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# First Quarter 2020 Results and 2020 Updated Guidance

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# Continued Execution Driving Record Quarterly Results

## Capital and Cost Control Lead Financial Performance

- Achieved record \$107 million Adjusted net EBITDA<sup>1,2</sup> and \$94 million DCF<sup>1</sup> on improved costs and higher volumes
- Invested \$43 million in organic 1Q20 net capital, well below guidance on project deferrals and efficiencies
- Delivered 15% operating cost reductions through efficiencies, deferred projects and lower materials costs

## Strong Gathering Business Performance

- Averaged 335 MBoe/d 1Q20 oil and gas gathering throughput and marketed 20 Mbo/d of oil-sales volumes
- Gathered 204 MBw/d produced water, above the top end of guidance
- Delivered 227 MBw/d fresh water, at the top end of guidance range

## Transmission Business Reaching Inflection Point

- Exercised 20% gross Black Diamond option in Saddlehorn pipeline, adding stable, contracted cash flows
- EPIC Crude commenced full service, providing Permian customers access to Gulf Coast pricing
- EPIC Y-Grade transitioned to NGL service in May; deferring completion of 2nd greenfield fractionator to late '20

## Prudent Responses in Current Environment

- Reduced organic capital 65+% versus original guidance on lower operator activity, efficiencies and project deferrals
- Lowered the distribution nearly 75% to \$0.1875 per unit to preserve cash and protect the balance sheet
- Progressing to self-funding model, post-distribution in 2Q20

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# First-Quarter 2020 Volume and Cost Outperformance

		Actuals			1Q20 Guidance	
		1Q19	4Q19	1Q20		
Gross Volumes	Oil and Gas Gathered (MBoe/d)	291	355	335 ✓	318	- 332
	PW Gathered (MBw/d)	162	219	204 ✓	180	- 190
	FW Delivered (MBw/d)	220	126	227 ✓	210	- 230
Financials	Adjusted EBITDA (\$MM) <sup>1,2</sup>	63	73	107 ✓	94	- 101
	DCF (\$MM) <sup>1</sup>	54	65	94 ✓	75	- 82
	Distribution Coverage Ratio <sup>1,3</sup>	1.9x	1.2x	5.5x	1.2x	- 1.3x
	Organic Capex (\$MM) <sup>4</sup>	36	48	43 ✓	60	- 70
	Equity Investment Capital (\$MM)	-	105	148 ✓	180	- 220

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3. Pro-forma for the distribution reduction
4. Excludes additions to investments

✓ = Better than the Midpoint of Guidance

# Adjusting Cost Structure to Current Environment

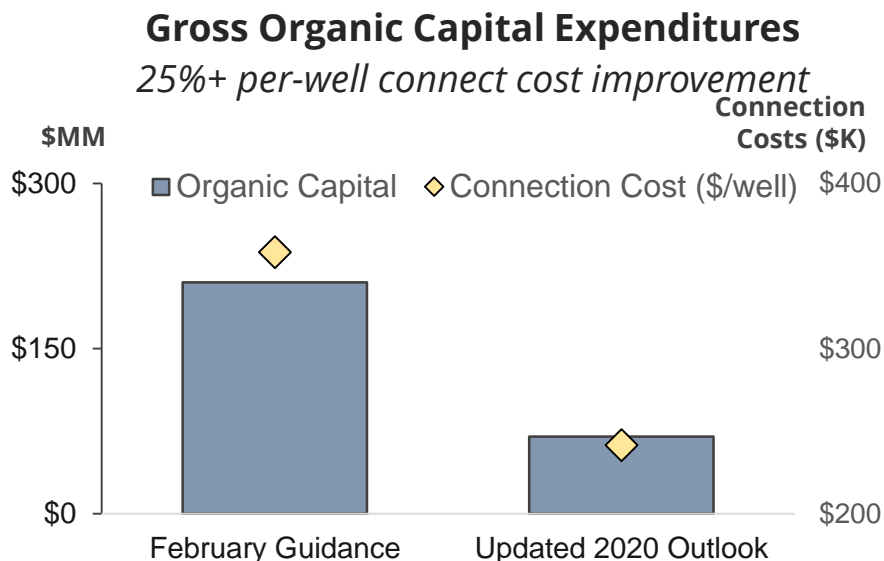
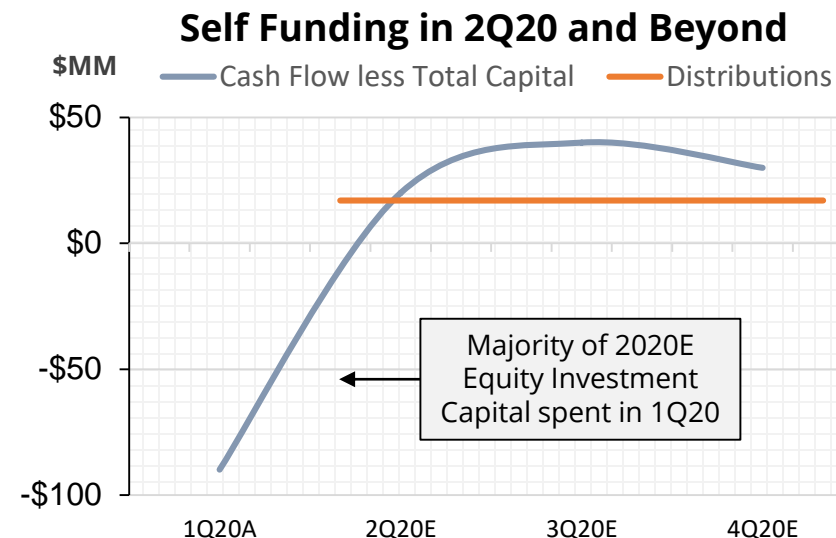
**Cash cost reductions enable Noble Midstream to self-fund beginning in 2Q20**

