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From: Schroeter, Tom EM:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2001 8:33 AM
To: 'Jason Weber'
Subject: RE: RFM News Release PR01-05 - Bill Property Acquisition

FYI - I visited this property in July 1983, during the drilling. I have a few notes/maps that I would be willing to discuss/share at some time. Also, when you get your 'story' together, I'd very much like a 'preview'. P.S. Please pass along my congratulations to Mark. Tom.

+ tel. call from Caultfield

-----Original Message-----

From: Jason Weber [mailto:Jasonw@rimfire.bc.ca]
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2001 8:24 AM
To: Schroeter, Tom EM:EX
Subject: RE: RFM News Release PR01-05 - Bill Property Acquisition

Thanks Tom,

We look forward to exploring it. This came out of a compilation that Mark did on that area. Once again, BC's databases prove to be extremely useful (and valuable).

Jason

>>> "Schroeter, Tom EM:EX" <Tom.Schroeter@gems6.gov.bc.ca> 06/11/01 08:16am >>>
Well done - a very interesting property. Tom.

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From: Jason Weber [mailto:Jasonw@rimfire.bc.ca]
Sent: Friday, June 08, 2001 8:34 AM
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Subject: RFM News Release PR01-05 - Bill Property Acquisition

RIMFIRE MINERALS CORPORATION
CDNX:RFM

NEWS RELEASE: June 7, 2001 (PR01-05)

BILL PROPERTY ACQUISITION

Rimfire Minerals Corporation (RFM-CDNX) reports that it has acquired an option, subject to regulatory approval, on the Bill Property in the Toadoggone region of central British Columbia. The 22 square kilometre (88 claim units) Bill property is located 290 kilometres north of Smithers, in north central British Columbia.

The property covers a large area of anomalous Regional Geochemical Survey (RGS) silt samples coincident with a distinct magnetic low feature. Previous work on the property includes 15 drill holes in 1983 and 1984 (totalling 3022 metres) yielding multiple vein intersections including two metre intercepts of 35.0 g/t and 24.8 g/t gold. Gold mineralization is hosted in quartz-carbonate-sulphide veins associated with quartz-sericite-carbonate-pyrite altered metavolcanic rocks. Soil geochemical sampling coverage, including limited grid and contour sampling, define a target area in excess of 2800 by 1500 metres. Previous drilling tested a 500 by 650 metre soil anomaly of >500 ppb gold within this larger target area.

Rimfire can earn a 100% interest in the property from the vendors by making

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From: Wojdak, Paul EM:EX
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Cc: Payie, Garry EM:EX; Dave Lefebure; Derek Brown; Duane Anderson; Gib McArthur; Rick Conte; Tom Schroeter
Subject: 3-Week Report; July 13, 20, 27

Property Visits

Bill (94E 092, 140 km SE of Dease Lake)- Rimfire Minerals new project, optioned from Smithers prospector Lorne Warren, was examined with Dave Caulfield. Gold-bearing quartz-arsenopyrite-pyrite stringer veins were drilled by Cominco and Dupont in 1983-84. Highly anomalous Au and As in silt led to discovery, and soil anomalies outlined drill targets. Best intercept was 35 g/t Au over 2 m. Geochem signature is distinctly different from nearby Toadogone epithermal camp. Structural - stratigraphic setting is a horst of Paleozoic basement, chlorite schist assigned to Asitka Group, lying between two east-west structures parallel to the Pitman fault. Doming of the chlorite schist and a pronounced magnetic low (regional survey by GSC published in 1999) measuring 10 km in diameter, suggest the area is underlain by a Cretaceous intrusion with an extensive carbonate-sericite alteration halo. This may provide a "bigger picture" model for further exploration. Placer Dome is scheduled to examine the prospect in late July.

Thorn (104K 031, high sulfidation enargite-gold prospect north of Golden Bear mine)- visited with Rimfire Minerals personnel in conjunction with appraisal by Richard Gorton for possible option by Newmont. Placer Dome will examine in late July.

