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## NEWS RELEASE

## CREST RESOURCES ANNOUNCES APPOINTMENT OF OWEN KING TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

## PROVIDES UPDATE ON EXPLORATION PROGRAM

Vancouver, B.C. - Crest Resources Inc. ("Crest" or the "Company") (CSE: CRES) announces the appointment of Owen King to the board of directors of the Company, effective immediately.

Currently the president of Opawica Explorations Inc. (OPW.V), a Canadian junior resource company which is engaged in the business of exploration and evaluation of mineral properties for hosting gold and base metal deposits, Mr. King has 20 years of experience in the financial markets and management consulting fields. Mr. King was employed at Mackie Research as an Investment Advisor focusing on venture capital financings and, since 2014, Mr. King has been working with public companies in business development and assisting with capital raises and initial public offerings. Mr. King also has prior experience as a management consultant working with high-tech small industry installing auditable quality management systems in small businesses.

Mr. King will serve on the audit committee of the board of directors of the Company as an independent member.

## Exploration Program Update

The Company also announces that it intends to meet with its technical team in early April to begin preparations for the phase 1 exploration program recommended by the author of the amended technical report dated September 12, 2019 regarding the Company's Red Metal Ridge property. The phase 1 exploration program will be focused on additional soil sampling and coincident magnetometer surveys in order to try and determine the extent of subsurface mineralization beyond the current known showings on the Red Metal Ridge property.

#### **Qualified Person**

Mr. John Hiner, a licensed geologist in the state of Washington and SME registered member, is the Company's qualified person as defined by National Instrument 43-101 *Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects* and has reviewed the scientific and technical information that forms the basis for portions of this news release. He has approved the disclosure herein. Mr. Hiner is not independent of the Company, as he provides consulting services to Crest and holds incentive stock options in the Company.

#### About Crest Resources Inc.

Crest is engaged in the business of mineral exploration and the acquisition of mineral property assets in British Columbia. Its objective is to locate and develop economic precious metal and base metal properties of merit and to conduct its exploration program on the Red Metal Ridge property. The Red Metal Ridge property consists of six contiguous mineral tenures covering an area of 1,381.48 hectares, located 12 kilometres southwest of the town of Sayward and approximately 74 kilometres northwest of the town of Campbell River in the Nanaimo mining division of British Columbia.

On Behalf of the Board of Directors

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