

## ORO VERDE TO PRESENT AT PROACTIVE INVESTOR LUNCHEONS IN SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE

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**Oro Verde Limited (ASX: OVL)** (“Oro Verde” or “the Company”) is pleased to announce that Managing Director – Trevor Woolfe – will be presenting to the Proactive Investor Luncheons to be held in Sydney today and Melbourne tomorrow. His presentation is attached.

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# ORO VERDE LIMITED (ASX: OVL)

Nicaragua – A golden past and future



**Proactive Investor Luncheons – Sydney & Melbourne**

February 2017

Trevor Woolfe (Managing Director)

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# Oro Verde Limited (ASX: OVL)

## – An investment in gold discovery

- ❑ Topacio – a 340,000oz gold resource with significant upside
- ❑ A large, under-explored epithermal gold system
- ❑ Newcrest - our world class partner with epithermal expertise
- ❑ Objective – multi-million ounce gold deposits
- ❑ **Drilling expected to commence February 2017**
- ❑ Nicaragua: a stable and safe jurisdiction to operate
- ❑ Reviewing advanced projects in the region to add to our portfolio

# Corporate Snapshot



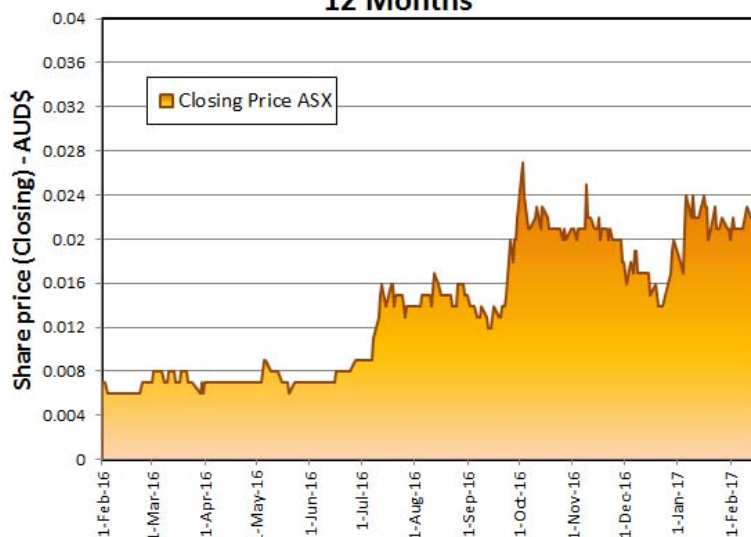
## Oro Verde Ltd - Capital Structure (as at 14 February 2017)

ASX Code:	OVL
Issued Shares:	689 million
Options:	58M @ \$0.01 (Sep '17) 73M @ \$0.05 (Sep '19)
Market Cap (undiluted):	\$15.1 million (at 2.2c)

## Major Shareholders

Wolf Martinick	(Director)	7.5%
Brad Farrell	(Director)	6.9%
Merrill Lynch Aust Nominees		5.1%
Berenes Nominees PL		4.7%
<u>Tony Rovira</u>	<u>(Director)</u>	<u>4.4%</u>
Top 20		46.4%
Directors		24.6%

OVL Daily Trading Activity  
12 Months



## ➤ Directors

- **Wolf Martinick** – Chairman (Non Exec)
- **Trevor Woolfe** – Managing Director
- **Brett Dickson** – Finance Director
- **Brad Farrell** – Director (Non Exec)
- **Tony Rovira** – Director (Non Exec)

## ➤ High Quality In Country Team – including:

**David Turner:** Country Manager - geologist with >20 years Central American experience

**Jacques Levy:** Legal Representative- local businessman

# Gold projects in Nicaragua

## 1. Topacio Gold Project

- Historical 340,000 oz high grade gold resource<sup>1</sup>
- US\$7.9 million **farm-in agreement with NEWCREST** signed in November 2015
- Newcrest agreed in November 2016 to fund the initial drilling phase

## 2. San Isidro Gold Project

- Early stage gold project
- Soil sampling recently completed
- Adjacent to 2.3 Moz La India Au project

