Mainstream Minerals Options Rowan Lake to Alita Resources Ltd.

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Mainstream Minerals Corporation (TSX.V: MJO) ("Mainstream") is pleased to announce that it has entered into an option agreement dated October 14th, 2011 pursuant to which it will option up to a 60% interest in the Rowan Lake property (the "Claims") to Alita Resources Ltd. ("Alita"). Alita will earn a 60% interest in the Claims upon successful completion of the following:

• Year one:

- o Payment of \$20,000 in cash and issue and allot to Mainstream 100,000 shares in the capital of Alita within five days after the Acceptance Date (as defined herein);
- Complete at least \$200,000 of exploration work on the Claims within a period of one year measured from the acceptance date;

• Year two:

- o Payment of \$20,000 in cash and issue and allot to Mainstream 100,000 shares in the capital of Alita within 12 months following the Acceptance Date;
- o Complete at least \$550,000 of exploration work on the Claims within a period of 24 months measured from the Acceptance Date;

• Year three:

- o Payment of \$20,000 in cash and issue and allot to Mainstream 100,000 shares in the capital of Alita within 24 months after the Acceptance Date;
- o Complete at least \$900,000 of exploration work on the claims within 36 months after the Acceptance Date.

The Acceptance Date, as defined in the Option Agreement, will mean the date of the written confirmation from the TSX Venture Exchange Inc. (which the shares of Alita are listed for trading) that it has accepted the Option Agreement for filing.

The Claims, known to the parties as the Rowan Lake claims, are 25 contiguous claims covering 5,076 hectares (approximately 12,543 acres) in the Cameron and Rowan Lakes area approximately 60 kilometres southeast of Kenora, in Southwestern Ontario. The claims are subject to a 2.0-per-cent net smelter royalty obligation. If Alita earns the 60-per-cent interest in the claims, it and Mainstream will form a joint venture, which will be entitled to purchase a 1.0-per-cent net smelter return royalty for \$1-million cash.

Mainstream President and Chief Executive Officer, Michael Romanik, says: "This deal is a great way for the company to advance a non-core property while maintaining a minority interest in the project. Mainstream will continue to work towards similar deals with our other non core projects which will enable us to focus on our main game plan of developing our Birch Uchi projects."

About Mainstream Minerals

Mainstream Minerals Corporation is a mineral exploration and development company focused on precious metal mining properties with economic potential, with the aim of bringing such properties to commercial production. With a portfolio of six projects located in the Birch Uchi Greenstone Belt, Red Lake Mining District, the company is well positioned to take advantage of the resurgence of exploration and development activities in this prospective belt located 80 kilometres due east of the main Red Lake Greenstone Belt. These six projects cover an area of approximately 28,600 acres and host several known gold occurrences and past producing mines. Other projects include the Rowan Lake project on the Cameron Lake-Pipestone Fault in the Kenora Mining District, the West Keefer and Price Claims located in the West Timmins area in north-central Ontario and the Casa Berardi Claims in northern Québec.

MJO Shares Outstanding: 54,122,130

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

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