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## Quarterly Activities Report for the three Month Period ending 31 March 2022

### HIGHLIGHTS

#### Pig Iron Industry Update

- Pig Iron is a major ingredient in Electric Arc Furnace (EAF) steelmaking which is growing rapidly in response to environmental restrictions on blast furnaces using sinter and coke.
- Russia and Ukraine are major pig iron suppliers, accounting for over 60% of global pig iron trade.
- Pig iron is currently trading at over \$US1,000/tonne (an increase of over 60% to date in 2022) in the US market.
- Global long term demand for pig iron is forecast to increase at an accelerated rate.

#### Buena Vista

- The Buena Vista project is focused on the near-term development of an integrated mining and production facility for low emission green pig iron products for both the US domestic market and the premium Asian steelmakers.
- This value add rather than just the production of high purity magnetite concentrate will create real long term wealth for the project and avoid much of the extreme volatility of iron ore prices.
- Magnum's Buena Vista project is set to become the first green pig iron producer in North America and the only pig iron producer on the West Coast of the USA.
- Major US based steel producers have committed to significant Electric Arc Furnace (EAF) capacity expansion (ref to ASX release dated 28 September, 2021).
- In addition to low emission price premiums, the Buena Vista Project will also benefit from US carbon credit and related tax incentives.
- Rising demand and projected continuance of limited supply for low emission green pig iron worldwide accentuates the significant potential of Buena Vista.

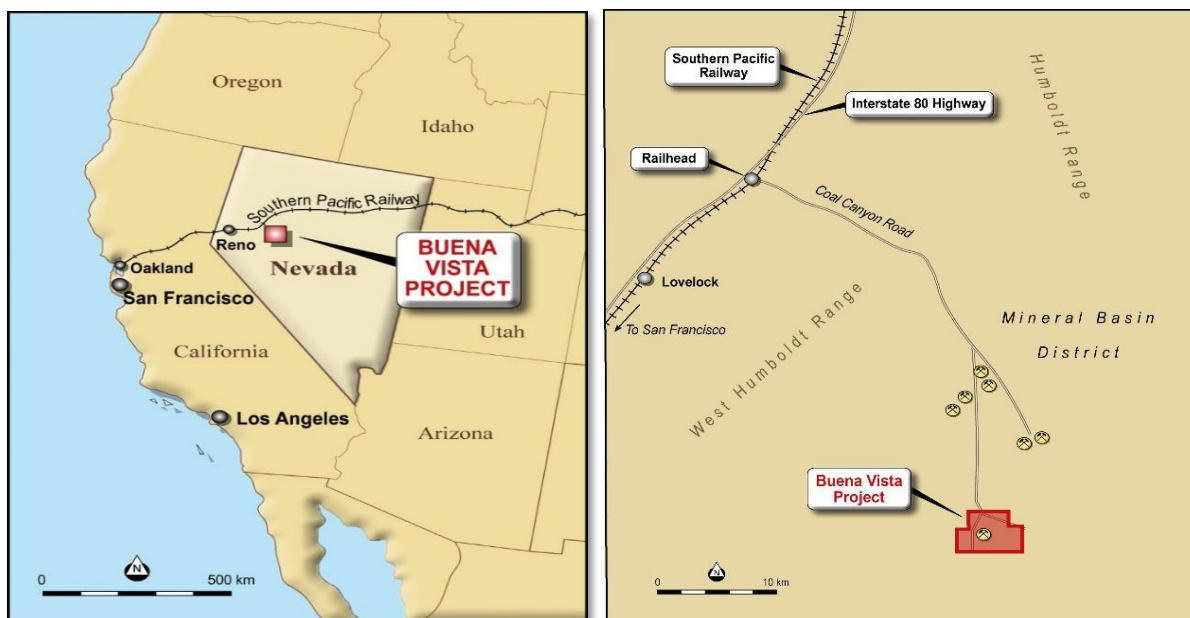
#### Corporate

- US biomass/ biochar supplier selected and MoU signed.
- Green Pig Iron Engineering Study Contract signed.
- Discussions initiated with potential buyers of pig iron product
- Divestment of Gravelotte Project, South Africa completed.

## MARCH QUARTER 2022 – SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES

### 1.0 OVERVIEW

Magnum Mining & Exploration Limited (ASX: MGU) (Magnum or the Company) continues to make significant progress for the near term development of the Company's Buena Vista magnetite project located in Nevada, USA.



**Figure 1: Buena Vista Location**

Cognizant of the price volatility in the iron ore market and growing demand for “green iron”, the Board of Magnum is targeting the development of the Buena Vista project into an integrated steel operation.

