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### **UNITED STATES** SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

Amendment No. 1 to Form SB-2 **REGISTRATION STATEMENT** Under **THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933** 

**GOLD RESOURCE CORPORATION** (Name of small business issuer in its charter)

Colorado

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization) Classification Code Number)

1041 (Primary Standard Industrial

84-1473173 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

222 Milwaukee Street, Suite 301, Denver, Colorado 80206 (303) 320-7708

(Address and telephone number of principal executive offices)

222 Milwaukee Street, Suite 301, Denver, Colorado 80206 (Address of principal place of business or intended place of business)

William W. Reid, President **Gold Resource Corporation** 222 Milwaukee Street, Denver, Colorado 80206 (303) 320-7708 (Name, address and telephone number of agent for service)

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Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale to public:

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## As soon as practical after the effective date of this Registration Statement.

If any of the securities being registered on this form are to be offered on a delayed or continuous basis pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act of 1933, other than securities offered only in connection with dividend or interest reinvestment plans, check the following box. [X]

If this Form is filed to register additional securities for an offering pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering. []

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# CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

Title of each class of securities to be registered Common Stock, \$0.001 par value to be offered by the selling shareholders	Proposed maximum amount to be registered <sup>(1)</sup> 5,859,700	Proposed maximum offering price per unit <sup>(2)</sup> \$ 1.42	Amount of aggregate offering price \$ 8,320,774	Total registration fee \$ 890.32	

(1) In accordance with Rule 416 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, includes an indeterminate number of additional shares to prevent dilution in the event of stock splits, stock dividends or similar events.
(2) Estimated in accordance with Rule 457(c) promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, based on the average of the closing bid and asked prices of the common stock on January 9, 2007.

The registrant hereby amends this registration statement on such date or dates as may be necessary to delay its effective date until the registrant shall file a further amendment which specifically states that this registration statement shall thereafter become effective in accordance with Section 8(a) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, or until the registration statement shall become effective on such date as the Commission, acting pursuant to said Section 8(a), may determine.

The information in this prospectus is not complete and may be changed. These securities may not be sold until the registration statement filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission is effective. This preliminary prospectus is not an offer to sell these securities and is not soliciting an offer to buy these securities in any state where the offer or sale is not permitted.

SUBJECT TO COMPLETION, DATED JANUARY 26, 2007

# PROSPECTUS

# GOLD RESOURCE CORPORATION

## 5,859,700 Shares of Common Stock Offered by Selling Shareholders

The selling shareholders identified in this prospectus are offering 5,859,700 shares of our common stock. Of the shares of common stock offered by the selling shareholders, 4,322,000 shares were sold in a private placement completed on December 7, 2006 ("Private Placement"). A total of 257,700 shares of common stock offered by the selling shareholders as a finder's fee in connection with the Private Placement. The remaining shares are comprised of 280,000 shares issued as compensation to consultants of the company to whom we granted "piggy-back" registration rights in connection with those shares and 1,000,000 shares previously issued to William Reid, our Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer, as "founder's shares." All of these shares of common stock are being offered by the selling shareholders named in this prospectus, or their transferees, pledgees, donees or successors in interest. The selling shareholders will receive all of the proceeds from the sale of the shares of the common stock being offered by this prospectus.

The selling shareholders may sell the shares of common stock being offered by them from time to time in the over the counter market, on one or more stock exchanges, in market transactions, in negotiated transactions or otherwise, and at prices and at terms that will be determined by the then-prevailing market price for the shares of our common stock or at negotiated prices directly or through broker-dealers, who may act as agent or as principal, or by a combination of such methods of sale. For additional information on the methods of sale, you should refer to the section entitled "PLAN OF DISTRIBUTION" on page 35.

Our common stock currently trades over the counter and is quoted on the Bulletin Board maintained by the National Association of Securities Dealers, Inc. ("OTCBB") under the symbol "GORO." On January 25, 2007, the closing price of our common stock was \$ 1.87.

Investing in our common stock involves risks that are described in the "RISK FACTORS" section beginning on page 3 of this prospectus.

Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission nor any state securities commission has approved or disapproved of our common stock or passed upon the adequacy or accuracy of this prospectus. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense.

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The date of this prospectus is \_\_\_\_\_, 2007

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### **Additional Information**

This prospectus contains descriptions of certain contracts, agreements or other documents affecting our business. These descriptions are not necessarily complete. For the complete text of these documents, you can refer to the exhibits filed with, or incorporated by reference into, the registration statement of which this prospectus is a part. (*See* "WHERE YOU CAN FIND MORE INFORMATION").

You should rely only on the information contained in this prospectus, or to which we have referred you. We have not authorized anyone to provide you with information other than as contained or referred to in this prospectus. This document may only be used where it is legal to sell these securities. The information in this document may only be accurate as of the date of this document.

### Special Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements

Please see the note under "RISK FACTORS" for a description of special factors potentially affecting forward-looking statements included in this prospectus.

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## SUMMARY

The following summary highlights information contained elsewhere in this prospectus. It does not contain all of the information you should consider before investing in our stock. You should read the entire prospectus carefully, including the sections entitled "RISK FACTORS" and "FINANCIAL STATEMENTS."

As used in this prospectus, unless the context requires otherwise, the terms "Gold Resource," "we," "our" or "us" refer to Gold Resource Corporation and where the context requires, our consolidated subsidiaries.

# **Our Company**

We are an exploration stage company organized in Colorado on August 24, 1998 to search for gold and silver. We currently have an interest in two properties located in Mexico, one known as the *El Aguila* project and one known as the *El Rey* project. In October 2002, we leased some mineral claims in the State of Oaxaca, Mexico, designated the *El Aguila* project. These claims cover approximately 1,896 hectares (4,685 acres)<sup>(1)</sup> and are located in the historic *San Jose de Gracia* mining district in the State of Oaxaca. The *El Aguila* project is an exploration property in which we lease a 100% interest. Since acquiring that interest, we have drilled approximately 6,700 meters (21,981 feet) of test holes in one section of the property and have encountered gold and silver mineralized material. We are continuing our exploration efforts on this property.

In 2005, we obtained some additional mineral claims in the Mexican State of Oaxaca which we call the *El Rey* project. The *El Rey* project is an exploration stage property in which we acquired mineral claims by filing mineral concessions with the Mexican government. We have conducted very limited exploration of this property to date.

We are an exploration stage company, and there is no assurance that a commercially viable