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## **Exploration Series Morning Talks**

Tuesday, March 10, 2020

8:00 am: Registration - Networking

8:15 am: Presentation begins

Discovery Center, Geological Survey of Canada 1500 - 605 Robson Street, Vancouver, BC

Cost: \$5 - Pay at Door - Coffee & muffins provided

RSVP: space is limited; please pre-register by email at: talks@gac-cs.ca

New Geological Model Unlocks Value of Near Surface Gold Mineralization: Aurex-McQuesten Project, Yukon

Presentation by: Paul Grey, BSc, P.Geo. Vice-President Exploration, Banyan Gold Corp..

Banyan Gold optioned the Aurex-McQuesten property in 2017. Their re-interpretation of historic work was used to inform a new geological model for gold mineralization in the project area..

The model was drill tested in 2018, refined and further tested in 2019, confirming its applicability at the Airstrip Zone. It was also applied to a new area 1 km to the south where a new discovery was made at the "Powerline Zone", which had not been previously discovered due to cover and proximity to competitors claim boundaries. Combining LiDAR, geophysics, and geochemistry with the re-analysis of historic data, the project quickly advanced on modest budgets.

The property is well located with existing infrastructure including highway, roads, and powerline. It is situated just 20km from Canada's newest gold mine: "Eagle", operated by Victoria Gold; highlighting that mines can be permitted and built in Yukon and that the jurisdiction is still very much underexplored.



Paul Grey holds a Bachelor of Science (Honours) degree from Dalhousie University and is a member in good standing with the Association of Professional Engineers and Geoscientists of British Columbia. Mr. Gray is also the Principal of Paul D. Gray Geological Consultants, and handles Northern Canada exploration projects from the permitting through execution. Mr. Gray has worked extensively as an exploration geologist in the Mineral Exploration Industry in Canada, the United States, Asia and Central and South America for

the past 17 years, concentrating on precious metals, base metals and uranium exploration and development. Mr. Gray has been working in Yukon and North West Territories with advanced gold exploration projects since 2004.