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The presentation presents certain non-GAAP and supplementary financial measures, as well as non-GAAP ratios and capital management measures disclosed to assist readers in understanding the Company's performance ("GAAP" refers to Canadian Generally Accepted Accounting Principles under IFRS). These measures do not have any standardized meaning and therefore are unlikely to be comparable to similar measures presented by other issuers and should not be considered in isolation or as a substitute for measures of performance prepared in accordance with GAAP.

Management uses these non-GAAP and supplementary financial measures, as well as certain non-GAAP ratios and capital management measures to analyze and evaluate operating performance. Aecon also believes the financial measures defined below are commonly used by the investment community for valuation purposes, and are useful complementary measures of profitability, and provide metrics useful in the construction industry. The most directly comparable measures calculated in accordance with GAAP are profit (loss) attributable to shareholders or earnings (loss) per share.

Throughout this presentation, the following terms are used, which do not have a standardized meaning under GAAP: "Adjusted EBITDA", "Equity Project EBITDA", "Backlog" and "Adjusted EBITDA margin". "Adjusted Profit (Loss) Attributable to Shareholders", "Adjusted Earnings Per Share – Basic", and "Adjusted Earnings per Share – Diluted". "Operating margin" and "Gross profit margin" are a supplementary financial measures.

Refer to Section 4 "Non-GAAP and Supplementary Financial Measures" and Section 9 "Quarterly Financial Data" in the Company's Management's Discussion and Analysis for the year ended December 31, 2024 (the "Q4 2024 MD&A"), available under Aecon's profile on SEDAR+ (www.sedarplus.ca), for additional information regarding the non-GAAP and supplementary financial measures and non-GAAP ratios used in this presentation. Also refer to pages 3, 7, 8, 15, 16, and 17 in this presentation for additional information regarding non-GAAP ratios and capital management measures. The additional information regarding the non-GAAP and supplementary financial measures and non-GAAP ratios used in this presentation information in the above noted sections is incorporated by reference into this presentation.



2024 Financial Results

\$ Millions

(except per share amounts)

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Gross Profit

Gross Profit Margin %4

Adjusted EBITDA²

Adjusted EBITDA Margin %³

Operating Profit (loss)

Profit (loss) attributable to shareholders

Earnings per share - diluted

Adjusted profit (loss) attributable to shareholders²

Adjusted earnings (loss) per share - diluted²

New Awards

Backlog (at end of period)²

Decer	Years Ended December 31 (As Reported)		Years Ended December 31 (As Adjusted) ^{2,5}		
2024	2023	Change ¹	2024	2023	Change ¹
4,243	4,644	▼ 9%	4,161	3,809	9 %
182.5	255.6	2 9%	455.3	458.6	1 %
4.3%	5.5%	▼ 120 bps	10.9%	12.0%	▼ 110 bps
82.6	143.4	42 %	349.4	355.3	2 %
1.9%	3.1%	▼ 120 bps	8.4%	9.3%	▼ 93 bps
(60.1)	240.9	125 %			
(59.5)	161.9	137 %			
(0.95)	2.10	145 %			
(61.6)	160.9	138 %			
(0.99)	2.09	147 %			
4,747	4,505	5 %			
6,662	6,157	& 8%			

for further information and reconciliation.

⁵ Excludes impacts of legacy projects and divestitures. Refer to Section 5 "Recent Developments", Section 10.2 "Contingencies" and Section 13 "Risk Factors" in the December 31, 2024 MD&A for more information on legacy projects. Refer to page 17



² This is a non-GAAP financial measure. Refer to page 2 in this presentation.

