# Builder Genogen North America's Highest Quality Source of Lithium



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Frontier has filed on SEDAR a NI-43-101 compliant Technical Report, "Pre-Feasibility Study for the PAK Project", effective as of May 31, 2023. All technical information should be reviewed according to this resource estimate.

# **Frontier Highlights**



### Tier 1 quality spodumene lithium resource globally Reserves

• 22 mt (Probable) of 1.55% Li<sub>2</sub>O



### Resource

- 26 mt (M&I) of 1.6% Li<sub>2</sub>O
- 32.5 mt (Inferred) of 1.4% Li<sub>2</sub>O

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### Targeting to be Top 3 in contained lithium size in **North America**

- 27,000 hectares land package
- PFS reserve calculation includes only one-third of the identified resources



### **\$1.7B USD Post-Tax NPV**<sub>(8)</sub> utilizing two of four total discoveries



**Proximate to USA & EU Markets with low-cost, sustainable** operations



**Ontario rich in Mining/Processing/Manufacturing** with low sovereign risk



**Building North America's Highest** Quality Source of Lithium Hydroxide to Power the Electric Vehicle and Energy Storage Transition.

# **TSX.V:** FL Price History

• Li Carbonate CIF Asia (USD/tonne) • Li Hydroxide FOB N. America (USD/tonne) • Frontier Lithium Weekly Average Share Price (CAD)





### Market Facts 24/03/2023

Ticker – TSX Venture	FL
Ticker – FSE	HL2
Ticker – OTC QX	LITOF
Price	CAD 2.02
52 Week High and Low	\$3.35 - \$1.30
Market Cap	CAD \$455M
Cash (March 2023)	CAD \$27M
Shares Outstanding	225.19M

# **Research Coverage**







### Capital Markets





CG/Canaccord Genuity Capital Markets

# **Proven Leadership**

### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**



**Rick Walker, Chairman** 45+ years Mining/Construction experience



Marc Boissonneault, P.Eng, MBA Most recently Head of Global Nickel Operations, Glencore



John Didone CPA, CA, CMA, Audit Committee +35 years Accounting



Mike Koziol P.Geo, P.Eng., Audit Committee +35 years Exploration Experience,



**Stephen J.J. Letwin, Audit Committee** Former President and CEO of IAMGOLD Corporation



**Tess Lofsky LLB, Director** General Counsel & Corporate Secretary at Canada Development Investment Corporation (CDEV)



#### **Greg Mills**

35+ years experience in capital markets former Managing Director of RBC Capital Markets



#### **Bart Meekis**

Member, resident and former Chief of Sandy Lake **First Nation** 

### **EXECUTIVE TEAM**



**Trevor R. Walker, President and CEO** 

20+ years in the mining industry, Trevor joined the company in 2010, and since has played a key strategic role in focusing and developing the company's PAK Lithium Project in Northwestern Ontario.



#### Erick Underwood, CFO

25+ years of experience in finance and project development within the mining industry with a track record of driving financial and operational excellence. CPA, CMA



#### Dr. Naizhen Cao, VP Technology

Dr. Cao is an industry veteran having worked both in China and Canada as senior technical leader with expertise in lithium and battery materials.

#### **Garth Drever, VP Exploration**



40+ years of mineral exploration experience. He has worked with Frontier Lithium since 2011, and was fundamental in the exploration process that led to new discoveries on the PAK Lithium Project.



#### **David Ewing, VP Sustainability & External Affairs**

20+ years of experience in mining, energy and government with significant experience in ESG and regulatory and Indigenous affairs.



#### **Graeme Goodall, VP Operations**

20+ years of experience focused on metallurgy, pyrometallurgy and extractive operations for multi-national mining and metals producers.



#### **Greg Da Re, VP Corporate Development**

Experienced investment executive 20+ years of track record on growing and transforming organizations, recently led for Ontario's efforts to build an EV battery supply chain within the province.

### **NOTABLE ADVISORS**



#### **Mike Tamlin**

25+ years of expertise in lithium and tantalum concentrates and chemicals. His lithium experience covers the development of the Chinese chemical and global technical spodumene markets for the Greenbushes Mine in Western Australia, the Zhangjiagang Lithium Carbonate Project and the Rincon Brine Project.

#### Peter Vanstone, P. Geo

Peter Vanstone maintains specialized experience in rare metals with over 30 years of lithium, tantalum, and cesium exploration and mine production in the Canadian Shield.



#### **Gordon MacKay**

Most recently Director of Mineral Development and Lands Branch at the Ministry of Northern Development and Mines.



Expected start: 2022 (25 GWh)

# **Strong Pre-Feasibility Study Results**

#### **Spark Deposit**

to depth and along strike.







