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## TARACHI REPORTS VISIBLE GOLD SEEN IN RC DRILL CUTTINGS ON THE JABALI CONCESSION IN SONORA, MEXICO

**Vancouver, British Columbia (May 12, 2021) – Tarachi Gold Corp. (CSE: TRG) (OTCQB: TRGGF) (Frankfurt: 4RZ)** (“Tarachi” or the “Company”) is pleased to announce its geology team has reported the presence of visible gold in drill cuttings from the recently completed surface reverse circulation (“RC”) drill program south of the historic La Dura mine on the Company’s Jabali concession. This is the first time that the Company has seen visible gold either in or around the La Dura mine.

Tarachi VP of Exploration and Director, Lorne Warner, commented: *“Our geologists noting the presence of visible gold in the RC drill cuttings is a nice surprise for us on the Jabali concession. This is the first time that we have come across visible gold in this area. Visible gold was not even seen in the many high-grade intercepts encountered by the underground core drilling program, including the 5.6m intercept of more than an ounce per tonne announced last week.”*

The visible gold was observed in the drill cuttings from RC hole JAB-21-014 over an approximate interval of ten metres from 18 to 28m downhole. The drill hole was collared about 45m southeast of the historic underground workings at La Dura ([Figure #1](#)) with an azimuth of 15° and a dip of 60°. Company geologists discovered the visible gold by panning some of the extra drill cuttings from this interval ([Figure #2](#)). Assays are still pending from the RC drill holes, results are expected to be received from the lab over the coming weeks.

Based on the drilling and mapping done to date, the Tarachi geology team believes the gold is hosted in a 10-20m thick panel of heavily silicified rhyodacite striking roughly north-south, dipping to the east at an approximate angle of 30° and plunging to the south at 25°. Higher grade gold mineralization is suspected to be concentrated within this panel in vertical zones or shoots running east-west. The RC surface drilling program is expected to provide greater clarity as to the true thickness of the panel as well as if there are additional parallel structures at depth.

