Growthpoint Properties Australia (ASX Code: GOZ)

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## Annual General Meeting Presentation

25 November 2015



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# Chairman's address

Geoff Tomlinson

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## Managing Director's address

Timothy Collyer Managing Director





## **FY15 Highlights**

#### **Financial results**

**21.2**cps

**Distributable income** above guidance and 6.0% above FY14 **19.7**CDS Distribution paid at guidance

#### **Capital management**

- Investment grade credit rating from Moody's issued and reaffirmed
- First capital markets issuance \$200m loan notes fixed for 10 years
- Gearing reduced to 37.0% at 30 June 2015 (lower end of target range 35% to 45%)
- Weighted average debt term 4.7 years
- 75% debt hedged





Strong financial results and recent capital management initiatives leave the Group well positioned



## Securityholder returns to 30 June 2015

Total Securityholder returns

FY15

**36.4**%

Over five years

**21.3**% p.a.

Return on equity

23.9%

Over five years

**67.3**%

 Included in S&P/ASX 200 Index and MSCI Global Small Cap Index







## **Property portfolio**<sup>1</sup>

Property portfolio valued at

**\$2.4**B as at 30 June 2015

**6.6**YIS Weighted average lease expiry (WALE)



Weighted average capitalisation rate



3.0%

Weighted average rent review (WARR)

Growthpoint maintains a modern portfolio, with quality tenants, long-term leases and rising rents A1. 32 Cordelia Street, South Brisbane, QLD

 As at 31 October 2015, unless otherwise noted. Includes Building B, 211 Wellington Road, Mulgrave, Victoria at its 'on completion' valuation.

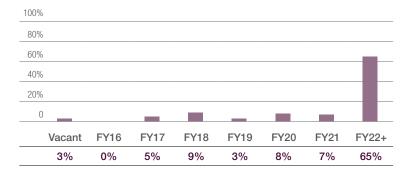


## **Property portfolio**<sup>1</sup>

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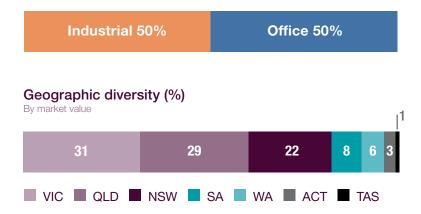
#### Portfolio rent expiring

Per financial Year



#### Sector diversity (%)

By market value



#### Top ten Tenants

by passing rent		WALE
	%	(years)
Woolworths 🔴	24	6.8
NSW Police	10	8.6
GE Capital Finance Australasia 🌘	6	2.4
Linfox 🔴	4	7.6
Commonwealth of Australia 🔍	4	9.4
Jacobs Engineering 🔍	3	8.1
Energex	3	12.0
Fox Sports 🔵	2	7.1
Star Track Express 🔴	2	3.7
Downer EDI Mining 🔍	2	6.6
TOTAL / Weighted Average	60	7.1
Balance of portfolio	40	5.9
Industrial     Office		

Modern, diversified portfolio

with long term leases to

quality tenants.

1 Charles Street, Parramatta, NSW

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## Post 30 June 2015: Acquisitions

Address			Sector	Date of purchase	Land area (m²)	Lettable area (m²)	Year of completion	Purchase price (\$m)	Yield (%)	WALE (yrs)	Annual fixed rent reviews (%)	Major tenant(s)
1-3 Pope Crt	Beverley	SA	Industrial	Jul 2015	25,660	14,459	2015	20.8	7.8	5.3	3.15	Aluminum Specialities Group, Pro-Pac Packaging
34 Reddalls Rd	Kembla Grange	NSW	Industrial	Oct 2015	141,100	141,100	2012	20.3	7.0	15.0	4.00	Patrick Autocare Pty Ltd (a subsidiary of Asciano Limited)
Building C, 211 Wellington Rd	Mulgrave	VIC	Office	Nov 2015	11,070	10,295	20161	50.9	7.3	5.0	3.25	BMW Australia Finance Limited
Total / Weighted /	Average	-	-	-	177,830	165,854	-	92.0	7.3	7.3	3.39	

1. To be developed.

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Modern properties, quality tenants, long-term growing rental income







