



# Resource Growth and Seamless Transition to FID

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# INVESTMENT HIGHLIGHTS

Fully Permitted, funded to FID, targeting standalone scale

## 1. Corporate Summary

- Pro Forma Cash \$85M at 31 December 2025
- Centrally located in the WA Eastern Goldfields

## 4. Baldock Fully Permitted

- Open cut and underground mining approved
- 2.0 Mtpa Processing Plant and TSF approved
- 3.7 GL/yr water licence

## 2. Mineral Resource Estimate

- 10Mt @ 3.3g/t Au for 1.1Moz Au<sup>1</sup>, including Baldock Deposit of 930koz @ 4.1 g/t Au<sup>1</sup>

## 5. Project Strategy – targeting standalone scale

- Targeting Maiden Ore Reserve at Baldock mid-CY26 that underpins initial 5-6 year mine life
- CY26 exploration focus on Resource Growth

## 3. Exploration Potential - Growth

- Extensional growth at Baldock
- 53 Regional Exploration Prospects

## 6. Upcoming news flow

- Maiden Ore Reserve at Baldock
- Ongoing drilling results
- Mineral Resource updates

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# CORPORATE SUMMARY

## January \$61M Placement: De-risked Balance Sheet and Future Proofed Register

### Corporate Structure

Shares on Issue	454 Million
Performance Rights & Options	22 Million
Share Price (5 day VWAP to 6/2/26)	~\$0.84
Market Capitalisation	~\$382 Million
Proforma Cash on hand (31 Dec 2025)	~\$85 Million

### Ownership Structure

	%	
Delta (2 Year ASX imposed escrow) <sup>1</sup>	34%	
Aurenne Group	9.6%	
Hancock Prospecting <sup>2</sup>	5.9%	
Board and Management (Fully Diluted)	4.6%	

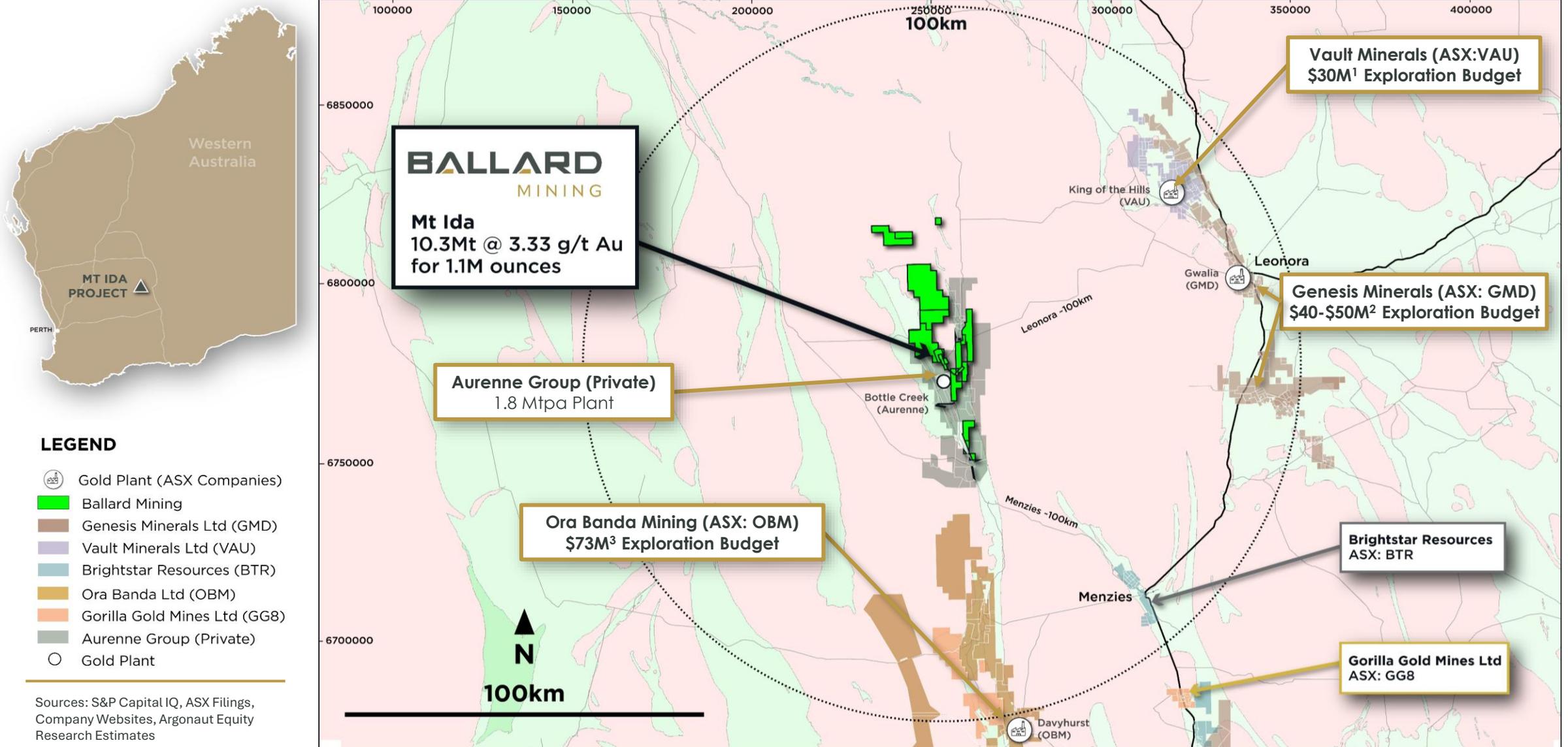
### Board & Key Management Personnel (previous roles)

