ASX Announcement

7 September 2023 ASX: MKR



Date of AGM and Closing Date for Director Nominations

Manuka Resources Limited (**Manuka** or the **Company**) (ASX: MKR) advises, in accordance with Listing Rule 3.13.1, that its annual general meeting will be held on Thursday 9th November 2023. An item of business at the meeting will be the re-election and appointment of directors. In accordance with clause 13.3 of the Company's constitution, the closing date for the receipt of nominations from persons wishing to be considered for election as a director is Tuesday, 19th September 2023.

Any nominations must be received at the Company's registered office no later than 5:00pm (Sydney time) on Tuesday 19th September 2023.

About Manuka

Manuka Resources Limited (ASX: MKR) is an Australian mining and exploration company with key assets located in the Cobar Basin, central west New South Wales. In addition to its recent acquisition of Trans-Tasman Resources Limited owner of the Taranaki VTM Project, it is the 100% owner of two fully permitted mining projects, one gold and one silver, both within the Cobar Basin, which include the following:

- Gold Mt Boppy Gold mine, 48-person mine camp and neighbouring tenements, hosting an existing open pit mineral resource¹ and combined ROM, waste and tailings material all of which lend themselves to upgrading through screening. The Company has commenced a screening and gold recovery project, processing the product at its Wonawinta plant. It has confidence the gold from these sources can be extracted profitably and over a period of ~3 years. Manuka also awaits the outcome of its forthcoming exploration program to determine as to whether the future for mining any Mt Boppy extensions will be as an underground or open cast mine.
- Silver Wonawinta silver project, with mine, 84 person mine camp, processing plant and neighbouring tenements. Previously renowned as the largest primary producer of silver in Australia, the mine hosts a significant JORC resource². The Wonawinta processing plant has a nameplate capacity of >850,000 tonnes per year (which the Company now sees expanded to >1.0Mt/yr. The Company has recently completed a plant and metallurgical recovery optimisation.

There exists a number of highly prospective base metals exploration targets on Manuka's ~1,150km² tenement package within the Cobar Basin.

¹ ASX release 29 July 2022

² ASX release 1 April 2021

The Taranaki VTM Iron Sand Project recently released its maiden vanadium resource³ which ranks it as one of the largest drilled vanadium projects globally. The Project has a granted mining licence and is in the lowest quartile of the iron ore production cost curve. The Company awaits the reissuance of its Environmental Approval before completing its Bankable Feasibility Study.



This announcement has been approved for release by the Board of Directors of Manuka Resources Limited.

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³ ASX release 1 March 2023