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## VIZSLA SILVER INTERCEPTS HIGH-GRADE MINERALIZATION AT NAPOLEON - 1,085 G/T AGEQ OVER 4.00 METRES

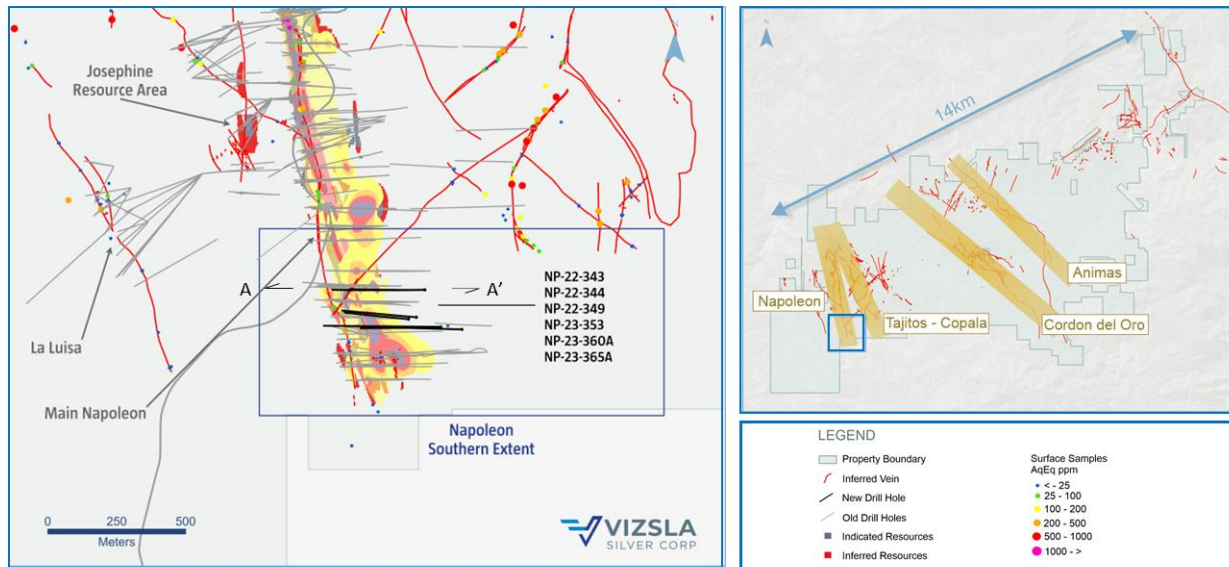
Vancouver, British Columbia (April 13, 2023) – Vizsla Silver Corp. (TSX-V: VZLA) (NYSE: VZLA) (Frankfurt: 0G3) (“Vizsla” or the “Company” - <https://www.commodity-tv.com/ondemand/companies/profil/vizsla-silver-corp/>) is pleased to report results from six new drillholes targeting the southern extension of the Napoleon Vein, at its 100%-owned flagship Panuco silver-gold project ("Panicu") located in Mexico. The new drill results are centered on the western portion of the district and are a part of Vizsla’s ongoing 90,000 metre resource infill and expansion/discovery-focused drill program.

### Highlights

- NP-22-343 returned **1,085 grams per tonne (g/t) silver equivalent (AgEq) over 4.00 metres true width (mTW)** (590 g/t silver, 5.15 g/t gold, 1.00 % lead and 4.39 % zinc), including:
  - 3,185 g/t AgEq over 0.98 mTW (2,025 g/t silver, 15.74 g/t gold, 1.71 % lead and 5.22 % zinc), and
- 863 g/t AgEq over 6.10 mTW (156 g/t silver, 3.63 g/t gold, 7.88 % lead and 6.63 % zinc), including:
  - 1,899 g/t AgEq over 1.11 mTW (255 g/t silver, 11.69 g/t gold, 19.25 % lead and 8.40 % zinc), and
  - 1,251 g/t AgEq over 1.69 mTW (290 g/t silver, 4.72 g/t gold, 9.26 % lead and 10.71 % zinc)
- NP-22-344 returned **527 g/t AgEq over 3.05 mTW** (157 g/t silver, 2.55 g/t gold, 0.81 % lead and 5.08 % zinc), including:
  - 705 g/t AgEq over 1.26 mTW (259 g/t silver, 4.88 g/t gold, 0.74 % lead and 3.11 % zinc); and
- NP-23-353 returned **1,401 g/t AgEq over 1.00 mTW** (532 g/t silver, 8.96 g/t gold, 1.46 % lead and 7.13 % zinc)

