

# Resume

## *Gerry Lowe, Mining Management, Operations and Contract Development*

### Experience

- Total of 30 years of experience in the open cut mining industry including
- 2008 to present - GDL Contract Consulting
  - Gold Tiger Resources
    - Manage project pre- feasibility study including financial modelling.
  - Bundarra Contracting
    - Estimating crusher feed rates tender submission.
  - Industrial Minerals
    - Coordinate scoping feasibility study.
    - Project financial modelling
  - Kimberley Mineral Sands
    - Project management including engaging contractors
    - Establishing mining costs for bankable feasibility study
  - KIO-RHO Contracting
    - Preparing mining project tender estimates and submissions
  - Fenix Resources
    - DMIRS Project Management Plan approval
  - Gold Tiger Resources
    - Project Management of project development, feasibility and approvals
  - Bundarra Contracting
    - Preparing mining project tender estimates and submissions
  - Diversified Asset Holdings
    - Project feasibility including detailed cost estimating and mine design review
  - Tungsten Mining
    - Pre-feasibility mining cost estimate
  - Saracen Minerals
    - Estimating equipment maintenance costs
    - Developing equipment cost model for future contract evaluations
  - Hawthorn Resources
    - Alternate Registered and Quarry Manager
  - Bundarra Contracting
    - Estimating construction bulk earthwork
    - Estimating heap leach construction (feasibility)
  - FTI Consulting (Gascoyne Resources)
    - Assessment of contractor costs
    - Estimate of full mining costs
  - Adaman Resources
    - Manage open pit tendering process
  - Evolution
    - Owner- mining feasibility
  - BMC Minerals

- Review pre-feasibility mining costs
- Pioneer Resources
  - Project development management
    - Project management and execution including Registered and Quarry Manger positions
    - Coordinate project approvals
    - Prepare budget cost
    - Manage mining services tenders
    - Project manage project execution
- Tungsten Mining
  - Oversee mining drafting of services tender management
- Capricorn Resource
  - Oversee mining services tender management
- Tawana Resources
  - Tender management, evaluation and negotiation for;
    - Mining, drill and blast services.
    - Crushing and plant feed services.
    - Concentrate haulage, storage and stevedoring services.
- Primary Gold
  - Tender management, evaluation and negotiation for mining, drill & blast, road haulage and grade control drilling services
- Sheffield Resources
  - Tender evaluation and contract negotiation
- SMS Mining Solutions
  - Project Manage Ulysses open pit operations
  - Assist in set up of company mining services division
  - Prepare various project estimates
  - Project Manage diversion drain and flood bund construction
- AMC Consultants
  - As an associate consultant prepare mining and road haulage requests for pricing proposals, coordinate with contractors and evaluate submissions for feasibility studies.
- SMS Innovative Mining Solutions
  - Prepare various project estimates
- Millennium Mining
  - Manage ore haulage tender
  - Manage tailing dam construction tender
  - Project Manage TSF construction
- Evolution Mining
  - Owner Mining Study Edna May Operations
- Norton Goldfields
  - Mining Fleet procurement
  - Negotiation of open pit and underground contracts.
- Evolution Mining
  - Compilation of mining contract documents and evaluation plans
  - Negotiation of RC Drilling, Drill & Blast, Explosives, Mining Fleet supply and Maintenance contracts.
  - Project manage mine establishment
- Samatra Gold
  - Develop mining fleet analysis and budgeting tool.
- Evolution Mining
  - Compilation of mining contract documents and evaluation plans
  - Negotiation of RC Drilling, Drill & Blast, Explosives, Mining Fleet supply and Maintenance contracts.
- Bundara Contracting
  - Prepare roadtrain haulage tender estimate
- Snowden
  - Peer review mining feasibility assumptions
- Tectonoic Resources
  - Peer review of open pit mining feasibility

- Norseman Gold
  - Compilation of mining contract documents and evaluation plans
  - Negotiation of RC Drilling, Drill & Blast, Mining Fleet supply and Maintenance contracts.
  - Project management of North Royal mine development
  - Project manage tender process and construction of tails storage facility.
- Jabiru Metals
  - Selection of surface earthworks contractors
  - Project Managing surface earth works for Bentley box-cut development.
- Catalpa Resources
  - Project management of mine development and tails dam construction
  - Compilation of mining contract documents and evaluation plans
  - Negotiation of RC Drilling, Drill & Blast, Explosive supply Tails Dam construction, Mining Fleet supply and Maintenance contracts. Catalpa Resources (Edna May mine)
- HWE
  - Registered Manager and Quarry Manager (WA statutory role) for HWE mining at BHP's Orebody 25 mine site.
  - Mining and Technical Services Manager for HWE Mining at BHP's Yandi mine site.
  - Reviewing general contract matters
- Ten years Murrin Murrin laterite nickel operations in W.A with involvement in various aspects or mining operations.
  - Operations Superintendent
  - Compilation, negotiation and management of mining, drill & blast, ore haulage crushing, calcrete processing and industrial maintenance contractors.
  - Lead role in green fields development team for the Murrin Murrin mining operations including the establishment of owner mining fleet and operations
  - Leading role in the procurement of a replacement mining fleet (\$50M) and establishment of a 6 years (\$180M) OEM fleet maintenance contract.
  - Leading role in the tendering, negotiation of drill & blast and explosive supply contracts.
  - Leading role in the contract rollover negotiation of nickel ore haulage, calcrete mining, crushing, haulage, processing (milling) and logistics contracts
- Four years Site Contract Management at various mine sites within Australia for major mining contractor (Eltin).

### **Skills and Qualifications**

- Holder of a WA Quarry Managers Certificate of Competency.
- Diploma of Metalliferous Mining (Open Cut).
- Diploma of Business (Frontline Management)
- Experienced in mining fleet and operations management.
- Sound knowledge of contract development contract techniques including document formulation, negotiation, bid analysis and transparent evaluation processes.
- Experienced in contract administration.
- Experienced in project development and implementation management.

### **Capabilities**

- Contracts
  - Facilitation of principle stakeholder in developing evaluation criteria and setting evaluation weightings,
  - Development of contract documents.
  - Development of and coordination of stakeholder benefit and risk evaluations.
  - Contract financial analysis.
  - Contractor negotiations.
  - Development of executive recommendations.

- Project Management
  - Development of mining projects including capital expenditure justification.
  - Mining project implementation.
  - Project estimating
- Mine Management
  - Statutory Mine Management.
  - Review and advice on fleet management and operational procedures and systems.
- Estimating
  - Open pit mining estimating
  - Equipment maintenance estimating

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