

## HONEY BADGER SILVER INC.

## **Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements**

For the Three and Nine Months Ended September 30, 2023, and 2022

(Expressed in Canadian Dollars)

#### NOTICE OF NO AUDITOR REVIEW OF CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Under National Instrument 51-102, Part 4, subsection 4.3(3) (a), if an auditor has not performed a review of the interim financial statements, the financial statements must be accompanied by a notice indicating that the interim financial statements have not been reviewed by an auditor. The accompanying financial statements of the Company have been prepared and are the responsibility of the Company's management ("Management"). The Company's independent auditor has not performed a review of these interim financial statements in accordance with standards established by the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada for a review of interim financial statements by an entity's auditor.



## **Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Financial Position (Unaudited)**

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

| As at                                      |       | September 30, | December 31, |
|--|-------|---------------|--------------|
|  |       | 2023          | 2022         |
|  | Note  | \$            | \$           |
| Assets                                     |       |               |              |
| Current assets                             |       |               |              |
| Cash and cash equivalents                  | 3     | 686,486       | 544,478      |
| Marketable securities                      | 4     | 34,696        | 32,613       |
| Taxes and other receivables                |       | 34,486        | 34,443       |
| Prepaid expenses                           |       | 26,238        | 27,443       |
| Total Assets                               |       | 781,906       | 638,977      |
|  |       |               |              |
| Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity       |       |               |              |
| Current liabilities                        |       |               |              |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities   | 6     | 315,949       | 118,295      |
| Due to related parties                     | 9     | 236,281       | 188,791      |
| Flow-through share premium liability       | 7     | 9,065         | _            |
| Total Liabilities                          |       | 561,295       | 307,086      |
| Shareholders' Equity                       |       |               |              |
| Share capital                              | 8(a)  | 17,893,319    | 17,056,261   |
| Warrants                                   | 8(b)  | 1,224,496     | 858,442      |
| Contributed surplus                        | 8(c)  | 4,502,623     | 4,422,496    |
| Accumulated deficit                        | - (-) | (23,399,827)  | (22,005,308) |
| Total Shareholders' Equity                 |       | 220,611       | 331,891      |
| Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity |       | 781,906       | 638,977      |

Nature of operations and going concern (note 1) Commitments (note 10)

## Approved on behalf of the Board of Directors:

(Signed) "Chad Williams"(Signed) "John H. Hill"DirectorDirector



# Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Loss and Comprehensive Loss (Unaudited)

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

|   |       | Three      | months ended  | Nine r     | nonths ended |
|---|-------|------------|---------------|------------|--------------|
|   |       | :          | September 30, | S          | eptember 30, |
|   | Notes | 2023       | 2022          | 2023       | 2022         |
|   |       | \$         | \$            | \$         | \$           |
| Expenses  |       |            |               |            |              |
| Exploration expenditures                              | 5     | 216,449    | 154,542       | 297,475    | 595,203      |
| General and administrative                            |       | 33,018     | 18,111        | 46,559     | 48,552       |
| Investor relations and travel                         |       | 106,766    | 41,691        | 242,706    | 273,156      |
| Management fees                                       | 9     | 165,750    | 111,825       | 514,020    | 325,800      |
| Professional and consulting fees                      |       | 64,533     | 25,866        | 174,633    | 117,627      |
| Regulatory fees and transfer agent                    |       | 11,247     | 11,650        | 47,807     | 47,298       |
|   |       | 597,763    | 363,685       | 1,323,200  | 1,407,636    |
| Share-based compensation                              | 8,9   | 43,041     | 52,782        | 78,263     | 158,346      |
| Loss before under noted items:                        |       | 640,804    | 416,467       | 1,401,463  | 1,565,982    |
| Unrealized (gain) loss on marketable                  |       |            |               |            |              |
| securities  | 4     | -          | 28,786        | (2,082)    | 94,012       |
| Gain on flow-through premium                          | 7     | (6,929)    | -             | (6,929)    | (27,450)     |
| Interest income                                       |       | (26)       | (3,548)       | (2,071)    | (6,734)      |
| Foreign exchange loss                                 |       | 1,112      | 1,084         | 4,138      | 1,056        |
| Net loss and comprehensive loss                       |       | 634,961    | 442,789       | 1,394,519  | 1,626,866    |
|   |       |            |               |            |              |
| Loss per share - basic and diluted                    |       | \$0.02     | \$0.01        | \$0.04     | \$0.05       |
| Weighted average number of common                     |       |            |               |            |              |
| shares outstanding – basic and diluted <sup>(1)</sup> |       | 39,476,491 | 31,173,448    | 36,137,446 | 31,173,448   |

<sup>(1)</sup> Weighted average number of common shares outstanding has been restated to give effect to a retroactive consolidation – See note 7.

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these interim financial statements.



# Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Cash Flows (Unaudited)

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

Issuance of broker warrants

| For the nine months ended September 30,         | 2023        | 2022        |
|---|-------------|-------------|
|   | \$          | \$          |
| Operating activities                            |             |             |
| Loss for the period                             | (1,394,519) | (1,626,866) |
| Items not affecting cash:                       |             |             |
| Share-based compensation                        | 78,263      | 158,346     |
| Unrealized (gain) loss on marketable securities | (2,083)     | 94,012      |
| Gain on flow-through premium                    | (6,929)     | (27,450)    |
| Net change in non-cash working capital items:   |             |             |
| Taxes and other receivables                     | (44)        | 106,773     |
| Prepaid expenses                                | 1,205       | 6,350       |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities        | 245,145     | 35,315      |
| Net cash used in operating activities           | (1,078,962) | (1,253,519) |
|   |             |             |
| Financing activities                            |             |             |
| Proceeds from private placement                 | 1,261,450   | -           |
| Share issuance costs                            | (40,480)    | _           |
| Net cash provided by financing activities       | 1,220,970   | _           |
|   |             |             |
| Change in cash and cash equivalents             | 142,008     | (1,253,519) |
|   |             |             |
| Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period  | 544,478     | 2,143,956   |
| Cash and cash equivalents, end of period        | 686,486     | 890,437     |
|   |             |             |
| Supplemental cash-flow disclosure:              |             |             |
| Income tax paid                                 | _           | _           |
| Interest paid                                   | _           | _           |
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## Statements of Changes in Shareholders' Equity (Unaudited)

(Expressed in Canadian dollars)

|                                     |      | Share Capital    |               | Rese      | rves                   | Shareholder Equ        | ity (Deficit) |
|-------------------------------------|------|------------------|---------------|-----------|------------------------|------------------------|---------------|
|                                     | Note | Common<br>Shares | Share Capital | Warrants  | Contributed<br>Surplus | Accumulated<br>Deficit | Total         |
|                                     |      | #                | \$            | \$        | \$                     | \$                     | \$            |
| Balance at December 31, 2021        |      | 31,173,448       | 17,056,261    | 1,086,664 | 3,983,146              | (20,368,507)           | 1,757,564     |
| Expiry of warrants                  |      | _                | _             | (228,222) | 228,222                | _                      | _             |
| Share-based compensation            |      | _                | —             | —         | 158,346                | -                      | 158,346       |
| Loss for the period                 |      | _                | _             | _         | _                      | (1,626,866)            | (1,626,866)   |
| Balance at September 30, 2022       |      | 31,173,448       | 17,056,261    | 858,442   | 4,369,714              | (21,995,373)           | 289,044       |
| Share-based compensation            |      | _                | _             | _         | 52,782                 | _                      | 52,782        |
| Loss for the period                 |      | _                | _             | _         | _                      | (9,935)                | (9,935)       |
| Balance at December 31, 2022        |      | 31,173,448       | 17,056,261    | 858,442   | 4,422,496              | (22,005,308)           | 331,891       |
| Share issued for private placements | 8(a) | 8,303,043        | 1,261,450     | —         | _                      | -                      | 1,261,450     |
| Share issue costs <sup>(2)</sup>    |      | _                | (48,058)      | 7,578     | _                      | _                      | (40,480)      |
| Issuance of warrants                | 8(b) | _                | (360,340)     | 360,340   | _                      | _                      | _             |
| Expiry of warrants                  | 8(b) | _                | -             | (1,864)   | 1,864                  | _                      | _             |
| Share-based compensation            | 8(c) | _                | _             | _         | 78,263                 | _                      | 78,263        |
| Premium on flow-through shares      | 7    | —                | (15,994)      | —         | —                      | —                      | (15,994)      |
| Loss for the period                 |      | _                | _             | _         | _                      | (1,394,519)            | (1,394,519)   |
| Balance at September 30, 2023       |      | 39,476,491       | 17,893,319    | 1,224,496 | 4,502,623              | (23,399,827)           | 220,611       |

(1) The number of common shares in this table is restated to give effect to a retroactive consolidation- See note 8.

(2) Included in this number is the fair value of \$7,578 estimated for the warrants issued to brokers pursuant to the April Offering.

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these interim financial statements.

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## 1. Nature of Operations and Going Concern

Honey Badger Silver Inc. ("Honey Badger" or the "Company") was incorporated in Ontario, in 1992. The Company's corporate office is located at 401 Bay Street, Suite 2704, Toronto, Ontario M5H 2Y4 and its common shares are traded on the TSX Venture Exchange ("TSXV") under the symbol "TUF" and on the OTCQB Market Exchange under the trading symbol "HBEIF".

Honey Badger is engaged in the identification and acquisition of silver-based and other metals-based assets, including high-grade properties, projects with existing mineral resources/reserves, and cash-flowing metal royalties and streams.

The accompanying condensed consolidated interim financial statements ("Interim Financial Statements") have been prepared on a going concern basis of presentation, which contemplates the realization of assets and liquidation of liabilities in the normal course of business. The Company is currently in the exploration stage and has not commenced commercial operations. For the nine months ended September 30, 2023, the Company had a loss of \$1,394,519 (2022 - \$1,626,866) and an accumulated deficit of \$23,399,827 (December 31, 2022 - \$22,005,308).

