BLUEBIRD BATTERY METALS INC.

CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

AUGUST 31, 2019 and 2018

(EXPRESSED IN CANADIAN DOLLARS)



INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Shareholders and Directors of BlueBird Battery Metals Inc.

Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of BlueBird Battery Metals Inc. and its subsidiary (the "Company") which comprise the consolidated statements of financial position as at August 31, 2019 and 2018, and the consolidated statements of comprehensive loss, consolidated statements of changes in equity and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Company as at August 31, 2019 and 2018, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audits in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audits of the financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Material Uncertainty Related to Going Concern

We draw attention to Note 2 of the accompanying consolidated financial statements, which indicates that the Company has a history of losses and a working capital deficit at August 31, 2019. As stated in Note 2, these events or conditions, along with other matters as set forth in Note 2, indicate that a material uncertainty exists that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information, which comprises the information included in the Company's Management Discussion & Analysis to be filed with the relevant Canadian securities commissions.

Our opinion on the consolidated financial statements does not cover the other information, and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audits of the consolidated financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information identified above and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the consolidated financial statements or our knowledge obtained in the audits or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed on this other information, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Company's financial reporting process.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audits of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audits. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether
 due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit
 evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a
 material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may
 involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Company's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditors' report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditors' report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Company to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business
 activities within the Company to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are
 responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely
 responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audits and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audits.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

The engagement partner on the audits resulting in this independent auditors' report is Fernando J. Costa.

CHARTERED PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTANTS

Manning Elliott LLP

Vancouver, Canada December 2, 2019

BLUEBIRD BATTERY METALS INC. Consolidated Statements of Financial Position As at August 31, 2019 and 2018 (Expressed in Canadian Dollars)

	2019	2018
ASSETS		
Current		
Cash	\$ 18,507	\$ 260,836
Amounts receivable	4,161	81,845
Prepaid expenses	11,816	79,536
	34,484	422,217
Exploration and evaluation assets (Notes 6 and 7)	2,570,832	2,413,801
	\$ 2,605,316	\$ 2,836,018
Liabilities Current Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 7) Loan payable (Note 7)	\$ 856,008 125,000	\$ 419,643 -
	981,008	419,643
Shareholders' Equity		
Share capital (Note 8)	12,735,699	10,781,930
Contributed surplus (Note 8)	1,713,867	1,268,708
Deficit Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)	(12,786,598) (38,660)	(9,636,636) 2,373
	1,624,308	2,416,375
	\$ 2,605,316	\$ 2,836,018

Going Concern (Note 2) Commitments (Note 6) Subsequent Events (Note 13)

Authorized for issuance on behalf of the Board on December 2, 2019:

"Nathan Tribble"	Director
"Jeremy Ross"	Director

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

BLUEBIRD BATTERY METALS INC. Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Loss For the Years Ended August 31, 2019 and 2018 (Expressed in Canadian Dollars)

		2019	2018
Expenses			
Consulting fees (Note 7)	\$	465,836 \$	607,319
Foreign exchange loss		-	7,734
Management fees (Note 7)		215,000	392,419
Office and general (Note 7)		51,715	48,226
Pre-exploration costs		-	50,000
Professional fees		136,914	136,556
Rent (Note 7)		33,000	36,000
Share-based payments (Notes 7 and 8)		552,862	377,006
Shareholder communications and investor relations		167,909	141,107
Transfer agent and filing fees		20,512	44,518
Travel		66,678	178,719
Loss Before Other Items		(1,710,426)	(2,019,604)
Other Items			
Impairment of exploration and evaluation assets (Note 6)		(1,439,536)	(4,305,922)
Other income		(1,100,000)	25,281
			20,201
		(1,439,536)	(4,280,641)
Net Loss for the Year		(3,149,962)	(6,300,245)
Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)			
Items that may be reclassified subsequently to income or loss:			
Exchange difference on translating foreign operations		(41,033)	2,373
Comprehensive Loss for the Year	\$	(3,190,995) \$	(6,297,872)
Loss per Share – Basic and Diluted	\$	(0.07) \$	(0.22)
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Weighted Average Number of Common Shares Outstanding		47,877,168	28,337,892

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BLUEBIRD BATTERY METALS INC. Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity For the Years Ended August 31, 2019 and 2018 (Expressed in Canadian Dollars)

	Share	Share Capital								
I			İ				Acc	Accumulated Other		
	Number of Shares	Share Capital	ರ	Contributed Surplus		Deficit	Com	Comprehensive Income		Total
Balance, August 31, 2017	17,855,453	\$ 6,644,799	s	839,716	₩	(3,336,391)	s	•	↔	4,148,124
Private placements	14,144,546	1,697,346		ı		•				1,697,346
Share issuance costs	ı	(145,137)		51,986				Ī		(93,151)
Shares issued for exploration and evaluation assets	6,611,058	1,896,707		ı		ı		ı		1,896,707
Warrants exercised	3,890,992	688,215		ı		1		1		688,215
Stock options granted	•	•		377,006		1		•		377,006
Net loss for the year	•	•		•		(6,300,245)		ı		(6,300,245)
Exchange difference on translating foreign operations	•	•		•				2,373		2,373
Balance, August 31, 2018	42,502,049	10,781,930		1,268,708		(9,636,636)		2,373		2,416,375
snares issued for exploration and evaluation assets	3,508,631	1,067,719		ı		ı		1		1,067,719
Warrants exercised	3,987,699	678,163		(19,816)		1		ı		658,347
Stock options exercised	600,000	207,887		(87,887)		Ī		•		120,000
Stock options granted	•	•		552,862		Ī		•		552,862
Net loss for the year	ı	•		•		(3,149,962)		•		(3,149,962)
Exchange difference on translating foreign operations		•		•		"		(41,033)		(41,033)
Balance, August 31, 2019	50,598,379	\$ 12,735,699	s	1,713,867	·) \$	(12,786,598)	s	(38,660)	\$	1,624,308

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BLUEBIRD BATTERY METALS INC. Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows For the Years Ended August 31, 2019 and 2018 (Expressed in Canadian Dollars)