By the value adding processing of premium quality Buena Vista magnetite iron ore into low emission (carbon neutral) pig iron products on site, the project will be ideally positioned to capture premium returns for the Company's shareholders.

This integrated pig iron strategy coincides with the global push for a greener steel making industry. Currently the steel industry accounts for 9% of global greenhouse gas emissions and as a consequence the well-known and proven Electric Arc Furnace (EAF) steel making technology is rapidly being accepted as the way forward for low emission steel production.

Pig iron is a major raw material for EAF steel making process and with new EAF plants already under construction and planned, global pig iron trade is expected to rise rapidly. For the transition into a carbon neutral economy and to meet emission restrictions, all major economies are competing for EAF raw materials. There are for example, 30 million tonnes of new EAF production capacities planned in the USA alone.

The US steel market out-performed the rest of the world in 2021. Supported by a number of long term policies and anti-dumping duties, the demand for quality steel in the USA is expect to last well into 2022. As such, there is an acute shortage in pig iron supply in North America.

The Buena Vista Green pig iron project will become the ONLY pig iron producer on the West Coast USA with the nearest competitor located in the state of Illinois, over 2,000 km away.

Magnum's project is surrounded by over 7 million tons of existing EAF producers in the region. All are seeking long term stable and quality pig iron supply.

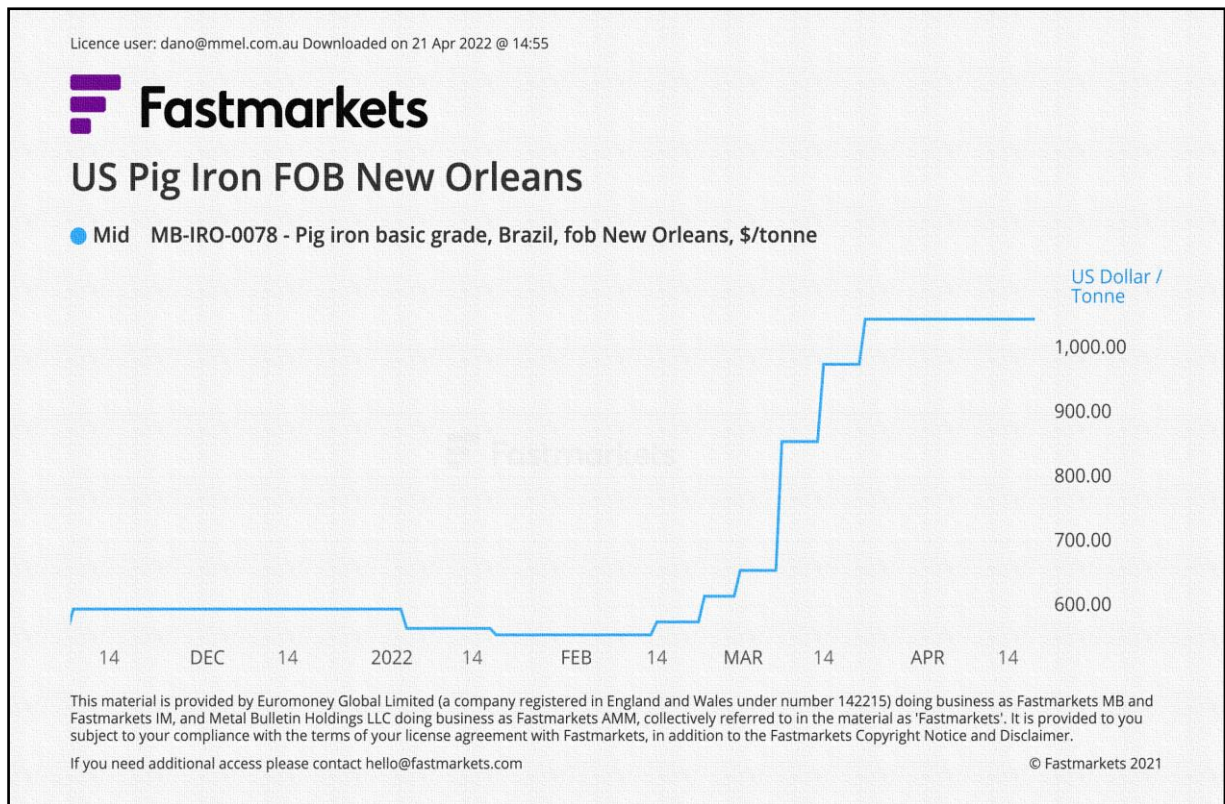


Figure 2: US pig iron import price ex New Orleans (2021-2022)

Key to the Buena Vista Green Iron strategy is a supply of biomass for the production of biochar which is used as a charge carbon and slag foaming agent in EAF steel production.

