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## Q4 and Full Year 2023 Investor Presentation

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Bird Construction Inc. (TSX:BDT)

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"Backlog" is a term representing the total value of all contracts awarded to the Company, less the total value of work completed on these contracts as of the date of the most recently completed quarter. The Company's Backlog equates to the Company's remaining performance obligations as disclosed in the Company's most recent notes to the financial statements filed on SEDAR+. Additions to remaining performance obligations are also referred to by the Company as "Securements".

"Pending Backlog" is a supplementary financial measure representing the total potential revenue of awarded but not contracted projects including where the Company has been named preferred proponent, where a contract has not been executed and where the letter of intent or agreement received is non-binding. It may also include amounts for agency relationship construction management projects, pre-construction activities and estimated future work orders to be performed as part of multi-year MSA, maintenance, task order, and similar contractual arrangements.

"Gross Profit Percentage" is a supplementary financial measure representing the percentage derived by dividing gross profit by construction revenue.

"Adjusted Earnings" is a non-GAAP financial measure defined as IFRS net income excluding asset impairments, acquisition, integration and restructuring (as defined in accordance with IFRS) costs and the income tax effect of these costs.

"Adjusted Earnings Per Share" is a non-GAAP financial ratio calculated by dividing Adjusted Earnings by the basic weighted average number of shares.

"Adjusted EBITDA" is a non-GAAP financial measure representing earnings before taxes, interest, depreciation and amortization, finance and other costs, finance income, asset impairment charges, gain or loss on sale of property and equipment, restructuring and severance costs outside of normal course, and acquisition, integration and restructuring (as defined in accordance with IFRS) costs.

"Adjusted EBITDA Margin" or "Adjusted EBITDA Percentage" is a non-GAAP financial ratio representing the percentage derived by dividing Adjusted EBITDA by construction revenue.

"Current Ratio" is a supplementary financial measure representing the percentage derived by dividing total current assets by total current liabilities.

"General and Administrative expenses as a percentage of revenue" is a supplementary financial measure representing the percentage derived by dividing general and administrative expenses by construction revenue.

"Adjusted Net Debt" is a non-GAAP financial measure defined as current and long-term loans and borrowings as disclosed in the Company's statement of financial position, less accessible cash, as disclosed in the Company's notes to the financial statements. Management uses this as a measure of financial leverage and is part of its assessment of the Company's capital structure. At December 31, 2023, Adjusted Net Debt of \$(6,958) is calculated as: Loans and borrowings (non-current) \$64,621 plus Current portion of loans and borrowings \$8,305 minus Accessible cash \$79,884.

"Adjusted Net Debt to TTM Adjusted EBITDA" is a non-GAAP financial ratio calculated by dividing Adjusted Net Debt by the Company's trailing twelve-month Adjusted EBITDA. Management uses this as a measure of financial leverage and is part of its assessment of the Company's capital structure.

"LT Loans & Borrowings to Equity" is a supplementary financial measure calculated as non-current loans and borrowings divided by total shareholders' equity, as disclosed in the Company's consolidated statement of financial position.



## Unlocking Shareholder Value

### Bird is positioned for growth and profitability improvements through 2024 and beyond.

As one of Canada's leading collaborative construction and maintenance companies with a strong reputation for operational excellence on complex projects, Bird competes effectively in all of its core markets. The Company's diversified business model, with significant self-perform capabilities, establishes Bird as a partner of choice across its core markets of industrial, buildings, and infrastructure.



- A healthy and safe work environment with a collaborative, inclusive team culture
- Disciplined growth strategy driving margin accretion and revenue growth
- Organic and acquisitive growth delivering diverse services and self-perform scopes for complex projects with improving margins
- Trusted reputation with clients and partners in core markets: Industrial, Buildings and Infrastructure
- Strong financial and risk management
- Balanced capital allocation strategy with a healthy dividend and flexibility to pursue growth

# Team of over

TSX:

**5,000** Led by an experienced management team



~75%

of combined backlog has a collaborative delivery model

## Significant risk-balanced combined backlog

and recurring revenue MSA's

## **Positioned for the Future**

#### Our Foundation Purpose and Values

**We bring life to vision** *Creating great things with you* 



WE PUT SAFETY FIRST



WE LEAD WITH HONESTY



WE ARE STRONGER TOGETHER



WE ARE DRIVEN TO DO GREAT WORK



WE CREATE OPPORTUNITY Our Team Experienced Multidisciplinary Team

#### Strong Team of Constructors

- Highly engaged, high-performance team
- Deep bench strength, the Company is attracting talent and recruiting for the future
- Industry-leading people programs supporting continuous learning and developing and promoting a culture of hungry, humble, and smart
- Continuous improvement and innovation focus
- Collaborative and inclusive culture

#### Our Strategy

#### **2024** Strategic Priorities

(2025-2027 Strategic Planning underway)

- Be a top employer in Canada with a world-class safety culture, attracting and retaining the best of the industry
- Focus on further margin accretion
- Continue growth of self perform and cross-selling opportunities
- Pursue organic and M&A diversification and growth
- Maintain financial flexibility
- Deliver superior shareholder returns
- Promote positive relationships with Indigenous partners and communities
- Enhance ESG framework



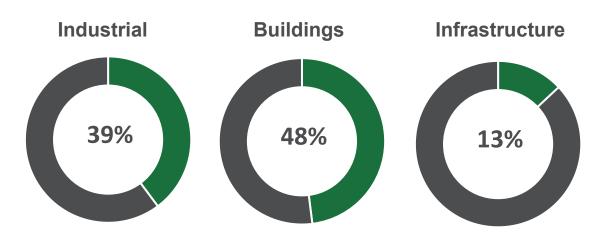


**Operations Overview** 

Over the past six years, Bird has diversified its revenue and transitioned to a highly collaborative and risk-balanced mix of projects, enhancing profitability and Adjusted EBITDA margins through its specialized services and delivery of complex projects across industrial, infrastructure, and buildings. With a continued focus on organic and M&A growth and diversification, especially in the underweighted infrastructure market, Bird sees a significant runway for continued growth and margin improvement in 2024 and beyond.







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Bird delivers its capabilities, services and innovative solutions across a range of sectors.



Profitability

#### Margin Accretion Strategy

The Company remains focused on margin accretion by leveraging the following:

- Disciplined project selection
- Risk-balanced mix of projects
- Collaborative contracts
- Improving margins in core businesses
- ✓ M&A in sectors with accretive margin profiles
- Growth in higher margin sectors (more complex work)
- Increase self-perform and cross-selling of additional Bird scopes and services
- Growing recurring revenue at accretive margins
- Gaining leverage on cost structure

Business Strategy

## Profitability. Discipline. Diversification and Growth.

The Company plans to retain in excess of two-thirds of net income to support continued growth beyond 2024.

#### **Diversification and Growth** Organic Growth Strategy

Bird continues to leverage its strong reputation as a partner of choice for complex projects to support growth.

- Industrial growth in Ontario and BC
- Grow mechanical and electrical nationally
- Grow to a national, full-service civil infrastructure and utilities provider
- Expand nuclear portfolio
- Growth in energy transition and electrification-related projects
- Data-related facilities and infrastructure

#### **M&A Strategy**

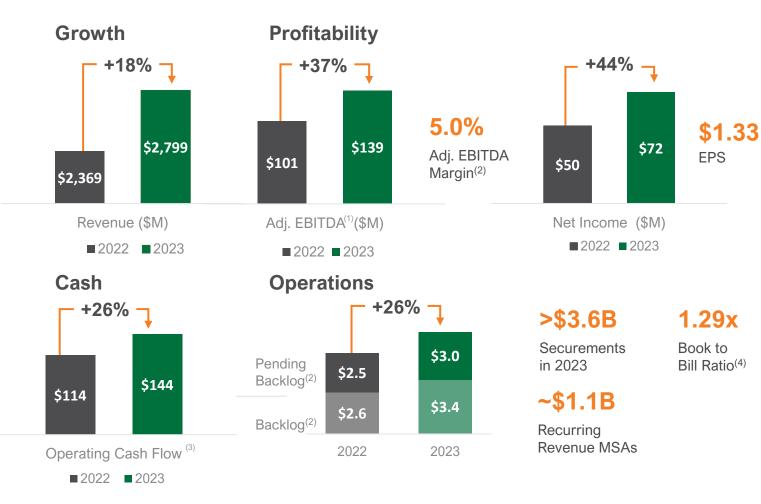
M&A targets sectors with specialized capabilities and higher-margin potential, with a strong cultural fit.

