

TopBuild Reports Fourth Quarter and Full Year 2019 Results

- Net sales increase 3.6%
- Gross margin expands 120 basis points
- 11.5% operating margin, 11.6% on an adjusted basis, up 110 basis points
- Adjusted EBITDA margin expands 110 basis points to 14.0%
- \$1.36 net income per diluted share, \$1.48 on an adjusted basis

Provides 2020 Sales and Adjusted EBITDA Guidance

DAYTONA BEACH, Fla., Feb. 25, 2020 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) -- **TopBuild Corp.** (NYSE:BLD), a leading installer and distributor of insulation and building material products today reported results for the fourth quarter and full year ended December 31, 2019.

Jerry Volas, Chief Executive Officer, stated, "We are pleased to once again report a strong quarter with sales volume growth and increased pricing at both TruTeam and Service Partners. Our team continues to focus on achieving operational efficiencies and implementing best practices across our organization.

Fourth Quarter Financial Highlights

(unless otherwise indicated, comparisons are to the quarter ended December 31, 2018)

- Net sales increased 3.6% to \$662.3 million, driven by increases in price and residential and commercial volume and acquisitions, partially offset by a higher mix of multi-family and smaller, single-family homes which generate lower revenue per unit.
- Gross margin expanded 120 basis points to 25.9%.
- Operating profit was \$76.4 million, compared to \$65.2 million. On an adjusted basis, operating profit was \$76.6 million, compared to \$67.2 million, a 14.1% improvement.
- Operating margin was 11.5%. Adjusted operating margin improved 110 basis points to 11.6%.
- Net income was \$46.0 million, or \$1.36 per diluted share, compared to \$38.6 million, or \$1.10 per diluted share.
- Adjusted net income was \$50.0 million, or \$1.48 per diluted share, compared to \$42.2 million, or \$1.20 per diluted share.
- Adjusted EBITDA was \$92.5 million, compared to \$82.5 million, a 12.2% increase and adjusted EBITDA margin improved 110 basis points to 14.0%. Incremental adjusted EBITDA margin was 44.0%.

 At December 31, 2019, the Company had cash and cash equivalents of \$184.8 million, availability under its revolving credit facility of \$188.6 million for total liquidity of \$373.4 million.

Full Year 2019 Financial Highlights

(unless otherwise indicated, comparisons are to twelve months ended December 31, 2018)

"2019 was another year of profitable growth at TopBuild. We continue to take advantage of a strong economic environment, our national scale and our focus on operational excellence to drive sales and expand operating margins. During the year we also completed the integration of USI, garnering substantial synergies that made this acquisition accretive to TopBuild's margins," Volas added.

- Net sales increased 10.1% to \$2,624.1 million. On a same branch basis, revenue increased 4.6% to \$2,494.5 million.
- Gross margin expanded 180 basis points to 26.0%.
- Operating profit was \$289.5 million, compared to operating profit of \$209.0 million. On an adjusted basis, operating profit was \$292.7 million, compared to \$232.6 million, a 25.8% improvement.
- Operating margin was 11.0%, up 220 basis points. Adjusted operating margin improved 140 basis points to 11.2%.
- Net income was \$191.0 million, or \$5.56 per diluted share, compared to \$134.8 million, or \$3.78 per diluted share. Adjusted net income was \$188.9 million, or \$5.49 per diluted share, compared to \$149.3 million, or \$4.19 per diluted share.
- Adjusted EBITDA was \$359.1 million, compared to \$283.4 million, a 26.7% increase and adjusted EBITDA margin improved 180 basis points to 13.7%. Incremental adjusted EBITDA margin was 31.6%.
 - On a same branch basis, adjusted EBITDA grew 17.9% to \$334.1 million and adjusted incremental EBITDA margin was 46.1%.
 - Acquisitions contributed \$129.6 million of revenue. Incremental adjusted EBITDA related to these acquisitions was 19.2%.