## Aligning Costs to Current Environment

- ~\$140 million organic capital reduction from 2020 original guidance
- Majority of remaining capital tied to well connections
- Ability to capture incremental EBITDA with minimal capital
- ~15% operating cost reduction, increasing EBITDA by \$15 to \$20 million

## Driving Further Cash Reductions and Efficiencies in 2020

- G&A improvements through executive salary reductions, implementation of a furlough program, and contractor workforce downsizing
- Self-funding model creates an opportunity to pay down debt and reduce interest costs
- Optimizing facilities for lower customer activity and volumes
- Continuing to renegotiate vendor agreements



# Adjusting to Uncertain Times, Revising 2020 Outlook

## Minimal Organic Capital Remaining; Equity Investment Capital Declining

- 2020E organic capital budget reduced by 65% with ~\$30 million remaining for the year
- Equity investment range tightened to reflect completion of EPIC crude mainline and closing of Saddlehorn acquisition

## 2020 Volume Guidance Suspended on Production Uncertainty

- Net Adjusted EBITDA<sup>1,2</sup> and DCF scenarios reflect curtailments and conservative JV pipeline forecasts
- Leverage and Coverage remain strong even in significant curtailment

### Evaluating and Preparing for Multiple Scenarios

#### Upper Range Case

**Moderate** (<10 Mboe/d)  
curtailments for two months

#### Lower Range Case

**Significant** (>50 MBoe/d)  
curtailments through August

**Assuming minimal incremental connection activity until early 2021**

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## 2020 Revised Outlook

*Net Organic Capital*