	2019	2018
Operating Activities		
Net loss for the year \$	(3,149,962) \$	(6,300,245)
Items not involving cash:	,	,
Impairment of exploration and evaluation assets	1,439,536	4,305,922
Share-based payments	552,862	377,006
Other income	-	(25,338)
Changes in non-cash working capital balances:		
Amounts receivable	77,684	(17,991)
Prepaid expenses	67,720	(67,649)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	496,127	(180,287)
Cash Used in Operating Activities	(516,033)	(1,908,582)
Investing Activity		
Exploration and evaluation asset expenditures, net	(629,643)	(301,010)
Cash Used in Investing Activity	(629,643)	(301,010)
Financing Activities		
Shares issued for cash	778,347	2,385,561
Share issuance costs	-	(93,151)
Proceeds from loan payable	125,000	-
Cash Provided by Financing Activities	903,347	2,292,410
Change in Cash	(242,329)	82,818
Cash, Beginning of Year	260,836	178,018
Cash, End of Year \$	18,507 \$	260,836
Non-cash Transactions and Supplemental Disclosures		
Shares issued for exploration and evaluation assets (Notes 6 and 8)\$	1,067,719 \$	1,896,707
Exploration and evaluation asset expenditures included in accounts payable and accrued liabilities (opening) \$	318,538 \$	89,691
Exploration and evaluation asset expenditures included in accounts	σ.ο,οοο φ	30,001
payable and accrued liabilities (closing) \$	202,458 \$	318,538
Interest paid \$	- \$	-
Income taxes paid \$	- \$	-

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

1. NATURE AND CONTINUANCE OF OPERATIONS

BlueBird Battery Metals Inc. (the "Company") is an exploration stage company incorporated pursuant to the British Columbia *Business Corporations Act* on March 31, 2011. The principal business of the Company is the identification, evaluation and acquisition of mineral properties, as well as exploration of mineral properties once acquired. The Company changed its name from Golden Peak Minerals Inc. to BlueBird Battery Metals Inc. on April 17, 2018. The Company's shares are listed for trading on the TSX Venture Exchange ("TSX-V") under the symbol "BATT" and on the OTCQB under the symbol "BBBMF". The address of the Company's corporate office and its principal place of business is 1680 – 200 Burrard Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, V6C 3L6.

2. GOING CONCERN

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared on the basis of accounting principles applicable to a going concern, which assumes that the Company will continue in operation for the foreseeable future and will be able to realize its assets and discharge its liabilities in the normal course of operations.

The Company has incurred a net loss of \$3,149,962 for the year ended August 31, 2019 (2018 - \$6,300,245) and has an accumulated deficit of \$12,786,598 at August 31, 2019. These factors indicate the existence of a material uncertainty that may cast significant doubt about the Company's ability to continue as a going concern.

The Company's ability to continue its operations and to realize assets at their carrying values is dependent upon its ability to fund its existing acquisition and exploration commitments on its exploration and evaluation assets when they come due, which would cease to exist if the Company decides to terminate its commitments, and to cover its operating costs. The Company may be able to generate working capital to fund its operations by the sale of its exploration and evaluation assets or raising additional capital through equity markets. However, there is no assurance it will be able to raise funds in the future. These consolidated financial statements do not give effect to any adjustments required to realize its assets and discharge its liabilities in other than the normal course of business and at amounts different from those reflected in the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

3. BASIS OF PREPARATION

a) Statement of compliance

The consolidated financial statements are prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS"), as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB").

These consolidated financial statements were reviewed by the Audit Committee and approved and authorized for issue by the Board of Directors on December 2, 2019.

b) Measurement basis

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost basis, except for certain financial instruments that have been measured at fair value. These consolidated financial statements have been prepared under the accrual basis of accounting, except for cash flow information.

3. BASIS OF PREPARATION (Continued)

c) Subsidiary

These consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Company and its wholly owned subsidiary, BlueBird Battery Metals Australia Pty. Ltd., which was incorporated in Australia on April 10, 2018. Intercompany balances and transactions are eliminated in preparation of the Company's consolidated financial statements.

d) Foreign currency translation

The functional currency of the Company is the Canadian dollar. The functional currency of the Company's Australian subsidiary is the Australian dollar, which is determined to be the currency of the primary economic environment in which the subsidiary operates.

Transactions in currencies other than the functional currency are recorded at the exchange rates prevailing on the dates of the transactions. At each reporting date, monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the rates prevailing at the reporting date. Non-monetary items are measured at historical cost in a functional currency and are not retranslated.

4. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

a) Deferred financing costs

Professional, consulting and regulatory fees as well as other costs directly attributable to financing transactions are reported as deferred financing costs until the transactions are completed, if the completion of the transaction is considered to be more likely than not. Share issue costs are charged to share capital when the related shares are issued. Costs relating to financing transactions that are not completed, or for which successful completion is considered unlikely, are charged to profit or loss.

b) Exploration and evaluation assets

All expenditures related to the cost of exploration and evaluation of mineral resources including acquisition costs for interests in mineral claims are capitalized as exploration and evaluation assets and are classified as intangible assets. General exploration costs not related to specific mineral properties are expensed as incurred. Costs incurred before the Company has obtained the legal rights to explore an area are recognized in profit or loss.

Once the technical feasibility and commercial viability of the extraction of mineral resources in an area of interest are demonstrable, capitalized costs of the related property are reclassified as mining assets and upon commencement of commercial production, are amortized using the units of production method over estimated recoverable reserves. Impairment is assessed at the level of cash-generating units. Management regularly assesses carrying values of non-producing properties and properties for which events and circumstances may indicate possible impairment. Impairment of a property is generally considered to have occurred if one of the following factors is present; the rights to explore have expired or are near to expiry with no expectation of renewal, no further substantive expenditures are planned or budgeted, exploration and evaluation work is discontinued in an area for which commercially viable quantities have not been discovered, indications that in an area with development likely to proceed the carrying amount is unlikely to be recovered in full by development or sale.

4. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

b) Exploration and evaluation assets (continued)

The recoverability of mineral properties and capitalized exploration and development costs is dependent on the existence of economically recoverable reserves, the ability to obtain the necessary financing to complete the development of the reserves and the profitability of future operations. The Company has not yet determined whether its mineral properties contain economically recoverable reserves. Amounts capitalized to exploration and evaluation costs do not necessarily reflect present or future values.

Exploration costs renounced due to flow-through share subscription agreements remain capitalized; however, for corporate income tax purposes, the Company has no right to claim these costs as tax deductible expenses.

Recorded costs of exploration and evaluation assets are not intended to reflect present or future values of resource properties. The recorded costs are subject to measurement uncertainty and it is reasonably possible, based on existing knowledge, that changes in future conditions could require a material change in the recognized amount.

