

# July 2025 Corporate Presentation

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## Focused on Shareholder Return Driven By Oil Weighted Growth



Generational Opportunity	<ul> <li>Acquired high quality, sustainable oil-weighted assets with significant inventory at attractive purchase multiples (2.2x EV/12-month Period Ending June 30, 2024 Field NOI, 0.8x PDP, 0.5x 1P)<sup>(1,2,4,6)</sup></li> <li>Spending ~70% of 2025 Adjusted EBITDA to grow production &gt;10% while deleveraging to ~1.25x through 2025<sup>(1,4,5)</sup> on annualized Adjusted EBITDA         <ul> <li>Significant credit support with traditional low-cost \$140 million RBC/ATB led Reserve Based Lending</li> <li>PDP NPV10 NAV/share growth of 35% (after deducting debt) to \$10.86/share over last 12 months</li> <li>Strong capital efficiencies to date of ~\$20,000/boe/d resulting in outperformance of type curves with funds flow from operations and Adjusted EBITDA up &gt; 100% since completing acquisition in Aug 2023</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Attractive Shareholder Economics	<ul> <li>Company expected to generate approximately 10-15% free cash flow yields<sup>(1,3,4)</sup>.</li> <li>Ability to redeploy free cash flow with meaningful inventory at ~100% IRRs<sup>(3,4)</sup></li> <li>Expect to evaluate return of capital to shareholders in 12–18 months</li> <li>Strong reserves growth since Acquisitions with PDP NAV and 1P NAV at \$10.86/share and \$27.51/share, respectively, with corresponding strong reserve life indexes of 9.1 years on PDP and 14.1 years on 1P, respectively<sup>(6,7)</sup></li> </ul>
Highwood Team	<ul> <li>Experienced management team with track record of successful transactions</li> <li>Deep technical expertise, including multi-lateral development</li> <li>High degree of alignment with management owning ~37% of Highwood's common shares and total insider ownership in excess of 50%</li> </ul>
Highwood Plan	<ul> <li>Expected to continue to acquire high quality oil assets and execute on organic development to grow beyond 10,000 – 20,000 boe/d in the medium term</li> </ul>

Highwood has assembled a portfolio of high-quality assets to lay the foundation to create shareholder value

## **Solid Execution Since Acquiring Assets**







## **Highwood Asset Management**



### **Market Summary**

Ticker Symbol	TSXV: HAM
Shares Outstanding (Basic)	15.2 million
Insider Ownership	~37%

### Estimates<sup>(1)</sup>

		2025 Guidance
Production	(Mboe/d)	5.7 - 6.0
Liquids	(%)	~70%
CAPEX	(\$MM)	\$60 - \$65
2025 Q1 Production	(Mboe/d)	5,264
2025 Q2 Production	(Mboe/d)	~5,600-5,750

	Volume	RLI <sup>(3)</sup>	Ν	NPV10	
Oil Weighted Reserves <sup>(2)</sup>	MMboe	Years	5	\$MM	
PDP Reserves	18.2 9.1		5	\$262	
1P Reserves	36.9	14.1	5	\$515	
2P Reserves	61.2	21.0	9	5819	
		Booked	Unbooked	Total	
Inventory (Net) <sup>(4)</sup>	Locations	111	91	202	

### Asset Portfolio



## Key Investment Highlights<sup>(1)</sup>





- Production growth from Q4 2023 of 4,035 boe/d to Q4 2024 production of 5,966 boe/d
- Self-funded growth plan on strip pricing while deleveraging Net Debt/EBITDA ~1.25x through 2025 on annualized Adjusted EBITDA<sup>(2)</sup>

### High netback oil-weighted assets with low capital efficiency

- Ability to hold production flat for >10 years of high confidence drilling inventory
- ~200 net inventory locations provide significant running room for development of assets<sup>(3)</sup>