*“The Napoleon Vein was the first major discovery made by Vizsla at Panuco in 2020,”* commented Michael Konnert, President and CEO. *“We have now expanded the mineralized footprint of Napoleon area to over two and a half kilometres along strike and outlined a resource of 41.3 million ounces AgEq Indicated and 28.7 million ounces AgEq Inferred. With a local exploration model that continues to be validated through ongoing drilling, and new high-grade results from the hanging wall vein splays that warrant further step out drilling at depth and along strike, we continue to view the Napoleon Area as a primary target for future*

resource growth and development. Of the seven drill rigs currently turning on the property, infill drilling continues at Napoleon with one rig.”



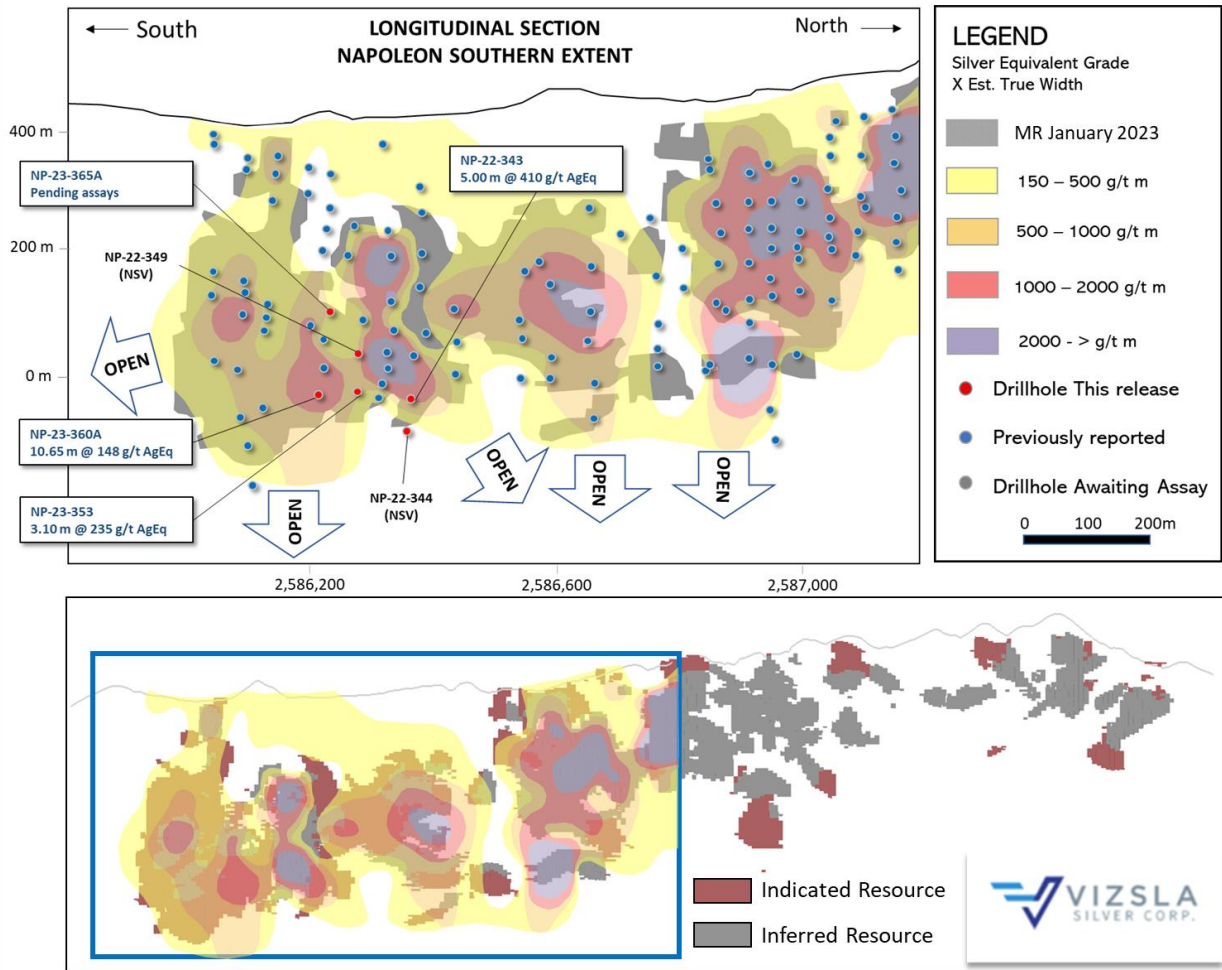
**Figure 1:** Plan map of recent drilling along the La Luisa vein.

