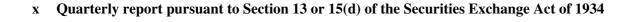
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# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

# **FORM 10-Q**



For the quarterly period ended June 30, 2013

o Transition report pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the Transition Period from

to

**COMMISSION FILE NUMBER 1-34948** 

# GENERAL GROWTH PROPERTIES, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporating or organization)

27-2963337 (I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

| 110 N. Wacker Dr., Chicago, IL           |  |
|--|--|
| (Address of principal executive offices) |  |

(312) 960-5000

**60606** (Zip Code)

(Registrant s telephone number, including area code)

| Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (the Exchange Act ) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. xYes o No           |
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| Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). xYes o No |
| Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer or a smaller reporting company.  |
|  |

Large accelerated filer x Accelerated filer o

Non-accelerated filer o (Do not check if a smaller reporting company)

Smaller reporting company o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). o Yes x No

Indicate by checkmark whether the Registrant has filed all documents and reports required to be filed by Sections 12,13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 subsequent to the distribution of securities under a plan confirmed by a court. xYes o No

The number of shares of Common Stock, \$.01 par value, outstanding on August 2, 2013 was 966,951,246.

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# GENERAL GROWTH PROPERTIES, INC.

# CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

# (UNAUDITED)

|   | June 30,<br>2013 |                      |           | December 31,<br>2012 |
|---|------------------|----------------------|-----------|----------------------|
|   | (Dollars         | in thousands, except | share and | per share amounts)   |
| Assets:   |                  |                      |           |                      |
| Investment in real estate:  |                  |                      |           |                      |
| Land  | \$               | 4,264,410            | \$        | 4,278,471            |
| Buildings and equipment   |                  | 17,937,639           |           | 18,806,858           |
| Less accumulated depreciation   |                  | (1,596,485)          |           | (1,440,301)          |
| Construction in progress  |                  | 336,388              |           | 376,529              |
| Net property and equipment  |                  | 20,941,952           |           | 22,021,557           |
| Investment in and loans to/from Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates                 |                  | 2,963,892            |           | 2,865,871            |
| Net investment in real estate   |                  | 23,905,844           |           | 24,887,428           |
| Cash and cash equivalents   |                  | 704,918              |           | 624,815              |
| Accounts and notes receivable, net  |                  | 254,050              |           | 260,860              |
| Deferred expenses, net  |                  | 188,314              |           | 179,837              |
| Prepaid expenses and other assets   |                  | 1,091,310            |           | 1,329,465            |
| Total assets  | \$               | 26,144,436           | \$        | 27,282,405           |
|   |                  |                      |           |                      |
| Liabilities:  |                  |                      |           |                      |
| Mortgages, notes and loans payable  | \$               | 15,463,928           | \$        | 15,966,866           |
| Investment in and loans to/from Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates                 |                  | 16,387               |           |                      |
| Accounts payable and accrued expenses   |                  | 951,849              |           | 1,212,231            |
| Dividend payable  |                  | 119,742              |           | 103,749              |
| Deferred tax liabilities  |                  | 27,064               |           | 28,174               |
| Tax indemnification liability   |                  | 303,586              |           | 303,750              |
| Junior Subordinated Notes   |                  | 206,200              |           | 206,200              |
| Warrant liability   |                  | ,                    |           | 1,488,196            |
| Total liabilities   |                  | 17,088,756           |           | 19,309,166           |
|   |                  | 2,,000,,00           |           | 27,007,200           |
| Redeemable noncontrolling interests:  |                  |                      |           |                      |
| Preferred   |                  | 136,087              |           | 136,008              |
| Common  |                  | 127,509              |           | 132,211              |
| Total redeemable noncontrolling interests   |                  | 263,596              |           | 268,219              |
| Total recommend monocollising interests   |                  | 200,000              |           | 200,219              |
| Commitments and Contingencies   |                  |                      |           |                      |
|   |                  |                      |           |                      |
| Equity:   |                  |                      |           |                      |
| Common stock: 11,000,000,000 shares authorized, \$0.01 par value, 966,909,593 issued, |                  |                      |           |                      |
| 939,450,398 outstanding as of June 30, 2013, and 939,049,318 shares issued and        | •                |                      |           |                      |
| outstanding as of December 31, 2012   |                  | 9,395                |           | 9,392                |
| Preferred Stock: 500,000,000 shares authorized, \$.01 par value, 10,000,000 shares    |                  | 7,575                |           | 7,372                |
| issued and outstanding as of June 30, 2013 and none issued and outstanding as of      |                  |                      |           |                      |
| December 31, 2012   |                  | 242,042              |           |                      |
| Additional paid-in capital  |                  | 11,361,262           |           | 10,432,447           |
| Retained earnings (accumulated deficit)   |                  | (2,766,551)          |           | (2,732,787)          |
| retained carnings (accumulated deficit)   |                  | (2,700,331)          |           | (2,132,101)          |

| Accumulated other comprehensive loss                            | (137,010)        | (87,354)         |
|---|------------------|------------------|
| Total stockholders equity                                       | 8,709,138        | 7,621,698        |
| Noncontrolling interests in consolidated real estate affiliates | 82,946           | 83,322           |
| Total equity  | 8,792,084        | 7,705,020        |
| Total liabilities and equity                                    | \$<br>26,144,436 | \$<br>27,282,405 |

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

# GENERAL GROWTH PROPERTIES, INC.

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS)

# (UNAUDITED)

|   | Three Months<br>2013 | Ended June 30,<br>2012                | Six Months E<br>2013      | Ended June 30,<br>2012 |
|---|----------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|
|   | 2013                 |                                       | except per share amounts) | 2012                   |
| Revenues:                                     |                      | , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , | <b>.</b> .                |                        |
| Minimum rents                                 | 394,047              | \$ 382,336                            | \$ 797,357                | \$ 759,921             |
| Tenant recoveries                             | 178,651              | 176,194                               | 366,355                   | 351,059                |
| Overage rents                                 | 6,415                | 8,099                                 | 17,894                    | 21,184                 |
| Management fees and other corporate revenues  | 17,307               | 21,652                                | 33,239                    | 37,823                 |
| Other   | 16,809               | 18,174                                | 36,077                    | 32,971                 |
| Total revenues                                | 613,229              | 606,455                               | 1,250,922                 | 1,202,958              |
| Expenses:                                     |                      |                                       |                           |                        |
| Real estate taxes                             | 55,730               | 56,995                                | 124,984                   | 112,656                |
| Property maintenance costs                    | 15,425               | 18,692                                | 39,246                    | 39,216                 |
| Marketing                                     | 5,762                | 7,234                                 | 12,281                    | 13,972                 |
| Other property operating costs                | 87,685               | 92,808                                | 176,935                   | 179,461                |
| Provision for (recovery of) doubtful accounts | 766                  | (709)                                 | 2,556                     | 1,458                  |
| Property management and other costs           | 41,568               | 38,698                                | 81,923                    | 80,238                 |
| General and administrative                    | 13,124               | 11,046                                | 24,057                    | 21,556                 |
| Depreciation and amortization                 | 191,327              | 188,193                               | 386,755                   | 394,977                |
| Total expenses                                | 411,387              | 412,957                               | 848,737                   | 843,534                |
| Operating income                              | 201,842              | 193,498                               | 402,185                   | 359,424                |
|   | - ,-                 |                                       | . ,                       | ,                      |
| Interest income                               | 429                  | 875                                   | 1,149                     | 1,536                  |
| Interest expense                              | (193,274)            | (183,311)                             | (388,657)                 | (394,066)              |
| Warrant liability adjustment                  |                      | (146,588)                             | (40,546)                  | (289,700)              |
| Gains from changes in control of investment   |                      |                                       |                           |                        |
| properties                                    | 219,784              | 18,547                                | 219,784                   | 18,547                 |
| Loss on extinguishment of debt                | (27,159)             | ,                                     | (36,478)                  | ,                      |
| Income (loss) before income taxes, equity in  | , ,                  |                                       | , , ,                     |                        |
| income of Unconsolidated Real Estate          |                      |                                       |                           |                        |
| Affiliates, discontinued operations and       |                      |                                       |                           |                        |
| allocation to noncontrolling interests        | 201,622              | (116,979)                             | 157,437                   | (304,259)              |
| Provision for income taxes                    | (1,382)              | (1,709)                               | (1,523)                   | (3,104)                |
| Equity in income of Unconsolidated Real       |                      |                                       |                           |                        |
| Estate Affiliates                             | 13,987               | 11,843                                | 27,181                    | 17,795                 |
| Equity in income of Unconsolidated Real       |                      |                                       |                           |                        |
| Estate Affiliates - gain on investment        |                      |                                       | 3,448                     |                        |
| Income (loss) from continuing operations      | 214,227              | (106,845)                             | 186,543                   | (289,568)              |
| Discontinued operations:                      | ·                    |                                       | ,                         |                        |
| (Loss) income from discontinued operations,   |                      |                                       |                           |                        |
| including gains (losses) on dispositions      | (304)                | 499                                   | (7,252)                   | (11,023)               |
| (Loss) gain on extinguishment of debt         | ,                    |                                       | 25,894                    |                        |
| Discontinued operations, net                  | (304)                | 499                                   | 18,642                    | (11,023)               |
| Net income (loss)                             | 213,923              | (106,346)                             | 205,185                   | (300,591)              |
| Allocation to noncontrolling interests        | (4,548)              | (1,590)                               | (7,336)                   | (4,957)                |

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| Net income (loss) attributable to General      |               |                 |               |                 |
|--|---------------|-----------------|---------------|-----------------|
| Growth Properties, Inc.                        | 209,375       | (107,936)       | 197,849       | (305,548)       |
| Preferred Stock dividends                      | (3,984)       |                 | (6,109)       |                 |
| Net income (loss) attributable to common       |               |                 |               |                 |
| stockholders                                   | \$<br>205,391 | \$<br>(107,936) | \$<br>191,740 | \$<br>(305,548) |
|  |               |                 |               |                 |
| Basic Earnings (Loss) Per Share:               |               |                 |               |                 |
| Continuing operations                          | \$<br>0.22    | \$<br>(0.12)    | \$<br>0.18    | \$<br>(0.32)    |
| Discontinued operations                        |               |                 | 0.02          | (0.01)          |
| Total basic earnings (loss) per share          | \$<br>0.22    | \$<br>(0.12)    | \$<br>0.20    | \$<br>(0.33)    |
|  |               |                 |               |                 |
| Diluted Earnings (Loss) Per Share:             |               |                 |               |                 |
| Continuing operations                          | \$<br>0.21    | \$<br>(0.12)    | \$<br>0.18    | \$<br>(0.32)    |
| Discontinued operations                        |               |                 | 0.02          | (0.01)          |
| Total diluted earnings (loss) per share        | \$<br>0.21    | \$<br>(0.12)    | \$<br>0.20    | \$<br>(0.33)    |
| Dividends declared per share                   | \$<br>0.12    | \$<br>0.10      | \$<br>0.24    | \$<br>0.20      |
|  |               |                 |               |                 |
| Comprehensive Income (Loss), Net:              |               |                 |               |                 |
| Net income (loss)                              | \$<br>213,923 | \$<br>(106,346) | \$<br>205,185 | \$<br>(300,591) |
| Other comprehensive loss:                      |               |                 |               |                 |
| Foreign currency translation                   | (60,575)      | (47,919)        | (50,927)      | (34,360)        |
| Unrealized gains on available-for-sale         |               |                 |               |                 |
| securities                                     | 682           | 58              | 931           | 110             |
| Other comprehensive loss:                      | (59,893)      | (47,861)        | (49,996)      | (34,250)        |
| Comprehensive income (loss)                    | 154,030       | (154,207)       | 155,189       | (334,841)       |
| Comprehensive loss allocated to                |               |                 |               |                 |
| noncontrolling interests                       | (4,154)       | (1,255)         | (6,996)       | (4,719)         |
| Comprehensive income (loss) attributable to    |               |                 |               |                 |
| General Growth Properties, Inc.                | 149,876       | (155,462)       | 148,193       | (339,560)       |
| Preferred stock dividends                      | (3,984)       |                 | (6,109)       |                 |
| Comprehensive income (loss), net, attributable |               |                 |               |                 |
| to common stockholders                         | \$<br>145,892 | \$<br>(155,462) | \$<br>142,084 | \$<br>(339,560) |

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

# GENERAL GROWTH PROPERTIES, INC.

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF EQUITY

# (UNAUDITED)

|   | ommon<br>Stock | I  | Preferred<br>Stock | Additional<br>Paid-In<br>Capital<br>llars in thousar | ,  | Retained<br>Earnings<br>Accumulated<br>Deficit)<br>xcept share a | Co<br>In   | Nonc<br>mulated Other Into<br>mprehensive Consol<br>come (Loss) Estato<br>r share amounts) | idated Rea | Total<br>Equity    |
|---|----------------|----|--------------------|--|----|--|------------|--|------------|--------------------|
| Balance at January 1,<br>2012                                       | \$<br>9,353    | \$ |                    | \$<br>10,405,318                                     | \$ | (1,883,569   | ) \$       | (47,773) \$  | 96,016     | \$<br>8,579,345    |
| Net loss  |                |    |                    |  |    | (305,548   | 3          |  | (662)      | (306,210)          |
| Distributions to<br>noncontrolling interests in<br>consolidated     |                |    |                    |  |    | (303,310   |            |  | (002)      | (200,210)          |
| Real Estate Affiliates  |                |    |                    |  |    |  |            |  | (6,484)    | (6,484)            |
| Restricted stock grants, net of forfeitures (22,397 common shares)  |                |    |                    | 4,281  |    |  |            |  |            | 4,281              |
| Employee stock purchase program (99,533 common                      |                |    |                    | 1,201  |    |  |            |  |            | 1,201              |
| shares)   | 1              |    |                    | 1,606  |    |  |            |  |            | 1,607              |
| Stock option grants, net of forfeitures (11,235 common shares)      |                |    |                    | 740  |    |  |            |  |            | 740                |
| Cash dividends reinvested (DRIP) in stock (2,582,327 common shares) | 26             |    |                    | 38,678   |    |  |            |  |            | 38,704             |
| Other comprehensive loss  |                |    |                    | 20,070   |    |  |            | (34,012)   |            | (34,012)           |
| Cash distributions declared (\$0.20 per share)                      |                |    |                    |  |    | (187,555   | <b>(</b> ) |  |            | (187,555)          |
| Fair value adjustment for noncontrolling interest in                |                |    |                    | (20.055)   |    |  |            |  |            | (20.055)           |
| Operating Partnership Dividend for RPI Spin-off                     |                |    |                    | (28,955)   |    | 26.044   |            |  |            | (28,955)<br>26,044 |
| Dividend for KFI Spin-off   |                |    |                    |  |    | 20,044   |            |  |            | 20,044             |
| Balance at June 30, 2012  | \$<br>9,380    | \$ |                    | \$<br>10,421,668                                     | \$ | (2,350,628   | \$) \$     | (81,785) \$  | 88,870     | \$<br>8,087,505    |
| Balance at January 1,<br>2013                                       | \$<br>9,392    | \$ |                    | \$<br>10,432,447                                     | \$ | (2,732,787   | ) \$       | (87,354) \$  | 83,322     | \$<br>7,705,020    |
| Net income  |                |    |                    |  |    | 197,849  |            |  | 1,270      | 199,119            |
| Issuance of Preferred   |                |    |                    |  |    | 197,649  |            |  | 1,270      | 199,119            |
| Stock, net of issuance costs  |                |    | 242,042            |  |    |  |            |  |            | 242,042            |
| Distributions to noncontrolling interests in consolidated           |                |    |                    |  |    |  |            |  |            |                    |
| Real Estate Affiliates  |                |    |                    |  |    |  |            |  | (1,646)    | (1,646)            |

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| Restricted stock grants, net of forfeitures (11,818 |             |               |                  |                   |                    |        |                 |
|---|-------------|---------------|------------------|-------------------|--------------------|--------|-----------------|
| common shares)                                      |             |               | 4,766            |                   |                    |        | 4,766           |
| Employee stock purchase program (84,774 common      |             |               |                  |                   |                    |        |                 |
| shares)   |             |               | 1,670            |                   |                    |        | 1,670           |
| Stock option grants, net of forfeitures (290,438    |             |               |                  |                   |                    |        |                 |
| common shares)                                      | 3           |               | 27,162           |                   |                    |        | 27,165          |
| Cash dividends reinvested (DRIP) in stock (14,050   |             |               |                  |                   |                    |        |                 |
| common shares)                                      |             |               | 293              |                   |                    |        | 293             |
| Other comprehensive loss                            |             |               |                  |                   | (49,656)           |        | (49,656)        |
| Cash distributions declared                         |             |               |                  |                   |                    |        |                 |
| (\$0.24 per share)                                  |             |               |                  | (225,504)         |                    |        | (225,504)       |
| Cash distributions on                               |             |               |                  |                   |                    |        |                 |
| Preferred Stock                                     |             |               |                  | (6,109)           |                    |        | (6,109)         |
| Cash redemptions for                                |             |               |                  |                   |                    |        |                 |
| common units in excess of                           |             |               |                  |                   |                    |        |                 |
| carrying value                                      |             |               | (1,428)          |                   |                    |        | (1,428)         |
| Fair value adjustment for                           |             |               |                  |                   |                    |        |                 |
| noncontrolling interest in                          |             |               |                  |                   |                    |        |                 |
| Operating Partnership                               |             |               | 839              |                   |                    |        | 839             |
| Common stock warrants                               |             |               | 895,513          |                   |                    |        | 895,513         |
|   |             |               |                  |                   |                    |        |                 |
| Balance at June 30, 2013                            | \$<br>9,395 | \$<br>242,042 | \$<br>11,361,262 | \$<br>(2,766,551) | \$<br>(137,010) \$ | 82,946 | \$<br>8,792,084 |

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

# GENERAL GROWTH PROPERTIES, INC.

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

# (UNAUDITED)

|  |    | Six Months Ended June 30,<br>2013 2012<br>(Dollars in thousands) |    |             |  |
|--|----|--|----|-------------|--|
|  |    |  |    |             |  |
| Cash Flows provided by (used in) Operating Activities:                                   |    | (=   |    | ,           |  |
| Net income (loss)  | \$ | 205,185  | \$ | (300,591)   |  |
| Adjustments to reconcile net income (loss) to net cash provided by operating activities: |    |  |    |             |  |
| Equity in income of Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates                                |    | (27,181)   |    | (17,795)    |  |
| Equity in income of Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates - gain on investment           |    | (3,448)  |    |             |  |
| Distributions received from Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates                        |    | 30,238   |    | 13,073      |  |
| Provision for doubtful accounts  |    | 2,587  |    | 1,983       |  |
| Depreciation and amortization  |    | 387,230  |    | 411,645     |  |
| Amortization/write-off of deferred finance costs   |    | 4,291  |    | 2,026       |  |
| Accretion/write-off of debt market rate adjustments                                      |    | 5,445  |    | (29,489)    |  |
| Amortization of intangibles other than in-place leases                                   |    | 40,858   |    | 60,037      |  |
| Straight-line rent amortization  |    | (25,207)   |    | (32,435)    |  |
| Deferred income taxes  |    | (1,682)  |    |             |  |
| Loss on dispositions   |    | 765  |    | 175         |  |
| Gains from changes in control of investment properties                                   |    | (219,784)  |    | (18,547)    |  |
| Gain on extinguishment of debt   |    | (25,894)   |    | (9,911)     |  |
| Provisions for impairment  |    | 4,975  |    | 20,301      |  |
| Warrant liability adjustment   |    | 40,546   |    | 289,700     |  |
| Net changes:   |    |  |    |             |  |
| Accounts and notes receivable  |    | 14,122   |    | 33,770      |  |
| Prepaid expenses and other assets  |    | 7,406  |    | 20,811      |  |
| Deferred expenses  |    | (30,471)   |    | (23,772)    |  |
| Restricted cash  |    | 3,377  |    | 35,285      |  |
| Accounts payable and accrued expenses  |    | (110,512)  |    | (75,097)    |  |
| Other, net   |    | 11,046   |    | 285         |  |
| Net cash provided by operating activities  |    | 313,892  |    | 381,454     |  |
|  |    |  |    |             |  |
| Cash Flows provided by (used in) Investing Activities:                                   |    |  |    |             |  |
| Acquisition of real estate and property additions  |    | (63,313)   |    | (350,663)   |  |
| Development of real estate and property improvements                                     |    | (175,667)  |    | (158,613)   |  |
| Proceeds from sales of investment properties   |    | 419,976  |    | 12,324      |  |
| Contributions to Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates                                   |    | (58,607)   |    | (56,602)    |  |
| Distributions received from Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates in excess of income    |    | 101,434  |    | 213,213     |  |
| Decrease in restricted cash  |    | 4,632  |    | 6,799       |  |
| Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities                                      |    | 228,455  |    | (333,542)   |  |
| Cash Flows provided by (used in) Financing Activities:                                   |    |  |    |             |  |
| Proceeds from refinancing/issuance of mortgages, notes and loans payable                 |    | 3,662,622  |    | 2,560,920   |  |
| Principal payments on mortgages, notes and loans payable                                 |    | (3,532,036)  |    | (2,517,843) |  |
| Prepayment of financing costs  |    |  |    | (42,147)    |  |
| Refund of financing fees   |    |  |    | 35,105      |  |
| Deferred finance costs   |    | (8,864)  |    | (14,937)    |  |

