

# GROSVENOR

## RESOURCE CORPORATION

### MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION & ANALYSIS

**For the six months ended February 29, 2020**

This management's discussion and analysis of financial position and results of operations ("MD&A") is prepared as at April 24, 2020 and should be read in conjunction with the unaudited condensed interim financial statements for the six months ended February 29, 2020 of Grosvenor Resource Corporation ("Grosvenor" or the "Company") with the related notes thereto. Those unaudited condensed interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") for interim financial statements and, as a result, do not contain all disclosure required under IFRS for annual financial statements. Accordingly, readers may want to refer to the August 31, 2019 audited annual financial statements and the accompanying notes.

Management is responsible for the preparation and integrity of the financial statements, including the maintenance of appropriate information systems, procedures and internal controls. Management is also responsible for ensuring that information disclosed externally, including the financial statements and MD&A, is complete and reliable.

All dollar amounts included therein and in the following MD&A are expressed in Canadian dollars except where noted. This discussion contains forward-looking statements that may involve risks and uncertainties. Such information, although considered to be accurate, actual results may differ materially from those anticipated in the statements made. Additional information on the Company is available for viewing on SEDAR at [www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com).

#### ***Description of Business***

Grosvenor is a natural resource company engaged in the acquisition and exploration of resource properties. The Company's head office is in Vancouver, British Columbia. The Company is a reporting issuer in British Columbia, Alberta, Ontario and Nova Scotia. Grosvenor trades on the TSX Venture Exchange ("TSX-V") under the symbol GVR.

#### ***Overview***

##### Powder

During the year ended August 31, 2018, the Company acquired a 100% interest in the Powder gold-silver property for \$7,500 and 50,000 of its common shares (valued at \$8,500). Additionally, the Company paid \$3,738 in claim maintenance during 2018. During the year ended August 31, 2019, the Company paid \$5,350 in claim maintenance. The property is subject to a 1% NSR.

##### Mineral Hill

In fiscal 2014, the Company acquired a 50% interest in the Mineral Hill gold-silver property ("Mineral Hill") from Remington Resources Inc. During the year ended August 31, 2016, Company purchased the remaining 50%.

Mineral Hill covered an area of 866.18 hectares and includes the formerly productive veins of the Mineral Hill Mine, from which a reported 77,605 tons of mineralized material was mined and

milled, yielding 8,894 ounces of gold 252,939 ounces of silver, 40,822 pounds of copper, 2,205,444 pounds of lead, and 367,869 pounds of zinc.

During the year ended August 31, 2018, the Company chose not to continue to explore Mineral Hill and recognized an impairment charge of \$447,048.

### ***Results of Operations***

During the three months ended February 29, 2020 (“current period”) the Company recorded comprehensive net income of \$286,599 compared to comprehensive net income of \$123,719 for the three months ended February 28, 2019 (“comparative period”). The significant changes during the current period from the comparative period are as follows:

- During the current period, property investigation costs decreased to \$Nil, from \$11,030 in the comparative period. Effective January 2018, the Company entered into an agreement for property investigation services for US\$8,000 per month for a period of one year. On December 31, 2018, the agreement terminated.
- During the current period, the Company recorded a deferred tax recovery of \$44,031 on a marketable securities gain, compared to a recovery of \$28,268 on a marketable securities gain in the comparative period.
- During the current period, the Company recorded an unrealized marketable securities gain of \$282,129, compared to a gain of \$189,172 in the comparative period. The change relates to the value fluctuation of Newport common shares held by the Company.
- During the current period, the Company recorded transfer agent and filing fees of \$9,019 compared to \$3,750 during the comparative period. The increase is due to a timing difference of the Company’s annual sustaining fees.

During the six months ended February 29, 2020 (“current six-month period”) the Company recorded comprehensive income of \$418,066 compared to a comprehensive loss of \$101,795 for the six months ended February 28, 2019 (“comparative six-month period”). The significant changes during the current six-month period from the comparative six-month period are as follows:

- During the current six-month period, property investigation costs decreased to \$Nil, from \$43,452 in the comparative six-month period. Effective January 2018, the Company entered into an agreement for property investigation services for US\$8,000 per month. On December 31, 2018, the agreement terminated.
- During the current six-month period, the Company recorded a deferred tax recovery of \$29,354 on a marketable securities gain, compared to an expense of \$21,200 on a marketable securities loss in the comparative six-month period.
- During the current six-month period, the Company recorded an unrealized marketable securities gain of \$188,086, compared to a loss of \$141,880 in the comparative six-month period. The change relates to the value fluctuation of marketable securities held by the Company.

### ***Liquidity and Capital Resources***

The Company’s working capital position at February 29, 2020 was \$3,532,516 compared to a working capital position of \$3,114,950 at August 31, 2019. The increase in working capital is

mainly due to the increase in value of marketable securities held by the Company and the receipt of dividend income of \$380,520.

