

# **HUMMINGBIRD RESOURCES PLC**

**CORPORATE UPDATE – JUNE 2021** 

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## Hummingbird Resources PIc: An overview

<b>Strong production base</b> 100 – 110koz (2021 guidance)	Multi asset & jurisdiction base 1 producing & 2 development assets in 3 West African countries	Senegal Mali
Strong financials Growing net cash position. ~US\$4.9mln* end Q1 2021 versus ~US\$1.5mln end of Q4 2020	Debt free in Q2 2021 ~US\$4.6mIn debt remains, reduced by ~US\$8.6mIn in Q1 2021	Yanfolia (1.9Moz) Kouroussa (1.2Moz) Kolana
Material exploration upside ~US\$10mln 2021 budget in Mali & planning in progress for Guinea	<b>Clear growth strategy</b> Targeting +200 koz from Mali & Guinea by 2023	Sierra Guinea Freedown Morrows Liberia
Kouroussa Gold Project, Guinea Second producing asset: Extensive pre- development plans underway then to development and production	Dugbe Gold Project, Liberia** Earn-in partner Pasofino Gold Ltd (TSX:VEIN) PEA pre-tax NPV of US\$825mln @ 34% IRR	Buchanan Greenvile Harper Atlantic Ocean Post Birimian Eburrian Granitaids Atlantic Ocean Mali Guinea Atlantic Ocean
ESG policy ESG policy & procedures central to the Company's strategy	Management expertise New COO in place to help drive operational improvements at Yanfolila & oversea the Kouroussa project delivery	Birimian Volcanics Midor gold mine/ resource HUMMINGBIRD RESOURCES PROJECT Liberia Liberia Archaean Liberia

Note: \* Net-cash including the value of gold inventory as at 31.03.2021 \*\* Dugbe Gold Project, Liberia mineral resource estimates as of March 2014 and Pasofino Gold Ltd's PEA as released 24 June 2021

## 2021 outlook: Key deliverable focus areas

### 1. Deliver on 2021 forecasts:

- 100,000 110,000 oz of gold (2H weighted), @ AISC of US\$1,250 1,350/oz gold sold & drive Group profitability
- 2. Increase group life of mine ("LOM") potential:
  - Doubling exploration budget to \$10 mln to extend Group LOM potential
- 3. Yanfolila, Komana East Underground ("KEUG") development:
  - Finalise permitting, drilling and economic analysis to bring into future mine plans

### 4. Kouroussa, Guinea

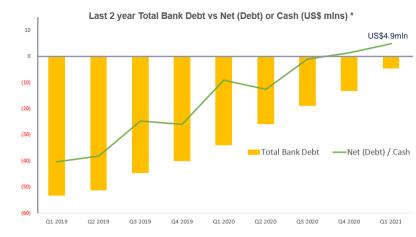
- Mining licenses received, now to finalising pre-development plans, then a build decision
- Begin development and then targeting circa +200 koz group production by 2023
- 5. Dugbe, Liberia
  - Pasofino's high PEA valuation the foundation for a significant DFS delivery

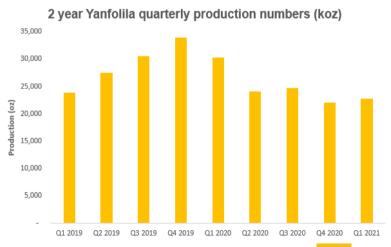
### 6. ESG enhancement

 Continued enhancement of ESG initiatives and increasing the number of mines on the Single Mine Origin ('SMO') platform

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## Environmental, social & governance: 2021 plans



## Environment

- Diversity improvement: Commitment to repair, improve & enhance the diversity environment on and around our mine sites
- World Gold Council Membership: Commitment to implementation & adhere to the Responsible Gold Mining Principles ('RGMPs')
- Hummingbird Tree Initiative: +8,000 trees per annum and a community lead nursery in operation
- Water: Rehabilitate market garden water infrastructure at local villages
- Tailings storage facilities ("TSF"): ~\$US2mln capex upgrade



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- Leave a positive legacy for our communities: Committed to building a lasting positive legacy for those living in the communities where we operate
- Community health: New local Dr at clinic
- Market gardens: Adding 2, total to 10, employing +700-900 locals
- Schools: 11 teacher salaries & school maintenance improvements
- **Poultry Farms**: Adding 2, total to 6, employing >40 locals
- Soap manufacturing: Training on manufacturing & business practices
- Honey initiative: Ongoing training on beehive manufacturing
- Malaria community spraying: Continue our annual community spraying campaign