Chair	Simon Lill (De Grey)
Managing Director	Paul Brennan (Saracen, Calidus)
Executive Director	Tim Manners (Ramelius, Gold Road)
Non-Executive Director	James Croser (Spectrum, Delta)
Non-Executive Director	Stuart Mathews (Gold Fields)
Company Secretary	Loren Falconer (MACA, PLS)
Geology Manager	Todd Hibberd (Newmont)



# OPTIONALITY - Has to beat standalone development

\$50M Exploration Budget for CY2026, 220,000m drill program planned



1. Refer to the ASX Announcement lodged by Vault (ASX:VAU) on the 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2025 "FY26 guidance and three year outlook" for more information regarding Vault FY26 Exploration budget

2. Refer to the ASX Announcement lodged by Genesis (ASX:GMD) on the 21<sup>st</sup> August 2025 "FY25 results and outlook" for further information regarding Genesis FY26 Exploration budget

3. Refer to the ASX Announcement lodged by Ora Banda (ASX:OBM) on the 19<sup>th</sup> November 2025 "AGM Presentation" for further information regarding Ora Banda FY26 Exploration budget

# FULLY PERMITTED.

Fundamental differentiator from other gold developers

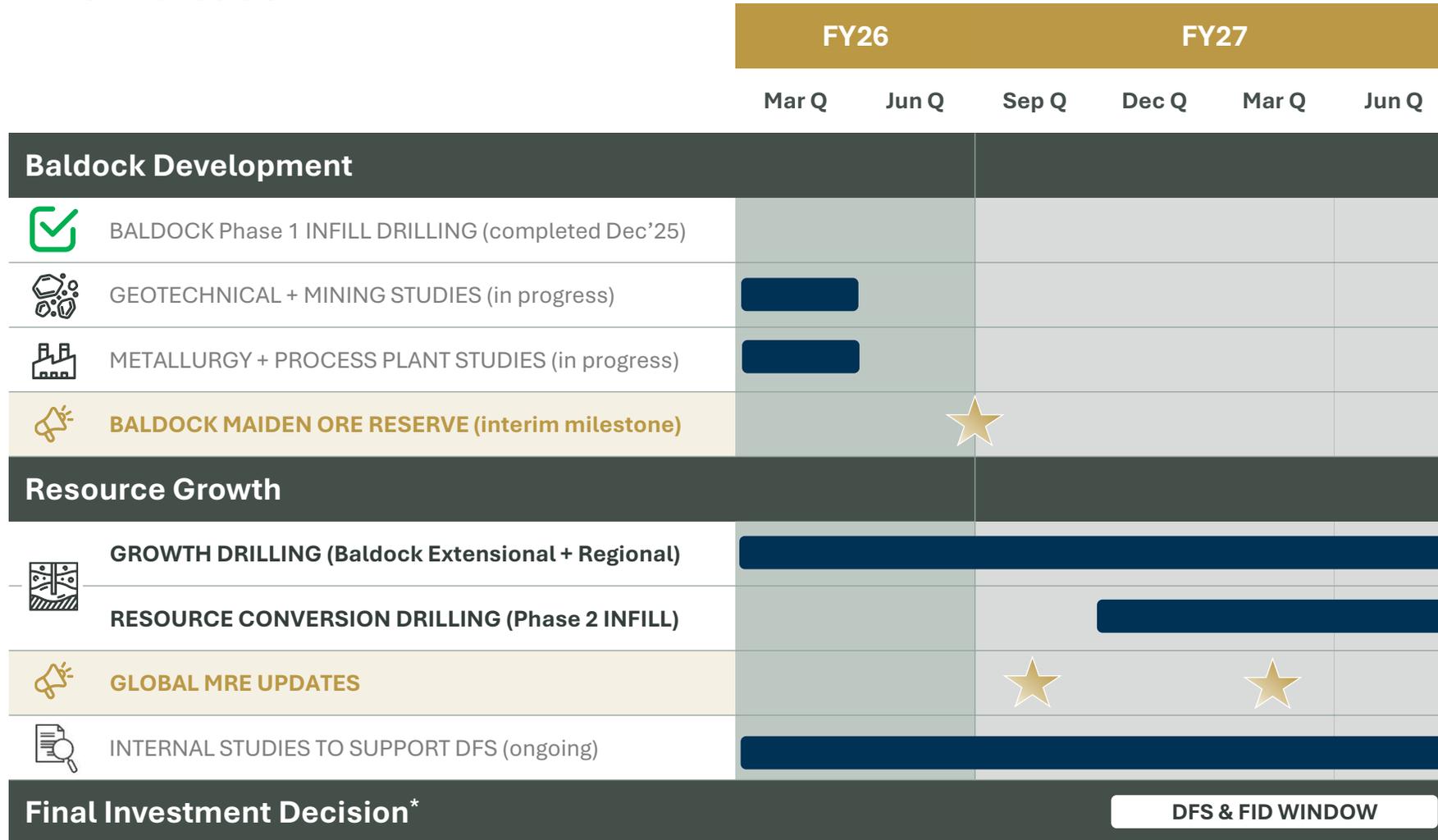
- **Granted Mining Leases**
- **Approved Mining Proposal and Mine Closure Plan for Open Pit and Underground Mining at Baldock**
- **Works Approval granted for 2.0 Mtpa Process Plant and TSF**
- **Approved Native Vegetation Clearing Permit**
- **3.7 GL/yr groundwater license (GWL)**
  - 3.7 GL/yr supports ~3.7 Mtpa Processing
  - 3 x production bores installed



*Construction of Production Bore in the Lake Raeside Paleochannel*

# DRILL AND BUILD

## CY2026 Plan: Maiden Baldock Ore Reserve + add scale for production & mine life increase



### Baldock Ore Reserve due mid-year

- Targeting Maiden Ore Reserve at Baldock mid-CY26 that underpins initial 5-6 year mine
- Ore Reserve will be supported by interim study – Baldock Met and Geotech to Feasibility Level of Detail

