

HELIOSTAR METALS LTD. CONDENSED INTERIM CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE NINE MONTHS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022, AND 2021

NOTICE TO READER NO AUDITOR REVIEW OF CONDENSED INTERIM CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The accompanying unaudited condensed interim consolidated financial statements of the Company have been prepared by, and are the responsibility of, the Company's management. The Company's independent auditor has not performed a review of these condensed interim consolidated financial statements in accordance with standards established by the Canadian Institute of Chartered Professional Accountants for a review of interim financial statements.

HELIOSTAR METALS LTD. CONDENSED INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION (Presented in Canadian Dollars)

	Note	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022
		\$	\$
Assets			
Current			
Cash		857,996	1,183,046
Short-term investments	5	28,750	28,750
Marketable securities	6	50,000	125,000
Amounts receivable		7,520	12,350
Prepaid amounts and advances	7	568,071	538,297
		1,512,337	1,887,443
Non-current			
Long-term prepaid amounts	7	75,675	53,517
Reclamation bond	8	75,075	7,407
Exploration and evaluation assets	8	10,235,396	10,115,291
Equipment	9	74,506	96,137
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		11,897,914	12,159,795
Liabilities			
Current		000 440	4 047 400
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	4.4	963,410	1,817,422
Due to related parties	11	50,475	61,854
		1,013,885	1,879,276
Shareholders' equity			
Share capital	12	57,444,108	54,732,184
Accumulated other comprehensive income	. —	282,795	282,795
Reserves	12	7,904,254	7,237,729
Deficit	. —	(54,747,128)	(51,972,189)
		10,884,029	10,280,519
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		11,897,914	12,159,795

Nature of operations and continuance of operations (Note 1)

These consolidated financial statements are authorized for issue by the Board of Directors on February 14, 2022. They are signed on the Company's behalf by:

/s/ Jacques Vaillancourt, Director

/s/ Ken Booth, Director

HELIOSTAR METALS LTD. CONDENSED INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF LOSS AND COMPREHENSIVE LOSS (Presented in Canadian Dollars)

		Three months ended December 31,			Nine months ended December 31,			
	Note		2022		2021		2022	2021
Exploration and evaluation								
Exploration expenditures	8	\$	288,229	\$	658,913	\$	797,110	\$ 6,653,182
General and administrative								
Depreciation	9		7,210	\$	12,398		21,631	34,660
Directors fees	11		14,750		17,751		58,875	57,188
Insurance			12,263		8,379		41,707	20,932
Investor relations			100,968		201,592		422,713	641,418
Management fees	11		74,916		103,427		283,416	312,750
Office operations			99,852		89,027		345,450	229,891
Professional fees			51,980		63,704		158,620	163,955
Regulatory fees			9,291		6,148		29,055	30,655
Rent			6,682		6,682		20,046	20,046
Share-based compensation	11, 12(c)		80,430		312,855		421,047	878,680
Transfer agent	, , ,		1,948		11,149		8,013	14,263
Travel and promotion			24,723		48,511		27,311	49,343
			485,013		881,623		1,837,884	2,453,781
Loss before the undernoted			(773,242)		(1,540,536)		(2,634,994)	(9,106,963)
Other income / (expense)								
Foreign exchange (loss)			6,966		32,114		(65,132)	177,208
Interest income			3		1,180		187	12,045
Changes in fair value of marketable securities	6		(6,250)		(39,644)		(75,000)	(190,854)
Onlanges in an value of marketable securities	- U		719		(6,350)		(139,945)	(1,601)
Loss for the period			(772,523)		(1,546,886)		(2,774,939)	(9,108,564)
Other comprehensive income (loss)								
Items that may be reclassified to profit or loss								
Changes in fair value of marketable securities			-		(236,929)		-	44,194
Comprehensive loss for the period		\$	(772,523)	\$	(1,783,815)	\$	(2,774,939)	\$(9,064,370)
Basic and diluted loss per share		\$	(0.01)	\$	(0.04)	\$	(0.06)	\$ (0.26)
Weighted average number of common shares outstanding (basic and diluted)		Ę	55,046,340		39,966,153		49,626,413	35,466,107

HELIOSTAR METALS LTD. CONDENSED INTERIM CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY (Presented in Canadian Dollars)

