







Bird Construction Inc Quarterly Earnings Call 2020 Q2

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"Backlog" (also referred to in the construction industry as "work on hand") is 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. This includes all contracts that have been awarded to the Company whether the work has commenced or will commence in the normal course. It includes all of the Company's remaining performance obligations in its contracts with its clients. It does not include amounts for variable consideration that are constrained, agency relationship construction management projects, and estimated future work orders to be performed as part of master services agreements.

"Pending Backlog" is 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 are 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 master services agreements. Management does not provide any assurance that a contract will be finalized, or revenue recognized in the future.

Management uses "Adjusted Earnings", "Adjusted Earnings Per Share", "Adjusted EBITDA", "Adjusted EBITDA Margin" and "Operating Cash Flow" to assess the operating performance of its business. Management believes that if investors and analysts use "Adjusted Earnings", Adjusted EBITDA and/or Operating Cash Flow, it may provide predictive value to assess the on-going operations of the business and it provides a more consistent comparison between financial reporting periods.

Management considers these to be important supplemental measures of the Company's performance and management believes these measures are frequently used by securities analysts, investors and other interested parties in the evaluation of companies in industries with capital structures similar to that of the Company. These measures have been described and presented in order to provide potential investors with additional information regarding the Company's liquidity and its ability to generate funds to finance its operations. Readers are encouraged to review the Company's annual and most recent MD&A filed on SEDAR for a full discussion of the use of each measure.

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Currency

Unless otherwise indicated, all currency in this presentation is presented in Canadian dollars.



Build the Business



- ✓ Diversification
- ✓ Profitable Growth
- ✓ Efficient Processes & Cost Structure
- ✓ Safe Production

Build Relationships

- ✓ Customer First Approach
- **✓** ESG
- ✓ Integrated
 Bird Teams



BIRD 1872

- ✓ National Builder
- ✓ 2021 2023 Strategic Planning underway
- ✓ Focusing on our team, performance, and diversification

Build the Team

- ✓ Grow Our Talent
- ✓ Employer of Choice
- ✓ Drive Positive Engagement



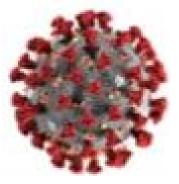
COVID-19 RESPONSE

Employee Health and Safety

- ✓ Initiated a pandemic response plan combined with a rigorous COVID-19 health and safety program
- ✓ Best practices developed and implemented for managers and site teams self-assessment tools, enhanced cleaning protocols and hygiene measures, physical distancing practices, new COVID-19 measure audits, and additional personal protective equipment requirements for proximity activities
- ✓ Online COVID-19 information centres and remote work practices facilitated by information technology

Cost Structure and Balance Sheet

- ✓ Abundance of caution and early decisive action
- ✓ Proactive management and measures to protect cost structure and balance sheet
- ✓ As required, temporary layoffs and work sharing/reduced work weeks
- ✓ Reduced discretionary spending and deferred capital expenditures
- ✓ Well positioned and strengthened financial position in the event of a prolonged impact



Projects, Backlog, and Pursuits

- ✓ Impacts in April/early May related to temporary shutdowns and reduced productivity
- ✓ Projecting the timing of converting projects into contracts has become more difficult
- ✓ Project cancellations in the pursuit pipeline have been minimal to date, some shifting further out which will have a modest impact on the second half of 2020
- ✓ Healthy Backlog and Pending Backlog with higher margins than a year ago and more balance in terms of the contractual risk profile of the work program

BIRD - BDT

QUARTERLY HIGHLIGHTS

2020 Q2

Improving
Financial
Performance

\$5.6M net income or \$0.13 basic and diluted earnings per share \$6.6M Adjusted Earnings on revenue of \$282.8M

\$282.8M Revenue

\$12.3M Adjusted EBITDA (4.36% Adjusted EBITDA Margin)

\$1.645B

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Seven sequential quarters of TTM Adjusted EBITDA % improvement