Operating Segment Highlights (\$ in 000s)

(comparisons are to the period ended December 31, 2018)

TruTeam	3 Months Ended 12/31/19	12 Months Ended 12/31/19	Service Partners	3 Months Ended 12/31/19	12 Months Ended 12/31/19
Sales	\$475,929	\$1,906,730	Sales	\$223,244	\$862,143
Change			Change		
Volume	0.7%	2.5%	Volume	2.0%	-0.8%
Price	2.7%	3.8%	Price	2.3%	4.6%

M&A	0.6%	7.1%
Total Change	4.0%	13.4%
Operating Margin	13.4%	13.3%
Change	90 bps	160 bps
Adj. Operating Margin	13.4%	13.3%
Change	90 bps	150 bps

M&A	0.0%	1.3%
Total Change	4.3%	5.1%
Operating Margin	11.3%	10.5%
Change	120 bps	90 bps
Adj. Operating Margin	11.3%	10.5%
Change	120 bps	90 bps

Capital Allocation

Acquisitions

In 2019, the Company completed one acquisition, Viking Insulation, based in Burbank, California. Viking is expected to generate approximately \$9.0 million in annual revenue.

In February 2020, the Company acquired Hunter Insulation, an installation company based in Long Island, New York and Cooper Glass, a commercial glass company serving the Memphis market. Combined, these companies are expected to contribute approximately \$19 million of annual revenue.

Share Repurchase Program

In 2019, the Company repurchased a total of 1,291,771 shares of its common stock for approximately \$110.9 million. This includes the receipt of 392,501 shares related to its \$50 million accelerated share repurchase ("ASR") program announced October 2019. The ASR is expected to settle no later than the end of the first quarter of 2020.

2020 Sales and Adjusted EBITDA Guidance (1)

Volas stated, "Looking ahead, we see solid fundamentals for the residential new construction market, including strong household formation, low interest rates and very little inventory, all of which should benefit TopBuild. In addition, we expect continued strength in our commercial business with a solid backlog and greenfield expansion opportunities.

"Our plan in 2020 remains in line with our long-term strategic objectives: generate profitable growth, achieve additional operational efficiencies and acquire companies that meet our investment criteria."

2020	Low	High	
Sales	\$ 2,765.0	\$	2,835.0
Adjusted EBITDA*	\$ 387.0	\$	412.0

^{*}See table for adjusted EBITDA reconciliation

Assumptions

(\$ in millions)

2020		High		
Housing Starts		1,300K		1,340K
Estimated net income	\$	206.5	\$	232.0
Interest Expense and other, net	\$	34.0	\$	31.0
Income tax expense	\$	72.5	\$	81.5

Depreciation and Amortization	\$ 60.0	\$ 56.0
Share based compensation	\$ 14.0	\$ 11.5

Long-Term Targets (3-Years) (1)

Metric	
	10% to
Working Capital (% of LTM Sales)	11%
CapEx (% of Sales)	2.0%
Commercial Annual Revenue Growth	10.0%
Normalized Tax Rate	26%
Incremental Adjusted EBITDA	22% to
(Organic)	27%
Incremental Adjusted EBITDA	11% to
(Acquisitions Year One)	16%
Residential revenue for every 50K	
increase in housing starts	\$80 million

(1) This guidance and long-term targets reflect management's current view of present and future market conditions and are based on assumptions such as housing starts, general and administrative expenses, weighted average diluted shares outstanding and interest rates. These targets do not include any effects related to potential acquisitions or divestitures that may occur after the date of this press release. A reconciliation of non-GAAP targets to corresponding GAAP measures is not available on a forward-looking basis without unreasonable effort due to the uncertainty regarding, and the potential variability of, the costs and expenses that may be incurred in the future and therefore, cannot be reasonably predicted. The effect of these excluded items may be significant. Factors that could cause actual long-term results to differ materially from TopBuild's current expectations are discussed below and are also detailed in the Company's 2019 Annual Report on Form 10-K and subsequent SEC reports.

Additional Information

Quarterly supplemental materials, including a presentation that will be referenced on today's conference call, are available on the "Investors" section of the Company's website at www.topbuild.com.

Conference Call

A conference call to discuss fourth quarter 2019 financial results is scheduled for today, Tuesday, February 25, at 9:00 a.m. Eastern Time. The call may be accessed by dialing (888) 225-2706. The conference call will be webcast simultaneously on the "Investors" section of the Company's website at www.topbuild.com.

