

# AGM 2023 Chairman's Presentation

23 November 2023

### **Corporate Snapshot**

### **ASX: MEU**

Capital Structure							
Shares on iss	1,058 m						
Options		0					
Unlisted opti	<b>ONS</b> (most at 10c per share)	~ 51 m					
Market Cap	(at 4.0 cents per share)	~ \$ 42 m					
Cash	(as at 30 Sept 2023)	\$ 3.4 m					
Zero Debt							



Board & Management							
<b>Executive Chairman</b>		Dr Colin Rose					
<b>Executive Director</b>	[Exploration]	Aaron Brown					
Non-executive Director	[Production]	Neville Bergin					

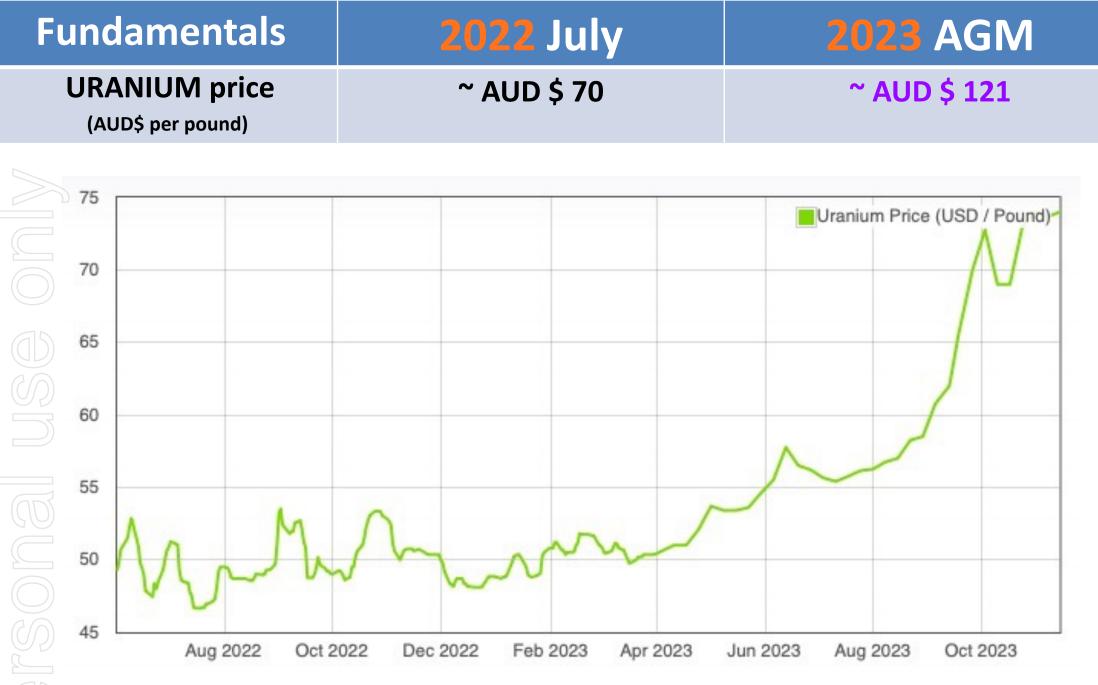
Top Shareholders						
Тор 20	~ 40%					
Тор 50	~ 56%					
Тор 100	~ 67%					

Lower costs

Less dilution

**MORE** exploration

Fundar	nentals	2022 July	2023 AGM				
GOLD (AUD\$ per		~ AUD \$ 2,500	~ AUD \$ 3,050				
12 month Gold AUD	3200 3100 3000 2900 2800 2700 2600 2500 Ja	n 23 Mar May Jul	<image/>				



# **Summary Compare to July 2022**

- **Everything has improved:**
- Highest ever gold intersections 217g/t gold over 1m
- New high-grade gold zone discovered at depth for first time, lying underneath the high-grade NW flank REE discovery
- Gold price up 20%
  - Uranium price up over 60%
  - WGCJV ownership: up from 79 % to 100% And yet ...







**Gawler Craton** 

# MARMOTA

Sold Discovery

AGM UPDATE

# **Aurora Tank**

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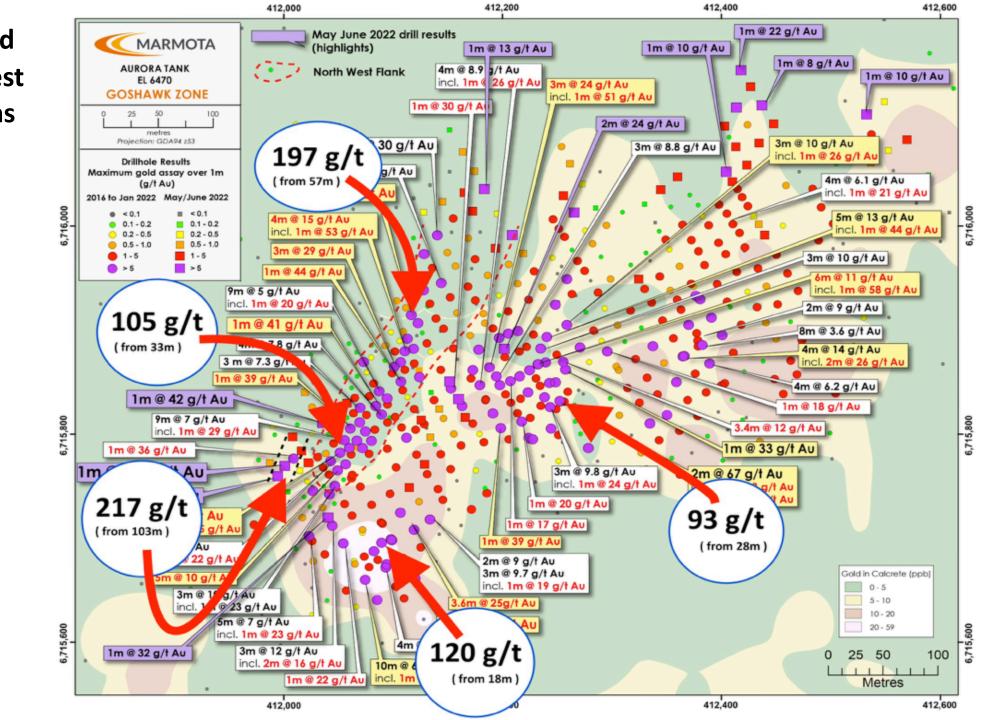
### in 5 different zones



