

## Gold in Nevada; Deep Creek

The Deep Creek claims are located within the prolific Carlin gold trend of northern Nevada, 56 kilometers northeast of Newmont's (TSX:NMC) Midas mine. Gold at Deep Creek was first discovered by Franco-Nevada (TSX:FNV) in the mid 1980's when two large geochemical anomalies were found to contain visible gold in the grab samples. Since then, roughly 324 hectares (800 acres) of contiguous claims have been staked, with additional staking presently underway. **Ashburton plans to implement both a geochemical sampling program as well as a drill program in Q2 2010.**

TSX.V                      **ABR**

RECENT                      **\$0.06**

52w HIGH                      **\$0.18**

52w LOW                      **\$0.055**

### SHARE STRUCTURE

ISSUED	42,833,595
WARRANTS	18,192,000
OPTIONS	3,125,000
FULLY DILUTED	64,150,595

## Gold in Yukon; White Gold

Ashburton's White Gold project consists of 21 claims, all of which adjoin Underworld's (TSX.V:UW) Golden Saddle property. Upon collecting samples every 50 meters on lines spaced 300 meters apart, multiple gold soil anomalies were detected on 3 adjacent soil lines with analyses ranging up to 90 ppb Au. A second phase of soil sampling has since tripled the sampling density to 50-meter centers on lines spaced only 100 meters apart. The in-fill sampling detected several new anomalies ranging up to 95 and 150 ppb Au. **Following a detailed review of the latest results over the winter, a trenching program is anticipated for the 2010 summer followed by a drilling program in the later summer.**

## Lithium in Nevada; Hy Claims & Teels Marsh

Ashburton currently holds a total of 160 claims located throughout Nevada, including 123 Placer claims at Teels Marsh and an additional 37 "Hy" claims in both the Churchill and Pershing Counties. Water sampling along the northwest margin of the Teels Marsh playa confirmed lithium anomalies detected in previous work in surveys conducted in the 1970's. Work on the Hy claims includes 242 shallow auger holes used to test the lithium dispersion below the feed source. **Ashburton has recently entered into an option agreement with First Lithium Resources at Teels Marsh.**

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