

### **IPO** Presentation

Staveley Arc Copper Exploration

Host to recognised copper-gold volcanic hosted massive sulphide (VHMS) system

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### **Corporate Overview**

(LIN.ASX) and GM of

Project Implementation

Resources

for Canyon

(ASX: CAY)

most

recently

CFO/Company Secretary

of ASX listed Canyon

Resources Limited.



#### **Board of Directors Shannon Green Paul Hissey John Lewis Jamie Myers** Executive Non-Executive Non-Executive Executive Chairman Director /CFO Director Director (Proposed) Mining executive with Mr Hissey has a Bachelor Mr Lewis has is a Myers of Science (Hons) in over 20 years corporate, Accountant experienced finance Chartered with more than 25 years development executive and company Applied Geology from the and mining operations experience. Mr Lewis has director with over 15 of South University experience. Currently the worked predominantly in a Graduate capital market Australia, years in Applied of Pathfinder the resource sector in experience. Mr Myers is MD Diploma (PF1.ASX). Australia and overseas as a currently an Associate Finance from Kaplan and Resources Previous roles include, MD Company Director, CFO Director of Corporate at has further completed an of Lindian Resources Baker Young limited and a and Company Secretary, MBA from the Chifley

Non-Executive Director of

Resources

Pathfinder

Limited (ASX:PF1).

Business School (La Trobe

University). Mr Hissey has

more than 20 years'

and

within the

capital

experience

resources

markets sectors.

## **Advisors and Consultants Independent Geologist** Mark Gifford **Lead Manager** Candour Advisory Investor Relations and Media Consultants **ir**Xadvisors

| Corporate  |                      |  |
|--|----------------------|--|
| ASX Ticker   | RBX                  |  |
| IPO Share Price                                    | A\$0.20              |  |
| Shares on issue<br>(Min – Max Subs)<br>(undiluted) | 41.09m –<br>43.59m   |  |
| Options on issue<br>Post-Listing                   | 9.69m                |  |
| Market cap (undiluted)<br>(Min – Max Subs)         | \$8.21m -<br>\$8.71m |  |
| Enterprise Value @ Listing                         | \$3.2m               |  |

### Offer and Timeline



| Description <sup>1,3</sup>   | Minimum<br>Subscription | Maximum<br>Subscription |
|--|-------------------------|-------------------------|
|  | \$5,000,000             | \$5,500,000.00          |
| Offer price per Share  | \$0.20                  | \$0.20                  |
| Shares currently on issue <sup>2</sup>                               | 5,936,614               | 5,936,614               |
| Shares to be issued under the Offer                                  | 25,000,000              | 27,500,000              |
| Shares to be issued as part consideration for the Acquisition        | 7,600,000               | 7,600,000               |
| Shares to be issued to the Facilitator                               | 590,000                 | 590,000                 |
| Shares to be issued to the Lenders in satisfaction of existing debts | 1,964,538               | 1,964,538               |
| Gross Proceeds of the Offer  | \$5,000,000             | \$5,500,000             |
| Shares on issue Post-Listing (undiluted) <sup>4</sup>                | 41,091,152              | 43,591,152              |
| Market Capitalisation Post-Listing (undiluted) <sup>5</sup>          | \$8,218,230             | \$8,718,230             |
| Enterprise Value @ listing (undiluted)                               | \$3,218,230             | \$3,218,230             |
| Options on issue Post-Listing <sup>4</sup>                           | 9,685,640               | 9,685,640               |
| Shares on issue Post-Listing (fully diluted)                         | 50,776,792              | 53,276,600              |
| Market Capitalisation Post-Listing (fully diluted)⁵                  | \$10,155,358            | \$10,655,358            |

| Indicative Timeline                          |              |
|--|--------------|
| Lodgement of Prospectus with ASIC            | 7 May 2021   |
| Exposure Period begins                       | 7 May 2021   |
| Opening Date                                 | 17 May 2021  |
| Closing Date                                 | 14 June 2021 |
| Issue of Shares under the Offer              | 21 June 2021 |
| Dispatch of holding statements               | 25 June 2021 |
| Expected date for quotation of shares on ASX | 2 July 2021  |

