<u>Clayton Williams Energy Inc.</u> (the &ldquo;Company&rdquo;) (NYSE:CWEI) today reported its financial results for the third quarter 2015.

## Summary

- Oil and gas production of 15.6 MBOE/d
- Adjusted net loss<sup>1</sup> (non-GAAP) of \$14.9 million
- EBITDAX<sup>2</sup> (non-GAAP) of \$28.7 million
- Core drilling suspended pending improvement in oil prices
- Sold South Louisiana assets for \$11.8 million in September 2015
- Terminated VPP covering 277 MBOE in August 2015 for \$13.7 million

Financial Results for the Third Quarter of 2015

The Company reported a net loss for the third quarter of 2015 ("3Q15") of \$9.4 million, or \$0.77 per share, as compared to net income of \$27.4 million, or \$2.25 per share, for the third quarter of 2014 ("3Q14"). Adjusted net loss¹ (non-GAAP) for 3Q15 was \$14.9 million, or \$1.23 per share, as compared to adjusted net income¹ (non-GAAP) of \$17.4 million, or \$1.43 per share, for 3Q14. Cash flow from operations for 3Q15 was \$26.4 million as compared to \$86.7 million for 3Q14. EBITDAX² (non-GAAP) for 3Q15 was \$28.7 million as compared to \$78.1 million for 3Q14.

For the nine months ended September 30, 2015, net loss attributable to Company stockholders was \$51 million, or \$4.19 per share, as compared to net income of \$48.1 million, or \$3.96 per share, for the same period in 2014. Adjusted net loss¹ (non-GAAP) for the nine-month period in 2015 was \$48.5 million, or \$3.99 per share, as compared to adjusted net income¹ (non-GAAP) of \$52.1 million, or \$4.28 per share, for the same period in 2014. Cash flow from operations for the nine-month period in 2015 was \$55 million as compared to \$211.7 million during the same period in 2014. EBITDAX² (non-GAAP) for the nine-month period in 2015 was \$91.4 million as compared to \$236.5 million for the same period in 2014.

The key factors affecting the comparability of financial results for 3Q15 versus 3Q14 were:

- The downturn in commodity prices continues to have a significant impact on our business and results of operations. After resuming limited drilling activities in July 2015, the Company drilled two Eagle Ford wells and one Wolfcamp A well before temporarily suspending drilling operations in September 2015 due to another decline in commodity prices.
- Oil and gas sales for 3Q15, excluding amortized deferred revenues, decreased \$55 million compared to 3Q14. Price variances accounted for a \$54.2 million decrease and production variances accounted for a \$0.8 million decrease. Average realized oil prices were \$43.26 per barrel in 3Q15 versus \$90.73 per barrel in 3Q14, average realized gas prices were \$2.71 per Mcf in 3Q15 versus \$4.14 per Mcf in 3Q14, and average realized natural gas liquids ("NGL") prices were \$11.01 per barrel in 3Q15 versus \$31.73 per barrel in 3Q14. Oil and gas sales in 3Q15 includes \$0.8 million of amortized deferred revenue compared to \$1.9 million in 3Q14 attributable to a volumetric production payment ("VPP"). In August 2015, the Company terminated the VPP covering 277 MBOE of oil and gas production from August 2015 through December 2019 for \$13.7 million. Reported production and related average realized sales prices exclude volumes associated with the VPP through July 2015.
- Oil, gas and NGL production per barrel of oil equivalent ("BOE") decreased less than 1% in 3Q15 as compared to 3Q14, with oil production decreasing 1% to 11,152 barrels per day, gas production increasing 6% to 17,283 Mcf per day, and NGL production decreasing 1% to 1,543 barrels per day. Oil and NGL production accounted for approximately 82% of the Company's total BOE production in 3Q15 versus 83% in 3Q14. See accompanying tables for additional information about the Company's oil and gas production.
- Production costs in 3Q15 were \$20.7 million versus \$25.9 million in 3Q14 due primarily to reductions in production taxes associated with a decrease in oil and gas sales. Production costs on a BOE basis, excluding production taxes, decreased 11% to \$12.68 per BOE in 3Q15 versus \$14.19 per BOE in 3Q14.
- Gain on derivatives for 3Q15 was \$18.1 million (including a \$6.4 million gain on settled contracts) versus a gain on derivatives in 3Q14 of \$9.6 million (net of a \$0.2 million loss on settled contracts). See accompanying tables for additional information about the Company's accounting for derivatives.
- Lower commodity prices negatively impacted the Company's results of operations due to asset impairments. The
  Company recorded an impairment of proved properties of \$3.1 million related primarily to non-core prospects in the
  Permian Basin. Also, the Company recorded a charge to other operating expenses for a mark-to-market valuation of its
  tubular inventory.
- General and administrative expenses for 3Q15 were \$4.6 million versus \$0.8 million for 3Q14. Changes in compensation expense attributable to the Company's APO reward plans accounted for a net increase of \$3.7 million (\$2 million credit in 3Q15 versus \$5.7 million credit in 3Q14).
- <sup>1</sup> See &ldquo;Computation of Adjusted Net Income (Loss) (non-GAAP)&rdquo; below for an explanation of how the Company calculates and uses adjusted net income (loss) (non-GAAP) and for a reconciliation of net income (loss) (GAAP) to adjusted net income (loss) (non-GAAP).
- <sup>2</sup> See &ldquo;Computation of EBITDAX (non-GAAP)&rdquo; below for an explanation of how the Company calculates and uses EBITDAX (non-GAAP) and for a reconciliation of net income (loss) (GAAP) to EBITDAX (non-GAAP).