### Targeting Standalone Scale

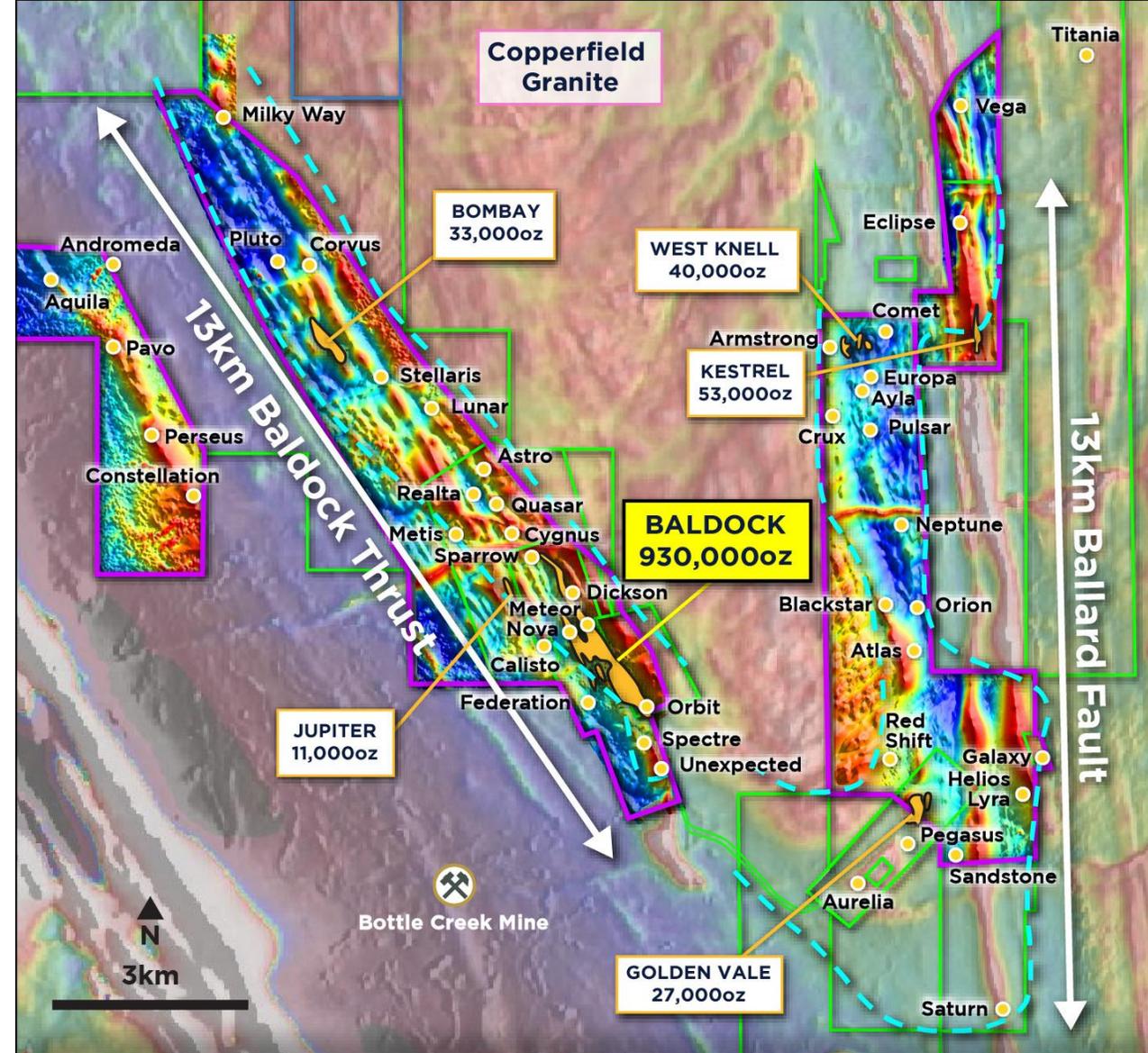
- 220,000m drilling planned for CY2026.
- Leverage off the fully permitted and highest grade Baldock Resource
- Entire Ballard work force incentives aligned with corporate goals (1.5Moz MRE, 2.0Moz MRE & completion of a Definitive Feasibility Study)

8 \*Final Investment Decision (“FID”) is contingent on the timing of scale addition arising from Baldock extensional and regional drilling and the completion of a Definitive Feasibility Study (“DFS”).

