Oro Verde Limited (ASX code: OVL) is pleased to announce high grade gold and silver intersections from Phase 3 diamond drilling program at the Topacio Gold Project in south-eastern Nicaragua (Figures 2 & 3). Drilling successfully intersected the targeted gold and silver-rich structures at shallow depths, returning high grades over significant widths.

Significant sample results from this drilling program include (all results are set out in Table 1):

- **Topacio Vein:** 10.4m at 3.90g/t gold and 30.99g/t silver from 35.2m
- **Dos Amigos Vein:** 4.95m at 7.35g/t gold and 15.34g/t silver from 24.3m
- **Mico Central Vein:** 17.55m at 3.38g/t gold and 55.63g/t silver from 16.95m

Of particular significance is the drill intersection at Mico Central which confirms the large width and high grade mineralisation identified in the overlying surface trench of 20.50m at 4.83g/t gold and 3.90g/t silver (ASX 7 February 2018), refer following schematic section, Figure 1.

In addition, very high grade individual samples were recorded, with the Top 10 individual sample gold (Au) and silver (Ag) analytical results as follows:

- **MTD-018-016 (Topacio Vein)**
  - 0.85m at 17.2g/t Au & 184.6g/t Ag (35.20m to 36.05m)
  - 0.30m at 26.8g/t Au & 38.3g/t Ag (42.70m to 43.00m)

- **MTD-018-017 (Dos Amigos Vein)**
  - 1.15m at 10.3g/t Au & 21.8g/t Ag (24.70m to 25.85m)
  - 0.70m at 14.4g/t Au & 36.0g/t Ag (27.75m to 28.45m)
  - 0.30m at 19.9g/t Au & 12.7g/t Ag (28.95m to 29.25m)

- **MTD-018-020 (Mico Central Vein)**
  - 1.0m at 9.34g/t Au & 30.4g/t Ag (16.95m to 17.95m)
  - 0.15m at 9.12g/t Au & 100.1g/t Ag (19.85m to 20.00m)
  - 1.1m at 9.46g/t Au & 62.3g/t Ag (20.40m to 21.50m)
  - 1.0m at 8.86g/t Au & 128.7g/t Ag (21.50m to 22.50m)
  - 0.55m at 11.1g/t Au & 381.0g/t Ag* (33.95m to 34.50m)

*best silver value for program*

The above individual results all form part of longer supporting gold and silver intercepts (refer following Table 1).
The above Schematic Section (Figure 1) depicts surface trench MTMC17051 on the Mico Central vein, beneath which diamond core drill-hole MTD-018-020 tested for depth continuity of the gold-mineralised vein exposed in the trench.

The compositied full run of the trench sample analyses is **20.5m at 4.83 g/t Au**. This result and the mapped geology of this trench correspond favourably with the compositied MTD-018-020 drill-hole intercept of **17.55m at 3.38 g/t Au**, centred approximately 30m below the trench exposure.

Oro Verde’s CEO, Mr. Doug Bright, commented: “**We are pleased with the high grades intersected and good widths in places. All but one of the drill-holes returned gold and silver results in structures that coincide directly with favourable gold-hosting features recorded in surface trenching. We can confirm good predictable down-dip continuity of veins below their surface exposures, reinforcing the efficiency of surface trenching as a reconnaissance tool.**

**Our immediate plan is to undertake detailed structural analysis of the Topacio Resource Area to better define controls on mineralisation trends, such as shoots, plunges and repetitions within individual veins and the overall system. This will improve the mineralisation model, future drill-hole targeting and identification of, hopefully, shallow zones such as exemplified by the scale of our Mico Central success that will provide good potentially mineable and possibly open-pittable widths at high grades.**"
Table 1: Significant gold and silver intercepts

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Note: Length-weighted composite intervals presented here are intended only to show the overall extent of the most significant mineralisation intersected, with no implications as to their practical or economic mineability. They are based on a 0.5g/t lower cut for gold, no lower cut for silver, and no top cut is applied to either gold or silver. They may include up to 1m internal dilution. Minimum individual sample width in the relevant dataset is 0.15m, maximum is 2.0m. In DDH-018-020 maximum sample width is 1.25m. Metal equivalent values are not used.