# Five Zones: ~100 g/t Au over 1m

Grade	Location	Depth from Surface	Hole ID	Date of Result
93 g/t	Central east zone	28 m	17ATAC021	ASX:MEU 4 Sept 2017
105 g/t <sup>1</sup>	Bottom of NW flank	33 m	18ATRC104	ASX:MEU 7 May 2019
120 g/t	South zone	18 m	19ATAC049	ASX:MEU 19 Sept 2019
197 g/t	extension to NW flank	57 m	20ATRC324	ASX:MEU 4 Feb 2021, 22 Feb 2022
217 g/t	extension to SW	103 m	22ATRC024	ASX:MEU 29 Sept 2022

# Location and grade of best intersections over 1m (circled)



# **2023 Exploration Highlights**

## New high-grade zone discovered

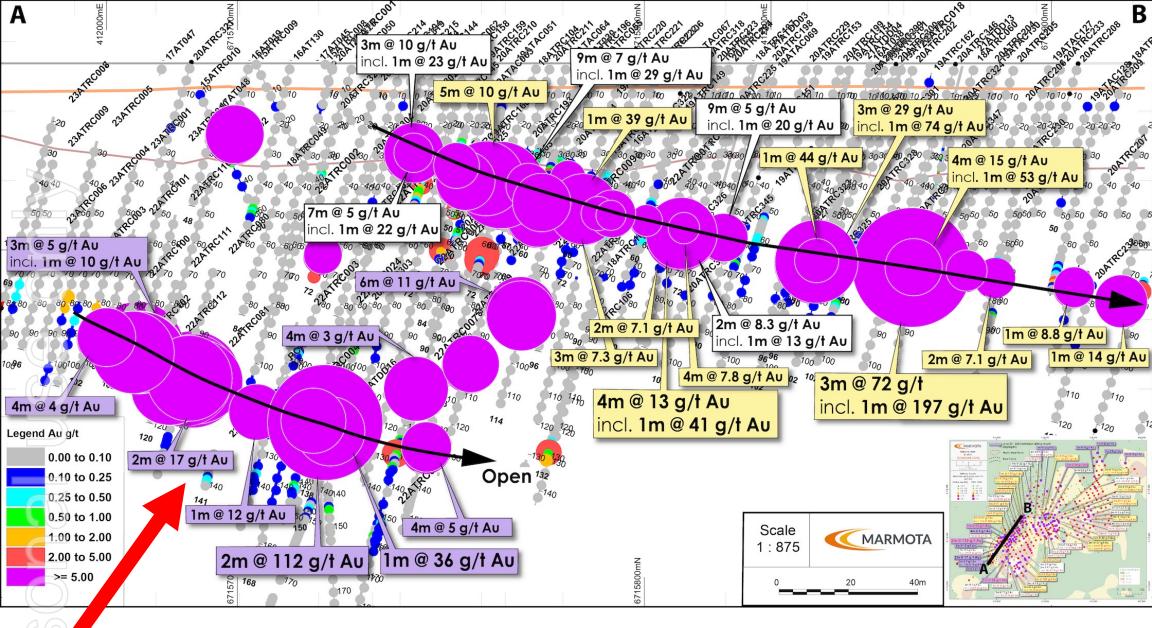
Situated underneath the high-grade NW flank

[ASX:MEU 3 April 2023]

# High grades continue into fresh rock

Outstanding high grades at Aurora Tank occur not just conveniently close to surface, but also extend deeper into fresh rock.

Highest ever assays.