## 3. New Projects

- Quality gold-silver-copper projects are currently under review in the region



# Nicaragua Snapshot

<b>Location:</b>	Central America  - between Honduras & Costa Rica
<b>Capital:</b>	Managua
<b>Access:</b>	Direct flights from 4 US ports
<b>Languages:</b>	Spanish, English & Indigenous
<b>Stable currency:</b>	5% pa devaluation vs USD
<b>Single title type:</b>	Mining concession  - Valid for 25 years with 25 year extension
<b>Mining royalty:</b>	3%
<b>Safety:</b>	One of safest countries in Latin America



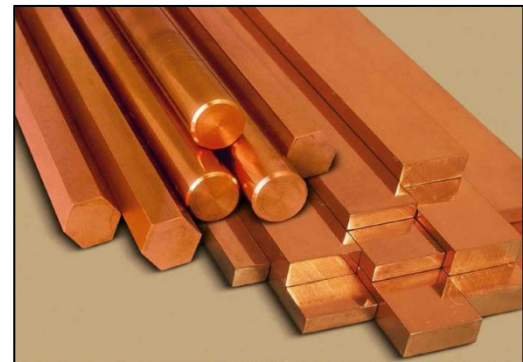
Data provided by ProNicaragua

# Why explore in Central America?



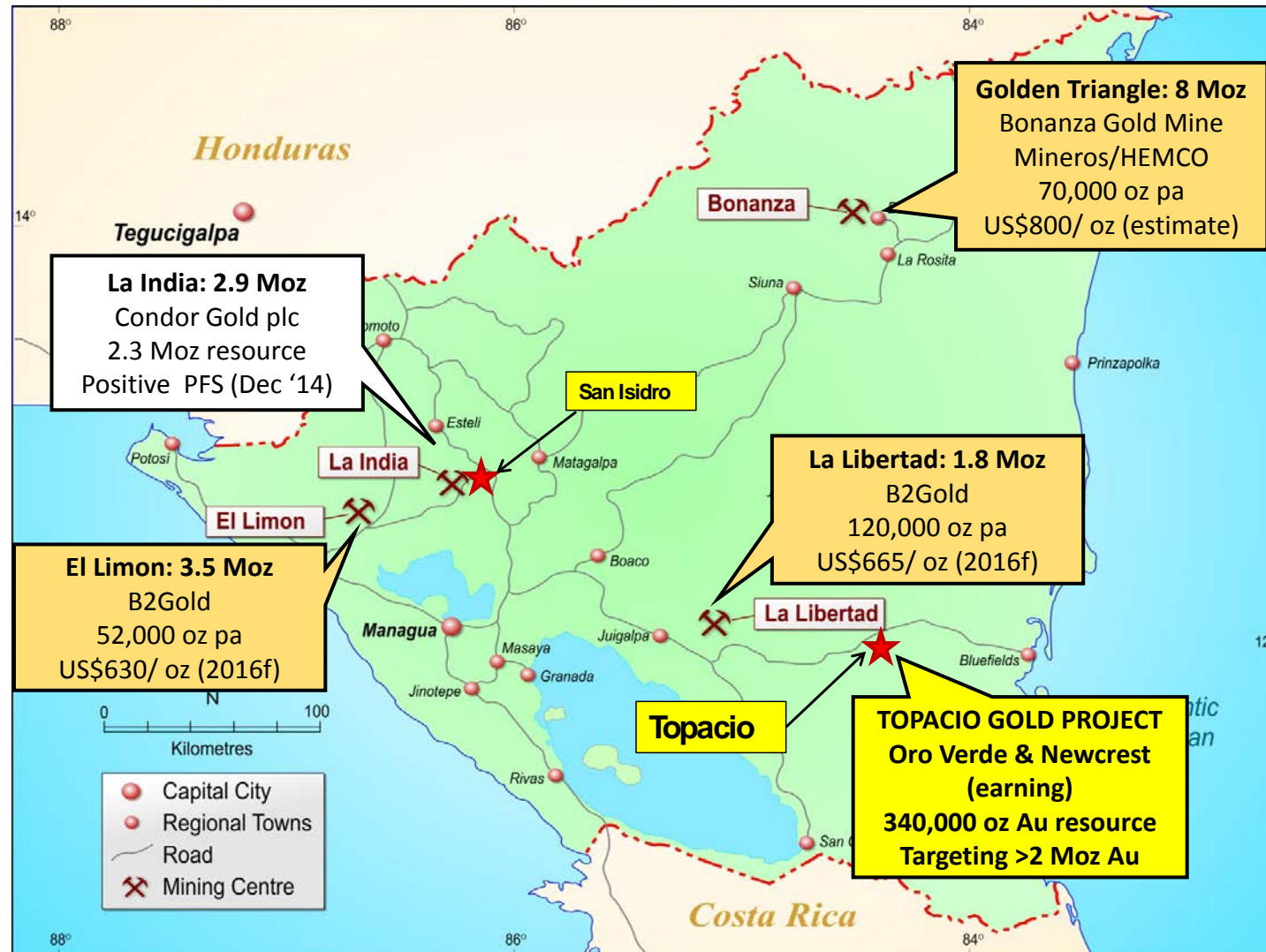
- Central America has an excellent gold, silver and copper production record
- Overall Central American mineral production:

<b>Gold</b>	<b>34 million ounces</b>
Silver	276 million ounces
Copper	15 million tonnes
- **Nicaragua** has a strong gold mining history – **>14Moz produced to date**
  - Four multi-million oz gold mining districts identified to date in Nicaragua
  - **Remains significantly under-explored**



# Major Gold Centres of Nicaragua

- hosts multi-million ounce deposits



Data from Company Reports

# Topacio Gold Project



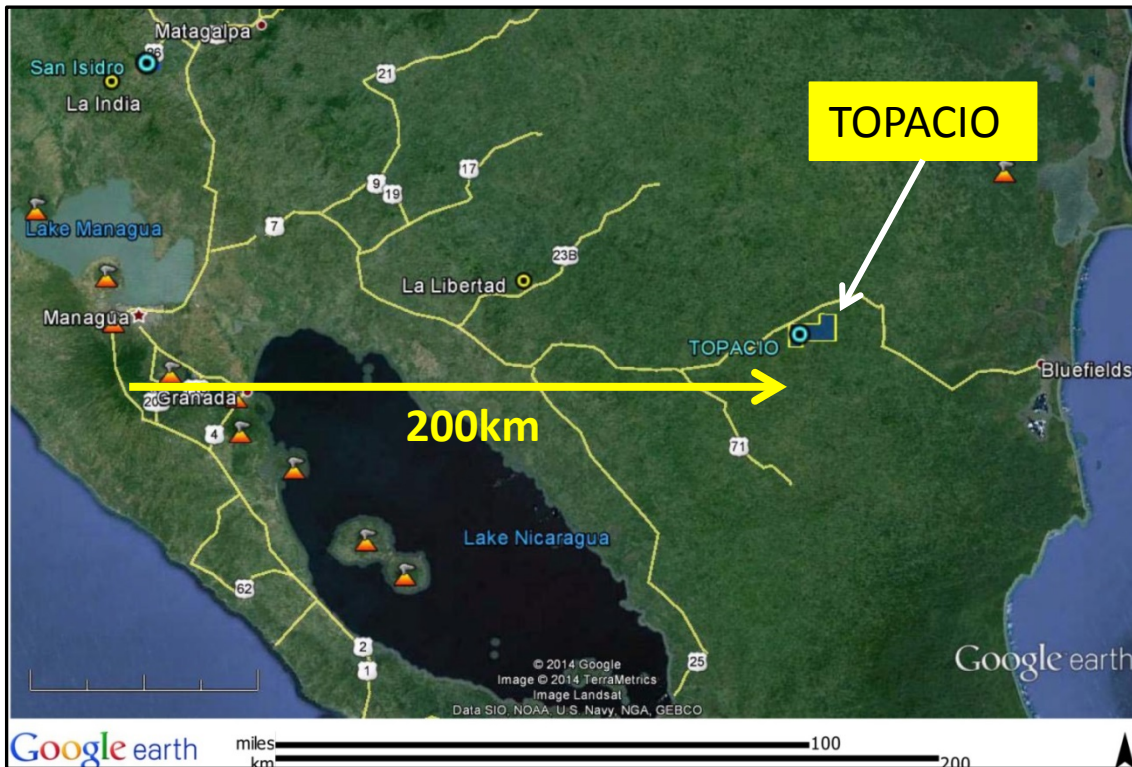
## - OVL option to acquire 100%

- 2.7 million tonnes at 3.9g/t Au (340,000 oz Au) - Inferred Mineral Resource (NI 43-101)<sup>1</sup>
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- Option to Purchase Agreement commenced in February 2015
  - 2 years into the 3 year Option Agreement
  - Very attractive option conditions for a 340,000oz resource with excellent upside:
    - US\$2m spend over 3 years
    - 6 x US\$40,000 payments each 6 months to Vendor
    - US\$1.5m to acquire 100%
    - Plus either
      - i) 2% royalty, or
      - ii) US\$1/oz Au (in measured and indicated resources)