Table 2: Phase 3 Diamond Drill-hole Location & Survey Information

| PHASE 3 DIAMOND DRILL-HOLE LOCATIONS - EXPLORATION CONCESSION PRESILLITAS - ZONE TOPACIO |
|----------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|---------|-------|-------|-------|
| Diamond D/Hole No. | Target Vein Or Zone | Section or Previous D/Hole | Collar Design (NAD 27) | Set-Up | Total Depth (m) |
|                  |                  |                      | East (m) | North (m) | Bearing (°) | Angle (°) |       |
| MTD-18-014 | Mico West | MTD-17-012 | 778863 | 1338830 | 150° | -48° | 54.86 |
| MTD-18-015 | Mico West | MW17038 | 779215 | 1339024 | 155° | -45° | 50.29 |
| MTD-18-016 | Topacio | 96-01-01R | 779616 | 1338245 | 150° | -46° | 56.39 |
| MTD-18-017 | Dos Amigos | 96-25 | 779698 | 1338484 | 151° | -55° | 48.77 |
| MTD-18-018 | Dispute | DI17019 | 779367 | 1338368 | 145° | -45° | 47.24 |
| MTD-18-019 | Lone Star | LS17031 | 779625 | 1338799 | 195° | -45° | 60.96 |
| MTD-18-020 | Mico Central | MC17051 | 779658 | 1339133 | 150° | -45° | 48.77 |
| MTD-18-021 | Mico Central | MC17020/21 | 779888 | 1339251 | 176° | -47° | 47.24 |
| MTD-18-022 | Mico Central | MC17036 | 779453 | 1339040 | 180° | -45° | 41.15 |

TOTAL METRES 455.67

BACKGROUND – RECENT WORK

Following very encouraging high gold results from the 2017 Phase 2 trenching and the follow-up Phase 2 diamond core drilling (ASX 20 July, 1 and 14 August, 2017), Oro Verde announced on 28 September, 2017, the commencement of a third phase of surface trenching and channel sampling in an accelerated and expanded program to test a greater number of the multiple vein targets identified by previous mapping and sampling as carrying significant gold.

This Phase 3 surface trenching program was completed in December, 2017; this amounted to 40 trenches for a total of 860.3 linear metres of trenching and 750 channel samples to confirm the grade, dip and widths of the veins and to assist with finalising drill-hole orientations of the Phase 3 diamond core drilling program, results from which are the subject of this announcement.

The surface trenching program tested 15 distinct zones or subdivisions of major gold bearing veins in the central Topacio district. Large quartz veins were intersected in 38 of the 40 trenches, which were excavated perpendicular to the strike of the veins to depths sufficient to expose in situ bedrock. A majority of the veins yielded significant gold results (ASX 15 and 18 January, 7 February, 2018).

The Phase 3 diamond-core drilling program comprised nine drill-holes (MTD-018-014 to MTD-018-022 incl.) and tested priority target zones in the Topacio Gold Resource area defined by the above work and selected from the following 6 quartz veins and/or their interpreted associated structures;
The first drill-hole of the Phase 3 drilling program was collared on 29 January, 2018. A total of 455.67 metres of drilling was completed in 5.4 weeks. Average drill-hole depth is 50.63 metres and a total of 245 samples was taken, including the addition of quality control samples (certified blanks and standards). Completion of the program was announced to ASX on 21 March 2018.

Figure 2: Location plan - Regional - Topacio Gold Project Phase 3 Diamond-core drilling area

TOPACIO PROJECT BACKGROUND

Oro Verde holds an Option to Purchase Agreement over the historically-reported high grade Topacio Gold Project, located in south-eastern Nicaragua (Figure 4). Details can be found in the ASX announcement dated 27 February 2015. The project contains a historical NI 43-101 compliant Inferred Resource of:

2,716,176 tonnes at 3.9 g/t gold, containing 340,345 ounces of gold, at a 1.5 g/t gold cut-off.

National Instrument 43-101 (“NI 43-101”) is a national instrument for the Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects within Canada and as such this estimate is a foreign estimate and is not in accordance with the JORC code (Australia). A defined Competent Person has not yet undertaken sufficient work to classify this foreign estimate as a mineral resource in accordance with the Australian JORC code and, at this stage, it cannot be stated with certainty that, following evaluation and/or further exploration work, the foreign estimate will be able to be reported as a mineral resource in accordance with the JORC code.

