



## Zodiac Gold Announces Exclusivity Agreement and Exploration Funding

Vancouver, BC, September 30, 2024 - Zodiac Gold Inc. (“**Zodiac Gold**” or the “**Company**”) (TSX.V:ZAU), is pleased to announce that it has entered into an exclusivity agreement (the “**Exclusivity Agreement**”) with Mable and Fable Limited (“**Mable and Fable**” or the “**Investor**”), an arm's-length private equity group focused on West African investments across various sectors including natural resources, banking, real estate, agriculture, and infrastructure sectors.

Pursuant to the Exclusivity Agreement, Zodiac Gold has agreed to negotiate exclusively with the Investor until December 31, 2024 with respect to a potential investment or strategic transaction between Zodiac Gold and the Investor. In exchange, the Investor has agreed to pay a US\$2 million deposit to the Company (the “**Deposit**”), of which \$1 million will be funded immediately and \$1 million will be funded within 30 days.

Zodiac Gold will use the Deposit to fund exploration activities on its Todi Project and areas underlying its newly acquired exploration licenses, as well as for general working capital purposes. If Zodiac Gold and the Investor enter into a definitive agreement with respect to a potential transaction by December 31, 2024, the Deposit will be applied as a credit against amounts otherwise payable by the Investor pursuant to the terms of the definitive agreement. If Zodiac Gold and the Investor do not enter into a definitive agreement by December 31, 2024, the Deposit (converted into Canadian dollars based on a F/X rate of US\$1.00 = C\$1.35) will be converted into common shares of Zodiac Gold at a price of C\$0.30 per share.

The conversion of the Deposit into shares is subject to the receipt of TSXV approval. All shares issued on the conversion of the Deposit will be subject to a statutory hold period of four months and one day from the date of issuance. The Investor has also agreed that, except with the Company's prior approval, it will not transfer any shares issued on the conversion of the Deposit for a period of 12 months from the date of issuance.

### Management Commentary

David Kol, President & CEO of Zodiac Gold, commented: “This exclusivity agreement represents a significant step forward for Zodiac Gold. By partnering with Mable and Fable, we align ourselves with a group that shares our vision for unlocking the potential of our Todi Project and broader land package. This transformative investment reflects the true underlying value we've built in our assets and the exciting exploration opportunities that lie ahead. With this funding, we will accelerate our work on key targets, where early results point to a highly prospective resource base. We remain focused on delivering meaningful discoveries, and I believe we are well-positioned to advance toward realizing the full potential of our district-scale opportunity in Liberia”

### About Mable and Fable

Mable and Fable is the lead developer and investor behind a €10 billion diaspora real estate development project in Abuja, Nigeria. Their investment acumen in gold and iron ore mining, along with future steel processing and production, aligns with their expansive infrastructure



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development program in Nigeria and Africa as a whole. Mable and Fable, which has affiliated offices in the U.K., Germany, and Nigeria, brings extensive experience in supporting growth-stage resource ventures, reinforcing our shared vision for unlocking significant value in the region.

### **About Zodiac Gold**

Zodiac Gold Inc. (TSX.V:ZAU) is a West-African exploration company focused on its flagship Todi Project situated in Liberia -- an underexplored, politically stable, mining-friendly jurisdiction hosting several large-scale gold and iron ore deposits. Strategically positioned along the fertile Todi Shear Zone, Zodiac Gold is developing a district-scale opportunity covering a vast 2,316 km<sup>2</sup> land package. The Todi project includes gold and iron occurrences both at surface and at depth, with high-grade gold intercepts and multiple drill-ready targets.

For further information, please visit the Zodiac Gold website at [www.zodiac-gold.com](http://www.zodiac-gold.com) or contact:

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