

NEWS RELEASE May 2, 2024

# Faraday Copper Receives Approval from the Bureau of Land Management for its Notice of Intent to Conduct Drilling at its Copper Creek Project in Arizona

May 2, 2024 – Vancouver, British Columbia – Faraday Copper Corp. ("Faraday" or the "Company") (TSX:FDY) (OTCQX:CPPKF) is pleased to announce that it has received approval from the U.S. Bureau of Land Management ("BLM") for its Notice of Intent ("NOI") to conduct drilling on eleven drill pads at its Copper Creek Project in Arizona ("Copper Creek").

Paul Harbidge, President and CEO, commented "Approval of the NOI is significant as it allows us to drill high-priority targets above the American Eagle porphyry and in the Rum area. This drilling has the potential to unlock significant value by adding high-grade, near-surface mineralization to the current resource. We are currently evaluating bringing additional drill rigs to the project."

# **Highlights**

- Nine drill pads permitted in the American Eagle area, targeting near-surface breccia-hosted mineralization;
- Two drill pads permitted in the Rum area, targeting porphyry-hosted mineralization exposed at surface; and
- Earthworks contractors are being mobilized to re-establish road access and prepare drill pads.

## **American Eagle Area Overview**

The American Eagle area includes numerous breccias mapped at surface (Figures 1 and 2). Historically, this area was drilled by near-vertical holes to define the American Eagle porphyry mineralization at depth. Near-surface breccia-hosted mineralization remains largely untested. Analysis of surface outcrops by portable X-ray fluorescence analyzer<sup>1</sup> ("pXRF") returned elevated copper values which, together with copper oxide staining, was used to prioritize drill targets.

## **Rum Area Overview**

The Rum area is located approximately 3.5 km northwest of the Amerian Eagle area. It includes hydrothermal breccias and granodiorite porphyry intruding Glory Hole Volcanics. Copper oxide mineralization is present in porphyry outcrops with a historical drill hole (R-1-1X) intersecting near-surface high-grade mineralization of 48.77 metres at a grade of 1.07% copper from surface (true width is unknown due to the orientation of the drill hole). The drill pads allow testing the extent of mineralization as well as targeting untested breccias in this area.

**Figure 1:** Map Showing the High Priority Targets, pXRF Data<sup>1</sup> for Copper Values and Nine Permitted Drill Pads on BLM Land

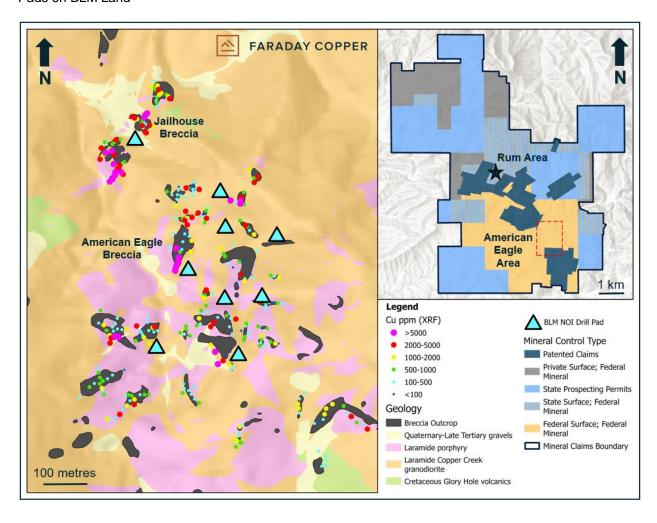


Figure 2: Outcrop of the American Eagle Breccia with Secondary Copper Minerals







# **Qualified Person**

The scientific and technical information contained in this news release has been reviewed and approved by Faraday's VP Exploration, Dr. Thomas Bissig, P. Geo., who is a Qualified Person under National Instrument 43-101 - Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects ("NI 43-101").

# **Notes**

<sup>1</sup> Portable XRF ("pXRF") results shown in Figure 1 represent spot analyses and only provide an indication of the order of magnitude of formal assay results. These samples have not been submitted for laboratory analyses and represent a layer of information to provide guidance in drill hole design. Each datapoint represents the mean of three spot measurements.

## **About Faraday Copper**

Faraday Copper is a Canadian exploration company focused on advancing its flagship copper project in Arizona, U.S. The Copper Creek Project is one of the largest undeveloped copper projects in North America with significant district scale exploration potential. The Company is well-funded to deliver on its key milestones and benefits from a management team and board of directors with senior mining company experience and expertise. Faraday trades on the TSX under the symbol "FDY".

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