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**GRANDVIEW GOLD CHOOSES WESTWIND PARTNERS TO  
EVALUATE MERGER PROPOSALS**

**April 20, 2006 - Toronto, Ontario – Grandview Gold Inc. (TSX:GVX) ("Grandview Gold" or the "Company")** is pleased to announce that its Board of Directors (the "Board") has received two separate merger proposals (the "Proposals"). Accordingly the Board has retained Westwind Partners Inc., ("Westwind"), to assist in evaluating the proposals and to recommend a course of action to best enhance shareholder value.

The terms of the Westwind retainer also provide for the preparation and issuance of a fairness opinion by Westwind should one be required or deemed advisable.

Grandview Gold Inc. is a gold exploration company focused on creating value for shareholders by exploring and developing high-grade gold properties in the major gold camps of North America. Details of Grandview Gold's projects are available on the Company's website at [www.grandviewgold.com](http://www.grandviewgold.com).

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