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

FORM 8-K

**CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO
SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported):

January 31, 2019

DiamondRock Hospitality Company
(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Maryland
(State or Other Jurisdiction
of Incorporation)

001-32514
(Commission
File Number)

20-1180098
(IRS Employer
Identification No.)

2 Bethesda Metro Center, Suite 1400
Bethesda, MD 20814
(Address of Principal Executive Offices) (Zip Code)

(240) 744-1150
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions (*see* General Instruction A.2. below):

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- Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a-12)
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

This Current Report on Form 8-K (“Current Report”) contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of federal securities laws and regulations. These forward-looking statements are identified by their use of terms and phrases such as “believe,” “expect,” “intend,” “project,” “anticipate,” “position,” and other similar terms and phrases, including references to assumptions and forecasts of future results. Forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance and involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors which may cause the actual results to differ materially from those anticipated at the time the forward-looking statements are made. These risks include, but are not limited to those risks and uncertainties associated with our business described from time to time in our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including our Annual Report on Form 10-K filed on February 27, 2018. Although we believe the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are based upon reasonable assumptions, we can give no assurance that the expectations will be attained or that any deviation will not be material. All information in this Current Report is as of the date of this Current Report, and we undertake no obligation to update any forward-looking statement to conform the statement to actual results or changes in our expectations.

ITEM 2.02. Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On January 31, 2019, DiamondRock Hospitality Company (the “Company”) issued a press release announcing its preliminary financial results for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2018. A copy of that press release is furnished as Exhibit 99.1 and is incorporated by reference herein.

The information furnished pursuant to this Item 2.02, including Exhibit 99.1, shall not be deemed “filed” for any purpose, including for the purposes of Section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the “Exchange Act”), or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section, and shall not be deemed to be incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the “Securities Act”), or the Exchange Act, regardless of any general incorporation language in such filing.

ITEM 7.01. Regulation FD Disclosure

A copy of a slide presentation that the Company intends to use at investor meetings is attached to this Current Report as Exhibit 99.2 and is incorporated by reference herein. The Company has posted the presentation in the investor relations/presentations section of its website at www.drhc.com.

The information furnished pursuant to this Item 7.01, including Exhibit 99.2, shall not be deemed “filed” for any purpose, including for the purposes of Section 18 of the Exchange Act, or otherwise subject to the liabilities of that Section, and shall not be deemed to be incorporated by reference into any filing under the Securities Act or the Exchange Act, regardless of any general incorporation language in such filing. This Current Report will not be deemed an admission as to the materiality of any information in this Current Report that is required to be disclosed solely by Regulation FD.

ITEM 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits.

The following exhibits are included with this report:

<u>Exhibit No.</u>	<u>Description</u>
99.1	Press Release, dated January 31, 2019
99.2	Investor Presentation, dated January 31, 2019

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

DIAMONDROCK HOSPITALITY COMPANY

Date: January 31, 2019

By: /s/ Briony R. Quinn
Briony R. Quinn
Senior Vice President and Treasurer



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

DIAMONDROCK HOSPITALITY COMPANY REPORTS PRELIMINARY FOURTH QUARTER AND FULL YEAR 2018 RESULTS

Provides 2019 Outlook

Repurchases 6.5 Million Shares

BETHESDA, Maryland, Thursday, January 31, 2019 – DiamondRock Hospitality Company (the “Company”) (NYSE: DRH) today announced preliminary results of operations for the fourth quarter and year ended December 31, 2018 and its outlook for 2019. The Company’s final detailed results of operations for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2018 will be announced on February 25, 2019.

Mark W. Brugger, President and Chief Executive Officer of DiamondRock Hospitality Company stated, “Full year 2018 results were consistent with our internal expectations and above the mid-point of our guidance. We were pleased with 1.3% RevPAR growth in light of an 80 basis point headwind from renovation disruption and an additional 50 basis point headwind from the union strike and Marriott/Starwood integration issues at the Boston Westin. The year also marked great progress on several major repositionings, including the Hotel Emblem San Francisco and Havana Cabana Key West. Additionally, we repurchased 6.5 million shares of our stock over the last 60 days under our share repurchase plan to take advantage of our discount to NAV and the recent pullback in lodging REIT stock prices.”

Preliminary 2018 Results

The Company’s preliminary results for the fourth quarter and year ended December 31, 2018 are as follows:

	<u>Fourth Quarter</u>	<u>Full Year</u>
<u>Preliminary Comparable Operating Results</u> ⁽¹⁾		
RevPAR Growth	1.9%	1.3%
<u>Preliminary Actual Operating Results</u> ⁽²⁾		
Revenues	\$223.4M	\$863.7M
Net income	\$22.0M - \$23.0M	\$85.7M - \$86.7M
Earnings per diluted share	\$0.10 - \$0.11	\$0.41 - \$0.42
Adjusted EBITDA	\$63.0M - \$64.0M	\$252.5M - \$253.5M
Adjusted FFO	\$52.0M - \$52.5M	\$208.5M - \$209.0M
Adjusted FFO per diluted share	\$0.25	\$1.01
Weighted average diluted shares outstanding	209.1M	206.2M

⁽¹⁾ Comparable operating results include our 2018 and 2017 acquisitions for all periods and exclude the Frenchman's Reef and Morning Star Marriott Beach Resort ("Frenchman's Reef") and Havana Cabana Key West for all periods presented due to the closure of these hotels. In addition, comparable operating results exclude Hotel Emblem (formerly Hotel Rex) from September 1 to December 31, 2018 and the comparable period of 2017 due to the closure of the hotel for renovation. Pre-acquisition operating results of acquired hotels were obtained from the seller during the acquisition due diligence process. We have made no adjustments to the amounts provided to us by each seller and these pre-acquisition operating results were not audited or reviewed by the Company's independent auditors.

⁽²⁾ Actual operating results include Frenchman's Reef, Havana Cabana Key West and Hotel Emblem and the operating results of hotels acquired for the Company's respective ownership periods.

Please see "Non-GAAP Financial Measures" attached to this press release for an explanation of the terms "Adjusted EBITDA," "FFO" and "Adjusted FFO" and a reconciliation of these measures to net income.

The preliminary results are not audited and are subject to adjustments that may result from the completion of the Company's year-end closing process. As previously announced, the Company intends to release final 2018 financial results after the market closes on February 25, 2019, and hold its earnings call on February 26, 2019.

Share Repurchase Program

The Company has repurchased 6.5 million shares of its common stock at an average price of \$9.50 per share since it began repurchasing shares in December 2018. The Company repurchased 3.4 million shares of its common stock at an average price of \$9.49 per share for a total purchase price of \$32.2 million during the fourth quarter of 2018. Subsequent to December 31, 2018, the Company repurchased 3.1 million shares of its common stock at an average price of \$9.52 per share for a total purchase price of \$30.0 million. The Company has \$188 million of remaining authorized capacity under its \$250 million share repurchase program.

Frenchman's Reef Update

The Company is in the process of rebuilding Frenchman's Reef following the significant damage caused by the hurricanes in 2017 and the resort is expected to reopen in 2020. Under its insurance policy, the Company is entitled to be compensated for, among other things, the cost to replace the damaged property, as well as for lost profits during the rebuilding period. The Company and its insurers are currently in discussions and litigation regarding the Company's insurance claim and the Company plans to provide a more comprehensive update on its earnings call scheduled for February 26, 2019.

2019 Guidance

The Company is providing annual guidance for 2019, but does not undertake to update it for any developments in its business. Achievement of the anticipated results is subject to the risks disclosed in the Company's filings with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission. Comparable RevPAR growth assumes all of the Company's hotels were owned as of January 1, 2018, but excludes Havana Cabana Key West for January 1 to March 31, 2018 and 2019, Hotel Emblem for September 1 to December 31, 2018 and 2019 and Frenchman's Reef for all periods.

The Company expects full year 2019 Comparable RevPAR growth in the range of 0.5 percent to 2.5 percent for its portfolio. Accordingly, the Company is providing the following guidance:

Metric	Low End	High End
<i>(Includes Frenchman's Reef Business Interruption Agreed Upon For Partial Year 2019)</i>		
Adjusted EBITDA	\$256 million	\$268 million
Adjusted FFO	\$204 million	\$214 million
Adjusted FFO per share (based on 205 million diluted shares)	\$1.00 per share	\$1.04 per share

The guidance above incorporates business interruption insurance income related to Frenchman's Reef of only \$8.8 million, which is less than the \$16.1 million recognized in 2018. The Company believes it is entitled to at least \$16.1 million of business interruption insurance income for the full year 2019, but the insurers have only agreed to \$8.8 million at this time, which represents lost profits through April 2019. The Company continues to negotiate with its insurers to recover all of the amounts to which it believes it is legally entitled, but the timing of a resolution is uncertain. The following chart provides a quarterly comparison of income received from business interruption insurance in 2018 and projected for 2019:

Frenchman's Reef BI Income	Quarter 1	Quarter 2	Quarter 3	Quarter 4	Full Year
2018	\$5.3 million	\$2.0 million	\$5.7 million	\$3.1 million	\$16.1 million
2019	\$8.8 million	TBD	TBD	TBD	\$8.8 million + TBD

The Company's guidance also incorporates renovation disruption of approximately \$3 million to \$4 million to Hotel Adjusted EBITDA and does not incorporate any additional share repurchases.

About the Company

DiamondRock Hospitality Company is a self-advised real estate investment trust (REIT) that is an owner of a leading portfolio of geographically diversified hotels concentrated in top gateway markets and destination resort locations. The Company owns 31 premium quality hotels with over 10,000 rooms. The Company has strategically positioned its hotels to be operated both under leading global brand families such as Hilton and Marriott as well as unique boutique hotels in the lifestyle segment. For further information on the Company and its portfolio, please visit DiamondRock Hospitality Company's website at www.drhc.com.

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Non-GAAP Financial Measures

We use the following non-GAAP financial measures that we believe are useful to investors as key measures of our operating performance: EBITDA, EBITDA_{re}, Adjusted EBITDA, Hotel EBITDA, Hotel Adjusted EBITDA, FFO and Adjusted FFO. These measures should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for measures of performance in accordance with U.S. GAAP. EBITDA, EBITDA_{re}, Adjusted EBITDA, Hotel EBITDA, Hotel Adjusted EBITDA, FFO and Adjusted FFO, as calculated by us, may not be comparable to other companies that do not define such terms exactly as the Company.

Use and Limitations of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

Our management and Board of Directors use EBITDA, EBITDA_{re}, Adjusted EBITDA, Hotel EBITDA, Hotel Adjusted EBITDA, FFO and Adjusted FFO to evaluate the performance of our hotels and to facilitate comparisons between us and other lodging REITs, hotel owners who are not REITs and other capital intensive companies. The use of these non-GAAP financial measures has certain limitations. These non-GAAP financial measures as presented by us, may not be comparable to non-GAAP financial measures as calculated by other real estate companies. These measures do not reflect certain expenses or expenditures that we incurred and will incur, such as depreciation, interest and capital expenditures. We compensate for these limitations by separately considering the impact of these excluded items to the extent they are material to operating decisions or assessments of our operating performance. Our reconciliations to the most comparable U.S. GAAP financial measures, and our consolidated statements of operations and cash flows, include interest expense, capital expenditures, and other excluded items, all of which should be considered when evaluating our performance, as well as the usefulness of our non-GAAP financial measures.

These non-GAAP financial measures are used in addition to and in conjunction with results presented in accordance with U.S. GAAP. They should not be considered as alternatives to operating profit, cash flow from operations, or any other operating performance measure prescribed by U.S. GAAP. These non-GAAP financial measures reflect additional ways of viewing our operations that we believe, when viewed with our U.S. GAAP results and the reconciliations to the corresponding U.S. GAAP financial measures, provide a more complete understanding of factors and trends affecting our business than could be obtained absent this disclosure. We strongly encourage investors to review our financial information in its entirety and not to rely on a single financial measure.

EBITDA, EBITDA_{re} and FFO

EBITDA represents net income (calculated in accordance with U.S. GAAP) excluding: (1) interest expense; (2) provision for income taxes, including income taxes applicable to sale of assets; and (3) depreciation and amortization. The Company computes EBITDA_{re} in accordance with the National Association of Real Estate Investment Trusts ("Nareit") guidelines, as defined in its September 2017 white paper "Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization for Real Estate." EBITDA_{re} represents net income (calculated in accordance with U.S. GAAP) adjusted for: (1) interest expense; (2) provision for income taxes, including income taxes applicable to sale of assets; (3) depreciation and amortization; (4) gains or losses on the disposition of depreciated property including gains or losses on change of control; (5) impairment write-downs of depreciated property and of investments in unconsolidated affiliates caused by a decrease in value of depreciated property in the affiliate; and (6) adjustments to reflect the entity's share of EBITDA_{re} of unconsolidated affiliates.

We believe EBITDA and EBITDA_{re} are useful to an investor in evaluating our operating performance because they help investors evaluate and compare the results of our operations from period to period by removing the impact of our capital structure (primarily interest expense) and our asset base (primarily depreciation and amortization, and in the case of EBITDA_{re}, impairment and gains or losses on dispositions of depreciated property) from our operating results. In addition, covenants included in our debt agreements use EBITDA as a measure of financial compliance. We also use EBITDA and EBITDA_{re} as one measure in determining the value of hotel acquisitions and dispositions.

The Company computes FFO in accordance with standards established by the Nareit, which defines FFO as net income determined in accordance with U.S. GAAP, excluding gains or losses from sales of properties, impairment losses on depreciable real estate consolidated on the Company's balance sheet, impairment losses on any investments in unconsolidated joint ventures driven by a measurable decrease in the fair value of depreciable real estate held by the unconsolidated joint ventures and real estate-related depreciation and amortization. The Company believes that the presentation of FFO provides useful information to investors regarding its operating performance because it is a measure of the Company's operations without regard to specified non-cash items, such as real estate depreciation and amortization and gains or losses on the sale of assets. The Company also uses FFO as one measure in assessing its operating results.

Adjustments to EBITDAre, FFO and Hotel EBITDA

We adjust EBITDAre, FFO and Hotel EBITDA when evaluating our performance because we believe that the exclusion of certain additional items described below provides useful supplemental information to investors regarding our ongoing operating performance and that the presentation of Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted FFO and Hotel Adjusted EBITDA when combined with U.S. GAAP net income, EBITDA, EBITDAre, FFO and Hotel EBITDA, is beneficial to an investor's complete understanding of our consolidated and property-level operating performance.

