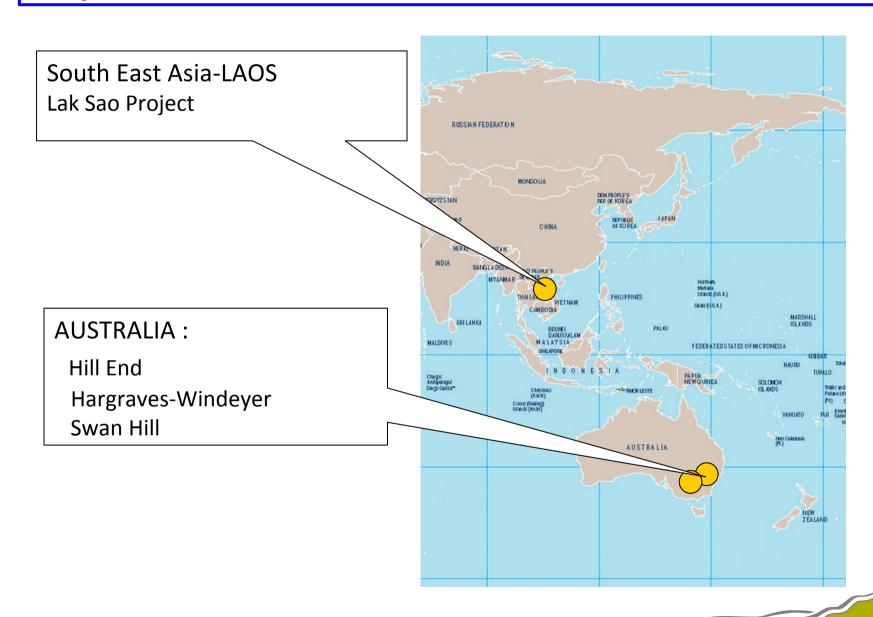


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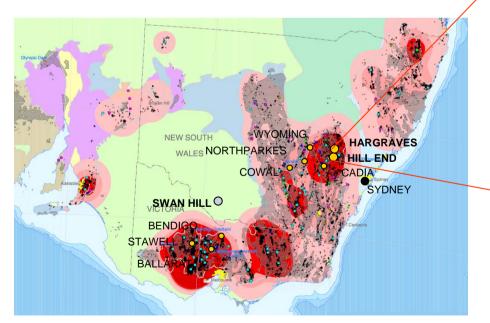
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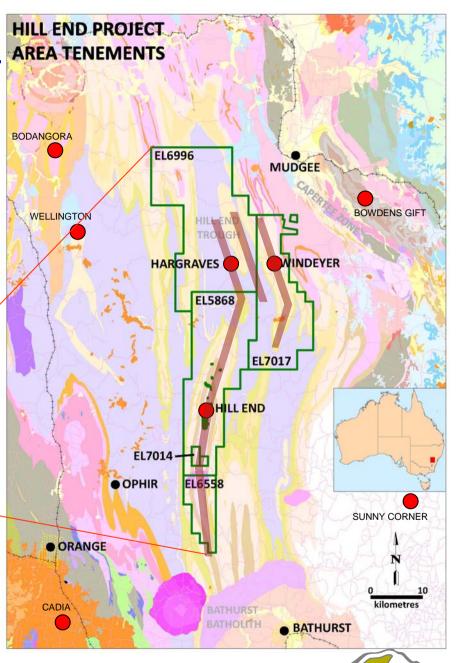
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## Hill End – Hargraves Project

- □ 1,210km² granted tenements
- Over 75km strike of gold deposits
- □ Reported +2m oz from tenements
- □ Project potential scope of 4 5m oz



Lachlan Fold Belt hosts world class deposits





#### Hill End – Hargraves is focus of development

#### Increasing resources and gold production

#### HILL END

- High grade gold production at Hill End.
- □ Increasing to ~4,000oz/quarter at \$500/oz.
- □ Hill End scope 1,500,000t at 10g/t.
- □ Potential project expansion to ~40-50,000ozpa 2010.

#### **HARGRAVES**

- Numerous parallel structures in 5km x 10km zone.
- Big Nugget Hill 40m wide structure being drilled.
- BNH potential scope 10mt at 4g/t.
- Expansion potential to 150,000ozpa.



## Project Summary for 2008/9

#### HILL END

- □ Commenced mining and processing of high grade Paxton's.
- Commissioned 240m Alimak / Reward shaft.
- □ Discovered wide Patriarch zone of up to 15m width at 6g/t.
- □ Identified Indicator Fault system with strike length over one kilometre.
- □ Increased project output to over 2000tpm on continuous 24/7 basis.
- □ Commenced three declines below 640 level.
- □ Discovered high grade Emmett's zone at north Reward area.
- □ Discovered the Reward Ore Zone (ROZ) as the linking ore zone for all veinsets.
- □ Resource upgrade to 660,000 tonnes at 10.6g/t.
- □ Large underground drilling program continues to upgrade resource.
- □ Potential project expansion to ~40-50,000ozpa 2010.

#### **HARGRAVES**

□ Commenced 12,000 drilling program for maiden resource.

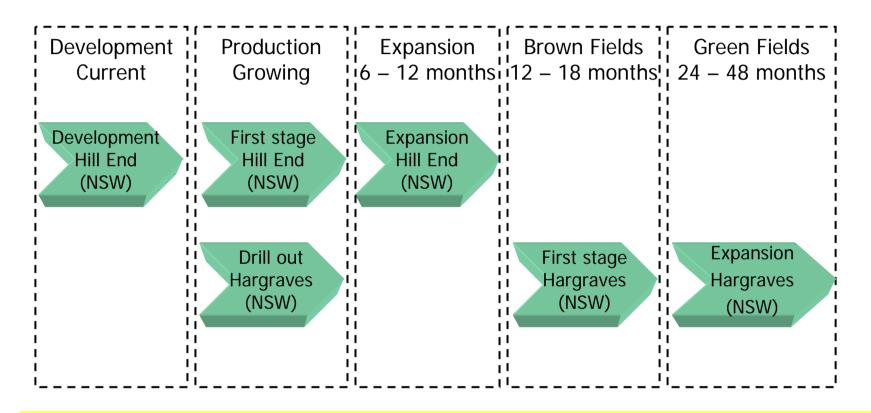


# Hill End Project quarterly output

Quarter	Total ore (dt)	Gold Grade (g/t)	Processing rate (tph)	Gold Recovery (%)	Mill availability (%)	Gold Produced (oz)
September 2008	1152	23.5	3.3	79%	26%	688
December 2008	1772	23.9	3.5	88%	45%	1202
March 2009	4242	16.5	4.1	95%	64%	2130
June 2009	5425	11.2	4.0	95%	72%	1851
September 2009	5673	9.4	4.6	94%	66%	1612



## Hill End – Hargraves Project Pipeline



7,000oz/yr ~15,000oz/yr 40-50,000oz/yr 60-80,000oz/yr 150-250,000oz/yr



## Corporate Profile

Issued shares: 399,404,886
Unlisted Options: 12,635,000

Working Capital A\$17m
Market Capitalisation at 25c A\$100m

#### Top Ten Shareholders

October 2009

Wanabee Holdings	62,243,702	15.6
HSBC Nominees	40,437,195	10.1
Citicorp Nominees	26,360,504	6.6
National Nominees Limited	20,413,107	5.1
Link Traders	11,000,000	2.8
Forty Traders	8,532,467	2.4
ANZ Nominees	8,313,845	2.1
Catholic Church Insurances	7,363,189	1.8
MT&M Price	7,050,000	1.8
Bruce Thomas (Director)	5,973,265	1.5
	206,687,274	49.8

#### **Board of Directors**

#### Alfred Paton BE(Mech), FAIM, MIE, MAusIMM, FAICD – Chairman,

Ex-Managing Director and Chairman of Placer Pacific Limited and Kidston Gold Mines Limited, Director of Placer Dome Inc. Canada, Wiluna Gold Mines, Golden Shamrock, AusPac Resources, AurIron Energy.

#### Philip Bruce BE(Mining), FAusIMM, MAICD – Managing Director

Ex-Managing Director of Triako Resources Limited, General Manager – Development for Plutonic Resources Limited, Resident Manager of North Kalgurli and Paringa Gold Mines, Chief Executive Officer of BHP Indonesia, Underground Manager of Leslie Gold Mine - South Africa.

#### Ian Daymond BA, LLB – Director

Solicitor and a consultant in mining and resources, ex-senior in-house lawyer Hunter Resources and Delta Gold.

#### **Graham Reveleigh MSc, MAusIMM, MCIMM – Director**

Ex-General Manager, Noble's Nob and Project Manager Red Dome, Moline and Gold Ridge – Solomon Islands.

#### Bruce Thomas ACA, ACIS, ASA, ASIA - Director

Ex-funds manager including Zurich Insurance Company, Public Authorities Superannuation Board, Hambros Australia Ltd and FAI Insurance.

#### Ian Sloan BTech (Mech), JP, MAICD – Director

Ex-Production Engineer for Nauru Phosphate Corporation and National Manufacturing Manager for Harbison ACI Pty Ltd.

HILL END GOLD

#### Historical Perspective

- Past production from tenements of 2moz from near surface.
- □ Hawkins Hill alone reported over 400,000 ounces at 10oz/t.