1 Refer to ASX announcement dated 27 February 2015 “Oro Verde Proceeds to Acquire Topacio Gold Project”
Figure 3: Location plan - National - Major Nicaraguan gold deposits & the Topacio Gold Project

(Refer accompanying text relating to The Topacio Gold Resource and NI-43-101 estimate)

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About Oro Verde Limited: Oro Verde Ltd is a mineral exploration company focused on identifying and developing significant gold projects in Central America, particularly Nicaragua. Oro Verde holds an Option to Purchase Agreement to acquire 100% of the Topacio Gold Project in Nicaragua that contains a NI 43-101 compliant Inferred Mineral Resource of 340,000 ounces of gold. Oro Verde also holds 100% of the early stage San Isidro Gold Project, also in Nicaragua, located adjacent to the reported 2.3 million ounce La India gold project.

COMPETENT PERSON STATEMENTS

The information in this document that relates to Exploration Results is based on information compiled or provided to and reviewed by Mr Doug Bright BSc (Geol:Zoo), who is a long-standing Member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy. Mr Bright is engaged through his consultancy Trident Geological Services Pty. Ltd. He has in excess of 40 years of international exploration, operational mine and plant-based work, geochemical consulting and appropriate public company Board experience relevant to the commodities, style of mineralisation and type of deposit under consideration and to the activity which he is undertaking to qualify as a Competent Person as defined in the 2012 Edition of the 'Australasian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results, Mineral Resources and Ore Reserves’. Mr Bright consents to the inclusion in the report of the matters based on his information in the form and context in which it appears.

The information in this report that relates to previous Exploration Results for the Topacio project, was prepared and first disclosed under the JORC Code 2012, and has been properly cross-referenced in the text to the date of original announcement to ASX. Oro Verde confirms that it is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the information included in the original announcements.

The information in this document that relates to Historical Mineral Resources is extracted from the report entitled “Acquisition of High Grade Gold Project” created on 11 November 2014 and available to view on www.asx.com. The Company confirms that it is not in possession of any new information or data that materially impacts on the reliability of the estimates in the original market announcement and that all material assumptions and technical parameters underpinning the estimates in the relevant market announcement continue to apply and have not materially changed. The Company confirms that the form and context in which the Competent Person’s findings are presented have not been materially modified from the original market announcement.
Table 1 (Completed by Oro Verde Limited)