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| 242,042       |  |  |
|---------------|--|--|
| (633,229)     |  |  |
| (1,646)       |  |  |
| (216,004)     |  | (187,291)  |
| 293           |  | 38,704   |
| (2,125)       |  |  |
| (4,756)       |  |  |
| 31,459        |  | 3,899  |
| (462,244)     |  | (123,590)  |
|               |  |  |
|               |  |  |
| 80,103        |  | (75,678)   |
| 624,815       |  | 572,872  |
| \$<br>704,918 | \$   | 497,194  |
| \$            | (633,229)<br>(1,646)<br>(216,004)<br>293<br>(2,125)<br>(4,756)<br>31,459<br>(462,244)<br>80,103<br>624,815 | (633,229)<br>(1,646)<br>(216,004)<br>293<br>(2,125)<br>(4,756)<br>31,459<br>(462,244)<br>80,103<br>624,815 |

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

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# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (Continued)

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|  |    | Six Months Ended June 30, |         |             |
|--|----|---------------------------|---------|-------------|
|  |    | 2013<br>(In tho           | usanda) | 2012        |
| Supplemental Disclosure of Cash Flow Information:                              |    | (III tilo)                | usanus) |             |
| Interest paid  | \$ | 485,407                   | \$      | 431,552     |
| Interest capitalized   | Ψ  | 3.878                     | Ψ       | 318         |
| Income taxes paid  |    | 4,601                     |         | 536         |
| Accrued capital expenditures included in accounts payable and accrued expenses |    | 68,627                    |         | 83,569      |
| Non-Cash Transactions:   |    | 00,021                    |         | 00,000      |
| Notes receivable related to property sale                                      |    |                           |         | 17,000      |
| Gain on investment in Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates                    |    | 3,448                     |         | ,,,,,,,     |
| Amendment of warrant agreement   |    | 895,513                   |         |             |
| Rouse Properties, Inc. Dividend:   |    | ,                         |         |             |
| Non-cash dividend for RPI Spin-off   |    |                           |         | (26,044)    |
| Non-Cash Distribution of RPI Spin-off:   |    |                           |         |             |
| Assets   |    |                           |         | 1,554,486   |
| Liabilities and equity   |    |                           |         | (1,554,486) |
| Non-Cash Sale of Property to RPI:  |    |                           |         |             |
| Assets   |    |                           |         | 63,672      |
| Liabilities and equity   |    |                           |         | (63,672)    |
| Non-Cash Acquisition of The Oaks and Westroads                                 |    |                           |         |             |
| Assets   |    |                           |         | 218,071     |
| Liabilities and equity   |    |                           |         | (218,071)   |
| Non-Cash Sale of Regional Mall   |    |                           |         |             |
| Assets   |    | 71,881                    |         |             |
| Mortgage debt forgiven or assumed by acquirer                                  |    | (91,293)                  |         |             |
| Other liabilities and equity   |    | 19,412                    |         |             |
| Non-Cash Acquisition of Quail Springs - Refer to Note 3                        |    |                           |         |             |
|  |    |                           |         |             |
| Non-Cash Sale of The Grand Canal Shoppes and The Shoppes at The Palazzo:       |    |                           |         |             |
| Assets   |    | 544,435                   |         |             |
| Liabilities and equity   |    | (544,435)                 |         |             |

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#### NOTE 1 ORGANIZATION

Readers of this Quarterly Report should refer to the Company s (as defined below) audited consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2012 which are included in the Company s Annual Report on Form 10-K (the Annual Report ) for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2012 (Commission File No. 1-34948), as certain footnote disclosures which would substantially duplicate those contained in our Annual Report have been omitted from this Quarterly Report. In the opinion of management, all adjustments necessary for fair presentation (which include only normal recurring adjustments) have been included. Capitalized terms used, but not defined in this Quarterly Report, have the same meanings as in our Annual Report.

#### General

General Growth Properties, Inc. (GGP or the Company), a Delaware corporation, was organized in July 2010 and is a self-administered and self-managed real estate investment trust, referred to as a REIT. In these notes, the terms we, us and our refer to GGP and its subsidiaries.

GGP, through its subsidiaries and affiliates, operates, manages and selectively re-develops regional mall properties, which are predominantly located throughout the United States. GGP also owns assets in Brazil through investments in Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates (as defined below). As of June 30, 2013, our portfolio was comprised of 123 regional malls in the United States and 18 malls in Brazil comprising approximately 134 million square feet of gross leasable area (GLA). On July 29, 2013 we entered into agreements to sell our interest in one Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliate that owns 17 of our 18 malls in Brazil. Refer to Note 17. In addition to regional malls, as of June 30, 2013, we owned nine strip/other retail centers totaling 4.0 million square feet, primarily in the Western region of the United States, as well as seven stand-alone office buildings totaling 0.9 million square feet, concentrated in Columbia, Maryland.

Substantially all of our business is conducted through GGP Limited Partnership (the Operating Partnership or GGPLP). GGPLP owns an interest in the properties that are part of the consolidated financial statements of GGP. As of June 30, 2013, GGP held approximately a 99% common equity ownership (without giving effect to the potential conversion of the Preferred Units as defined below) of the Operating Partnership, while the remaining 1% was held by limited partners and certain previous contributors of properties to the Operating Partnership.

The Operating Partnership also has preferred units of limited partnership interest (the Preferred Units ) outstanding. The terms of the Preferred Units provide that the Preferred Units are convertible into Common Units which then are redeemable for cash or, at our option, shares of GGP common stock (Note 10).

In addition to holding ownership interests in various joint ventures, the Operating Partnership generally conducts its operations through General Growth Management, Inc. ( GGMI ) and General Growth Services, Inc. ( GGSI ). GGMI and GGSI are taxable REIT subsidiaries ( TRS s), which provide management, leasing, and other services for our Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates (defined below). GGMI and GGSI provide various services, including business development, tenant coordination, marketing, and strategic partnership services at all of our Consolidated Properties. GGSI also serves as a contractor to GGMI for these services.

We refer to our ownership interests in properties in which we own a majority or controlling interest and, as a result, are consolidated under accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as the Consolidated Properties. We also own interests in certain properties through joint venture entities in which we own a noncontrolling interest (Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates) and we refer to those properties as the Unconsolidated Properties.

#### NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Principles of Consolidation and Basis of Presentation**

The accompanying consolidated financial statements include the accounts of GGP, our subsidiaries and joint ventures in which we have a controlling interest. For consolidated joint ventures, the noncontrolling partner s share of the assets, liabilities and operations of the joint ventures (generally computed as the joint venture

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partner s ownership percentage) is included in noncontrolling interests in consolidated real estate affiliates as permanent equity of the Company. All significant intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated.

We operate in a single reportable segment which includes the operation, development and management of retail and other rental properties, primarily regional malls. Our portfolio of regional malls represents a collection of retail properties that are targeted to a range of market sizes and consumer tastes. Each of our operating properties is considered a separate operating segment, as each property earns revenues and incurs expenses, individual operating results are reviewed and discrete financial information is available. We do not distinguish or group our consolidated operations based on geography, size or type. Further, all material operations are within the United States and no customer or tenant comprises more than 10% of consolidated revenues. As a result, the Company s operating properties are aggregated into a single reportable segment.

#### Reclassifications

Certain prior period amounts included in the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss) and related footnotes associated with properties we have disposed of have been reclassified to discontinued operations for all periods presented. Also, we have separately presented certain amounts within our Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows which were previously combined in the line Acquisition/development of real estate and property additions/developments. The \$509.3 million originally presented has been reclassified as Acquisition of real estate and property additions for \$350.7 million, and Development of real estate and property improvements for \$158.6 million, to conform to the current year presentation.

#### **Properties**

Real estate assets are stated at cost less any provisions for impairments. Expenditures for significant betterments and improvements are capitalized. Maintenance and repairs are charged to expense when incurred. Construction and improvement costs incurred in connection with the development of new properties or the redevelopment of existing properties are capitalized. Real estate taxes, interest costs, and internal costs associated with leasing and development overhead incurred during construction periods are capitalized. Capitalization is based on qualified expenditures and interest rates. Capitalized real estate taxes, interest costs, and internal costs associated with leasing and development overhead are amortized over lives which are consistent with the related assets.

Pre-development costs, which generally include legal and professional fees and other third-party costs directly related to the construction assets, are capitalized as part of the property being developed. In the event a development is no longer deemed to be probable, the capitalized costs are expensed (see also our impairment policies in this note below).

The estimated useful lives of our properties are determined so as to allocate as equitably as possible the depreciation or amortization expense for which services are to be obtained from the use of each property. We periodically review the estimated useful lives of our properties. In connection with our recent review, we identified certain properties where we determined the estimated useful lives should be shortened based upon our current assessment. Therefore, we have prospectively reduced the remaining useful lives to reflect the life over which we expect to obtain services from the use of each of these properties. The estimated useful lives for these properties now range from 10-30 years.

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Depreciation or amortization expense is computed using the straight-line method based upon the following estimated useful lives:

|                            | Years   |
|----------------------------|---|
| Buildings and improvements | 10 - 45   |
| Equipment and fixtures     | 3 - 20  |
| Tenant improvements        | Shorter of useful life or applicable lease term |

#### **Acquisitions of Operating Properties**

Acquisitions of properties are accounted for utilizing the acquisition method of accounting and, accordingly, the results of operations of acquired properties have been included in the results of operations from the respective dates of acquisition. Estimates of future cash flows and other valuation techniques are used to allocate the purchase price of acquired property between land, buildings and improvements, equipment, assumed debt liabilities and identifiable intangible assets and liabilities such as amounts related to in-place tenant leases, acquired above and below-market tenant and ground leases, and tenant relationships.

Identifiable intangible assets and liabilities are calculated for above-market and below-market tenant and ground leases where we are either the lessor or the lessee. The difference between the contractual rental rates and our estimate of market rental rates is measured over a period equal to the remaining non-cancelable term of the leases, including significantly below market renewal options for which exercise of the renewal option appears to be reasonably assured. The remaining term of leases with renewal options at terms significantly below market reflect the assumed exercise of such below market renewal options and assume the amortization period would coincide with the extended lease term.

No significant value has been ascribed to tenant relationships.

The gross asset balances of the in-place value of tenant leases are included in buildings and equipment in our Consolidated Balance Sheets.

|             | Accumulated  | Net Carrying |
|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| Gross Asset | Amortization | Amount       |

| As of June 30, 2013     |                  |              |         |
|-------------------------|------------------|--------------|---------|
| Tenant leases:          |                  |              |         |
| In-place value          | \$<br>816,025 \$ | (380,826) \$ | 435,199 |
|                         |                  |              |         |
| As of December 31, 2012 |                  |              |         |
| Tenant leases:          |                  |              |         |
| In-place value          | \$<br>972,495 \$ | (423,492) \$ | 549,003 |

The above-market tenant leases and below-market ground leases are included in Prepaid expenses and other assets (Note 13); the below-market tenant leases, above-market ground leases and above-market building lease are included in Accounts payable and accrued expenses (Note 14) in our Consolidated Balance Sheets.

Amortization/accretion of all intangibles, including the intangibles in Note 13 and Note 14, had the following effects on our Loss from continuing operations:

|   | Three Months Ended June 30, |          |    | June 30,    | Six Months Ended June 30, |    |           |
|---|-----------------------------|----------|----|-------------|---------------------------|----|-----------|
|   |                             | 2013     |    | 2012        | 2013                      |    | 2012      |
| Amortization/accretion effect on continuing |                             |          |    |             |                           |    |           |
| operations                                  | \$                          | (58,134) | \$ | (84,641) \$ | (128,140)                 | \$ | (181,109) |

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Future amortization/accretion of all intangibles, including the intangibles in Note 13 and Note 14, is estimated to decrease results from continuing operations as follows:

| Year | Amount         |    |         |  |  |  |  |
|------|----------------|----|---------|--|--|--|--|
|      | 2013 Remaining | \$ | 104,594 |  |  |  |  |
|      | 2014           |    | 177,212 |  |  |  |  |
|      | 2015           |    | 144,963 |  |  |  |  |
|      | 2016           |    | 113,033 |  |  |  |  |
|      | 2017           |    | 84,161  |  |  |  |  |

#### **Management Fees and Other Corporate Revenues**

Management fees and other corporate revenues primarily represent management and leasing fees, development fees, financing fees and fees for other ancillary services performed for the benefit of certain of the Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates. Management fees are reported at 100% of the revenue earned from the joint venture in management fees and other corporate revenues on our Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss). Our share of the management fee expense incurred by the Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates is reported within equity in income of Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates on our Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss) and in Property management and other costs in the Condensed Combined Statements of Income in Note 6. The following table summarizes the management fees from affiliates and our share of the management fee expense:

|                                     | Three Months Ended June 30, |    |         |          | Six Months Ended June 30, |          |  |  |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------|----|---------|----------|---------------------------|----------|--|--|
|                                     | 2013                        |    | 2012    | 2013     |                           | 2012     |  |  |
| Management fees from affiliates     | \$<br>17,281                | \$ | 21,202  | 33,139   | \$                        | 36,880   |  |  |
| Management fee expense              | (6,146)                     |    | (5,556) | (12,117) |                           | (11,679) |  |  |
| Net management fees from affiliates | \$<br>11,135                | \$ | 15,646  | 21,022   | \$                        | 25,201   |  |  |

#### **Impairment**

Operating properties

We regularly review our consolidated properties for potential impairment indicators whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. Impairment indicators are assessed separately for each property and include, but are not limited to, significant decreases in real estate property net operating income, significant decreases in occupancy percentage, debt maturities, management s intent with respect to the properties and prevailing market conditions.

If an indicator of potential impairment exists, the property is tested for recoverability by comparing its carrying amount to the estimated future undiscounted cash flows. Although the carrying amount may exceed the estimated fair value of certain properties, a real estate asset is only considered to be impaired when its carrying amount cannot be recovered through estimated future undiscounted cash flows. To the extent an impairment provision is determined to be necessary, the excess of the carrying amount of the property over its estimated fair value is expensed to operations. In addition, the impairment provision is allocated proportionately to adjust the carrying amount of the asset group. The adjusted carrying amount, which represents the new cost basis of the property, is depreciated over the remaining useful life of the property.

Impairment indicators for pre-development costs, which are typically costs incurred during the beginning stages of a potential development and construction in progress, are assessed by project and include, but are not limited to, significant changes in the Company s plans with respect to the project, significant changes in projected completion dates, tenant demand, anticipated revenues or cash flows, development costs, market factors and sustainability of development projects.

Impairment charges are recorded in the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss) when the carrying value of a property is not recoverable and it exceeds the estimated fair value of the property, which can occur in accounting periods preceding disposition and / or in the period of disposition.

Although we may market a property for sale, there can be no assurance that the transaction will be complete until the sale is finalized. However, GAAP requires us to utilize the Company s expected holding period of our

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properties when assessing recoverability. If we cannot recover the carrying value of these properties within the planned holding period, we will estimate the fair values of the assets and record impairment charges for properties when the estimated fair value is less than their carrying value.

There were no provisions for impairment for the three months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, included in continuing operations of our Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss). During the six months ended June 30, 2013, we recorded \$5.0 million of impairment charges in discontinued operations in our Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss), which was incurred as a result of the sale of two operating properties. One of the operating properties was previously transferred to a special servicer, and was sold in a lender-directed sale in full satisfaction of the related debt. This resulted in the recognition of a gain on extinguishment of debt of \$25.9 million (Note 4). The other operating property related to a regional mall where the sales price of the property was lower than its carrying value. During the six months ended June 30, 2012, we recorded \$10.4 million of impairment charges in discontinued operations in our Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss) related to the disposal of two operating properties.

Investment in Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates

A series of operating losses of an investee or other factors may indicate that an other-than-temporary decline in value of our investment in an Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliate has occurred. The investment in each of the Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates is evaluated for valuation declines below the carrying amount. Accordingly, in addition to the property-specific impairment analysis that we perform for such joint ventures (as part of our operating property impairment process described above), we also considered whether there were other-than-temporary declines with respect to the carrying values of our Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates. No impairments related to our investments in Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates were recognized for the three and six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012.

General

Impairment charges could be taken in the future if economic conditions change or if the plans regarding our assets change. Therefore, we can provide no assurance that material impairment charges with respect to our assets, including operating properties, construction in progress and investments in Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates, will not occur in future periods. We will continue to monitor circumstances and events in future periods to determine whether impairments are warranted.

#### Fair Value Measurements

The accounting principles for fair value measurements establish a three-tier fair value hierarchy, which prioritizes the inputs used in measuring fair value. These tiers include:

- Level 1 defined as observable inputs such as quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets;
- Level 2 defined as inputs other than quoted prices in active markets that are either directly or indirectly observable; and
- Level 3 defined as unobservable inputs in which little or no market data exists, therefore requiring an entity to develop its own assumptions.

The impairment section above includes a discussion of all impairments recognized during the six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012 that were based on Level 2 inputs. Note 5 includes a discussion of properties measured at fair value on a non-recurring basis using Level 2 and Level 3 inputs and the fair value of debt, which is estimated on a recurring basis using Level 2 and Level 3 inputs. Note 9 includes a discussion of our outstanding warrant liability which was previously measured at fair value using Level 3 inputs. Note 10 includes a discussion of certain redeemable noncontrolling interests that are measured at fair value using Level 1 inputs.

