



Savannah Resources PLC (“Savannah”) is a mineral prospection and exploitation company, listed on the London Stock Exchange (AIM:SAV) developing a lithium project in the Barroso region, about which we issue these newsletters. Through the newsletters, Savannah intends to provide residents of the communities surrounding the project with regular updates on the Company’s initiatives and the progress of work through to completion. The Barroso Lithium Project, which will be developed responsibly and in line with the best international environmental practices, aims to bring exceptional economic, demographic, social and commercial opportunities to the Barroso region.

## November and December at Barroso Lithium Project

Savannah maintains its commitment to the development of the Barroso Lithium project. We have invested in strengthening our team in recent months, appointing João Fernandes and Maria João Gonçalves as Community Contact Officer and Community Affairs Assistant respectively, in order to further increase our close relationship with the local communities. The work we have been doing continues to follow industry best practices, systems and processes.

We are committed to delivering the best to the communities, the municipality, the region and the environment. It is on this commitment that our values and our mission are based. And with these pillars we believe we can make a difference, make a positive impression and deliver a legacy for the future to a region that has so much to offer.

We believe that the path we are taking – one of transparency, collaboration, responsibility – will allow us to collaborate more closely with the all the Project’s stakeholders, so that together we can achieve excellent results for Barroso.

Savannah wishes the entire community a safe and Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

### Work in Progress

Savannah's team has carried out ongoing mineral production on the concession lease, C-100.

In the NOA area, which is in active operation for the extraction of quartz and feldspar, we carried out some work to blast and extract litiniferous pegmatite which is a raw material used in the production of glass and ceramics.



Fieldwork – Blasting at NOA

## The Environmental Impact Assessment

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The Environmental Impact Study for the Barroso Lithium Project is still being evaluated by APA. The APA's decision will be known when the institution decides to publicly announce it. We believe that we submitted a project proposal that integrates responsible, modern and technologically innovative development.

The Environmental Impact Study for the Barroso Lithium project was delivered in the Preliminary Study phase, whereby, in the event of a favorable Environmental Impact Statement (DIA), an Environmental Compliance Report for the Execution Project (RECAPE) will be produced. This means that the DIA will define the measures to be incorporated in the Execution Project.

We look forward to the possibility of the Environmental Impact Statement (DIA) being issued.

## The Land Acquisition Programme

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The land acquisition program is ongoing. This exhaustive and very important work has been developed by a dedicated team at Savannah, which includes Landfound (<http://www.landfound.pt/>), a company specialized in carrying out this type of work. It is this team that has maintained direct contact with the various owners.

Savannah's intention is to acquire the land in the area where the project will be implemented, and which is covered by its mining lease. Currently, we are making offers to local landowners, based on a standard formula, which is intended to be fair and advantageous for the owner.

As we have been referring to, the identification of land is the first part of this process, followed by the clearing of the boundary zones of the areas and subsequent measurement. After this first phase of work on the ground, the necessary paperwork follows, with records and, if the owner so wishes, we proceed to the promissory purchase and sale contracts and, finally, the deed. It is an exhaustive and thorough process and we are grateful to several owners for all their help and availability.

We've already identified 155 hectares of private property. So far, we have identified around 305 properties, measured around 115 properties, signed 13 purchase and sale contracts and executed three deeds, referring to 34 properties. We still have one public deed scheduled, referring to 11 properties. The total investment in these contracts and deeds amounts to approximately €1,460,000.

For several more properties, we are awaiting the legalization of documentation, in order to move towards the promissory purchase and sale contracts and the respective public deeds.



**Field work – Land Acquisition Programme Team**

## The Benefit Sharing Plan

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Savannah is committed to delivering real benefits tailored to the needs and interests of local communities. In order to carry out the proposal of benefits to be delivered to the community, an initial analysis was carried out by a specialized consultant, S317 Consulting, and by our team dedicated to community affairs.

We are reviewing and gathering all the details so that we can work together with the community and local authorities, once again through the specialist consultant, S317 Consulting, to present the proposed plan developed by Savannah and receive feedback from everyone. This collaborative process will allow us to build an authentic program of activities, in line with the expectations of the local population. At this stage, we will also present the creation of our foundation, which will be the way to put into practice the activity plan and ensure that the investment is carried out in accordance with the defined plan.

Savannah will deliver €500,000 annually to the foundation from the start of the operation.

## Our Local Hallmark

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Savannah maintains and reinforces its positive presence locally, as our priority will always be the local communities. We are committed to being integrated in the region, always valuing its needs and traditions.

After the rehabilitation of the roof of a house in Covas do Barroso, as its state of conservation put its inhabitant at risk, we were contacted by other members of the community facing similar problems. We pay special attention to the living conditions of the communities where our projects are located, and as such we are analyzing each situation, after visits were carried out.

