VIRIDIAN METALS IDENTIFIES OVER 150 CONDUCTORS ON KRAKEN MAGMATIC SULFIDE PROJECT

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VANCOUVER, BC, Nov. 20, 2024 /CNW/ - Viridian Metals Inc. (TSXV: VRDN) ("Viridian") formerly Coco Pool Corp. ("**Coco**") is pleased to announce the receipt of a new interpretation of its high resolution TDEM data. Viridian engaged Southern Geoscience Consultants ("SGC") of Perth Western Australia to evaluate the data collected in 2022 and interpret the results.

"The interpretation of our high-resolution geophysical data by SGC has unlocked a new perspective on the untapped potential across the entire Kraken Project," said Tyrell Sutherland, CEO and president of Viridian Metals. "By combining modern techniques with insights from historical work, we now have a powerful roadmap to further guide exploration efforts and fully realize the value of this asset."

Viridian contracted Southern Geoscience Consultants to interpret electromagnetic (EM) data, collected by Prospect Air over the Kraken Ni-Cu-Co Project Area. EM anomalies are produced by conductive bodies and may be indicative of sulfide mineralization. Highlights from the data and it's interpretation include:

- A total of 169 linear conductors were identified, totalling over 64km of strike length
- Over 120 distinct conductors with a strike length greater than 250m
- Of the 169 conductor anomalies only 4 have been drill tested by Viridian or prior operators
- There are 24 conductors classified as "Priority 1" by SGC based on their strong signal and discrete electromagnetic response, of which only 2 have been drill tested
- Improved resolution in the airborne data collected by Viridian coupled with the interpretations by SGC explains why previous drilling by Kennecott and Teck failed to test key bedrock conductors.

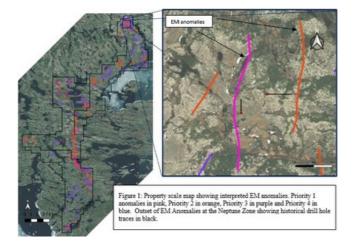


Figure 1: Property scale map showing interpreted EM anomalies. Priority 1 anomalies in pink, Priority 2 in orange, Priority 3 in purple and Priority 4 in blue. Outset of EM Anomalies at the Neptune Zone showing historical drill hole traces in black. (CNW Group/Viridian Metals)

SGC is a leading geophysical consulting firm with over 30 years of experience in providing expert geophysical solutions to the exploration and mining industry. Renowned for their innovative approaches and technical excellence, SGC specializes in the processing, interpretation, and integration of geophysical data to optimize exploration strategies. Their team of highly skilled

geoscientists collaborates closely with clients to deliver tailored solutions that uncover new opportunities and maximize resource potential.

About Viridian Metals

Viridian Metals is a pioneer and leader in generative metal exploration with a focus on environmental responsibility and ethical practices. Founded with the intention of discovering new critical metals deposits with the potential to transform the metal supply chain. We leverage innovative technologies and methods to enhance efficiency and sustainability in jurisdictions eager to be leaders in supplying the energy transition. Viridian maintains expertise in a range of critical metals with a primary focus on copper, nickel and cobalt in the near term. Our commitment to integrity and transparency fosters strong partnerships with both local and global stakeholders.

This press release has been reviewed and approved by Mr. Tyrell Sutherland M.Sc., P.Geo., a "qualified person" as defined in National Instrument 43-101 - Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects

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