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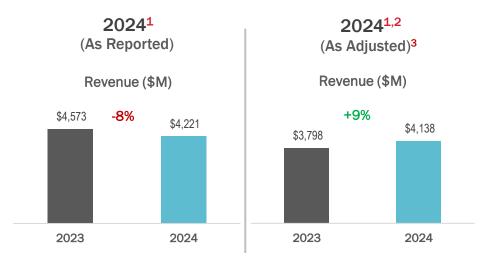
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Construction 2024 Results

Revenue down by \$352M, or 8%, year-over-year

- ▼ \$460M in industrial operations driven by decreased activity on mainline pipeline work following the achievement of substantial completion on a large project in Q3 2023, partially offset by a higher volume of field construction work at wastewater treatment and industrial facilities in western Canada in 2024
- ▼ \$198M in urban transportation solutions primarily from a decrease in Light Rail Transit ("LRT") work in Ontario and Québec as three LRT projects near completion
- ▼ \$14M in civil operations largely from a decrease in road building construction work in eastern Canada after the sale of ATE in Q2 2023 of \$51 million, partially offset in the balance of civil operations by an increase in roadbuilding construction work in western Canada
- ▲ \$282M in nuclear operations driven by an increased volume of refurbishment work at nuclear generating stations located in Ontario and the U.S.
- ▲ \$38M in utilities operations primarily from an increased volume of electrical transmission work in the U.S. and an increase in battery energy storage system work, partially offset by a decreased volume of telecommunications and gas distribution work

New awards higher by \$290M, or 7%, year-over-year





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¹ Totals and variances may not add due to rounding and eliminations.

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Construction 2024 Results (continued)

Adjusted EBITDA² down by **\$65M** year-over-year Operating Profit down by **\$114M** year-over-year

- ▼ Negative gross profit from the four fixed price legacy projects of \$273 million in 2024 compared to negative gross profit of \$215 million in 2023 for a net negative year-over-year impact on operating profit and adjusted EBITDA of \$58 million³
- ▼ Lower gross profit margin in civil operations and urban transportation solutions
- ▲ Higher volume and gross profit margin in nuclear
- ▲ Higher gross profit margin in industrial operations
- ▼ Increase in acquisition-related transaction costs (\$10 million largely in utilities) and increase in amortization expense related to acquisition-related intangible assets from the Xtreme, Ainsworth Power Construction, and United transactions in 2024 (\$5 million)
- ▼ Decrease in other income (\$10 million) driven by lower gains on sale of property, buildings, and equipment (primarily in utilities)









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Concessions 2024 Results

Revenue down by \$61M, or 84%, year-over-year

The decrease was primarily due to lower reported revenue from Skyport as a result of the commencement of the equity method of accounting for the Company's retained 50.1% interest in Skyport following the above noted sale of a 49.9% interest in Skyport in the third guarter of 2023

Adjusted EBITDA² down by \$3M, or 3%, year-over-year and Operating Profit down by \$150M, or 86%, year-over-year

The lower operating profit was primarily due to gains related to a sale in the third quarter of 2023 of a 49.9% interest in the Bermuda International Airport concessionaire which resulted in a year-over-year decrease in gains on sale of \$133 million

In the balance of the Concessions segment, operating profit in 2024 decreased by \$17 million. The ongoing operations at Skyport was negatively impacted by a 49.9% reduction in Aecon's ownership interest in Skyport and from the use of the equity method of accounting in 2024 where operating results for Aecon's interest in Skyport are reported net of financing costs and income taxes. These unfavourable impacts were partially offset by one-time recoveries in Skyport in 2024 of \$5.9 million





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Q4 2024 Financial Results (As Adjusted)

		led	Т		ded
2024		Change ²	2024		Change ²
1,267	1,130	12 %	4,243	4,644	▼ 9%
(52)	(123)		(82)	(723)	
-	-		-	(112)	
1,215	1,007	21 %	4,161	3,809	9 %
		9 %			42 %
35.8	40.0				
-	-			, ,	
					2 %
9.2%	10.9%	▼ 171 bps	8.4%	9.3%	▼ 93 bps
1,200	1,004	20 %	4,138	3,798	9 %
100.8	105.0	4 %	307.0	326.1	~ 6%
8.4%	10.5%	▼ 206 bps	7.4%	8.6%	▼ 117 bps
4.2	3.0	42 %	12.0	13.0	▼ 8%
17.4	19.7	12%	80.9	74.9	8 %
(6.1)	(14.5)	▲ 58%	(38.5)	(45.8)	1 6%
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¹ Includes sale of Aecon Transportation East Business ("ATE") to Green Infrastructure Partners Inc. ("GIP"), which closed in Q2 2023 (May 1, 2023) and CC&L Infrastructure's acquisition of a 49.9% interest in the Bermuda Airport concessionaire, which closed in Q3 2023 (September 20, 2023). Aecon Concessions retains the management contract for the airport and joint control of Skyport with a 50.1% retained interest. In Q2 2024, one-time recoveries of \$5.9M related to the Bermuda Airport were recognized.

