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# First Quarter 2016 Earnings Release

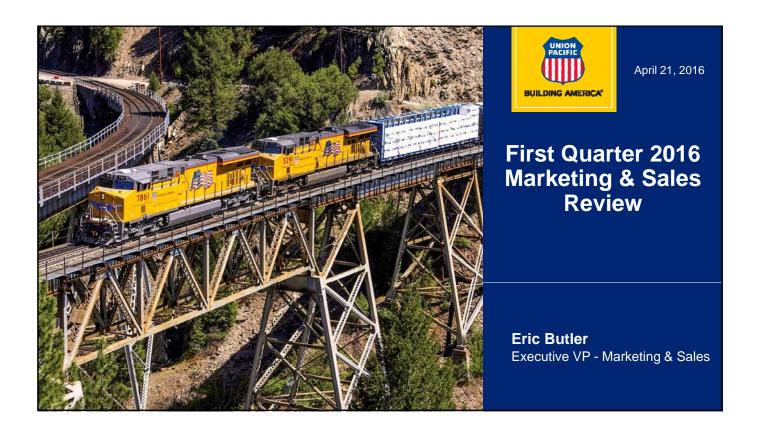
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Chairman, President & CEO

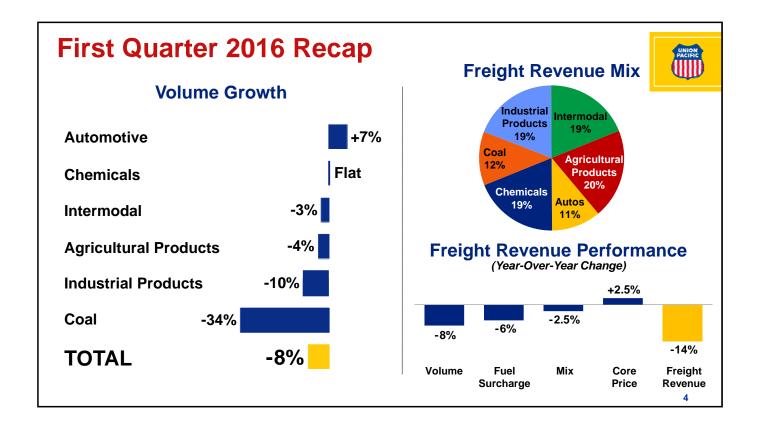
### **First Quarter 2016 Results**





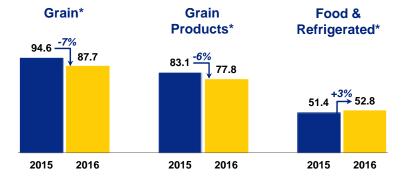
- Earnings Per Share Down 11%
- Softness in Demand
- Solid Core Pricing
- Focus on Productivity

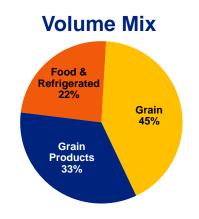




Agricultural Products
Revenue \$882M (-6%) Volume 235K (-4%) ARC \$3,749 (-2%)







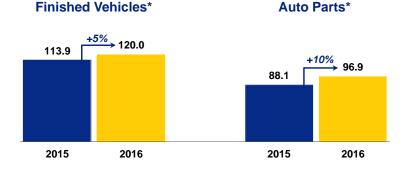
- **Quarterly Drivers**
- **High Global Grain Inventories**
- **Declines in DDG and Soybean Meal Exports**
- **Import Beer Demand Drives Growth**

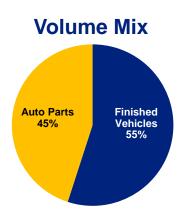
\*Volume in thousands of carloads and excludes equipment shipments \*Prior periods have been adjusted for the re-categorization of commodities

### **Automotive**

Revenue \$510M (-1%) Volume 217K (+7%) ARC \$2,350 (-8%)