As at February 29, 2020, the Company had current assets of \$3,549,915 (August 31, 2019 - \$3,142,968), total assets of \$3,574,915 (August 31, 2019 - \$3,168,074) and total liabilities of \$16,811 (August 31, 2019 - \$28,036). At February 29, 2020, the Company had no long-term debt outstanding. There are no known trends in the Company's liquidity or capital resources.

The Company finances its operations through dividend income. The Company currently has cash and equivalents, marketable securities and short term investments totaling \$3,486,020 and net working capital of \$3,532,516 which, the Company believes, is sufficient to fund its current operations in the foreseeable future. In the longer term, additional equity or debt financing may be necessary to fund exploration, general and administrative activities.

### ***Commitments***

Grosvenor has management and consulting contracts with a company controlled by Ian Rozier, a director and Chief Executive Officer, and a company controlled by Tyler Friesen, Chief Financial Officer. The companies are paid a combined total of \$14,000 per month and the contracts remain in force on a continuous basis but can be terminated by Grosvenor with three months written notice. If Grosvenor terminates services of either or both companies, Grosvenor will be obligated to pay 36 months of service fees to the company controlled by Ian Rozier, and 12 months of service fees to the company controlled by Tyler Friesen.

Effective January 1, 2018, the Company entered into a consulting contract with Prospect Point Consulting Ltd. to provide corporate consulting services for Grosvenor at \$7,000 per month. The contract remains in force on a continuous basis but can be terminated by Grosvenor with three months written notice. If Grosvenor terminates the services of the company, it will be obligated to pay 24 months services fees to the company.

### ***Quarterly Financial Information***

The following table sets forth selected unaudited financial information prepared by management of the Company:

	Three Months Ended February 29, 2020	Three Months Ended November 30, 2019	Three Months Ended August 31, 2019	Three Months Ended May 31, 2019
Total assets	\$ 3,574,915	\$ 3,277,746	\$ 3,168,074	\$ 2,968,165
Working capital	3,532,516	3,246,417	3,114,950	2,941,605
Income (loss) for the period	4,470	225,510	(58,271)	(76,251)
Comprehensive income for the period	286,599	131,467	178,195	18,336
Earnings (loss) per share	0.00	0.01	(0.00)	(0.00)

  

	Three Months Ended February 28, 2019	Three Months Ended November 30, 2018	Three Months Ended August 31, 2018	Three Months Ended May 31, 2018
Total assets	\$ 2,954,045	\$ 2,830,609	\$ 3,072,238	\$ 3,844,830
Working capital	2,923,269	2,800,050	3,025,564	3,373,749
Loss the period	(65,453)	105,538	(602,322)	(390,252)
Comprehensive income (loss) for the period	123,719	(225,514)	(791,494)	35,386
Loss per share	(0.00)	0.00	(0.03)	(0.01)

Period to period changes to income tax expense/recovery and unrealized gain/loss on marketable securities relate to the share value of the Company's Newport shareholdings.

During the three months ended February 29, 2020, the Company recorded dividend income of \$54,360.

During the three months ended November 30, 2019, the Company recorded dividend income of \$326,160 from its Newport shareholdings.

During the three months ended November 30, 2018, the Company recorded dividend income of \$271,800 from its Newport shareholdings.

During the three months ended August 31, 2018, the Company acquired Powder for \$16,000. Subsequent to the Powder acquisition, the Company recognized a \$447,048 impairment charge related to Mineral Hill.

During the three months ended May 31, 2018, the Company recorded a share-based payment expense of \$330,894 relating to the grant of 2.65 million stock options.

#### ***Related Party Transactions***

During the six months ended February 29, 2020, the Company entered into the following transactions with related parties:

- a) Paid or accrued management fees of \$48,000 (2019 - \$48,000) to a company controlled by Ian Rozier, CEO and director of the Company.
- b) Paid or accrued directors fees of \$6,000 (2019 - \$6,000) to Harvey Kardos, a director of the Company.
- c) Paid or accrued directors fees of \$6,000 (2019 - \$6,000) to Douglas Hyndman, a director of the Company.
- d) Paid or accrued directors fees of \$6,000 (2019 - \$6,000) to Douglas Scheving, a director of the Company.
- e) Paid professional fees of \$36,000 (2019 - \$36,000) to a company controlled by Tyler Friesen, the CFO of the Company.

The following amounts, with respect to the above transactions, are owing to related parties as at February 29, 2020:

- a) \$2,000 (August 31, 2019 - \$2,000) to Douglas Scheving, a director of the Company
- b) \$2,000 (August 31, 2019 - \$2,000) to Douglas Hyndman, a director of the Company
- c) \$2,000 (August 31, 2019 - \$2,000) to Harvey Kardos, a director of the Company

These amounts are non-interest bearing, unsecured and paid in the ordinary course of business.

