<u>Plum Creek Timber Company Inc.</u> (NYSE:PCL) today announced second quarter earnings of \$21 million, or \$0.12 per diluted share, on revenues of \$302 million. Earnings for the second quarter of 2014 were \$55 million, or \$0.31 per diluted share, on revenues of \$356 million. Reported earnings in the second quarter of 2014 were higher due to the sale of over 49,000 acres of Wisconsin timberlands.

Earnings for the first six months of 2015 were \$63 million, or \$0.35 per diluted share, on revenues of \$708 million. Earnings for the first six months of 2014 were \$85 million, or \$0.47 per diluted share, on revenues of \$673 million.

Adjusted EBITDA, a non-GAAP measure of operating performance, for the first six months of 2015 was \$269 million, a \$36 million increase from the \$233 million for the same period of 2014. A reconciliation of adjusted EBITDA to net income and cash flow from operations is provided as an attachment to this release.

" Second quarter earnings were slightly better than we initially thought, " said Rick Holley, Plum Creek ' schief executive officer. " All of our business segments performed well in the second quarter with our Manufacturing and Real Estate segments reporting better results than we initially anticipated. Improving consumer confidence, employment, and residential construction activity are encouraging and leading indicators of future demand growth. "

Review of Second Quarter Operations

The Northern Resources segment reported operating income of \$3 million during the second quarter, compared to the \$5 million reported during the second quarter of 2014. Total harvest volumes were similar to the second quarter of 2014. Higher pulpwood volumes in the Northeast and Lake States offset lower sawlog harvest levels in the Northwest. Average sawlog prices declined \$4 per ton, or about 5 percent, compared to the prior year as West Coast sawmills were well-supplied with logs and log export markets remained soft. In the Northeast, average pulpwood prices increased \$6 per ton, or about 15 percent over the past year. Pulpwood demand in the Lake States and New England remained strong as pulp and paper companies struggled to build log inventories.

Operating income in the Southern Resources segment was \$32 million, down slightly from the \$33 million reported for the second quarter of 2014. Total harvest volumes and sawlog prices were largely unchanged from the prior year. Pulpwood prices increased \$1 per ton, approximately 8 percent, compared to the second quarter of 2014. Pulpwood prices have trended higher over the past year on good demand from pulp, paper and packaging customers as well as the start-up of new pellet mills in the Gulf South region.

The Real Estate segment reported revenue of \$25 million and operating income of \$11 million in the second quarter of 2015. Second quarter 2014 revenue was \$77 million and operating income was \$45 million. The 2014 results included a \$45 million sale in Wisconsin. During the quarter, the company sold a total of 8,005 acres of recreation lands for \$2,255 per acre and 1,515 acres of small, non-strategic timberlands at an average price of \$955 per acre. The company also sold 6,610 acres of conservation lands in the Northeast at an average price of \$860 per acre.

The Manufacturing segment reported operating income of \$14 million, compared to the \$10 million of operating income reported for the second quarter of 2014. The 2015 results include a non-recurring benefit of approximately \$3 million that was primarily related to lower workers' compensation expenses. Results for the second quarter of 2014 included a \$2 million adverse impact related to the June 2014 fire at the company's MDF facility. Production and sales volumes for MDF and plywood increased over the prior year due to continued strength in the specialty panels markets. The strong results from the MDF and plywood businesses during the quarter offset the impact of lower lumber prices.

Operating income from the Energy and Natural Resources segment was \$5 million, down \$1 million from the second quarter of 2014. The decrease in earnings was primarily the result of lower coal and natural gas royalty income compared to the second quarter of 2014.

Share Repurchase

During the quarter the company repurchased approximately \$31 million of common stock at an average price of \$41.16 per share. As of June 30, 2015, the company had 174.9 million shares of common stock outstanding and \$75 million remaining in its current share repurchase authorization.

Outlook

The company expects harvest volumes will be in the lower half of its 19 to 20 million ton target range for 2015. Harvest levels in the third quarter for the Northern Resources segment are expected to seasonally rebound to approximately one million tons. In the Southern Resources segment, harvest volumes are expected to be about 4 million tons with a pulpwood to sawtimber mix similar to the second quarter of 2015.

