

## BLACKHAWK RESOURCE CORP.

# MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS FORM 51-102F1

FOR THE PERIOD ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2011

**December 22, 2011** 

Management's Discussion and Analysis should be read in conjunction with the interim condensed consolidated financial statements for the period ended September 30, 2011. The condensed consolidated financial statements are prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standards ("IAS") 34 – Interim Financial Reporting.

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#### CHANGE OVER TO INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS

Prior to July 1, 2011, Blackhawk Resource Corp. (the "Corporation") prepared its financial statements under Canadian Generally Accepted Accounting Principles ("GAAP"). Effective July 1, 2011, the Corporation is required to adopt International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS"). The Corporation's financial statements for the three month period ended September 30, 2011, including comparative amounts, have been prepared on an IFRS basis. The date of the transition for the Corporation is July 1, 2010, being the start date of the earliest period of comparative information.

In order to explain how the Corporation's reported performance, financial position and accounting policies are affected by the changeover to IFRS, information previously reported under Canadian GAAP has been restated under IFRS with reconciliations provided in the notes to the condensed consolidated financial statements at September 30, 2011. The restated information and new accounting policies information are set out in the condensed consolidated financial statements as at and for the period ending September 30, 2011.

#### 1. OVERALL PERFORMANCE

#### Petroleum and natural gas properties

The Corporation's petroleum and natural gas assets are composed of interests in several properties in the province of Alberta. The Bodo property is considered the Corporation's core area.

On July 27, 2011, the Corporation signed a purchase and sale agreement related to its Bodo properties. The properties have been sold in two concurrent arms length transactions for total gross proceeds of \$6,800,000 with an effective date of July 1, 2011. Shareholder approval of the transaction was received on September 14, 2011. The transaction was terminated on December 7, 2011 due to certain conditions not being met by the purchaser.

The Bodo property is located in and around Township 38, Range 1 West of the Fourth Meridian. Production from the Bodo area is primarily heavy oil from the McLaren Formation, and medium gravity oil from the Sparky Formation. Blackhawk had approximately 8,195 net acres of land in the Bodo area. Currently there are four 100% owned producing oil wells and two producing gas wells (owned 100% and 6.25%).

Blackhawk also derives production from the following non-operated properties: Wood River, four producing natural gas wells with an average working interest of 37.5%; Queenstown, two producing oil and gas wells with a working interest of 30%; and Greencourt, one producing oil well with a working interest of 21%.

Other non-producing properties are held in the Edson Cardium, Peoria, Carrot Creek and Esther areas of Alberta.

The Corporation averaged production of 81 BOE/D during the period ended September 30, 2011 (2010 – 174 BOE/D), split 80% oil and 20% gas (2010- 88% oil and 12% gas). The Corporation's current production is 134 BOE/D. The Corporation had 2 operated wells shut in for workovers in the Bodo area,

the 11-16 horizontal well was down for most of July due to the need for down hole repairs and a broken rod and the 3-30 well was down for 10 days due to a tubing leak.

#### **Corporate and Finance**

On December 7, 2011, David A. Bryson joined the Corporation as President and a Director of the Corporation. Mr. Bryson will be responsible for leading the Corporation's growth strategy, particularly the Corporation's planned acquisition of United States oil and gas properties.

David Bryson, will assist the Corporation in its strategy to acquire US based producing oil and gas assets that will allow the Corporation to move towards a yield based model. The US based yield model structure was developed with the help of both Canadian and US based legal and tax professionals, and offers investors a monthly dividend without double corporate taxation. We expect the go forward strategy of Blackhawk to:

- Find and acquire producing assets in the United States
- Focus on cash flow and pay a dividend to investors
- Grow the company both through acquisitions and reserve replacement drilling

The Corporation has begun to evaluate asset packages in the US and anticipates completing an initial transaction in the new year, after which we would be looking to begin the dividend payouts.

Mr. Bryson has agreed to complete a private placement in the amount of \$357,500 through a subscription for 6,500,000 common shares of the Corporation as part of his commitment. The private placement is subject to TSX Venture Exchange acceptance and the common shares will be subject to a statutory hold period of four months plus one day from the date of issuance.