## **People & Ethics**

- Operate responsibly and ethically: Committed to operating at the highest levels both responsibly and ethically
- World Gold Council RGMP adherence
- High local and region employment: >95% national and >25% local (inc. contractors)
- · Local and country supply chain focus
- The Company is a founding member of Single Mine Origin ('SMO') www.singlemineorigin.com. Aim to onboard more global mines onto the SMO platform in 2021



- Zero harm policy: Committed to operating to achieve Zero Harm with every employee, contractor and visitor returning home safely each day
- COVID 19 stringent work practices in place to minimise / eliminate virus spread
- Maintain industry leading Total Recordable Injury Frequency Rate ("TRIFR"). 0.42 in Q1 2021 vs. 0.82 in Q4 2020
- Monthly site safety champion awards
- CCI remote specialist health expertise on site <u>www.critcareint.com</u>





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## Hummingbird Resources Plc: Mineral Resources Estimate Update at Yanfolila, Mali

#### 2020 Yanfolila Mineral Resources Table\*

As at 31			INFERRED			TOTAL RESOURCES			
December 2020	TONNES	GRADE	OUNCES	TONNES	GRADE	OUNCES	TONNES	GRADE	OUNCES
Deposit	(kt)	g/t	(koz)	(kt)	g/t	(koz)	(kt)	g/t	(koz)
Komana East	4,177	3.61	485	813	2.90	76	4,990	3.49	561
Komana West	5,877	2.07	390	1,006	1.57	51	6,883	1.99	441
Gonka	2,003	3.39	219	295	7.82	74	2,298	3.96	293
Sanioumale East	1,669	2.64	142	754	2.58	62	2,423	2.62	204
Sanioumale West	1,739	1.85	104	1,067	1.76	61	2,806	1.82	164
Guirin West	1,160	1.98	74	-	-	-	1,160	1.98	74
Kabaya South	1,370	1.42	62	650	1.10	23	2,020	1.31	85
Kabaya South**				950	1.50	46	950	1.50	46
Badogo- Malikila**				2,347	0.81	61	2,347	0.81	61
Total Mineral Resources	17,995	2.55	1,475	7,882	1.79	454	25,877	2.32	1,929

March 2019 to December 2020 MRE Changes Table	March 2019 MRE	2020 Discovered Resources	& Depletion Mined Resources Depletion (21 months)	Non -Code / Geological Model Change	MRE Adjustments	December 2020 MRE
Onces (kozs)	2,003	+255	-258	-114	+43	1,929

### Key highlights: \*

- 255,600 oz of gold were discovered during the 2020 exploration programme across three key deposits
- The 2020 exploration programme of \$5 mln achieved the following:
  - Added additional resources showing the ability to extend the mine life and test new greenfield targets
  - Improved confidence in the Company's mineral inventory by infill drilling within the pit shells
  - Reorganised the Company's MRE database to include increased JORC reporting
- The 2021 exploration budget doubled to \$10 mln and will focus on the three key deposits and greenfield targets
- The 2020 MRE will be used to update the Reserve Statement which is expected to be released later this year \*\*

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## 2021 exploration & drilling outlook: \$10mln budget (doubling 2020 budget)

### MALI: Continue to extend current LOM potential

- Significant drilling results released 1 April showing LOM upside potential at Yanfolila (see Appendix for details)
  - SE: Key focus area for 2021
    - ~15,000m forecast drilling to extend current resource of ~204 koz
    - Targeting near surface extensions and new zones recently discovered

### SW: Key focus area for 2021 with initial 2020 results very encouraging

- ~6,000m forecast drilling to extend current resource of ~164 koz
- Focus on northern extension drilling

### KEUG : Development in 2021 then bring into future mine plans

- Finalise northern extension drilling, permitting, economic analysis and portal hole development
- Bring into the mine plan post completing the above

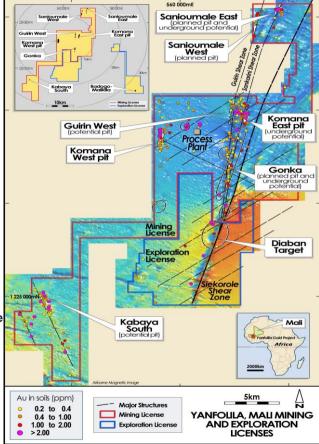
### Greenfield : Diaban and other green field targets