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| **Sampling techniques**          |                        | • Nature and quality of sampling (e.g. cut channels, random chips, or specific specialised industry standard measurement tools appropriate to the minerals under investigation, such as down hole gamma sondes, or handheld XRF instruments, etc.). These examples should not be taken as limiting the broad meaning of sampling.  
• Include reference to measures taken to ensure sample representivity and the appropriate calibration of any measurement tools or systems used.  
• Aspects of the determination of mineralisation that are Material to the Public Report.  
• In cases where 'industry standard' work has been done this would be relatively simple (e.g. reverse circulation drilling was used to obtain 1 m samples from which 3 kg was pulverised to produce a 30 g charge for fire assay'). In other cases more explanation may be required, such as where there is coarse gold that has inherent sampling problems. Unusual commodities or mineralisation types (e.g. submarine nodules) may warrant disclosure of detailed information.  
Diamond drill core was utilised for sampling purposes. Core recovery was generally in the 90-100% range. General exceptions to this rule were (i) in the upper 5m to 20m of each hole where the rock was moderately to heavily weathered to clays and fractured; and (ii) deeper intervals where structures with alteration and/or fracturing were observed (in these cases the recovery could be as low as 50%). In heavily oxidised or weathered material where sample was reduced predominantly to clay or soft minerals, samples were split in two halves along the long axis of the core tray using a splitting tool. The half sample was then collected from the core tray into a sample bag with a spoon. Where the drill core was more competent, a continuous cutting guide line was marked by the geologist along the length of core. Individual core pieces were removed from the tray and cut in half parallel to the long axis of the core with a core saw, along the guide line. In both cases, one half of the sample material split was bagged for analysis and the other half remained in the core tray as a library sample.  
• When marking up core for sampling, areas of variable geology, possible mineralisation and geological boundaries were utilised to determine the appropriate sample interval. A minimum sample length for this program was 10cm and generally ranging up to 1.5m (minimum this set of holes 0.2m and maximum 1.55m).  
• Given the range of sample lengths stated above, the Individual sample volume was generally in the range 1.0 to 5.0kg (minimum 0.5kg, maximum 5.7kg).  
• Where prominent features, such as quartz veins, were observed to cut across the core sample, the cutting guide line was oriented such that roughly equal proportions of the feature were present in both the sample split as well as the library sample retained in the core tray.  
• Drill holes were only sampled in areas interpreted to contain significant alteration, veining, unusual lithologies or potential mineralisation.  
• Throughout the drilling campaign, samples were crushed, split and pulverised with 250g product through 200 mesh. A 30g charge was used for fire assay fusion analysis of Au by ICP-ES, while 0.25g was used for 4 acid digestion analysis of 45 elements by ICP-MS  
| Drill sample recovery            |                        | The program utilised diamond drilling methods with a portable rig HTW diameter rods and standard tube sample recovery. HQ (triple tube) may be used as a means to improve core recovery within the potentially mineralised zones.  
| Logging                          |                        | Geotechnical aspects of the core in each hole were carefully inspected and recorded into a designated sheet in the electronic drill log. Percent recoveries for each core run (typically 1.5m) were collected, RQD (rock quality designation) data along with hardness and fracture density measurements for each core run were also collected. Collectively, these different data sets show that differing ground conditions and recovery rates should not have a significant effect on sample or grade bias for the Topacio drill campaign.  
• Care was taken, particularly in areas of broken and weathered ground to reduce the drill advance and improve the chances of better sample recovery. HQ triple tube may be used to improve core recovery in broken ground.  
• The mineralisation in the Topacio resource area is known to be contained within quartz veins and structural locations. These areas are often more susceptible to poorer recovery due to their fractured or weathered nature. This can have an effect on sample bias. Reduced recovery is not expected to have had a significant effect  
| Sub-sampling techniques and sample preparation |                        | In heavily oxidised or weathered material where sample was reduced predominantly to clay or soft minerals, samples were split in two halves along the long axis of the core tray using a splitting tool. The half sample was then collected from the core tray into a sample bag with a spoon. Where the drill core was more competent, a continuous cutting guide line was marked by the geologist along the length of core. Individual core pieces were removed from the tray and cut in half with a core saw, parallel to the long axis of the core along the guide line. In both cases, one half of the sample material split was bagged for analysis and the...
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of the in situ material collected, including for instance results for field duplicate/second-half sampling. | Whether sample sizes are appropriate to the grain size of the material being sampled. | other half remained in the core tray as a library sample.
Throughout the drilling campaign, samples were crushed, split and pulverised with 250g product through 200 mesh. A 30g charge was used for fire assay fusion analysis of Au by ICP-ES, while 0.25g was used for 4 acid digestion analysis of 45 elements by ICP-MS. Sample prep techniques used by the laboratory were considered appropriate for this sample type.
| | Coarse core duplicate samples were selected by the senior company representative and analysed separately from the original sample for a check on repeatability. The laboratory also conducted internal repeats at variable intervals between each 10 to 20 samples (average was every 14 samples). The laboratory also conducted course duplicate checks at a rate of 1.2% for a check on repeatability. Both coarse core duplicates and laboratory repeats were within acceptable ranges.
| | Given the range of sample lengths stated above, the individual sample volume was generally in the range 1.0 to 5.0kg (minimum 0.5kg, maximum 5.7kg) and considered appropriate and representative for the grain size and style of mineralisation being explored.

Quality of assay data and laboratory tests | • The nature, quality and appropriateness of the assaying and laboratory procedures used and whether the technique is considered partial or total. | ❌
• For geophysical tools, spectrometers, handheld XRF instruments, etc., the parameters used in determining the analysis including instrument make and model, reading times, calibrations factors applied and their derivation, etc. | Bureau Veritas Laboratories (Managua and Vancouver) were used for all analysis work carried out on the core samples. The laboratory techniques below are for all samples submitted to Bureau Veritas and are considered appropriate for the style of mineralisation expected at the Topacio Gold Project: o PRP70-250 – Crush, split and pulverise 250g rock 200 mesh o SBLHP – sort label and box pulps for delivery to Vancouver o FA330-Au - Fire assay fusion Au by ICP-ES (30g) o MA200 – 4 Acid digestion ICP-MS analysis of 45 elements (0.25g)
• No other analytical tools used in the current program
| | • Coarse core duplicate samples were selected by the senior company representative and analysed separately from the original sample at a rate of 5% for a check on repeatability. 60g packets of three separate commercial standards were inserted alternately in the sample string each 10 samples. 500g packets of certified blank material were inserted in the sample string each 40 samples. This blank material was used as a check for laboratory cleanliness in the preparation stage between samples. Quality control results were deemed to be within the expected accuracy levels.
| | • The lab undertook duplicate analysis at a ratio averaging 1 in 14 samples. Where over range results were obtained, the samples were repeated with alternative methodologies for more accurate readings. The lab undertook tests on in-house standards and blanks. Results were deemed to be within the expected accuracy levels. No external laboratory checks have yet been undertaken.

