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### VICTORIA GOLD'S COMMITMENT TO YUKONERS

Victoria Gold is pleased to support teams from across the territory undertaking different pursuits including **Village of Mayo resident Cheryl Klippert and her 'Victoria Gold Corp' 2022 Klondike Road Relay team in early September.**

"We were happy to sponsor Cheryl and her team of runners in the 2022 Klondike Road Relay," says Victoria Gold President and CEO John McConnell. "We have supported her team in this event every year the race has been held since 2017 and from our Victoria team to her race team, we extend our sincere congratulations."

The 175-kilometre relay begins in Skagway, Alaska and is broken into 10 legs, varying in distance from nine to 25.6 kilometres. It begins at sea level, ascends to an elevation of 1,004 metres in the first two legs, and descends to 610 metres toward the finish line at Rotary Peace Park in Whitehorse. The race was not held in 2020 and 2021 due to the pandemic and/or resulting cross-border logistics challenges.

"Our team, which we called 'Victoria Gold Corp' to acknowledge the company's support, was compiled of energetic and committed runners from Mayo, Dawson City, Whitehorse, and Manitoba," says Cheryl. "Our Leg 1 runner started running at 8:45 p.m. on Friday evening in Skagway, the rest of us ran through the night and our final runner crossed the finish line at 5 p.m. on Saturday."

The relay was conceptualized in 1982 by the Tourism Industry Association of the Yukon as a means of attracting visitors to the territory in the Fall. In 1983, the first race took place with 25 teams. The 2022 relay boasted 158 teams from across Canada and the U.S.

"The weather was on our side and the full moon was a bonus," continues Cheryl. "Thank you to Victoria Gold for supporting us. At the end of the day, we were all wearing smiles."



2022 Klondike Road Relay 'Victoria Gold Corp' team left to right: Darby McIntyre, Robin Fairborn, Jessica Smith, Cheryl Klippert, Clarke LePrairie, Priscilla Clarkin, Bill LeBarge, Erinne Stevens, Jeffrey Mackie and Anna Donohoe.

## VICTORIA GOLD IS PROUD TO HAVE YUKONERS AT WORK

IF YOU ARE A YUKONER WITH MINING EXPERIENCE, WE ENCOURAGE YOU TO CONNECT WITH US.

Victoria is currently hiring tradespeople, equipment operators, process/crusher operators and other positions to work at the Eagle Gold Mine. Visit the "Work For Us" page on our website at [vgcx.com/contact/work-for-us/](http://vgcx.com/contact/work-for-us/) and send your resume to [greatpeoplework@vgcx.com](mailto:greatpeoplework@vgcx.com).

### ABOUT VICTORIA GOLD & THE EAGLE GOLD MINE

The Eagle Gold Mine is situated within Victoria Gold's 100 per cent-owned Dublin Gulch 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 connected to Yukon Energy Corp's electrical grid. The mine is a significant contributor to the Yukon economy employing 350-400 people.

