

## Burns High-Grade Gold Deposit drilling underway

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### HIGHLIGHTS

- Diamond Drilling has commenced targeting the high-grade core of Lefroy's Burns Deposit.
- These high-grade gold zones have previously returned exceptional drilling intersections including:
  - **38m @ 7.63 g/t Au** from 134m within LEFR260; and
  - **61m @ 2.96 g/t Au** from 120m within LEFR320
- The metallurgical diamond drill program is designed to inform metallurgical recovery estimates.
- An additional reverse circulation (RC) drilling program, designed to target the northern shallow resource extension of Burns will commence in late November.



*Figure 1: Burns High-Grade Metallurgical Diamond Drilling Program (In Progress)*

Lefroy Exploration Limited (“Lefroy” or “the Company”) (ASX: LEX) reports on exploration activities at Burns, with diamond drilling underway.

The Burns Gold Deposit contains an MRE of 42.96 Mt @ 0.36 g/t Au for 497,472 ounces (Indicated 32.31 Mt @ 0.38 g/t Au for 394,308 oz. Inferred 10.65 Mt @ 0.30 g/t Au for 103,165 oz). Inclusive within this resource is Burns High-Grade which contains 4.22 Mt @ 1.18 g/t Au for 159,285 ounces (Indicated 4.11 Mt @ 1.19 g/t Au for 157,215 oz. Inferred 0.1 Mt @ 0.63 g/t Au for 2,070 oz).

**LEFROY CEO, GRAEME GRIBBIN, COMMENTED:**

*“We are excited to finally have the Diamond drill rig on site, with this drill hole targeting the heart of the high-grade gold core of Burns Central.*

*This drill hole will allow the Company to consolidate and build on the previously reported encouraging metallurgical test work undertaken at Burns in 2023.*

*Coupled with the planned resource extensional RC drilling program, now scheduled for commencement at the end of November, the Company remains focused in its mission of demonstrating the full exploration and resource potential at Burns”.*

## **Burns Background**

The Burns Deposit lies within the broader Lefroy Gold Project located 70km southeast of Kalgoorlie (Figure 3), proximal to the St Ives gold camp (Gold Fields Ltd JSE: GFI) and the Daisy Milano and Mt Monger gold operations (Vault Minerals Ltd ASX: VAU).

In October 2024 (refer ASX release 03 October 2024) the Company reported that a significant, structurally controlled high-grade gold zone had been reported within the existing Burns Central Mineral Resource Estimate (MRE), including **4.22Mt @ 1.18 g/t Au for 159,285 contained ounces** (Table 1), reported within 200m of surface.

## **Metallurgical Diamond Drilling Program commenced at Burns**

The Diamond drilling program has commenced at Burns, with metallurgical test work to be performed on this drill core designed to confirm the preliminary metallurgical results completed in 2023 and guide further studies on potential development pathways at Burns.

This drill program consists of a single diamond hole (HQ size), drilled to a depth of between 200 – 250m (Figure 2) targeting the high-grade core of Burns.

These high-grade gold zones have previously returned exceptional drilling intersections (Figure 2) including:

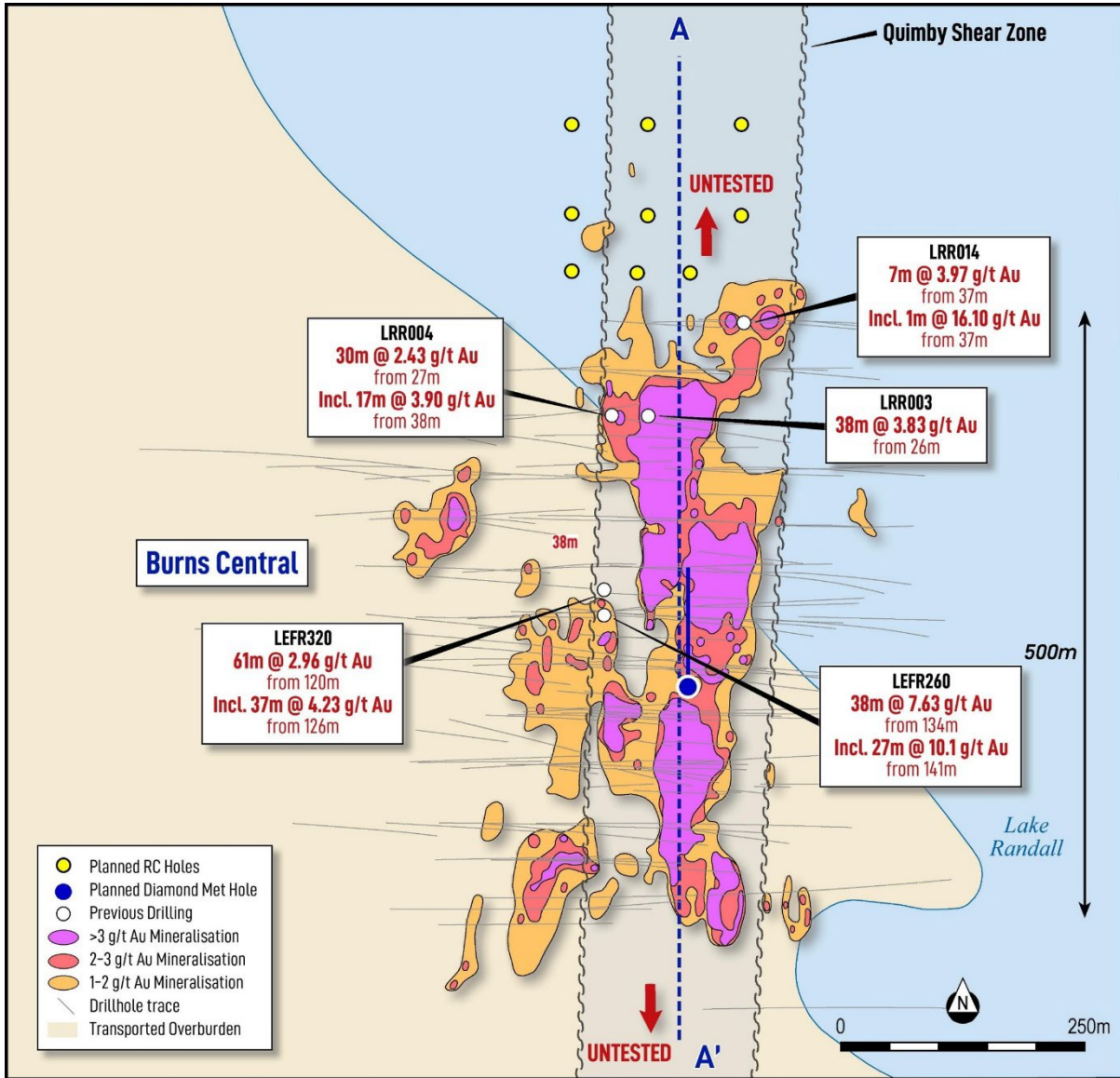
- **38m @ 7.63 g/t Au from 134m within LEFR260; and**
- **61m @ 2.96 g/t Au from 120m within LEFR320**

Test work from this new drill program will build on the very encouraging preliminary test work completed by the Company in 2023, providing new diamond drill core material for analysis.

This test work will also allow for a more complete measure of both expected gold gravity recovery rates and cyanide leachable gold under standard CIL leach conditions.

As previously reported (refer ASX release 9 September 2025), the Company completed preliminary metallurgical test work on the Burns Deposit in late 2023, submitting 6 reverse circulation (RC) composite samples representing the high-grade zone of Burns.

Test work confirmed significant gravity recoverable gold averaging 41%. Total leach recoveries averaged approximately 97% (refer ASX release 3 October 2024) providing confidence that the samples tested are free-milling and amenable to recovery through conventional CIL processing circuits.



**Figure 2:** Burns Central Resource (Plan View) with planned Diamond Drill hole (Blue)

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## ABOUT LEFROY EXPLORATION LIMITED

Lefroy Exploration Limited (ASX:LEX) is an active West Australian exploration company focused on developing its flagship Lefroy Project (Figure 3), a contiguous land package of 635km<sup>2</sup> located in the heart of the world-class Kalgoorlie and Kambalda gold and nickel mining districts and the Lake Johnston Project 120km west of Norseman.

Lefroy is pursuing a low-cost gold production strategy through profit share mining agreements on its shallow, high-grade gold deposits. The company's Lucky Strike Deposit with 79,600oz is subject to the first of such agreements, with key milestones completed on the way to production targeted for early 2026. Additional deposits Mt Martin (439,000oz at 1.47g/t Au) and Burns Central (159,285oz at 1.18g/t Au) offer additional potential for similar agreements and show significant resource growth potential through ongoing exploration.

With over one million ounces in resources and a zero-cost development pathway, LEX is well-positioned to generate cash flow and advance its broader portfolio.

