# TONOGOLD RESOURCES, INC.

# FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the Three months ended March 31st, 2019 and 2018

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# **Tonogold Resources Inc**

## **Condensed Balance Sheet**

Unaudited

As at  ASSETS  Cash Prepaid expenses Total Current Assets		1-Mar-2019	3	1-Dec-2018
Cash Prepaid expenses	Ф			
Prepaid expenses	ф			
	\$	25,550	\$	294,793
	\$	4,884	\$	2,790
	\$	30,434	\$	297,583
Fixed Assets				·
Property, plant and equipment, net	\$	-	\$	_
Other Assets				
Investment in Mil-ler Resources and Energy SA CV	\$	1	\$	1
Investment in Persistence Mining	\$	5,000	\$	5,000
Investment in Comstock JV	\$	5,990,407	\$	3,866,417
Total Assets	\$	6,025,841	\$	4,169,001
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' (	DFI	FICIT) Curre	nt I	iahilities
	DLI		116 1	nabilities
Accounts payable	\$	8,550	\$	8,100
Share subscription account - Note 14e	\$	-	\$	33,750
Accruals other	\$	130,500	\$	156,500
Accrued payroll	\$	1,217,200	\$	1,162,690
Accrued interest - Note 8d (iii)	\$	156,184	\$	77,941
Loans from Directors	\$	-	\$	2,000
Accrued payroll taxes	\$	223,690	\$	237,057
Convertible loans payable - Note 8d (ii)	\$	3,227,977	\$	1,571,250
Total Current Liabilities	\$	4,964,101	\$	3,249,288
Stockholders' Deficit				
Preferred stock, 40,000,000 authorized: None issued at				
March 31st, 2019 and December 31, 2018			\$	-
Common stock \$0.001 par value: 700.000 000 shares				
Common stock, \$0.001 par value: 700,000,000 shares	\$	201 376	\$	191 255
authorized, 201,376,031 shares issued and outstanding at March 31st, 2019 and 191,254,811 at December 31, 2018	Ψ	201,376	Ψ	191,255
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Additional paid-in capital	\$	26,322,848	\$	25,712,196
Deficit accumulated			\$	-
	\$	(25,462,484)	\$	(24,983,738)
<u> </u>	\$	1,061,740	\$	919,713
Total Stockholders' Deficit				

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these unaudited financial statements

# Tonogold Resources Inc Statement of Operations

(Unaudited)

	Three months ending									
		March 31st		March 31st						
		2019		2018						
Net Revenues	\$	-	\$	-						
Cost of Revenue	\$	-	\$	-						
Gross Profit/(Loss)	\$	-	\$	-						
Operating Expenses										
Mineral Property Costs			\$	-						
General and Administration	\$	400,503	\$	284,703						
Total Operating Expenses	\$	400,503	\$	284,703						
Profit/(loss from Operations	\$	(400,503)	\$	(284,703)						
Interest expense - Note 8d (iii)	\$	78,243	\$	48,500						
Exploration costs written (Durango) see Note 5	\$ \$ <b>\$</b>	-	\$	-						
Profit/(Loss) before Provision for income taxes	\$	(478,746)	\$	(333,203)						
Provision for Income Taxes	\$	-	\$	-						
NET GAIN/(LOSS)	\$	(478,746)	\$	(333,203)						
Net loss per share - on issue	\$ \$	(0.00)	\$	(0.00)						
Net loss per share - fully diluted	\$	(0.00)	\$	(0.00)						
Weighted number of shares on issue		196,315,421		163,681,605						
Weighted number of shares fully diluted		196,502,921		165,456,605						

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# **Tonogold Resources Inc**

## Statement of Cash flows

(Unaudited)

		\$ - \$ - <b>\$ 78,243 \$ 48,500</b> \$ 1,450							
	9	31-Mar-19	3	1-Mar-18					
Cash Flows from Operating Activities									
Net gain or (loss)	\$	(478,746)	\$	(333,203)					
Adjustment to reconcile net loss to net cash provided by									
operations:									
Depreciation	\$	-	\$	-					
Interest on Convertible Loan Notes	\$	78,243	\$	48,500					
Provisions Changes in operating working capital:									
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable	\$	450	\$	1,450					
Increase (decrease) in share subscription	\$	-	\$	-					
Increase (decrease) in accrued expenses	\$	(26,000)	\$	(60,500)					
Increase (decrease) in loans from directors	\$	(2,000)	\$	-					
Increase (decrease) payroll taxes	\$	(13,367)	\$	16,190					
Increase (decrease) accrued payroll liabilities	\$	54,510	\$	27,167					
(Increase) decrease in pre-paid expenses	\$	(2,094)	\$	(17,684)					
Net change in operating working captital	\$	11,500	\$	(33,377)					
Net Cash Provided/(Used) in Operations Cash Flows From									
Investing Activities	\$	(389,003)	\$	(318,080)					
		(		(					
Investment in Comstock JV		(2,123,990)		(101,967)					
Investment in Durango project	\$	-	\$	(109,965)					
Net Cash Provided by (Used in) Investments Activities	\$	(2,123,990)	\$	(211,932)					
Cash Flows from Financing Activities									
Share Issue - <i>Note 9</i>	\$	587,023	\$	569,000					
Convertible loans - <i>Note 8d (ii)</i>	\$	1,656,727	\$	-					
Net Cash Provided by Financing Activities	\$	2,243,750	\$	569,000					
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Net (Decrease) Increase in Cash	\$	(269,243)	\$	38,987					
Cash - Beginning of Period	\$	294,793	\$	823,979					
Cash - Ending of Period	\$	25,550	\$	862,966					

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## Tonogold Resources, Inc.