**\$60 - \$80** MM

*Equity Investment Capital*

**\$240 - \$260** MM

*Net Adjusted EBITDA<sup>1,2</sup>*

**\$370 - \$410** MM

*Distributable Cash Flow<sup>1</sup>*

**\$280 - \$310** MM

*2020E DCF Coverage<sup>1</sup>*

**> 4.0x**

*Net Debt to 2020 TTM EBITDA<sup>1</sup>*

**3.9x to 4.3x**

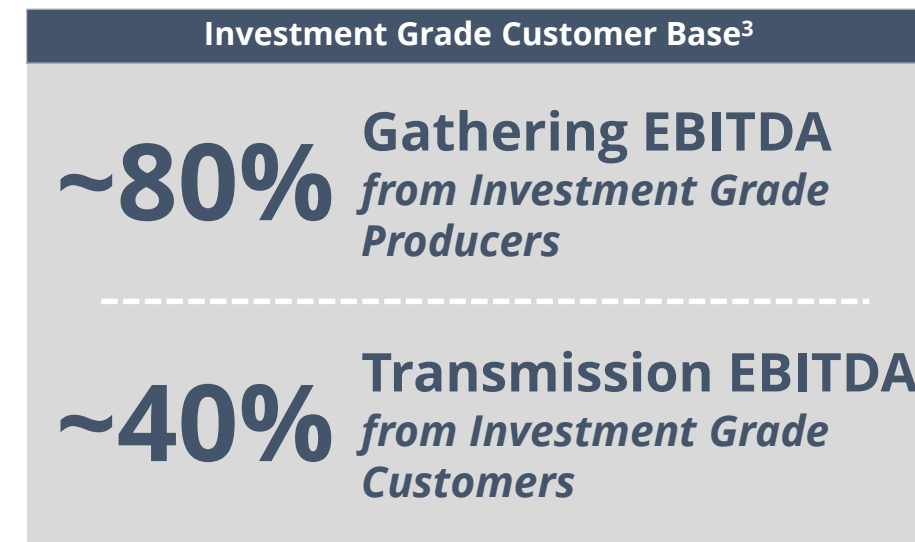
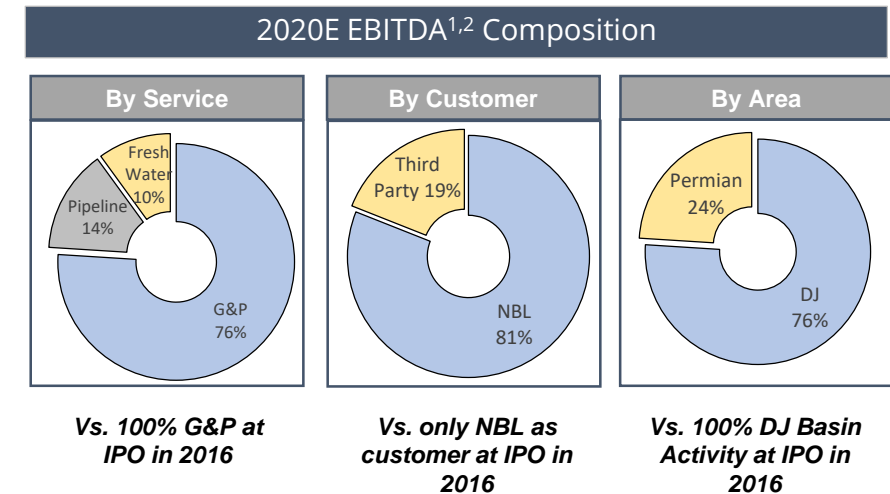
# Asset and Customer Diversification Differentiates Noble Midstream

## Diversified Portfolio with Multiple Cash Flow Drivers

- Intermediate and long-haul pipeline startups bolster cash flow quality and provide EBITDA<sup>1,2</sup> growth in 2020 and 2021
  - 60 to 70% joint venture investment volumes are protected by MVCs**
- 20% of 2020 EBITDA<sup>1,2</sup> contracted, including equity investments and fresh water delivery
- Pipeline contract tenor provides multi-year cash flow security

## High-Quality Customer Base

- Strong investment-grade sponsor volume underpins gathering and pipeline dedications
- G&P assets backed by strong producers and quality acreage
- BB+ average credit rating across gathering and transmission customer base
- ~35 customers, reducing exposure to any single operator or shipper



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 3. As of May 1, 2020

# Equity Investment Inflection, Y-Grade Started Up in 2Q20

## EPIC Transitions to Full Service

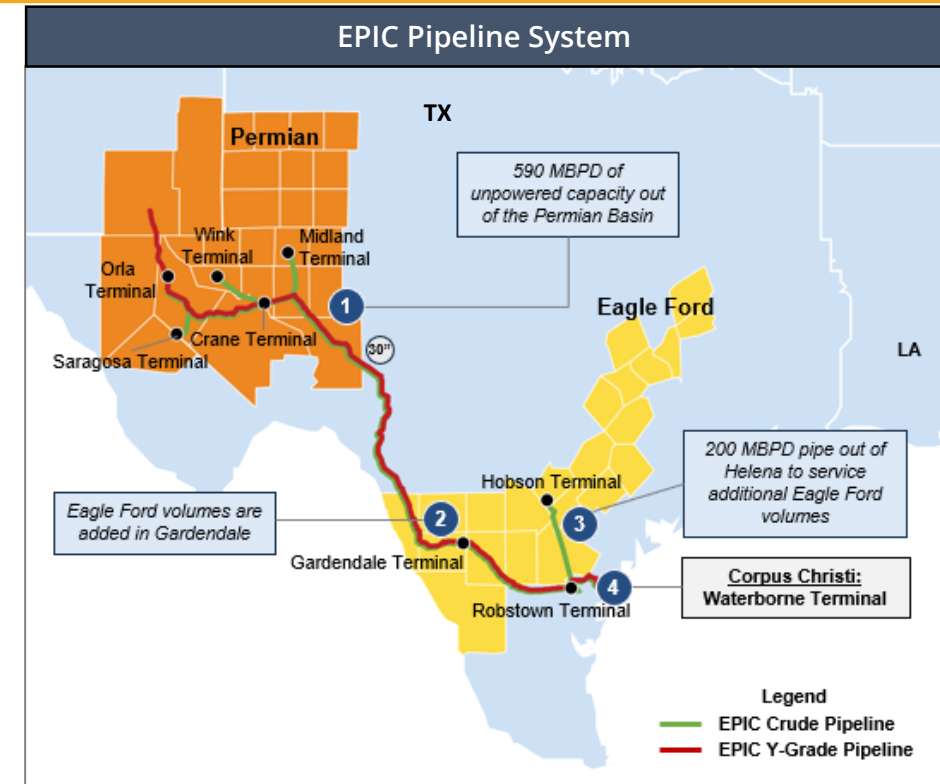
- EPIC Crude placed into full service April 1
  - Minimal remaining capital to construct export dock
- EPIC Y-Grade converted to NGL service on time in early May
- First greenfield fractionator online in June, deferring investment in second greenfield frac until late 2020