### **Balance Sheet and Liquidity**

As of September 30, 2015, total long-term debt was \$749.7 million, consisting of \$150 million of secured debt under a revolving credit facility and \$599.7 million of 7.75% Senior Notes due 2019. The borrowing base established by the banks under the credit facility and the aggregate lender commitment was \$500 million at September 30, 2015. The Company had \$348.1 million of availability under the facility after allowing for outstanding letters of credit of \$1.9 million. Liquidity, consisting of cash plus funds available on the bank credit facility, totaled \$356.8 million.

#### Scheduled Conference Call

The Company will host a conference call to discuss these results and other forward-looking items Thursday, November 5th at 10:30 a.m. CT (11:30 a.m. ET).

A live webcast for investors and analysts will be available on the Company's website at www.claytonwilliams.com under the "Investors" section. The webcast will be archived on the site for 30 days following the call.

Participants should call (877) 868-1835 and indicate 64931765 as the conference passcode. A replay will be available from 1:30 p.m. CT (2:30 p.m. ET) on November 5th until November 12th. To listen to the replay dial (855) 859-2056 and enter passcode 64931765.

Clayton Williams Energy Inc. is an independent energy company located in Midland, Texas.

This release contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933 and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. All statements, other than statements of historical or current facts, that address activities, events, outcomes and other matters that we plan, expect, intend, assume, believe, budget, predict, forecast, project, estimate or anticipate (and other similar expressions) will, should or may occur in the future are forward-looking statements. These forward-looking statements are based on management's current belief, based on currently available information, as to the outcome and timing of future events. The Company cautions that its future natural gas and liquids production, revenues, cash flows, liquidity, plans for future operations, expenses, outlook for oil and natural gas prices, timing of capital expenditures and other forward-looking statements are subject to all of the risks and uncertainties, many of which are beyond our control, incident to the exploration for and development, production and marketing of oil and gas.

These risks include, but are not limited to, the possibility of unsuccessful exploration and development drilling activities, our ability to replace and sustain production, commodity price volatility, domestic and worldwide economic conditions, the availability of capital on economic terms to fund our capital expenditures and acquisitions, our level of indebtedness, the impact of the current economic recession on our business operations, financial condition and ability to raise capital, declines in the value of our oil and gas properties resulting in a decrease in our borrowing base under our credit facility and impairments, the ability of financial counterparties to perform or fulfill their obligations under existing agreements, the uncertainty inherent in estimating proved oil and gas reserves and in projecting future rates of production and timing of development expenditures, drilling and other operating risks, lack of availability of goods and services, regulatory and environmental risks associated with drilling and production activities, the adverse effects of changes in applicable tax, environmental and other regulatory legislation, and other risks and uncertainties are described in the Company's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. The Company undertakes no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements.