### Details of the Napoleon Southern Extent

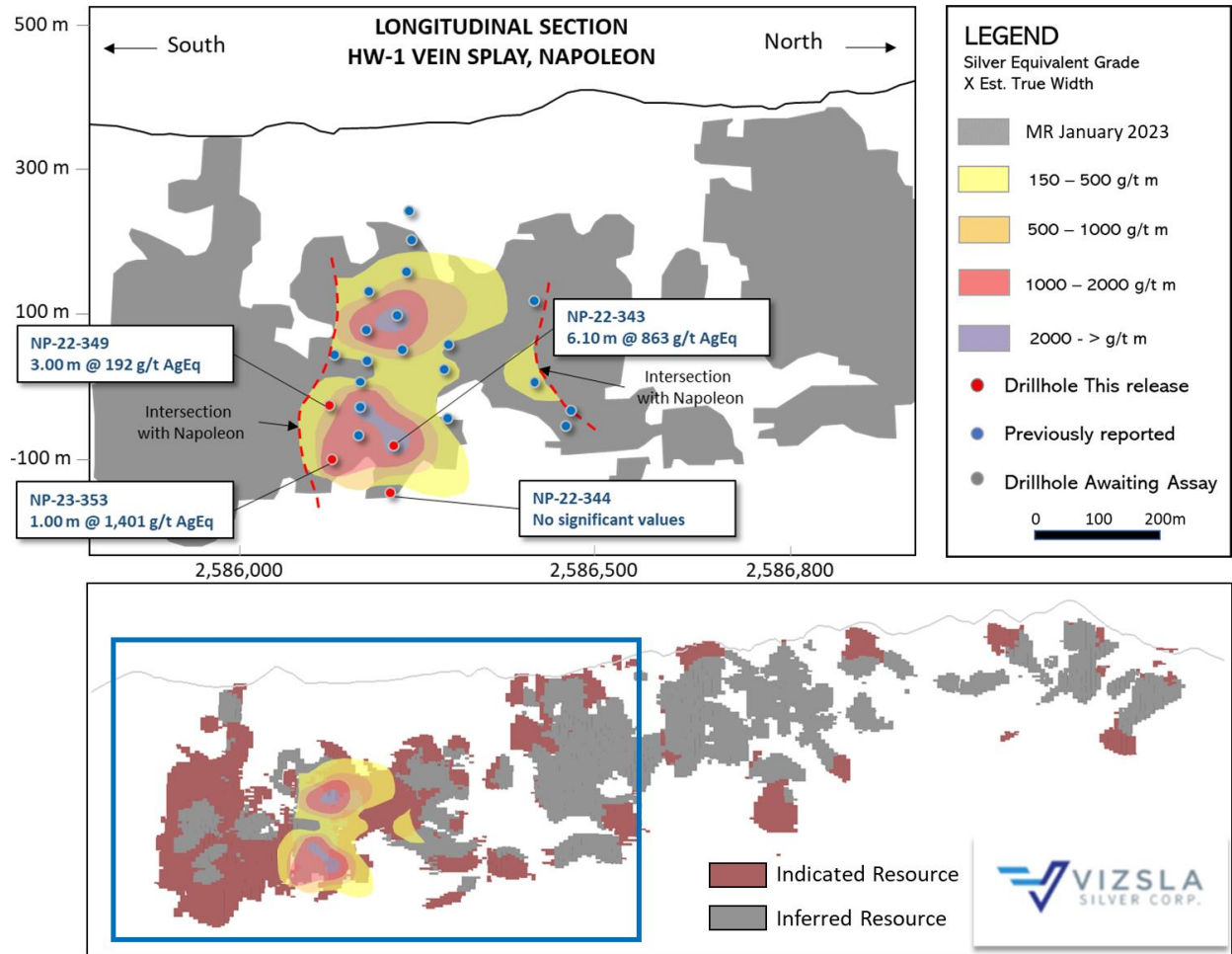
Infill and step-out (expansionary) drilling completed to date has led to an improved understanding of the mineralization controls along the Napoleon vein corridor. Observations based on metal zonation and alteration continue to support the interpretation that the corridor is tilted where the southern extent of drilling is at the top of the mineralized horizon, near surface (Figure 5).