#### NOTE 3 ACQUISITIONS AND JOINT VENTURE ACTIVITY

On June 28, 2013, we acquired the 50% interest in Quail Springs Mall, previously held by our joint venture partner, for total consideration of \$90.2 million, which included \$55.5 million of cash and the assumption of the remaining 50% of debt. The joint venture property was previously recorded under the equity method of

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accounting and is now consolidated. The acquisition resulted in a remeasurement of the net assets acquired to fair value. We recorded Gains from changes in control of investment properties in our Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss) for the three and six months ended June 30, 2013, since the fair value of the net assets acquired was greater than our investment in the Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliate and the cash paid to acquire our joint venture partner s interest. The table below summarizes the gain calculation:

| Total fair value of net assets acquired                   | \$<br>110,893 |
|---|---------------|
| Previous investment in Quail Springs Mall                 | (35,610)      |
| Cash paid to acquire our joint venture partner s interest | (55,507)      |
| Gain from change in control of investment properties      | \$<br>19,776  |

The following table summarizes the preliminary allocation of the purchase price to the net assets acquired at the date of acquisition. These allocations were based on the relative fair values of the assets acquired and liabilities assumed. The preliminary allocation was based upon estimates and assumptions that will be updated once our valuation is finalized (a period that is generally not to exceed one year from the acquisition date).

| Investment in real estate | \$<br>184,899 |
|---------------------------|---------------|
| Fair value of debt        | (77,204)      |
| Net working capital       | 3,198         |
| Net assets acquired       | \$<br>110,893 |

On May 16, 2013, we formed a joint venture with TIAA-CREF Global Investments, LLC ( TIAACREF ) that holds 100% of The Grand Canal Shoppes and The Shoppes at The Palazzo. We received \$411.5 million in cash, net of debt assumed, and TIAACREF received a 49.9% economic interest in the joint venture. We recorded Gains from changes in control of investment properties of \$200.0 million on our Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss) for the three and six months ended June 30, 2013, as a result of this transaction. We are the general partner, however we account for the joint venture under the equity method of accounting because we share control over major decisions with TIAACREF and TIAACREF has substantive participating rights. The following table reflects the Gains from changes in control of investment properties recognized on our Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss).

| Cash received from joint venture partner               | \$<br>411,476 |
|--|---------------|
| Proportionate share of previous investment in          |               |
| The Grand Canal Shoppes and The Shoppes at The Palazzo | (211,468)     |
| Gain from change in control of investment properties   | \$<br>200,008 |

On April 5, 2012, we acquired the remaining 49% interest in The Oaks and Westroads, previously held by our joint venture partner for total consideration of \$191.1 million, which included \$98.3 million of cash and the assumption of the remaining 49% of debt and net working capital. The joint venture properties were previously recorded under the equity method of accounting and are now consolidated. The acquisition resulted in a remeasurement of the net assets acquired to fair value. We recorded Gains from changes in control of investment properties of \$18.5 million, since the fair value of the net assets acquired was greater than our investment in the Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliate and the cash paid to acquire the joint venture partner s interest.

# NOTE 4 DISCONTINUED OPERATIONS AND GAINS (LOSSES) ON DISPOSITIONS OF INTERESTS IN OPERATING PROPERTIES

All of our dispositions, for all periods presented, are included in discontinued operations in our Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss) and are summarized in the table below. Gains on disposition and gains on debt extinguishment are recorded in the Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss) in the period the property is disposed.

During the six months ended June 30, 2013, we sold our interests in three non-core assets totaling approximately 2 million square feet of GLA, which reduced our property level debt by \$121.2 million. One property, which was previously transferred to a special servicer, was sold in a lender-directed sale in full satisfaction of the debt. This resulted in a gain on extinguishment of debt of \$25.9 million.

During the six months ended June 30, 2012, we sold our interests in four non-core assets totaling approximately one million square feet of GLA, which reduced our property level debt by \$71.9 million.

During the six months ended June 30, 2012, we completed the spin-off of RPI, a 30-mall portfolio totaling approximately 21 million square feet. The RPI Spin-off was accomplished through a special dividend of the common stock of RPI to holders of GGP common stock as of December 30, 2011.

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The following table summarizes the operations of the properties included in discontinued operations.

|  | Three Months Ended June 30, 2013 2012 |    |         | Six Months Ended June 30,<br>2013 2012 |    |          |  |
|--|---------------------------------------|----|---------|--|----|----------|--|
| Retail and other revenue                       | \$<br>334                             | \$ | 19,108  | \$<br>1,514                            | \$ | 55,458   |  |
| Total revenues                                 | 334                                   |    | 19,108  | 1,514                                  |    | 55,458   |  |
| Retail and other operating expenses            | 181                                   |    | 12,884  | 1,489                                  |    | 40,705   |  |
| Provisions for impairment and other gains      |                                       |    |         | 4,975                                  |    | 10,393   |  |
| Total expenses                                 | 181                                   |    | 12,884  | 6,464                                  |    | 51,098   |  |
| Operating income (loss)                        | 153                                   |    | 6,224   | (4,950)                                |    | 4,360    |  |
| Interest expense, net                          | (15)                                  |    | (5,571) | (1,536)                                |    | (15,185) |  |
| Gain on debt extinguishment                    |                                       |    |         | 25,894                                 |    |          |  |
| Net income (loss) from operations              | 138                                   |    | 653     | 19,408                                 |    | (10,825) |  |
| Provision for income taxes                     |                                       |    | (7)     |  |    | (23)     |  |
| Losses on dispositions                         | (442)                                 |    | (147)   | (766)                                  |    | (175)    |  |
| Net (loss) income from discontinued operations | \$<br>(304)                           | \$ | 499     | \$<br>18,642                           | \$ | (11,023) |  |

#### NOTE 5 FAIR VALUE

#### **Fair Value of Operating Properties**

We estimate fair value relating to impairment assessments based upon discounted cash flow and direct capitalization models that include all projected cash inflows and outflows over a specific holding period, or the negotiated sales price, if applicable. Such projected cash flows are comprised of contractual rental revenues and forecasted rental revenues and expenses based upon market conditions and expectations for growth. Capitalization rates and discount rates utilized in these models are based on a reasonable range of current market rates for each property analyzed. Based upon these inputs, we determined that our valuations of properties using a discounted cash flow or a direct capitalization model were classified within Level 3 of the fair value hierarchy. For our properties for which the estimated fair value was based on negotiated sales prices, we determined that our valuation was classified within Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy. As of June 30, 2013, and December 31, 2012, we carried all of our operating properties at their historical cost, less accumulated depreciation.

#### **Fair Value of Financial Instruments**

The fair values of our financial instruments approximate their carrying amount in our consolidated financial statements except for debt. Management s estimates of fair value are presented below for our debt as of June 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012.

|                    |       | June 30,           |    | December 31, 2012 |                          |            |    |            |  |  |
|--------------------|-------|--------------------|----|-------------------|--------------------------|------------|----|------------|--|--|
|                    |       | Estimated Fair     |    |                   |                          |            |    |            |  |  |
|                    | Carry | Carrying Amount(1) |    |                   | Value Carrying Amount(1) |            |    | Value      |  |  |
| Fixed-rate debt    | \$    | 13,963,928         | \$ | 14,289,526        | \$                       | 14,954,601 | \$ | 16,190,518 |  |  |
| Variable-rate debt |       | 1,500,000          | \$ | 1,537,386         |                          | 1,012,265  |    | 1,040,687  |  |  |
|                    | \$    | 15,463,928         | \$ | 15,826,912        | \$                       | 15,966,866 | \$ | 17,231,205 |  |  |

<sup>(1)</sup> Includes market rate adjustments.

The fair value of our Junior Subordinated Notes approximates their carrying amount as of June 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012. We estimated the fair value of mortgages, notes and other loans payable using Level 2 and Level 3 inputs based on recent financing transactions, estimates of the fair value of the property that serves as collateral for such debt, historical risk premiums for loans of comparable quality, current London Interbank Offered Rate (LIBOR), U.S. treasury obligation interest rates and on the discounted estimated future cash payments to be made on such debt. The discount rates estimated reflect our judgment as to what the approximate current lending rates for loans or groups of loans with similar maturities and credit quality would be if credit markets were operating efficiently and assume that the debt is outstanding through maturity. We have utilized market information as available or present value techniques to estimate the amounts required to be disclosed. Since such amounts are estimates that are based on limited available market information for similar

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transactions and do not acknowledge transfer or other repayment restrictions that may exist in specific loans, it is unlikely that the estimated fair value of any such debt could be realized by immediate settlement of the obligation.

#### NOTE 6 UNCONSOLIDATED REAL ESTATE AFFILIATES

Following is summarized financial information for all of our Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates, including our investment in Aliansce Shopping Centers, S.A. ( Aliansce ).

|   | June 30,<br>2013 | I       | December 31,<br>2012 |
|---|------------------|---------|----------------------|
|   | (Dollars in      | thousar | nds)                 |
| Condensed Combined Balance Sheets - Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates   |                  |         |                      |
| Assets:   |                  |         |                      |
| Land  | \$<br>1,075,440  | \$      | 960,335              |
| Buildings and equipment   | 9,268,026        |         | 7,658,965            |
| Less accumulated depreciation   | (2,225,207)      |         | (2,080,361)          |
| Construction in progress  | 183,047          |         | 173,419              |
| Net property and equipment  | 8,301,306        |         | 6,712,358            |
| Investments in unconsolidated joint ventures                                | 476,986          |         | 1,201,044            |
| Net investment in real estate   | 8,778,292        |         | 7,913,402            |
| Cash and cash equivalents   | 352,138          |         | 485,387              |
| Accounts and notes receivable, net  | 163,466          |         | 167,548              |
| Deferred expenses, net  | 243,017          |         | 298,050              |
| Prepaid expenses and other assets   | 245,406          |         | 140,229              |
| Total assets  | \$<br>9,782,319  | \$      | 9,004,616            |
|   |                  |         |                      |
| Liabilities and Owners Equity:  |                  |         |                      |
| Mortgages, notes and loans payable  | \$<br>7,057,743  | \$      | 6,463,377            |
| Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities                    | 432,270          |         | 509,064              |
| Cumulative effect of foreign currency translation ( CFCT )                  | (199,123)        |         | (158,195)            |
| Owners equity, excluding CFCT   | 2,491,429        |         | 2,190,370            |
| Total liabilities and owners equity   | \$<br>9,782,319  | \$      | 9,004,616            |
|   |                  |         |                      |
| Investment In and Loans To/From Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates, Net: |                  |         |                      |
| Owners equity   | \$<br>2,292,306  | \$      | 2,032,175            |
| Less: joint venture partners equity   | (1,259,224)      |         | (1,105,457)          |

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| Plus: excess investment/basis differences*  | 1,914,423       | 1,939,153       |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|
| Investment in and loans to/from   |                 |                 |
| Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates, net  | \$<br>2,947,505 | \$<br>2,865,871 |
|   |                 |                 |
| Reconciliation - Investment In and Loans To/From Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates: |                 |                 |
| Asset - Investment in and loans to/from   |                 |                 |
| Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates   | \$<br>2,963,892 | \$<br>2,865,871 |
| Liability - Investment in and loans to/from   |                 |                 |
| Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates   | (16,387)        |                 |
| Investment in and loans to/from   |                 |                 |
| Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates, net  | \$<br>2,947,505 | \$<br>2,865,871 |
|   |                 |                 |

<sup>\*</sup>Includes gain on investment in Aliansce of \$3.4 million.

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|   | Three Months Ended June 30,<br>2013 2012<br>(Dollars in thousands) |    |            | Six Months Ended June 30,<br>2013 2012<br>(Dollars in thousands) |    |           |
|---|--|----|------------|--|----|-----------|
| Condensed Combined Statements of Income -                         |  |    |            |  |    |           |
| Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates                             |  |    |            |  |    |           |
| Revenues:   |  |    |            |  |    |           |
| Minimum rents   | \$<br>215,471  | \$ | 190,743 \$ | 414,988  | \$ | 384,977   |
| Tenant recoveries   | 83,159   |    | 73,364     | 159,288  |    | 150,292   |
| Overage rents   | 5,828  |    | 4,628      | 13,670   |    | 10,955    |
| Management and other fees(1)                                      | 3,992  |    | 7,284      | 8,908  |    | 12,142    |
| Other   | 10,495   |    | 9,568      | 31,777   |    | 32,387    |
| Total revenues  | 318,945  |    | 285,587    | 628,631  |    | 590,753   |
|   |  |    |            |  |    |           |
| Expenses:   |  |    |            |  |    |           |
| Real estate taxes   | 26,094   |    | 23,645     | 51,609   |    | 47,931    |
| Property maintenance costs  | 7,638  |    | 8,715      | 16,261   |    | 18,814    |
| Marketing   | 3,388  |    | 3,428      | 6,529  |    | 6,814     |
| Other property operating costs                                    | 49,309   |    | 31,443     | 92,747   |    | 78,329    |
| Provision for doubtful accounts                                   | 492  |    | 81         | 2,025  |    | 768       |
| Property management and other costs(2)                            | 12,686   |    | 12,035     | 25,124   |    | 24,725    |
| General and administrative(1)                                     | 6,527  |    | 9,501      | 16,794   |    | 20,097    |
| Depreciation and amortization                                     | 74,244   |    | 66,650     | 147,429  |    | 138,787   |
| Total expenses  | 180,378  |    | 155,498    | 358,518  |    | 336,265   |
| Operating income  | 138,567  |    | 130,089    | 270,113  |    | 254,488   |
|   |  |    |            |  |    |           |
| Interest income   | 4,027  |    | 3,490      | 7,790  |    | 5,714     |
| Interest expense  | (96,173)   |    | (87,385)   | (185,038)  |    | (168,818) |
| Provision for income taxes  | (132)  |    | (232)      | (288)  |    | (451)     |
| Equity in income of unconsolidated joint ventures                 | 14,829   |    | 11,120     | 29,185   |    | 17,914    |
| Income from continuing operations                                 | 61,118   |    | 57,082     | 121,762  |    | 108,847   |
| Discontinued operations   |  |    | (14)       |  |    | (941)     |
| Allocation to noncontrolling interests                            | (1,058)  |    | (839)      | 207  |    | (732)     |
| Net income attributable to the ventures                           | \$<br>60,060   | \$ | 56,229 \$  | 121,969  | \$ | 107,174   |
|   |  |    |            |  |    |           |
| <b>Equity In Income of Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates:</b> |  |    |            |  |    |           |
| Net income attributable to the ventures                           | \$<br>60,060   | \$ | 56,229 \$  | 121,969  | \$ | 107,174   |
| Joint venture partners share of income                            | (33,082)   |    | (33,860)   | (67,741)   |    | (64,954)  |
| Amortization of capital or basis differences                      | (12,991)   |    | (10,526)   | (27,047)   |    | (24,425)  |
| Equity in income of Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates         | \$<br>13,987   | \$ | 11,843 \$  | 27,181   | \$ | 17,795    |

<sup>(1)</sup> Primarily includes activity from Aliansce (defined below).

(2) Includes management fees charged to the unconsolidated joint ventures by GGMI and GGSI.

The amounts described as Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates represents our investments in real estate joint ventures that are not consolidated. We hold interests in 19 domestic joint ventures, comprising 31 U.S. regional malls, and two international joint ventures, comprising 18 regional malls in Brazil. Generally, we share in the profits and losses, cash flows and other matters relating to our investments in Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates in accordance with our respective ownership percentages. We manage most of the domestic properties owned by these joint ventures. As we have joint control of these ventures with our venture partners, we account for these joint ventures under the equity method.

On May 16, 2013, we formed a joint venture with TIAACREF (Note 3). This transaction brings our ownership interest in The Grand Canal Shoppes and the Shoppes at the Palazzo to 50.1%. We are the general partner, however we account for the joint venture under the equity method of accounting because we share control over major decisions with TIAACREF and TIAACREF has substantive participating rights.

On June 28, 2013, we acquired the 50% interest in Quail Springs Mall previously held by our joint venture partner (Note 3). This transaction brings our ownership interest in the mall to 100%. As such, we began accounting for the property as a consolidated property as of June 28, 2013.

#### Aliansce Shopping Centers S.A.

On December 13, 2012, as a result of a secondary public offering of Aliansce s common shares in Brazil, our ownership interest was reduced from 45.5% to 40.5%. As a result of the reduction, we recorded a gain of \$23.4 million on our investment in Aliansce during the year ended December 31, 2012. The underwriters were provided an over-allotment option to the secondary offering, which allowed for the purchase of an additional 15% of shares within 30 days. The additional 15% of over-allotted shares were issued on January 14, 2013, and our ownership interest was further diluted to 40.0%. As a result of the dilution from the over-allotment, we recorded a gain of \$3.4 million on our investment in Aliansce for the six months ended June 30, 2013.

As of June 30, 2013, we held a 40.0% non-controlling ownership interest in Aliansce, as well as, a 35% non-controlling interest in a large regional mall, Shopping Leblon, in Rio de Janeiro (Brazil). The ownership interests in Aliansce and Shopping Leblon are accounted for under the equity method. Our investment in

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Aliansce is an ownership interest in approximately 64,000,000 shares of the public real estate operating company. On July 29, 2013, we entered into agreements to sell our interest in Aliansce. Refer to Note 17.

#### Unconsolidated Mortgages, Notes and Loans Payable and Retained Debt

Our proportionate share of the mortgages, notes and loans payable of the unconsolidated joint ventures was \$3.4 billion as of June 30, 2013 and \$3.1 billion as of December 31, 2012, including Retained Debt (as defined below). There can be no assurance that the Unconsolidated Properties will be able to refinance or restructure such debt on acceptable terms or otherwise, or that joint venture operations or contributions by us and/or our partners will be sufficient to repay such loans.

We have debt obligations in excess of our proportionate share of the debt of our Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates (Retained Debt). This Retained Debt represents distributed debt proceeds of the Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates in excess of our proportionate share of the non-recourse mortgage indebtedness. The proceeds of the Retained Debt which were distributed to us are included as a reduction in our investment in Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates. We had retained debt of \$91.2 million at one property as of June 30, 2013, and \$91.8 million as of December 31, 2012. We are obligated to contribute funds on an ongoing basis to our Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates in amounts sufficient to pay debt service on such Retained Debt. If we do not contribute such funds, our distributions from such Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates, or our interest in them, could be reduced to the extent of such deficiencies. As of June 30, 2013, we do not anticipate an inability to perform on our obligations with respect to Retained Debt.

## NOTE 7 MORTGAGES, NOTES AND LOANS PAYABLE

Mortgages, notes and loans payable and the weighted-average interest rates are summarized as follows:

|   | June 30,<br>2013(1) | Weighted-Average<br>Interest Rate(2) | December 31,<br>2012(3) | Weighted-Average<br>Interest Rate(2) |
|---|---------------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Fixed-rate debt:                                  |                     |                                      |                         |                                      |
| Collateralized mortgages, notes and loans payable | \$<br>13,948,140    | 4.67% \$                             | 14,225,011              | 4.88%                                |
| Corporate and other unsecured loans               | 15,788              | 4.41%                                | 729,590                 | 6.51%                                |

| 13,963,928 | 4.67%                   | 14,954,601                             | 4.96%   |
|------------|-------------------------|--|---|
|            |                         |  |   |
|            |                         |  |   |
| 1,500,000  | 2.75%                   | 1,012,265                              | 3.42%   |
|            |                         |  |   |
| 15,463,928 | 4.48% \$                | 15,966,866                             | 4.86%   |
|            |                         |  |   |
|            |                         |  |   |
| 206,200    | 1.73% \$                | 206,200                                | 1.76%   |
|            | 1,500,000<br>15,463,928 | 1,500,000 2.75%<br>15,463,928 4.48% \$ | 1,500,000 2.75% 1,012,265<br>15,463,928 4.48% \$ 15,966,866 |

<sup>(1)</sup> Includes (\$5.0) million of debt market rate adjustments.

- (2) Represents the weighted-average interest rates on our principal balances, excluding the effects of deferred finance costs.
- (3) Includes (\$23.3) million of debt market rate adjustments.
- (4) Corporate loan secured by cross-collateralized mortgages on 16 properties.

#### Collateralized Mortgages, Notes and Loans Pavable

As of June 30, 2013, \$19.3 billion of land, buildings and equipment (before accumulated depreciation) and construction in progress have been pledged as collateral for our mortgages, notes and loans payable. Certain of these consolidated secured loans, representing \$1.8 billion of debt, are cross-collateralized with other properties. Although a majority of the \$15.4 billion of fixed and variable rate collateralized mortgages, notes and loans payable are non-recourse, \$1.6 billion of such mortgages, notes and loans payable are recourse to the Company. In addition, certain mortgage loans contain other credit enhancement provisions which have been provided by GGP. Certain mortgages, notes and loans payable may be prepaid but are generally subject to a prepayment penalty equal to a yield-maintenance premium, defeasance or a percentage of the loan balance.