⁵ Refer to page 17 for further information and reconciliation.



² bps = basis point.

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⁴ This is a non-GAAP financial ratio. Refer to page 2 in this presentation.

Financial Position, Liquidity and Capital Resources

December 31, 2024
123.3
(152.8)
314.8
285.3
76.5
124.6
27.0
151.6
151.6
181.1
1.8x
2.2x
12%

Free Cash Flow (\$N	VI)	
Operating Profit	2024 (60.1)	2023 240.9
Depreciation and amortization	87.8	79.0
(Gain) on sale of assets	(33.9)	(222.3)
Costs related to business acquisitions	9.9	0.0
Income from projects accounted for using the equity method	(21.2)	(18.8)
Equity Project EBITDA ⁸	100.0	64.5
Adjusted EBITDA ⁸	82.6	143.4
Cash Interest Expense (net)	(14.1)	(51.1)
Capital Expenditures (net of disposals)	(23.6)	47.1
Income Taxes Paid	(52.0)	(38.7)
Change in Working Capital	80.9	25.0
Net JV Impact ⁵	(78.9)	(50.6)
Non-cash items in Adjusted EBITDA	33.4	48.2
Free Cash Flow ^{6,7}	28.3	123.3
Cash Flow From Operations	7.6	51.1
Cash Flow From Investing Activities	(159.6)	360.8
Cash Flow From Operations & Investing Activities	(152.0)	411.8

- · No debt or working capital credit facility maturities until 2027, except equipment and property loans and leases in the normal course
- 1 Excludes Preferred Shares of Aecon Utilities.
- 2 Net debt calculated as long-term debt plus bank indebtedness less core cash. Net debt-to-Adjusted EBITDA ratio is a measurement that Management believes is commonly used by the investment community to assess the Company's debt leverage and liquidity.
- 3 Net Working Capital is a capital management measure that management uses to analyze and evaluate Aecon's liquidity and its ability to generate cash to meet its short-term financial obligations. Management also believes this measure is commonly used by the investment community for valuation purposes. Refer to page 15 in this presentation for the composition of Net Working Capital and a quantitative reconciliation to the most comparable financial measure.
- 4 Debt to capitalization percentage is considered by the Company to be the most important metric in measuring the strength and flexibility of its consolidated balance sheets. Calculated as debt of \$151.6 million divided by capitalization of \$1,268.0 million, which is comprised of shareholders' equity of \$1,116.4 million (including \$160.3 million for Preferred Shares of Aecon Utilities) plus debt of \$151.6 million, to equal 12%.
- 5 Net JV Impact represents the difference between Equity Project EBITDA included in Adjusted EBITDA (Equity Project EBITDA as defined in the December 31, 2024 MD&A) and distributions from projects accounted for using the equity method.
- 6 Excludes \$17.4 million incremental proceeds on minority sale of Bermuda Airport and sale of ATE in 2024 and \$317.6 million net proceeds on minority sale of Bermuda Airport and sale of ATE in 2023. Excludes \$174.5 million outflow (net of cash acquired) in 2024 related to strategic business acquisitions.
- 7 Free Cash Flow is a capital management measure that management uses to analyze and evaluate the cash generated after taking into consideration cash outflows that support its operations and maintain its capital assets. Management also believes this measure is commonly used by the investment community for valuation purposes. Refer to page 15 in this presentation for a quantitative reconciliation to the most comparable financial measure, being Cash Flow From Operations & Investing Activities.
- 8 This is a non-GAAP financial measure or non-GAAP ratio. Refer to page 2 in this presentation.

