

## **Stillwater Critical Minerals Closes First Tranche of Brokered LIFE Offering for Gross Proceeds of C\$3.5 Million**

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**June 25, 2025 – Vancouver, BC** – Stillwater Critical Minerals Corp. (TSX.V: PGE; OTCQB: PGEZF; FSE: JOG), (the “**Company**” or “**Stillwater**”) is pleased to announced that it has closed the first tranche (the “**First Tranche**”) of its previously announced “best efforts” private placement (the “**Offering**”) for total gross proceeds of C\$3,479,164 from the sale of 15,126,802 units of the Company (each, a “**Unit**”) at a price of C\$0.23 per Unit (the “**Offering Price**”). Red Cloud Securities Inc. (“**Red Cloud**”) acted as sole agent and bookrunner in connection with the Offering.

Each Unit consists of one common share of the Company (each, a “**Common Share**”) and one-half of one common share purchase warrant (each whole warrant, a “**Warrant**”). Each Warrant entitles the holder thereof to purchase one Common Share (a “**Warrant Share**”) at a price of C\$0.34 at any time on or before June 25, 2028.

In accordance with National Instrument 45-106 - Prospectus Exemptions (“**NI 45-106**”), the Units were issued to Canadian purchasers pursuant to the listed issuer financing exemption under Part 5A of NI 45-106, as amended by Coordinated Blanket Order 45-935 – Exemptions from Certain Conditions of the Listed Issuer Financing Exemption (the “**Listed Issuer Financing Exemption**”). The Common Shares and the Warrant Shares underlying the Units are immediately freely tradeable in accordance with applicable Canadian securities legislation if sold to purchasers resident in Canada. The Units were also sold in offshore jurisdictions and in the United States on a private placement basis pursuant to one or more exemptions from the registration requirements of the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the “**U.S. Securities Act**”). All securities not issued pursuant to the Listed Issuer Financing Exemption are subject to a hold period in accordance with applicable Canadian securities law, expiring four months and one day following the issue date.

The Company intends to use the net proceeds of the Offering for the exploration and advancement of the Company’s flagship Stillwater West Ni-PGE-Cu-Co+Au project in the Stillwater mining district in Montana, U.S., for a lesser exploration program at its Kluane critical minerals project in Yukon, Canada, and for general corporate purposes and working capital as is more fully described in the Offering Document (as defined herein).

As consideration for their services in the First Tranche, Red Cloud received aggregate cash fees of C\$241,493.20 and 714,840 non-transferable common share purchase warrants (the “**Broker Warrants**”). Each Broker Warrant is exercisable into one Common Share at the Offering Price for a period of thirty-six (36) months from the date of issuance.

Glencore Canada Corporation (“**Glencore**”), a subsidiary of Glencore plc, has indicated that it intends to exercise its pro-rata equity participation rights in the Offering pursuant to the investor rights agreement with the Company dated May 1, 2024. The closing of the final tranche of the Offering is expected to occur on or before June 30, 2025.

There is an offering document (the “Offering Document”) related to the Offering that can be accessed under the Company’s profile at [www.sedarplus.ca](http://www.sedarplus.ca) and on the Company’s website at: [www.criticalminerals.com](http://www.criticalminerals.com). Prospective investors should read this Offering Document before making an investment decision.

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### **About Stillwater Critical Minerals Corp.**

Stillwater Critical Minerals (TSX.V: PGE | OTCQB: PGEZF | FSE: JOG) is a resource-stage mineral exploration company focused on its flagship Stillwater West Ni-PGE-Cu-Co + Au project in the iconic and famously productive Stillwater mining district in Montana, USA. With the addition of two renowned Bushveld and Platreef geologists to the team and strategic investments by Glencore plc, the Company is well positioned to advance the next phase of large-scale critical mineral supply from this world-class American district, building on past production of nickel, copper, and chromium, and the on-going production of platinum group, nickel, and other metals by neighboring Sibanye Stillwater. An expanded NI 43-101 mineral resource estimate, released January 2023, positions Stillwater West with the largest nickel-platinum group element resource in an active U.S. mining district as part of a compelling suite of ten minerals now listed as critical in the USA.

Stillwater also holds a 49% interest in the high-grade Drayton-Black Lake gold project adjacent to NexGold Mining’s development-stage Goliath Gold Complex in northwest Ontario, currently under an earn-in agreement with Heritage Mining, and the Kluane PGE-Ni-Cu-Co critical minerals project on trend with Nickel Creek Platinum’s Wellgreen deposit in Canada’s Yukon Territory. The Company also holds the Duke Island Cu-Ni-PGE property in Alaska and maintains a back-in right on the high-grade past-producing Yankee-Dundee mine in BC.

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reasonable assumptions, such statements are not guarantees of future performance and actual results or developments may differ materially from those in the forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements are based on a number of material factors and assumptions. Factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those in forward-looking statements include failure to obtain necessary approvals, unsuccessful exploration results, changes in project parameters as plans continue to be refined, results of future resource estimates, future metal prices, availability of capital and financing on acceptable terms, general economic, market or business conditions, risks associated with regulatory changes, defects in title, availability of personnel, materials and equipment on a timely basis, accidents or equipment breakdowns, uninsured risks, delays in receiving government approvals, unanticipated environmental impacts on operations and costs to remedy same, and other exploration or other risks detailed herein and from time to time in the filings made by the companies with securities regulators. Readers are cautioned that mineral resources that are not mineral reserves do not have demonstrated economic viability. Mineral exploration and development of mines is an inherently risky business. Accordingly, the actual events may differ materially from those projected in the forward-looking statements. For more information on Stillwater Critical Minerals and the risks and challenges of their businesses, investors should review their annual filings that are available at [www.sedarplus.ca](http://www.sedarplus.ca).

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