In this regard and as an added plus for Buena Vista, biomass in the form of waste wood from forest fire debris, packing industry and agriculture is currently being transported from California to landfills in Nevada.

Together with the previously reported Juniper tree resources, the Buena Vista project is therefore very well positioned to produce the required quality biochar for pig iron production at a very competitive cost.

Whilst the USA is yet to announce a federal carbon trading scheme, each US state is planning its own carbon credit and tax incentives. Given biochar is a renewable carbon source and as all raw materials will be sourced locally, Buena Vista will have a minimum carbon footprint and will likely be eligible for sizable carbon incentives.

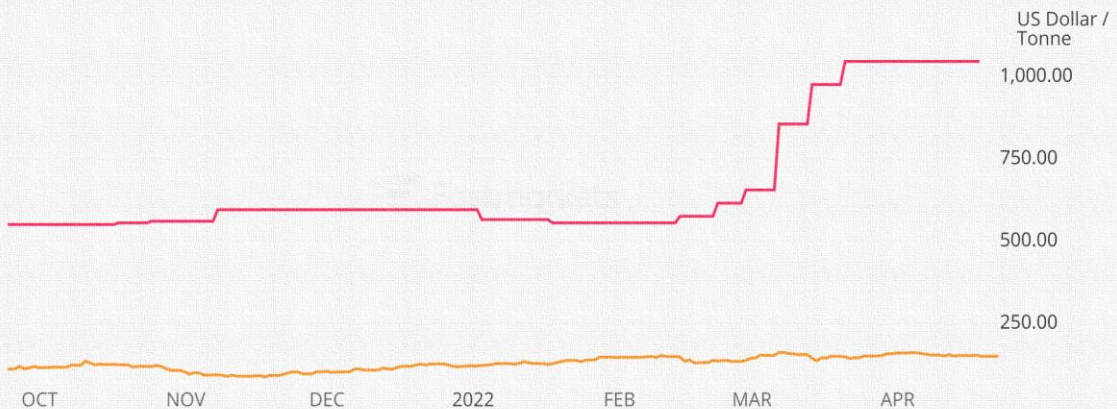
The Buena Vista integrated strategy will make us the FIRST Green pig iron producer in North America. With easy access to ports in California, Magnum is set to extract added product premium for Green pig iron supply to both domestic and international steel makers.

This is an exciting development strategy for Magnum as well as the USA and one that as it progresses will see Magnum transformed and the value of the Buena Vista Project as a key US magnetite asset more fully recognised.



## Price Gap - US Pig Iron vs China 62% Iron Ore

- Mid MB-IRO-0078 - Pig iron basic grade, Brazil, fob New Orleans, \$/tonne
- Mid MB-IRO-0008 - Iron ore 62% Fe fines, cfr Qingdao, \$/tonne



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**Figure 3: Widening price gap between iron ore and pig iron (Source: Fastmarket)**

## 2.0 KEY DEVELOPMENT MILESTONES ALREADY ACHIEVED

- Buena Vista Project mine schedule and initial pit design completed.
- Purchase of strategic landholding at Colado for railway logistics hub proximal to the Buena Vista Project completed.
- Review of dry magnetic beneficiation plant design & product iron ore quality completed.
- Successful green pig iron pilot plant test production completed.
- Pig Iron production process identified.

### 2.1 Mining and Dry Beneficiation Plant Layout

A provisional operation layout for Buena Vista has now been completed.

The mining & pit design has been completed by SRK Consulting and covers the initial two years of production at the mine.

The provisional plant layout has been carried out by Samuel Engineering.

## 2.2 Iron ore product quality

Extensive historical metallurgical test work that has been re-confirmed by more recent testing has shown that Buena Vista ore beneficiates very easily to a +60% Fe concentrate (see September 2021 quarterly report).

As a consequence this will allow Magnum to use a 'dry concentrate' process to produce the magnetite concentrate that will be the feed for the proposed integrated processing facility.

The use of a dry concentrating process has the potential to reduce capital costs and operating costs significantly.

Test work has been undertaken by SGS in a dry magnetic processing plant. The results of this test work re-confirmed that a coarse magnetite iron ore concentrate with low impurities can be produced by dry concentrating.

