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News Release

OceanaGold Files Preliminary Prospectus for Didipio Initial Public Offering and Provides Underground Optimization Update, 2023 Reserves and Resources and Exploration Update at Didipio

(VANCOUVER) OceanaGold Corporation (TSX:OGC, OTCQX:OCANF) ("OceanaGold" or the "Company") is pleased to announce that its wholly owned subsidiary, OceanaGold Philippines, Inc. ("OGPI"), has filed a registration statement and draft preliminary prospectus with the Philippine Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and a listing application with The Philippine Stock Exchange, Inc. ("PSE") in relation to the proposed initial public offering (the "Offering") of 20% of the outstanding common shares of OGPI. OGPI holds the Company's interest in the Didipio Mine and, pursuant to the terms of the renewed Financial or Technical Assistance Agreement ("FTAA"), is required to list its common shares on the PSE. The Offering is a secondary offering of common shares, with the proceeds to be received by a wholly owned subsidiary of OceanaGold.

OceanaGold is also providing an update on the recently completed Didipio underground optimization work (the "Underground Optimization"), the year-end 2023 Mineral Reserves and Mineral Resources estimate for Didipio, and recent exploration and resource conversion results at Didipio.

Gerard Bond, President and CEO of OceanaGold, said, "We are proud of Didipio's track record as a proven high-quality, long-life, low-cost gold-copper mine and look forward to welcoming new Filipino and international shareholders to participate in the expected robust free cash flow generation, consistent dividend payments, and future potential at Didipio.

Today's release highlights the upside potential we see at Didipio, including findings from the Underground Optimization work and further exploration and resource conversion success as we look to replace and add additional reserves and resources. We believe that the future at Didipio is bright and look forward to it continuing to create value for both OceanaGold and our new OGPI shareholders."

OGPI Initial Public Offering

OGPI has filed a registration statement and draft preliminary prospectus with the SEC for the Offering of 20% of OGPI's common shares, with the Offering expected to be completed prior to July 2024. OGPI holds the Company's interest in the Didipio Mine and, pursuant to the terms of the renewed FTAA, is required to list at least 10% of its common shares on the PSE. Due to the PSE's minimum public float requirement of 20%, OGPI intends to list all of its issued and outstanding common shares and publicly float 20% thereof on the main board of the PSE.

The Offering, which is subject to receipt of Philippine regulatory approvals, operating performance and market conditions, will comprise a secondary offering of common shares of OGPI, with the proceeds to be received by a wholly owned subsidiary of OceanaGold. The proposed Offering price will be determined in the context of the market through a book building process with a maximum up-to price of ₱17.28 per share (US\$0.31 per share), and a maximum sale of 456,000,000 common shares. The Offering is being led by BDO Capital & Investment Corporation as Global Coordinator and Domestic Underwriter and Bookrunner, with CLSA Limited as International Underwriter.

To comply with Philippine regulatory requirements, the draft preliminary prospectus, which contains important information in relation to the Offering, and accompanying Philippine Mineral Reporting Code technical report with respect to the Didipio Mine, have been made available to Philippine residents on https://www.didipiomine.com.ph/. The Company notes that its technical report titled "NI 43-101 Technical Report Didipio Gold/Copper Operations Luzon Island, Philippines" dated March 31, 2022 with an effective date of December 31, 2021 (the "Didipio Technical Report"), which is available on SEDAR+ at www.sedarplus.com and the Company's website, remains the Company's current technical report for the purposes of National Instrument 43-101 – Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects ("NI 43-101").

Didipio Underground Optimization Update

The Underground Optimization work assessed the potential for increased underground mining rates, as well as potential resource extensions below the current reserve limit of Panel 2 (2100 mRL). Preliminary findings include:

- The potential to increase total underground material movement to approximately 2.5Mtpa (from the current 1.75Mtpa), displacing lower grade stockpile ore and thereby increasing the overall feed grade to the mill;
- The potential to increase mill throughput from the current 4.0Mtpa to the already permitted 4.3Mtpa to maximize the benefit of processing the larger volume of higher-grade underground ore;
- The potential to extend mine life and increase gold and copper production through further resource conversion drilling and extension drilling in Panels 3 and 4 and below;

- Estimated additional life-of-mine growth capital of between US\$100 million and US\$130 million for additional mine development, expansion of the mobile equipment fleet, paste fill plant upgrade, dewatering and ventilation; and
- The potential to generate a strong return on this growth capital through increased gold and copper production and extended mine life.