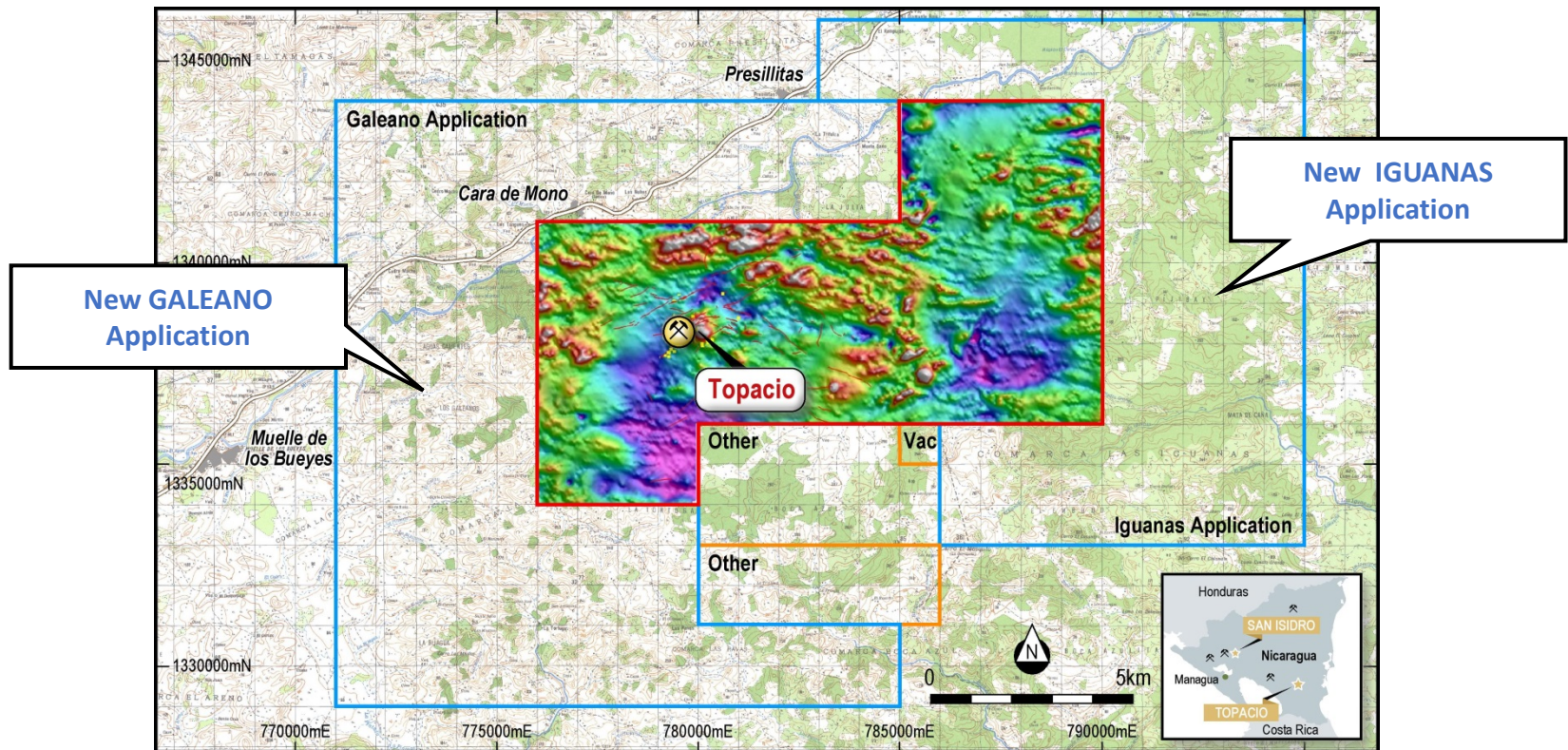
# Topacio Gold Project

## - Good Access

- Located in the southeast of Nicaragua, just 200km from Managua
- Adjacent to the regional sealed highway