Real Estate sales are expected to be \$125 to \$135 million in the third quarter. The company expects Real Estate sales will approach \$300 million for 2015. Land basis, as a percentage of real estate revenues, is expected to be 34 percent in the second half of the year.

During the third quarter of 2015, earnings for the Energy and Natural Resources segment should be similar to second quarter levels. Without the \$3 million non-recurring benefit realized in the second quarter, the company expects the Manufacturing segment to report operating profit similar to the first-quarter results.

&Idquo;Our business segments have performed much as we expected during the first two quarters of 2015, and we continue to expect some demand growth in the second half of the year," continued Holley. &Idquo;However, lower lumber prices and healthy log inventories at most mills limits the upside pricing opportunities in sawlogs that would lead us to the upper end of our earnings guidance range. We are narrowing our guidance range for the year accordingly, and now expect to report 2015 earnings between \$1.05 and \$1.20 per share. We expect to report third quarter earnings between \$0.50 and \$0.55 per share.

"At Plum Creek, we manage the company with the goal of maximizing the long-term value of our shareholders' investment. Our recent share repurchase activity is just one example of our disciplined approach to capital allocation. We continue to evaluate all our capital allocation alternatives, and we will execute on those that provide the best benefit to our shareholders," concluded Holley.

Earnings Conference Call and Supplemental Information

Plum Creek will hold a conference call today, July 27, 2015, at 5:00 p.m. ET (2:00 p.m. PT). A live webcast of the conference call may be accessed through Plum Creek's website at www.plumcreek.com by clicking on the "Investors" section.

Investors without Internet access should dial 1-800-572-9852 at least 10 minutes prior to the start of the call, referencing Plum Creek's earnings conference call. Those wishing to access the call from outside the United States and Canada should dial 1-706-645-9676, also referencing Plum Creek's earnings conference call. Replay of the call will be available for 48 hours after completion of the live call and can be accessed at 1-855-859-2056 or 1-404-537-3406 (international calls), using the code 50834509.

Supplemental financial information for Plum Creek operations, including statistical data and reconciliations to non-GAAP measures is available in the Investors section of Plum Creek's website at www.plumcreek.com.

Plum Creek is among the largest and most geographically diverse private landowners in the nation with more than 6 million acres of timberlands in 19 states. We also operate wood products mills in the Northwest. We manage our working forests using sustainable practices to benefit Plum Creek's many stakeholders. Our employees work together to create shareholder value, serve as stewards of the environment, make wood products for everyday use, and build strong communities. Please visit www.plumcreek.com for the latest information about Plum Creek.

Forward-Looking Statements

This press release contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of the Private Litigation Reform Act of 1995 as amended. Some of these forward-looking statements can be identified by the use of forward-looking words such as "believes," "expects," "may," "will," "should," "seek," "approximately," "intends," "plans," "estimates," or "anticipates," or the negative of those words or other comparable terminology. The accuracy of such statements is subject to a number of risks, uncertainties and assumptions including, but not limited to, the cyclical nature of the forest products industry, our ability to harvest our timber, our ability to execute our acquisition strategy, the market for and our ability to sell or exchange non-strategic timberlands and timberland properties that have higher and better uses, and various regulatory constraints. These and other risks, uncertainties and assumptions are detailed from time to time in our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and the Securities Act of 1933, as amended. It is likely that if one or more of the risks materializes, or if one or more assumptions prove to be incorrect, the current expectations of Plum Creek and its management will not be realized. Forward-looking statements are not guarantees of performance, and speak only as of the date made, and neither Plum Creek nor its management undertakes any obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements.

PLUM CREEK TIMBER COMPANY, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME (UNAUDITED)