	Share	Ca	pital						
	Number of Shares		Amount	ļ	Reserves	accumulated mprehensive Loss	Deficit	Sh	Total areholders' Equity
Balance, March 31, 2021	31,805,319	\$	45,927,290	\$	5,978,542	\$ 281,123	\$ (39,515,938)	\$	12,671,017
Private placement	11,082,688		9,629,897		_	-	-		9,629,897
Share issuance costs	-		(993,563)		239,771	-	-		(753,792)
Exercise of options	138,333		103,750		(53,990)	-	53,990		103,750
Share-based compensation	-		-		878,680	-	-		878,680
Unrealized gain on marketable securities	-		-		-	44,194	-		44,194
Loss for the period	-		-		-	-	(9,108,565)		(9,108,565)
Balance, December 31, 2021	43,026,340	\$	54,667,374	\$	7,043,003	\$ 325,317	\$ (48,570,513)	\$	13,465,181
Balance, March 31, 2022	43,026,340	\$	54,732,184	\$	7,237,729	\$ 282,795	\$ (51,972,189)	\$	10,280,519
Private placements	12,020,000		2,764,600		240,400	-	-		3,005,000
Share issuance costs - cash	-		(47,598)		-	-	-		(47,598)
Share issuance costs - warrants	-		(5,078)		5,078	-	-		-
Share-based compensation	-		-		421,047	-	-		421,047
Loss for the period					-		(2,774,939)		(2,774,939)
Balance, December 31, 2022	55,046,340	\$	57,444,108	\$	7,904,254	\$ 282,795	\$ (54,747,128)	\$	10,884,029

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		2022		2021
Cash provided by (used in):				
Operating activities				
Loss for the period	\$	(2,774,938)	\$	(9,108,565)
Items not affecting cash:				
Depreciation		21,631		34,660
Share-based payments		421,047		878,680
Fair value gain on marketable securites		75,000		(86,000)
Unrealized foreign exchange gain		(65,132)		(35,533)
Net change in non-cash working capital				
Amounts receivable		4,830		(1,010)
Prepaid amounts and advances		(51,932)		(315,213)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		(788,881)		(225,177)
Due to related parties		(11,379)		(10,833)
	\$	(3,169,754)	\$	(8,868,991)
Investing activities				
Acquisition of exploration and evaluation assets		(120,105)		(94,089)
Proceeds from sale of marketable securities		-		1,650,954
Reclamation bond		7,407		-
	\$	(112,698)	\$	1,556,865
Financing activities				
Proceeds from the issuance of shares, net		2,957,402		8,876,105
Shares issued for the exercise of options		-		103,750
	\$	2,957,402	\$	8,979,855
Change in cash		(325,050)		1,667,729
		(==;;;;)		1,221,12
Cash, beginning of the period	\$	1,183,046	\$	1,238,723
Cash, end of the period	\$	857,996	\$	2,906,452
Schedule of Non-cash Investing and Financing Tra	ansact	tions		
Fair value transfer on exercise and expiry of options	\$	-	\$	53,990
Fair value of broker's warrants	\$	5,078	\$	239,771
Cash paid during the period for interest	\$	-	\$	-
Cash paid during the period for taxes	\$	_	\$	

1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND CONTINUANCE OF OPERATIONS

Heliostar Metals Ltd. (the "Company") is engaged in the acquisition, exploration, and development of mineral properties in North America. The Company is incorporated and domiciled in Canada under the Business Corporations Act (British Columbia), and its registered office is Suite 900, 885 West Georgia Street, Vancouver, BC, V6C 3H1. The Company is trading on the TSX Venture Exchange (TSX-V) under the trading symbol "HSTR". The Company is also trading on the OTCQX under the trading symbol "HSTXF".

These condensed interim consolidated financial statements (the "Financial Statements") have been prepared on the basis of the accounting principles applicable to a going concern, which assumes the Company will be able to continue in operation for the foreseeable future and will be able to realize its assets and discharge its liabilities in the normal course of operations.

The business of mining and exploration involves a high degree of risk and there can be no assurance that current exploration programs will result in profitable mining operations. The recoverability of exploration and evaluation expenditures is dependent upon several factors. These include the discovery of economically recoverable reserves, the ability of the Company to obtain the necessary financing to complete the development of these properties, and future profitable production or proceeds from disposition of mineral properties.

The Company has incurred operating losses since inception, is unable to self-finance operations and has significant cash requirements to meet its overhead and maintain its mineral interests.

The Company's ability to continue as a going concern is dependent on the Company's ability to obtain additional debt or equity financing to successfully advance the exploration and development of mineral property interests in its exploration portfolio and to be able to derive material proceeds from the sale or divestiture of those properties and/or other assets, such as sale proceeds, royalty rights and equity interests. These Financial Statements do not include any adjustments to the recoverability and classification of recorded asset amounts and classification of liabilities that might be necessary should the Company be unable to continue as a going concern. Such adjustments could be material. These material uncertainties may cast significant doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern.

Rounded to 000's	Dec	ember 31, 2022	М	arch 31, 2022
Working capital surplus	\$	498,000	\$	8,000
Accumulated deficit	\$	(54,747,000)	\$	(51,972,000)

2. BASIS OF PREPARATION - STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE

These condensed interim consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard ("IAS") 34, Interim Financial Reporting and related IFRS Interpretations Committee ("IFRICs"), as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB"). The Financial Statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis, except for financial instruments classified as financial instruments at fair value through profit and loss and fair value through other comprehensive income, which are stated at their fair value. In addition, these Financial Statements have been prepared using the accrual basis of accounting except for cash flow information.

