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Altum Commences Trading

Reports Surface Grab Samples of up to 69.4 g/t Gold, 167 g/t Silver and 38.6% Copper at Adam West

Announces 2020 Exploration Program

Vancouver, British Columbia, April 7, 2020 – Altum Resource Corp. ("Altum" or the "Company") (CSE: ALTM) is pleased to announce that it has commenced trading and to report the results from its 2019 exploration program at its Adam West property (the "Property" or the "Adam West Property"). Additionally, the Company announces plans for its 2020 exploration program on the Property. The Company commenced public trading as of March 30, 2020 on the Canadian Securities Exchange (the "CSE") under the symbol "ALTM" and successfully closed its IPO of \$350,000.

The Company's sole property is the Adam West Property, a 3,098 hectare (30.98 km²) property located on northern Vancouver Island, British Columbia. Altum considers the Property to have the potential to host significant amounts of copper, gold and/or and silver mineralization. The NI 43-101 Technical Report on the Property dated July 25, 2019, and effective July 25, 2019 entitled "NI 43-101 Technical Report on the Adam West Property, Northern Vancouver Island, British Columbia" (the "Technical Report") can be accessed via SEDAR on the Company's SEDAR profile.

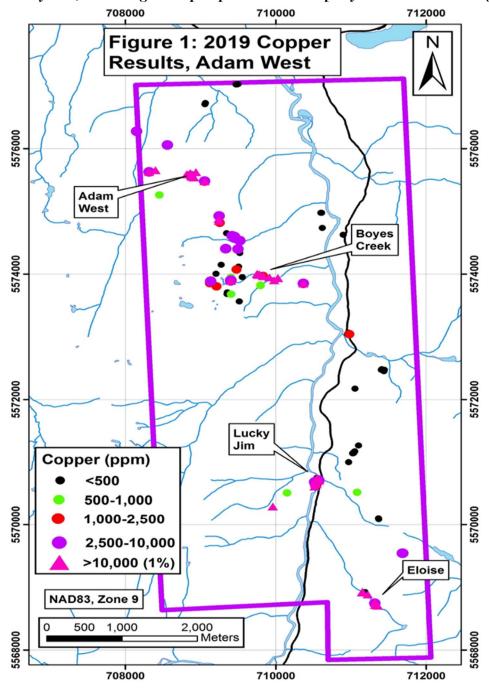
2019 Exploration Program

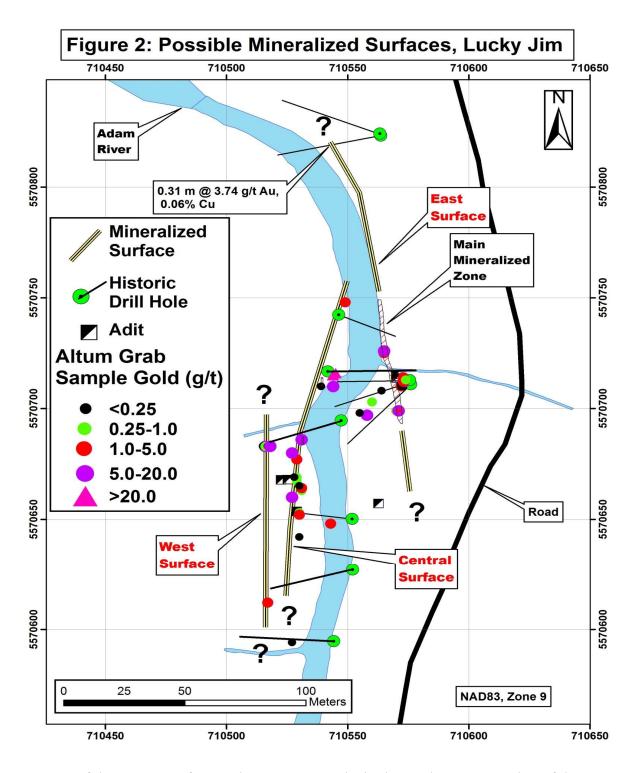
During the summer of 2019, Altum carried out an exploration program on the Property. The program focused on re-locating known mineral occurrences and prospecting logging roads, some of which were not in existence during previous exploration campaigns. A soil survey was completed over the Lucky Jim prospect area. A total of 175 rock samples (and eight blanks) were collected on the Property; the soil survey was comprised of 63 samples. An airborne magnetic survey was flown over the Property in June 2019.

The 2019 exploration program indicated the presence of anomalous to high-grade copper is widely distributed on the Property, with values up to 38.6% copper. Copper occurs in amygdules, along fractures and in quartz veins in basalt. Areas of historically-known copper that were highlighted in the 2019 program include Adam West, Boyes Creek, Lucky Jim and Eloise (Fig. 1). In addition, anomalous copper occurrences are found along a 2.3 km long zone from just northwest of the Adam West showing to Boyes Creek. Anomalous to high-grade gold is mostly restricted to the Lucky Jim area, where three mineralized surfaces (skarns and shear zones; Fig. 2) yielded grab samples with up to **69.4 g/t gold**, **129 g/t silver**, **9.54% copper and 2.19% zinc** (different samples). These zones are as yet poorly delineated, but are thought to occur over a strike length of at least 75 m. Anomalous silver values are restricted to Boyes Creek and Lucky Jim; the highest value was 167 g/t silver from Boyes Creek.

It should be noted that, due to their selective nature, assay results from grab samples noted above may not be representative of the overall grade and extent of mineralization on the subject areas.

James Walchuck, President and CEO of Altum states: "We are pleased with the distribution of anomalous copper in many locations on the Adam West Property, and with the substantive gold-copper-silver mineralization present at the Lucky Jim occurrence. We have expanded the Property and designed a field program for 2020 which should provide Altum with good drill targets at Lucky Jim, and bring other prospects on the Property closer to the drilling stage."





Because of the presence of anomalous copper results in the northwestern portion of the Property, including a value of 2.3% copper 100 m from the western boundary, Altum has expanded the Property by staking an additional 1,589 hectares (almost $16 \, \mathrm{km^2}$) to the northwest. During the 2020 field season, further to the Phase 1 exploration program on the Property, as set out in the Technical Report, Altum plans to (i) undertake detailed geological/structural mapping and an Induced Polarization (IP) survey at the Lucky Jim occurrence; (ii) conduct soil surveys over the Adam West, Boyes Creek and Eloise areas; and (iii) continue property-wide prospecting and geological

reconnaissance to enlarge the known area of copper anomalies on the Property. The budget for the 2020 exploration campaign will be in the order of \$50,000 - \$120,000 to allow time for the current COVID-19 pandemic and market uncertainty to subside and to ensure the workers will be able to access the Property in a safe manner.

Quality Control/Quality Assurance

Sampling in the 2019 exploration program included insertion of blanks into the stream of samples for chemical analysis. Every twentieth sample was a blank. Samples were processed at ALS Chemex's ("ALS") laboratory in Vancouver; analysis for gold was completed by fire assay and for other elements by ICP analysis. ALS is a certified and accredited laboratory service. Gold results varied from below detection to a high of 69.4 g/t, silver from below detection to 167 g/t, copper from 3 ppm to 38.6%, lead from below detection to 38 ppm and zinc from 3 ppm to 2.19%.

Qualified Person

The technical information contained in this news release has been approved by Dr. Tom Setterfield, P.Geo., who is a Qualified Person as defined in National Instrument 43-101 - *Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects*. Dr. Setterfield is a geological consultant employed by Altum.

About Altum Resource Corp.

Altum is a mineral exploration and resource development company focused on identifying economically viable resource opportunities in the Americas.

On Behalf of the Board of Directors

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