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**AQUILA EXPANDS NEAR SURFACE
GOLD MINERALIZATION
AT THE 90 GOLD ZONE**

Results include 13.5 meters (true width) of 7.11 grams per tonne gold

AQUILA RESOURCES INC. (TSX: AQA – Frankfurt: JM4A) (“Aquila” or the “Company”) today released results from 13 drill holes targeting expansion of the 90 Gold Zone at the Back Forty Project in Michigan’s Upper Peninsula. Drilling to date has defined the 90 Gold Zone to over 300 meters along strike and to approximately 100 meters down dip. Drilling also encountered numerous gold intercepts in footwall rocks to the 90 Gold Zone. In addition to gold, highly elevated silver values are also commonly associated with the 90 Gold Zone.

Highlights from the 11 recently completed holes include:

- **13.5 meters (est. true thickness) of 7.1 g/t gold in LK-273.**
- **9 meters (est. true thickness) of 5.9 g/t gold and 204.7 g/t silver, in LK-249.**
- **3.5 meters (true thickness unknown) of 15.8 g/t gold and 193.5 g/t silver in LK-252.**
- **15.2 meters (est. true thickness) of 4.9 g/t gold in LK-260.**

Complete results from the 13 recently completed holes at the 90 Gold Zone are tabulated below.

Hole #	All Intervals in Meters		Est. True Width	g/t Au	g/t Ag	% Cu	% Pb	% Zn	Description
	From	To							
LK-249 Including	30.1	40.0	9.0	5.86	204.73	0.03	0.20	0.65	90 Gold Zone
	31.0	34.5	3.2	10.41	487.31	0.05	0.20	0.04	90 Gold Zone
	107.0	117.5	10.5*	0.61	19.63	0.02	1.14	1.80	Chlorite tuff - 90 Gold Zone footwall
LK-250	20.3	29.0	5.2	1.64	2.05	0.01	0.05	0.01	90 Gold Zone
LK-252 Including	49.0	70.3	16.9	1.82	22.33	0.02	0.18	0.16	90 Gold Zone
	68.0	70.3	1.8	4.68	57.96	0.04	0.64	0.24	90 Gold Zone
	201.0	204.5	3.5*	15.78	193.54	0.17	1.68	0.25	Rhyolite crystal tuff overlying S. limb
Including	204.5	226.3	21.5	1.02	14.03	0.11	0.18	10.01	South limb massive sulfide
	206.0	218.0	11.9	0.68	5.82	0.06	0.15	14.96	South limb massive sulfide
	243.0	249.0	6*	0.33	7.90	0.46	0.04	0.03	Stringer sulfides
LK-253	16.2	22.5	5.0	0.83	2.01	0.00	0.04	0.00	90 Gold Zone
LK-254 Including	44.0	68.3	8.5	1.53	48.57	0.01	0.16	0.24	90 Gold Zone
	44.0	48.5	1.6	2.93	96.68	0.01	0.10	0.28	90 Gold Zone
LK-256	83.5	89.5	6*	4.36	17.38	0.02	0.75	0.88	Chlorite tuff - 90 Gold Zone footwall
	97.0	104.0	7*	0.31	18.08	0.02	1.09	2.72	Chlorite tuff/Rhyolite crystal tuff
LK-260 Including	2.7	23.5	15.2	4.89	24.61	0.02	0.05	0.01	90 Gold Zone
	9.5	15.0	4	8.48	36.17	0.02	0.07	0.01	90 Gold Zone
LK-261 Including	25.0	32.6	5.0	5.05	13.74	0.01	0.03	0.01	90 Gold Zone
	31.0	32.6	1.1	11.85	28.62	0.02	0.05	0.01	90 Gold Zone
	98.5	106.0	7.5*	0.35	12.69	0.02	0.53	2.11	Chlorite tuff - 90 Gold Zone footwall
LK-262	18.0	20.9	2.0	1.81	6.56	0.00	0.07	0.01	90 Gold Zone
	77.9	88.5	10.6*	0.28	7.87	0.03	0.33	1.61	Rhyolite crystal tuff
LK-268	No significant values								
LK-270	45.0	48.0	3*	2.25	57.21	0.01	0.24	0.12	90 Gold Zone
	95.1	98.0	2.9*	2.38	65.63	0.01	0.31	0.63	90 Gold Zone
	107.0	113.0	6*	0.48	13.25	0.01	0.65	3.27	Chlorite tuff - 90 Gold Zone footwall
LK-273 Including	27.0	40.5	13.5	7.11	9.34	0.00	0.03	0.01	90 Gold Zone
	39.0	40.5	1.5	39.97	31.00	0.00	0.04	0.02	90 Gold Zone
LK-275	57	58.5	1.5*	4.01	10.00	0.01	0.02	0.00	Chlorite tuff - 90 Gold Zone footwall

*Drilled thickness, true thickness unknown

90 GOLD ZONE EXPANSION

A total of 52 holes have now intersected the 90 Gold Zone at 10 to 25 meter spacing to define an envelope of mineralization partially overlapping the Tuff Zone massive sulfide and extending outward from it to the surface. “We are hopeful that this gold and silver mineralization can be included in the upcoming NI 43-101 resource estimate expected later this year,” stated Tom Quigley, Aquila’s president. “The continuity and grade of this precious metal zone is quite impressive, and these latest results highlight the widespread gold and silver mineralization associated with the Back Forty mineralized system.”

PREPARATION FOR RESOURCE UPDATE

An additional seven holes are pending from the 90 Gold Zone, and approximately 16 holes are pending from the Pinwheel extension and South Limb massive sulfides, and a newly discovered near surface gold zone located between the 90 Gold Zone and the Pinwheel massive sulfide zone. Three drills continue to operate at the project focused on resource definition and expansion.

Metallurgical test work is also progressing, and a preliminary description of these results is expected in the near future. Ongoing test work includes both open circuit and locked cycle flotation tests on sulfide ores, leach and gravity tests on gold and silver ores, and characterization of concentrates and tailings.

A NI 43-101 preliminary assessment (scoping study) is planned following completion of the updated resource calculation.

A plan view map of the 90 Gold Zone drill holes is posted on the company's website at www.aquilaresources.com.

Sample preparation and analyses for this release were conducted by Accurassay Labs in Thunder Bay, Ontario on split drill core supplied by Aquila. Standards were inserted in the sample sequences with check assays and re-run's routinely conducted. Tom Quigley, P.Geol. and President of Aquila is the Qualified Person as described in National Instrument 43-101 for the Back Forty Project and is responsible for the content of this press release.

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