineralization intercepted outside existing reserves deeper intersections of Switchback system previously only identified base metal mineralization
- Two infill holes intercepted higher gold grades than modeled

For more information on 2021 drilling please refer to our news releases issued February 2, 2021, August 9, 2021 and September 7, 2021 and available at https://goldresourcecorp.com/news-releases/2021/



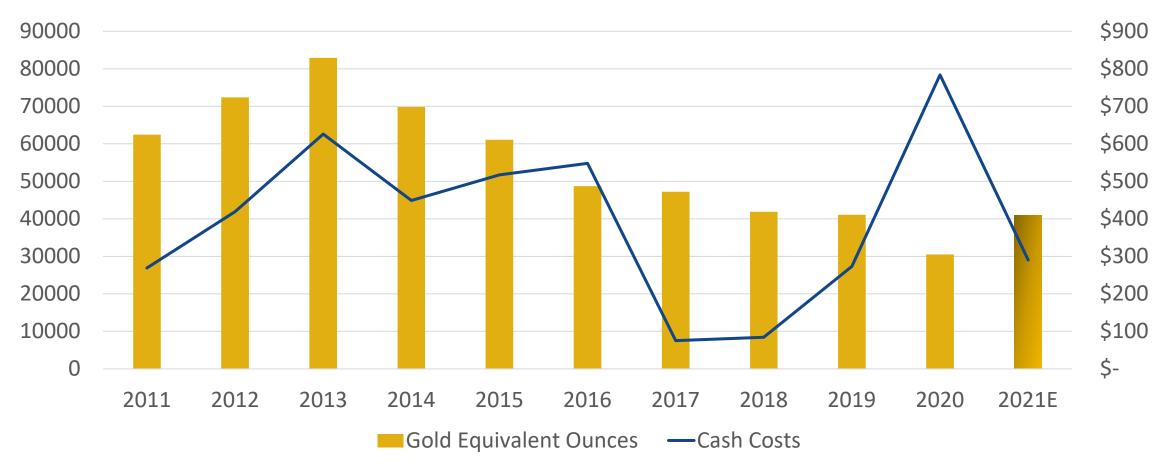


### Gold Equivalent Ounces and Total Cash Costs



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Total cash cost per gold equivalent ounce are calculated after co-product credits sold and are non-GAAP financial measures. Please see the Non-GAAP Measures section of the Management's Discussion and Analysis and Results of Operations section of the 10-Q prepared for the period ended June 30, 2021 for a complete reconciliation of the non-GAAP measures.

### Milled Tonnes and Total mine cost of sales (per tonne milled)

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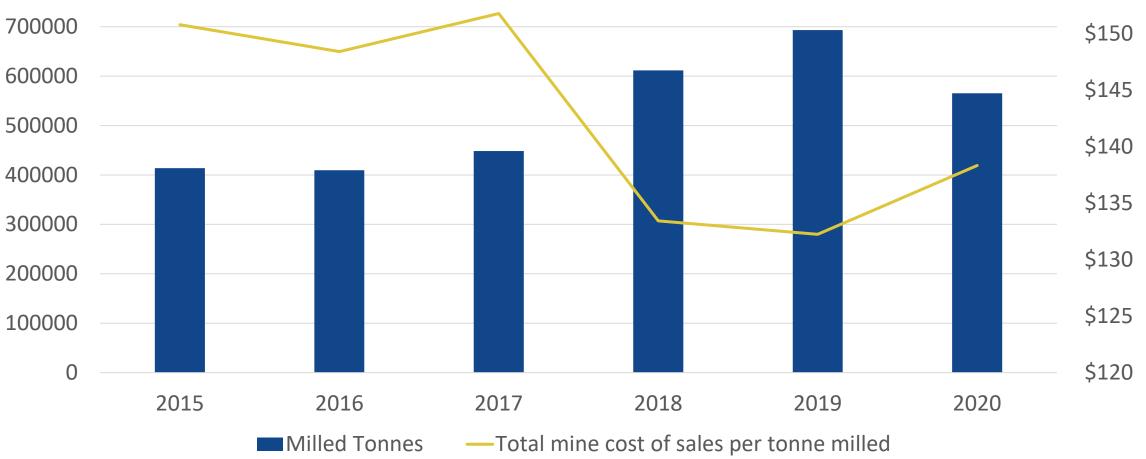