RDN (104G 144, epithermal VMS prospect 40 km north of Eskay Creek mine)- reviewed progress of drilling program with project geologists Al Montgomery and Mike Stammers, Newmont representative Richard Gorton and Rimfire principals Dave Caulfield and Henry Awmack. Six holes completed, 3 more planned at time of visit, all target EM conductors. Most significant results are from 4 holes in the Wedge zone at the north end of the property. These intersect rhyolite and lesser dacite interbedded with and overlain by graphitic mudstone, grossly representing the Eskay mineral horizon. Minor amounts of "early" base metals and possible tetrahedrite in the rhyolite are encouraging but core was not assayed yet. The rhyolite is not altered to sericite, as it is intensely at Eskay Creek, but the discovery of (weakly mineralized) rhyolite is a significant advance for the project. Previously, the most felsic rocks known were dacite, as at the Marcasite Gossan zone, and the apparent absence of rhyolite is said to be one reason Homestake did not option RDN. Two other geophysical holes did not test the key stratigraphy, one was entirely in hangingwall basalt and the other in Betty Creek(?) deep footwall strata. One hole is planned in the Boundary zone (south end of the property) and 2 more at the Wedge zone. Surprisingly, no holes were planned in Jungle zone, site of encouraging previous (gold) geochemical and assay results. So far, all holes have been completed, to the credit of the drill contractor. Up to 40 metres of overburden and highly sheared mudstone near the Forrest-Kerr fault had frustrated prior drilling. Above information has not been released.

Eskay Creek exploration program, and some drill core, was reviewed with Ian Dunlop. No change (as yet) arising from the Barrick-Homestake merger, but Homestake staff expect the Vancouver office to close. (The merger had yet to clear a 40-day review by the NYSE so that no major changes are expected until late summer/early fall) Alex Davidson, Barrick exploration VP is scheduled to visit Eskay in mid-August, but changes to the current 3-drill, 16 000 m drill program would appear to be unlikely. Exploration drilling is more broadly dispersed than last year, which focused on the "Deep Adrian" NEX trend down-plunge in the hinge of the Eskay anticline, in search of bedded ore in a second thickening of the Contact Mudstone (without any success). New targets include the the Mackay adit area, felsite bluffs (seeking low grade mill ore to replace nearly depleted 109 zone) and the footwall dacite. The latter target is derived from gradeXthickness contours which show promise for a vein ore zone (analagous to 109 zone) near major structures, such as the Pumhouse fault. One deep stratigraphic hole completed on the PBR property (Pillow Basalt Ridge), north of the Iskut River. The hole penetrated 1419 metres of basalt (!!), with some mudstone interbeds, but was abandoned before reaching the contact mudstone and underlying rhyolite. Drilling was in progress on the West Limb; three 1000-metre holes attempted in 2000 were lost in hangingwall faults. Homestake is completely frustrated by negotiations with Heritage/Uiterre on the SIB claims (on strike south of Eskay with very promising drill intercepts in exhalative mineralization), has given up on reaching agreement and will drill close to the claim boundary, forsaking the risk of enhancing SIB's value. Ian Dunlop will re-map and re-evaluate the Bonsai claims. Bonsai represents a fold repetition of 21B zone stratigraphy west of Eskay Creek and was optioned, drilled and dropped by Homestake about 1994. Discussed Eskay surface geology tour with Ian, to complement mine visit by Larry Diakow (and Tom Schroeter) in mid-September.

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From: Jason Weber [Jasonw@rimfire.bc.ca]
Sent: Friday, August 17, 2001 11:21 AM
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Subject: RFM News Release: Bill Property Work Program Completed (PR01-10)

RIMFIRE MINERALS CORPORATION
CDNX:RFM

NEWS RELEASE: August 17, 2001 (PR01-10)

BILL PROPERTY WORK PROGRAM COMPLETED

Rimfire Minerals Corporation (RFM-CDNX) announces that the recent field program on the Bill Property has confirmed the presence of a large gold-bearing system (T-Bill Prospect) with multiple vein structures and resulted in the discovery of a new style of gold mineralization (Park Prospect). Soil sampling has expanded the main area of anomalous gold-arsenic soil geochemistry on the T-Bill Prospect and identified two new areas with gold-bearing soils in previously unexplored regions of the property. An assessment of old drill core on site has shown the potential for both high grade veins or vein swarms and broad zones of lower grade mineralization.

