# CHURCHILL DOWNS

**Environment, Social & Governance Presentation** 

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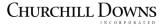
# Forward-Looking Statements

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- the occurrence of extraordinary events, such as terrorist attacks, public health threats, civil unrest, and inclement weather, including as a result of climate change;
- · the effect of economic conditions on our consumers' confidence and discretionary spending or our access to credit, including the impact of inflation;
- · additional or increased taxes and fees; the impact of
- the impact of any pandemics, epidemics, or outbreaks of infectious diseases, including possible new variants of COVID-19, and related economic matters on our results of operations, financial conditions and prospects;
- lack of confidence in the integrity of our core businesses or any deterioration in our reputation;
- loss of key or highly skilled personnel, as well as general disruptions in the general labor market;
- the impact of significant competition, and the expectation that competition levels will increase;
- · changes in consumer preferences, attendance, wagering, and sponsorships;
- · risks associated with equity investments, strategic alliances and other third-party agreements;
- inability to respond to rapid technological changes in a timely manner;
- concentration and evolution of slot machine and historical racing machine (HRM) manufacturing and other technology conditions that could impose additional costs;
- failure to enter into or maintain agreements with industry constituents, including horsemen and other racetracks; inability to successfully focus on market access and retail operations for our TwinSpires sports betting business and effectively compete;
- online security risk, including cyber-security breaches, or loss or misuse of our stored information as a result of a breach including customers' personal information could lead to government enforcement actions or other litigation;
- reliance on our technology services and catastrophic events and system failures disrupting our operations;
- inability to identify, complete, or fully realize the benefits of, our proposed acquisitions, divestitures, development of new venues or the expansion of existing facilities on time, on budget, or as planned;
- · difficulty in integrating recent or future acquisitions into our operations;
- · cost overruns and other uncertainties associated with the development of new venues and the expansion of existing facilities;
- · general risks related to real estate ownership and significant expenditures, including risks related to environmental liabilities;
- personal injury litigation related to injuries occurring at our racetracks;
- · compliance with the Foreign Corrupt Practices Act or other similar laws and regulations, or applicable anti-money laundering regulations;
- · payment-related risks, such as risk associated with fraudulent credit card or debit card use;
- work stoppages and labor problems;
- risks related to pending or future legal proceedings and other actions;
- highly regulated operations and changes in the regulatory environment could adversely affect our business;
- · restrictions in our debt facilities limiting our flexibility to operate our business;
- failure to comply with the financial ratios and other covenants in our debt facilities and other indebtedness;
- increases to interest rates (due to inflation or otherwise);
- · disruption in the credit markets or changes to our credit ratings may adversely affect our business;
- increase in our insurance costs, or any inability to obtain similar insurance coverage in the future, and inability to recover under our insurance policies for damages sustained at our properties in the event of inclement weather and casualty events; and

other factors described under the heading "Risk Factors" in our most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K and in other filings we make with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

We do not undertake any obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as required by law



# ESG

# CDI Approach to Environment, Social and Governance ("ESG")

# ESG Committee established to lead ESG initiatives

- Cross-functional team led by CFO
- CDI's Nominating & Governance Committee provides oversight to the Committee and CDI leadership regarding CDI's ESG strategy
- Oversight of CDI's responsible gaming, compliance, environmental, health and safety, sustainability, corporate social responsibility, corporate governance, and other efforts regarding public policy matters and commitments

## **Responsible Gaming**

- CDI only operates in regulated gaming markets
- CDI promotes responsible gaming at all of our properties and online, for all of our products and services
- CDI's leadership team and CDI's Audit Committee of the Board of Directors provide oversight

### Environment

- CDI is committed to environmental responsibility in the communities in which we operate
- CDI initiatives at properties to lessen energy and water usage, to decrease carbon emissions, and to responsibly manage waste are ongoing

# Social

- CDI is investing in the communities in which we operate
- CDI supports its team members by assisting with funding of continuing education and pursuit of professional licenses and designations, various leadership programs, and programs to help those in need

### Governance

- We strive to attract a Board with diversity of race and gender, as well as general diversity of background and experiences including financial, industry, and risk experience
- Each member of the Board brings unique skills and experiences to the team and plays a vital role in the direction of CDI

# **CDI Approach to Responsible Gaming**

CDI is committed to promoting responsible gaming at all of our properties and online, for all of our products and services

# **Team Members**

#### We provide the knowledge and skills regarding:

- Importance of responsible gaming
- CDI policies related to responsible gaming
- CDI policies regarding advertising and direct marketing
- How to actively recognize and respond to requests for information and to incidents

### **Customers and Guests**

#### We provide information regarding:

- Self-restriction and self-exclusion programs to not receive direct marketing and to be denied access to any CDI property
- Education on how the games work, tips on how to play responsibly, and to provide referrals and support for problem gambling treatment

# Monitoring

# CDI's Audit Committee oversees compliance with responsible gaming regulations:

- Quarterly self reporting of property incidents by CDI Leadership Team
- Periodic internal audits reported to CDI's Audit Committee and state gaming regulators