We adjust EBITDAre, FFO and Hotel EBITDA for the following items:

- *Non-Cash Ground Rent*: We exclude the non-cash expense incurred from the straight line recognition of rent from our ground lease obligations and the non-cash amortization of our favorable lease assets. We exclude these non-cash items because they do not reflect the actual rent amounts due to the respective lessors in the current period and they are of lesser significance in evaluating our actual performance for that period.
- *Non-Cash Amortization of Favorable and Unfavorable Contracts*: We exclude the non-cash amortization of the favorable and unfavorable contracts recorded in conjunction with certain acquisitions because the non-cash amortization is based on historical cost accounting and is of lesser significance in evaluating our actual performance for that period.
- *Cumulative Effect of a Change in Accounting Principle*: Infrequently, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) promulgates new accounting standards that require the consolidated statement of operations to reflect the cumulative effect of a change in accounting principle. We exclude the effect of these adjustments, which include the accounting impact from prior periods, because they do not reflect the Company's actual underlying performance for the current period.
- *Gains or Losses from Early Extinguishment of Debt*: We exclude the effect of gains or losses recorded on the early extinguishment of debt because these gains or losses result from transaction activity related to the Company's capital structure that we believe are not indicative of the ongoing operating performance of the Company or our hotels.
- *Hotel Acquisition Costs*: We exclude hotel acquisition costs expensed during the period because we believe these transaction costs are not reflective of the ongoing performance of the Company or our hotels.
- *Severance Costs*: We exclude corporate severance costs, or reversals thereof, incurred with the termination of corporate-level employees and severance costs incurred at our hotels related to lease terminations or structured severance programs because we believe these costs do not reflect the ongoing performance of the Company or our hotels.
- *Hotel Manager Transition Items*: We exclude the transition items associated with a change in hotel manager because we believe these items do not reflect the ongoing performance of the Company or our hotels.
- *Other Items*: From time to time we incur costs or realize gains that we consider outside the ordinary course of business and that we do not believe reflect the ongoing performance of the Company or our hotels. Such items may include, but are not limited to, the following: pre-opening costs incurred with newly developed hotels; lease preparation costs incurred to prepare vacant space for marketing; management or franchise contract termination fees; gains or losses from legal settlements; costs incurred related to natural disasters; and gains from insurance proceeds, other than income related to business interruption insurance.

In addition, to derive Adjusted FFO we exclude any fair value adjustments to debt instruments. We exclude these non-cash amounts because they do not reflect the underlying performance of the Company.

Reconciliations of Non-GAAP Measures
EBITDA, EBITDAre and Adjusted EBITDA

The following tables are reconciliations of our GAAP net income to EBITDA, EBITDAre and Adjusted EBITDA (in millions):

	Three Months Ended December 31, 2018		Year Ended December 31, 2018	
	Low End	High End	Low End	High End
Net income	\$ 22.0	\$ 23.0	\$ 85.7	\$ 86.7
Interest expense	10.5	10.5	41.0	41.0
Income tax expense	0.5	1.0	3.0	3.5
Real estate related depreciation and amortization	27.5	27.0	105.0	104.5
EBITDA	60.5	61.5	234.7	235.7
Impairment losses	—	—	—	—
Loss on sale of hotel properties	—	—	—	—
EBITDAre	60.5	61.5	234.7	235.7
Non-cash ground rent	2.0	2.0	7.3	7.3
Non-cash amortization of favorable and unfavorable contract liabilities, net	(0.5)	(0.5)	(2.0)	(2.0)
Hurricane-related costs ⁽¹⁾	0.8	0.8	4.0	4.0
Hotel manager transition and pre-opening items ⁽²⁾	0.2	0.2	(1.5)	(1.5)
Gain on property insurance settlement	—	—	(1.7)	(1.7)
Severance costs ⁽³⁾	—	—	11.7	11.7
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 63.0	\$ 64.0	\$ 252.5	\$ 253.5

⁽¹⁾Represents stabilization, cleanup, and other costs (such as professional fees and hotel labor) incurred at our hotels impacted by Hurricanes Irma or Maria that have not been or are not expected to be recovered by insurance.

⁽²⁾Three months ended December 31, 2018 consists of \$0.2 million related to pre-opening costs related to the reopening of Hotel Emblem. Year ended December 31, 2018 consists of (a) manager transition costs of \$0.1 million related to the Hotel Emblem, L'Auberge de Sedona and Orchards Inn Sedona and (b) pre-opening costs of \$0.6 million related to the reopening of the Havana Cabana Key West and Hotel Emblem, offset by \$2.2 million of accelerated amortization of key money in connection with the termination of the Frenchman's Reef management agreement.

⁽³⁾Year ended December 31, 2018 consists of (a) \$10.9 million related to payments made to unionized employees under a voluntary buyout program at the Lexington Hotel New York, which are classified within other hotel expenses on the consolidated statement of operations and (b) \$0.8 million related to the departure of our former Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer, which is classified within corporate expenses on the consolidated statement of operations.

	Full Year 2019 Guidance	
	Low End	High End
Net income	\$ 86.7	\$ 97.7
Interest expense	48.5	47.5
Income tax expense	3.5	6.5
Real estate related depreciation and amortization	110.0	109.0
EBITDAre	248.7	260.7
Non-cash ground rent	7.3	7.3
Non-cash amortization of favorable and unfavorable contracts, net	(2.0)	(2.0)
Hurricane-related costs	2.0	2.0
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 256.0	\$ 268.0

FFO and Adjusted FFO

The following tables are reconciliations of our GAAP net income to FFO and Adjusted FFO (in thousands):

	Three Months Ended December 31, 2018		Year Ended December 31, 2018	
	Low End	High End	Low End	High End
Net income	\$ 22.0	\$ 23.0	\$ 85.7	\$ 86.7
Real estate related depreciation and amortization	27.5	27.0	105.0	104.5
FFO	49.5	50.0	190.7	191.2
Non-cash ground rent	2.0	2.0	7.3	7.3
Non-cash amortization of favorable and unfavorable contract liabilities, net	(0.5)	(0.5)	(2.0)	(2.0)
Hurricane-related costs ⁽¹⁾	0.8	0.8	4.0	4.0
Hotel manager transition and pre-opening items ⁽²⁾	0.2	0.2	(1.5)	(1.5)
Gain on property insurance settlement	—	—	(1.7)	(1.7)
Severance costs ⁽³⁾	—	—	11.7	11.7
Adjusted FFO	\$ 52.0	\$ 52.5	\$ 208.5	\$ 209.0
Adjusted FFO per diluted share	\$ 0.25	\$ 0.25	\$ 1.01	\$ 1.01

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	Full Year 2019 Guidance	
	Low End	High End
Net income	\$ 86.7	\$ 97.7
Real estate related depreciation and amortization	110.0	109.0
FFO	196.7	206.7
Non-cash ground rent	7.3	7.3
Non-cash amortization of favorable and unfavorable contract liabilities, net	(2.0)	(2.0)
Hurricane-related costs	2.0	2.0
Adjusted FFO	\$ 204.0	\$ 214.0
Adjusted FFO per diluted share	\$ 1.00	\$ 1.04



INVESTOR DAY 2019



Vail Marriott Mountain Resort

January 31st, 2019 | Vail Marriott

DRH Evolution Since Prior Investor Day



DRH Portfolio Evolution			
	2013 Investor Day	2019 Investor Day	Increase / (Decrease)
RevPAR	\$137.24	\$187.13	36%
AFFO Per Share	\$0.73	\$1.01	38%
Net Debt / EBITDA	4.9x	3.5x	28% Better
Resorts (% of Portfolio)	14%	32%	100%+
Short-Term/Terminable Management Agreements (% of Portfolio)	46%	65%	19 pp's

Hotel Adjusted EBITDA per Key⁽¹⁾



Hotel Adjusted EBITDA Margins⁽¹⁾



Note: 2013 Investor day on September 3, 2013. Metrics based on full-year pro forma RevPAR and EBITDA.
 (1) Represents full-year Pro Forma Hotel Adjusted EBITDA for 2013 and 2018.

DRH Leadership Team: 100+ Years of Experience



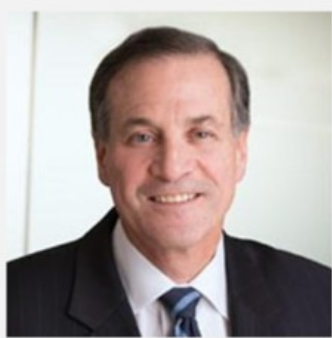
MARK W. BRUGGER
PRESIDENT, CHIEF EXECUTIVE
OFFICER AND DIRECTOR



JAY JOHNSON
EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT AND
CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER



THOMAS HEALY
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DRH Four Pillars to Drive Performance



Portfolio Quality



Smart External Growth



Internal Growth Plan:
• Maximize Profits • New ROI Projects



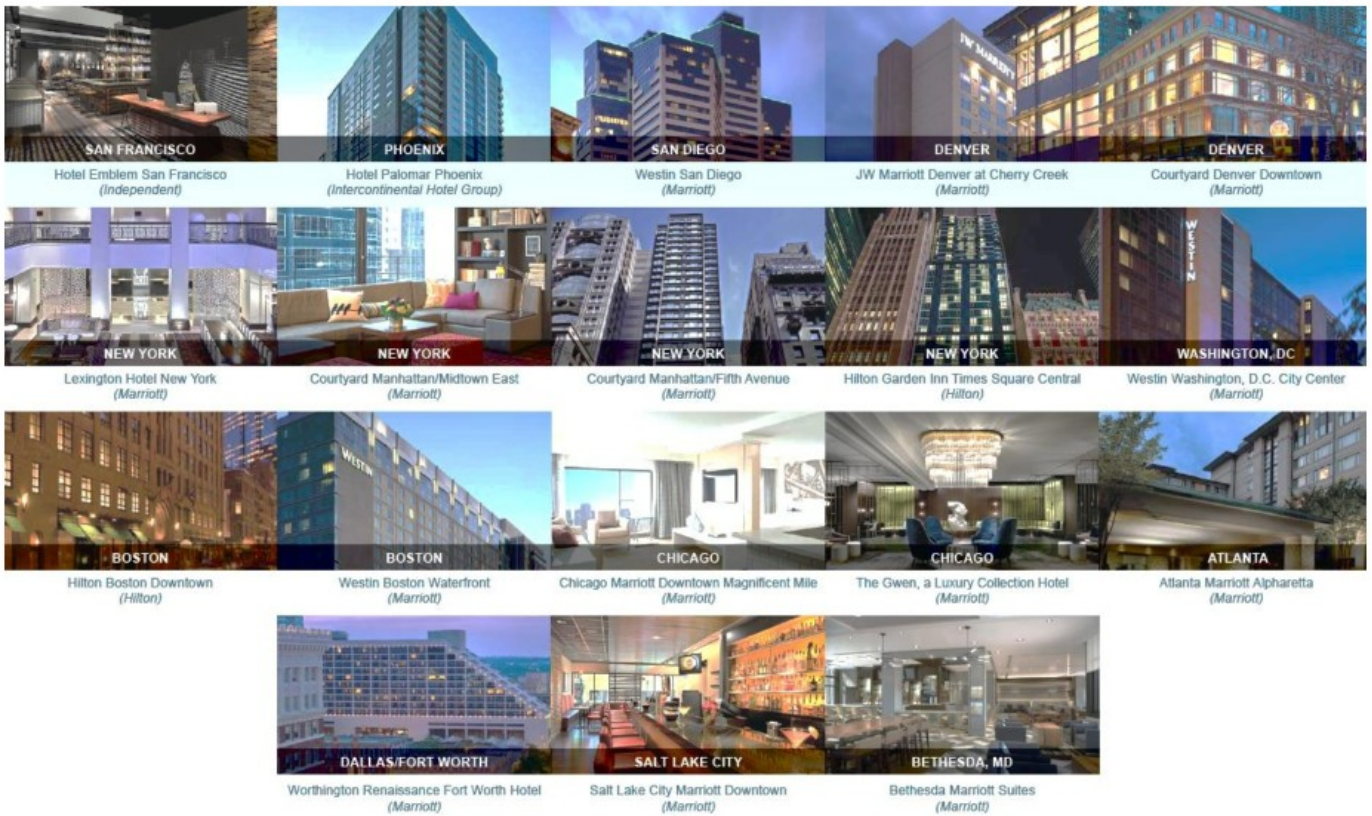
Fortress Balance Sheet & Nimble
Capital Allocation



High-Quality Diversified Portfolio

The Chicago Gwen, Luxury Collection

High Quality Portfolio in Key Gateway Markets



Approximately 2/3 of portfolio located in top, gateway markets.

Strong Resort Market Presence

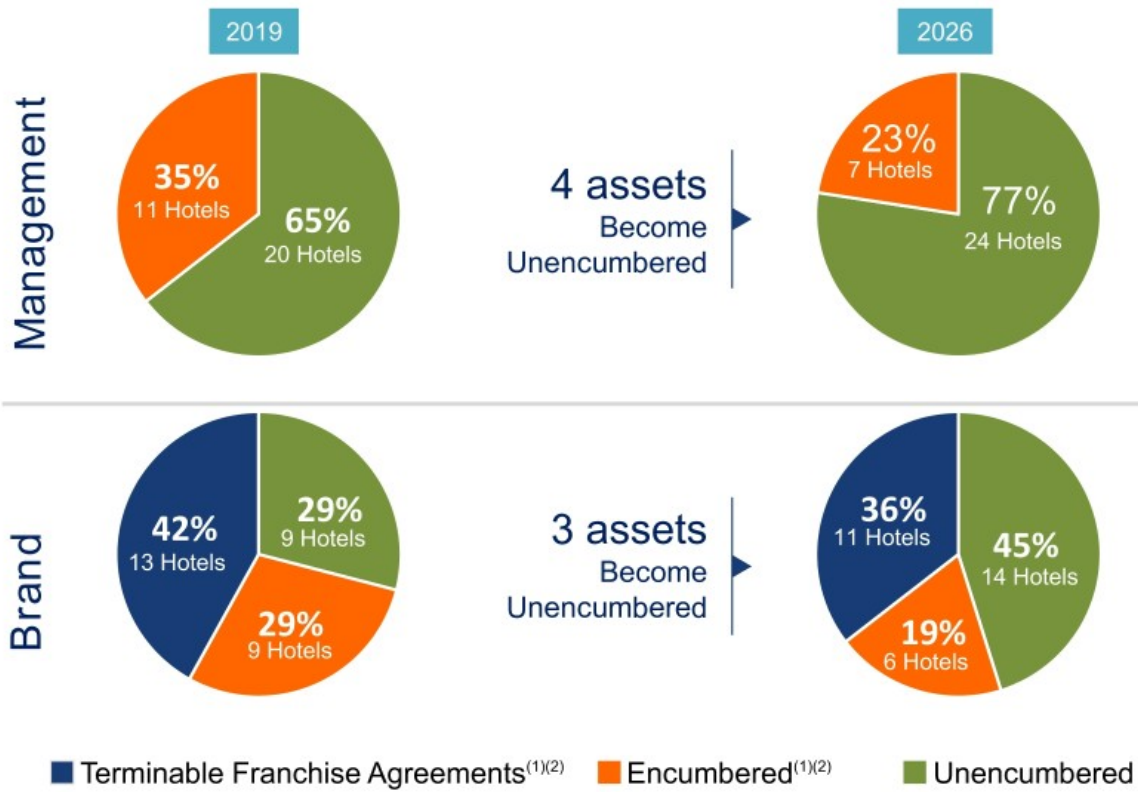


Approximately 1/3 of portfolio located in destination resort markets.