Payments on mineral property option agreements are made at the discretion of the Company, and accordingly, are recorded on a cash basis.

c) Impairment

Financial assets

Financial assets are assessed at each reporting date to determine whether there is objective evidence that they are impaired. A financial asset is impaired if objective evidence indicates that a loss event has occurred after the initial recognition of the asset, and that the loss event had a negative effect on the estimated future cash flows of that asset that can be estimated reliably.

An impairment loss in respect of a financial asset measured at amortized cost is calculated as the difference between its carrying amount and the present value of the estimated future cash flows discounted at the asset's original effective interest rate. Losses are recognized in profit or loss and reflected in an allowance account against the assets impaired. When a subsequent event causes the amount of impairment loss to decrease, the decrease in impairment loss is reversed through profit or loss.

Non-financial assets

Exploration and evaluation assets are reviewed at each reporting date for impairment or whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount of the properties exceeds its recoverable amount. When an impairment review is undertaken, the recoverable amount is assessed by reference to the higher of value in use and fair value less costs to sell. Fair value is determined as the amount that would be obtained from the sale of the asset in an arm's length transaction between knowledgeable and willing parties. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a discounted rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. If the carrying amount of an asset exceeds the recoverable amount an impairment charge is recognized by the amount by which the carrying amount of the asset exceeds the recoverable amount of the asset.

When an impairment subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset is increased to the revised estimate and its recoverable amount, but to an amount that does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognized for the asset in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognized immediately in profit or loss.

4. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

d) Provisions

Provisions are recorded when a present legal or constructive obligation exists as a result of past events where it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation, and a reliable estimate of the amount can be made. If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are determined by discounting the expected future cash flows at a pre-tax rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and, where appropriate, the risks specific to the liability. Where discounting is used, the increase in the provision due to the passage of time is recognized as a finance cost. When some or all of the economic benefits required to settle a provision are expected to be recovered from a third party, the receivable is recognized as an asset if it is virtually certain that reimbursement will be received and the amount receivable can be measured reliably.

As at August 31, 2019, the Company has not incurred any decommissioning costs related to the exploration and evaluation of its mineral properties, and accordingly, no provision has been recorded for such site reclamation or abandonment.

e) Flow-through shares

Exploration expenditures for income tax purposes related to exploration and development activities funded by flow-through share arrangements are renounced to investors in accordance with the Government of Canada flow-through regulations. At the time flow-through shares are issued, there may be a potential premium paid on the flow-through shares calculated based on the difference between the share issuance price and the market price at the time of closing. A liability is recognized for the premium on the flow-through shares and is subsequently reversed and recorded as other income or deferred tax expense as the Company incurs qualifying Canadian exploration expenses. In instances where the Company has sufficient deductible temporary differences available to offset the deferred income tax liability created from renouncing qualifying expenditures, the realization of the deductible temporary differences will be shown as a deferred income tax recovery in operations in the period of renunciation.

The Company may also be subject to a Part XII.6 tax on flow-through proceeds renounced under certain rules, in accordance with the Government of Canada flow-through regulations. When applicable, this tax is accrued as an expense.

f) Share-based payments

The Company has an equity-settled share-based compensation plan. Equity-settled share-based payments to employees and others providing similar services are measured at the fair value of the equity instruments at the grant date. The fair value is measured at grant date and each tranche is recognized on a graded-vesting basis over the period in which options vest. At the end of each reporting period, the Company revises its estimate of the number of equity instruments expected to vest. The impact of the revision of the original estimates, if any, is recognized in profit or loss such that the cumulative expense reflects the revised estimate, with a corresponding adjustment to contributed surplus.

Equity-settled share-based payment transactions with parties other than employees are measured at the fair value of the goods or services received, except where that fair value cannot be estimated reliably, in which case they are measured at the fair value of the equity instruments granted, measured at the date the entity obtains the goods or the counterparty renders the service.

4. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

g) Loss per share

The Company presents basic and diluted loss per share data for its common shares, calculated by dividing the loss attributable to common shareholders of the Company by the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the period. Diluted loss per share does not adjust the loss attributable to common shareholders or the weighted average number of common shares outstanding when the effect is anti-dilutive. The weighted average number of common shares outstanding is adjusted retrospectively for changes in capitalization, such as share splits, reverse splits or cancellations of common shares.

h) Income taxes

Income tax on profit or loss comprises current and deferred tax. Income tax is recognized in profit or loss, except to the extent that it relates to items recognized directly in equity, in which case it is recognized in equity.

Current tax is the expected tax payable or receivable on the taxable income or loss for the year, using tax rates enacted or substantively enacted at the statement of financial position date, and includes any adjustments to tax payable or receivable in respect of previous years.

Deferred income taxes are recorded using the liability method whereby deferred tax is recognized in respect of temporary differences between the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities for financial reporting purposes and the amounts used for taxation purposes.

Deferred tax is measured at the tax rates that are expected to be applied to temporary differences when they reverse, based on the laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the statement of financial position date. Deferred tax is not recognized for temporary differences that arise on the initial recognition of assets or liabilities in a transaction that is not a business combination and that affects neither accounting nor taxable profit or loss.

A deferred tax asset is recognized for unused tax losses, tax credits and deductible temporary differences, to the extent that it is probable that future taxable profits will be available against which they can be utilized. Deferred tax assets are reviewed at each reporting date and are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that the related tax benefit will be realized.

i) Financial instruments

Classification of financial assets is established by management at the initial recognition of financial based on the purpose for which these financial assets were acquired. Financial instruments are originally recorded at fair value when the Company becomes a party to contractual provision of these instruments.

Financial assets are classified into one of three categories: amortized cost, fair value through other comprehensive income ("FVTOCI"), and fair value through profit and loss ("FVTPL"). All financial assets not classified at amortized cost or fair value through other comprehensive income are measured at fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL"). On initial recognition, the Company can irrevocably designate a financial asset at FVTPL if doing so eliminates or significantly reduces an accounting mismatch.

4. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

i) Financial instruments (continued)

A financial asset is measured at amortized cost if it meets both of the following conditions and is not designated at FVTPL:

- It is held within a business model whose objective is to hold the financial asset to collect the
 contractual cash flows associated with the financial asset instead of selling the financial
 asset for a profit or loss; and
- Its contractual terms give rise to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest.

Subsequent measurement of financial instruments is based on their classification. Financial assets and liabilities classified at FVTPL are measured at fair value with changes in those fair values recognized in net income (loss) for the period. Financial assets and liabilities classified at amortized cost and are measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method. Fair value changes in financial instruments classified as FVTOCI are recognized in OCI. Cumulative gain or loss is not reclassified to profit or loss on disposal of the instrument; instead, it is transferred to deficit.

