



# Building Canada's Largest Gold Mine

**Production Early 2013** 

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- Project overview
- Who do you talk to?
- Consultation engagement models
- Detour Gold's Success
- Principles of negotiations
- Questions



### Vision

## Become a leading intermediate gold producer and premier investment opportunity

✓ Focus on a world-class asset – Detour Lake

- Canada's largest pure gold play with 14.9 M oz in reserves (@ US\$ 850/oz gold price)
- Construction phase progressing on schedule
- ✓ One of the best cash flow/share opportunities
- Excellent organic growth potential
- Potential expansion of mill throughput
- ✓ Gold production starting in Q1 2013



# Detour Lake – Benefits to Ontario



Updated capital cost:	\$1.45 B
Annual operating cost:	\$399 M
21 yrs operation expenditure	\$7.2 B
GDP Impact (21 years)*	\$12.2 B
Construction Phase (2010-2012)	
Direct construction jobs:	+1,000
Indirect jobs:	+3,000
Operations Phase (2013-2027+)	
Direct jobs:	+500
Indirect operations jobs:	+1,500

Maximize economic benefits for the region



Over 25 Aboriginal Business working at site with a contract value of over \$400 million

\*At a gold price of US\$850/oz.

# **Detour Lake – Permitting**



EA's	Progress	Status
Provincial		
Temporary Power (<5 MW)	Completed	Jul. 2010 In operation
Permanent Power (230 kV)	Completed	Dec. 2010 135 km segment completed
Disposition of Rights to Crown Lands	Completed	Nov. 2010 Infrastructure construction underway
Contingency Power (10 MW)	In Progress	Expected in Q3 2011
Federal	Completed	Ministerial decision December 2011
Permits	Ongoing	60+ permits will be required to build the mine only three are federal

# Who do you talk to?

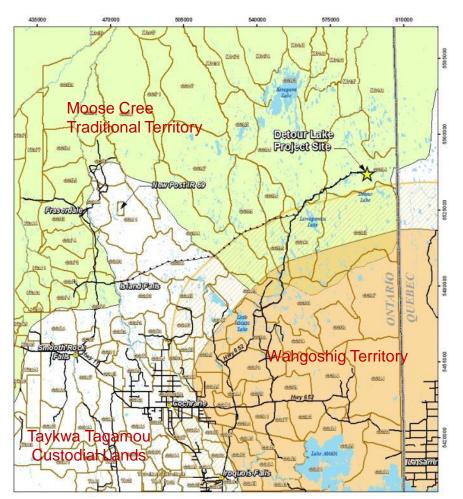


- Check Google
- Write to MNDM;
- Write to Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development;
- Confirm with the specific regulator that you are dealing with;
- See if there are other development projects in the area with deals

# Detour Lake – Aboriginal Agreements



- Located within treaty (#9) area of three First Nations along with Métis rights holders;
- Archaeological studies conducted in early 1980's along the mine access road corridor;
- Further archaeology was required for the site and is complete with aboriginal input;
- TK studies completed with First Nations, ongoing with Métis expected completion in Q4 2011



Community Trap line Map Source: Ontario MNR This does not reflect the community view of territory.

# Consultation Models - Who & How





## **Detour Success**



- 4 Signed and Ratified Agreements
- All have commitments to scholarship and education trusts;
- Implementation Committees set up;
- Participation by aboriginal business in over \$400 million of contract opportunities
- IBAs or Bas are becoming a standard requirement as a government test of consultation and approvals – is this consent by another name?

Aboriginal Communities	Signed MoU	Signed IBA or similar	Status	
Moose Cree	Y	Jan. 2011		
Taykwa Tagamou	Y	Nov. 2010	All ratified by the communities; IBA	
Wahgoshig	Y	Dec. 2010	implementation	
Metis of Ontario	Y	Dec. 2011	Agreement from Consultation Committee	

# Principals of Negotiation - Implementation

## Early notification

- Honest, open and transparent communication
- Accessible
- Flexible
- Capacity Building
- Integration
- Accommodation

### It takes time!



### Exploration





#### Construction

#### Operations

Closure

# **Discussion Points**

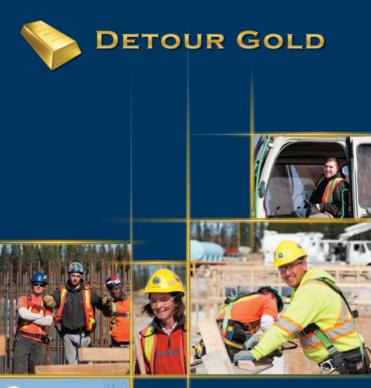


- What is the role of government in all of this?
- The proponent knows the project best how much is enough communication?
- Stakeholders vs shareholders
  communication is key
- Beyond a ratification vote there is a challenge to implement

- Staffing the ongoing community engagement team can be difficult.
- What do you do when an Aboriginal Partner is not delivering their side of the agreement?

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