Key management includes directors, executive officers and officers of the Company. The Company paid or accrued fees to management or companies controlled by key management as follows:

	February 29, 2020	February 28, 2019
Management fees	\$ 48,000	\$ 48,000
Professional fees	\$ 36,000	\$ 36,000

During the six months ended February 29, 2020, the Company reimbursed rent expense of \$8,500 (2019 - \$15,000) to a company controlled by Ian Rozier, CEO and director of the Company.

### *New Accounting Standards Adopted during the period*

#### *IFRS 16 – Leases*

On January 13, 2016 the IASB issued IFRS 16 – Leases, which will supersede IAS 17 – Leases. The standard introduced a single lessee accounting model and requires a lessee to recognize assets and liabilities for all leases with a term of more than 12 months, unless the underlying asset is of low value.

At inception of a contract, the Company assesses whether a contract is, or contains, a lease. A contract is, or contains, a lease if the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset over a period of time in exchange for consideration. The Company assesses whether the contract involves the use of an identified asset, whether it has the right to obtain substantially all of the economic benefits from the use of the asset during the term of the contract and it has the right to direct the use of the asset.

The right-of-use asset is subsequently amortized from the commencement date to the earlier of the end of the lease term, or the end of the useful life of the asset. The right-of-use asset may be reduced due to impairment losses, if any, and adjusted for certain re-measurements of the lease liability.

A lease liability is initially measured at the present value of the lease payments that are not paid at the commencement date, discounted by the interest rate implicit in the lease, or if that rate cannot be readily determined, the incremental borrowing rate. The lease liability is subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method. Lease payments included in the measurement of the lease liability comprise fixed payments, variable lease payments, and amounts expected to be payable at the end of the lease term.

IFRS 16 has changed how the Company accounts for leases previously classified as operating leases under IAS 17, which were off-balance-sheet. Applying IFRS 16 for all except for short-term leases and leases of low-value assets, the Company will (1) recognize ‘right-of-use’ assets and lease liabilities in the balance sheet, initially measured at the present value of future lease payments discounted at the incremental borrowing rate; (ii) recognize depreciation of right-of-use assets and interest on lease liabilities in the statement of earnings; and (iii) separate the total amount of cash paid into a principal portion (presented within financing activities) and interest (presented within operating activities) in the statement of cash flows. For short-term leases (lease term of 12 months or less) and leases of low-value assets, the Company has opted to recognise a lease expense on a straight-line basis as permitted. The Company has taken the exemptions related to short-term and low-value asset leases. Leases to explore for or use of minerals are not in the scope of the standard.

The Company adopted IFRS 16 using the modified retrospective basis and did not restate comparative amounts. However, the adoption of IFRS 16 had no impact on the financial statements on the date of adoption.

## ***Financial and Capital Risk Management***

Fair value estimates of financial instruments are made at a specific point in time, based on relevant information about financial markets and specific financial instruments. As these estimates are subjective in nature, involving uncertainties and matters of significant judgment, they cannot be determined with precision. Changes in assumptions can significantly affect estimated fair values.

The carrying value of cash and equivalents, receivables and accounts payable and accrued liabilities approximate their fair value because of the short-term nature of these instruments. The fair value of short term investments and marketable securities was \$2,120,040 at February 29, 2020 (August 31, 2019 - \$2,492,426), which are level 1 fair value measurements.

### ***Financial Risk Factors***

The Company's Board of Directors has the overall responsibility for the establishment and oversight of the Company's risk management framework.

The Company is exposed in varying degrees to a variety of financial instrument related risks and monitors the risk management processes, inclusive of documented investment policies, counterparty limits, and controlling and reporting structures. The type of risk exposure and the way in which such exposure is managed is provided as follows:

#### ***Credit risk***

Credit risk is the risk of loss associated with a counterparty's inability to fulfill its payment obligations. The Company's credit risk is primarily attributable to cash and equivalents, short-term investments and marketable securities, the carrying value totalling \$1,425,207, represents the Company's maximum exposure to credit risk. Management believes that the credit risk concentration with respect to financial instruments is remote because cash and equivalents and short-term investments are held with reputable Canadian financial institutions. Receivables consist mainly of GST and interest. The Company does not consider any of its current receivables past due. The Company believes any credit risk associated with its receivables is low due to the historical success of collecting receivables

#### ***Liquidity risk***

The Company's approach to managing liquidity risk is to ensure that it will have sufficient liquidity to meet liabilities when they come due. As at February 29, 2020, the Company had a cash and equivalents balance of \$1,340,980, marketable securities of \$2,120,040 and short-term investments of \$25,000, to settle current liabilities of \$16,811. All of the Company's financial liabilities are subject to normal trade terms.