During the six months ended June 30, 2013, we refinanced consolidated mortgage notes totaling \$3.3 billion related to 25 properties with net proceeds of \$959.8 million. The prior loans had a weighted-average term-to-maturity of 2.6 years, and a weighted-average interest rate of 4.7%. The new loans have a weighted-average term-to-maturity of 7.9 years, and a weighted-average interest rate of 3.2%.

\$1.5 billion of the refinanced debt relates to a corporate loan secured by cross-collateralized mortgages on 16 properties with a weighted-average interest rate of LIBOR + 2.50% and a term-to-maturity of 3.0 years (with 2 one-year options). The prior loans were secured by 16 properties and had a weighted-average interest rate of 3.98% and a term to maturity of 3.3 years. We expensed financing fees of \$6.6 million associated with this loan in Loss on extinguishment of debt on our Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss), and we capitalized \$9.5 million as deferred financing costs within Deferred expenses on our Consolidated Balance Sheets.

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#### **Unsecured Loans**

During the six months ended June 30, 2013, we paid down \$700.5 million of corporate unsecured bonds. We have certain unsecured debt obligations, the terms of which are described below:

|  | June 30,<br>2013(2) | Weighted-Average<br>Interest Rate | December 31,<br>2012 (3) | Weighted-Average<br>Interest Rate |  |
|--|---------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| Unsecured fixed-rate debt:                 |                     |                                   |                          |                                   |  |
| Unsecured Corporate Bonds - 2010 Indenture | \$                  | \$                                | 608,688                  | 6.75%                             |  |
| HHC Note(1)                                | 16,297              | 4.41%                             | 19,347                   | 4.41%                             |  |
| Unsecured Corporate Bonds - 1995 Indenture |                     |                                   | 91,786                   | 5.38%                             |  |
|  |                     |                                   |                          |                                   |  |
| Total unsecured fixed-rate debt            | \$<br>16,297        | 4.41% \$                          | 719,821                  | 6.51%                             |  |

<sup>(1)</sup> Matures in December 2015.

On February 14, 2013, the Company redeemed the \$91.8 million of 5.38% unsecured corporate bonds due November 26, 2013. The bonds were redeemed in cash at the Make-Whole Price, as defined in the applicable indenture, plus accrued and unpaid interest up to, but excluding, the redemption date. We incurred debt extinguishment costs of \$3.5 million in connection with the redemption, which is recorded within Loss on extinguishment of debt on our Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss).

On May 1, 2013, the Company redeemed the \$608.7 million of 6.75% unsecured corporate bonds due November 9, 2015. The bonds were redeemed in cash at the Make-Whole Price, as defined in the applicable indenture, plus accrued and unpaid interest up to, but excluding, the redemption date. We incurred debt extinguishment costs of \$20.5 million in connection with the redemption, which is recorded within Loss on extinguishment of debt on our Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss).

<sup>(2)</sup> Excludes a market rate discount of \$0.5 million that decreases the total amount that appears outstanding in our Consolidated Balance Sheets. The market rate discount amortizes as an addition to interest expense over the life of the loan.

<sup>(3)</sup> Excludes a net market rate premium of \$9.8 million that increases the total amount that appears outstanding in our Consolidated Balance Sheets. The market rate premium amortizes as a reduction to interest expense over the life of the respective loan.

The unsecured corporate bonds had covenants, including ratios of secured debt to gross assets and total debt to gross assets, that governed our ability to incur debt for certain assets. As a result of the redemptions of the unsecured corporate bonds, the Company and related assets are no longer subject to the unsecured corporate bonds covenants.

Our revolving credit facility (the Facility ) provides for revolving loans of up to \$1.00 billion. The Facility has an uncommitted accordion feature for a total facility of up to \$1.25 billion. The Facility is scheduled to mature in April 2016 and is guaranteed by certain of our subsidiaries and secured by (i) a first-lien on the capital stock of certain of our subsidiaries and (ii) various additional collateral. Borrowings under the Facility bear interest at a rate equal to LIBOR plus 200 to 275 basis points which is determined by the Company s leverage level. The Facility contains certain restrictive covenants which limit material changes in the nature of our business conducted, including but not limited to, mergers, dissolutions or liquidations, dispositions of assets, liens, incurrence of additional indebtedness, dividends, transactions with affiliates, prepayment of subordinated debt, negative pledges and changes in fiscal periods. In addition, we are required not to exceed a maximum net debt to value ratio, a maximum leverage ratio and a minimum net cash interest coverage ratio; we are not aware of any instances of non-compliance with such covenants as of June 30, 2013. No amounts are outstanding on the Facility as of June 30, 2013.

#### **Junior Subordinated Notes**

GGP Capital Trust I, a Delaware statutory trust (the Trust ) and a wholly-owned subsidiary of GGPLP, completed a private placement of \$200.0 million of trust preferred securities (TRUPS) in 2006. The Trust also issued \$6.2 million of Common Securities to GGPLP. The Trust used the proceeds from the sale of the TRUPS and Common Securities to purchase \$206.2 million of floating rate Junior Subordinated Notes of

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GGPLP due 2041. Distributions on the TRUPS are equal to LIBOR plus 1.45%. Distributions are cumulative and accrue from the date of original issuance. The TRUPS mature on April 30, 2041, but may be redeemed beginning on April 30, 2011 if the Trust exercises its right to redeem a like amount of Junior Subordinated Notes. The Junior Subordinated Notes bear interest at LIBOR plus 1.45% and are fully recourse to the Company. Though the Trust is a wholly-owned subsidiary of GGPLP, we are not the primary beneficiary of the Trust and, accordingly, it is not consolidated for accounting purposes. We have recorded our Junior Subordinated Notes as a liability and our common equity interest in the Trust as prepaid expenses and other assets in our Consolidated Balance Sheets as of June 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012.

#### **Letters of Credit and Surety Bonds**

We had outstanding letters of credit and surety bonds of \$22.3 million as of June 30, 2013 and \$21.7 million as of December 31, 2012. These letters of credit and bonds were issued primarily in connection with insurance requirements, special real estate assessments and construction obligations.

We are not aware of any instances of non-compliance with our financial covenants related to our mortgages, notes and loans payable as of June 30, 2013 with the exception of one property transferred to a special servicer.

#### NOTE 8 INCOME TAXES

We have elected to be taxed as a REIT under the Internal Revenue Code. We intend to maintain REIT status. To qualify as a REIT, the Company must meet a number of organizational and operational requirements, including requirements to distribute at least 90% of our ordinary taxable income and to either distribute capital gains to stockholders, or pay corporate income tax on the undistributed capital gains. In addition, the Company is required to meet certain asset and income tests.

As a REIT, we will generally not be subject to corporate level Federal income tax on taxable income we distribute currently to our stockholders. If we fail to qualify as a REIT in any taxable year, we will be subject to Federal income taxes at regular corporate rates (including any applicable alternative minimum tax) and may not be able to qualify as a REIT for four subsequent taxable years. Even if we qualify for taxation as a REIT, we may be subject to certain state and local taxes on our income or property, and to Federal income and excise taxes on our undistributed taxable income. Generally, we are currently open to audit by the Internal Revenue Service for the years ended December 31, 2009 through 2012 and are

open to audit by state taxing authorities for the years ended December 31, 2008 through 2012.

Based on our assessment of the expected outcome of existing examinations or examinations that may commence, or as a result of the expiration of the statute of limitations for specific jurisdictions, it is reasonably possible that the related unrecognized tax benefits, excluding accrued interest, for tax positions taken regarding previously filed tax returns will change from those recorded at June 30, 2013, although such change is not expected to have a material effect on our consolidated financial position, results of operations or liquidity.

#### NOTE 9 WARRANTS

Pursuant to the terms of the Investment Agreements, the Plan Sponsors and Blackstone were issued 120,000,000 warrants (the Warrants ) to purchase common stock of GGP with an initial weighted average exercise price of \$10.63. Each Warrant was originally recorded as a liability, as the holders of the Warrants could have required GGP to settle such Warrants in cash upon certain changes of control events. The Warrants were fully vested upon issuance. Each Warrant has a term of seven years and expires on November 9, 2017. Below is a summary of the Warrants initially received by the Plan Sponsors and Blackstone.

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| Initial Warrant Holder | Number of Warrants | Initial<br>Exercise Price |
|------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|
| Brookfield Investor    | 57,500,000         | \$<br>10.75               |
| Blackstone - B (2)     | 2,500,000          | 10.75                     |
| Fairholme (2)          | 41,070,000         | 10.50                     |
| Pershing Square (1)    | 16,430,000         | 10.50                     |
| Blackstone - A (2)     | 2,500,000          | 10.50                     |
|                        | 120,000,000        |                           |

<sup>(1)</sup> On December 31, 2012, the Pershing Square warrants were purchased by the Brookfield Investor.

The Brookfield Investor Warrants and the Blackstone (A and B) Warrants were immediately exercisable, while the Fairholme Warrants and the Pershing Square Warrants were exercisable (for the initial 6.5 years from the issuance) only upon 90 days prior notice, but there is no obligation to exercise at any point from the end of the 90 day notification period through maturity.

The exercise prices of the Warrants are subject to adjustment for future dividends, stock dividends, distribution of assets, stock splits or reverse splits of our common stock or certain other events. In accordance with the agreement, these calculations adjust both the exercise price and the number of shares issuable for the 120,000,000 Warrants that were initially issued to the Plan Sponsors. During 2012 and 2013, the number of shares issuable upon exercise of the outstanding Warrants changed as follows:

|                   |                     | Exercise Price                                |   |  |  |  |  |
|-------------------|---------------------|---|---|--|--|--|--|
| Record Date       | Issuable Shares (1) | Brookfield Investor<br>and Blackstone - B (2) | Fairholme, Pershing<br>Square and Blackstone<br>- A (2) (3) |  |  |  |  |
| April 16, 2012    | 132,372,000         | 9.75  | 9.52  |  |  |  |  |
| July 16, 2012     | 133,116,000         | 9.69  | 9.47  |  |  |  |  |
| October 15, 2012  | 133,884,000         | 9.64  | 9.41  |  |  |  |  |
| December 14, 2012 | 134,640,000         | 9.58  | 9.36  |  |  |  |  |
| April 16, 2013    | 83,443,178          | 9.53  | 9.30  |  |  |  |  |

<sup>(1)</sup> Issuable shares as of April 16, 2013 exlcude the Fairholme and Blackstone A and B warrants purchased by GGPLP.

<sup>(2)</sup> On January 28, 2013, the Fairholme and Blackstone A and B warrants were purchased by GGP.

- (2) On January 28, 2013, the Fairholme and Blackstone A and B warrants were purchased by GGPLP.
- (3) On December 31, 2012, the Pershing Square warrants were purchased by the Brookfield Investor.

On December 31, 2012, the Brookfield Investor acquired all of the 16,430,000 Warrants held by Pershing Square for a purchase price of approximately \$272 million. At the time of purchase, the Pershing Square Warrants were exercisable into approximately 10 million common shares of the Company at a weighted average exercise price of approximately \$9.36 per share, assuming net share settlement (i.e. receive shares in common stock equivalent to the intrinsic value of the warrant at the time of exercise). In connection with the transaction, Brookfield Investor and Pershing Square are required to abide by certain undertakings outlined in their Warrant Purchase Agreement dated December 31, 2012, which was filed on the same date.

On January 28, 2013, GGPLP acquired the 41,070,000 Warrants held by Fairholme and the 5,000,000 Warrants held by Blackstone for an aggregate purchase price of approximately \$633 million. At the time of purchase, the GGPLP Warrants were exercisable into approximately 27 million common shares of the Company at a weighted average exercise price of approximately \$9.37 per share, assuming net share settlement. On March 26, 2013, GGPLP exercised their warrants and were issued approximately 27.5 million shares of GGP s common stock, under net share settlement (See Note 11 for further discussion).

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As a result of the transactions occurring on December 31, 2012, and January 28, 2013, the Brookfield Investor is now the sole third party owner of the Warrants. Brookfield Investor has the option for 57,500,000 Warrants to either full share settle (i.e. deliver cash for the exercise price of the Warrants in the amount of approximately \$618 million in exchange for approximately 65,000,000 shares of common stock) or net share settle. The remaining 16,430,000 Warrants held by Brookfield Investor must be net share settled. As of June 30, 2013, Brookfield Investor s Warrants are exercisable into approximately 44 million common shares of the Company, at a weighted-average exercise price of approximately \$9.48 per share. Due to their ownership of the Warrants, Brookfield Investor s potential ownership of the Company may change as a result of payments of dividends and changes in our stock price.

On March 28, 2013, we entered into an agreement with Brookfield Investor to amend the warrant agreement. The amendment to the warrant agreement replaced the right of warrant holders to receive cash from the Company under a change of control to the right to, instead, receive shares of the Company, changing the method of settlement. This amendment results in the classification of the Warrants as a component of permanent equity on our Consolidated Balance Sheets. Prior to the amendment, the Warrants were classified as a liability, due to the cash settlement feature, and marked to fair value, with changes in fair value recognized in earnings. As a result of the amendment, the fair value was determined as of March 28, 2013 with the change in fair value recognized in our Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss) and the determined fair value was reclassified to equity.

The estimated fair value of the Warrants was \$895.5 million as of March 28, 2013 and \$1.5 billion as of December 31, 2012. The fair value of the Warrants was estimated using the Black Scholes option pricing model using our stock price, the Warrant term, and Level 3 inputs (Note 2). As discussed above, the modification of the warrant agreement resulted in the classification of the warrants as equity as of March 28, 2013. From December 31, 2012 through March 28, 2013, changes in the fair value of the Warrants were recognized in earnings. An increase in GGP s common stock price or in the expected volatility of the Warrants would increase the fair value; whereas, a decrease in GGP s common stock price or an increase in the lack of marketability would decrease the fair value.

The following table summarizes the change in fair value of the Warrants which is measured on a recurring basis using Level 3 inputs:

|                               | Six Months Ended June 30, |           |    |           |  |
|-------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------|----|-----------|--|
|                               | 2013                      |           |    | 2012      |  |
| Balance as of January 1,      | \$                        | 1,488,196 | \$ | 985,962   |  |
| Warrant liability adjustment  |                           | 40,546    |    | 289,700   |  |
| Purchase of warrants by GGPLP |                           | (633,229) |    |           |  |
| Reclassification to equity    |                           | (895,513) |    |           |  |
| Balance as of June 30,        | \$                        |           | \$ | 1,275,662 |  |

The following table summarizes the estimated fair value of the Warrants and significant observable and unobservable inputs used in the valuation as of March 28, 2013 and December 31, 2012:

|                                    | March 28, 2013 | December 31, 2012 |
|------------------------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Fair value of Warrants             | \$<br>895,513  | \$<br>1,488,196   |
|                                    |                |                   |
| Observable Inputs                  |                |                   |
| GGP stock price per share          | \$<br>19.88    | \$<br>19.85       |
| Warrant term                       | 4.62           | 4.86              |
|                                    |                |                   |
| Unobservable Inputs                |                |                   |
| Expected volatility                | 30%            | 33%               |
| Range of values considered         | (15% - 65%)    | (20% - 65%)       |
|                                    |                |                   |
| Discount for lack of marketability | 3%             | 3%                |
| Range of values considered         | (3% - 7%)      | (3% - 7%)         |

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#### NOTE 10 EQUITY AND REDEEMABLE NONCONTROLLING INTERESTS

#### **Allocation to Noncontrolling Interests**

Noncontrolling interests consists of the redeemable interests related to our common and preferred Operating Partnership units and the noncontrolling interest in our consolidated joint ventures. The following table reflects the activity included in the allocation to noncontrolling interests.

|  | Three Months E<br>2013 |         | Ended | June 30,<br>2012 | Six Months Er<br>2013 | ided J | ded June 30,<br>2012 |  |
|--|------------------------|---------|-------|------------------|-----------------------|--------|----------------------|--|
| Distributions to preferred Operating Partnership units   | \$                     | (2,336) | \$    | (2,336) \$       | (4,671)               | \$     | (7,769)              |  |
| Net (income) loss allocation to noncontrolling interests in operating partnership from continuing operations (common |                        | (1.470) |       | 922              | (1.205)               |        | 2.150                |  |
| units) Net (income) loss allocated to noncontrolling interest in   |                        | (1,479) |       | 832              | (1,395)               |        | 2,150                |  |
| consolidated real estate affiliates  |                        | (733)   |       | (86)             | (1,270)               |        | 662                  |  |
| Allocation to noncontrolling interests   |                        | (4,548) |       | (1,590)          | (7,336)               |        | (4,957)              |  |
|  |                        |         |       |                  |                       |        |                      |  |
| Other comprehensive loss allocated to noncontrolling   |                        |         |       |                  |                       |        |                      |  |
| interests  |                        | 394     |       | 335              | 340                   |        | 238                  |  |
| Comprehensive loss allocated to noncontrolling interests   | \$                     | (4,154) | \$    | (1,255) \$       | (6,996)               | \$     | (4,719)              |  |

### **Redeemable Noncontrolling Interests**

The minority interest related to the Common and Preferred Units of the Operating Partnership are presented as redeemable noncontrolling interests in our Consolidated Balance Sheets since it is possible we could be required, under certain events outside of our control, to redeem the securities for cash by the holders of the securities.

The Common and Preferred Units of the Operating Partnership are recorded at the greater of the carrying amount adjusted for the noncontrolling interest s share of the allocation of income or loss (and its share of other comprehensive income or loss) and dividends or their fair value as of each measurement date. The excess of the fair value over the carrying amount from period to period is recorded within Additional paid-in capital (loss) in our Consolidated Balance Sheets. Allocation to noncontrolling interests is presented as an adjustment to net income to arrive at net loss attributable to GGP.

The common redeemable noncontrolling interests have been recorded at fair value for all periods presented. One tranche of preferred redeemable noncontrolling interests has been recorded at fair value, while the other tranches of preferred redeemable noncontrolling interests have been recorded at carrying value.

Generally, the holders of the Common Units share in any distributions by the Operating Partnership with our common stockholders. However, the Operating Partnership agreement permits distributions solely to GGP if such distributions were required to allow GGP to comply with the REIT distribution requirements or to avoid the imposition of excise tax. Under certain circumstances, the conversion rate for each Common Unit is required to be adjusted to give effect to stock distributions. If the holders had requested redemption of the Common Units as of June 30, 2013, the aggregate amount of cash we would have paid would have been \$127.5 million.

The Operating Partnership issued Convertible Preferred Units that are convertible into Common Units of the Operating Partnership at the rates below (subject to adjustment). The holder may convert the Convertible Preferred Units into Common units of the Operating Partnership at any time, subject to certain restrictions. The Common Units are convertible into common stock at a one to one ratio at the current stock price.

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|              | Number of Common<br>Units for each<br>Preferred Unit | Number of<br>Contractual<br>Convertible<br>Preferred Units<br>Outstanding as of<br>June 30, 2013 | Converted Basis to<br>Common Units<br>Outstanding as of<br>June 30, 2013 | Conversion | n Price  | Redemption Value  |
|--------------|--|--|--|------------|----------|-------------------|
| Series B (1) | 3.00000  | 1,279,715  | 3,991,799  | \$ 1       | 6.66670  | \$<br>79,317,049  |
| Series D     | 1.50821  | 532,750  | 803,499  | 3          | 3.15188  | 26,637,502        |
| Series E     | 1.29836  | 502,658  | 652,631  | 3          | 88.51000 | 25,132,820        |
| Series C     | 1.00000  | 20,000   | 20,000   | 25         | 0.00000  | 5,000,000         |
|              |  |  |  |            |          | \$<br>136,087,371 |

<sup>(1)</sup> The conversion price of Series B preferred units is lower than the GGP June 30, 2013 closing common stock price of \$19.87. Therefore, a common stock price of \$19.87 is used to calculate the Series B redemption value.