# 53 REGIONAL PROSPECTS

## Swallow the Elephant one bite at a time

- Mt Ida considered **analogous to the +10Moz Agnew gold camp** (~150km north) by renowned Structural Geologist Dr Sarah Jones
- **Orogenic orebodies** typically “plumb deep”
  - Agnew **1.4km deep**<sup>1</sup> mine. ~150km north
  - Ora Banda Riverina Deeps **+1km<sup>2</sup> deep** mineralized system. ~80km south
- **Agnew and Ora Banda are located on same greenstone belt**
- Planned Exploration workstreams:
  - Geochemical review of existing and new datasets
  - Geophysics (down hole and surface) to inform deeper drilling
  - **Systematic drilling throughout all of CY2026**



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**Mt Ida Project -  
Regional Scale Potential  
Over Aeromagnetics**

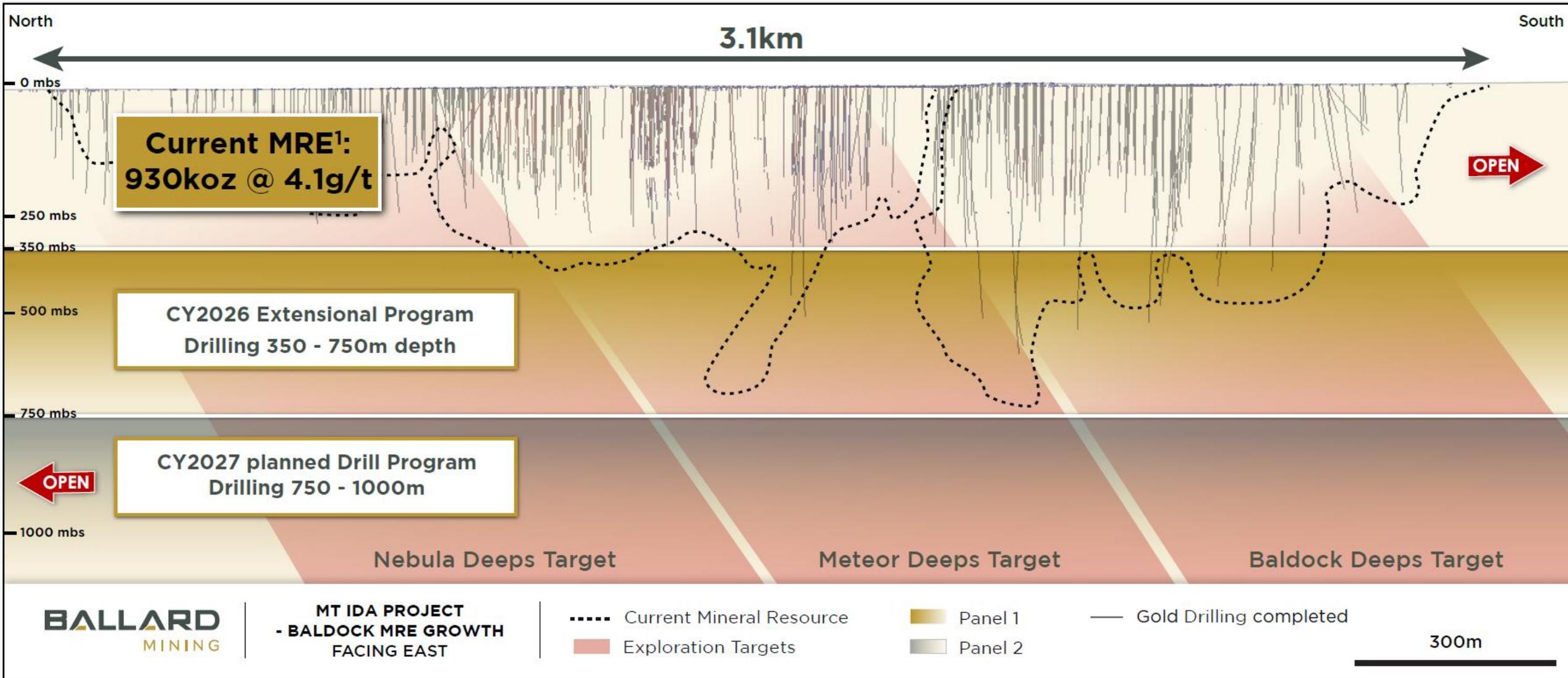
- Granted Tenure
- Pending Tenure
- Known Mineralised Trend
- MRE Outlines
- Prospects
- Planned Magnetics Survey