The Corporation has a \$3.3 million reserves based revolving credit facility with ATB Financial. The credit facility will be used for general corporate purposes and to fund future development drilling on Blackhawk's properties.

#### **Exploration and development**

During the year ended June 30, 2011, Blackhawk participated in an Edson Cardium horizontal well with a 22% working interest BPO and14.67% APO. This well spud in November, 2010 and completion operations commenced in December, 2010, with a 12 stage multifrac stimulation program. In February, 2011, operations to equip and test the well were completed. The Corporation expects to receive initial production from this well in its second quarter ended December 31, 2011.

# 2. SELECTED QUARTERLY INFORMATION

	Three month period ended			
	Sept 30, 2011	Jun 30, 2011	Mar 31, 2011	Dec 31, 2010
Net sales	\$338,451	\$695,294	\$698,840	\$887,855
Net income (loss)	(313,940)	(199,312)	(306,593)	(405,723)
Basic and diluted net income (loss) per share	(0.01)	(0.01)	(0.01)	(0.01)

	Three month period ended			
	Sept 30, 2010	Jun 30, 2010	Mar 31, 2010	Dec 31, 2009*
Net sales/total revenues	\$764,619	\$484,351	\$86,407	\$168,379
Net income (loss)	140,678	487,088	(753,034)	(423,058)
Basic and diluted net income (loss) per share	0.00	0.01	(0.02)	(0.01)

<sup>\*</sup>December 31, 2009 is for the four month period ended.

The above noted financial data should be read in conjunction with the condensed consolidation financial statements for the period ended September 30, 2011 and September 30, 2010.

## 3. RESULTS OF OPERATIONS FOR THE THREE MONTH PERIOD

## Oil and natural gas sales revenue and pricing

	Three months ended	Three months ended
Revenue	September 30, 2011	September 30, 2010
Oil / NGLs	\$428,452	\$861,921
Natural Gas	33,041	49,010
Total Revenue	\$461,493	\$910,931
Royalties	(128,789)	(146,643)
Revenue, net of royalties	\$332,704	\$764,288

Product Prices-Sales	September 30, 2011	September 30, 2010
Oil / NGLs (\$/bbl)	\$71.60	\$61.33
Natural Gas (\$/mcf)	\$3.70	\$4.25

		Average BOE/D
	Three months ended	for the three months
Product Volumes	September 30, 2011	ended September 30, 2011
Oil / NGLs	5,984 bbl	65 BOE/d
Natural Gas	8,940 mcf	16 BOE/d
Total	7,474 BOE	81 BOE/d

		Average BOE/D
	Three months ended	for the three months
Product Volumes	September 30, 2010	ended September 30, 2010
Oil / NGLs	14,052 bbl	153 BOE/d
Natural Gas	11,520 mcf	21 BOE/d_
Total	15,972 BOE	174 BOE/d

#### September 30, 2011

Netbacks	Oil & NGL per bbl	Gas per mcf	Total per BOE
Revenue	\$71.60	\$3.70	\$61.75
Royalties	21.20	0.21	17.23
Operating Expenses	42.00	2.15	36.21
Operating Netback	\$8.40	\$1.34	\$8.31

## September 30, 2010

Netbacks	Oil & NGL per bbl	Gas per mcf	Total per BOE
Revenue	\$61.33	\$4.25	\$57.03
Royalties	9.74	0.84	9.18
Operating Expenses	8.93	1.57	8.99
Operating Netback	\$42.66	\$1.84	\$38.86

The Corporation earned oil and gas revenue for the three month period ending September 30, 2011 of \$461,493 compared to \$910,931 for the three month period ended September 30, 2010. The decrease in revenue is due to several workover's that required certain of the Corporations wells to be shut in for significant periods during the quarter. Subsequent to the quarter end the wells have been restored to full production and the Corporation anticipates the wells producing at closer to historical levels in the coming quarters.

The Corporation paid a total of \$128,789 (\$17.23 per BOE) in royalties in the three month period ended September 30, 2011. The royalty rate increased significantly in the last quarter of the piror year, as production from the Bodo #2 and McLaren wells were no longer eligible for the initial low rates past the first year of production.