Fair value hierarchy

Fair value measurements of financial instruments are required to be classified using a fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of inputs used in making the measurements. The levels of the fair value hierarchy are defined as follows:

- Level 1: Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2: Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly.
- Level 3: Inputs for assets or liabilities that are not based on observable market data.
- j) New accounting standards adopted during the year

IFRS 9 Financial Instruments

On September 1, 2018, the Company adopted IFRS 9. IFRS 9 introduces new requirements for classifying and measuring financial assets and liabilities. Additional amendments include introduction of a new hedge accounting model and a new expected-loss impairment model. Adoption of this accounting standard did not have an impact on the Company's consolidated financial statements. Cash continued to be classified as FVTPL, amounts receivable changed from loans and receivables to amortized cost, and accounts payable changed from other financial liabilities to amortized cost. The Company does not have any financial instruments designated as FVTOCI.

IFRS 15 Revenue from Contracts with Customers

Effective September 1, 2018, the Company retrospectively adopted IFRS 15. The standard supersedes International Accounting Standard ("IAS") 18 *Revenue*, IAS 11 *Construction Contracts* and related interpretations. The adoption of IFRS 15 did not result in any adjustments to the amounts recognized in the Company's consolidated financial statements.

4. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (Continued)

k) New accounting standards issued but not yet effective

IFRS 16 Leases

On January 13, 2016, the IASB issued IFRS 16. This standard introduces a single lessee accounting model and requires a lessee to recognize assets and liabilities for all leases with a term of more than 12 months, unless the underlying asset is of low value. A lessee is required to recognize a right-of-use asset representing its right to use the underlying asset and a lease liability representing its obligation to make lease payments. This standard substantially carries forward the lessor accounting requirements of IAS 17 Leases, while requiring enhanced disclosures to be provided by lessors. Other areas of the lease accounting model have been impacted, including the definition of a lease. The new standard is effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2019. Earlier application is permitted for entities that apply IFRS 15 at or before the date of initial adoption of IFRS 16. The Company does not anticipate any impact at the date of initial adoption.

IFRIC 23 Uncertainty over Income Tax Treatments ("IFRIC 23")

On June 7, 2017, the IASB issued IFRIC 23 Uncertainty over Income Tax Treatments. The interpretation provides guidance on the accounting for current and deferred income tax liabilities and assets when there is uncertainty over income tax treatments. IFRIC 23 was applicable for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2019.

IFRIC 23 requires an entity to determine whether uncertain tax positions are assessed separately or as a group; and assess whether it is probable that a tax authority will accept an uncertain tax treatment used, or proposed to be used, by an entity in its income tax filings. If the treatment is likely to be accepted, the entity should determine its accounting tax position consistently with the tax treatment used or planned to be used in its income tax filings. If not, the entity should reflect the effect of uncertainty in determining its accounting tax position. The Interpretation is effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2019.

The Company does not anticipate any impact at the date of initial adoption.

5. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGMENTS

The Company makes estimates and assumptions about the future that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities. Estimates and judgments are continually evaluated based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. In the future, actual experience may differ from these estimates and assumptions.

The effect of a change in an accounting estimate is recognized prospectively by including it in comprehensive income (loss) in the year of the change, if the change affects that year only, or in the year of the change and future years, if the change affects both.

Critical judgments in applying accounting policies

Information about critical judgments in applying accounting policies that have the most significant risk of causing material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities recognized in the consolidated financial statements within the next financial year are discussed below.

5. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGMENTS (Continued)

Critical judgments in applying accounting policies (continued)

a) Impairment of exploration and evaluation assets

The application of the Company's accounting policy for exploration and evaluation expenditures and impairment of the capitalized expenditures requires judgment in determining whether it is likely that future economic benefits will flow to the Company, which may be based on assumptions about future events or circumstances. Estimates and assumptions made may change if new information becomes available. If, after expenditure is capitalized, information becomes available suggesting that the recovery of expenditure is unlikely, the amount capitalized is written off in profit or loss in the year the new information becomes available.

b) Title to mineral property interests

Although the Company has taken steps to verify title to mineral properties in which it has an interest, these procedures do not guarantee the Company's title. Such properties may be subject to prior agreements or transfers and title may be affected by undetected defects.

c) Income taxes

Significant judgment is required in determining the provision for income taxes. There are many transactions and calculations undertaken during the ordinary course of business for which the ultimate tax determination is uncertain. The Company recognizes liabilities and contingencies for anticipated tax audit issues based on the Company's current understanding of the tax law. For matters where it is probable that an adjustment will be made, the Company records its best estimate of the tax liability, including the related interest and penalties in the current tax provision. Management believes they have adequately provided for the probable outcome of these matters; however, the final outcome may result in a materially different outcome than the amount included in the tax liabilities.

In addition, the Company recognizes deferred tax assets relating to tax losses carried forward to the extent that it is probable that taxable profit will be available against which a deductible temporary difference can be utilized. This is deemed to be the case when there are sufficient taxable temporary differences relating to the same taxation authority and the same taxable entity that are expected to reverse in the same year as the expected reversal of the deductible temporary difference, or in years into which a tax loss arising from the deferred tax asset can be carried back or forward. However, utilization of the tax losses also depends on the ability of the taxable entity to satisfy certain tests at the time the losses are recouped.

d) Going concern risk assessment

The Company's ability to continue its operations and to realize assets at their carrying values is dependent upon its ability to fund its existing acquisition and exploration commitments on its exploration and evaluation assets when they come due, which would cease to exist if the Company decides to terminate its commitments, and to cover its operating costs. The Company may be able to generate working capital to fund its operations by the sale of its exploration and evaluation assets or raising additional capital through equity markets. However, there is no assurance it will be able to raise funds in the future. These consolidated financial statements do not give effect to any adjustments required to realize its assets and discharge its liabilities in other than the normal course of business and at amounts different from those reflected in the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

5. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES AND JUDGMENTS (Continued)

Key sources of estimation uncertainty

The following are key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation uncertainty that have a significant risk of resulting in material adjustments to the consolidated financial statements.

a) Decommissioning liabilities

Rehabilitation provisions have been created based on the Company's internal estimates. Assumptions, based on the current economic environment, have been made that management believes are a reasonable basis upon which to estimate the future liability. These estimates take into account any material changes to the assumptions that occur when reviewed regularly by management. Estimates are reviewed annually and are based on current regulatory requirements. Significant changes in estimates of contamination, restoration standards and techniques will result in changes to provisions from year to year. Actual rehabilitation costs will ultimately depend on future market prices for the rehabilitation costs that will reflect the market condition at the time the rehabilitation costs are actually incurred.