There is no certainty, nor can OceanaGold provide any assurance, that the results of the Underground Optimization will be realized, in part or at all. The findings of the work will require further assessment and analysis, including further resource extension and conversion drilling, and the Company intends to complete this work with the target to publish a NI 43-101 technical report in the first half of 2025, which is expected to include:

- Detailed mine planning and trade off analysis of higher underground production rates and optimal cut-off grade to support the increased underground material movement target;
- Detailed design and cost estimates for increased mobile equipment, paste plant, ventilation, and dewatering infrastructure;
- A power demand study for additional underground infrastructure, and an analysis of potential equipment electrification to meet carbon reduction commitments;
- Detailed definition of the implementation plan to deliver the projected operational availability and utilization improvements underpinning the increased production; and
- An updated Mineral Resource estimate to include the results of new drilling intended to extend and increase confidence in the Mineral Resources in Panel 3 and Panel 4 below the current reserves level (~2100 mRL).

Didipio Year-End 2023 Mineral Reserves and Resources

The Proven and Probable Mineral Reserves estimates at December 31, 2023 at Didipio are presented in Table 1 below. The year-over-year 0.08 Moz decrease in Mineral Reserves was due to 2023 mining depletion, partially offset by conversion of underground resources.

Total open pit stockpiles at Didipio are comprised of Proven Mineral Reserves of 12.7 Mt at 0.38 g/t Au and 0.35% Cu (mined to a 0.4 g/t AuEq cut-off) with an additional stockpile of 5.3Mt at 0.18 g/t Au and 0.15% Cu (mined to an approximate 0.27g/t AuEq cut-off).

Table 1: Didipio Mineral Reserves for Year-End 2023

DECEDIVE	PROVEN				PROBABLE				PROVEN & PROBABLE							
RESERVES	Mt	Au g/t	Ag g/t	Cu %	Mt	Au g/t	Ag g/t	Cu %	Mt	Au g/t	Ag g/t	Cu %	Au Moz	Ag Moz	Cu Mt	Cut-Off
Open Pit Stockpiles	18.0	0.32	2.0	0.29					18.0	0.32	2.0	0.29	0.18	1.2	0.05	0.40 g/t AuEq
Underground	14.6	1.56	1.9	0.43	5.9	0.95	1.6	0.36	20.5	1.38	1.8	0.41	0.91	1.2	0.08	0.76 g/t & 1.16 g/t AuEq
DIDIPIO TOTAL	32.6	0.87	1.9	0.35	5.9	0.95	1.6	0.36	38.6	0.88	1.9	0.35	1.10	2.3	0.14	

- Mineral Reserves defined by mine designs based upon metal prices of US\$1,500/oz gold, US\$3.00/lb copper and US\$17/oz silver.
- · Reported estimates of contained metal are not depleted for processing losses. Cut-offs are applied to diluted grades.
- Incremental stopes proximal to development already planned to access main stoping areas are reported at a lower cut-off of 0.76g/t AuEq, where AuEq = Au g/t + 1.38 x Cu%.

The Measured, Indicated and Inferred Mineral Resources (inclusive of Mineral Reserves) estimates at December 31, 2023 at Didipio are presented in Table 2 below. The year-over-year 0.11 Moz increase in Mineral Resources was due to 0.27 Moz of resource growth in the underground due to successful resource conversion and extensional drilling, partially offset by 2023 mining depletion of 0.16 Moz.

Table 2: Didipio Mineral Resources for Year-End 2023

PECOLIPCES	MEASURED				INDICATED				MEASURED & INDICATED							
RESOURCES M		Au g/t	Ag g/t	Cu %	Mt	Au g/t	Ag g/t	Cu %	Mt	Au g/t	Ag g/t	Cu %	Au Moz	Ag Moz	Cu Mt	Cut-Off
Open Pit Stockpiles	18.0	0.32	2.0	0.29				•	18.0	0.32	2.0	0.29	0.19	1.2	0.05	0.40 g/t AuEq
Underground	15.0	1.70	2.1	0.46	14.8	0.92	1.5	0.34	29.8	1.31	1.8	0.40	1.26	1.7	0.12	0.67 g/t AuEq
DIDIPIO TOTAL	33.0	0.95	2.0	0.37	14.8	0.92	1.5	0.34	47.8	0.94	1.9	0.36	1.44	2.9	0.17	
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									Mt	Au g/t	Ag g/t	Cu %	Au Moz	Ag Moz	Cu Mt	Cut-Off
Underground									12	8.0	1.3	0.3	0.30	0.5	0.03	0.67 g/t AuEq
DIDIPIO TOTAL									12	8.0	1.3	0.3	0.30	0.5	0.03	