Operating expenses for the three month period ended September 30, 2011 were \$270,619 or \$36.21 per BOE of production compared to \$8.99 per BOE for the same period in the prior year. The increase is related to well workover's completed in the period. The Corporation had 2 operated wells shut in for workovers in the Bodo area, the 11-16 horizontal well was down for most of July due to the need for down hole repairs and a broken rod and the 3-30 well was down for 10 days due to a tubing leak. The expensed costs for these workovers totaled approximately \$97,000.

#### General and administrative

General and administrative expenses for the three month period ended September 30, 2011 were \$114,015 compared with \$123,294 for the three month period in September 2010. The expense is mainly composed of consulting fees totaling \$54,830, office rental fees of \$26,946, and computer software and rentals of \$6,010. The remaining expense is composed of other general office expenses.

### **Discontinued operations**

During the year ended August 31, 2009, the Corporation changed its business strategy to focus on oil and gas exploration and development in Western Canada. As such, the Corporation sold its remaining construction related assets and began to actively market its Brazilian properties. The results of operations of the Corporation's construction operations and Brazilian oil and gas activities have been retroactively reclassified in the statement of operations as discontinued operations, net of income taxes. For the three month period ended September 30, 2011, the Corporation incurred a loss, net of income taxes from discontinued operations of \$5,353 (September 30, 2010 – net income of \$3,549).

#### Net loss

The net loss of \$313,940 (\$0.01 per share) for the period was mainly due to the reduction in revenue reated to the disruption of production and the increased operating costs from the workovers on the existing wells. In addition there was an increase in royalties resulting from an increase in the applied rates on some of the Corporation's properties. Non-cash items incurred in the period affecting income are depletion, and accretion of \$209,936. This compares to the net income of \$140,270 (\$0.01 per share) for the three month period in September 2010.

#### Cash flow from continuing operations

Cash flow from continuing operations was a negative \$195,640, compared with a negative \$676,712 in the three month period ended September 30, 2010. The negative cash flow is due to increased workover expenses including in operating costs from the Corporation's oil and gas operations in the period, and the reduction in revenue due to the disruption in production during the quarter.

## 6. LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

As at September 30, 2011, the Corporation had working capital deficit of \$2,743,610 which compares to working capital deficit of \$2,600,828 at June 30, 2011. The decrease in working capital is the result of the Corporation's increased expenditures on its oil and gas properties in the period.

With the current working capital deficit of \$2,743,610, the Corporation may require additional financing in order to continue exploration and development of its oil and gas properties and the Corporations new business strategy. This additional financing may come in the form of equity and/or debt financing. The Corporation's day to day operations are funded by the cash flow generated from its producing oil and gas properties.

On August 6, 2010, The Corporation established a \$3.3 million reserves based revolving credit facility with ATB Financial. The credit facility will be used for general corporate purposes.

#### 7. TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED PARTIES

For the three month period ended September 30, 2011 the Corporation incurred consulting fees of \$28,500 (2010 - \$64,000) paid to companies which are controlled by certain directors and officers of the Corporation, which are included in general and administrative on the statement of loss. At September 30, 2011 no amounts remained outstanding (2010 - \$Nil).

During the period ended September 30, 2011, the Corporation incurred legal costs of \$12,175 (2010 - \$8,871) with a law firm in which the Corporate secretary is a Partner. The legal costs incurred were in the normal course of operations and were based on the exchange value of the service provided. Of the legal services provided, \$897 were included in accounts payable at September 30, 2011 (2010 - \$Nil).

All related party transactions are in the normal course of operations and have been measured at the agreed to exchange amounts, which is the amount of consideration established and agreed to by the two parties and management believes to approximate fair value.

#### 8. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

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Also on December 7, 2011, the Corporation issued 4,400,000 stock options at \$0.10 per common share to certain officers and directors of the Corporation.

#### 9. OFF-BALANCE SHEET TRANSACTIONS

As at December 22, 2011, the Corporation does not have any off-balance sheet arrangements.