Source of potential oxide resources

### GUINEA: Develop exploration plans to improve and increase current ~1.18 Mozs @ +3 g/t resource base

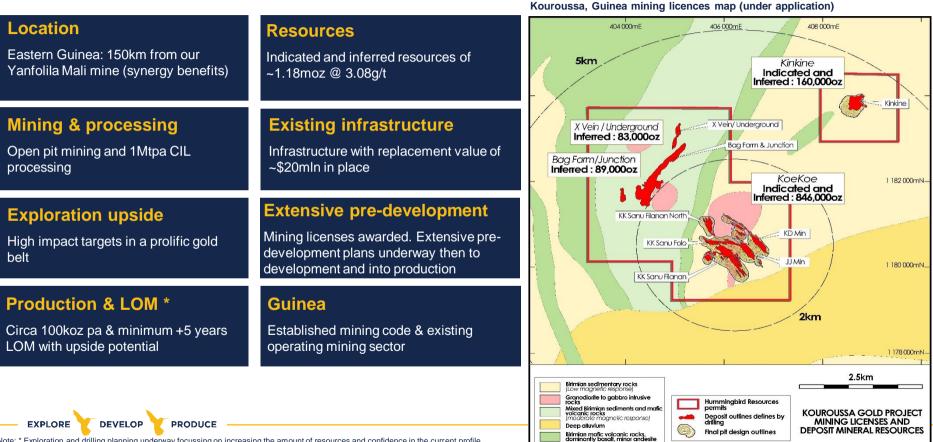
- 3 key initial target areas of the 9 potential currently identified including:
- KoeKoe: ~846 koz resources. Targeting extensions and new zones
- Kinkine: ~160 koz resources. Targeting extensions
- **Bag Farm-Junction:** ~89 koz resources. Near surface oxide and deeper targets
- X-Vein: ~83koz resources. Similar veins identified for follow-up





## The Kouroussa Gold Project, Guinea: Our next production asset

HIGH GRADE OPEN PITTABLE PROJECT IN GUINEA TO BECOME A C. 100.000 OZ PRODUCING PROJECT



Note: \* Exploration and drilling planning underway focussing on increasing the amount of resources and confidence in the current profile

## Dugbe Gold Project, Liberia: Earn-in partner Pasofino Gold Ltd progressing towards a DFS

**OPTIONALITY & SCALE TO DRIVE HUMMIBGBIRD SHAREHOLDER VALUE RETURNS** 

HUM JV with Pasofino Gold Pasofino fund & deliver a DFS & exploration programme. On completion have the right to earn in a 49% stake	Experienced Pasofino team Highly experienced management & development team	KEY     DUGRE PROJECT     GEOLOGY       GOD BISGURES     DICRE BILAR ZONE     DUCRE BILAR ZONE     DUCRE BILAR ZONE       GOD BISGURES     DUCRE BILAR ZONE     DUCRE BILAR ZONE     DUCRE BILAR ZONE       SOL CRIDS     * BURON JEDICH TIEND     SACKOR PROSPECTS     DUCRE BILAR ZONE     DUCRE BILAR ZONE       W VENDAUTION MARCHE     * KEV DENGLATION MARCHE     DUC VILLAGE     BURCH ZONE     DUCRES HILL
<b>Production forecast &amp; LOM</b> High annual production forecast of 200- 250 Koz & long LOM of 20 years	Drill programme underway Positive drill results received to date, aimed at expanding deposits and increasing the proportion of indicated MRE	
<b>Exploration upside</b> 2,559 km <sup>2</sup> under MDA for 25 years, with +100 exploration targets. 6 key targets being explored in 2021	High PEA value * High PEA pre-tax NPV of US\$825mIn @ 34% IRR the foundation for significant DFS delivery	RECORDER SIN BUKON SECON WEST AFRICA
Location advantage 70 km by road from port with airstrip located outside the city	MDA passed Mineral Development Agreement passed into law in Q2 2019	0 5 10 20 30 UTM 20NE 28M WCS 84 UTM 20NE 20M

Dugbe, Liberia license area and exploration targets map

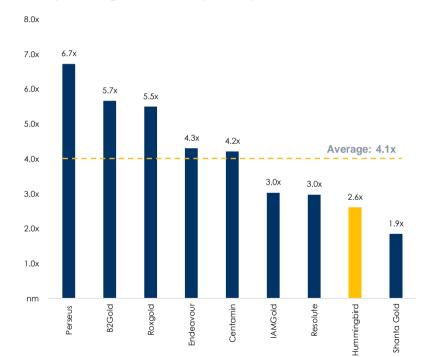
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## Financial comparisons: relative valuations attractive

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### EV/Operating cash flow (2021E)



Source: Thomson Reuters as at 22 June 2021

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EV/EBITDA (2021E)

## The team implementing the vision: Experienced Board & senior management

## **Hummingbird Board**



#### **Russell King** Non-Executive Chairman

 Former Chief Strategy Officer at Anglo American & member of the Executive Committee for 8 years & former Senior Non-Exec of Aggreko Plc Former Senior Advisor to RBC on Metals & Mining

· Developed the business from a private explorer to

18 years' previous experience in metals industry.