## Condensed Statement of Stockholders' (Deficit)

(Unaudited)

	COMMON	SH	ARES	ADDITIONAL			SUBSCRIBED		INCOME /		SHAREHOLDERS	
	Shares	hares Par Value			PAID-IN	STOCK		(DEFICIT)		ACCUMULATED		
		_	(\$0.001)		CAPITAL	٠.				١.	(DEFICIT)	
Balance December 31st, 2014	19,181,665	\$	19,182	\$	14,028,442	\$		\$ (:	15,066,592)		(1,018,968	
Shares issued to Mil-Ler						\$	5,410,000			\$	5,410,000	
Net Loss for the quarter				<u> </u>		١.			(6,523,180)			
Balance December 31st, 2015	19,181,665	\$	19,182	\$	14,028,442	\$	5,410,000		21,589,772)	1	(2,132,148	
Net Loss for the quarter				_		<u> </u>		\$	(659,470)	+-	(659,470	
Balance September 30th, 2016	19,181,665	\$	19,182	\$	14,028,442	1	5,410,000	\$ (2	22,249,242)	1 -	(2,791,618	
Shares issued for CLN1						1 '	1,206,234			\$	1,206,234	
Shares issued for Directors Salary						\$	456,120			\$	456,120	
Net Profit for the quarter								\$	388,591	\$	388,591	
Balance December 31st, 2016	19,181,665	\$	19,182	\$	14,028,442	\$	7,072,355	\$ (2	21,860,651)	\$	(740,672	
Net Loss for the quarter								\$	(181,982)	_	(181,982	
Balance March 31st, 2017	19,181,665	\$	19,182	\$	14,028,442	\$	7,072,355	\$ (2	22,042,633)	\$	(922,654	
Net Loss for the quarter								\$	(194,518)	\$	(194,518	
Balance June 30th, 2017	19,181,665	\$	19,182	\$	14,028,442	\$	7,072,355	\$ (2	22,237,151)	\$	(1,117,172	
Adjustment interest on CLN						\$	5,766			\$	5,766	
Adjustment Directors accrued pay - Note 9						\$	(116,120)			\$	(116,120	
Net Loss for the quarter								\$	(313,817)	\$	(313,817	
Balance September 30th, 2017	19,181,665	\$	19,182	\$	14,028,442	\$	6,962,000	\$ (2	22,550,968)	\$	(1,541,343	
Share Issue - Note 7a	85,139,994	\$	85,140	\$	6,876,860	\$	(6,962,000)			\$	-	
Share Issue (CLN2 conversion)	455,387	\$	455	\$	22,314					\$	22,769	
Net Loss for the quarter								\$	(399,611)	\$	(399,611	
Balance December 31st, 2017	104,777,046	\$	104,777	\$	20,927,616	\$	0	\$ (2	22,950,579)	\$	(1,918,185	
Warrants exercised (shares not yet issued)						\$	569,000			\$	569,000	
Net Loss for the quarter								\$	(333,203)	\$	(333,203	
Balance March 31st, 2018	104,777,046	\$	104,777	\$	20,927,616	\$	569,000	\$ (2	23,283,782)	\$	(1,682,388	
Share Issue (exercise of warrants)	18,682,244	\$	4,740	\$	1,491,243	\$	(545,250)			\$	950,733	
Net Loss for the quarter								\$	(405,234)	\$	(405,234	
Balance June 30th 2018	123,459,290	\$	109,517	\$	22,418,859	\$	23,750	\$ (2	23,689,016)	\$	(1,136,889	
Correction to September 30th 2018		\$	13,942	\$	(13,942)			_		\$	-	
Share Issue (exercise of warrants)	6,886,668	\$	6,887	\$	409,235	\$	144,250			\$	560,372	
Net Loss for the quarter	5,762,441	\$	5,762	\$						\$	233,000	
Net Loss	, ,	ľ	•	ľ	,			\$	(466,757)	\$	(466,757	
Balance September 30th 2018	136,108,399	\$	136,108	\$	23,041,390	\$	168,000		24,155,773)	_	(810,274	
Share Issue (exercise of warrants) - Note 8d (v)	10,446,352	1	10,446	\$			(134,250)	7 (	_ ,,	Ś	356,714	
Share Issue (Conversion of Loan Note) - <i>Note 8b</i> and 8d (i)	44,700,060	\$	44,700	\$	•		, - ,,			\$	2,234,988	
Net Loss for the quarter	,, .	7	,. 30	Ĭ ,	-,,			\$	(827,967)	\$	(827,967	
Balance December 31th 2018	191,254,811	\$	191,254	\$	25,712,196	\$	33,750		24,983,740)	·	953,461	
Share Issue (exercise of warrants) - Note 8d (v)	10,121,220		10,121.83	\$		\$	•	714	,555,740)	Ś	587,024	
Net Loss for the quarter	10,121,220	\$		٦,	010,032		(33,730)	Ś	(478,746)	T .	(478,746	
Balance March 31st 2019	201,376,031	\$	201,376	ė	26,322,848	\$	0		(478,746 <u>)</u> 25,462,485)	\$	1,061,739	

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# **Tonogold Resources, Inc.**

## **Footnotes to Financial Statements**

For the Three months Ended March 31, 2019 and 2018 (Unaudited)

#### Note 1. The Company

Tonogold Resources, Inc., a Delaware corporation, is a result of the Acquisition of Point Loma Partners, Inc. "PLP" by Gamesboro Com, Inc. "GB" (formerly Alliance Trophy Club, Inc.) as of May 1, 2002. The Company changed its name to Tonogold Resources, Inc. in 2004.

The Company maintains mining leases on properties in Nevada and Mexico.

#### Note. 2. Significant Accounting Policies

#### **Basis of Presentation**

The accompanying financial statements of Tonogold Resources, Inc. (or the "Company") for the Three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018 are unaudited and, in the opinion of management, contain all adjustments that are of a normal and recurring nature necessary to present fairly the financial position and results of operations for such periods. These financial statements have been prepared by the Company pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC").

#### Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Company considers all highly liquid investments with an original maturity of Twelve months or less as cash equivalents.

#### **Financial Instruments**

The carrying value of the Company's financial instruments, including cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, accounts payable, and due to related parties, as reported in the accompanying balance sheets, approximates fair value due to the short term nature of these financial instruments.

#### **Property and Equipment**

Property and equipment are stated at cost and depreciated on the straight-line method over the

estimated life of the asset, which is Nine to ten years.