#### Notes:

- The Consolidation of the Company's issued capital (on the basis that every eight (8) Shares be consolidated into one (1) Share) is to be approved by Shareholders at the upcoming General Meeting. Unless otherwise stated, all references in this Prospectus are on a post-Consolidation basis and are subject to rounding of individual Shareholdings.
- 2. The total of 5,936,422 Shares on issue as at the date of this Prospectus includes the issue of 2,500,000 Shares at \$0.14 per Share under the Pre-IPO Capital Raising to raise \$350,000 (before costs).
- Refer to Section 5.6 with respect to the proposed impact of the Offers and Acquisition on the capital structure of the Company.
- . Certain Shares and Options on issue post-listing will be subject to ASX-imposed escrow. Refer to Section 5.8 for further details.
- . Assuming a Share price of \$0.20, however the Company notes that the Shares may trade above or below this price.

### Strong Copper Thematic



# Strong market fundamentals are anticipated to form a demand/supply imbalance

#### **Demand**

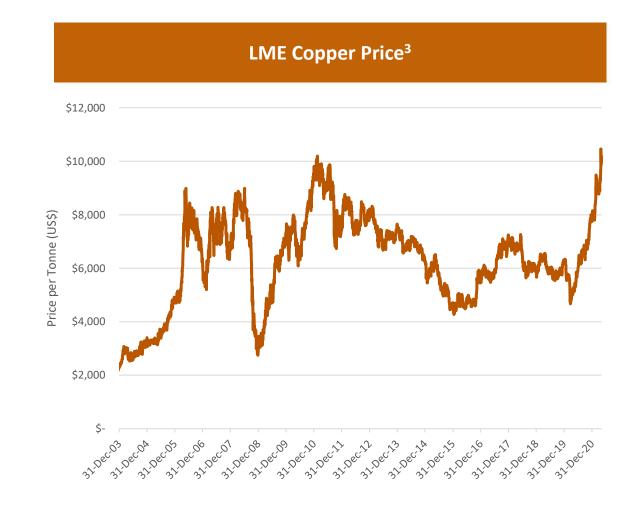
- Copper is a critical component in the transition to a lowcarbon, green economy
  - Electric vehicles (EV), solar, wind-farms and batteries/energy storage all require significant Cu inputs
- Global economic resilience supports industrialisation demand

#### Supply

3. IRESS Data

- Mine grades globally are declining<sup>1</sup>
- Limited exploration and project development<sup>2</sup>

Strong copper thematic anticipated to deliver enhanced corporate activity from majors



<sup>1.</sup> https://www.argusmedia.com/en/news/2134947-grade-declines-resource-depletion-to-impact-cu-bhp#:~:text=Australian%2DUK%20resources%20group%20BHP,t%2Fyr%20by%20that%20time. 2 Goldman Sachs commodities research: Green Metals, Copper is the new oil, 13 April 2021

### Clean Tech Demands Copper





#### **Electric Vehicles**

- An EV requires 5x the amount of Cu than an internal combustion vehicle
- The cabling for EV charging stations contains up to 25kg of Cu
- Cu is contained in the battery and motor

**Copper Demand** 

2.6Mt - 3.2Mt

in 2030

40%

of the green copper demand



### **Solar Technology**

- Cu is critical for efficiency and performance of solar panels
- 4.6t of Cu are required per MW in a solar power system
- Cu is contained in interconnectors, wiring and investors

**Copper Demand** 

1.6Mt - 3.3Mt

in 2030

25%

of the green copper demand



#### **Wind Farms**

- A 3 MW wind turbine contains up to 4.7t of Cu
- Offshore projects to require twice as much Cu than onshore
- Cu is contained in cables, generators and transformers