Short Term Agreements Driving Value



One of the least encumbered portfolios among all full-service REITs.



(1) Agreements terminable at will.
 (2) Assumes the asset remains unencumbered when current agreements ends.



2018 Overview & Preliminary 2019 Outlook

Hotel Emblem, San Francisco

2018 Results In-Line With Guidance



	Full Year Guidance	Preliminary Full Year Results	Variance to Midpoint
RevPAR Change	1.0% to 1.5%	1.3%	+0.1%
Adjusted EBITDA	\$250 to \$255 million	\$252.5M to \$253.5M	+\$0.5 million
Adjusted FFO	\$205 to \$209 million	\$208.5M to \$209.0M	+\$1.75 million
Adjusted FFO/Share	\$0.99 to \$1.01 per share	\$1.01 per share	+\$0.01 per share

Note: Represents preliminary 2018 results of operations. Results are subject to risks and uncertainties as defined in press release filed with SEC on January 31st, 2019.

Actively Repurchasing Stock: 6.5M Shares



- \$250M Plan Authorization
- \$62M repurchased at \$9.50 per share under current 10b5-1
- Active every trading day since early December 2018

Implied Valuation	
2018 EBITDA Multiple	11.4x
2018 NOI Cap Rate	8.1%
Discount to NAV	25% - 40%

Note: Based on latest data as of January 25th, 2018.

Continued Strength in RevPAR



	2018	Q4	
Total Industry	↑ +2.9%	↑ +2.4%	2019 RevPAR Industry Forecasts STR: 2.3% PWC: 2.3% CBRE: 2.5%
Resorts	↑ +4.0%	↑ +3.0%	
Luxury	↑ +3.7%	↑ +3.7%	2019 Brand RevPAR Guidance Marriott: 1% - 3% ⁽¹⁾ Hilton: 2% - 4% ⁽²⁾
Upper Upscale	↑ +2.0%	↑ +1.6%	

Source: STR, PKF, PWC, Company Filings. Represents Q4 and FY 2018 RevPAR.
 (1) North American RevPAR guidance for 2019.
 (2) System-wide RevPAR guidance for 2019.

Key Factors Affecting 2019 Guidance



Lower Renovation Disruption⁽¹⁾



BI Proceeds Lower in 2019



Renovation ROI Payoffs



Citywide Calendars Off Cycle⁽²⁾



Acquisitions



Rising Labor Costs and Property Taxes



Marriott / Starwood Merger Integration Complete

(1) 2019 renovation disruption estimate is \$3M to \$4M versus \$6M in 2018.

(2) Current 2019 group pace by revenue has improved 240 bps since 3Q18 and is now forecasted to contract 4.6%. 2/3 of group needed to achieve 2019 budget is already under contract.

Preliminary 2019 Guidance



Metric	2019 Guidance	
	Low End	High End
RevPAR Growth	0.5%	2.5%
Adjusted EBITDA	\$256 million	\$268 million
Adjusted FFO	\$204 million	\$214 million
Adjusted FFO per share (based on 205 million diluted shares)	\$1.00 per share	\$1.04 per share

Note: Includes Frenchman's Reef business interruption agreed upon to date.

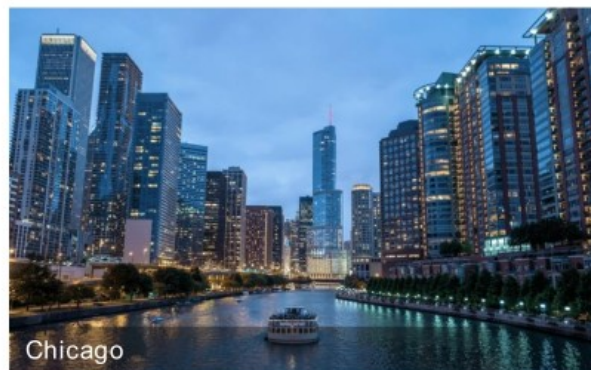
Frenchman's Reef business interruption income of \$8.8M has been agreed upon for partial year 2019. We believe we are entitled to at least \$16M of business interruption income for the full year 2019.

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DRH 2020 Outlook Favorable



- DRH 2020 pace **up 15%**
- Chicago combined pace **up >30%**
- Boston combined pace **up nearly 20%**
- DC pace **up nearly 30%**
- NYC supply additions to **decline by 30%+**
- Frenchman's Reef & Morning Star Resort **to Reopen**



Note: Latest pace data as of January 25th, 2019.
Source: STR.

A wide-angle photograph of the Boston Harbor skyline. In the foreground, a stone pier with several dark metal bollards and thick chains is visible. The water of the harbor is blue and reflects the sky. The background is filled with a dense cluster of skyscrapers of various architectural styles, including several prominent cylindrical towers. The sky is bright blue with scattered white clouds. The text "Key Market Outlook" is overlaid in white on a semi-transparent dark band across the middle of the image.

Key Market Outlook

Boston Harbor Cityscape

Boston: Strong Long-Term Investment Drivers



6TH

Largest CSA In The US



3RD

Most Attractive US City For Foreign Investment

- BOSTON 2020
 - Citywides up **7%**
 - Boston Westin and Hilton pace up combined **20%**
- Potential for uplift from BCEC expansion



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FORTUNE 500
Companies



54

International Nonstop Destinations



6TH

Most Economically Powerful City In The World



100+

Of The World's Leading Educational Institutions



Top 5

Lodging Market



Source: HFF, Wall Street Research.

Boston Seaport: Opportunity to Close Gap with Copley



RAPID DEVELOPMENT OF BOSTON'S SEAPORT DISTRICT

- One of the fastest-growing real estate markets in the US
- Includes 900,000 SF of retail space, 3,500 residential units, and the Boston Convention & Exhibition Center (BCEC)
- BCEC features 2.1M SF of space and hosted over 850,000 attendees in 2017
- Potential for >1M SF expansion of convention center on adjacent 70 acre parcel

	SF OF OFFICE	SF OF RETAIL	RESIDENTIAL UNITS
RECENTLY COMPLETED ⁽¹⁾	3M+	614,004	2,374
UNDER CONSTRUCTION	1.2M+	212,000	953
PLANNED	1.9M+	335,320	2,174

(1) Last five years.



Source: HFF, Wall Street Research.

Chicago: Setting Up for Strong 2020 and 2021



No.1

Largest US Metro for Economic Diversity
Moody's Investor Services

- CHICAGO 2020
 - Citywides up **6%**
 - Gwen and Marriott pace up **16%** & **32%** respectively
- 2020-2024 on pace to exceed 2018 levels
- Supply CAGR below **2%** over next 3 years.

More than **400** Major Corporations, Including **34** Fortune 500 Companies, are Headquartered in Metropolitan Chicago



3rd

Largest City in the United States: Over 9.6 million people live within the broader metropolitan area



Over **102.2M**

plane passengers in 2017 through O'Hare and Midway



\$8.7B

Expansion of O'Hare Airport to Increase Gates by 15%



47%

Of Chicago's Population are Under the Age of 36



55.2M

Annual Visitors 2nd To New York City



60

Colleges or Universities in the Chicago MSA



Source: HFF, Wall Street Research

New York City: Supply Story to Turn Positive in 2020



RevPAR Projected to Increase

- Operators forecast 2% RevPAR growth in 2019
- Since 1988 when supply growth was less than 1%, RevPAR growth averaged 10.1%

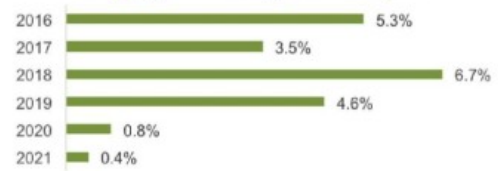
Positive Long-Term Catalysts

- M1 Zoning Law
- Airbnb legislation
- Demand continues to outpace supply
- Replacement cost now exceeding existing asset values
- Amazon HQ2 (one subway stop from Midtown East)

Supply Picture Significantly Improved

- No supply under construction or in final planning in Midtown East
- Supply growth to decelerate by >30% in 2020

NYC Supply Down Significantly in 2020



Quarterly NYC RevPAR Trending Positively



Source: STR, Wall Street Research

California: High Growth Driven by Tech & Other Drivers



Northern California

- With 71M residents, the San Francisco Bay Area is the eleventh most populous metropolitan area in the United States
- Over the next 25 years, nine counties of the region are expected to add a total of 1.7M new residents or 66,000 new residents per year



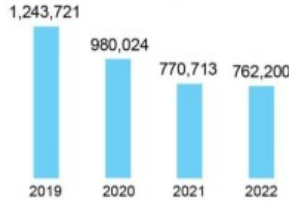
50+ Universities & Colleges are located in the Bay Area



SFO is the 7th busiest airport nationwide, and 23rd worldwide by passenger content

SFO has the largest terminal in North America

San Francisco Citywide Room Nights



Southern California

- Southern CA had 6.6% RevPAR CAGR from 2010 to 2017
- San Diego experienced 30%-40% less impact than other CA markets during recession
- Record breaking 35M visitors in 2017 in San Diego
- 2020 citywides up 4%

#1



U.S. City for Millennials

#1



Concentration of Military/Defense Assets in World

#1



Highest Ranked California Airport

San Francisco RevPAR



San Diego RevPAR



Source: HFF, Wall Street Research



South Florida: Low Supply & Strong Demand



Key West & The Florida Keys

- Key West the **#1 RevPAR** market in the country when compared against STR's Top 25
- Through 2017, the Keys experienced a five-year compound annual **RevPAR growth rate of 5.5%**
- No new supply due to moratorium on development
- Key West cruise port: **700K+ passengers** annually
- ~70% of the U.S. population has no passport

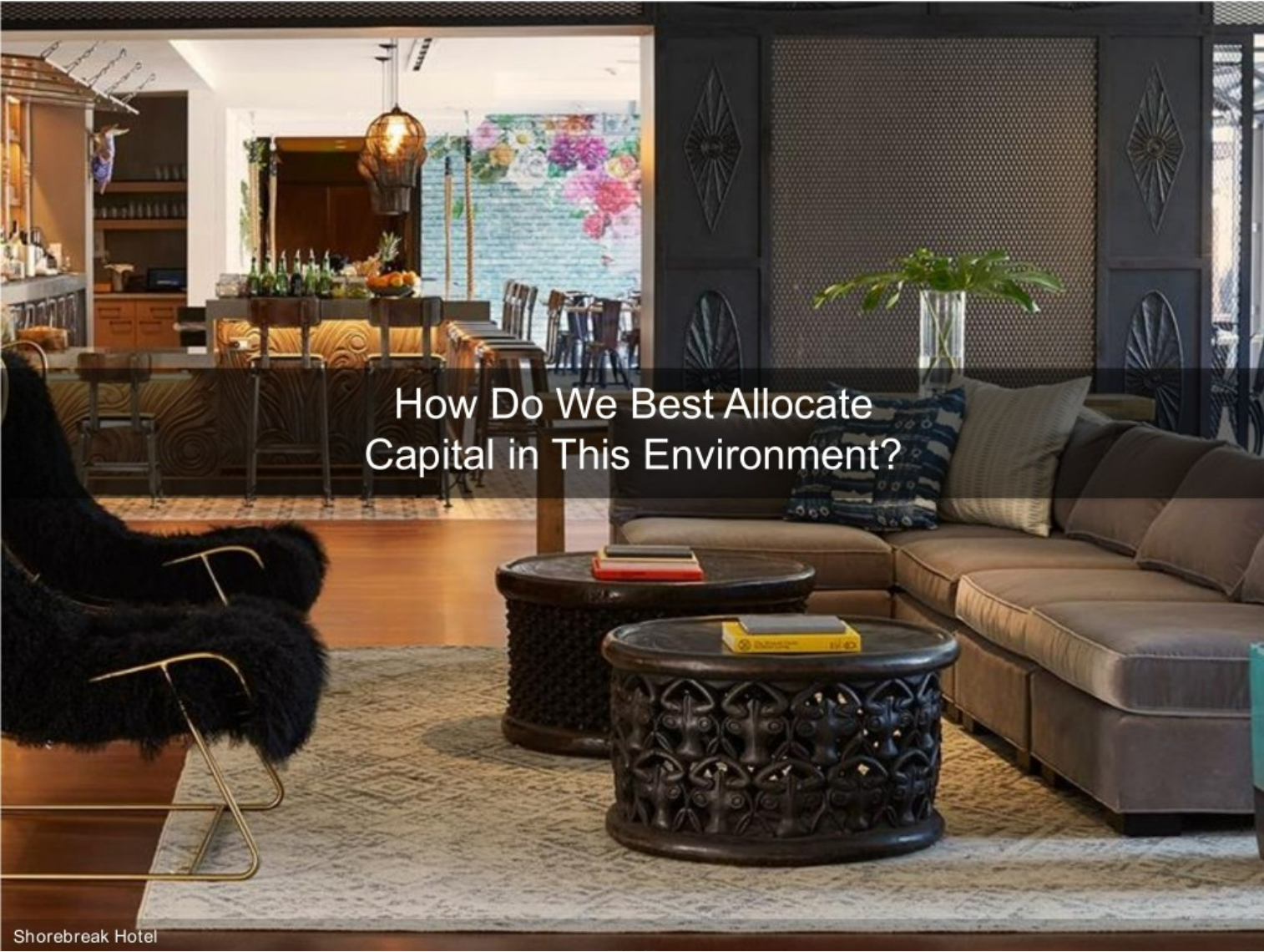


Fort Lauderdale

- Attracts more than **15.5M** visitors annually
- Fastest growing airport in North America
 - **Over 32.5M** passengers in 2017
 - **Added 28 new routes** in 2017 and **10 new flights** in 2018
- 23 miles of beach (Blue Wave Certified)
- Annual Fort Lauderdale Boat Show is world's largest
- **\$1.57B** in new development projects



