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CAPITAL STRUCTURE

Shares on Issue: 116,489,477(LSR)

Options on Issue:

4,750,000 (Unlisted)

ASX: LSR

PROJECTS

Peak Hill – Doolgunna:

Base metals, gold

Penfold:

Nickel

Kimberley:

Nickel, copper, PGM's



INVESTOR PRESENTATION

Please find attached a copy of a presentation to investors being given in Perth today.

The presentation will also be available on the Company's website: www.lodestarminerals.com.au

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David McArthur Director



Delivering Results in an Emerging Copper Province

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Forward Looking Statements

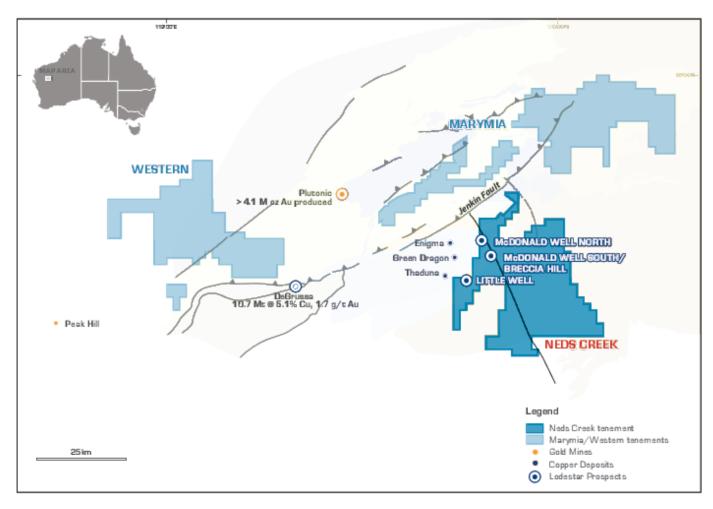
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Regional Overview





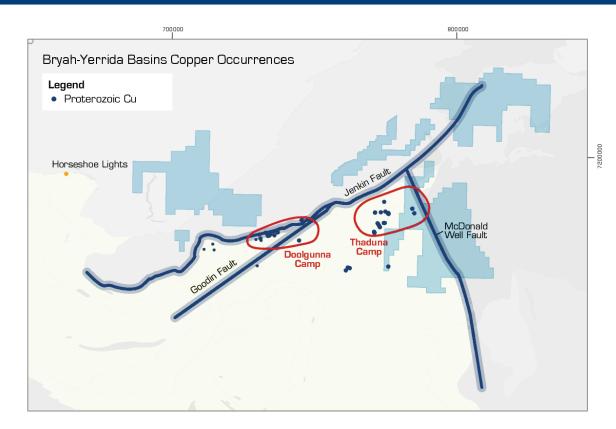
- Largest land
 position Jenkin
 Thrust Zone &
 McDonald Well
 Fault
- Proximity to recent discoveries in similar geological terrain
- Developing
 exploration targets

 basin margins,
 structures &
 domain boundaries

Tectonic Margins - Key to Base Metal Exploration in the Yerrida Basin



- DeGrussa and Thaduna: base metal camps developing at tectonic margins to the Yerrida Basin
- Jenkin and McDonald Well Faults define northern and eastern tectonic margins
- Global precedents for development of world class base metal camps at tectonic margins of Proterozoic basins
- Lodestar holds a key tenement position along the eastern tectonic margin to the Yerrida Basin



Widespread copper mineralising event associated with basin margins

Neds Creek – Part of the Thaduna Camp



TECTONIC MARGIN

- **Eastern margin of the Yerrida Basin**
- •Growth fault a focus for hydrothermal fluids

