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## HAWTHORN ANNOUNCES APPOINTMENT OF PRESIDENT

**VANCOUVER, B.C. (November 15, 2024)** Hawthorn Resources Corp. (CSE: HWTN) ("Hawthorn" or the "Company") is pleased to announce that Ralph Shearing has been appointed, President, and Director. Mr. Shearing replaces Daniel Joyce who as resigned as CEO and President effective November 15, 2024. Mr. Joyce has been serving Hawthorn since founding the Company in late 2020 and will remain on the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors would like to thank Mr. Joyce for his contributions to the Company and taking Hawthorn through its initial public offering and CSE listing as well as the first phase of exploration on the Broken Handle Project.

Mr. Shearing is an experienced and accomplished exploration and mining executive holding a designation of Professional Geologist registered in Alberta (APEGA). Since 1987 he has held senior executive positions of CEO and/or President with public junior mining and exploration companies, primarily with Luca Mining Corp., a company he founded in 1986 and successfully guided through the exploration and initial development construction phase of the Tahuehueto gold mine located in northwestern Durango México. Currently Mr. Shearing is the CEO of Goldgroup Mining Inc. which operates the Cerro Prieto heap leach gold mine in Sonora State Mexico. Mr. Shearing's extensive experience of managing junior public companies, guiding project exploration, development and mine construction, combined with his keen insight to identify quality mineral exploration and mining assets are a welcome addition to Hawthorn Resources Corp.

Mr. Shearing comments "I am excited to contribute my 40+ years experience in the mineral exploration and development experience and 35+ years in public company senior management positions to help lead Hawthorn in its exploration of the Broken Handle Project and evaluate potential future acquisitions which if acquired, aim to increase shareholder value. I would like to thank Mr. Joyce for his valued time and contributions to the Company and wish him success in his future endeavors."

### About Hawthorn Resources Corp.

Hawthorn Resources Corp. is a mineral exploration company that will acquire and explore mineral properties. For further information, please refer to the Company's disclosure record on SEDAR+ (<u>www.sedarplus.ca</u>).

### On Behalf of the Board of Directors

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