



Fourth Quarter 2018 Earnings Presentation

February 14, 2019



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This presentation includes certain financial measures that are not calculated in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP"). These measures include (i) Adjusted EBITDA, (ii) Distributable Cash Flow, (iii) Return on Invested Capital and (iv) Net Debt. Please see the appendix for the definition of each of these measures as well as certain additional information regarding these measures, including the most comparable financial measures calculated in accordance with GAAP.



Midstream Simplification has been approved by the AM and AMGP Conflicts Committees and by the AR Special Committee

Transaction Timeline	
October 9, 2018	Simplification transaction announced
January 31, 2019	Proxy statements mailed to AM unitholders and AMGP shareholders
March 4, 2019	Deadline for electing merger consideration is 5:00 P.M. (ET) ⁽¹⁾
March 7, 2019	Deadline for voting electronically or by telephone is 11:59 P.M. (ET) ⁽¹⁾
March 8, 2019	Special meeting of AM unitholders and AMGP shareholders to approve simplification transaction
March 12, 2019	Transaction expected to close

Please vote your AM units and AMGP shares

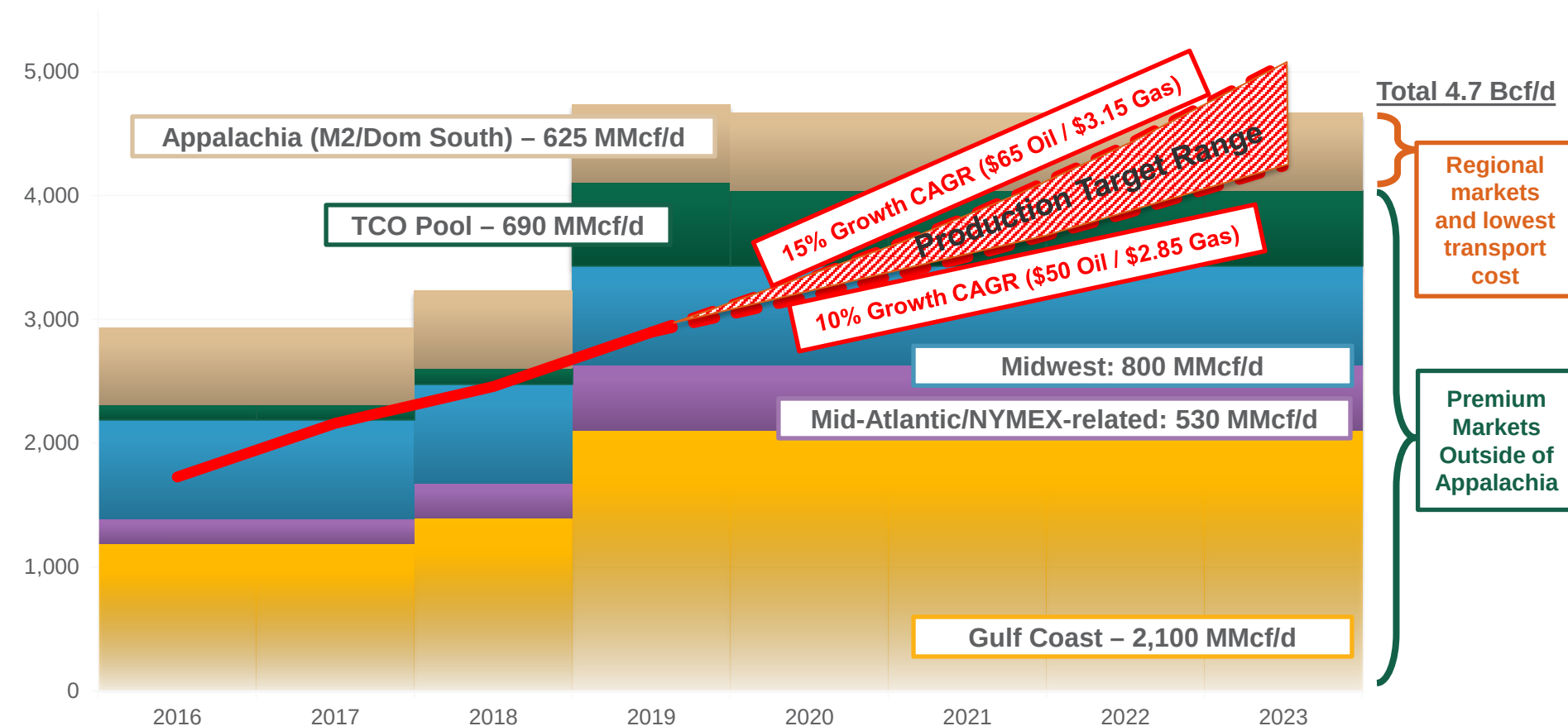
¹⁾ Deadline for registered holders. If you hold AM units or AMGP shares in the name of a bank, broker or other nominee, you should follow the instructions provided by your bank, broker or other nominee.



All of Antero Resources' contracted firm capacity is now in service, providing visible production growth and sales to diversified markets

Antero Resources Firm Transportation Portfolio vs. Gross Gas Production (MMcf/d)

(MMcf/d)



