

Guyana Goldfields Inc. Intercepts 9.09 g/t Au over 44.8 metres and 10.85 g/t Au over 21.4 metres from East Walcott Drill Program

TORONTO, Sept. 11, 2018 /CNW/ - Guyana Goldfields Inc. (TSX: GUY) (the "Company") is pleased to provide an exploration update from the diamond drill program currently underway at the East Walcott deposit in Guyana. The drill program is focused on the delineation of higher grade mineralization within East Walcott to assist with underground planning including finalizing the location of the second underground portal. Highlights from assay results from the first five holes (totalling 1,715m) of a planned 12 hole program drilled at East Walcott are as follows⁽¹⁾:

- 9.09 g/t Au over 44.8 m from 205 m in hole EWD094
- 10.85 g/t Au over 21.4 m from 130 m in hole EWD094
- 6.8 g/t Au over 23.0 m from 102 m in hole EWD094
- 4.79 g/t Au over 20.0 m from 356 m in hole EWD099
- 4.21 g/t Au over 21.2 m from 291 m in hole EWD099
- 6.33 g/t Au over 12.7 m from 141 m in hole EWD097

(1) All drill results are presented in Table 1 at the end of this release; no grade cuts were applied to high grade intercepts

Scott Caldwell, President & CEO, stated, "We are extremely pleased with these initial drill results from East Walcott. The excellent grades encountered from this drill program compare very favourably to the average underground reserve grade at East Walcott of 2.90 g/t Au while the consistent and continuous nature of the mineralized zones demonstrate the very robust underground potential of this zone. We look forward to receiving the final assay results from East Walcott and evaluating further the preferred approach to accelerate the mining of this ore body."

The East Walcott zone is located immediately adjacent to the main Rory's Knoll ore body at the Aurora Gold Mine ("Aurora") and is currently being mined in the Rory's Knoll open pit. Underground development at Aurora, which is due to commence in the fourth quarter of 2018, is anticipated to access the East Walcott zone toward the end of 2019. Given the limited amount of drilling at depth at East Walcott, the current drill program, consisting of 12 diamond drill holes for a total of 4,500 metres, was focused on gaining a better understanding of the geological controls, dimensions and continuity of higher grade mineralization at East Walcott to assist with underground planning efforts.

Assay results from the first five holes have demonstrated that higher grade zones occur within shoots that are steeply plunging to the northwest and that coincide with fold hinges (see Figure 1 & Figure 2 for a long-section and plan map). Geologically this is analogous to Rory's Knoll which, in conjunction with the excellent vertical continuity of higher grade zones demonstrated by this current drill program as well as historic drilling, bodes favourably for the potential to grow reserves and resources at depth at East Walcott. For reference, the current underground reserve at East Walcott is 78,000 ounces at an average grade of 2.90g/t while the current resource does not extend below the -450 mRL elevation (compared to the resource at Rory's Knoll which extends to the -2000 mRL elevation; see Figure 3).

[Figure 1: Long-Section of East Walcott showing 2018 Phase 1 Drilling Results \(looking North\)](#)

[Figure 2: Plan Map of East Walcott Deposit showing interpretation of High Grade Mineralization](#)

[Figure 3: Long-Section of East Walcott High Grade Shoots relative to Rory's Knoll Deposit \(looking North\)](#)

A complete list of drill results from the five holes assayed at East Walcott is provided at the end of this release. The Company is currently utilizing the services of two independent laboratories, Bureau Veritas

and MS Analytical. Both laboratories have facilities in Georgetown, Guyana. This news release and its contents have been prepared under the supervision of Mr. Daniel Noone (P.Geol), a qualified person within the meaning of National Instrument 43-101. Further details on reserves and resources for the Aurora Gold Mine can be found in the feasibility study report titled "Independent Technical Report Updated Feasibility Study, Aurora Gold Mine Project" with an effective date of December 31, 2016, and the subsequent reserve and resource update detailed in the press release issued on February 20, 2018, both of which are available on the Company's website www.guygold.com and at www.sedar.com.

Operational Update

Guyana Goldfields Inc. is also pleased to report that from July 1, 2018, to August 31, 2018, the Company produced 30,200 ounces of gold. Ore processed during this period averaged 6,900 tonnes per day at an average head grade of 2.30 g/t Au with gold recoveries averaging 94%.

About Guyana Goldfields Inc.

Guyana Goldfields Inc. is a Canadian based mid-tier gold producer primarily focused on the exploration, development and operation of gold deposits in Guyana, South America.

Forward-Looking Information

This news release contains "forward-looking information" which may include, but is not limited to, statements with respect to the potential of the East Walcott zone to contain mineral resources or reserves and other future exploration and development plans for such zone. Often, but not always, forward-looking statements can be identified by the use of words and phrases such as "plans," "expects," "is expected," "budget," "scheduled," "estimates," "forecasts," "intends," "anticipates," or "believes" or variations (including negative variations) of such words and phrases, or state that certain actions, events or results "may," "could," "would," "might" or "will" be taken, occur or be achieved. Forward-looking statements are based on the opinions and estimates of management as of the date such statements are made and are based on various assumptions.