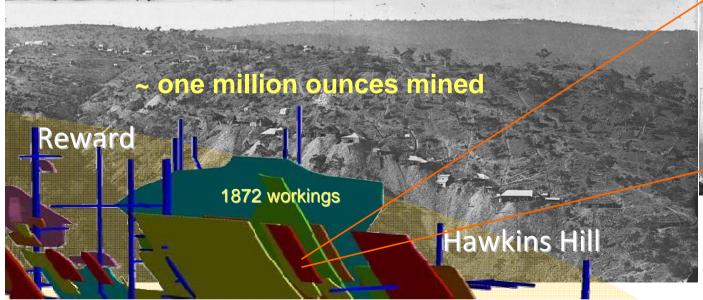
including ... 24,480 ounces from 443 tonnes ...

... 16,280 ounces from 422 tonnes ...

Hill End Gold commenced at Hill End in 1993.

World's Largest Gold Specimen from Hawkins Hill

Reward – Hawkins Hill mineralisation: +1500m long x 100m wide x 250m downdip







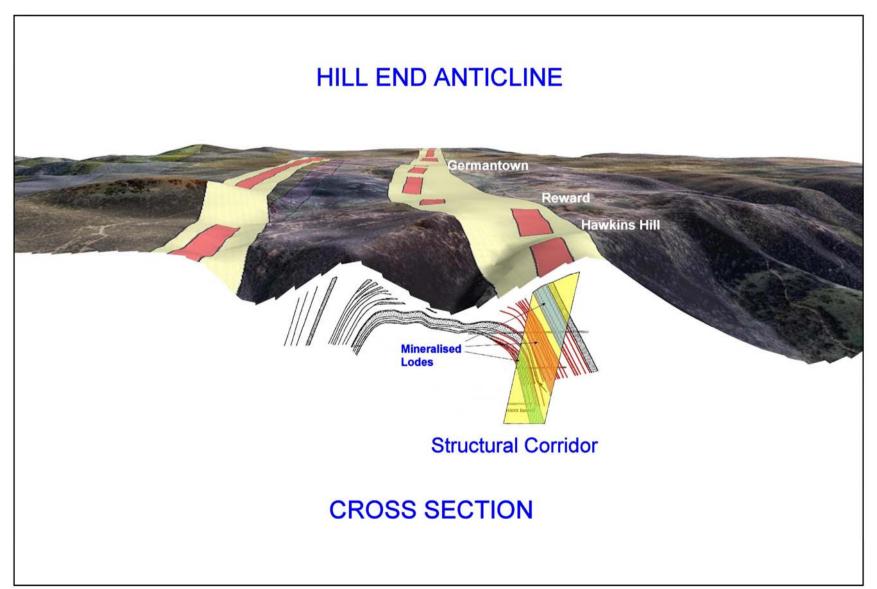
# Coarse gold – low sulphides



## Hawkins Hill – Reward Site



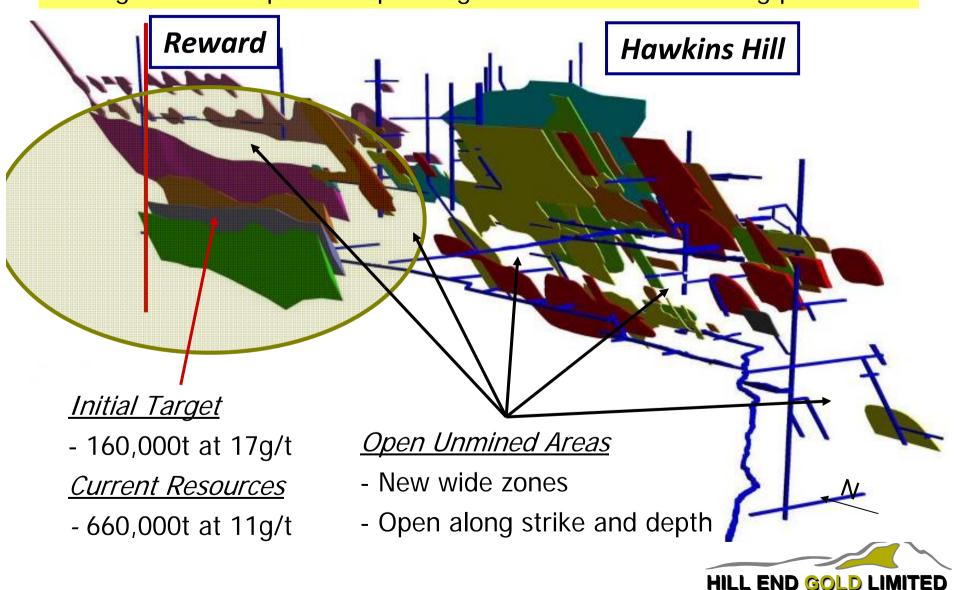
#### Hill End Mineralisation



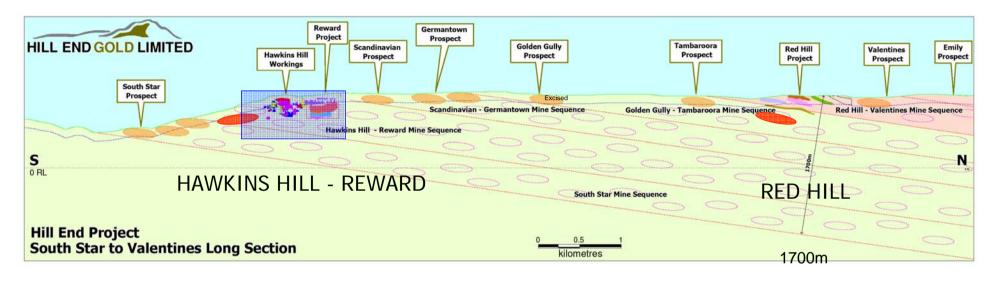


#### Hawkins Hill – Reward resource expansion

Drilling and development expanding resources and increasing production

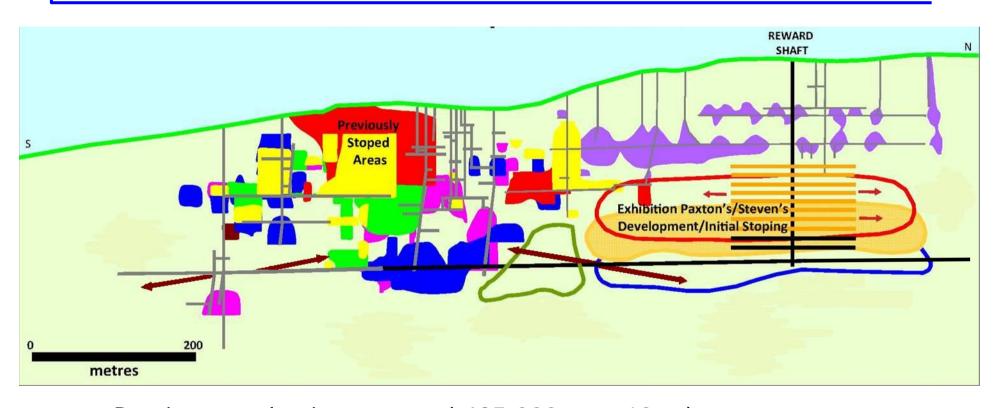


#### Hill End Area 10km Long Section



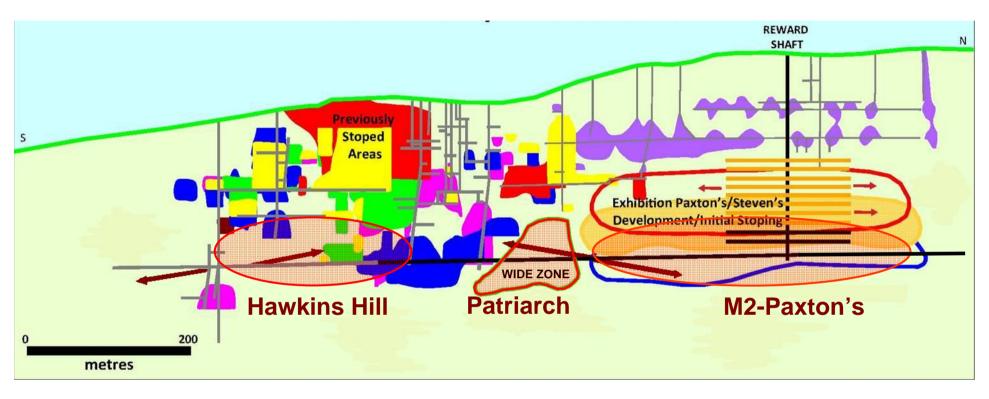
- Outcropping high grade deposits along structural corridor.
- Focus is on the Hawkins Hill Reward deposit.
- Surface workings mostly untested at depth.
- □ Depth extent indicated by outcrop and plunge of system to be +2km.