**Copper Demand** 

1.3Mt - 2.1Mt

in 2030

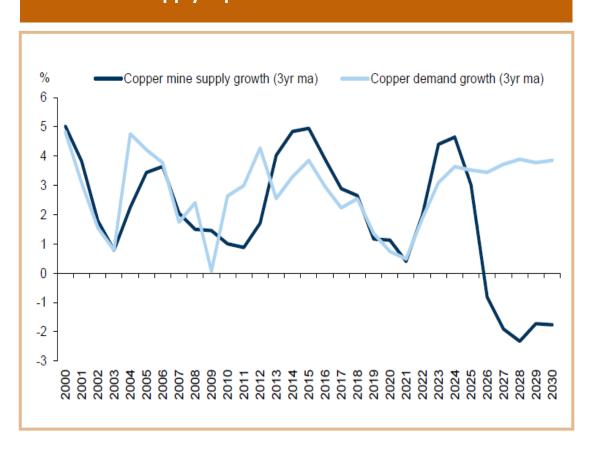
20%

of the green copper demand

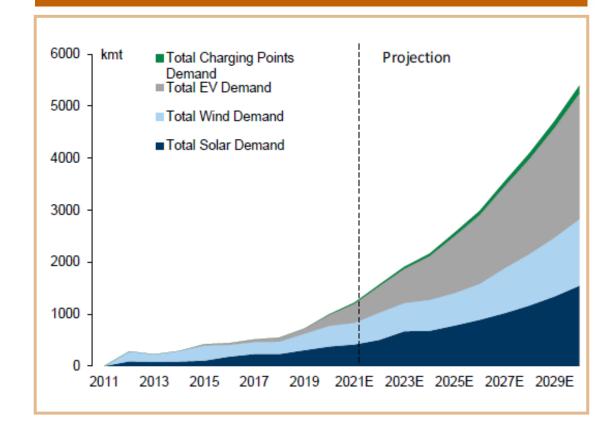
### Mine Supply and Green Demand



#### Mine supply is predicted to fall below demand



#### Green electrification is set to drive demand



### Investment Highlights



Resource Base Limited (ASX: RBX) is a mineral exploration company focused on the development of highly prospective exploration projects with demonstrated potential for scalable discoveries









#### **Established Region**

Black Range Project is located in the well-known and highly prospective Stavely Volcanics corridor in north-west Victoria.

#### **Recognised VHMS**

Project is host to a recognised copper-gold volcanic-hosted massive sulphide (VHMS) system known as the Eclipse Prospect. Where a supergene blanket of enriched copper (chalcocite) mineralisation is developed above widespread copper, gold and zinc mineralisation.

#### **Untested Targets**

Opportunity to test the potential of a 4km strike of a defined volcanic graben at Eclipse.

Multiple, untested base metal and gold targets over approximately 100km of Stavely Arc volcanics.

### **Exploration Program**

Aggressive exploration program at the Eclipse Prospect, focused on quickly establishing an initial inferred JORC compliant resource from existing geological data within 6 months of listing and establishing the potential size and scale of the entire Project area.

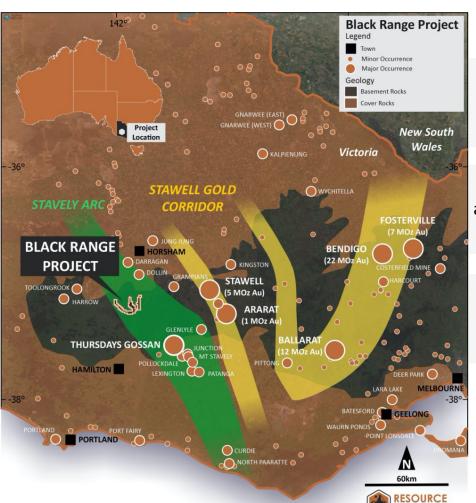
### Black Range Project



Acquiring 100% of the Black Range Project (EL4590) from Navarre Minerals Limited (ASX:NML) in an all script deal. NML join the register as a substantial shareholder

Targeting volcanic massive sulphide, epithermal and porphyry copper-gold deposits

Project host to a recognised copper-gold volcanic hosted massive sulphide (VHMS) system known as the Eclipse Prospect