#### 10. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The MD&A and condensed interim consolidated financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis with some exceptions in accordance with IAS 34, as detailed in the accounting policies set out in note 3 of the condensed interim consolidated financial statements. These policies have been applied consistently for all periods presented in the condensed interim consolidated financial statements and in preparing the opening IFRS balance sheet as at July 1, 2010 (subject to certain exceptions allowed by IFRS 1) for the purpose of the transition to IFRS. See note 19 in the condensed interim consolidated financial statements for details of the transition to IFRS.

#### 11. FUTURE ACCOUNTING POLICES

Certain new standards, interpretations, amendments and improvements to existing standards were issued by the IASB or International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee ("IFRIC") that are mandatory for accounting periods beginning after January 1, 2010 or later periods. The standards impacted that are applicable to the Corporation are as follows:

- a) IFRS 9, 'Financial Instruments' was issued in November 2009 as the first step in its project to replace IAS 39 'Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement'. IFRS 9 introduces new requirements for classifying and measuring financial assets that must be applied starting January 1, 2013, with early adoption permitted. The IASB intends to expand IFRS 9 during the intervening period to add new requirements for classifying and measuring financial liabilities, de-recognition of financial instruments, impairment and hedge accounting. The Corporation is currently assessing the impact of this standard.
- b) IFRS 10, 'Consolidated Financial Statements' was issued in May 2011 and will supersede the consolidation requirements in SIC-12 'Consolidation Special Purpose Entities' and IAS 27 'Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements' effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013, with early application permitted. IFRS 10 builds on existing principles by identifying the concept of control as the determining factor in whether an entity should be included within the consolidated financial statements of the parent Corporation. The standard also provides additional guidance to assist in the determination of control where this is difficult to assess. The Corporation is currently assessing the impact of this standard.

- c) IFRS 11, 'Joint Arrangements' was issued in May 2011 and will supersede existing IAS 31, 'Joint Ventures' effective for annual period beginning on or after January 1, 2013, with early application permitted. IFRS 11 provides for the accounting of joint arrangements by focusing on the rights and obligations of the arrangement, rather than its legal form (as is currently the case). The standard also eliminates the option to account for jointly controlled entities using the proportionate consolidation method. The Corporation is currently assessing the impact of this standard.
- d) IFRS 12, 'Disclosure of Interests in Other Entities' was issued in May 2011 and is a new and comprehensive standard on disclosure requirements for all forms of interests in other entities, including subsidiaries, joint arrangements, associates and unconsolidated structured entities. IFRS 12 is effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013, with earlier application permitted. The Corporation is currently assessing the impact of this standard.
- e) IFRS 13, 'Fair Value Measurement' was issued in May 2011 and sets out in a single IFRS a framework for measuring fair value. IFRS 13 defines fair value as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. This definition of fair value emphasizes that fair value is a market-based measurement, not an entity-specific measurement. In addition, IFRS 13 also requires specific disclosures about fair value measurement. IFRS 13 is effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013, with earlier application permitted. The Corporation is currently assessing the impact of this standard.

#### 12. CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES

#### Estimates of crude oil and natural gas reserves

Depletion, and amounts used in impairment calculations are based on estimates of oil and natural gas reserves. Reserve estimates are based on engineering data, estimated future prices, expected future rates of production and the timing of future capital expenditures, all of which are subject to many uncertainties and interpretations. The Corporation expects that, over time, its reserve estimates will be revised upward or downward based on updated information such as the results of future drilling, testing and production levels, and may be affected by changes in commodity prices.

#### Asset retirement obligations

The calculation of asset retirement obligations includes estimates of the future costs and the timing of the cash flows to settle the liability, the discount rate used in reflecting the passage of time, and future inflation rates

#### **Share-based compensation**

The Corporation has made various assumptions in estimating the fair values of the common stock options granted including expected volatility, expected exercise behavior and future forfeiture rates. At each period end, options outstanding are re-measured for changes in the fair value of the liability.

#### Identification of cash generating units

Cash generating units are defined as the lowest grouping of integrated assets that generate identifiable cash inflows that are largely independent of the cash inflows of other assets or groups of assets. The classification of assets into cash generating units requires significant judgment and interpretations with respect to the integration between assets, the existence of active markets, external users, shared infrastructures, and the way in which management monitors the Corporation's operations.