- Expanding full-service offering and cross-selling additional services and scopes to existing clients
- Growing recurring revenue opportunities
- Target capabilities: Civil infrastructure (specialized and light civil), process mechanical, electrical, MRO services, utilities (telecom, advanced wireless, underground), nuclear, and renewables

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### Full Year Financial Highlights



### Key Performance Drivers



Developing and attracting Top Talent



Track record of accretive M&A, four in past four years



Risk-balanced, highly collaborative Backlog and Pending Backlog with accretive embedded margins



Significant momentum for continued revenue and earnings growth

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Balance sheet positioned to support continued growth and sustainable returns to shareholders

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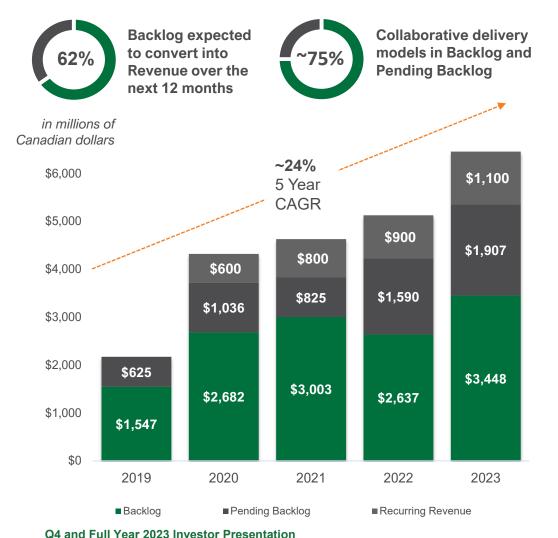
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(4) Book to Bill is a supplementary financial measure representing the ratio of total bookings in the period to total revenue for the period.

## **Risk Balanced, Highly Collaborative, Diverse Backlog Mix**

Future performance visibility supported by the robust combined backlog, characterized by accretive embedded margins and significant multi-year recurring revenue MSAs



### ~\$1.1B in Recurring Revenue Contracts:

MSAs and other multi-year recurring contracts represent a recurring revenue stream over the next one to seven years.

- Supports longer-term visibility to profitability and growth outlook
- · Diversified in oil & gas, energy, nuclear, and mining sectors
- Added \$130 million through January 2024 NorCan acquisition (subsequent to the year-end)

#### **Benefits of Collaborative Delivery Models**

Reduce Risk		Increase Value		Build Better	
<ul> <li>Full transparency on project costs</li> <li>Project costs not at ris</li> <li>Upfront work drives quefficiency and reduces constructability risk</li> </ul>	sk uality, s	<ul> <li>Improved project efficient</li> <li>bringing schedule and value to the client</li> <li>Incentivizes all partner achieve project goals</li> <li>Higher quality outcor from combined expension</li> </ul>	ers to s mes	<ul> <li>Gain share, pain shared driving high performation and innovation solution</li> <li>Better conflict resolution/collaborative problem solving</li> <li>Stronger relationships</li> </ul>	ince ions ve

## **Project Pursuits and Recent Project Awards**



Bird continues to pursue new work selectively, ensuring strategic alignment between capabilities, project type and delivery model.

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- Strong focus on early contractor involvement and collaborative opportunities drives a larger share of negotiated work and improves project delivery and outcomes for all parties.
- Sustained demand in Bird's core markets industrial, buildings and infrastructure continues to be supported by a robust bid pipeline.
- Bird's focus on energy transition and electrification, nuclear expansion, multi-year industrial and mining projects, infrastructure development for growing populations, and building upgrades for decarbonization aligns us with the futures demand.

