

## NEWS RELEASE

### **Highway 50 Begins 5,000-metre Drill Campaign at Gold Knob, Nevada**

**Vancouver, British Columbia – Highway 50 Gold Corp. (TSX.V – HWY)  
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**Highway 50 Gold Corp. (“Highway 50” or the “Company”)** is pleased to announce the commencement of a 10 to 15-hole drill program at its 100% owned Gold Knob Au project, located in north-central Nevada.

The 5,000-metre Phase I program is designed to offset known gold mineralization as well as testing the Company’s interpretation that a major gold system exists at depth. Most holes will range from 180 m to 425 m (600-1,400 ft) deep, depending on ground conditions.

The Gold Knob project hosts gold mineralization in both Upper-plate Valmy rocks and Lower-plate Comus rocks, traceable on surface and in previous drill holes for roughly 5 km. These are the same host rock types found in the Turquoise Ridge District. At a regional level, the project shows deep crustal similarities to the nearby Cortez District, including the intersection of the Cactano trough and the Northern Nevada Rift Central.

**Qualified Person:** The scientific and technical disclosure in this news release has been approved by Gordon P. Leask, P.Eng., President and CEO of the Company, and a Qualified Person as defined by National Instrument 43-101 (Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects).

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#### ***About Highway 50 Gold Corp.***

Highway 50 Gold Corp. is a mineral exploration stage company led by a team of experienced explorers and mine finders. The Company is executing an exploration plan refined over 35 years of experience in Nevada. The exploration focus on its projects are a result of what management believes to be breakthroughs in the understanding of north-central Nevada’s crustal architecture.

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