

TORONTO, ONTARIO--(Marketwired - Aug 5, 2016) - [Dundee Energy Ltd.](http://www.dundee-energy.com) (TSX:DEN) ("Dundee Energy" or the "Corporation") today announced its financial results for the three and six months ended June 30, 2016. The Corporation's unaudited condensed interim consolidated financial statements, along with management's discussion and analysis have been filed on the System for Electronic Document Analysis and Retrieval ("SEDAR") and may be viewed under the Corporation's profile at [www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com) or the Corporation's website at [www.dundee-energy.com](http://www.dundee-energy.com).

## FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- Net loss attributable to owners of the parent for the three months ended June 30, 2016 was \$7.3 million or a loss of \$0.04 per share. The net loss in the current period includes an impairment loss of \$5.0 million related to certain natural gas properties, reflecting a decrease in the value of estimated reserves relating to those properties. This compares with a net loss attributable to owners of the parent of \$1.5 million or \$0.01 per share incurred in the same period of the prior year.
- Revenues before royalty interests earned from oil and natural gas sales during the second quarter of 2016 were \$5.5 million, compared with \$8.1 million of revenues earned in the same quarter of 2015, reflecting reduced production volumes and a decrease in the realized sales price for commodities on a comparative period-over-period basis.
- Production volumes during the second quarter of 2016 averaged 10,799 Mcf/d (three months ended June 30, 2015 - 12,053 Mcf/d) of natural gas and 493 bbls/d (three months ended June 30, 2015 - 654 bbls/d) of oil and liquids. Lower production volumes for natural gas in the second quarter of 2016 reflect overhaul work completed on two of the Corporation's compressor stations.
- Field netbacks during the three months ended June 30, 2016, before realized amounts related to derivative financial instruments, were \$0.05/Mcf (three months ended June 30, 2015 - \$0.83/Mcf) from natural gas and \$15.69/bbl (three months ended June 30, 2015 - \$25.08/bbl) from oil and liquids.

## SOUTHERN ONTARIO ASSETS

(in thousands)

	Natural Gas	Oil and Liquids	Total
Net Sales			
Three months ended June 30, 2016	\$ 2,591	\$ 2,107	\$ 4,698
Three months ended June 30, 2015	3,500	3,386	6,886
Net decrease in net sales	\$ (909 )	\$ (1,279 )	\$ (2,188 )
Effect of changes in production volumes	\$ (364 )	\$ (832 )	\$ (1,196 )
Effect of changes in commodity prices	(545 )	(447 )	(992 )
	\$ (909 )	\$ (1,279 )	\$ (2,188 )

During the second quarter of 2016, sales of oil and natural gas, net of royalty interests, were \$4.7 million, a decrease of \$2.2 million from net sales generated in the second quarter of the prior year. Decreases in production volumes accounted for approximately \$1.2 million of the decrease in revenues, with the remaining \$1.0 million decrease resulting from lower realized commodity prices.

## Field Level Cash Flows and Field Netbacks

(in thousands)

For the three months ended June 30,

	2016				
	Natural Gas	Oil and Liquids	Total	Natural Gas	Oil and Liquids
Total sales	\$ 3,028	\$ 2,471	\$ 5,499	\$ 4,128	\$ 4,004
Royalties	(437 )	(364 )	(801 )	(628 )	(618 )
Production expenditures	(2,545 )	(1,402 )	(3,947 )	(2,593 )	(1,891 )
	46	705	751	907	1,495
Realized gain on derivative financial instruments	349	-	349	-	-
Field level cash flows	\$ 395	\$ 705	\$ 1,100	\$ 907	\$ 1,495

