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### **Manson Creek Announces Mobilization of Field Crews**

Manson Creek Resources Ltd. (Manson Creek) is pleased to announce the mobilization of field crews for the 2006 exploration season. A program of detailed mapping and sampling on the Meridian Gold – Silver project, located 45 kilometers southeast of Revelstoke, will commence on May 17. The program will finalize the drill target selection and set out drill pads for the scheduled July 2006 diamond drill program. The drill program will have a minimum of 1,500 meters drilled.

Manson Creek anticipates that the current favourable weather in the Yukon will allow for the commencement of the geophysical, magnetic, and geochemical surveys on the Cuprum Copper – Zinc – Silver project in late May.

The geophysical surveys, induced polarization (IP), planned for the CR Copper – Molybdenum project and the Palomino Copper – Gold project will begin the week of June 13, 2006. Diamond drilling will commence on the Palomino property following the completion of the IP survey.

Manson Creek is pleased to announce that it has secured drill contractors for the diamond drill programs on both the Meridian project and the Palomino project.

Manson Creek is fully funded to complete the announced 2006 exploration programs.

“Regan Chernish”

Regan Chernish  
President and Director

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