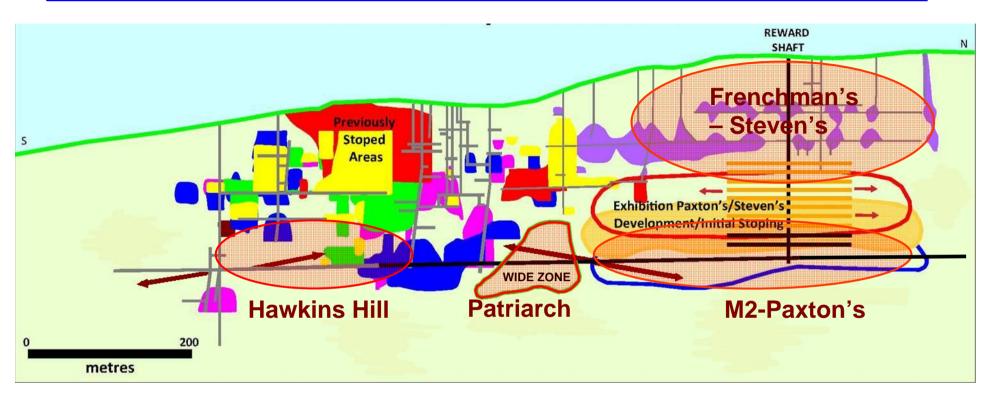
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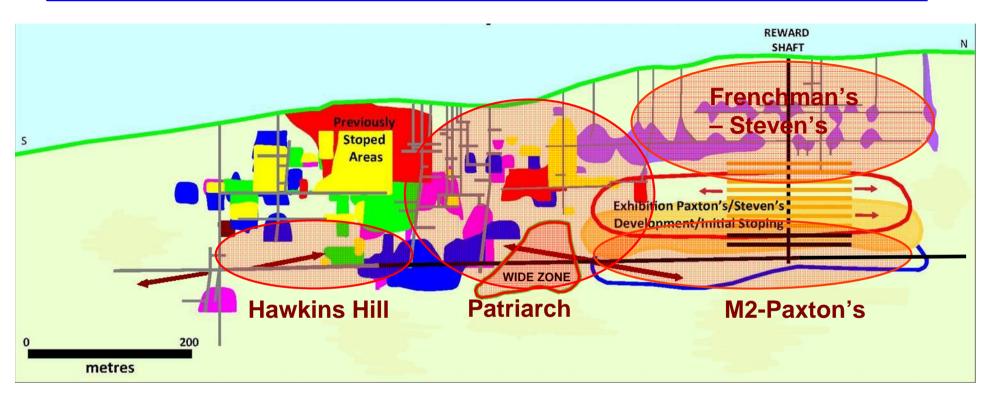
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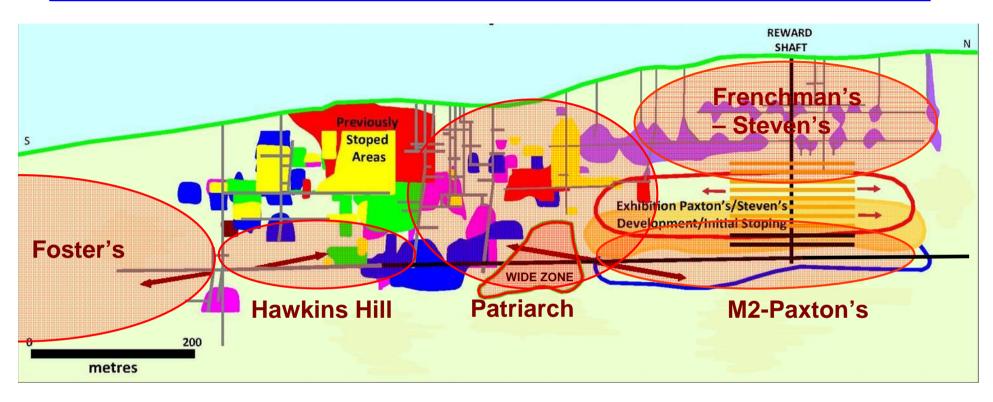
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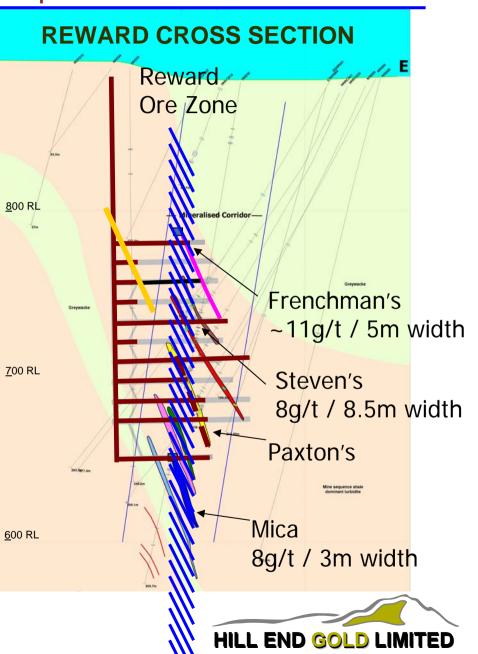


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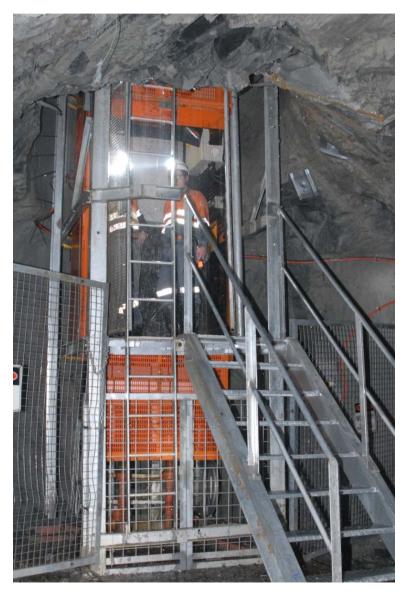


## Reward shaft and drilling opens up wide zones

- □ Veinsets linked for ~300m downdip.
- New Reward Ore Zone plumbing system for gold.
- Mostly undrilled.
- Open at depth.



