

## Community Newsletter July, 2021

Greetings from the team at Talon Metals,

Summer has been off to a beautiful start and our team has been busy continuing our work on the Tamarack Nickel Project. In this newsletter, we would like to highlight our most recent on-site activities, the expansion of our team and share the latest news on nickel. As always, please reach out to Jessica Johnson with any questions or to schedule a site visit. <a href="mailto:johnson@talonmetals.com">johnson@talonmetals.com</a> or 218-460-9345.

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#### **Environmental Update**

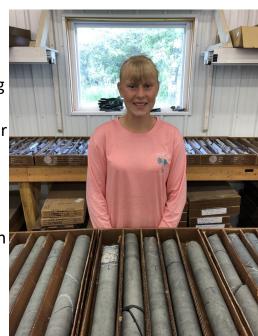
Environmental studies for the project are increasing, and we are currently developing work plans to add additional baseline monitoring parameters as well as additional monitoring locations throughout the area. With baseline monitoring, our team collects water samples which are then sent to a lab for testing. The test results help identify normal trends and patterns in the water quality over time.

The environmental data we collect plays a critical role in our mine design planning. Increasing our database will help us to make informed decisions about the details of our project plans as we move forward.

#### **Team Update**

The Talon team has grown over the past few months. We now have 36 team members working on site in various job capacities including drilling, geology, operations, surveying, environmental studies, safety, and community outreach. Visit our <u>job opportunities</u> page for current open positions.

Elisabeth Kachinske, a recent graduate from our local Cromwell Highschool has joined us this summer for a 6-week internship program. We are excited to have her be a part of our team and learn different aspects of the mineral exploration process. Elisabeth plans to attend Fond du Lac Community College next fall for her generals and then move on to the University of Minnesota-Duluth to study geology and archeology.



Talon team member Elisabeth Kachinske

"My experience with Talon has been great and people have been really helpful!" said Elisabeth. "I have learned about core logging, a lot of geology, and a little bit of everything around here. This has helped solidify my choice in going to school for geology."



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### **Project Update**

Our drill program has continued to be successful, and our 3 rigs have been focused on exploring outside of the current resource, with a 4<sup>th</sup> drill rig joining soon. This exploration area begins approximately 1,100 feet north of the current resource. The drilling in this area has consistently intersected high grade nickel-copper mineralization at shallow depths (700-800 feet) in comparison to the current resource area (1600-1900 feet). This potentially means that with an underground mine design, we could reach this mineralization sooner. See press release dated June 1, 2021 that summarizes the drilling results of this target area so far. Our drilling is ongoing, and results will continue to be shared in our press releases. If you are interested in receiving our press releases you can subscribe on our website.

#### **Nickel News**

In recent news, the Biden Administration has laid out an agenda to prioritize strengthening America's supply chains with a major focus on critical minerals for advancing the electric vehicle industry. Click here to read the full <u>report</u>.

Nickel is a critical mineral found in electric vehicle batteries and helps to extend their range. If the Tamarack Nickel Project progresses into production, it could play a key role in supporting this agenda

As always, please reach out with any questions or feedback. We look forward to keeping you informed as we continue our work.

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