

# COMPANY UPDATE GIDGEE & MT GIBSON PROJECTS

May 2006

### **Key Points**



**PEOPLE** 

**Experienced Team** 

**PROJECTS** 

Outstanding Exploration Upside

Gidgee Western Trend (Au)

Mt Gibson Base Metal System (Zn-Cu)

**CASH** 

Plus \$8M (Post Capital Raising)

### **People**



Chairman Michael Atkins

Managing Director Mark Wilson

Technical Director Bob Perring

Non-Executive Director Dermot Ryan

**Exploration Manager** Derek Waterfield



# **Dedicated Exploration Team**



### Position - 31 March 2006



**Shares** 458,578,322

**Options** 20,900,000

Cash \$2M

Loans Convertible Note: \$5M

(125M shares + 125M options at 4cents)

Cash Loan: \$3M

(repay May 2006)

Equity Backed Bond Facility: \$3.145M

### **New Position - June 2006**



**Shares** 861,437,644

**Options** 303,909,440

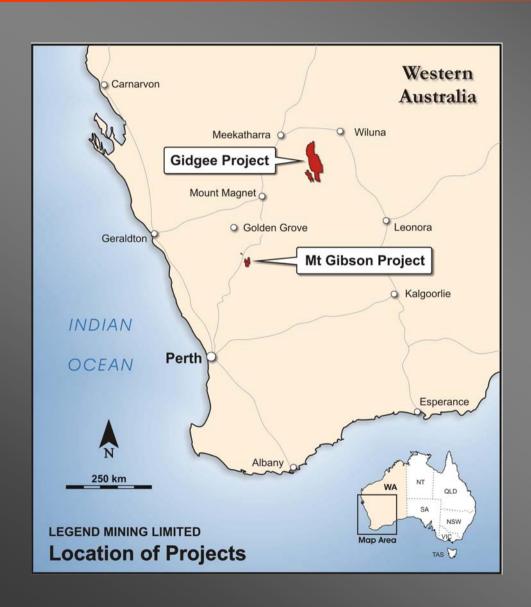
Cash Plus \$8M

Capitalisation \$34.4M at \$0.04/share

Loans \$3.1M (Environmental Bond Facility)

### **Projects -Location**





#### **Opportunity**

**Greenfields Discovery** 

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Established Resources and Infrastructure

#### Gold Resources (Leverage)

Gidgee 510,000 oz.

Mt Gibson 559,000 oz.

TOTAL 1,069,000 oz.



### **Exploration Key Points**

#### **KEY EXPLORATION STRATEGY**

Explore within terrains that have a track-record of high-impact discoveries.

#### **RISK PROFILE**

Focus on high-reward opportunities at lowest possible risk.

#### **DISCOVERY**

Know the footprint of your minimum target size.

Recognise success early.

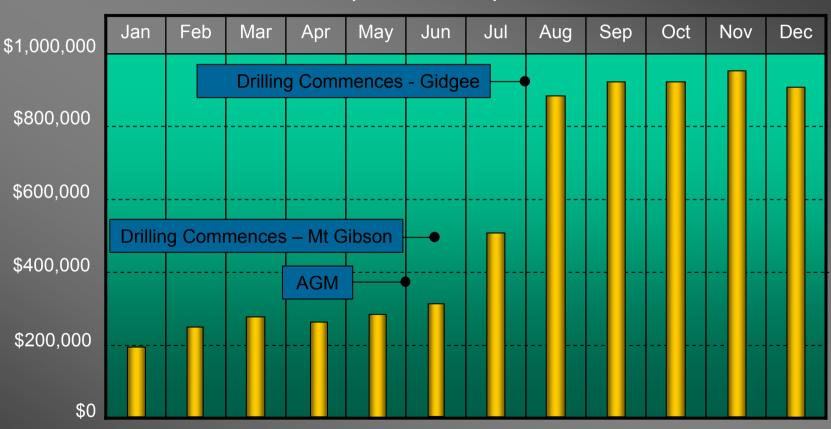
#### **AGGRESSIVE EXLORATION**

Time is money.

### **Exploration Expenditure**



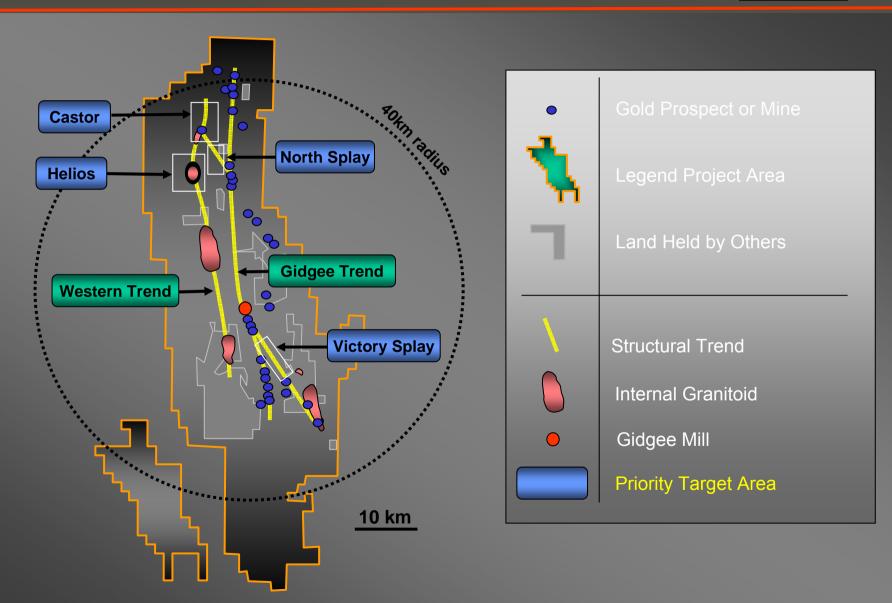
#### Forecast Rate of Exploration Expenditure - 2006