- **Solid Consumer Demand**
- **Truck & SUV Sales Outpace Passenger Vehicles**

**Quarterly Drivers** 

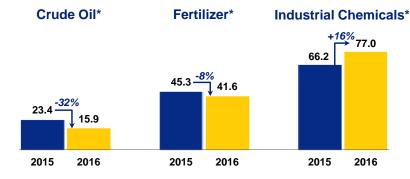
**Parts OTR Conversions** 

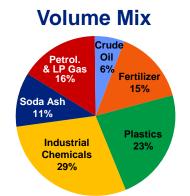
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### **Chemicals**

Revenue \$878M (-2%) Volume 268K (Flat) ARC \$3,272 (-3%)







### **Quarterly Drivers**

- Continued Low Crude Oil Prices & Unfavorable Spreads
- Weak Potash Exports
- Strong Industrial Chemicals & LPGs

\*Volume in thousands of carloads

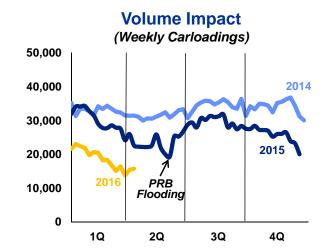
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Revenue \$519M (-43%) Volume 262K (-34%) ARC \$1,985 (-13%)







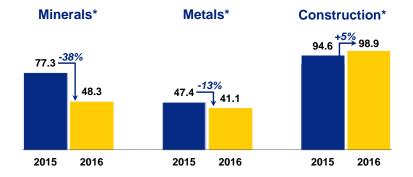
- Warmest Winter on Record
- Low Natural Gas Prices
- PRB Inventories 41 Days Above 5-Year Average

\*Tons in Millions \*PRB includes SPRB and NPRB

### **Industrial Products**

Revenue \$834M (-18%) Volume 274K (-10%) ARC \$3,041 (-9%)







#### **Quarterly Drivers**

- Reduction in Drilling Activity
- Low Commodity Prices & Strong U.S. Dollar
- Increased Construction Shipments

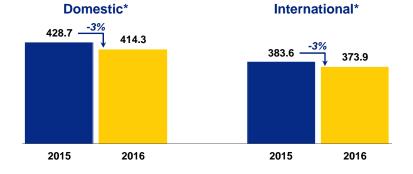
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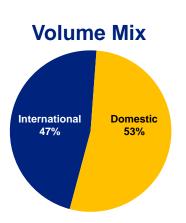
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### Intermodal

Revenue \$879M (-9%) Volume 788K (-3%) ARC \$1,116 (-6%)







### **Quarterly Drivers**

- High Retail Inventory Levels
- Transpacific Market Challenges

\*Volume in thousands of loads

### 2016 Volume Outlook





## Agricultural Products - Global Grain Supply

- + Domestic Grain Demand
- + Import Beer



#### **Chemicals**

- + LPGs
- + Industrial Chemicals
- ? Fertilizer
- Crude Oil



#### **Automotive**

- ? Sustained Consumer **Demand**
- + Parts OTR Conversion



#### **Industrial Products**

- Minerals
- + Construction
- + Lumber
- ? Metals



#### Coal

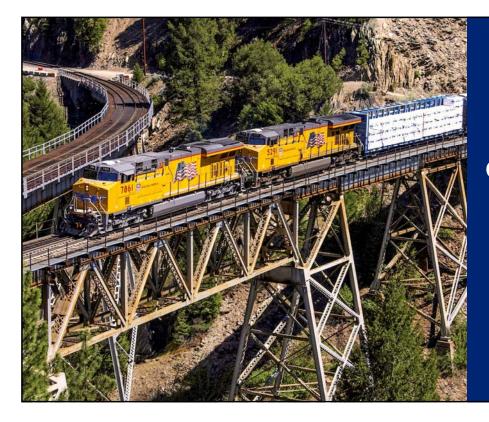
- Price of Natural Gas
- **High Inventory Levels**
- Weather