**USD \$1.15B** TOTAL CAPEX

Including Sustaining Capital +

20% Contingency

Phase I - Mine & Mill

\$468M

Phase II - Expansion & Refinery

\$576M

\$22,000 USD/ **TONNE** AVERAGE LIOH SELLING PRICE

The Study includes measured, indicated resource to produce 459,000 tonnes of LCE

# Resource

### **PAK DEPOSIT**

Reserves	4 mt, diluted grade 1.8% Li <sub>2</sub> O Probable
Resource	7.2 mt, avg. grade 1.8% Li <sub>2</sub> O - M+I
	2.8 mt, avg. grade 2.2% Li <sub>2</sub> O – Inferred
Impurities Indicator	< 0.1% Fe2O3 in spodumene
Orientation	Sub-vertical
Average Width	45m (varying from 10-125m)
Dimensions	500m strike length, 300m deep
Status	Remains open at depth and along strike

### SPARK DEPOSIT

Reserves	18 mt, diluted grade 1.5% Li <sub>2</sub> O Probable
Resource	18.8 mt, avg. grade 1.5% Li <sub>2</sub> O - Indicated
	29.7 mt, avg. grade 1.3% Li <sub>2</sub> O – Inferred
Average Width	> 100m
Strike	> 500m strike length, 400m deep
Status	Remains open at depth and along strike
	In-fill drilling program highlights:
	• 398 m averaging 1.88% Li <sub>2</sub> O
	<ul> <li>405 m averaging 1.5% Li<sub>2</sub>O</li> </ul>



## Resource & Exploration Upside Bolt Pegmatite

During 2020, the Bolt pegmatite was discovered ranging between a few metres to over 50 m wide and traced for at least 600 m

- DDH PL-103-23 60.5m of pegmatite averaging 1.33% Li<sub>2</sub>O.
  - $_{\odot}$  Including 30.1m averaging 1.63% Li\_2O and 12.1m averaging 1.94% Li\_2O
- DDH PL-104-23 intersected 67.2m of pegmatite averaging 1.33% Li<sub>2</sub>O.
   o Including 19.4m averaging 1.53% Li<sub>2</sub>O and 6.7m averaging 1.92% Li<sub>2</sub>O





# **Resource & Exploration Upside**



#### **PENNOCK PEGMATITE**

Traced for 3 km with a 30x16m "Blowout"

16m channel averaging 1.96% Li<sub>2</sub>O

#### **SPARK DEPOSIT**

21,750m in 70 drill holes plus 363m of surface channeling 18.8 MT of 1.52% Li<sub>2</sub>O Indicated 29.7 MT of 1.34% Li<sub>2</sub>O Inferred

#### **BOLT PEGMATITE**

Traced for 600m with widths > 50m

36.4m channel averaging 1.51% Li<sub>2</sub>O

49m channel averaging

1.14% Li<sub>2</sub>O

#### **PAK DEPOSIT**

7,528m in 40 drill holes plus 216m of surface channeling

> 7.2 MT of 1.87% Li<sub>2</sub>O **Measured + Indicated**

2.8 MT of 2.22% Li<sub>2</sub>O Inferred

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# **North American Hardrock Spodumene Deposits**

### Plot Showing Grade Li<sub>2</sub>O and Resource (Mt)



Source: Publicly disclosed technical reports

\* Bubble diameter represents contained Lithium Carbonate Equivalent (tonnes)

# **Quality Resources Enable Low-Cost Mining**

Iron Oxide Content (%) of Concentrate



### **Strip Ratio**



# **Comparative Peer Valuation Analysis**

### Peer Lithium Carbonate Equivalent (LCE) and Current Market Evaluation



Source: Publicly disclosed technical reports and data Market data as of Jan 5, 2023



# High Quality & Low Impurity



### 7.2 % Li<sub>2</sub>O, 0.135 % Fe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>

Technical Grade – Spodumene Concentrate from mini-piloting

Chemical Compound	FL Composite Sample AVG	Albemarle <sup>(i)</sup> SC 7.2 Premium	Albemarle <sup>(i)</sup> SC 7.2 Standard
Li <sub>2</sub> O	7.2 %	min 7.2 %	max 7.2 %
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	24.4 %	min 25.0 %	min 25.0 %
SiO <sub>2</sub>	64.8 %	min 62.5 %	max 62.5 %
Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.135 %	max 0.12 %	max 0.17 %
NA <sub>2</sub> O	0.16 %	max 0.35 %	min 0.35 %
K <sub>2</sub> O	0.11 %	max 0.30 %	min 0.40 %
<b>P</b> <sub>2</sub> <b>O</b> <sub>5</sub>	0.05 %	max 0.25 %	min 0.35 %
CaO	0.03 %	max 0.10 %	min 0.10 %



