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AS VICTORIA GOLD'S EAGLE GOLD PROJECT, 85 KILOMETRES NORTH OF THE VILLAGE OF MAYO, ADVANCED TO CONSTRUCTION, the number of company employees and contractors needing efficient access to the project site increased significantly and in response to this demand, Air North, Yukon's Airline added Mayo to its scheduled service network in June.

It has been more than 20 years since Mayo and area residents have had the benefit of scheduled air access to Whitehorse and points beyond and the activity at the Eagle Gold Project was the catalyst for this new service. During this first six months, traffic has grown each month and is expected to exceed 5,000 passengers by the end of 2018.

"Victoria Gold and the First Nation of Nacho Nyak Dun both deserve a lot of credit for recognizing the broad benefits that will accrue to the community by working in partnership with us to support the resumption of scheduled air service to Mayo," says Joseph Sparling, President, Air North, Yukon's Airline.

"Workforce traffic on our scheduled flights benefits the entire community by facilitating affordable air access to Whitehorse as well as to our gateway cities. Community partnerships like this really illustrate the territory-wide value of major projects like Victoria's Eagle Gold."

"Our Victoria team has worked closely with Air North, Yukon's Airline and with our Eagle Gold Project contractors as well as other mining companies working in the Mayo area to develop a mutually beneficial flight schedule for crew rotations. We are also very pleased to see Mayo residents experience the benefits of regular air access," says John McConnell, President & CEO, Victoria Gold Corp.

In addition to support for hundreds of other causes, Air North, Yukon's Airline is a founding supporter of the Victoria Gold Yukon Student Encouragement Society's volunteer-driven *Every Student, Every Day* charity to help address student attendance challenges throughout the territory.



Air North, Yukon's Airline re-introduced scheduled service to Mayo in June; benefitting area residents and Victoria Gold's Eagle Gold Project.

ABOUT VICTORIA GOLD AND THE EAGLE GOLD PROJECT

The Eagle Gold Project, currently under construction, and future gold mine is part of Victoria's 100 per cent-owned Dublin Gulch gold property located approximately 375 kilometres north of Whitehorse and 85 kilometres north, northeast of the Village of Mayo within the traditional territory of the First Nation of Na-Cho Nyak Dun. The property is accessible by road year-round and is within Yukon Energy's electrical grid.

The Eagle Gold Project has received all major permits for construction and operations, completed the Yukon Environmental and Socio-economic Assessment Board (YESAB) process and mutually created and implements the *Comprehensive Cooperation and Benefits Agreement* with the First Nation of Na-Cho Nyak Dun. Once in operation, the mine will be a significant economic contributor to Yukon employing 350 to 400 people.