Positioned for growth with a significant pipeline of projects with accretive embedded EBITDA margins and a robust bidding environment for disciplined pursuit of new work.

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		October 2023	September 2023	August 2023	

## **Canada's Energy Transition and Electrification Partner**

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#### Clean Power Generation

- Wind and solar projects
- Hydro: New construction + refurbishments
- Nuclear: New construction + SMnR + remediation

#### PROJECTS

- Wind projects in AB & NB
- Kakabeka Falls Life Extension & Rehabilitation work on various hydro structures, ON
- Advance Nuclear Materials
   Research Centre, ON
- PHAI Environmental Remediation, ON





- Energization & startup services
- Advanced high voltage technical services
- EV installation services (electrification & communications): Canem + Trinity

#### PROJECTS

- Electrical capabilities further bolstered with NorCan acquisition
- High voltage industrial electrical relocations, AB
- One Pass Trenching of electrical & fiber optic cable management for wind and solar
- 2,500+ Electrical personnel<sup>(1)</sup>

#### Low Carbon & Green Infrastructure Solutions

- Water & wastewater treatment
- Organic/waste to energy processing
- Deep energy retrofits
- Net-zero certification & Passive House new builds
- Building monitoring & optimization through Bird's Center for Building Performance
- Leveraging sustainable building products

#### PROJECTS

- MacKimmie Tower Zero Carbon Redevelopment, AB
- Toronto Western Hospital
- Waste to Heat, ON
- Humber College Building NX, Deep Energy Retrofit, ON
- Calgary Composting Facility, AB







#### Critical, Rare & Battery Minerals

- Heavy civil mineral mining & processing
- Mine infrastructure development

#### PROJECTS

- Bird's heavy civil capacities are supporting large industrial projects at all stages, from development to operation and expansion.
- Heavy civil works at Bloom Lake Iron Ore, QC

#### Transportation, Manufacturing & Logistics

- Public transit
- Manufacturing Center
   of Excellence
- EV battery plant, EV manufacturing & other infrastructure

#### PROJECTS

- East Harbour Hub, ON
- Ottawa LRT, Stage 2, ON



(1) The company through its affiliated subsidiaries has up to 2500 electricians, linemen, technologists and technicians and access to other personnel through a variety of labour platforms.

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## Longer Cycle, Significant Demand Trends **Public and Private Clients**

Government programs supporting investments in transportation, energy, water and wastewater, telecommunications, and public facilities include the Investing in Canada Plan, Canada Infrastructure Bank, Canada Growth Fund, and other federal and provincial budget commitments.

The Investing in Canada Plan, launched in 2016, laid out federal government commitments to invest more than \$180 billion over 12 years (2016-2028) in public transit projects, green infrastructure, social infrastructure, trade and transportation routes, and Canada's rural and northern communities ~\$150 billion invested to date.

#### \$125 to \$140 billion

2022 Federal Budget estimated the investment in net-zero transition requires \$125 billion to \$140 billion annually through 2050.

Double Electricity Supply	Canada needs to roughly double its electricity supply. Electrification requires investment in energy generation projects, including expanding clean energy and improving power distribution and transmission systems.
\$110 to \$270 billion	Estimates of Canada's "infrastructure deficit" range from \$110- \$270 billion. Additional investments are required to improve energy efficiency – residential and commercial buildings are Canada's third-largest source of greenhouse gases.
+\$70 billion	Public transportation opportunities include Ontario's planned \$70 billion for transit investments over the next ten years, Canada's \$15 billion for public transit over the next eight years, as well as significant spending across the balance of provinces.
>\$40 billion	Nuclear opportunities are significant, notably the recently proposed Bruce Nuclear Expansion, the Pickering Refurbishment, and SMR Infrastructure initiatives.

## **Environmental, Social, Governance**

Bird's Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) program remains aligned to business, client, and industry demands.



For more information, please refer to the <u>Sustainability</u> portion of Bird's website.

The four pillars of the Bird ESG program embed sustainability within the business to optimize our positive social and environmental impact by utilizing a strong corporate governance framework that ensures accountability and stewardship across all our operations.