About TopBuild

TopBuild Corp., a Fortune 1000 Company headquartered in Daytona Beach, Florida, is a leading installer and distributor of insulation and building material products to the U.S. construction industry. We provide insulation and building material services nationwide through TruTeam[®], which has approximately 200 branches, and through Service Partners[®] which distributes insulation and building material products from approximately 75 branches. We leverage our national footprint to gain economies of scale while capitalizing on our local

market presence to forge strong relationships with our customers. To learn more about TopBuild please visit our website at www.topbuild.com.

Use of Non-GAAP Financial Measures

Adjusted EBITDA, incremental EBITDA margin, adjusted EBITDA margin, the "adjusted" financial measures presented above, and figures presented on a "same branch basis" are not calculated in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP"). The Company believes that these non-GAAP financial measures, which are used in managing the business, may provide users of this financial information with additional meaningful comparisons between current results and results in prior periods. We define same branch sales as sales from branches in operation for at least 12 full calendar months. Such non-GAAP financial measures are reconciled to their closest GAAP financial measures in tables contained in this press release. Non-GAAP financial measures should be viewed in addition to, and not as an alternative for, the Company's reported results under GAAP. Additional information may be found in the Company's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission which are available on TopBuild's website under "Investors" at www.topbuild.com.

Safe Harbor Statement

This press release contains "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act. These forward-looking statements may address, among other things, our expected financial and operational results, the related assumptions underlying our expected results, and our plan to repurchase our common stock under the proposed accelerated stock repurchase transaction. These forward-looking statements are distinguished by use of words such as "will," "would," "anticipate," "expect," "believe," "designed," "plan," or "intend," the negative of these terms, and similar references to future periods. These views involve risks and uncertainties that are difficult to predict and, accordingly, our actual results may differ materially from the results discussed in our forward-looking statements. Our forward-looking statements contained herein speak only as of the date of this press release. Factors or events that we cannot predict, including those described in the risk factors contained in our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, may cause our actual results to differ from those expressed in forward-looking statements. Although TopBuild believes the expectations reflected in such forward-looking statements are based on reasonable assumptions, the Company can give no assurance that its expectations will be achieved and it undertakes no obligation to update publicly any forward-looking statements as a result of new information, future events, or otherwise, except as required by applicable law.

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(tables follow)

TopBuild Corp.
Consolidated Statements of Operations
(in thousands, except share and per common share amounts)

	Three Months Ended December 31,					Year Ended D	December 31,		
		2019	2018			2019	2018		
Net sales	\$	662,349	\$	639,547	\$	2,624,121	\$	2,384,249	
Cost of sales		491,030		481,321		1,942,854		1,808,097	
Gross profit		171,319		158,226		681,267		576,152	
Selling, general, and administrative expense		94,898		93,065		391,744		367,199	
Operating profit		76,421	_	65,161	-	289,523	=	208,953	
Other income (expense), net:									
Interest expense		(9,083)		(9,661)		(37,823)		(28,687)	
Other, net		566		266		2,078		558	
Other expense, net		(8,517)		(9,395)		(35,745)		(28,129)	
Income before income taxes		67,904		55,766		253,778		180,824	
Income tax expense		(21,919)		(17,213)		(62,783)		(46,072)	
Net income	\$	45,985	\$	38,553	\$	190,995	\$	134,752	
Net income per common share:									
Basic	\$	1.38	\$	1.12	\$	5.65	\$	3.86	
Diluted	\$	1.36	\$	1.10	\$	5.56	\$	3.78	
Weighted average shares outstanding:									
Basic		33,297,613		34,436,518		33,806,104		34,921,318	
Diluted		33,886,904		35,012,535		34,376,555		35,613,319	

TopBuild Corp. Consolidated Balance Sheets and Other Financial Data (dollars in thousands)

