

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR AN EXPLORATION LICENCE

Mineral Resources (Sustainable Development) Act 1990 – Section 15(5)

Mineral Resources (Sustainable Development) (Mineral Industries) Regulations 2019 – Regulation 22(1) and Schedule 1

1. Name and address of applicant(s):

Falcon Gold Resources Pty Ltd
PO Box 106, Flinders Lane, VIC 8009

2. Contact details of applicant (for map and other information requests):

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3. Applicant's Website (see notes) Further information about this application is available at the following websites: www.amets.com.au/victoria-tenements/ and www.earthresources.vic.gov.au/licenceapplications

4. Details of the application:

Application number: EL008486

Locality of the land to which the application relates: 600m east of Elaine, 6km north of Meredith, 6.5km southeast of Clarendon, including Mount Doran

Approximate area of the application (Graticular Sections): 40

Date of the application: 21 March 2024

Term the licences are applied for: 5 years

Outline of the proposed programs of work: Desktop studies, soil sampling, drilling, community engagement

5. Objections and Comments:

Any person may object or comment to a licence being granted. (Sections 24 and 24A, *Mineral Resources (Sustainable Development) Act 1990*).

A person who objects or comments must:

- a. put the objection or comment in writing; and
- b. include the grounds on which it is made.

All objections or comments must be lodged within 21 days after the latest date on which the application was advertised and can be lodged [online](#) or posted to:

The Minister for Energy and Resources

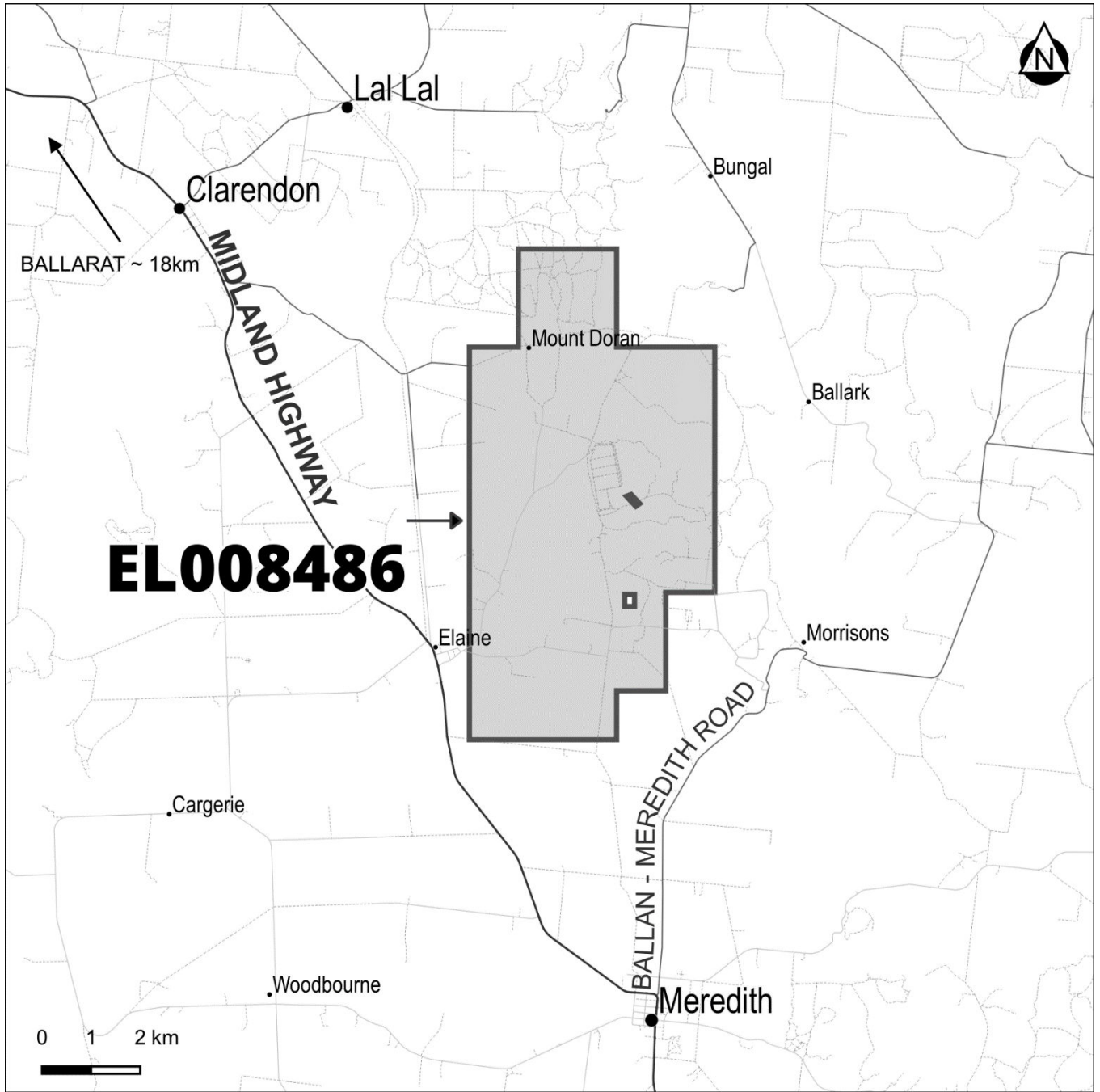
c/- Manager Licensing, Earth Resources Regulator, PO Box 500, East Melbourne Victoria 8002