- Mineral Resources are reported inclusive of Mineral Reserves. Mineral Resources that are not Mineral Reserves do not have demonstrated
 economic viability. Due to the uncertainty that may be attached to Inferred Mineral Resources, it cannot be assumed that all or any part of an Inferred
 Mineral Resource will be upgraded to an Indicated or Measured Mineral Resource as a result of continued exploration.
- Underground Mineral Resources estimate is reported within optimised stope designs, above 1,800mRL, based upon metal prices of US\$1,700/oz gold, US\$350/lb copper and US\$20/oz silver.
- Underground Mineral Resources are estimated at 0.67 g/t AuEq cut off, where AuEq = Au g/t + 1.39 x Cu%.
- Open pit stockpiles include 5.3 Mt of low grade at 0.27 g/t AuEq cut-off.

Didipio Exploration Update

The Didipio alkalic Cu-Au porphyry deposit comprises a series of mineralised intrusions (monzonite, monzonite porphyry, pegmatite (Balut) dyke, feldspar porphyry, syenite porphyry) and associated quartz and monomictic breccias within a diorite stock (Figure 1).

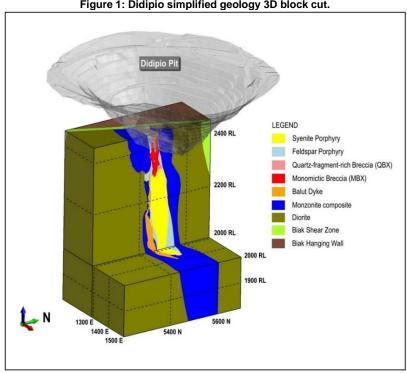
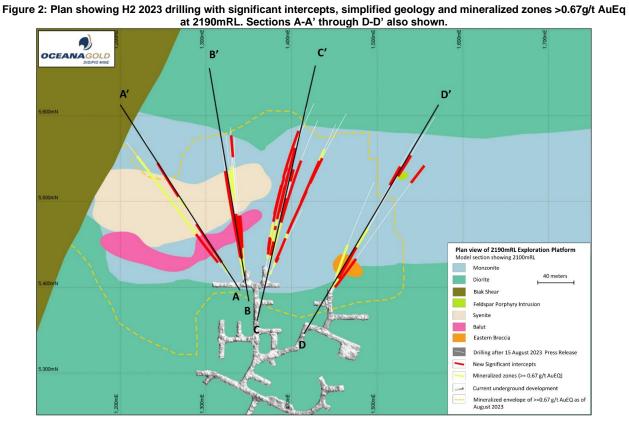


Figure 1: Didipio simplified geology 3D block cut.

Since the Company's news release dated August 15, 2023, 5,343 meters ("m") of resource conversion and extensional drilling in twenty-two holes has been completed from underground (Figure 2).



Extension Drilling

Resource extensional drilling in H2 2023 focused on: testing for the Balut Dyke on the northern side of the Syenite Porphyry (Figure 3) and following up on the success of the late-2022 drilling which discovered the mineralized Eastern Breccia and Feldspar Porphyry in the east (Figure 4).

Testing of the Balut Dyke below 1980mRL and to the north of the Syenite Porphyry has returned a positive result intersecting disseminated and clots of chalcopyrite and bornite in an actinolite pegmatite returning 45.4m @ 2.51g/t AuEq in RDUG500; a similar thickness and grade to previous intercepts of the Balut Dyke south of the Syenite Porphyry and at higher elevations (Figure 3). Mineralization of the newly discovered pegmatite remains open along strike and at depth while its analogue on the south remains open at depth.

Two additional mineralized intrusives to the east were discovered in 2022 (Eastern Breccia and Feldspar Porphyry) and were further tested during the H2 2023 drilling program (Figure 4). The Eastern Breccia, an intrusive breccia with monzonite and diorite clasts, contains a significant amount of Cu-Au mineralization which occurs as fine dissemination and sulphide veins within an intensely altered potassic zone. The Eastern Breccia remains unexplored below 2000mRL. Mineralization in the other mineralized intrusive, the Feldspar Porphyry Intrusion, has been extended a further 100m vertically.