Previously reported high-grade gold assay values near surface support the model (see press releases dated December 16, 2021 and March 29, 2022). Infill drilling assay results disclosed in this news release, show additional high-grade silver and gold values on vein splays at the hanging wall of the main Napoleon structure. The vein splays are situated between 25 to 120 metres into the hanging wall and typically contain high lead and zinc concentrations in addition to the precious metal values. Results from recent drilling suggests that Hanging Wall 1 splay (HW splay 1) forms a cymoid loop with the main Napoleon Vein, as shown in Figure 3, whereas Hanging Wall 2 (HW splay 2) comes off and diverges from main Napoleon at depth (Figure 4).

The results indicate the potential for additional high-grade gold and silver at depth and along strike in some hanging wall splays which remain open. Results from hole NP-22-343 warrant follow up drilling to the north and at depth along Hanging Wall 2 (long section not shown). Vizsla continues working on structural and 3D geologic modelling to design specific drill holes for the exploration of the vein splays (HW splay 2 and HW splay 4).



**Figure 2:** Longitudinal section of the Napoleon Main Vein with Mineral Resources along main Napoleon and the overlapping hanging wall splays. The section is inclined along the dip of the structure.



**Figure 3:** Longitudinal section of the Hanging Wall 1, vein splay with Mineral Resources along main Napoleon and the overlapping hanging wall splays. The section is inclined along the dip of the structure.

