An Emerging Gold Explorer with Two Highly Prospective Land Packages in **NEW ZEALAND's** historical gold fields.

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Focus, Location and Timing



STRATEGY

- → Targeting under-developed high-grade gold
- → New Zealand District Roll Up
- → Pro-Mining Government



Economic

Gold is an increasingly attractive asset for global investors seeking value storage, stability and has seen continuous all-time highs.

Timing

New Zealand's new Fast-Track Approvals bill streamlines process for mining operations and expedites exploration and extraction.

Expertise

Management brings a history of value creation, supported by a committed board and leadership with deep New Zealand technical expertise.

New Zealand is Open for Business A Rich History of High Grade Gold in an Emerging Jurisdication



Highly Prospective Geology

40M+ oz. Au

NZ's rich production history





Pro-Mining Government

Fast Track

NZ Government new fast-track approvals bill to expedite mining approvals and permits.

2x Exports

Pro-mining Gov't 10 year goal to double mining exports.

Dominant New Zealand Gold Exploration Company

Strategically focused on **two prolific gold districts** in New Zealand with proven high-grade gold deposits. Auckland

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HAURAKI GOLDFIELD

NORTH ISLAND

Wellington

REEFTON GOLDFIELD

Christchurch

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SOUTH ISLAND

Orogenic Epitherma

Exploration in Two Historic High Grade Gold Districts

HAURAKI GOLDFIELD: High-grade Epithermal Gold

HISTORIC PRODUCTION 15M oz. Au 60M oz. Ag

HISTORIC GRADE 15-30 g/t Au REEFTON GOLDFIELD: High-grade Orogenic Gold

HISTORIC PRODUCTION 12M oz. Au

HISTORIC GRADE 9-50 g/t Au

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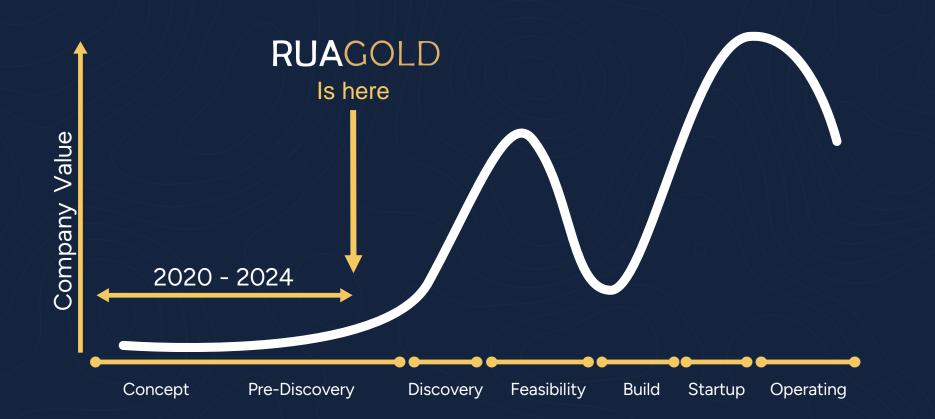
REEFTON GOLDFIELD

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The Right Time To Invest is NOW

The best time to invest in an exploration company is right before **discovery**, when all the ground work has been laid, and drills are turning.



REEFTON GOLDFIELD Geology, History, and Potential.



