



## CCC Presentation

# Hera-Federation Complex Project Update

10 December 2024

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# Acknowledgement of Country

- Aurelia Metals Ltd respectfully acknowledges the Ngiyampaa Nation as the Traditional Custodians of this land – both past and present.
- We know this land has history, custodians and stories, spanning tens of thousands of years, that endure to this day.
- We pay our respects to Elders both past and present and we embrace their continued connections to this place.
- We commit to reconciling the past and working together in pursuit of knowledge and understanding as we seek to create a better future for all generations yet to come.



# Federation Hera Complex Progress

## Tracking Key Dates of Interest:

- Stage 2 Civil works have been finalised. This has completed:  
the heavy vehicle access road, paste plant area and ROM pad (where the ore is stockpiled)
- The commissioning of the power station upgrade known as Stage B has occurred. This has enabled the commissioning of the primary ventilation fans for underground.
- Ore transport between Federation and Peak Commenced on the 20th November 2024. Trucking is occurring under temporary permit from TfNSW
- Kidman Way upgrade works are set to commence at Priory Tank Road 15 February 2025 and then move on to the Peak Intersection with works schedule for completion end of March, weather permitting.
- Mining officially commenced on 15 November 2024. notice was given to the Department of Planning Housing and Infrastructure as required.

## Wet Weather Impacts:

- As reported at the last meeting wet, weather continues to complicate operations. Works have been completed on the 230 megalitre (ML) water management dam with the plastic liner going through final testing . This will provide an immediate storage for 170 meg/L of water from Federation. The dam was meant to be completed in September with wet weather caused delay with completing the liner welding and testing.

## Mine Development

- The company has executed a 3 Year contract with Redpath for mining activities. With Redpath ramping up operations with additional personnel and equipment. Initially the project was to transition to “owner operator” was decline development was complete.

## Federation Hera Complex Progress

First Ore trucked to the Peak :





## Federation Hera Complex Progress

Power Station upgrade:



# Federation Hera Complex Progress

Primary ventilation fans:





# Federation Mine Development



Federation development 27 April 2024

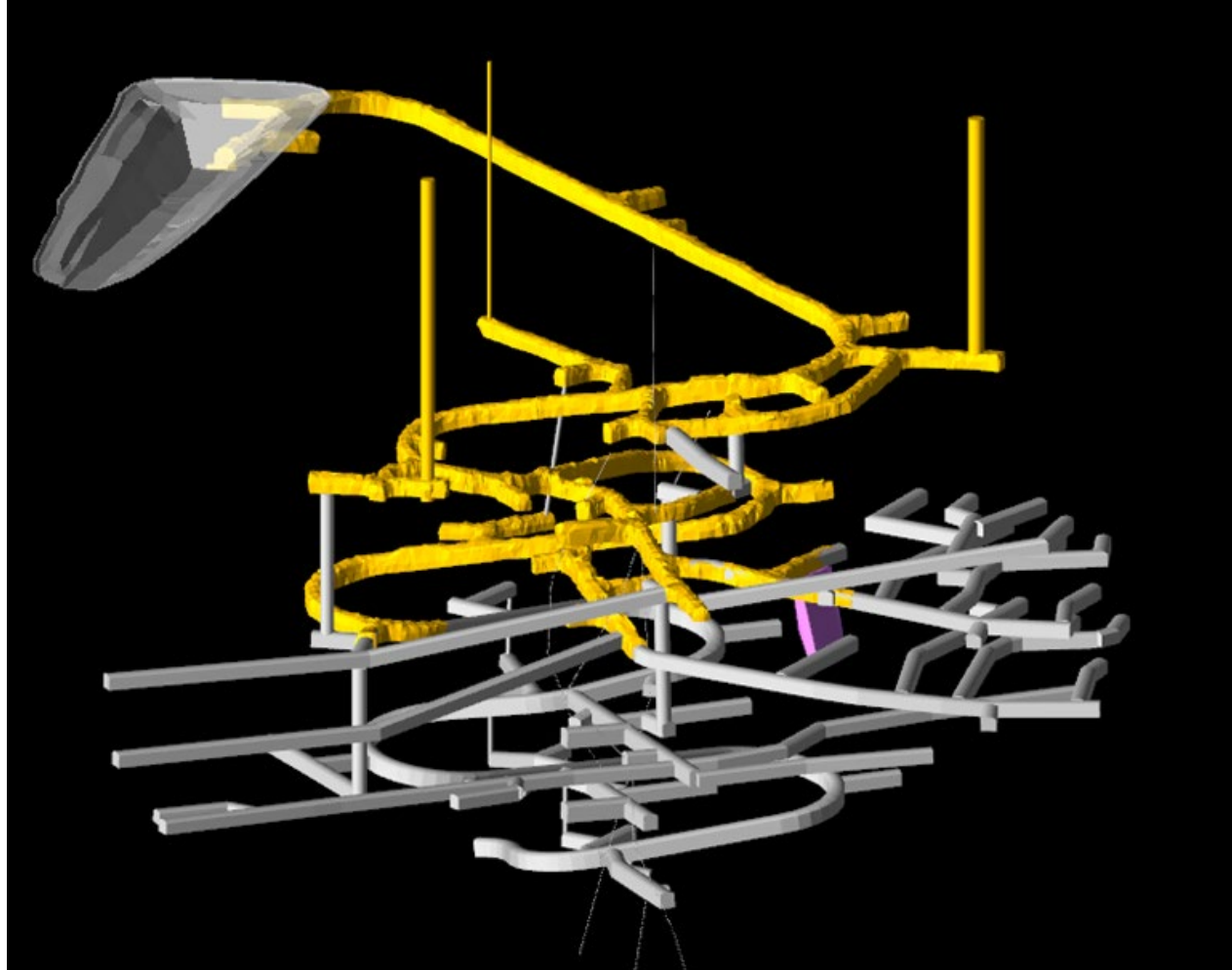
Heavy Vehicle Access and Boom gates



## Federation Mine Development



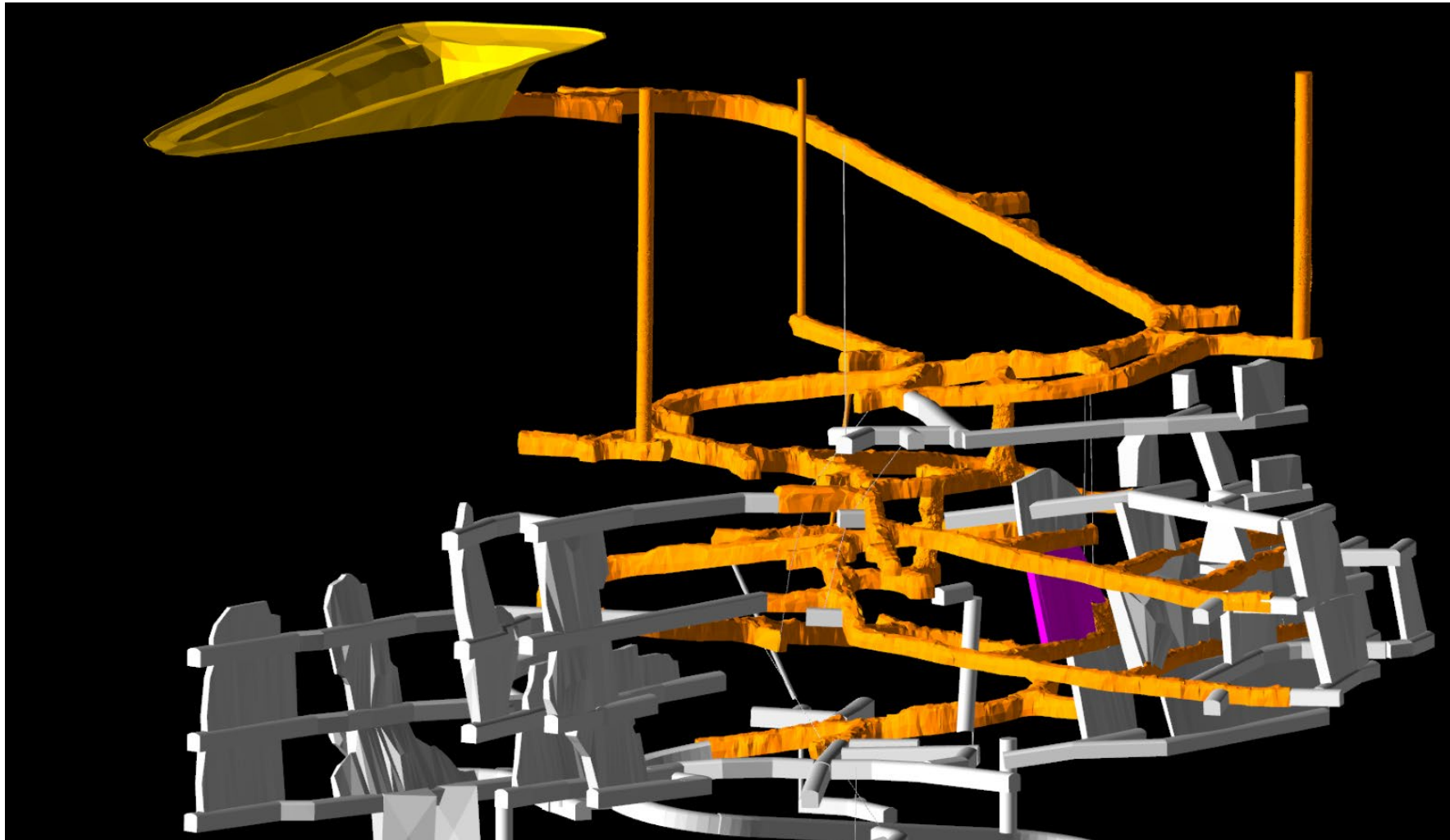
Mine development  
November 2023  
mining achieved  
217.7m advance