Verification of sampling and assaying | • The verification of significant intersections by either independent or alternative company personnel. | Significant intersections have been reviewed by at least two company technical personnel.
• The use of twinned holes. | None of the holes in the current report are twin holes.
• Documentation of primary data, data entry procedures, data verification, data storage (physical and electronic) protocols. | Geological and core quality logging was undertaken in a secure core facility in our local project base of Muelle de los Bueyes (Nicaragua), by the geologist and technician. This data was transferred daily from field log sheets and GPS devices into an Excel database. Analytical data has been uploaded directly from laboratory files into a GIS system for verification of data and locations. Verification of uploaded data is undertaken by a GIS specialist.
• Discuss any adjustment to assay data. | No adjustments of assay data were undertaken

Location of data points | • Accuracy and quality of surveys used to locate drill holes (collar and down-hole surveys), trenches, mine workings and other locations used in Mineral Resource estimation. | Garmin Oregon 600 hand-held GPS units were used to define the location of the drillhole collars. The GPS was left at the sample point for a minimum period of 2 minutes to obtain a location reading based on multiple reading averages. Sample locations are considered to be accurate to within 5m. Rig orientation (dip and azimuth) were set up by a geologist using Brunton compass and clinometer.
• Specification of the grid system used. | Grid system used is UTM Zone 16 with datum NAD27 Central.
• Quality and adequacy of topographic control. | A good topographical base has been produced using ortho-rectified aerial photos with 5m contours. Any variability in GPS elevation measurements of trench locations can be projected onto the topographical base.

Data spacing and distribution | • Data spacing for reporting of Exploration Results. | When marking up core for sampling, areas of variable geology, possible mineralisation and geological boundaries were utilised to determine the appropriate sample interval. A minimum sample length for this program was 10cm and generally ranging up to 1.5m.
• Whether the data spacing and distribution is sufficient to establish the degree of geological and grade continuity appropriate for the Mineral Resource and Ore Reserve estimation procedure(s) and classifications applied. | Drill holes in the Topacio program were only sampled in areas interpreted to contain significant alteration, veining, unusual lithologies or potential mineralisation.
• Whether sample compositing has been applied. | No sample compositing was undertaken. Throughout this report compositing has not been undertaken unless stated

Orientation of data in relation to geological structure | • Whether the orientation of sampling achieves unbiased sampling of possible structures and the extent to which this is known, considering the deposit type. | The vein targets in the Topacio program are assumed to have a sub-vertical (70-90 degree) dip. The azimuth of the holes was set perpendicular to the strike of the expected vein target and the dip of the drill holes was set as flat as possible (45 degrees) given the capabilities of the equipment being used, to maximise the angle between the drill and the vein where they intersect.
• If the relationship between the drilling orientation and the orientation of key mineralised structures is considered to have introduced a sampling bias, this should be assessed and reported if material. | With the drill orientation stated above, no bias is expected, however the down hole intervals (or apparent widths) are not
With the introduction of Newcrest, Oro Verde commenced exploration activities in February 2016 with initial data compilation and review, update of exploration targets and continued in June 2017 focussing on airborne geophysical surveys. A diamond drill program was initiated after the termination of the Newcrest farm-in agreement with Newcrest International Pty Ltd (Newcrest) whereby Newcrest could earn up to 75% in the Topacio Gold Project. This agreement was terminated in August 2017.

The Phase 3 trenching described in this report commenced after the termination of the Newcrest farm-in agreement. The concession is in good standing and no known impediments exist (see location map elsewhere in this report).

Section 2 Reporting of Exploration Results

(Criteria listed in the preceding section also apply to this section.)

