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## MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

2011 was a challenging year for investors around the globe with major stock indexes in the USA little changed, but most senior exchanges down 15% - 20% and the TSX Venture exchange painfully down more than 30%.

Although the price of gold advanced some 10% during 2011, it is significantly below its highs for the year, and failed to support the prices of equities for the companies in the sector.

Within this challenging environment, Enertopia made exceptional progress during 2011.

- Raised \$872,000 which set the stage for other achievements, including the launching of a brand new Natural Resources division:
- Acquired Copper Hills, NM copper, silver property in April 2011
- Acquired Mildred Peak, AZ gold, silver, copper property in October 2011
- In the Company's existing clean energy division, accomplished the roll out of the self contained Enertopia Multi-Purpose Utility Structure and rollout of net zero energy modular homes

At Copper Hills the company completed an IP/Res Survey that resulted in the discovery of multiple sulphide targets for drilling in 2012. The largest of several targets measures 900m x 600m in aerial extent while years of systematic exploration have resulted in the project being advanced to the drill ready stage. The first phase drill program is designed to test the buried sulphide targets with diamond drilling, and reverse circulation (RC) drilling will test the near-surface 0.81% Copper and 3.01 oz/ton silver bulk-sampled area.

At Mildred Peak, we are very encouraged by the historic sampling, trenching and drilling results that have outlined broad areas of gold, silver and copper mineralization. Detailed mapping, sampling, trenching, geophysics and drilling are planned for Mildred Peak in 2012. Mildred Peak has the potential to host new discoveries at surface and for large porphyry system's at depth.

Enertopia enters 2012 well positioned to build on our many areas of progress during 2011. This, coupled with solid commodity pricing and the potential for significant growth in the value of our exploration and clean energy projects, provides a solid foundation for growth of shareholder value in 2012 and beyond.

Robert McAllister President

## **About Enertopia**

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