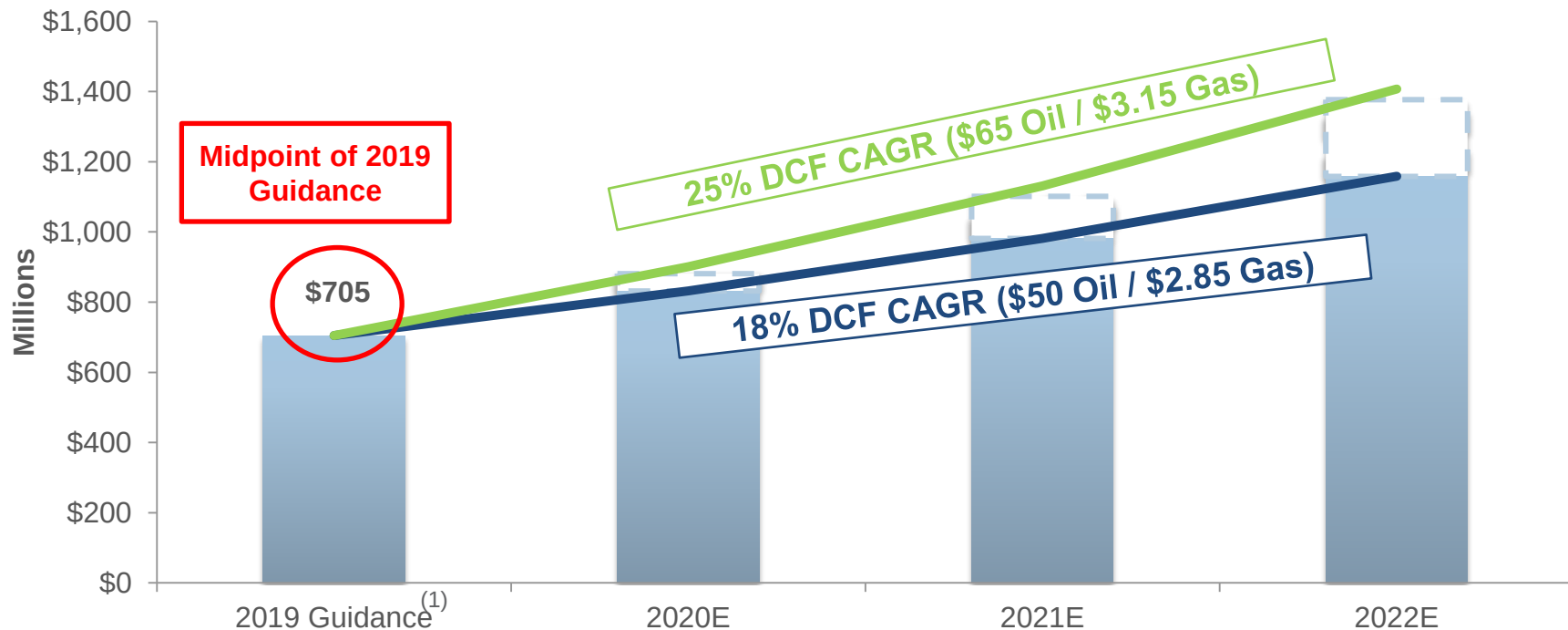
1) 2019 natural gas volume assumes midpoint of 2019 guidance and has been grossed up for 83% net revenue interest and an 1100 BTU factor. Outer years assume 10% or 15% year-over-year growth thereafter.



Long-Term Outlook – New AM

Based on AR's flexible long-term outlook, AM is targeting an 18% - 25% distributable cash flow (DCF) CAGR from 2020 to 2022

New AM Distributable Cash Flow Growth Scenarios (2020 – 2022)



Oil and Gas Price Assumptions

\$65 /
\$3.15

25% Distributable Cash Flow CAGR

Declining Leverage Profile to low to mid 2x

Supports Previously Communicated Dividend Growth Targets

\$50 /
\$2.85

18% Distributable Cash Flow CAGR

Declining Leverage Profile to low to mid 2x

Supports Previously Communicated Dividend Growth Targets

Note: Distributable cash flow is a non-GAAP metric – see appendix for details. DCF CAGR ranges apply to midpoint of 2019 production guidance.

1) Based on the midpoint of 2019 distributable cash flow guidance.