Backlog

Healthy Backlog

\$1.645B in Backlog

\$464.5M of secured volume in quarter

\$575M in Pending Backlog

\$5.6M

Net Income

Lower risk profile with higher embedded margin than a year ago

Strong Balance Sheet Cash and cash equivalents of \$171.5M

Declared monthly dividends of \$0.0325 per common share for

August, September, and October 2020

Healthy liquidity to support growth, resilience for uncertainty

\$12.3M

Adjusted EBITDA

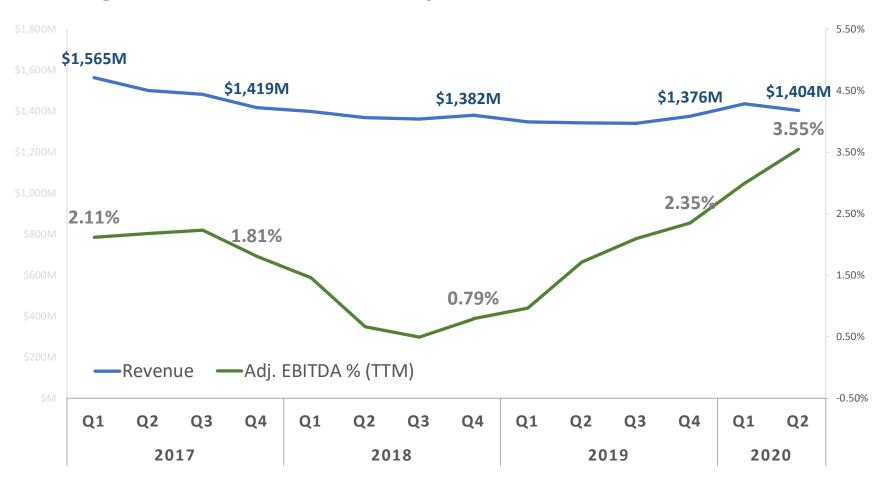
\$0.15

Adjusted EPS

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EBITDA

Trailing Twelve Month (TTM) Adjusted EBITDA in millions of Canadian dollars



2020 Q2

3.55% TTM Adjusted EBITDA Q2 2020

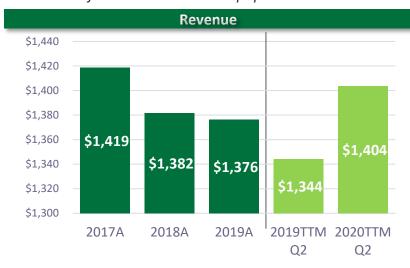
7Sequential quarters of improving TTM Adjusted EBITDA %

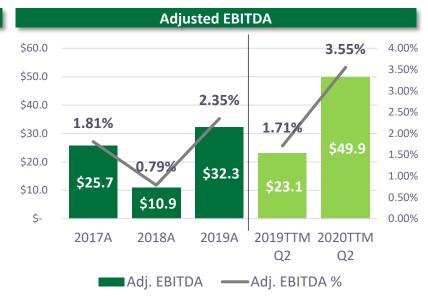
Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA % are non-GAAP measures

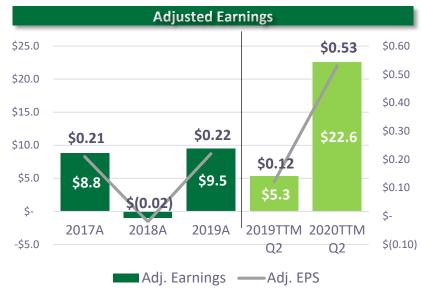
Profitable Growth

Revenue, Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted Earnings

in millions of Canadian dollars except per share amounts







- Q2'20 revenue of \$282.8M is down year-over-year from \$315.4M
- 2020TTM at Q2 revenue growth yearover-year despite headwinds from COVID-19 pandemic
- Q2'20 Adjusted EBITDA of \$12.3M improved year-over-year from \$5.5M
- 2020TTM at Q2 Adjusted EBITDA margin growth year-over-year despite headwinds from COVID-19 pandemic
- Q2'20 Adjusted Earnings of \$6.6M improved year-over-year from \$1.0M
- 2020TTM at Q2 Adjusted Earnings Per Share growth year-over-year despite headwinds from COVID-19 pandemic

STRONG BALANCE SHEET AND CASH POSITION

26.1%

1.12X

LT Debt to equity

Current ratio

June 30, 2020

- Strong year-over-year improvement in operating cash flow
- Balance sheet enables investment in long-term growth through organic and acquisitions/mergers
- Well-positioned to navigate through the uncertainty caused by the COVID-19 pandemic