(In Millions, Except Per Share Amounts) REVENUES: Timber

Real Estate

Six Months Ended June 30, 2015 2014

Manufacturing	186	184
Energy and Natural Resources	16	18
Other	10	8
Total Revenues	708	673
COSTS AND EXPENSES:		
Cost of Goods Sold:		
Timber	266	263
Real Estate	101	40
Manufacturing	160	163
Energy and Natural Resources	5	5
Other	10	8
Total Cost of Goods Sold	542	479 50
Selling, General and Administrative Total Costs and Expenses	65 607	59 538
Other Operating Income (Expense), net	5	4
	106	
Operating Income		139
Earnings from Unconsolidated Entities	41	29
Interest Expense, net:	5 4	F 4
Interest Expense (Debt Obligations to Unrelated Parties) Interest Expense (Note Payable to Timberland Venture)	54 29	54 29
Total Interest Expense, net	83	83
Income before Income Taxes	64	85 85
	1	—
Provision (Benefit) for Income Taxes		
Net Income	\$ 63	\$ 85
PER SHARE AMOUNTS:	Φ 0.05	Φ 0.40
Net Income per Share – Basic	\$ 0.35	\$ 0.48
Net Income per Share – Diluted	\$ 0.35	\$ 0.47
Weighted-Average Number of Shares Outstanding	175 7	177 1
– Basic – Diluted	175.7 175.9	177.1 177.4
•	175.9	177.4
SUPPLEMENTAL INCOME STATEMENT INFORMATION: Equity Earnings from Timberland Venture	\$ 40	\$ 32
Equity Earnings from Finiberiand Venture Equity Earnings (Loss) from Real Estate Development Ventures	•	
Earnings from Unconsolidated Entities	\$ 41	(3) \$ 29
Zamingo nom omosnosnados Ziminos	Ψ	Ψ 20
PLUM CREEK TIMBER COMPANY, INC.		
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF INCOME		
(UNAUDITED)		
(In Malling of Dec Olege Associate)		ded June 30,
(In Millions, Except Per Share Amounts) REVENUES:	2015	2014
Timber	\$ 170	\$ 171
Real Estate	φ 170 25	77
Manufacturing	92	94
Energy and Natural Resources	8	9
Other	7	5
Total Revenues	302	356
COSTS AND EXPENSES:		
Cost of Goods Sold:		
Timber	127	125
Real Estate	12	30
Manufacturing	77	84
Energy and Natural Resources	3	3
Other	8	5
Total Cost of Goods Sold	227	247
Selling, General and Administrative	32 259	30 277
Total Costs and Expenses Other Operating Income (Expense), not	259 2	
Other Operating Income (Expense), net	<u>ر</u> 45	3

Operating Income

Interest Expense, net:

Earnings from Unconsolidated Entities

Interest Expense (Debt Obligations to Unrelated Parties)

Interest Expense (Note Payable to Timberland Venture)

