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## Drilling Commences at Ravensthorpe as Medallion Prepares for Production

**Medallion Metals Limited (ASX:MM8, the Company or Medallion)** is pleased to advise that drilling has commenced at the Company's flagship Ravensthorpe Gold Project (RGP) in Western Australia, with drilling focussed on the Kundip Mining Centre (KMC). Medallion is actively operating on site with the drilling program forming a key technical workstream supporting the Company's transition toward development.

The program will comprise approximately 18,000 metres of combined reverse circulation and diamond drilling and will focus on increasing the size and confidence of the high-grade sulphide Mineral Resource at KMC. Results will support detailed mine planning and optimisation studies ahead of a potential commencement of underground mining operations, subject to approvals and funding.

### Highlights

- 18,000m drill program has commenced at RGP
- Program focused on preparing for near-term underground development at KMC
- In-fill drilling to further improve resource confidence and support detailed mine planning
- Extensional drilling targeting the Gem and Harbour View deposits to further define down-plunge and along-strike extensions and test newly identified footwall lode positions
- Results expected to support ongoing resource conversion and mine life extension

### Managing Director, Paul Bennett, commented:

*"With the Feasibility Study finalised and demonstrating compelling metrics we're moving quickly to development footing at Ravensthorpe. This drilling is the first part of a broader program of early works to ready the Project for production. The program has multiple facets including in-fill, resource conversion and deposit extension elements which are expected to increase the resources in terms of both size and confidence, while also reinforcing the longer-term growth opportunity by testing the deposit at depth. Beyond this, other value-accretive workstreams are progressing that have the potential optimise the development implementation and increase the scale of Medallion's production profile over time. A strong pipeline of positive news flow is expected in the first half of 2026."*



## Drilling Program Objectives

The drilling program will primarily support development readiness at Ravensthorpe by further improving resource confidence and definition in priority areas of the underground mine plan defined in the Feasibility Study (FS)<sup>1</sup>. Key objectives of the program include:

- **Upgrade targeted portions of the Inferred sulphide Mineral Resource to Indicated classification**, prioritising areas scheduled for early underground extraction
- **Additional infill drilling targeting initial ore drive development positions** to improve geological certainty and support detailed mine design and scheduling
- **Further definition of selective down-plunge and along-strike extensions to known mineralisation** within the KMC with a focus on the Gem and Harbour View lodes

Collectively, the drilling program is intended to strengthen the technical foundation of the Project by further improving resource confidence in key areas to support detailed development and production planning while also testing deposit growth opportunities at depth.

## Advancing Ravensthorpe Toward Development

Medallion is executing a clear and structured pathway toward development at Ravensthorpe in the short term.

The Company is progressing permitting activities and expects to provide a definitive update on the status of the approval application under the Environmental Protection and Biodiversity Conservation (EPBC) Act in January 2026.

Medallion will host a site visit in January which will be attended by the Board and key stakeholders including representatives of Trafigura Pte Ltd (Trafigura) who the Company has mandated to arrange and provide project finance and product offtake<sup>2</sup>. The site visit will coincide with a Board meeting at which a Final Investment Decision (FID) will be considered.

Key workstreams associated with the proposed acquisition of the Forrestania assets continue to be advanced. Key among these are FID and securing project finance. The Company remains confident the proposed acquisition of Forrestania will reach financial close in February 2026.

In parallel, preparatory work for Front End Engineering and Design (FEED) at the Cosmic Boy Concentrator (CBC) is underway. Early infrastructure works at the KMC are planned to commence following completion of the Forrestania transaction. Together, these activities are intended to enable the outcomes of the Feasibility Study to be efficiently implemented as the project transitions to the development phase.

Collectively, these workstreams are designed to support development readiness at Ravensthorpe and underpin Medallion's strategy to become a +75,000 ounce per annum gold equivalent (AuEq) producer within 18 months.

This announcement is authorised for release by the Board of Medallion Metals Limited.

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<sup>1</sup> For further information relating to the Feasibility Study refer to the Company's ASX announcement dated 12 December 2025.

<sup>2</sup> For further information relating to the finance and offtake initiatives refer to the Company's ASX announcement dated 27 October 2025.



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