



Westgold Resources Limited

FY24 Half Year Financial Results

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1 cent per share interim dividend (unfranked)

“The Board today has determined to pay our first dividend under the new dividend policy. This reflects growing confidence in the business and marks another milestone in Westgold’s transformation.

Our mines and our people have now delivered four consecutive quarters of positive cashflow, and this lays the foundations to consistently and safely deliver value to our shareholders.”

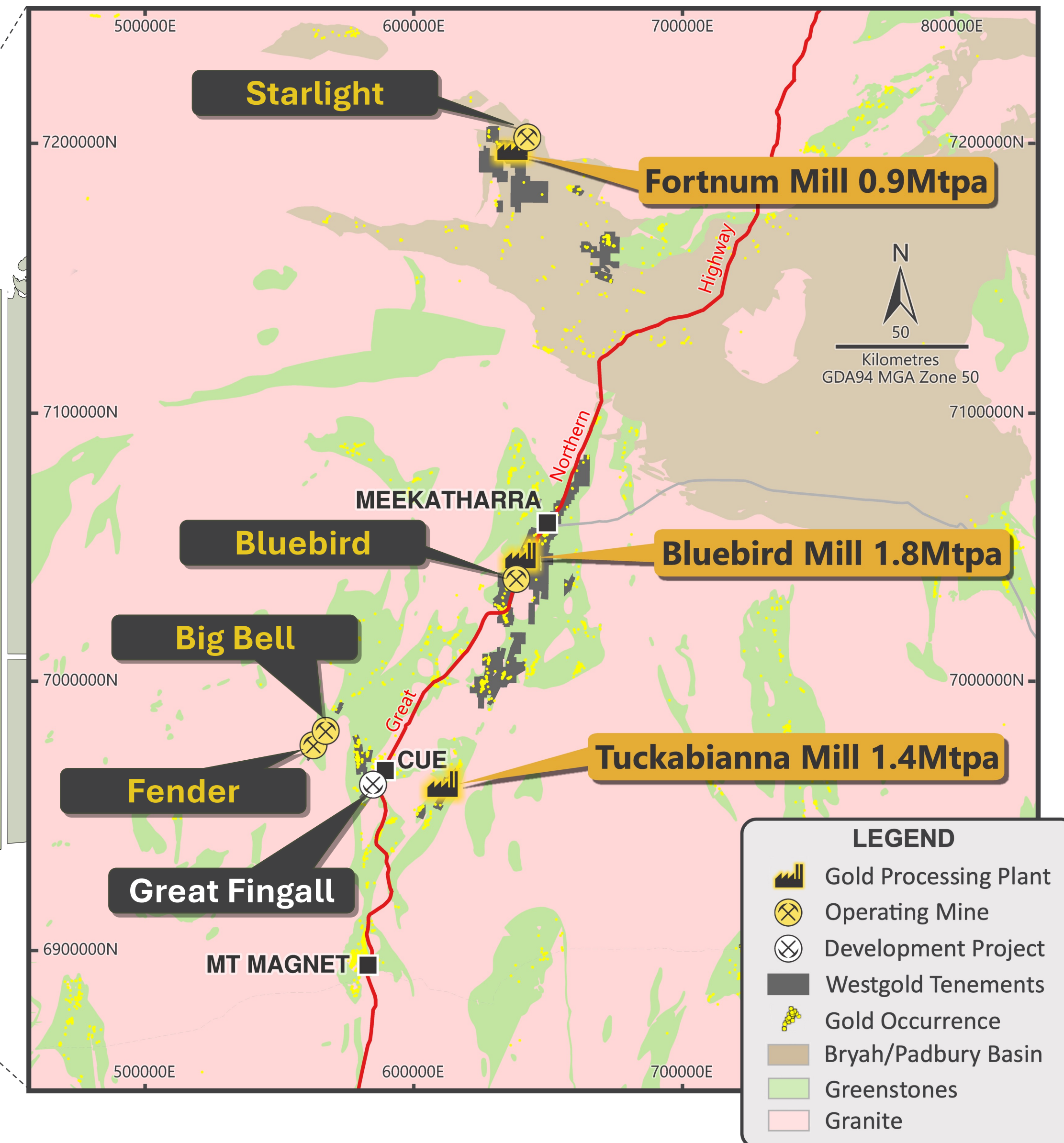
Wayne Bramwell, Managing Director & CEO

Key Dates	
Declaration	29 February 2024
Ex-dividend	28 March 2024
Record date	2 April 2024
Payment date	12 April 2024