	As of December 31,			
	December 31, 2019		Dec	cember 31, 2018
ASSETS				
Current assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	184,807	\$	100,929
Receivables, net of an allowance for doubtful accounts of \$4,854 and \$3,676 at December 31,				
2019, and December 31, 2018, respectively		428,844		407,106
Inventories, net		149,078		168,977
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		17,098		27,685
Total current assets		779,827		704,697
Right of use seeds		07 101		
Right of use assets		87,134		407.004
Property and equipment, net		178,080		167,961
Goodwill		1,367,918		1,364,016
Other intangible assets, net		181,122		199,387
Deferred tax assets, net		4,259		13,176
Other assets		5,623		5,294
Total assets	\$	2,603,963	\$	2,454,531
LIABILITIES				
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$	307,970	\$	313,172
Current portion of long-term debt	*	34,272	*	26,852
Accrued liabilities		98,418		104,236
Short-term lease liabilities		36,094		

Total current liabilities	476,754		444,260
Long-term debt	697,955		716,622
Deferred tax liabilities, net	175,263		176,212
Long-term portion of insurance reserves	45,605		43,434
Long-term lease liabilities	54,010		_
Other liabilities	1,487		1,905
Total liabilities	1,451,074	_	1,382,433
EQUITY	1,152,889		1,072,098
Total liabilities and equity	\$ 2,603,963	\$	2,454,531

	As of December 31,							
	December 31, 1 2019		•		,		. , ,	
Other Financial Data								
Receivable days †		53		51				
Inventory days †		28		34				
Accounts payable days †		80		80				
Receivables, net plus inventories, net less accounts payable †	\$	269,952	9	262,911				
Receivables, net plus inventories, net less accounts payable as a percent of sales (TTM)‡		10.3	%	10.4				

[†] Adjusted for remaining acquisition day one balance sheet items

TopBuild Corp. Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows (in thousands)

	Year Ended December 31,			
		2019		2018
Cash Flows Provided by (Used in) Operating Activities:				
Net income	\$	190,995	\$	134,752
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:				
Depreciation and amortization		52,700		39,419
Share-based compensation		13,658		11,317
Loss on sale or abandonment of property and equipment		1,399		1,204
Amortization of debt issuance costs		1,558		1,201
Provision for bad debt expense		7,065		3,240
Loss from inventory obsolescence		2,622		2,187
Deferred income taxes, net		8,888		12,936
Change in certain assets and liabilities				
Receivables, net		(27,146)		(35,522)
Inventories, net		17,433		(23,297)
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		9,361		(8,360)
Accounts payable		(5,124)		29,687
Accrued liabilities		(2,690)		(660)
Other, net		1,058		(932)
Net cash provided by operating activities		271,777		167,172
Cash Flows Provided by (Used in) Investing Activities:				
Purchases of property and equipment		(45,536)		(52,504)
Acquisition of businesses, net of cash acquired of \$15,756 in 2018		(6,952)		(500,202)
Proceeds from sale of property and equipment		2,321		849
Other, net		25		38

[‡] Trailing 12 months sales have been adjusted for the pro forma effect of acquired branches

	(50,142)		(551,819)
	14,989		526,604
	(27,793)		(18,399)
	_		(7,819)
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	_		(90,000)
	(12,951)		(5,465)
	(110,911)		(65,025)
	(1,091)		(841)
	(137,757)		429,055
	83.878		44,408
	100,929		56,521
\$	184,807	\$	100,929
\$	36.244	\$	23,733
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TopBuild Corp. Segment Data (Unaudited) (dollars in thousands)

		Three M		 			Year Ende	d De	cember 31,		
		2019		2018	_	Change	 2019		2018		Change
TruTeam	_		_		_						
Sales	\$	475,929	=	\$ 457,610	=	4.0 %	\$ 1,906,730	= :	\$ 1,680,96	7	13.4 %
Operating profit, as reported Operating margin, as	\$	63,661		\$ 57,016			\$ 253,230		\$ 196,98	6	
reported		13.4	%	12.5	%		13.3	%	11.	7 %	6
Rationalization charges		(24)	216			159		84	5	
Acquisition related costs		177		_			636		_	_	
Operating profit, as adjusted Operating margin, as	\$	63,814	_	\$ 57,232	_		\$ 254,025		\$ 197,83	1	
adjusted		13.4	%	12.5	%		13.3	%	11.	8 %	6
Service Partners											
Sales	\$	223,244	_	\$ 213,974	=	4.3 %	\$ 862,143	= =	\$ 820,30	9	5.1 %
Operating profit, as reported Operating margin, as	\$	25,234		\$ 21,598			\$ 90,388		\$ 78,73	9	
reported		11.3	%	10.1	%		10.5	%	9.	6 %	6
Rationalization charges		_		_			109		15	9	
Operating profit, as adjusted	\$	25,234	_	\$ 21,598	_		\$ 90,497		\$ 78,89	8	