It is recommended that objections or comments are lodged online at <https://rram-vic.gov.my.site.com/ObjectionSubmission> to ensure timely consideration.

Enquiries can be made by writing to the Manager Licensing at the above address or by phoning the Earth Resources Information Centre on 136 186.

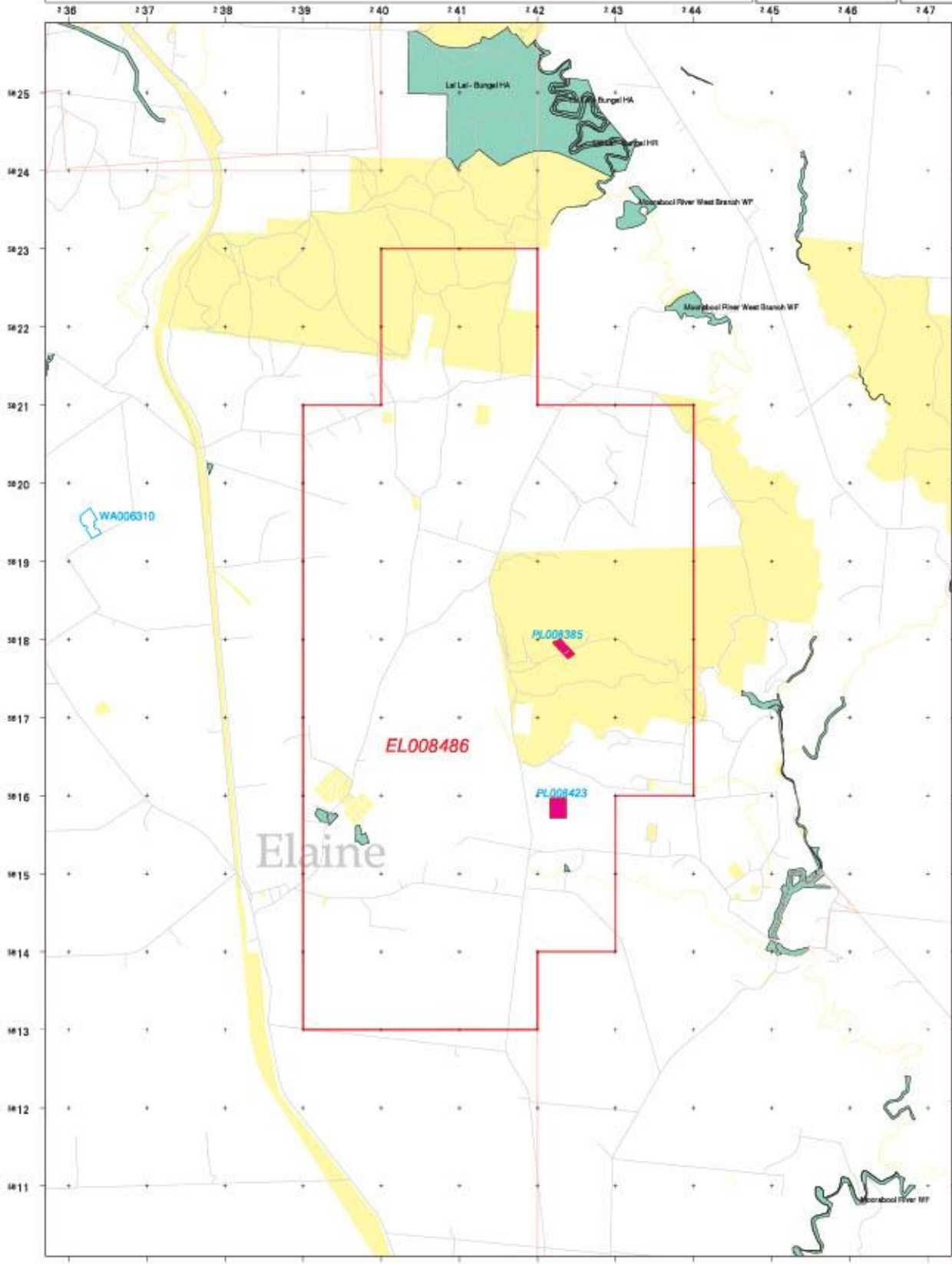
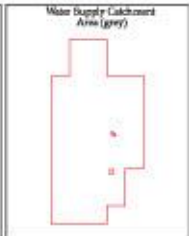
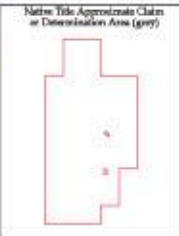
6. Other information:

- a. Subject to other requirements being satisfied, an exploration licence, if granted, entitles the holder of the licence to explore and search for minerals in the relevant land, but does not entitle the holder to undertake mining.
- b. Further information regarding the requirements that must be complied with prior to work being undertaken is available on the department's 'Community and land use page': <https://resources.vic.gov.au/community-and-land-use>.



EXPLORATION LICENCE APPLICATION 008486

- Unavailable for Searching or Exploration or Mining MRSDA 1990 Sec 6. Includes National, State & Wilderness Parks and Reference Areas
- Exempted from being subject to Exploration &/or Mining Licences. MRSDA 1990 Sec 7. May be revoked by notice in the Govt Gazette.
- Restricted Crown Land. Schedule 3 of MRSDA 1990. Consent required to do work on the land.
- Other Crown Land
- Commonwealth Land. Subject to Commonwealth legislation.
- Exploration Initiative Area exempted for a limited time from being subject to Exploration and/or Mining Licences. MRSDA 1990 Sec. 7
- Land not included in the Licence due to a licence or licence application existing or having priority at the date of application.



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NOTE: The accuracy of the location of the land status areas may vary according to the scale and mapping accuracy. Areas of private land within Crown Land may not be shown. The precise locations should be verified with Crown Land & Asses of access to the land is proposed.

Where the Licence Application abuts unavailable land, the Licence boundary is defined by the boundary of the Unavailable Land. Discrepancy on this plan between the boundaries may be due to scale and mapping inaccuracy.

Work Program

YEAR 1

- Database and literature reviews including, but not limited to:
 - Historical review of work completed
 - Geophysical interpretation of existing geophysical data
- Community consultation
- Negotiate land access agreements
- Work Plan Submission and gaining necessary work approvals
- Soil Sampling
- Air-Core drilling

YEAR 2

- Negotiate land access agreements
- Air-Core drilling
- Geological modelling - Interpretation of drilling results and target generation

YEAR 3

- Ongoing community consultation
- Air-Core infill drilling
- Geological modelling - Interpretation of drilling results and target generation

YEAR 4

- Community consultation
- Diamond drilling
- Geological modelling - Interpretation of drilling results and target generation

YEAR 5

- Diamond drilling
- Geological modelling - Interpretation of drilling results and target generation
- Resource Definition

Community Engagement and Environment Strategy

Falcon Gold Resources Pty Ltd (the Applicant) is a subsidiary of Falcon Metals Limited.

Falcon Metals Limited (“Falcon” or “the Company”) is a Victorian based exploration company with a head office in Melbourne and Exploration Manager that lives in Central Victoria. This enables the company to have a better understanding of stakeholder and community concerns compared to companies that are based interstate or offshore.

Falcon treats its environmental and community responsibilities very seriously. All required consents will be acquired prior to any exploration activities and all relevant statutory conditions followed as stipulated by the relevant authorities.

Falcon aims to uphold the highest corporate, social and environmental standards and recognises the importance of building respectful and inclusive relationships with our stakeholders, communities and governing organisations.

Falcon is committed to open and transparent communication with the community in which it operates. The Company aims to actively manage the impact of our activities through the continued consideration and response to the interests and concerns of the local community.

We will respect the rights of all landowners and seek to minimise any potential disturbance associated with our activities as much as possible through the following commitments:

- Provide key information on our exploration activities to local stakeholders.
- Consideration of any social, environmental and economic effects of Falcon's activities at the local stakeholder level.
- Seek to understand stakeholder values, interests and concerns and address these in a timely manner.
- Ensure our employees and contractors are aware of their obligations with respect to the local community and environment.
- Contribute to the community through local employment opportunities and utilise local contractors and suppliers where possible.
- Communicate effectively through various means, including (in order of preference),
 - one-on-one meetings
 - telephone conversations
 - letter drops
 - email communications
 - newsletter communications
 - local and regional media placements
 - posting on our Company website

This statement is complementary to the regulatory requirements and established procedures governed by the Victorian Code of Practice for Mineral Exploration.