Basis of consolidation

These financial statements incorporate the financial statements of the Company and the entities controlled by the Company, which consist of:

Name of the company	Place of incorporation	Proportion of ownership interest December 31, 2022	Proportion of ownership interest March 31, 2022	Principal activity
Heliostar Metals USA Inc.	Nevada, USA	100%	100%	Mineral exploration
Heliostar Metals Alaska Inc.	Alaska, USA	100%	100%	Mineral exploration
Heliodor Metals Limited	British Columbia, Canada	100%	100%	Holding company
Heliodor Metals Mexico S.A. de C.V.	Chihuahua, Mexico	100%	100%	Mineral exploration

Since these Financial Statements do not include all disclosures required by IFRS for annual consolidated financial statements, they should be read in conjunction with the Company's audited annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2022.

The preparation of Financial Statements in accordance with IAS 1 requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise judgement in applying the Company's accounting policies.

The preparation of the Financial Statements requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets and liabilities, profit and expenses. The estimates and associated assumptions are based on historical experience and various other factors that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis of making the judgments about carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an on-going basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognized in the period in which the estimate is revised if the revision affects only that period or in the period of the revision and further periods if the review affects both current and future periods.

3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies and methods of computation followed in preparing these Financial Statements are the same as those followed in preparing the most recent audited annual consolidated financial statements. For a complete summary of significant accounting policies, please refer to the Company's audited annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2022. Certain comparative figures may have been reclassified to conform to the current period's presentation.

The following are the critical judgments and areas involving estimates, that management have made in the process of applying the Company's accounting policies and that have the most significant effect on the amount recognized in the Financial Statements.

a) Key sources of estimation uncertainty

Share-based payments

The fair value of stock options granted is measured using the Black-Scholes option pricing model, which was created for use in estimating the fair value of freely tradable, fully transferable options. The Company's stock options have characteristics significantly different from those of traded options, and changes in the highly subjective input assumptions can materially affect the calculated values. The fair value of stock options granted using the Black-Scholes option pricing model do not necessarily provide a reliable measure of the fair value of the Company's stock option awards.

Income taxes

Provisions for income taxes are made using the best estimate of the amount expected to be paid based on a qualitative assessment of all relevant factors. The Company reviews the adequacy of these provisions at the end of the reporting period. However, it is possible that at some future date an additional liability could result from audits by tax authorities. Where the outcome of these tax-related matters is different from the amounts that were originally recorded, such differences will affect the tax provisions in the period in which such a determination is made.

Key sources of judgment uncertainty

Going concern evaluation

As discussed on note 1, these Financial Statements have been prepared under the assumptions applicable to a going concern. If the going concern assumption were not appropriate for these Financial Statements, then adjustments would be necessary to the carrying value of assets and liabilities, the reported expenses and the statement of financial position classifications used, and such adjustments could be material.

The Company reviews the going concern assessment at the end of each reporting period. There were no material changes to the assessment as at December 31, 2022.

Determination of functional currency

In accordance with IAS 21, The Effects of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates, management determined that the functional currency of the Company and its wholly owned subsidiaries is the Canadian dollar. Determination of functional currency may involve certain judgments to determine the primary economic environment and the Company reconsiders the functional currency of its entities if there is a change in events and conditions which determined the primary economic environment.

3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

b) Key sources of judgment uncertainty (Continued)

Estimated Useful Lives and Depreciation of Equipment

Depreciation of equipment and intangible assets is dependent upon estimates of useful lives based on management's judgment.

Exploration and evaluation assets

The carrying value of the Company's exploration and evaluation assets is reviewed by management quarterly, or whenever events or circumstances indicate that its carrying amount may not be recovered. Management considers certain impairment indicators such as market capitalization of the Company, metal price changes, plans for the properties and the results of exploration to date.

Impairment

Judgment is involved in assessing whether there is any indication that an asset may be impaired. This assessment is made based on the analysis of, amongst other factors, changes in the market or business environment, events that have transpired that have impacted the asset, and information from internal reporting.

4. ANA PAULA AND SAN ANTONIO GOLD PROJECTS

The Company has entered into definitive agreements with Argonaut Gold to acquire the Ana Paula Gold Project and option the San Antonio Gold Project in Mexico. The purchase price for Ana Paula consists of US\$10 million cash at closing. Subsequent milestone payments are comprised of US\$10 million of cash payments, US\$5 million of shares, and US\$5 million of cash or share payments.

The Company announced a private placement to finance the acquisition (See Note 15).

5. SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS

As at December 31, 2022, the Company pledged \$28,750 with Bank of Montreal (March 31, 2022 - \$28,750) as collateral for a corporate credit card.

6. MARKETABLE SECURITIES

Description	Shares	Cost	Dece	value at ember 31, 2022	_	r value at ch 31, 2022
Trillium Gold	250,000	\$ 375,000	\$	50,000	\$	125,000

7. PREPAID AMOUNTS AND ADVANCES

	Decem	ber 31, 2022	Ма	rch 31, 2022
Prepaid amounts and advances	\$	568,071	\$	538,297
Long-term prepaid amounts	\$	75,675	\$	53,517

Prepaid amounts include advances made to contractors and expenses related to future periods which are expensed when they are incurred.

8. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION ASSETS

The Company has the following interests in mineral properties as at December 31, 2022, and 2021:

Property acquisition costs	Ма	rch 31, 2022	Acq	uisition costs	De	cember 31, 2022
Alaska (USA)						
Unga project	\$	4,448,300	\$	120,105	\$	4,568,405
Sonora (Mexico)						
Heliodor projects		5,666,991		-		5,666,991
	\$	10,115,291	\$	120,105	\$	10,235,396
Property acquisition costs	Ма	rch 31, 2021	Acq	uisition costs		March 31, 2022
Alaska (USA)						
Unga project	\$	4,268,505	\$	179,795	\$	4,448,300
Sonora (Mexico)						
Halladan musta ska		5,522,135		144,856		5,666,991
Heliodor projects		3,322,133		111,000		0,000,001

8. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION ASSETS (Continued)

The Company incurred the following exploration expenditures during the nine months ended December 31, 2022, and 2021:

	Alaska	Mexico	Total
Exploration expenditures	Unga		
Assaying	\$ -	\$ 35,962	\$ 35,962
Camp	28,074	-	28,074
Consulting	191,737	-	191,737
Equipment rental	1,576	5,002	6,578
Fuel & transportation	50,258	582	50,840
Geological	1,449	186,482	187,931
Geophysical	78,656	12,643	91,299
Other	-	545	545
Permitting	1,998	6,341	8,339
Supplies and materials	343	658	1,001
Transportation and surface access	144,425	10,966	155,391
Travel and accommodation	28,680	10,733	39,413
Period ended December 31, 2022	\$ 527,196	\$ 269,914	\$ 797,110

	Alaska	N	Mexico	Total
Exploration expenditures	Unga			
Assaying	\$ 517,065	\$	73,923	\$ 590,988
Camp	472,496		8,658	481,154
Consulting	360,460		-	360,460
Drilling	1,524,565		4,818	1,529,383
Equipment rental	328,657		21,403	350,060
Fuel & transportation	118,770		63	118,833
Geological	1,238,444		510,719	1,749,163
Geophysical	91,458		-	91,458
Helicopter	920,113		-	920,113
Maps and reports	1,310		-	1,310
Other	484		-	484
Safety	14,150		-	14,150
Permitting	-		8,646	8,646
Supplies and materials	39,249		9,209	48,458
Technical report	5,042		-	5,042
Transportation and surface access	146,487		-	146,487
Travel and accommodation	200,618		36,375	236,993
Period ended December 31, 2021	\$ 5,979,368	\$	673,814	\$ 6,653,182

8. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION ASSETS (Continued)

(a) Unga Project, Alaska, USA

The Unga Project is comprised of patented and Alaska State claims and Alaskan Native Corporation lands. The Company owns 100% of the patented claims and the state claims in the Unga Project.

On July 1, 2019, (amended on August 29, 2019), the Company signed an exploration agreement with option to lease with The Aleut Corporation ("TAC") (the "Agreement"). The Agreement provides for an exploration license with a follow-on 20-year extendable mining lease on TAC's properties which form part of the Company's "Unga Project". The Agreement runs for a period of eight (8) years allowing the Company to conduct sub-surface work.

Pursuant to the Agreement, the Company is required to complete the following:

		Exploration Expenditure
	Cash _(a)	on the Property (b)
	(US\$)	(US\$)
On the execution		
date of the	\$75,000 ⁽ⁱ⁾	\$500,000 ⁽ⁱⁱ⁾
agreement		
January 1, 2020	75,000 ⁽ⁱ⁾	525,000 ⁽ⁱⁱ⁾
January 1, 2021	80,000 ⁽ⁱ⁾	525,000 ⁽ⁱⁱ⁾
January 1, 2022	85,000 ⁽ⁱ⁾	550,000 ⁽ⁱⁱ⁾
January 1, 2023	90,000 ⁽ⁱ⁾	600,000 ⁽ⁱⁱ⁾
January 1, 2024	95,000	700,000
January 1, 2025	100,000	750,000
January 1, 2026	110,000	850,000
	\$710,000	\$5,000,000

⁽a) The cash amount includes the option payments and the materials payments.

On October 8, 2019, the Company signed a surface access agreement with The Shumagin Corporation ("TSC"). The agreement provides access to the Company's mineral exploration license underlain by TSC's property which forms part of the Company's "Unga Project". Upon signing this agreement, the Company paid Shumagin a fee in the amount of US\$10,000. If the Company conducts drilling or bulk sampling, before commencing that activity the Company will pay an additional US\$22,500 (paid).

(b) Reclamation bond

The Company received the reclamation bond of US\$5,927 (\$7,407) (March 31, 2022 – US\$5,927 (\$7,407)) related to a property in Nevada that was sold to NV Gold. The Company returned the bond to Plateau Minerals Corp.

