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Liberty Gold Reports Impressive High-Grade Results from M and Back Range Zones including the Highest Grade Intercept Drilled to Date at the Black Pine Oxide Gold Deposit, Idaho

7.07 g/t Au over 18.3 m in LBP813 – M Zone
1.17 g/t Au over 47.2 m in LBP736 – M Zone
3.10 g/t Au over 27.4 m in LBP796 – Back Range Zone
0.78 g/t Au over 115.8 m in LBP782 – Back Range Zone

VANCOUVER, B.C. – Liberty Gold Corp. (TSX: LGD; OTCQX: LGDTF) ("Liberty Gold" or the "Company") is pleased to report 34 additional Reverse Circulation ("RC") drill results from the M and Back Range Zones at its Black Pine Oxide Gold Project ("Black Pine") in southeastern Idaho. The results are from holes drilled in 2022 designed to expand and upgrade the current Mineral Resource Estimate ("MRE") and discover new higher-grade, near-surface oxide gold mineralization.

M ZONE HIGHLIGHTS:

- 7.07 grams per tonne gold ("g/t Au") over 18.3 meters ("m") including 11.92 g/t Au over 10.7 m and including 46.7 g/t Au over 1.5 m in LBP813
- 1.17 g/t Au over 47.2 m from 54.9 m including 2.23 g/t Au over 15.2 m in LBP736
- 0.93 g/t Au over 38.1 m from 86.9 m including 2.35 g/t Au over 6.1 m in LBP823

Assay results from an additional 9 holes drilled in the M Zone in Q4 2022 include a high-grade intercept in LBP813, drilled near the western edge of the M Zone, which marks the potential discovery of a new, high-grade core within the mineralized zone. It includes a single 1.52 m interval of 46.7 g/t Au, which is the highest grade gold assay ever returned at Black Pine. This interval is a 100-metre step-out from previous drilling, well outside the MRE resource pit and is open to the west. These results are not included in the recently released MRE (see press release dated February 7, 2023). Additional offsets to this hole were drilled over the past 3 weeks and results are pending.

BACK RANGE

- 3.10 g/t Au over 27.4 m from 50.3 m including 4.33 g/t Au over 18.3 m in LBP796
- 1.36 g/t Au over 15.2 m from 120.4 m including 3.79 g/t Au over 3.0 m in LBP774
- 0.78 g/t Au over 115.8 m from 15.2 m including 1.29 g/t Au over 25.9 m in LBP782

The Back Range Zone is the furthest known northwest extension of the more than 7 kilometre ("km")-long Black Pine gold system. Assay results from 25 holes drilled in the Back Range Zone in 2022 have identified a new area of near-surface, high-grade oxide gold. Current extents of the

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Back Range mineralized zone are ~1 km² and the high-grade area is open to the east and west.

Jason Attew, President and CEO of Liberty Gold commented, "The highest-grade drill intercept ever reported at M Zone is notable as this zone is proximal to the potential mining infrastructure. The high-grade, near-surface characteristics of M Zone makes it an area of focus for 2023 as we believe M Zone has the grade, continuity, location, and scale for potential early cash flow generation as we work through pit optimization and mine scheduling studies. In addition, the encouraging Back Range results underpin our theory that the Back Range and Discovery Zones are linked for which we will test once we receive permits anticipated in late 2023. These recent results are a testament to the team's ability to discover higher-grade material amongst an already very impressive mineral endowment."

For a map and cross sections showing locations of drill holes in this release click here: https://libertygold.ca/images/news/2023/February/BlackPinemap_sections.pdf

For a table showing complete drill results for current Liberty Gold drill results at Black Pine, click here:

https://libertygold.ca/images/news/2023/February/BlackPineCurrentDrillResults.pdf

For a table of the top 25 unmined drill intercepts where hole LBP813 ranks in the top ten grade-thickness intervals, click here:

https://libertygold.ca/images/news/2023/February/Top25UnminedDrillIntercepts.pdf

M ZONE HIGHLIGHT TABLE*

Hole ID (Az, Dip) (degrees)	From (m)	To (m)	Intercept (m)	Au (g/t)	Au Cut-Off	Hole Length (m)	Target
LBP736 (120, -55)	29.0	32.0	3.0	0.41	0.15 1.00 5.00	184.40	M Zone
and	54.9	102.1	47.2	1.17			
including	77.7	93.0	15.2	2.23			
and including	88.4	89.9	1.5	5.58			
and	118.9	134.1	15.2	0.51	0.15		
LBP813 (310, -75)**	111.3	129.5	18.3	7.07	0.15		
including	111.3	121.9	10.7	11.9	1.00	182.88	M Zone
including	117.3	121.9	4.6	24.7	5.00		
and	144.8	150.9	6.1	1.45	0.15		
including	144.8	147.8	3.0	2.55	1.00		
LBP823 (270, -45)**	86.9	125.0	38.1	0.93	0.15	227.08	M Zone
including	108.2	114.3	6.1	2.35			

^{*}Please refer to the full table at the link above for complete results. Results are reported as drilled thicknesses, with true thicknesses approximately 50% to 90% of drilled thickness. Gold grades are uncapped. Au (g/t) = grams per tonne of gold.