## Alimak lift in Reward shaft







# Lowering steel modules down shaft



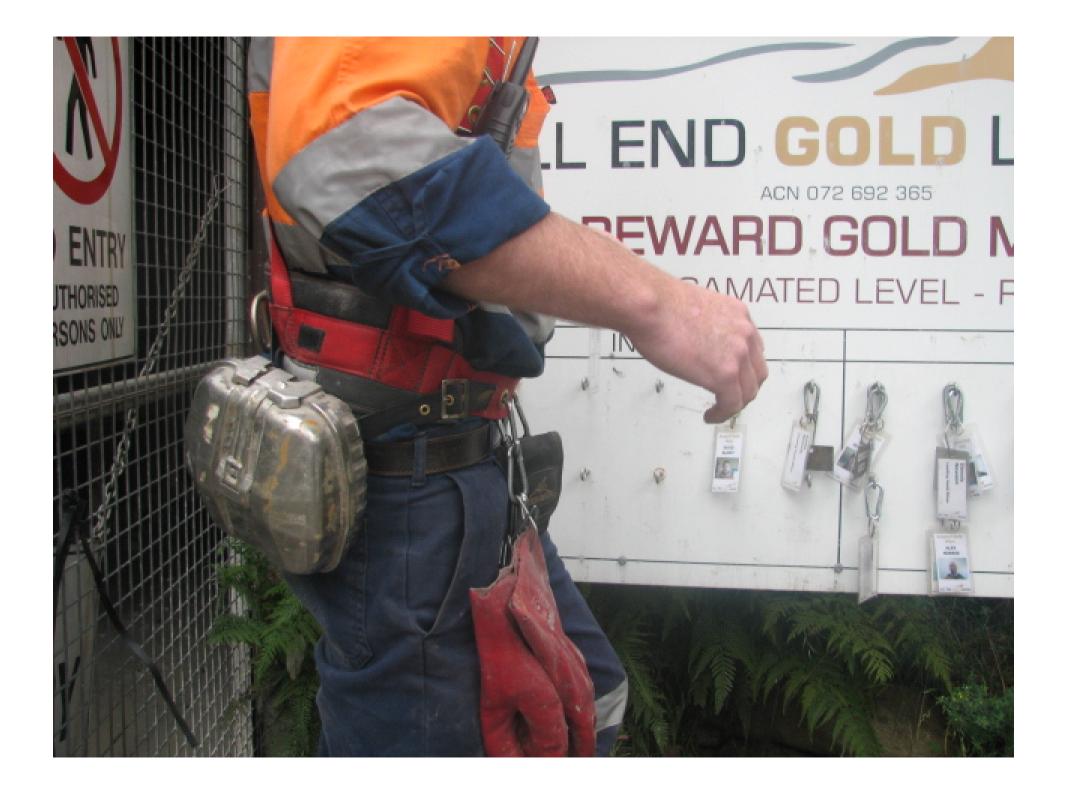


#### Reward shaft construction

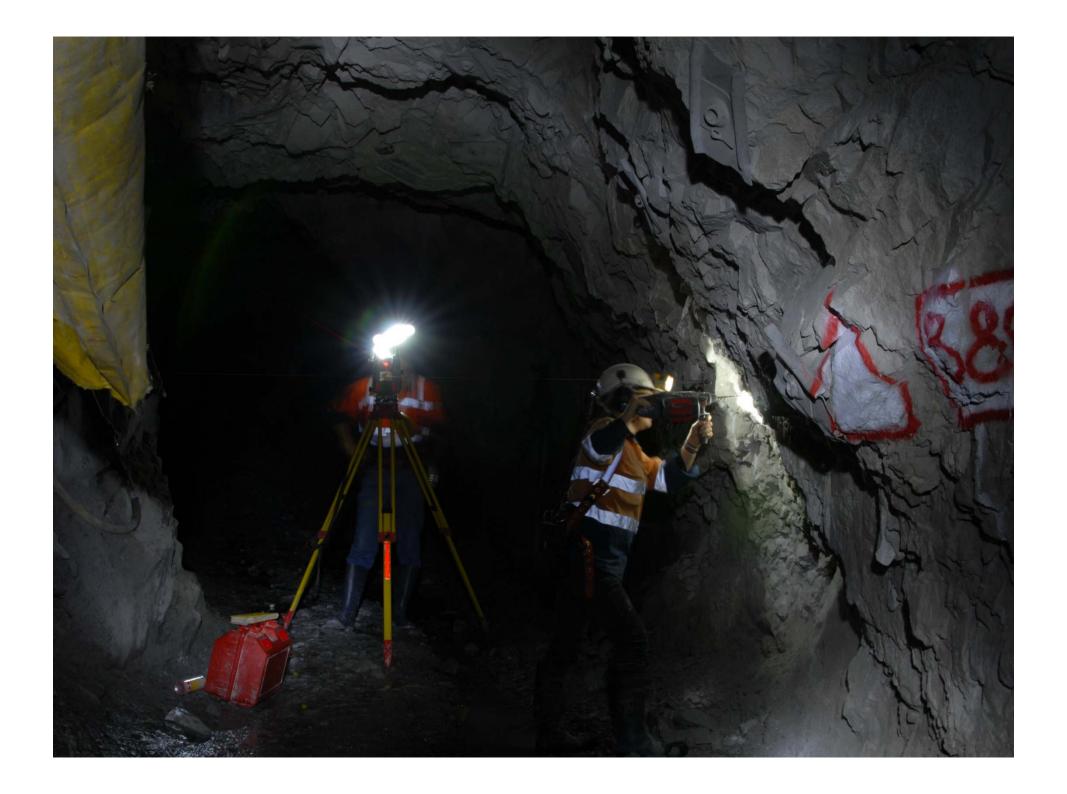












# Face sampling 5-10kg -> visual gold estimate within hours





## Narrow vein mining





640 Mica 2

Scraper drives and crosscuts

Underhand benching

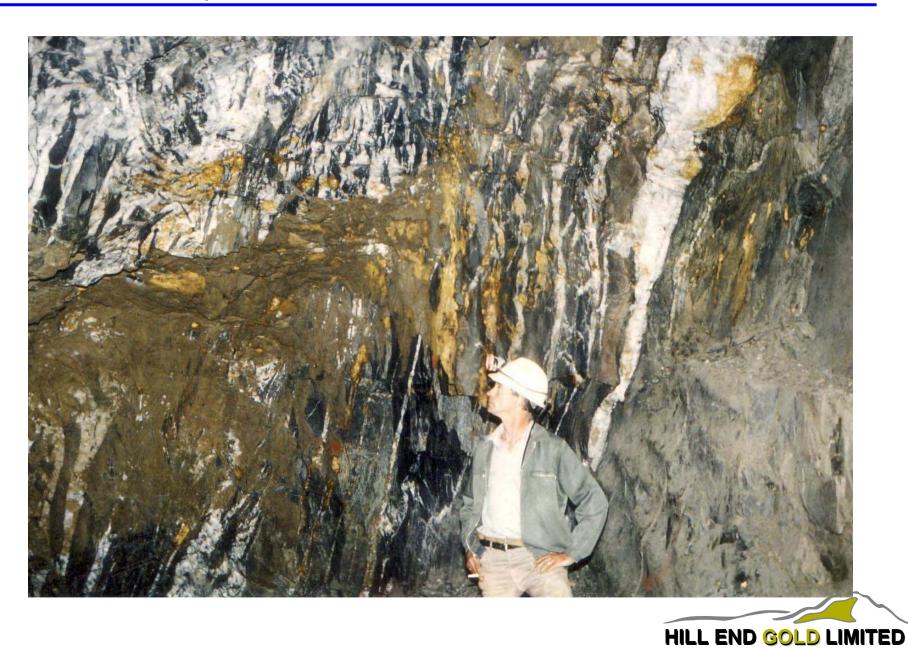
Overhand shrink stoping

Ladder rising

695 Paxtons



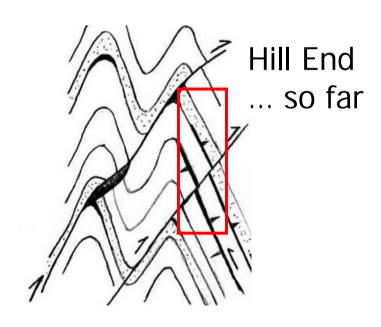
# Wide zones up to 24m in Frenchmans



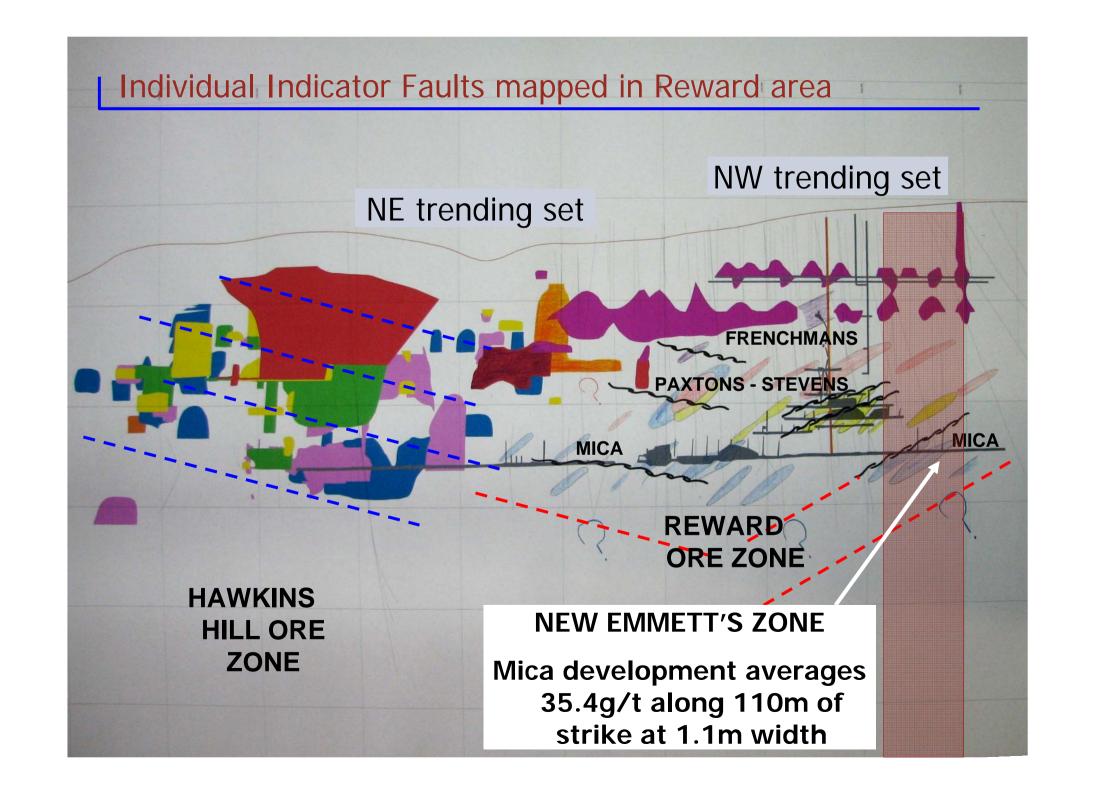
## West-dipping structural plumbing – Indicator system

## Bonanza gold grades

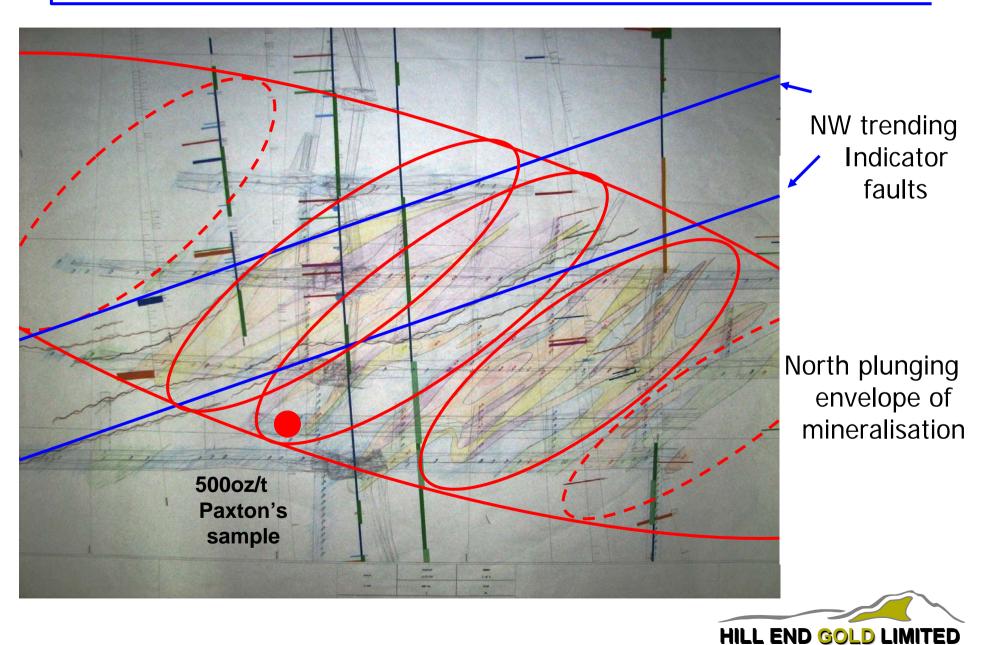
- Conjugate fault system.
- En echelon dilation zones.
- Depth extent over 1000m?
- Gold follows individual faults.
- Carbonate alteration marker zones.