Rimfire can earn a 100% interest in the property, located 290 km north of Smithers, BC. Rimfire acquired an option on the 22 sq. km Bill Property after completing an in-house data compilation for the Toadogone region of north-central British Columbia. The compilation showed that a 100 sq. km area centered on the Bill Property contains anomalous gold and arsenic silt sample values coincident with a distinct airborne magnetic low feature. The magnetic low reflects the presence of specialized intrusions and extensive muscovite-carbonate alteration on the Bill Property.

Previous work on the property includes 15 drill holes in 1983 and 1984 (totalling 3022 metres) yielding multiple vein intersections within altered metavolcanic rocks. Examples of higher-grade mineralization include 2.0 metres of 35.0 g/t gold (Hole 83-2), 4.0 metres of 11.0 g/t (Hole 83-6), 1.5 metres of 24.7 g/t gold (Hole 84-5), and 2.0 metres of 24.8 g/t gold (Hole 84-8). Gold mineralization is hosted in quartz-carbonate-sulphide veins, brecciated quartz veins and quartz-muscovite-carbonate-sulphide alteration. As visible gold was noted in the core and identified in previous petrographic work, metallics assays were run on four of the 2001 rock and core samples that exceeded 5 g/t gold on initial analysis. A metallics assay takes the conventional fire assay on pulverized rock and adds the coarse gold left on the screens during sample preparation, giving a more accurate estimate of total gold grade. Three of the four samples showed coarse gold to be a significant factor, with the grade increasing by 22-113%. As no metallics assays were conducted prior to the current program, this would appear to indicate that previously reported intersections are understated. ALS Chemex Labs of North Vancouver carried out all 2001 analytical work.

In addition to the higher-grade veins, the drilling revealed extensive widths of low-grade mineralization due to swarms of gold-bearing quartz veinlets and disseminated sulphides in muscovite-carbonate alteration zones. Despite incomplete assaying for the 1984 holes, which lowers the average gold grade, some broader zones include 88.2 metres of 1.13 g/t gold (Hole 84-2; only 56.5 metres sampled, remaining 31.7 metres were assigned zero grade) and 63.4 metres of 1.02 g/t gold (Hole 84-7; only 21.0 metres sampled, remaining 42.4 metres were assigned zero grade). The previous drilling targeted the core of a northeasterly trending structural dome where alteration and veining is controlled both by foliation and steep crosscutting structures. The area of drilling, measuring 500 by 900 metres, lies within a 2100 by 3000 metres gold (>100 ppb) and arsenic (>200 ppm) soil geochemical anomaly. Soil sampling in 2001 expanded the anomaly by 200 metres to the north and 450 metres to the west.

The Park Prospect is centred three kilometres north of the T-Bill Prospect. Previous work, consisting of soil sampling and limited hand trenching, focused on an intense gossan

at the contact of a porphyry intrusive. At this location, the most significant gold mineralization is hosted in intensely silicified volcanics adjacent to the porphyry; a 2001 float sample from the strongest silicification returned 2.96 g/t gold. A new zone of hornfelsed and pyritized volcanics was discovered 500 metres southeast of the main Park gossan. Two samples taken 300 metres apart returned 3.59 and 1.41 g/t gold. Both areas lie within a 500 by 900 metre open-ended copper (>100 ppm) and gold (>100 ppb) soil geochemical anomaly.

President David A. Caulfield states, "We were drawn to the Bill property by the extent and strength of its hydrothermal system, as demonstrated by the widespread gold-rich veining, alteration, geochemical anomalies and magnetic low anomaly. The 2001 field program confirms and expands those attributes and indicates potential for high-grade vein targets at the T-Bill Prospect and low-grade bulk-mineable targets at both the T-Bill and Park Prospects."