⁽b) The first year's period begins from July 1, 2019 until December 31, 2019. Subsequent years commence on January 1 of each year and finishes on December 31 of that year.

⁽i) Paid

⁽ii) Incurred

8. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION ASSETS (Continued)

(c) Heliodor projects, Sonora, Mexico

As part of the acquisition of Heliodor Metals Limited ("Heliodor"), the Company acquired the following Heliodor projects located in the northern portion of Mexico's Sonora state:

(i) The Oso Negro project

The Company has an option to acquire 100% interest in this property by making the following payments: US\$25,000 on signing (paid); US\$50,000 after 6 months (paid); and US\$100,000 after 18 months (December 15, 2021). The December 15, 2021, payment was re-negotiated and settled for US\$75,000 (paid) on September 13, 2021, as the final payment to acquire the property. The project is subject to a 1% net smelter royalty that the Company can buy for US\$500,000.

(ii) The La Lola project

The Company has an option to acquire 100% interest in this property by making the following payments: US\$12,500 on signing (paid); US\$25,000 by March 25, 2021 (paid); and US\$25,000 by March 25, 2022 (paid). The project is subject to a 2% net smelter royalty that the Company can buy 1% of such for US\$1,750,000.

(iii) The Cumaro project

The Company has a 100% interest in this property. The project is subject to a 2% net smelter royalty that the Company can buy 1% of such for US\$1,000,000.

9. EQUIPMENT

	Equ	uipment	\	/ehicles	Total
Cost					
Balance - March 31, 2021 Additions	\$	4,200 -	\$	199,997 -	\$ 204,197
Balance - March 31, 2022 Additions	\$	4,200 -	\$	199,997 -	\$ 204,197 -
Balance - December 31, 2022	\$	4,200	\$	199,997	\$ 204,197
Accumulated depreciation					
Balance - March 31, 2021	\$	2,639	\$	52,623	\$ 55,262
Depreciation		1,561		51,237	52,798
Balance - March 31, 2022	\$	4,200	\$	103,860	\$ 108,060
Depreciation		_		21,631	21,631
Balance - December 31, 2022	\$	4,200	\$	125,491	\$ 129,691
Carrying amounts					
As at March 31, 2022	\$	-	\$	96,137	\$ 96,137
Balance - December 31, 2022	\$		\$	74,506	\$ 74,506

10.CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

The Company's capital consists of shareholders' equity. The Company's objective when managing capital is to maintain adequate levels of funding to support the development of its businesses and maintain the necessary corporate and administrative functions to facilitate these activities. This is done primarily through equity financing, selling assets, and incurring debt. Future financings are dependent on market conditions and there can be no assurance the Company will be able to raise funds in the future. The Company invests all capital that is surplus to its immediate operational needs in short-term, highly liquid, high-grade financial instruments. There were no changes to the Company's approach to capital management during the period ended December 31, 2022. The Company is not subject to externally imposed capital requirements.

11. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Key management consists of the Company's directors and officers. In addition to management and consulting fees paid to these individuals, or companies controlled by these individuals, the Company provides non-cash benefits. The aggregate value of compensation with key management for the period ended December 31, 2022, was \$527,307 (December 31, 2021 - \$466,829) and comprised of the following:

		Three months ended					Nine months ended			
	De	cember 31, 2022	De	ecember 31, 2021	De	cember 31, 2022	De	cember 31, 2021		
Senior executive fees	\$	74,915	\$	104,250	\$	283,415	\$	312,750		
Non-executive directors fees		14,750		17,751		58,875		57,188		
Share-based compensation		33,790		881,227		185,017		961,816		
	\$	123,455	\$	1,003,228	\$	527,307	\$	1,331,754		

Other balances due to related parties include the following:

(a) Due to related parties

As of December 31, 2022, \$50,475 (March 31, 2022 - \$61,854) was payable to the management of the Company as part of their management fees.

The above transactions are measured at their exchange amount, which is the amount of consideration established and agreed to by the related parties. Amounts due to related parties are unsecured, non-interest bearing and have no fixed term of repayment.

12. SHARE CAPITAL

(a) Authorized:

At December 31, 2022, and 2021, the authorized share capital was comprised of an unlimited number of common shares. The common shares do not have a par value. All issued shares are fully paid.

(b) Share issuances:

On August 2, 2022, the Company closed a non-brokered private placement where it issued 12,020,000 units at \$0.25 per unit for gross proceeds of \$3,005,000. \$2,764,600 was assigned to share capital at \$0.23 per share and the residual value of the proceeds of \$240,400 was allocated to the warrants at \$0.02 per warrant.

Each unit consists of one common share and one common share purchase warrant ("Warrant'). Each Warrant is exercisable for one common share at an exercise price of \$0.50 for a period of 6 months following the closing date (the "Transition Date"). On the Transition Date, each outstanding Warrant shall automatically (without any need for notice or action) convert into a half-warrant (each, a "Half-Warrant") and thereafter the holder will only be entitled to purchase one Common Share upon the exercise of two Half-Warrants at an aggregate exercise price of \$0.75 per Common Share. The Half-Warrants will expire eighteen months after the Transition Date. The residual value of the proceeds allocated to the warrants is \$240,400.

