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## **New project proving its worth for Azumah**

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AZUMAH Resources has announced results from initial drilling at its recently acquired Wa project in Ghana, with shallow high-grade gold being encountered.

The best intersection was 12m at 13.13 grams per tonne gold from 24m, including 3m at 45.9gpt gold, at the Collette prospect.

Results from the Julie prospect included 13m at 2.78gpt gold from 10m, 2m at 8.96gpt gold from 21m and 3m at 5.03gpt gold from 52m.

The reverse circulation drilling campaign was part of the three-month due diligence evaluation, before Azumah acquired the project from Toronto-listed Crew Gold Corporation.

The 300-square-kilometre Wa project is some 75 kilometres east of Azumah's Wa-Lawra gold project.

Wa-Lawra has an indicated and inferred resource of 12.09 million tonnes grading 1.9gpt gold for 754,300 ounces of gold.

Azumah's next aim is to complete a maiden resource estimate for the Wa project by the end of this year.

After Ghana's wet season finishes in late September, the company will kick off a multi-rig drilling campaign focusing on the Julie and Collette prospects.

"With \$A6 million in the bank and an extensive geologically fertile land position, Azumah is well positioned to strengthen its resource base to underpin its primary objective of establishing the first commercial gold mining operation in the emerging northwest Ghana gold province," Azumah executive chairman Stephen Stone said.

Shares in Azumah rose more than 11% this morning, or 1.5c, to 15c.