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**FAIRFIELD MINERALS LTD.**

(FFD-T) 7,100,000 SHS.

CDN \$10,000,000 GOLD SALES FORECAST - John W. Stollery,  
p r e s i d e n t .

Fairfield Minerals Ltd., reports the 1994 open pit mining program at the 100%-owned Siwash North Gold Mine located 30 miles southeast of Merritt, southern B.C. is now complete. A summary of gold production will be released by early November upon final compilation. Ore shipped in September totalled 3,000 tons (6,600 ounces gold) and an additional 3,000 tons (8,000 ounces gold) will be shipped later this month. The ore is being sold to the Asarco Inc. smelter in Helena, Montana. Sales for 1994 are projected to total 9,000 tons containing about 23,000 ounces gold valued in excess of CDN \$10,000,000 at current gold prices and CDN\$ exchange rates.

Underground activities will resume immediately with a \$1,500,000 program. This will include 1,300 feet of additional decline to accommodate future mining and further diamond drilling. The decline extension will bring the total length of the 10 by 12-foot haulage way to 2,650 feet reaching a depth of 5,400 feet below surface. The drilling program of 140 holes, to start in early 1995, will intersect the vein deposit on a 33 by 33-foot (10 by 10m) grid pattern testing a 120,000 square foot area with potential to define 18,000 tons of ore (36,000 ounces gold). The program will also include test mining in areas identified by previous close spaced underground drilling. Mining, using cut and fill and shrinkage stoping methods, will be used.

The company is also exploring two nearby properties. Trenching and sampling of gold targets has been completed on the Crest property located to the west of the Brenda copper mine (closed). Results are pending. Diamond drilling totalling 3,000 feet is planned for late October on the Oka property, located southeast of Brenda Mines. The target is high grade gold mineralization indicated by previous drilling. (SEE GCNL NO.169, 2SEPT94, P.1 FOR PREVIOUS PROJECT INFORMATION)

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