Total Interest Expense, net	42	42		
Income before Income Taxes	22	55		
Provision (Benefit) for Income Taxes	1	—		
Net Income	\$ 21	\$ 55		
PER SHARE AMOUNTS:				
Net Income per Share – Basic	\$ 0.12	\$ 0.31		
Net Income per Share – Diluted	\$ 0.12	\$ 0.31		ļ
Weighted-Average Number of Shares Outstanding	_			ļ
– Basic	175.5	177.1		ļ
– Diluted	175.7	177.4		ļ
SUPPLEMENTAL INCOME STATEMENT INFORMATION:	_	_		ļ
Equity Earnings from Timberland Venture	\$ 17	\$ 17		ļ
Equity Earnings (Loss) from Real Estate Development Venture:		(2 © 15)	ļ
Earnings from Unconsolidated Entities	\$ 19	\$ 15		ļ
DI LIM ODEEK TIMBED COMBANIV INIC				ļ
PLUM CREEK TIMBER COMPANY, INC. CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS				ļ
(UNAUDITED)				ļ
(In Millions, Except Per Share Amounts)				June 30
				2015
ASSETS Current Assets:				ļ
Current Assets: Cash and Cash Equivalents				\$ 83
Accounts Receivable				φ ου 43
Inventories				56
Deferred Tax Asset				6
Assets Held for Sale				60
Other Current Assets				15
				263
Timber and Timberlands, net				3,945
Minerals and Mineral Rights, net				286
Property, Plant and Equipment, net				118
Equity Investment in Timberland Venture				227
Equity Investment in Real Estate Development Ventures				126 25
Deferred Tax Asset Investment in Grantor Trusts (at Fair Value)				25 48
Investment in Grantor Trusts (at Fair Value) Other Assets				48 42
Total Assets				\$ 5,080
LIABILITIES				Ψ Ο,ΟΟΣ
Current Liabilities:				
Current Portion of Long-Term Debt				\$ 439
Line of Credit				-
Life of Credit				108
Accounts Payable				108 35
Accounts Payable Interest Payable				35 26
Accounts Payable Interest Payable Wages Payable				35 26 18
Accounts Payable Interest Payable Wages Payable Taxes Payable				35 26 18 15
Accounts Payable Interest Payable Wages Payable Taxes Payable Deferred Revenue				35 26 18 15 34
Accounts Payable Interest Payable Wages Payable Taxes Payable				35 26 18 15 34
Accounts Payable Interest Payable Wages Payable Taxes Payable Deferred Revenue Other Current Liabilities				35 26 18 15 34 11 686
Accounts Payable Interest Payable Wages Payable Taxes Payable Deferred Revenue Other Current Liabilities Long-Term Debt				35 26 18 15 34 11 686 1,976
Accounts Payable Interest Payable Wages Payable Taxes Payable Deferred Revenue Other Current Liabilities Long-Term Debt Note Payable to Timberland Venture				35 26 18 15 34 11 686 1,976 783
Accounts Payable Interest Payable Wages Payable Taxes Payable Deferred Revenue Other Current Liabilities Long-Term Debt				35 26 18 15 34 11 686 1,976 783 102
Accounts Payable Interest Payable Wages Payable Taxes Payable Deferred Revenue Other Current Liabilities Long-Term Debt Note Payable to Timberland Venture Other Liabilities Total Liabilities				35 26 18 15 34 11 686 1,976 783
Accounts Payable Interest Payable Wages Payable Taxes Payable Deferred Revenue Other Current Liabilities Long-Term Debt Note Payable to Timberland Venture Other Liabilities Total Liabilities Commitments and Contingencies				35 26 18 15 34 11 686 1,976 783 102
Accounts Payable Interest Payable Wages Payable Taxes Payable Deferred Revenue Other Current Liabilities Long-Term Debt Note Payable to Timberland Venture Other Liabilities Total Liabilities Commitments and Contingencies STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY	75 0. Outsta	ınding &nda	ısh∙ None	35 26 18 15 34 11 686 1,976 783 102 3,547
Accounts Payable Interest Payable Wages Payable Taxes Payable Deferred Revenue Other Current Liabilities Long-Term Debt Note Payable to Timberland Venture Other Liabilities Total Liabilities Commitments and Contingencies STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY Preferred Stock, \$0.01 Par Value, Authorized Shares –	75.0, Outsta 300.6, Outst	ınding &nda anding (net	ish; None of Treasurv Stock) – 174.9 a	35 26 18 15 34 11 686 1,976 783 102 3,547
Accounts Payable Interest Payable Wages Payable Taxes Payable Deferred Revenue Other Current Liabilities Long-Term Debt Note Payable to Timberland Venture Other Liabilities Total Liabilities Commitments and Contingencies STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY Preferred Stock, \$0.01 Par Value, Authorized Shares – Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value, Authorized Shares – June 30, 2015 and 175.9 at December 31, 2014	75.0, Outsta 300.6, Outst	ınding &nda anding (net	ısh; None of Treasury Stock) – 174.9 at	35 26 18 15 34 11 686 1,976 783 102 3,547 —
Accounts Payable Interest Payable Wages Payable Taxes Payable Deferred Revenue Other Current Liabilities Long-Term Debt Note Payable to Timberland Venture Other Liabilities Total Liabilities Commitments and Contingencies STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY Preferred Stock, \$0.01 Par Value, Authorized Shares – Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value, Authorized Shares – June 30, 2015 and 175.9 at December 31, 2014 Additional Paid-In Capital	75.0, Outsta 300.6, Outst	≀nding &nda anding (net	ısh; None of Treasury Stock) – 174.9 at	35 26 18 15 34 11 686 1,976 783 102 3,547 &mdasht t 2 2,961
Accounts Payable Interest Payable Wages Payable Taxes Payable Deferred Revenue Other Current Liabilities Long-Term Debt Note Payable to Timberland Venture Other Liabilities Total Liabilities Commitments and Contingencies STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY Preferred Stock, \$0.01 Par Value, Authorized Shares – Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value, Authorized Shares – June 30, 2015 and 175.9 at December 31, 2014 Additional Paid-In Capital Retained Earnings (Accumulated Deficit)	300.6, Outst	tanding (net	t of Treasury Stock) – 174.9 at	35 26 18 15 34 11 686 1,976 783 102 3,547 — t 2 2,961 (363
Accounts Payable Interest Payable Wages Payable Taxes Payable Deferred Revenue Other Current Liabilities Long-Term Debt Note Payable to Timberland Venture Other Liabilities Total Liabilities Commitments and Contingencies STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY Preferred Stock, \$0.01 Par Value, Authorized Shares – Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value, Authorized Shares – June 30, 2015 and 175.9 at December 31, 2014 Additional Paid-In Capital Retained Earnings (Accumulated Deficit) Treasury Stock, at Cost, Common Shares – 29.5 at June	300.6, Outst	tanding (net	t of Treasury Stock) – 174.9 at	35 26 18 15 34 11 686 1,976 783 102 3,547 — t 2 2,961 (363 (1,044
Accounts Payable Interest Payable Wages Payable Taxes Payable Deferred Revenue Other Current Liabilities Long-Term Debt Note Payable to Timberland Venture Other Liabilities Total Liabilities Commitments and Contingencies STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY Preferred Stock, \$0.01 Par Value, Authorized Shares – Common Stock, \$0.01 Par Value, Authorized Shares – June 30, 2015 and 175.9 at December 31, 2014 Additional Paid-In Capital Retained Earnings (Accumulated Deficit)	300.6, Outst	tanding (net	t of Treasury Stock) – 174.9 at	35 26 18 15 34 11 686 1,976 783 102 3,547 — t 2 2,961 (363