On behalf of Rimfire Minerals Corporation

"David A. Caulfield"

David A. Caulfield, President

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Subject: Northwest Geology to July 12, 2002

Morrison - Visit on July 9 to Pacific Booker Minerals porphyry Cu-Au project, in conjunction with overview tour for **Mike Farnsworth** who is coming on board to handle public relations specially related to upcoming feasibility study (and eventual entry into EA process??). Possible tailings sites under consideration. One more hole remaining in definition program under supervision of geologists Konstantin Lesnikov and Dave Hlatka, who are preparing sections under guidance of Ed Kimura. Also on site were Pacific Bookers' principal bagmen (money raisers) John Plourde and (in the USA) Greg Anderson (ex-Merril Lynch investment broker).

Geology - Copper mineralization consists primarily of disseminated chalcopyrite in biotite-altered biotite-feldspar porphyry (BFP) and, to a lesser extent, in adjacent sericite-altered siltstone hostfels. Fracture-controlled chalcopyrite is more visually impressive but best grade is more subtle disseminated cpy. Argillic alteration overprints the biotite and sericite zones and is spatially related to the West and East faults that are late ore-stage and segment the deposit. The sequence of fracture veins (from oldest to youngest) is

- cpy-quartz
- cpy-moly-quartz +/- carbonate
- py-carbonate-quartz
- py-arsenopyrite-carbonate

The latter is associated with argillic alteration around the fault zones and carry localized high gold grade (see previous reports). Anhydrite and gypsum are not present. No single alteration type correlates perfectly with copper grade, biotite is best guide but some areas of strong biotite are low grade. The low-grade core has been reduced in size from Noranda's interpretation and consists of late-stage BFP dikes (barren and unaltered) that cut low grade and biotitized BFP. The West BFP (west of the ore zone) is a separate body of similar composition intrusive that is not mineralized.

Tommy Jack - Gold City have optioned Al Raven's property and are conducting prospecting/ hand trenching program, supervised by Paul Cowley.

William's Gold (formerly Bill, 94E 092, 150) - optioned by Stikine Gold from Rimfire Minerals. Stikine is a private company run by Scott Broughton and John Mirko that aims to use go public with flow thru funding. Publicity meeting in Smithers last week aimed at raising seed capital. Geology and IP planned this year to define drill targets for next season.

Klappan - Acquisition by Fortune Minerals completed.

Exploration Estimates - \$9.9 million and 20 major projects. Many projects are still "soft" waiting on deals, financings, IPO's. Government regulations may be streamlined but Securities requirements are more time-consuming and lawyers/accountants still rule! Lot of late-season programs anticipated.

Fossils - Locality 25 km west of Smithers examined with novice rock hound. Site is in Smithers Formation, a fossil-rich rock unit. Follow-up letter that this is not a remarkable occurrence that warrants special land status or protection.

Exploration Golf Tournament and Field Trip - Planning in progress. Trip to Nechako and Burns Lake area, Sept 10-12, Epithermal Gold-Silver Veins & Precious Opal. See attachment



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From: Info Rimfire [Info@rimfire.bc.ca]
Sent: Friday, January 24, 2003 11:51 AM
To: Schroeter, Tom EM:EX
Subject: Rimfire and Stikine Identify Drill Targets for 2003 Programs



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News Release PR03-03

Dear Investor,

Please see the attached news release for news regarding the 2002 work program at the William's Gold Property in Northern British Columbia. Partner Stikine Gold funded groundwork including geophysical surveys to identify drill targets for 2003 programs. Geophysical surveys highlighted a chargeability and resistivity anomaly coincident anomalous gold-in-soil geochemistry. This new target lies to the immediate north of an area of drilling by previous workers. Rimfire and Stikine are planning to test this new target with a drill program this summer.

In other news:

President and CEO, David Caulfield will speaking on the exploration success in 2002 at the Thorn Property at the 20th Annual Cordilleran Roundup conference (January 27-30). Mr. Caulfield will be making his presentation in a technical session Tuesday afternoon (January 28). Drill core from the 2002 Thorn program will also be on display in the Coreshack exhibit area the same afternoon. Rimfire will have a corporate presence with a booth display in the main exhibit hall from Tuesday to Thursday between 10am and 5pm. The Roundup is the second largest geological conference in North America, and the largest on the west coast.