## Newbuild EPIC Projects Advantaged in Flight to Coast

- Terminus in Corpus Christi provides differential exposure to historically higher Gulf Coast and Brent pricing spread to WTI
- Longer term contracts backed by MVCs
- Lower operating cost structure and recently secured tariffs

## Delaware Crossing Online; Saddlehorn Interest Acquired

- Mainline in service early May, currently flowing 20,000 Bo/d to Wink and connecting to EPIC to Gulf Coast
- Saddlehorn generated ~\$5MM 1Q20 gross earnings



	EPIC Crude	EPIC Y-Grade	Saddlehorn	White Cliffs	Delaware Crossing	Advantage
<b>Equity Interest</b>	30%	15%	20% <sup>(2)</sup>	3%	50%	50%
<b>Contract Type</b>	Acreage MVC	Acreage MVC	Acreage MVC	Acreage MVC	Acreage	Acreage
<b>Terminus</b>	Corpus Christi	Corpus Christi	Cushing	Cushing	Wink	Crane
<b>Storage (MBbls)</b>	~6,900 <sup>(1)</sup>				250	460

1. Currently 5 MMBbls, expansion to 6.9 MMBbls complete in 2Q2020  
 2. The ownership interest in Saddlehorn is owned through a wholly-owned subsidiary of Black Diamond, in which the Partnership has a 54.4% ownership interest