For the three months ended June 30,

	2016				
	Natural Gas	Oil and Liquids	Total	Natural Gas	Oil and Liquids
	/Mcf	/bbl	/boe	/Mcf	/bbl
Total sales	\$ 3.08	\$ 55.00	\$ 26.34	\$ 3.76	\$ 67.23
Royalties	(0.44 )	(8.11 )	(3.84 )	(0.57 )	(10.39 )
Production expenditures	(2.59 )	(31.20 )	(18.91 )	(2.36 )	(31.76 )
	0.05	15.69	3.59	0.83	25.08
Realized gain on derivative financial instruments	0.36	-	1.67	-	-
Field netbacks	\$ 0.41	\$ 15.69	\$ 5.26	\$ 0.83	\$ 25.08

## UPDATE TO THE CREDIT FACILITY

Subsequent to June 30, 2016, the Corporation and its lenders initiated discussions pursuant to which the lenders have requested that the Corporation further reduce its borrowing capacity to \$38.0 million by mid January 2017. The Corporation is currently working in cooperation with its lenders, and it is assessing further alternatives. However, the Corporation's access to alternative capital may not be available on terms acceptable to the Corporation or at all.

## CASTOR UNDERGROUND GAS STORAGE PROJECT

Evidentiary hearings, in connection with the binding arbitration proceedings filed in 2015, commenced in late July, and the Corporation anticipates that the arbitral tribunal will reach its decision in late 2016 or early 2017.

## NON-IFRS MEASURES

The Corporation believes that important measures of operating performance include certain measures that are not defined under International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") and as such, may not be comparable to similar measures used by other companies. While these measures are non-IFRS, they are common benchmarks in the oil and natural gas industry, and are used by the Corporation in assessing its operating results, including net earnings and cash flows.

- "Field Level Cash Flows" are calculated as revenues from oil and gas sales, less royalties and production expenditures, adjusted for realized gains or losses on risk management contracts.
- "Field Netbacks" refer to field level cash flows expressed on a measurement unit or barrel of oil equivalent basis.

## ABOUT THE CORPORATION

[Dundee Energy Ltd.](#) is a Canadian-based oil and natural gas company with a mandate to create long-term value for its shareholders through the exploration, development, production and marketing of oil and natural gas, and through other high impact energy projects. Dundee Energy holds interests, both directly and indirectly, in the largest accumulation of producing oil and gas assets in Ontario and, through a preferred share investment, in certain exploration and evaluation programs for oil and natural gas offshore Tunisia. The Corporation's common shares trade on the Toronto Stock Exchange under the symbol "DEN".

## FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

Certain information set forth in these documents, including management's assessment of each of the Corporation's future plans and operations, contains forward-looking statements. Forward-looking statements are statements that are predictive in nature, depend upon or refer to future events or conditions and may include words such as "expects", "anticipates", "intends", "plans", "believes", "estimates" or similar expressions.

In particular, forward-looking statements contained in this document include, but are not limited to, statements with respect to: expectations regarding the Corporation's ability to raise capital; volatility of commodity prices; effectiveness of hedging strategies; exploration, development and production; quantity of oil and natural gas reserve and recovery estimates; pending legal actions; treatment under government regulatory regimes and tax laws; financial and business prospects and financial outlook; performance characteristics of the Corporation's oil and natural gas properties; the Corporation's capital expenditure programs; supply and demand for oil and natural gas; drilling plans and strategy; availability of rigs, equipment and other goods and services; continually adding to reserves through acquisitions, exploration and development; anticipated work programs and land tenure; the granting of operating permits, licenses or authorities to prospect; the timing of acquisitions; the realization of the anticipated benefits of the Corporation's acquisitions and dispositions and other risk factors discussed or referred to in the section entitled "Risk Factors" in the Corporation's Annual Information Form for the year ended December 31, 2015.

Readers are cautioned that the assumptions used in the preparation of such information, although considered reasonable at the time of preparation, may prove to be imprecise and, as such, undue reliance should not be placed on forward-looking statements. The Corporation's actual results, performance or achievement could differ materially from those expressed in, or implied by, these forward-looking statements and, accordingly, no assurance can be given that any of the events anticipated by the forward-looking statements will transpire or occur, or if any of them do so, what benefits the Corporation will derive from them. The Corporation disclaims any intention or obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as required by law.

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