The following table reflects the activity of the redeemable noncontrolling interests for the three months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012.

| Balance at January 1, 2012  | \$<br>223,795 |
|---|---------------|
| Net loss  | (2,150)       |
| Distributions   | (1,372)       |
| Dividend for RPI Spin-Off   | 3,137         |
| Other comprehensive loss  | (238)         |
| Fair value adjustment for noncontrolling interests in Operating Partnership | 28,955        |
| Balance at June 30, 2012  | \$<br>252,127 |
|   |               |
| Balance at January 1, 2013  | \$<br>268,219 |
| Net income  | 1,395         |
| Distributions   | (1,511)       |
| Cash redemption of operating partnership units                              | (3,328)       |
| Other comprehensive loss  | (340)         |
| Fair value adjustment for noncontrolling interests in Operating Partnership | (839)         |
| Balance at June 30, 2013  | \$<br>263,596 |

Our Board of Directors declared common stock dividends during 2013 and 2012 as follows:

| Declaration Date  | Record Date       | Date Payable or Paid | Divi | dend Per Share |
|-------------------|-------------------|----------------------|------|----------------|
| May 10, 2013      | July 16, 2013     | July 30, 2013        | \$   | 0.12           |
| February 4, 2013  | April 16, 2013    | April 30, 2013       |      | 0.12           |
| November 20, 2012 | December 14, 2012 | January 4, 2013      |      | 0.11           |
| July 31, 2012     | October 15, 2012  | October 29, 2012     |      | 0.11           |
| April 26, 2012    | July 16, 2012     | July 30, 2012        |      | 0.10           |
| February 23, 2012 | April 16, 2012    | April 30, 2012       |      | 0.10           |

Our Dividend Reinvestment Plan ( DRIP ) provides eligible holders of GGP s common stock with a convenient method of increasing their investment in the Company by reinvesting all or a portion of cash dividends in additional shares of common stock. Eligible stockholders who enroll in the DRIP on or before the fourth business day preceding the record date for a dividend payment will be able to have that dividend reinvested. As a result of the DRIP elections, 14,050 shares were issued during the six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2,582,327 shares were issued during the year ended June 30, 2012.

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#### Preferred Stock

On February 13, 2013, we issued, in a public offering, 10,000,000 shares of 6.375% Series A Cumulative Perpetual Preferred Stock (the Preferred Stock ) at a price of \$25.00 per share, resulting in net proceeds of \$242.0 million after issuance costs. The Preferred Stock is recorded net of issuance costs within equity on our Consolidated Balance Sheets, and accrues a quarterly dividend at an annual rate of 6.375%. The dividend is paid in arrears in preference to dividends on our common stock, and reduces net income available to common stockholders, and therefore, earnings per share.

The Preferred Stock does not have a stated maturity date but we may redeem the Preferred Stock after February 12, 2018, for \$25.00 per share plus all accrued and unpaid dividends. We may redeem the Preferred Stock prior to February 12, 2018, in limited circumstances that preserve ownership limits and/or our status as a REIT, as well as during certain circumstances surrounding a change of control. Upon certain circumstances surrounding a change of control, Preferred stockholders may elect to convert each share of their Preferred Stock into a number of shares of GGP common stock equivalent to \$25.00 plus accrued and unpaid dividends, but not to exceed a cap of 2.4679 common shares (subject to certain adjustments related to GGP common share splits, subdivisions, or combinations).

On May 10, 2013, our Board of Directors declared a second quarter Preferred Stock dividend of \$0.3984 per share of Preferred Stock payable on July 1, 2013, to stockholders of record on June 14, 2013.

#### NOTE 11 EARNINGS PER SHARE

Basic earnings per share ( EPS ) is computed by dividing net income available to common stockholders by the weighted-average number of common shares outstanding. Diluted EPS is computed after adjusting the numerator and denominator of the basic EPS computation for the effects of all potentially dilutive common shares. The dilutive effect of the Warrants, options, and their equivalents (including fixed awards and nonvested stock issued under stock-based compensation plans), are computed using the treasury method.

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Information related to our EPS calculations is summarized as follows:

|   |    | Three Months 2013  | Ended , | June 30,<br>2012 | Six Months En      | nded Ju | nne 30,<br>2012 |
|---|----|--------------------|---------|------------------|--------------------|---------|-----------------|
| Numerators - Basic:   |    |                    |         |                  |                    |         |                 |
| Income (loss) from continuing operations Preferred Stock dividend     | \$ | 214,227<br>(3,984) | \$      | (106,845) \$     | 186,543<br>(6,109) | \$      | (289,568)       |
| Allocation to noncontrolling interests                                |    | (4,551)            |         | (1,627)          | (7,208)            |         | (5,060)         |
| Income (loss) from continuing operations - net                        |    |                    |         |                  |                    |         |                 |
| of noncontrolling interests   |    | 205,692            |         | (108,472)        | 173,226            |         | (294,628)       |
| Discontinued operations   |    | (304)              |         | 499              | 18,642             |         | (11,023)        |
| Allocation to noncontrolling interests                                |    | 3                  |         | 37               | (128)              |         | 103             |
| Discontinued operations - net of noncontrolling                       |    |                    |         |                  |                    |         |                 |
| interests   |    | (301)              |         | 536              | 18,514             |         | (10,920)        |
| Net income (loss)   |    | 213,923            |         | (106,346)        | 205,185            |         | (300,591)       |
| Preferred Stock dividend  |    | (3,984)            |         | (200,010)        | (6,109)            |         | (000,000)       |
| Allocation to noncontrolling interests                                |    | (4,548)            |         | (1,590)          | (7,336)            |         | (4,957)         |
| Net income (loss) attributable to common                              |    |                    |         | · · ·            | , , ,              |         |                 |
| stockholders  | \$ | 205,391            | \$      | (107,936) \$     | 191,740            | \$      | (305,548)       |
|   |    |                    |         |                  |                    |         |                 |
| Numerators - Diluted:   |    |                    |         |                  |                    |         |                 |
| Income (loss) from continuing operations - net                        | _  |                    |         |                  |                    | _       |                 |
| of noncontrolling interests   | \$ | 205,692            | \$      | (108,472) \$     | 173,226            | \$      | (294,628)       |
| Exclusion of warrant adjustment Diluted income (loss) from continuing |    |                    |         |                  |                    |         |                 |
| operations  | \$ | 205,692            | \$      | (108,472) \$     | 173,226            | \$      | (294,628)       |
| operations  | Ф  | 203,092            | Ф       | (100,472) \$     | 175,220            | Ф       | (294,026)       |
| Net income (loss) attributable to common                              |    |                    |         |                  |                    |         |                 |
| stockholders  | \$ | 205,391            | \$      | (107,936) \$     | 191,740            | \$      | (305,548)       |
| Exclusion of Warrant adjustment                                       |    |                    |         |                  |                    |         |                 |
| Diluted net income (loss) attributable to                             |    |                    |         |                  |                    |         |                 |
| common stockholders   | \$ | 205,391            | \$      | (107,936) \$     | 191,740            | \$      | (305,548)       |
| Denominators:   |    |                    |         |                  |                    |         |                 |
| Weighted average number of common shares                              |    |                    |         |                  |                    |         |                 |
| outstanding - basic   |    | 939,434            |         | 937,789          | 939,353            |         | 937,531         |
| Effect of dilutive securities   |    | 50,027             |         |                  | 3,552              |         |                 |
|   |    | 989,461            |         | 937,789          | 942,905            |         | 937,531         |

Weighted average number of common shares outstanding - diluted

| Anti-dilutive Securities |       |        |        |        |
|--------------------------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Effect of Common Units   | 6,417 | 6,860  | 6,495  | 6,860  |
| Effect of Stock Options  |       | 2,218  |        | 1,952  |
| Effect of Warrants       |       | 58,011 | 48,173 | 55,299 |
|                          | 6,417 | 67,089 | 54,668 | 64,111 |

Options and Warrants were anti-dilutive for the three and six months ended June 30, 2012, because of net losses, and, as such, their effect has not been included in the calculation of diluted net loss per share. In addition, potentially dilutive shares related to the Warrants have been excluded from the denominator in the computation of diluted EPS for the six months ended June 30, 2013 because they are anti-dilutive. Outstanding Common Units have also been excluded from the diluted earnings per share calculation because including such Common Units would also require that the share of income attributable to such Common Units be added back to net income therefore resulting in no effect on EPS.

Our consolidated subsidiary, GGPLP, holds 27,459,195 shares of GGP s common stock, and therefore these shares are considered issued but not outstanding. Accordingly, these shares have been excluded from the calculation of EPS.

#### NOTE 12 STOCK-BASED COMPENSATION PLANS

The General Growth Properties, Inc. 2010 Equity Plan (the Equity Plan ) reserved for issuance of 4% of outstanding shares on a fully diluted basis. The Equity Plan provides for grants of nonqualified stock options, incentive stock options, stock appreciation rights, restricted stock, other stock-based awards and performance-based compensation (collectively, the Awards ). Directors, officers and other employees of GGP s and its subsidiaries and affiliates are eligible for Awards.

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Compensation expense related to stock-based compensation plans for the three and six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012 is summarized in the following table:

|   | Three Months 2013 | Ended J | une 30,<br>2012 | Six Months E<br>2013 | nded Ju | ne 30,<br>2012 |
|---|-------------------|---------|-----------------|----------------------|---------|----------------|
| Stock options - Property management and other |                   |         |                 |                      |         |                |
| costs   | \$<br>1,106       | \$      | 737             | \$<br>2,335          | \$      | 1,670          |
| Stock options - General and administrative    | 2,278             |         | 1,380           | 4,278                |         | 3,111          |
| Restricted stock - Property management and    |                   |         |                 |                      |         |                |
| other costs                                   | 389               |         | 315             | 814                  |         | 897            |
| Restricted stock - General and administrative | 1,809             |         | 1,983           | 3,618                |         | 3,966          |
| Total   | \$<br>5,582       | \$      | 4,415           | \$<br>11,045         | \$      | 9,644          |

The following tables summarize stock option activity for the six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012:

|   | Shares     | 2013 | Weighted<br>Average<br>Exercise<br>Price | Shares     | 2012 | Weighted<br>Average<br>Exercise<br>Price |
|---|------------|------|--|------------|------|--|
| Stock options Outstanding at January 1, | 9,692,499  | \$   | 13.59                                    | 11,503,869 | \$   | 15.65                                    |
| Granted                                 | 5,901,108  |      | 19.24                                    |            |      |  |
| Exercised                               | (285,491)  |      | 14.29                                    | (1,200)    |      | 14.17                                    |
| Forfeited                               | (211,510)  |      | 15.25                                    | (240,128)  |      | 14.67                                    |
| Expired                                 | (14,279)   |      | 14.13                                    | (499,088)  |      | 46.39                                    |
| Stock options Outstanding at June 30,   | 15,082,327 | \$   | 15.76                                    | 10,763,453 | \$   | 13.65                                    |

There was no significant restricted stock activity for the three and six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012.

### NOTE 13 PREPAID EXPENSES AND OTHER ASSETS

The following table summarizes the significant components of prepaid expenses and other assets.

|                               | C  | Gross Asset | A  | June 30, 2013<br>Accumulated<br>Amortization |    | Balance   |    | Gross Asset |    | ember 31, 2012<br>ccumulated<br>mortization | Balance         |
|-------------------------------|----|-------------|----|--|----|-----------|----|-------------|----|---|-----------------|
| Intangible assets:            |    |             |    |  |    |           |    |             |    |   |                 |
| Above-market tenant leases,   |    |             |    |  |    |           |    |             |    |   |                 |
| net                           | \$ | 1,044,155   | \$ | (424,579)                                    | \$ | 619,576   | \$ | 1,230,117   | \$ | (425,837)                                   | \$<br>804,280   |
| Below-market ground           |    |             |    |  |    |           |    |             |    |   |                 |
| leases, net                   |    | 169,342     |    | (12,064)                                     |    | 157,278   |    | 169,539     |    | (9,825)                                     | 159,714         |
| Real estate tax stabilization |    |             |    |  |    |           |    |             |    |   |                 |
| agreement, net                |    | 111,506     |    | (16,678)                                     |    | 94,828    |    | 111,506     |    | (13,523)                                    | 97,983          |
| Total intangible assets       | \$ | 1,325,003   | \$ | (453,321)                                    | \$ | 871,682   | \$ | 1,511,162   | \$ | (449,185)                                   | \$<br>1,061,977 |
|                               |    |             |    |  |    |           |    |             |    |   |                 |
| Remaining Prepaid             |    |             |    |  |    |           |    |             |    |   |                 |
| expenses and other assets:    |    |             |    |  |    |           |    |             |    |   |                 |
| Security and escrow           |    |             |    |  |    |           |    |             |    |   |                 |
| deposits                      |    |             |    |  |    | 134,347   |    |             |    |   | 181,481         |
| Prepaid expenses              |    |             |    |  |    | 59,248    |    |             |    |   | 54,514          |
| Other non-tenant receivables  |    |             |    |  |    | 8,287     |    |             |    |   | 12,450          |
| Deferred tax, net of          |    |             |    |  |    |           |    |             |    |   |                 |
| valuation allowances          |    |             |    |  |    | 1,607     |    |             |    |   | 902             |
| Other                         |    |             |    |  |    | 16,139    |    |             |    |   | 18,141          |
| Total remaining Prepaid       |    |             |    |  |    |           |    |             |    |   |                 |
| expenses and other assets     |    |             |    |  |    | 219,628   |    |             |    |   | 267,488         |
| Total Prepaid expenses and    |    |             |    |  |    |           |    |             |    |   |                 |
| other assets                  |    |             |    |  | \$ | 1,091,310 |    |             |    |   | \$<br>1,329,465 |
|                               |    |             |    |  |    |           |    |             |    |   |                 |
|                               |    |             |    |  |    |           |    |             |    |   |                 |
|                               |    |             |    |  | 26 | )         |    |             |    |   |                 |
|                               |    |             |    |  |    |           |    |             |    |   |                 |

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### NOTE 14 ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED EXPENSES

The following table summarizes the significant components of accounts payable and accrued expenses.

|                              | Gros | ss Liability | Ac | June 30, 2013<br>Accumulated<br>Accretion |    | Balance |    | Gross Liability |    | December 31, 2012<br>Accumulated<br>Accretion |    | Balance |
|------------------------------|------|--------------|----|---|----|---------|----|-----------------|----|---|----|---------|
| Intangible liabilities:      |      |              |    |   |    |         |    |                 |    |   |    |         |
| Below-market tenant leases,  |      |              |    |   |    |         |    |                 |    |   |    |         |
| net                          | \$   | 634,301      | \$ | (241,912)                                 | \$ | 392,389 | \$ | 725,878         | \$ | (251,896)                                     | \$ | 473,982 |
| Above-market headquarter     |      |              |    |   |    |         |    |                 |    |   |    |         |
| office leases, net           |      | 15,268       |    | (4,261)                                   |    | 11,007  |    | 15,268          |    | (3,393)                                       |    | 11,875  |
| Above-market ground leases,  |      |              |    |   |    |         |    |                 |    |   |    |         |
| net                          |      | 9,756        |    | (993)                                     |    | 8,763   |    | 9,756           |    | (805)   |    | 8,951   |
| Total intangible liabilities | \$   | 659,325      | \$ | (247,166)                                 | \$ | 412,159 | \$ | 750,902         | \$ | (256,094)                                     | \$ | 494,808 |
|                              |      |              |    |   |    |         |    |                 |    |   |    |         |
| Remaining Accounts           |      |              |    |   |    |         |    |                 |    |   |    |         |
| payable and accrued          |      |              |    |   |    |         |    |                 |    |   |    |         |
| expenses:                    |      |              |    |   |    |         |    |                 |    |   |    |         |
| Accrued interest             |      |              |    |   |    | 79,817  |    |                 |    |   |    | 185,461 |
| Accounts payable and         |      |              |    |   |    |         |    |                 |    |   |    |         |
| accrued expenses             |      |              |    |   |    | 109,444 |    |                 |    |   |    | 160,861 |
| Accrued real estate taxes    |      |              |    |   |    | 87,993  |    |                 |    |   |    | 67,581  |
| Deferred gains/income        |      |              |    |   |    | 74,909  |    |                 |    |   |    | 98,376  |
| Accrued payroll and other    |      |              |    |   |    |         |    |                 |    |   |    |         |
| employee liabilities         |      |              |    |   |    | 42,519  |    |                 |    |   |    | 34,802  |
| Construction payable         |      |              |    |   |    | 58,706  |    |                 |    |   |    | 70,609  |
| Tenant and other deposits    |      |              |    |   |    | 21,183  |    |                 |    |   |    | 22,870  |
| Insurance reserve liability  |      |              |    |   |    | 18,476  |    |                 |    |   |    | 15,796  |
| Capital lease obligations    |      |              |    |   |    | 13,004  |    |                 |    |   |    | 13,292  |
| Conditional asset retirement |      |              |    |   |    |         |    |                 |    |   |    |         |
| obligation liability         |      |              |    |   |    | 12,252  |    |                 |    |   |    | 12,134  |
| Uncertain tax position       |      |              |    |   |    |         |    |                 |    |   |    |         |
| liability                    |      |              |    |   |    | 6,006   |    |                 |    |   |    | 5,873   |
| Other                        |      |              |    |   |    | 15,381  |    |                 |    |   |    | 29,768  |
| Total remaining Accounts     |      |              |    |   |    |         |    |                 |    |   |    |         |
| payable and accrued          |      |              |    |   |    |         |    |                 |    |   |    |         |
| expenses                     |      |              |    |   |    | 539,690 |    |                 |    |   |    | 717,423 |

Total Accounts payable and accrued expenses \$ 951,849 \$ 1,212,231

#### NOTE 15 LITIGATION

In the normal course of business, from time to time, we are involved in legal proceedings relating to the ownership and operations of our properties. In management s opinion, the liabilities, if any, that may ultimately result from such legal actions are not expected to have a material effect on our consolidated financial position, results of operations or liquidity.

#### **Urban Litigation**

In October 2004, certain limited partners (the Urban Plaintiffs ) of Urban Shopping Centers, L.P. ( Urban ) filed a lawsuit against Urban s general partner, Head Acquisition, L.P. ( Head ), as well as TRCLP, Simon Property Group, Inc., Westfield America, Inc., and various of their affiliates, including Head s general partners (collectively, the Urban Defendants ), in Circuit Court in Cook County, Illinois. The Predecessor, GGPLP and other affiliates were later included as Urban Defendants. The lawsuit alleges, among other things, that the Urban Defendants breached the Urban partnership agreement, unjustly enriched themselves through misappropriation of partnership opportunities, failed to grow the partnership, breached their fiduciary duties, and tortiously interfered with several contractual relationships. The plaintiffs seek relief in the form of unspecified monetary damages and equitable relief requiring, among other things, the Urban Defendants, including the Predecessor and its affiliates, to engage in certain future transactions through the Urban Partnership. On June 24, 2013, the court held oral argument on the parties cross-motions for summary judgment. The court has scheduled a status conference for September 10, 2013; a decision on the motions is expected on or before that date. At this time, no new trial date has been scheduled. As a result of our consideration of the risks associated with this matter as well as discussions with counsel, the Company has concluded that we cannot reasonably estimate a possible range of potential loss related to the Urban Plaintiffs lawsuit due to the broad spectrum of monetary and non-monetary remedies which may result from the outcome of the matter and the difficulty in calculating and allocating damages (if any) among the defendants. Therefore, no liability has been accrued and no range of loss has been disclosed as of June 30, 2013.

John Schreiber, one of our directors, serves on the board of directors of, and is an investor in, an entity that is a principal investor in the Urban Plaintiffs, and is himself an investor in the Urban Plaintiffs and, therefore, has a financial interest in the outcome of the litigation that may be adverse to us.