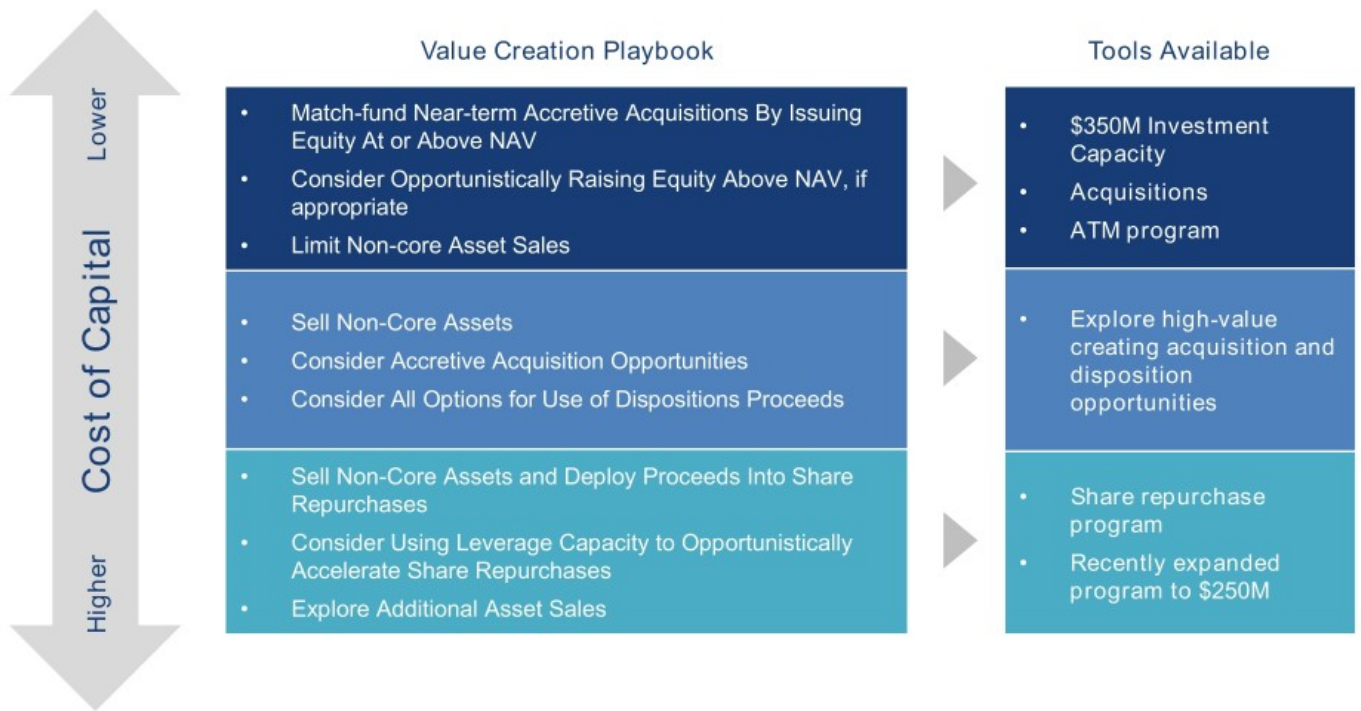
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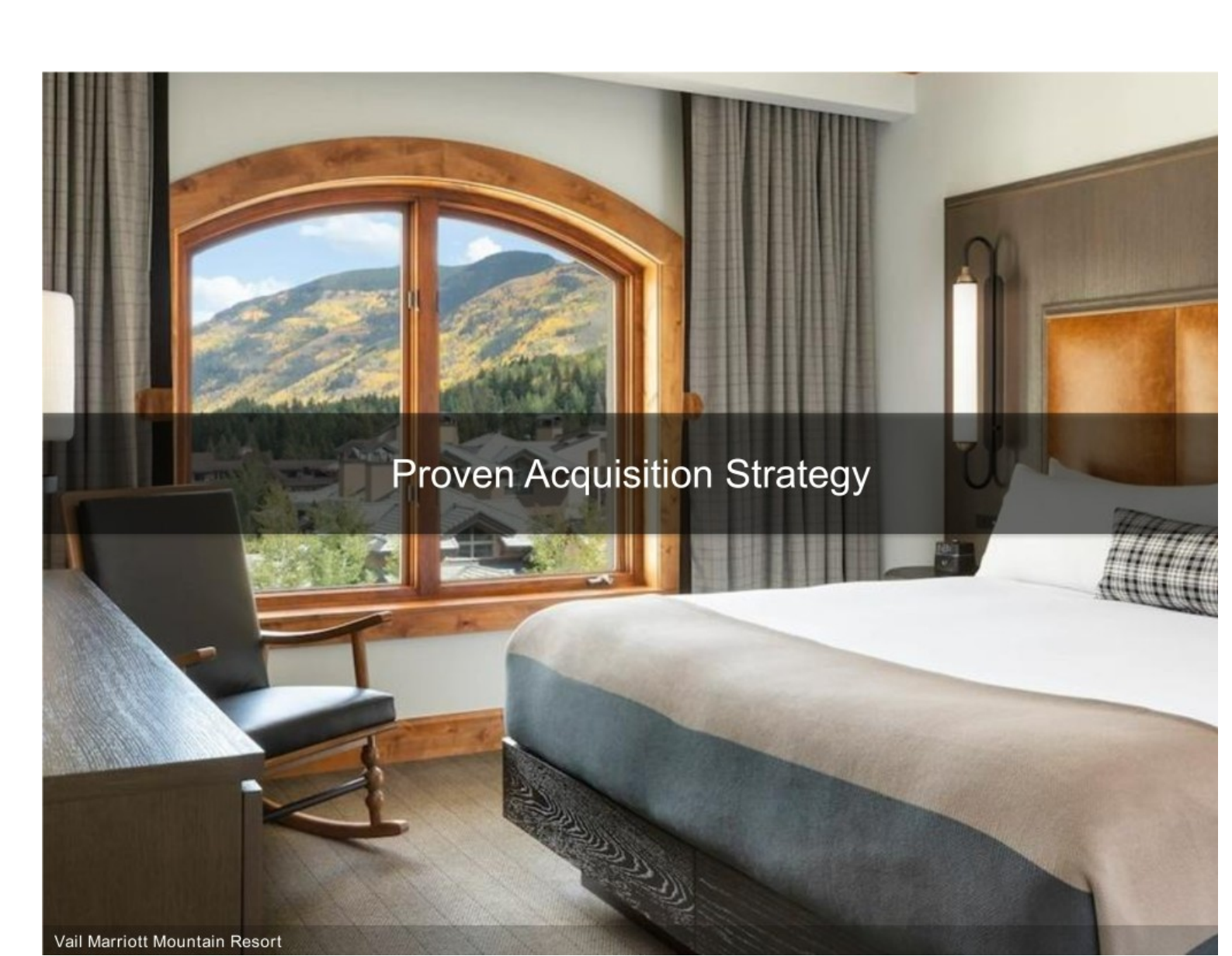


How Do We Best Allocate
Capital in This Environment?

Shorebreak Hotel

Creating Value Throughout Cycle





Proven Acquisition Strategy

Vail Marriott Mountain Resort

Vail Marriott Mountain Resort: Created >\$100M in NAV

Timeless real estate soon to be unencumbered of brand & management.

INVESTMENT HIGHLIGHTS

- Vail is one of best-performing investments in our portfolio
 - Recently completed a rooms and meeting space renovation to bring resort closer to luxury comp set
 - ~\$300 rate discount to luxury comp set in ski season
 - \$3M - \$4M EBITDA upside with renovation and rebranding
- DRH Basis of \$260K/Key for 344-room hotel
 - Significant discount to est. NAV of \$500K per key
- Franchise and management agreements expire within next ~3 years creating significant optionality

PERFORMANCE SINCE ACQUISITION

	2005	2018	Increase
RevPAR	\$112.66	\$168.77	50%
EBITDA	\$4.7	\$9.3	98%
EBITDA Margin	27.3%	29.1%	180bps
EBITDA Multiple ⁽¹⁾	13.4	9.6	28%
NAV ⁽²⁾	\$62M	\$170M	174%

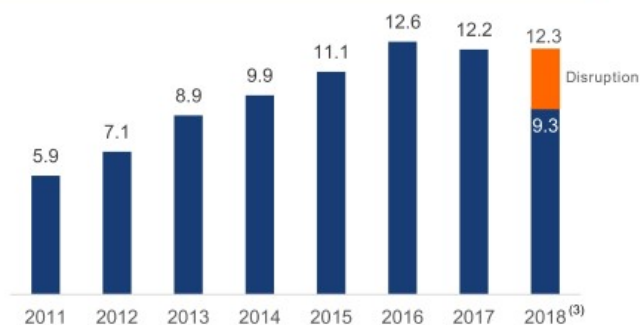
(1) EBITDA multiple on current investment basis.

(2) NAV based on internal estimates.

(3) \$3.0 million of EBITDA disruption from renovation and Marriott merger integration in 2018. Actual EBITDA of \$9.3M disrupted by \$3.0M for full year.



7% EBITDA CAGR FROM 2010 TO 2017



L'Auberge de Sedona and Orchards Inn Sedona

Off-market transaction with significant upside.

- \$97M acquisition of two iconic assets with immediate asset management upside in attractive, high-growth resort market
 - No new supply currently planned or under development in Sedona
 - Top ten Conde-Nast rated hotel in Southwest
- Plan to reposition Orchards Inn to more upscale standard in 2020 to drive rate (~\$330 rate gap with L'Auberge de Sedona)
- Already exceeding underwriting for stabilized EBITDA at time of acquisition



PERFORMANCE SINCE ACQUISITION⁽¹⁾

	2016	2018	Increase
RevPAR	\$262.36	\$340.91	30%
EBITDA	\$6.6	\$10.1	53%
EBITDA Margin	23.3%	29.3%	600bps
EBITDA Multiple ⁽²⁾	15.0	9.8	34%
NAV ⁽³⁾	97M	110M	13%

(1) Combined performance for L'Auberge de Sedona and Orchards Inn.

(2) EBITDA multiple on current investment basis.

(3) NAV based on internal estimates.

Westin Fort Lauderdale Beach Resort & Spa

Nearly 30% increase in NAV over four years of ownership.

- NAV increase of \$44M since acquisition
- EBITDA exceeded underwriting by over \$5M
- Full guestroom renovation completed in 2018, with F&B and lobby repositioning completed in 2017
 - New restaurant, Lona, is driving revenue growth with improved mix (60% non-hotel guests)
 - Guestroom renovation to drive market share as Fort Lauderdale supply trends upward
- Eliminated >\$5M of annual expenses in first year with continued overhaul of expense structure and operations subsequently



PERFORMANCE SINCE ACQUISITION

	2014	2018F	Increase
RevPAR	\$148.94	\$159.99	7%
EBITDA	\$9.6M	\$15.0M	56%
EBITDA Margin	21.9%	31.8%	990bps
EBITDA Multiple ⁽¹⁾	14.8	11.1	25%
NAV ⁽²⁾	\$156M	\$200M	28%

(1) EBITDA multiple on current investment basis.

(2) NAV based on internal estimates.

Over \$380M of NAV Created in Resort Portfolio



	Investment (\$M)	EBITDA Multiple @		EBITDA Increase
		Purchase	YE 2018	\$M
Burlington Hilton	\$62	16.5x	8.8x	\$3.8
Cavallo Point	\$152	13.8x	13.8x	\$0.0
Charleston Renaissance	\$42	11.9x	7.1x	\$2.6
Fort Lauderdale Westin	\$166	14.8x	11.1x	\$4.9
Frenchman's Reef & Morning Star ⁽¹⁾	\$178	7.1x	10.7x	\$6.0
Havana Cabana ⁽¹⁾	\$59	12.2x	15.6x	(\$0.2)
Key West Suites	\$96	14.9x	12.7x	\$1.3
The Landing Resort & Spa ⁽¹⁾	\$42	17.8x	17.8	NA
Sedona - L'Auberge	\$69	15.8x	9.4x	\$3.1
Sedona - Orchards Inn	\$31	13.7x	10.5x	\$0.7
Shorebreak	\$63	14.6x	12.9x	\$0.9
Sonoma Renaissance	\$40	10.7x	5.1x	\$4.9
Vail Marriott Mountain Resort	\$89	13.4x	9.6x	\$4.6
Total Resort	\$1,088	13.1x	10.7x	\$32.4

DRH values its resort portfolio at a 6.5% cap rate, which implies over \$380M of NAV value over investment⁽²⁾.

Note: Historical RevPAR and EBITDA results pro forma for acquisitions for full period year prior to acquisition. Havana Cabana excluded due to natural disaster closure. Frenchman's Reef uses pre-hurricane figures due to closure.

(1) Landing EBITDA adjusted for transition disruption post-acquisition. Frenchman's and Havana Cabana EBITDA adjusted for hurricane disruption.

(2) Valuation calculated using 2018 net operating income with 6.5% cap rate. Frenchman's valuation calculated using 8.5% cap rate.



External Growth Strategy

Havana Cabana

Portfolio Strategy to Drive Performance



DIVERSIFICATION

10% Allocation in Any One
Market Reduces Risk

LIFESTYLE
HOTELS,
INDEPENDENTS
AND SOFT
BRANDS⁽¹⁾

1/3 of Portfolio

RESORTS

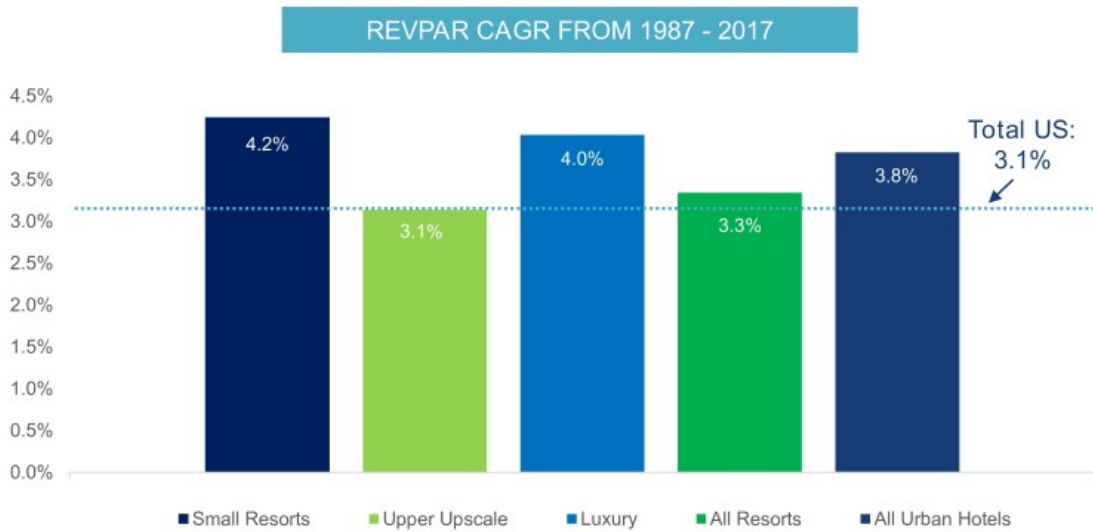
Historically Have Outperformed:
Target 50% of Portfolio

(1) Independent, lifestyle and soft brand hotels include the Havana Cabana, Cavallo Point, Hotel Emblem, L'Auberge de Sedona, Orchards Inn, The Landing, Palomar Phoenix, Shorebreak Hotel, the Lexington and The Gwen. Soft brands, including Autograph and Luxury Collection, are included as lifestyle / boutique. Based on 2018F EBITDA for all properties except Frenchman's Reef and Havana Cabana where 2016A used due to closure. Pro forma for full year for acquisitions.

