

## **NuLegacy Closes Initial Tranche of 8.5 Million Units**

~ Insiders Participate as to 40% ~

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July 19, 2018 Reno, NV - NuLegacy Gold Corporation reports that it has completed an initial closing of its non-brokered private placement announced July 5 and 10, 2018 (the "Financing") of 8.5 million units (the "Units") of the 15 million offered at a price of \$0.20 per Unit for gross proceeds of \$1.7 million.

Of the initial closing, directors and officers of the Company have purchased a total of 3.4 million Units for an aggregate purchase price of \$0.68 million, and it is anticipated that OceanaGold Corporation will participate in the second closing to purchase such number of Units as is required to maintain its undiluted equity ownership interest in NuLegacy Gold at 16.2% once the final size of the Financing is determined.

Each Unit consists of one common share and one share purchase warrant, each warrant entitling the holder to purchase one additional common share of the Company for a period of 24 months, subject to acceleration, at a price of \$0.30. The net proceeds of the Financing will be used to fund further exploration of the Company's Red Hill Project in Nevada and for general corporate and working capital purposes.

Subject to acceptance of the TSX Venture Exchange, the Company expects to pay a finder's fee on a portion of the Financing (excluding the participation by insiders and OceanaGold Corp.). All securities issued under the initial closing are subject to a four month and one day hold period expiring November 20, 2018.

**About NuLegacy Gold Corporation**: NuLegacy is a Nevada exploration company focused on discovering additional Carlin-style gold deposits on its premier district scale 98 sq. km (38 sq. mile) Red Hill Project in the prolific Cortez gold trend of Nevada.

To date NuLegacy has discovered the Iceberg Carlin-style gold deposits and has identified several more highly prospective exploration targets that are being drilled this year.

NuLegacy's Red Hill Project is located on <u>trend and adjacent<sup>i</sup> to the three multi-million ounce</u> Carlin-type gold deposits (the Pipeline, Cortez Hills and Goldrush deposits) that are amongst Barrick Gold's largest, lowest cost and politically safest gold mines<sup>ii</sup>.

## ON BEHALF OF NULEGACY GOLD CORPORATION

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Derick Unger, NuLegacy's Chief Geologist is a Certified Professional Geologist (CPG 11927) and the qualified person as defined by NI 43-101, *Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects* responsible for approving the scientific and technical information contained in this news release.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>i</sup> The similarity and proximity of these deposits in the Cortez Trend is not necessarily indicative of the gold mineralization in NuLegacy's Red Hill Project.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>ii</sup> As extracted from Barrick's Q4-2013 and Q1-2014 reports. As reported by Barrick, the Goldrush resource contains 8,557,000 indicated ounces of gold within 25.78 million tonnes grading ~10.57 g/t and 1,650,000 inferred ounces within 5.6 million tonnes grading ~9.0 g/t.