Cash Flow (Year to date) in thousands of Canadian dollars, except per share amounts	Jun 30, 2020	Jun 30, 2019
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents	\$ (8,944)	\$ (56,454)
Operating cash flow ⁽¹⁾	16,049	825
Additions to property and equipment (2)	(5,643)	(7,690)
Cash dividends paid	(8,291)	(8,291)
Cash dividends declared per share	0.20	0.20

Balance Sheet Summary in thousands of Canadian dollars	Jun 30, 2020	Dec 31, 2019
Total cash and cash equivalents	\$171,468	\$180,334
Total assets	794,587	856,787
Working capital	72,457	80,503
Loans and borrowings (total)	37,720	40,621
Loans and borrowings – current	4,865	5,883
Loans and borrowings – non-current	32,855	34,738
Shareholders' equity	\$126,110	\$127,720

⁽¹⁾ Operating cash flow - Refer to the consolidated statement of cash flows — "Cash flows from operations before changes in non-cash working capital"

⁽²⁾ Includes computer software purchases classified as intangible assets

CASH AND EQUIVALENTS LEVERAGE

Non-restricted cash position improved at Q2'20 vs both December 31, 2019 and year-over-year

Available committed revolving credit facilities at June 30, 2020 totalled \$81.5M, compared to \$66.5M at December 31, 2019

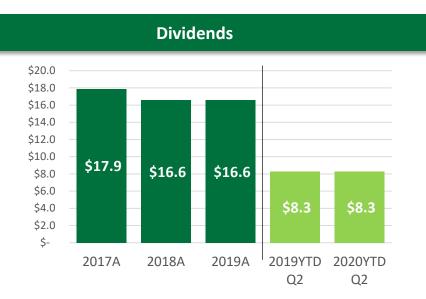
Leverage remains one of the industry's lowest, providing flexibility to successfully grow the business organically or through merger/acquisition

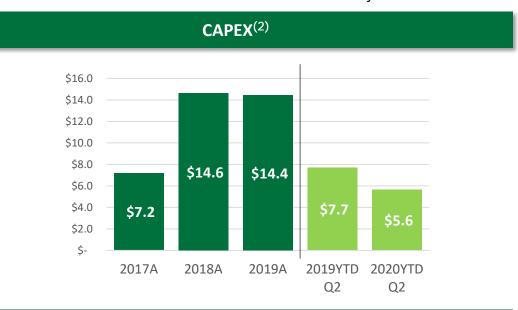
Cash and Cash equivalents in millions of Canadian dollars	Jun 30, 2020	Dec 31, 2019	Jun 30, 2019
Non-restricted cash	\$ 56.1	\$ 36.1	\$ 37.0
Restricted cash	28.3	10.2	8.2
Held in joint operations accounts	<u>87.1</u>	<u>134.0</u>	<u>56.8</u>
Cash and cash equivalents	171.5	180.3	102.0
Adjusted Net Debt in millions of Canadian dollars	Jun 30, 2020	Dec 31, 2019	Jun 30, 2019
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in millions of Canadian dollars	2020	2019	2019
in millions of Canadian dollars Non-restricted cash	\$ 56.1	\$ 36.1	\$ 37.0

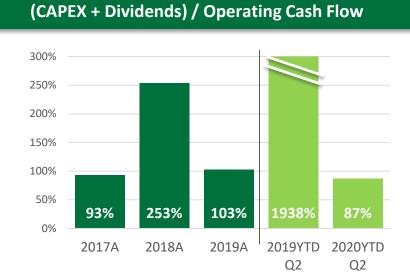
CASH FLOWS

in millions of Canadian dollars

Operating Cash Flow (Before Non-Cash WC)⁽¹⁾ \$35.0 \$30.0 \$25.0 \$20.0 \$30.2 \$15.0 \$26.9 \$10.0 \$16.0 \$12.3 \$5.0 \$0.8 \$-2017A 2018A 2019A 2019YTD 2020YTD







(1) Operating cash flow - Refer to the consolidated statement of cash flows – "Cash flows from operations before changes in non-cash working capital"