We are a portfolio company

Operating in region endowed with **>35Moz of gold**

-  **3 Processing plants**
-  **4 Operating mines**
-  **In development** – Great Fingall UG
-  **1,300 km² of highly prospective exploration ground**
-  **8.3Moz Mineral Resource**
2.0Moz Ore Reserve



Strong financial performance

Continued focus on safe and profitable ounces delivers results

Revenue

\$363M

↑
15%

Record half year revenue

free of fixed forward
contracts in August 2023

EBITDA

\$146M

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132%

40% EBITDA margin

compares favourably
amongst most peers

Net Profit after Tax

\$44M

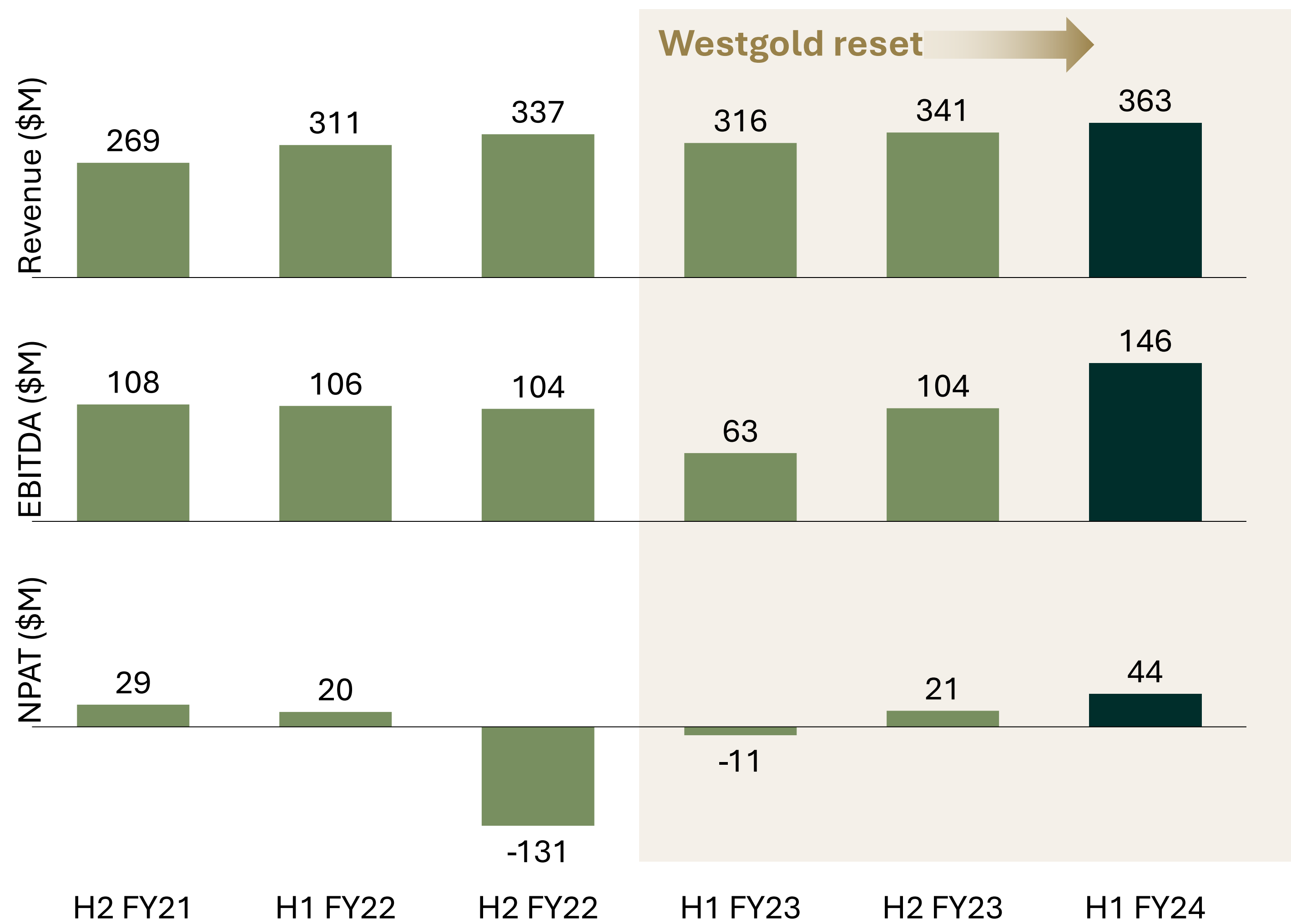
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500%