Subject to completion of proposed capital raising to be put to shareholders at AGM on 30 May 2006

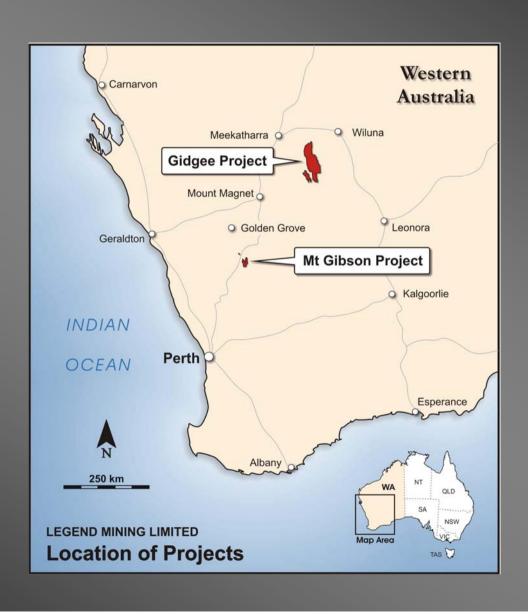
## **Priority Gold Target Areas**





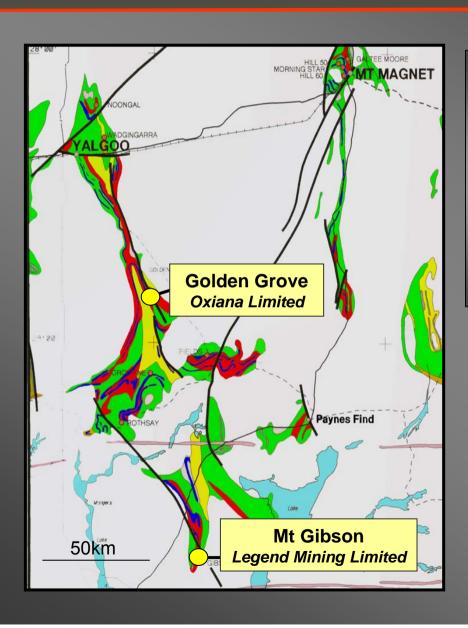
# **Projects - Location**





### **Mt Gibson - District**

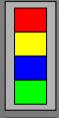




#### **Golden Grove**

Resource: 17.0Mt @ 5.9% Zn,1.9% Cu, 1.3g/t Au

One of the top 15 Volcanic-Hosted Massive Sulphide (V-HMS) deposits in the world



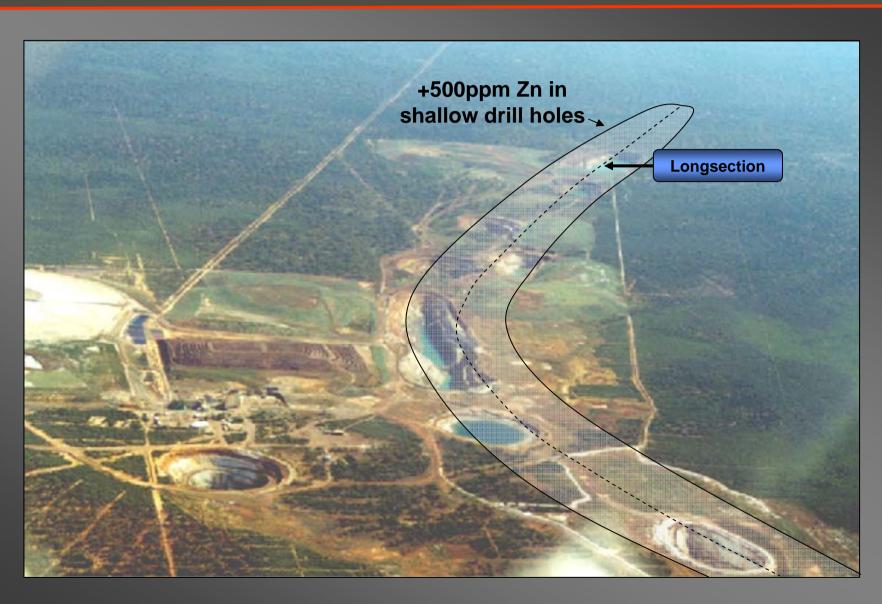
Greenstone Sequence



Granite

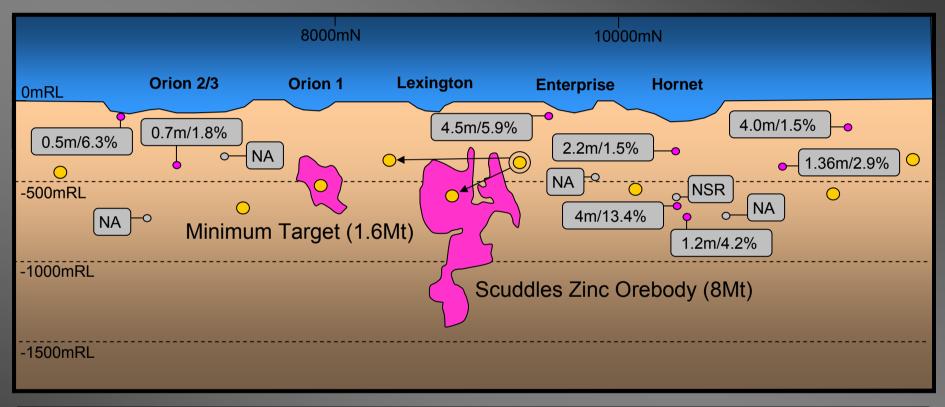
### Mt Gibson Mine Area













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