Research Demonstrates Small Resorts Outperform



- According to CBRE/PKF research study, small resorts⁽¹⁾ have:
 - Less downside risk due to larger stream of reliable non-rooms revenue
 - Preserved the most ADR through the recession of the early 2000s
 - Achieved superior levels of ADR growth since 2009 to all other market classes

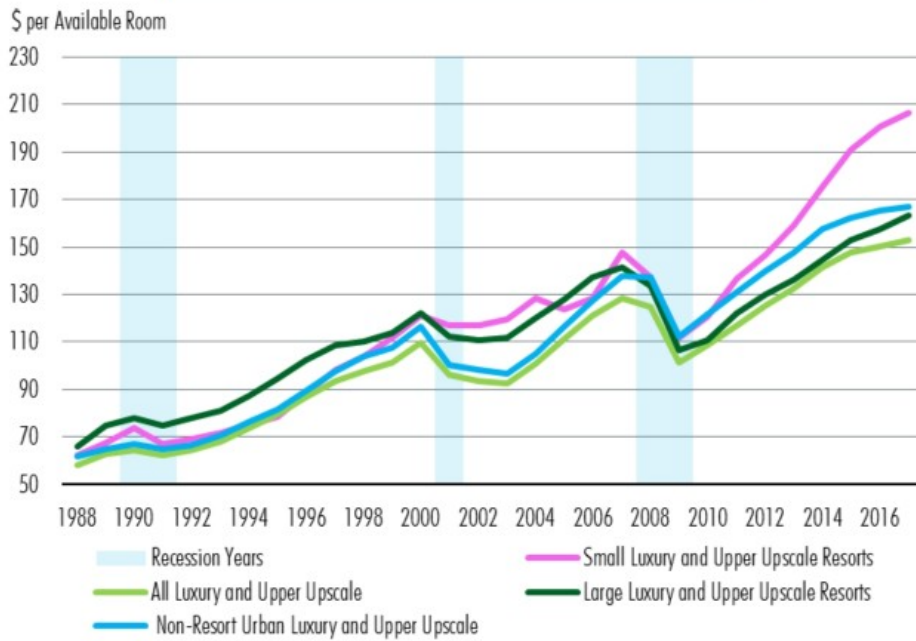


Source: CBRE Hotels Research.
(1) Collection of non-golf resorts with less than 200 rooms

Strong RevPAR Growth for Small Resorts



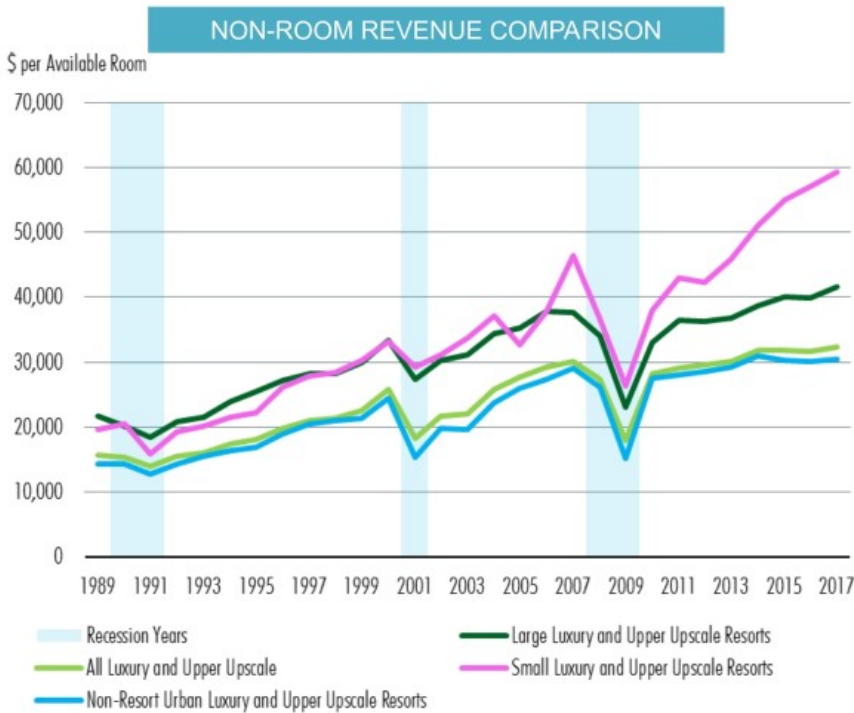
REVPAR COMPARISON FROM 1987 - 2017



- Small Resorts have operated with a consistently higher RevPAR during the post-Great Recession period
- May be result of a strategy to pursue higher rates at the expense of occupancy
 - Allowed for strong RevPAR with reduced variable expenses and higher income

Above trend line growth expected to continue.

Significant Contribution from Non-Rooms Revenue



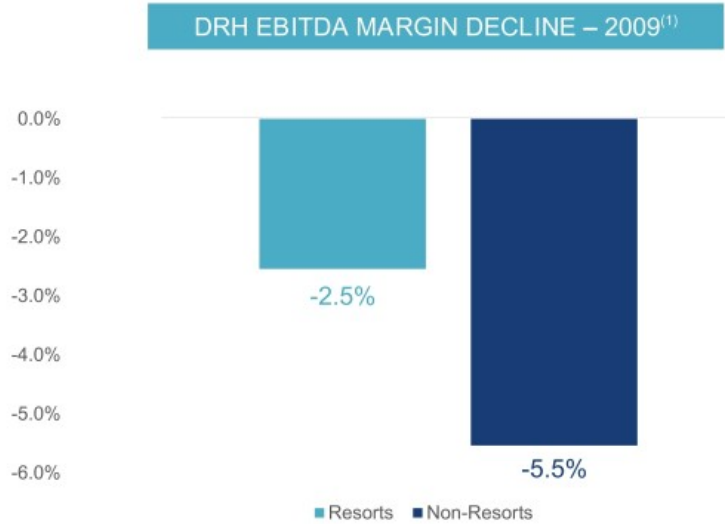
- Both small and large resorts have increasingly relied on non-room revenues
 - Non-room revenues have grown more quickly and regularly than that of other benchmark groups
- Since 1989, small resort non-room revenue approx. tripled while non-room revenue only doubled in other groups
 - Much of this growth premium was realized during the post-Great Recession period

Source: CBRE Hotels Research.

DRH Resorts Resilient During Downturns



- DiamondRock selectively acquires small, upscale resorts in high barrier to entry markets that are more resistant to downturns
- Significantly lower supply in DRH resort markets
- During the 2009 global recession, DiamondRock's resorts outperformed the rest of the portfolio in EBITDA margin



(1) Includes resorts owned during prior recession or current resorts with comparable data at time of recession. Resorts included are Burlington Hilton, Frenchman's Reef, Griffin Gate, Havana Cabana, Sheraton Suites Key West, Sonoma Renaissance, and Vail Marriott. Non-resorts include all DRH owned non-resort hotels in 2009.

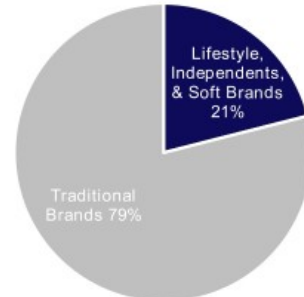
DRH Lifestyle & Independent Strategy



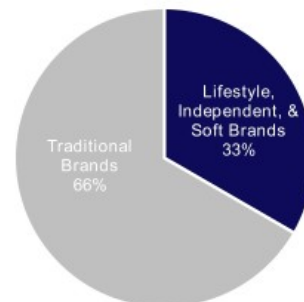
RATIONALE FOR TARGETING LIFESTYLE HOTELS, INDEPENDENTS, & SOFT BRANDS

- To grow with shift towards experiential travel
- Reduces reliance on traditional brands
- Balances portfolio
- Greater opportunity for smaller deals
- Target allocation will be achieved through acquisitions of lifestyle hotels, independents and soft brands and dispositions of traditional boxes

CURRENT ALLOCATION⁽¹⁾

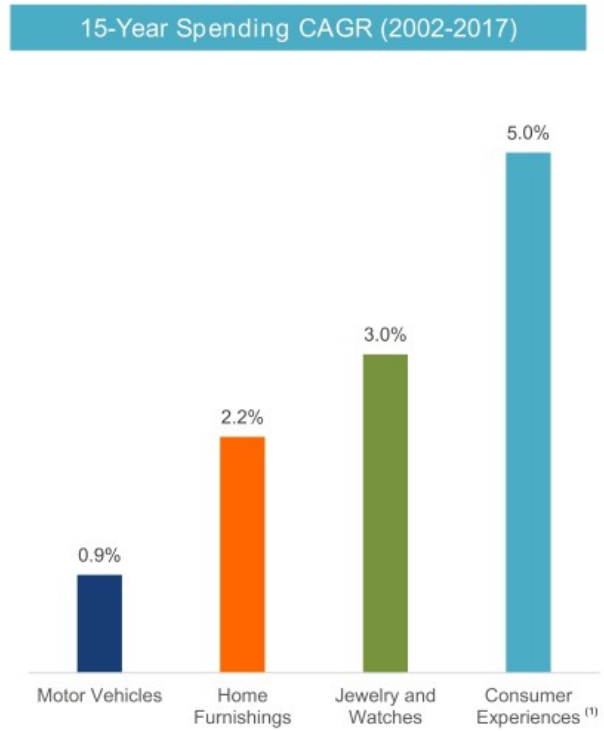
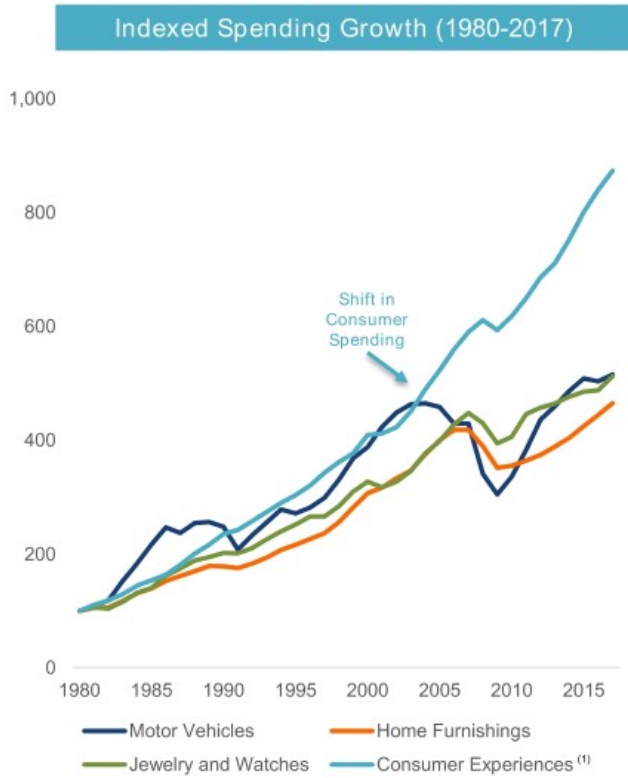


LONG-TERM TARGET ALLOCATION

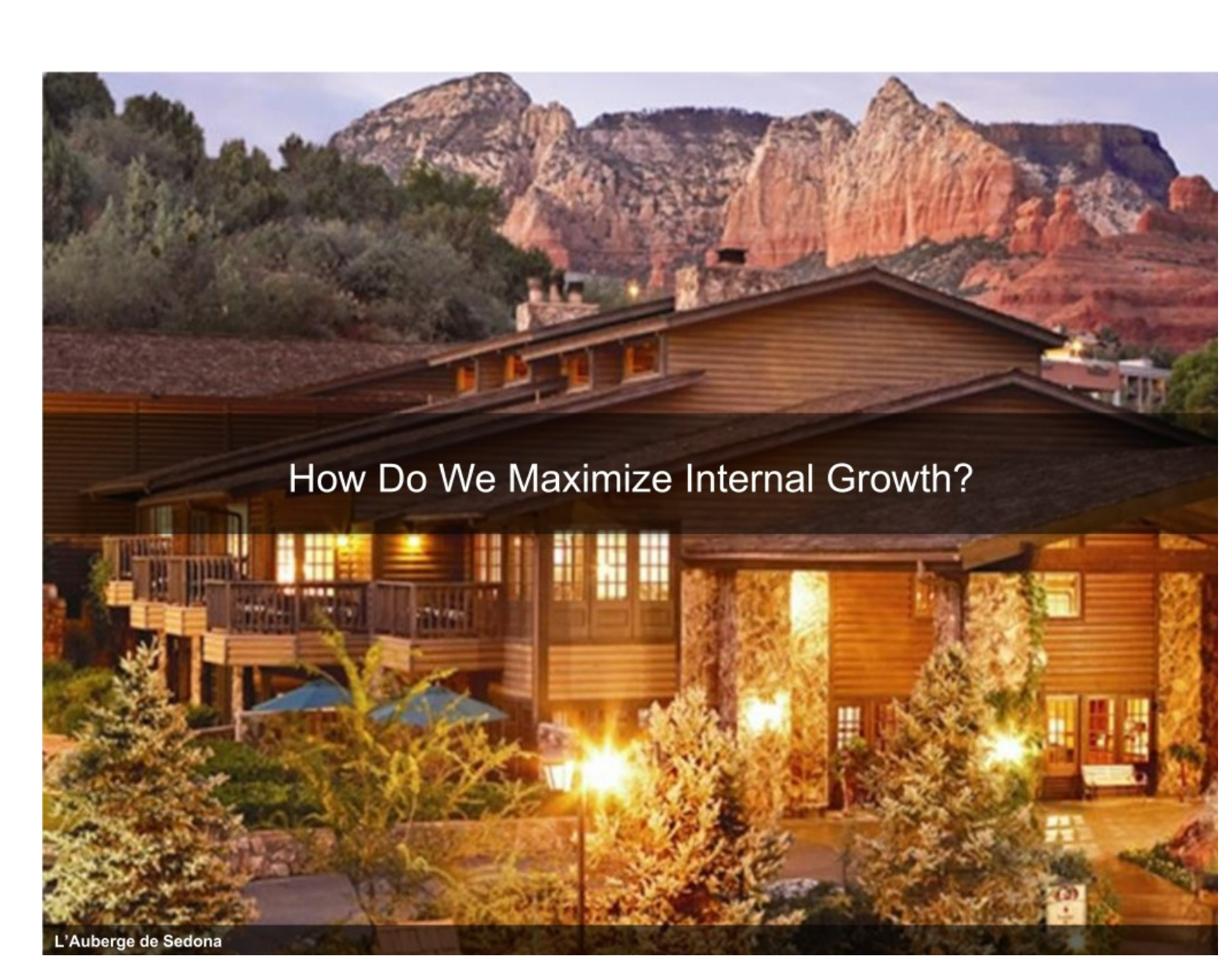


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Consumers Spending More on Experiences Than Material Goods



Source: Bureau of Economic Analysis.
 Note: Represents personal consumption expenditures by category indexed to 100 for the year 1980.
 (1) Experiences include the following Bureau of Economic Analysis categories: accommodations, air travel, foreign travel by US residents, membership clubs, sports centers, parks, theaters, museums, casino gambling, and food services.