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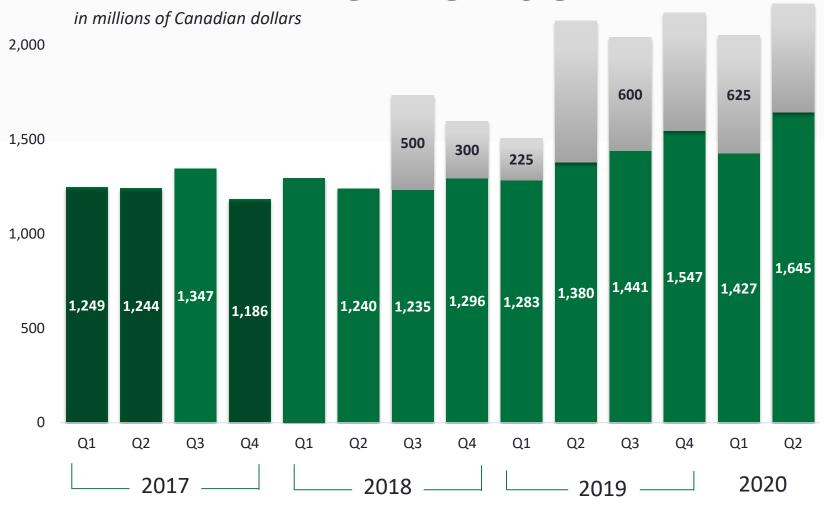
DIVERSIFYING RISK BY CONTRACT TYPE **SUPPORTING RESILIENCE**



- Q2 2020 revenue included 2.1% from PPP
- Higher risk contract revenue ⁽¹⁾ contribution down y/y (14.2% Q2 2020 YTD vs. 23.9% Q2 2019 YTD)

STRONG BACKLOG

AND PENDING BACKLOG



June 30, 2020

- Backlog 11.2% higher y/y
- Seven sequential quarters of improving TTM Adjusted EBITDA %

2020 Contracts

- Eric Hamber School (BC)
- Louvre Residence (AB)
- 185 Enfield Place (ON)
- LNG Concrete (BC)

■ Backlog ■ Pending Backlog

Pending Backlog is a non-GAAP measure

TRANSACTION SUMMARY BDT:SOX

The Agreement

Targeting an October 2020 closing

Bird will acquire all of the issued and outstanding common shares of Stuart Olson (TSX: SOX) for an aggregate consideration of \$96.5 million.

The aggregate consideration of \$96.5 million will consist of \$30.0 million cash and \$66.5 million of the common shares of Bird, based on the five-day volume weighted average trading price of the common shares of Bird ending July 17, 2020, of \$6.32 per share (the Issue Price).

JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	OCTOBER
July 29: Public Announcement of Agreement	 Mid/Late August: Mailing of Shareholder Materials (SOX) 	Mid/Late September: Shareholder Meeting (SOX)	■ Transaction Closing

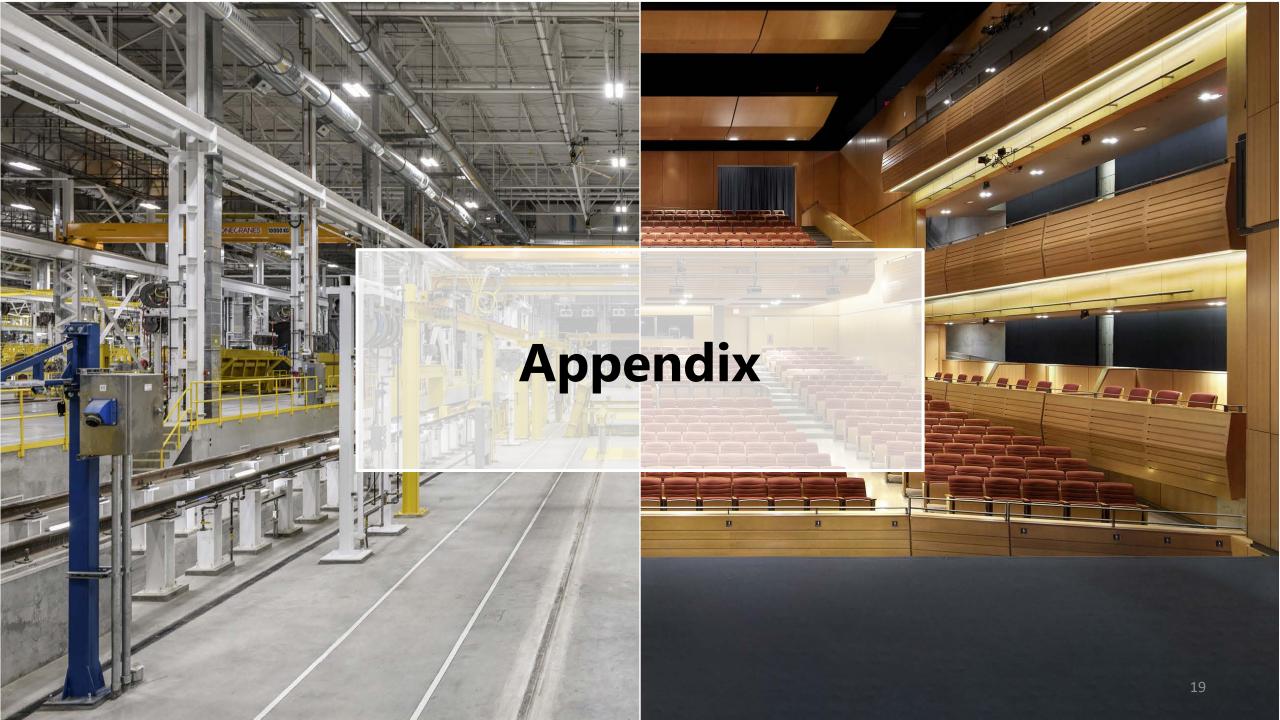
KEY FILINGS	REGULATORY	APPROVALS
Arrangement AgreementPlan of ArrangementSupport Agreements	Competition Bureau	SOX Shareholders