#### 13. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Corporation's financial instruments as at September 30, 2011 include cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, accounts payable and accrued liabilities and bank debt. The Corporation records its financial instruments at their carrying amounts which approximates fair value, unless otherwise disclosed in the consolidated financial statements. The carrying amounts approximate fair values due to the short term maturities of these financial instruments.

#### 14. **COMMITMENTS**

The Brazilian properties required the completion of a minimum exploration program ("MEP") work unit commitments on the properties over a two year period commencing March 2008. MEP work units are satisfied through completion of seismic programs and other exploratory survey methods. MEP commitments over the two-year period could cost up to \$692,000, for which a financial guarantee was provided. On August 18, 2010, the Corporation received notice from the holder of its guarantee in Brazil, that an amount may become payable if the MEP work unit commitments were not completed per the Brazilian National Agency of Petroleum, Natural gas and Biofuels ("ANP"). The Corporation is reviewing the past expenditures related to its Brazilian operations and has submitted support to ANP what it believes qualify under the MEP for their review. At this time, the outcome of this notice is not determinable.

After the expiry of the licenses on the Brazilian properties, the Corporation was informed that there may be a claim in regards to this guarantee.

## 15. DISCLOSURE OF OUTSTANDING SHARE DATA (as at December 22, 2011)

#### **Authorized and Issued Share Capital**

Class	Par Value	Authorized	Issued
Common	Nil	Unlimited	66,539,144
Preferred	Nil	Unlimited	Nil

### **Description of Options and Contingent Performance Rights Outstanding**

Security Type	Number	Exercise Price	Expiry Date	Recorded Value
Options	575,000	\$0.10	February 23, 2014	N/A
Options	185,000	\$0.15	May 6, 2014	N/A
Options	725,000	\$0.15	September 1, 2014	N/A
Options	4,400,000	\$0.10	December 7, 2016	N/A

#### 16. FORWARD LOOKING STATEMENTS

Certain statements contained in this Management's Discussion and Analysis may constitute forward-looking statements. These statements relate to future events or the Corporation's future performance. All statements other than statements of historical fact may be forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements are often, but not always, identified by the use of words such as "seek", "anticipate", "plan", "continue", "estimate", "expect", "may", "will", "project", "predict", "potential", "targeting", "intend", "could", "might", "should", "believe" and similar expressions. These statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors that may cause actual results or events to differ materially from those anticipated in such forward-looking statements. The Corporation believes that the expectations reflected in those forward-looking statements are reasonable but no assurance can be given that these expectations will prove to be correct and such forward-looking statements included in this annual Management's Discussion and Analysis should not be unduly relied upon by investors. These statements speak only as of the date of this Management's Discussion and Analysis and are expressly qualified, in their entirety, by this cautionary statement.

In particular, this Management's Discussion and Analysis contains forward-looking statements, pertaining to the following:

• the quantity of reserves;

- capital expenditure programs;
- treatment under governmental regulatory and taxation regimes; and
- expectations regarding the Corporation's ability to raise capital and to continually add to reserves through acquisitions and development.

With respect to forward-looking statements contained in this Management's Discussion and Analysis, the Corporation has made assumptions regarding, among other things:

• the Corporation's ability to obtain additional financing on satisfactory terms.

The Corporation's actual results could differ materially from those anticipated in these forward-looking statements as a result of the risk factors set forth below and elsewhere in this management discussion and analysis:

- geological, technical, drilling and processing problems;
- liabilities and risks, including environmental liabilities and risks, inherent in oil and natural gas operations;
- incorrect assessments of the value of acquisitions;
- competition for, among other things, capital, acquisitions of reserves, undeveloped lands and skilled personnel; and
- the other factors referred to under "Risk Factors".

The forward-looking statements or information contained in this Management's Discussion and Analysis are made as of the December 22, 2011.

#### 17. RISK FACTORS

#### Overview

The Corporation's primary business consists of the exploration and, if successful, the development of gas properties in Canada. There are a number of inherent risks associated with the exploration, development and production of oil and gas reserves, many of these risks are beyond the control of the Corporation.