How Do We Maximize Internal Growth?

L'Auberge de Sedona

Asset Management Philosophy



Proven three-pillared approach to successful asset management

Revenue Growth

Improve market penetration with cutting-edge revenue management program



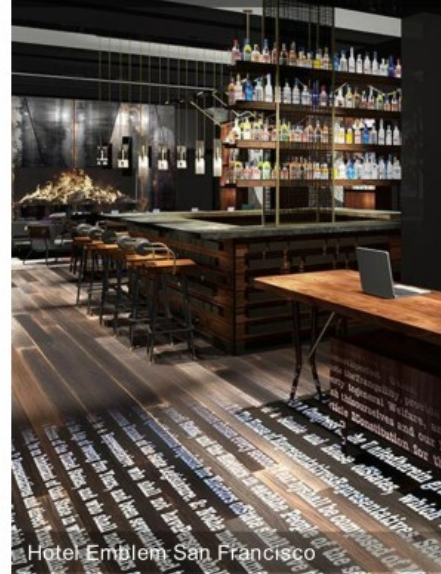
Cost Focus

Enhance margins through business intelligence tools and operator collaboration

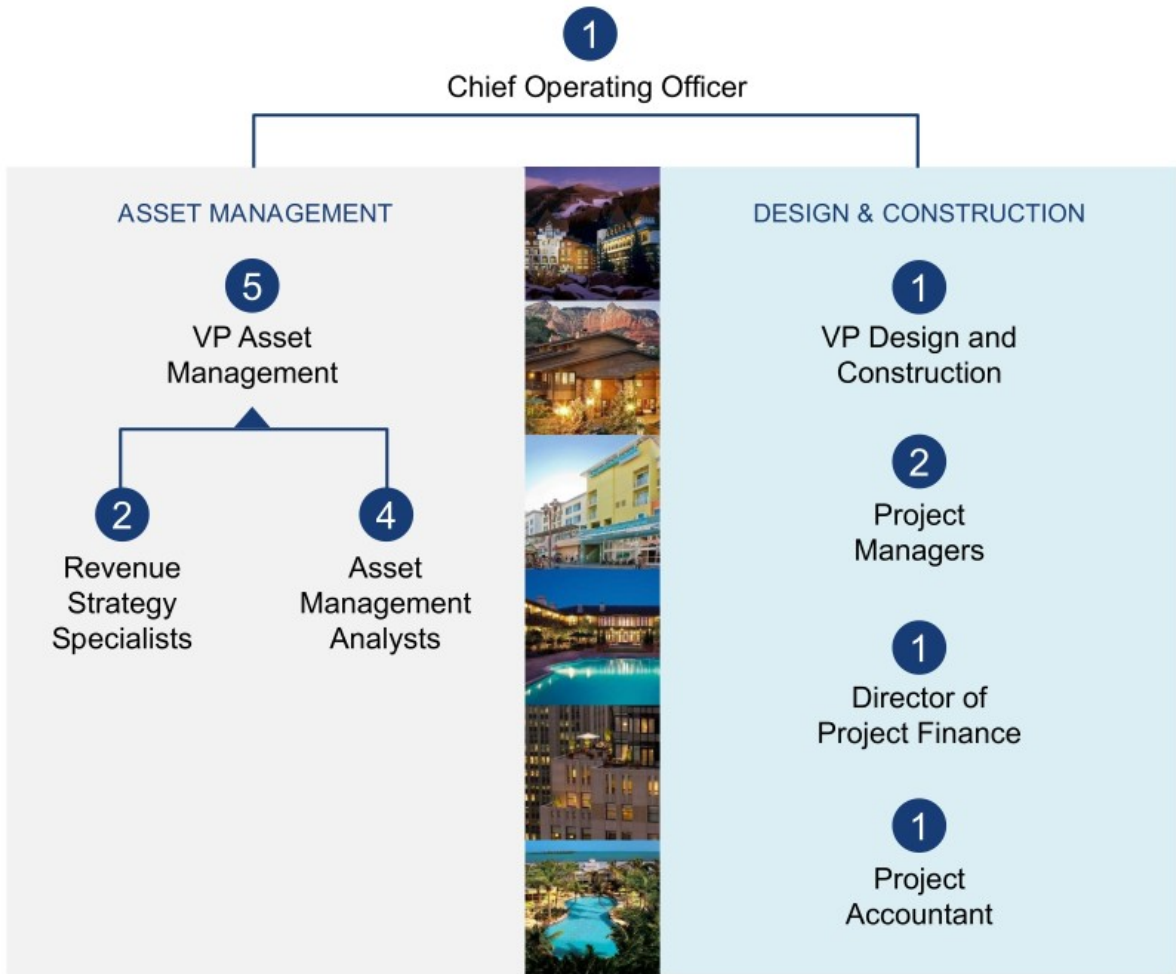


Capital Management

Determine effective capital allocation while prioritizing ROI projects



Best-in-Class Asset Management Team

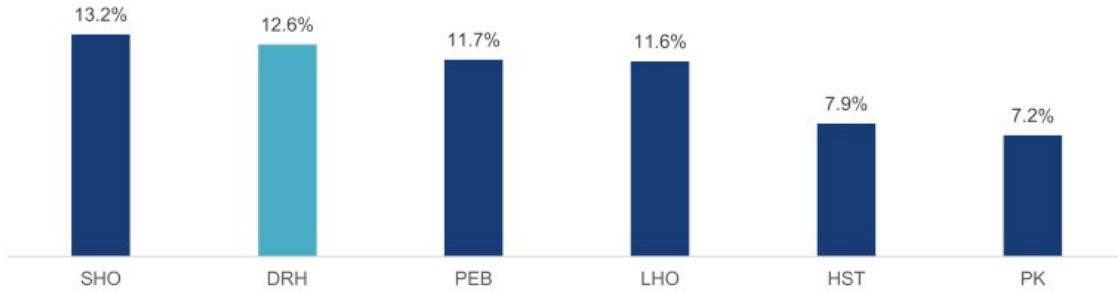




DRH to Benefit from Renovated Portfolio

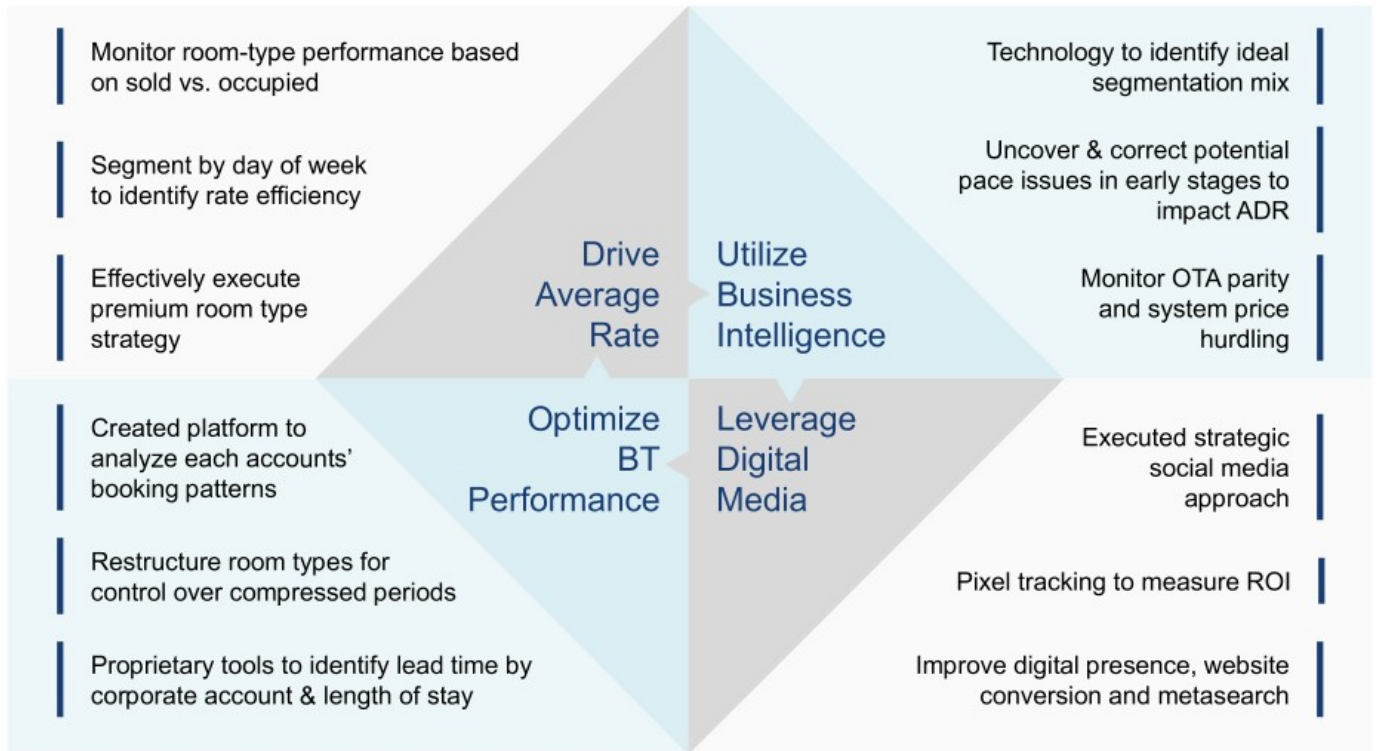
>70% of DRH portfolio has been renovated in recent years.

CapEx as a % of Revenue (3-Year Average)



Source: Wall Street Research, Company Filings.

Revenue Management: Ahead of the Curve



Case Study – L’Auberge de Sedona



Since acquisition, Hotel ADR has grown \$114 and EBITDA has grown \$2.9M.

DRH acquired the property in February of 2017

Our team identified opportunity to drive incremental ADR with a premium room-type strategy


Garden/Spa Cottage



ADR increase of \$112

2018 ADR: \$499
2016 ADR: \$387

Vista Cottage



ADR increase of \$197

2018 ADR: \$706
2016 ADR: \$509

Creekside Cottage



ADR increase of \$128

2018 ADR: \$732
2016 ADR: \$603

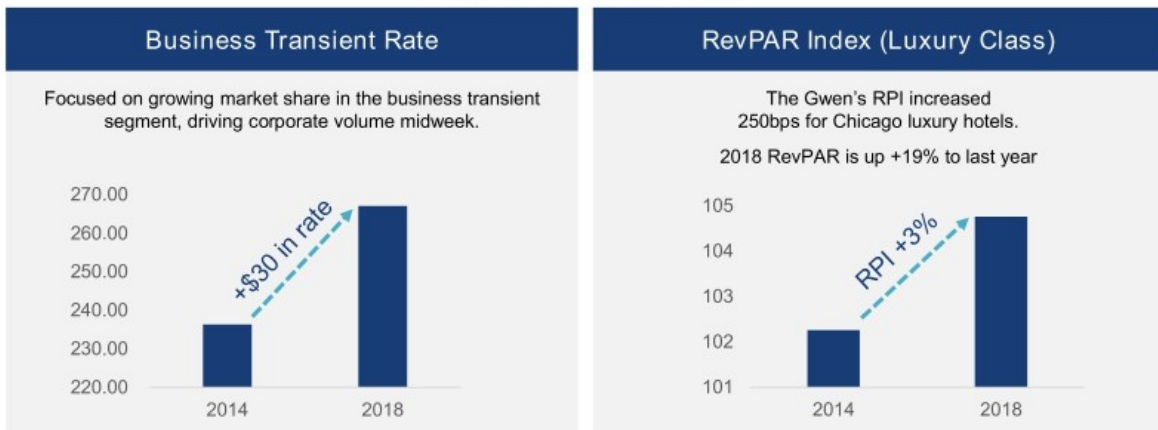
Case Study – The Gwen



The Gwen increased EBITDA by \$3M in 2018.



Segmentation - Case Study



#1 most improved Guest Satisfaction rating in 2018 out of all North American Marriott luxury branded hotels and Rated 7 of 204 hotels in Chicago on TripAdvisor.

Cost Control Focus: Millions in Cost Savings



Focusing on the largest variable expenses to drive NOI.



Labor Management

Estimated Savings:

\$6.2M

Implemented in:

12 Hotels

Implemented labor management system to reduce expenses and improve productivity



Energy Efficiency

Estimated Savings:

\$1.5M

Implemented in:

19 Hotels

Completed lighting retrofits throughout our portfolio



Food Cost

Estimated Savings:

\$1.1M

Implemented in:

15 Hotels

Implemented company-wide procurement program to promote best-practices

Operating Initiatives – Labor Management System



New labor management system with total estimated savings of \$6.2M.

Implemented in:

12 Hotels by YE 2018



Results with new labor management system:

- Total estimated savings of \$6.2M upon implementation throughout the portfolio
- 2018 productivity improved 1.7%

Opportunities with new system:

- 2018 productivity only increased 0.5% at hotels without new labor management system

Goal: Implement system in all DRH hotels by 2019 to further improve productivity.

Operating Initiatives – Option One Energy



Conducted comprehensive lighting efficiency audits and LED lighting conversions across the portfolio.



\$1.5M

Annual savings
across 19 hotels



\$2.5M

CapEx Investment
prior to utility rebates



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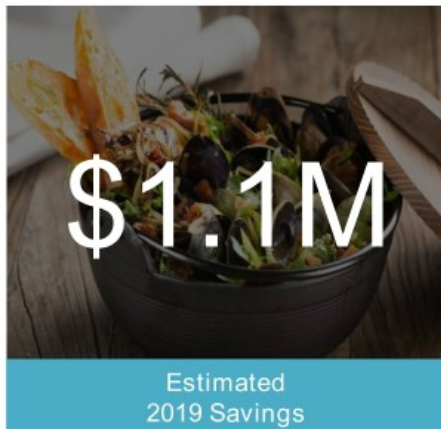
Hotels that have undergone
lighting retrofits by YE 2018

100% of hotels will be fully LED by the end of 2019.

Operating Initiatives – Food Cost



Asset Management implementing best practices with new partners.