## Post 30 June 2015: Leasing

Address			Sector	Tenant	Start date	<b>Term</b> (yrs)	Annual rent increases (%)	<b>NLA</b> (m²)	Car Parks
A1, 32 Cordelia Street	South Brisbane	QLD	Office	Jacobs Group (Australia)	Q4, FY15	9.8	Fixed 3.75%	8,207	61
333 Ann Street	Brisbane	QLD	Office	QER Pty Ltd	Q1, FY16	5.4	Fixed 4.00%	679	5
333 Ann Street	Brisbane	QLD	Office	Prosperity Services	Q1, FY16	5.2	Fixed 3.75%	410	-
A4, 52 Merivale Street	South Brisbane	QLD	Office	Thai Budda	Q1, FY16	5.0	Fixed 4.00%	108	-
333 Ann Street	Brisbane	QLD	Office	Rail Control Systems Australia	Q1, FY16	3.1	Fixed 3.75%	291	-
A1, 32 Cordelia Street	South Brisbane	QLD	Office	Jacobs Group (Australia)	Q1, FY16	1.0	Fixed 3.75%	1,315	13
20 Southern Court	Keysborough	VIC	Industrial	Sales Force National	Q2, FY16	7.2	Fixed 3.00%	11,430	53
333 Ann Street	Brisbane	QLD	Office	MedHealth	Q2, FY16	7.1	Fixed 4.00%	867	5
Building B, 211 Wellington Road	Mulgrave	VIC	Office	BSN Medical (Aust.)	Q3, FY16	5.0	Fixed 3.25%	1,842	65
670 Macarthur Avenue	Pinkenba	QLD	Industrial	Coventry Group Limited	Q3, FY16	3.0	CPI to min 3.0% & max 8.0%	2,250	-
3 Millennium Court	Knoxfield	VIC	Industrial	Orora Ltd	Q3, FY16	5.0	Fixed 3.50%	8,040	75
CB2, 42 Merivale Street	South Brisbane	QLD	Office	Rouge Hair	Q1, FY17	5.0	Fixed 4.00%	80	-
Total / Weighted Average						7.3	3.6%	35,519	277

• Over 100,000m<sup>2</sup> leased from start of FY15, representing 9.7% of portfolio lettable area.

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Growthpoint's office property	Office market	Office market vacancy rate <sup>1</sup> (%)	Value of asset (\$m)	% of Growthpoint's portfolio (by value)	Lettable area (m²)	Occupancy <sup>2</sup> (%)	WALE <sup>2</sup> (yrs)	Comment
SW1 office complex	South Brisbane	6.0	269.7	11.2	37,584	94	6.4	Very good leasing success, property has retained high occupancy and attractive WALE
Energex Building, Nundah	Suburban	12.6	93.2	3.9	12,980	100	11.0	Property leased long term to Queensland State Government tenants. No major expiries in short to medium term
333 Ann Street, Brisbane	Brisbane CBD	15.0	91.0	3.8	16,490	52	5.4	Two large tenants vacated in June 2015. Almost 2,000m <sup>2</sup> leased since 30 June 2015. 9,000m <sup>2</sup> to lease progressively over next 12 months or so. Growthpoint's guidance not reliant on leasing all vacant space in FY16

1. Property Council of Australia, 2015 Office Market Report, July 2015. 2. As at 31 October 2015

## **Outlook:** Market conditions

#### **Property market**

#### • Tenancy demand improving

- National office market vacancy rate 10.4%<sup>1</sup> and reducing in key Melbourne and Sydney markets
- National industrial property market gross take-up for 2015 is solid, but expected to be at or slightly lower than 10-year average. 2015 expected to be low point in near term supply cycle

#### Investment markets/values

- Record transaction volumes with offshore investors dominant
- Large property portfolios sold at record yields
- Capital values have risen and some further capitalisation rate compression is expected (relative to book value capitalisation rates)
- Some stabilisation of yields expected in late 2016

South Centre Road, Melbourne Airport, VIC

1. Property Council of Australia, 2015 Office Market Report, July 2015.



## **Outlook:** Market conditions

#### **A-REIT** market

- Offering an attractive risk adjusted yield with distribution growth
- M&A activity to continue. Small to mid-sized IPOs to continue into 2016 where product is good and where a "window of opportunity" presented
- Volatility in equity markets, with focus on US Federal Reserve raising interest rates and strength of Chinese economy (amongst others)

#### **Interest rates**

- RBA has indicated official cash rate to remain low for period ahead
- Historically low rates for Australian borrowers
- Longer dated swap rates and bond yields to rise as US Federal Reserve actually raises rates





## **Outlook:** Growthpoint Properties Australia

- Stable income from growing rental income stream
- Limited upcoming vacancies
- Major office assets in strong office markets
- Industrial property portfolio 100% leased; sought after asset class
- New acquisitions to contribute to growth