Additional drill holes have already been completed in M Zone to offset the high-grade intercept in hole LBP813 and similar oxide alteration has been intersected in some holes. Additional drilling is being planned for Q2 2023 once assays are received for this zone. Focus will be on expansion/delineation of the high-grade zone with further step-out drilling to the west.

^{**}These holes were finalized too late to be included in the MRE

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The M Zone hosts an indicated resource of 120,000 ounces of oxide gold averaging 0.71 g/t Au in 5,255,000 tonnes ("t") and an inferred resource of 11,000 ounces of oxide gold averaging 0.45 g/t Au in 762,000 t (see press release dated <u>February 7, 2023</u>).

BACK RANGE ZONE HIGHLIGHT TABLE*

Hole ID (Az, Dip) (degrees)	From (m)	To (m)	Intercept (m)	Au (g/t)	Au Cut-Off	Hole Length (m)	Target
LBP731 (280, -50)	89.9	108.2	18.3	0.54	0.15	213.36	Back Range
including	102.1	106.7	4.6	1.30	0.15		
and	115.8	118.9	3.0	1.13			
and	125.0	129.5	4.6	0.22			
and	164.6	167.6	3.0	0.88			
and	185.9	190.5	4.6	0.75			
LBP743 (180, -60)	32.0	35.1	3.0	0.51		- 239.3	Back Range
and	115.8	146.3	30.5	0.47	0.15		
and	173.7	189.0	15.2	0.66			
including	173.7	178.3	4.6	1.70	1.00		
and	190.5	193.5	3.0	0.50	0.15		
and	199.6	202.7	3.0	0.50			
LBP774 (225, -45)	6.1	29.0	22.9	0.30		- 204.2	Back Range
and	54.9	67.1	12.2	0.41	1.00 0.15 1.00 0.15		
and	73.2	76.2	3.0	0.41			
and	102.1	106.7	4.6	1.46			
including	103.6	106.7	3.0	1.79			
and	120.4	135.6	15.2	1.36			
including	131.1	134.1	3.0	3.79			
and	167.6	169.2	1.5	0.86			
LBP782 (320, -55)	15.2	131.1	115.8	0.78	0.15	190.5	Back Range
including	93.0	100.6	7.6	1.96	1.00		
and	173.7	182.9	9.1	0.19	0.15		
LBP796 (300, -45)**	27.4	33.5	6.1	0.50	0.15 1.00 5.00	239.3	Back Range
and	50.3	77.7	27.4	3.10			
including	54.9	73.2	18.3	4.33			
and including	61.0	65.5	4.6	5.90			
and	179.8	187.5	7.6	0.23	0.15		
and	236.2	239.3	3.0	0.36			
LBP805 (45, -45)**	54.9	59.4	4.6	0.35	0.15	117.3	
and	67.1	112.8	45.7	0.44			Back Range
including	67.1	68.6	1.5	1.44			Nange

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Additional drilling in this area is being planned for Q2 2023, targeting the structural controls to the high-grade zones. Focus will be on expansion/delineation of the high-grade core and conversion of inferred resources into indicted, ahead of a pre-feasibility study decision.

The work program will also include advancing ongoing permitting with United States Forest Service to include access to the undrilled one-kilometer-long gap between Back Range to the Discovery Zone. This area is considered to have high oxide gold discovery potential and permits may be received as early as H2 2023.

The Back Range Zone hosts an indicated resource of 32,000 ounces of oxide gold averaging 0.62 g/t Au in 1,584,000 t and an inferred resource of 77,000 ounces of oxide gold averaging 0.63 g/t Au in 3,783,000 t.

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Peter Shabestari, P.Geo., Vice-President Exploration, Liberty Gold, is the Company's designated Qualified Person for this news release within the meaning of National Instrument 43-101 Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects ("NI 43-101") and has reviewed and validated that the information contained in the release is accurate.

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Drill composites were calculated using a cut-off of 0.15 g/t Au. Drill intersections are reported as drilled thicknesses. True widths of the mineralized intervals vary between 30% and 100% of the reported lengths due to varying drill hole orientations but are typically in the range of 50% to 90% of true width. Drill samples were assayed by ALS Limited in Reno, Nevada for gold by Fire Assay of a 30 gram (1 assay ton) charge with an AA finish, or if over 5.0 g/t Au were re-assayed and completed with a gravimetric finish. For these samples, the gravimetric data were utilized in calculating gold intersections. For any samples assaying over 0.10 parts per million an additional cyanide leach analysis is done where the sample is treated with a 0.25% NaCN solution and rolled for an hour. An aliquot of the final leach solution is then centrifuged and analyzed by Atomic Absorption Spectroscopy. QA/QC for all drill samples consists of the insertion and continual monitoring of numerous standards and blanks into the sample stream, and the collection of duplicate samples at random intervals within each batch. Selected holes are also analyzed for a 51



multi-element geochemical suite by ICP-MS. ALS Geochemistry-Reno is ISO 17025:2005 Accredited, with the Elko and Twin Falls prep lab listed on the scope of accreditation.

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