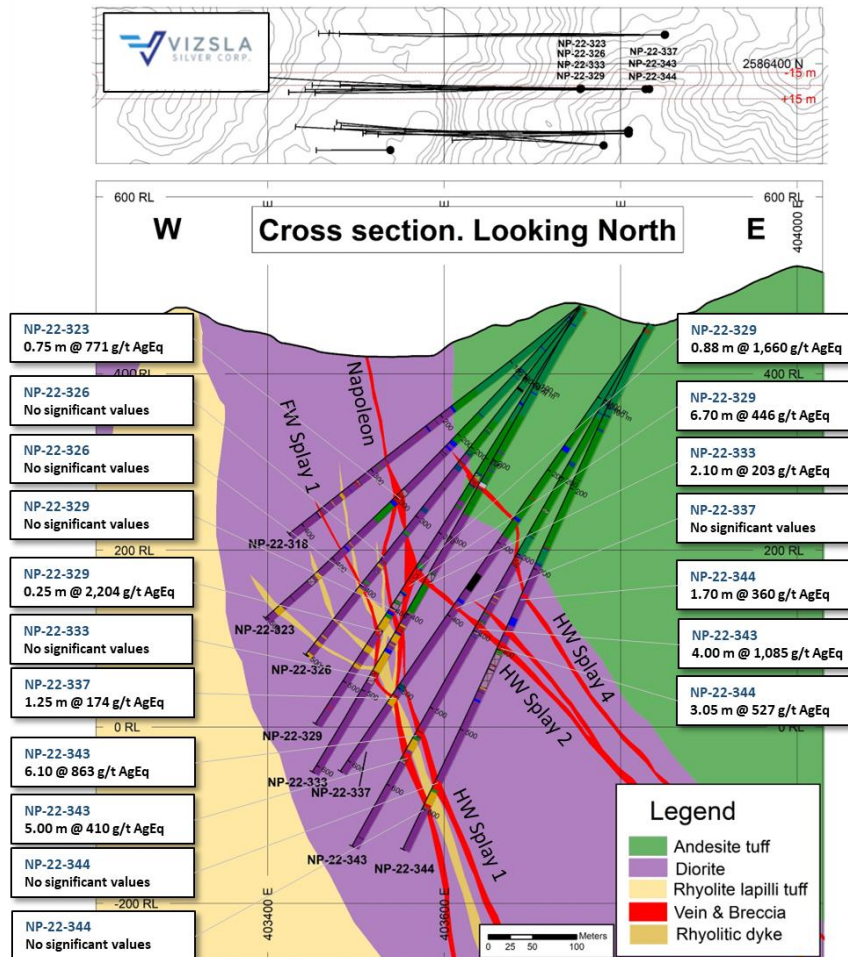
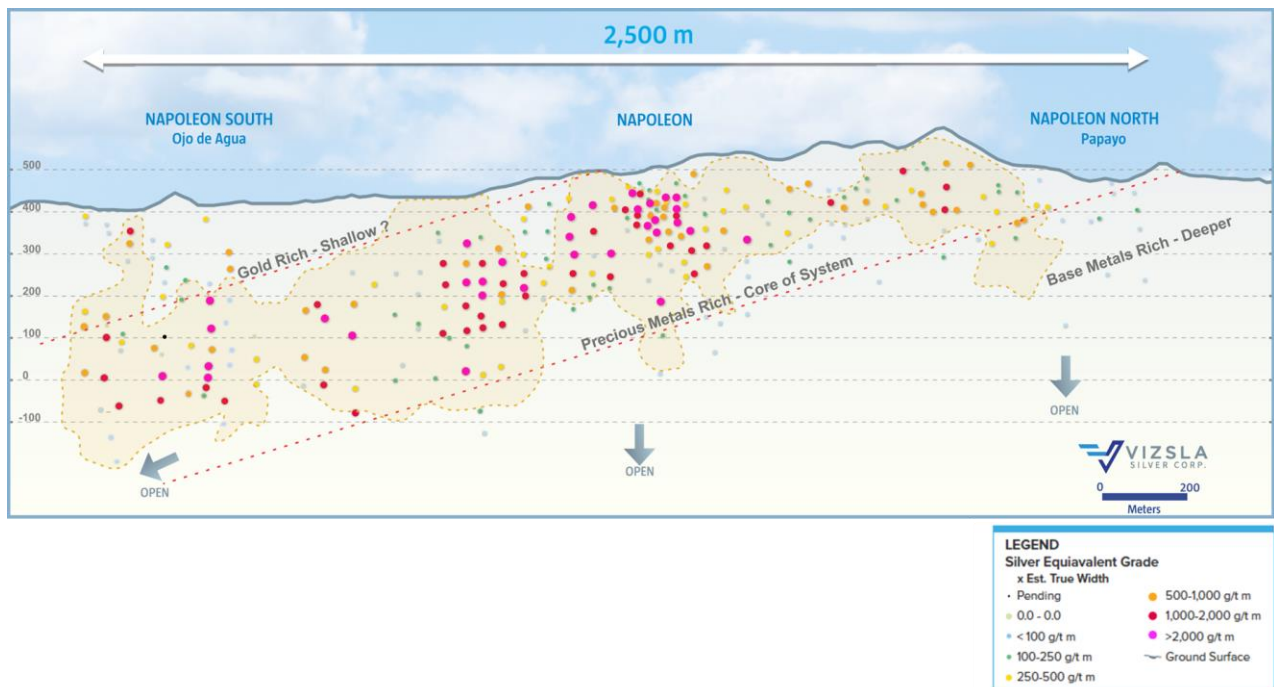


Figure 4: Cross section highlighting recent drill intercepts on Napoleon main and vein splays.