North of the recent Thursdays Gossan copper discovery by Stavely Minerals Limited (ASX:SVY)

Rich Chalcocite copper blanket located at the Eclipse prospect with grades up to 3% Cu and 2.95g/t Au

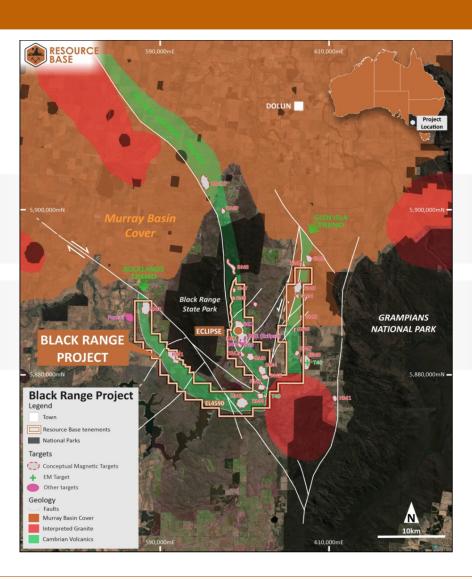
Massive Sulphide clasts intersected

### Black Range Project



Multiple, untested targets over approximately 100km of Stavely Arc volcanics.

The Cambrian aged volcanics within the Project area are under explored due to presence of cover rock units

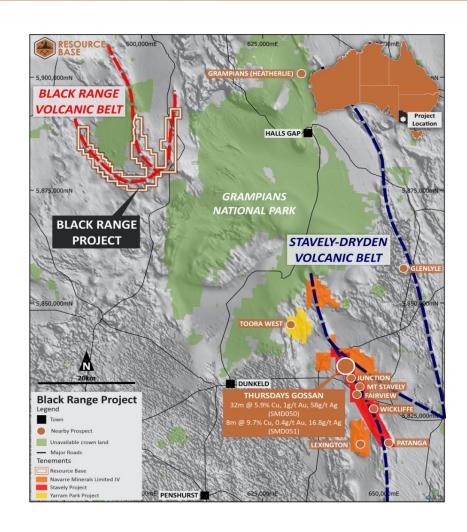


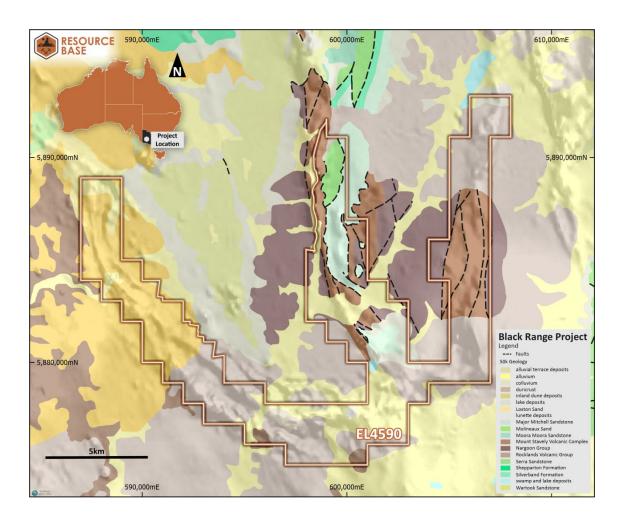
Discovery of a number of copper and gold prospects such as Eclipse, Lexington and Pollockdale.

Further geophysical test work will be also required throughout the Eclipse basin so as to define the source and opportunity.

# Black Range Project







### Interpreted Volcanic Basin



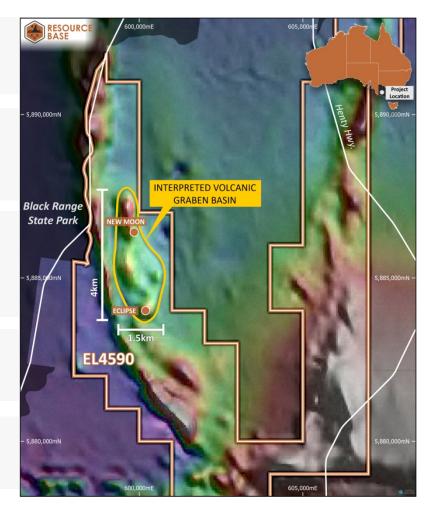
The volcaniclastic / volcanic sequence has alteration trends and a geochemical composition that is confirmatory of the settings that would host a VMS system