Success in the junior oil and gas sector is measured by a Corporation's ability to raise funds and the ability to secure properties of merit. Not all of these factors are within management's control. The ability to raise funds is in part dependent on the state of the junior resource stock market, which in turn is dependent on the economic climate, oil and gas prices and perceptions as to which way the market is headed. The ability to secure properties of merit is in large part dependent on management's contacts and the vitality of the sector.

#### Oil and Gas Exploration and Development - General

Exploration, appraisal and development of oil and gas reserves are speculative and involve a significant degree of risk. There is no guarantee that exploration or appraisal of the properties in which the Corporation holds rights will lead to a commercial discovery or, if there is commercial discovery, that the Corporation will be able to realize such reserves as intended. Few properties that are explored are ultimately developed into new reserves. If at any stage the Corporation is precluded from pursuing its exploration or development programs, or such programs are otherwise not continued, the Corporation's business, financial condition and/or results of operations and, accordingly, the trading price of the Common Shares, is likely to be materially adversely affected.

Oil and gas exploration involves a high degree of risk and there is no assurance that expenditures made on future exploration or development activities by the Corporation will result in discoveries of oil, condensate or natural gas that are commercially or economically possible. It is difficult to project the costs of implementing any exploratory drilling program due to the inherent uncertainties of drilling in unknown formations, the costs associated with encountering various drilling conditions such as over pressured zones

and tools lost in the hole, and changes in drilling plans and locations as a result of prior exploratory wells or additional seismic data and interpretations thereof.

The Corporation's operations are subject to the general risks of exploration, development and operation of oil, condensate and natural gas properties and the drilling of wells thereon, including encountering unexpected formations or pressure, premature declines of reservoirs, blow-outs, catering, sour gas releases, fires and spills. Losses resulting from the occurrence of any of these risks could have a materially adverse effect on the Corporation. The Corporation may become subject to liability for pollution, blow-outs or other hazards. The payment of such liabilities could reduce the funds available to the Corporation or could result in a total loss of its properties and assets.

Oil and natural gas exploration and development activities are dependent on the availability of skilled personnel, drilling and related equipment in the particular areas where such activities will be conducted. Demand for such personnel or equipment, or access restrictions may affect the availability of such equipment to the Corporation and may delay exploration and development activities.

#### Uninsurable Risks

In the course of exploration, development and production of oil and gas properties, certain risks, and in particular, blowouts, pollution, and premature decline of reservoirs and invasion of water into producing formations may occur. Hazards such as unusual or unexpected geological formations, pressures or other conditions may be encountered in drilling and operating wells as the Corporation will initially have interests in a limited number of properties, such risk is more significant than if spread over a number of properties. It is not always possible to fully insure against such risks and the Corporation may decide not to take out insurance against such risks as a result of high premiums or other reasons. Should such liabilities arise, they could reduce or eliminate any future profitability and result in increasing costs and a decline in the value of the securities of the Corporation. Insurance against damages caused by terrorism, and acts of war, is generally not available.

Although the Corporation intends to obtain insurance to address such risks, such insurance has limitations on liability that may not be sufficient to cover the full extent of such liabilities. In addition, such risks may not, in all circumstances, be insurable or, in certain circumstances, the Corporation may elect not to obtain insurance to deal with specific risks due to the high premiums associated with such insurance or other reasons. The payment of such uninsured liabilities would reduce the funds available to the Corporation. The occurrence of a significant event that the Corporation is not fully insured against, or the insolvency of the insurer of such event, could have a material adverse effect on the Corporation's financial position, results of operations or prospects. There can be no assurance that insurance will be available in the future.

#### **Industry Risks**

The Corporation's ability to acquire reserves will depend on its ability to select and acquire suitable producing properties or prospects. Competitive factors in the distribution and marketing of oil and gas include price methods and reliability of delivery. The marketability of oil and natural gas produced by the Corporation, if any, will also be affected by numerous other factors beyond the control of the Corporation. These factors include market fluctuations, the world price of oil, the supply and demand for oil and natural gas, the proximity and capacity of oil and natural gas pipelines and processing equipment and government regulations, including regulations relating to prices, taxes, royalties, land tenure, production allowable, the import and export of oil and natural gas and environmental protection. The effect of these factors cannot be accurately predicted.