**Figure 5:** Napoleon Vein Corridor Exploration Model Longitudinal Section with pierce points on Napoleon main.

Drillhole	From	To	Downhole Length	Estimated True width	Ag	Au	Pb	Zn	AgEq	Vein
	(m)	(m)								
NP-22-343	392.40	397.10	4.70	4.00	590	5.15	1.00	4.39	1,085	HW 2
Includes	393.35	394.50	1.15	0.98	2,025	15.74	1.71	5.22	3,185	
NP-22-343	525.65	534.70	9.05	6.10	156	3.63	7.88	6.63	863	HW 1
Includes	525.65	527.30	1.65	1.11	255	11.69	19.25	8.40	1,899	
Includes	530.50	533.00	2.50	1.69	290	4.72	9.26	10.71	1,251	
NP-22-343	557.80	564.95	7.15	5.00	99	1.44	1.25	5.09	410	Napoleon
Includes	557.80	559.75	1.95	1.36	157	2.81	0.81	9.57	707	
Includes	561.25	562.55	1.30	0.91	103	1.32	3.26	6.68	523	
NP-22-344	330.00	332.00	2.00	1.70	268	1.41	0.20	0.28	360	HW 4
NP-22-344	391.30	394.70	3.40	3.05	157	2.55	0.81	5.08	527	HW 2
Includes	391.30	392.70	1.40	1.26	259	4.88	0.74	3.11	705	
NP-22-344	No significant values									HW 1
NP-22-344	No significant values									Napoleon
NP-22-349	No significant values									HW 3
NP-22-349	No significant values									HW 2
NP-22-349	442.35	446.85	4.50	3.00	133	0.66	0.21	0.48	192	HW 1
NP-22-349	No significant values									Napoleon
NP-23-353	364.65	365.40	0.75	0.51	85	0.46	0.63	0.51	147	HW 2
NP-23-353	456.30	457.80	1.50	1.00	532	8.96	1.46	7.13	1,401	HW 1

NP-23-353	504.00	509.10	5.10	3.10	63	0.55	0.93	3.09	235	Napoleon
NP-23-360A	586.35	601.00	14.65	10.65	54	0.93	0.16	0.82	148	Napoleon
Includes	586.35	587.45	1.10	0.80	95	3.36	0.38	1.68	387	
Includes	588.45	589.35	0.90	0.65	142	1.01	0.26	2.85	311	
Includes	594.35	595.05	0.70	0.51	201	2.02	0.28	1.31	379	
Includes	600.40	601.00	0.60	0.44	352	7.25	0.49	2.96	939	
NP-23-365A	Pending assays									

**Table 1: Downhole drill intersections from the holes completed along the Napoleon main and vein splays.**

Note:  $AgEq = Ag\ g/t \times Ag\ rec. + ((Au\ g/t \times Au\ Rec \times Au\ price/gram) + (Pb\ \% \times Pb\ rec. \times Pb\ price/t) + (Zn\ \% \times Zn\ rec. \times Zn\ price/t)) / Ag\ price/gram$ . Metal price assumptions are \$24.00/oz silver, \$1,800/oz gold, \$2,424.4/t lead and \$2,975.4/t zinc. Metallurgical recoveries assumed are 93% for silver, 90% for gold, 94% for lead and 94% for zinc. Metallurgical recoveries used in this release are from metallurgical test results of the Napoleon vein (see press release dated February 17, 2022).

Drillhole	Easting	Northing	Elevation	Azimuth	Dip	Depth
NP-22-343	403,830	2,586,364	442	270	-61	680.5
NP-22-344	403,830	2,586,364	442	270	-65	651.0
NP-22-349	403,771	2,586,258	442	275	-64	543.8
NP-23-353	403,800	2,586,265	429	274	-66	657.0
NP-23-360A	403,965	2,586,221	456	271	-57	660.0
NP-23-365A	403,888	2,586,230	434	270	-49	636.0

**Table 2: Napoleon vein drillhole details. Coordinates in WGS84, Zone 13.**

### About the Panuco project

The newly consolidated Panuco silver-gold project is an emerging high-grade discovery located in southern Sinaloa, Mexico, near the city of Mazatlán. The 7,189.5-hectare, past producing district benefits from over 86 kilometres of total vein extent, 35 kilometres of underground mines, roads, power, and permits.

