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## **CWC ENERGY SERVICES CORP. ANNOUNCES 2021 CAPITAL EXPENDITURE BUDGET AND ISSUANCE OF RESTRICTED SHARE UNITS**

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**CALGARY, ALBERTA** – (TSXV: CWC) CWC Energy Services Corp. (“CWC” or the “Company”) is pleased to announce that the Board of Directors has approved a 2021 capital expenditure budget of \$3.9 million which includes \$0.8 million carried over from the 2020 capital expenditure budget. Of this \$3.9 million, \$2.7 million is for maintenance and infrastructure capital related to re-certifications, additions and upgrades to field equipment for the drilling rig and service rig divisions as well as information technology infrastructure, with the remaining \$1.2 million being growth capital to upgrade two of the drilling rigs. The 2021 capital expenditures budget is consistent with CWC’s commitment to safety and operational efficiency with high quality and well maintained equipment. CWC intends to finance its 2021 capital expenditures budget from operating cash flows.

The Board of Directors has also approved the granting of 11,767,974 restricted share units of the Company on December 3, 2020 to certain directors, officers and employees of the Company. Of the 11,767,874 restricted share units granted, 3,379,974 units vest immediately and 8,388,000 units vest one third annually on each of the first, second and third anniversaries from the date of grant. All 11,767,874 restricted share units expire on December 15 of the third year following the year in which the restricted share units are granted.

The Company continues to be committed to disciplined fiscal management and pursuit of opportunities driven by the current industry environment. Management continues to evaluate and assess merger and acquisition opportunities of service businesses and assets that are best-in-class that would have the potential to increase shareholder value.

### **About CWC Energy Services Corp.**

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CWC Energy Services Corp. is a premier contract drilling and well servicing company operating in the WCSB and the United States with a complementary suite of oilfield services including drilling rigs, service rigs and swabbing rigs. The Company’s corporate office is located in Calgary, Alberta, with a U.S. office in Denver, Colorado and operational locations in Nisku, Grande Prairie, Slave Lake, Sylvan Lake, Drayton Valley, Lloydminster, Provost, and Brooks, Alberta. The Company’s shares trade on the TSX Venture Exchange under the symbol “CWC”.

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