(In Millions)

2014

Six Months Ended Ju

2015

PLUM CREEK TIMBER COMPANY, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED)

(In Millions)	2	2015		2014
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES				•
Net Income		\$ 63		\$ 85
Adjustments to Reconcile Net Income to Net Cash Provided By Operating				
Depreciation, Depletion and Amortization (Includes \$2 MDF Fire Impairs		65		66
Basis of Real Estate Sold	9	92		31
Earnings from Unconsolidated Entities	((41)	(29
Distributions from Timberland Venture	;	30		28
Distributions from Real Estate Development Ventures	•	1		&mdas
Deferred Income Taxes		(2)	&mdas
Working Capital Changes		15	·	7
Other		4		1
Net Cash Provided By (Used In) Operating Activities	:	227		189
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
Capital Expenditures, Excluding Timberland Acquisitions (Includes \$4 M	IDE Fire Replacement Capital in 2014)	(38	١	(40
Timberlands Acquired		(7)	&mdas
Contributions to Real Estate Development Ventures		(2)	(4
Distributions from Real Estate Development Ventures		2	,	1
·		<u>^</u> 1		0 mdoc
Insurance Recoveries (Property Damage)		1 4		&mdas
Sales/(Purchases) of Marketable Securities, net		1 (40	`	&mdas
Net Cash Provided By (Used In) Investing Activities		(43)	(43
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES				
Dividends		(155)	(156
Borrowings on Line of Credit		216		748
Repayments on Line of Credit		(203)	(1,063
Proceeds from Stock Option Exercises	•	1		1
Acquisition of Treasury Stock		(52)	(2
Net Cash Provided By (Used In) Financing Activities	((193)	(472
Increase (Decrease) In Cash and Cash Equivalents	((9)	(326
Cash and Cash Equivalents:		•	,	`
Beginning of Period	9	92		433
End of Period	· ·	\$ 83		\$ 107
PLUM CREEK TIMBER COMPANY, INC.				
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS				
(UNAUDITED)				
	(Quarter	End	ded June
(In Millions)		2015		2014
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Net Income	:	\$ 21		\$ 55
Adjustments to Reconcile Net Income to Net Cash Provided By Operatin	ng Activities:			
Depreciation, Depletion and Amortization (Includes \$2 MDF Fire Impairs		32		34
Basis of Real Estate Sold	•	9		25
Earnings from Unconsolidated Entities		(19)	(15
Distributions from Real Estate Development Ventures		1	,	—
Deferred Income Taxes		(2	١	&mdasi
Working Capital Changes		(2 31	,	32
Other		3		1
Net Cash Provided By (Used In) Operating Activities		3 76		132
	•	, 0		102
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	ADE Fire Deplement On the Line 2014)	(0.4	١.	(0.4
Capital Expenditures, Excluding Timberland Acquisitions (Includes \$4 M		:)	(24
Timberlands Acquired		(7	,	&mdasl
Distributions from Real Estate Development Ventures	·	—	١;	1
Insurance Recoveries (Property Damage)	•	1		&mdas
Net Cash Provided By (Used In) Investing Activities		(30)	(23
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES				
Dividends	•	(78)	(78
Borrowings on Line of Credit		158	•	465
-				