#### Periodic state gaming regulator audits

#### Notes:

I. Please visit the ESG section of our Investor Relations webpage to view our Responsible Gaming and Advertising Policy.

# CDI Approach to Equine and Jockey Health and Safety

# CDI is committed to protecting and furthering equine and jockey health and safety at all of our racetracks

#### Horseracing Integrity and Safety Act (HISA)

- Independent body responsible for implementing national standards for medication usage and racetrack safety
- The Anti-Doping and Medication Control (ADMC) Program was implemented in May 2023 and the Racetrack Safety Program was implemented in July 2022
  - The ADMC creates a national set of rules and standards for the treatment of horses
  - This was a welcome change from the prior model where states had their own independent medication programs
  - HISA contracted veterinarians perform pre-race veterinary examinations of each horse competing prior to each and every race

#### Equine Safety and Welfare

- "Safety from Start to Finish" Program
- All horses competing undergo veterinary reviews before each race or timed high-speed workout
- Equine medical center and on-site equine PET scan at CDRT to help detect and prevent injuries
- CDI is investing in new technologies to monitor and assess equine athletes (e.g., StrideSAFE)

#### **Racing Integrity**

- Barn security and contact logs
- Escorts and horse identification prior to races
- Increased out-of-competition testing
- HISA has hired a 23-year FBI veteran as their Director of Intelligence and Strategy with an extensive team that will use intelligence gathering, data analysis, and investigations to further strengthen the integrity of the industry

#### Jockey Health and Safety

 CDI tracks have numerous emergency medical technicians onsite during racing and training to provide care to jockeys







# **CDI** Approach to the Environment

# We have ongoing initiatives at our properties:

- To lessen energy and water usage
- To decrease our carbon emissions
- To responsibly manage waste

#### Examples of these initiatives include:



- We are committed to installing LED lighting in all of our newly constructed properties and converting to LED lighting at our existing properties
- Our properties are implementing a wide range of recycling initiatives
- Our teams have enhanced the efficiency of our heating and cooling systems, including nightly setbacks, high efficiency compressors on HVAC equipment, and demand controlled ventilation at our properties
- We installed large pipes at Churchill Downs Racetrack to act as storage basins during heavy rainfalls, reducing an estimated 12 million gallons of wastewater overflows into the neighboring communities
- Eight of our properties have worked with Restaurant Technologies to utilize cooking oil recycling, reducing used cooking oil by 90,624 pounds annually

# We are committed to reducing our impact on the environment in the communities in which we operate.



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# **CDI Approach to Social**

# CDI is investing in the communities in which we operate

- CDI contributes over \$5.0 million annually via grants and in-kind donations to over 750 organizations
- Each year, CDI donates tickets and experiences to nonprofit fundraising auctions, resulting in > \$2.5 million raised to benefit various charitable causes
- Our team members demonstrate their commitment to our communities through toy and food drives, neighborhood beautification projects, mentorship projects, and assisting nonprofits with a variety of volunteer initiatives like our Repair Affair Project with New Directions
- Our Kentucky Oaks charitable initiative fundraises for women's health advocacy, primarily focused on breast and ovarian cancer
  - More than \$1.5 million raised for women's health advocacy since its inception
  - Partnerships with Norton Cancer Institute and Horse & Hopes help to provide preventative access to underserved women, including those that work in the equine industry
  - Attendees are encouraged to incorporate pink or teal into their outfit and 150 breast and ovarian cancer fighters and survivors march in the Survivors Parade

# CDI supports its team members by assisting with funding of continuing education and pursuit of professional licenses and designations, various leadership programs, and programs to help those in need

- Our Business & Technology Rotational Program is a 2-year development track that provides a unique professional development and mentorship opportunity for young professionals to work with seniorlevel leaders
- CDI supports and encourages its team members to continue their academic growth by offering tuition reimbursement following one year of service
- The Helping Others Receive Support in Emergencies (HORSE) Program is a nonprofit charitable organization established by CDI to provide confidential emergency financial assistance to team members and their families in situations caused by unforeseeable and uncontrolled hardships

#### Notes:

I. Please visit the ESG section of our Investor Relations webpage to view our Code of Conduct and Anti-Human Trafficking Policy.







# **CDI Approach to Governance**

# Strong Board of Directors – nine highly qualified members that play a vital role in the direction of CDI

• 8 of 9 directors are independent

- Fully independent Audit and Compensation committees
- 3 of 8 independent directors are a woman or diverse Board includes financial, industry and risk management experts

#### Oversight by Board of Directors regarding critical governance responsibilities

- Risk Management
- Responsible Gaming
- ing Cybersecurity

Sustainability

Code of Conduct

#### Single-class capital structure protects investor rights

Mandatory Board of Director retirement age of 72

#### Significant shareholder engagement throughout the year

#### Policies and practices in place to protect the integrity of our business

- Anti-money laundering policy
- Anti-corruption policy

#### Notes:

I. Please visit the Governance section of our Investor Relations webpage to view our Charters and Governance Documents.

Mandatory ethics and cybersecurity training for all full-time employees

