

Prairie Operating Acquisition of Producing E&P Assets

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Acquisition of Producing E&P Assets Accelerates Prairie's Vision



Fully Engineered Proven Reserves

- > \$250mm in PV10 value
- > 22,000 Mboe



~45,000 Acres in Weld County, CO in the DJ Basin

- De-risked location offset by high quality operators such as Chevron, Civitas, EOG, and Occidental
- Rural operating area outside of population density with no federal leases



Inventory of Drill Ready Permitted PUDs

- Deep inventory with attractive returns supports long-term development plans
- Fast recycle rate coupled with highly productive wells leads to high growth



Generates Significant Cashflow

- Platform for substantial multi-year growth
- Strong project returns with >75% IRRs ⁽¹⁾
- ~\$30 bbl Break-evens with ~1 year payback ⁽¹⁾

ACQUISITION OVERVIEW



Transaction Summary ⁽¹⁾

Immediate Accretion in Value

- Prairie Operating Co. has signed asset purchase agreement (APA) to acquire assets of Nickel Road Operating ("NRO") for \$94.5mm
 - Effective date of February 1, 2024, with expected closing in first half of 2024;
 - The transaction is expected to be funded through a combination of cash (\$83mm at closing) and deferred cash payments (\$11.5mm)
- The highly accretive asset purchase is expected to be funded through a combination of public and / or private issuance of common stock, cash on hand, and proceeds from existing warrant exercises
- Attractive Valuation⁽²⁾⁽³⁾: Purchase price represents an implied multiple of ~2.3x projected NTM cash flow from operations and a PV15 value of PDP
- Ideal Location in Liquids Rich Window: Inventory of 62 ready-to-drill permitted PUDs located in the Wattenberg field targeting 4 commercially proven zones
- Free Cash Flow to Support Future CAPEX: Expected to generate significant cashflow to compound organic growth goal as a "debt-free" company
- Hedging Strategy: Implement strong hedging strategy of expected PDP volumes upon closing

2) SEC pricing as of 12/31/2023

3) Implied multiple based on total consideration of \$94.5mm

¹⁾ Transaction subject to customary purchase price adjustments and satisfaction of customary closing conditions

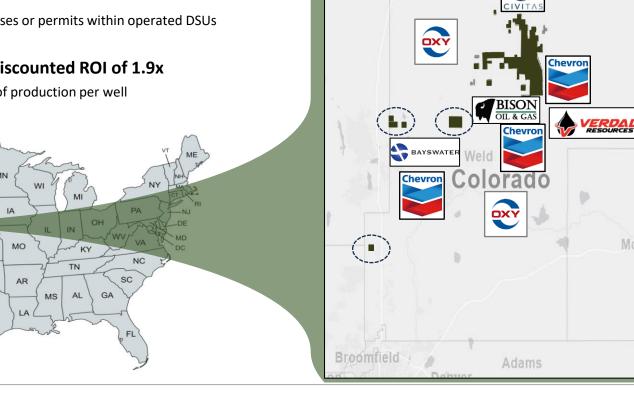
ASSET OVERVIEW

Concentrated Portfolio Across High Return Play With Deep Undeveloped Drilling Inventory



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5,526 net leasehold & mineral acres with ~3,370 Boepd ⁽¹⁾ - (84% liquids / 66% oil – 91% PDP) flowing from 26 operated horizontal wells Nickel Road - 90% HBP with significant operational control - 94% WI in 7 operated DSUs **Prairie Operating** (74% NRI) across 4 lateral targets Approved and immediately executable permit inventory - 62 permitted PUDs ready to drill across 7 operated DSU's - 18 permits in queue - No exposure to federal leases or permits within operated DSUs Average IRR of 75% and discounted ROI of 1.9x Net payout after ~ 1 year of production per well WA MT ND OR MN ID WI SD WY MI IA NE NV UT CO VA CA KS MO KY NC TN OK AZ NM AR SC AL GA MS ТХ LA 20