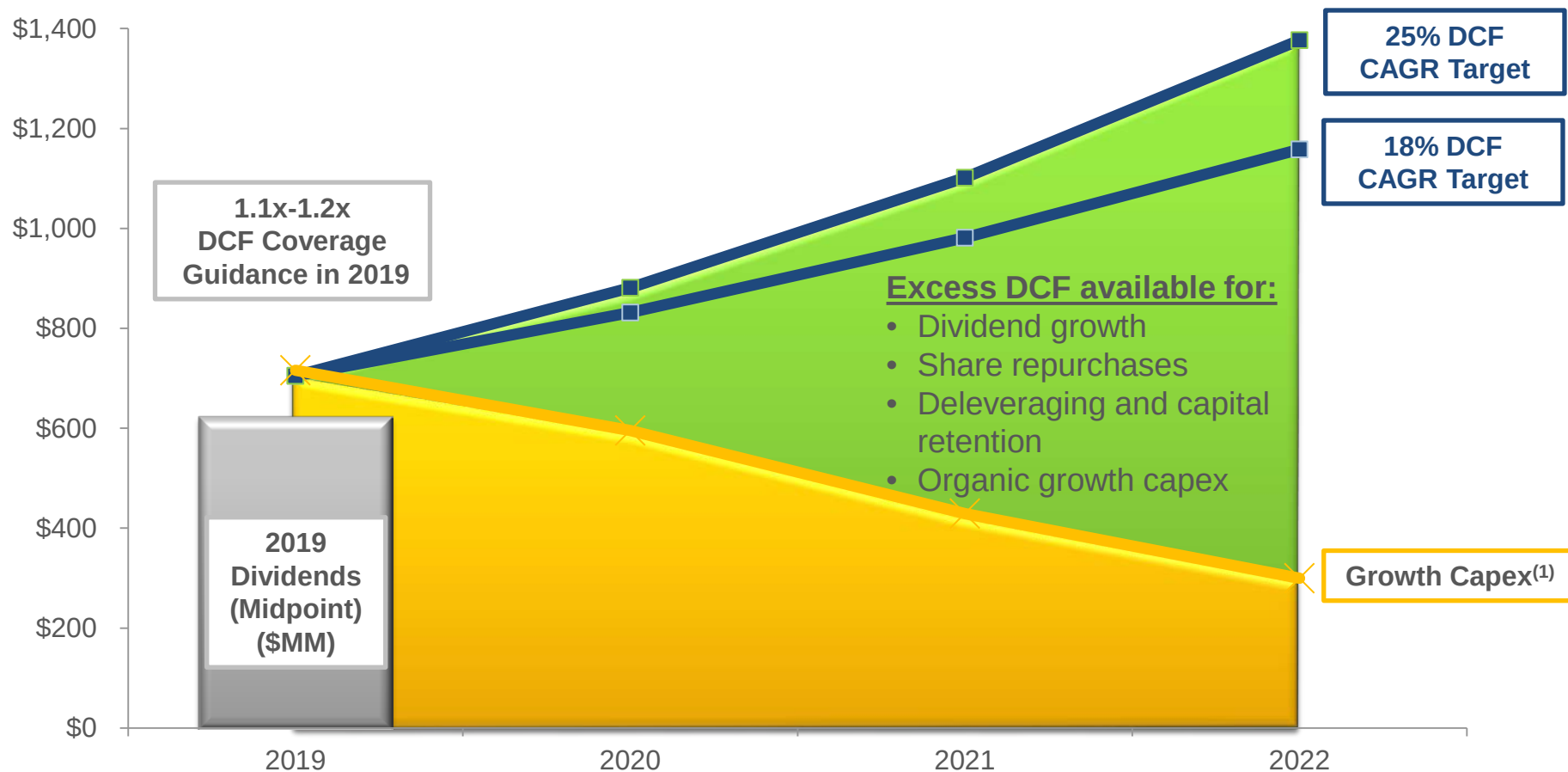


DCF Profile Supports Growing Return of Capital



Antero Midstream's distributable cash flow growth, self-funding business model, and leverage profile supports an increase in return of capital to shareholders

Distributable Cash Flow vs. Growth Capex (\$MM)



Note: Distributable Cash Flow is a Non-GAAP measure. For additional information regarding these measures, please see appendix. Dividends and DCF targets pro forma for simplification transaction expected to close in March 2019.

1. Growth capex based on FactSet consensus estimates as of 2/1/2019.

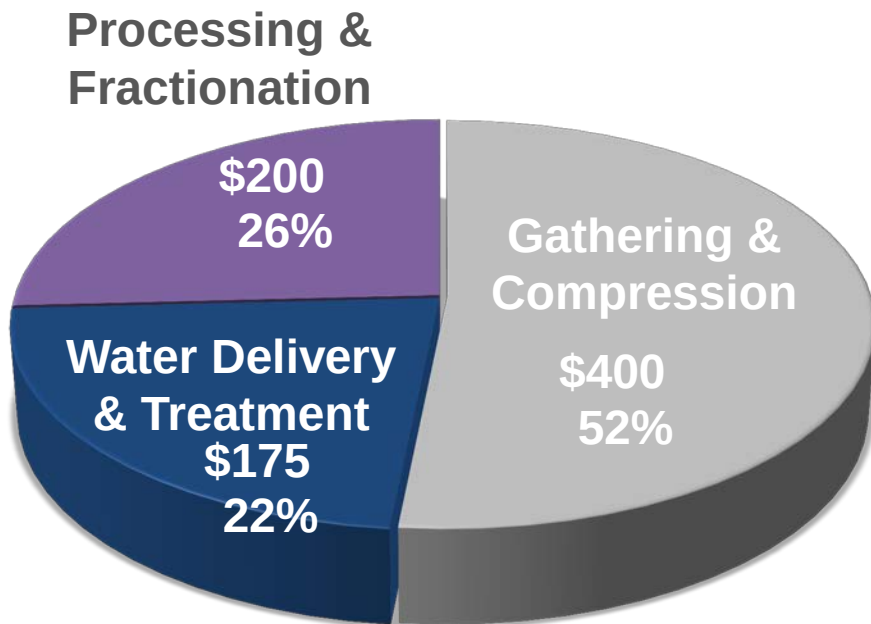


Capital Budget and Major Projects - 2019



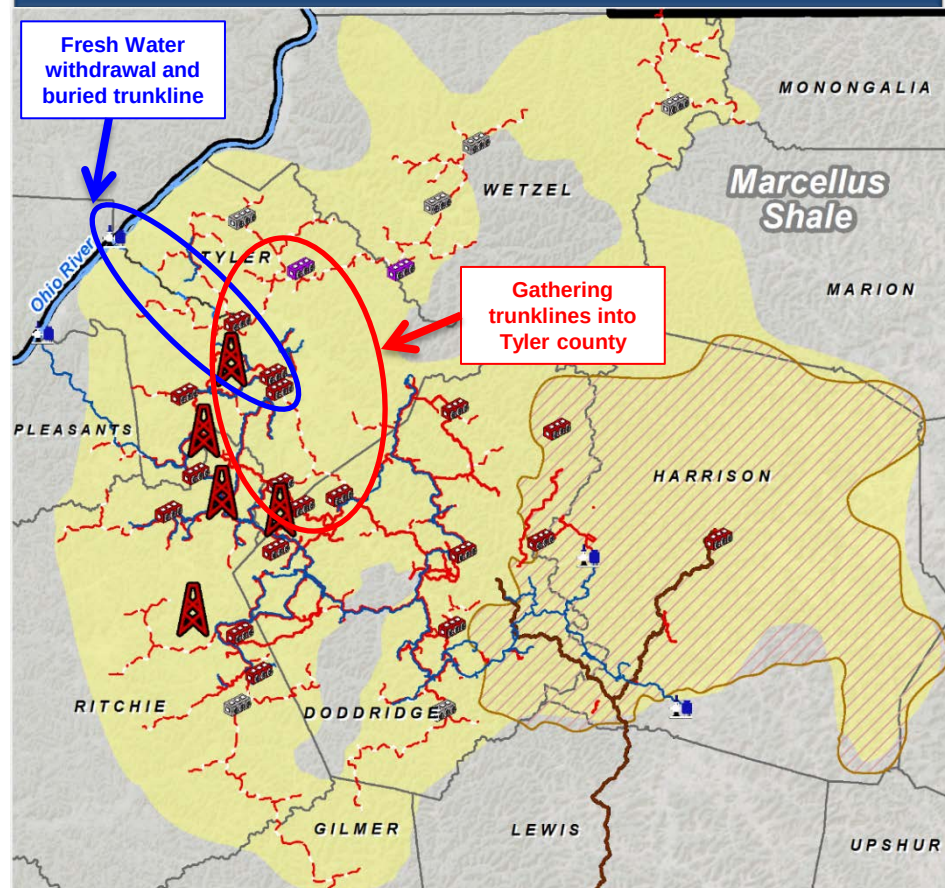
2019 organic capital budget fully funded with retained cash flow and credit facility borrowings → no need for equity financing