These Interim Financial Statements do not give effect to adjustments that would be necessary should the Company be unable to continue as a going concern and, therefore, need to realize its assets and liquidate its liabilities and commitments in other than the normal course of business and at amounts different from those in the accompanying Interim Financial Statements. In assessing whether the going concern assumption is appropriate, Management takes into account all available information about the future, which is at least, but not limited to, three months from the end of the reporting period.

Although the Company has taken steps to verify title to the exploration and evaluation properties in which it has a property interest, in accordance with industry standards for the current stage of exploration of such interests, these procedures do not guarantee the Company's title. Property titles may be subject to government licensing requirements or regulations, social licensing requirements, unregistered prior agreements, unregistered claims, aboriginal claims, and non-compliance with regulatory and environmental requirements. The Company's assets may also be subject to increases in taxes and royalties, renegotiation of contracts, expropriation of properties, and political uncertainty.

Working capital at September 30, 2023, is \$220,612 (December 31, 2022 - \$331,891). From April 11, 2023 to May 24, 2023 the Company completed a non-brokered hard dollar and flow-through private placement, for aggregate gross proceeds of \$1,261,450 (collectively the "April Offering").

Management believes the Company has sufficient funding to meet the ongoing general and administrative expenses incurred to maintain operations for the short term, however, depending on exploration results and the Company's plans for impending and future acquisitions, the Company may need to raise additional funds, through the issuance of equity or debt. Although the Company has been successful in raising funding to date there can be no assurance that adequate or sufficient funding will be available in the future, or available under terms acceptable to the Company. In the event the Company is unable to secure further financing, it may not be able to make additional acquisitions or advance exploration, therefore, for these reasons, there may exist material uncertainties that cast significant doubt on the ability of the Company to continue as a going concern.



## 2. Significant Accounting Policies

#### Statement of compliance

The Company applies International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") and interpretations issued by the International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee ("IFRIC"). These unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard ("IASB") 34, *Interim Financial Reporting*. Accordingly, they do not include all of the information required for full annual financial statements required by IFRS as issued by IASB and interpretations issued by IFRIC.

The policies applied in the Interim Financial Statements are based on IFRS issued and outstanding as of the date of filing this report. The same accounting policies and methods of computation followed in these Interim Financial Statements are set out in note 2 of the most recently filed annual (audited) financial statements as at and for the year ended December 31, 2022 (the "Annual Financial Statements"), except where noted below. Any subsequent changes to IFRS that are given effect in the Company's annual (audited) financial statements for the year ending December 31, 2023, could result in the restatement of these Interim Financial Statements.

These Interim Financial Statements are presented in Canadian dollars, the Company's functional currency. All amounts have been rounded to the nearest dollar unless otherwise noted.

These Interim Financial Statements were authorized for issue by the Board of Directors on November 27, 2023.

#### **Basis of presentation**

These Interim Financial Statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis except for certain financial instruments that have been measured at fair value. In addition, these Interim Financial Statements have been prepared using the accrual basis of accounting, except for cash flow information.

#### **Basis of consolidation**

These Interim Financial Statements include the accounts of the Company, and its wholly owned subsidiaries: 606596 Alberta Ltd., The Thunder Bay Silver & Cobalt Corp., Silver Storm Royalties Inc. (formerly 2815210 Ontario Limited), Honey Badger Silver (Nunavut) Ltd. and Honey Badger Chile, SpA, all of which have no assets in the current or prior period. All intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated.

#### Significant accounting judgments, estimates and assumptions

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with IFRS requires Management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and reported amounts of expenses during the reporting period. Judgments, estimates, and assumptions are continuously evaluated and are based on Management's best knowledge of the relevant facts and circumstances, having regard to previous experience. However, actual outcomes may differ from the amounts included in the financial statements.



Significant assumptions about the future and other sources of estimation uncertainty that Management has made at the end of the reporting period, that could have an effect on the amounts recognized in the Interim Financial Statements relate to the following:

- *Going concern* the preparation of these Interim Financial Statements requires Management to make judgments regarding the going concern of the Company as previously discussed in note 1 above.
- Income taxes and the recovery of deferred taxes the measurement of income taxes payable and deferred income tax assets and liabilities requires Management to make judgments in the interpretations and application of the relevant tax laws. The actual amount of income taxes only becomes final upon filing and acceptance of the tax return by the relevant authorities, which occurs subsequent to the issuance of these Interim Financial Statements.
- Deferred Flow-Through Premium Estimates recorded costs of flow-through share premium liabilities
  reflect premiums received by the Company on the issue of flow-through shares. The premium is subject
  to measurement uncertainties and requires the Company to assess the value of non-flow-through shares.
  The determination is subjective and does not necessarily provide a reliable single measure of the fair
  value of the premium liability.
- Share-based compensation estimating fair value for granted stock options requires determining the most appropriate valuation model which is dependent on the terms and conditions of the grant. This estimate also requires determining the most appropriate inputs to the valuation model including the expected life of the option, volatility, dividend yield, and rate of forfeitures and making assumptions about them. The value of the share-based payment expense for the period along with the assumptions and model used for estimating fair value for share-based compensation transactions are disclosed in note 8 of these Interim Financial Statements.
- Warrants The Company may issue units in their financings, comprised of common shares and common share purchase warrants. The fair value of the warrants issued on the closing, is estimated, and reflected in the reserve for warrants account until such time that the warrants are exercised, at which time the corresponding amount will be transferred to share capital. If the warrants expire unexercised, the amount recorded is transferred to contributed surplus.