#### Prudent use of leverage has material impact to driving outsized equity returns

- Acquired assets near all-time low cash flow multiples supported by traditional Canadian credit facility
- PDP NAV/share growth of 35% (after deducting debt) over last 12 months to \$10.86/share

#### Downside protected with low WTI free cash flow breakeven and commodity hedges

- 2025E WTI corporate FCF breakeven of ~US\$45/bbl including interest and growth capital<sup>(5)</sup>
- Average hedge prices of  $\sim$ C\$95 WTI and > \$3/GJ AECO<sup>(4)</sup>

#### Committed management team with track record of creating value for shareholders

- Management ownership ~37%
- Deep technical expertise, including multi-lateral development, with ~75 years of combined experience

#### At December 31, 2024, ~\$300 million of tax pools (~\$100 million immediately deductible)<sup>(6)</sup>

- Tax horizon of approximately 3 years at US\$75/bbl WTI<sup>(6)</sup>
- Ability to increase pools with follow-on tuck in acquisitions

## 2024 Reserve Highlights<sup>(1)</sup>



- Significant intrinsic value recognized in Year-End 2024 Reserves
- Realized before-tax net present value of booked reserves as follows:

	December 31, 2024		Change YoY		Change YoY (%)		Net Asset Value		
	Volumes	B. T. NPV10	RLI <sup>(2)</sup>	Volumes	B. T. NPV10	Volumes	B. T. NPV10	Basic O/S	Fully Diluted
GLJ Year-End 2024	Mboe	\$ millions	Years	Mboe	\$ millions	%	%	\$/share	\$/share
Proved Developed Producing	18,243	\$262	9.1	2,245	\$44	14%	20%	\$10.86	\$10.07
Total Proved	36,920	\$514	14.1	5,065	\$52	16%	11%	\$27.51	\$23.42
Proved Plus Probable	61,200	\$819	21.0	8,487	\$74	16%	10%	\$47.61	\$39.54
Strong Recycle Ratio	S								

- **PDP reserves:** converted reserves in 2024 at FD&A of \$17.75 with associated recycle ratio of 2.2 based on Q4 2024 netback
- **1P reserves:** FD&A of \$18.78/boe with associated recycle ratio of 2.2
- **2P reserves:** FD&A of \$14.48/boe with associated recycle ratio of 2.9



### Highlights

- Production forecast supported by high confidence booked and unbooked drilling locations to support future development
  - 2025E production of ~5.7-6.0 Mboe/d production (70% liquids)
- Reduce leverage profile while growing production and value
- Prudent use of leverage to acquire high quality assets
  - Balance sheet de-levers through free cash flow generation and production growth

### Net Debt / EBITDA Forecast<sup>(1,2,3)</sup>



## **Belly River Key Assets**



			Wilson Creek	Brazeau
Production	Production	boe/d	2,000	3,000
Troduction	Liquids	%	74%	68%
	Field Cash Flow	\$/boe	\$32	\$30
Financial <sup>(1,2)</sup>	Asset Free Cash Flow	\$MM	\$30	\$35
	PDP	MMboe	3.6	13.7
Reserves <sup>(3)</sup>	1P	MMboe	7.0	26.3
	2P	MMboe	11.3	38.0
Inventory <sup>(5)</sup>	Booked (net)	#	19	72
Inventory	Unbooked (net)	#	4	60



Analogue assets allow application of

Analogue assets allow application of successful drilling and completion techniques broadly though the key assets.



