

Hunt Mining Corp. Intersects Wide Zone of High Grade Gold in the Sinter Area: La Josefina Project, Santa Cruz, Argentina

Liberty Lake, Washington, May 5th 2011 – Hunt Mining Corp. (the "Corporation") (TSX VENTURE: HMX) is pleased to announce assay results for the first ten holes drilled on the Sinter Zone during the ongoing diamond core drilling program at the La Josefina Project in Santa Cruz province, Argentina.

The results of this latest drilling continue to confirm high-grade gold mineralization. The Sinter Zone exhibits fossil hot spring deposit characteristics with both near surface disseminated gold, as well as underlying structurally controlled mineralization. Significant results included:

Hole SSI-D11-278:

- 19.47 meters (63.88 feet) true width of 18.83 (grams/tonne) g/t gold, including
 - 9.48 meters true width of 32.04 g/t gold, including
 - 3.00 meters true width of 62.87 g/t gold

Hole SSI-D11-282:

- 4.45 meters true width of 4.83 g/t gold, including
 - 1.45 meters true width of 11.65 g/t gold
- 1.00 meter true width of 8.95 g/t gold (second mineralized intercept)

Hole SSI-D11-286

- 7.00 meters true width of 3.01 g/t gold, including
 - 2.00 meters true width of 7.51 g/t gold,

Hole SSI-D11-287

• 1.00 meters true width of 40.97 g/t gold

A range of significant mineralized intersections in those holes not cited above (SC-D11-279, 280, 281, 283, 284, and 285) includes gold grades with a low of below detection ranging to 7.70 g/t Au. A table with all 2011 drill results can be viewed at www.huntmining.com

The drill will soon be moved from the Sinter Zone to the Veta Sur Structure on the La Josefina Project. An additional drill rig continues exploration at the Corporation's 100% owned El Gateado Project but will soon be relocated to the La Josefina Project to accelerate project development there. The Corporation continues to compile results from the Sinter Zone, which will be released upon completion. *Notes:*

- True widths reported above are estimated at 100% of intercept widths based on surface sampling, flat lying stratigraphic control of mineralization, vertical orientation of drill holes, and cross-section comparisons.
- ➤ All drilling has been conducted in accordance with standard industry practices.
- ➤ All samples are being prepared and assayed by Alex Stewart Laboratories in Mendoza, Argentina.
- An analysis of the Corporation's QA/QC practices are reviewed in detail in the Corporation's current Technical Report in respect of the La Josefina Project, which is available at www.sedar.com

Mel Klohn, Senior Technical Advisor for the Corporation, is the Qualified Person under NI 43-101 who has approved the technical content of this new release.

About Hunt Mining

Hunt Mining Corp. has been an active and aggressive explorer in Santa Cruz since 2006. Since that time, the Corporation's wholly owned subsidiary, Cerro Cazador S.A., has completed a large amount of exploration activity including approximately 43,000 meters of HQ core drilling, 416 line kilometers of Induced Polarization geophysical surveys and more than 15,000 surface channel, chip, and trench samples. The Corporation is currently engaged in a resource expansion drilling campaign at the flag-ship La Josefina Project. Historical results and additional information can be viewed at www.huntmining.com.

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