Syenite Porphyry. **OCEANAGOLD** 2.300mRL THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN RDUG501 113m @ 2.16 g/t AuEQ min. zone incl. 104m @ 2.3 g/t AuEQ sig. int. Maritim And Company RDUG498 81m @ 1.51 g/t AuEQ min. zone incl. 56.5m @ 1.98 g/t AuEQ sig. int. and 46m @ 0.71 g/t AuEQ min. zone **Monzonite and Balut Dyke Intercepts** RDUG502 62m @ 1.61 g/t AuEQ min. zone Monzonite incl. 53m @ 1.81 g/t AuEQ sig. int. Diorite and 41m @ 0.67 g/t AuEQ min. zone Biak Shear Feldspar Porphyry Intrusion RDUG499 89m @ 1.14 g/t AuEQ min. zone Syenite incl. 61.4m @ 1.38 g/t AuEQ sig. int. Balut and 36m @ 5.53 g/t AuEQ min. zone Eastern Breccia RDUG503 Drilling after 15 August 2023 Press Release 131m @ 3.07 g/t AuEQ min. zone incl. 61.6m @ 5.85 g/t AuEQ sig. int. Previous Drilling and 21m @ 0.67 g/t AuEQ min. zone New Significant intercepts Mineralized zones (>= 0.67 g/t AuEQ) RDUG500 Current underground development 32m @ 0.76 g/t AuEQ mineralized zone Mineralized envelope of >=0.67 g/t AuEQ as of and 75m @ 2.43 g/t AuEQ significant interval August 2023 and 45.4m @ 2.51 g/t AuEQ (Northern Balut Intercept) significant interval **Underground Stopes**

Figure 3: Section showing H2 2023 drilling with significant intercepts associated with the Monzonite, Balut Dyke, and Syenite Porphyry.

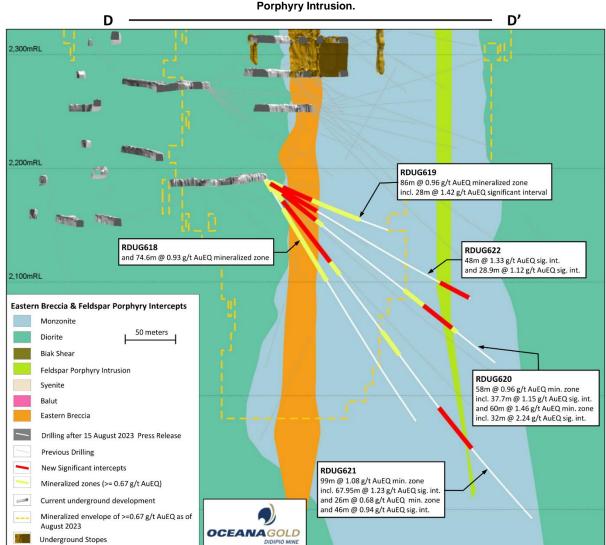


Figure 4: Section showing H2 2023 drilling with significant intercepts associated with the Eastern Breccia and Feldspar

Conversion Drilling

Resource conversion drilling in H2 2023 focused on conversion of the Inferred Mineral Resources within the Monzonite Porphyry directly east of the Syenite Porphyry within Panel 2 (>2100mRL) and Panel 3 (< 2100mRL, Figure 5) and conversion of Inferred material within the Balut Dyke to the south of the Syenite Porphyry (Figure 4 and Figure 6).

Drilling has converted 0.27 Moz of Inferred Mineral Resources to Indicated Mineral Resources within the Monzonite Porphyry and Balut Dyke, providing improved confidence within Panel 3 between ~2100mRL and 2000mRL, and demonstrating continuity of relatively high-grade porphyry Cu-Au mineralization within the Monzonite Porphyry east of the Syenite Porphyry (Figure 5).