## Adoption of New Accounting Standards

Certain pronouncements have been issued by the IASB or the IFRIC that are effective for accounting periods on or after January 1, 2023. The Company has reviewed these updated standards and determined that none of these updates are applicable or consequential to the Company and have been excluded from discussion within these Interim Financial Statements.

#### 3. Cash and Cash Equivalents

|               | September 30, | December 31, |
|---------------|---------------|--------------|
| As at         | 2023          | 2022         |
| Cash          | \$686,486     | \$44,478     |
| Term deposits | —             | 500,000      |
|               | \$686,486     | \$544,478    |



## 4. Marketable Securities

On June 8, 2020, the Company received common shares of Blue Thunder Mining Inc. in consideration for the sale of exploration data valued at \$320,000.

The following sets out the changes to marketable securities during the year ended December 31, 2022 and the nine months ended September 30, 2023:

| Balance, December 31, 2021                      | \$114,148 |
|---|-----------|
| Unrealized gain (loss) on marketable securities | (81,535)  |
| Balance, December 31, 2022                      | \$32,613  |
| Unrealized gain (loss) on marketable securities | 2,083     |
| Balance, September 30, 2023                     | \$34,696  |

At the end of each reporting period, Management revalues the fair value of the marketable securities held at period end, using the closing price of the Company's shares, as reported on the TSXV. For the nine months ended September 30, 2023, the Company recorded an unrealized gain of \$2,083 (2022 – loss of \$94,012), using this pricing mechanism.

## 5. Mineral Property Interests and Exploration and Evaluation Expenditures ("E&E")

#### Yukon Silver Properties

On June 4, 2021, the Company acquired the rights, title, and 100% interest in three advanced, silver-focused properties located in southeast and south-central Yukon, Canada (the "Acquisition"), from Strategic Metals Ltd. ("Strategic Metals"). The properties are comprised of Plata, Groundhog, and Hy. Consideration for 100% interest in the properties was the issuance of 34,804,718 common shares valued at \$4,524,613.

#### (i) Plata

Plata lies within the Tintina Gold Belt and displays many similarities to the Keno Hill Silver Camp located about 180 km to the west. The Keno Hill Silver Camp is Canada's second-largest primary producer of silver with production from approximately thirty-five vein deposits between 1913 and 1989. A reported 2,041 tonnes of hand-sorted material were shipped from high-grade veins on the Plata property to a smelter, yielding about 9,020 kg (290,000 ounces) of silver; this equates to a recovered silver grade of approximately 4,420 grams per tonne (g/t) silver (Turner, 2009).

A total of 308 soil and 56 rock chip samples were collected and are being assayed. Assay results will be released when they have been received and interpreted. The objective of this year's field program was to further define the exploration targets at Plata and to define drill targets for future testing

#### (ii) Groundhog

Silver mineralization was first discovered in the road-accessible Groundhog area in 1956. Since that time over one hundred showings have been discovered in the district by various operators. One of these showings was bulk sampled in 1988 and 1995. This work resulted in the removal of 52.5 tonnes grading approximately 3,800 g/t silver. A rock sample from the property returned 11,663.5 g/t silver (Kammerer and Turner, 2010).



(iii) Hy

The road accessible Hy property covers many silver occurrences that were first discovered on the property in 1964. Three mineralized zones were the primary focus of past exploration with the areas between them essentially unexplored. Bulldozer trenching uncovered a chip sample that yielded 370.3 g/t silver over 3.2 metres (Mitchell, 2015).

#### (iv) Clear Lake

On March 29, 2022, the Company completed the acquisition of a 100% interest in a deposit in the Whitehorse Mining District of the Yukon ("Clear Lake"). Total consideration for Clear Lake was \$250,000 cash and the grant of a 1% Net Smelter Royalty ("NSR") on all metals other than silver.

During the nine months ended September 30, 2023, the Company received a grant of \$28,438 from the Yukon government to supplement its Yukon E&E.

#### Nanisivik Project, Nunavut, Canada

In September 2021, the Company map staked 3 claims covering 4,850 hectares on the historic Nanisivik mine on Baffin Island, Nunavut, which produced 17.9 million tons of ore between 1976 and 2002, grading 9% zinc, 0.72% lead, and 35 grams per ton silver. The Company staked claims totaling 5,723 hectares over the Nanisivik mine area in 2022.