Turnaround

implementation delivers
profitability

Record revenue and EBITDA

Westgold’s strategy delivering profitability



 **Record revenue coincides with closeout of hedge book**

 **Record EBITDA through enhanced revenue and continued focus on prudent cost management**

 **Safe and profitable ounces delivering increased profit**

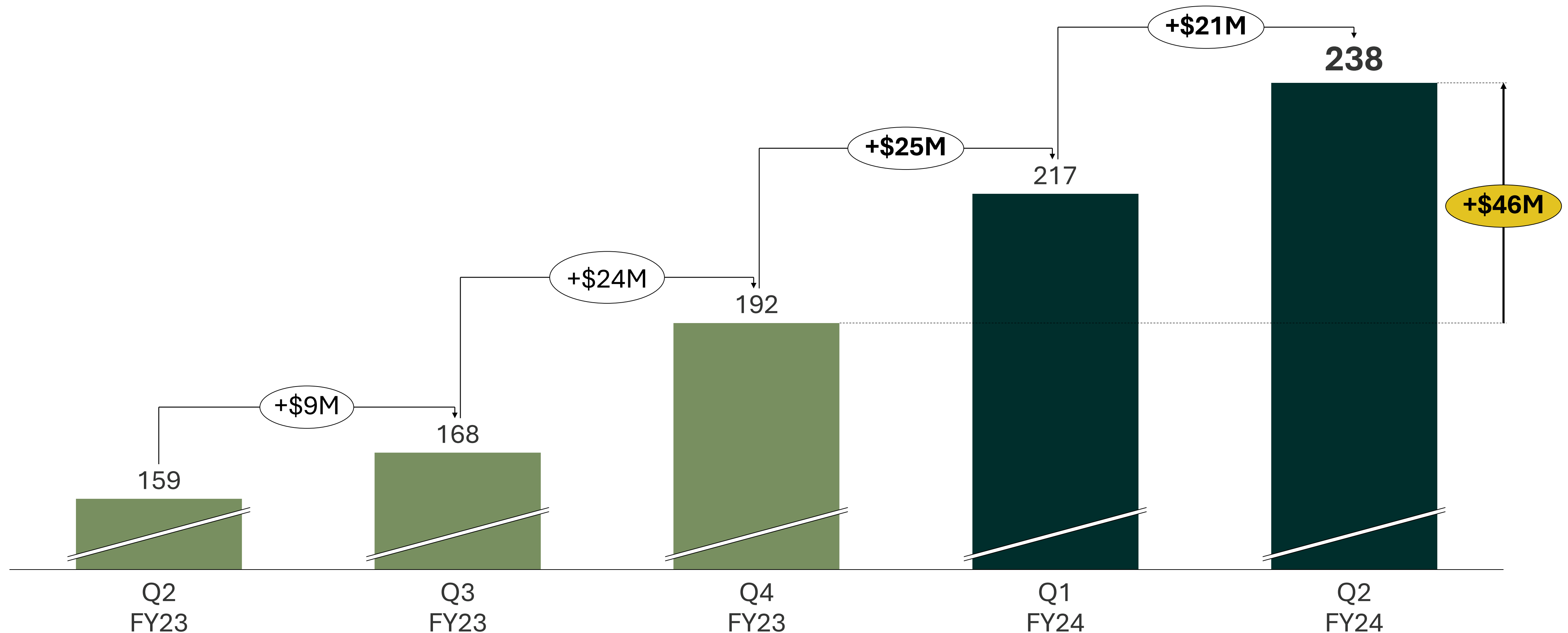
H1 FY24 Results summary

Key Consolidated Results	H1 FY24	H1 FY23	Movement
Gold Produced (oz)	122,342	128,228	(5%)
Gold Sales (oz)	122,081	129,389	(6%)
Achieved gold price (\$/oz)	2,963	2,434	22%
All-In Sustaining Cost (AISC) (\$/oz)	2,093	2,071	1%
Revenue (\$M)	363	316	15%
Cost of sales (\$M)	(291)	(326)	(11%)
EBITDA (\$M)	146	63	132%
NPAT (\$M)	44	(11)	500%
Net cashflow from operations (\$M)	161	53	204%
Earnings per share (cps)	9.3	-2.4	488%
Interim dividend – unfranked (cps)	1.0	Nil	N/A