Repayments on Line of Credit Acquisition of Treasury Stock Net Cash Provided By (Used In) Financing Activities Increase (Decrease) In Cash and Cash Equivalents Cash and Cash Equivalents:	(106 (31 (57 (11))	(493 — (106 3
Beginning of Period End of Period	94 \$ 83		104 \$ 107

PLUM CREEK TIMBER COMPANY, INC. SEGMENT DATA (UNAUDITED)

	Six Months	E	nded June 30,
(In Millions)	2015		2014
Revenues:			
Northern Resources	\$ 117		\$ 127
Southern Resources	257		250
Real Estate	134		100
Manufacturing	186		184
Energy and Natural Resources	16		18
Other	10		8
Eliminations	(12)	(14)
Total Revenues	\$ 708		\$ 673
Operating Income (Loss):			
Northern Resources	\$ 16		\$ 21
Southern Resources	63		64
Real Estate	30		57
Manufacturing (A)	23		19
Energy and Natural Resources	10		12
Other (B)	1		(4)
Other Costs and Eliminations, net	(36)	(33)
Total Operating Income	\$ 107		\$ 136
Adjusted EBITDA by Segment: (C))		
Northern Resources	\$ 29		\$ 35
Southern Resources	104		101
Real Estate	122		88
Manufacturing	28		28
Energy and Natural Resources	14		16
Other	7		(3)
Other Costs and Eliminations, net	(35)	(32)
Total	\$ 269		\$ 233

During the second quarter of 2014, we experienced a fire at our MDF facility and recorded a \$2 million loss representing the net book value of the building and equipment damaged or destroyed by the fire. For the six-month periods ended June 30, 2015 and June 30, 2014, we recorded gains related to insurance recoveries of \$2 million and \$4 million, respectively. Insurance

- (A) recoveries were received for costs incurred to rebuild or replace the damaged building and equipment and for business interruption costs. Both the building and equipment loss and the insurance recoveries are reported as Other Operating Gain (Loss) in our Manufacturing Segment and are included in Other Operating Income (Expense), net in the Consolidated Statements of Income.
- For segment reporting, Equity Earnings (Loss) from Real Estate Development Ventures is included in Operating Income (Loss) (B) for the Other Segment. Equity earnings of \$1 million and an equity loss of \$3 million were recorded for the six-month periods ended June 30, 2015 and June 30, 2014, respectively.
- (C) Refer to the separate schedule, "Segment Data Adjusted EBITDA" for reconciliations of Adjusted EBITDA to operating income and net cash provided by operating activities.

PLUM CREEK TIMBER COMPANY, INC. SEGMENT DATA (UNAUDITED)

,	Quarter Ended June 30,		
(In Millions)	2015	2014	
Revenues:			
Northern Resources	\$ 47	\$ 50	
Southern Resources	129	127	
Real Estate	25	77	
Manufacturing	92	94	
Energy and Natural Resources	8	9	
Other	7	5	

Eliminations	(6)	(6)
Total Revenues	\$ 302	·	\$ 356	•
Operating Income (Loss):				
Northern Resources	\$ 3		\$ 5	
Southern Resources	32		33	
Real Estate	11		45	
Manufacturing (A)	14		10	
Energy and Natural Resources	5		6	
Other (B)	2		(3)
Other Costs and Eliminations, net	(20)	(16)
Total Operating Income	\$ 47		\$ 80	
Adjusted EBITDA by Segment: (C)				
Northern Resources	\$ 9		\$ 11	
Southern Resources	53		52	
Real Estate	20		70	
Manufacturing	16		16	
Energy and Natural Resources	7		8	
Other	8		(2)
Other Costs and Eliminations, net	(19)	(15)
Total	\$ 94		\$ 140	

During the second quarter of 2014, we experienced a fire at our MDF facility and recorded a \$2 million loss representing the net book value of the building and equipment damaged or destroyed by the fire. For the quarterly periods ended June 30, 2015 and June 30, 2014, we recorded gains related to insurance recoveries of \$2 million and \$4 million, respectively. Insurance