Former Management Consultant at Accenture in



#### Attie Roux Non-Executive Director

- 42 years' operational, technical and
- executive experience Former COO of Endeavour Mining

Non-Executive Director

Mining analyst formerly with Capital

Former Director and Managing

Director of RBC Capital Markets

Former Chairman of RBC Dominion

Chairman of the TAC

Ernie Nutter

Group

Securities

BSc Geology



#### Saidou Idé Senior Executive Stakeholder Relations 20 years' of industry experience

 Former admin & finance positions at Avocet. Resolute & Glencore

& Canaccord Genuity

markets

- BSc from University of Quebec
- Well-versed in operating in WestAfrica

Edward Montgomerv

• 20 years' experience in global financial

experience with: PwC. Goldman Sachs.

Ospraie Asset Management, Credit Suisse

Accounting & global equity market

Chief Strategy & ESG Officer

#### Tim Huskinson **VP** Finance

- 10 years' accountancy experience. covering a range of sectors, including natural resource & engineering
- Qualified as a chartered accountant with BDOLLP

#### John Meneahini Senior VP Operations



of Mines



#### Edrich Welthagen General Manager - Mali

- 15 years' experience in open cast & underground mining in numerous commodities in various countries around Africa
- B(Ena) Mining Engineer (University of Pretoria - South Africa

### Senior management team

### Anthony Kocken



- +23 years' African and operation experience
- COO African Mining Services, GM Bisha Share Mining Company, Operations director Mineração do Brasil, Xstrata Zinc

### Luke Main

#### **Corporate People &** Performance office

- 20 years industry and consulting experience, across global Aviation, Hospitality, Retail and Mining sectors
- Formerly with InterContinental Hotels Group, Olivery Wyman and Accenture

#### **Murrav Paterson VP** Geology

- 25 years' industry experience
- Mine, Mineral resource and Exploration aeologist
- Worked in East, West and Southern Africa. South America, Australia and Europe

#### Wavne Galea **VP EPCM**

- 31 years' experience in the mining industry. specialising in gold
- Process engineer background for AMEC, Bateman & Signet
- Experience working for gold mining companies such as KBK Gold

#### Aya Garibou Safetv Manager - Mali

- +25vrs vears' mining experience in operational and health and safety roles
- Multiple years experience with AngloGold Ashanti before joining Hummingbird in 2019



#### Tom Hill **Finance Director**

**Dan Betts** 

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Founded Humminabird in 2005

a listed company with 6Moz+ gold

- 17 years' experience in the resource sector
- Metallurgy, Economics & Management Oxford university graduate
- Former Senior Manager within BDO LLP's natural resources department

- **David Straker-Smith** Non-Executive Chairman
- Director of London-based investment research and advisory firm. CrossBorder Capital Ltd Director of New Vision Management Ltd and
- Nomad Energy UK Ltd Former positions at ING Barings Securities Ltd.
- and Gerrard & National Holdings Plc

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**Stephen Betts** 

 Over 40 years' experience in trading with gold and related businesses in

Chairman of the Stephen Betts group Established several businesses in

West Africa during his career



























## Capital structure: Supportive & diverse shareholder base

AT A GLANCE: AIM:HUM	
Market Cap (at 23.06.2021)	~US\$105 mln
Net cash inc. gold inventory value Q1 2021	~US\$4.9 mln (unaudited )
Debt paid during Q1 2021	~US\$8.6 mln
Debt total at end Q1 2021	~US\$4.6 mln
Ordinary shares in issue *	392,676,809
Official broker coverage with forecasts	Canaccord Genuity and Berenberg

