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Volcanic Gold closes upsized private placement, raising \$1.66 million

Vancouver, British Columbia – Volcanic Gold Mines Inc. (TSXV: VG) ("Volcanic" or "the Company") is pleased to report that its previously announced non-brokered private placement financing has closed, raising gross proceeds of \$1,664,200. The Company has issued 13,868,332 units at \$0.12 per unit. Each unit consists of one common share of the Company and one warrant which entitles the holder to purchase one additional common share at a price of \$0.16 for two years following the closing. The warrants have an exercise acceleration clause such that following the statutory hold period, if the closing price of the Company's shares exceeds \$0.25 for any 10 consecutive trading days, the Company will have the right to accelerate the expiry date to 30 calendar days.

The proceeds of the private placement are intended to be used to fund the resumption of exploration activities on the Holly Property located in Guatemala, and for general working capital.

The Company has paid finder's fees for a portion of the financing consisting of \$23,712 in cash payments and 197,599 warrants which have the same terms as the unit warrants. Securities issued in the placement are subject to a resale restriction until November 16, 2025. The private placement is subject to final approval by the TSX Venture Exchange.

About Volcanic

Volcanic brings together an experienced and successful mining, exploration and capital markets team focused on building multi-million-ounce gold and silver resources in underexplored countries. Through the strategic acquisition of mineral properties with demonstrated potential for hosting gold and silver resources, and by undertaking effective exploration and drill programs, Volcanic intends to become a leading gold-silver company.

For further information, visit our website at <u>www.volgold.com</u>.

Volcanic Gold Mines Inc.

Simon Ridgway, President and CEO

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Forward-looking statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors which may cause the actual results, performance or achievements of the Company to be materially different from any results, performance or achievements expressed or implied by forward-looking statements. Such uncertainties and factors include, among others, whether the Company's plans for its property interests in Guatemala will proceed as intended; the uncertainties inherent in the mineral resource estimates; changes in general economic conditions and financial markets; the Company or any joint venture partner not having the financial ability to meet its exploration and development goals; risks associated with the results of exploration and development activities, estimation of mineral resources and the geology, grade and continuity of mineral deposits; unanticipated costs and expenses; and such other risks detailed from time to time in the Company's quarterly and annual filings with securities regulators and available under the Company's profile on SEDAR+ at www.sedarplus.ca. Although the Company has attempted to identify important factors that could cause actual actions, events or results to differ materially from those described in forward-looking statements, there may be other factors that cause actions, events or results to differ from those anticipated, estimated or intended.

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