#### Intermodal

- + Domestic Highway Conversions
- Retail Inventories
- Transpacific Market

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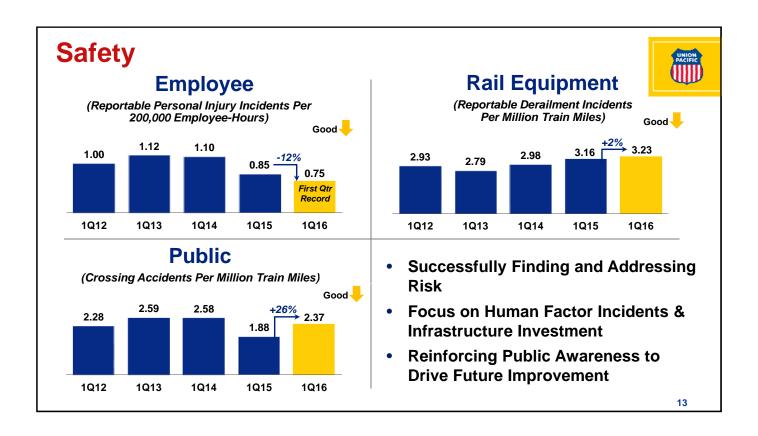


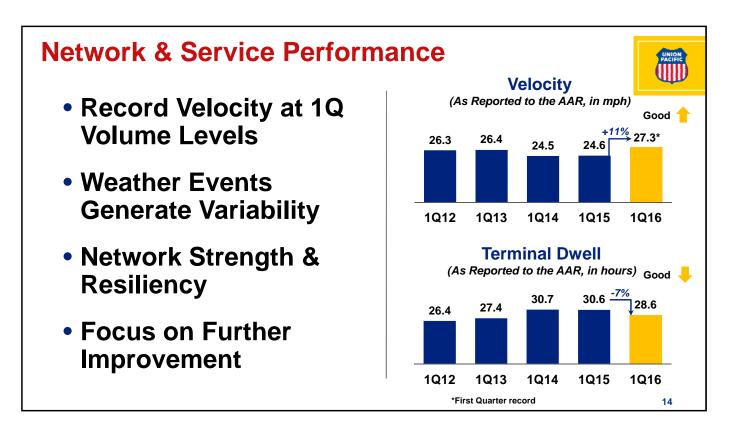


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First Quarter 2016 **Operations Review** 

**Cameron Scott** Executive VP - Operations





### **Resourcing to Demand**

Remaining Agile in a Dynamic Environment

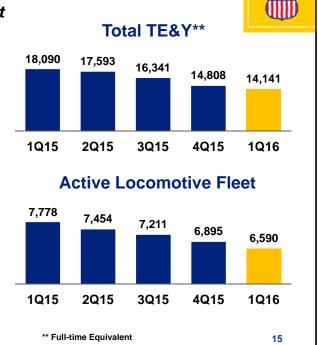
#### TE&Y Workforce

- 1Q16 Down 22% vs 1Q15
- Furlough / AWTS: ~3,800\*

#### Locomotives

- 1Q16 Down 15% vs 1Q15
- Storage: ~1,400\*
- Aligning Other Resources

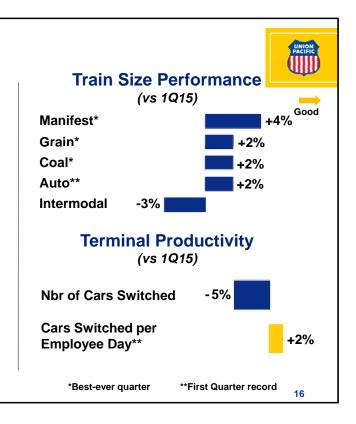
\* As of March 31, 2016



### **Network Productivity**

First Quarter 2016

- Adjusting Resources to Demand
- Record Train Size Performance
- Record Terminal Productivity
- Intensify Focus on Costs



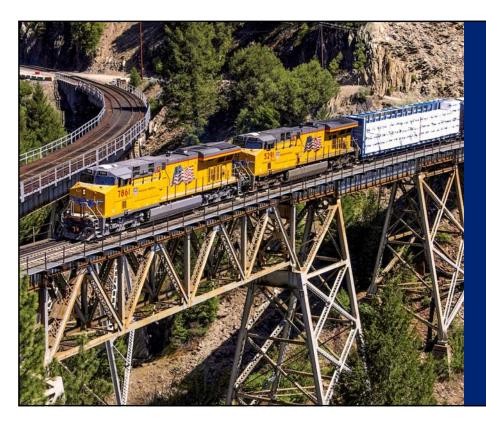
### **Operating Outlook**

- Generate Record Safety Results
- Remain Agile
- Realize Productivity to Improve Cost Performance
- Enhance Value Proposition with Excellent Customer Experience