# Excellent access & ground position



- Topacio 93km<sup>2</sup> in cattle farmlands
- Sealed highway runs just to the north
- New tenement applications
- Expand land position by up to 240%
- Potential increase from 93km<sup>2</sup> to 316km<sup>2</sup>
- Control the Topacio district

# Topacio Gold Project



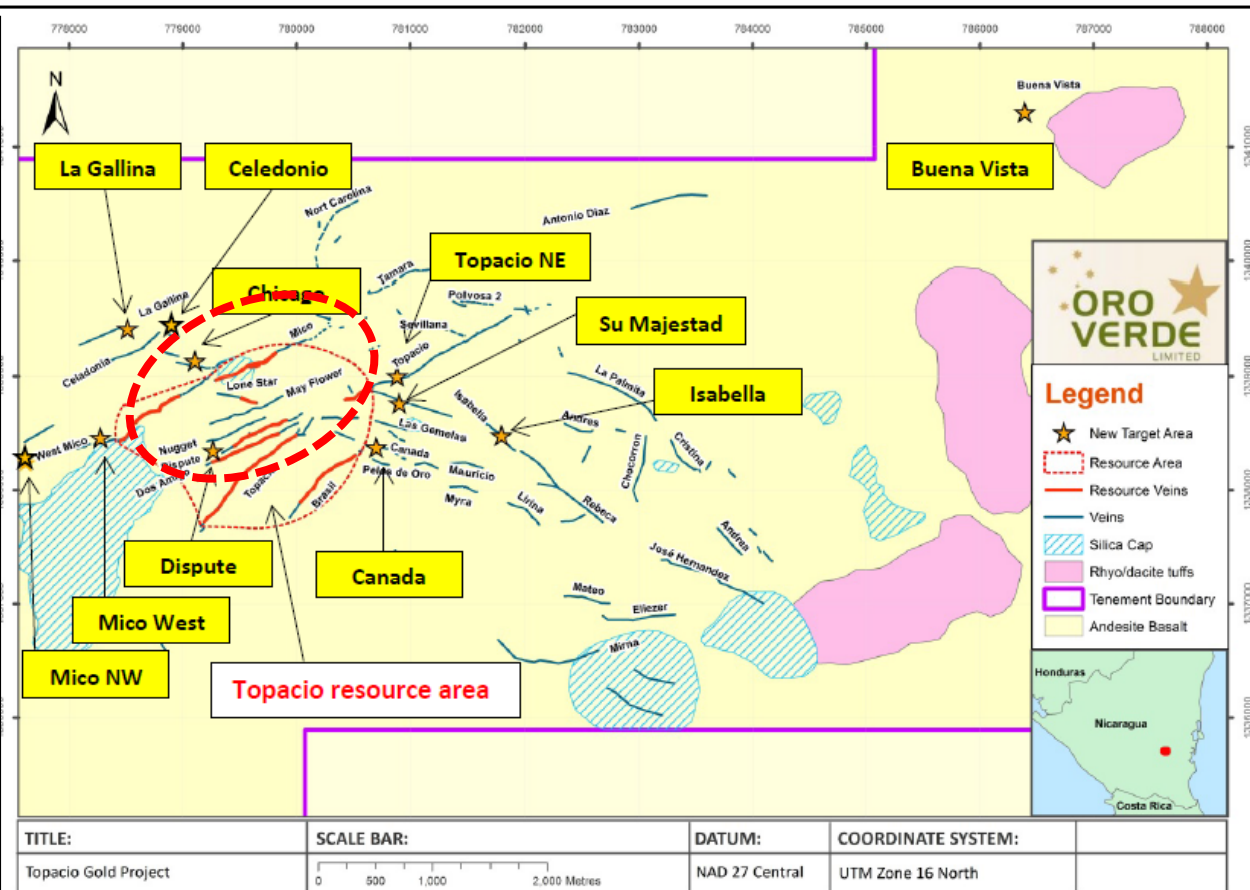
## - New targets defined by OVL in 2015

- 35km of mapped veins but only 4km included in current resource
- Rock chip sampling outlined numerous **high grade gold** mineralised targets