Federation development 2 August 2024



## Federation Mine Development



Federation development 25 November 2024



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## Project Approval Modification

### Modification 2:

- As reported at the last CCC meeting the company is seeking approval to modify the project approval
  - to increase the amount of ore trucked to the Peak,
  - increase trucking numbers and increase trucking hours from 7pm to 10pm
  - transport tailings from Hera to Federation to use for backfill underground in “paste”
- “Mod 2” to the Project Approval was placed on exhibition by the Department of Planning, Housing and Infrastructure and directly notified to potentially impacted landowners.
- Exhibition period closed on the 5 December 2024
- No Feedback has been provided from the department to date.



# Environment and Community

## Environmental Priorities, Improvement Initiatives and Complaints

### Priorities and improvement initiatives

- New ground water monitoring network being installed at Federation in accordance with the Water Management Plan to assess ground water draw down impacts as modelled.
- As mining has officially commenced, next CCC meeting will include the previous 3 months environmental data as was the case when Hera was operational.

### Complaints:

- 1 complaint was received regarding rocks on the road between Federation mine and the Peak Mine. The rocks appeared to be ore from the mine.

### Non-Compliance:

- 1 non-compliance was reported to the Department of Planning Infrastructure and Housing, EPA and Resources Regulator. It was observed that ore was being transported outside the approved hours - leaving site earlier than 7am.