## Significant Shareholders (>3%) \*\*

Ruffer	8.97%
Jupiter Asset Management	4.72%
M&G Investments	3.78%



## **SUMMARY**

- Strong shareholder value creation from:
  - Yanfolila, Mali high future cash flows
  - Kouroussa, Guinea to double group production in the coming years
  - Dugbe, Liberia valuation upside with a significant PEA NPV delivered
- Strengthening balance sheet with rapid deleveraging occurring
- Exploration and drilling initiatives showing:
  - LOM extension potential at Yanfolila, Mali
  - Material upside potential at Kourousa, Guinea
  - Pasofino Gold Ltd's extensive exploration programme underway at Dugbe, Liberia
- Significant gold inventory in West Africa
- Backed by strong institutional shareholders
- Team in place to deliver on Company key initiatives



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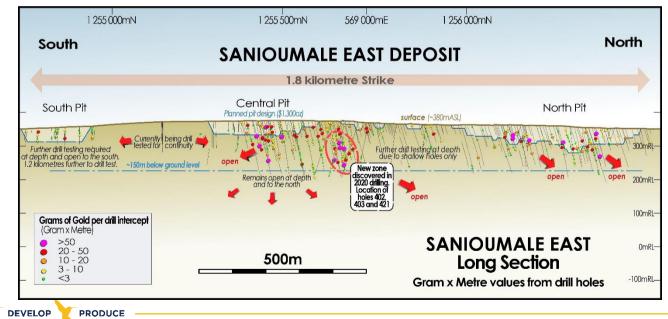
## SE & KEUG recent drilling results: Showing potential for resources growth

'Significant drilling results at Yanfolila': 1 April release shows continued resource upside potential at both SE and KEUG deposits

### SE highlights:

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- Drilling results continue to show mineralisation being found and remains open
- Upside potential to current ~204 koz resources profile: ~1.5 kms having been tested along the highly prospective 3 km Sankarani Shear gold zone anomaly
- 15,000m drill programme for 2021
- Hole SNERC0421 (38 m at 5.39 g/t gold from 58 m depth) was drilled to confirm the widths and grade of the original discovery hole of the 'New Zone' by hole SNERC0402 (42 m at 4.07g/t gold from 80 m)



## SE & KEUG drilling results: Showing potential for resources growth (cont'd)

### **KEUG highlights:**

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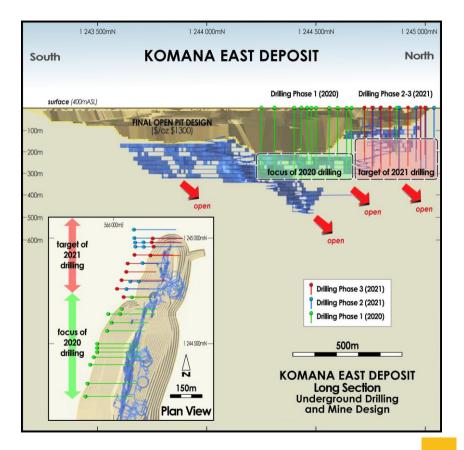
- Drilling results continue to confirm mineralisation at depth
- 2021 drilling programme is focussing on expanding and drill testing for further mineralisation in the north of the deposit

### Key next steps for KEUG include:

- Finalising the surface drilling programme
- Gaining permitting approval for the KEUG mine
- Finalising portal location and underground mine design

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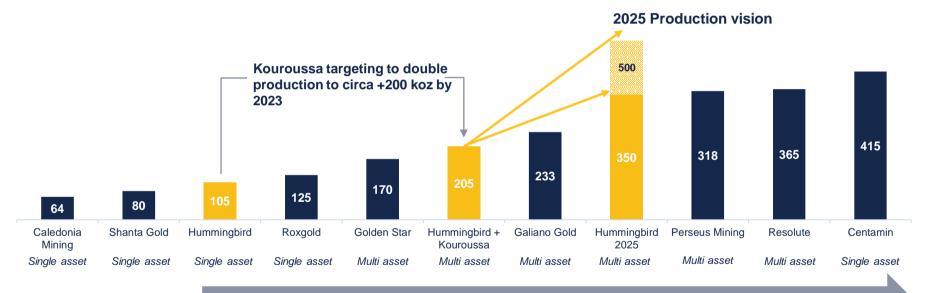
• Finalising economic studies in order to bring the underground mine into future mine plans



## Hummingbird 2025 Vision: +350-500koz gold production company comparison

Hummingbird's 2025 vison is to be producing +350-500koz of gold. Peer comparison company 2021 mid-range production guidance chart \*

Note: Hummingbird's 2025 production vision does not include company comparison future growth expectations



Transitioning from a single asset to multi asset and jurisdiction gold producer

Source: Company Reports; midpoint production guidance for 2021. We note these forecast from comparable companies could change, are a guide only and do not include their future growth expectations

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