MAJOR MINERAL SYSTEM

•Fault controlled mineralisation is characteristic of the Thaduna Camp

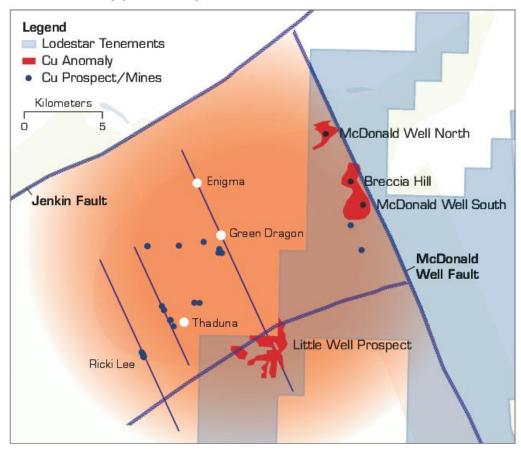
MCDONALD WELL PROSPECTS

 Copper anomalies associated with a major structure

LITTLE WELL PROSPECT

- Copper gossan identified
- Extensive, high order copper in soil anomaly

Thaduna Copper Camp



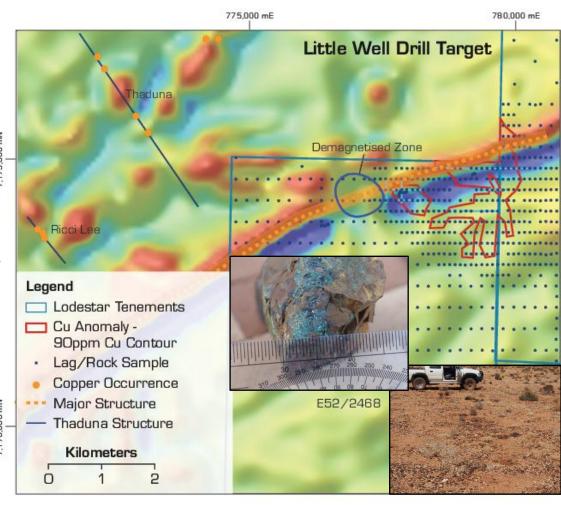
Extensive copper anomalies located within a mineralised camp

Little Well Prospect



- Copper gossan identified 3.6km SE of Thaduna
- 100m strike further assays awaited, mapping and sampling continuing
- Situated on major structural ENE break within de-magnetised zone – alteration?
- Hydrothermal breccia association with rock samples reporting up to 1280ppm Cu
- 1.5km x 1km lag anomaly

Next Step: Air Core Drilling

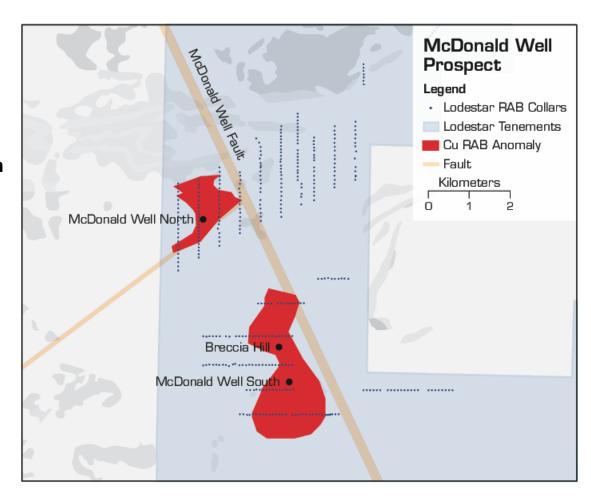


Untested Copper gossan identified within Thaduna magnetic unit

McDonald Well – First Pass Drilling



- Strongly anomalous copper in two areas extending over 7 kms
- Aircore drilling max intercepts in broad spaced drilling:
 - 30m @ 629ppm Cu
 - 10m @ 1160ppmCu
 - 7m @ 1258ppm Cu
- Associated with hydrothermal brecciation in black shales & dolomites

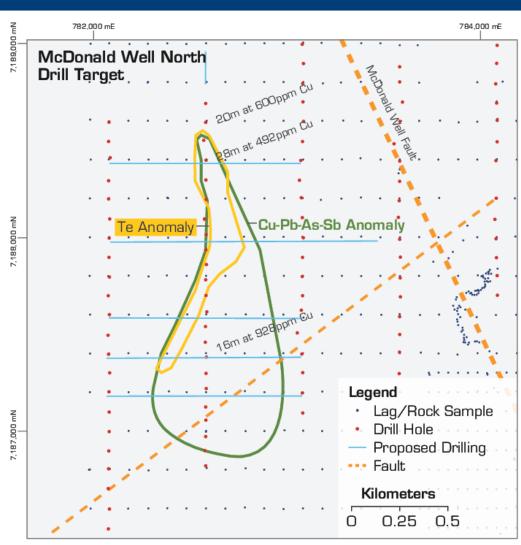


Emerging as one of the best undrilled base metal targets in the Yerrida Basin

McDonald Well North



- Strongly anomalous copper in drilling
- Blanket-style distribution over 1,000m strike
- Lag sampling defines 1600m x 800m Te, Pb-As-Sb associated with elevated copper
- Geochemical evidence suggests structural control parallel to earlier first-pass drilling

