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BIG VALLEY RESOURCES INC.

[BV-ALBERTA] 12,775,543 SHS.

GOOD BC COPPER GRADES CUT - Lloyd Tattersall, president, Big Valley Resources Inc., reports

definition diamond drilling on the 100%-owned, Lloyd-Nordik property has intersected a zone of high grade copper-gold mineralization. The Lloyd-Nordik property is located adjacent to Imperial Metals Corp.'s Mount Polley gold-copper deposit about 65

km east of Williams Lake, BC. Drill hole No.96-59 was drilled as a step-out hole to test the eastern extension of a geologic resource identified during previous drilling on the Lloyd 2 area. The high grade mineralization occurs as two distinct zones. A summary of

HOLE	INTERVAL	LENGTH	COPPER	GOLD	
NO.	PERT	PERT		OZ/Z	
DDH96-59 INCL.	8.9-59.1 8.9-45.9	50.2 37.0	0.76 .94	0.024	
DDH96-59	170.6-367.4	196.B	1.45	.057	
INCL. (*)	170.6-334.6	164.0	1.64	.065	269 AND
(*) A 6.	6-FOOT (2-ME T RETURNED A	TRE) SEC	TION B	3.67%	
0.169 OZ.	GOLD/TON AND	0.52 OZ.	SILVER/	TON.	

Big Valley's ongoing drilling the Lloyd 2 is testing the open area to the east. The zone is in part near surface.

Big Valley also reports a soil geochemical survey has been completed on the southern portion of the company's BV-6 and BV-7

claims. Results are pending and will be reported. Negotiations with a number of major mining company are ongoing. (SEE GCNL NO.130, 5Jul96, P.1 FOR PREVIOUS LLOYD-NORDIK AND BV PROJECT)