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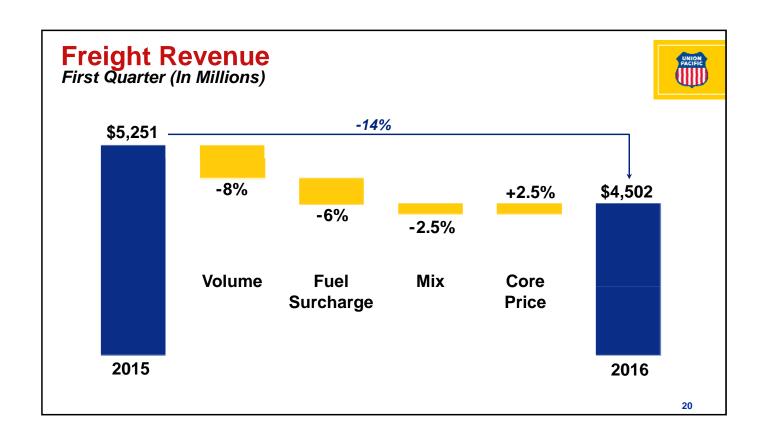


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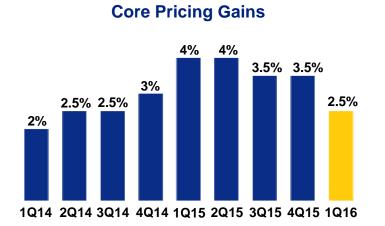
Rob Knight CFO

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2016	2015	%
\$4,829	\$5,614	(14)
3,142	3,637	(14)
1,687	1,977	(15)
46	26	77
(167)	(148)	13
(587)	(704)	(17)
<u>\$979</u>	<u>\$1,151</u>	(15)
846.7	882.8	(4)
\$1.16	\$1.30	(11)
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### **Core Pricing Trends**

- Solid Core **Pricing**
- Pricing to a **Strong Value Proposition**



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## **Compensation & Benefits Expense** First Quarter 2016 \$1,213M, -11%



### Compensation & Benefits (in Millions) \$1,369 -\$1,213 2015 2016 **Workforce Levels** (Quarterly Average) 48,830 --11% 43,655 2015 2016

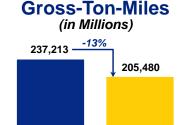
### **Quarterly Drivers**

- Aligning Workforce with Demand
- Lower Pension **Expense**
- Inflation Costs
- Volume & Productivity **Related Reductions**

## Fuel Expense First Quarter 2016 \$320M, -43%

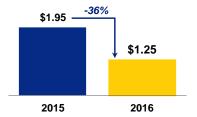
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#### **Average Fuel Price** (Per Gallon Consumed)

2016



#### **Quarterly Drivers**

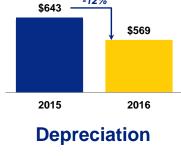
- Decrease in GTMs **Driven by Lower Volumes & Mix**
- Consumption Rate **Increased 1% Driven By Negative Mix**
- Lower Average Diesel **Fuel Price**

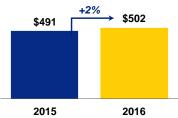
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#### First Quarter 2016 Expense Review In Millions



### **Purchased Services & Materials**





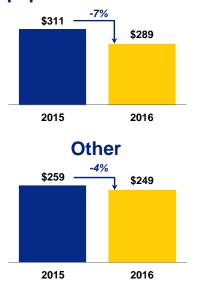
### **Quarterly Drivers**

- Lower Volume-Related Costs
- Reduced Locomotive & Freight Car Repair Costs
- Higher Depreciable **Asset Base**