### Best OVL surface sampling results 2015

*Chicago	23.8 g/t Au and 41 g/t Ag
Dispute	92.9 g/t Au and 220 g/t Ag
Dos Amigos	38.5 g/t Au and 39 g/t Ag
*West Mico	23.9 g/t Au and 26 g/t Ag
*Celedonio	12.5 g/t Au and 65 g/t Ag
Topacio	12.3 g/t Au and 101 g/t Ag
Topacio NE	52.4 g/t Au and 158 g/t Ag
*Su Majestad	14.1 g/t Au and 58 g/t Ag
*Buena Vista	3.35 g/t Au and 50 g/t Ag
*Rebeca	2.54 g/t Au and 14 g/t Ag
*Gallina	6.49 g/t Au and 1 g/t Ag

- = New Targets
- Buena Vista stockwork target 6km from Topacio



Refer to ASX announcement dated 9 November 2015  
 "Expanded Gold Resource Potential at Topacio"

# Topacio Gold Project

- Newcrest (NCM) farm-in agreement\*



- ❑ NCM signed farm-in agreement in November 2015
- ❑ Objective: To discover “Newcrest-scale” multi-million ounce gold deposits
- NCM may sole fund **US\$4.4 million to earn 51%**
  - Stage 1a - minimum commitment US\$0.5m achieved in Year 1 by Nov '16
  - Stage 1b – spend US\$2.2m by 25 August 2017
  - includes the cost of exercising Oro Verde’s Option
- NCM may sole fund another **US\$3.5 million to reach 75%**
  - US\$3.5 million expenditure over the following three years
  - for a total commitment of US\$7.9 million over ~5 years
- **Oro Verde is managing the exploration** during the farm-in period

*\*Refer ASX release dated 30 November 2015 “Newcrest Signs Farm-in Agreement with Oro Verde”*

# Topacio Gold Project



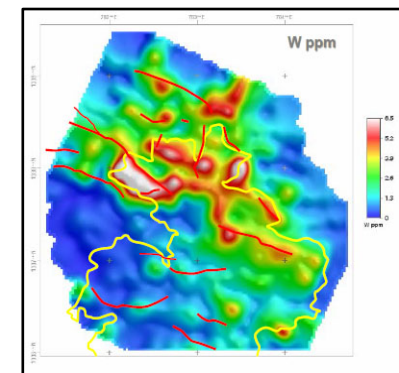
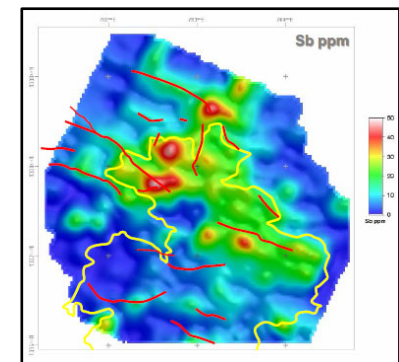
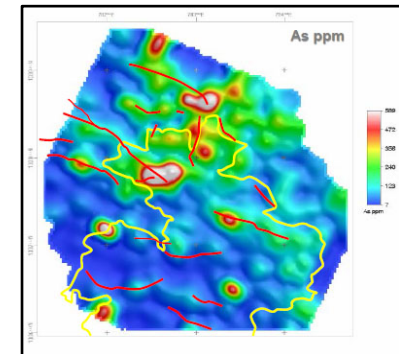
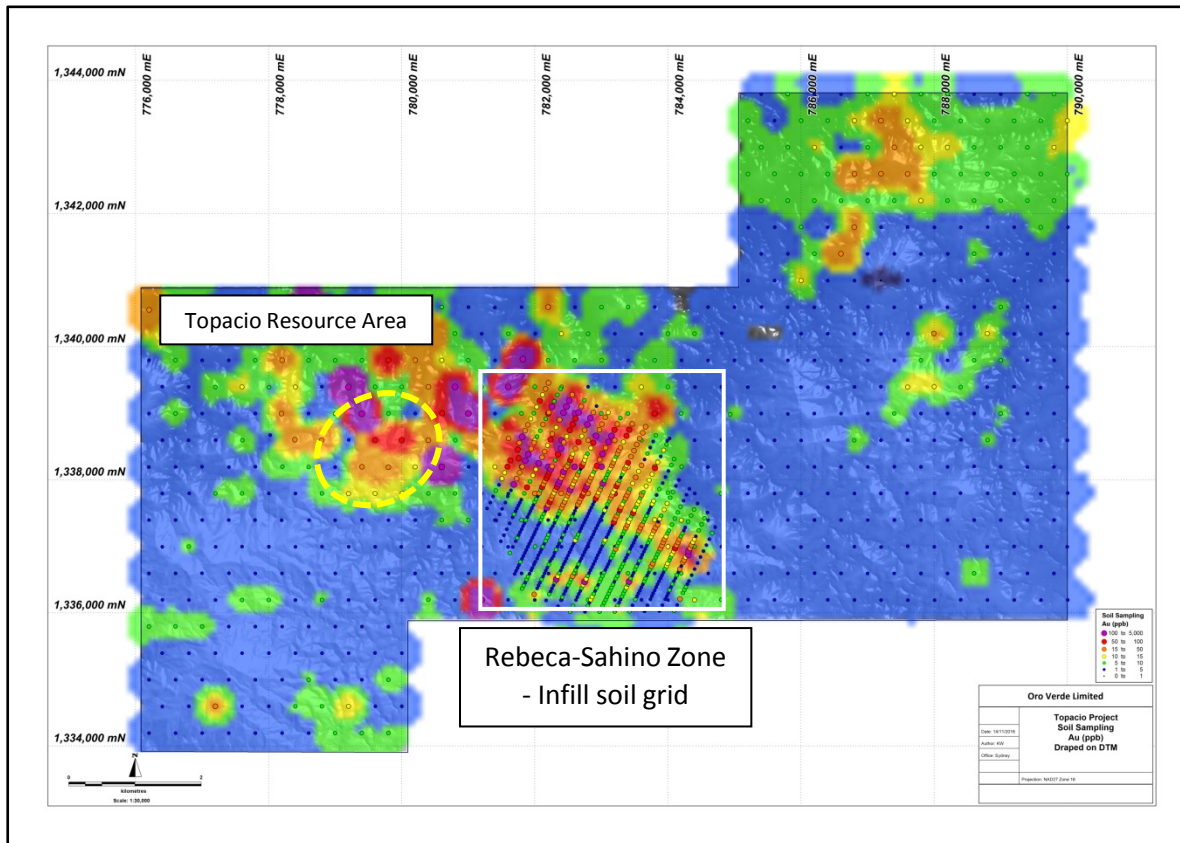
- Commencing drilling phase in Q1 2017