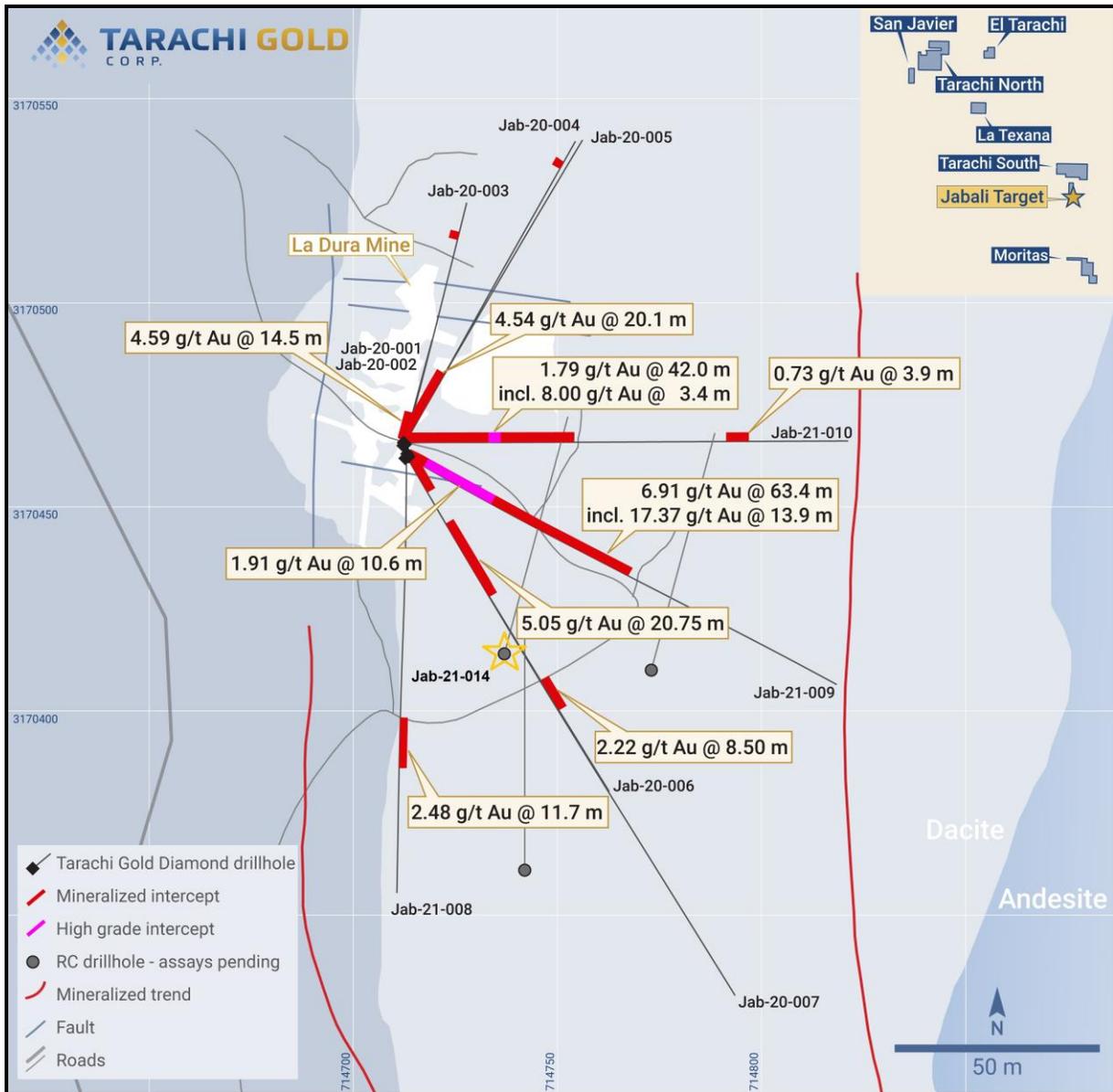


Figure 1 - Jabali Concession Drill Holes



**Figure 2 - Visible Gold Panned from Hole JAB-21-014**

### **Quality Assurance/Quality Control**

Core samples were selected by a geologist and sawed in half. One half of the core remains in the core tray the other half is placed into a plastic bag. Sample tags were submitted into each bag before being sealed and stored at the campsite in a secure area and were later transported by company truck directly to the Bureau Veritas Mineral Laboratories (BVM) in Hermosillo, Sonora, Mexico. At the laboratory, the samples were dried, crushed and pulverized with the pulps being sent airfreight for analysis to BVM in Vancouver, B.C. for 37-element ICP analysis after modified aqua regia digestion. Gold assays are done in Hermosillo by 50-gram fire assay with an atomic absorption spectroscopy finish.

Samples were checked using a 50-gram fire assay with a gravimetric finish for samples greater than 10ppm Au and 1Kg metallic fire assay with duplicate minus fraction analyzed. Both Hermosillo and Vancouver BVM facilities are ISO 9001 and ISO/IEC 17025 accredited. Laboratory control samples comprising certified reference samples, duplicates and blank samples were inserted by the laboratory into the sample stream and analyzed as part of the quality assurance/quality control protocol.

### **About Tarachi Gold**

Tarachi Gold is a Canadian-listed junior gold exploration company focused on exploring and developing projects in Mexico. The Company's Tarachi project covers 3,708ha of highly prospective mineral concessions in the Sierra Madre gold belt of Sonora, Mexico in close

proximity to Alamos Gold's Mulatos mine and Agnico Eagle's La India mine. Tarachi has also acquired the Magistral Mill and tailings project in Durango, Mexico. Magistral includes a 1,000 tpd mill and access to a tailings resource (non-compliant with NI 43-101) estimated to contain 1.3Mt at 2.05g/t Au which the Company expects to bring into production in 2022.

### **Qualified Person**

Lorne Warner, P.Geo, VP Exploration and Director of the Company is a qualified person as defined by National Instrument 43-101 and has reviewed and approved the scientific and technical disclosure in this news release.

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