

Barksdale Announces Stock Option Grants

NOTE: All figures are in Canadian Dollars unless otherwise stated

Vancouver, British Columbia--(Newsfile Corp. - January 23, 2026) - **Barksdale Resources Corp.** (TSXV: BRO) (OTCQB: BRKCF) (FSE: 2NZ) ("**Barksdale**" or the "**Company**") is pleased to announce it has granted stock options to certain directors, officers, employees and consultants of the Company to acquire an aggregate of 4,850,000 common shares in the capital of the Company, pursuant to the Company's stock option plan. The stock options are each convertible into a common share at an exercise price of \$0.12 until January 22, 2029.

William Wulftange, President and CEO states, "I am truly proud and thankful for all the hard work, long hours and dedication our employees, management and board have put in over the past year. Their commitment to Barksdale, the work done to secure 51% ownership of the Sunnyside Property, was unparalleled. The option grants are all well-deserved and demonstrate our appreciation for a job well done."

About Barksdale Resources Corp.

At Barksdale, our mission is to drive long-term shareholder value through the strategic acquisition, exploration, and advancement of high-quality critical, base, and precious metal projects across the Americas.

We are focused on the metals essential to the global energy transition and modern infrastructure, particularly copper, zinc, and other critical minerals at a time when secure, domestic and regional sources are more important than ever.

With a sharp focus on critical metals and a commitment to responsible growth, Barksdale is positioned to play a key role in meeting tomorrow's resource needs.

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