### **Schematic Long-section**

with NEW HIGH-GRADE ZONE beneath NW flank

### Aurora Tank: Outstanding Intersections All close to surface

2m at	112 g/t	gold	from 117m	_	Hole 22AT024	(incl	1m @ 217g/t	gold from 118m)
3m at	72 g/t	gold	from 66m		Hole 20AT324	(incl	1m @ 197 g/t	gold from 66m)
2m at	67 g/t	gold	from 32m	_	Hole 17AT021	(incl	1m @ 93 g/t	gold from 32m)
 3m at	<b>41</b> g/t	gold	from 21m	_	Hole 19AT049	(incl	1m @ 120 g/t	gold from 21m)
5m at	27 g/t	gold	from 38m	_	Hole 18AT104	(incl	1m @ 105g/t	gold from 38m)
3m at	29 g/t	gold	from 63m	-	Hole 20AT200	(incl	1m @ 74 g/t	gold from 64m)
 3m at	25 g/t	gold	from 29m	-	Hole 21ATDD1	(incl	1m @ 36g/t	gold from 31m)
3m at	24 g/t	gold	from 34m	-	Hole 18AT065	(incl	1m @ 51 g/t	gold from 35m)
4m at	15 g/t	gold	from 67m	-	Hole 19AT162	(incl	1m @ 53g/t	gold from 69m)
 4m at	<b>13</b> g/t	gold	from 54m	-	Hole 20AT224	(incl	1m @ 42 g/t	gold from 55m)
6m at	<b>11</b> g/t	gold	from 40m	-	Hole 18AT074	(incl	1m @ 58 g/t	gold from 44m )
6m at	<b>11</b> g/t	gold	from 76m	-	Hole 22AT025	( incl	1m @ 42 g/t	gold from 77m )
5m at	<b>13</b> g/t	gold	from 41m	-	Hole 17AT022	(incl	1m @ 44 g/t	gold from 45m )
4m at	<b>14</b> g/t	gold	from 32m	-	Hole 17AT011	( incl	1m @ 42 g/t	gold from 33m)
4m at	<b>10</b> g/t	gold	from 25m	-	Hole 16AT043	( incl	1m @ 39 g/t	gold from 27m )
9m at	7.5g/t	gold	from 41m	-	Hole 20AT201	( incl	1m @ 29g/t	gold from 49m )
2m at	<b>24</b> g/t	gold	from 42m	-	Hole 22AT034	(incl	1m @ 28 g/t	gold from 43m )
2m at	<b>20</b> g/t	gold	from 46m	-	Hole 19AT065	( incl	1m @ <b>39</b> g/t	gold from 47m )
2m at	<b>21</b> g/t	gold	from 120m	-	Hole 20AT303	( incl	1m @ 36 g/t	gold from 120m)
3m at	<b>10</b> g/t	gold	from 28m	-	Hole 18AT070	( incl	1m @ 24 g/t	gold from 29m)
3m at	<b>12</b> g/t	gold	from 29m	-	Hole 17AT045	( incl	1m @ 20 g/t	gold from 30m)
3m at	<b>11</b> g/t	gold	from 22m	-	Hole 16AT019	( incl	1m @ 23 g/t	gold from 22m )
3m at	<b>10</b> g/t	gold	from 58m	-	Hole 18AT120	( incl	1m @ 26 g/t	gold from 59m)
3m at	<b>10</b> g/t	gold	from 22m	-	Hole 17AT035	( incl	1m @ 19 g/t	gold from 23m)
3m at	<b>10</b> g/t	gold	from 28m	-	Hole 20AT144	( incl	1m @ 23 g/t	gold from 28m)
10m at	<b>6</b> g/t	gold	from 17m	-	Hole 17AT042	( incl	1m @ 42 g/t	gold from 18m )
9m at	<b>5</b> g/t	gold	from 52m	-	Hole 20AT198	( incl	1m @ 20g/t	gold from 52m )

### **Primary Mineralisation**

Tests of gold grains (105 g/t) collected at 38m downhole on the NW flank are predominantly PRIMARY mineralisation.



Suggests host mineralised lodes can be expected to geologically continue to depth below zone currently drilled NOW PROVEN fine sulphosalts

### Primary gold grains sampled from Hole 104

(with fine-grained sulphosalts contained within the primary gold particles)



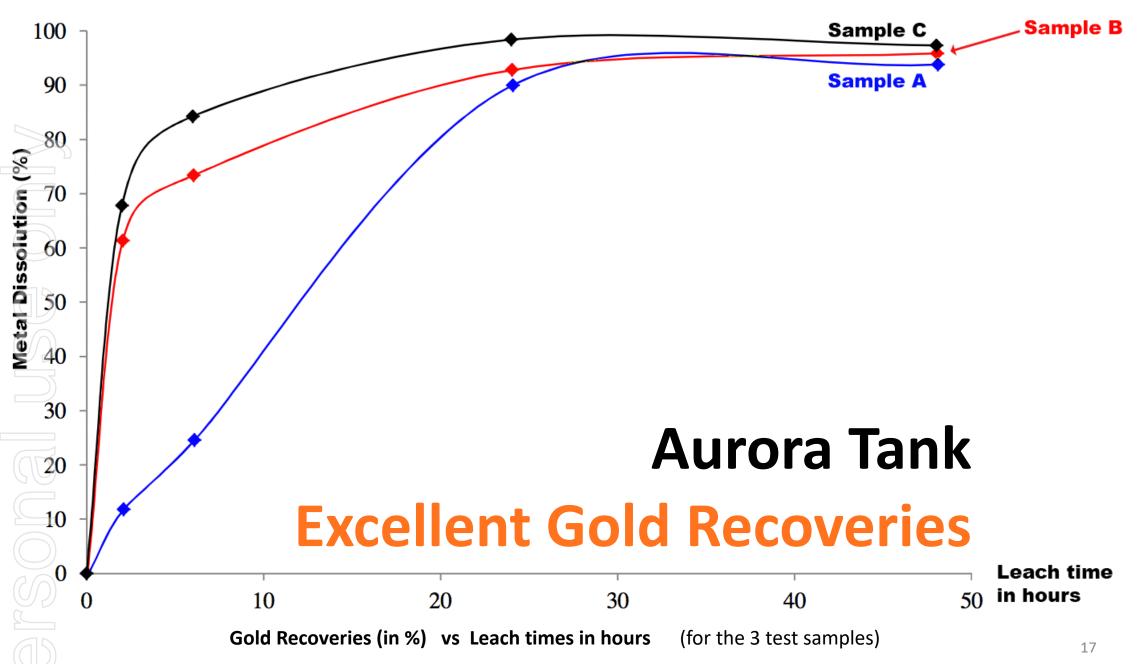
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**MASX: MEU** 