Brazeau MLOH wells 2023/2024 Wilson Creek Horizontals/Brazeau \*

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## Mannville Stack – Multilateral Openhole Play at Bonnyville



- The company planning to drill its first well into the Mannville stack in Q3 2025
- Shallow sands located exploited with openhole drilling requiring no stimulation and minimal water use during operations
- The first well will validate internal inventory identified on >10,000 acres currently held in the play





 Stacked pay within the Mannville section with significant offsetting area activity within multiple zones of the Mannville stack

## **Economics**



### Illustrative Well Economics (Flat US\$65 WTI, US\$13 WCS Diff, \$2.50 AECO)<sup>(1,4)</sup>

		At \$65 WTI flat, \$13 WCS, \$3.25 MSW, \$2.50 AECO			
		Wilson Creek – Frac (3000m)	Brazeau – Frac (3000m)	Bonnyville	
Taret Formation		Basal Belly River	Belly River	Mannville	
DCET	\$MM	5.00	5.25	2.10	
IP30	boe/d	387	390	120	
EUR	Mboe	292	285	120	
BT IRR <sup>(3)</sup>	%	129	97	79	
BT Payback Period	months	11	12	15	
NPV10	\$MM	5.6	5.1	2.2	
Capital Efficiency (1 year)	\$/boe/d	20,000	18,885	24,137	
F&D	\$/boe	16.37	18.68	17.50	
12 Month Average Netback	\$/boe	57.83	60.55	56.79	
Recycle Ratio	x	2.94x	2.55x	2.93x	
Booked Locations	#	17	67	5	
Unbooked Locations	#	8	40	~25	

- Target Basal Belly formations at 1,250-1,750 meters in depth
- Target Mannville formations at 350-400 meters in depth
- Liquids content drive top decile netbacks
- Balanced approach to development and inventory unlocking projects
- Cycle times of ~45 days allows fast paybacks



### Highlights

- Illustrative liabilities and tax pools benchmark attractive relative to peers
  - Peer estimates assume consensus estimates
- Undiscounted ARO / 2024E Cash Flow of 0.7x vs. peer average of 1.9x<sup>(1,2,5)</sup>



### Tax Pools / 2024E Cash Flow<sup>(1,3)</sup>

- Tax pools with potential to shelter near-term cash flow generation and accelerate growth
  - ~\$100 million of immediately deductible tax pools<sup>(4)</sup>





### Management and Board of Directors

Management	Position
Joel MacLeod, CA	Executive Chairman
Greg Macdonald, P.Eng.	President & CEO, Director
Chris Allchorne, CA	CFO
Kelly McDonald, P.Geol.	VP, Exploration

### **Corporate Partnerships**

Reserve Engineers	GLJ Petroleum Consultants Ltd.	
Auditors	RSM Canada LLP	
Counsel	DLA Piper (Canada) LLP	

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Ryan Mooney, P.Eng., CFA	Director		

## Notes



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- 1. All disclosure assumes that each of the Acquisitions were completed effective July 1, 2023 rather than on the actual closing date of the Acquisitions (August 3, 2023). See "Forward-Looking Statements" disclaimer.
- 2. 12-month Period Ending June 30, 2024 Field NOI; Price Deck for management estimates: WTI: US\$70.00/bbl; WCS Diff: US\$14.00/bbl; MSW Diff: US\$3.50/bbl; AECO: C\$2.75/GJ; 0.74 CAD/USD. Based on HAM management projections and not IQRE forecasts.
- 3. Free Cash Flow Yield 2024E; Price Deck for management estimates: Actuals and through Q2'25; Thereafter: WTI: US\$65.00/bbl; WCS Diff: US\$13.00/bbl; MSW Diff: US\$3.25/bbl; AECO: C\$2.50/GJ; 0.73 CAD/USD. Based on HAM management projections and not IQRE forecasts.
- 4. See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures" disclaimer.
- 5. Leverage calculated as net debt divided by 2025 Exit EBITDA. See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures" disclaimer.
- 6. All reserve figures based on the Acquisition Reserves Report (as defined in "Oil and Gas Measures and Metrics" disclaimer); See "Oil and Gas Measures and Metrics" disclaimer);
- Based on a report prepared by GLJ Ltd, Effective December 31, 2024 and dated March 7, 2025 evaluating the light and medium crude oil, heavy oil, tight oil, conventional natural gas, coal bed methane, shale gas, and 7. natural gas liquids reserves attributable to Highwood's properties at December 31, 2024 ("2024 Report"). The Company engaged GLJ to provide an independent evaluation of proved and proved plus probable reserves.