**SGS**

**Lab Reference No.:MNT214561QD**  
 SGS Report No.:MSRQD2100712-01A  
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Fe grade produced by dry concentrate

| Test Items                   | Unit | Result | Standard No.      |
|------------------------------|------|--------|-------------------|
|                              |      | /      |                   |
| TFe                          | %    | 63.00  | GB/T 6730.5-2007  |
| FeO                          | %    | 21.82  | GB/T 6730.8-2016  |
| Si                           | %    | 3.02   | GB/T 6730.62-2005 |
| Al                           | %    | 0.69   | GB/T 6730.62-2005 |
| P                            | %    | 0.016  | GB/T 6730.62-2005 |
| S                            | %    | 0.0680 | GB/T 6730.17-2014 |
| Volume average particle size | µm   | 43.21  | GB/T 19077-2016   |

Remark : 1.Upon Client's request, the report has been issued in both Chinese and English. Only the Chinese version has legal effect. In case of any discrepancy between the Chinese and English versions, the Chinese version shall prevail.  
 2.The test result of Volume average particle size was performed by SGS internal other laboratory.  
 \*\*\*\*\*The end\*\*\*\*\*

Figure 4: SGS quality analysis Buena Vista magnetite iron ore concentrate

This iron ore concentrate is suited for the biochar based reduction process.

## 2.3 Direct Reduction Iron Test Work

Magnum is continuing test work for the trial production of green sponge iron/ direct-reduced iron (DRI) sample products using 100% biochar (refer to ASX release dated 28 September 2021).

This test work uses magnetite ore from the Buena Vista Project and is in association with Beijing Shougang International Engineering Technology Co. Ltd. which is a subsidiary of the Shougang Group which ranks No 2 in steel enterprises in China.

The trial production uses a rotary kiln facility which is widely used worldwide and is capable of the integrated process of blending the magnetite iron ore directly with bio-char to produce green sponge iron / DRI products.

| <b>SGS</b>                           |      | Premium Fe grade of nearly 95% |                  |                        |
|--------------------------------------|------|--------------------------------|------------------|------------------------|
| <b>Lab Reference No.:MNT215097QD</b> |      |                                |                  | Very low in impurities |
| SGS Report No.:MSRQD2100795-01A      |      |                                |                  |                        |
| Testing Report Page: 2 / 2           |      |                                |                  |                        |
| Test Items                           | Unit | Result                         | Standard No.     |                        |
|                                      |      | /                              |                  |                        |
| Fe                                   | %    | 94.46                          | GB/T 223.7-2002  |                        |
| Si                                   | %    | 0.086                          | GB/T 223.60-1997 |                        |
| C                                    | %    | 4.63                           | GB/T 223.86-2009 |                        |
| P                                    | %    | 0.129                          | GB/T 223.59-2008 |                        |
| S                                    | %    | 0.0270                         | GB/T 223.68-1997 |                        |
| *****The end*****                    |      |                                |                  |                        |

Figure 5: SGS quality certificate 100% biochar Green pig iron using Buena Vista iron ore

The results from this work will provide Magnum with the technical data required to design the optimal kiln size and feed grade of magnetite iron ore and bio-char and to estimate the initial capital cost and operating cost for a commercial sized rotary kiln.

Most importantly as the testing progresses it provides the Company with a low impurity pig iron product to show potential customers.



Figure 6: 100% biochar Green pig iron produced using Buena Vista iron ore

Magnum management is planning to commence supply discussions with customers domestically in the USA as well as in Asia by early in the second quarter calendar 2022.

Magnum has produced a 100% biochar pig iron test production video. This can be accessed with the following link:

<https://youtu.be/YqRFszHG4GI>

## **2.4 Biochar Supply**

Magnum has signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Biochar Now, a company which owns and operates biochar research and production facilities in Colorado USA. (ASX Announcement 11 January 2022)

Biochar Now, is the ONLY biochar producer certified by both the International Organization for Standardisation (ISO), and the United States of America Environmental Protection Authority (EPA).

Its products also are approved by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) and the Canadian Environmental Protection Act (CEPA).



**Figure 7: Premium quality biochar from Biochar Now!**

Through this partnership, the Buena Vista project will have access to reliable and economic biochar supply for the Green pig iron production.

The parties are to jointly study:

- Engineering and design of biochar production facility at Magnum Buena Vista site

- Logistics arrangement of local biomass supply
- Maximize federal and state governments 'carbon credit incentives
- ESG funding options from both government and private sectors

## **2.5 Green Pig Iron engineering Study Contract Signed**

During the reporting period the Company advised that it had engaged TOA Engineering Services Corp (TOA) to undertake a detailed Engineering Study (Study) for its Nevada Iron Buena Vista Project. This follows the successful test work program which confirmed the production of high-grade iron ore concentrate and conversion to Green pig iron using 100% biochar.

The Study will consist of a technology review and series of trade-off studies that will define the most appropriate technology that should be deployed at site to process the magnetite ores from the Buena Vista Project and the subsequent manufacturing of pig Iron at the proposed facility to be constructed in the State of Nevada. The Company estimates that the Study will take between 16 to 18 weeks and commenced in February 2022.