Porphyry. 2,300mRL **OCEANAGOLD** 2,200mRL RDUG506 26m @ 0.77 g/t AuEQ min. zone and 75m @ 1.06 g/t AuEQ min. zone incl. 58m @ 1.14 g/t AuEQ sig. int. RDUG508 10.74m @ 1.41 g/t AuEQ min. zone and 17m @ 1.6 g/t AuEQ sig. int. RDUG614 and 59m @ 0.73 g/t AuEQ min. zone 2,100mRL 162m @ 1.06 g/t AuEQ min. zone incl. 92m @ 1.47 g/t AuEQ sig. int. 23m @ 1.95 g/t AuEQ sig. int. **Monzonite Intercepts** and 156m @ 1.3 g/t AuEQ min. zone incl. 106m @ 1.64 g/t AuEQ sig. int. Monzonite 50 meters Diorite RDUG612 Biak Shear 23m @ 1.23 g/t AuEQ sig. int. RDUG617 and 143m @ 1.65 g/t AuEQ min. zone Feldspar Porphyry Intrusion 190m @ 1.08 g/t AuEQ min. zone incl. 51m @ 1.99 g/t AuEQ sig. int. incl. 39m @ 1.24 g/t AuEQ sig. int. incl. 26m @ 2.25 g/t AuEQ sig. int. Syenite and 80m @ 1.62 g/t AuEQ sig. int. Balut Fastern Breccia RDUG507 RDUG613 215.5m @ 1.0 g/t AuEQ min. zone Drilling after 15 August 2023 Press Release 211.4m @ 1.59 g/t AuEQ min. zone incl. 37m @ 1.61 g/t AuEQ sig. int. incl. 103m @ 1.96 g/t AuEQ sig. int. incl. 41m @ 1.29 g/t AuEQ sig. int. incl. 77m @ 1.23 g/t AuEQ sig. int. Previous Drilling incl. 45m @ 1.22 g/t AuEQ sig. int. incl. 9.4m @ 4.97 g/t AuEQ sig. int. **New Significant intercepts** Mineralized zones (>= 0.67 g/t AuEQ) RDUG616 Current underground development 239m @ 1.2 g/t AuEQ min. zone incl. 8m @ 3.28 g/t AuEQ sig. int. Mineralized envelope of >=0.67 g/t AuEQ as of August 2023 incl. 69m @ 1.63 g/t AuEQ sig. int. **Underground Stopes** incl. 39m @ 1.98 g/t AuEQ sig. int.

Figure 5: Section showing H2 2023 drilling with significant intercepts associated with the Monzonite east of the Syenite

Α 2,300mRL RDUG504 157.2m @ 0.97 g/t AuEQ mineralized zone incl. 42.2m @ 1.78 g/t AuEQ significant interval 2,200mRL 2,100mRL RDUG505 75.95m @ 1.48 g/t AuEQ mineralized zone Monzonite & Balut Dyke Intercepts incl. 59.95m @ 1.75 g/t AuEQ significant interval Monzonite and 68m @ 1.43 g/t AuEQ mineralized zone 50 meters incl. 50m @ 1.72 g/t AuEQ significant interval Diorite Biak Shear Feldspar Porphyry Intrusion Syenite Balut Eastern Breccia Drilling after 15 August 2023 Press Release **Previous Drilling** New Significant intercepts Mineralized zones (>= 0.67 g/t AuEQ) Current underground development Mineralized envelope of >=0.67 g/t AuEQ as of August 2023 **OCEANAGOLD Underground Stopes**

Figure 6: Section showing H2 2023 drilling with significant intercepts associated with the Monzonite, Monzonite-Syenite contact zones, and Balut Dyke.

2024 Exploration Program

A 28,000 m program of resource conversion and expansion drilling is planned at Didipio underground in 2024. Resource conversion drilling will focus on infilling Panel 3 to convert existing inferred resources, while expansion drilling will test below 1930mRL (Panel 4), down-dip of existing mineralization.

Regional exploration in 2024 includes (i) advancing the Napartan target, 9km north-west of the Didipio mine with surface mapping and sampling followed by Initial drilling of a Cu-Au mineralised pegmatite target similar in nature to the Balut Dyke mined at Didipio, (ii) advancing the Cabanwingan targets on approval of the exploration tenement application, and (iii) continued regional targeting within the Company's FTAA permit.

Table 3: Didipio significant drill intersections. Intervals are core length, not true width. "Conversion" are intercepts within the current resource model shell, while "Extensional" are intercepts outside the current resource model shell.