In addition to the ore that was mined, previous exploration identified several areas of massive sulphide (principally pyrite) with reported anomalous concentrations of silver as well as, locally, germanium, gallium, and indium.

#### James Bay Territory, Quebec

The Company holds 45 claims in 7 blocks covering 2,275 hectares in the James Bay area of Quebec. The Company has compiled available data on these properties and is assessing and evaluating next steps.

#### **Thunder Bay, Ontario Properties**

#### Thunder Bay Silver & Cobalt Corp.

On June 7, 2018, the Company acquired Thunder Bay Silver & Cobalt Corp., a private company that holds certain mineral claims in the historic Thunder Bay Silver District ("Thunder Bay"). The property is subject to a 2.5% net smelter royalty ("NSR") which may be repurchased for \$1,500,000. Effective September 30, 2023, the Company has agreed to focus on other projects.

On July 20, 2021, the Company acquired an 80% interest in certain additional silver properties in Thunder Bay, from Romios Gold Resources ("Romios Gold"), for the issuance of 1,103,506 common shares, valued at \$77,245. Effective September 30, 2023, the Company determined that it is not in the Company's best interests to proceed with the further exploration of this mineral property interest. Accordingly, it has terminated the agreement with Romios and will transfer the properties back to Romios as required.

#### Beaver Silver Property

On July 19, 2018, the Company entered into a three-year option agreement (the "Agreement") to acquire up to a 100% interest in the Beaver Silver Property from Cairngorm Mines Ltd. Consideration for the acquisition included a) cash payments totaling \$75,000, b) spending \$750,000 on exploration and c) the issuance of common shares with a market value of \$410,000. The Company did not meet the acquisition requirements and the Agreement lapsed.



## Cachinal Project, Chile

On February 14, 2023, the Company signed a Definitive Agreement for the purchase of the Cachinal, Chile Project from Aftermath Silver Ltd. ("Aftermath"). The consideration for the acquisition included cash payable in installments and the issuance of common shares. Following a lengthy due diligence, it was agreed to terminate the transaction and the Agreement lapsed. No payments were made, and no common shares were issued in connection with the acquisition.

See note 13 – Subsequent event.

The following comprises the exploration and evaluation expenditures ("E&E") incurred by the Company for the nine months ended September 30, 2023 and 2022:

|                          | September 30, | September 30 |
|--------------------------|---------------|--------------|
|                          | 2023          | 2022         |
| CANADA                   |               |              |
| Yukon                    |               |              |
| Acquisition, maintenance | \$24,039      | \$270,233    |
| E&E                      | 138,881       | 147,668      |
| Less government grant    | (28,438)      | -            |
|                          | 134,482       | 417,901      |
| Thunder Bay              |               |              |
| Acquisition, maintenance | 27,411        | 22,913       |
| E&E                      | -             | 25,140       |
|                          | 27,411        | 48,053       |
| Nunavut                  |               |              |
| Acquisition, maintenance | -             | 13,590       |
| E&E                      | 41,597        | 2,304        |
|                          | 41,597        | 15,894       |
| CHILE                    |               |              |
| Acquisition, maintenance | -             | _            |
| E&E                      | 60,228        | 110,916      |
|                          | 60,228        | 110,916      |
| OTHER                    |               |              |
| Acquisition, maintenance | 2,865         | 2,439        |
| E&E                      | 30,892        | · _          |
|                          | 33,757        | 2,439        |
|                          |               |              |
|                          | \$297,475     | \$595,203    |



## 6. Amounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities

|                     | September 30, | December 31, |
|---------------------|---------------|--------------|
| As at               | 2023          | 2022         |
| Accounts payable    | \$369,029     | \$181,774    |
| Related parties     | 158,701       | 98,819       |
| Accrued liabilities | 24,500        | 26,493       |
|                     | \$552,230     | \$307,086    |

## 7. Deferred Premium Liability on Flow-through Shares

The premium paid for FT shares in excess of the market value of the shares without the flow-through features is initially recognized as a liability. The liability is subsequently reduced and recorded in the consolidated statements of loss and comprehensive loss as a gain, on a pro-rata basis, based on the corresponding Canadian Eligible Exploration ("CEE") expenditures that have been incurred. Total premium liability of \$15,594 was recognized in respect of the April and May 2023 flow-through financings. During the nine months ended September 30, 2023, the Company incurred \$110,864 of qualified expenditures, and a liability of \$6,929 (2022- \$27,450) was derecognized through income as a gain on the statement of profit and loss. The Company has committed to spend \$255,900 on CEE by no later than December 31, 2024. Derecognition of the deferred premium liability will occur as the CEE is incurred.

The following is a continuity schedule of the liability of the flow-through share issuances:

| Balance, December 31, 2022                        | \$—     |
|---|---------|
| Share premium liability recognized                | 15,994  |
| Share premium derecognized                        | (6,929) |
| Balance, December 31, 2022 and September 30, 2023 | \$9,065 |

#### 8. Shareholders' Equity

#### a) Common shares

The authorized share capital consists of an unlimited number of common shares (issued 39,476,488 common shares) having no par value. All issued shares are fully paid for.