The Company will also contract with other firms (including suppliers) as required regarding the feasibility portion of the Study. TOA will manage the overall planning initiative and facilitate the provision and sharing of information as required to third parties, which may also be engaged or required to contribute such that a proposed facility plan (technical and economic valuation) can be confirmed.

The intent is that TOA validate the capital cost (CAPEX) and operating costs (OPEX) for a variety of viable options for the Buena Vista Project. The TOA will propose the viable options and review the economic alternatives for the various reduction processes at differing level of production. In addition, TOA will execute portions of the study and planning documentation using information solicited from various suppliers and other information already available to:

- (a) develop typical overall basic plant configurations and their support systems;
- (b) expedite a quality study and to support the business plan for the Buena Vista project, with reasonable overall cost accuracy; and
- (c) make extensive use of its in-house expertise, including costing and technical information from other similar projects. TOA will also solicit confirmed pricing for various aspects of the program (supply and install (so that the overall accuracy of the program CAPEX might be improved.

## **2.6 Preliminary Marketing Studies**

The Buena Vista Project is strategically located to supply US West Coast steel producers as can be seen in the map on the adjacent page.

These steel producers could be provided with pig iron products produced from a production facility at the Buena Vista Project.

The location of the proposed Nevada production facility close to West Coast steel producers compared to alternative suppliers, will provide a competitive advantage to Magnum as well as diversification of end user options and will ensure that the Company captures a transportation premium. See also the release dated 28 September 2021.





Figure 8: West Coast of USA EAF Steel Mill Locations and capacities

### 3.0 ABOUT THE BUENA VISTA MAGNETITE IRON ORE PROJECT

#### 3.1 Location and History

Buena Vista is located approximately 160km east-north-east of Reno in the mining friendly state of Nevada, United States.

The Buena Vista Project was discovered in the late 1890's and in the late 1950's to early 1960's around 900,000 tonnes of direct shipping magnetite ore with an estimated grade of 58% Fe was mined.

In the 1960's, US Steel Corporation acquired the Buena Vista Project and carried out an extensive exploration program including 230 diamond drill holes and considerable metallurgical test work.

The Buena Vista Project was refreshed in 2009 when Richmond Mining Limited, an ASX listed company, acquired Buena Vista and commenced a detailed exploration program culminating in a definitive feasibility study in July 2011 and an updated study in 2013 for an expanded production rate.

A key component of these studies was extensive investigation of the optimal logistics plan for development of Buena Vista.

This included the negotiation of in-principle agreements with existing rail and port operators and the securing of all major mining permits.

In addition, detailed costings were completed on the trucking or slurry pipeline options to deliver the concentrate to the rail head located some 50 kilometres from mine site

A significant decline in iron ore prices to an eventual low of less than US\$50/ tonne caused the then proposed development of Buena Vista to be deferred.

### 3.2 Geology

The Buena Vista Project magnetite deposits are the product of late-stage alteration of a localised intrusive local gabbro that resulted in intensely scapolitised lithologies and the deposition of magnetite.

The most well-known example of this type of magnetite mineralisation is the Kiruna magnetite deposit in Sweden, which has been in production since the early 1900's.

The distribution and nature of the magnetite mineralisation at Buena Vista is a function of ground preparation by faulting and fracturing, forming a series of open fractures, breccia zones and networks of fine fractures.

|                                  | Buena Vista (Magmatic)      | Taconite (Banded iron)   |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Genesis                          | Metasomatic (hot solutions) | Non-magmatic precipitate |
| Grain size                       | Coarse                      | Fine                     |
| Grind size to liberate magnetite | +100 microns                | Sub 15-20 microns        |
| Capex                            | Lower capital intensity     | Higher capital intensity |
| Opex                             | Lower opex                  | Higher opex              |

**Figure 9: Comparison table Buena Vista (magmatic) vs Taconite (BIF)**

These ground conditions produce variations in mineralization types from massive pods grading +60% magnetite to lighter disseminations grading 10-20% magnetite.

Metasomatic magnetite deposits such as those at Buena Vista have important positive beneficiation characteristics over the other main type of magnetite deposit which is a banded iron hosted magnetite, also known as a taconite.



**Figure 10: Buena Vista Project Area showing historic loadout facility and stockpiles**

### **3.3 Historic Drilling**

The Buena Vista Project has been extensively drilled with three main programs carried out.

The initial program was by US Steel Corporation in the early 1960's and was by BQ, NQ and HQ diamond drilling and holes were surveyed for dip using a Tropari instrument.

A total of around 13,600 metres of core was completed and all holes were geologically logged and QA/QC'ed.

Around 5,000 samples across the magnetite mineralised zones were taken from the drill core and the magnetite content determined by Davis Tube. All testing was carried out at the Colorado school of Mines Research foundation.