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(Dollars in thousands, except share and per share amounts)

(Unaudited)

#### **Default Interest**

Pursuant to the Plan, the Company cured and reinstated that certain note (the Homart Note ) in the original principal amount of \$254.0 million between GGP Limited Partnership and The Comptroller of the State of New York as Trustee of the Common Retirement Fund ( CRF ) by payment in cash of accrued interest at the contractual non-default rate. CRF, however, contended that the Company s bankruptcy caused the Company to default under the Homart Note and, therefore, post-petition interest accrued under the Homart Note at the contractual default rate was due for the period June 1, 2009 until November 9, 2010. On June 16, 2011, the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York (the Bankruptcy Court ) ruled in favor of CRF, and, on June 22, 2011, the Company elected to satisfy the Homart Note in full by paying CRF the outstanding default interest and principal amount on the Homart Note totaling \$246.0 million. As a result of the ruling, the Company incurred and paid \$11.7 million of default interest expense during the year ended December 31, 2011. The Company appealed the Bankruptcy Court s order and reserved its right to recover the payment of default interest. On March 13, 2013, the parties reached a settlement. In exchange for the Company s dismissal of its appeal, CRF waived all claims to attorneys fees.

Pursuant to the Plan, the Company agreed to pay to the holders of claims (the 2006 Lenders) under a revolving and term loan facility (the 2006 Credit Facility) the principal amount of their claims outstanding of approximately \$2.6 billion plus post-petition interest at the contractual non-default rate. However, the 2006 Lenders asserted that they were entitled to receive interest at the contractual default rate. In July 2011, the Bankruptcy Court ruled in favor of the 2006 Lenders. The Company had accrued \$96.1 million as of December 31, 2012. The Company appealed the Bankruptcy Court ruling, and on March 13, 2013, the parties reached a settlement. In exchange for the Company s dismissal of its appeal, and a payment by the Company of \$97.4 million, the 2006 Lenders waived all claim to attorneys fees.

#### **Tax Indemnification Liability**

Pursuant to the Investment Agreements, the Successor has indemnified HHC from and against 93.75% of any and all losses, claims, damages, liabilities and reasonable expenses to which HHC and its subsidiaries become subject, in each case solely to the extent directly attributable to MPC Taxes (as defined in the Investment Agreements) in an amount up to \$303.8 million. Under certain circumstances, we agreed to be responsible for interest or penalties attributable to such MPC Taxes in excess of the \$303.8 million. As a result of this indemnity, The Howard Hughes Company, LLC and Howard Hughes Properties, Inc. filed petitions in the United States Tax Court on May 6, 2011, contesting this liability for the 2007 and 2008 years and a trial was held in early November 2012. The Internal Revenue Service has opened an audit for these two taxpayers for 2009 and 2010 with respect to MPC Taxes. We have accrued \$303.6 million as of June 30, 2013 and \$303.8 million as of December 31, 2012 related to the tax indemnification liability. In addition, we have accrued \$21.6 million of interest related to the tax indemnification liability in accounts payable and accrued expenses on our Consolidated Balance Sheets as of June 30, 2013, and December 31, 2012. As a result of our consideration of the risks associated with this matter as well as discussions with counsel, the Company believes that the aggregate liability recorded of \$325.2 million represents management s best estimate of our liability as of June 30, 2013 and that the probability

that we will incur a loss in excess of this amount is remote. It is possible that we may make payments on the tax indemnification liability in the next twelve months. We do not expect that these payments will exceed the tax indemnification liability accrued as of June 30, 2013.

#### NOTE 16 COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

We lease land or buildings at certain properties from third parties. The leases generally provide us with a right of first refusal in the event of a proposed sale of the property by the landlord. Rental payments are expensed as incurred and have, to the extent applicable, been straight-lined over the term of the lease. The following is a summary of our contractual rental expense as presented in our Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss):

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|   | Three Months I<br>2013 | Ended , | Tune 30,<br>2012 | Six Months Er<br>2013 | nded Ju | ne 30,<br>2012 |
|---|------------------------|---------|------------------|-----------------------|---------|----------------|
| Contractual rent expense, including participation rent Contractual rent expense, including participation rent and excluding amortization of | \$<br>3,729            | \$      | 3,584            | \$<br>7,060           | \$      | 6,790          |
| above and below-market ground leases and straight-line rent   | 2,504                  |         | 2,313            | 4,608                 |         | 4,247          |

See Note 8 and Note 15 for our obligations related to uncertain tax positions and for disclosure of additional contingencies.

### NOTE 17 SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

We recently entered into a definitive binding agreement to acquire 830 North Michigan Avenue in Chicago, Illinois. We expect this transaction to close in the fourth quarter of 2013.

On July 29, 2013, the Company entered into separate agreements to sell its ownership interests in Aliansce to the Canada Pension Plan Investment Board and Rique Empreendimentos e Participacoes Ltda for approximately \$690 million. The transaction is expected to close in the third quarter of 2013 subject to certain conditions.

On July 26, 2013, our Board of Directors declared a third quarter common stock dividend of \$0.13 per share of common stock payable on October 29, 2013, to stockholders of record on October 15, 2013.

On July 26, 2013, our Board of Directors declared a third quarter Preferred Stock dividend of \$0.3984 per share of Preferred Stock payable on October 1, 2013, to stockholders of record on September 13, 2013.

#### ITEM 2 MANAGEMENT S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

All references to numbered Notes are to specific footnotes to our consolidated financial statements included in this Quarterly Report and whose descriptions are incorporated into the applicable response by reference. The following discussion should be read in conjunction with such consolidated financial statements and related Notes. Capitalized terms used, but not defined, in this Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations (MD&A) have the same meanings as in such Notes.

#### Overview

Our primary business is to be an owner and operator of best-in-class retail properties that provide an outstanding environment and experience for our communities, retailers, employees, consumers and shareholders. The substantial majority of our properties are located in the United States; however, we also own interests in regional malls and property management activities through our Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates in Brazil. On July 29, 2013, we entered into agreements to sell our interest in Aliansce. Refer to Note 17. We provide management and other services to substantially all of our properties, including properties which we own through joint venture arrangements and which are unconsolidated for GAAP purposes. Our management operating philosophies and strategies are the same whether the properties are consolidated or unconsolidated.

As of June 30, 2013, we are the owner, either entirely or with joint venture partners, of 141 regional malls (123 domestic and 18 in Brazil) comprising approximately 134 million square feet of GLA. The U.S. regional mall portfolio generated tenant sales of \$560 per square foot during the second quarter of 2013; including 73 Class A malls generating average tenant sales of \$654 per square foot and contributing approximately 68% of our share of Company net operating income (NOI) (as defined below) for the three months and six months ended June 30, 2013.

Our company s internal growth is focused on three major areas:

- 1) increasing occupancy,
- 2) increasing rental revenues, and
- 3) investing in redevelopments within our existing portfolio.

We have seen an expansion of the spread, or variance, between the rent paid on expiring leases and the rent commencing under new leases, on a suite-to-suite basis. On a suite-to-suite basis, the leases commencing occupancy in 2013 exhibited initial rents that were 11.1% higher than the final rents paid on expiring leases, on a gross basis. We have identified \$1.6 billion of redevelopment projects within our portfolio, over 80% of which is being invested into Class A malls. We anticipate generating stabilized returns in the high single to low double digits on these projects as they commence operations. The internal growth drivers within our existing portfolio are strongly complemented by the industry s expected lack of new supply of mall space over the next five years and the anticipated resilient demand for space from retailers, both domestic and international.

| We believe our long-term strategy can provide our shareholders with a competitive risk-adjusted total return comprised of dividends and sh | are |
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| price appreciation.  |     |

Our key operational strategies include the following:

- increase the permanent occupancy of our regional mall portfolio by converting temporary (or short-term) leases to permanent (or long-term) leases and leasing currently vacant space;
- renew or replace expiring leases at rental rates greater than those on expiring leases;
- opportunistically acquire whole or partial interests in high-quality retail properties;
- continue executing on our existing redevelopment strategy and seek additional opportunities within our portfolio for redevelopment;
- dispose of properties in our portfolio that do not fit within our long-term strategy, including certain of our office properties, strip centers and regional malls; and
- lower borrowing costs by refinancing debt and reduce refinancing risk by laddering maturities.

We seek to increase long-term Company NOI (as defined below) growth through proactive management and leasing of our regional malls. Our leasing strategy is to identify and provide the right stores that have appropriate merchandise mix for each of our regional malls. We believe that the most significant operating factor affecting incremental cash flow and NOI is increased rents earned from tenants at our properties. These rental revenue increases are primarily achieved by:

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U.S. Regional Mall Metrics

| •                        | renewing expiring leases and re-leasing existing space at rates higher than expiring or existing rates;   |
|--------------------------|---|
| •                        | increasing occupancy at the properties so that more space is generating rent; and   |
| •                        | increased tenant sales in which we participate through overage rent.  |
| Financial                | Overview  |
| months en                | any NOI (as defined below) increased 6.0% from \$1.0 billion for the six months ended June 30, 2012 to \$1.1 billion for the six ded June 30, 2013. Our Company FFO (as defined below) increased 15.3% from \$449.6 million for the six months ended June 30, 218.4 million for the six months ended June 30, 2013. |
|                          | GAAP Supplemental Financial Measures below for a discussion of Company NOI and Company FFO, along with a reconciliation to rable GAAP measures, Operating income and Net income (loss) attributable to General Growth Properties, Inc.  |
| We comple<br>portfolio a | eted transactions and achieved operational goals in order to promote our long-term strategy to enhance the quality of our overall s follows:  |
| •                        | formed a joint venture with TIAACREF, generating proceeds to GGP of \$411.5 million (Note 3);   |
| •<br>and                 | acquired the 50% interest in Quail Springs Mall, previously held by our joint venture partner, for total consideration of \$90.2 million;   |
| •<br>by \$121.2          | sold our interests in three non-core assets totaling approximately 2 million square feet of GLA, which reduced our property level debt million.   |
| Operating                | g Metrics   |

The following table summarizes selected operating metrics for our portfolio of regional malls.

|                                   | June 30, 2013(1) | June 30, 2012(1) | % Change |
|-----------------------------------|------------------|------------------|----------|
| In-Place Rents per square foot(2) |                  |                  |          |
| Consolidated Properties \$        | 66.01 \$         | 66.37            | (0.54)%  |
| Unconsolidated Properties         | 79.67            | 72.93            | 9.24%    |
| Total U.S. Portfolio \$           | 69.84 \$         | 68.16            | 2.46%    |
|                                   |                  |                  |          |
| Percentage Leased                 |                  |                  |          |
| Consolidated Properties           | 95.6%            | 94.1%            | 150bps   |
| Unconsolidated Properties         | 96.5%            | 94.7%            | 180bps   |
| Total U.S. Portfolio              | 95.9%            | 94.3%            | 160bps   |
|                                   |                  |                  |          |
| Tenant Sales                      |                  |                  |          |
| Consolidated Properties \$        | 520 \$           | 510              | 1.96%    |
| Unconsolidated Properties         | 664              | 594              | 11.78%   |
| Total U.S. Portfolio              | 560 \$           | 533              | 5.07%    |

<sup>(1)</sup> Metrics exclude one asset transferred to the special servicer and one asset that is being de-leased in preparation for redevelopment.

<sup>(2)</sup> Represents initial rent or average rent over the term consisting of base minimum rent, common area costs and real estate taxes.

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#### Lease Spread Metrics

The following table summarizes signed leases that were scheduled to commence in 2013 compared to expiring leases for the prior tenant in the same suite.

|                   | Number<br>of Leases | Square<br>Feet | Term/Years | Initial Rent Per<br>Square Foot(1) | Expiring Rent Per<br>Square Foot(2) | A  | Average Rent<br>Spread | % Change |
|-------------------|---------------------|----------------|------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----|------------------------|----------|
| New Leases(3)     | 445                 | 1,412,390      | 8.6        | \$<br>71.64                        | \$<br>57.62                         | \$ | 14.02                  | 24.3%    |
| Renewal Leases(3) | 798                 | 2,491,604      | 4.3        | 57.76                              | 55.92                               |    | 1.84                   | 3.3%     |
| New/Renewal       |                     |                |            |                                    |                                     |    |                        |          |
| Leases(3)         | 1,243               | 3,903,994      | 5.9        | \$<br>62.79                        | \$<br>56.54                         | \$ | 6.25                   | 11.1%    |

<sup>(1)</sup> Represents initial rent or average rent over the term consisting of base minimum rent, common area costs and real estate taxes.

### **Results of Operations**

### Three Months Ended June 30, 2013 and 2012

The following table is a breakout of the components of minimum rents:

|  | Three Months I | Ended Ju | une 30,  |              |          |
|--|----------------|----------|----------|--------------|----------|
|  | 2013           |          | 2012     | \$ Change    | % Change |
|  | (In thou       | sands)   |          |              |          |
| Components of Minimum rents:               |                |          |          |              |          |
| Base minimum rents                         | \$<br>395,914  | \$       | 388,060  | \$<br>7,854  | 2.0%     |
| Lease termination income                   | 2,253          |          | 2,656    | (403)        | (15.2)   |
| Straight-line rent                         | 11,680         |          | 15,183   | (3,503)      | (23.1)   |
| Above- and below-market tenant leases, net | (15,800)       |          | (23,563) | 7,763        | (32.9)   |
| Total Minimum rents                        | \$<br>394,047  | \$       | 382,336  | \$<br>11,711 | 3.1%     |

Minimum rents increased 3.1% during the second quarter of 2013 compared to the second quarter of 2012.

<sup>(2)</sup> Represents expiring rent at end of lease consisting of base minimum rent, common area costs and real estate taxes.

<sup>(3)</sup> Represents leases where downtime between the new and previous tenant in the suite was less than nine months.

Management fees and other corporate revenues decreased by \$4.4 million during the second quarter of 2013. This decrease is primarily due to \$3.0 million of non-recurring financing fees earned from the refinancing of the debt of three unconsolidated joint ventures during 2012.

Property maintenance costs decreased by \$3.3 million as a result of cost-management initiatives throughout our portfolio.

Other property operating costs decreased by \$5.1 million during the second quarter of 2013. This decrease was primarily due to a reduction of \$3.6 million resulting from the formation of a new joint venture (Note 3). As a result of the formation of this joint venture, two previously consolidated properties were classified as Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates under the equity method of accounting as of the transaction date (Note 6).

Depreciation and amortization increased \$3.1 million primarily due to the change in the estimated useful lives at certain operating properties resulting in an increase to Depreciation and amortization of approximately \$8 million (Note 2). This was partially offset by a decrease in the net amortization expense related to lease intangibles.

Interest expense increased \$10.0 million primarily due to the \$21.3 million write-off of a market rate adjustment, which reduced interest expense and related to the refinancing of Ala Moana during the second quarter of 2012. This was partially offset by the redemption of \$1.7 billion of unsecured corporate bonds during the second half of 2012 and the first half of 2013, resulting in interest savings of \$11.5 million, net of market rate adjustments associated with these bonds.

The Warrant liability adjustment represents the non-cash income or expense recognized as a result of the change in the fair value of the Warrant liability. As of March 28, 2013, an amendment to the Warrant Agreement changed the classification of the Warrants from a liability to a component of permanent equity. As a result, the Warrants have not been revalued after March 28, 2013. We incurred a Warrant liability adjustment expense of \$146.6 million during the second quarter of 2012, which was primarily due to a \$1.10 per share increase in the closing price of GGP s common stock between March 31, 2012, and June 30, 2012. Refer to Note 9 for a discussion of transactions related to the Warrants.

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The Gain from change in control of investment properties of \$219.8 million in 2013 relates to a newly-formed joint venture, and the purchase of our partner s interest in one regional mall previously held in a joint venture (Note 3). The 2012 Gain from change in control of investment properties of \$18.5 million relates to the purchase of our partner s interest in two regional malls previously held in a joint venture.

Loss on extinguishment of debt of \$27.2 million represents fees expensed for the early payoff of debt. We expensed \$20.5 million of fees as a result of the early redemption of the \$608.7 million of 6.75% unsecured corporate bonds due November 9, 2015. In addition, we expensed \$6.6 million in financing fees resulting from the refinancing of the \$1.5 billion secured corporate loan.

Preferred Stock issued during the first quarter of 2013 resulted in \$4.0 million in preferred dividends accrued during the second quarter of 2013. Refer to Note 10 for further discussion.

#### Six Months Ended June 30, 2013 and 2012

The following table is a breakout of the components of minimum rents:

|  | Six Months E1 | nded Jui | ne 30,     |           |          |
|--|---------------|----------|------------|-----------|----------|
|  | 2013          |          | 2012       | \$ Change | % Change |
|  | (In thou      | isands)  |            |           |          |
| Components of Minimum rents:               |               |          |            |           |          |
| Base minimum rents                         | \$<br>799,898 | \$       | 767,358 \$ | 32,540    | 4.2%     |
| Lease termination income                   | 7,778         |          | 6,587      | 1,191     | 18.1     |
| Straight-line rent                         | 25,214        |          | 30,761     | (5,547)   | (18.0)   |
| Above- and below-market tenant leases, net | (35,533)      |          | (44,785)   | 9,252     | (20.7)   |
| Total Minimum rents                        | \$<br>797,357 | \$       | 759,921 \$ | 37,436    | 4.9%     |

Minimum rents increased by \$37.4 million during the second quarter of 2013 primarily due to increased permanent occupancy from 90.7% as of June 30, 2012 to 93.5% as of June 30, 2013, and increasing net amortization of above- and below-market tenant leases.

Tenant recoveries increased \$15.3 million primarily due to higher recoveries from common area maintenance fees and real estate taxes, including a \$5.1 million real estate tax recovery at one operating property as a result of a multi-year settlement with a municipality.

Real estate taxes increased \$12.3 million due to an \$11.1 million multi-year real estate tax settlement with a municipality at one operating property during the first quarter of 2013.

Depreciation and amortization decreased \$8.2 million primarily due to fully depreciated and written-off tenant-specific in-place lease intangibles. This decrease was partially offset by increased building and equipment depreciation due to accelerated depreciation associated with

a change in the estimated useful lives at certain operating properties resulting in an increase to Depreciation and amortization of approximately \$16 million (Note 2).

Interest expense was relatively flat during the six months ended June 30, 2013, compared to the six months ended June 30, 2012. We redeemed corporate unsecured bonds during 2012 and 2013, resulting in interest savings, and we wrote-off of the Ala Moana market rate adjustment in conjunction with Ala Moana s 2012 refinancing, increasing interest expense. In addition, we undertook numerous other refinancings of mortgages, notes and loans payable.

The Warrant liability adjustment represents the non-cash income or expense recognized as a result of the change in the fair value of the Warrant liability. We incurred a net Warrant liability adjustment of \$40.5 million during the first quarter of 2013. This adjustment reflects our purchase of the Warrants from Fairholme and Blackstone, as the amount paid exceeded the liability by approximately \$55 million. This was partially offset by the revaluation of the remaining Brookfield Investor Warrants as of March 28, 2013. As of March 28, 2013, on amendment to the Warrant Agreement changed the classification of the Warrants from a liability to a component of permanent equity. As a result, the Warrants have not been revalued after March 28, 2013. Refer to Note 9 for a discussion of transactions related to the Warrants.

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We incurred a Warrant liability adjustment expense of \$289.7 million during the six months ended June 30, 2012, which was primarily related to a \$3.07 per share increase in the closing price of GGP s common stock between December 31, 2011, and June 30, 2012.

The Gain from change in control of investment properties of \$219.8 million in 2013 relates to a newly-formed joint venture, and the purchase of our partner s interest in one regional mall previously held in a joint venture (Note 3). The 2012 Gain from change in control of investment properties of \$18.5 million relates to the purchase of our partner s interest in two regional malls previously held in a joint venture.