1. Reference Gold Fields Analyst and Investor Site Visit 2022.

2. Refer to the ASX Announcement lodged by Ora Banda (ASX:OBM) on the 23rd October 2025 “Outstanding Drill Results at Little Gem and Riverina” for further information regarding the depth of the mineralization system at Riverina Deeps.

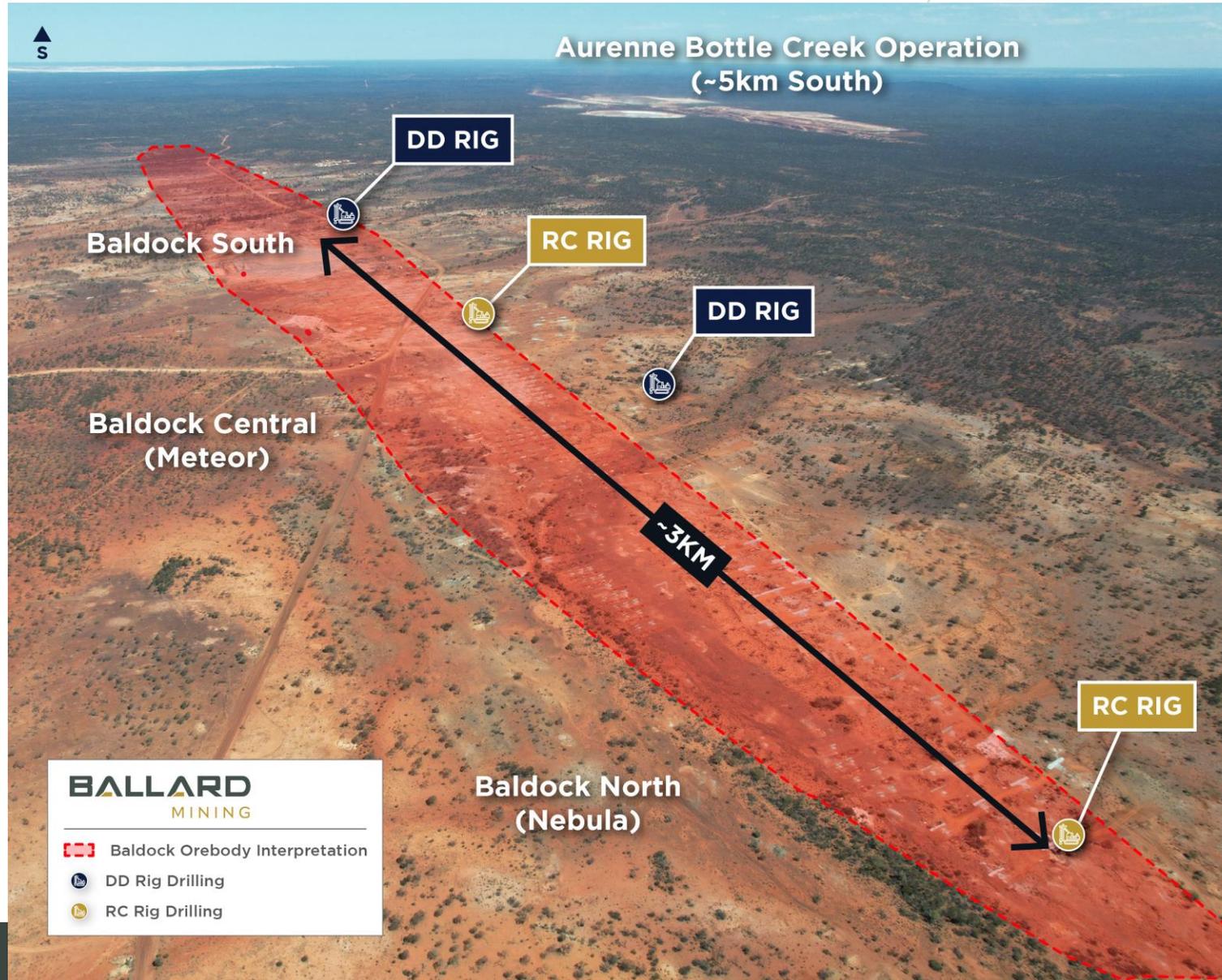
# LEVERAGE OFF DE-RISKED & FULLY PERMITTED BALDOCK

86,000m Infill drilling program to 350m depth completed Dec 2025



# LEVERAGE OFF DE-RISKED & FULLY PERMITTED BALDOCK

Four drill rigs currently operating at Baldock: 2 x RC (Pre-collars) + 2 x Diamond



# INVESTMENT HIGHLIGHTS



**LOCATION** → Heart of the WA Eastern Goldfields with +15Mtpa Processing Capacity and deep orebodies proximal



**CAMP SCALE EXPLORATION POTENTIAL** → CY2026 drilling focused on Resource Growth



**TARGETING STANDALONE SCALE** → Initial Baldock Ore Reserve + CY2026 drilling success to deliver growth



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**MULTIPLE UPCOMING CATALYSTS** → Maiden Ore Reserve, Ongoing drilling results, MRE Updates