Capital Expenditures (\$MM)



Capital Budget: \$775MM

Marcellus Project Map

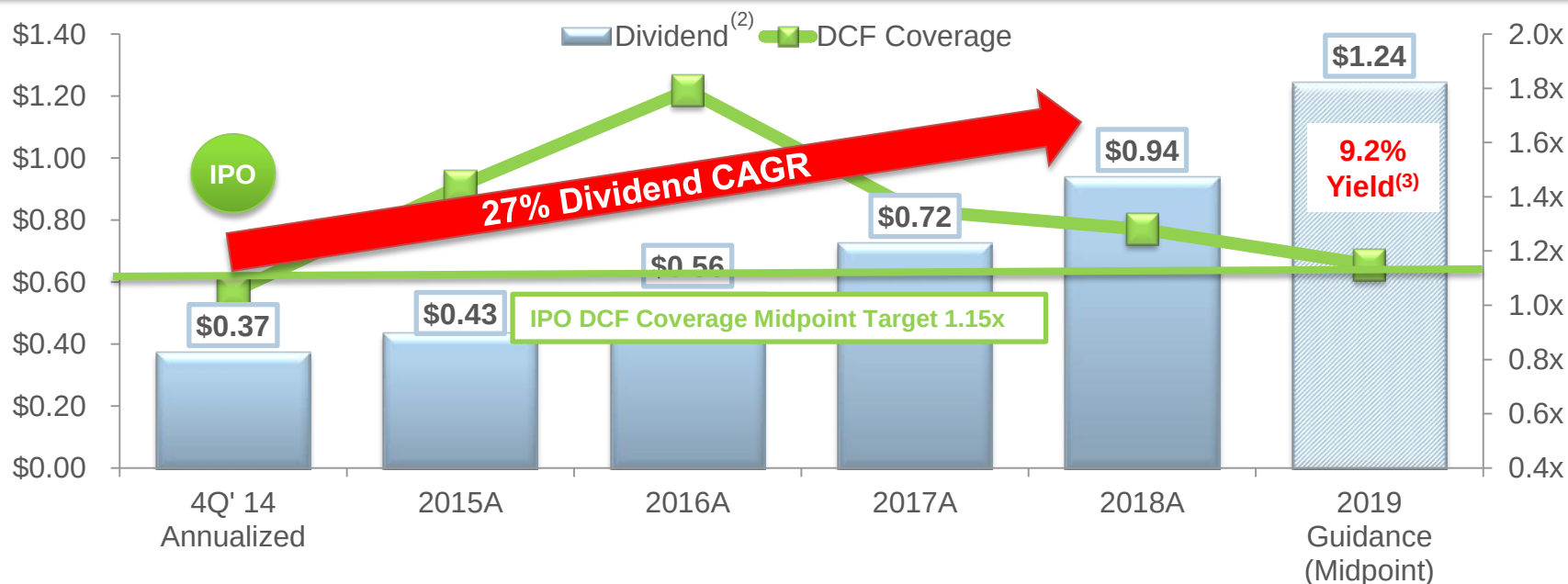


Long Track Record Of Success



Antero Midstream has delivered a 27% dividend CAGR through the downturn and exceeded DCF coverage targets by 22% on average since the IPO

New AM Dividend Per Share and DCF Coverage Since IPO



IPO Year - 2014

2019 Guidance

Adjusted EBITDA⁽¹⁾:

\$67 MM

\$870 MM - \$920 MM

+1,235%

Distributable Cash Flow⁽¹⁾:

\$53 MM

\$680 MM - \$730 MM

+1,201%

1) Adjusted EBITDA and Distributable Cash Flow are non-GAAP measures. For additional information regarding these measures, please see "Antero Midstream Non-GAAP Measures" in the Appendix.

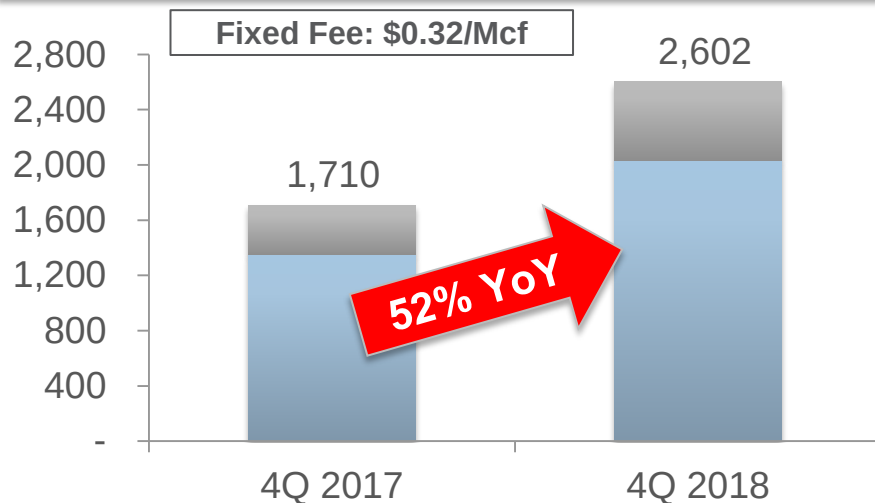
2) Historical dividends adjusted for pending simplification transaction based on 1.832x share exchange ratio assuming 100% equity consideration for public AM unitholders on announcement date of October 9, 2018.

3) Based on share price of \$13.34 per unit as of 2/12/2019.