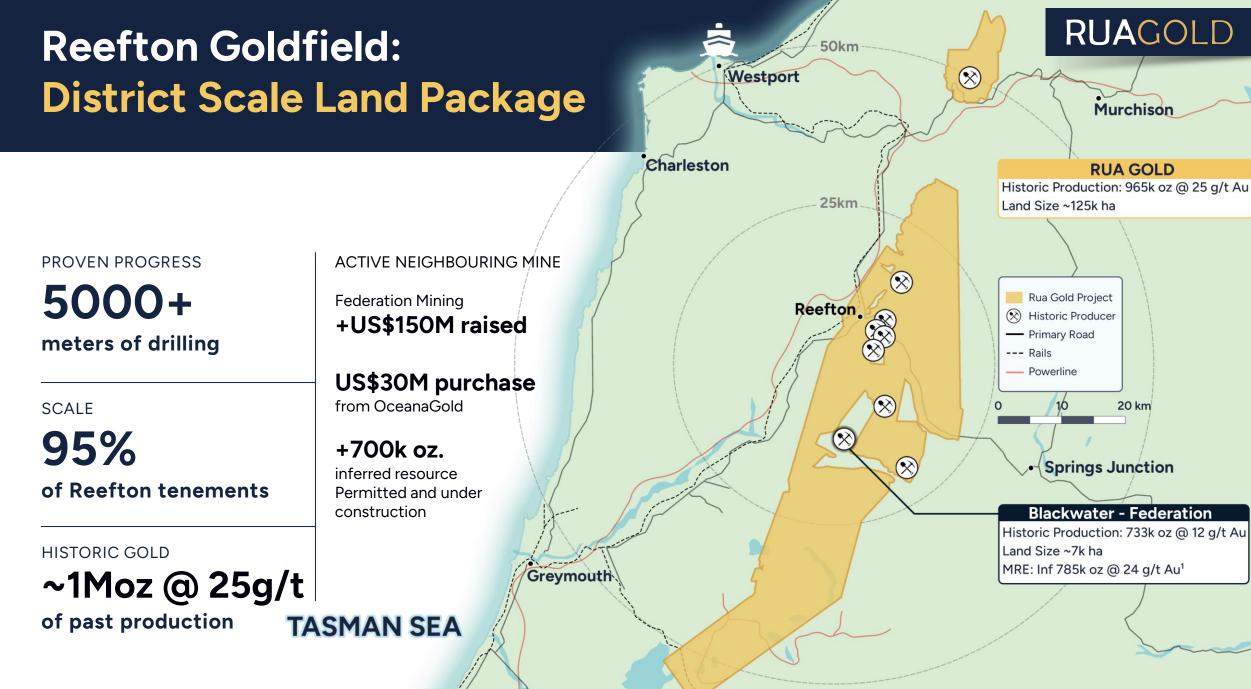
GEOLOGY Orogenic gold deposits are among the highest gold-

grade deposits in the world

HISTORY The Reefton Goldfield has produced 2 Moz gold at 9-50 g/t Au

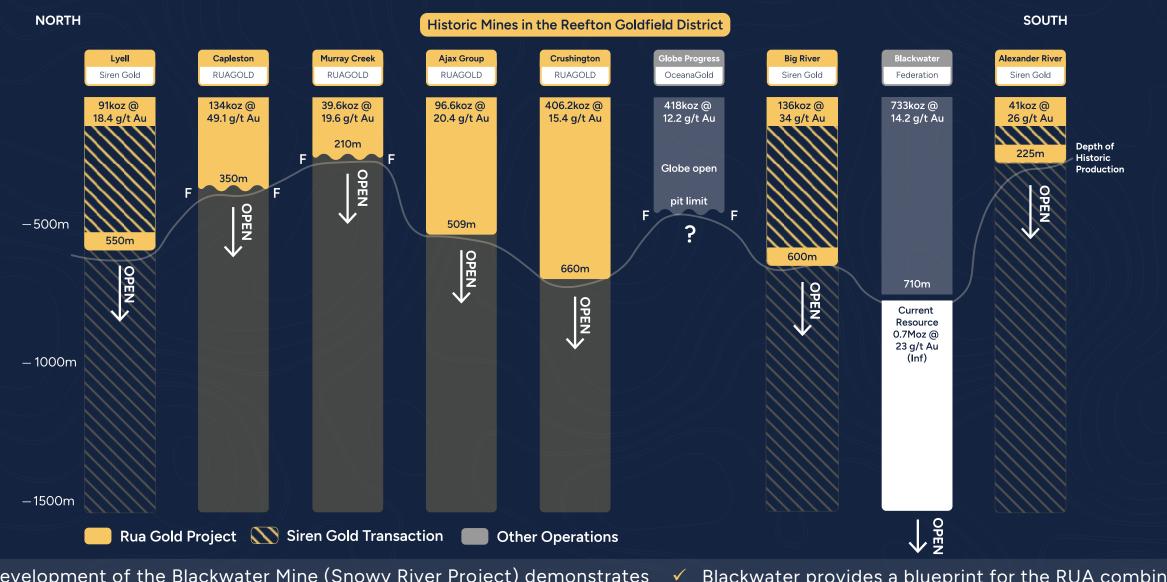
POTENTIAL Discovered high-grade Pactolus vein; drilling shows significant intercepts.