#### **Mining Property costs**

The Company incurs costs on activities that relate to the securing and maintaining of mining leases. All costs related to mining properties are expensed.

#### **Long-Lived Assets**

In accordance with ASC 350, the Company regularly reviews the carrying value of intangible and other long-lived assets for the existence of facts or circumstances, both internally and externally, that may suggest impairment. If impairment testing indicates a lack of recoverability, an impairment loss is recognized by the Company if the carrying amount of a long-lived asset exceeds its fair value.

#### **Income Taxes**

The Company accounts for income taxes under FASB Codification Topic 740-10-25 ("ASC 740-10-25") Income Taxes. Under ASC 740-10-25, deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized for the future tax consequences attributable to differences between the financial statement carrying amounts of existing assets and liabilities and their respective tax bases. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured using enacted tax rates expected to apply to taxable income in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. Under ASC 740-10-25, the effect on deferred tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates is recognized in income in the period that includes the enactment date.

The Company pays certain state minimum taxes that it does not classily as income taxes.

#### **Revenue Recognition**

The Company recognizes revenue from the sale of leases at the time the lease is sold and income from consulting agreements as earned. Royalty income is recognized as received. For lease of mining properties acquired prior to the above policy the Company still expenses costs associated with continuing those leases.

#### **Advertising Costs**

The Company's policy regarding advertising is to expense advertising when incurred. The Company incurred advertising expense of \$0 during the three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018.

#### **Stock-Based Compensation**

In December 2004, the FASB issued FASB Accounting Standards Codification No. 718, *Compensation – Stock Compensation*. Under FASB Accounting Standards Codification No. 718, companies are required to measure the compensation costs of share-based compensation arrangements based on the grant-date fair value and recognize the costs in the financial statements over the period during which employees are required to provide services. Share-based compensation arrangements include stock options, restricted share plans, performance-based awards, share appreciation rights and employee share purchase plans. As such, compensation cost is measured on the date of grant at their fair value. Such compensation amounts, if any, are amortized over the respective vesting periods of the option grant. The Company applies this statement prospectively.

Equity instruments ("instruments") issued to other than employees are recorded on the basis of the fair value of the instruments, as required by FASB Accounting Standards Codification No. 718. FASB Accounting Standards Codification No. 505, Equity Based Payments to Non-Employees defines the measurement date and recognition period for such instruments. In general, the measurement date is when either a (a) performance commitment, as defined, is reached or (b) the earlier of (i) the non-employee performance is complete or (ii) the instruments are vested. The measured value related to the instruments is recognized over a period based on the facts and circumstances of each particular grant as defined in the FASB Accounting Standards Codification.

#### Basic and Diluted Net Loss per Common Share

Net Loss per Common Share is computed pursuant to FASB Accounting Standards Codification No. 260, *Earnings per Share*. Basic net loss per share is computed by dividing net loss by the weighted average number of shares of common stock outstanding during the period. Diluted net loss per share is computed in the same way as for Basic net loss.

#### Reclassifications

Certain amounts previously presented for prior year have been reclassified. The reclassifications had no effect on net loss, total assets, or stockholders' deficit.

#### **Recent Accounting Pronouncements**

The Company has reviewed all recently issued, but not yet effective, accounting pronouncements and does not believe the future adoption of any such pronouncements may be expected to cause a material impact on its financial condition or the results of its operations.

#### Note 3. Going Concern

The financial statements have been prepared assuming that the Company will continue as a going concern. The Company incurred a net loss of \$0.5 million during the three months ended March 31, 2019. This raises substantial doubt about its ability to continue as a going concern. The ability of the Company to continue as a going concern is dependent on the Company's ability to raise additional capital and to successfully implement its business plan and achieve profitability

Management believes that the actions presently being taken and the success of future operations will be sufficient to enable the Company to continue as a going concern.

However, there can be no assurance that the raising of equity will be successful or that the Company will be able to achieve profitability. Failure to achieve the needed equity funding or establish profitable operations would have a material adverse effect on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. The financial statements do not include any adjustments that might result from the outcome of this uncertainty.

Note 4. Income taxes

The components of the deferred tax asset are as follows:

As at	ı	March 31st 2019	Dec 31st 2018
Net Operating Losses carry Forward	\$	(6,468,988)	\$ (6,272,703)
Valuation allowance	\$	(6,468,988)	\$ (6,272,703)
Deffered tax Asset	\$	-	\$ -

The Company had available approximately \$15.8 million at March 31, 2019 and \$15.3 million at December 31, 2018 of unused Federal and California net operating loss carry-forwards that may be applied against future taxable income. These net operating loss carry-forwards expire through 2035 and 2025 for Federal and State purposes, respectively. There is no assurance that the Company will realize the benefit of the net operating loss carry-forwards.

SFAS No. 109 requires a valuation allowance to be recorded when it is more likely than not that some or all of the deferred tax assets will not be realized.

Reconciliation of the differences between the statutory tax rate and the effective income tax rate is as follows at March 31, 2019 and March 31, 2018, respectively:

Statutory Rate	35%
Net operating loss carry forward	41%
State taxes, net of Federal Tax	6%
Effective tax rate	0%

#### Note 5. Project investments

During the year ended December 31, 2013 the Company sold Arizona project and Coors project for \$20,000 and a 3% royalty capped at \$50,000. The total invested on the date of sale was \$33,638 in Arizona project and \$23,940 in Coors project, a total of \$57,578. Any royalties received will be recognized as income when received.

During the December 2018 quarter, the Company decided to withdraw from the Durango option in Mexico in order to focus resources on Comstock, Nevada. As a result, all costs previously capitalized were written off during the that quarter, representing a one-off charge to earnings of \$357,297.

#### **Note 6. Mineral Properties**

Currently the Company holds mineral properties in Virginia City, Nevada (Comstock) and Sonora, Mexico.

#### a) Mexico – Mil-Ler

On September 26, 2014 the Company acquired 100% of Mil-Ler Resources and Energy SA ("MIL-LER"), a Mexican registered entity in an all share transaction where 5.4 million shares<sup>1</sup> required to be issued pursuant to this transaction, were issued in October 2017.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The number of shares originally issued being 54.1 were subsequently reduced to 5.4 million following a 1 for 10 reverse share split.