Operating margin, as adjusted		11.3	%		10.1	%			10.5	%	9.6	%	
Total													
Sales before eliminations	\$	699,173		\$	671,584			\$	2,768,873	\$	2,501,276		
Intercompany eliminations		(36,824))		(32,037)				(144,752)		(117,027)	
Net sales after eliminations	\$	662,349	=	\$	639,547	=	3.6 %	\$	2,624,121	\$	2,384,249	_	10.1 %
Operating profit, as reported -	Φ.	00.005		Φ.	70.044			Φ.	040.040	4	075 705		
segments General corporate expense,	\$	88,895		\$	78,614			\$	343,618	\$	275,725		
net		(6,568))		(7,936)				(30,174)		(45,873)	
Intercompany eliminations		(5,906)	<u> </u>		(5,517)	_			(23,921)		(20,899)	
Operating profit, as reported	\$	76,421		\$	65,161			\$	289,523	\$	208,953		
Operating margin, as reported		11.5	%		10.2	%			11.0	%	8.8	%	
Rationalization charges †		15			929				1,992		7,736		
Acquisition related costs		166			1,066				1,200		15,925		
Operating profit, as adjusted	\$	76,602	_	\$	67,156	-		\$	292,715	9		_	
Operating margin, as		·			•				·		•		
adjusted		11.6	%		10.5	%			11.2	%	9.8	%	
Share-based compensation		2,246			3,072				13,658		11,317		
Depreciation and amortization		13,696	_		12,286	_			52,700		39,419	_	
EBITDA, as adjusted	\$	92,544	_	\$	82,514	_		\$	359,073	\$	283,350		
EBITDA margin, as adjusted		14.0	%		12.9	%			13.7	%	11.9	%	
Sales change period over period													
r		22,802							239,872				
EBITDA, as adjusted, change period over period		10,030							75,723				
EBITDA, as adjusted, as percentage of sales change		44.0	%						31.6	%			

 $[\]dagger$ Rationalization charges include corporate level adjustments as well as segment operating adjustments.

TopBuild Corp. Non-GAAP Reconciliations (Unaudited) (in thousands, except share and per common share amounts)

	Three Months Ended December 31,					Year Ended	l December 31,		
	2019		2018		2019			2018	
Gross Profit and Operating Profit Reconciliations									
Net sales	\$	662,349	\$	639,547	\$	2,624,121	\$	2,384,249	
Gross profit, as reported	\$	171,319	\$	158,226	\$	681,267	\$	576,152	
Rationalization charges		_		_		_		176	
Gross profit, as adjusted	\$	171,319	\$	158,226	\$	681,267	\$	576,328	

Gross margin, as reported		25.9	%		24.7	%	26.0	%	24.2	%
Gross margin, as adjusted		25.9	%		24.7	%	26.0	%	24.2	%
Operating profit, as reported	\$	76,421		\$	65,161	\$	289,523	\$	208,953	
Rationalization charges		15			929		1,992		7,736	
Acquisition related costs		166			1,066		1,200		15,925	
Operating profit, as adjusted	\$	76,602		\$	67,156	\$	292,715	\$	232,614	
Operating margin, as reported		11.5	%		10.2	%	11.0	%	8.8	%
Operating margin, as adjusted		11.6	%		10.5	%	11.2	%	9.8	%
Income Per Common Share Reconciliation										
Income before income taxes, as reported	\$	67,904		\$	55,766	\$	253,778	\$	180,824	
Rationalization charges		15			929		1,992		7,736	
Acquisition related costs		166			1,066		1,200		15,925	
Income before income taxes, as adjusted		68,085			57,761		256,970		204,485	
Tax rate at 26.5% and 27.0% for 2019 and 2018,										
respectively		(18,043)		(15,595	<u> </u>	(68,097)	(55,211)
Income, as adjusted	\$	50,042	= =	\$	42,166	\$	188,873	<u> </u>	149,274	=
Income per common share, as adjusted	\$	1.48	_ =	\$	1.20	_ \$	5.49	<u>\$</u>	4.19	_
Weighted average diluted common shares outstanding	3	3,886,904		3	5,012,535		34,376,555		35,613,319	
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TopBuild Corp. Same Branch and Acquisition Net Sales and Adjusted EBITDA (Unaudited) (dollars in thousands)