1. Source: <u>Federation-Mining-Deck-July-2023-020823-V2.pdf</u> (federationmining.com.au)

Actively Advancing a **District-Scale Discovery**



 Development of the Blackwater Mine (Snowy River Project) demonstrates continuity of gold mineralization to 1,500m and potentially beyond Blackwater provides a blueprint for the RUA combined land package to have the value of 7x "Blackwaters" 10

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RUAGOLD Near Mine Drilling Program: Murray Creek Level Level 2 Level 3 Level 4 Depth of Historical Mining Drillhole 1 Drillhole 2 Drill hole 1 hit historic mines that went deeper than documented.

Drill hole 2 intersected 34.1 g/t over 0.2m.

Reefton Goldfield

A forgotten historic gold mining district. Now RUA GOLD is back as the dominant player



Historical Production of over 2Moz @ 9-50g/t Au

2024 RUA GOLD Is Bringing Reefton Back

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HAURAKI GOLDFIELD A Cornerstone of New Zealand Gold Mining

GEOLOGY

Epithermal gold deposits are among the highest gold grade producers in the world

HISTORY

The Hauraki Goldfield has produced 15M+ oz gold and 60M+ oz silver

PRODUCTION Neighboring mines are already producing significant amounts of high grade gold



Christchurch

Hauraki Goldfields



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OceanaGold-Wharekirauponga 1.0Moz @ 15.9g/t Au (Ind) 0.4Moz @ 9g/t Au (Inf)1 With potential for >10Moz

OceanaGold-Waihi Operation ~10Moz gold produced to date

Gladstone Pit

¹Source: OceanaGold R & R Annual Statement, February 21, 2024

Northern Rock Stack

Tailings Storage Facility

Hauraki Goldfield

RUA GOLD's recent acquisition - Glamorgan

HAURAKI'S HIGH-GRADE EPITHERMAL GOLDFIELD

- ~50 Epithermal gold silver deposits
- Mined from 1860's
- >15Moz gold and >60Moz silver produced

RUA GOLD RECENT ACQUISITION

- Untested 3.8km long zone of silicification, veining and alteration
- > 50ppb gold in soils over its 3.8km length
- Highlight 95g/t Au in rock samples
- No drilling into this target



Glamorgan: Classic Features of Major Epithermal Au/Ag System

3.8KM

Untested zone of silicification, veining and alteration

Up to

95 g/t Au Rock samples on surface

Gold in soils over 3.8km length >50ppb

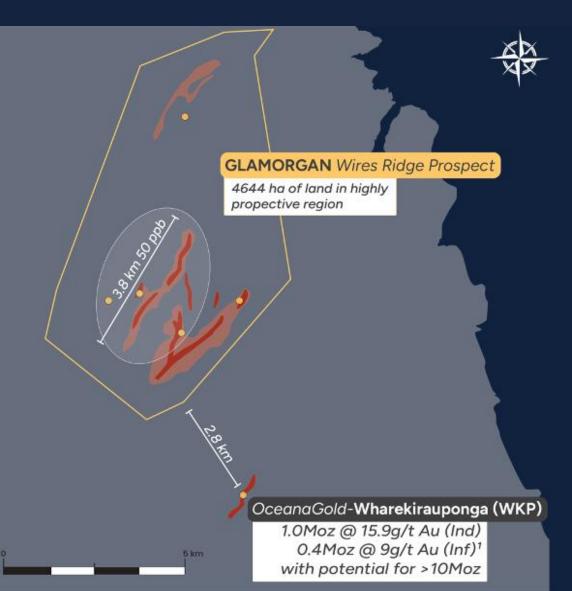
ACTIVE NEIGHBOURING MINE

Wharekirauponga (WKP)

from Glamorgan

1.0Moz @ 15.9 g/t Au(Ind) **0.4Moz @9g/t Au** (inf)¹ With potential for **>10Moz**

Included in the Fast Track Approval Process



The Team: A Legacy of Creating Value

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RUA GOLD's team is driving an aggressive and focused strategy to capitalize on New Zealand's gold mining potential, recognizing the unparalleled opportunities in

their projects.