**Bottle-roll tests** 



# Low-cost Low-capex Heap Leach Pathway

- Marmota has been investigating the optimal pathway to production at Aurora Tank. Excellent column leach test gold recoveries suggest that Aurora Tank is amenable to low-cost low-capex heap leach techniques.

A heap leach means that Marmota would not need to construct a mill, nor share revenue with external parties for toll treatment in a mill. This is a highly desirable outcome for both the Company and our shareholders. "

### Marmota has water source at Aurora Tank



### CAMP:

### **INSTALLED + UPGRADED**

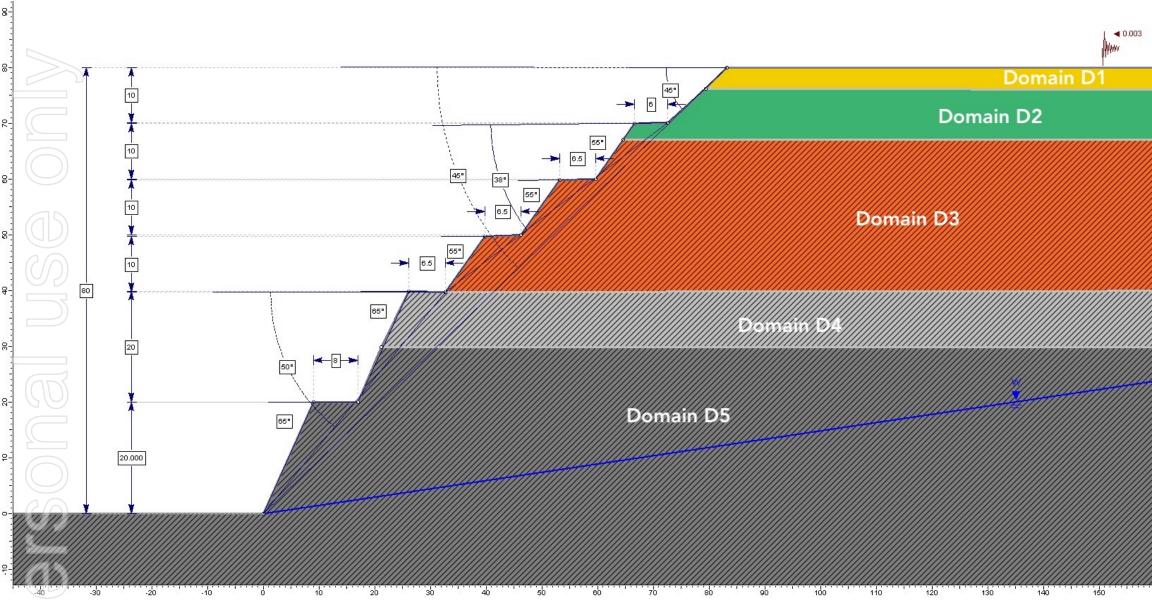
multiple sleeping quarters
separate kitchen
separate management office
septic tank / waste management system
10,000L self-bunded fuel tank
90,000L capacity: water storage tanks
potable water treatment system

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### **First Pit Wall Parameters**

ASX:MEU 16 June 2022



### Aurora Tank is evolving ...

### **Transitioning from:**

## Discovery

In May 2023 [ASX:MEU 11 May & 30 May 2023], Marmota **re-drilled** the diamond holes previously drilled in 2021 by GD Geodrill Australia Pty Ltd whose work unfortunately did not meet contractual quality or quantity requirements, and whose rig was not fit for its intended purpose, and which has caused substantial delay to our metallurgical testing program.

Production

All of these problems were rectified in May this year by a new driller engaged by Marmota: **All holes re-drilled: excellent core recoveries.** 

The blockage to our important metallurgical program is finally over, enabling the testwork program to be commenced. The program is designed to optimise heap-leach gold recoveries.

### Metallurgical, Infrastructure and Approvals

Optimised metallurgical work **NOW UNDERWAY** Camp completed, Environmental studies completed, ticking off the boxes for the remainder

# Key Takeaways

Aurora Tank is very fortunate to have:

Outstanding High-grade gold intersections
 Mineralisation Close to surface
 Excellent Gold recoveries (metallurgy)
 Soft ground (potential for 'free dig')
 Primary mineralisation (potential to continue deeper)

Company focusing on potential for: Low-cost Open-pit Low-capex Heap leach pathway **Aurora Tank** 

**Gawler** Craton



## WGCJV increased to 100% ownership

 Marmota is the manager and majority partner in the Western Gawler Craton Joint Venture (WGCJV) [ via acquisition: Jumbuck gold transaction ].