The final cost of the currently recognized rehabilitation provisions may be higher or lower than currently provided for. As at August 31, 2019, the Company has no known rehabilitation requirements, and accordingly, no provision has been made.

b) Fair value of stock options granted

The Company uses the Black-Scholes option pricing model to value the stock options granted during the year. The Black-Scholes model was developed for use in estimating the fair value of traded options that have no vesting restrictions and are fully transferable. The model requires management to make estimates that are subjective and may not be representative of actual results. Changes in assumptions can materially affect estimates of fair values.

6. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION ASSETS

Total costs incurred on exploration and evaluation assets are summarized as follows:

					¥	Atikwa Lake /						
		Canegrass Property	ĂΉ	Ashburton Property		Maybrun Properties		Batt Property	ъ	Hemlo Properties		Total
Acquisition Costs												
Balance, August 31, 2017	49	•	4	ı	()	725,953	s		₩,	2,290,022	₩	3,015,975
Acquisition and option payments (cash)		20,000		25,000		,		25,000				100,000
Acquisition and option payments (shares)		945,707				1		67,500		883,500		1,896,707
Claim costs		•		Ī		1,331		•		1,016		2,347
Impairment		1		•		(17,000)		•		(3,174,538)		(3,191,538)
Balance, August 31, 2018		995,707		25,000		710,284		92,500		•		1,823,491
Acquisition and option payments (shares)		553,125		514,594						ı		1,067,719
Claim costs				85,474		1,209				•		86,683
Impairment		•		(625,068)		(640,000)		(92,500)		-		(1,357,568)
Balance, August 31, 2019	\$	1,548,832	₩.	•	₩.	71,493	\$		\$		\$	1,620,325
Deferred Exploration Expenditures												
Balance Audust 31 2017	¥	•	¥	Ī	¥	181 046	¥		¥	914 383	¥	1 095 429
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Geophysics		03,972		Ī		(4.2,6.20)		•		158,523		777,490
Impairment		•		•		(12,028)		•		(1,101,750)		(1,114,384)
Balance, August 31, 2018		274,893		8,020		258,768		48,629		•		590,310
Camp and other (recovery)		151		•		(2,970)				•		(2,819)
Drilling		243,531		•		•		•		1		243,531
Geological (recovery)		75,060		3,050		(6,100)		21,657		•		93,667
Geophysics		118,382		ı		1		ı		Į		118,382
Impairment		1		(10,682)		(1,000)		(70,286)		1		(81,968)
Currency translation difference		(10,208)		(388)		•		•		•		(10,596)
Balance, August 31, 2019	s	701,809	\$	•	\$	248,698	\$	ı	\$	•	\$	950,507
Total Exploration and Evaluation Assets												
Balance, August 31, 2018	s	1,270,600	₩.	33,020	₩.	969,052	€	141,129	\$	•	₩.	2,413,801
Balance, August 31, 2019	₩	2,250,641	₩.	•	₩.	320,191	€	•	↔	Ī	₩	2,570,832

6. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION ASSETS (Continued)

a) Canegrass Property

On March 15, 2018, the Company entered into an option agreement with Trafalgar Resources Pty. Ltd. ("Trafalgar") to acquire a 100% interest in the Canegrass Property, located in the Mount Magnet region of Western Australia.

In consideration, the Company must make payments as follows:

- Cash payment of \$25,000 (paid) and issuance of 3,000,000 common shares of the Company (issued and valued at \$870,000) upon approval by the TSX-V (approval received on March 21, 2018);
- Issuance of an additional 1,875,000 common shares of the Company on or before March 21, 2019 (issued on March 21, 2019 and valued at \$553,125); and
- Issuance of an additional 1,875,000 common shares of the Company on or before March 21, 2020.

The Company must also incur exploration expenditures as follows:

- \$500,000 on or before March 21, 2019 (incurred);
- An additional \$1,000,000 on or before March 21, 2020; and
- An additional \$1,500,000 on or before March 21, 2021.

A finder's fee of 261,058 shares (issued and valued at \$75,707) was paid in relation to the agreement. Subject to further TSX-V approval, a discovery bonus of 1,500,000 common shares of the Company will be issued in the event of discovery of a copper/cobalt equivalent resource of 250,000 ounces or greater on the Canegrass Property.

The Company also paid a \$25,000 letter of intent ("LOI") fee to Trafalgar during the year ended August 31, 2018.

b) Ashburton Project

On August 8, 2018, the Company entered into an agreement to acquire a 100% interest in the Ashburton Project, located in Western Australia.

In consideration, the Company must make payments as follows:

- Issuing common shares of the Company upon completion with a volume weighted average price ("VWAP") over a 30-day period of \$750,000 (issued and valued at \$514,594 based on the trading price at the date of issuance); and
- Issuing common shares of the Company with a VWAP over a 30-day period of \$750,000 on October 9, 2019.

The Company also paid a \$25,000 LOI fee to the vendor during the year ended August 31, 2018.

The October 9, 2019 common share payment has not been made, and accordingly the property has been written down to \$nil.

c) Atikwa Lake / Maybrun Properties

On February 4, 2016, the Company entered into an agreement to acquire a 100% undivided interest in 20 mineral claims located in Ontario. As consideration, the Company issued 75,000 common shares of the Company at a value of \$60,000.

In March 2017, an additional five claims were acquired for \$6,480.

6. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION ASSETS (Continued)

c) Atikwa Lake / Maybrun Properties (continued)

On April 7, 2017, the Company entered into an agreement to acquire a 100% interest in the Maybrun Property located in Ontario. As consideration, the Company issued 1,200,000 common shares at a value of \$600,000 and paid \$40,000 in cash.

The vendors retained a 2% net smelter return royalty ("NSR") on the property. The Company had the option to purchase 1% of the 2% NSR (one-half) at a price of \$1,000,000.