#### **Returns and outlook**

- **19.2% per annum total Securityholder return** for five years to 31 October 2015<sup>1</sup>
- 15.0% total Securityholder return for year to 31 October 2015<sup>1</sup>
- Current FY16 distribution yield of 6.6%<sup>2</sup>, attractive versus A-REIT sector average of 4.9%<sup>1</sup> and other asset classes
- Guidance:
  - Distributable income at least 21.3 cps
    Distribution of 20.5 cps (+4.1% from FY15)

1. Source: UBS Investment Research

2. Based on FY16 distribution guidance of 20.5cps and closing price on 24 November 2015 of \$3.10.

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# Items of business



## **Item 1:** Financial Statements & Reports – Company & Trust

To receive and consider:

- a) The financial reports and the reports of the Directors and the auditors in respect of the Company for the financial year ended 30 June 2015; and
- **b)** The financial reports and the reports of the Directors and the auditors in respect of the Trust for the financial year ended 30 June 2015.

*Note:* There is no requirement for Securityholders to approve these reports.

## **Item 2:** Remuneration report – Company only

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolution as an ordinary resolution:

"That the Remuneration Report of the Company (which forms part of the Directors' Report) for the financial year ended 30 June 2015 be adopted."

#### **Proxies Received**

Vote	Votes	%
For	439,115,749	99.85
Against	336,081	0.07
Open	370,705	0.08
Abstain	2,066,354	N/A

## Item 3: Re-election of directors – Company only

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following resolutions as separate ordinary resolutions:

- (a) "That Mr Geoffrey Tomlinson, who retires under rule 11.1(d) of the Company's Constitution and being eligible, offers himself for re-election, be re-elected as a Director of the Company."
- (b) "That Ms Maxine Brenner, who retires under rule 11.1(d) of the Company's Constitution and, being eligible, offers herself for re-election, be re-elected as a Director of the Company."

#### **Re-elect Geoff Tomlinson**

**Re-elect Maxine Brenner** 

Vote	Votes	%
For	440,496,742	99.89
Against	80,872	0.02
Open	386,945	0.09
Abstain	1,441,606	N/A

Vote	Votes	%
For	439,633,015	99.69
Against	962,651	0.22
Open	380,705	0.09
Abstain	1,429,794	N/A

# **Item 4:** Approval of issue to Timothy Collyer (Managing Director) – Company and Trust

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following as an ordinary resolution:

"That for the purposes of ASX Listing Rule 10.14 and all other purposes, the grant of 40,736 Performance Rights to Timothy Collyer under the Growthpoint Properties Australia Employee Incentive Plan, in accordance with the rules of the Plan and on the terms set out in the Explanatory Notes, is approved."

#### **Proxies Received**

Vote	Votes	%
For	439,472,383	99.74
Against	734,910	0.17
Open	371,165	0.09
Abstain	1,449,638	N/A

## **Item 5:** Approval of renewal of proportional takeover provisions for a further three years - Company only

To consider and, if thought fit, pass the following as a special resolution:

"That the proportional takeover provisions in the form of rule 8 of the Company's Constitution (as last approved by shareholders) be renewed for a further period of three (3) years, with effect from 25 November 2015."

#### **Proxies Received**

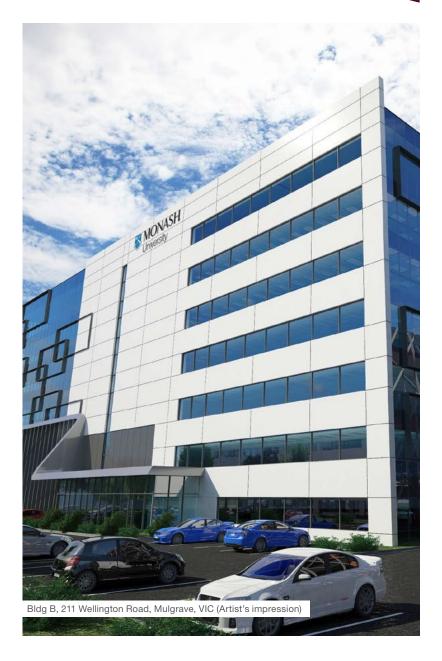
Vote	Votes	%
For	440,045,605	99.89
Against	108,543	0.02
Open	375,705	0.09
Abstain	1,498,843	N/A



## **Close of meeting**

Attendees are invited to join directors, auditors and staff for a light lunch immediately following conclusion of meeting.

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Thank you