MIL-LER owns mineral rights over approximately 18 square miles 40 kilometers north of Hermosillo (the capital of Sonora), Mexico. Exploration drilling over a small area of the total claims during 2011 confirmed the presence of iron ore mineralization. MIL-LER commenced a small scale operation in January 2013 and mines ore (both hematite and magnetite) which was beneficiated via a simple two stage crushing and dry magnetic separation process producing approximately 15,000 tonnes of iron ore product which is transported by road to main port at Guaymas (180 kilometers from site) where the product is shipped and sold to China under an off-take agreement. Operations ceased at the end of 2014 when the iron ore price fell. The project remains on care-and-maintenance.

As a result of the fall in the price of iron ore and the subsequent cessation of operations, the Company decided to write down its investment in Mil-ler to \$1 at December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2015

#### b) Mexico - Duranga

On January 16<sup>th,</sup> 2018, the Company announced that it has entered into a binding agreement with a private Mexican entity which provides Tonogold an exclusive right (but not obligation) to acquire 100% interest in the Claudia, Promontorio and Montoros gold/silver properties located in Durango, Mexico (the "**Projects**") for total consideration of \$7.3 million in cash. Tonogold paid \$100,000 on signing the agreement in January, which provided Tonogold with a 12-month option. Tonogold elected not to exercise the Option and therefore withdrew from this arrangement during the December 2018 quarter.

#### c) Nevada - Comstock Mining (joint venture)

i. On October 5<sup>th,</sup> 2017, the Company announced that it had secured an Option Agreement with Comstock Mining Inc. which amongst other things, provided Tonogold an exclusive right to earn a 51% controlling interest in 1,162 acres of mining claims in the highly prospective Comstock Lode region in Virginia City, Nevada, which includes the Lucerne Deposit, located in the Storey County. This agreement was superseded in January 2019 when a new agreement was entered into by the parties. *See Comstock Acquisition below*.

- ii. In October 2017, Tonogold paid Comstock \$200,000 for an initial 6-month option, which was permitted to be extended at Tonogold's election to enter Stage Two of the agreement by making a further payment of \$2 million to Comstock prior to the expiry of the initial 6-month period.
- iii. Up to December 31st 2018, Tonogold has incurred approximately \$2 million of expenditures directly in advancing the project (e.g. due diligence program, property holding costs). In order for Tonogold to earn a 51% controlling interest it will be required to invest a further \$18 million (\$20 million in total) through to April 2021 on work programs developed and managed by Tonogold, on the Lucerne Properties; the objective being to produce a commercially and technically robust mine plan and feasibility study to enable profitable mining on the properties to commence. It should be noted, that the \$20 million expenditure threshold is not a commitment, but a requirement to earn the 51% interest in the Lucerne Properties.

#### d) Nevada - Comstock New Agreement

- i. On January 28<sup>th</sup> 2019, Tonogold announced that it had entered into a comprehensive and binding agreement ("New Agreement") with Comstock Mining Inc ("Comstock") which, on Closing will provide Tonogold with, amongst other matters, 100% of the Lucerne project (including the Lucerne gold/silver deposit) and their exploration claims covering, amongst others, those over the historically significant Gold Hill and Virginia City area in Storey County, Nevada ("Comstock Acquisition Assets").
- ii. This New Agreement leverages off the agreement entered into during October 2017. The October 2017, agreement will be superseded by the New Agreement once completion has occurred.
- iii. Under the New Agreement, Tonogold has agreed to pay Comstock total consideration of \$15 million, made up as follows:
  - \$11.5 in cash (the "Cash Component") and
  - \$3.5 million in equity (the "**Equity Component**")
- iv. A non-refundable deposit of \$1 million was paid on January 23rd 2019 (on signing the

New Agreement), and a further \$1 million was paid on March 15<sup>th</sup>, with both amounts being applied toward the Cash Component. The remaining \$8.5 million of the Cash Component (less any additional non-refundable deposits that may be made prior to Closing) will be payable at Closing.

- v. Completion of the transaction will occur once Tonogold has formally secured the funding required. Under the New Agreement, Completion is scheduled for June 21<sup>st</sup> 2019, although Tonogold has the right to extend this date to July 26<sup>th</sup> 2019 by paying Comstock a further \$1 million non-refundable deposit and again to August 31<sup>st</sup> 2019 for another \$1 million by way of non-refundable deposit. In both cases the additional non-refundable deposits shall be applied in full to the cash payment due on Closing.
- vi. In addition, Comstock will be granted a Net Smelter Return Royalty of 1.5% over future production from Lucerne.
- vii. The \$3.5 million Equity Component will be satisfied by Tonogold issuing a Convertible Preference Share ("CPS"), as announced by Tonogold on May 23<sup>rd</sup> 2019, on or prior to June 15<sup>th</sup> 2019. The principle terms include:
  - 1. Tonogold has the right to redeem for cash any or all the CPF issued to Comstock at any time prior to their conversion, at 115% of the face value being redeemed.
  - 2. The CPF will automatically convert into Common Stock of Tonogold, if not previously redeemed, with 50% converting 4-months and 50% 12-months following Closing of the acquisition respectively.
  - 3. The conversion price being the same as previously contemplated for the loan note, namely lowest of (1) the 20-day volume weighted closing price of Tonogold shares prior to conversion, (2) Tonogold's most recent private placement or (3) Tonogold's initial public offering price.

#### viii. EXPANDED LAND POSITION

Under the October 2017 agreement, Tonogold's right to acquire 51% of the Lucerne project comprised some 1,200 acres of mining claims within Storey County. The New Agreement provides Tonogold 100% control over the 1,200 acres being the Lucerne project plus 100% exploration, development and mining rights (via a lease

arrangement) over Comstock's remaining mining claims in Storey County (totaling just over 2,800 acres) ("Tonogold's Expanded Land Position"), which cover major areas of the highly significant past Comstock Lode producers to the north of Lucerne, including the Belcher deposit which operated between 1863 and 1916 (1.9 million ounce AuE producer), Crown Point (1.8 million AuE ounces), Consolidated Imperial (1.1 million AuE ounces).