#### Prices and Markets for Crude Oil, Condensate and Natural Gas

Oil, condensate and natural gas are commodities whose prices are determined based on global demand, supply and other factors all of which are beyond the control of the Corporation. World prices for oil and condensate have fluctuated widely in recent years. Future price fluctuations in world oil prices will have a significant impact upon the projected revenue of the Corporation and the projected return from and the financial viability of the Corporation's existing and future reserves.

#### Alternatives to/Changing Demand for Petroleum Products

Fuel conservation measures, alternative fuel requirements, increasing consumer demand for alternatives to oil and natural gas, and technological advances in fuel economy and energy generation devices will reduce the demand for crude oil and other liquid hydrocarbons. The Corporation cannot predict the impact of changing demand for oil and natural gas products and any major changes would have a material adverse effect on the Corporation's business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flow.

#### Competition

The oil and gas industry is intensely competitive and the Corporation will compete with a substantial number of other companies, many of which have greater financial resources. Many such companies not only explore for and produce oil, condensate and natural gas, but also carry on refining operations and market petroleum and other products on a global basis. There is also competition between the petroleum industry and other industries supplying energy and fuel to industrial, commercial and individual consumers. There is no assurance that the Corporation will be able to successfully compete against such competitors.

## **Governmental Regulation**

The oil and gas business is subject to regulation and intervention by governments in such matters as the awarding of exploration and production interests, the imposition of specific drilling obligations, environmental protection controls, control over the development and abandonment of fields (including restrictions on production) and possible expropriation or cancellation of contract rights, as well as with respect to prices, taxes, export quotas, royalties and the exportation of oil and natural gas. Such regulations may be changed from time to time in response to economic or political conditions. The implementation of new regulations or the modification of existing regulations affecting the oil and gas industry could reduce demand for oil and natural gas, increase the Corporation's costs and have a material adverse effect on the Corporation.

#### **Permits and Licenses**

The operations of the Corporation may require licenses and permits for various governmental authorities. There can be no assurance that the Corporation will be able to obtain all necessary licenses and permits that may be required to carry out exploration, development and operations of its projects.

#### **Environmental Regulation**

The Corporation's operations are, and its future operations will be, subject to environmental regulations promulgated by the Saskatchewan, Alberta or other governments from time to time in the provinces where the Corporation carries on business. Current environmental legislation in these provinces provides for restrictions and prohibitions on spills, releases or emissions of various substances produced in association with oil, condensate and natural gas operations. In addition, certain types of operations may require the submission and approval of environmental impact assessments. Environmental legislation and policy is periodically amended. Such amendments may result in stricter standards and enforcement, and in more stringent fines and penalties for non-compliance. Environmental assessments of existing and proposed projects carry a heightened degree of responsibility for companies and their directors, officers and employees. The costs of compliance associated with changes in environmental regulations could require significant expenditures, and breaches of such regulations may result in the imposition of fines and penalties, any of which may be material. There can be no assurance that these environmental costs will not have a material adverse effect on the Corporation's financial condition or results of operations in the future.

#### **Legal Proceedings**

The Corporation is involved in litigation from time to time in the ordinary course of business. Although the Corporation is currently not a party to any material legal proceedings, legal proceedings could be filed against the Corporation in the future. No assumption can be given as to the final outcome of any legal proceedings or that the ultimate resolutions will not have a material adverse effect on the Corporation.

#### **Price Volatility of Publicly Traded Securities**

In recent years, the securities markets in Canada have experienced a high level of price and volume volatility, and the market price of securities of many companies, particularly those considered to be development stage companies, have experienced wide fluctuations in price which have not necessarily been related to the operating performance, underlying asset values or prospects of such companies. There can be no assurance that continual fluctuations in price will not occur. It is likely that the quoted market price, if any, for the Common Shares will be subject to market trends generally, notwithstanding the financial and operational performance of the Corporation.