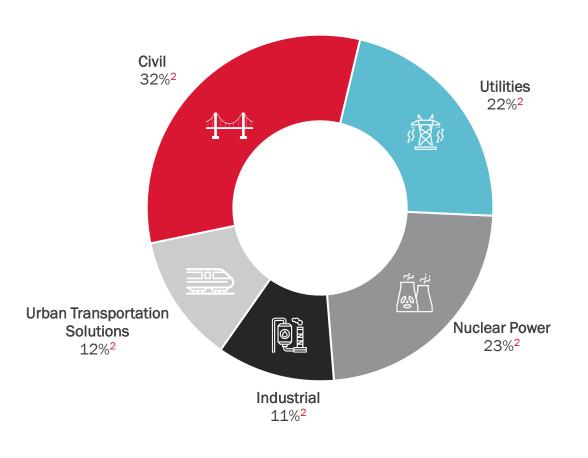


Diverse Business Model

Construction

2024 Revenue (As Adjusted) 2024 Adj. EBITDA (As Adjusted) \$4,138 M^{1,6,7} Concessions

2024 Revenue (As Adjusted) 2024 Adj. EBITDA (As Adjusted) \$12 M^{1,6,7} \$81 M^{1,6,7}



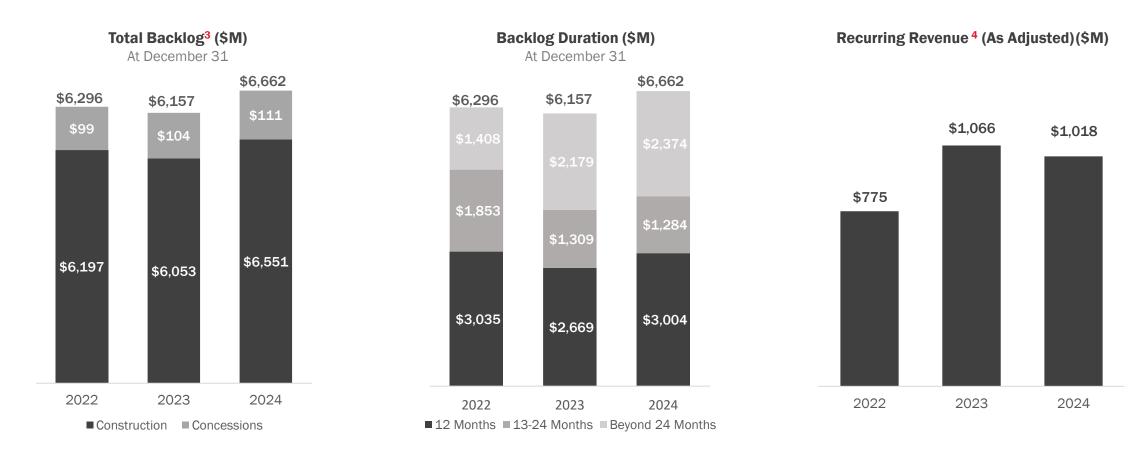
SKYPORT	BERMUDA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT	50.1%3,4
SKYCITY	U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS AIRPORTS ST. THOMAS & ST. CROIX	50.0%5
MOSAIC	FINCH WEST LRT	33.3%3
ONXPRESS TRANSPORTATION PARTNERS	GO RAIL NETWORK ON-CORRIDOR	28.0%3
CROSSLIN TRANSIT SOLUTIONS	EGLINTON LRT	25.0 %³
BRIDGING NORTHAMERICA	GORDIE HOWE INTERNATIONAL BRIDGE	20.0%3
GRANDLING	WATERLOO LRT	10.0 %³
COMPANY AND VALLEY	ONEIDA ENERGY STORAGE L.P.	8.35%3

- 1 Before corporate costs and eliminations.
- 2 % of 2024 Construction revenue (As Adjusted).
- 3 % of Aecon equity ownership in Infrastructure Project Companies and Operators.
- 4 Aecon Concessions retains the management contract for the airport and joint control of Skyport with a 50.1% retained interest.
- 5 Aecon Concessions is the development lead and will hold a 50% equity interest in the project's 40-year concession, and Aecon is the design-build lead.
- 6 This is a non-GAAP financial measure. Refer to page 2 in this presentation.
- 7 Excludes impacts of legacy projects and divestitures. Refer to page 17 for further information and reconciliation.