On June 19, 2017, the Company entered into an option agreement to acquire additional claims on the Atikwa Lake Property. Under the terms of the option agreement, the Company could earn a 100% interest by making payments as follows:

- Issuing 25,000 common shares of the Company (issued) and making a cash payment of \$10,000 (paid) upon approval by the TSX-V;
- Issuing 25,000 common shares of the Company and making a cash payment of \$25,000 by June 23, 2018;
- Issuing 50,000 common shares of the Company and making a cash payment of \$35,000 by June 23, 2019; and
- Issuing 85,000 common shares of the Company and making a cash payment of \$60,000 by June 23, 2020.

The Company was also required to incur exploration expenditures on the additional claims as follows:

- \$50,000 on or before June 19, 2018;
- An additional \$75,000 on or before June 19, 2019; and
- An additional \$150,000 on or before June 19, 2020.

The vendors retained a 2% NSR on the property. The Company had the option to purchase 1% of the 2% NSR (one-half) at a price of \$1,000,000.

On April 6, 2018, the Company provided termination notice to the vendors of the June 19, 2017 option agreement. The Company recorded an impairment of \$29,628 as a result of the termination.

During the year ending August 31, 2019, the Company allowed the option title claims to lapse and recorded an impairment charge in the amount of \$641,000.

d) Batt Property

On March 26, 2018, the Company entered into an option agreement with Strategic Metals Ltd. ("Strategic") to acquire an 80% interest in the Batt Property, located in Yukon Territory. In consideration, the Company paid cash of \$25,000 and issued 250,000 common shares of the Company valued at \$67,500.

The Company was also required to incur exploration expenditures as follows:

- \$50,000 on or before March 31, 2019 (incurred);
- An additional \$150,000 on or before March 31, 2020; and
- An additional \$300,000 on or before March 31, 2021.

Strategic retained a 1% NSR on the property. In the case the option agreement terms were met, a joint venture ("JV") would be formed between the Company and Strategic. If Strategic's JV participation dropped below 10%, the NSR would increase to 2%. At that time, the Company could repurchase 1% (one-half) of the NSR for \$1,000,000, subject to further TSX-V approval.

6. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION ASSETS (Continued)

d) Batt Property (continued)

As at August 31, 2019, the Company did not have intentions to meet future exploration expenditure requirements. Accordingly, the property has been written down to \$nil.

e) Hemlo Properties

Heikki Property

On October 28, 2016, and as amended November 17, 2017, the Company entered into four option agreements to acquire the Esa, Kulta, Seija and Soturi properties, collectively, the Heikki Property, located in Ontario. Under the terms of the option agreements, the Company can earn a 100% interest by making payments as follows:

- Issuing 2,600,000 common shares of the Company (issued and valued at \$1,040,000) and making a cash payment of \$105,000 (paid) upon approval by the TSX-V;
- Issuing 3,100,000 common shares of the Company (issued) by January 31, 2018; and
- Issuing 1,750,000 common shares of the Company by November 17, 2018.

The vendors retained a 3% NSR on each of the four properties. The Company had the option to purchase 1% of the 3% NSR (one-third) at a price of \$500,000.

On April 6, 2018, the Company provided termination notice to the vendors of the Heikki Property. The Company issued 3,100,000 common shares of the Company valued at \$883,500 in relation to the January 31, 2018 payment. The Company recorded an impairment of \$2,997,499 as a result of the termination.

Hemlo East

On January 27, 2017, the Company entered into an option agreement to acquire the Hemlo East Property, located in Ontario. Under the terms of the option agreement, the Company could earn a 100% interest by making payments as follows:

- Issuing 750,000 common shares of the Company (issued and valued at \$352,500) and making a cash payment of \$100,000 (paid) upon approval by the TSX-V;
- Issuing 500,000 common shares of the Company and making a cash payment of \$100,000 by February 8, 2018;
- Issuing 500,000 common shares of the Company and making a cash payment of \$100,000 by February 8, 2019; and
- Issuing 500,000 common shares of the Company and making a cash payment of \$40,000 by February 8, 2020.

The Company was also required to incur exploration expenditures on the property as follows:

- \$600,000 on or before January 27, 2018;
- An additional \$600,000 on or before January 27, 2019; and
- An additional \$600,000 on or before January 27, 2020.

The vendor retained a 2.5% NSR on the property. The Company had the option to purchase 0.5% of the 2.5% NSR (one-fifth) at a price of US \$1,000,000.

On January 31, 2018, the Company provided termination notice to the vendor of the Hemlo East Property. The Company recorded an impairment of \$591,195 as a result of the termination.

6. EXPLORATION AND EVALUATION ASSETS (Continued)

e) Hemlo Properties (continued)

Hemlo East Extension and Hemlo West

On May 31, 2017, and as amended December 18, 2017 and January 31, 2018, the Company entered into two agreements to acquire additional claims in the Hemlo area. Under the terms of the agreements, the Company could earn a 100% interest by making payments as follows:

- Issuing 2,200,000 common shares of the Company upon approval by the TSX-V (issued and valued at \$682,000); and
- Issuing 1,000,000 common shares of the Company and making a cash payment of \$500,000 by March 2, 2018.

The vendors retained a 2% NSR on each property. The Company had the option to purchase 1% of each 2% NSR (one-half) at a price of \$1,000,000 each.

On April 6, 2018, the Company provided termination notice to the vendors of the Hemlo East Extension Property and Hemlo West Property. The Company recorded an impairment of \$687,600 as a result of the terminations.

7. RELATED PARTY BALANCES AND TRANSACTIONS

These amounts of key management compensation are included in exploration and evaluation assets and the amounts shown on the consolidated statements of comprehensive loss:

	2019	2018
Consulting fees**	\$ 104,294	\$ 14,125
Geological	\$ 10,125	\$ 102,083
Management fees*	\$ 215,000	\$ 392,419
Share-based payments	\$ 282,495	\$ 210,289

^{*}includes \$nil (2018 - \$135,000) paid to the former Chief Executive Officer and \$nil (2018 - \$112,500) paid to the former President upon termination of their respective consulting agreements.

Key management includes directors and officers of the Company, including the Chief Executive Officer, President and Chief Financial Officer.

During the year ended August 31, 2019, the Company also paid or accrued:

- \$33,000 (2018 \$36,000) in rent to companies with common officers:
- \$80,000 (2018 \$nil) in consulting fees to a private company controlled by an officer; and
- \$40,000 (2018 \$nil) in office expenses to a private company controlled by an officer.

As at August 31, 2019, included in accounts payable and accrued liabilities is \$232,267 (2018 - \$31,465) due to directors and officers of the Company, \$96,886 (2018 - \$nil) due to a company controlled by an officer, \$15,750 (2018 - \$nil) due to a company with common officers and directors, and \$22,000 due to a former officer.

