MAYVIEW ANTIMONY–GOLD PROSPECT: LAND ACCESS AGREEMENT SIGNED

Land access agreement reached with landholder, enabling soil and rock chip sampling and geological mapping over high-grade historic antimony–gold workings near Hillgrove

- **Land access agreement reached:** Critical Resources has signed a land access agreement with the landholder at the Mayview Homestead Antimony–Gold Prospect, part of the Company's Halls Peak Project in the New England Fold Belt, NSW.
- **High-grade surface results previously reported:** rock chip samples from historic workings returned up to 52.3% Sb (MVS17) and 15.35% Sb with 2.71 g/t Au (MVS11).
- **Strategic location:** Mayview is located approximately 2.7 km from Larvotto Resources' (ASX:LRV) Hillgrove Antimony–Gold Project and may form part of a southeastern extension of the Hillgrove-style orogenic antimony–gold system.
- **On-ground exploration:** Access allows the Company to commence a low-impact soil geochemistry survey and detailed geological mapping over known historic workings.
- **Pathway to drill targeting:** Results from the survey and mapping are intended to define drill targets at Mayview. Any drilling would require a further access agreement with the landholder.

Critical Resources Limited ('Critical Resources' or the 'Company', ASX:CRR) advises that it has signed a land access agreement with the landholder at the Mayview Homestead Antimony–Gold Prospect (Mayview), located within the Company's Halls Peak Project, east of Armidale in northern New South Wales.

Securing access is a key step towards commencing on-ground work at Mayview, where the Company has previously reported high-grade antimony and gold results from rock chip sampling of historic workings and waste dumps left by 19th-century miners.

> **Critical Resources Managing Director, Tim Wither, commented:** 'Mayview has returned some of the highest antimony grades we have seen at Halls Peak, and securing land access means we can now start the work needed to understand what sits beneath those historic workings. We thank the landholder for their cooperation and look forward to working alongside them. The soil sampling and geological mapping program is low impact, and its purpose is to give us the data to design a well-targeted first drill program.'

WHY THIS MATTERS

Mayview has been one of the Company's highest-priority targets at Halls Peak since the December 2024 rock chip results, but systematic exploration could not begin until access terms were agreed with the landholder. With access in place, the Company can now collect the surface data needed to understand the orientation,

extent and continuity of the mineralised structures, providing the basis for designing an effective first drill program.

Antimony is listed as a critical mineral in Australia, the United States and the European Union. Mayview's proximity to Hillgrove, reported as Australia's largest antimony–gold system, makes it a strategically located exploration prospect within the Company's NSW portfolio.

