

## **PACIFIC RIDGE ANNOUNCES COMPLETION OF DRILLING AT SPIUS, RESULTS OF AGM**

**Vancouver, B.C. – June 21, 2019** - Pacific Ridge Exploration Ltd. (TSX Venture: PEX) ("Pacific Ridge" or the "Company") reports that it has successfully completed four NQ core holes for 1,087 m on its Spius copper porphyry prospect located 40 km southwest of Merritt, British Columbia. All holes intersected porphyry style alteration and mineralization. Assays from the drill program will be released when they are received, expected to be in four to six weeks. The drilling was carried out by Paycore Enterprises Ltd. of Valemount, B.C.

The Company also reports that the following directors were re-elected at its Annual General Meeting held June 20, 2019: Gerald Carlson, R.E. Gordon Davis, Blaine Monaghan and Bruce Youngman. In addition, the shareholders re-appointed PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP, Chartered Accountants, as auditor of the Company and approved the Company's rolling incentive stock option plan pursuant to which a maximum of 10% of the issued shares will be reserved for issuance under the plan. The plan is subject to TSX Venture Exchange acceptance.

The following officers were re-appointed subsequent to the Annual General Meeting: Gerald Carlson as President & CEO, R.E. Gordon Davis as Chairman, Salvador Miranda as Chief Financial Officer, and Arie Page as Corporate Secretary.

### **About Pacific Ridge**

Pacific Ridge has assembled a portfolio of highly prospective gold and base metal projects located in the Yukon and British Columbia, where its board and management team have a track record of success. Its holdings include the Mariposa, Eureka Dome and Gold Cap gold exploration projects in the Klondike-White Gold District, Fyre Lake in the Finlayson District and Spius Cu-Mo-Au porphyry in southern British Columbia.

On behalf of the Board of Directors,

*"Gerald G. Carlson"*

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*The technical information contained within this News Release has been reviewed and approved by Gerald G. Carlson, Ph.D., P.Eng., President and CEO of Pacific Ridge and Qualified Person as defined by National Instrument 43-101 policy.*

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