To view the attached release, you will need to have Adobe Acrobat Viewer installed. You can download a free copy at:

<http://www.adobe.com/products/acrobat/readstep2.html>

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From: Schroeter, Tom EM:EX
Sent: Friday, August 01, 2003 7:25 AM
To: 'sbroughton@stikinegold.com'
Subject: RE: IPO Completed, Drill Program Underway at William's Gold Project, BC

Thanks, Scott. I really appreciate the time and effort you and John are spending on keeping me informed on your various projects, as well as trying to logistically get me on site. I apologize for the scheduling problems during August; unfortunately, that's my busiest month. In any event, I would really like to visit Williams Gold. As mentioned earlier, I will be in the Toadoggone camp from Mon. 11th (pm) to Fri. 15th (am). I am travelling with Dave Lefebure and Bob Lane; so, if there was an opportunity for them to accompany me to the Williams Gold property, that would be great. We will be staying in an exploration camp, but will have our own satellite phone, so I can keep in close contact with you and/or John. I will get you the number later. John left a voicemail on my phone yesterday about getting me to the Foremore tour on the 11th and 12th. Again, I really appreciate the concern; however, how would I get to the Toadoggone to Bell 11 and return? Cheers,

Tom
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Subject: RE: IPO Completed, Drill Program Underway at William's Gold Project, BC

Hi Tom,

We need to get you there as soon as you can... the 14th works (we understand it is the earliest you can go) and we will make sure that Sandy/John M/John B or myself will be there to show you around. By then however we will have completed this drill program but you will have a lot of split core to look at!

Cheers
Scott

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From: Rimfire Minerals Corporation [info@rimfire.bc.ca]
Sent: Monday, September 22, 2003 2:33 PM
To: Schroeter, Tom EM:EX
Subject: Drill Results Received for William's Gold Project, BC

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Re: News Archive - Monday, September 22, 2003
Drill Results Received for William's Gold Project, BC
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PR03-10

September 22, 2003, Vancouver, Canada: Rimfire Minerals Corporation announces that partner Stikine Gold Corporation ("Stikine") has forwarded results from the 2,855 metre diamond drill program completed in August to test the bulk tonnage gold potential at the "Dome Target" on the William's Gold Project. The property is located approximately 100 kilometres north of Northgate Exploration Ltd.'s Kemess Mine, in the northern Toodoggone region of British Columbia.

Stikine's eleven diamond drill hole program tested the coincident gold-in-soil and induced polarization (IP) resistivity and chargeability anomalies (the Dome Target) north and northwest of known high grade gold mineralization (T-Bill Target) over a 800 m x 450 m area. Holes WG03-1 through WG03-9, and WG03-11 did not encounter significant mineralization (see table below).

Hole WG03-10 tested the T-Bill target, intersecting a 6.85 metre zone of quartz veining, breccias and vein swarms averaging 6.0 g/t gold, beginning at a depth of 33.1 metres. The accompanying table details this intersection and additional high-grade intersections in this hole. Previous drilling in this area in the mid-eighties returned comparable gold grades and widths to WG03-10. Prior to the 2003 campaign, holes were oriented north-south or east-west. Stikine oriented holes to the southwest to better intersect what is now considered to be a significant west-northwest trend of veining. The results warrant further drilling to fully investigate this trend, which remains open to the northwest and southeast. A plan map of drill hole locations, including the 1883 and 1984 drill holes can be viewed at http://www.rimfire.bc.ca/s/WilliamsMaps_Photos.asp.

Stikine, as project operator, is responsible for program design and execution, including Quality Control/Quality Assurance measures.

WG03-01 Orientation: 225°/-55°, Total Depth: 252.7 m

>From (m)	To (m)	Interval (m)	Au (ppb)
93.85	94.35	0.50	834
171.00	172.00	1.00	3243
198.00	199.00	1.00	705
241.00	242.00	1.00	1891

WG03-02 Orientation: 225°/-55°, Total Depth: 295.4 m

>From (m)	To (m)	Interval (m)	Au (ppb)
207.65	209.30	1.65	1011
231.40	232.90	1.50	552
235.50	237.00	1.50	1119