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#### **BUILD GREEN**

- Sustainable Construction
- Future Energy
- Stack Modular
- Prefabrication



#### **WORK GREEN**

- Digital Construction
- Centre for Building Performance
- Supply Chain Management
- Waste Management



#### LIVE GREEN

- Health, Safety & Environment
- Indigenous Relations
- Community investment
- People & Culture
- DEI
- Stakeholder Engagement



#### COMMITMENT TO GOVERNANCE

- Risk Management
- Oversight
- Board Independence
- Board Diversity

## **Q4 and Full Year 2023 Financial Highlights**



<i>\$ Millions (except per share amounts)</i>	Three Months Ended December 31, 2023	Y/Y Change	Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2023	Y/Y Change
Revenue	\$792.1	<b>22.1%</b>	\$2,798.8	18.1%
Gross Profit	<b>\$73.2</b> 9.2% of Revenue <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>26.1%</b>	<b>\$240.5</b> 8.6% of Revenue <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>19.2%</b>
General and Administrative	<b>\$40.5</b> 5.1% of Revenue <sup>(1)</sup>	17.3%	<b>\$142.8</b> 5.1% of Revenue <sup>(1)</sup>	7.9%
Adjusted EBITDA <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>\$43.9</b> 5.5% of Revenue <sup>(1)</sup>	43.2%	<b>\$138.7</b> 5.0% of Revenue <sup>(1)</sup>	37.1%
Net Income	<b>\$23.9</b> \$0.44 EPS	59.9%	<b>\$71.5</b> \$1.33 EPS	43.5%
Adjusted Earnings <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>\$24.3</b> \$0.45 Adj. EPS <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>56.9%</b>	<b>\$74.2</b> \$1.38 Adj. EPS <sup>(1)</sup>	61.3%

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### Sustained, Strong Financial Foundation with Flexibility for Continued Growth

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Very positive return and capital efficiency metrics

**20%** Long-term Loans & Borrowings to Equity<sup>(1)</sup>

**27%** 

Return on Equity<sup>(3)</sup>

**1.26** Current Ratio<sup>(1)</sup>

(0.05x)

Adjusted Net Debt/

TTM Adjusted EBITDA<sup>(1)</sup>

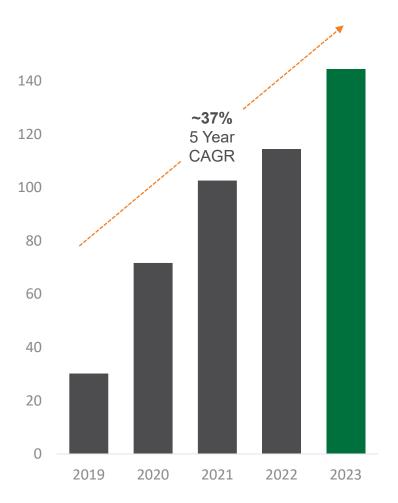
in millions of Canadian dollars

December 31, 2023	
Accessible cash	\$ 80
Held in joint operations accounts	\$ 63
Restricted cash	<u>\$ 35</u>
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 178
Loans and borrowings (current and long-term)	\$ 73
Adjusted Net Debt <sup>(2)</sup>	\$ (7)
Working Capital	\$ 234
Shareholders' equity	\$ 322

#### **Syndicated Credit Facility**

Committed Revolving Credit Facility	\$ 250
Non-committed Accordion Feature	\$ 50
Committed Non-revolving Term Debt Facilities	\$ 61.5
Syndicated Credit Facility Maturity December 15, 2026	