On January 20, 2023, a consolidation of the Company's common shares took effect. A resolution to consolidate Honey Badger's common shares on the basis of one post-consolidation common share for every 5.7 pre-consolidation common shares issued and outstanding was previously approved by the shareholders, at the Company's Annual General and Special Meeting held on December 15, 2022. The issued and outstanding common shares post-consolidation is 31,173,448. Further, options and warrants issued and outstanding have also been reduced and restated on the same 5.7 ratio basis.



(ii) Between April 11 and May 24, 2023 (the "Closing Period") the Company completed a non-brokered hard dollar and flow-through ("FT") dollar private placement, for aggregate gross proceeds of \$1,261,450 (the "April Offering"). The hard dollar component of the April Offering involved the sale of 6,703,668 units ("HD Units") at a price of \$0.15 per HD Unit for gross proceeds of \$1,005,550. Each HD Unit consists of one common share of the Company ("Common Share") and one-half of a Common Share purchase warrant. The FT dollar component of the April Offering involved the sale of 1,599,375 units ("FT Units") at a price of \$0.16 per FT Unit for aggregate proceeds of \$255,900. Each FT Unit consists of one FT Common Share and one-half of a Common Share purchase warrant. All securities issued pursuant to the April Offering were subject to a four-month statutory hold period under Canadian securities laws. In connection with the April Offering, a total of \$48,058 was recorded as share issue costs, incurred for agents' commissions, transfer agent and legal fees, and the fair value determined for the issuance of 51,940 broker warrants. These warrants have the same terms as the HD and FT Warrants.

## b) Reserve for Warrants

From time to time the Company issues warrants as part of equity financings. The fair value of warrants is recognized upon issuance to reserve for warrants, until expiration or exercise.

- (i) During the Closing Period, the Company issued 3,351,834 HD Warrants in connection with the April Offering. Each whole HD Warrant entitles the holder to acquire one Common Share at a price of \$0.18 for a period of 36 months from the date of closing. Using the Black-Scholes option pricing model, a fair value of \$290,984 was assigned to the HD Warrants using the following assumptions: expected dividend yield of 0%; risk-free interest rates of 3.29%-3.71%; volatilities of 133%-158%, and an expected life of 36 months. Volatility was estimated based on the historical volatility of the Company.
- (ii) Also during the Closing Period, the Company issued a total of 799,688 FT Warrants. Each whole FT Warrant entitles the holder to acquire one Common Share at a price of \$0.18 for a period of 36 months from the date of closing. Using the Black-Scholes option pricing model, a fair value of \$69,356 was assigned to the FT Warrants using the following assumptions: expected dividend yield of 0%; risk-free interest rates of 3.29%-3.71%; volatility of 133%-158%, and an expected life of 36 months. Volatility was estimated based on the historical volatility of the Company.
- (iii) Finally, and also during the Closing Period, the Company issued 51,940 broker warrants in connection with the April Offering. These warrants carry the same terms as the HD and FT Warrants and a fair value of \$7,578 was assigned to the broker warrants using the same Black-Scholes option pricing model assumptions as in items (i)and (ii).
- (iv) On July 2, 2023 a total of 20,162 warrants expired.



(v) The following is the activity to warrants reserve, during the year ended December 31, 2022, and the nine months ended September 30, 2023:

|                             | Number<br>of warrants | Weighted<br>average<br>exercise<br>price |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| Balance, December 31, 2021  | 5,906,754             | \$0.46                                   |
| Expired                     | (2,127,194)           | (0.28)                                   |
| Balance, December 31, 2022  | 3,779,560             | 0.57                                     |
| Issued – HD 8(b)(i)         | 3,351,834             | 0.18                                     |
| Issued – FT 8(b)(ii)        | 799,688               | 0.18                                     |
| Issued – broker 8(b)(iii)   | 51,940                | 0.18                                     |
| Expired – 8(                | (20,162)              | (0.15)                                   |
| Balance, September 30, 2023 | 7,962,860             | \$0.36                                   |

(vi) The following table reflects the warrants issued and outstanding as at September 30, 2023:

| Date of issue  | Expiry date    | Weighted<br>average<br>exercise<br>price | Number of<br>warrants | Remaining life<br>(years) |
|----------------|----------------|--|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| March 18, 2021 | March 18, 2024 | \$0.57                                   | 3,759,398             | 0.47                      |
| April 11, 2023 | April 11, 2026 | \$0.18                                   | 3,245,522             | 2.53                      |
| April 11, 2023 | April 11, 2026 | \$0.18                                   | 51,940                | 2.53                      |
| May 24, 2023   | May 24, 2026   | \$0.18                                   | 906,000               | 2.65                      |
|                |                | \$0.36                                   | 7,962,860             |                           |

#### c) Stock Options

The Company has a stock option plan ("SOP") pursuant to which the Company's Board of Directors may grant incentive stock options to directors, officers, employees, and consultants. The exercise price of the options cannot be less than the closing price of the Company's shares on the trading day preceding the date of grant and the maximum term of any option cannot exceed five years. The Board, in accordance with applicable TSXV or other regulatory requirements, if any, will determine any vesting period assigned therein. There is no minimum vesting period unless the optionee is engaged in investor relation activities. The maximum aggregate number of common shares under option at any time under the SOP cannot exceed 10% of the issued shares. The fair value of the share-based compensation is recognized as contributed surplus upon vesting.