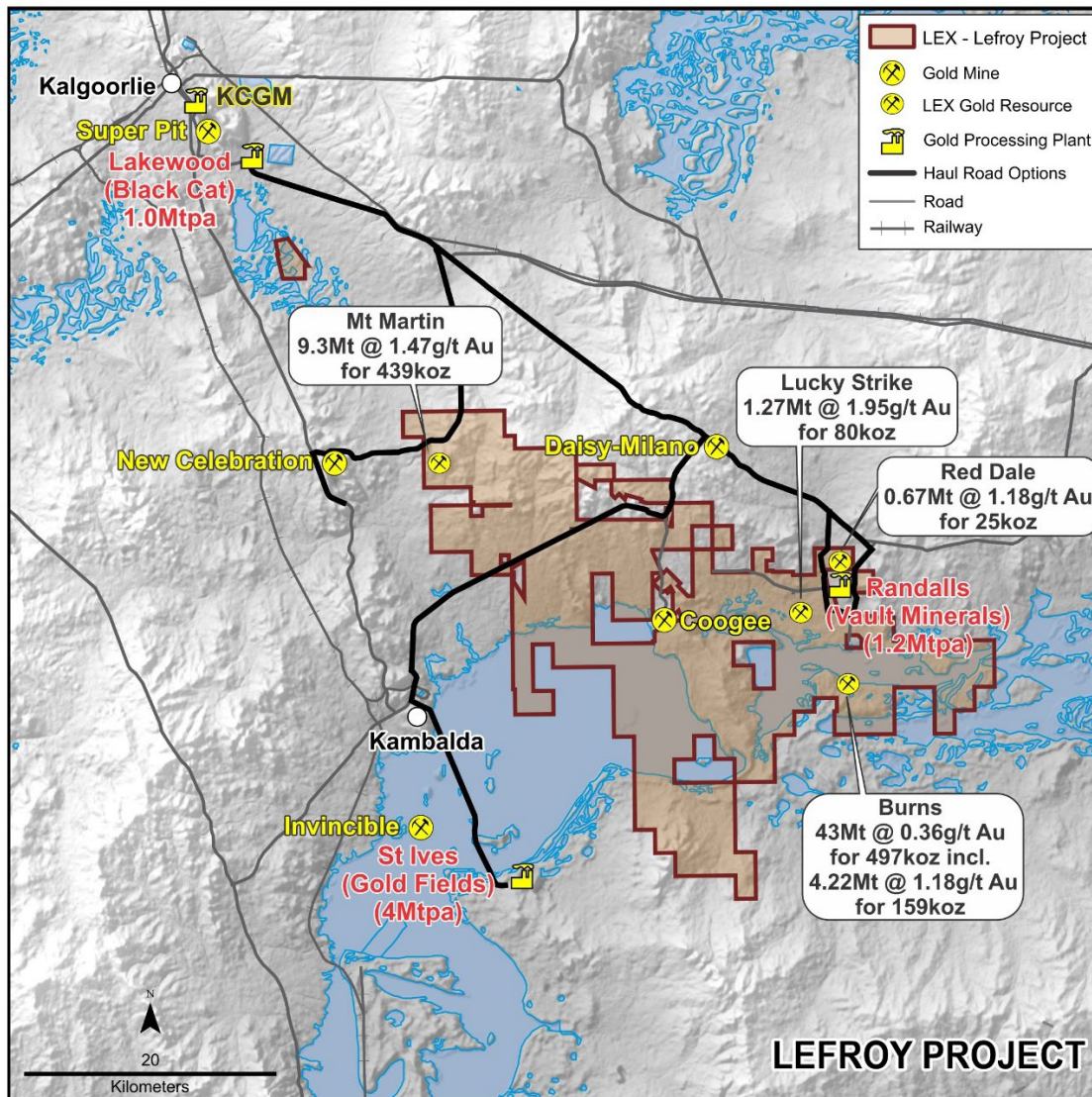


Figure 3: Regional location map of the Lefroy Project

## SUPPORTING ASX ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following announcements were lodged with the ASX and further details (including supporting JORC Tables) for each of the sections noted in this announcement can be found in the following releases. The Company confirms that it is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the information included in the original market announcements. In the case of all Mineral Resource Estimate's (MRE), the Company confirms that all material assumptions and technical parameters underpinning the estimates continue to apply and have not materially changed.