In 2010, a confirmatory diamond drill program of around 930 metres was carried out by Richmond Mining Limited. This program, which was HQ was designed to twin various 1960's holes in order to test for vertical and lateral continuity as well as provide QA/QC confirmation on the historic drilling.

All of the core was geologically logged and then halved or quartered and samples assayed by American Assay Laboratories in Reno and SGS Laboratories in Perth.

In 2012, Nevada Iron Limited carried out a program comprising 3,420 metres of HQ diamond drilling and 13,024 metres of 138 mm reverse circulation drilling.

This program was designed to provide infill drilling for an expanded resource estimate, extend the boundaries of the known mineralised areas and provide additional core for definitive metallurgical beneficiation test work.

All drill holes from this program were geologically logged and the diamond holes surveyed down hole.

Samples from this program were prepared by ALS Global Laboratories in Reno and analysed by ALS Laboratories in Perth.

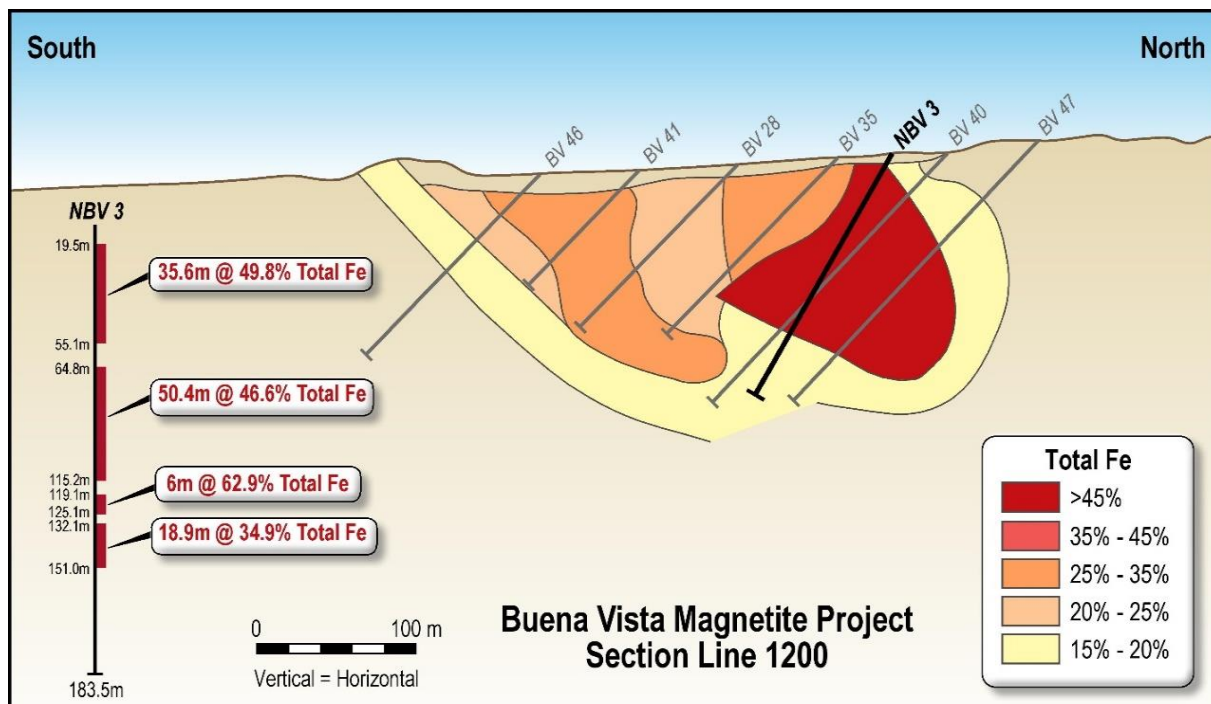


Figure 11: Section Line 1200 (2011 feasibility study)

### 3.4 Metallurgy

Unlike banded iron hosted magnetite deposits (taconites) where the magnetite mineralisation is finely disseminated in siliceous bedding planes, the Buena Vista ore is of magmatic origin and as a consequence is coarser grained in association with the siliceous host rock.

The prime benefit of this is that metallurgical test work has shown that the primary crush of the Buena Vista ore on average increases the mill grade to +45% irrespective of the primary ore grade.

This is an important distinction to taconites and results in reduced energy usage for the subsequent crushing and grinding upgrade to the concentrate grade of +67.5%.

The Buena Vista concentrate contains no deleterious concentrations of impurities with silica typically 1.4-1.5%, alumina less than 1% and negligible sulphur and phosphorous content (around-0.003% respectively).