Solid Backlog & Recurring Revenue Profile

Reported backlog excludes collaborative and progressive design projects currently under development¹



58% Cost Plus/ Unit Price (50% at December 31, 2023)

42% Fixed Price (50% at December 31, 2023)

61% Cost Plus/Unit Price

39% Fixed Price (42% same period last year)

Backlog Contract Type At December 31, 2024

2024 Revenue²



¹ These projects were awarded in a collaborative model and are currently in the development and alliance phases. Further detail on these projects is provided on page 11...

^{2 2024} Revenue contract mix reflects inclusion of recurring revenue (Cost Plus/Unit Price) and timing of backlog work off.

³ This is a non-GAAP financial measure. Refer to page 2 in this presentation.

⁴ Recurring revenue (as adjusted for the impacts from the sale of ATE and 49.9% stake in Skyport). Adjustment to 2022 of -\$121M, to 2023 of -\$68M and to 2024 of \$nil.

De-Risking Business Through Collaborative Models

Collaborative projects currently in development phases present significant opportunities for long term growth¹

Darlington New Nuclear Project (DNNP) Small Modular Reactor

Total Capital Cost Under Development

Integrated Project Delivery (IPD)

Aecon, GE Hitachi and AtkinsRéalis executed a sixyear alliance agreement with Ontario Power Generation (OPG) to deliver North America's first gridscale SMR through the DNNP in Ontario.

Cyril E. King and Henry E. Rohlsen Airports in U.S. Virgin Islands

Total Capital Cost Under Development

Collaborative Design, Build, Finance, Operate & Maintain

SkyCity, an Aecon-led consortium, was selected to redevelop the Cyril E. King Airport in St. Thomas and the Henry E. Rohlsen Airport in St. Croix.

Aecon will have 50% share in the design-build JV with J. Benton and 50% equity interest in the 40-year concession with Tikehau Star Infra.

Contrecoeur Terminal Expansion Project

Total Capital Cost Under Development

Progressive Design-Build

Contrecoeur Terminal Constructors General Partnership, comprised of Aecon (40%) and Pomerleau (60%), executed a contract for the design of the in-water works for the Contrecoeur Terminal Expansion project in Quebec.

GO Rail Expansion On-Corridor (OnCorr) Works Project

Total Capital Cost Under Development

Progressive Design, Build, Operate & Maintain

ONxpress Transportation Partners (ONxpress) selected to design, build, operate and maintain the GO Expansion OnCorr Works project in Ontario. ONxpress consortium comprised of Aecon, FCC, Deutsche Bahn and Alstom.

0&M partnership anticipated to commence in 2025

Winnipeg North End Sewage Treatment Plant Biosolids Facilities Upgrade project

Total Capital Cost Under Development

Progressive Design-Build

Red River Biosolids Partners GP, a consortium comprised of Aecon, Oscar Renda and MWH Constructors, in which Aecon is the lead partner and holds a 33.3% interest, has executed a contract to deliver the Winnipeg North End Sewage Treatment Plant Biosolids Facilities Upgrade project.

Howard A. Hanson Dam Additional Water Storage Fish Passage Facility

Total Capital Cost Under Development

Integrated Design and Construction

Flatiron-Aecon Joint Venture, a consortium between Aecon and Flatiron Construction in which Aecon holds a 40% interest, executed a contract with U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to deliver the Howard A. Hanson Dam Additional Water Storage Fish Passage Facility in Ravensdale, Washington State.

Scarborough Subway Extension Stations, Rail and System (SRS)

\$2.8B

Target Price Contract

The Scarborough Transit Connect (STC) is a 50/50 consortium between Aecon and FCC Canada Limited. The project will extend the TTC's Line 2 subway service nearly eight kilometers farther from the existing Kennedy Station northeast to McCowan Road and Sheppard Avenue.

- Contract signed on January 28, 2025
- \$2.8B added to backlog in Q1 2025

¹ Projects would be added to backlog following completion of successful development phases over one to two years.