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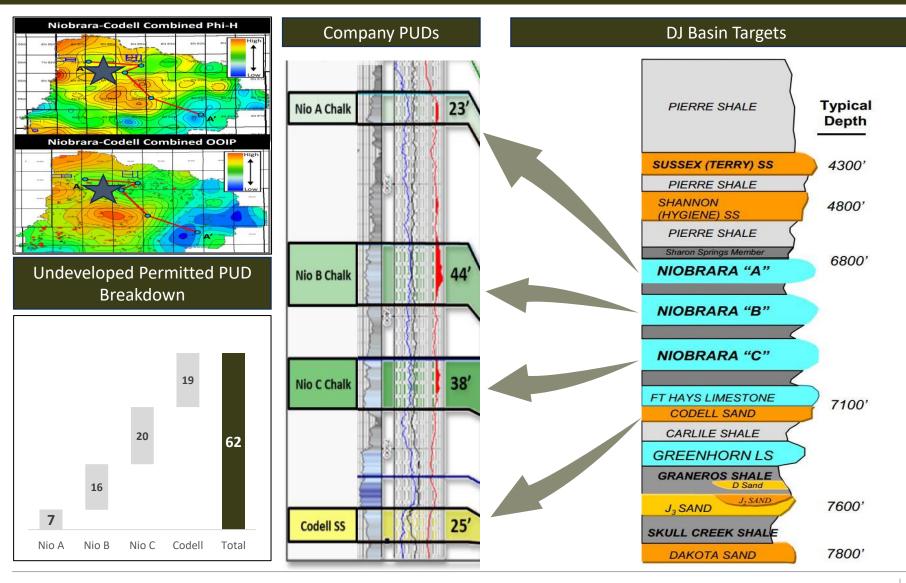
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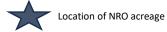
INVENTORY ACROSS MULTIPLE BENCHES

Provides Immediate Running Room Across Multiple Benches





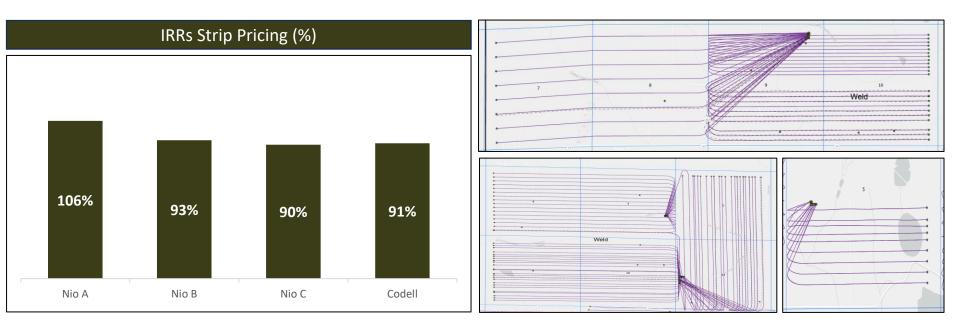
Note: NRO company sources



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DRILL READY PERMITTED PUD INVENTORY

Compelling Well Level Returns Offer Additional Upside Through Field Level Improvements & Optimization



Enhanced Economies of Scale, Operational Improvements and Field Level Optimization, have Potential to Increase Well Economics and Rates of Return

- Conservative choke management
 EUR: 386 MBOE
 Industry Standard Choke management
 EUR: 732 MBOE
 - IRR: 75%
 - PV10 (\$MM): \$4.3