- Outstanding Results Reinforce Lucky Strike Potential: 26 February 2020
- Maiden Lucky Strike Resource Estimate: 20 May 2020
- Tenements Granted over Burns Au-Cu Prospect Enhances Lefroy Project Portfolio: 16 September 2020
- Drill Results Extend Copper Gold Zones at Burns: 29 April 2021
- Multiple Shallow Thick Copper-Gold Intersections Reinforce Large Mineral System at Burns Project: 6 February 2023
- Half a million ounces of gold in Burns Central maiden resource: 4 May 2023
- Strategy to focus on Gold Development and Exploration: 23 February 2024
- High Grade Shallow Resource to Unlock Value at Burns Central: 3 October 2024
- Lefroy builds near-surface gold resources at Mt Martin: 10 October 2024
- South-West Connect – Investor Presentation October 2024: 16 October 2024
- Commercialising resources to advance exploration targets: 23 Oct 2024
- \$3.3M raised in oversubscribed placement to commercialise resources and target new discoveries: 28 October 2024
- Lefroy signs Agreement with BML Ventures to advance development of the Lucky Strike gold deposit: 18 December 2024
- Lefroy executes Agreement with BML Ventures to mine the Lucky Strike gold deposit: 12 February 2025
- Drilling Underway at Lucky Strike Gold Project: 26 February 2025
- Drilling identifies upside at Lucky Strike with pre-permitting works underway: 26 March 2025
- Major Grade Control drilling campaign commences at Luck Strike: 06 May 2025
- Exceptional grade control results as Diamond drilling commences at Lucky Strike: 03 June 2025
- Major Milestone as Lefroy Secures first Toll Milling agreement: 10 June 2025
- More High-Grade Results at Lucky Strike Gold Deposit: 24 June 2025
- Lefroy secures crucial funding via BML Lucky Strike Profit Cash Advance Agreement: 16 July 2025
- Further outstanding assay results confirm high-grade gold model at Lucky Strike: 29 July 2025
- Lucky Strike Gold Deposit advances towards operations: 9 September 2025
- Lefroy receives first cash advance instalment of \$1.25 Million from BML: 30 September 2025
- Burns drilling targets near surface high-grade gold potential: 23 October 2025
- Lucky Strike Mine Approved clearing pathway for Operations to Commence: 5 November 2025

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## COMPETENT PERSON STATEMENT

The information in this announcement that relates to exploration targets and exploration results is based on information compiled by Graeme Gribbin, a competent person who is a member of the Australian Institute of Geoscientists (AIG). Mr Gribbin is employed by Lefroy Exploration Limited. Mr Gribbin has sufficient experience that is relevant to the style of mineralisation and type of deposits under consideration and to the activity being undertaken to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 edition of the JORC Code. Mr Gribbin consents to the inclusion in this announcement of the matters based on his work in the form and context in which it appears.

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**Table 1: Total Indicated and Inferred Mineral Resources (small discrepancies may occur due to the effect of rounding)**

<b>Orogenic Gold Style</b>									
	<b>Indicated</b>			<b>Inferred</b>			<b>Total Resource</b>		
<b>Deposit</b>	Mt	Au (g/t)	Oz	Mt	Au (g/t)	Oz	Mt	Au (g/t)	Oz
Red Dale	0.64	1.21	24,660	0.03	0.60	570	0.67	1.18	25,230
Lucky Strike	0.70	1.93	43,400	0.57	1.97	36,200	1.27	1.95	79,600
Mt Martin	5.60	1.40	2,47,500	3.69	1.61	191,500	9.29	1.47	439,000
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>6.94</b>	<b>1.41</b>	<b>315,560</b>	<b>4.29</b>	<b>1.66</b>	<b>228,270</b>	<b>11.23</b>	<b>1.51</b>	<b>543,830</b>

<b>Porphyry Gold-Copper Style</b>														
	<b>Indicated</b>					<b>Inferred</b>					<b>Total Resource</b>			
<b>Deposit</b>	Mt	Au (g/t)	Cu (%)	Au (Oz)	Cu (t)	Mt	Au (g/t)	Cu (%)	Au (Oz)	Cu (t)	Mt	Au (g/t)	Au (Oz)	Cu (t)
Burns Central	32.31	0.38	0.16	394,308	50,253	10.65	0.3	0.08	103,165	8,047	42.96	0.36	497,472	58,300
<b>Total</b>	<b>32.31</b>	<b>0.38</b>	<b>0.16</b>	<b>394,308</b>	<b>50,253</b>	<b>10.65</b>	<b>0.3</b>	<b>0.08</b>	<b>103,165</b>	<b>8,047</b>	<b>42.96</b>	<b>0.36</b>	<b>497,472</b>	<b>58,300</b>
<i>Inclusive of</i>														
Burns High Grade	4.11	1.19	0.22	157,215	9,119	0.1	0.63	0.18	2,070	184	4.22	1.18	159,285	9,303

<b>Nickel</b>									
	<b>Indicated</b>			<b>Inferred</b>			<b>Total Resource</b>		
<b>Deposit</b>	tonnes	Ni (%)	Ni metal	tonnes	Ni (%)	Ni metal	tonnes	Ni (%)	Ni metal
Goodyear	-	-	-	392,000	3.78	14,780	392,000	3.78	14,780
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>392,000</b>	<b>3.78</b>	<b>14,780</b>	<b>392,000</b>	<b>3.78</b>	<b>14,780</b>