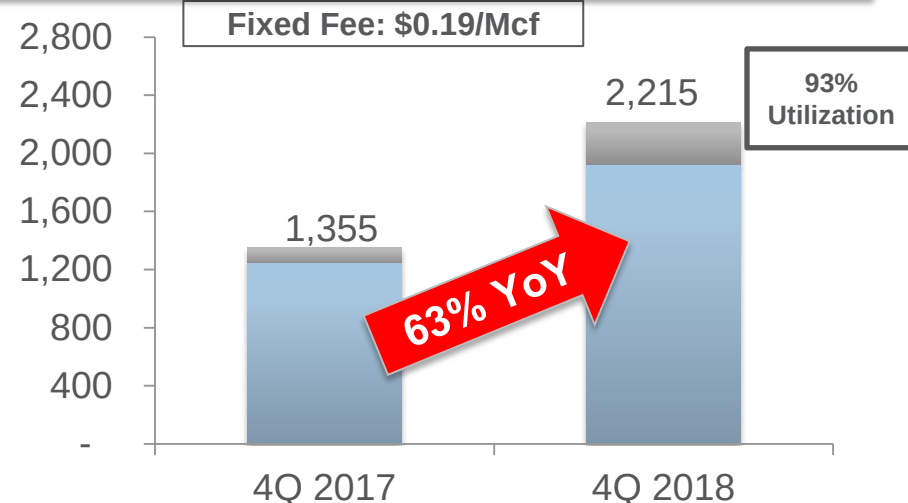
High Growth Year-Over-Year Midstream Throughput

Record gathering, compression, processing and fractionation volumes in 4Q18

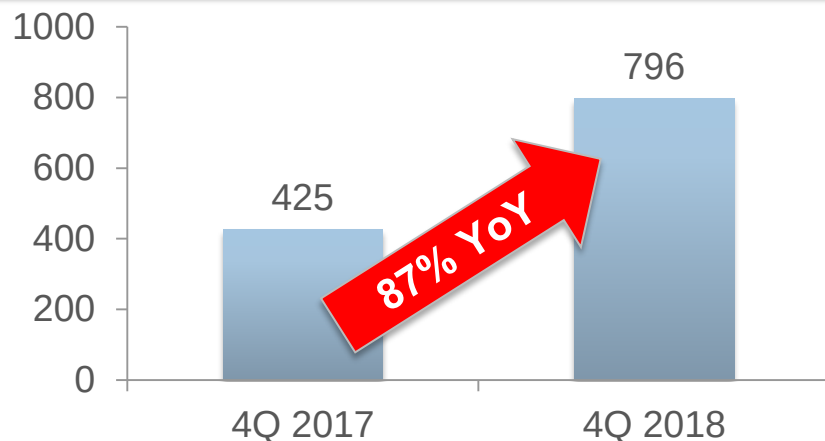
Low Pressure Gathering (MMcf/d)



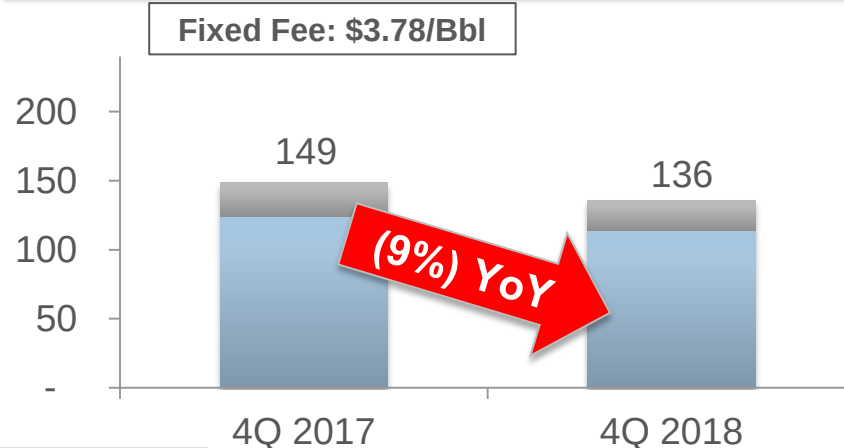
Compression (MMcf/d)



Processing Volumes (MMcf/d)



Fresh Water Delivery (MBbl/d)



Marcellus Utica

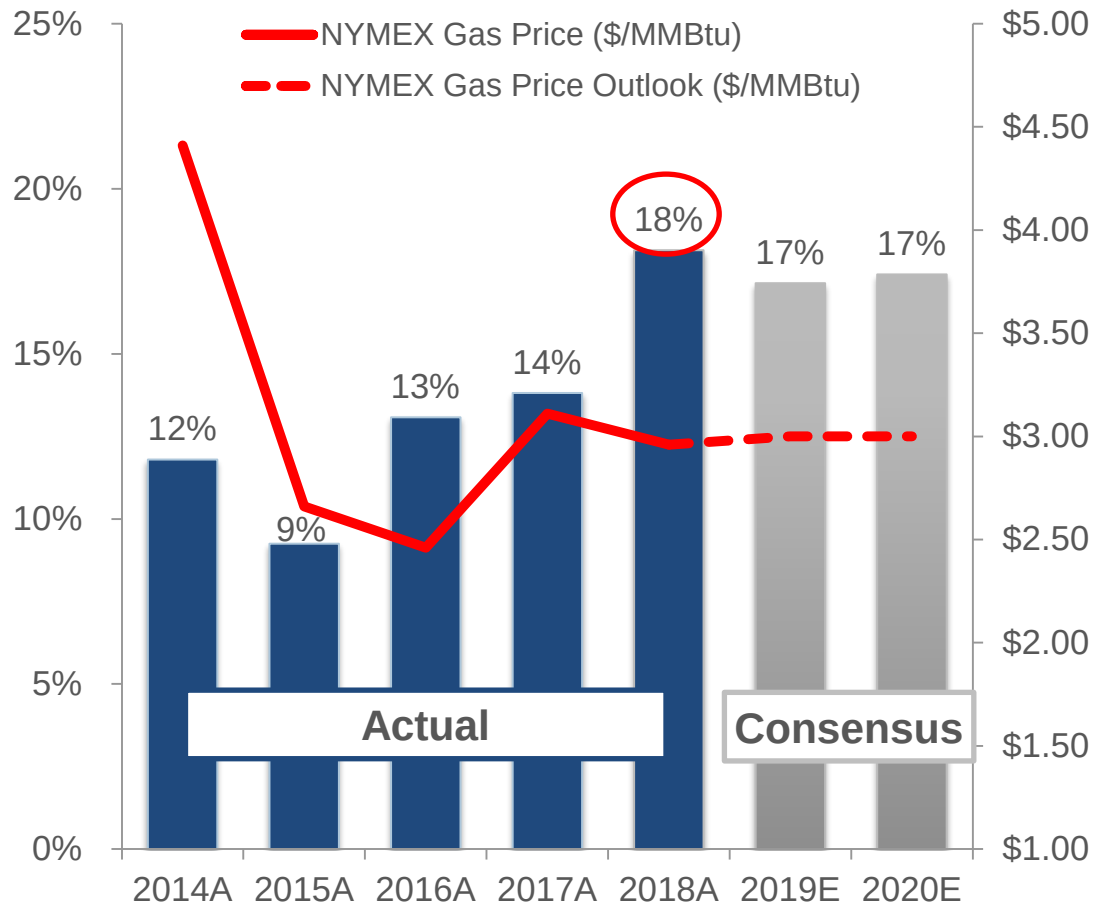
Organic Strategy Drives Attractive Return on Capital