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- See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures" disclaimer 1.
- 2. All reserve figures based on the 2024 Reports (as defined in "Oil and Gas Measures and Metrics" disclaimer); See "Oil and Gas Measures and Metrics" disclaimer.
- 3. RLI calculated as the amount of relevant reserves category divided by total estimated production during the 12-month period ending December 31, 2025; See "Oil and Gas Measures and Metrics Disclaimer".
- 4. Includes booked and unbooked locations; booked locations based on the 2024 Report, unbooked locations estimated by Highwood management. See "Oil and Gas Measures and Metrics" disclaimer.

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- Price Deck for management estimates: Actuals and through Q2'25; Thereafter: WTI: US\$65.00/bbl; WCS Diff: US\$13.00/bbl; MSW Diff: US\$3.25/bbl; AECO: C\$2.50/GJ; 0.73 CAD/USD 1.
- 2. Leverage calculated as Net Debt / estimate December 31, 2025 Adjusted EBITDA. See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures" disclaimer.
- 3. Includes 111 booked and 91 unbooked locations; booked locations based on the 2024 Report, unbooked locations estimated by Highwood management. See "Oil and Gas Measures and Metrics" disclaimer.
- 4. Illustrative hedges for total of ~70-75% of net after royalty PDP production. See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures" disclaimer.
- 5. Cash flow figures include illustrative hedges for total of 65% of net after royalty PDP production.
- 6. Tax pools as at December 31, 2024; immediately deductible pools include Net Operating Losses and Canadian Exploration Expenses.

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- All reserve figures based on the 2024 Report (as defined in "Oil and Gas Measures and Metrics" disclaimer); See "Oil and Gas Measures and Metrics" disclaimer. 1.
- RLI calculated as the amount of relevant reserves category divided by total estimated production during the 12-month period ending December 31, 2025; See "Oil and Gas Measures and Metrics Disclaimer". 2.

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- 2. Cash flow figures include illustrative hedges for total of ~70-75% of net after royalty PDP production. See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures" disclaimer.
- 3. See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures" disclaimer.

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- Price Deck for management estimates: Actuals and through Q2'25; Thereafter: WTI: US\$65.00/bbl; WCS Diff: US\$13.00/bbl; MSW Diff: US\$3.25/bbl; AECO: C\$2.50/GJ; 0.73 CAD/USD 1.
- 2. See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures" disclaimer.
- 3. All reserve figures as per the 2024 Report effective December 31, 2024; See "Oil and Gas Measures and Metrics" disclaimer.
- 2025E sustaining breakeven assuming production held flat at ~2,500 boe/d and DCET capital costs of ~\$4 million. 4.
- 5 Booked locations as per the 2024 Report effective December 31, 2024, unbooked locations estimated by management; See "Oil and Gas Measures and Metrics" disclaimer.

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- 1. Price Deck for management estimates: Actuals and through Q2'25; Thereafter: WTI: US\$65.00/bbl; WCS Diff: US\$13.00/bbl; MSW Diff: US\$3.25/bbl; AECO: C\$2.50/GJ; 0.73 CAD/USD
- 2. See "Oil and Gas Measures and Metrics" disclaimer.
- 3. Type curve estimated are based on the 2024 Report, using the above pricing. The difference in EUR and NPV10 for each type curve using the pricing above compared to the pricing used in the 2024 report is summarized below. See "Oil and Gas Measures and Metrics" disclaimer.
  - 1. Wilson Creek Frac (3000m) EUR and NPV10 per the 2024 report are 292Mboe and \$7.2MM, respectively
  - 2. Brazeau Frac (3000m) EUR and NPV10 per the 2024 report are 248Mboe and \$5.1MM, respectively
  - 3. Bonnyvile- Frac (3000m) EUR and NPV10 per the 2024 report are 120Mboe and \$2.6MM, respectively
- 4. Based on actual production data
- 5. Booked locations as per the 2024 Report effective December 31, 2024, unbooked locations estimated by management; See "Oil and Gas Measures and Metrics" disclaimer.