Hole ID	From (m)	To (m)	Interval (m)	Au (g/t)	Cu (%)	AuEq (g/t)	Target	Category
RDUG498	29.5	86	56.5	1.41	0.41	1.98	S. Monzonite, S. Balut ext.	Conversion
RDUG499	36.4	97.8	61.4	0.98	0.29	1.38	S. Monzonite, S. Balut ext.	Conversion
RDUG500	70	145	75	1.71	0.52	2.43	S. Monzonite, S. Balut ext.	Conversion
and	269	314.4	45.4	1.95	0.4	2.51	N. Balut ext.	Extensional
RDUG501	28	132	104	1.81	0.35	2.3	S. Monzonite, S. Balut ext., Syenite, N. Monzonite	Conversion
RDUG502	32	85	53	1.32	0.35	1.81	S. Monzonite, S. Balut Extension, Syenite	Conversion
RDUG503	63	124.6	61.6	4.48	0.98	5.85	S. Monzonite, Balut	Conversion
RDUG504	29.8	72	42.2	1.17	0.44	1.78	S. Balut Extension, S. Monzonite, Syenite	Conversion
RDUG505	31	90.95	59.95	1.23	0.37	1.75	S. Balut Extension, Syenite	Conversion
and	133	183	50	1.18	0.39	1.72	Syenite, N. Monzonite	Conversion
RDUG506	111	169	58	0.7	0.32	1.14	Eastern Monzonite	Conversion
RDUG507	34	75	41	0.75	0.39	1.29	Eastern Monzonite	Conversion
and	83	160	77	0.76	0.34	1.23	Eastern Monzonite	Conversion
and	174	219	45	0.76	0.33	1.22	Eastern Monzonite	Conversion
RDUG508	59	76	17	1.08	0.38	1.6	Eastern Monzonite	Conversion
RDUG612	29	52	23	0.66	0.41	1.23	S. Monzonite	Conversion
and	92	143	51	1.4	0.42	1.99	S. Monzonite	Conversion
including	133	143	10	2.79	0.55	3.55	S. Monzonite	Conversion
and	155	235	80	1.08	0.39	1.62	N. Monzonite S. Monzonite, S.	Conversion
RDUG613	29	66	37	0.89	0.52	1.61	Balut Extension	Conversion
and	105	208	103	1.48	0.35	1.96	S. Monzonite	Conversion
including	164	176	12	3.95	0.57	4.74	S. Monzonite	Conversion
and	222	231.4	9.4	3.64	0.96	4.97	N. Monzonite	Conversion
RDUG614	75	167	92	0.87	0.44	1.47	S. Monzonite and N. Monzonite	Conversion
RDUG615	30	53	23	1.08	0.63	1.95	S. Monzonite	Conversion
and	101	207	106	1.05	0.43	1.64	S. Monzonite and N. Monzonite	Conversion
RDUG616	90	98	8	1	1.64	3.28	S. Monzonite	Conversion
and	112	181	69	1.16	0.33	1.63	S. Monzonite	Conversion
and	189	228	39	1.52	0.34	1.98	N. Monzonite	Conversion
RDUG617	139	178	39	0.99	0.18	1.24	S. Monzonite	Conversion
and	214	240	26	1.68	0.41	2.25	N. Monzonite	Conversion
RDUG619	15	43	28	0.71	0.51	1.42	E. Monzonite	Conversion
RDUG620	18.3	56	37.7	0.63	0.37	1.15	E. Monzonite	Conversion
and	177	209	32	1.39	0.61	2.24	Feldspar Porphyry	Extensional
RDUG621	23	90.95	67.95	0.64	0.42	1.23	Eastern Breccia	Conversion
and	251	297	46	0.5	0.31	0.94	Feldspar Porphyry	Extensional
RDUG622	5 170	53 207.0	48	0.68	0.47	1.33	Eastern Breccia	Conversion
and	179	207.9	28.9	0.57	0.4	1.12	Feldspar Porphyry	Extensional

For further information relating to drill hole data, please refer to the Company's website at https://oceanagold.com/investor-centre/tsx-asx-fillings.

About OceanaGold

OceanaGold is a growing intermediate gold and copper producer committed to safely and responsibly maximizing the generation of Free Cash Flow from our operations and delivering strong returns for our shareholders. We have a portfolio of four operating mines: the Haile Gold Mine in the United States of America; Didipio Mine in the Philippines; and the Macraes and Waihi operations in New Zealand.