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Table 1: Drill Assay Intercepts for Diamond Drilling for the East Walcott Zone, Aurora Gold Mine

Hole ID	From (m)	To (m)	Downhole Interval (m)	Gold Grade (g/t Au)
EWD094	47.0	55.95	8.95	4.30
including	49.4	54.1	4.7	6.66
EWD094	94.15	99.4	5.25	4.85
EWD094	102.0	125.0	23.0	6.80

including	107.2	122.15	14.95	8.72
BWD094	130.35	151.75	21.4	10.85
including	132.0	135.0	3.0	37.23
BWD094	205.4	250.2	44.8	9.09
including	230.65	241.6	10.95	16.66
BWD094	266.4	274.2	7.8	9.00
including	266.4	272.0	5.6	10.48
BWD095	118.0	123.0	5.0	2.50
BWD095	213.25	248.5	35.25	5.84
including	220.7	226.5	5.8	9.37
	231.5	235.85	4.35	12.71
BWD095	251.0	266.95	15.95	2.13
including	253.65	257.5	3.85	3.79
BWD095	303.0	312.0	9.0	3.86
including	306.5	308.0	1.5	10.43
BWD096	195.22	198.0	2.78	7.00
BWD097	141.0	153.7	12.7	6.33
including	141.0	143.55	2.55	12.07
BWD097	172.6	178.15	5.55	2.07
BWD097	181.0	187.0	6.0	4.82
including	183.0	186.0	3.0	7.68
BWD097	229.0	237.26	8.26	8.98
BWD099	168.0	175.55	7.55	8.32
BWD099	232.0	235.0	3.0	21.18
BWD099	291.0	312.2	21.2	4.21
including	293.0	295.0	2.0	11.29
	297.27	300.0	2.73	7.31
BWD099	356.0	376.0	20.0	4.79
including	356.75	363.0	6.25	6.92
	365.0	369.0	4.0	7.49
BWD099	378.8	393.0	14.2	3.00
including	383.75	387.9	4.15	5.96

Notes on Table 1:

1. Samples taken at a minimum down-hole length of 0.35m and maximum down-hole length of 1m.
2. No grade cuts were applied to high grade intersections.
3. Intervals are not true-width intersections and are selected at a cut off grade of 0.64g/t Au with a maximum of 2m internal dilution.
4. Results are reported as weighted averages of the sample intervals based on the above criteria

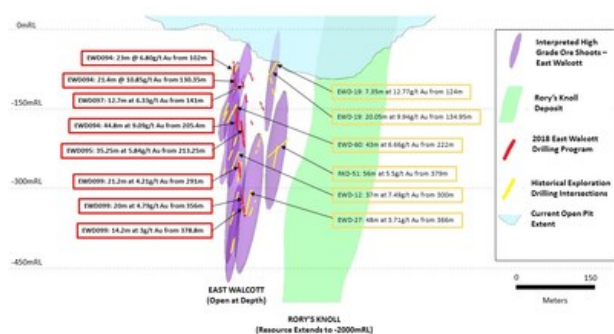


Figure 1: Long-Section of East Walcott showing 2018 Phase 1 Drilling Results (looking North) (CNW Group/Guyana Goldfields Inc.)

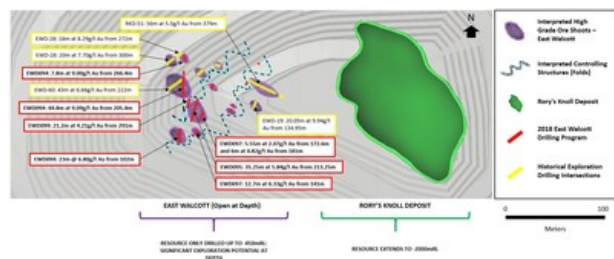


Figure 2: Plan Map of East Walcott Deposit showing interpretation of High Grade Mineralization (CNW Group/Guyana Goldfields Inc.)

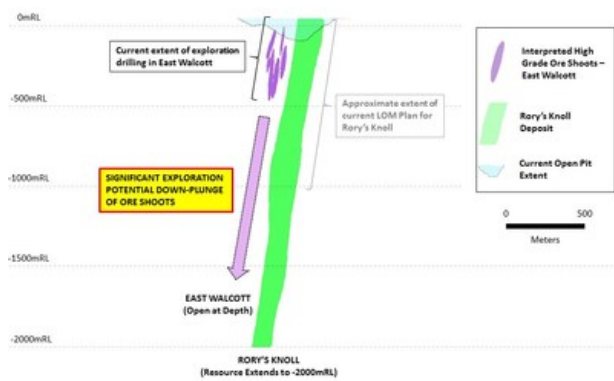


Figure 3: Long-Section of East Walcott High Grade Shoots relative to Rory's Knoll Deposit (looking North) (CNW Group/Guyana Goldfields Inc.)

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