#### **Operating Cash Flow**<sup>(4)</sup>



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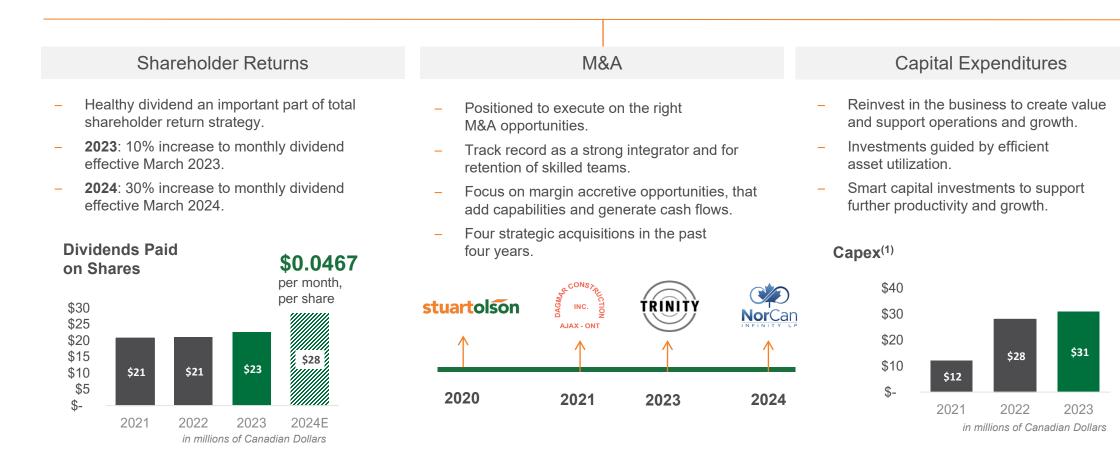
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## 2024 Capital Allocation **Priorities**

Strong cash flows and significant liquidity to support a balanced approach to capital allocation, investing in excess of two thirds of Net Income to support profitable long-term growth and enhancing shareholder value.

#### **Balanced Approach to Capital Allocation**



(1) Capital expenditures ("Capex") - Refer to the consolidated statement of cash flows - "Additions to property and equipment and intangible assets".

## 2024 Outlook: Sustained Profitable Growth Momentum

- Substantial 2023 organic Revenue growth and Gross Profit and Adjusted EBITDA margin accretion provide good momentum entering 2024.
- Backlog of contracted work exceeded \$3.4 billion, an all-time high for Bird, while Pending Backlog was \$3.0 billion of expected future work including a robust portfolio of recurring revenue contracts approximating \$1.1 billion.
- Combined backlog reflects higher embedded margins resulting from Bird's disciplined project selection, diverse mix of complex projects, and focus on collaboration and cross-selling.
- The combination of Backlog and Pending Backlog, along with a significant volume of attractive opportunities actively being pursued, provide Bird with significant visibility into future revenues and profitability.
- Top line organic growth is expected to continue through 2024, with seasonal patterns favouring the second half of the year.
- The Company anticipates significant improvements to earnings and cashflow.
- Continuing strategic focus on Adjusted EBITDA margin accretion, Bird expects Adjusted EBITDA and earnings per share growth to outpace organic revenue growth in 2024.



## 2023 Achievements



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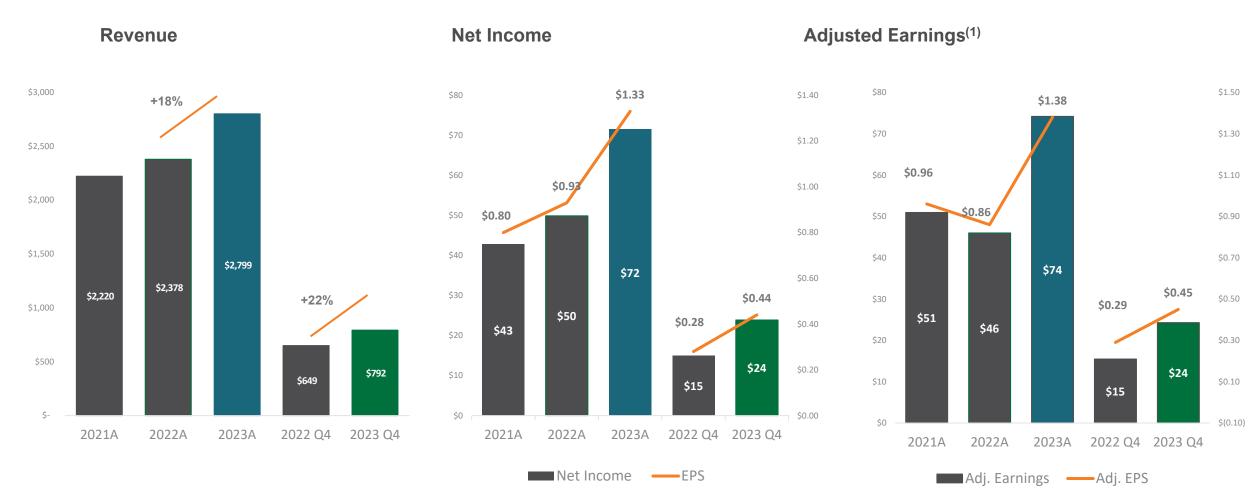
## What Sets Us Apart