As at August 31, 2019, included in loan payable is \$125,000 (2018 - \$nil) due to a private company controlled by an officer. The amount is non-interest-bearing and without specific terms of repayment.

^{**} includes \$22,000 (2018 - \$Nil) payable to former officer.

8. SHARE CAPITAL

a) Authorized

The Company is authorized to issue an unlimited number of common shares without par value.

b) Issued and outstanding

During the year ended August 31, 2019

- On October 9, 2018, the Company issued 1,633,631 common shares valued at \$514,594 for the acquisition of the Ashburton Property (Note 6(b)).
- On March 21, 2019, the Company issued 1,875,000 common shares valued at \$553,125 for the acquisition of the Canegrass Property (Note 6(a)).
- During the year ended August 31, 2019, the Company received \$658,347 pursuant to the exercise of 3,987,699 warrants and \$120,000 on the exercise of 600,000 stock options. The Company transferred \$87,887, the previously recorded fair value of the stock options, from contributed surplus to share capital upon exercise of the stock options. The Company also transferred \$19,816 previously recorded fair value of warrants from contributed surplus to share capital upon exercise of those warrants.

During the year ended August 31, 2018

 On February 23, 2018, the Company completed a non-brokered private placement for gross proceeds of \$1,697,346. The Company issued 14,144,546 units at a price of \$0.12 per unit. Each unit consisted of one common share of the Company and one share purchase warrant. Each warrant entitles the holder to acquire one common share of the Company at an exercise price of \$0.15 for a period of two years.

The Company incurred finder's fees of \$83,914 and other share issue costs of \$9,237. The Company also issued 399,285 finder's warrants valued at \$51,986 (Note 8(c)) and entitling the holder to acquire one non-flow-through common share of the Company at an exercise price of \$0.15 for a period of two years.

- On March 22, 2018, the Company issued 3,261,058 common shares valued at \$945,707 for the acquisition of the Canegrass Property, which included a 261,058-share issuance for a finder's fee (Note 6(a)).
- On April 9, 2018, the Company issued 250,000 common shares valued at \$67,500 for the acquisition of the Batt Property (Note 6(d)).
- On May 14, 2018, the Company issued 3,100,000 common shares valued at \$883,500 for the acquisition of the Heikki Property (Note 6(e)).
- During the year ended August 31, 2018, the Company received \$688,215 pursuant to the exercise of 3,890,992 warrants.

8. SHARE CAPITAL (Continued)

c) Warrants

Warrant transactions and the number of warrants outstanding for the years ended August 31, 2019 and 2018 are summarized as follows:

	2	019	2	2018	
	Number of Warrants	Weighted Average Exercise Price	Number of Warrants	Weighted Average Exercise Price	
Outstanding, beginning of period	14,841,405	\$ 0.17	4,188,566	\$ 0.23	
Issued	_	-	14,543,831	\$ 0.15	
Exercised	(3,987,699)	\$ 0.17	(3,890,992)	\$ 0.18	
Expired	(716,371)	\$ 0.35	<u> </u>	-	
Outstanding, end of period	10,137,335	\$ 0.15	14,841,405	\$ 0.17	

The following warrants were outstanding and exercisable at August 31, 2019:

	Weighted Average Remaining Contractual		
Expiry Date	Life in Years	Exercise Price	Warrants
February 23, 2020	0.48	\$ 0.15	9,960,298
October 26, 2020	1.16	\$ 0.36	177,037
	0.49		10,137,335

The Company applies the fair value method using the Black-Scholes option pricing model in accounting for its finder's warrants granted. During the year ended August 31, 2019, the Company did not grant warrants. The fair value of each finder's warrant grant for the year ended August 30, 2018 was calculated using the following weighted average assumptions:

	2018
Expected life (years)	2.00
Risk-free interest rate	1.78%
Expected annualized volatility	104%
Dividend yield	N/A
Stock price at grant date	\$ 0.21
Exercise price	\$ 0.15
Weighted average grant date fair value	\$ 0.13

Option pricing models require the input of highly subjective assumptions regarding volatility. The Company has used historical volatility to estimate the volatility of the share price.

8. SHARE CAPITAL (Continued)

d) Stock options

The Company adopted a Stock Option Plan (the "Plan") to grant incentive stock options to directors, officers, employees and consultants. Under the Plan, the aggregate number of common shares that may be subject to option at any one time may not exceed 10% of the issued common shares of the Company as of that date, including options granted prior to the adoption of the Plan. Options granted may not exceed a term of 10 years, and the term will be reduced to one year following the date of death of the optionee. All options vest when granted unless they are otherwise specified by the Board of Directors or if they are granted for investor relations activities. Options granted for investor relations activities vest over a 12-month period with no more than 25% of the options vesting in any three-month period.

The following is a summary of option transactions under the Company's Plan for the years ended August 31, 2019 and 2018:

	201	9	20	2018	
		Weighted Average		Weighted Average	
	Number of Options	Exercise Price	Number of Options	Exercise Price	
Outstanding, beginning of period	3,300,000	\$ 0.30	1,389,000	\$ 0.42	
Expired	(1,075,000)	\$ 0.29	(289,000)	\$ 0.29	
Exercised	(600,000)	\$ 0.20	-	-	
Granted	3,360,000	\$ 0.23	2,200,000	\$ 0.24	
Outstanding, end of period	4,985,000	\$ 0.26	3,300,000	\$ 0.30	

The following options were outstanding and exercisable at August 31, 2019:

Expiry Date	Weighted Average Remaining Contractual Life in Years	Exercise Price	Outstanding	Exercisable
February 28, 2020	0.50	\$ 0.22	100,000	100,000
April 11, 2020	0.61	\$ 0.40	1,025,000	1,025,000
April 30, 2020	0.67	\$ 0.22	50,000	50,000
April 30, 2020	0.67	\$ 0.285	100,000	100,000
November 1, 2020	1.17	\$ 0.25	300,000	300,000
March 8, 2021	1.52	\$ 0.20	400,000	400,000
March 28, 2021	1.58	\$ 0.285	100,000	100,000
January 23, 2022*	2.40	\$ 0.22	2,425,000	2,425,000
May 1, 2022**	2.67	\$ 0.25	485,000	485,000
	1.81		4,985,000	4,985,000

^{* 500,000} of the options expired unexercised subsequent to year-end following the resignation of a director and a consultant ** 125,000 of the options expired unexercised subsequent to year-end following the resignation of a director

8. SHARE CAPITAL (Continued)

d) Stock options (continued)

The Company applies the fair value method using the Black-Scholes option pricing model in accounting for its stock options granted. The fair value of each stock option grant was calculated using the following weighted average assumptions:

	2019	2018
Expected life (years)	2.91	3.00
Risk-free interest rate	1.88%	1.92%
Expected annualized volatility	127%	133%
Dividend yield	N/A	N/A
Stock price at grant date	\$ 0.23	\$ 0.23
Exercise price	\$ 0.23	\$ 0.24
Weighted average grant date fair value	\$ 0.16	\$ 0.18

Option pricing models require the input of highly subjective assumptions regarding volatility. The Company has used historical volatility to estimate the volatility of the share price.

9. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Company's financial instruments include cash, amounts receivable, accounts payable, and loan payable. Cash is classified as FVTPL. Amounts receivables are classified as measured at amortized cost. Accounts payable and loan payable are classified as measured at amortized cost. The carrying values of these instruments approximate their fair values due to the relatively short periods to maturity of these instruments.

The following table sets forth the Company's financial asset measured at fair value by level within the fair value hierarchy as follows:

August 31, 2019	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Cash	\$ 18,507	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 18,507
August 31, 2018	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Cash	\$ 260,836	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 260,836

Financial risk management objectives and policies

The risks associated with these financial instruments and the policies on how to mitigate these risks are set out below. Management manages and monitors these exposures to ensure appropriate measures are implemented in a timely and effective manner.

a) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk of an unexpected loss if a customer or third party to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations. The financial instrument that potentially subjects the Company to concentrations of credit risk consists principally of cash. To minimize the credit risk on cash, the Company places the instrument with a major Canadian financial institution.

9. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (Continued)

b) Liquidity risk

The Company manages liquidity risk by maintaining a balance between continuity of funding and flexibility through the use of borrowings. Management closely monitors the liquidity position and expects to have adequate sources of funding to finance the Company's projects and operations. As at August 31, 2019, the Company had cash of \$18,507 (2018 - \$260,836) to settle accounts payable and accrued liabilities of \$856,008 (2018 - \$419,643) and a loan payable of \$125,000 (2018-\$Nil). The Company will be required to obtain additional financing to satisfy its liabilities. All of the liabilities presented as accounts payable are due within 30 days of the reporting date.

c) Market risk

Market risk is the risk that changes in market prices, such as foreign exchange rates and interest rates, will affect the Company's income or the value of its holdings of financial instruments. The objective of market risk management is to manage and control market risk exposures within acceptable parameters, while optimizing the return on capital.

- i) Currency risk Currency risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows will fluctuate as a result of changes in foreign exchange rates. The Company has operations in Canada and Australia and incurs operating and exploration expenditures in both currencies. The fluctuation of the Canadian dollar in relation to the Australian dollar will have an impact upon the results of the Company. A fluctuation in the exchange rates between the Canadian and Australian dollars of 10% would result in a change to the Company's cash of \$800 and accounts payable and accrued liabilities of \$11,700. The Company does not use any techniques to mitigate currency risk.
- ii) Interest rate risk The Company is exposed to interest rate risk on the variable rate of interest earned on bank deposits. The fair value interest rate risk on bank deposits is insignificant as the deposits are short-term. The Company has not entered into any derivative instruments to manage interest rate fluctuations. The Company has no interest-bearing financial liabilities.
- iii) Other price risk Other price risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate due to changes in market prices, other than those arising from interest rate risk. The Company does not have significant exposure to this risk.

10. MANAGEMENT OF CAPITAL

The Company considers its capital to be comprised of shareholders' equity.

The Company manages the capital structure and makes adjustments to it in light of changes in economic conditions and the risk characteristics of the underlying assets. To maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Company may attempt to issue new shares. Although the Company has been successful at raising funds in the past through the issuance of share capital, it is uncertain whether it will continue this method of financing due to the current difficult market conditions.

In order to facilitate the management of its capital requirements, the Company prepares expenditure budgets that are updated as necessary depending on various factors, including successful capital deployment and general industry conditions.

Management reviews the capital structure on a regular basis to ensure that the above objectives are met. There have been no changes to the Company's approach to capital management during the years ended August 31, 2019 and 2018. The Company is not subject to externally imposed capital requirements.

11. INCOME TAXES

The following table reconciles the amount of income tax expense on application of the combined statutory Canadian federal and provincial income tax rates:

	2019	2018
Combined statutory tax rate	27.00%	27.00%
Income tax recovery at combined statutory rate	\$ (850,000) \$	(1,701,000)
Flow-through expenditures	-	30,000
Rate change from prior year to current year	(5,000)	(34,000)
Permanent difference and others	158,000	(319,000)
Tax benefits not recognized	697,000	2,024,000
Provision for income tax expense	\$ - \$	_

The tax effects of deductible and taxable temporary differences that give rise to the Company's deferred tax assets and liabilities are as follows:

	2019	2018
Non-capital loss carry-forwards	\$ 1,694,000	\$ 1,198,000
Exploration and evaluation assets	1,507,000	1,288,000
Share issuance cost	39,000	57,000
Total gross deferred income tax assets	3,240,000	2,543,000
Deferred tax assets not recognized	(3,240,000)	(2,543,000)
Net deferred income tax assets	\$ -	\$ -

As at August 31, 2019, the Company had approximately \$5,311,000 of non-capital loss carry-forwards in Canada available to reduce taxable income for future years. These losses expire as follows:

August 31, 2031	\$	33,000
August 31, 2032		79,000
August 31, 2033		359,000
August 31, 2034		242,000
August 31, 2035		388,000
August 31, 2036		603,000
August 31, 2037		811,000
August 31, 2038		1,752,000
August 31, 2039		1,044,000
	\$	5,311,000
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As at August 31, 2019, the Company has approximately \$1,040,000 of non-capital loss carry-forwards in Australia available to reduce taxable income for future years. These losses have no expiry date.

12. SEGMENTED INFORMATION

Geographical information related to the Company's non-current assets is as follows:

	2019	2018
Exploration and evaluation assets – Canada	\$ 320,191	\$ 1,110,181
Exploration and evaluation assets – Australia	2,250,641	1,303,620
Total exploration and evaluation assets	\$ 2,570,832	\$ 2,413,801

13. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Subsequent to August 31, 2019, 625,000 stock options expired unexercised following the resignation of an officer and a consultant.