#### **Dilution and Future Sales of Common Shares**

The Corporation may issue additional shares in the future, which may dilute a shareholder's holdings in the Corporation. The Corporation's articles permit the issuance of an unlimited number of Common Shares and an unlimited number of preferred shares issuable in series and shareholders will have no pre-emptive rights in connection with further issuances. The directors of the Corporation have the discretion to determine the provisions attaching to any series of preferred shares and the price and terms of further issuances of Common Shares.

#### No Assurance of Title

Title to or rights in oil and gas properties may involve certain inherent risks due to problems arising from the ambiguous conveyance history characteristic of many such properties. Although the Corporation will conduct reasonable investigations (including the employment of local legal counsel to inform itself as to the status of properties) with respect to the validity of ownership of and the ability of sellers to transfer interests to it, there can be no assurance that it will hold good and marketable title to all of its properties. If a title defect does exist, it is possible that the Corporation may lose all or a portion of its interest in properties to which the title defect relates.

## **Dependence on Key Personnel**

The success of the Corporation is dependent on the services of a number of members of senior management. The experience of these individuals will be a factor contributing to the Corporation's continued success and growth. The Corporation does not have any key man insurance policies, and therefore there is a risk that the death or departure of one or more of these individuals could have a material adverse effect on the Corporation.

#### **Reserve Replacement**

The Corporation's future oil and natural gas reserves, productions, and cash flows to be derived there from are highly dependent on the Corporation's successfully acquiring or discovering new reserves. Without the continual addition of new reserves, any existing reserves the Corporation may have at any particular time and the production there from will decline over time as such existing reserves are exploited. A future increase in the Corporation's reserves will depend not only on the Corporation's ability to develop any properties it may have from time to time, but also on its ability to select and acquire suitable producing properties or prospects. There can be no assurance that the Corporation's future exploration and development efforts will result in the discovery and development of additional commercial accumulations of oil and natural gas. Should the Corporation not discover additional reserves, current operations may not be sustainable.

#### Reliance on Strategic Relationships

The Corporation's existing business relies on relationships with local government bodies and, other oil and gas companies. There can be no assurances that these strategic relationships will continue to be maintained although at present management is not aware of any issues regarding its strategic relationships.

#### **Conflicts of Interest**

There are potential conflicts of interest which the directors and officers of the Corporation may be subject in connection with the operations of the Corporation. Some of the directors and officers of the Corporation

may be, or may become, engaged in the oil and gas industry, and situations may arise where directors, officers and promoters will be in direct conflict with the Corporation. Such conflicts must be disclosed in accordance with, and are subject to such other procedures and remedies as apply under, the ABCA, and the applicable statutes of the jurisdictions of incorporation of the Corporation's subsidiaries.

#### 18. **DEFINITIONS**

In this Managements Discussion and Analysis the terms below have the meanings indicated:

Oil and Natural Gas Liquids			Natural Gas
bbl	barrel	Mcf	thousand cubic feet
bbls	barrels	Mmcf	million cubic feet
Mbbls	thousand barrels	Mcf/d	thousand cubic feet per day
bbls/d	barrels per day	NGLs	natural gas liquids

#### Other

API° an indication of the specific gravity of crude oil measured on the API gravity scale. Liquid

petroleum with a specified gravity of 28° API or higher is generally referred to as light

crude oil.

APO after payout

BOE barrel of oil equivalent on the basis of 1 BOE to 6 Mcf of natural gas. BOEs may be

misleading, particularly if used in isolation. A BOE conversion ratio of 1 BOE for 6 Mcf is based on an energy equivalency conversion method primarily applicable at the burner tip

and does not represent a value equivalency at the wellhead.

BOE/D barrel of oil equivalent per day

BPO before payout

Mboe 1,000 barrels of oil equivalent

Proved means those reserves that can be estimated with a high degree of certainty to be

recoverable. It is likely that the actual remaining quantities recovered will exceed the

estimated Proved reserves

Probable means those additional reserves that are less certain to be recovered than proved reserves. It

is equally likely that the actual remaining quantities recovered will be greater or less than

the sum of the estimated Proved plus Probable reserves

#### 19. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Additional information relating to the Corporation can be found on SEDAR at www.sedar.com.