# Bonanza grade gold shoots in Paxton's stoping



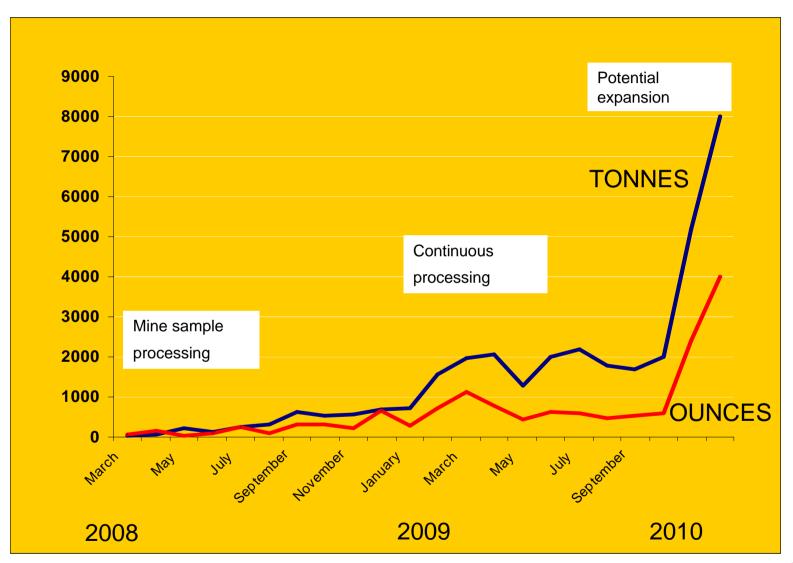
#### Initial Gold Resources / Exploration Potential

Source	Tonnes	g/t Au	Gold Ounces
Reward Inferred Resource	658,100	10.6	223,700
Red Hill Inferred Resource	849,300	3.3	89,200
TOTAL INFERRED RESOURCE	1,507,500	6.5	312,900
Reward Midpoint Exploration Potential	1,880,900	12.5	864,200
Hargraves BNH midpoint Exploration Potential	1,131,700	7.7	281,000
TOTAL midpoint EXPLORATION POTENTIAL	3,012,600	11.8	1,145,200

- Based on drilling and initial Reward development.
- Resources being expanded by development and drilling.
- Reward scope of 1-2mt at 10-20g/t.
- Hargraves drilling to delineate initial resource.
- □ Hargraves scope of +10mt at 4g/t.



## Hill End progressing from sampling to production





### 10tpd gravity sample plant



- □ Plant designed for complete clean out after each batch sample.
- □ VSI, hammer mills, no ball mill.
- $\square$  Early batching of  $\sim 10 20$ tpd.
- □ Plant now modified to process up to 120tpd.
- □ Gold recovery 95-97%



# 10tpd sample plant -> 120tpd capacity





#### Ball Mill conversion

Grate discharge steel wave liners (4x4) to overflow rubber liner/lifter design (4x5)

20 / 30mm balls -> 30 / 50mm





## Secondary crusher modifications

Water flush
Hammer design
Hammer material
Distribution plate
30 : 1 reduction ratio
70% cost reduction

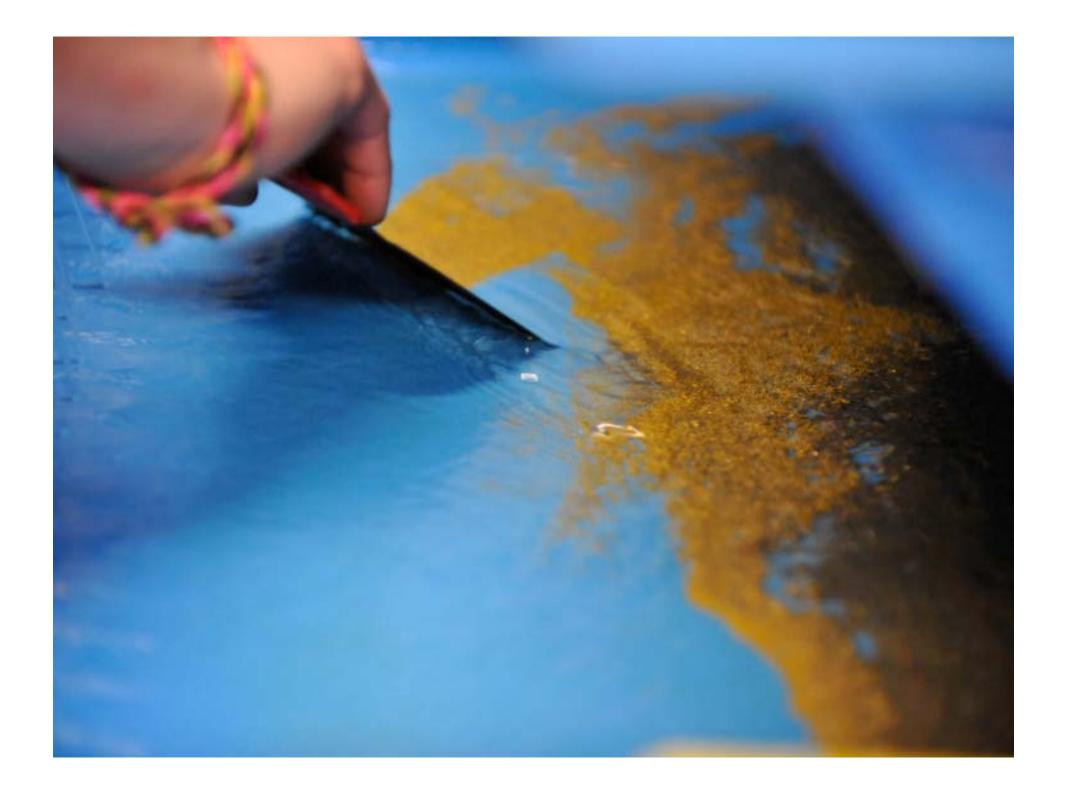


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## 120tpd continuous processing