### Actions:

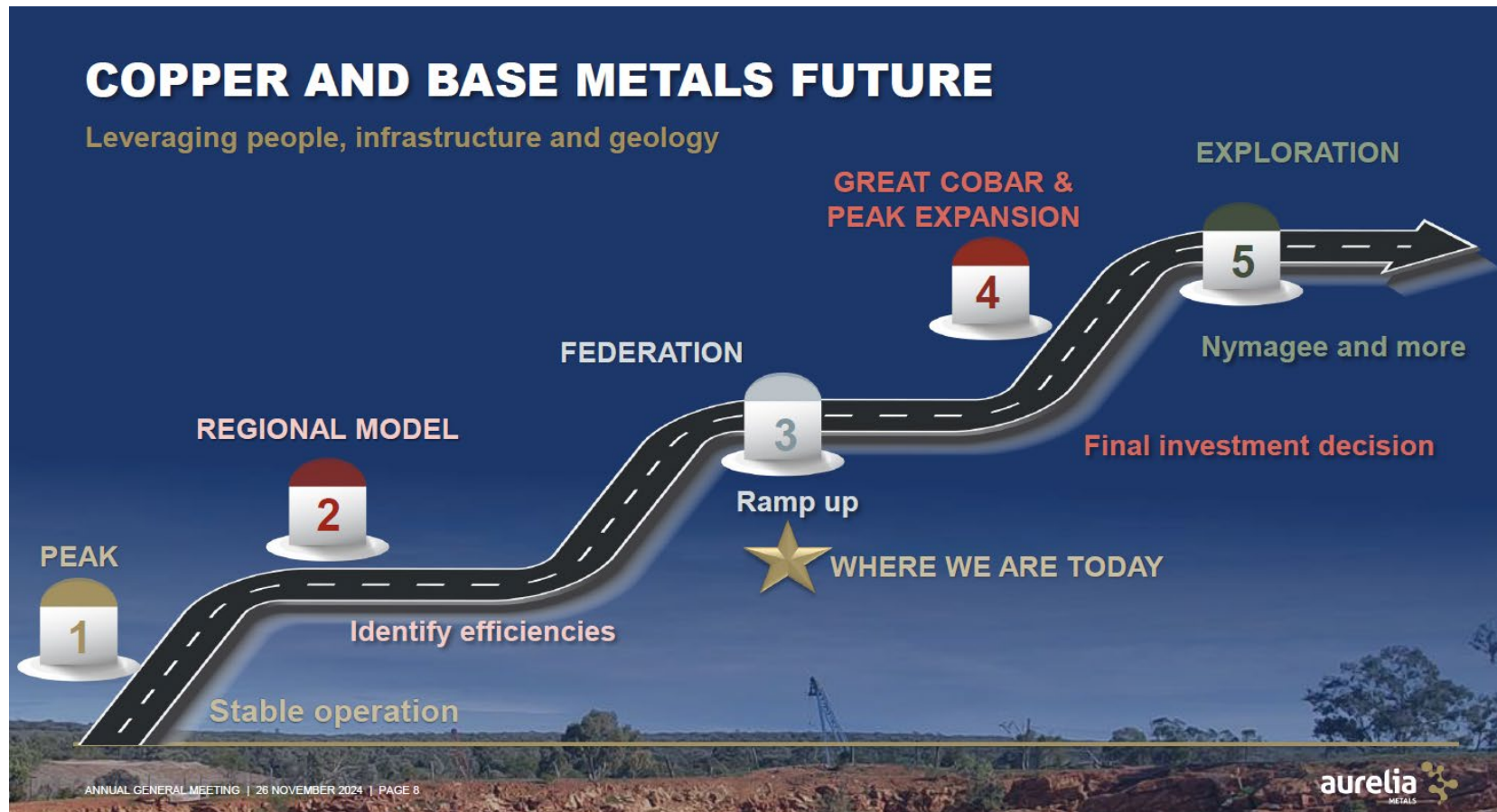
- As a result of the complaint and the non-compliance the trucking was suspended for a day with operating requirements and quality control being reinforced to the contractor and truck drivers. The road was also checked for rocks between Federation and Peak.

To lodge a complaint, email: [Hera.community@aureliametals.com.au](mailto:Hera.community@aureliametals.com.au) or phone: 1800 437 264 (call center 24/7)

# Environment and Community

## Company Strategy

- Presentation made at the AGM mapping out the future strategy (attached for Information)
- Cobar Basin Optimisation Update as announced to ASX (attached for information)





# Exploration

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# Exploration

- “Nymagee Mine” is the current focus for exploration in Nymagee area.
- Cobar Basin Exploration Summary from AGM presentation