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- 1. Peer cash flow estimates as per FactSet Consensus as at May 7, 2023; HAM management estimates on the following price deck: WTI: US\$65.00/bbl; WCS Diff: US\$13.00/bbl; MSW Diff: US\$3.25/bbl; AECO: C\$2.50/GJ; 0.73 CAD/USD
- 2. ARO as per XI Assetbook and corporate disclosures.
- 3. Tax pools as at December 31, 2024; immediately deductible pools include Net Operating Losses and Canadian Exploration Expenses.
- 4. Undiscounted ARO = working interest abandonment and reclamation expenses; See "Non-GAAP Financial Measures" disclaimer.

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This presentation contains oil and gas metrics commonly used in the oil and gas industry, including "RLI", "IP30", "DCET", "EUR", "BT IRR ", "NPV10", "F&D", "netback" and "recycle ratio". These oil and gas metrics do not have any standardized meaning and therefore they should not be used to make comparisons and readers should not place undue reliance on such metrics. Further, these metrics have not been independently evaluated, audited or reviewed and are based on historical data, extrapolations therefrom and management's professional judgement, which involves a high degree of subjectivity. For these reasons, actual metrics attributable to any particular group of properties may differ from our estimates herein and the differences could be significant.

"RLI" means reserves life index and is calculated based on the amount for the relevant reserves category divided by total estimated production during the 12-month period ending December 31, 2025.

""IP 30" means 30 day average initial production rate.

"DCET" means drilling, completion, equipment and tie-in.

"EUR" means estimated ultimate recovery, being those quantities of petroleum that are estimated, on a given date, to be potentially recoverable from an accumulation, plus those quantities already produced.

"BT IRR" means before tax internal rate of recovery.

"NPV10" represents the anticipated net present value of the future net revenue discounted at a rate of 10% associated with the reserves associated with the acquired assets.

"F&D" means estimated finding and development costs on a boe basis. F&D costs presented in this Presentation are calculated as follows: (Total Capex per well / recoverable resource per well).

"12 Month Average Netback" is used to evaluate potential operating performance of the acquired assets. Netback is calculated as follows: (Revenue - Royalties - Operating Expenses).

"Recycle Ratio" is used as a measure of operating performance and profitability. Recycle Ratio is calculated as follows: (12 Month Average Netback / F&D).

"IQRE" means Independent Qualified Reserves Evaluator.

"Proved Developed Producing" or "PDP" reserves are those reserves that are expected to be recovered from completion intervals open at the time of the estimate. These reserves may be currently producing or, if shut in, they must have previously been on production, and the date of resumption of production must be known with reasonable certainty.

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The net present value of future net revenues attributable to reserves and resources included in this Presentation do not represent the fair market value of such reserves and resources. There is no assurance that the forecast prices and costs assumptions will be attained, and variances could be material. The recovery and reserve estimates of reserves and resources provided in this Presentation are estimates only and there is no guarantee that the estimated reserves or resources will be recovered. Actual reserves and resources may be greater or less than the estimates provided in this Presentation. The estimates of reserves and future net revenue for individual properties in this Presentation may not reflect the same confidence level as estimates of reserves and future net revenue for all properties, due to the effects of aggregation. This Presentation discloses potential future drilling locations are proposed drilling locations identified in the Reports that have proved and/or probable reserves, as applicable, attributed to them in the Reports. Unbooked locations do not have proved or probable reserves information. Unbooked locations do not have proved or probable reserves attributed to them in the Reports. Highwood's ability to drill and develop these locations and the drilling locations on which Highwood actually drills wells depends on a number of known and unknown risks and uncertainties. As a result of these risks and uncertainties, there can be no assurance that the potential future drilling locations identified in this Presentation will ever be drilled or if Highwood will be able to produce crude oil, natural gas and natural gas liquids from these or any other potential drilling locations.

