

## **\$4.0M CAPITAL RAISING TO ADVANCE Ni-Cu-PGE & GOLD EXPLORATION**

*Proceeds to underpin new exploration programs in Western Australia and advancement of the Petermann Range Project in the Northern Territory*

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### **Highlights:**

- **Todd River to raise up to approximately A\$4.0 million to underpin an exploration campaign initially targeting Ni-Cu-PGE and gold exploration targets.**
- **Strong demand from international and Australian institutional investors further strengthens the quality of the Company's share register.**
- **Proceeds will underpin:**
  - **geophysics and drilling programs at the Nanutarra Ni-Cu-PGE Project;**
  - **Ni-Cu-PGE and gold exploration at the Berkshire Valley Project in Western Australia that the Company is proceeding to acquire; and**
  - **the advancement of the Petermann Range Project where Exploration Agreement negotiations for land access are almost complete.**

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Todd River Resources Limited (ASX: TRT; "Todd River Resources" or "the Company") is pleased to announce that it has secured firm commitments to raise approximately A\$4.0 million (before costs) through a placement of up to approximately 136 million fully paid ordinary shares at an issue price of A\$0.03 per share to qualified sophisticated and professional investors ("Placement"). The issue price of A\$0.03 represents a 20% discount to the 10 day VWAP of A\$0.038 per share.

The Placement, which was strongly supported by both existing and new investors, will be undertaken in two tranches. Tranche 1 of the Placement will utilise the Company's existing placement capacity under ASX Listing Rules 7.1 (up to 36,060,083 shares) and 7.1A (up to 24,577,690 shares) and the issue price of A\$0.03 per share meets the 'minimum issue price' requirement in ASX Listing Rule 7.1A.3. Shares under Tranche 1 of the Placement are expected to be issued on Friday 21 August 2020 (subject to receipt of cleared funds).

Tranche 2 of the Placement (up to approximately 75.3 million shares) is subject to shareholder approval, which the Company will seek at its Annual General Meeting which is expected to take place in mid October 2020. The Company will shortly despatch a notice of Annual General Meeting with further details regarding the approvals to be sought.



Participants in the Placement (under both Tranches 1 and 2) will also receive one (1) free attaching unlisted option for every two (2) shares issued under the Placement, with each option to be exercisable at 6.0 cents with an expiry date of 2 years from the date of issue ("**Option**"). The issue of Options will be subject to shareholder approval at the AGM and, if approved, will result in the issue of approximately 68 million Options.

The Company's Managing Director Will Dix has subscribed (through his nominee) for 833,333 shares (and will therefore receive 416,666 Options) under Tranche 2 of the Placement and incoming director Ian Murray (through his nominee) has subscribed for 1,666,667 shares (and will therefore receive 833,334 Options) under Tranche 2 of the Placement. The issues of shares and Options to Mr Dix and Mr Murray are each subject to shareholder approval at the AGM, pursuant to ASX Listing Rule 10.11.

Funds raised under the Placement will be used to carry out geophysics and drilling programs at the Nanutarra Ni-Cu-PGE Project; Ni-Cu-PGE and gold exploration at the Berkshire Valley Project in Western Australia (100km north of the exciting Chalice Gold (ASX:CHN) Julimar discovery) that the Company is proceeding to acquire through the acquisition of Marlee Base Metals Pty Ltd and Moonknight Pty Ltd (as recently announced); to advance the Petermann Range Project where Exploration Agreement negotiations for land access are almost complete; and for general working capital purposes.

Hartleys acted as lead manager to the Placement and Hartleys (or its nominee) will be issued a total of 10,000,000 Options as partial payment for those services, subject to shareholder approval at the AGM.

Todd River's Managing Director, Will Dix said, *"It is pleasing to see such strong demand from existing and new investors. This placement provides the Company with the ability to aggressively explore our WA assets and also to move quickly to complete the Exploration Agreement at the Petermann Range gold-copper project in the Musgrave Province."*

Appendices 3B (Proposed issue of securities) have been released in relation to this announcement.

## **Summary Information**

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**About Todd River Resources**

Todd River Resources (ASX: TRT) is an Australian-based resources company that has base and precious metal projects in Western Australia and the Northern Territory. The Company has resources at both its Mt Hardy and Manbarrum Projects and has recently announced the proposed purchase of a number of exciting base metal projects in Western Australia.

With a strong management team and tight capital structure, Todd River is well placed to pursue additional base metal opportunities across its exciting exploration portfolio that also includes the Nanutarra and Petermann Range Projects and the soon to be added Berkshire Valley Project.