The provisions in respect of Tonogold's Expanded Land Position of the New Agreement enables Tonogold to initiate and roll-out a significant new leg to its regional strategy, which will be the focus of a systematic and aggressive exploration program commencing as soon as possible. The results of this program are expected to substantially change (improve) the already significant value accretive nature of our acquiring 100% of Lucerne.

#### ix. ACCESS TO AND USE OF THE PROCESS FACILITIES

Under the October 2017 agreement, Tonogold had an option to acquire a 51% interest in the process facility, plant, infrastructure and 983 acres of mining claims to the west of Lucerne (known as the American Flats properties) by paying Comstock \$25 million. An alternative arrangement was negotiated and agreed between Comstock and Tonogold and announced to the market in April 2018, which provided Tonogold the right to use the American Flats property for a fee of \$1 per ton of material treated plus \$1 million per annum.

Under the New Agreement, Comstock shall retain ownership of the American Flats Property but provides Tonogold an option for exclusive operating rights via a 20-year lease to use, operate and manage the American Flats properties, with Tonogold paying Comstock \$1 per ton of material treated (variable rate) plus \$1 million per annum (fixed rate) commencing once a production decision is made, but with the following adjustments:

1. The variable rate shall reduce to \$0.50 per ton once the cumulative payments (both fixed and variable) made to Comstock under this arrangement have reached \$15 million

- 2. The variable rate shall reduce to \$0.25 per ton once the cumulative payments (both fixed and variable) made to Comstock under this arrangement have reached \$25 million (but with a minimum payment of \$100,000 per quarter)
- 3. The fixed rate of \$1 million pa shall be terminated once the cumulative payments (both fixed and variable) made to Comstock under this arrangement have reached \$25 million

#### x. HOLDING COSTS

- 1. Tonogold shall be responsible for meeting (or continuing to meet) the carrying costs (lease costs, permits, insurance, annual claim fees, property tax, etc.) associated with the areas covered by the New Agreement, including:
- 2. The Lucerne Project \$1 million pa
- 3. The American Flats Property \$1 million pa, and
- 4. The Expanded Storey County Claims \$0.1 million pa (new commitment)
- 5. The total holding costs to be met by Tonogold pursuant to the New Agreement is estimated at \$2.1 million per year, of which over \$1 million per year having been Tonogold's responsibility since the October 2017 agreement.
- xi. Comstock will be granted a Net Smelter Return royalty of 3% from production from the Tonogold Expanded Land Position Area, reducing to 1.5% after the first year of production.

#### Note 7. Share Capital

a. During 2017, 85,595,381 new shares were issued is respect of:

TOTAL	<u>85,595,381</u>
Convertible Loan Notes (series 2) were converted into shares (iv)	455,387
Acquisition of Mil-ler (iii)	54,100,000
Directors past salary (ii)	6,800,000
Convertible Loan Notes (series 1) were converted into shares (i)	24,239,994

i. During 2017 the Company negotiated the conversion of Convertible Loan Notes -

- series 1 ("CLN1") into 24,239,994 ordinary shares (see Note 8 below).
- ii. During 2017 the Company agreed to issue 6,800,000 shares to the current directors as payment of 50% of their unpaid remuneration entitlements. The directors have written off the remaining 50% (see Note 9 below).
- iii. During 2015, the Company agreed to issue 54,100,000 shares to the shareholders of Mil-Ler in exchange for shareholding in Mil-ler thus giving the Company 100% ownership (see Note 13 below).
- iv. During the December 2017 quarter, \$20,000 of CLN2 (principle) plus accrued interest of \$2,769 were converted into 455,387 ordinary shares.
- b. During the June **2018** quarter, 18,682,244 new shares were issued as a result of warrants granted pursuant to CLN2 (see Note 8 below) being exercised. This resulted in a cash injection of \$1,485,984.
- c. During the September 2018 quarter, 12,649,109 new shares were issued as a result of:
  - i. 6,886,668 new shares issued as a result of the exercise of warrants granted pursuant to CLN2
  - ii. 5,762,441 new shares were issued as a result of the conversion of part of the Convertible Loan Note (see Note 8b below).
- d. During the December 2018 quarter, 55,146,412 new shares were issued as a result of:
  - i. **10,446,352** new shares issued as a result of the exercise of warrants granted pursuant to CLN2 see Note 8b and 8d
  - ii. **44,700,060** new shares were issued in March 2019 in respect of the conversion (at 5 cents per share) of \$1,959,766 of principle plus accrued interest of \$275,221 in respect of CLN2 See Note 8
- e. During the March 2019 quarter, 10,121,220 new shares were issued as a result of exercise of warrants granted pursuant to CLN2 see Note 8d

Note 8. Convertible Loan Notes

Summary Balance outstanding (March 2019)

Principle	At Dec 31st 2018 New issue			C	onverted	A	t March 31st 2019	
CLN1	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
CLN2	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-
CLN3	\$	1,571,250	\$	1,656,727			\$	3,227,977
TOTAL	\$	1,571,250	\$	1,656,727	\$	-	\$	3,227,977

Accrued Interest	At Dec 31st 2018 Charge Converted				At March 31st 2019		
CLN1	\$	-	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-
CLN2	\$	-	\$	-	\$ -	\$	-
CLN3	\$	77,941	\$	78,243		\$	156,184
TOTAL	\$	77,941	\$	78,243	\$ -	\$	156,184

#### a. CLN1

The Company issued a series of loan notes ("CLN1"), which were convertible into common shares with a principle balance of \$950,000 at June 30, 2015. During 2017, the Company secured the agreement of the holders of CLN1 to convert the principle balance plus accrued interest to August 31<sup>st,</sup> 2017 (\$262,000) into ordinary shares at a conversion price of 5 cents per share. As a result, 24,239,994 shares were issued during October 2017 (see Note 7 above). This agreement paved the way for a second series of loan notes (CLN2) to be issued to help fund the option payments in respect of Lucerne and Durango, the due diligence programs in respect of those projects and to fund general working capital requirements.