Massive sulphide mineralisation and clastic sulphides have been intercepted in drill core within the sequence stratigraphy, and within specific settings that could allow for the development of the "Holy Host" of the VMS system

The alteration of the sequence stratigraphy is dominated by Chlorite and Sericite development, with the broad scale of the alteration typical of footwall alteration and is very typical of sub-seafloor replacement type VMS deposits such as Rosebery and Hercules in western Tasmania (of which the Stavely Volcanics is identical in timing of formation to these related deposits)

Researchers have shown that the lithological and geochemical anomalism noted indicates the potential to be near to potential economic mineralization

Geophysical features noted by the aeromagnetics places a regional "graben" like feature that incorporates the Eclipse occurrence to the south and New Moon occurrence to the north

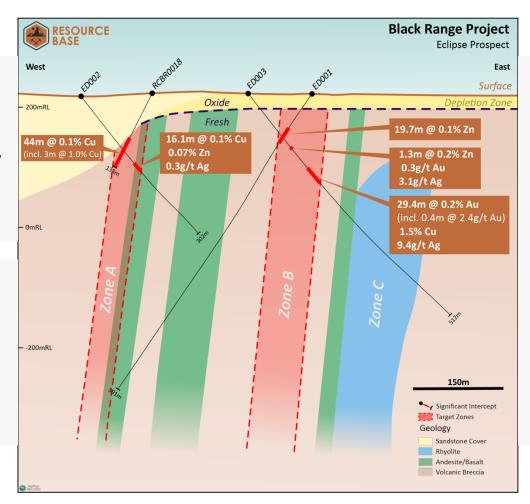


### **Eclipse Prospect**



Recent diamond drilling at the Eclipse Prospect targeted under the known supergene chalcocite mineralisation and supported geophysical data to try and identify the primary sulphide source of the copper mineralisation

Drilling identified VHMS style polymetallic mineralisation concentrated on three stratigraphic horizons, Horizons A, B and C



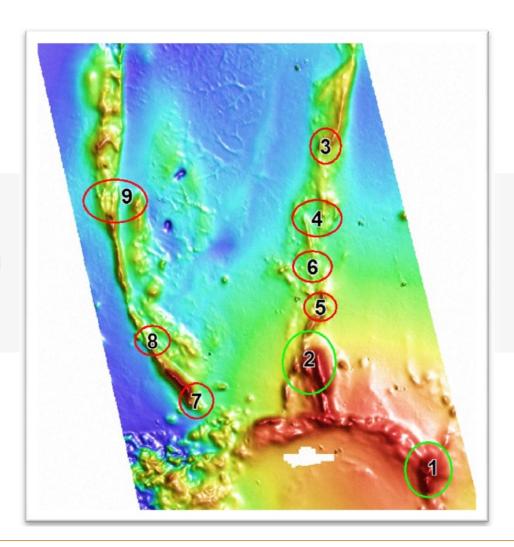
#### Massive sulphide clasts

were observed in epiclastic units at various locations in drillhole ED003 which suggests massive sulphide mineralisation is more widespread than primary examples intersected in the vicinity of drilling

### **Additional Targets**



Areas to the north and south of the Eclipse (8) and New Moon (9) basin will be explored to locate primary source



Targets apart from Eclipse defined by Buckingham and Core (2010):

Green = Mt Lyell style

Red = Hellyer–Rosebery style.

# Catalysts indicative milestones

Q1 2022

Reverse circulation / Diamond Drilling

H2 2021

Initial AC drill campaign, regional soils

Q4 2021

AC drill results

Q3 2021

Initial inferred JORC from existing drill data

Q2 2021

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**Regional Work Plans** 

Q3 2021

Regional Geophysics, soil targets





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