During the nine months ended September 30, 2023:

(i) On September 15, 2023, the Company granted a total of 549,000 stock options to directors, officers, employees, and consultants of the Company. The options are exercisable at a price of \$0.09 per share, for a period of five years from the date of grant. These options vest ½ immediately and ½ six months after the date of grant. The fair value assigned to these stock options was \$46,992



and was determined using the Black-Scholes option pricing model, with the following assumptions: expected dividend yield of 0%; risk-free interest rate of 4.02%, volatility of 172.39%, and expected life of 5 years. To September 30, 2023, a total of \$25,433 has been recorded as share-based compensation expense for the options vested to date.

- (ii) A total of 88,947 stock options were canceled for the unvested options held by consultants no longer working for the Company;
- (iii) A total of 118,421 stock options expired, unexercised; and
- (iv) A total of \$52,830 was recorded as share-based compensation expense for the vesting of stock options previously granted in 2021.

The following summarizes the outstanding stock options at September 30, 2023:

| Outstanding<br>options | <b>Options</b><br>exercisable | Exercise<br>price | Expiry date        | Weighted<br>average<br>life<br>(years) |
|------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--|
| 17,544                 | 17,544                        | \$0.40            | November 1, 2024   | 1.09                                   |
| 508,772                | 508,772                       | \$0.34            | August 28, 2025    | 1.92                                   |
| 43,860                 | 43,860                        | \$0.46            | February 11, 2026  | 2.37                                   |
| 52,631                 | 52,631                        | \$0.57            | February 19, 2026  | 2.39                                   |
| 1,083,334              | 1,083,000                     | \$0.71            | March 23, 2026     | 2.48                                   |
| 263,158                | 263,158                       | \$0.46            | August 3, 2026     | 2.85                                   |
| 131,579                | 87,719                        | \$0.37            | October 28, 2026   | 3.08                                   |
| 754,877                | 503,252                       | \$0.43            | December 30, 2026  | 3.25                                   |
| 549,000                | 274,500                       | \$0.09            | September 15, 2028 | 4.97                                   |
| 3,404,755              | 2,834,436                     | \$0.45            |                    |  |

The following summarizes the stock options activity during the nine months ended September 30, 2023:

|                                     |               | Weighted |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|----------|
|                                     |               | average  |
|                                     | Number of     | exercise |
|                                     | stock options | price    |
| Balance, December 31, 2021 and 2022 | 3,063,123     | \$0.51   |
| Granted 8(c)(i)                     | 549,000       | 0.09     |
| Canceled 8(c)(ii)                   | (88,947)      | 0.43     |
| Expired 8(c)(iii)                   | (118,421)     | 0.57     |
| Balance, September 30, 2023         | 3,404,755     | \$0.45   |



#### 9. Related Party Disclosures and Key Management Compensation

#### **Related party transactions**

Related parties as defined by IAS 24 - *Related Party Disclosures* include members of the Board of Directors, Key Management Personnel, and any companies controlled by these individuals. Key Management Personnel includes those persons having authority and responsibility for planning, directing, and controlling activities of the Company being directors and executive management, comprising of the Chief Executive Officer and the Chief Financial Officer.

During the nine months ended September 30, 2023, and 2022 (or the "Reporting Period"), the Company entered into the following transactions with related parties:

- a) A corporation controlled by an Executive officer invoiced the Company for \$225,000 (2022 \$225,000) for consulting fees.
- b) A corporation controlled by an Executive officer/ director invoiced the Company for \$51,270 (2022 \$nil) for consulting fees
- c) A corporation controlled by an Executive officer invoiced the Company for \$60,000 (2022 \$nil) for consulting fees
- d) Since February 2021, the Company has retained Grove Corporate Services Ltd. ("Grove") to provide accounting, governance, and administrative services (the "Services"), including those provided by the Chief Financial Officer ("CFO") and Corporate Secretary. Grove charges \$9,450 per month plus HST for the Services and during the Reporting Period invoiced the Company \$85,050 (2022 \$85,050).
- e) A company of which a director/officer is part-owner provided an investor relations tool to the Company for a monthly fee of \$500. During the Reporting Period, the IR company charged \$4,500 (2022 \$3,500).
- f) The Company engaged a financial services firm ("Finservco") to provide market maker services. An officer of the Company is a founder and principal shareholder of Finservco and during the Reporting Period, Finservco charged the Company \$11,000 (2022- \$74,500) for the services rendered.