#### b. CLN2

During 2016, the Company launched a raising through the issue of a second series of Convertible Loan Notes ("CLN2"), convertible into Common shares at 5 cps. Since the launch through to December 2019, an aggregate of \$2.2 million was raised from CLN2. During the December 2017 quarter, \$20,000 of principle and \$2,769 of accrued interest were converted into Common shares at 5 cents per share (455,387 shares). These notes accrued interest at 12% per annum (which was capitalized).

In addition, free attaching Warrants were granted to investors of CLN2 as follows:

• Subscribers to CLN2 who invested in 2016 were granted 40-warrants for each \$1 invested in CLN exercisable at 5 cents per share expiring July 31st, 2018 (10.1 million

warrants were issued)

• Subscribers to CLN2 who invested after 2016 were granted 15-warrants for each \$1 invested in CLN exercisable at 9 cents per share expiring July 31<sup>st,</sup> 2018 (29.4 million warrants were issued)

These funds raised through the issue of this Loan Note provided the financial resources required to complete the initial phase of the Comstock Joint Venture and toward the requirements for this year (see Mineral Properties Note 6 above).

During the September 2018 quarter, \$288,122 (\$233,000 (principle) plus \$55,122 (accrued interest)) was converted by the holders into Shares at 5 cents per share with **5,762,441** new shares issued.

During the December 2018 quarter, the remaining \$1,959,766 of principle plus accrued interest of \$275,221 was converted into Shares at 5 cents per share with **44,700,060** new shares being issued during December 2018 leaving a zero balance at that date.

#### c. CLN3

Tonogold launched a new Convertible Loan Note (CLN3) during the December 2018 quarter. A summary of the key terms were as follows:

- o Interest 12% pa compounded monthly and capitalized
- o Maturity December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2019
- Convertible into fully paid shares in Tonogold at the holder's option at any time prior to maturity at 10 cents per share
- The granting of 10 free warrants for each \$1 invested in the Note, exercisable at 20 cents per share prior to their expiry (December 31<sup>st,</sup> 2019)

During the March 2019 quarter, \$1,656,727 had been received from investors in respect of CLN3. At March 31st, 2019 a total of \$3,227,977 had been raised via this instrument. Accrued interest for the March 2019 quarter totaled \$78,243, bringing the total outstanding to \$156,184 as at March 31st 2019.

#### d. Summary

- i. During the March 2019 quarter,
  - \$1,656,727 was raised through the issue of CLN3.

- \$587,023 was raised through the exercise of 10.1 million warrants
- ii. Details of the principle amount of Convertible Loan Notes outstanding at March 31st 2019 for all Loan Notes of \$3.2 million is provided in the table below.

Convertible Loan Notes -				CLN2										
Principle	P	re Jan 1st	P	ost Jan 1st		TOTAL		CLN3		CLN3		TOTAL		
rincipie	2017			2017		101712		101712		101712				
Investment received (\$)	\$	253,000	\$	1,959,766	\$	2,212,766	\$	833,750	\$	3,046,516				
Converted into shares (October 2017)	\$	(253,000)	\$	-	\$	(253,000)			\$	(253,000)				
Balance September 30th 2018	\$	-	\$	1,959,766	\$	1,959,766	\$	833,750	\$	2,793,516				
Funds received December 2018 qtr					\$	-	\$	737,500	\$	737,500				
Converted into Shares (December 2018)			\$	(1,959,766)	\$	(1,959,766)			\$	(1,959,766)				
Balance December 31st 2018	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	1,571,250	\$	1,571,250				
Funds received March 2018 quarter	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	1,656,727	\$	1,656,727				
Balance March 31st 2019	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	3,227,977	\$	3,227,977				

iii. Details of the accrued interest of \$156,184 as at March 31st, 2019 and the charge of \$78,243 for the quarter are provided below.

Convertible Loan Notes -				CLN2								
Accrued Interest	Pre Jan 1st 2017				Post Jan 1st 2017				TOTAL		CLN3	TOTAL
Balance at September 30th 2018	\$	-	\$	230,774	\$	230,774	\$ 38,167	\$ 268,941				
Charge for the December quarter		-		44,447		44,447	\$ 39,774	\$ 84,221				
Converted into Shares (December 2018)		-		(275,221)		(275,221)		\$ (275,221)				
Balance at December 31st 2018	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 77,941	\$ 77,941				
Charge for the December quarter	\$	-	\$	-		-	\$ 78,243	\$ 78,243				
Balance at March 31st 2019	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 156,184	\$ 156,184				

iv. Details of the 34.8 million warrants outstanding issued in respect of the Convertible Loan Notes, are provided in the table below:

Convertible Loan Notes -		CLN2				
Warrants	Pre Jan 1st 2017	Post Jan 1st 2017	TOTAL	CLN3	TOTAL	
On issue at September 30th 2018	1,914,285	13,058,174	14,972,459	9,087,500	24,059,959	
Exercised during the December 2018 quarter	(1,914,285)	(4,391,667)	(6,305,952)	-	(6,305,952)	
Expired during the December quarter		(492,062)	(492,062)	-	(492,062)	
Issued during the quarter	-	-	-	7,375,000	7,375,000	
Warrants remaining at December 31st 2018	-	8,174,445	8,174,445	16,462,500	24,636,945	
Exercised during the March 2019 quarter	-	(6,552,480)	(6,552,480)	-	(6,552,480)	
Warrants exercised (funds received prev quarter)		105,000	105,000		105,000	
Issued during the quarter	-	-	-	16,567,269	16,567,269	
Warrants remaining at December 31st 2018	-	1,726,965	1,726,965	33,029,769	34,756,734	

v. The number of shares issued as a result of warrants being exercised was 10.1 million and

included 3.3 million bonus shares offered as an incentive for early exercise (as summarized in the table below). Of the 10.1 million shares issued, 0.3 million related to funds received in the previous quarter. The remaining 9.8 million shares issued during the quarter resulted in a \$0.6 million cash injection.

vi. \$620,773 was received in respect of the 10.1 million shares issued during the March 2019 quarter from the exercise of warrants of which \$587,023 was received during the current quarter and \$33,750 at the end the previous quarter – being too late in that quarter for the shares to have been issued.