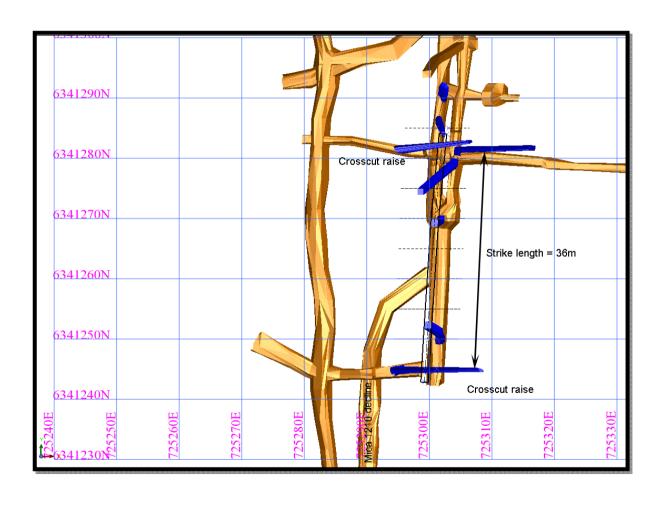
### Wide stope planning

# **Reward Gold Mine**

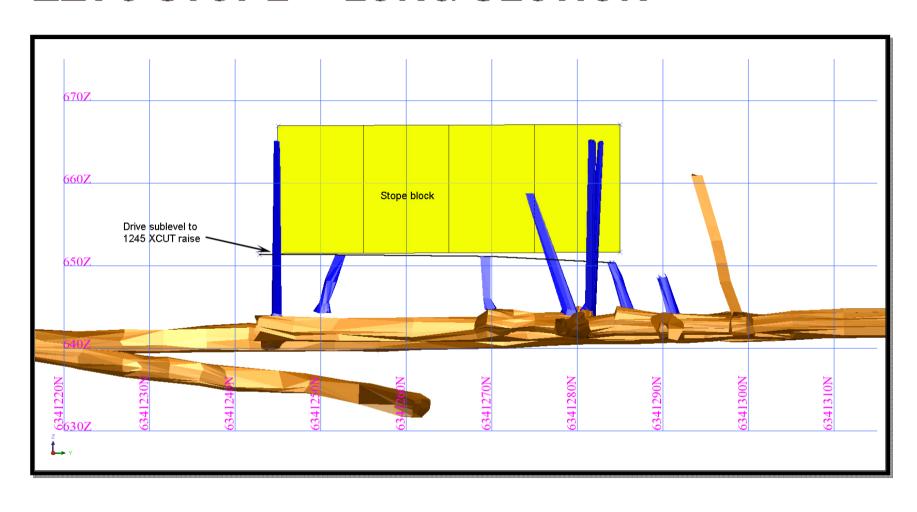
1270 AIRLEG STOPE



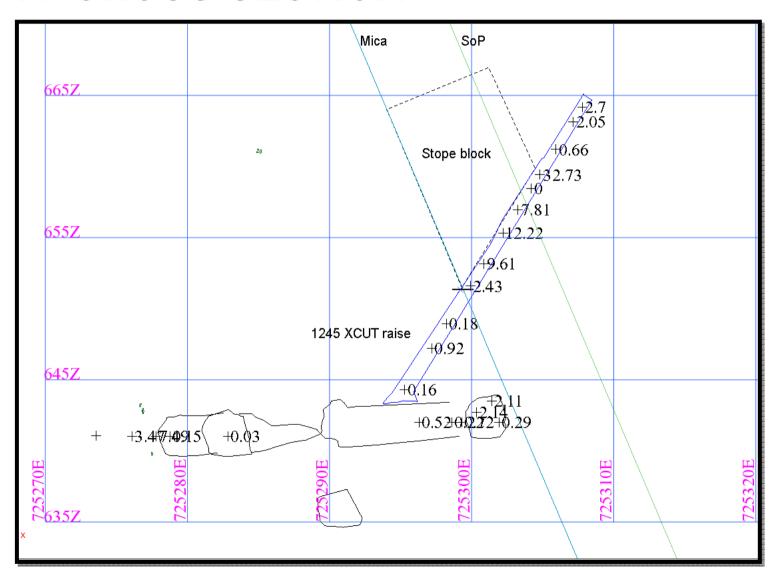
# 1270 STOPE - PLAN VIEW



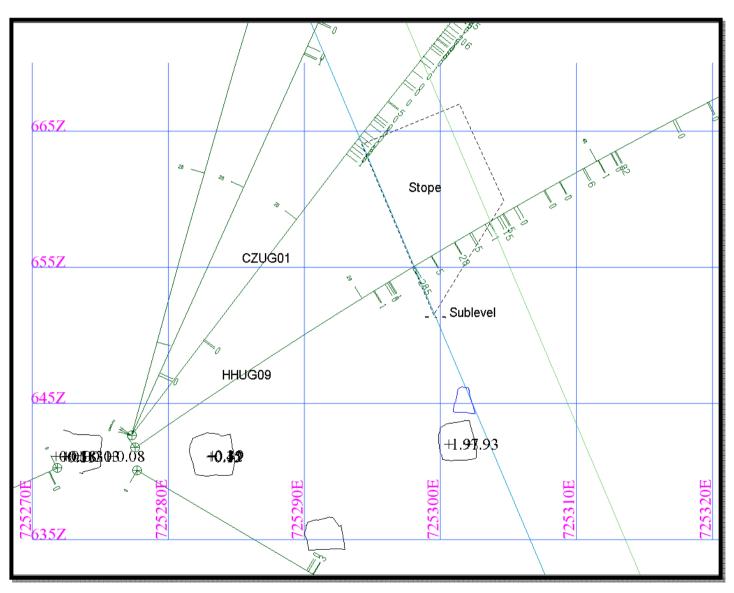
# 1270 STOPE - LONG SECTION



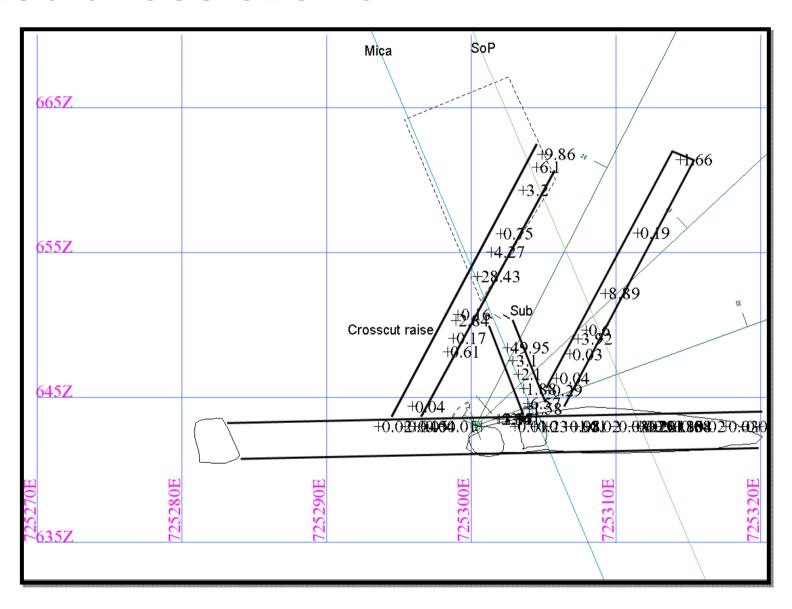
# 1245 CROSS SECTION



# 1250 CROSS SECTION



# 1280 CROSS SECTION



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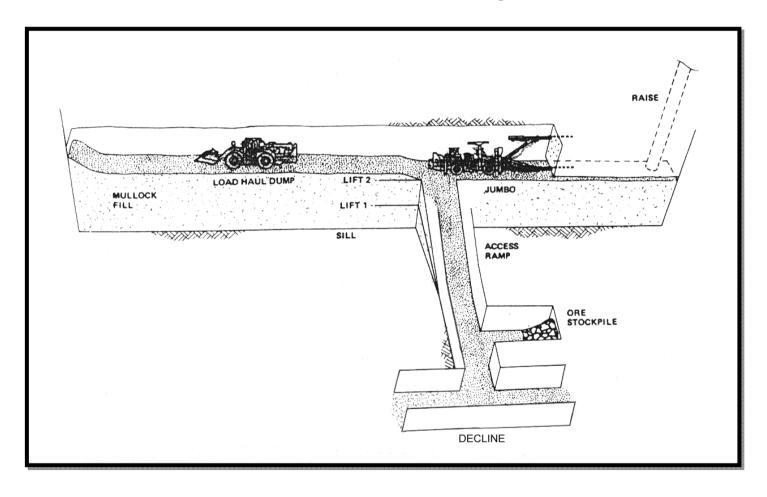
# **REWARD GOLD MINE**



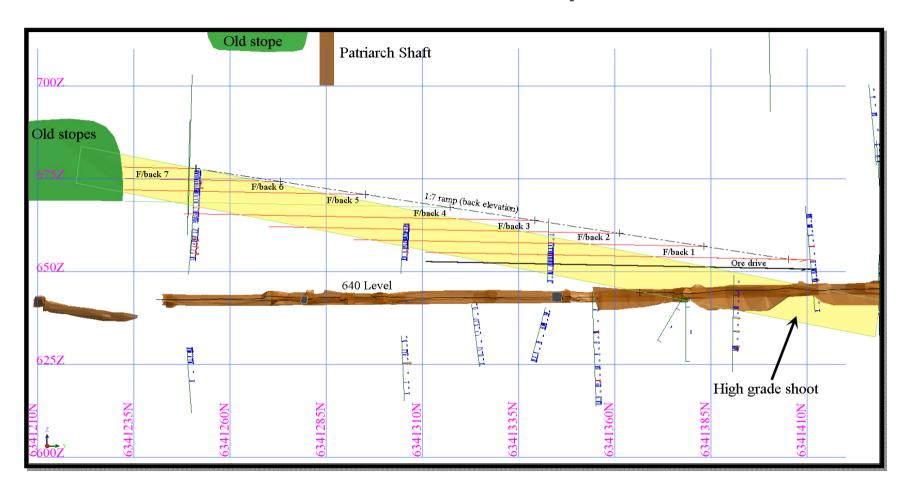
### PRODUCTION EXPANSION

- Drilling remains critical activity
  - Definition of high grade shoots and wide zones
  - Upgrade resource confidence and convert to ore reserves
  - Improve ability to plan systematic extraction
  - □ Drilling below 640L also important
  - Production planning horizon minimum two years and five years life
- Mechanisation where practical
  - □ Multiple veins in Reward Ore Zone with widths 2.5 15m
  - Initial wide stoping (longhole) in Patriarch area
  - Max stoping width with entry methods ~8m
- Accelerate pre-production development
  - □ Declines commenced below 640 level
  - Open a further 50m below 640 level in Mica / Amalgamated / Brands & Fletchers
  - □ Decline into new Fosters area Brands & Fletchers
- Maintain high grade, narrow airleg stoping operations

# FLATBACK STOPING - SOP/MID



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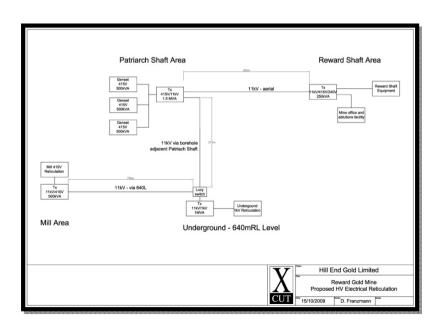


### FLATBACK STOPING

- Initial mining inventory ~ 17,000t at 15g/t (SOP/MID)
- Estimated production rate ~ 1,750 t/month from single stope area
- Requires 5 production areas to achieve ~100kt/annum
- Allows use of tailing material and mullock as backfill
- Minimises the size of tailings dam
- Allows good flexibility to change in ore geometry
- Systematic system following high grade shoot

# CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

- Upgrade electrical system
  - □ Centralised power station (Patriarch Shaft Area)
  - 11kV reticulation underground to Amalgamated mill
  - □ 1kV underground reticulation
    - Jumbo, diamond drill, pumps and ventilation
- Cost ~\$1 million

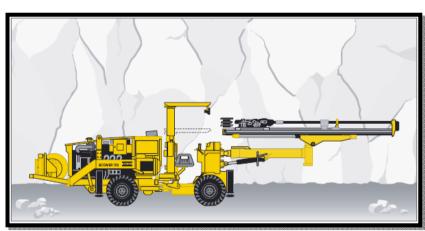


# CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

- Construct mine services infrastructure at Exhibition Flat Cost ~\$200K
  - □ Ablutions, training, first aide, mine offices
- Accommodation solution required
- Expand Mill capacity to 100,000tpa ~\$1.5m
- Decline/Incline development to provide access future stoping areas
  - □ Initial access declines commenced final design pending geological definition