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| **Sampling and data**     | • The measures taken to ensure sample security.                                        | Drill core was transported from the rig to the secure core logging facility on a daily basis by a company representative in sealed boxes. The sealed boxes were received at the core logging facility by the senior company representative and stored behind locked gates in the secure core logging facility. The sample chain of custody is managed by the senior company representative who places plastic sample bags in polyweave sacks. Up to 10 plastic sample bags are placed in each sack and sealed with ziplock ties. Each sack is clearly labelled with:
  - Company name
  - Name of laboratory
  - Sample number range
  - Samples were delivered by senior Company personnel directly to the Bureau Veritas Laboratory in Managua. Detailed records are kept of all samples that are dispatched and then received at the lab.
  - The laboratory maintains its own secure sample custody when transporting prepared samples or pulps from the Managua sample preparation laboratory to the Vancouver analytical laboratory. |
| **Audits or reviews**     | • The results of any audits or reviews of sampling techniques and data.                | A core logging and sampling protocol was introduced by Newcrest technical staff prior to the commencement of the Rebeca and Topacio drill programs. The protocol was then used by each of the Oro Verde sampling personnel and managed by the geologist on each sampling team. Drill logs and sampling data were reviewed by the GIS specialist and other technical personnel, and errors corrected where appropriate. |

### Commentary

- **Mineral tenement and land tenure status**
  - Type, reference name/number, location and ownership including agreements or material issues with third parties such as joint ventures, partnerships, overriding royalties, native title interests, historical sites, wilderness or national park and environmental settings.
  - The security of the tenure held at the time of reporting along with any known impediments to obtaining a licence to operate in the area.
  - The Topacio Gold Project is a Nicaraguan mining concession, known as Presillitas, held by Topacio S.A, and located approximately 200km east of Managua. Oro Verde Limited (OVL) holds an Option to Purchase Agreement over the concession through its 100% owned subsidiary Minera San Cristobal SA (MSC).
  - In November 2015, OVL/MSC signed a farm-in agreement with Newcrest International Pty Ltd (Newcrest) whereby Newcrest could earn up to 75% in the Topacio Gold Project. This agreement was terminated in August 2017.
  - The Phase 3 trenching described in this report commenced after the termination of the Newcrest farm-in agreement.
  - The concession is in good standing and no known impediments exist (see location map elsewhere in this report).

- **Exploration done by other parties**
  - Acknowledgment and appraisal of exploration by other parties.
  - Previous exploration of the Topacio Gold Project has consisted of mapping, stream sampling, rock chip sampling, soil sampling, trenching, diamond drilling and feasibility studies in 3 main periods:
    - 1980s – CPRM (Brasil)
    - 1990s – Triton Mining (Canada)
    - 2010-2013 – FDG Mining/Tango Gold (Canada)
  - The latter group has produced resource estimates that are consistent with NI 43-101 (Canadian) standards.
  - CPRM activities were undertaken at a time when compliance with standards such as JORC (Australian) and NI 43-101 (Canadian) did not exist. The quality of the data is thus difficult to appraise. Core samples from that phase of drilling are not known to be in existence.
  - Triton activities were undertaken during the mid-1990’s when quality control and QA/QC procedures and reporting standards were in the process of significant improvements. Information and data provided in Triton reports appears to be of reasonable quality, however OVL has not undertaken any specific checks, as trenches have been rehabilitated and core samples are not known to be in existence.
  - FDG /Tango activities were undertaken under NI 43-101 guidelines and standards and are considered to be of reasonable quality. Core from FDG drilling is being stored in a secure location near the project area and is in reasonable condition.
  - Oro Verde commenced exploration activities in February 2015 with initial data compilation and review, update of permits to operate, geological mapping, reconnaissance rock chip sampling and new target generation.
  - With the introduction of Newcrest, Oro Verde’s exploration activities in 2016 consisted of detailed vein and alteration mapping/sampling, soil sampling and airborne geophysical surveys. A diamond drill program was initiated in March 2017 focused on the Rebeca target and continued in June 2017 focused on the
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Deposit type, geological setting and style of mineralisation. | • The Newcrest farm-in agreement terminated in August 2017 and Oro Verde’s exploration work since that time has been solely funded and undertaken by OVL.  
• The Topacio Gold Project is a low sulphidation epithermal gold (silver) vein type system (along with stockworks and Precipitation) set in a sequence of tertiary volcanics – essentially of andesitic and basaltic composition. The project is located in the SE of Nicaragua in the province known as RACCS (South Caribbean Coast Autonomous Region).
• The main Topacio veins are NE striking and dipping steeply and variably to the NW and SE. Other veins in the broader concession, including the Rebeca vein, strike NW and are also steeply dipping. Veins are generally up to 3m wide but in places may blow out to widths of more than 20m.  
• Table 2 in this report provides this information  
• Note that due to the GPS units being used, there exists a possible error in northing/easting co-ordinates up to 3m.  
• RLS have been calibrated against a detailed topographic digital elevation model (DEM) derived from ortho-rectified aerial photos and may also have an error up to 3m.