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Notes to Mineral Reserves and Mineral Resources Estimates

All Mineral Reserves and Mineral Resources for the Didipio Mine were estimated as at December 31, 2023 and have been prepared in accordance with NI 43-101.

The Mineral Resources estimate for Didipio has been verified and approved by, or is based on information prepared by, or under the supervision of, J. Moore, the Company's Group Manager – Resource Development, while the Mineral Reserves estimate for Didipio has been verified and approved by, or is based upon information prepared by, or under the supervision of, P. Jones, the Company's Group Mining Engineer - Underground. Each of Messrs. Moore and Jones is a qualified person under NI 43-101.

For further scientific and technical information supporting the disclosure in this news release (including disclosure regarding Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves, data verification, key assumptions, parameters, methods used to estimate the Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves, and risks and other factors), please refer to the Didipio Technical Report, which is available on SEDAR+ at www.sedarplus.com and on the Company's website.

Mineral Resources are reported inclusive of Mineral Reserves. Mineral Resources that are not Mineral Reserves do not have demonstrated economic viability. The estimation of Mineral Resources is inherently uncertain and involves subjective judgments about many relevant factors. Due to the uncertainty that may be attached to Inferred Mineral Resources, it cannot be assumed that all or any part of an Inferred Mineral Resource will be upgraded to an Indicated or Measured Mineral Resource as a result of continued exploration.

Qualified Persons

The scientific and technical information contained in this news release relating to the Underground Optimization has been reviewed and approved by P. Jones, a qualified person under NI 43-101. Mr. Jones is the Company's Group Mining Engineer - Underground.

The scientific and technical information contained in this news release relating to Didipio exploration results has been reviewed and approved by Craig Feebrey, a Member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and qualified person under NI 43-101. Mr. Feebrey is the Company's Chief Exploration Officer.

QA/QC at Didipio Mine

Exploration diamond core samples at the Didipio Mine are typically drilled with HQ core barrel equipment. The HQ samples are then cut, with half of the core retained at the secure core shed facility on site to which access is controlled. In cases where OceanaGold has collected metallurgical samples, a further quarter of the core has been taken with only one-quarter core retained. Following core cutting, the half-core sample is submitted for analysis.

Since 2013, all OceanaGold samples have been processed on-site at a laboratory facility operated by SGS Philippines Inc ("SGS"). SGS is independent from OceanaGold. After dispatching to SGS, samples are dried at 105 degrees C for 8 to 12 hours, allowed to cool, and then weighed. Within the sample assay workflow, the SGS lab randomly inserts laboratory duplicate and replicate samples as well as certified reference materials ("CRM") for quality control ("QC") monitoring. Samples are crushed to produce 500g to 1000g of material for the primary analysis and any lab duplicates. The remaining coarse reject material is retained during the assay process. The sample (and any lab duplicates) are then pulverized to 75% passing 2mm, followed by a subsequent pulverizing to 85% passing 75um. The primary sample is then split down to 200g (with an additional 200g for replicate sampling when applicable). A scoop of 30g is then taken from the 200g sample with the remaining pulp retained.

Gold analysis is by Fire Assay with AAS finish. Copper analysis is either by AAS on a 3-acid digest or XRF. These methods are considered appropriate for the type of mineralisation and expected grade tenor. The quantity and quality of the lithological, geotechnical, and geochemical data collected in the exploration, surface resource delineation, underground resource delineation, and grade control drill programs are considered sufficient to support the Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves estimation.

In addition to the internal SGS QC controls, OceanaGold also monitors laboratory performance with the following processes:

- Inserting duplicate samples;
- Inserting CRM blanks and coarse blanks;

- Inserting CRM standards for Au, Cu, Ag; and
- Monthly monitoring of SGS duplicate, replicate, and CRM performance.

SGS is currently certified to ISO 9001, 14001, and 45001. The ISO 17025:2017 accreditation preparation of SGS - Didipio Laboratory is ongoing as SGS works through the reaccreditation process with the Philippines Accreditation Bureau. Whilst this process is being undertaken, SGS – Didipio Laboratory has ensured its operation is aligned with the ISO 17025:2017 standards as supported by the satisfactory results of the 2023 audit conducted by the SGS internal auditors. All the results included in this summary were validated through the independent QC monitoring by both the SGS - Didipio Laboratory and OceanaGold with the insertion of duplicate, replicate, and blank samples, as well as CRM with no issues noted.

Cautionary Statement Regarding Forward-Looking Information

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