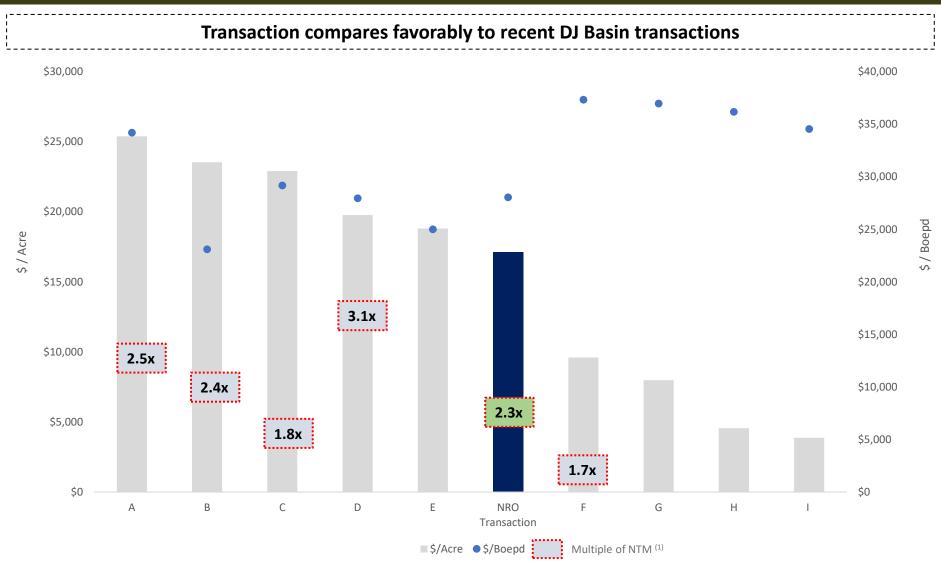
Potential Field Level Optimization⁽¹⁾

- IRR: **106%**
- PV10 (\$MM): \$6.0

ATTRACTIVE IMPLIED VALUATION METRICS

Anchored By PDP, Permit Inventory, & Significant Free Cash Flow



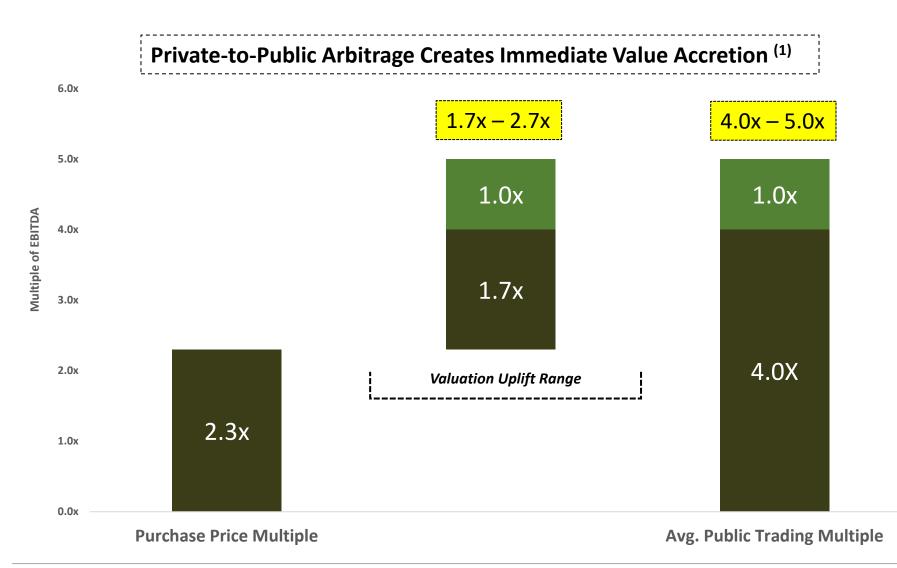


(1) Per multiple based upon operating cashflow based on Enverus, analyst estimates, CapIQ, and corporate guidance where available

SIGNIFICANT ASSET ACCRETION

Immediate Value Created Through Transaction







- Fully engineered proven reserves with over \$250mm in PV10 value
- **45,000** acres de-risked by Chevron, Civitas, EOG, and Occidental
- Deep inventory across multiple benches supports long-term development plans
- Strong projected returns with low break-evens and operating expenses
- Fast capital recycle times increase drilling cadence and production timing
- Ability to optimize by applying enhanced D&C techniques
- Improves cash flow potential with no leverage
- Management team with decades of industry experience with publicly traded E&Ps
- Successful track record of building and monetizing multi-billion-dollar companies