## DJ Basin

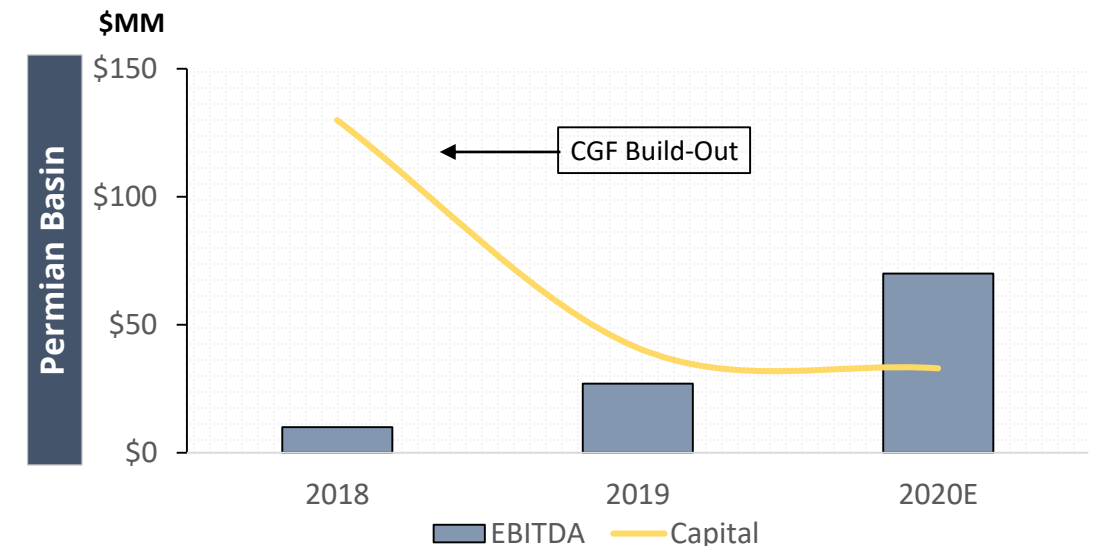
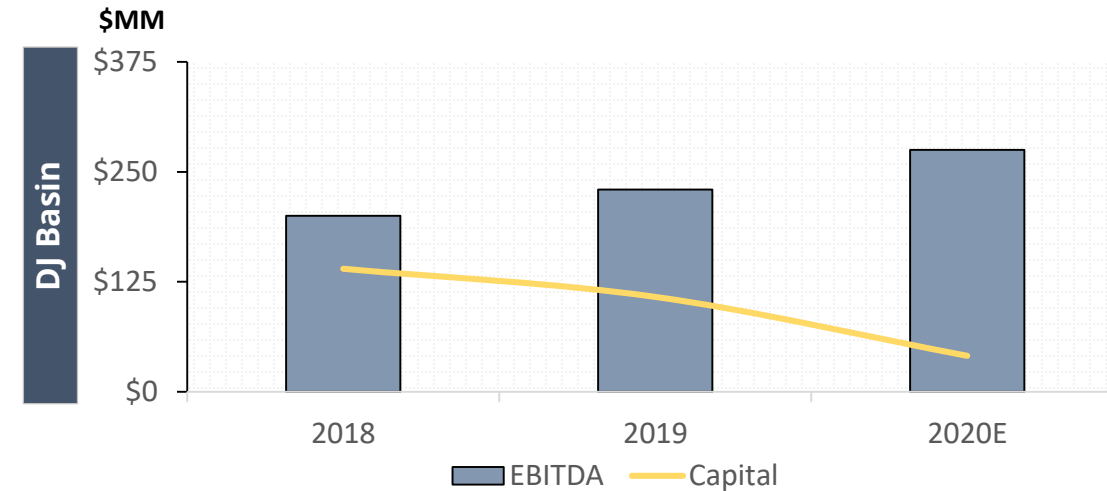
- ~550,000 core net acre dedication and 15+ customers
- 16 additional Mustang connections in 2Q20, all in April
- 85% of suspended activity will be on low-cost adjacent section development
- 60 MBw/d Fresh Water Delivery MVC (\$19 million estimated in 2H20) providing backstop to reduced activity
- Gathered first third-party volumes from new customer, Verdad

## Delaware Basin

- ~120,000 core net acres across 20+ customers
- Northern CGF<sup>1</sup> supersystem enhances efficiency
- Seven well connections in April and then minimal remaining organic capital expected in 2020
- Potential for third-party activity to resume 4Q20

1. Centralized Gathering Facility

**Infrastructure Build-Out and Core Acreage Boost Future Project Returns**



# Revised Distribution Policy Improves Leverage and Coverage

## Transitioning to Self-Funding Business Model

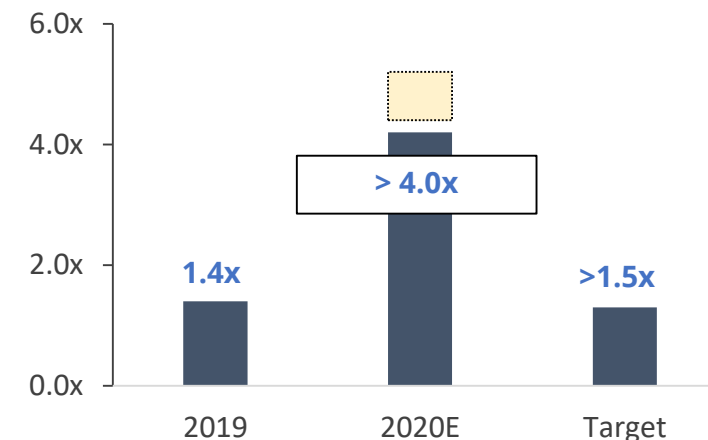
- 75% distribution reduction preserves approximately \$200 million in annual cash flow and accelerates self funding model
- Generating excess cash flow after total net capital and distributions starting in 2Q20
- Ability to delever and improve liquidity, with incremental cash flow anticipated to reduce debt