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Below is a description of each specified financial measure disclosed in this Presentation, including the composition of each specified financial measure and an explanation of how each specified financial measure provides useful information to investors and the additional purposes, if any, for which management uses each specified financial measure.

"Adjusted EBITDA" is calculated as revenue less hedging losses / (gains), plus royalty revenues, less royalties, transportation expenses and operating expenses and administrative expenses.

"Capital Expenditures" or "Capex" is comprised of property, plant and equipment expenditures and exploration and evaluation asset expenditures and excludes any corporate or property acquisitions, respectively. Highwood uses capital expenditures to monitor its capital investments relative to those budgeted by the Company on an annual basis. Highwood's capital budget excludes acquisition and disposition activities as well as the accounting impact of any accrual changes or payments under certain lease arrangements. The most directly comparable GAAP measure for capital expenditures is cash flow used in investing activities. Capital Expenditures is calculated as Cash flow from (used in) investment activities, adding back changes in non-cash working capital, property acquisitions expenditures or property disposition proceeds.

"Cash Flow" is calculated as EBITDA less interest expenses, office lease expenses and cash taxes. Cash Flow is not adjusted for changes in working capital.

"Corporate Free Cash Flow breakeven" is calculated as the WTI price in US dollars in which Free Cash Flow is approximately zero under the currently contemplated development plan and interest. Other prices are held constant at WCS differential: US\$13.00/bbl; MSW differential: US\$3.75/bbl; AECO: C\$2.00/GJ; 0.74 CAD/USD.

"2025 Exit EBITDA" is calculated as Adjusted EBITDA for the month of December 2025 annualized. The Company believes that 2025 Exit EBITDA is useful information to investors and shareholders in understanding the EBITDA generated in the final month of 2025 which is indicative of future EBITDA.

"Field Cash Flow" is calculated as Field NOI divided by production.

"Field Net Operating Income" or "Field NOI" is calculated as product revenue plus other asset revenues less royalties, transportation expenses and operating expenses.

"Free Cash Flow" or "FCF" is calculated as EBITDA less interest expenses, office lease expenses, cash taxes, and capital expenditures.

"Free Cash Flow Yield" is calculated as Free Cash Flow divided by the equity of Highwood or its peers.

"Net Debt" is calculated as Highwood's anticipated total debt under its credit facilities plus outstanding deferred acquisition payments plus/less any working capital deficit/surplus.

"Net Debt / 2025E Cash Flow" is calculated by taking the net debt of each company and dividing by the 2025E cash flow.

"Net Debt / 2025 Exit EBITDA" is calculated as net debt at the end of the fiscal period of 2025 divided by the 2025 Exit Adjusted EBITDA. The Company believes that Net Debt / 2025 Exit Adjusted EBITDA is useful information to investors and shareholders in understanding the time frame, in years, it would take to eliminate Net Debt based on 2024 Exit Adjusted EBITDA.

"Price / Cash Flow" is calculated as the market capitalization divided by cash flow.

"Sustaining Breakeven" is calculated as the WTI price in US dollars in which Free Cash Flow is approximately zero while holding production flat. Other prices are held constant at WCS differential: US\$14.00/bbl; MSW differential: US\$3.50/bbl; AECO: C\$2.75/GJ; 0.74 CAD/USD.

"Tax Pools / Cash Flow" is calculated by taking the sum of the applicable company tax pools (COGPE, NOL, CEE, CDE, SR&ED and UCC) and dividing by cash flow.

"Undiscounted ARO / Cash Flow" is calculated by taking the sum of undiscounted ARO and dividing by cash flow.