#### Key Management Compensation Transactions

Compensation for key management personnel of the Company is as follows:

| Nine months ended September 30,         | 2023      | 2022      |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| Management fees <sup>(1)</sup>          | \$514,020 | \$376,300 |
| Share-based compensation <sup>(2)</sup> | 76,763    | 131,664   |
|   | \$590,783 | \$507,964 |

<sup>(1)</sup> Management fees are comprised of consulting fees for executives and key management personnel.

<sup>(2)</sup> Represents the FV expense of the stock options that vested during the period, to Key Management.



At September 30, 2023, a total of \$236,281 (2022 -\$188,791) is included in due to related parties for unpaid management and consulting fees and E&E due and owing to Key Management. Certain account balances in this category are voluntary salary deferrals and others are currently under negotiation by Management. These transactions were conducted in the normal course of operations on standard commercial terms.

## 10. Commitments

- (i) As at September 30, 2023, the Company has Management contracts with an aggregate base remuneration of \$60,700 per month. In addition, certain success/bonus fees may be payable, at the discretion of the Board of Directors. Early termination of the contracts and/or a change of control transaction may result in an additional compensation payout of up to 24 months' base salary fees.
- (ii) In order to maintain the Company's property interests and claims in good standing, certain claims fees and/or work expenditures must be incurred. For NSRs related to the Company's properties see note 5.
- (iii) The Company has indemnified the subscribers of FT shares in the recent April Offering against any tax-related amounts that become payable by the subscribers as a result of the Company not meeting its spending commitments.

See note 7 – Deferred Premium Liability on Flow-Through Shares.

## 11. Capital Management

In managing liquidity, the Company's primary objective is to ensure the entity can continue as a going concern while raising additional funding to meet its obligations as they come due and to maximize shareholder return. The Company's operations to date have been funded by issuing equity.

As of September 30, 2023, the Company had working capital of \$220,611 (December 31, 2022 – 331,891). From April 11, 2023 to May 24, 2023 the Company completed the April Offering for gross proceeds of \$1,261,450.

The Company monitors its capital structure and makes adjustments to it according to market conditions in an effort to meet its objectives given the current outlook of the business and industry in general. The Company may manage its capital structure by issuing new shares, adjusting capital spending, or disposing of assets. The capital structure is reviewed by Management and the Board of Directors on an ongoing basis. The Company's ability to carry out its planned exploration and acquisition activities is uncertain and dependent upon securing additional financing.

#### **12.** Financial Instrument Risk Factors

Financial instruments are exposed to certain financial risks, which may include credit risk, liquidity risk and market risks.

The following disclosures enable users of the consolidated financial statements to evaluate the nature and extent of risks arising from financial instruments at the end of the reporting period:



## a) Credit risk

The Company's credit risk is the risk of counterparty default on cash and cash equivalents held on deposit with financial institutions. The Company manages this risk by ensuring that deposits are only held with large Canadian banks and financial institutions. The Company's receivables related to sales taxes have negligible counterparty default risk.

## b) Liquidity risk

The Company's liquidity risk is the risk that the Company has insufficient funds to settle its contractual financial liabilities. The Company manages this risk by ensuring sufficient funds are available as contractual cash flows become due.

As at September 30, 2023, the Company had a cash and cash equivalent balance of \$686,486 (December 31, 2022 – \$544,478) to settle current accounts payable and accrued liabilities of \$315,949 and \$236,281 due to related parties (December 31, 2022 – \$118,295 and \$188,791 respectively).

While the Company has been successful in obtaining the required funding in the past to meet its financial obligations, there is no assurance that future financings will be available.

## c) Market risks

The Company's market risk arises from changes in interest rates and commodity prices that could have an impact on profit or loss. This includes:

- Interest rate risk is the sensitivity of the fair value or of the future cash flows of a financial instrument to changes in interest rates. The Company does not have any financial assets or liabilities that were subject to variable interest rates.
- Commodity price risk is the sensitivity of the fair value of the future cash flows of mineral assets. The Company manages this risk by continually monitoring base and precious metal prices and commodity price trends to determine the appropriate timing for funding the exploration of its mineral assets, or for the acquisition or disposition of mineral-based assets.
- Currency risk is the sensitivity of the fair value or of the future cash flows of financial instruments to changes in foreign exchange rates. The Company does not have any financial assets or liabilities that are subject to variable foreign exchange rates and as such the Company is not presently subject to currency risk.

#### 13. Subsequent event

Subsequent to September 30, 2023, the Company signed a Purchase Agreement with SSR Mining Inc. ("SSR") to acquire 100% of SSR's Sunrise Lake Silver Project ("Sunrise Lake") in the Northwest Territories. Terms of the acquisition include a) zero cash consideration, b) SSR will retain a 4% net smelter royalty (NSR) on any future production from the project, c) Half (2%) of the NSR can be purchased by Honey Badger at any time prior to commencement of construction at the project for US\$ 10 million, but the Company has no obligation to do so. Sunrise Lake is located 130 kilometers northeast of Yellowknife. The project comprises six contiguous mining leases totaling 1,621 hectares, with annual lease payments of about \$8,000 and no minimum work commitments.