

# Quarterly Investor Webinar

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### ... the graphite world is changing and so is Your Company

#### **Graphite Demand...**

- Demand is exceeding supply
- 25% price increase of flake graphite in 2022
- Battery demand dominates the graphite market

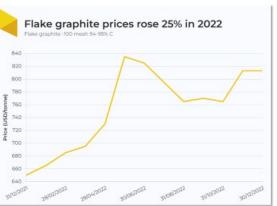
#### **Electric Vehicles** and Legislation...

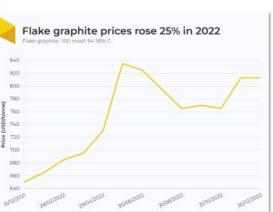
- Inflation Reduction Act in US is a gamechanger
- Volt is seeing similar activity in Europe

#### **Volt Resources - Clear Focus**

- Clear focus on graphite and natural graphite anode material
- Continue to emphasize execution and accountability







**Synthetic Anode:** 2022-2030

Supply Growth 150%

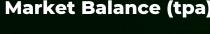
Demand Growth 170%

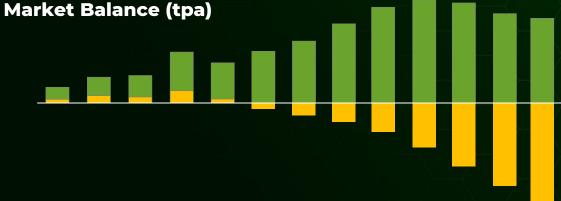
**Natural Anode:** 2022-2030 **Demand** 

Supply Growth 95%

Growth 415%







2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023 2024 2025 2026 2027 2028 2029 2030

## Stage 1 Bunyu Graphite all sold under Binding Offtakes

#### **Graphex Group Limited**

Binding offtake agreement signed with global battery anode material producer Graphex Group Limited subsidiary, Graphex Michigan 1 LLC.

- 10,000 tpa fine flake graphite for five years
- An option to extend a further five years
- All Stage 1 fine graphite product is sold

#### Qingdao Baixing Graphite Company Ltd

Binding offtake agreement signed with established producer of graphite products

- 12,000-90,000 tpa coarse flake graphite for five years
- An option to extend a further five years
- All Stage 1 coarse graphite product is sold







### Bunyu Stage 1 Financing on Track...

#### Financing Strategy

- ✓ Secure binding offtakes COMPLETED
- Use combination of project equity and debt with <u>non-bank</u> financiers.
  - Understand graphite market
  - Different risk profile than traditional banks
- Secure financing by September 2023
  - On track

# **Ukraine - Zavalievsky Graphite**

## Low Cost ZG Operating Plan is now under execution

- Evaluated three options and selected low-cost plan for 2023
- An optimised campaign cycle of one month production every quarter (three campaigns across Q2, Q3 and Q4 is planned for the remainder of 2023)
- ASX announcement on the first campaign



## **Focus on Fiscal Discipline**





### Fiscal discipline implemented...

We are well capitalized...

|                                       | Jan – March<br>2023 | Oct – December<br>2022 |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|
| Cash on hand                          | \$5,353k            | \$5,518k               |
| Net cash used in operating activities | \$910k              | \$1,346k               |
| Net cash used in investing activities | \$276k              | \$2,085k               |

### Volt 2023 Scorecard



**Bunyu Graphite Project (Tanzania)** 

Zavalievsky Graphite Operation (Ukraine)

**Battery Anode Material Plant (USA)** 

**Fiscal Discipline** 



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