The district contains intermediate to low sulfidation epithermal silver and gold deposits related to siliceous volcanism and crustal extension in the Oligocene and Miocene. Host rocks are mainly continental volcanic rocks correlated to the Tarahumara Formation.

The Panuco Project hosts an estimated in-situ indicated mineral resource of 104.8 Moz AgEq and an in-situ inferred resource of 114.1 Moz AgEq. An updated NI 43-101 technical report titled “Technical Report on the Mineral Resource Estimate Update for the Panuco Ag-Au-Pb-Zn Project, Sinaloa State, Mexico” was filed on SEDAR on March 10, 2023, with an effective date of January 19, 2023 was prepared by Allan Armitage, Ph. D., P. Geo., Ben Eggers, MAIG, P.Geo. and Yann Camus, P.Eng. of SGS Geological Services.

### About Vizsla Silver

Vizsla Silver is a Canadian mineral exploration and development company headquartered in Vancouver, BC, focused on advancing its flagship, 100%-owned Panuco silver-gold project located in Sinaloa, Mexico. To date, Vizsla has completed over 250,000 metres of drilling at Panuco leading to the discovery of several

new high-grade veins. For 2023, Vizsla has budgeted +90,000 metres of resource/discovery-based drilling designed to upgrade and expand the mineral resource, as well as test other high priority targets across the district.

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

Drill core samples were shipped to ALS Limited in Zacatecas, Zacatecas, Mexico and in North Vancouver, Canada for sample preparation and for analysis at the ALS laboratory in North Vancouver and rock samples were shipped to SGS Lab in Durango Mexico for sample preparation and analysis. The ALS Zacatecas, North Vancouver facilities and SGS lab are ISO 9001 and ISO/IEC 17025 certified. Silver and base metals were analyzed using a four-acid digestion with an ICP finish and gold was assayed by 30-gram fire assay with atomic absorption ("AA") spectroscopy finish. Over limit analyses for silver, lead and zinc were re-assayed using an ore-grade four-acid digestion with AA finish.

Control samples comprising certified reference samples, duplicates and blank samples were systematically inserted into the sample stream and analyzed as part of the Company's quality assurance / quality control protocol.

### **Qualified Person**

In accordance with NI 43-101, Martin Dupuis, P.Geo., COO, is the Qualified Person for the Company and has reviewed and approved the technical and scientific content of this news release.

### **Information Concerning Estimates of Mineral Resources**

The scientific and technical information in this news release was prepared in accordance with NI 43-101 which differs significantly from the requirements of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"). The terms "measured mineral resource", "indicated mineral resource" and "inferred mineral resource" used herein are in reference to the mining terms defined in the Canadian Institute of Mining, Metallurgy and Petroleum Standards (the "CIM Definition Standards"), which definitions have been adopted by NI 43-101. Accordingly, information contained herein providing descriptions of our mineral deposits in accordance with NI 43-101 may not be comparable to similar information made public by other U.S. companies subject to the United States federal securities laws and the rules and regulations thereunder.

You are cautioned not to assume that any part or all of mineral resources will ever be converted into reserves. Pursuant to CIM Definition Standards, "inferred mineral resources" are that part of a mineral resource for which quantity and grade or quality are estimated on the basis of limited geological evidence and sampling. Such geological evidence is sufficient to imply but not verify geological and grade or quality continuity. An inferred mineral resource has a lower level of confidence than that applying to an indicated mineral resource and must not be converted to a mineral reserve. However, it is reasonably expected that the majority of inferred mineral resources could be upgraded to indicated mineral resources with continued exploration. Under Canadian rules, estimates of inferred mineral resources may not form the basis of feasibility or pre-feasibility studies, except in rare cases. Investors are cautioned not to assume that all or any part of an inferred mineral resource is economically or legally mineable. Disclosure of "contained ounces" in a resource is permitted disclosure under Canadian regulations; however, the SEC normally only permits issuers to report mineralization that does not constitute "reserves" by SEC standards as in place tonnage and grade without reference to unit measures.