Further details of the Warrants are provided under Note 14 below.

#### Note 9. Directors unpaid Remuneration

The current Directors of the Company had previously agreed to defer payment of their entire remuneration entitlements since June 2014. As at August 2016, the amount owing to the current directors amounted to \$1,261,000 (gross), and which had been accrued. In order to assist the Company in securing the agreement of the CLN1 holders to convert their entitlements into ordinary shares (see Note 8 above), all the Directors agreed to write off 50% of their entitlements as at August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2016 and for the remaining 50% (after the deduction of withholding tax) to be converted into ordinary shares at 5 cents per share. This required the issue of 6,800,000 shares, which were issued during October 2017.

#### Note 10. Warrants issued for services

As at March 31<sup>st</sup> 2019 the Company had issued 10.0 million warrants for services, an increase of 1.0 million from December 31<sup>st</sup> 2018. During the March 2019 quarter, 1 million warrants were granted to Mr. Robert Kopple following his appointment as a non-executive director of the Company during 2018. Details of warrants issued to executives and directors are as follows:

	Number of Shares
Shares issued from warrants	6,552,480
Bonus shares issued (early exercise incentive)	6,552,480 3,261,241
Warrants exercised (funds received prev quarter)	307,500
Shares actually issued	10,121,221

Name	Position	Number	ercise Price	Expiry
Mark Ashley	CEO	2,500,000	\$ 0.15	July 30th, 2023
Travis Miller	COO	2,000,000	\$ 0.15	July 30th, 2023
Jordan Moelis	Non-executive Director	1,000,000	\$ 0.15	July 30th, 2023
Gustavo Mazon	Non-executive Director	1,000,000	\$ 0.15	July 30th, 2023
Robert Kopple	Non-executive Director	1,000,000	\$ 0.15	Jan 30th, 2024
Brian Zumudio	Non-executive Director	1,000,000	\$ 0.15	July 30th, 2023
Fernando Berdegue	Strategic advisor	1,000,000	\$ 0.15	July 30th, 2023
Jeffery J Janda	Previous director	500,000	\$ 1.00	May 31st, 2019
TOTAL/AVERAGE		10,000,000	\$ 0.19	

#### Note 11. Employment agreement

In June 2013 the Company entered into an employment agreement with the Chief Executive Officer that includes managing the Company's interests. The contract was conditional on raising capital of between \$360,000 and \$675,000, which was satisfied within the time frame established. Remuneration was set at \$192,000 per year (reviewable annually) plus the issue of warrants.

Mr. Travis Miller, Mil-ler Recourses and Energy SA de CV ("Mil-ler") largest shareholder, was appointed to the board as an executive director on September 26, 2014 upon executing a Closing Agreement with Mil-Ler (see Note 13). Mr. Miller's contract of employment included terms which included that he would be based in Hermosillo, Mexico and shall receive an annual remuneration of \$180,000 (reviewable annually) plus the issue of warrants.

#### Note 12. Investment in Persistence Data Mining Inc.

Persistence Data Mining, Inc. (PDMI) was formed as a Nevada corporation in February 2012 with Tonogold acquiring 750,000 shares (2.7%) of the company. PDMI is an AgTech development company.

#### Note 13. Agreement with Mil-Ler Resources

On October 18, 2013, Tonogold Resources, Inc. entered into an exclusive option agreement with Mil-Ler Resources and Energy SA ("MIL-LER") a private Mexican mining and Exploration Company to acquire up to 34% equity interest in MIL-LER in two tranches of \$5 million each for a total investment of up to \$10 million. On February 18, 2014, the option was extended until June 28, 2014 and Tonogold obtained the right to purchase shares from existing shareholders that would bring its ownership in Mil-Ler to 51% for a payment of \$6 million plus a minimum of 59

million shares in Tonogold (subject to raising scale in the event that Tonogold's share price is above 10cps at that time). On May 8, 2014 Tonogold obtained the right to acquire 100% upon issuance 54,100,000 Tonogold shares.

MIL-LER owns mineral rights over approximately 18 square miles 40 kilometers north of Hermosillo (the capital of Sonora), Mexico. Exploration drilling over a small area of the total claims during 2011 confirmed the presence of iron ore mineralization. MIL-LER commenced a small scale operation in January 2013 and mines ore (both hematite and magnetite) which was beneficiated via a simple two stage crushing and dry magnetic separation process producing approximately 15,000 tonnes of iron ore product which is transported by road to main port at Guaymas (180 kilometers from site) where the product is shipped and sold to China under an off-take agreement. Operations ceased at the end of 2014 when the iron ore price fell

The parties executed a Closing Agreement on September 26, 2014. The 54.1 million shares required to be issued pursuant to this transaction, were issued in October 2017.

As a result of the fall in the price of iron ore and the subsequent cessation of operations, the Company decided to write down its investment in Mil-ler to \$1 at December 31<sup>st,</sup> 2015

#### Note 14. Warrants outstanding

a. A total of breakdown of the 44.8 million Warrants outstanding as at March 31, 2019 is provided in the table below:

Detail	Reference	Number	Average Exercise Price		Expiry
Issued re CLN2	See Note 8	225,000	\$	0.09	Apr-19
Issued re CLN2	See Note 8	750,000	\$	0.09	May-19
Executives/Directors	See Note 10	500,000	\$	1.00	May-19
Issued re CLN2	See Note 8	270,000	\$	0.09	Jun-19
Issued re CLN2	See Note 8	481,965	\$	0.09	Jul-19
Issued re CLN3	See Note 8	33,029,769	\$	0.20	Dec-19
Executives/Directors	See Note 10	8,500,000	\$	0.15	Jul-23
Directors	See Note 10	1,000,000	\$	0.15	Jan-24
TOTAL/average		44,756,734	\$	0.19	

b. A reconciliation of the number of warrants from December 31st, 2018 to March 31st, 2019 is provided below:

	Number of Warrants
Outstanding at December 31st, 2018	33,636,945
Exercised - this quarter See Note 8d(vi)	(6,552,480)
Exercised - prevuous quarter	105,000
Issued re CLN3	16,567,269
Issued to Executives/Directors	1,000,000
Outstanding at March 31st, 2019	44,756,734

c. A reconciliation of the Share Subscription account, which reflects funds received in respect of share issues, but for which the shares have yet to be issued.