## First Quarter 2016 Expense Review (cont)



**Equipment & Other Rents** 



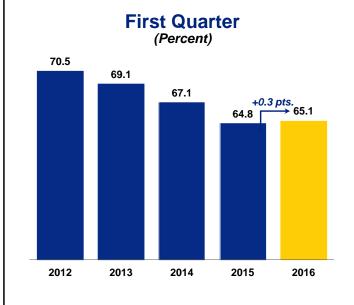
#### **Quarterly Drivers**

- Lower Volumes & Improved Cycle Times
- Decrease in Locomotive Lease Expense
- Lower Personal Injury& Casualty Expenses
- Higher State & Local Taxes

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### **Operating Ratio Performance**





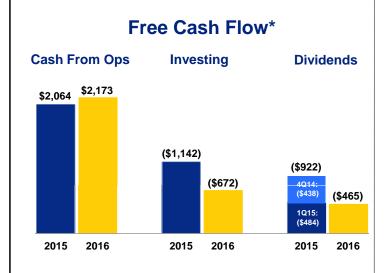
- Focus on Aligning Resources
- Productivity Initiatives
- Solid Core Pricing
- Volume Declines

Full Year Target of 60<sup>+/-</sup> by 2019

### **Free Cash Flow**

Three Month Period Ended March 31 (\$ In Millions)

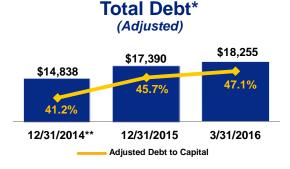




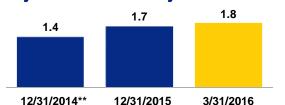
- Bonus Depreciation
- Capital Investments
- Dividends
  - Payment Date Adjustment in First Quarter 2015

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## **Debt & Leverage** (\$ In Millions)



### **Adjusted Debt / Adjusted EBITDA\***





- Strong Balance Sheet
- Investment Grade Credit Rating
- \$1.3 Billion Debt Issuance in 2016

<sup>\*</sup> See Union Pacific website under Investors for a reconciliation to GAAP.

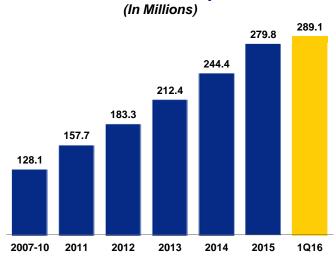
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<sup>\*\*</sup> Prior periods have been adjusted for the retrospective adoption of Accounting Standard Update 2015-03.

### **Delivering Value to Shareholders**



Cumulative Share Repurchases



- First Quarter Activity
  - 9.3 Million Shares
  - Repurchases Totaling \$713
     Million
- Repurchases Since 2007
  - 289 Million Shares
  - Avg Price: \$57.93
- Current Program
  - About 43 Million Shares Remaining

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### 2016 Outlook

### **Second Quarter**

- Lower Coal and Overall Volumes
- Fuel Headwind Begins to Moderate

#### **Full Year**

- Lower Volumes & Mix Pressure
- Record Productivity
- Solid Core Pricing
- Improved Operating Ratio

Focus on "G55+0" Initiatives









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### **Looking Ahead to the Future**

- Uncertain Economy & Demand Outlook
- Efficient Network and Excellent Service
- Unrelenting Focus on Productivity
- Long-Term Franchise Opportunity





### **Cautionary Information**

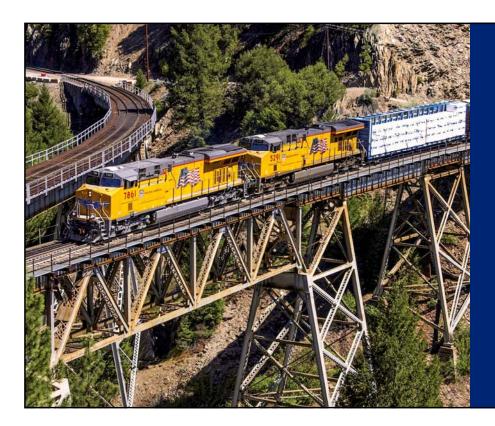


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