WG03-03 Orientation: 225°/-55°, Total Depth: 268.0 m

>From (m)	To (m)	Interval (m)	Au (ppb)
6.00	7.60	1.60	1239

160.00 161.30 1.30 953

WG03-04 Orientation: 225°/-55°, Total Depth: 255.7 m

>From (m)	To (m)	Interval (m)	Au (ppb)
226.80	227.80	1.00	1138

WG03-05 Orientation: 225°/-55°, Total Depth: 264.9 m

>From (m)	To (m)	Interval (m)	Au (ppb)
200.85	201.35	0.50	1342

WG03-06 Orientation: 225°/-55°, Total Depth: 253.6 m
No results >500 ppb

WG03-07 Orientation: 225°/-55°, Total Depth: 252.7 m

>From (m)	To (m)	Interval (m)	Au (ppb)
57.25	58.10	0.85	667

WG03-08 Orientation: 225°/-55°, Total Depth: 252.7 m

>From (m)	To (m)	Interval (m)	Au (ppb)
51.20	53.20	2.00	809

WG03-09 Orientation: 225°/-55°, Total Depth: 252.1 m

>From (m)	To (m)	Interval (m)	Au (ppb)
145.00	147.00	2.00	745
147.00	149.00	2.00	748

WG03-10 Orientation: 225°/-55°, Total Depth: 251.8 m

>From (m)	To (m)	Interval (m)	Au (ppb)
31.58	32.15	0.57	2815
32.15	33.15	1.00	522
33.15	34.15	1.00	12057
37.15	38.50	1.35	*19.92 g/t
38.50	40.00	1.50	1027
41.75	43.75	2.00	2098
49.75	50.75	1.00	783
82.10	83.10	1.00	1365
85.10	87.10	2.00	710
95.10	97.25	2.15	872
97.25	99.20	1.95	976
104.70	105.61	0.91	*18.30 g/t
105.61	106.33	0.72	5813
133.10	135.10	2.00	7674
188.50	189.10	0.60	*12.74 g/t
224.30	224.80	0.50	1363

WG03-11 Orientation: 225°/-55°, Total Depth: 251.8 m

No results >500 ppb

*Screened (metallic) Fire Assay

Stikine Gold is in the second year of a four year option agreement to earn a 70% interest in the William's Gold Project from Rimfire by funding \$1.5 million in exploration, and by making staged cash and share payments amounting to \$175,000 and 150,000 shares to Rimfire. Upon vesting, Stikine must continue to fund annual exploration and engineering programs totalling no less than \$500,000 per year until the completion of a feasibility study. Rimfire may elect to have Stikine Gold arrange financing of Rimfire's share of development costs for an additional 5% interest in the project.

Rimfire is an aggressive, well-financed mineral exploration company

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Re: News Release - Friday, September 19, 2003
William's Gold Project -- Diamond Drill Assay Results
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#3-03

Vancouver, British Columbia, September 19, 2003: Stikine Gold Corporation ("Stikine Gold") announces that assay results have been received for its recently completed diamond-drilling program at the William's Gold Project. The Company has an option to earn up to 70% of the William's Gold Property from Rimfire Minerals Corporation (RFM:TSX.V).

The initial program consisted of 10 diamond drill holes to test a coincident gold-in-soil and induced polarization (IP) resistivity anomaly at the "Dome Target" and an additional hole to test the "Hidden Dome" gold-in-soil target. While many of the drill holes contained mineralization and long intervals of lower grade gold values, only a limited number of higher-grade sections were encountered. Tables 1 and 2 below provide a summary of diamond drill hole information and assay results exceeding 500 ppb (0.5 g/t) respectively.

Table 1. Diamond Drill Hole Locations and Orientation

Drill Hole	UTM Coordinates		Orientation	Length (m)
	Easting	Northing		
WG03-01	573044	6404999	225/-55	252.7
WG03-02	573230	6405149	225/-55	295.4
WG03-03	573196	6405316	225/-55	268.0
WG03-04	573087	6405241	225/-55	255.7
WG03-05	572920	6405085	225/-55	264.9
WG03-06	573366	6405030	225/-55	253.6
WG03-07	573510	6405386	225/-55	252.7
WG03-08	573690	6405350	225/-55	252.7
WG03-09	573715	6405099	225/-55	252.1
WG03-10	572999	6404941	225/-55	251.8
WG03-11	573185	6406183	225/-55	255.7

Core samples were collected and prepared under the supervision of W.A. (Sandy) Sears, P.Geo. a qualified person as defined by NI 43-101. ACME Analytical Laboratories in Vancouver carried out all assays.