Canadian standards, including the CIM Definition Standards and NI 43-101, differ significantly from standards in the SEC Industry Guide 7. Effective February 25, 2019, the SEC adopted new mining disclosure rules under subpart 1300 of Regulation S-K of the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the “SEC Modernization Rules”), with compliance required for the first fiscal year beginning on or after January 1, 2021. The SEC Modernization Rules replace the historical property disclosure requirements included in SEC Industry Guide 7. As a result of the adoption of the SEC Modernization Rules, the SEC now recognizes estimates of “measured mineral resources”, “indicated mineral resources” and “inferred mineral resources”. Information regarding mineral resources contained or referenced herein may not be comparable to similar information made public by companies that report according to U.S. standards. While the SEC Modernization Rules are purported to be “substantially similar” to the CIM Definition Standards, readers are cautioned that there are differences between the SEC Modernization Rules and the CIM Definitions Standards. Accordingly, there is no assurance any mineral resources that the Company may report as “measured mineral resources”, “indicated mineral resources” and “inferred mineral resources” under NI 43-101 would be the same had the Company prepared the resource estimates under the standards adopted under the SEC Modernization Rules.

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Forward-looking statements and forward-looking information relating to any future mineral production, liquidity, enhanced value and capital markets profile of Vizsla, future growth potential for Vizsla and its business, and future exploration plans are based on management’s reasonable assumptions, estimates, expectations, analyses and opinions, which are based on management’s experience and perception of trends, current conditions and expected developments, and other factors that management believes are relevant and reasonable in the circumstances, but

which may prove to be incorrect. Assumptions have been made regarding, among other things, the price of silver, gold, and other metals; no escalation in the severity of the COVID-19 pandemic; costs of exploration and development; the estimated costs of development of exploration projects; Vizsla's ability to operate in a safe and effective manner and its ability to obtain financing on reasonable terms.

These statements reflect Vizsla's respective current views with respect to future events and are necessarily based upon a number of other assumptions and estimates that, while considered reasonable by management, are inherently subject to significant business, economic, competitive, political and social uncertainties and contingencies. Many factors, both known and unknown, could cause actual results, performance, or achievements to be materially different from the results, performance or achievements that are or may be expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements or forward-looking information and Vizsla has made assumptions and estimates based on or related to many of these factors. Such factors include, without limitation: the Company's dependence on one mineral project; precious metals price volatility; risks associated with the conduct of the Company's mining activities in Mexico; regulatory, consent or permitting delays; risks relating to reliance on the Company's management team and outside contractors; risks regarding mineral resources and reserves; the Company's inability to obtain insurance to cover all risks, on a commercially reasonable basis or at all; currency fluctuations; risks regarding the failure to generate sufficient cash flow from operations; risks relating to project financing and equity issuances; risks and unknowns inherent in all mining projects, including the inaccuracy of reserves and resources, metallurgical recoveries and capital and operating costs of such projects; contests over title to properties, particularly title to undeveloped properties; laws and regulations governing the environment, health and safety; the ability of the communities in which the Company operates to manage and cope with the implications of COVID-19; the economic and financial implications of COVID-19 to the Company; operating or technical difficulties in connection with mining or development activities; employee relations, labour unrest or unavailability; the Company's interactions with surrounding communities and artisanal miners; the Company's ability to successfully integrate acquired assets; the speculative nature of exploration and development, including the risks of diminishing quantities or grades of reserves; stock market volatility; conflicts of interest among certain directors and officers; lack of liquidity for shareholders of the Company; litigation risk; and the factors identified under the caption "Risk Factors" in Vizsla's management discussion and analysis. Readers are cautioned against attributing undue certainty to forward-looking statements or forward-looking information. Although Vizsla has attempted to identify important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially, there may be other factors that cause results not to be anticipated, estimated or intended. Vizsla does not intend, and does not assume any obligation, to update these forward-looking statements or forward-looking information to reflect changes in assumptions or changes in circumstances or any other events affecting such statements or information, other than as required by applicable law.