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### 2021 Guidance



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Measure	2021 Guidance	Updated 2021 Guidance
Gold production (oz)	19,500 - 21,500	21,000 - 23,000
Silver production (oz)	1,700K - 1,800K	1,100K - 1,300K
Cash Costs after by-products per AuEq (oz) <sup>2,3</sup>	\$210 - \$225	\$250 - \$290
AISC after by-product credits per AuEq (oz) <sup>2,3</sup>	\$800 - \$900	\$800 - \$900
Capital Expenditures	\$20.0 - \$22.0 MM	\$16.0 MM
Exploration	\$7.0 - \$7.2 MM	\$7.0 - \$7.2 MM
General & Administrative expenses	\$6.0 - \$6.5 MM	\$6.5 - \$6.9 MM

1) Precious metal gold equivalent ("AuEq") is determined by taking gold ounces sold plus silver ounces sold converted to precious metal gold equivalent ounces using the gold to silver average realized price ratio for the period.

2) Calculations of cash cost per after by-product credits per gold equivalent ounce and all-in sustaining cost after by-product credits per gold equivalent ounce are non-GAAP financial measures. Please see the Non-GAAP Measures section of the Management's Discussion and Analysis and Results of Operations in the Quarterly Report for the period ended June 30, 2021, reported on Form 10Q for a complete reconciliation of the non-GAAP measures.

3) Co-product credits are based on approximately 7,200 tonnes of lead sold at an \$0.90 per pound metal price (originally 8,000 tonnes of lead sold at \$0.80 per pound), approximately 1,500 tonnes of copper sold at a \$4.00 per pound metal price (originally 1,800 tonnes of copper sold at \$2.80 per pound) and 16,000 tonnes of zinc sold at a \$1.25 per pound metal price (originally 21,000 tonnes of zinc sold at \$1.04 per pound).

### What GORO represents





- Strong balance sheet
  - \$30 million in cash on hand
  - No debt
- Tight capital structure
  - 75 million shares outstanding
- NYSE American Listing
  - 1 million shares (daily average over last three months)
- 2021 Production 41,000 to 43,000 ounces of AuEq (excluding base metals)
- \$40-\$50 million in operating cash flow
- Strong technical and operations team

### Rationale for acquisition of Aquila





- Accretive transaction in short and medium term
- Purchase price ~ US\$24 million, significant discount to NAV
- Production expected from Back Forty Project late 2024
- Significant mineralized material
- \$95 million invested in exploring and advancing Back Forty Project to date by Aquila and its predecessors

### Why Aquila was available





- Project advancement has been historically slow
- Financing overhang
  - Aquila's current share price and number of shares outstanding not conducive to equity financing
- 18.5% gold stream equivalent to a 5% NSR
  - Deposit can support it
- Perceived permitting risk
  - Due diligence gives GORO management comfort that permitting risk can be managed
  - Previous permit rescinded due to administrative finding
- Market fatigue

### What acquiring Aquila accomplishes





- Back Forty Project will provide 10+ years of production in the near term
- Gold mineralization increases by ~500%
- Once in production the grade and profitability of Back Forty are expected to be similar to the grade and profitability of Don David Gold Mexico
- Two mine company with geographic diversification
- Clear path to mid-tier status with anticipated re-rating of GORO stock

### Support for acquisition of Aquila





- Board and management of Aquila support transaction
- Orion Mine Finance, largest shareholder (29%) is supportive
- Osisko Gold Royalties gold stream holder is supportive
- Unanimous support of GORO board

### Steps following closing of acquisition





- Finalize new block models and resource estimates
- Develop revised mine plan
- Evaluate alternative process flowsheets
- Complete definitive feasibility study
- Review and refine permitting strategy to ensure successful receipt of permits
- Expedite construction of project

# Gold Resource / Aquila Combination – Final thoughts





- Peer leading growth profile
- Healthy balance sheet
- Strong cash flow
- Improved access to additional financing
- Leadership with expertise in developing and operating polymetallic open pit and underground mines
- Synergies G&A, concentrate marketing and supply chain