	Three Mon Decem	nths Ended ber 31,	Year Ended D	December 31,	
	2019	2018	2019	2018	
Net sales					
Same branch:					
Installation segment	\$ 473,298	\$ 457,610	\$ 1,787,357	\$ 1,680,967	
Distribution segment	223,244	213,974	851,073	820,309	
Eliminations	(36,824)	(32,037)	(143,890)	(117,027)	
Total same branch	659,718	639,547	2,494,540	2,384,249	
Acquisitions (a):					
Installation segment	\$ 2,631	\$ —	\$ 119,373	\$ —	
Distribution segment	_	_	11,070	_	
Eliminations	_	_	(862)	_	
	2,631		129,581		
Total acquisitions					
Total	\$ 662,349	\$ 639,547	\$ 2,624,121	\$ 2,384,249	
EBITDA, as adjusted					
Same branch	\$ 91,781	\$ 82,514	\$ 334,146	\$ 283,350	
Acquisitions (a)	763	_	24,927	_	
Total	\$ 92,544	\$ 82,514	\$ 359,073	\$ 283,350	

EBITDA, as adjusted, as a percentage of sales

Same branch (b)	13.9	%			13.4	%		
Acquisitions (c)	29.0	%			19.2	%		
Total (d)	14.0	%	12.9	%	13.7	%	11.9	%
As Adjusted Incremental EBITDA, as a percentage of incremental sales								
Same branch (e)	45.9	%			46.1	%		
Acquisitions (c)	29.0	%			19.2	%		
Total (f)								

- (a) Represents current year impact of acquisitions in their first twelve months
- (b) Same branch EBITDA, as adjusted, as a percentage of same branch sales
- (c) Acquired EBITDA, as adjusted, as a percentage of acquired sales
- (d) Total EBITDA, as adjusted, as a percentage of total sales
- (e) Change in same branch EBITDA, as adjusted, as a percentage of change in same branch sales
- (f) Change in total EBITDA, as adjusted, as a percentage of change in total sales

TopBuild Corp. Reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to Net Income (in thousands)

	Thr	ee Months End	Year Ended December 31,				
		2019	2018		2019	2018	
Net income, as reported	\$	45,985	\$ 38,553	\$	190,995	\$	134,752
Adjustments to arrive at EBITDA, as adjusted:							
Interest expense and other, net		8,517	9,395		35,745		28,129
Income tax expense		21,919	17,213		62,783		46,072
Depreciation and amortization		13,696	12,286		52,700		39,419
Share-based compensation		2,246	3,072		13,658		11,317
Rationalization charges		15	929		1,992		7,736
Acquisition related costs		166	1,066		1,200		15,925
EBITDA, as adjusted	\$	92,544	\$ 82,514	\$	359,073	\$	283,350

TopBuild Corp. 2020 Estimated Adjusted EBITDA Range (Unaudited) (dollars in millions)

	Twelve Months Ending December 31, 2020									
		Low		High						
Estimated net income	\$	206.5	\$	232.0						
Adjustments to arrive at estimated EBITDA, as adjusted:										
Interest expense and other, net		34.0		31.0						
Income tax expense		72.5		81.5						
Depreciation and amortization		60.0		56.0						
Share-based compensation		14.0		11.5						
Estimated EBITDA, as adjusted	\$	387.0	\$	412.0						



Source: TopBuild Corp.