Outlook

- Revenue in 2025 is expected to be stronger than 2024 due to an opening backlog of \$6.7 billion combined with recent new awards in the first quarter, the impact of business acquisitions completed in the second half of 2024, solid recurring revenue, and a strong bid pipeline.
- Revenue growth is expected in most of the Construction sectors, as progressive design-build or alliance model projects move into the construction phase in 2025 and 2026.
- In the Construction segment, demand for Aecon's services across Canada, as well as increasingly in select U.S. and international markets, continues to be strong. Development phase work is ongoing in consortiums in which Aecon is a participant to deliver several significant long-term progressive design-build projects of various sizes. In the first quarter of 2025, an Aecon-led consortium completed the collaborative development phase and reached commercial close on the Scarborough Subway Extension progressive design-build transit project. The implementation phase of the project will now commence under a target price contract. Aecon's share of the contract is valued at \$2.8 billion and will be added to its Construction segment backlog in the first quarter of 2025 and will no longer be in recurring revenue. As well, other projects currently being delivered using progressive design-build or alliance models and projects are also expected to move into construction in 2025 and 2026. In addition, Aecon and its consortium partner were recently awarded a collaborative contract by Ontario Power Generation which includes the definition phase work for the retube, feeder and boiler replacement of Units 5, 6, 7 and 8 at the Pickering Nuclear Generating Station in Ontario. Aecon holds a 50% interest in this joint operation and its share of the approximately \$1.1 billion early works portion of the contract was added to its Construction segment backlog in the fourth quarter of 2024. The remaining definition portion of the contract is valued at approximately \$1 billion, and Aecon will add its share to backlog in the first quarter of 2025.
- In the Concessions segment, there are several opportunities to add to the existing portfolio of Canadian and international concessions in the next 12 to 24 months, including projects with private sector clients that support a collective focus on sustainability and the transition to a net-zero economy, as well as private sector development expertise and investment to support aging infrastructure, mobility, connectivity, and population growth. An Aecon-led consortium that was selected by the U.S. Virgin Islands Port Authority to redevelop the Cyril E. King Airport in St. Thomas and the Henry E. Rohlsen Airport in St. Croix under a collaborative Design, Build, Finance, Operate, and Maintain Public-Private Partnership model is expected to reach financial close in 2025.
- Results in recent years were negatively impacted by the four legacy projects, however, the recent Coastal GasLink Pipeline settlement along with the additional write-downs on the fixed price legacy projects in 2024 are anticipated to lead to improved profitability and margin predictability, especially as the remaining three projects move closer to substantial completion. Until the remaining three projects are complete and the related claims have been resolved, there is a risk that this could also occur in future periods see Section 5 "Recent Developments", Section 10.2 "Contingencies", and Section 13 "Risk Factors" in the December 31, 2024 MD&A regarding the risk on certain large fixed price legacy projects entered into in 2018 or earlier by joint operations in which Aecon is a participant. As such, the completion and satisfactory resolution of claims on the remaining three legacy projects with the respective clients remains a critical focus for the Company and its partners. Management will also be monitoring the impact of announced or threatened tariffs or non-tariff measures on the Company's operations. The introduction of these measures could cause increased purchased material costs and/or reduced availability.
- Aecon plans to maintain a disciplined capital allocation approach focused on long-term shareholder value through acquisitions and divestitures, organic growth, dividends, capital investments, and common share buybacks on an opportunistic basis. Aecon is also focused on making strategic investments in its operations to support access and entry into new markets and increase operational effectiveness. Capital expenditures in 2025 are expected to be modestly higher than in 2024. The Company has no debt or working capital credit facility maturities until 2027, except equipment loans and leases in the normal course.



2024 Full Year Highlights

ONE LEGACY PROJECT SETTLED, WITH PROGRESS MADE ON THE REMAINING THREE LEGACY PROJECTS

- The recent Coastal GasLink Pipeline settlement along with the additional write-downs on the fixed price legacy projects in 2024 are anticipated to lead to improved profitability and margin predictability
- The three legacy projects represent 2% of backlog¹ at December 31, 2024 compared to 5% of backlog¹ at December 31, 2023

FURTHER DE-RISKED BY ADDING NEW COLLABORATIVE PROJECTS AND ADVANCING ONE INTO BACKLOG

- Secured several collaborative projects (under progressive-design-build or alliance models) in 2024
- The Scarborough Subway Extension project has finished the collaborative development phase, and the implementation phase will now begin

COMPLETION OF STRATEGIC ACQUISTIONS IN CORE MARKETS

- Aecon completed three strategic acquisitions, enhancing its position to harness significant opportunities across Noth America in the utilities, nuclear and conventional power sectors
 - Xtreme Powerline
 - Ainsworth Power Construction
 - United Engineers & Constructors