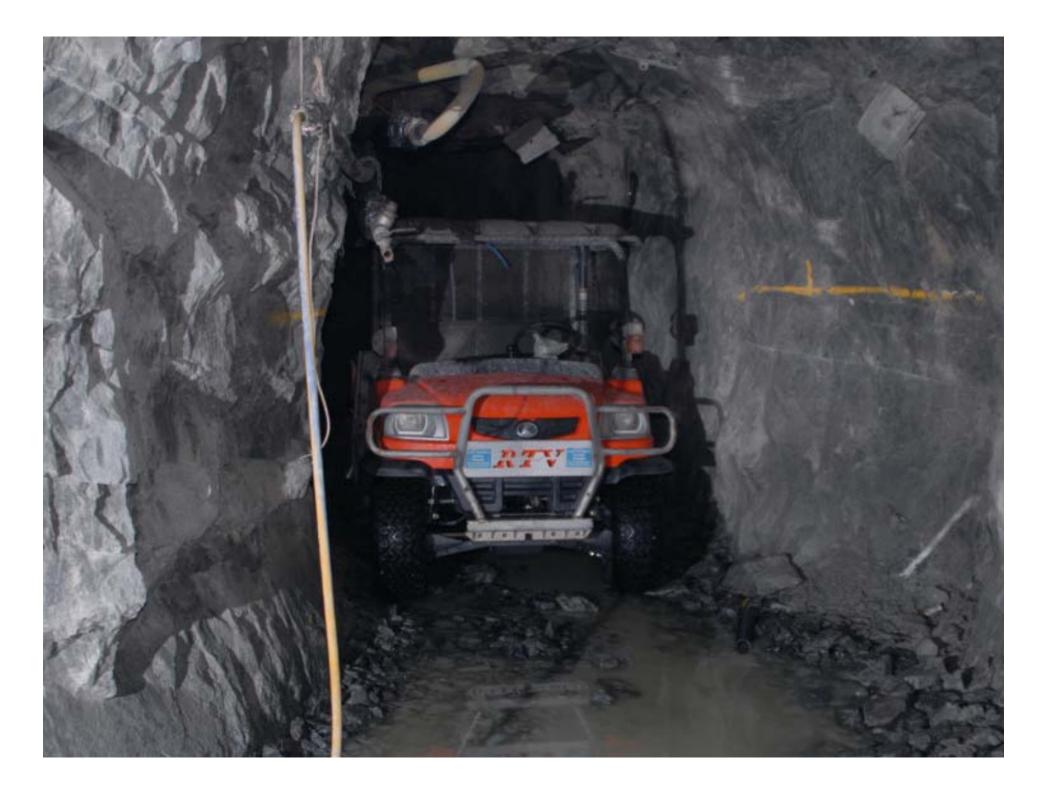
# CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS

- Trucks 2 additional trucks (3 total)
  - □ \$270K each new
- LHDs one additional Toro 151 (3 total)
  - □ ~\$450K?
- Atlas Copco 104
  - □ ~\$795K
- Processing plant
  - □ Total cost ~\$1.5m
  - □ Augmentation of Amalgamated plant in same footprint
  - New primary and secondary crushers
  - Second hand Knelson concentrators x 2





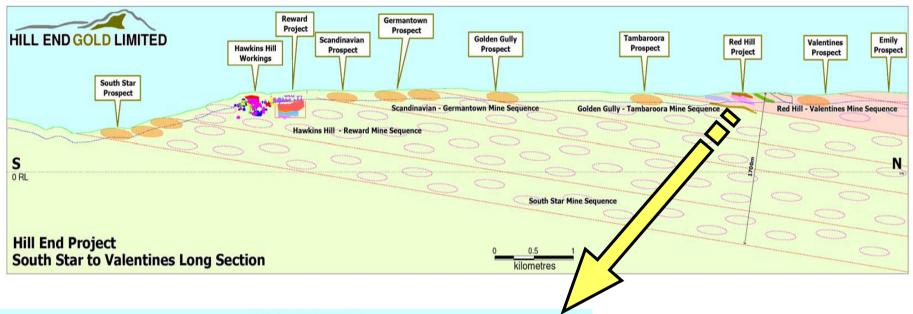


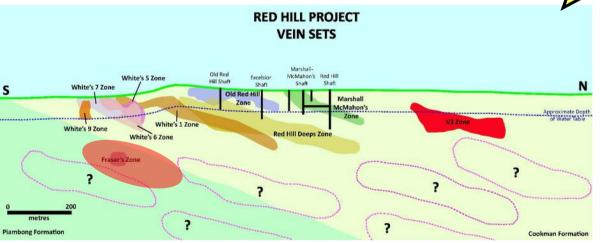


### OTHER MATTERS

- Government Agencies
  - □ Security deposit (estimate of rehab cost) increase from (~\$380K)
  - □ Update the Mine Operations Plan for escalation in scale
  - □ Development Consent to Bathurst Regional Council
  - □ Complete Mine Closure Plan

### Red Hill open pit and underground potential





Current resource 849,312 tonnes at 3.27g/t, located 4km north of Reward

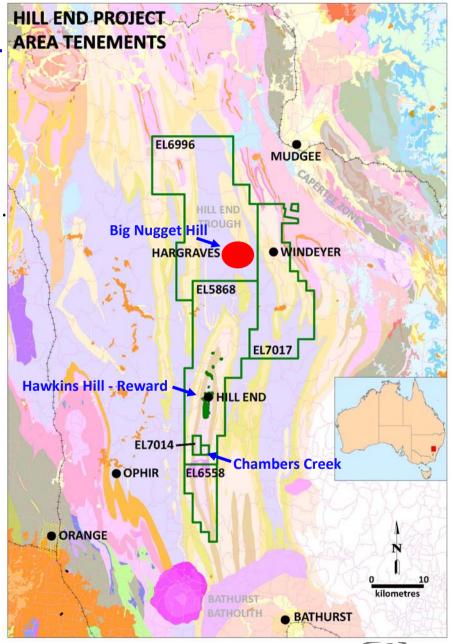
#### Further drilling planned:

- Valentines extension to south
- □ Fraser Zone of 8m at 12g/t
- New discovery at Tambaroora

Frasers Zone has same features as Hawkins Hill – Reward deposit

### Hargraves Project

- 35 kilometres north of Hill End.
- Parallel structures host mineralisation.
- □ Intersections up to 75m at 4.2g/t.
- □ 50kg gold in quartz outcrop 1851.
- Potential scope 150-200,000ozpa.





#### Hargraves zone 4km x 10km

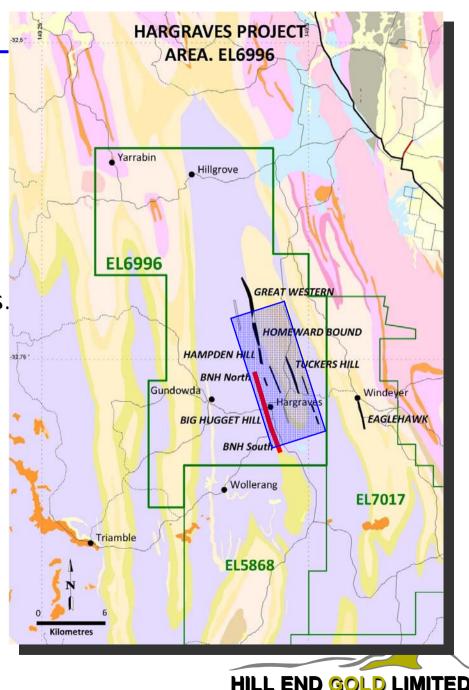
Numerous prospective zones with little modern exploration.

#### Big Nugget Hill

- Fold structure axis mineralisation.
- 50kg gold in quartz outcrop 1851.
- Large nugget field 3000oz pieces.
- Part mined to water table only.

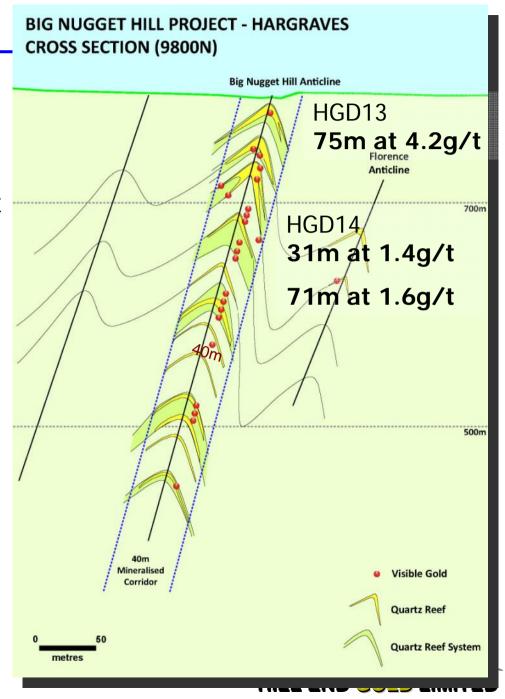
#### **Tuckers Hill**

- □ 8720oz @ 1.76oz/ton.
- Mined to water table.
- Hill End en echelon style.



