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## Alamos Gold Announces Ramp up of Operations at Mulatos

Toronto, Ontario (May 14, 2020) – **Alamos Gold Inc.** (**TSX:AGI; NYSE:AGI**) ("Alamos" or the "Company") today announced that it expects to begin ramping up full operations at its Mulatos mine on May 18, 2020. This follows the Mexican government's declaration of mining as an essential activity.

Mining activities at Mulatos were suspended in early April 2020 following the mandate by the government. Given the significant number of contained ounces stacked on the leach pad during the first quarter of 2020, Mulatos has continued to recover gold in April and May. During this period, the Company has continued to support the local community with food packages, sanitation supplies and ongoing medical care. Mining and stacking activities are expected to ramp up to normal levels in June 2020.

"As with Island Gold, operations at Mulatos will be ramped up in a safe manner. To date, we have not had any confirmed cases of COVID-19 among any of our employees or contractors. We continue to follow strict protocols across our operations with our foremost priority being to protect the health and safety of our employees, their families, and our local communities," said John A. McCluskey, President and Chief Executive Officer.

The planned restart of full operations at Mulatos follows the resumption of operations at Island Gold at the beginning of May. Both mines are expected to return to normal operating levels in June 2020 after which the Company will provide updated 2020 production, cost and capital guidance. Combined with the expected completion of the lower mine expansion at Young-Davidson in July 2020, the Company remains well positioned for a strong second half of 2020.

## **About Alamos**

Alamos is a Canadian-based intermediate gold producer with diversified production from three operating mines in North America. This includes the Young-Davidson and Island Gold mines in northern Ontario, Canada and the Mulatos mine in Sonora State, Mexico. Additionally, the Company has a significant portfolio of development stage projects in Canada, Mexico, Turkey, and the United States. Alamos employs more than 1,700 people and is committed to the highest standards of sustainable development. The Company's shares are traded on the TSX and NYSE under the symbol "AGI".

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This news release contains forward-looking statements, including specifically with respect the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic and government action, particularly in Mexico, on the Company's business and operations as well as operating activities at the Young-Davidson and Island Gold mine sites. Forward-looking statements are necessarily based upon a number of factors and assumptions that, while considered reasonable by management at the time of making such statements, are inherently subject to significant business, economic, technical, legal, political and competitive uncertainties and contingencies. Known and unknown factors could cause actual results to differ materially from those projected in the forward-looking statements, and undue reliance should not be placed on such statements and information.

Such factors and assumptions underlying the forward-looking statements in this news release, but are not limited to: operations may be exposed to widespread pandemic; the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on the broader market; provincial and federal orders or mandates (including with respect to mining operations generally or auxiliary businesses or services required for our operations) in Canada, Mexico, the United States and Turkey; the duration of regulatory responses to the COVID-19 pandemic; changes in national and local government legislation, controls or regulations, failure to comply with environmental and health and safety laws and regulations; labour and contractor availability and other operating or technical difficulties, and disruptions in the maintenance or provision of required infrastructure and information technology systems. In addition, fluctuations in the price of gold or certain other commodities such as, diesel fuel, natural gas, and electricity; operating or technical difficulties in connection with mining or development activities, including geotechnical challenges and changes to production estimates (which assume accuracy of projected ore grade, mining rates, recovery timing and recovery rate estimates and may be impacted by unscheduled maintenance; changes in foreign exchange rates (particularly the Canadian dollar, U.S. dollar, Mexican peso and Turkish Lira); the impact of inflation; any decision to declare a dividend; employee and community relations; labour and contractor availability (and being able to secure the same on favourable terms); litigation and administrative proceedings; disruptions affecting operations; availability of and increased costs associated with mining inputs and labour; inherent risks and hazards associated with mining and mineral processing including environmental hazards, industrial accidents, unusual or unexpected formations, pressures and cave-ins; the risk that the Company's mines may not perform as planned; uncertainty with the Company's ability to secure additional capital to execute its business plans; the speculative nature of mineral exploration and development, risks in obtaining and maintaining necessary licenses, permits and authorizations, contests over title to properties; expropriation or nationalization of property; political or economic developments in Canada, Mexico, the United States, Turkey and other jurisdictions in which the Company may carry on business in the future; increased costs and risks related to the potential impact of climate change; the costs and timing of construction and development of new deposits: risk of loss due to sabotage, protests and other civil disturbances; the impact of global liquidity and credit availability and the values of assets and liabilities based on projected future cash flows; risks arising from holding derivative instruments; and business opportunities that may be pursued by the Company.

For a more detailed discussion of such risks and other factors that may affect the Company's ability to achieve the expectations set forth in the forward-looking statements contained in this news release, see the Company's latest 40-F/Annual Information Form and Management's Discussion and Analysis, each under the heading "Risk Factors" available on the SEDAR website at www.sedar.com or on EDGAR at www.sec.gov. The foregoing should be reviewed in conjunction with the information found in this news release.

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