### **56.5 % LiOH-H**<sub>2</sub>**O**

Battery-Quality Lithium Hydroxide from mini-piloting

Element   Compound	Unit	FL Composite Sample AVG	China Spec.	N.A. Supplier Spec.
LiOH	%	56.5	≥56.5	56.5
Na	ppm	6	20	20
К	ppm	<10	10	10
Fe	ppm	Below detection	8	5
Са	ppm	4	150	15
Cu	ppm	Below detection	5	5
Mg	ppm	<1	10	10
Si	ppm	34	30	30
Cl	ppm	<20	20	20
SO <sub>4</sub>	ppm	<30	100	100

# **Battery Materials Ecosystem**

**Frontier Lithium is assessing** options for producing battery materials production and recycling through advancing the lithium chemicals piloting and demonstration.

In part, this process is supported by the Ontario government. The process and technology selection taking place during Pre-Feasibility Study.













Secondary: Manufacture of goods **Tertiary:** Services

# Infrastructure

# Partnered First Nation Communities seeking infrastructure upgrades.

### **POWERLINE:** Under Construction

- Watay Power Project is being built to service 17 First Nation Communities
- The high-voltage transmission line to be 4km from the PAK resource
- Fully funded by the Government (\$2B)
- Completion target 2024





# Infrastructure

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### **ROAD:** Under Scoping Study

- Power-line will reduce winter road usage
- Government funded engineering study is underway for "<u>Berens River bridge</u> and Roads" project to improve and extend the winter road season
- Internal scoping study assessing optimal all-season road access underway



#### LEGEND

- PAK Project Outline
- First Nations Communities
  - All Season Road
- Winter Road

Junction Road Project

Preliminary Engineering 55 km

Branchwood Primary Access Road

Fully Permitted 84km

Poplar Hill First Nation

Berens Bridge Project



# **A PHASED APPROACH TO VERTICALLY INTEGRATED LITHIUM CHEMICALS PRODUCTION**

	2023 20		24 20		25	20	2026	
	2nd Half	1st Half	2nd Half	1st Half	2nd Half	1st Half	2nd H	
DFS								
Final Invesment								
Decision								
Phase 1 Construction								
Spodumene Concentrate Production								
Chemical Plant Constrution								
Lithium Chemical Production								
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\*The project timelines are estimates and subject to adverse developments in business and economic conditions in the principal markets. The timeline is under review in Definitive Feasibility Study.



# Project Advancement

### **Current Activities**

- Government funded "Berens River bridge and Roads" project fully engineered and permitted, pending funding.
- PAK deposit geotechnical and environmental drilling is currently underway
- Continuing to conduct environmental baseline studies to enable and advance permitting
- 1,000 metric tonne bulk samples taken from both the PAK and Spark deposits

### **Upcoming Catalyst**

- Complete a Definitive Feasibility Study Phase 1
- Selection of a site for commercial chemical plant
- Complete and finalize community partnership agreements
- Complete formal submission of announced federal and provincial critical minerals grants and tax breaks
- Evaluate strategic partnership options and offtake agreements





Frontier is positioned to become a strategic regional battery metals supplier.



94% zero

carbon energy



# **Frontier Lithium Opportunity Highlights**

**Compelling Lithium Market Backdrop** 

**Exceptional Spodumene Resource** 

**Vertically Integrated Lithium Chemicals Producer** 

> **Strategically Located** in Ontario

**Significant Mine Life Upside Potential** 

**Highly Experienced Management Team** 

Race is on from auto OEMs and battery manufacturers to secure supply of raw materials required to meet EV production growth plans.

- Unprecedented level of competition for offtake for high quality projects.

- skilled workforce.
- manufacturing in Ontario and Quebec.
- Two pegmatites remain on the property to be further investigated.
- 27,000h land package remains largely unexplored.
- projects and operating mines.

One of the largest and highest grade spodumene resources located in North America. • Tier 1 spodumene resource: large tonnage, high grades, low strip, and low impurities.

Key differentiating factor will be manufacturing battery-grade lithium hydroxide. • Assembled highly experienced team to build and operate chemical plant.

Well-established mining-friendly jurisdiction with supportive government, access to infrastructure and local

• Ideally situated to feed local supply chains to support multi-billion-dollar investments in EV battery

• Mine life of ~25 years based on two deposits that remain open to depth and along strike.

• Led by a strong management team and directors who have a track record of making discoveries, building

• Management and directors own ~17% of equity, creating alignment with investors.



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