TRANSACTION **SUMMARY**

Creating a Premium Mid-Cap Construction Company		
	Emerging as a leading mid-cap construction company, conveying broader public markets appeal and enhanced	
	Pro forma revenue of approximately \$2.5 billion, with a greater portion earned from recurring business	
سر	Aggregate Backlog of greater than \$3.0 billion plus more than \$1.0 billion of Pending Backlog	
\bigcirc	Long term accretive value creation	
671	Increased diversification across services, end-markets and geographies; well-balanced portfolio of low to medium risk projects	
200	Enhances full service offering, will deepen relationships with key clients	
	Enhanced services offering creates new opportunities to grow relationships with key and prospective clients	
	Well-positioned to capitalize on growth/stimulus of Canadian infrastructure investment and market recovery activity	
*	An expected \$25 million in run rate cost synergies by the end of 2021, including reductions in interest and depreciation	
	Broader public markets appeal / enhanced trading liquidity / analyst coverage	
<u></u>	Stronger balance sheet with appropriate capital structure that will allow for continued support of a dividend	
	Enhances long term diversified growth prospects	







PROUDLY MARKING 100 YEARS OF BUILDING CANADA

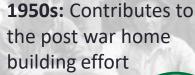
2010s: Acquisition of HJ O'Connell Nason and Stack Modular

1990s: Bird plays major role in Walmart's Canadian roll-out

2020s: Diverse portfolio of projects across Canada

2000s: Acquisition of Rideau Construction in

1970s: Bird begins foray into Alberta oilsands construction

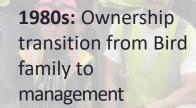




1960s: Expansion into Ontario and British Columbia

1940s: Bird plays a major role in air force base construction

1920s: H.J. Bird establishes Bird, Woodall & Simpson









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- LEED certified projects and professionals
- First Zero Carbon Certification project in Canada
- Leader in Mass Timber –
 renewable and captures carbon
- Waste diversion programs
- Project specific mitigation plans for air emissions, water, soil, and waste

>200 LEED Certified Projects7 Mass Timber projects completed or underway



- Support for health care foundations, food and clothing banks, community events, and youth initiatives
- National scholarships program
- Strong national Indigenous relations
- Mandatory Indigenous Cultural Awareness Training Program
- Bronze-level PAR certified and an inaugural member of the Aboriginal Procurement Champions Group

Progressive Aboriginal RELATIONS





- A strong culture of ethical conduct
- Recognition of the benefits of promoting Board diversity
- Whistleblower Policy
- Regular in-camera meetings, without officers and management present
- Regular performance evaluations

90% Independent Board Members20% of Bird's Directors are women>82% of Employees are Shareholders

DIVERSE **EXPERTISE**

A leading builder with offices from coast-to-coast serving a broad scope of end-markets.





















Thank you