- (A) recoveries were received for costs incurred to rebuild or replace the damaged building and equipment and for business interruption costs. Both the building and equipment loss and the insurance recoveries are reported as Other Operating Gain (Loss) in our Manufacturing Segment and are included in Other Operating Income (Expense), net in the Consolidated Statements of Income.
- For segment reporting, Equity Earnings (Loss) from Real Estate Development Ventures is included in Operating Income (Loss) (B) for the Other Segment. Equity earnings of \$2 million and an equity loss of \$2 million were recorded for the quarterly periods ended June 30, 2015 and June 30, 2014, respectively.
- (C) Refer to the separate schedule, "Segment Data Adjusted EBITDA" for reconciliations of Adjusted EBITDA to operating income and net cash provided by operating activities.

Plum Creek Timber Company, Inc. Segment Data - Adjusted EBITDA Reconciliation of Operating Income and Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities (Unaudited)

We define Adjusted EBITDA as earnings from continuing operations, excluding Equity Earnings from the Timberland Venture, and before interest expense (including any gains or losses from extinguishment of debt), taxes, depreciation, depletion, amortization, and basis in real estate sold. In addition to including Equity Earnings or Loss from Real Estate Development Ventures in Adjusted EBITDA, we also include, as an add back to Operating Income for the Other Segment, our proportional share of depreciation, depletion, amortization, and basis in real estate sold from this equity method investment. Adjusted EBITDA is not considered a measure of financial performance under U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (U.S. GAAP) and the items excluded from Adjusted EBITDA are significant components of our consolidated financial statements.

We present Adjusted EBITDA as a supplemental performance measure because we believe it facilitates operating performance comparisons from period to period, and each business segment's contribution to that performance, by eliminating non-cash charges to earnings, which can vary significantly by business segment. These non-cash charges include timber depletion, depreciation of fixed assets and the basis in real estate sold. We also use Adjusted EBITDA as a supplemental liquidity measure because we believe it is useful in measuring our ability to generate cash. In addition, we believe Adjusted EBITDA is commonly used by investors, lenders and rating agencies to assess our financial performance.

A reconciliation of Adjusted EBITDA to net income and net cash from operating activities, the most directly comparable U.S. GAAP performance and liquidity measures, is provided in the following schedules:

Six Months Ended

	Operating Income	Deprec Depleti Amortiz
By Segment (1)		•
Northern Resources	\$ 16	\$ 13
Southern Resources	63	41
Real Estate	30	&mdas

Manufacturing	23 5
Energy and Natural Resources	10 4
Other	1 &mdas
Other Costs and Eliminations	(39) 1
Other Unallocated Operating Income (Expense), net	3 &mdas
Total	\$ 107 \$ 64
Reconciliation to Net Income (2)	
Equity Earnings from Timberland Venture	40
Interest Expense	(83)
(Provision) Benefit for Income Taxes	(1)
Net Income	\$ 63
Reconciliation to Net Cash Provided By Operating Activities (1)	

Reconciliation to Net Cash Provided By Operating Activities

Net Cash Flows from Operations

Interest Expense

Amortization of Debt Costs

Provision (Benefit) for Income Taxes

Distributions from Timberland Venture

Distributions from Real Estate Development Ventures

Equity Earnings, Depletion, Amortization, and Basis of Real Estate Sold from Real Estate Development Ventures

Deferred Income Taxes

Gain on Sale of Properties and Other Assets

Timber Deed Acquired

Pension Plan Contributions

Working Capital Changes

Other

Adjusted EBITDA

(1) Includes Equity Earnings from Real Estate Development Ventures (\$1 million) in Operating Income for the Other Segment, along with our proportional share of depreciation, depletion, amortization (\$0), and basis in real estate sold (\$6 million) from this equity method investment.

Six Months Ended

\$ 85

(2) Includes reconciling items not allocated to segments for financial reporting purposes.