In addition, titanium and vanadium levels are low in the Buena Vista concentrate, typical levels are around 0.2% TiO<sub>2</sub> and 0.3% V.

### 3.5 Project Logistics

The Buena Vista Project mine site is ideally located, with towns Fallon (20,000 population) and Lovelock (8,000 population) within close proximity to the mine site. This provides site personnel and their families the opportunity to reside in local communities with existing infrastructure and facilities.

The mine site is around 50kms from the Union Pacific rail line which connects with multiple export port options including Stockton, West Sacramento, Oakland, San Francisco and Richmond.

Grid power is available within 40km of the deposits and sufficient water can be sourced from ground water aquifers located in the North Carson sink.

The Nevada Department of Conservation and Natural Resources has already granted the required water rights for the life of the mine.

The mine is located in Churchill County in the State of Nevada which has a strong history of supporting mining developments and is easily accessed via the sealed Coal Canyon road.

### **3.6 JORC 2012 Resources**

On 23 March 2021, Magnum announced that the Buena Vista Mineral Resource had been updated in accordance with the 2012 edition of the JORC Code (JORC 2012).

Magnum reported that the Mineral Resources previously reported in 2012/13 under the 2004 JORC Code and the NI43-101 Code had undergone a comprehensive review and full evaluation by the Company's highly experienced and qualified independent consultant, MPR Geological Consultants.

The total Mineral Resource estimate increased as a result of this update with the key changes:

- **A 31% increase in total reported Mineral Resources from 177.3Mt to 232Mt, and**
- **A 6% increase in the indicated resource for the Section 5 area and a 25% increase in the DTR% (Davis Tube Recovery Percentage), and**
- **An additional 40Mt of inferred mineral resources for the West Pit area and 13% increase in the DTR%, and**
- **A 14% increase in the inferred resource for the East Pit area.**

The Company confirms that it is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the information included in this Quarterly Report and that all material assumptions and technical parameters underpinning the estimates in the announcement of the 'Maiden JORC Resources for the Buena Vista Magnetite Project 'dated 23 March 2021 continue to apply and have not materially changed.

| Estimates at 10% Fe cut off |                   |              |             |             |            |             |             |            |            |            |
|-----------------------------|-------------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Deposit                     | Resource Category | 2013         |             |             | 2021       |             |             | Difference |            |            |
|                             |                   | Mt           | Fe%         | DTR%        | Mt         | Fe%         | DTR%        | Mt         | Fe%        | DTR%       |
| Section 5                   | Ind               | 32.1         | 17.7        | 16.8        | 34         | 17.4        | 21.0        | 6%         | -2%        | 25%        |
|                             | Inf               | 0            | 0.0         | 0.0         | 8.0        | 16          | 18          | -          | -          | -          |
|                             | <b>Subtotal</b>   | <b>32.1</b>  | <b>17.7</b> | <b>16.8</b> | <b>42</b>  | <b>17</b>   | <b>20</b>   | <b>31%</b> | <b>-3%</b> | <b>22%</b> |
| West                        | Ind               | 116.6        | 19.1        | 21.2        | 117        | 19.5        | 23.9        | 0%         | 2%         | 13%        |
|                             | Inf               | 0            | 0.0         | 0.0         | 40         | 17          | 21          | -          | -          | -          |
|                             | <b>Subtotal</b>   | <b>116.6</b> | <b>19.1</b> | <b>21.2</b> | <b>157</b> | <b>19</b>   | <b>23</b>   | <b>35%</b> | <b>-1%</b> | <b>9%</b>  |
| East                        | Ind               | 0            | 0.0         | 0.0         | 0.0        | 0.0         | 0.0         | -          | -          | -          |
|                             | Inf               | 28.9         | 19.6        | 23.4        | 33         | 19          | 23          | 14%        | -3%        | -2%        |
|                             | <b>Subtotal</b>   | <b>28.9</b>  | <b>19.6</b> | <b>23.4</b> | <b>33</b>  | <b>19</b>   | <b>23</b>   | <b>14%</b> | <b>-3%</b> | <b>-2%</b> |
| Total                       | Ind               | 148.7        | 18.8        | 20.3        | 151        | 19.0        | 23.2        | 2%         | 1%         | 15%        |
|                             | Inf               | 28.9         | 19.6        | 23.4        | 81         | 18          | 22          | 180%       | -10%       | -8%        |
|                             | <b>Total</b>      | <b>177.6</b> | <b>18.9</b> | <b>20.8</b> | <b>232</b> | <b>18.6</b> | <b>22.6</b> | <b>31%</b> | <b>-2%</b> | <b>9%</b>  |

**Table 1: JORC (2012) reported mineral resources compared with 2013 NI43-101 estimate.**

The data base for the JORC 2012 mineral resource estimate utilised data from 139 diamond drill holes totaling 23,061 metres and 50 reverse circulation drill holes totaling 13,024 metres.