Table 2. Assay Results Exceeding 500ppb (0.5 g/t) Gold

Drill Hole	Sample Number	From (m)	To (m)	Interval (m)	Fire	Fire
					Geochem Au (ppb)	Assay (1) Au (g/t)
WG03-01 A	127099	93.85	94.35	0.50	834	
WG03-01 A	127145	171.00	172.00	1.00	3243	

WG03-01	A	127162	198.00	199.00	1.00	705	
WG03-01	A	127186	241.00	242.00	1.00	1891	

WG03-02	A	127313	207.65	209.30	1.65	1011	
WG03-02	A	127328	231.40	232.90	1.50	552	
WG03-02	A	127332	235.50	237.00	1.50	1119	

WG03-03	A	127369	6.00	7.60	1.60	1239	
WG03-03	A	127456	160.00	161.30	1.30	953	

WG03-04	A	127640	226.80	227.80	1.00	1138	

WG03-05	C	199069	200.85	201.35	0.50	1342	

WG03-07	C	199137	57.25	58.10	0.85	667	

WG03-08	C	199415	51.20	53.20	2.00	809	

WG03-09	C	199597	145.00	147.00	2.00	745	
WG03-09	C	199598	147.00	149.00	2.00	748	

WG03-10	C	199658	31.58	32.15	0.57	2815	
WG03-10	C	199659	32.15	33.15	1.00	522	
WG03-10	C	199660	33.15	34.15	1.00	12057	
WG03-10	C	199663	37.15	38.50	1.35	26927	19.92
WG03-10	C	199664	38.50	40.00	1.50	1027	
WG03-10	C	199666	41.75	43.75	2.00	2098	
WG03-10	C	199671	49.75	50.75	1.00	783	
WG03-10	C	199693	82.10	83.10	1.00	2365	
WG03-10	C	199695	85.10	87.10	2.00	710	
WG03-10	C	199700	95.10	97.25	2.15	872	
WG03-10	C	199701	97.25	99.20	1.95	976	
WG03-10	C	199705	104.70	105.61	0.91	20221	18.30
WG03-10	C	199706	105.61	106.33	0.72	5813	
WG03-10	C	199723	133.10	135.10	2.00	7674	
WG03-10	C	199756	188.50	189.10	0.60	9065	12.74
WG03-10	C	199778	224.30	224.80	0.50	1363	

Note 1. Total Fire Assay including screened metallics

Since the drill results do not appear to support the potential for a large-scale bulk-tonnage deposit at the two initial targets tested, no further drilling is planned there. Further sampling and prospecting work is being initiated on the "Northern", "Gos" and Park Creek Area gold and gold-copper targets and showings.

Consistent with our mandate to identify compelling and potentially large-scale mining targets, Stikine Gold continues to assess new project opportunities.

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PR04-09. April 30, 2004, Vancouver, Canada: David Caulfield, President and CEO, Rimfire Minerals Corporation announces that the Company has received notice, dated April 30, 2004, that Stikine Gold Corporation ("Stikine") will not be continuing exploration at the William's Gold Project, and has withdrawn from its option to earn a 70% interest in the project.

Stikine completed a 2,855 metre diamond drill program at the William's Gold Project in August of 2003. Once all of the data from Stikine's work program has been received and interpreted, management will evaluate how to best advance the project.

Rimfire and its partners are planning in excess of \$4.0 million in exploration expenditures for the 2004 field season, with field programs commencing in early June. Diamond drilling is slated for five projects, including the Thorn, ER, RDN, Eagle and Tide projects in British Columbia and Alaska.

Rimfire is an aggressive, well-financed mineral exploration company with a portfolio of highly prospective gold and silver properties in British Columbia and Alaska. Partners include AngloGold (U.S.A.), Newmont Mining Corporation, Northgate Exploration Limited, Cangold Limited, Serengeti Resources Inc. and Western Pacific Gold Inc.

On behalf of Rimfire Minerals Corporation

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