Strong balance sheet with \$238M in Cash & Bullion

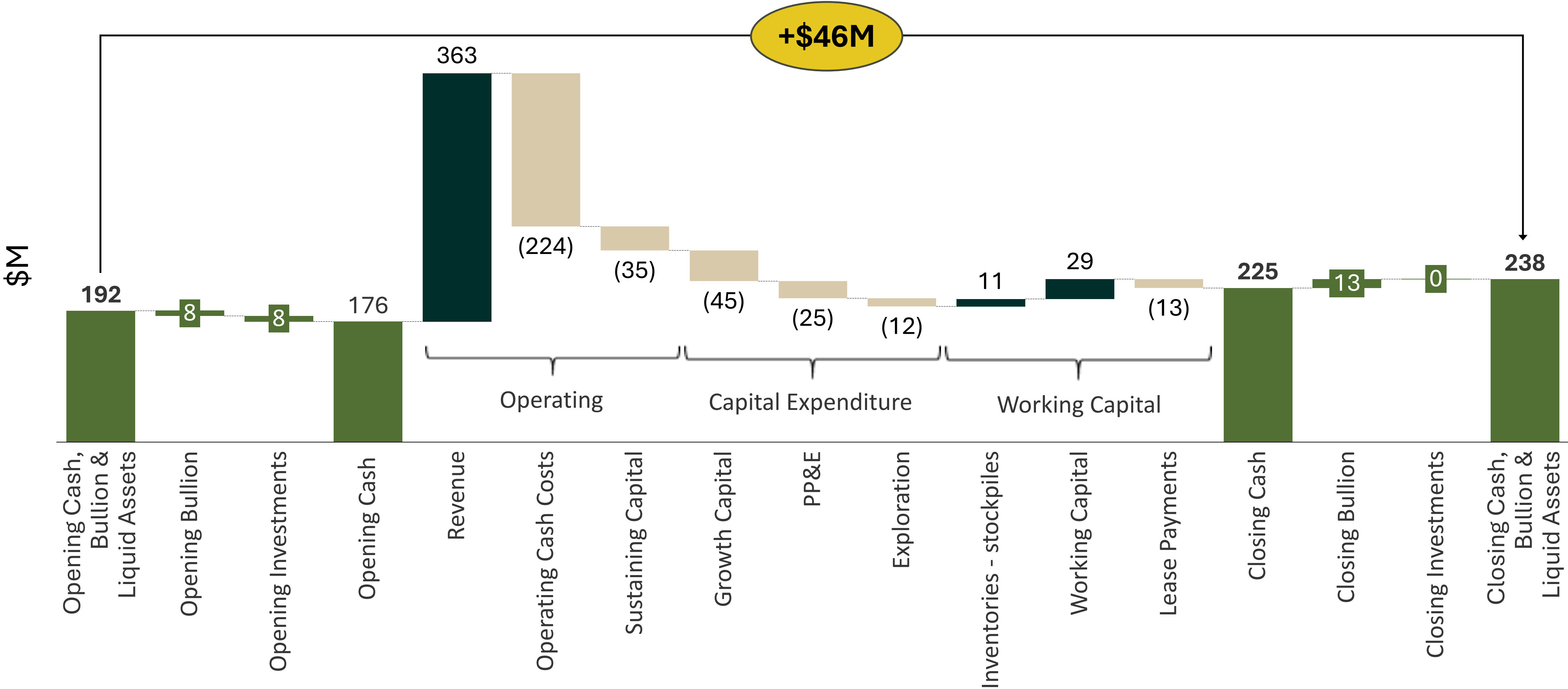
Fourth consecutive quarter of cash flow generation



Closing Cash, Bullion & Liquids position (\$M)