In connection with the financing, the Company paid \$14,700 cash broker fees and issued 58,800 broker warrants ("Broker Warrants"). Each Broker Warrant is exercisable into one Share at an exercise price of \$0.50 per Common Share until the Transition Date. On the Transition Date, each outstanding Warrant shall automatically (without any need for notice or action) convert into a Half-Warrant and thereafter the holder will only be entitled to purchase one Common Share upon the exercise of two Half-Warrants at an aggregate exercise price of \$0.75 per Common Share. The Half-Warrants will expire eighteen months after the Transition Date. The Broker Warrants have a fair value of \$5,078 using the Black-Scholes Option Pricing Model. The Company also incurred an additional \$32,898 in share issue costs.

For the year ended March 31, 2022:

On October 18, 2021, the Company completed the first tranche of a private placement where it issued 1,857,465 units at \$0.70 per unit for gross proceeds of \$1,300,226.

Each unit consists of one common share and one half of one common share purchase warrant ("Warrant'). Each Warrant is exercisable for one common share at an exercise price of \$1.20 for a period of 24 months following the closing date.

In connection with the first tranche of the financing, the Company paid \$40,677 cash broker fees and issued 58,107 broker warrants, each of which is exercisable into one common share at a price of \$1.20 for a period of 24 months following the closing date. The finder's warrants have a fair value of \$19,831 using the Black-Scholes Option Pricing Model.

On November 5, 2021, the Company completed final tranche of the private placement where it issued 3,876,607 units at \$0.70 per unit for gross proceeds of \$2,713,625.

Each unit consists of one common share and one half of one common share purchase warrant ("Warrant'). Each Warrant is exercisable for one common share at an exercise price of \$1.20 for a period of 24 months following the closing date.

In connection with the final tranche of the financing, the Company paid \$139,388 cash broker fees and issued 199,124 broker warrants, each of which is exercisable into one common share at a price of \$1.20 for a period of 24 months following the closing date. The finder's warrants have a fair value of \$74,759 using the Black-Scholes Option Pricing Model.

The Company also incurred an additional \$73,107 share issue costs for both tranches for the financing.

For the year ended March 31, 2022 (continued):

On May 5, 2021, the Company closed a brokered private placement where it issued 5,348,616 units at \$1.05 per unit for gross proceeds of \$5,616,047.

Each unit consists of one common share and one half of one common share purchase warrant ("Warrant'). Each Warrant is exercisable for one common share at an exercise price of \$1.70 for a period of 12 months following the closing date.

In connection with the financing, the Company paid \$307,150 cash broker fees and issued 310,921 broker warrants, each of which is exercisable into one common share at a price of \$1.05 until May 5, 2022. The finder's warrants have a fair value of \$145,181 using the Black-Scholes Option Pricing Model. The Company also incurred an additional \$193,471 share issue costs.

During the year ended March 31, 2022, 138,333 options were exercised for gross proceeds of \$103,750. In connection with the exercise, the grant date fair value of \$43,990 was transferred from reserves to share capital.

(c) Share Purchase Option Compensation Plan:

The Company has established a stock option plan whereby the Company may grant options to directors, officers, employees, and consultants of up to 10% of the common shares outstanding at the time of grant. Exercise prices on options granted under the plan cannot be lower than the market price of one share on the last trading day immediately preceding the day on which the option is granted, less the maximum applicable discount permitted by TSX Venture Exchange, and the term cannot exceed 10 years. The vesting period of each option are determined by the board of directors within regulatory guidelines.

Stock option transactions and the number of stock options for the period ended December 31, 2022, and 2021 is summarized as follows:

Expiry date	Exerc	ise price	March 31, 2022	Granted	Exercised	Expired / Cancelled	December 31, 2022
April 11, 2022	\$	2.10	136,667	-	-	(136,667)	-
March 15, 2024	\$	0.75	96,667	-	-	-	96,667
October 29, 2024	\$	0.75	454,667	-	-	-	454,667
September 4, 2025	\$	1.73	1,382,000	-	-	-	1,382,000
January 15, 2026	\$	1.44	125,000	-	-	-	125,000
July 29, 2026	\$	1.00	220,000	-	-	-	220,000
August 11, 2026	\$	1.00	15,000	-	-	-	15,000
December 6, 2026	\$	0.72	1,250,000	-	-	(53,332)	1,196,668
Options outstanding			3,680,001	-	-	(189,999)	3,490,002
Options exercisable			2,971,113	-	-	-	2,971,113
Weighted average exercise price			\$ 1.20	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1.71	\$ 1.17