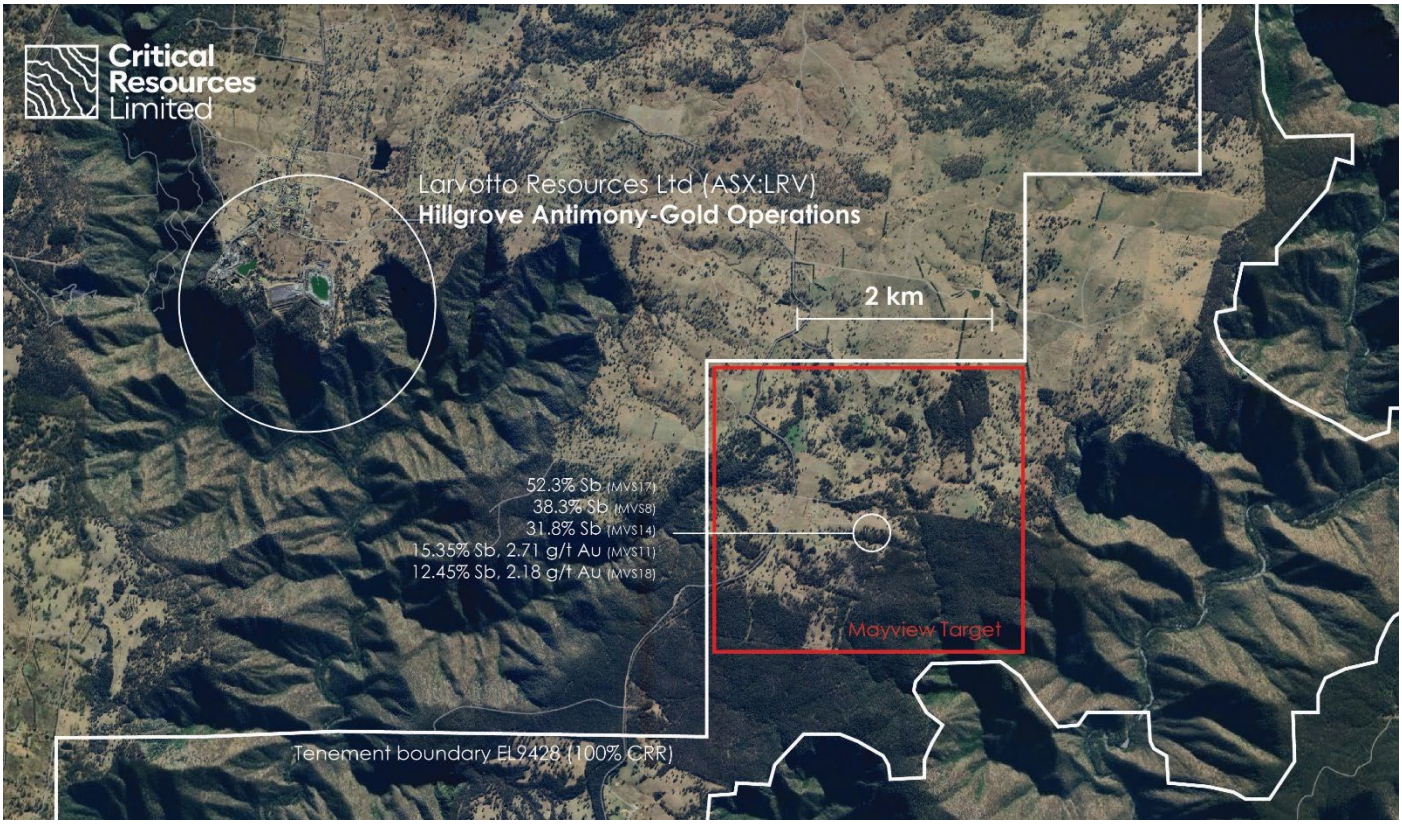


Figure 1 – *Mayview Antimony–Gold Prospect showing previously reported surface rock chip samples.*

Field mapping by the Company confirmed antimony–gold mineralisation in historic surface and underground workings at Mayview, hosted in multi-phase quartz–stibnite veins within silicified pelite. Previously reported rock chip results included (refer to the ASX announcement dated 16 December 2024):

- **52.3% Sb** (MVS17)
- **38.3% Sb** (MVS8)
- **15.35% Sb and 2.71 g/t Au** (MVS11)
- **12.45% Sb and 2.18 g/t Au** (MVS18)
- **11.2% Sb and 1.13 g/t Au** (MVS19)

Rock chip samples are selective by nature, were taken from historic workings and dumps, and are not necessarily representative of the mineralisation hosted at Mayview. The results confirm the presence of antimony and gold mineralisation but should not be taken as indicative of grade or scale.

PLANNED WORK PROGRAM

The initial work program at Mayview is designed to be low impact, with no ground disturbance beyond hand sampling. It is expected to comprise:

- **Soil geochemistry survey:** systematic soil sampling over and along strike of the approximately 270 m of mapped historic workings to define the footprint of antimony, gold and pathfinder element anomalism beneath cover.

- **Detailed geological and structural mapping:** mapping of quartz–stibnite vein systems, fault and shear zones and historic workings to determine vein orientation, controls on high-grade mineralisation and potential strike extensions.

- **Target definition:** integration of the new soil, mapping and existing rock chip data with the Company's airborne magnetic interpretation to rank drill targets.

Fieldwork is planned to be completed before the end of 2026, following a site inspection with the landholder and subject to contractor availability and weather. Assay results are expected approximately four weeks after sample submission. The Company will provide an update once fieldwork commences.

This announcement has been approved for release by the Board of Directors of Critical Resources.

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Halls Peak – Gibson Base Metals Project - Mineral Resource Estimate

Halls Peak Project JORC Classification	Zn Cut-Off grade (%)	Tonnage (Mt)	Zn (%)	Pb (%)	Cu (%)	Ag ppm (g/t)	Au ppm (g/t)
Indicated	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Inferred	2.0	0.84	3.7	1.5	0.44	30	0.1
Total*	**-**	**0.84**	**3.7**	**1.5**	**0.44**	**30**	**0.1**

*Reported at a cut-off grade of 2% Zn for an open pit mining scenario. Estimation for the model is from the generation of a rotated block model, with blocks dipping 55° >330°. Classification is according to the JORC Code Mineral Resource categories. Refer to the ASX:CRR announcement 30 June 2023.

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