# Appendix A Mineral Resource Estimate

# A MINERAL RESOURCE ESTIMATE – APRIL 2025<sup>1</sup>

Cut off	Deposit	Indicated			Inferred			Total		
		Tonnes	Grade	Ounces	Tonnes	Grade	Ounces	Tonnes	Grade	Ounces
		(000s)	g/t Au	(000s)	(000s)	g/t Au	(000s)	(000s)	g/t Au	(000s)
Open cut Au 0.5 g/t	Baldock	2,600	4.5	365	1,570	3.6	200	4,120	4.2	563
	Kestrel	-	-	-	940	1.6	48	940	1.6	48
	Golden Vale	-	-	-	496	1.7	27	496	1.7	27
	Bombay	-	-	-	711	1.3	30	711	1.3	30
	West Knell	-	-	-	238	3.3	25	238	3.3	25
	Jupiter	-	-	-	50	1.7	3	50	1.7	3
	Mt Ida Tailings	-	-	-	500	0.5	8	500	0.5	8
Underground Au 1.5 g/t	Baldock	242	4.8	37	2,610	4.0	338	2,850	4.0	368
	Kestrel	-	-	-	80	1.8	5	80	1.8	5
	Bombay	-	-	-	30	3.0	3	30	3.0	3
	West Knell	-	-	-	192	2.4	15	192	2.4	15
	Jupiter	-	-	-	90	2.7	8	90	2.7	8
All	Baldock	2,840	4.5	402	4,220	3.9	532	7,000	4.1	930
	Kestrel	-	-	-	1,000	1.7	53	1,000	1.7	53
	Golden Vale	-	-	-	496	1.7	27	496	1.7	27
	Bombay	-	-	-	740	1.4	33	740	1.4	33
	West Knell	-	-	-	420	2.9	40	420	2.9	40
	Jupiter	-	-	-	140	2.3	11	140	2.3	11
	Mt Ida Tailings	-	-	-	500	0.5	8	500	0.5	8
	<b>Total</b>		<b>2,840</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>402</b>	<b>7,500</b>	<b>3.0</b>	<b>699</b>	<b>10,310</b>	<b>3.3</b>