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# VIZSLA COPPER REACHES AGREEMENT WITH TRAILBREAKER RESOURCES TO **EXPAND WOODJAM COPPER-GOLD PROJECT**

Vancouver, British Columbia, June 12, 2023 - Vizsla Copper Corp. (TSXV: VCU, OTCQB: VCUFF, FRANKFURT: 97E0) ("Vizsla Copper" or the "Company") is pleased to announce the signing of an option agreement (the "Option Agreement") with Trailbreaker Resources Ltd. ("Trailbreaker"), pursuant to which the Company has been granted the option to acquire a 100% interest in 6,482 hectares of land contiguous with the Company's Woodjam Project.

#### **HIGHLIGHTS**

- Expansion of Flagship Woodjam Project: With the addition of these claims, the Woodjam Project has grown significantly to 72,805 hectares of prospective southern Quesnel Terrane.
- Prospective Geology: These new claims are underlain by intrusive rocks belonging to the Takomkane batholith, which hosts the large porphyry-related copper-gold Southeast deposit on the Woodjam property.

"These claims are a terrific addition to the Woodjam Project," commented Steve Blower, Vice President of Exploration. "They are proximal to porphyry-related copper-gold deposits and share similar geology. Work on the Trailbreaker claims will be a high priority for the Company going forward."

#### The Claims

The four claims that are subject to the Option Agreement are contiguous with the southern edge of the Woodjam Project and cover a total of 6,482 hectares. The geology underlying the claims consists predominantly of till covered intrusive rocks belonging to the early Jurassic Takomkane batholith, host to the nearby Southeast copper-gold porphyry-related deposit at the Woodjam Project. Given the prospective geology, the new claims will be a high priority for upcoming exploration programs at the Woodjam Project.

## **Terms of Option Agreement**

Pursuant to the Option Agreement, Vizsla Copper has the option to acquire a 100% interest in the four claims by issuing an aggregate of 400,000 common shares to Trailbreaker over three years, subject to approval by the TSX Venture Exchange. Vizsla Copper has the right to accelerate the option any time after the first anniversary.

The optioned claims will be subject to a 2% net smelter return royalty ("NSR"). Trailbreaker and Teck Resources Limited will retain a 1% NSR each on three of the claims and Trailbreaker will retain a 2% NSR on the fourth claim. Half of the 1% NSR may be bought from Trailbreaker for \$500,000. Half of the 2% NSR may be bought from Trailbreaker for \$1,000,000.

MOUNT POLLEY MINE GIBRALTAR MINE Redgold MOUNT POLLEY MINE Woodjam Deerhorn Megabuck Vizsla Copper Project **Takom** New claims Woodjam drill holes Copper showing Southeast Three Firs Road Power line **Trailbreaker** 20 km

Figure 1 - Woodjam New Claims Location

#### The Woodjam Project

The 72,805-hectare Woodjam Project is located 55 kilometres east of the community of Williams Lake in an area characterized by a low elevation, flat to gently undulating landscape that is well accessed by logging roads. Geologically, the Woodjam Project is located within the prolific Quesnel Terrane – a large regional depositional belt commonly dominated by alkalic volcanic units and related volcaniclastic lithologies. The Quesnel terrane hosts both alkaline and calc-alkaline porphyry copper+/-gold+/molybdenum deposits, including the Copper Mountain, New Afton, Highland Valley, Gibraltar, Mount Polley, Mount Milligan and Kemess mines.

To date, six zones of porphyry-related mineralization (Megabuck, Deerhorn, Takom, Three Firs, Southeast, Megaton) have been identified at the Woodjam Project by drilling (95,092 metres in 281 holes since 2009 and a further 114 holes, 30,092 metres predominantly from 1998). These six mineralized zones form a cluster approximately 5 kilometres in diameter.

## **About Vizsla Copper**

Vizsla Copper is a Cu-Au-Mo focused mineral exploration and development company headquartered in Vancouver, Canada. The Company is focused on its flagship Woodjam project, located within the prolific Quesnel Terrane, 55 kilometers east of the community of Williams Lake, British Columbia. It has two

additional copper exploration properties, the Blueberry and Carruthers Pass projects, well situated amongst significant infrastructure in British Columbia. The Company's growth strategy is focused on the exploration and development of its copper properties within its portfolio in addition to value accretive acquisitions. Vizsla Copper's vision is to be a responsible copper explorer and developer in the stable mining jurisdiction of British Columbia, Canada and is committed to socially responsible exploration and development, working safely, ethically and with integrity.

Vizsla Copper is a spin-out of Vizsla Silver (TSX.V: VZLA) (NYSE: VZLA) and is backed by Inventa Capital Corp., a premier investment group founded in 2017 with the goal of discovering and funding opportunities in the resource sector. Additional information about the Company is available on SEDAR (www.sedar.com) and the Company's website (www.vizslacopper.com).

### **Qualified Person**

The Company's disclosure of technical or scientific information in this press release has been reviewed and approved by Ian Borg, P.Geo., Senior Geologist for Vizsla Copper. Mr. Borg is a Qualified Person as defined under the terms of National Instrument 43-101.

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