Share Subscription Account					
		Amount (\$)	Shares		
Balance (previous quarter)	\$	168,000	2,800,000		
Funds received (current quarter)	\$	356,714	3,880,952		
Shares Issued	\$	(490,964)	(6,305,952)		
Shares to be issued (following quarter)	\$	33,750	375,000		
Funds received (current quarter)	\$	587,024	9,746,221		
Shares Issued	\$	(620,774)	(10,121,221)		
Shares to be issued (following quarter)	\$	-	-		

#### Note 15. Subsequent Events

The Company has evaluated subsequent events from March 31st, 2019 through the date the financial statements were available to be issued and it has been determined that other than those matters noted below, there have been no subsequent events for which disclosure is required.

- a) **Debt facility.** The Company advised in it's announcement dated May 6<sup>th</sup> 2919, that it had executed a Terms Sheet with Nebari Holdings, LLC ("Nebari") on May 3<sup>c</sup> 2019, for a \$5 million, debt financing with the option for drawing an additional \$25 million for development, production start-up and working capital, subject to customary due diligence and closing conditions. The initial \$5 million facility (which is subject to customary due diligence and the execution of formal documentation over the next few weeks) will partially fund the Comstock Acquisition Assets, thereby minimizing dilution to our current shareholders. Nebari is Comstock's current lender.
  - **b) New Convertible Loan Note.** Subsequent to March 31<sup>st</sup> 2019, the Company launched a new convertible loan note ("CLN4") targeting \$8 million, which together with the debt

facility from Nebari will provide funds necessary to meet the remaining Cash Component of the Comstock Acquisition enabling Closing of that transaction (*see Note 6d*) and to fund an initial drill program at Comstock and provide working capital for approximately 6-months.

c) TSXV Listing. The Company advised in it's announcement dated May 6<sup>th</sup> 2919, that it was at an advanced stage of negotiations with a third party over securing further significant claims in the region. As a consequence of the commercial sensitivities of these negotiations and the significance of the regional exploration potential that will be reflected in the 43-101 Technical Report including the Resource estimate for Lucerne ("Technical Report"), Mine Development Associates ("MDA") of Reno, Nevada has been requested to temporarily defer issuing the Technical Report at this time.

Notwithstanding the deliberate delay in issuing the Technical Report, the project continues to advance as planned with Tonogold having recently engaged MDA to undertake and complete a 43-101 compliant Preliminary Economic Assessment ("PEA") on the Lucerne Deposit. This is expected to be completed by July 2019.

The decision to delay the publication of the Technical Report will impact the timing of the TSXV listing, although this will not affect the acquisition timing, nor our overall project advancement objectives.

### PART 2

## MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

#### **Operations**

The Company maintains leases on gold mining properties. The Company is currently focused on the Joint Venture arrangement with Comstock.

During the quarter, MDA advanced their verification and validation work in respect of their newly constructed resource model for Lucerne. It is expected that this will be completed, and a formal 43-101 Resource Report issued during the March 2019 quarter.

#### Revenues

The Company has no revenues for the Three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018.

#### **Mineral Property Costs**

There were no Mineral property costs during the quarter.

#### **General and Administrative Expenses**

Total expenses for 2019 are higher than the corresponding period of 2018, reflecting higher corporate and operational activity. Increased travel costs reflect significant travel both in terms of the run up to securing the New Agreement with Comstock Mining as well as site visits.

	March 31st			
	2019			2018
Wages and salaries Office	\$	264,053	\$	215,755
Insurance	\$	10,567	\$	11,252
Rent	\$	-	\$	1,575
Office costs	\$	5,277	\$	1,979
Investor relations	\$	20,496	\$	10,988
OTC Markets, Inc. filings	\$	6,450	\$	2,450
Travel	\$	48,835	\$	30,582
Telephone	\$	1,428	\$	1,246
Legal fees	\$	32,962	\$	5,985
Accounting fees	\$	2,499	\$	2,500
Other expense	\$	7,937	\$	391
TOTAL	\$	400,503	\$	284,703

#### **Interest Expense**

Interest expense \$78,200 for the three months ended March 31, 2019 compares to \$48,500 for the corresponding period for 2018. The increase is the result of an increase in the Convertible Loan Notes outstanding during the current quarter.

#### **Exploration Costs Written Off**

A one-time charge of \$357,000 was incurred during the December 2018 quarter resulting from the Company's decision to withdraw from the Option over the Durango gold/silver project

in Mexico in order to focus on our expanding holdings at Comstock, Nevada.

#### **Provision for Income Tax**

We incurred taxable losses; consequently, no liability to taxation was incurred during the Three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018.

#### **Working Capital**

As of March 31st, 2019 the Company had cash of \$26,000. The Company had a **positive** working capital position of \$1.1 million at March 31st, 2019 compared to \$0.9 million at December 31st, 2018. The Company incurred a net loss from continuing operations of \$0.5 million for the three months to March 2019 and \$0.3 million for the corresponding period of 2018 compared.

At March 31st, 2019 the Company had a total principle balance of \$3.2 million outstanding in respect of the convertible loan notes compared to \$1.6 million at December 31st, 2018.

The Company may need to raise additional funds during the next Three months in order to sustain our business. Additional funds may not be available, and we cannot predict what revenues and cash flow from operations we can expect during the next Three months.

#### Cash flows

The following table summarizes selected items from our "Statement of Cash Flows" for the three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018.

	Three months ending		
	Mar-19	Mar-18	
Net Cash provided by/(used in):			
Operations	\$ (389,003)	\$ (318,080)	
Investing	\$ 2,123,990	\$ 211,932	
Financing	\$ 2,243,750	\$ 569,000	
Increase/(decrease) in cash	\$ 3,978,737	\$ 462,852	