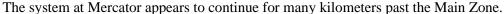


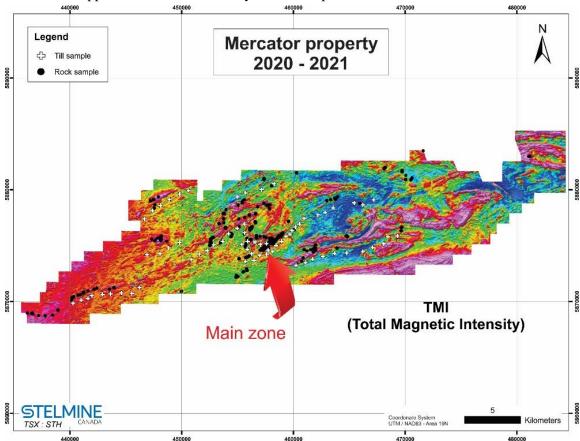
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STELMINE INITIATES NEW EXPLORATION PHASE AT MERCATOR PROPERTY

Québec, June 10, 2022- Stelmine Canada ("Stelmine" or the "Company") (TSXV: STH) is pleased to announce the start of a new exploration phase at its Mercator Property in the heart of a potential new gold district in northern Quebec, west of Fermont.

Mineralization is found on the crest, flank and foothill of a 100-metre high, 500-metre wide, NE/SW oriented 3 km elongated hill characterized by strong positive magnetic anomalies. Gold mineralization has been discovered along a minimum **2.5-km length inside 5 to 20 m thick layers/slabs of mafic rocks** dipping 30° to 40° to the NW and bounded by important low angle thrust faults. Full sampling results from the 2021 campaign will be released shortly.





Mercator 2022 Exploration Campaign

- A 25 km IP survey will be performed on the Main Zone to complement the heliborne MAG survey and correlate sectors of high chargeability and magnetism;
- Detailed geological and structural mapping of the Main Zone will be carried out to better define the gold mineralized zones and understand the complex metamorphic and metallogenic framework;



- Mapping will coincide with additional rock, channel and till sampling in the Main Zone;
- Development of new potential zones outside the Main Zone: Crews will sample previously identified potential target areas outside the Main Zone;
- The field exploration campaign will be followed by a maiden 2,000-3,000-metre drill program already fully permitted by the Quebec government.

Isabelle Proulx, President and CEO of Stelmine, commented: "We look forward to following up on a very successful 2021 program at Mercator where the potential scale of gold mineralization is particularly noteworthy and has excited our geological team."

Courcy Property Update

Stelmine anticipates providing a major update on Courcy, including drill results, this month.

Qualified Person

The technical contents of this release were prepared and approved by Michel Boily, PhD, geo, a Qualified Person (QP) as defined by National Instrument 43-101.

About Stelmine Canada

Stelmine is a junior mining exploration company pioneering a new gold district (Caniapiscau) east of James Bay in the under-explored eastern part of the Opinaca metasedimentary basin where the geological context has similarities to the Eleonore mine. Stelmine has 100% ownership of 1,277 claims or 655 km² in this part of northern Quebec, highlighted by the Courcy and Mercator Projects.

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