Fixed-fee tolling business combined with “Just-in-Time” capital investment drives attractive returns on capital across commodity environments

Investment Philosophy

- **Non-speculative “Just-in-Time” capital investment philosophy**
 - Infrastructure planning and investment integrated with AR’s development plan
- **Grow organically, not through competitive acquisition market**
- **Keys to attractive economics:**
 - Focus on projects where AR volumes drive growth
 - Provide customized and integrated solution, appropriately sizing infrastructure

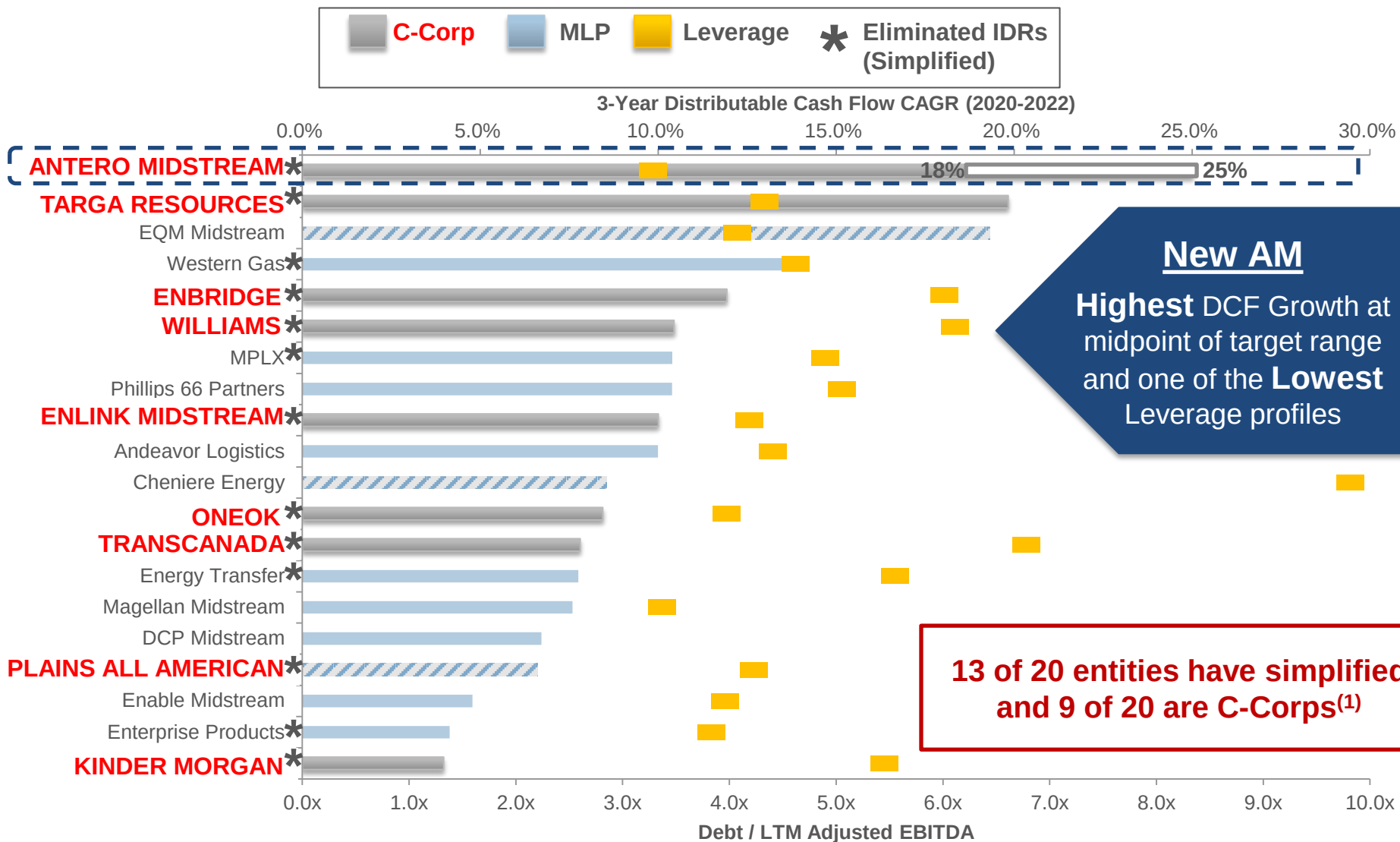
AM Return on Invested Capital (ROIC)



Source: FactSet consensus as of 02/12/19. Return on invested capital is a non-GAAP measure. For additional information regarding this measure, please see “Antero Midstream Non-GAAP Measures” in the Appendix.
Note: NYMEX gas price outlook based on midpoint of Antero Resources pricing assumptions of \$50 - \$65 per barrel WTI oil prices and \$2.85 - \$3.15 per MMBtu NYMEX natural gas prices beginning in 2020.