Q4 2023 Revenue +22% Y/Y	Full Year 2024 Adj. EBITDA 5.0%	+26% Growth in Combined Backlog	2023 Working Capital +27% from Dec. 31, 2022	Track Record for Strong Integration and Retention	Robust Backlog of Sustainability-related Projects
Disciplined and strategic revenue growth	Continued focus on margin accretion	Growing, diverse combined backlog	Strong balance sheet & financial flexibility	Track record of accretive M&A	Elevated sustainability profile
<ul> <li>Strong organic revenue growth within a wide range of sectors.</li> <li>Diverse revenue streams in high- demand, higher- margin sectors, with a balanced public/private client mix.</li> <li>Continued focus on organic and M&amp;A growth</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Minimal exposure to high-risk lump sum turn-key projects and interest rate sensitive sectors.</li> <li>Increased specialized, self- perform capabilities, focus on higher-margin potential sectors and collaborative contracts.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>2023 Year End Backlog \$3.4B, Pending Backlog \$3.0B.</li> <li>Risk-balanced contracts across sectors and geographies.</li> <li>~\$1.1B recurring revenue contracts, with future growth through NorCan acquisition.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Well-positioned for capital allocation priorities.</li> <li>Very positive return and capital efficiency metrics: Current Ratio, ROE, ROIC, ROCE<sup>(1)</sup></li> </ul>	<ul> <li>2024 – NorCan, key market for recurring revenue growth.</li> <li>2023 – Trinity Communications, key growth market.</li> <li>2021 – Dagmar, delivered strong post-acquisition growth.</li> <li>2020 – Transformational Stuart Olson Acquisition.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Delivering energy transition projects and sustainable new build and retrofit services.</li> <li>Implemented ESG strategy, positioning for future reporting.</li> <li>2023 ESG Overview to be released May 14, 2023.</li> </ul>
Positioned for continued revenue growth through 2024	EBITDA Margin is expected to further improve through 2024	Strong future revenue visibility with over 75% of combined backlog in a collaborative model	Positioned for growth and positive FCF generation	Accretive, tuck-ins in key sectors; remain open to large opportunities and will be opportunistic	Bird's ESG program remains aligned to business, client, and industry demands.

(1) Financial metrics: Return on Equity (ROE), Return on Invested Capital (ROIC), Return on Capital Employed (ROCE).

## **Revenue, Net Income, and Adjusted Earnings**



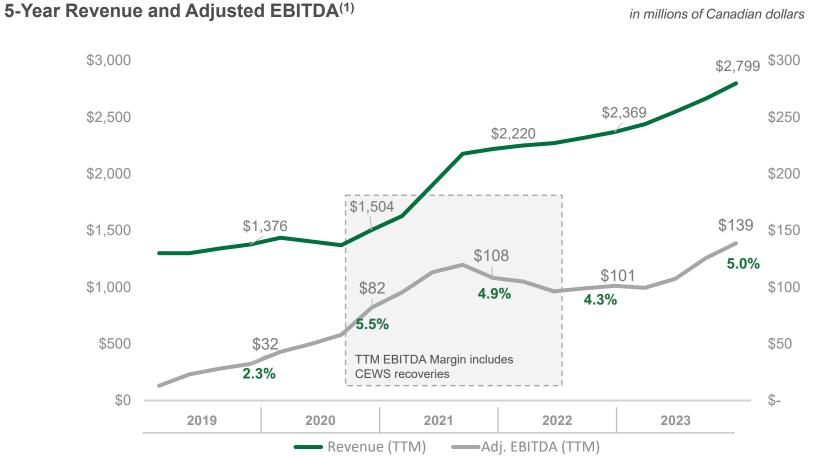


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### **Risk Balanced Business Model Generating Growth and Profitability**