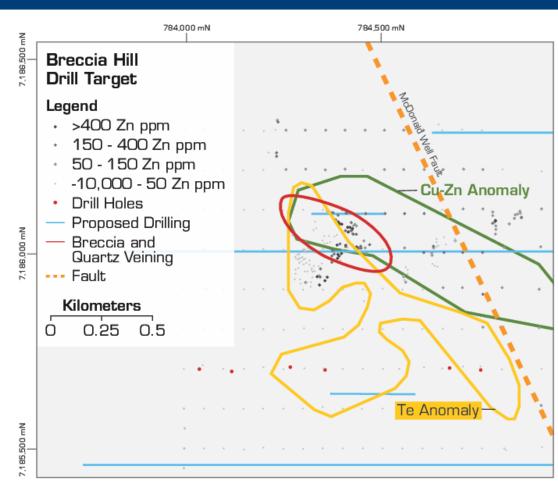


Large copper anomaly located at major structural break

Breccia Hill



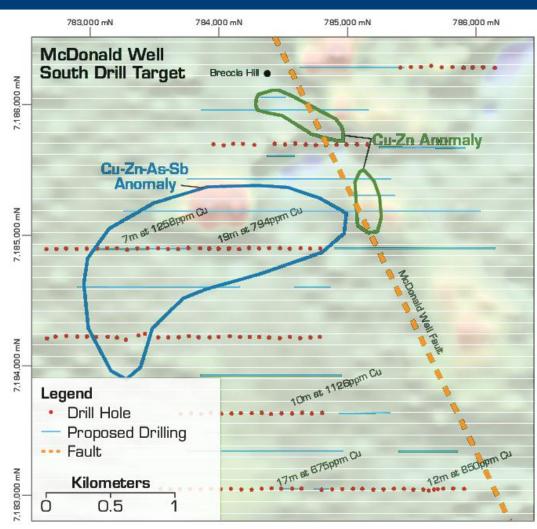
- Area of Cu-Zn anomaly extending over McDonald Well Fault
- 800m x 200m Cu-Zn anomaly defines a north west trending zone with evidence of veining and hydrothermal breccias
- Rock values up to 410ppm Cu
- Drilling will test beneath the outcrops and extend over the McDonald Well Fault



McDonald Well South



- Large 2000m x 800m Cu-Zn anomaly extending from McDonald Well Fault over magnetic anomaly
- Numerous anomalous copper intercepts in first-pass drilling
- Anomaly traverses the geological sequence of shale, black shale & dolomite
- Best intersection in drilling 7m
 at 1298ppm Cu, end of hole 1m at
 1890ppm Cu (in dolomite)
- Drilling will test multiple targets



Extensive strong copper anomaly developed on prime structural position

Exploration Programme – Neds Creek

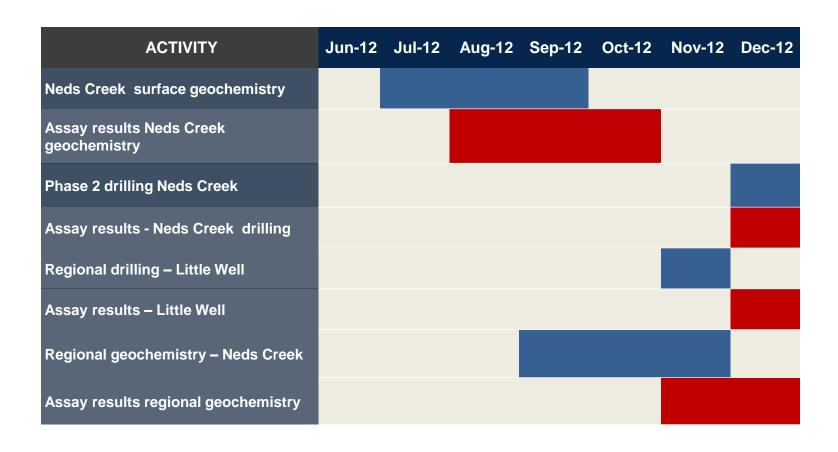


- Little Well Prospect
 - POW and Heritage Approvals
 - First stage aircore drilling planned
 - RC drilling
- McDonald Well and Breccia Hill Prospects
 - Prospect scale mapping and sampling
 - POW and Heritage Approvals
 - Aircore/RC drilling
- McDonald Well Fault
 - Extend reconnaissance geochemistry along the 40km strike within Lodestar's tenements (currently unexplored)

Timeline to Deep Drilling



Sustained exploration programme to be maintained - drill testing of Neds
 Creek copper targets in December quarter



A Near Term Re-Rating Opportunity



- Neds Creek: results to date comparable to early results of discovery explorers in this province
- Re-rating on success can be significant as demonstrated by Sandfire, Sipa and
 Ventnor Resources. Aircore & RC drilling provides a near term re-rate opportunity

COMPANY	COMMODITY	STATUS	ENTERPRISE VALUE \$M
Sandfire	Cu-Au	Mining	1,325
Sipa	Cu	Exploration	38
Ventnor	Cu	Exploration	27
Lodestar	Cu-Au	Exploration	4

Providing some of the best leverage to exploration success in the Doolgunna region

Investment Drivers



- PRIME GEOLOGICAL SETTING ANALOGOUS TO MAJOR PROTEROZOIC BASE METAL PROVINCES
- IMPORTANT GEOLOGICAL SIMILARITIES BETWEEN DOOLGUNNA AND THADUNA CAMPS
- NEDS CREEK AREA DEVELOPING AS A MAJOR REGIONAL COPPER TARGET
- DRILL TESTING AT NEDS CREEK AND LITTLE WELL IN DECEMBER QUARTER
- ADDITIONAL TARGETS LIKELY FROM EXPLORATION CURRENTLY UNDERWAY

Corporate Overview



ASX code	LSR	
Issued Capital	116.5 million shares 4.75 million unlisted options	
Cash	\$0.3 million	
Market capitalisation @ \$0.04	\$4.6 million	
Top 20 Shareholders	44%	
Board and Management	Tim Clifton(Chairman) Bill Clayton (Managing Director) David McArthur Mark Pitt Paul Cranney (Consultant)	



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