\$46M cash and bullion build in H1 FY24

Cash built whilst investing \$82M in growth and exploration



Westgold remains on track for FY24 guidance

Stronger H2 expected on top of further possible upside from Great Fingall

	FY24 Group Guidance	H1 FY24
Production (oz)	245,000 -265,000	122,343
AISC (\$/oz)	1,800-2,000	2,085
Growth Capital (\$M) ¹	130	58
Exploration (\$M) ²	25	11



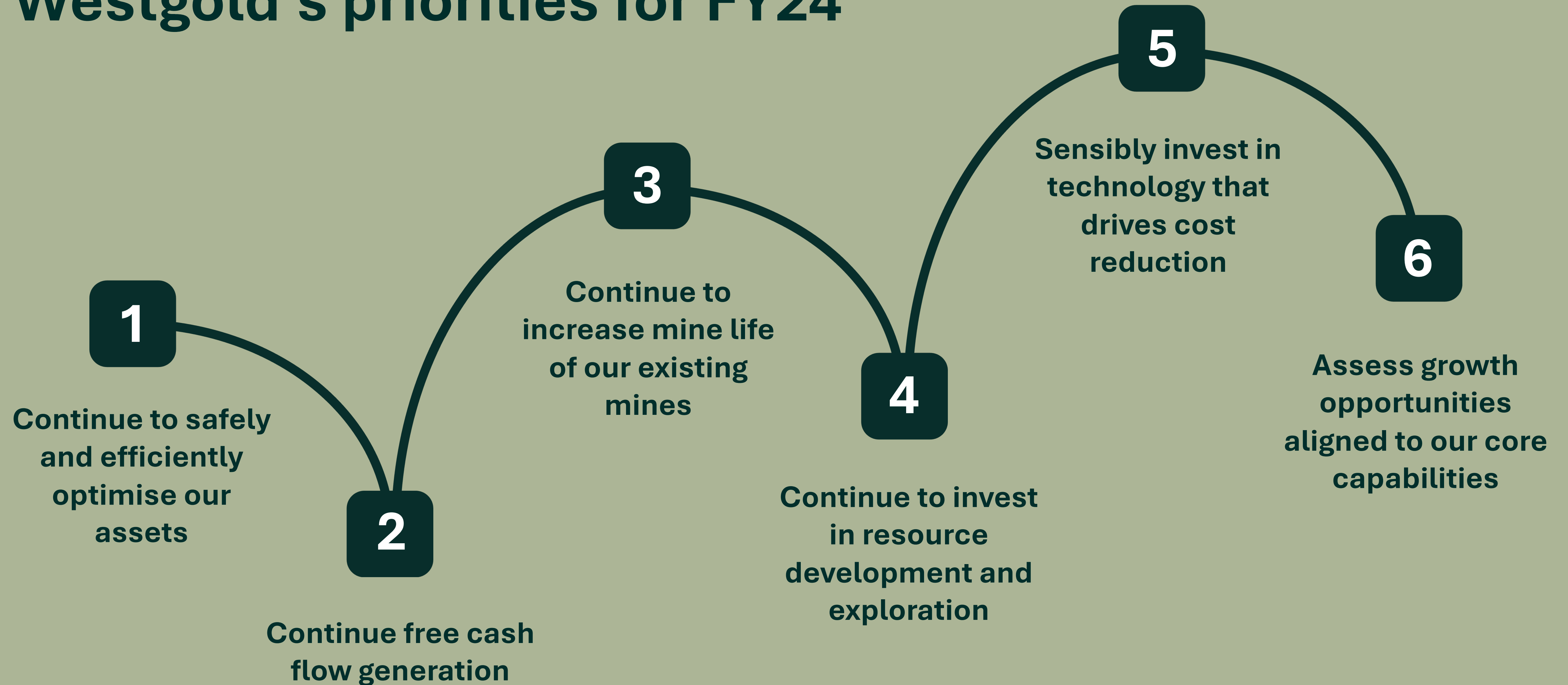
Operating a portfolio of gold mines underpins our inherent operating flexibility



Paddy’s Flat mining pause to be offset by commencement of stoping at Fender and sustained Starlight improvement

1. Growth Capital includes underground, camp and other growth-related project, property, plant and equipment costs
2. Exploration includes expenditure associated with all Murchison and Bryah tenure and includes FY23 Great Fingall and Causton’s drilling

Westgold's priorities for FY24



Thank you.



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