### 2. Existing JORC Resource of 319,000 ounces gold

— most on tenements near Aurora Tank.

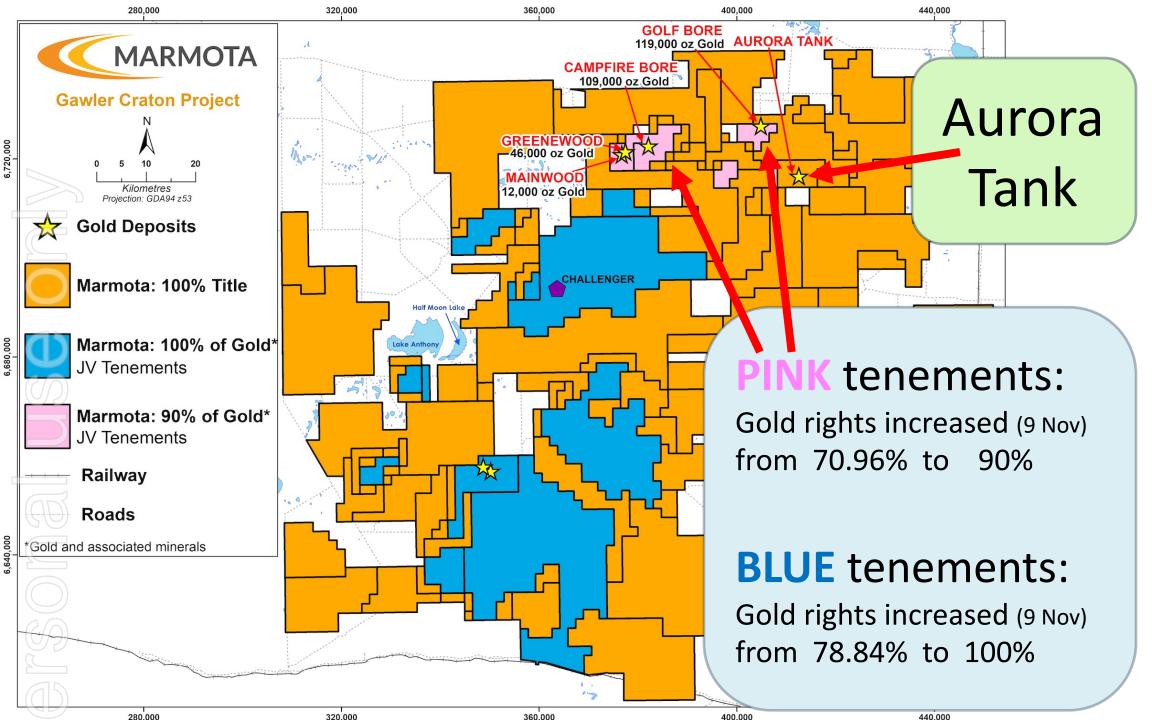
### **Resource Estimates**

Deposit	In	dicated Resou	rces	Inferred Resources			Total Mineral Resources			
0.5 g/t cut-off grade	Mt	Au g/t	Au koz	Mt	Au g/t	Au koz	Mt	Au g/t	Au koz	
Golf Bore	0.57	1.0	18	3.22	1.0	100	3.79	1.0	119	
Campfire Bore	-	-	-	2.78	1.2	109	2.78	1.2	109	
Greenewood	0.14	1.4	7	0.75	1.6	39	0.90	1.6	46	
Monsoon	-	-	-	0.61	0.8	17	0.61	0.8	17	
Typhoon	-	-	-	0.27	1.9	16	0.27	1.9	16	
Mainwood	-	-	-	0.35	1.1	12	0.35	1.1	12	
Total	0.74	1.1	25	7.99	1.1	294	8.70	1.1	319	
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 Table 1.
 Jumbuck Project Mineral Resource Estimates May 2018 - 0.5g/t cut-off grade

Source: ASX:TYX 30 May 2018

\*The figures in these tables are rounded to reflect the precision of the estimates and include rounding errors.





MEU has been carrying out advanced preparation and program design to grow:

- Campfire Bore
- Golf Bore

**Excellent potential for substantial resource growth!** 

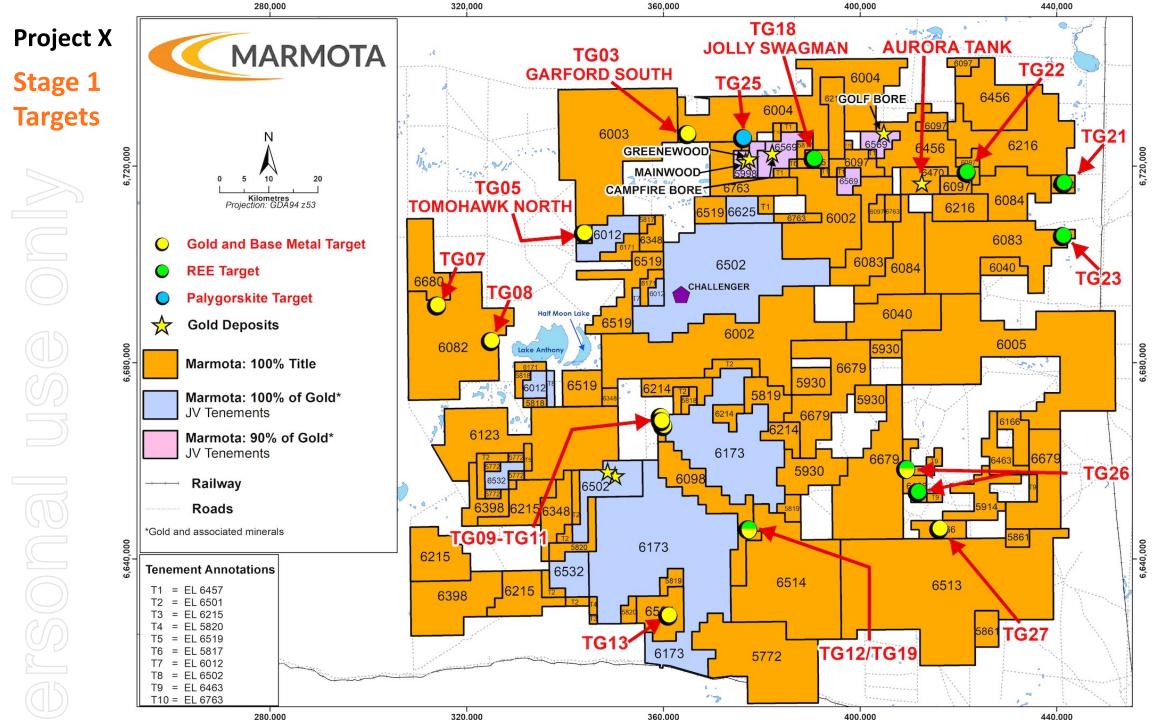




Largest ever regional recon program

- Multiple targets
- Multiple targets
   Multiple minerals
   REE Gold
  - REE Gold Palygorskite
  - Multiple tenements

Awaiting assays from Stage 1 drilling



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# **REE discovery on MEU tenement boundary**

Rare Earth discovery directly on the border with MEU tenements

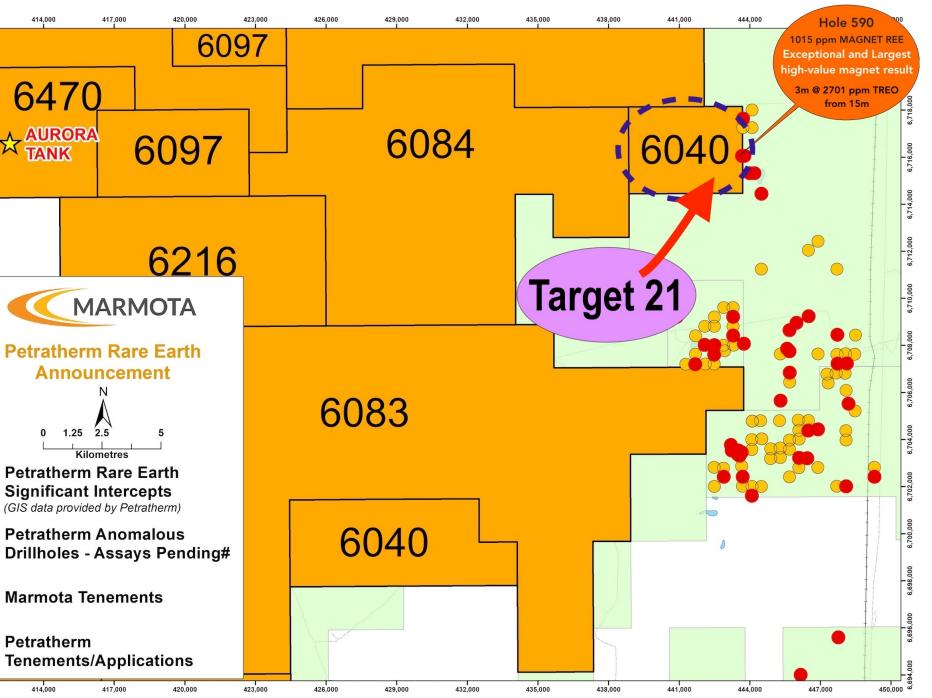
Ionic clay hosting systems (close to surface) — regional