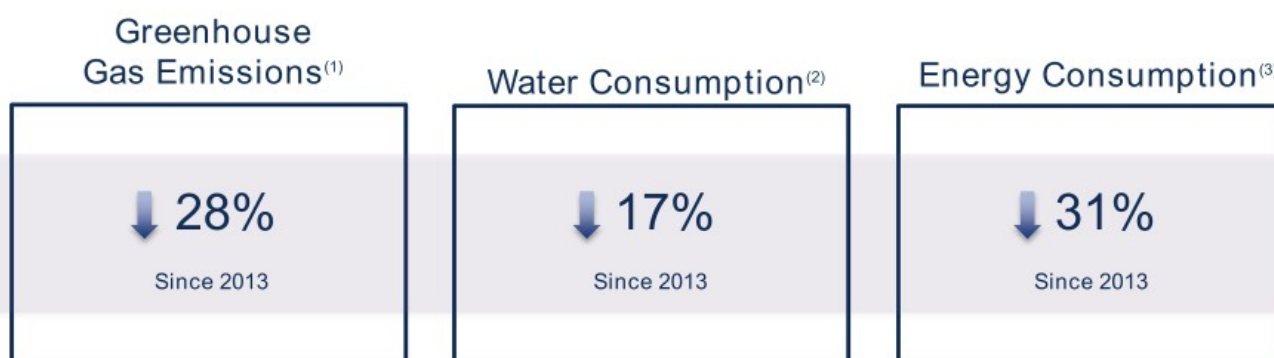


Last quarter, margin improvement for properties that implemented new food cost system outperformed other properties by 190bps.

Commitment to Sustainability



- Sustainability initiatives drive profitability
- DRH participates in GRESB, widely regarded as the premier ESG environmental benchmarking tool in the real estate industry
- In 2018, DRH achieved the 4th highest score in the Global Lodging Sector and earned Green Star Status
- DRH's GRESB score is 28% higher than Global Lodging Sector average



Note: Metrics from 2013 to 2017 for owned portfolio. Data excludes all properties that not owned for entire year.
(1) Based on greenhouse gas emissions intensity (kilograms per square foot)
(2) Based on water consumption (kilo-gallons)
(3) Based on energy intensity (kilowatt hours per square foot)

>\$200M Value Creation Opportunities



Property	Project	Incremental Capital Spend	Incremental EBITDA	Incremental Value
JW Marriott Denver	Renovation and Restaurant Repositioning	\$2.4M	\$1.25M	\$17M
Hotel Emblem	Complete Renovation and Repositioning	\$5.1M	\$1.5M - \$1.8M	\$25M - \$30M
Sheraton Key West	Reposition as an Independent Hotel	\$10.7M	\$1.7M - \$2.2M	\$23M - \$31M
The Lodge at Sonoma	Reposition as Autograph Collection	\$5.0M	\$1.2M	\$17M
Hilton Boston Downtown	28 Additional Guestrooms	\$2.7M	\$1.0M	\$14M
Sedona - Orchards Inn	Reposition as Cliffs at L'Auberge	\$10.8M	\$2.7M	\$37M
Worthington Renaissance	Restaurant, Lobby and Courthouse Conservatory	\$13.8M	\$3.0M	\$36M
The Landing Resort & Spa	Additional 22 Keys and Resort Enhancements	\$9.4M	\$1.8M	\$27M
Vail Marriott	Resort Renovation and Repositioning	\$27.0M	\$3.0M - \$4.0M	\$41M - \$55M
Total		\$89.3M	\$17 - \$19M	\$237 - \$264M

Value-Add Opportunities to be implemented from 2019-2021.

Sheraton Suites Key West: Increase NAV by \$23M to \$31M

Highest RevPAR Market with no new supply under construction.

Repositioning Opportunity

- Sheraton brand holding back rate
- Largest guestrooms on the island
- Only hotel on the island's best beach
- Reposition to enhance resort experience and drive resort fee
- Conservative underwriting estimates an incremental ADR of \$10 (RevPAR of \$7) from repositioning
- Independent hotels in the market have a \$20 RevPAR premium over branded hotels



Projected ADR – As is vs Independent



Project Details	Estimated Completion Q4 2019	Incremental Capital Spend \$10.7M	Incremental EBITDA \$1.7M – \$2.2M	Incremental Value \$23M – \$31M
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Sedona Master Plan: Increase NAV by \$37M

Reposition Orchards Inn with luxury rooms and form connection with L'Auberge de Sedona to create one resort.

Current Market Conditions

- Market RevPAR up 18% over past 24 months in high barrier-to-entry market
- L'Auberge is one of only two luxury resorts in Sedona

Operational Potential

- Connect Orchards and L'Auberge to be one resort
- Reposition Orchards as unique room type: Cliffs at L'Auberge
- Add 4 new, high ROI cottages on currently vacant space
- Create dramatic pool and wedding event areas

Assumptions

- Orchards rate to increase by +\$100 as Cliffs at L'Auberge
- L'Auberge ADR premium to remain >\$200 over Orchards
- Incremental F&B due to centralized pool bar experience and additional wedding venue to yield \$2M annually
- 4 new cottages at \$650 rate to drive \$925K new revenue



Project Details	Estimated Completion Pending	Incremental Capital Spend \$10.8M	Incremental EBITDA \$2.7M	Incremental Value \$37M
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Vail Marriott Repositioning: Increase NAV by \$41M to \$55M

Completed first of three phase plan to comprehensively renovate hotel to a luxury standard.

Vail Market Conditions

- Market has evolved into a 5-star, luxury destination
- Lionshead increasingly sought-after location in Vail

Upside Opportunity

- Hotel unencumbered of brand and manager in 2021
- Hotel is currently under-branded; rebranding to luxury will open the property up to:
 - Luxury travel agents and other market segments
 - Increased ADR (\$175 full-year ADR gap to luxury comp set)
 - Incremental \$1 in rate yields +\$30K in annual EBITDA



Renovated Guestroom



New Lobby Design

Phase I

Guestroom & Meeting Space



Phase II

Spa, Fitness Center



Phase III

Lobby, Lobby Bar, Retail, Pool, Outdoor Event Space

Project Details

Estimated Completion
2021

Incremental Capital Spend
\$27.0M

Incremental EBITDA
\$3.0M – \$4.0M

Incremental Value
\$41M – \$55M



Vail Marriott Renovated Guestroom



Vail Marriott Renovated Lobby

Hotel Emblem San Francisco: Increase NAV by \$25M to \$30M

Complete renovation and repositioning as part of Viceroy's Urban Retreat Collection.

Renovation Details

- Hotel reopened in Jan 2019 as the Hotel Emblem by Viceroy
- San Francisco citywide rooms up +80% in 2019
- Renovation included all areas of hotel
- Repositioned lobby bar for higher volume
- Under-utilized meeting room in lobby converted into a grab-and-go/café leased by Bluestone Lane Coffee



Renovated Guestroom Design



New Lobby Bar Design



New Hotel Emblem Branding

Project Details	Estimated Completion 2019	Incremental Capital Spend \$5.1M	Incremental EBITDA \$1.5M – \$1.8M	Incremental Value \$25M – \$30M
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The Landing Resort & Spa: Increase NAV by \$27M

Premier location in Lake Tahoe with beach and ski resort access.

Current Market Conditions

- Lake Tahoe is one of the top-rated resort markets in the US
- Due to government regulations, Lake Tahoe possesses limited hotel inventory and high barriers to entry
- Property has the best lakefront location in South Lake Tahoe
- Walking distance to Heavenly Ski Resort by Vail Resorts

Opportunity

- Add 22 unique lake/mountain facing cottages
- Increase wedding business
- Create outdoor social catering and F&B space to enhance F&B profits



Project Details	Estimated Completion Q4 2020	Incremental Capital Spend \$9.4M	Incremental EBITDA \$1.8M	Incremental Value \$27M
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The Lodge at Sonoma: Increase NAV by \$17M



Reposition hotel to take advantage of location and drive luxury business.

Operational Potential

- Sonoma has grown into a premier wine market – in the last 5 years Comp Set RevPAR has grown +\$60 with rate increases of +\$70

Cottage Enhancements

- Invest in resort landscaping to create 70 private terraces with fire pits and a more intimate experience between buildings
- Add outdoor social space to increase wedding business

Restaurant

- Reposition restaurant through partnership with celebrity chef Michael Mina
 - Incremental Restaurant Revenue of \$4.1M

Spa

- Enhance spa offerings and profitability with best-in-class third-party spa manager
 - Incremental Spa Revenue of \$1.0M



Project Details	Estimated Completion 2019	Incremental Capital Spend \$5.0M	Incremental EBITDA \$1.2M	Incremental Value \$17M
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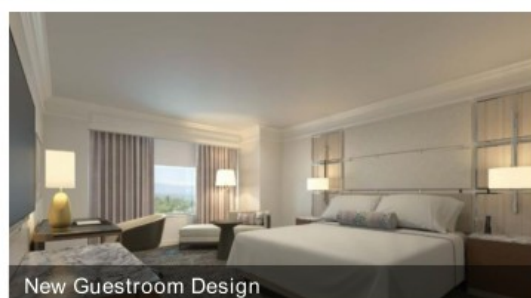
JW Marriott Cherry Creek: Increase NAV by \$17M



Comprehensive Renovation to Bolster Position as Leading Cherry Creek Hotel.

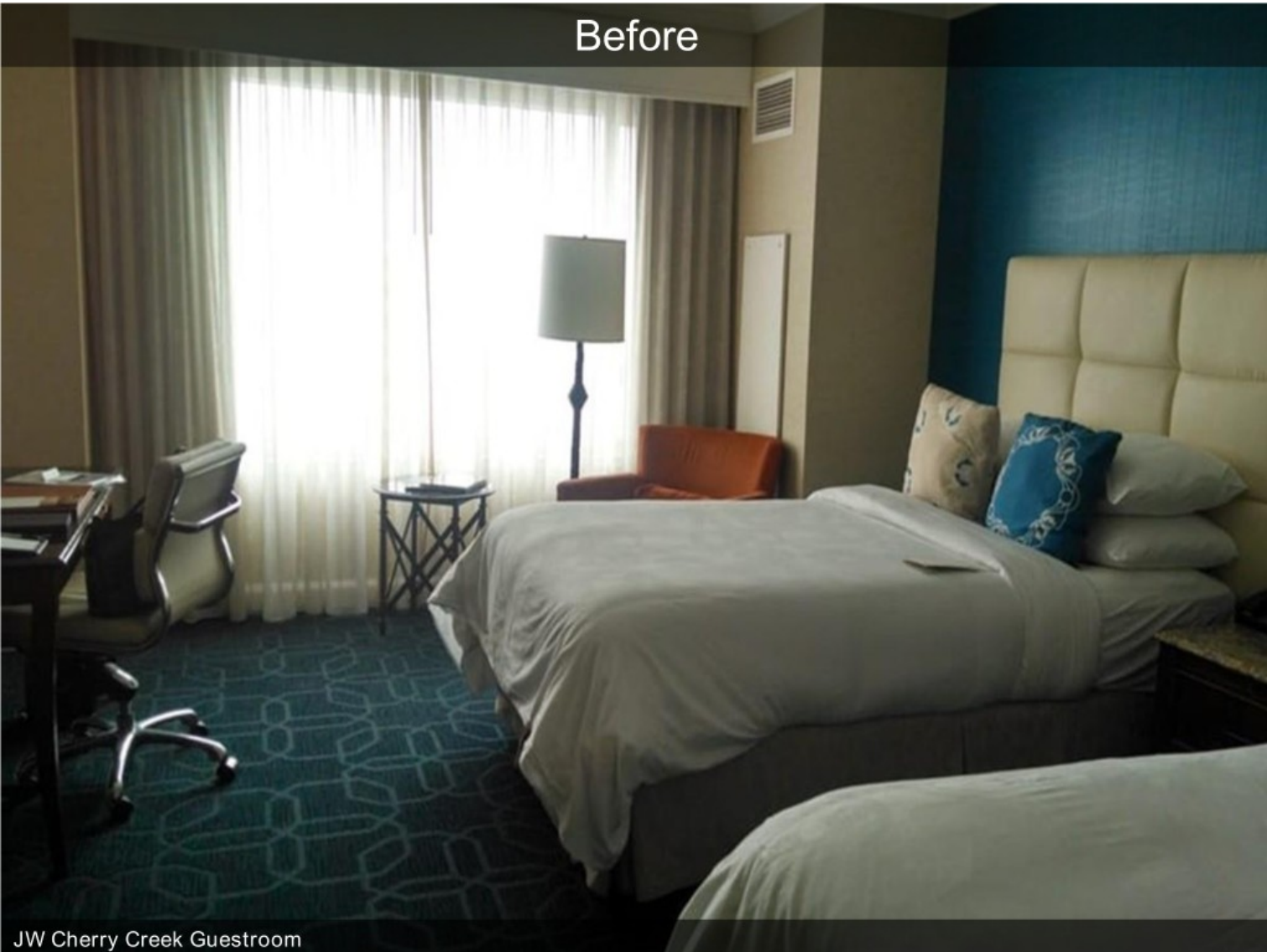
Renovation Plan

- Upgrade guestrooms, public space and meeting space
- Capitalize on the strength of location within the submarket and the JW brand
- Reposition rooms as best luxury product in market
- Gain 800 to 1000bps in market share to luxury hotels in Denver and approximately \$750K in EBITDA impact
- Renovate lobby and re-concept the restaurant and bar
 - Partner with celebrity chef Richard Sandoval to convert current restaurant to Toro Latin Gastro Bar
- Add 3 keys by moving concierge lounge to 2nd floor and dividing a large suite



Project Details	Estimated Completion Q1 2019	Incremental Capital Spend \$2.4M	Incremental EBITDA \$1.25M	Incremental Value \$17M
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Before



JW Cherry Creek Guestroom

After



JW Cherry Creek Guestroom

Worthington Renaissance: Increase NAV by \$36M

Renovate public spaces by creating a 15,000+ SF ballroom, repositioning the restaurant, and redesigning the lobby.

Restaurant Repositioning Operational Potential

- Prime Sundance Square location
- Partner with celebrity chef Richard Sandoval to convert current restaurant to popular Toro Bistro

Courthouse Conservatory⁽¹⁾

- All-glass function space with views of the courthouse will position Worthington as the #1 venue for social catering

Proven Track Record Post-Renovation

- \$2.4M increase in 2017 EBITDA post-renovation over average of last three years
- RevPAR index gained +20 points of share following renovation



Renovated Ballroom



Rendering of Courthouse Conservatory

(1) Still analyzing ROI and costs.

Project Details	Estimated Completion Q3 2020	Incremental Capital Spend \$13.8M	Incremental EBITDA \$3.0M	Incremental Value \$36M
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Hilton Boston Downtown: Increase NAV by \$14M

Convert 3rd floor meeting space into 28 additional guest rooms.

Market Conditions are Ideal for Key Addition

- 1.4M SF of office space is under development in the CBD
- 2017 had 200 nights above 95% occupancy

Increasing Operational Potential for Property

- Unencumbered of brand and management in 2022
- 91% transient demand and meeting space is underutilized
- Opportunity to add 28 keys for less than half of replacement cost
- In 2015, DRH added 41 keys through suite conversions at over 26.8% IRR → proven demand



Project Details	Estimated Completion 2020	Incremental Capital Spend \$2.7M	Incremental EBITDA \$1.0M	Incremental Value \$14M
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Cavallo Point: 10 Years of ROI Opportunities



Newly acquired luxury resort located in Golden Gate National Recreation Area in Sausalito, CA.