The Loss on extinguishment of debt of \$36.5 million in 2013 is the result of fees expensed for the early payoff of debt. \$20.5 million of such fees were expensed as a result of the early redemption of the \$608.7 million of 6.75% unsecured corporate bonds due November 9, 2015. In addition, we expensed \$6.6 million in financing fees resulting from the refinancing of the \$1.5 billion secured corporate loan, \$3.5 million as a result of the early redemption of \$91.8 million of 5.38% unsecured corporate bonds due November 26, 2013, and \$5.9 million as a result of the early payoff of mortgage debt at one operating property (Note 7).

Equity in income from Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates increased \$9.4 million primarily due to increases in revenues of the Unconsolidated Properties of \$24.8 million during the six months ended June 30, 2013. This was partially offset by increased interest expense of \$10.0 million.

Preferred Stock issued during the first quarter of 2013 resulted in \$6.1 million in preferred dividends accrued during the six months ended June 30, 2013. Refer to Note 10 for further discussion.

### **Liquidity and Capital Resources**

Our primary source of cash is from day-to-day ownership and management of the regional malls. We may also raise cash from refinancings or borrowings under our revolving credit facility. Our primary uses of cash include payment of operating expenses, working capital, debt service, including principal and interest, reinvestment in or acquisition of properties, redevelopment of properties, tenant allowances and dividends.

Capital

Our capital plan is to obtain financial flexibility by lowering our borrowing costs, managing our future maturities, cross collateralizations and corporate guarantees and providing the necessary capital to fund growth. We believe that we currently have sufficient liquidity to satisfy all of our commitments in the form of \$704.9 million of consolidated unrestricted cash and \$1.0 billion of available credit under our credit facility as of June 30, 2013, as well as anticipated cash provided by operations.

Our key financing and capital raising objectives include the following:

| • continue to refinance our maturing debt, and certain debt prepayable without penalty, with the goal of lowering our overall borrowing costs, managing future maturities and reducing amount of debt recourse to us; and              |
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| <ul> <li>dispose of properties in our portfolio that do not fit within our long-term strategy, including certain of our office properties, strip<br/>centers and regional malls.</li> </ul>  |
| We may also raise capital through public or private issuances of debt securities, preferred stock, common stock, common units of the Operating Partnership or other capital raising activities.  |
| During the six months ended June 30, 2013, we executed the following refinancing and capital transactions (at our proportionate share):  |
| • completed \$3.3 billion of secured financings, including the \$1.5 billion secured corporate loan, lowering the average interest rate, lengthening the term-to-maturity, and generating net proceeds of approximately \$960 million; |
| • issued 10,000,000 shares of 6.375% Preferred Stock, generating proceeds of approximately \$250 million before issuance costs;  |
| • redeemed \$700.5 million of unsecured corporate bonds with a weighted average interest rate of 6.57%. The redeemed unsecured corporate bonds were scheduled to mature in 2013 and 2015;  |
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As of June 30, 2013, we have \$3.5 billion of debt pre-payable at par. We may pursue opportunities to refinance this debt at lower interest and longer terms. Our long term goal is to improve our overall net debt to earnings before interest, taxes and depreciation and amortization, or EBITDA, and leverage ratios by improving operations, amortization of debt and refinancing debt at improved terms.

As a result of our financing efforts in 2013, we have reduced the amount of debt due in the next three years from \$5.3 billion to \$1.7 billion, representing 9.9% of our total debt. The maximum amount due in any one of the next 10 years is no more than \$3.0 billion or approximately 17% of our total debt.

As of June 30, 2013, our proportionate share of total debt aggregated \$19.0 billion. Our total debt consists of our share of consolidated debt of \$15.6 billion, of which \$15.4 billion is secured and \$0.2 billion is corporate unsecured, and \$3.4 billion of our share of the secured debt of our Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates. Of our proportionate share of total debt, \$1.8 billion is recourse to the Company or its subsidiaries due to guarantees or other security provisions for the benefit of the note holder.

Our corporate unsecured debt is comprised of \$206.2 million of Junior Subordinated Notes which are due in 2041 and a \$16.3 million note payable to HHC which is due in 2015. We redeemed all of the \$91.8 million, 5.375% bonds due November 26, 2013 on February 14, 2013, at the Make-Whole Price, as defined in the applicable indenture, which resulted in an approximate \$3.5 million loss on extinguishment of debt in first quarter 2013. On May 1, 2013, we redeemed all of the \$608.7 million of the Company s 6.75% unsecured corporate bonds due November 9, 2015, which resulted in an early redemption fee of approximately \$20.5 million.

The following table illustrates the scheduled balloon payments at maturity for our proportionate share of total debt as of June 30, 2013. As noted above, the \$206.2 million of Junior Subordinated Notes are due in 2041, but we may redeem them any time after April 30, 2011 (Note 7). As we do not expect to redeem the notes prior to maturity, they are included in the consolidated debt maturing subsequent to 2017.

|            | Consolidated(1)  | Unconsolidated(1) |
|------------|------------------|-------------------|
| 2013       | \$<br>10,956     | \$<br>28,283      |
| 2014       | 644,987          |                   |
| 2015       | 760,171          | 243,303           |
| 2016       | 855,367          |                   |
| 2017       | 1,539,837        | 447,710           |
| Subsequent | 10,395,177       | 2,158,364         |
|            | \$<br>14,206,495 | \$<br>2,877,660   |

<sup>(1)</sup> Excludes \$8.1 million of adjustments related to special improvement district liabilities and debt market rate adjustment.

We generally believe that we will be able to extend the maturity date, repay or refinance the consolidated debt that is scheduled to mature in 2013. We also believe that the joint ventures will be able to refinance the debt of our Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates that mature in 2013; however, there can be no assurance that we will be able to refinance or restructure such debt on acceptable terms or otherwise, or that joint venture operations or contributions by us and/or our partners will be sufficient to repay such loans.

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From time-to-time we may acquire high quality retail assets that are consistent with our strategy of owning and operating best-in-class properties within the retail landscape. Such assets must provide long-term embedded growth or potential redevelopment opportunities.

During the six months ended June 30, 2013, we executed the following acquisitions (at our proportionate share):

- formed a joint venture with TIAACREF, generating proceeds to GGP of \$411.5 million net of debt assumed of \$312.1 million (Note 3); and
- acquired the 50% interest in Quail Springs Mall, previously held by our joint venture partner, for \$55.5 million and assumed debt of \$34.7 million (Note 3).

#### **Default Interest Payment**

Pursuant to the Plan, we agreed to pay to the holders of claims (the 2006 Lenders ) under a revolving and term loan facility the principal amount of their claims outstanding of approximately \$2.6 billion plus post-petition interest at the contractual non-default rate. However, the 2006 Lenders asserted that they were entitled to receive interest at the contractual default rate. In July 2011, the Bankruptcy Court ruled in favor of the 2006 Lenders. We appealed the Bankruptcy Court ruling, and on March 13, 2013, the parties reached a settlement. In exchange for our dismissal of its appeal, and a payment by us of \$97.4 million, the 2006 Lenders waived all claim to attorneys fees.

#### Warrants and Brookfield Investor Ownership

On January 28, 2013, GGPLP acquired the 41,070,000 Warrants held by Fairholme and the 5,000,000 Warrants held by Blackstone for an aggregate purchase price of approximately \$633 million. The Warrants are exercisable into approximately 27 million common shares of the Company at a weighted average exercise price of \$9.37 per share, assuming net share settlement.

As a result of the GGPLP/Fairholme/Blackstone transaction mentioned above, the Brookfield Investor is now the sole third party holder of the Company s remaining outstanding Warrants, which are exercisable into approximately 44 million common shares of the Company at a weighted average exercise price of \$9.48 per share, assuming net share settlement.

The Warrants will continue to adjust for dividends paid by the Company. At maturity, we estimate that net share settlement ownership of the Brookfield Investor in us would be 42.7% after considering the transactions above. If the Brookfield Investor held the Warrants to maturity, assuming net share settlement and no other changes other than regular dividend adjustments, they would own approximately 43.3% of the Company. If the Brookfield Investor held the Warrants to maturity, assuming (a) the stock price increased \$10 per share, (b) the Warrants were adjusted for the impact of regular dividends and (c) net share settlement, the Brookfield Investor s potential ownership would increase to approximately 43.8% of the Company.

On March 28, 2013, we amended the warrant agreement to replace the right of warrant holders to receive cash from the Company under a change of control to the right to, instead, receive shares of the Company, changing the method of settlement. Effective on March 28, 2013, this amendment results in the classification of the Warrants as a component of permanent equity on our Consolidated Balance Sheets. Prior to the amendment, the Warrants were classified as a liability and marked to fair value, with changes in fair value recognized in earnings. The following table summarizes the change in fair value of the Warrants:

|                                  | Brookfi | eld Investor F | airholme/Blackstone<br>(In thousands) | Total     |
|----------------------------------|---------|----------------|---------------------------------------|-----------|
| December 31, 2012                | \$      | 913,000 \$     | 575,000 \$                            | 1,488,000 |
| Warrant Expense                  |         | (17,500)       | 58,000                                | 40,500    |
| Purchase of Fairholme/Blackstone |         |                | (633,000)                             | (633,000) |
| Reclassification to Equity       |         | (895,500)      |                                       | (895,500) |
| June 30, 2013                    | \$      | \$             | \$                                    |           |

#### Redevelopments

We are currently redeveloping several consolidated and unconsolidated properties with our joint venture partners primarily to convert large-scale anchor boxes into smaller leasable areas and to create new in-line retail space and new restaurant venues. These redevelopment projects within our portfolio were identified as providing compelling risk-adjusted returns on investment. We are not actively engaged in any ground-up new developments of regional malls.

These redevelopments represent organic growth which have average double-digit returns on investment (cash on cash, first year stabilized). We plan to fund these costs with available cash flow, construction financing, and proceeds from debt refinancings. We continue to evaluate a number of other redevelopment prospects to further enhance the quality of our assets. The following table illustrates our redevelopments, excluding international properties:

### Selected Expansions and Redevelopments (in millions, at share) (1)

| Property                       | Description  | Ownership % | GGP's Investment as of June 30, 2013(2) | GGP s Investment as of December 31, 2012(2) | Expected<br>Construction<br>Completion |
|--------------------------------|--|-------------|---|---|--|
| Major Redevelopment<br>Summary |  |             |   |   |  |
| Fashion Show                   | Addition of Macy s<br>Men s, inline and new<br>vertical transportation                         | 100% \$     | 23.7                                    | \$ 19.9                                     | Q4 2013                                |
| Las Vegas, NV                  | vertical transportation  |             |   |   |  |
| Glendale Galleria Glendale, CA | Addition of<br>Bloomingdale s,<br>remerchandising,<br>business development<br>and renovation   | 50%         | 27.4                                    | 13.1  | Q4 2013                                |
| Pioneer Place Portland, OR     | Conversion of former<br>anchor building into<br>Yard House and Apple                           | 100%        | 6.8                                     | 1.8   | Q4 2013                                |
| Oakbrook Center  Oakbrook, IL  | Conversion of former<br>anchor space into<br>Container Store,<br>Fixtures Living and<br>inline | 48%         | 6.7                                     | 4.7   | Q4 2013                                |
| Oakwood Center  Gretna, LA     | West wing<br>redevelopment and<br>Dick s Sporting Goods  | 100%        | 2.9                                     | 0.6   | Q4 2013                                |
| North Point  Alpharetta, GA    | Demolish vacant<br>Parisian store and<br>construct new theater                                 | 100%        | 1.6                                     | 1.6   | Q4 2013                                |
| The Mall in Columbia           | Lifestyle expansion  | 100%        | 3.8                                     | 1.2   | Q2 2014                                |

| Columbia, MD                              |   |      |          |       |           |
|---|---|------|----------|-------|-----------|
| The Woodlands                             | Addition of Nordstrom in former Sears box   | 100% | 18.0     | 15.4  | Q3 2014   |
| Woodlands, TX                             |   |      |          |       |           |
| Christiana Mall                           | Addition of Cabela s and<br>Cinemark Theaters   | 50%  | 1.3      | 0.6   | Q4 2014   |
| Newark, DE                                |   |      |          |       |           |
| Ala Moana Center<br>Honolulu, HI          | Demolish existing Sears<br>store and expand mall,<br>adding anchor, box and<br>inline tenants,<br>reconfigure center court<br>and renovate existing<br>center | 100% | 209.2    | 203.0 | Q4 2015   |
| Other Projects  Various Malls             | Redevelopment projects<br>at various malls (14<br>total)  | N/A  | 54.4     | 31.6  | N/A       |
| Northridge Fashion Center  Northridge, CA | Addition of Sports<br>Authority, Restaurants<br>and Plaza Improvements  | 100% | N/A      | 11.3  | Completed |
|   |   | \$   | 355.8 \$ | 304.8 |           |

<sup>(1)</sup> Excludes international projects.

Our investment in these projects as of June 30, 2013 has increased from December 31, 2012, in conjunction with the applicable development plan and as projects near completion. Significant increases at Fashion Show and Glendale Galleria were primarily due to the fact that these projects are nearing completion.

#### **Capital Expenditures, Capitalized Interest and Overhead (at share)**

The following table illustrates our capital expenditures, capitalized interest, and internal costs associated with leasing and development overhead, which primarily relate to ordinary capital projects at our operating properties. In addition, we incurred tenant allowances and capitalized leasing costs for our operating properties as outlined below. Capitalized interest and internal costs associated with development and leasing overhead are based on qualified expenditures and interest rates and are amortized over lives which are consistent with the related asset.

<sup>(2)</sup> Presented on a cash basis.

|  | Six Months Ended June 30, 2013 June 30, 2012 (In thousands) |         |    |         |
|--|---|---------|----|---------|
| Capital expenditures (1), (2)                | \$  | 58,168  | \$ | 46,004  |
| Tenant allowances and capitalized costs (3)  |   | 70,385  |    | 60,896  |
| Capitalized interest                         |   | 4,586   |    | 419     |
| Capitalized development and leasing overhead |   | 24,602  |    | 21,554  |
| Total  | \$  | 157,741 | \$ | 128,873 |

- (1) Reflects only non-tenant operating capital expenditures.
- (2) Excludes discontinued operations.
- (3) Reflects tenant allowances on current operating properties.

The increase in Capital expenditures is driven by refurbishment projects that improve the quality of our properties and allow us to maintain a best-in-class retail property portfolio. The increase in Tenant allowances and capitalized costs is commensurate with an increase in occupancy of 90.7% as of June 30, 2012, compared to 93.5% as of June 30, 2013.

#### **Dividends**

Our Board of Directors declared common stock dividends during 2013 and 2012 as follows:

| <b>Declaration Date</b> | Record Date | Payment Date     | Dividend Per Shar | e    |
|-------------------------|-------------|------------------|-------------------|------|
| 2013                    |             |                  |                   |      |
| July 26                 | October 15  | October 29, 2013 | \$                | 0.13 |
| May 10                  | July 16     | July 30, 2013    |                   | 0.12 |
| February 4              | April 16    | April 30, 2013   |                   | 0.12 |
| 2012                    | ·           |                  |                   |      |
| November 20             | December 14 | January 4, 2013  |                   | 0.11 |
| July 31                 | October 15  | October 29, 2012 |                   | 0.11 |
| April 26                | July 16     | July 30, 2012    |                   | 0.10 |
| February 23             | April 16    | April 30, 2012   |                   | 0.10 |

In addition to the above common stock dividends, our Board of Directors declared Preferred Stock dividends of \$0.3984 per share of Preferred Stock on May 10, 2013 payable on July 1, 2013 to stockholders of record on June 14, 2013, and \$0.3984 per share of Preferred Stock on July 26, 2013 payable on October 1, 2013 to stockholders of record on September 13, 2013.

#### **Summary of Cash Flows**

## **Cash Flows from Operating Activities**

| Net cash provided by operating activities was \$313.9 million for the six months ended June 30, 2013 and \$381.5 million for the six month |
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| ended June 30, 2012. Significant components of net cash provided by operating activities include:  |

## <u>2013</u>

• in 2013, a decrease in accounts payable and accrued expenses of \$(97.4) million pursuant to a settlement with the 2006 Lenders (Note 15).

## **2012**

- in 2012, a decrease in accounts payable and accrued expenses of \$(75.1) million primarily attributable to the payment of accrued incentive compensation, \$(21.9) million; and
- in 2012, a decrease in restricted cash of \$35.3 million primarily attributable to the spin-off of Rouse Properties, Inc, \$14.5 million.

### **Cash Flows from Investing Activities**

Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities was \$228.5 million for the six months ended June 30, 2013 and \$(333.5) million for the six months ended June 30, 2012. Significant components of net cash provided by (used in) investing activities include:

## **2013**

- in 2013, \$411.5 million in proceeds from the formation of a joint venture with TIAACREF (Note 3); and
- in 2013, the \$(55.5) million acquisition of our joint venture partner s 50% interest in Quail Springs.

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### **2012**

- in 2012, the \$(270.0) million acquisition of interests in 11 Sears anchor pads;
- in 2012, the \$(98.3) million acquisition of the remaining 49% of The Oaks and Westroads, which were previously owned through a joint venture; and
- in 2012 \$186.5 million of distributions received from our Unconsolidated Real Estate Affiliates in excess of income, primarily related to distributions received from three of our joint ventures.

#### **Cash Flows from Financing Activities**

Net cash used in financing activities was \$462.2 million for the six months ended June 30, 2013, and \$123.6 million for the six months ended June 30, 2012. Significant components of net cash used in financing activities include:

## <u>2013</u>

- in 2013, the \$(633.2) million purchase of the Fairholme and Blackstone Warrants (Note 9);
- in 2013, \$242.0 million of net proceeds from the issuance of Preferred Stock;
- in 2013, the \$(216.0) million cash distributions paid to common stockholders, which were offset by the cash distributions reinvested in common stock via the DRIP of \$0.3 million; and
- in 2013, the \$130.6 million of net proceeds from the refinancing or issuance of mortgages, notes, and loans payable, net of principal payment.

#### 2012

• in 2012, the (\$187.3) million of cash distributions paid to common stockholders, which were offset by the cash distributions reinvested in common stock via the DRIP of \$38.7 million.

### Seasonality

Although we have a year-long temporary leasing program, occupancies for short-term tenants and, therefore, rental income recognized, are higher during the second half of the year. In addition, the majority of our tenants have December or January lease years for purposes of calculating annual overage rent amounts. Accordingly, overage rent thresholds are most commonly achieved in the fourth quarter. As a result, revenue production is generally highest in the fourth quarter of each year.

#### **Critical Accounting Policies**

Our discussion and analysis of financial condition and results of operations is based on our consolidated interim financial statements, which have been prepared in accordance with GAAP. The preparation of these financial statements requires us to make estimates and judgments that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities and contingencies as of the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting periods. We evaluate our assumptions and estimates on an ongoing basis. We base our estimates on historical experience and on various other assumptions that we believe to be reasonable under the circumstances, the results of which form the basis for making judgments about the carrying values of assets and liabilities that are not readily apparent from other sources. Actual results may differ from these estimates under different assumptions or conditions.

A disclosure of our critical accounting policies which affect our more significant judgments and estimates used in the preparation of our condensed consolidated financial statements is included in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012 in Management s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations. There have been no significant changes to our critical accounting policies during 2013, and there are no accounting pronouncements that have been issued, but not yet adopted, that we believe will have a material impact to our consolidated financial statements.

#### **REIT Requirements**

In order to remain qualified as a REIT for federal income tax purposes, we must distribute or pay tax on 100% of our capital gains and distribute at least 90% of our ordinary taxable income to stockholders. See Note 7 to the consolidated financial statements for more detail on our ability to remain qualified as a REIT.

Refer also to the critical accounting policies discussed in Note 2.