#### Drill hole Information
- A summary of all information material to the understanding of the exploration results including a tabulation of the following information for all Material drill holes:
  - o easting and northing of the drill hole collar
  - o elevation or RL (Reduced Level – elevation above sea level in metres) of the drill hole collar
  - o dip and azimuth of the hole
  - o down hole length and interception depth
- If the exclusion of this information is justified on the basis that the information is not Material and this exclusion does not detract from the understanding of the report, the Competent Person should clearly explain why this is the case.

#### Data aggregation methods
- In reporting Exploration Results, weighting averaging techniques, maximum and/or minimum grade truncations (eg cutting of high grades) and cut-off grades are usually Material and should be stated.
- Where aggregate intercepts incorporate short lengths of high grade results and longer lengths of low grade results, the procedure used for such aggregation should be stated and some typical examples of such aggregations should be shown in detail.
- The assumptions used for any reporting of metal equivalent values should be clearly stated.
- In the composite results reported, weighted averages were used for intervals with gold grades in excess of 0.5g/t Au and maximum internal dilution of 1m. No top cutting was applied to either gold or silver.
- Minimum individual sample width in the dataset relating to this report is 0.15m, maximum is 2.0m.
- Where significant higher grade intervals are included in larger composites, these will be distinguished in the body of the report.
- Metal equivalent values are not used in this report.

#### Relationship between mineralisation widths and intercept lengths
- These relationships are particularly important in the reporting of Exploration Results.
- If the geometry of the mineralisation with respect to the drill hole angle is known, its nature should be reported.
- If it is not known and only the down hole lengths are reported, there should be a clear statement to this effect (eg ‘down hole length, true width not known’).
- The vein targets in the Topacio program are assumed to have a sub-vertical (70-90 degree) dip. The azimuth of the holes was set perpendicular to the expected vein target and the dip of the drill holes was set as flat as possible (45 degrees) given the capabilities of the equipment being used, to maximise the angle between the drill and the vein where they intersect.
- The absolute orientation of some of the veins and features encountered and reported is not known with great certainty at this point. A result, only down hole depths are reported.

#### Diagrams
- Appropriate maps and sections (with scales) and tabulations of intercepts should be included for any significant discovery being reported These should include, but not be limited to a plan view of drill hole collar locations and appropriate sectional views.
- Appropriate maps relevant to the current sampling program are available in the body of this report.
- A table of key gold & silver results is also included.

#### Balanced reporting
- Where comprehensive reporting of all Exploration Results is not practicable, representative reporting of both low and high grades and/or widths should be practiced to avoid misleading reporting of Exploration Results.
- Reporting of Oro Verde Limited results in this report is considered balanced. The prime objective is to observe the presence of gold results in the drilling. Peak gold values and significant intercepts for each hole have been reported. No other elements are considered significant, unless stated in the text of the report.
- Gold intercepts for each trench have already been reported; No other elements are considered significant, unless stated in the text of the report.

#### Other substantive exploration data
- Other exploration data, if meaningful and material, should be reported including (but not limited to): geological observations; geophysical survey results; geochemical survey results; bulk samples – size and method of treatment; metallurgical test results; bulk density, groundwater, geotechnical and rock characteristics; potential deleterious or contaminating substances.
- In addition to the current trench program, other technical work completed by OVL on the Topacio project includes reconnaissance rock chip sampling, geological mapping, soil sampling airborne geophysics (magnetics and radio-metrics) and diamond drilling. Where relevant in the context of the trench program, these other programs are referred to in the body of the report.

#### Further work
- The nature and scale of planned further work (eg tests for lateral extensions, depth extensions or large-scale step-out drilling).
- Diagrams clearly highlighting the areas of possible extensions, including the main geological interpretations and future drilling areas, provided this information is not commercially sensitive.
- As reported on 5 June 2017, OVL undertook a Phase 2 drill program around the Topacio gold resource to test extensions of that complex, results of which were reported on 1 August 2017.
- The above work was followed by a Phase 3 surface trenching program, the results of which form much of the basis for targeting of drilling described in this report.
- Subsequent exploration activities will be subject to results of the current programs which are partly described in this report, & further pending results.