#### Growing revenue and EBITDA



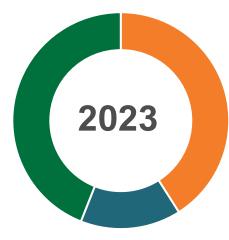
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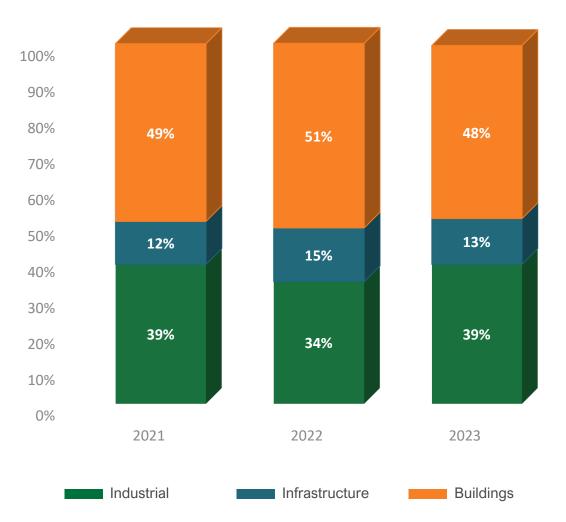
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## **Core Markets**



Today, Bird is known for delivering complex and sophisticated projects across the industrial, buildings and infrastructure markets.

We continue to grow across all markets as we have been able to achieve sustainable profitability improvements. Infrastructure, currently underweighted in size, will see the highest growth and is one of the focus areas for M&A.



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Over the past six years, **Bird has strategically** diversified its revenue sources while shifting to a risk-balanced mix of work. Throughout this transition, Bird has enhanced its profitability and adjusted EBITDA margins.

- Wayne Gingrich, Chief Financial Officer



### **Diversifying Risk - Revenue by Contract Type**



\$29 \$15 \$55 Public Private Partnership • \$59 \$123 \$102 \$121 \$101 \$150 (PPP) Higher risk \$177 Design-Build-Finance ٠ \$1,236 \$1.276 Complex Design-Build • \$1,334 \$943 \$792 Stipulated Sum Unit Price Specified Design-Build \$1.250 \$910 \$860 **Construction Management** • \$432 Lower risk Integrated Project Delivery \$305 Cost-Plus 2019A 2020A 2021A 2022A 2023A

in millions of Canadian dollars

- Increased diversification across services, end-markets and geographies; well-balanced portfolio of low-to-medium risk projects
- Over 90% of 2023 revenue is considered low-to-medium risk and supports the company balanced revenue mix target
- Focus on maintaining balanced risk profile and driving a higher share of collaborative contracting methods with our clients to balance the risk transfer between parties

Capital Markets <b>Overview</b>		<b>\$17.50</b> Share Price <sup>(1)</sup> <b>\$8.01/\$17.60</b> 52 Week Low / High <sup>(1)</sup>	Dividend M	<b>943 M</b> arket apitalization <sup>(1)</sup>	bird
Firm	Analyst	Contact		Organic and M&A Revenue	
ATB Capital	Chris Murray	416.520.0267 cmurray@atb.com		Growth	
Canaccord Genuity	Yuri Lynk	514.844.3708 ylynk@cgf.com	Sustainable		Strong Cash Flow,
CIBC Capital Markets	Jacob Bout	416.956.6766 jacob.bout@cibc.com	Margin Accretion		Balanced Capital Allocation
Laurentian Bank Securities	Jonathan Lamers	416.577.1755 lamersJ@lb-securities.ca		Long-term Shareholder Value	
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Stifel GMP	lan Gillies	416.943.6108 ibgillies@stifel.com	Experienced & Dedicated Team	F	sciplined Risk and
TD Securities	Michael Tupholme	416.307.9389 michael.tupholme@tdsecurities.com	Operating Safely		inancial nagement



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