Such actions will be maintained throughout our time in the region. This will always be the mark Savannah will leave.



**Roof Rehabilitation at a house at Covas do Barroso**

## The Community Information Center

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The Community Information Center at Covas do Barroso reopened on November 16, after a brief period closed for vacations and recruiting a new employee.

At the Community Information Center, you can explore the most diverse information available about the Barroso Lithium Project. At the same time, you will be able to visualize how the Project will be executed in the field through the 3D model, which we developed especially for you.



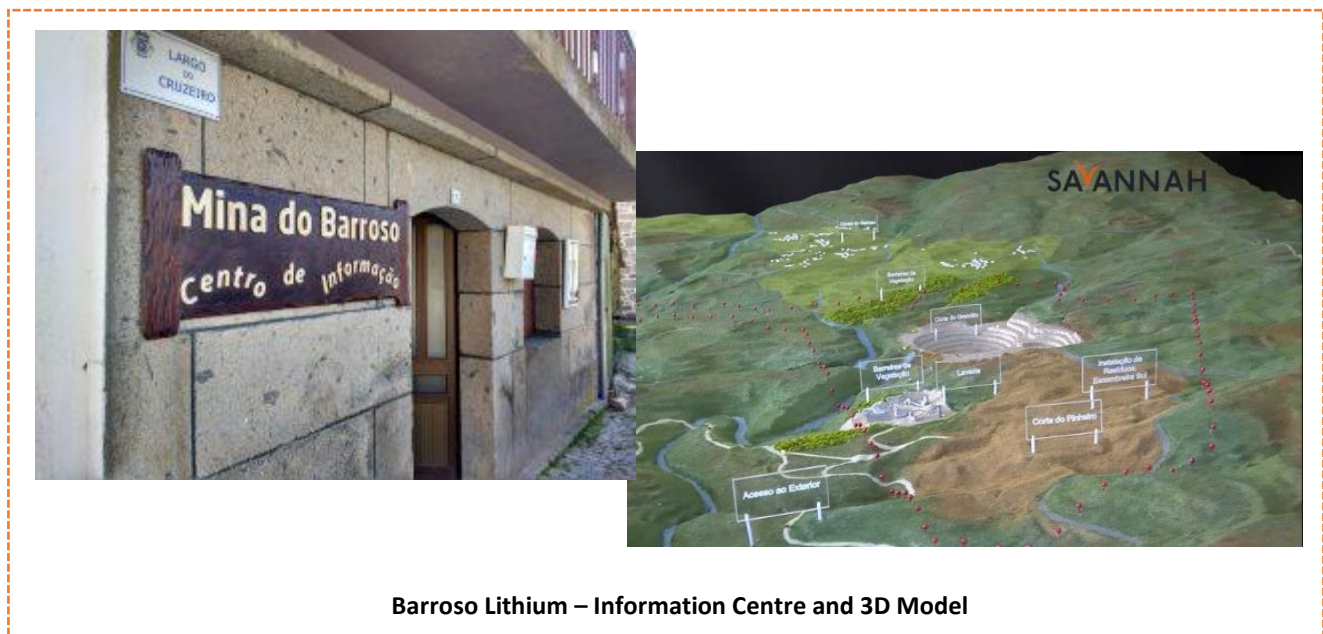
The Information Center is open for the benefit of all those looking for information about the project, especially the local community, and this is the ideal place to come to know the project in greater detail and know more about the facts associated with the development of the Barroso Lithium Project.

**Contact us:**

Information Center: [centro.informacao@savannahresources.pt](mailto:centro.informacao@savannahresources.pt); +351 276 438 008

Open to the public: Monday to Friday, 9am to 5pm.

Our community hotlines remain open at: [community@savannahresources.com](mailto:community@savannahresources.com) or via +351 927 576 199



**Barroso Lithium – Information Centre and 3D Model**

**Savannah has strengthened the team, meet the new members**

**Community Affairs Assistant**



We are pleased to announce that Maria João Esteves Gonçalves is the new face of Savannah at the Community Information Center. With experience in serving the public and with good communication skills, Maria João hopes to be able to welcome you in our space dedicated to the community and make more details about the Barroso Lithium Project known. Maria João's appointment is an important addition to our local Community Affairs team. Join us in welcoming Maria João and offering best wishes for her career at Savannah!

**For more information...**

Savannah provides a dedicated Mina do Barroso portuguese website, [www.minadobarroso.com](http://www.minadobarroso.com), and also a community section on the main website, [www.savannahresources.com](http://www.savannahresources.com).

If you would like to visit the site where we are developing our work to see any of the operations or if you have any other questions, our team will be more than happy to meet you and answer your questions.

The responsible for the community matters is Joana Prazeres: 917599130.

For any additional questions, please send an email to [community@savannahresources.com](mailto:community@savannahresources.com). We will respond as soon as possible.

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