RIFT VALLEY RESOURCES CORP.

Mr. Stephen Martin Announces Early Warning Report Filing Regarding Shareholdings in Rift Valley Resources Corp.

Vancouver, BC, March 19, 2018 – On December 19, 2017 Rift Valley Resources Corp. (the "Company") issued 2,700,000 common shares at a price of \$0.075 per share during a private placement to Mr. Stephen Edward Martin from Vancouver, BC.

As a result of this share issuance, Mr. Martin controls 2,840,000 common shares of the Company. These 2,840,000 common shares represent 16.27% of the issued and outstanding shares of the Company. Mr. Martin acquired the shares of the Company for investment purposes.

This news release is being disseminated as required by National Instrument 62-103, *The Early Warning System and Related Take-Over Bids and Insider Reporting Issues* in connection with the filing of an early warning report (the "Early Warning Report"). A copy of the Early Warning Report may be found on www.sedar.com under the Company's profile.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

"Craig Robson"

CEO