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# Liberty Gold Receives Hardrock Prospector Permit at Black Pine Oxide Gold Project, Idaho

### Permitted Exploration Area Increases to 40.6 km<sup>2</sup>

VANCOUVER, B.C. – Liberty Gold Corp. (TSX:LGD; OTCQX:LGDTF) ("Liberty Gold" or the "Company") is pleased to announce the receipt of a Hardrock Prospector Permit ("HPP") covering four areas located directly adjacent to the Company's Black Pine Oxide Gold Project ("Black Pine").

The newly permitted areas are administered by the United States Government under the Weeks Act (1911) and as such are not eligible for unpatented mineral claims. Mineral prospecting can be licenced under the Mineral Leasing Act for Acquired Lands (1947), through a Hardrock Prospector Permit, which provides exclusive right to prospect and explore for leasable mineral deposits. Mineral discovery can lead to a mineral lease to enable future mining. After an extensive process of engagement with the United States Forest Service ("USFS") and the Bureau of Land Management ("BLM"), the Company is delighted to receive approval to explore these areas.

The four HPP areas add 7.1 square kilometres ("km²") of key exploration and development ground in the centre and south of the known mineralized area, expanding the Black Pine project area by 10% to a total of 69.3 km². (See **FIGURE 1** below)

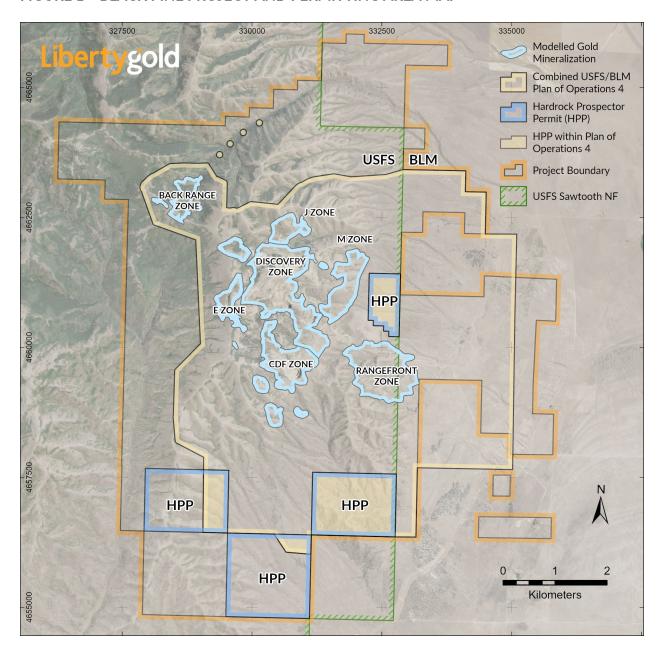
The recently received fourth amendment to the Black Pine Plan of Operations (see press release dated June 11, 2024) has approved exploration drill access to 3.4 km<sup>2</sup> of these new HPP areas. It is anticipated that initial drilling will commence in Q4 2024.

These permits pave the way for continued exploration opportunities in the prospective southern extension area at Black Pine that will be the focus of exploration over the next few years. Further amendments to the exploration Plan of Operations will allow access for drilling on the areas not included in the current approval.

**Pete Shabestari, Vice President Exploration for Liberty Gold** stated, "We wish to acknowledge the extensive efforts made by the USFS and the BLM to support Liberty Gold in the permitting process for Black Pine. Hardrock Prospector Permits are not a typical mineral right in the Great Basin and achieving this important outcome required a cooperative and a collaborative approach. Having these new areas available to the exploration team is key for uncovering the extensions to the mineralized system at Black Pine and discovering additional gold oxide resources."

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### FIGURE 1 - BLACK PINE PROJECT AND PERMITTING AREA MAP



### **QUALIFIED PERSON**

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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