

Arizona Metals Announces Restatement of Q3 Financial Statements

Toronto, December 16, 2024 – Arizona Metals Corp. (TSX:AMC, OTCQX:AZMCF) (the "Company" or "Arizona Metals") announces that it is restating its financial statements for the period ended September 30, 2024 (the "Amended Financial Statements"), along with a corresponding restated management discussion and analysis (the "Amended MD&A").

The restatement of the Amended Financial Statements and Amended MD&A was made to correct an overstatement of the Company's share-based payments for the three and nine-months ended September 30, 2024 in the Company's financial statements for the period ended September 30, 2024 filed on November 14, 2024 (the "Original Financial Statements") and corresponding management discussion and analysis. The overstatement was identified during the preparation for the filing of the company's preliminary short form prospectus (the "Preliminary Prospectus"), which was filed on December 6, 2024 in connection with the bought-deal offering of common shares of the Company announced on December 2, 2024 (the "Offering"). The need to restate (the "Restatement") of the Original Financial Statements was disclosed in the Preliminary Prospectus.

The Company, together with its auditors who have reviewed the Amended Financial Statements in connection with the Offering, determined that while the correction does not represent a material change to the Issuer, it does necessitate the Restatement and filing of the Amended Financial Statements and Amended MD&A. The correction of the overstatement of the Company's share based payments for the period in the Company's financial statements has no impact on the Company's current or net assets, non-current or total liabilities, meaning there is no change to the Company's cash or working capital positions as at September 30, 2024. Readers are encouraged to review the Amended Financial Statements and Amended MD&A.

About Arizona Metals Corp

Arizona Metals Corp owns 100% of the Kay Project in Yavapai County, which is located on a 1669 acres of patented and BLM mining claims and193 acres of private land that are not subject to any royalties. An historic estimate by Exxon Minerals in 1982 reported a "proven and probable reserve of 6.4 million short tons at a grade of 2.2% copper, 2.8 g/t gold, 3.03% zinc, and 55 g/t silver." The historic estimate at the Kay Deposit was reported by Exxon Minerals in 1982. (Fellows, M.L., 1982, Kay Mine massive sulphide deposit: Internal report prepared for Exxon Minerals Company)

The Kay Mine historic estimate has not been verified as a current mineral resource. None of the key assumptions, parameters, and methods used to prepare the historic estimate were reported, and no resource categories were used. Significant data compilation, re-drilling and data verification may be required by a Qualified Person before the historic estimate can be verified and upgraded to be a current mineral resource. A Qualified Person has not done sufficient work to classify it as a current mineral resource, and Arizona Metals is not treating the historic estimate as a current mineral resource.

The Kay Mine is a steeply dipping VMS deposit that has been defined from a depth of 60 m to at least 900 m. It is open for expansion on strike and at depth.

The Company also owns 100% of the Sugarloaf Peak Property, in La Paz County, which is located on 4,400 acres of BLM claims. Sugarloaf is a heap-leach, open-pit target and has a historic estimate



of "100 million tons containing 1.5 million ounces gold" at a grade of 0.5 g/t (Dausinger, N.E., 1983, Phase 1 Drill Program and Evaluation of Gold-Silver Potential, Sugarloaf Peak Project, Quartzsite, Arizona: Report for Westworld Inc.)

The historic estimate at the Sugarloaf Peak Property was reported by Westworld Resources in 1983. The historic estimate has not been verified as a current mineral resource. None of the key assumptions, parameters, and methods used to prepare the historic estimate were reported, and no resource categories were used. Significant data compilation, re-drilling and data verification may be required by a Qualified Person before the historic estimate can be verified and upgraded to a current mineral resource. A Qualified Person has not done sufficient work to classify it as a current mineral resource, and Arizona Metals is not treating the historic estimate as a current mineral resource.

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