Highest DCF Growth Among Top 20 Midstream Entities

New AM will be a unique midstream vehicle with scale, low leverage and high distributable cash flow growth all in a C-Corp structure



1) Includes entities with both a publicly traded C-Corp and partnership, designated in striped blue/gray. Based on debt / LTM EBITDA as of 9/30/18 for peers and 12/31/18 for pro forma New AM
Source: FactSet, Top 20 midstream companies by market capitalization as of 2/12/2019. Pro forma for announced combination or simplification transactions that haven't closed including WES/WGP and AM/AMGP.

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APPENDIX



Status Quo

			
As of December 31, 2018 (\$MM)	Antero Midstream	Antero Resources (Standalone)	Antero Resources (Consolidated)
Cash	\$0	\$0	\$0
Debt			
Revolving Credit Facility	\$990	\$405	\$1,395
5.375% Senior Notes Due 2021 - AR		\$1,000	\$1,000
5.125% Senior Notes Due 2022 - AR		\$1,100	\$1,100
5.625% Senior Notes Due 2023 - AR		\$750	\$750
5.375% Senior Notes Due 2024 - AM	\$650		\$650
5.000% Senior Notes Due 2025 - AR		\$600	\$600
Net unamortized premium and debt issuance costs	(\$8)	(\$25)	(\$33)
Total Debt	\$1,632	\$3,830	\$5,462
Net Debt (Total Debt - Cash)	\$1,632	\$3,830	\$5,462
LTM Adjusted EBITDA	\$717	\$1,717	\$1,891
Debt / LTM Adjusted EBITDA	2.3x	2.2x	2.9x
Credit Facility Capacity	\$1,500	\$2,500	
Liquidity	\$510	\$2,095	

Pro Forma

Publicly Announced Pro Forma Adjustments to Net Debt	Antero Midstream	Antero Resources (Standalone)	Antero Resources (Consolidated)
Cash Consideration for Simplification Transaction	\$598	(\$297)	\$301
Total Adjustments to Net Debt: Increase / (Decrease)	\$598	(\$297)	\$301
Pro Forma Net Debt	\$2,230	\$3,533	\$5,763
Pro Forma Debt / LTM Adjusted EBITDA	3.1x	2.1x	3.0x
Credit Facility Capacity	\$2,000	\$2,500	
Liquidity	\$412	\$2,392	



Non-GAAP Financial Measures and Definitions

Antero Midstream views Adjusted EBITDA as an important indicator of the Partnership's performance. Antero Midstream defines Adjusted EBITDA as Net Income before interest expense, depreciation expense, impairment expense, accretion of contingent acquisition consideration, equity-based compensation expense, excluding equity in earnings of unconsolidated affiliates and including cash distributions from unconsolidated affiliates.

Antero Midstream uses Adjusted EBITDA to assess:

- the financial performance of the Partnership's assets, without regard to financing methods in the case of Adjusted EBITDA, capital structure or historical cost basis;
- its operating performance and return on capital as compared to other publicly traded partnerships in the midstream energy sector, without regard to financing or capital structure; and
- the viability of acquisitions and other capital expenditure projects.

The Partnership defines Distributable Cash Flow as Adjusted EBITDA less interest paid, income tax withholding payments and cash reserved for payments of income tax withholding upon vesting of equity-based compensation awards, cash reserved for bond interest and ongoing maintenance capital expenditures paid. Antero Midstream uses Distributable Cash Flow as a performance metric to compare the cash generating performance of the Partnership from period to period and to compare the cash generating performance for specific periods to the cash distributions (if any) that are expected to be paid to unitholders. Distributable Cash Flow does not reflect changes in working capital balances.

The Partnership defines Return on Invested Capital as net income plus interest expense divided by average total liabilities and partners' capital, excluding current liabilities. Management believes that Return on Invested Capital is a useful indicator of the Partnership's return on its infrastructure investments.

The Partnership defines Net Debt as total debt minus cash.



The following table reconciles consolidated total debt to consolidated net debt (“Net Debt”) as used in this presentation (in thousands):

	<u>December 31, 2018</u>
Bank credit facility	\$ 990,000
5.375% AM senior notes due 2024	650,000
Net unamortized debt issuance costs	(7,853)
Consolidated total debt	\$ 1,632,147
Cash and cash equivalents	—
Consolidated net debt	\$ 1,632,147

The following table reconciles net income to Adjusted EBITDA for the twelve months ended December 31, 2018 as used in this presentation (in thousands):

	<u>Twelve Months Ended December 31, 2018</u>
Net income	\$ 585,944
Impairment of property and equipment	5,771
Change in fair value of contingent acquisition consideration	(105,872)
Net income	\$ 485,843
Interest expense	61,906
Depreciation expense	130,013
Accretion of contingent acquisition consideration	12,853
Accretion of asset retirement obligations	135
Equity-based compensation	21,073
Equity in earnings of unconsolidated affiliate	(40,280)
Distributions from unconsolidated affiliates	46,415
Gain on sale of asset – Antero Resources	(583)
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 717,375

Adjusted EBITDA and DCF Reconciliation



Adjusted EBITDA and DCF Reconciliation (\$ in thousands)