APPENDIX

Non-GAAP Measures Quantitative Reconciliation

Net Working Capital Reconciliation (\$M)			
	Dec 31, 2024		
Trade and Other Receivables	897.3		
Unbilled Revenue	743.2		
Inventories	21.5		
Prepaid Expenses	91.9		
Less			
Trade and Other Payables	1,060.4		
Provisions	21.6		
Deferred Revenue	595.5		
Net Working Capital	76.5		

Equity Project EBITDA Reconciliation (\$M)				
	2024	2023		
ofit of projects accounted for using the equity method	84.6	60.5		
cts accounted for using the equity method	15.4	4.0		
Equity Project EBITDA	100.0	64.5		

Free Cash Flow Reconciliation (\$M) ²				
	2024	2023		
Profit (loss) Before Income Taxes	(76.5)	177.5		
Finance cost	25.1	71.0		
Finance income	(8.6)	(7.7)		
Operating Profit	(60.1)	240.9		
Depreciation and amortization	87.8	79.0		
Gain on sale of assets	(33.9)	(222.3)		
Costs related to business acquisitions	9.9	0.0		
Income from projects accounted for using the equity method	(21.2)	(18.8)		
Equity Project EBITDA ¹	100.0	64.5		
Adjusted EBITDA ¹	82.6	143.4		
Cash interest paid	(22.7)	(58.7)		
Cash interest received	8.6	7.6		
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(51.7)	(18.5)		
Proceeds on sale of property, plant and equipment	29.6	71.1		
Increase in intangible assets	(1.5)	(5.5)		
Income taxes paid	(52.0)	(38.7)		
Non-cash items in Adjusted EBITDA	33.4	48.2		
Free Cash Flow before working capital and net JV Impact	26.3	148.9		
Change in other balances related to operations	80.9	25.0		
Equity Project EBITDA ¹	(100.0)	(64.5)		
Distributions from projects accounted for using the equity method	21.1	13.9		
Free Cash Flow	28.3	123.3		

Cash Flow From Operations & Investing Reconciliation (\$M) ²		
	2024	2023
Free Cash Flow	28.3	123.3
Stock-based compensation settlements and receipts	(12.9)	(5.3)
Decrease in restricted cash balances	0.0	2.0
Decrease (Increase) in long-term financial assets	0.2	(19.1)
Proceeds on sale of a subsidiary, net of cash on hand	17.4	317.6
Net cash outflow on acquisition of a business	(174.5)	(0.7)
Costs related to business acquisitions	(9.9)	0.0
Provision for expected credit losses	0.6	0.4
Difference between cash interest and interest expense excl. notional interest & gain on fair value of pref. shares	(0.2)	(5.2)
Other	(0.9)	(1.2)
Total Reconciling Items	(180.3)	288.5
Cash Flow from Operations	7.6	51.1
Cash Flow from Investing Activities	(159.6)	360.8
Cash Flow from Operations & Investing Activities	(152.0)	411.8

Non-cash items in Adjusted EBITDA				
	2024	2023		
Defined Benefit pension	(0.9)	(0.9)		
Concession deferred revenue	0.0	(3.0)		
Unrealized foreign exchange (gain)	(7.2)	(3.4)		
Increase in provisions	16.9	32.4		
Stock-based compensation expense	24.6	23.1		
Non-cash items in Adjusted EBITDA 33.4 48.2				



¹ This is a non-GAAP financial measure. Refer to page 2 in this presentation.

² Totals may not add due to rounding.