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#### Non-GAAP Supplemental Financial Measures and Definitions

#### Net Operating Income ( NOI ) and Company NOI

The Company defines NOI as income from property operations after operating expenses have been deducted, but prior to deducting financing, administrative and income tax expenses. NOI has been reflected on a proportionate basis (at the Company s ownership share). Other REITs may use different methodologies for calculating NOI, and accordingly, the Company s NOI may not be comparable to other REITs. Because NOI excludes general and administrative expenses, interest expense, retail investment property impairment or non-recoverable development costs, depreciation and amortization, gains and losses from property dispositions, allocations to noncontrolling interests, provision for income taxes, discontinued operations, preferred stock dividends, and extraordinary items, it provides a performance measure that, when compared year over year, reflects the revenues and expenses directly associated with owning and operating commercial real estate properties and the impact on operations from trends in occupancy rates, rental rates and operating costs.

The Company utilizes Company NOI, which is NOI excluding non-cash and certain non-comparable items such as straight-line rent and intangible asset and liability amortization resulting from acquisition accounting. However, due to the exclusions noted, Company NOI should only be used as an alternative measure of the Company s financial performance. We present Company NOI and Company FFO (as defined below), as we believe certain investors and other users of our financial information use them as measures of the Company s historical operating performance.

#### Funds From Operations (FFO) and Company FFO

The Company determines FFO based upon the definition set forth by National Association of Real Estate Investment Trusts ( NAREIT ). The Company determines FFO to be our share of consolidated net income (loss) computed in accordance with GAAP, excluding real estate related depreciation and amortization, excluding gains and losses from extraordinary items, excluding cumulative effects of accounting changes, excluding gains and losses from the sales of, or any impairment charges related to, previously depreciated operating properties, plus the allocable portion of FFO of unconsolidated joint ventures based upon our economic ownership interest, and all determined on a consistent basis in accordance with GAAP. As with our presentation of NOI, FFO has been reflected on a proportionate basis.

FFO does not give effect to real estate depreciation and amortization since these amounts are computed to allocate the cost of a property over its useful life. Since values for well-maintained real estate assets have historically increased or decreased based upon prevailing market conditions, the Company believes that FFO provides investors with a clearer view of the Company s operating performance.

As with our presentation of Company NOI, the Company utilizes Company FFO, which excludes from FFO certain items that are non-cash and certain non-comparable items such as our Company NOI adjustments, and FFO items such as FFO from discontinued operations from the spin-off of Rouse Properties, Inc, mark-to-market adjustments on debt and gains on the extinguishment of debt, warrant liability adjustment, and interest expense on debt repaid or settled, all as a result of our emergence, acquisition accounting and other capital contribution or restructuring events.

#### Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Measures to GAAP Financial Measures

The Company presents NOI and FFO as they are financial measures widely used in the REIT industry. In order to provide a better understanding of the relationship between our non-GAAP financial measures of NOI, Company NOI, FFO and Company FFO, reconciliations have been provided as follows: a reconciliation of GAAP operating income to NOI and Company NOI and a reconciliation of net income (loss) attributable to General Growth Properties, Inc. to FFO and Company FFO. None of our non-GAAP financial measures represents cash flow from operating activities in accordance with GAAP, none should be considered as an alternative to GAAP net income (loss) attributable to General Growth Properties, Inc. and none are necessarily indicative of cash available to fund cash needs. In addition, the Company has presented such financial measures on a consolidated and unconsolidated basis (at the Company s ownership share) as the Company believes that given the significance of the Company s operations that are owned through investments accounted for on the equity method of accounting, the detail of the operations of the Company s unconsolidated properties provides important insights into the income and FFO produced by such investments for the Company as a whole.

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The following tables reconcile operating income to NOI and Company NOI (dollars in thousands) for the three and six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012:

|   | Three Months Ended June 30, |          |    | me 30,   |
|---|-----------------------------|----------|----|----------|
|   |                             | 2013     |    | 2012     |
| Operating income  | \$                          | 201,842  | \$ | 193,498  |
| Management fees and other corporate revenues                        |                             | (17,307) |    | (21,652) |
| Property management and other costs                                 |                             | 41,568   |    | 38,698   |
| General and administrative  |                             | 13,124   |    | 11,046   |
| Depreciation and amortization                                       |                             | 191,327  |    | 188,193  |
| Noncontrolling interest in NOI of Consolidated Properties and other |                             | (3,714)  |    | (3,877)  |
| NOI of unconsolidated properties                                    |                             | 113,098  |    | 98,801   |
| Total NOI adjustments   |                             | 338,096  |    | 311,209  |
| Proportionate NOI   |                             | 539,938  |    | 504,707  |
| Company NOI adjustments:  |                             |          |    |          |
| Straight-line rent  |                             | (16,421) |    | (23,582) |
| Above- and below-market leases amortization, net                    |                             | 21,194   |    | 29,034   |
| Real estate tax stabilization agreement                             |                             | 1,578    |    | 1,578    |
| Amortization of below-market ground leases                          |                             | 1,391    |    | 1,430    |
| Total Company NOI adjustments                                       |                             | 7,742    |    | 8,460    |
| Company NOI   | \$                          | 547,680  | \$ | 513,167  |

|   | Six Months Ended June 30, |           |    | ne 30,    |
|---|---------------------------|-----------|----|-----------|
|   |                           | 2013      |    | 2012      |
| Operating income  | \$                        | 402,185   | \$ | 359,424   |
| Management fees and other corporate revenues                        |                           | (33,239)  |    | (37,823)  |
| Property management and other costs                                 |                           | 81,923    |    | 80,238    |
| General and administrative  |                           | 24,057    |    | 21,556    |
| Depreciation and amortization                                       |                           | 386,755   |    | 394,977   |
| Noncontrolling interest in NOI of Consolidated Properties and other |                           | (7,215)   |    | (6,305)   |
| NOI of unconsolidated properties                                    |                           | 215,319   |    | 196,863   |
| Total NOI adjustments   |                           | 667,600   |    | 649,506   |
| Proportionate NOI   |                           | 1,069,785 |    | 1,008,930 |
| Company NOI adjustments:  |                           |           |    |           |
| Straight-line rent  |                           | (33,927)  |    | (41,359)  |
| Above- and below-market leases amortization, net                    |                           | 46,025    |    | 53,086    |
| Real estate tax stabilization agreement                             |                           | 3,156     |    | 3,156     |
| Amortization of below-market ground leases                          |                           | 2,770     |    | 2,859     |
| Total Company NOI adjustments                                       |                           | 18,024    |    | 17,742    |
| Company NOI   | \$                        | 1,087,809 | \$ | 1,026,672 |

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The following tables reconcile net income (loss) attributable to common stockholders to FFO and Company FFO for the three and six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012:

|   | Three Months Ended June 30,<br>2013 2012 |           |    |           |
|---|--|-----------|----|-----------|
| Net income (loss) attributable to General Growth Properties, Inc.     | \$                                       | 209,375   | \$ | (107,936) |
|   |  |           |    |           |
| Depreciation and amortization of capitalized real estate costs        |  | 236,745   |    | 231,287   |
| Gains on sales of investment properties                               |  | 242       |    | (3,228)   |
| Gains from changes in control of investment properties                |  | (219,784) |    | (18,547)  |
| Noncontrolling interests in depreciation of Consolidated Properties   |  | (1,788)   |    | (1,973)   |
| Provision for impairment excluded from FFO of discontinued operations |  |           |    |           |
| Redeemable noncontrolling interests                                   |  | 1,483     |    | (833)     |
| Depreciation and amortization of discontinued operations              |  | 17        |    | 3,388     |
| Preferred Stock dividends   |  | (3,984)   |    |           |
| Total FFO adjustments   |  | 12,931    |    | 210,094   |
| Proportionate FFO   |  | 222,306   |    | 102,158   |
| Company FFO Adjustments:  |  |           |    |           |
| Straight-line rent  |  | (16,421)  |    | (23,582)  |
| Above- and below-market leases amortization, net                      |  | 21,194    |    | 29,034    |
| Real estate tax stabilization agreement                               |  | 1,578     |    | 1,578     |
| Amortization of below-market ground leases                            |  | 1,391     |    | 1,430     |
| Property management and other costs (above-market rent)               |  | (424)     |    | (424)     |
| Preferred unit distributions (1)                                      |  |           |    |           |
| Interest expense (2)  |  | 36,091    |    | (29,235)  |
| Warrant liability adjustment  |  |           |    | 146,588   |
| Provision for income taxes  |  | 881       |    | 1,345     |
| FFO from discontinued operations                                      |  | 62        |    | (1,027)   |
| Company FFO   | \$                                       | 266,658   | \$ | 227,865   |

<sup>(1)</sup> Distribution of RPI shares to preferred unit holders as a result of the RPI Spin-Off.

<sup>(2)</sup> Interest expense adjustments include default interest, interest expense relating to extinguished debt, mark-to-market adjustments on debt, write-off of mark-to-market adjustments on extinguished debt, debt extinguishment expenses and losses on extinguished debt.

|   | Six Months Ended June 30, |           |    | 2 30,     |
|---|---------------------------|-----------|----|-----------|
|   |                           | 2013      |    | 2012      |
| Net income (loss) attributable to General Growth Properties, Inc.     | \$                        | 197,849   | \$ | (305,548) |
| Depreciation and amortization of capitalized real estate costs        |                           | 475,794   |    | 484,814   |
| Gains on sales of investment properties                               |                           | (9,495)   |    | (5,329)   |
| Gains from changes in control of investment properties                |                           | (219,784) |    | (18,547)  |
| Noncontrolling interests in depreciation of Consolidated Properties   |                           | (3,557)   |    | (3,729)   |
| Provision for impairment excluded from FFO of discontinued operations |                           | 4,975     |    | 10,393    |
| Redeemable noncontrolling interests                                   |                           | 1,403     |    | (2,151)   |
| Depreciation and amortization of discontinued operations              |                           | 478       |    | 16,669    |
| Preferred Stock dividends   |                           | (6,109)   |    |           |
| Total FFO adjustments   |                           | 243,705   |    | 482,120   |

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| Proportionate FFO                                       | 441,554       | 176,572       |
|---|---------------|---------------|
| Company FFO Adjustments:                                |               |               |
| Straight-line rent                                      | (33,927)      | (41,359)      |
| Above- and below-market leases amortization, net        | 46,025        | 53,086        |
| Real estate tax stabilization agreement                 | 3,156         | 3,156         |
| Amortization of below-market ground leases              | 2,770         | 2,859         |
| Property management and other costs (above-market rent) | (848)         | (848)         |
| Preferred unit distributions (1)                        |               | 3,098         |
| Interest expense (2)                                    | 43,280        | (31,035)      |
| Warrant liability adjustment                            | 40,546        | 289,700       |
| Provision for income taxes                              | 541           | 2,185         |
| FFO from discontinued operations                        | (24,664)      | (7,830)       |
| Company FFO   | \$<br>518,433 | \$<br>449,584 |

<sup>(1)</sup> Distribution of RPI shares to preferred unit holders as a result of the RPI Spin-Off.

<sup>(2)</sup> Interest expense adjustments include default interest, interest expense relating to extinguished debt, mark-to-market adjustments on debt, write-off of mark-to-market adjustments on extinguished debt, debt extinguishment expenses and losses on extinguished debt.

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## Forward-Looking Statements

Certain statements made in this section or elsewhere in this report may be deemed forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. Although the Company believes the expectations reflected in any forward-looking statements are based on reasonable assumptions, it can give no assurance that its expectations will be attained, and it is possible that our actual results may differ materially from those indicated by these forward-looking statements due to a variety of risks, uncertainties and other factors. Such factors include, but are not limited to, the Company s ability to refinance, extend, restructure or repay near and intermediate term debt, its indebtedness, its ability to raise capital through equity issuances, asset sales or the incurrence of new debt, retail and credit market conditions, impairments, its liquidity demands, retail and economic conditions. We discuss these and other risks and uncertainties under the heading Risk Factors in the Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2012. We may update that discussion in subsequent Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q, but otherwise we undertake no duty or obligation to update or revise these forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future developments, or otherwise.

#### ITEM 3 QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE DISCLOSURES ABOUT MARKET RISK

There have been no significant changes in the market risks described in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012.

ITEM 4 MINE SAFETY DISCLOSURES

Not applicable.

ITEM 5 CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

#### **Disclosure Controls and Procedures**

As of the end of the period covered by this report, we carried out an evaluation, under the supervision and with the participation of our management, including the Chief Executive Officer ( CEO ) and Chief Financial Officer ( CFO ), of the effectiveness of the design and operation of our disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rules 13a-15(e) and 15(d)-15(e) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, (the Exchange Act )). Based on that evaluation, the CEO and the CFO have concluded that our disclosure controls and procedures are effective.

**Internal Control over Financial Reporting** 

There have been no changes in our internal control over financial reporting during our most recently completed fiscal quarter that have materially affected or are reasonably likely to materially affect our internal control over financial reporting.

PART II OTHER INFORMATION

ITEM 1 LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

In the normal course of business, from time to time, we are involved in legal proceedings relating to the ownership and operations of our properties. In management s opinion, the liabilities, if any, that may ultimately result from such legal actions are not expected to have a material effect on our consolidated financial position, results of operations or liquidity.

#### **Urban Litigation**

In October 2004, certain limited partners (the Urban Plaintiffs ) of Urban Shopping Centers, L.P. (Urban) filed a lawsuit against Urban s general partner, Head Acquisition, L.P. (Head), as well as TRCLP, Simon Property Group, Inc., Westfield America, Inc., and various of their affiliates, including Head s general partners (collectively, the Urban Defendants), in Circuit Court in Cook County, Illinois. The Predecessor, GGPLP and other affiliates were later included as Urban Defendants. The lawsuit alleges, among other things, that the Urban Defendants breached the Urban partnership agreement, unjustly enriched themselves through misappropriation of partnership opportunities, failed to grow the partnership, breached their fiduciary duties, and tortiously interfered with several contractual relationships. The plaintiffs seek relief in the form of unspecified monetary damages and equitable relief requiring, among other things, the Urban Defendants, including the Predecessor and its affiliates, to engage in certain future transactions through the Urban Partnership. On June 24, 2013, the court held oral argument on the parties cross-motions for summary

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judgment. The court has scheduled a status conference for September 10, 2013; a decision on the motions is expected on or before that date. At this time, no new trial date has been scheduled. As a result of our consideration of the risks associated with this matter as well as discussions with counsel, the Company has concluded that it cannot reasonably estimate a possible range of potential loss related to the Urban Plaintiffs lawsuit due to the broad spectrum of monetary and non-monetary remedies which may result from the outcome of the matter and the difficulty in calculating and allocating damages (if any) among the defendants. Therefore, no liability has been accrued and no range of loss has been disclosed as of June 30, 2013.

John Schreiber, one of our directors, serves on the board of directors of, and is an investor in, an entity that is a principal investor in the Urban Plaintiffs, and is himself an investor in the Urban Plaintiffs and, therefore, has a financial interest in the outcome of the litigation that may be adverse to us.

#### **Default Interest**

Pursuant to the Plan, the Company cured and reinstated that certain note (the Homart Note ) in the original principal amount of \$254.0 million between GGP Limited Partnership and The Comptroller of the State of New York as Trustee of the Common Retirement Fund ( CRF ) by payment in cash of accrued interest at the contractual non-default rate. CRF, however, contended that the Company s bankruptcy caused the Company to default under the Homart Note and, therefore, post-petition interest accrued under the Homart Note at the contractual default rate was due for the period June 1, 2009 until November 9, 2010. On June 16, 2011, the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York (the Bankruptcy Court ) ruled in favor of CRF, and, on June 22, 2011, the Company elected to satisfy the Homart Note in full by paying CRF the outstanding default interest and principal amount on the Homart Note totaling \$246.0 million. As a result of the ruling, the Company incurred and paid \$11.7 million of default interest expense during the year ended December 31, 2011. The Company appealed the Bankruptcy Court s order and reserved its right to recover the payment of default interest. On March 13, 2013, the parties reached a settlement: In exchange for the Company s dismissal of its appeal, CRF waived all claims to attorneys fees.

Pursuant to the Plan, the Company agreed to pay to the holders of claims (the 2006 Lenders) under a revolving and term loan facility (the 2006 Credit Facility) the principal amount of their claims outstanding of approximately \$2.6 billion plus post-petition interest at the contractual non-default rate. However, the 2006 Lenders asserted that they were entitled to receive interest at the contractual default rate. In July 2011, the Bankruptcy Court ruled in favor of the 2006 Lenders. The Company had accrued \$96.1 million as of December 31, 2012. The Company appealed the Bankruptcy Court ruling, and on March 13, 2013, the parties reached a settlement. In exchange for the Company s dismissal of its appeal, and a payment by the Company of \$97.4 million, the 2006 Lenders waived all claim to attorneys fees.

#### **Tax Indemnification Liability**

Pursuant to the Investment Agreements, the Successor has indemnified HHC from and against 93.75% of any and all losses, claims, damages, liabilities and reasonable expenses to which HHC and its subsidiaries become subject, in each case solely to the extent directly attributable to MPC Taxes (as defined in the Investment Agreements) in an amount up to \$303.8 million. Under certain circumstances, we agreed to be responsible for interest or penalties attributable to such MPC Taxes in excess of the \$303.8 million. As a result of this indemnity, The Howard Hughes Company, LLC and Howard Hughes Properties, Inc. filed petitions in the United States Tax Court on May 6, 2011, contesting this liability for the 2007 and 2008 years and a trial was held in early November 2012. The Internal Revenue Service has opened an audit for these two taxpayers for 2009 and 2010 with respect to MPC Taxes. We have accrued \$303.6 million as of June 30, 2013 and \$303.8 million as of December 31, 2012 related to the tax indemnification liability. In addition, we have accrued \$21.6 million of interest related to the tax indemnification liability in accounts payable and accrued expenses on our Consolidated Balance Sheets as of June 30, 2013, and December 31,

2012. As a result of our consideration of the risks associated with this matter as well as discussions with counsel, the Company believes that the aggregate liability recorded of \$325.2 million represents management s best estimate of our liability as of June 30, 2013 and that the probability that we will incur a loss in excess of this amount is remote. It is possible that we may make payments on the tax indemnification liability in the next twelve months. We do not expect that these payments will exceed the tax indemnification liability accrued as of June 30, 2013.

# Table of Contents RISK FACTORS ITEM 1A There are no material changes to the risk factors previously disclosed in our Annual Report. ITEM 2 UNREGISTERED SALES OF EQUITY SECURITIES AND USE OF PROCEEDS None ITEM 3 **DEFAULTS UPON SENIOR SECURITIES** None ITEM 5 OTHER INFORMATION None ITEM 6 **EXHIBITS** Certification of Chief Executive Officer Pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002. 31.1 31.2 Certification of Chief Financial Officer Pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.

Certification of Chief Executive Officer Pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.

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The following financial information from General Growth Properties, Inc. s. Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended June 30, 2013, has been filed with the SEC on August 7, 2013, formatted in XBRL (Extensible Business Reporting Language): (1) Consolidated Balance Sheets, (2) Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (Loss), (3) Consolidated Statements of Equity, (4) Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows and (5) Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements, tagged as blocks of text. Pursuant to Rule 406T of Regulation S-T, this information is deemed not filed or part of a registration statement or prospectus for purposes of sections 11 or 12 of the Securities Act of 1933, is deemed not filed for purposes of section 18 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, and is not otherwise subject to liability under these sections.

Pursuant to Item 601(b)(4)(iii) of Regulation S-K, the registrant has not filed debt instruments relating to long-term debt that is not registered and for which the total amount of securities authorized thereunder does not exceed 10% of total assets of the registrant and its subsidiaries on a consolidated basis as of June 30, 2013. The registrant agrees to furnish a copy of such agreements to the SEC upon request.

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### **SIGNATURE**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

GENERAL GROWTH PROPERTIES, INC. (Registrant)

Date: August 7, 2013 By: /s/ Michael Berman

Michael Berman Chief Financial Officer (on behalf of the Registrant)

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