	Three months ended		Years ended	
	December 31,		December 31,	
	2017	2018	2017	2018
Net income	\$ 64,155	\$ 248,609	\$ 307,315	\$ 585,944
Impairment of property and equipment	23,431	—	23,431	5,771
Change in fair value of contingent acquisition consideration	—	(105,872)	—	(105,872)
Adjusted Net Income	\$ 87,586	\$ 142,737	\$ 344,872	\$ 485,843
Interest expense, net	10,395	18,993	37,557	61,906
Depreciation	30,958	22,692	119,562	130,013
Accretion of contingent acquisition consideration	3,804	1,012	13,476	12,853
Accretion of asset retirement obligation	—	34	—	135
Equity-based compensation	6,847	4,467	27,283	21,073
Equity in earnings of unconsolidated affiliates	(7,307)	(12,448)	(20,194)	(40,280)
Distributions from unconsolidated affiliates	10,075	16,755	20,195	46,415
Gain on sale of assets – Antero Resources	—	—	—	(583)
Adjusted EBITDA	\$ 142,358	\$ 194,242	\$ 528,625	\$ 717,375
Interest paid	(4,136)	(9,268)	(46,666)	(62,844)
Decrease (increase) in cash reserved for bond interest ⁽¹⁾	(8,734)	(8,734)	291	0
Income tax withholding upon vesting of Antero Midstream Partners LP equity-based compensation awards ⁽²⁾	(514)	(1,029)	(5,945)	(5,529)
Maintenance capital expenditures ⁽³⁾	(12,063)	(7,988)	(55,159)	(52,729)
Distributable Cash Flow	\$ 116,911	\$ 167,223	\$ 421,146	\$ 596,273
Distributions Declared to Antero Midstream Holders				
Limited Partners	68,231	88,045	247,132	320,915
Incentive distribution rights	23,772	43,492	69,720	142,906
Total Aggregate Distributions	\$ 92,003	\$ 131,537	\$ 316,852	\$ 463,821
DCF coverage ratio	1.27x	1.27x	1.33x	1.29x

1) Cash reserved for bond interest expense on Antero Midstream's 5.375% senior notes outstanding during the period that is paid on a semi-annual basis on March 15th and September 15th of each year.

2) Estimate of current period portion of expected cash payment for income tax withholding attributable to vesting of Midstream LTIP equity-based compensation awards to be paid in the fourth quarter.

3) Maintenance capital expenditures represent the portion of our estimated capital expenditures associated with (i) the connection of new wells to our gathering and processing systems that we believe will be necessary to offset the natural production declines Antero Resources will experience on all of its wells over time, and (ii) water delivery to new wells necessary to maintain the average throughput volume on our systems.

Antero Midstream Non-GAAP Reconciliation



The following reconciles net income to Adjusted EBITDA and Distributable Cash Flow:

\$ in Thousands	2014		2014	2015	2016	2017
	G&C Only					
Net income	\$ 16,832	\$ 127,875	159,105	236,703	307,315	
Interest expense, net	4,620	6,183	8,158	21,893	37,557	
Impairment of property and equipment		—	—	—	23,431	
Depreciation	36,789	53,029	86,670	99,861	119,562	
Accretion and change in fair value of contingent acquisition consideration		—	3,333	16,489	13,476	
Accretion of asset retirement obligations		—	—	—	—	
Equity-based compensation	8,619	11,618	22,470	26,049	27,283	
Equity in earnings of unconsolidated affiliates		—	—	-485	-20,194	
Distributions from unconsolidated affiliates		—	—	7,702	20,195	
Gain on sale of assets—Antero Resources		—	—	—	—	
Gain on sale of assets—third-party	\$ —	\$ —	—	-3,859	—	
Adjusted EBITDA	66,860	198,705	279,736	404,353	528,625	
Pre-IPO net income attributed to parent		-98,219	—	—	—	
Pre-IPO depreciation attributed to parent		-43,419	—	—	—	
Pre-IPO equity-based compensation attributed to parent		-8,697	—	—	—	
Pre-IPO interest expense attributed to parent		-5,358	—	—	—	
Pre-Water Acquisition net income attributed to parent		-22,234	-40,193	—	—	
Pre-Water Acquisition depreciation attributed to parent		-3,086	-18,767	—	—	
Pre-Water Acquisition equity-based compensation attributed to parent		-654	-3,445	—	—	
Pre-Water Acquisition interest expense attributed to parent		-359	-2,326	—	—	
Adjusted EBITDA Attributable to the Partnership	\$ 66,860	\$ 16,679	215,005	404,353	528,625	
Interest paid	-2981	-331	-5,149	-13,494	-46,666	
Increase (decrease) in cash reserved (paid) for bond interest	—	—	—	-10,481	291	
Income tax withholding upon vesting of Antero Midstream Partners equity-based compensation awards	—	—	-4,806	-5,636	-5,945	
Maintenance capital expenditures	-10,423	-1,157	-13,097	-21,622	-55,159	
Distributable cash flow	\$ 53,456	\$ 15,191	191,953	353,120	421,146	



Adjusted EBITDA and Distributable Cash Flow are non-GAAP financial measures. The GAAP measure most directly comparable to Adjusted EBITDA and Distributable Cash Flow is Net Income. The non-GAAP financial measures of Adjusted EBITDA and Distributable Cash Flow should not be considered as alternatives to the GAAP measure of Net Income. Adjusted EBITDA and Distributable Cash Flow are not presentations made in accordance with GAAP and have important limitations as an analytical tool because they include some, but not all, items that affect Net Income and Adjusted EBITDA. You should not consider Adjusted EBITDA and Distributable Cash Flow in isolation or as a substitute for analyses of results as reported under GAAP. Antero Midstream's definition of Adjusted EBITDA and Distributable Cash Flow may not be comparable to similarly titled measures of other partnerships.

Antero Midstream has not included a reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA and Distributable Cash Flow to their nearest GAAP financial measure for 2019 through 2022 because it cannot do so without unreasonable effort and any attempt to do so would be inherently imprecise. Antero Midstream is able to forecast the following reconciling items between Adjusted EBITDA and Distributable Cash Flow and net income (in thousands):

	Twelve Months Ending December 31, 2019			
	Low		High	
Depreciation expense	\$	180,000	—	\$ 185,000
Equity based compensation expense		48,000	—	52,000
Equity in earnings of unconsolidated affiliates		68,000	—	73,000
Distributions from unconsolidated affiliates		87,000		92,000

The Partnership cannot forecast interest expense due to the timing and uncertainty of debt issuances and associated interest rates. Additionally, Antero Midstream cannot reasonably forecast impairment expense as the impairment is driven by a number of factors that will be determined in the future and are beyond Antero Midstream's control currently.