Situational Overview

- Famous luxury resort in highly desirable Sausalito
- Situated at the base of the Golden Gate Bridge with sweeping views of the San Francisco Bay
- Average daily rate over \$400
- Independently branded with third-party operator
- Low-to-zero supply growth market
- 2019 RevPAR growth expected to exceed national average



Numerous Upside Opportunities

- Owner-operated with upside from asset management best practices
- Convert former unused guard house at resort's entrance into a bakery and F&B outlet – incremental \$2M in revenue
- Entitlement allows for an additional 83 Keys



Project Details	Purchase Price \$152M	Yield on TTM NOI 6.7%	Total RevPAR \$809	EBITDA Multiple 12.8x
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An aerial photograph of a tropical resort. The top half shows the turquoise ocean with white foam from waves breaking onto a sandy beach. The bottom half shows the resort buildings, which have white, multi-faceted roofs and are surrounded by lush greenery and palm trees. A large area of the beach is filled with blue umbrellas and lounge chairs. The text "Frenchman's Reef & Morning Star Beach Resort" is overlaid in white on a dark horizontal band across the middle of the image.

Frenchman's Reef &
Morning Star Beach Resort

Morning Star Beach Resort

Frenchman's Reef Resort & Morning Star Beach Resort



Key Facts & Figures

Q2 2020

Projected Reopening

\$20M+

Brand Support

\$30M

USVI Support

\$350+

Stabilized ADR

\$25M

Stabilized EBITDA





Frenchman's Reef Insurance Claim

Insurance Overview

- \$280M⁽¹⁾ Total Claim (includes rebuild cost, lost profits and ongoing expenses & other costs)
 - \$95M in cash received to date from insurers
 - \$361M is policy limit per storm
- DiamondRock expects to fund \$45M in brand and infrastructure upgrades not covered by insurance
 - To be offset by key money (+\$20M) from brand and other outside funding sources



Business Interruption

- Insurance policy covers all lost profits through rebuild period plus 18-month stabilization period
- Through 2018, recovery of lost profits of \$19M recognized and agreed to (\$3M in 2017 and \$16M in 2018)
- For 2019, insurers have agreed to \$8.8M in BI for lost profits through April 2019
- DiamondRock believes it is entitled to at least \$16M in lost profits for FY 2019. [Not yet agreed to by insurers](#)

The Company is actively pursuing all its rights, but the position of the insurer will create timing issues. As with all legal disputes, final results cannot be guaranteed.

⁽¹⁾ Amounts provided are approximate. As of 1/25/19.

Best-in-Class Rebuild Team



Kollin Altomare Architects

Four Seasons Punta Mita Resort & Spa
The Ritz-Carlton Laguna Niguel
The Fairmont Scottsdale Princess Resort
The Ritz Carlton, Kapalua Maui



WhiteSpace (Design)

Four Seasons Scottsdale at Troon North
Four Seasons Hotel Austin
Ritz-Carlton Half Moon Bay



The Johnson Studio (F&B Design)

The Ritz-Carlton Grand Cayman
(Blue, Seven, Taikun, Ritz Lobby Bar)
Lobster Sea Bar Grille (Miami Beach)
Del Frisco's Double Eagle Steakhouse (Dallas)



Maris Collective (Retail, Concepts, Programming)

Four Seasons Maui
Four Season Anguilla
Fairmont Kea Lani, Maui



Richard Sandoval Group (Celebrity Chef)

Four Seasons Nevis
Four Seasons Punta Mita
Maya (NYC, Dubai)
Toro (Abu Dhabi)



Morning Star Pool Area Rendering

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Morning Star Lobby Rendering



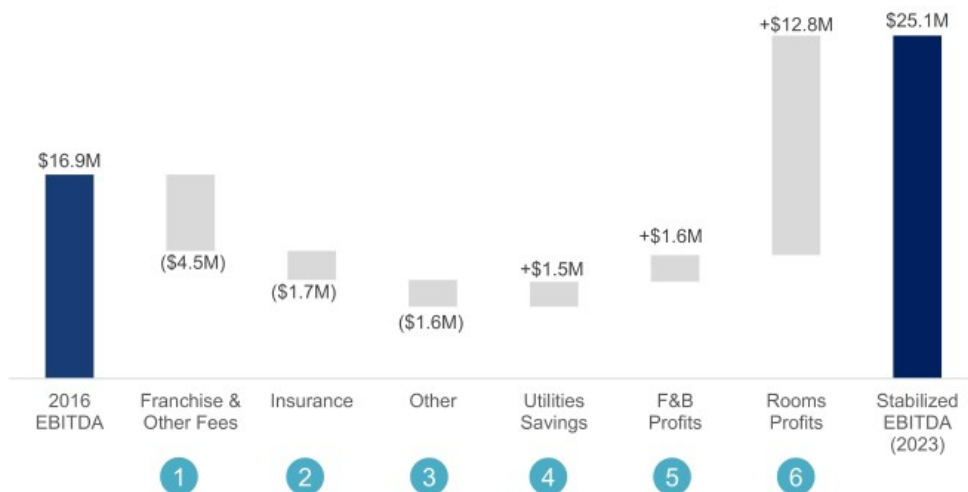
Morning Star Guestroom Rendering





Frenchman's Reef Guestroom Rendering

Frenchman's Reef Bridge to Stabilized EBITDA



Potential Upside From Items Not In Underwriting:

- Increased Resort Fee Revenue
- Spa Income
- Casino Income
- Additional F&B outlets & repositioning

EBITDA Bridge Components		
1	Franchise Fees	\$2.5M Franchise Fee (new) and additional S&M and other expenses
2	Insurance	Increased insurance costs post-hurricane
3	Other	Conservative Assumptions → lower resort fee income, higher expenses, no cancellation fee income and no spa income
4	Utilities	\$1.5M savings from improved infrastructure and utilities enhancement
5	F&B Profits	Increased profits from enhanced F&B offering
6	Rooms Profits	~\$80 Increase to RevPAR



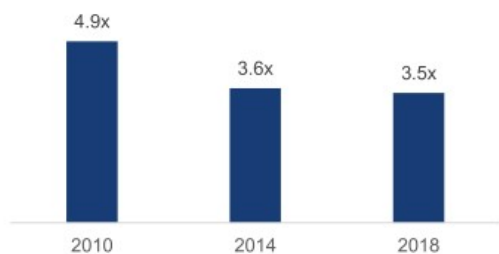
Balance Sheet & Capital Structure

South Lake Tahoe

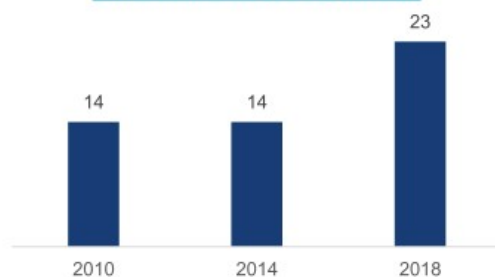
Best Balance Sheet in Company History



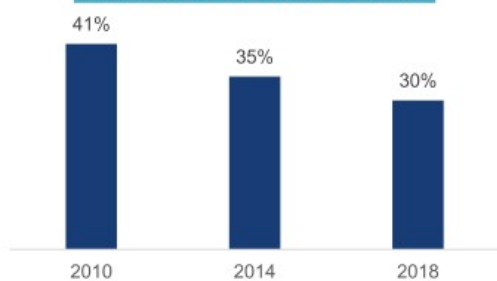
Net Debt / EBITDA



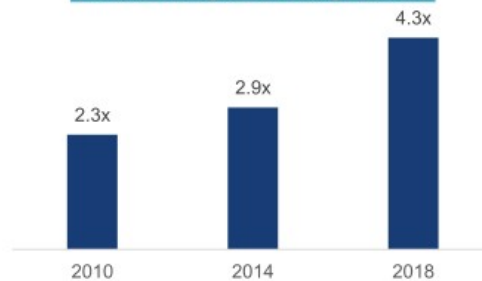
Unencumbered Properties



Total Debt / Total Asset Value



Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio



Source: Company Filings.

Balance Sheet Can Withstand 2008-Type Downturn



DRH Stress Testing				
	2019F	2020F	2021F	2022F
RevPAR Growth	-1.0%	-8.7%	-7.5%	6.3%
Corp. EBITDA Growth	1.0%	-13.8%	-13.8%	12.6%
Net Debt-to-EBITDA	3.4x	3.9x	4.5x	4.0x
Leverage Ratio (60% Maximum)	32.7%	38.2%	44.1%	39.1%
Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio (1.5x Minimum)	4.3x	3.6x	3.1x	3.5x

- Balance Sheet is prepared to withstand severe downturn
- Stress test assumes >15% RevPAR and >25% EBITDA decline
- 23 unencumbered properties throughout forecast
- Net debt-to-EBITDA of 4.5x, leverage ratio of 44% and FCCR of 3.1x at trough
- No outstanding borrowings on LOC in this scenario

Note: Excludes Frenchman's Reef from topline and revenue operating statistics, but includes BI for Frenchman's from a baseline of 2016A EBITDA.

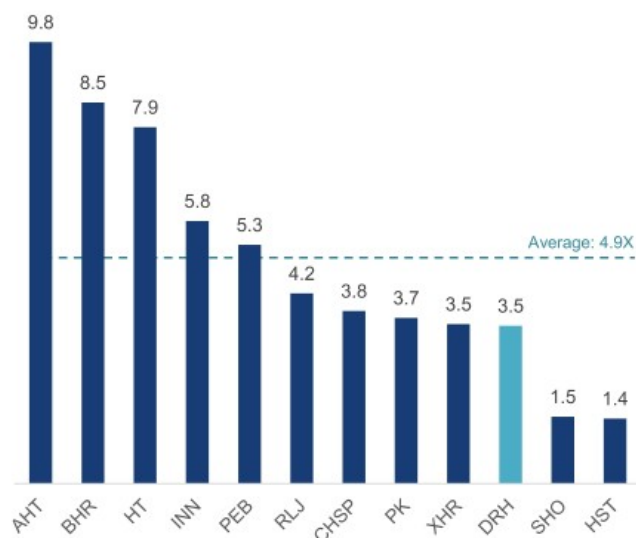
\$350 Million of Investment Capacity



CONSERVATIVE BALANCE SHEET STRATEGY

- Net Debt to 2019 EBITDA of 3.5x
- \$300M Line of Credit with no outstanding borrowings
- 23 unencumbered hotels
- Well-laddered maturity schedule with no maturities until November 2020
- \$350 million of investment capacity
- No more than 35% floating rate debt

LEVERAGE AT LOW END OF PEER GROUP



Source: Baird, Net Debt plus preferred / 2019 Consensus EBITDA.

Source: Company Filings, Wall Street Research.



Compelling Valuation

Cavallo Point, the Lodge at the Golden Gate

Top-Tier Portfolio Quality



2017 Portfolio Average Daily Rate



Source: Company Filings as of Q4 2017.
Note: Pebblebrook data is not pro forma for LaSalle merger.

Compelling Valuation



2018 Consensus EBITDA Multiple



Source: Baird, FactSet. Data as of 1/25/19.

DiamondRock Currently Trades At a Steep Discount to NAV

Market price of \$9.88⁽¹⁾ represents a 30% discount to NAV per share.

Region	Hotel NOI	Cap Rate			Estimated Value ⁽²⁾			
	FC Sept 2018	Low	Mid	High	Low	Mid	High	Mid / Key ⁽³⁾
Boston	\$34.5	6.0%	6.5%	7.0%	\$494	\$532	\$576	\$444
Chicago	\$30.2	6.5%	7.0%	7.5%	\$403	\$432	\$465	\$286
Dallas / Fort Worth	\$12.4	7.0%	7.5%	8.0%	\$155	\$166	\$177	\$328
Denver	\$11.3	6.0%	6.5%	7.0%	\$162	\$174	\$189	\$467
New York City	\$27.6	5.0%	5.5%	6.0%	\$460	\$502	\$552	\$331
San Diego	\$12.4	6.5%	7.0%	7.5%	\$166	\$178	\$191	\$407
San Francisco	\$11.8	5.0%	5.5%	6.0%	\$197	\$215	\$237	\$912
Washington, DC	\$14.1	6.5%	7.0%	7.5%	\$188	\$201	\$217	\$295
Other Urban	\$20.8	6.5%	7.0%	7.5%	\$277	\$296	\$319	\$277
Resorts	\$66.7	6.0%	6.5%	7.0%	\$953	\$1,026	\$1,112	\$497
Resorts Under Development	\$15.0	8.0%	8.5%	9.0%	\$167	\$176	\$188	\$553
Total	\$257.0	6.1%	6.6%	7.1%	\$3,622	\$3,899	\$4,223	\$393
NAV Per Share					\$12.84	\$14.18	\$15.73	

Note: San Francisco NOI includes Cavallo Point Resort as if owned for full-year 2018
Havana Cabana, Palomar Phoenix, Hotel Emblem, Frenchman's Reef and Landing Resort are included using stabilized NOI as proxy for multiple.

(1) Share price as of January 25, 2018

(2) Dollar amounts in millions

(3) Dollar amounts in thousands


Trading at Clear Discount to Value



DiamondRock has repurchased \$62M worth of shares in the last 90 days.

DRH COMPANY VALUATION - SHARE PRICE SENSITIVITY					
	\$8.00	\$9.00	\$10.00	\$11.00	\$12.00
2018 Consensus EBITDA Multiple	10.2x	11.0x	11.9x	12.7x	13.5x
2018 Consensus NOI Cap Rate	9.1%	8.4%	7.8%	7.3%	6.9%
2019 Consensus EBITDA Multiple	9.9x	10.7x	11.4x	12.2x	13.0x
Discount to Current Stock Price (\$9.70)	(19.0%)	(8.9%)	1.2%	11.3%	21.5%
Discount to 52-Week High (\$12.99)	(38.4%)	(30.7%)	(23.0%)	(15.3%)	(7.6%)
Discount to Internal NAV (\$14.18)	(43.6%)	(36.5%)	(29.5%)	(22.4%)	(15.4%)
Discount to Replacement Cost (\$500/Key)	(48.7%)	(44.6%)	(40.4%)	(36.3%)	(32.2%)

Data as of 1/25/19. Source: Wall Street Research, Internal Data.

A nighttime photograph of a multi-story resort building with stone and wood siding, illuminated from within. A semi-transparent dark box is overlaid on the center of the image, containing the text 'Key Takeaways'. To the right, a stone pillar holds a sign for 'The Landing Lake Tahoe Resort & Spa Jimmy's Restaurant'. The sky is dark blue with a full moon in the upper right corner.

Key Takeaways

The Landing Resort & Spa

Key Takeaways



Balance Sheet in Great Shape
(\$350M Dry Powder)



Significant ROI Projects (\$200M NAV+)



External Growth Focus on Resorts
(5 of Last 6 Deals)



Compelling Relative Valuation
(25% - 40% Discount to NAV)



Strong 2020 Setup
(Group Pace Up 15%)



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