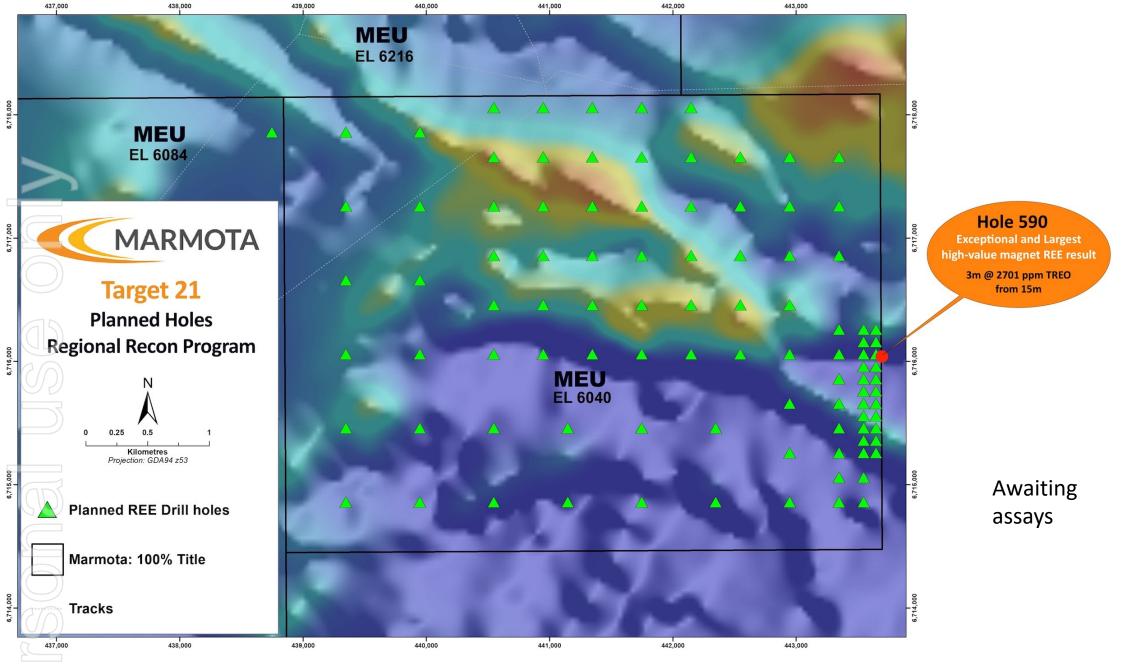
Largest and most exceptional of the high-value magnet REE results attained so far located on the MEU tenement boundary

'Manna from heaven' Target 21 drilled as part of Project X









Drill collars plotted over TMI (Total Magnetic Intensity)

Target 21

# **MARMOTA S**Uranium USe rsonal

### **Junction Dam**



By the end of 2014: MEU spent over A\$8 million

developing Junction Dam uranium [ ASX:MEU 29 Sept 2014 ]

### 4 weeks ago:

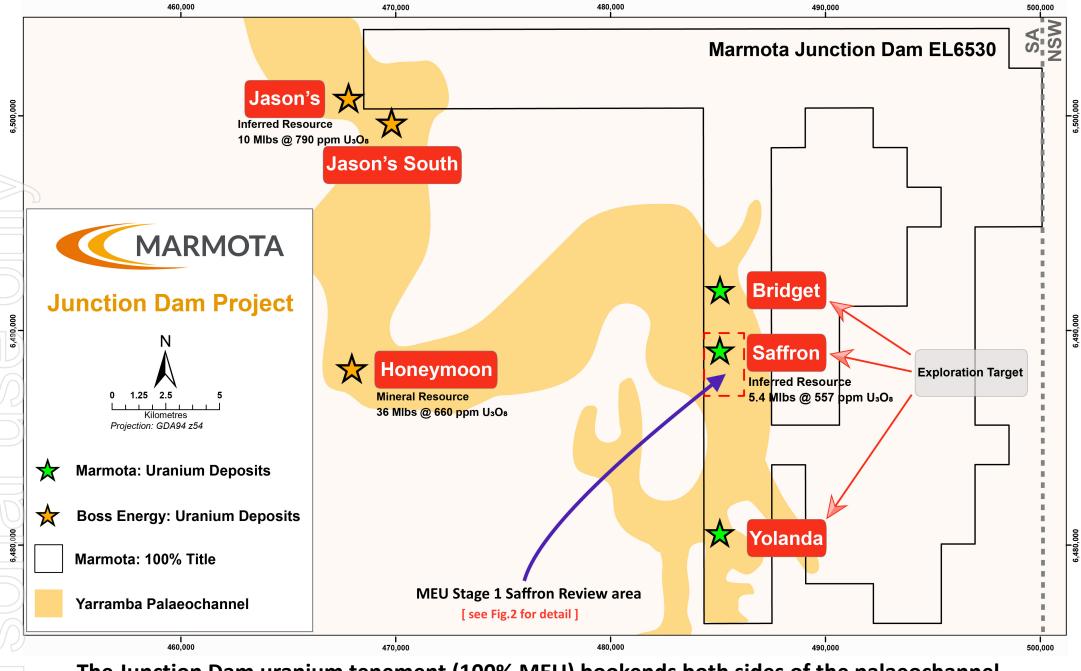
MEU announced decision to re-commence exploration at Junction Dam, to substantially grow the Company's uranium resource.

[ ASX:MEU 26 Oct 2023 ]

## Junction Dam: Background

- MEU Junction Dam tenement book-ends BOTH sides of the palaeochannel that runs through the Boss Honeymoon (ASX:BOE) ISR uranium mine – one of just 4 permitted uranium mines in Australia (three of which are in South Australia).
- 2. Dramatic upturn in both uranium prices (**now US\$80 per pound**) and in sentiment
- Value of uranium in the Yaramba Palaeochannel self-evident from the market cap of Boss Energy (ASX:BOE) which is currently ~ \$1.5 billion.
   Heading back into production this quarter [ASX:BOE 11 Oct 2023].

According to their own feasibility studies, BOE need a larger resource to achieve economies of scale to lower cost of production and to extend mine life through development of satellite resources. BOE now drilling at Jasons.