#### ***Market risk***

Market risk is the risk of loss that may arise from changes in market factors such as interest rates, foreign exchange rates, and commodity and equity prices. These fluctuations may be significant.

##### **a) Interest rate risk**

The Company has cash and equivalents balances and short-term investments. The Company's current policy is to invest excess cash in investment-grade short-term deposits certificates issued by its banking institutions. The Company periodically monitors the investments it makes and is satisfied with the credit ratings of its banks. The effect on net loss of a 1% change in interest rates is approximately \$200.

b) Equity risk

The Company is exposed to equity risk with respect to the market price of its Newport shares. A change in market price will impact the value of its Newport shareholdings and have an impact on other comprehensive income and working capital. The effect on net loss of a 1% change in market price is approximately \$15,500.

**Capital management**

Grosvenor's objectives when managing capital is to pursue the exploration and evaluation of its mineral property, possibly acquire additional mineral property interests and to maintain a flexible capital structure which optimizes the costs of capital at an acceptable risk. In the management of capital, the Company includes the components of shareholders' equity.

Grosvenor manages the capital structure and makes adjustments to it, in light of changes in economic conditions and the risk characteristics of the underlying assets. To maintain or adjust the capital structure, the Company may issue new shares, issue debt, acquire or dispose of assets or adjust the amount of cash.

In order to facilitate the management of its capital requirements, the Company monitors its expenditures against its available capital.

The Company is currently not subject to externally imposed capital requirements. There were no changes in the Company's approach to capital management.

***Critical accounting estimates, judgments and assumption***

The preparation of these financial statements requires management to make certain estimates, judgments and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported expenses during the year. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

Significant assumptions about the future and other sources of estimation uncertainty that management has made at the end of the reporting period, that could result in a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities in the event that actual results differ from assumptions made, relate to, but are not limited to, the following:

- i) The carrying value and the recoverability of exploration and evaluation assets, which is included in the statements of financial position. The cost model is utilized and the value of the exploration and evaluation assets is based on the expenditures incurred. At every reporting period, management assesses the potential impairment which involves assessing whether or not facts or circumstances exist that suggest the carrying amount exceeds the recoverable amount.

***Risk, Uncertainties and Outlook***

As a company engage in the mineral resource industry, the Company is exposed to a number of risks, including the financial risks associated with no operating cash flow and therefore, may access when necessary, the capital markets to finance its activities.

There can be no assurances the Company will be able to access the capital markets for the funding necessary to acquire and maintain exploration properties and to carry out its desired exploration programs. In addition to this having an impact on any future wholly owned projects, the Company could be in a position where it is unable to fund its share of costs incurred under a joint venture

agreement to which it may become a party, and its interest in such a joint venture could be reduced or eliminated as a result.

The Company is very reliant upon its existing management, and if the services of such personnel were withdrawn for any reason, this could have a material adverse impact on the Company's operating activities.

There is competition within the natural resource industry for properties of merit, and the Company competes with other companies possessing greater technical and financial resources than itself. Even if a desirable property was secured, there can be no assurances that the Company will be able to execute its exploration programs on proposed schedules and within cost estimates, whether due to weather conditions in the areas where it operates, increasingly stringent environmental regulations and other permitting restrictions, or other factors related to exploring in areas that lack infrastructure and the availability of essential supplies and services. These conditions may lead to increased costs and difficulties in scheduling contractors at times that are optimal from the Company's perspective.

The Company's exploration activities may require permits from various governmental agencies charged with administering laws and regulations governing exploration, labour standards, occupational health and safety, control of toxic substances, waste disposal, land use, environmental protection and other matters. Failure to comply with laws, regulations and permit conditions could result in fines and/or stop work orders, costs for conducting remedial actions and other expenses. In addition, legislation changes to existing laws and regulations could result in significant additional costs to comply with the revised terms and could also result in delays in executing planned programs pending compliance with those terms.

### ***Contingencies***

As of the date of this MD&A, the Company has no contingencies.

### ***Off Balance Sheet Arrangements***

As of the date of this MD&A, the Company has no off Balance Sheet arrangements.

### ***Investor Relations***

As of the date of this MD&A, the Company has no investor relations agreements.

### ***Proposed Transactions***

As of the date of this MD&A, the Company has no proposed transactions.

### ***Share Capital***

As at the date of this MD&A, the Company had 26,900,694 common shares outstanding and the following outstanding options and warrants:

#### ***Outstanding Options:***

2,650,000 options outstanding, with an exercise price of \$0.17 per share, expiring May 29, 2023.

#### ***Outstanding Warrants:***

Nil



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