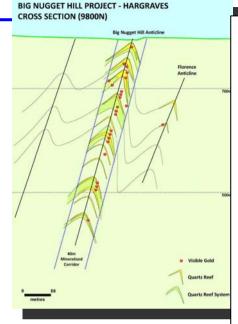
#### BNH 40m wide zone

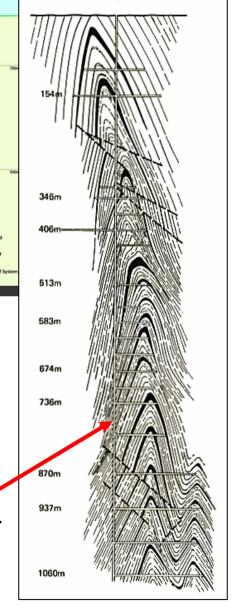
- Mineralisation open at depth and along strike.
- Densely mineralised gold quartz veining almost continuous down structure.
- Adjacent mineralised structures.



#### BNH potential

- 40m wide unmined from near surface.
- Open at 400m depth and over 1000m along strike.
- Bulk mining, large scale potential.
- □ Coarse gold simple processing.
- □ Target scope +10mt at 4g/t.





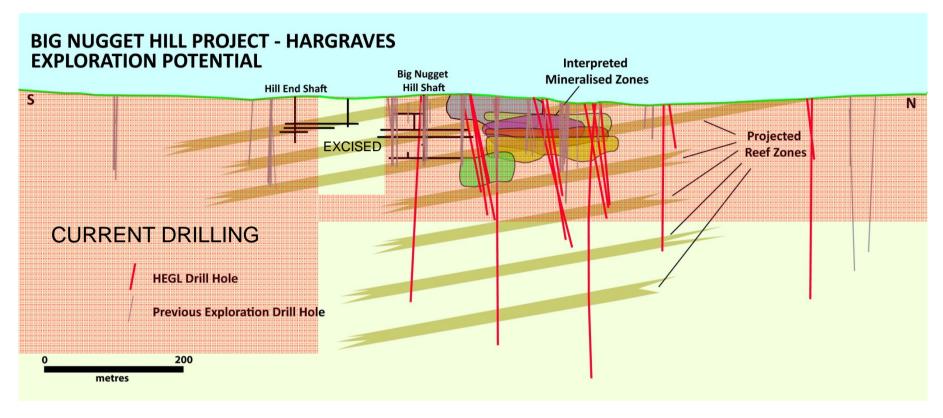
Bendigo

Reefs ~100m apart.

Mining 750m below surface.



#### Hargraves Project - Big Nugget Hill 1km long section



- Previous work outlined 1500m strike of strong gold mineralisation.
- □ 2008 4,082m of HQ3 drilling correlated wide high grade zones.
- Open at depth and along strike.
- □ Current drilling 12,000m HQ3 / RC to outline initial resource.



# Hill End Community



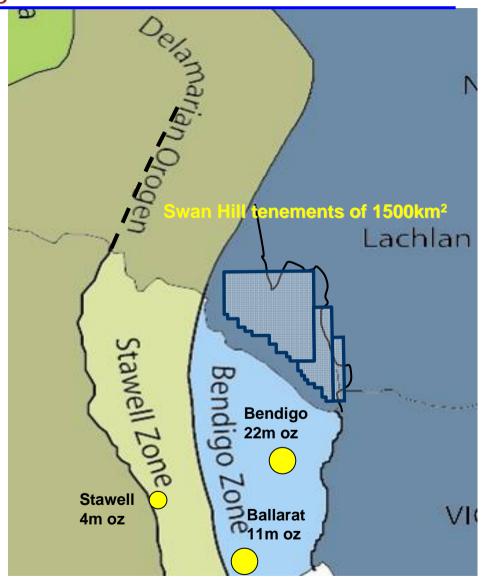


# Environmental cleanup of deeply eroded area



#### Barham Project area - Bendigo zone under shallow cover

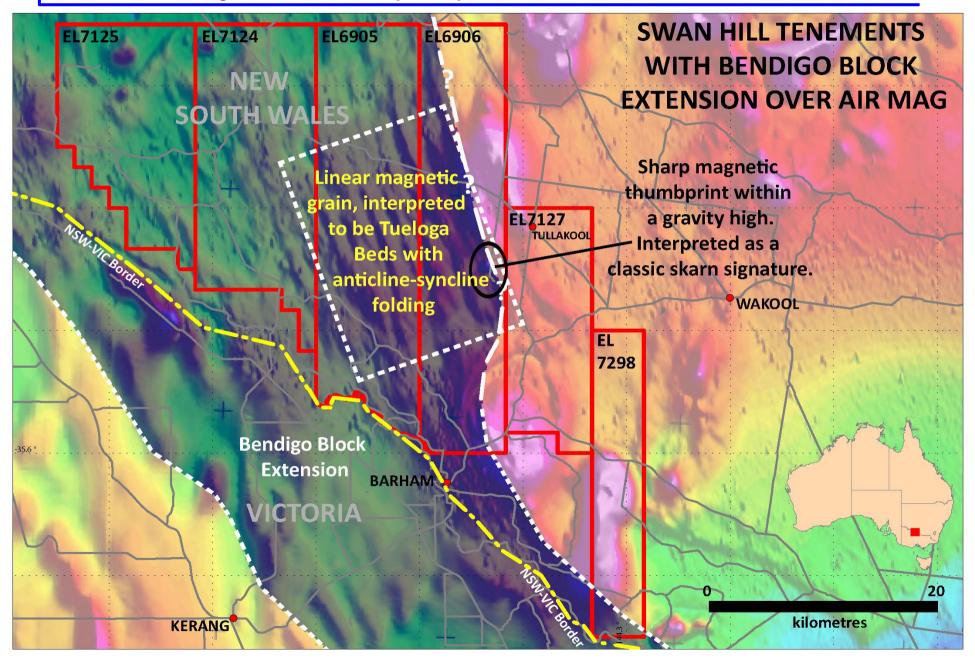
- Bendigo zone extends into NSW under Murray sediments.
- Depth to basement <100m in places.</p>
- Targets identified from geophysical survey for field follow up.







#### Barham Project - Initial prospect at Tullakool

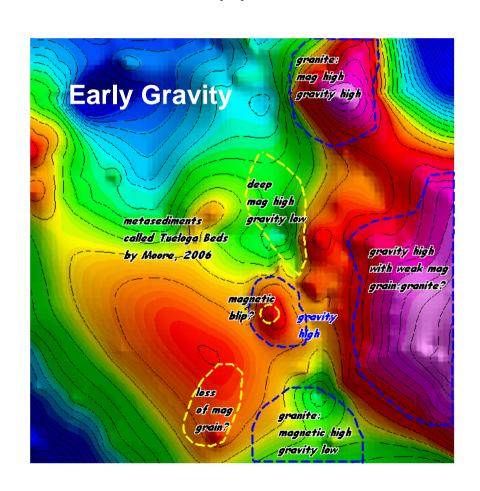


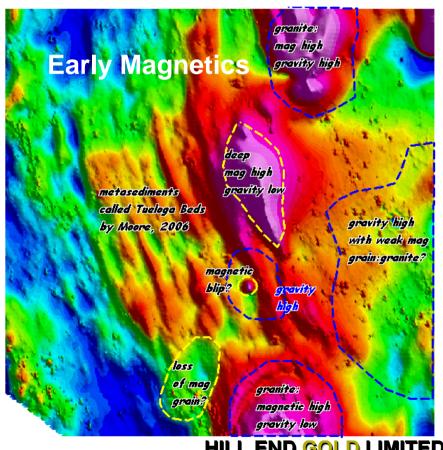
#### Barham Project - Tullakool prospect

Early geophysical surveys indicate shallow targets.

Tullakool field work confirms target at 70m depth.

Skarn or breccia pipe with? base metal or gold mineralisation to be drilled.

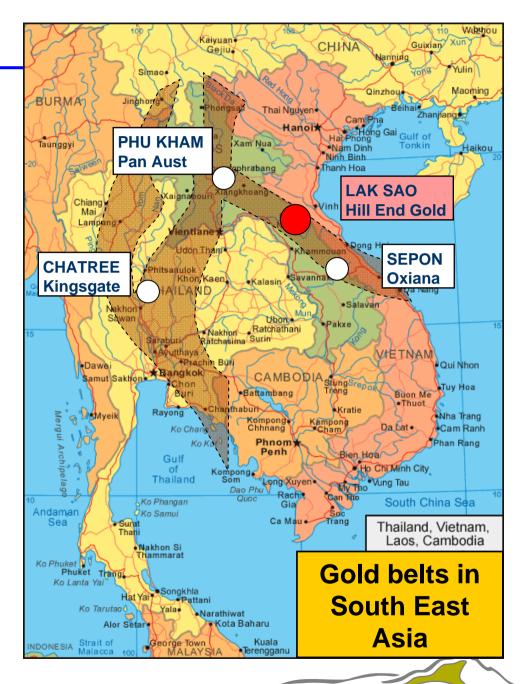




#### Laos Project location

#### Lak Sao Project

- Truongson Gold Belt.
- 100km along strike from Sepon.
- Immediate 51% ownership with Mekong Resources.
- Numerous prospects identified.
- MREA approval pending.
- Additional near development projects under review.





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## Hill End Gold