The Junction Dam uranium tenement (100% MEU) bookends both sides of the palaeochannel of the Boss Energy Ltd (ASX:BOE market cap ~ \$1.5 billion) Honeymoon uranium plant

### More than a DOZEN companies have made unsolicited approaches to Marmota to try and obtain rights to Junction Dam.

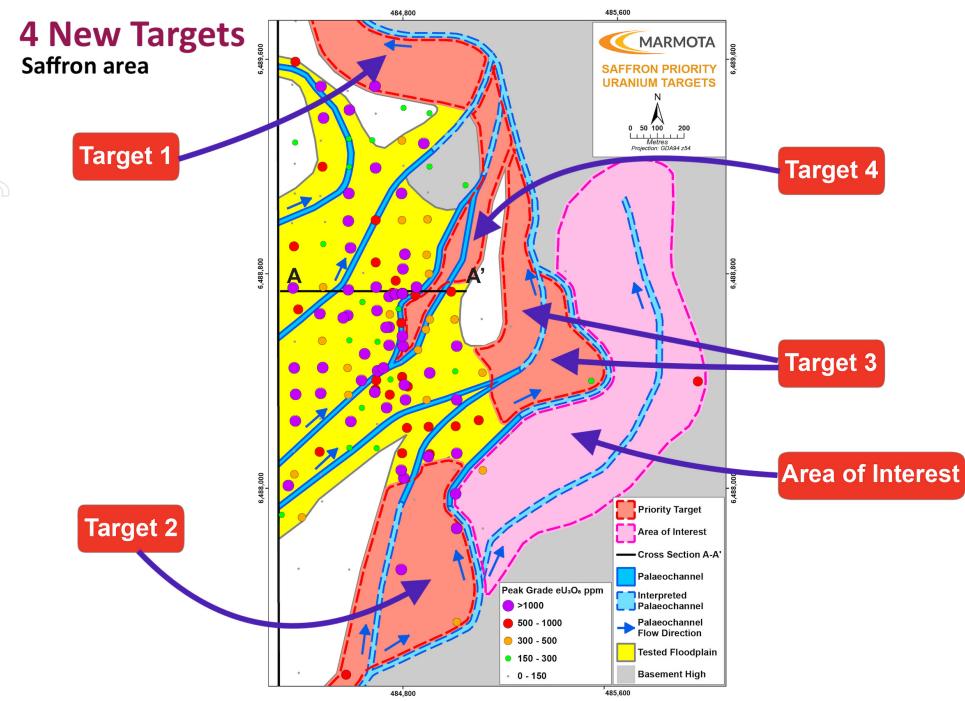
## **Junction Dam Re-start**

### 1. Three weeks ago:

MEU announced engagement of uranium expert Mark Couzens to:
• conduct stratigraphic and mineralisation review, and
• design first drill program for Junction Dam re-start

### 2. Making superb progress! Exceeding all expectations

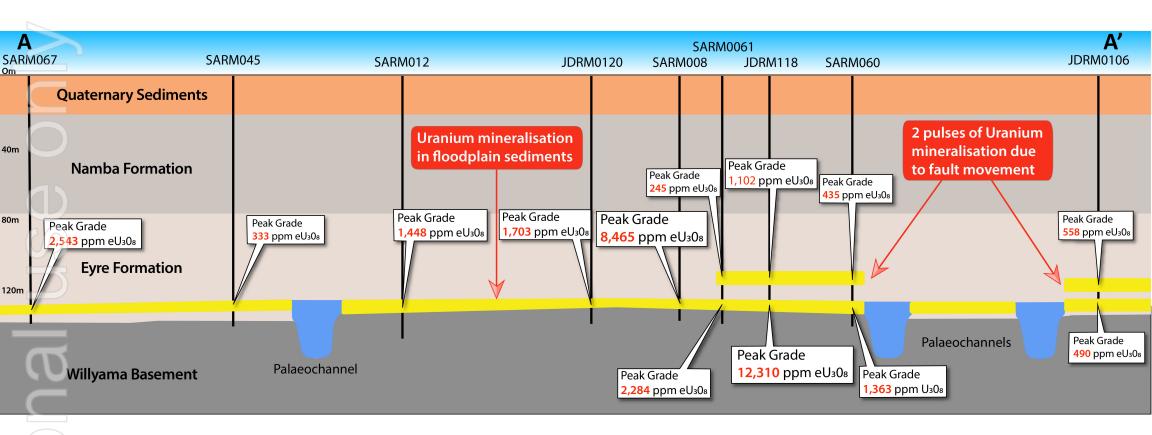
Stage 1 Review: Saffron Area Already Identified 4 new target areas



### **Junction Dam Re-start**

# "Junction Dam is one of the most exciting uranium projects I have worked on in Australia." Mark Couzens

### **Junction Dam Re-start**



Schematic cross-section A-A' with a length of 600 metres across the Saffron Uranium Deposit

# Key Takeaway

Junction Dam is one of the most exciting uranium deposits in SA, in the premier uranium jurisdiction of Australia

**Dramatic change in our perception of the potential of Junction Dam** 

Sector is booming, and Marmota is perfectly located

Both Aurora Tank gold and Junction Dam uranium provide Marmota shareholders with outstanding upside

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20 Sept 2023
1 Aug 2023
21 Nov 2022
29 Sept 2022
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6 Oct 2021
17 Dec 2020
20 July 2020
11 June 2020
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10 Oct 2019
20 Aug 2018
17 July 2013
20 Feb 2012
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