## Objective To Outline >2 Moz Gold Resource

- Stage 1a - investigate potential of entire concession **COMPLETED**
  - **Geology:** detailed vein mapping and sampling
  - **Geochemistry:** concession-wide grid soil sampling (multi-element)
  - **Geophysics:** airborne magnetics and radiometrics
  - **Drill target generation**
- Stage 1b – Rebeca Vein selected as the high priority drill target
- **Q1 2017 drilling at Rebeca Vein to comprise 7 DDH for a total of 1,650m**

# High Priority Rebeca Target Zone

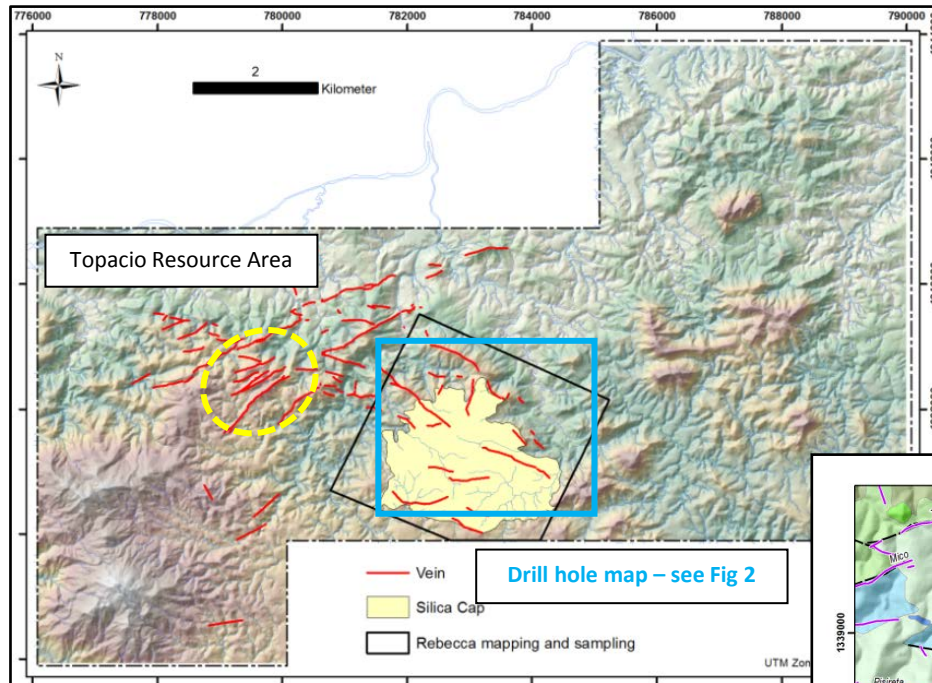


**Soil Geochemistry – Gold + Arsenic + Antimony + Tungsten**

**Characteristic of the upper levels of a buried low sulphidation  
epithermal gold system**

Refer to ASX announcement dated 7 December 2016 “Drilling of Rebeca Zone Planned – Gold Potential Enhanced by Infill Soils Results”

# Rebeca Vein – Drilling Program

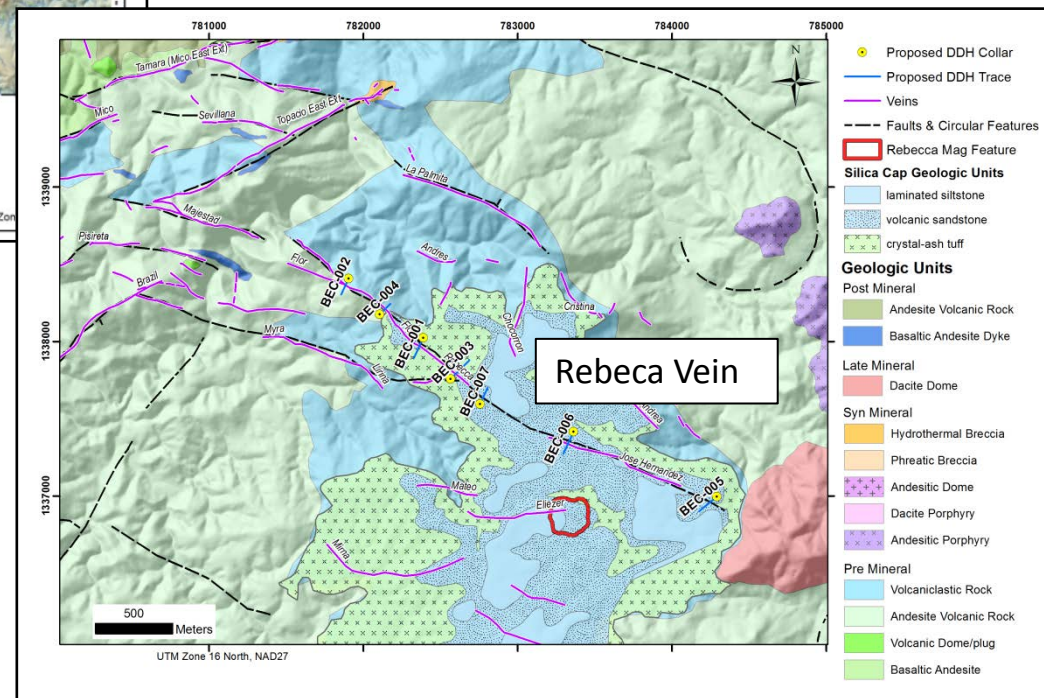


## Rebeca Vein

- ✓ 3km long vein – not previously drilled
- ✓ Potential for a buried low sulphidation epithermal gold system below a silica cap
- ✓ Similar style to other deposits  
Newcrest has operated – Gosowong and Cracow

## Drill program

- 7 Diamond Drill Holes
- Total = 1,650m
- Depths: 150 – 300m
- **Scheduled to commence Feb '17**



Refer to ASX release dated 19 January 2017 "Initial 1,650m Drilling Program Planned at Topacio"

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- ✓ **Drilling expected to commence February 2017**
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### **Expected news flow:**

1. Topacio drilling to commence February 2017
2. San Isidro soil sampling results (March)
3. Drill results – to follow shortly after
4. Plans for follow up drilling programs
5. Addition of new project/s

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