Non-GAAP Measures Quantitative Reconciliation (cont'd)

Adjusted Profit Attributable to Shareholders (\$M) ¹ and Adjusted Earnings Per Share ¹ Reconciliation			
	Q4 2024	<u>Q4 2023</u>	
Profit attributable to shareholders	14.0	9.7	
Unrealized (gain) on derivative financial instruments	(4.3)	(2.9)	
Amortization of acquisition related intangible assets	3.1	0.4	
Costs related to related to business acquisitions ²	4.3	-	
Income tax effect of the above items	(0.8)	0.7	
Adjusted profit attributable to shareholders ¹	16.3	7.8	
Adjusted earnings per share - basic ¹	0.26	0.13	
Adjusted earnings per share - diluted ¹	0.25	0.12	

Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation (\$M) ¹										
	<u>04 2024</u>	<u>04 2023</u>	2024	2023						
Operating Profit (loss)	29.6	39.6	(60.1)	240.9						
Depreciation and amortization	26.2	14.6	87.8	79.0						
(Gain) loss on sale of assets	(1.7)	(1.9)	(33.9)	(222.3)						
Costs related to business acquisitions ²	4.3	0.0	9.9	0.0						
(Income) from projects accounted for using the equity method	(1.6)	(5.5)	(21.2)	(18.8)						
Equity Project EBITDA ¹	19.6	23.4	100.0	64.5						
Adjusted EBITDA ¹	76.3	70.2	82.6	143.4						



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² Costs related to business acquisitions includes costs related to advisory, legal and other transaction fees; changes in the fair value of contingent consideration; and contingent consideration classified as compensation per IFRS.

Non-GAAP Measures Quantitative Reconciliation (cont'd)

	Three Months Ended			Twelve Months Ended			
\$ Millions	Dec 31			Dec 31			
Consolidated	2024	2023	Change ³	2024	2023		Change ³
Revenue	1,267	1,130	12 %	4,243	4,644	_	9%
Legacy Projects	(52)	(123)		(82)	(723)		
Divestiture Impacts ^{1,2}	-	-		-	(112)		
Revenue (As Adjusted) ⁴	1,215	1,007	21 %	4,161	3,809		9%
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Adjusted EBITDA ⁴	76.3	70.2	9 %	82.6	143.5		42%
Legacy Projects Loss / (Profit)	35.8	40.0		272.8	215.2		
Divestiture Impacts ^{1,2}	-	-		(5.9)	(3.4)		
Adjusted EBITDA (as Adjusted) ⁴	112.1	110.2	2 %	349.4	355.3		2%
Margin % ⁷	9.2%	10.9%	▼ 171 bps	8.4%	9.3%		93 bps
Construction							
Revenue	1,253	1,127	11 %	4,220	4,573		8%
Legacy Projects	(52)	(123)		(82)	(723)		
Divestiture Impacts ¹	-	-		-	(51)		
Revenue (As Adjusted) ⁴	1,200	1,004	2 0%	4,138	3,798		9%
Adjusted EBITDA ⁴	65.0	65.0	▼ 0%	34.2	99.4		66%
Legacy Projects Loss / (Profit)	35.8	40.0		272.8	215.2		
Divestiture Impacts ¹	-	-		-	11.5		
Adjusted EBITDA (As Adjusted) ⁴	100.8	105.0	▼ 4%	307.0	326.1		6%
Margin % ⁵	8.4%	10.5%	▼ 206 bps	7.4%	8.6%		117 bps
Concessions							
Revenue	4	3	42 %	12	74		84%
Divestiture Impacts ²	-	-		-	(61)		
Revenue (As Adjusted) ⁴	4	3	42 %	12	13		8%
Adjusted EBITDA ⁴	17.4	19.7	12 %	86.8	89.8	_	3%
Divestiture Impacts ²	11.4		▼ 1∠70	(5.9)	(14.9)	•	370
Adjusted EBITDA (As Adjusted) ⁴	<u>-</u> 17.4	- 10.7	12 %	(5.9) 80.9	, ,		8%
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Corporate Adjusted EBITDA ⁴	(6.1)	(14.5)	\$ 58%	(38.5)	(45.8)		16%

^{1 100%} sale of Aecon Transportation East Business ("ATE") to Green Infrastructure Partners Inc. ("GIP"), which closed in Q2 2023 (May 1, 2023).

⁵ This is a non-GAAP financial ratio. Refer to page 2 in this presentation.



² CC&L Infrastructure acquired a 49.9% interest in the Bermuda Airport concessionaire, which closed in Q3 2023 (September 20, 2023). Aecon Concessions retains the management contract for the airport and joint control of Skyport with a 50.1% retained interest. In Q2 2024, one-time recoveries of \$5.9M related to the Bermuda Airport were recognized.

³ bps = basis point.

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