## Leverage Improving throughout the Year

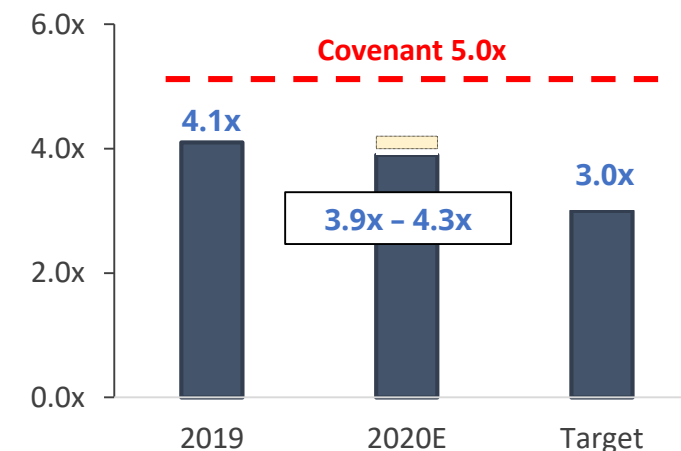
- 4.0x Net Debt to TTM EBITDA<sup>1</sup> at 1Q20, \$418 million in liquidity
- \$1.15B revolver stable, not up for redetermination until 2023
- Revised outlook well below covenant leverage threshold of 5.0x in 2020
- Focused on term loan, addressing mid-year 2021 maturity

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### Distribution Coverage Ratio<sup>1</sup>



### Net Debt to 2020E TTM EBITDA<sup>1</sup>



# Non-GAAP Financial Measures

This presentation includes Adjusted EBITDA, Distributable Cash Flow, Distribution Coverage Ratio, Annualized Leverage Ratio and ROACE, all of which are non-GAAP measures which may be used periodically by management when discussing our financial results with investors and analysts.

We define Adjusted EBITDA as net income before income taxes, net interest expense, depreciation and amortization, transaction expenses, unit-based compensation and certain other items that we do not view as indicative of our ongoing performance. Additionally, Adjusted EBITDA reflects the adjusted earnings impact of our unconsolidated investments by adjusting our equity earnings or losses from our unconsolidated investments to reflect our proportionate share of their EBITDA. Prior period Adjusted EBITDA has been reclassified to conform to the current period presentation.

Adjusted EBITDA is used as a supplemental financial measure by management and by external users of our financial statements, such as investors, industry analysts, lenders and ratings agencies, to assess:

- our operating performance as compared to those of other companies in the midstream energy industry, without regard to financing methods, historical cost basis or capital structure;
- the ability of our assets to generate sufficient cash flow to make distributions to our partners;
- our ability to incur and service debt and fund capital expenditures;
- and the viability of acquisitions and other capital expenditure projects and the returns on investment of various investment opportunities.

We define Distributable Cash Flow as Adjusted EBITDA plus distributions received from our unconsolidated investments less our proportionate share of Adjusted EBITDA from unconsolidated investments, estimated maintenance capital expenditures and cash interest paid. Prior period distributable cash flow has been reclassified to conform to the current period presentation.

Distributable Cash Flow is used by management to evaluate our overall performance. Our partnership agreement requires us to distribute all available cash on a quarterly basis, and Distributable Cash Flow is one of the factors used by the board of directors of our general partner to help determine the amount of available cash that is available to our unitholders for a given period. We define Distribution Coverage Ratio as Distributable Cash Flow divided by total distributions declared. The Distribution Coverage Ratio is used by management to illustrate our ability to make our distributions each quarter.

We define ROACE as earnings before interest and taxes divided by (average total assets – average current liabilities). ROACE is used by management to measure the efficiency of the utilization of the capital that we employ.

We define Annualized Leverage Ratio as total debt divided by quarterly adjusted EBITDA attributable to the Partnership, annualized for four quarters. Annualized Leverage Ratio is used by management to assess our ability to incur and service debt and fund capital expenditures.

We believe that the presentation of Adjusted EBITDA, Distributable Cash Flow, Distribution Coverage Ratio, Annualized Leverage Ratio and ROACE provide information useful to investors in assessing our financial condition and results of operations. The GAAP measure most directly comparable to Adjusted EBITDA, Distributable Cash Flow, Distribution Coverage Ratio, Annualized Leverage Ratio and ROACE is Net Income. Adjusted EBITDA, Distributable Cash Flow, Distribution Coverage Ratio, Annualized Leverage Ratio and ROACE should not be considered alternatives to net income or any other measure of financial performance or liquidity presented in accordance with GAAP. Adjusted EBITDA, Distributable Cash Flow, Distribution Coverage Ratio, Annualized Leverage Ratio and ROACE exclude some, but not all, items that affect net income, and these measures may vary from those of other companies. As a result, Adjusted EBITDA, Distributable Cash Flow, Distribution Coverage Ratio, Annualized Leverage Ratio and ROACE as presented herein may not be comparable to similarly titled measures of other companies.

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