Deprec Operating Depleti Income Amortiz By Segment (1) Northern Resources \$ 21 14 Southern Resources 64 37 Real Estate 57 &mdas 19 Manufacturing 9 12 **Energy and Natural Resources** 4 Other (4 1 Other Costs and Eliminations (35) 1 Other Unallocated Operating Income (Expense), net 2 &mdas \$ 136 66 Reconciliation to Net Income (2) Equity Earnings from Timberland Venture 32 Interest Expense (83 (Provision) Benefit for Income Taxes —

Reconciliation to Net Cash Provided By Operating Activities (1)

Net Cash Flows from Operations

Interest Expense

Net Income

Amortization of Debt Costs

Provision (Benefit) for Income Taxes

Distributions from Timberland Venture

Distributions from Real Estate Development Ventures

Equity Earnings, Depletion, Amortization and Basis of Real Estate Sold from Real Estate Development Ventures

Deferred Income Taxes

Gain on Sale of Properties and Other Assets

Timber Deed Acquired

Pension Plan Contributions

Working Capital Changes Other Adjusted EBITDA

(1) Includes Equity Loss from Real Estate Development Ventures (\$3 million) in Operating Income for the Other Segment, along with our proportional share of depreciation, depletion, amortization (\$1 million), and basis in real estate sold (\$0) from this equity method investment.

Quarter Ended Ju

Quarter Ended Ju

(2) Includes reconciling items not allocated to segments for financial reporting purposes.

Depre Operating Deple Income Amort By Segment (1) Northern Resources \$ 3 \$ 6 Southern Resources 32 21 &mda Real Estate 11 Manufacturing 14 2 **Energy and Natural Resources** 5 2 Other 2 &mda Other Costs and Eliminations (20) 1 Other Unallocated Operating Income (Expense), net — &mda \$ 47 Reconciliation to Net Income (2) **Equity Earnings from Timberland Venture** 17 Interest Expense (42 (Provision) Benefit for Income Taxes (1) 21 Net Income \$

Reconciliation to Net Cash Provided By Operating Activities (1)

Net Cash Flows from Operations

Interest Expense

Amortization of Debt Costs

Provision (Benefit) for Income Taxes

Distributions from Timberland Venture

Distributions from Real Estate Development Ventures

Equity Earnings, Depletion, Amortization, and Basis of Real Estate Sold from Real Estate Development Ventures

Deferred Income Taxes

Gain on Sale of Properties and Other Assets

Timber Deed Acquired

Pension Plan Contributions

Working Capital Changes

Other

Adjusted EBITDA

- (1) Includes Equity Earnings from Real Estate Development Ventures (\$2 million) in Operating Income for the Other Segment, along with our proportional share of depreciation, depletion, amortization (\$0), and basis in real estate sold (\$6 million) from this equity method investment.
- (2) Includes reconciling items not allocated to segments for financial reporting purposes.

	Operating Income	Depre Deplet Amort
By Segment (1)		•
Northern Resources	\$ 5	\$ 6
Southern Resources	33	19
Real Estate	45	&mdas
Manufacturing	10	6
Energy and Natural Resources	6	2
Other	(3)	1
Other Costs and Eliminations	(17	1

Other Unallocated Operating Income (Expense), net &mda 80 Total \$ Reconciliation to Net Income (2) Equity Earnings from Timberland Venture 17 Interest Expense (42 (Provision) Benefit for Income Taxes — Net Income \$ 55

3

Reconciliation to Net Cash Provided By Operating Activities (1)

Net Cash Flows from Operations

Interest Expense

Amortization of Debt Costs

Provision (Benefit) for Income Taxes

Distributions from Timberland Venture

Distributions from Real Estate Development Ventures

Equity Earnings, Depletion, Amortization, and Basis of Real Estate Sold from Real Estate Development Ventures

Deferred Income Taxes

Gain on Sale of Properties and Other Assets

Timber Deed Acquired

Pension Plan Contributions

Working Capital Changes

Other

Adjusted EBITDA

- (1) Includes Equity Loss from Real Estate Development Ventures (\$2 million) in Operating Income for the Other Segment, along with our proportional share of depreciation, depletion, amortization (\$1 million), and basis in real estate sold (\$0) from this equity method investment.
- (2) Includes reconciling items not allocated to segments for financial reporting purposes.

View source version on businesswire.com: http://www.businesswire.com/news/home/20150727006250/en/

Contact

Plum Creek Timber Company Inc.

Investors:

John Hobbs, 1-800-858-5347

Media:

Kathy Budinick, 1-888-467-3751