#### 4.0 SALE OF GRAVELLOTTE PROJECT

During the reporting period, the Company announced it had entered into a sale and purchase agreement (**SPA**) for the sale of its 74% interest in the Gravelotte Project in South Africa. The divestment is part of the Company's strategy of crystallising value from its portfolio of non-core assets while maintain a strong focus on progressing the Company's Buena Vista Project for green pig iron production.

The Company has agreed to sell its wholly owned South African subsidiary Gem Venus Holdings (Proprietary) Limited (**Gem Venus**) which holds Magnum's interest in the Gravelotte Project to London Stock Exchange listed company URA Holdings PLC (LSE:URAH) (**URA**) (**Transaction**).

As the Company has previously reported to the market, activities at the Gravelotte Project had remained restricted to care and maintenance and desk stop studies because of travel restrictions and restrictions placed on site due to the COVID-19 pandemic. The divestment of the Gravelotte project will allow the Company to remain focused on the Buena Vista project in establishing a green Pig Iron steel making facility in Nevada, United States.

The Transaction is conditional on URA and MGU obtaining the consent to the Transaction by the Minister of Mineral Resources pursuant to the Mineral and Petroleum Resources Development Act 2002 (South Africa) (**Condition**).

The Condition must be satisfied by the first anniversary of execution of the SPA or such later date as may be mutually agreed by the parties.

URA will pay Magnum, as consideration for the Transaction, a total consideration of A\$2,000,000 to be paid as follows:

- (a) The sum of A\$200,000.00 for each 5,000,000 carats of gemstones produced at the Gravelotte Project, and this sum is payable within 30 days of the date on which the production has been determined;

- (b) Thereafter, the sum of A\$200,000.00 for each successive 5,000,000 carats of gemstones produced at the Gravelotte Project, and this sum is payable within 30 days of the date on which the production has been determined,

(Collectively, **Cash Consideration**),

provided that that Cash Consideration shall not exceed a maximum aggregate sum of A\$2,000,000.

URA will also issue to Magnum GBP100,000.00 (one hundred thousand British Pounds) in URA fully paid ordinary shares (**Consideration Shares**).

On signing of the SPA, URA has also agreed to be responsible for all operation costs relating to the Gravelotte Project until completion.

## 5.0 EXPLORATION INTERESTS

The following tenement information is provided in accordance with ASX Listing Rule 5.3.3 for the quarter ended 31 March 2022:

### Buena Vista Project

| Claim Name | BLM Serial Nos. | BLM Lead Serial No. | Claim Type |
|------------|-----------------|---------------------|------------|
| KMD 1      | NMC956471       | NMC956471           | Lode       |
| KMD 2      | NMC956472       | NMC956471           | Lode       |
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| KMD 4      | NMC956474       | NMC956471           | Lode       |
| KMD 5      | NMC956475       | NMC956471           | Lode       |
| KMD 6      | NMC956476       | NMC956471           | Lode       |
| KMD 7      | NMC956477       | NMC956471           | Lode       |
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## **CORPORATE REPORT**

### **6.0 ASX: ANNOUNCEMENTS RELEASED DURING THE MARCH 2021 QUARTER**

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| 11/01/2022 | MGU Project update – MOU signing with Biochar Now   |
| 14/01/2022 | Notice of Change of Interests of Substantial Holder |
| 20/01/2022 | Notification of cessation of securities - MGU       |
| 28/01/2022 | Change of Director's Interest Notice                |
| 28/01/2022 | Change of Director's Interest Notice (correction)   |
| 31/01/2022 | Quarterly Activities/Appendix 5B Cash Flow Report   |
| 31/01/2022 | Notification under ASX Listing Rules 3.10A          |
| 02/02/2022 | Green Pig Iron Engineering Study Contract signed    |
| 15/03/2022 | MGU pig iron strategic focus                        |
| 23/03/2022 | Appendix 2A - Correction                            |
| 24/03/2022 | Sale of Gravelotte Project, South Africa            |
| 31/03/2022 | Annual Report to shareholders                       |
| 31/03/2022 | Appendix 4G   |

## **7.0 APPENDIX 5B**

In accordance with ASX Listing Rule 5.3.2, the Company advises that no mining development or production activities were conducted during the March 2022 Quarter.

As set out in the attached Appendix 5B, exploration expenditure during the quarter totaled A\$ 946,000. Payments to related parties totaling A\$105,000 consisted of remuneration paid to executive and non-executive directors and an associate of a director under respective service agreements.

This document has been authorised for release to the ASX by the Company's Board of Directors.

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