BURLINGTON, ONTARIO--(Marketwired - Mar 7, 2016) - <u>GTA Resources and Mining Inc.</u> (TSX VENTURE:GTA) announces a new relationship with Stockhouse Publishing Ltd. based on Ontario's recent prospectus exemptions. GTA will use Stockhouse's Deal Room to access Stockhouse's pre-cleared list of roughly 16,000 accredited investors.

An overview of how the Deal Room works can be found at Stockhouse's website

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"We are very excited about being the first resource company in Stockhouse's Deal Room," said Wayne Reid, GTA's Chief Executive Officer. "Stockhouse is one of Canada's premier online investor communities that connect active investors and small cap public companies and a strategic partner for us to work with on the next stage of GTA's growth."

"GTA is a progressive Canadian resource company, and Stockhouse is pleased that GTA's upcoming Private Placement will be the first Resource financing published in the Stockhouse Deal Room. The Deal Room was created to give online investors access to quality deals, and this GTA Resources raise coincides with exciting corporate news, rising gold prices, and renewed investor interest-a good mix."

GTA's main focus will be on its Ivanhoe Project in northern Ontario. This project is located on the eastern extension of the Borden Lake Gold Zone trend and the eastern extension of the Porcupine-Destor fault. In 2015, the Borden Lake property was purchased by <u>Goldcorp Inc.</u> from <u>Probe Mines Ltd.</u> for USD\$440 million. In March 2015, Probe and Goldcorp reported that the Borden Gold project currently has reported underground constrained indicated resources of 1.6 million ounces of gold (9.3Mt @ 5.39g/t) and inferred resources of 0.4 million ounces of gold (3Mt @ 4.37g/t) at a 2.5g/t gold cut-off grade. The deposit remains open down plunge.

GTA intends to carry out an exploration program, including diamond drilling at Ivanhoe to test new gold showings discovered over the past year and to further its knowledge of the property.

To support that program, GTA announces a non-brokered financing of \$250,000, for 5,000,000 units. The subscription price per unit is 5 cents. Each unit will consist of one flow-through common share and one 12 month warrant with an exercise price of 6 cents. Closing will take place as soon as reasonably possible following regulatory approval.

About GTA

GTA is publicly traded mineral exploration company. It is led by an experienced and successful management team and is focused on exploring for gold and graphite in Canada. GTA is a tightly held company having 33,306,855 shares outstanding of which insiders control approximately 21%. The Company's shares trade on the TSX Venture Exchange under the symbol "GTA." The Company currently has three projects located in northern Ontario: the 51% owned Northshore Project, near Schreiber; the 100% owned Auden Project near Hearst; and, the Ivanhoe Project near Folyet, in which it has an option to acquire a 100% interest. GTA also has the Burnt Pond Project in central Newfoundland, proximal to the producing Duck Pond Cu-Zn Mine.

On behalf of the board of directors

GTA Resources and Mining Inc.

Wayne Reid, President and CEO

For more information, please visit the corporate website at www.gtaresources.com.

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