RUA GOLD's team has the experience to extract New Zealand's high-grade gold, having achieved:



Board of Directors



Chairman **Oliver Lennox-King** Former Chairman of Fronteer Gold and Roxgold. Largest shareholder of RUA GOLD.





previously COO of Roxgold. Built and

Managing Director at Matador Mining.



Director

Director

Paul Criddle

Mario Vetro Co-founder K92 Mining, Owner in Commodity Partners. Extensive experience in structuring and advising resource companies.

Director

Tyron Breytenbach

Geologist with experience in operations and capital markets. CEO of Lithium Africa Resources, formerly SVP Capital Markets at Aris Mining and Managing Director of Cormark Securities.

Key Management

CEO









Robert Eckford

Co-founder and Head of Finance and of Aris Mining. Experience in mining across Australia, Africa and South America.

COO Simon Henderson

experience.

Exploration Geologist and specialist in orogenic and epithermal gold systems. Has a long history and strong relationships in New Zealand's with stakeholders.

CFO & Corporate Secretary

Zeenat Lokhandwala Former CFO of Great Bear Royalties and Director of Finance of Great Bear Resources with over 10 years of M&A, finance, accounting and taxation

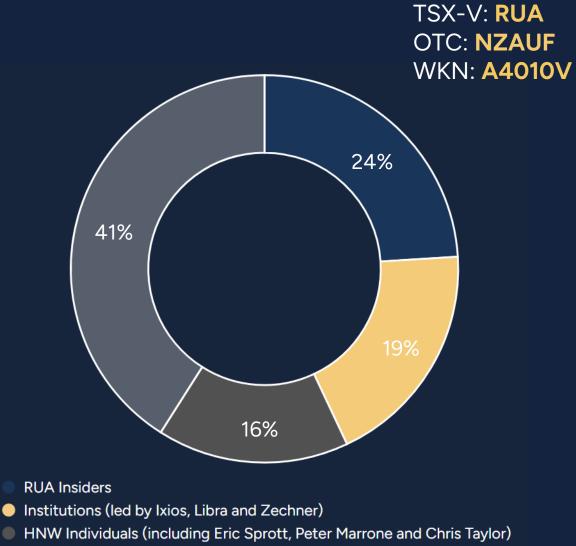
Brian Rodan (Incoming Director)

43+ years of experience; currently serving as Fellow of the Australian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy Founder and Chairman of Siren Gold

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Capital Structure

	Current	Pro Forma ¹
Common Shares	238.0M	322.0M
Options 10M @ \$0.10 vesting in 2027 2.5M @ \$0.17 - \$0.25 vesting in 2027	12.5M	12.5M
Warrants 16M @ \$0.20 expiring March 2025 2.7M @ \$0.18 broker warrants July 2026	18.7M	18.7M
Fully Diluted	269.2M	353.2M
Market Capitalization Undiluted using share price of 0.20	C\$47.6	C\$64.4
Net cash At June 30, 2024 (unaudited)	C\$3.4M	C\$9.4M



Retail

1. Pro forma ownership contemplates the closing of the Transaction with Siren Gold covered in slide 9 and also includes the \$8M raised on the placement closed July 25, 2024

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Purpose Driven Strategy

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WE KNOW NEW ZEALAND:

Majority of our board and management have experience in New Zealand

WE KNOW GOLD: \$11B+ in exits, 55+ years of experience in gold mining

WE KNOW HOW TO FIND AND MINE GOLD: 8 mines taken to production by team members

NEW ZEALAND IS READY: Pro-mining NZ Government fast tracking approvals for mining companies

> THE MARKET IS READY Gold Prices hitting all time high

THE TIME IS RIGHT FOR RUA GOLD

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