Expiry date	Exer	cise price	Ма	rch 31, 2021	(Granted	Е	xercised	xpired / incelled	March 31, 2022
December 20, 2021	\$	2.40		33,333		-		-	(33,333)	-
April 11, 2022	\$	2.10		136,667		-		-	-	136,667
March 15, 2024	\$	0.75		161,667		-		(65,000)	-	96,667
October 29, 2024	\$	0.75		528,000		-		(73, 333)	-	454,667
September 4, 2025	\$	1.73		1,382,000		-		-	-	1,382,000
January 15, 2026	\$	1.44		125,000		-		-	-	125,000
July 29, 2026	\$	1.00		-		220,000		-	-	220,000
August 11, 2026	\$	1.00		-		15,000		-	-	15,000
December 6, 2026	\$	0.72		-		1,250,000		-	-	1,250,000
Options outstanding				2,366,667		1,485,000		(138,333)	(33,333)	3,680,001
Options exercisable				1,362,000		-		-	-	2,187,668
Weighted average exercise price			\$	1.46	\$	0.76	\$	0.75	\$ 2.40	\$ 1.20

(c) Share Purchase Option Compensation Plan (Continued)

As of December 31, 2022, the weighted average contractual remaining life is 3.03 years (March 31, 2022 - 3.66 years).

As at December 31, 2022, the Company recognized \$421,047 (March 31, 2022 - \$1,063,406) in share-based payments expense for the fair value of stock options granted and vested.

(d) Warrants

A continuity of warrants for the period ended December 31, 2022, is as follows:

	Ex	ercise					
Expiry date price		March 31, 2022	Issue d	Exercised	Expired	December 31, 2022	
August 21, 2022	\$	1.50	263,333	-	-	(263,333)	-
May 5, 2022	\$	1.70	2,674,308	-	-	(2,674,308)	-
May 5, 2022	\$	1.05	310,921	-	-	(310,921)	-
October 18, 2023	\$	1.20	928,732	-	-	-	928,732
October 18, 2023	\$	1.20	58,107	-	-	-	58,107
November 5, 2023	\$	1.20	1,938,303	-	-		1,938,303
November 5, 2023	\$	1.20	199,124	-	-	-	199,124
August 2, 2024	\$	0.50	-	12,020,000	-	-	12,020,000
August 2, 2024	\$	0.50	-	58,800	-	-	58,800
Outstanding			6,372,828	12,078,800	-	(3,248,562)	15,203,066
Weighted average exerc	ise p	rice	\$ 1.41	\$ 0.50	\$ -	\$ 1.62	\$ 0.64

Expiry date		ercise rice	March 31, 2021	Issued	Exercised	Expired	March 31, 2022
August 21, 2022	\$	1.50	263,333	-	-	-	263,333
May 5, 2022	\$	1.70	-	2,674,308	-	-	2,674,308
May 5, 2022	\$	1.05	-	310,921	-	-	310,921
October 18, 2023	\$	1.20	-	928,732	-	-	928,732
October 18, 2023	\$	1.20	-	58,107	-	-	58,107
November 5, 2023	\$	1.20	-	1,938,303	-	-	1,938,303
November 5, 2023	\$	1.20	-	199,124	-	-	199,124
Outstanding			263,333	6,109,495	-	-	6,372,828
Weighted average exerc	ise p	rice	\$ 1.50	\$ 1.41	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 1.41

The weighted average remaining life of the outstanding warrants as at December 31, 2022, is 1.47 years (March 31, 2022 - 0.84 years) (see Note 15).

(e) Warrants (Continued)

The fair value of the finder's warrants issued during the period ended December 31, 2022, was \$5,078 (March 31, 2022: \$239,771). The following table summarizing the assumptions used in the Black-Scholes Option Pricing Model to estimate the fair value of the finder's warrants:

	December 31, 2022	March 31, 2022
Risk-free interest rate	3.18%	0.57%
Expected stock price volatility	100.00%	100.00%
Expected warrant life in years	2 years	1.45 years
Fair value	\$0.09	\$0.42
Expected dividend yield	Nil	Nil
Share price on grant date	\$0.23	\$1.00

13. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS AND RISK MANAGEMENT

a) Financial instrument classification and measurement

Financial instruments of the Company carried on the condensed interim consolidated statements of financial position are carried at amortized cost with the exception of marketable securities and short-term investments which are carried at fair value.

The fair value of the Company's marketable securities is quoted in active markets. The Company classifies the fair value of these transactions according to the following hierarchy.

- Level 1 quoted prices in active markets for identical financial instruments.
- Level 2 quoted prices for similar instruments in active markets; quoted prices for identical or similar instruments in markets that are not active; and model-derived valuations in which all significant inputs and significant value drivers are observable in active markets.
- Level 3 valuations derived from valuation techniques in which one or more significant inputs or significant value drivers are unobservable.

The Company's marketable securities and short-term investments have been assessed on the fair value hierarchy described above and classified as Level 1.

b) Fair values of financial assets and liabilities

The Company's financial instruments include cash, short-term investments, marketable securities, amounts receivable, accounts payable and accrued liabilities, and due to related parties. Marketable securities are marked to fair value at each financial statement reporting date. Cash, amounts receivable, due from related parties, accounts payable and accrued liabilities, and due to related parties approximate their fair value due to their short-term nature.

13. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS AND RISK MANAGEMENT (continued)

c) Market risk

Market risk is the risk that changes in market prices will affect the Company's earnings or the value of its financial instruments. Market risk is comprised of commodity price risk and interest rate risk. The objective of market risk management is to manage and control exposures within acceptable limits, while maximizing returns. The Company is not exposed to significant market risk.

d) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that one party to a financial instrument will fail to discharge an obligation and cause the other party to incur a financial loss. The Company's primary exposure to credit risk is on its bank accounts. The Company's bank accounts are held with major banks in Canada, the United States and Mexico; accordingly, the Company believes it not exposed to significant credit risk.

e) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk of losses that arise as a result of changes in contracted interest rates. The Company is not exposed to significant interest rate risk.

f) Currency risk

The Company's main property interests in Alaska, USA and Sonora, Mexico make it subject to foreign currency fluctuations which may adversely affect the Company's consolidated statements of financial position, consolidated statements of loss and comprehensive loss and consolidated statements of cash flows. The Company is affected by changes in exchange rates between the Canadian Dollar and the US Dollar and the Mexico pesos. The Company does not invest in foreign currency contracts to mitigate the risks. The Company has net monetary liabilities of approximately \$217,263 denominated in US dollars and net monetary assets of 216,607 denominated in Mexican pesos. A 1% change in the absolute rate of exchange in US dollars or Mexican pesos would have an immaterial affect to the net loss.

g) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will not be able to meet its financial obligations as they come due. The Company controls liquidity risk by ensuring that it has sufficient cash resources to pay for its financial obligations. As at December 31, 2022, the Company had a cash balance of \$857,996 (March 31, 2022: \$1,183,046) and accounts payable and accrued liabilities of \$972,333 (March 31, 2022: \$1,817,422) with contractual maturities of less than one year. The Company does not have sufficient cash to meet its current liabilities but can continue to raise funds through private placements. The management assessed the liquidity risk as high.

14.SEGMENTED DISCLOSURE

The Company has one reportable segment being the exploration and evaluation of mineral properties. The company's assets and liabilities are held within Canada. Mexico and the US as follows:

Rounded to 000's	Canada	United States	Mexico	Total
December 31, 2022				
Non-current assets				
Long-term prepaid amounts	\$ 28,000 \$	- \$	48,000	76,000
Exploration and evaluation assets	-	4,568,000	5,667,000	10,235,000
Equipment	-	75,000	-	75,000
Current liabilities	\$ 163,000 \$	847,000 \$	4,000 \$	1,014,000
March 31, 2022				
Non-current assets				
Reclamation bond	\$ - \$	7,000 \$	- \$	7,000
Exploration and evaluation assets	-	4,448,000	5,667,000	10,115,000
Equipment	-	96,000	-	96,000
Current liabilities	\$ 169,000 \$	1,039,000 \$	672,000 \$	1,880,000

Rounded to 000's	Canada	United States	Mexico	Total
Period ended December 31, 2022				
Exploration and evaluation	\$ - \$	527,000	\$ 270,000 \$	797,000
General and administrative	1,585,000	181,000	72,000	1,838,000
Other (income) / expense	(42,000)	(61,000)	(36,000)	(139,000)
Net loss before taxes for the period	1,543,000	647,000	306,000	2,496,000
Net loss for the period	1,543,000	647,000	306,000	2,496,000
Period ended December 31, 2021				
Exploration and evaluation	\$ 5,000 \$	5,974,000	\$ 674,000 \$	6,653,000
General and administrative	2,287,000	112,000	55,000	2,454,000
Other (income) /expense	(160,000)	100,000	58,000	(2,000)
Net loss before taxes for the period	2,132,000	6,186,000	787,000	9,105,000
Net loss for the period	2,132,000	6,186,000	787,000	9,105,000
Comprehensive loss for the period	\$ 44,000 \$	- 1	\$ - \$	44,000

15.SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Financing

The Company announced a non-brokered private placement of up to 74,000,000 units of the Company at a price of C\$0.22 per Unit for gross aggregate proceeds of up to approximately C\$16,280,000 (US\$12,500,000).

Each Unit will consist of one common share in the capital of the Company and one-half of one non-transferable Common Share purchase warrant. Each Warrant shall entitle the holder thereof to purchase one additional Common Share at an exercise price of C\$0.30 per Warrant Share for a period of thirty-six months following the date of issuance.

The Company intends to use the net proceeds from the Offering to acquire and advance the Ana Paula gold project as well as for working capital and general corporate purposes (see Note 4).

Warrants

Subsequently to the quarter, on February 2, 2023 (the Transition Date, six months following the closing date of August 2, 2022), 12,020,000 and 58,800 warrants issued on August 2, 2022, automatically convert into a half-warrant and the holder will only be entitled to purchase one Common Share upon the exercise of two Half Warrants at an aggregate exercise price of \$0.75 per Common Share.