Three Months Ended

Nine Months Ended

# CLAYTON WILLIAMS ENERGY, INC. CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (Unaudited) (In thousands, except per share)

	September 30,		September 30,		
	2015	2014	2015	2014	
REVENUES					
Oil and gas sales	\$51,307	\$107,480	\$178,539	\$331,369	
Midstream services	1,500	1,883	4,714	5,336	
Drilling rig services	—	7,066	23	22,438	
Other operating revenues	1,774	2,854	8,678	14,640	
Total revenues	54,581	119,283	191,954	373,783	
COSTS AND EXPENSES					
Production	20,665	25,927	67,188	77,006	
Exploration:					
Abandonments and impairments	874	2,026	5,005	8,752	
Seismic and other	239	247	1,210	1,955	
Midstream services	406	624	1,339	1,648	

Drilling rig services	922		4,630	4,418	14,968
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	36,861		37,037	121,636	112,242
Impairment of property and equipment	3,089		—	5,620	3,406
Accretion of asset retirement obligations	1,001		936	2,936	2,723
General and administrative	4,631		811	25,102	33,980
Other operating expenses	5,632		1,480	8,479	2,220
Total costs and expenses	74,320		73,718	242,933	258,900
Operating income (loss)	(19,739		45,565	(50,979)	114,883
OTHER INCOME (EXPENSE)	(10)100	,	,	(00,000)	,
Interest expense	(13,565	١	(12,609)	(40,451)	(37,975)
Gain (loss) on derivatives	18,099	,	9,650	10,431	(3,715)
Other	743		385	2,307	2,274
	5,277			•	
Total other income (expense)		١	(2,574 ) 42,991	(27,713)	,
Income (loss) before income taxes	(14,462	)		(78,692)	75,467
Income tax (expense) benefit	5,039	١.	(15,562 )		(27,319)
NET INCOME (LOSS)	\$ (9,423	) ;	\$27,429	\$(50,987)	<b>\$48,148</b>
Net income (loss) per common share:	<b>.</b>				
Basic	\$ (0.77	,	\$2.25	,	\$3.96
Diluted	\$ (0.77	) ;	\$2.25	\$(4.19)	\$3.96
Weighted average common shares outstanding:					
Basic	12,170		12,166	12,170	12,166
Diluted	12,170		12,166	12,170	12,166
CLAYTON WILLIAMS ENERGY, INC.					
CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS					
(In thousands)					
ASSETS					
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			)15	2014	01,
CURRENT ASSETS			Inaudited)	2014	
Cash and cash equivalents		•	8,742	\$ 28,016	
Accounts receivable:		φ	0,742	φ 20,010	
			21 110	26 526	
Oil and gas sales			21,418	36,526	
Joint interest and other, net			4,436	14,550	
Affiliates			237	322	
Inventory			35,865	42,087	
Deferred income taxes			8,452	6,911	
Fair value of derivatives			5,846	—	
Prepaids and other			3,743	4,208	
		8	88,739	132,620	
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT					
Oil and gas properties, successful efforts method	d		2,591,408	2,684,913	3
Pipelines and other midstream facilities		,	59,880	59,542	
Contract drilling equipment			123,876	122,751	
Other		:	20,307	20,915	
		:	2,795,471	2,888,12	1
Less accumulated depreciation, depletion and a	mortization	) (	(1,511,164	) (1,539,23	37)
Property and equipment, net			1,284,307	1,348,884	4
OTHER ASSETS					
Debt issue costs, net			10,593	12,712	
Investments and other			16,011	16,669	
invocation and cater			26,604	29,381	
			1,399,650	\$ 1,510,88	5
LIABILITIES AND STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY		Ψ	.,555,550	ψ 1,515,66¢	-
CURRENT LIABILITIES					
Accounts payable:		<b>ተ</b>	04 400	<b>ተ ሰን ሰ</b> ርሳ	
Trade			31,186	\$ 93,650	
Oil and gas sales			25,936	41,328	
Affiliates			266	717	
Accrued liabilities and other			30,137	20,658	
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NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES		-	740 746	<b>70</b> 4	
Long-term debt			749,743	704,696	
Deferred income taxes			138,435	164,599	
Asset retirement obligations		•	48,279	45,697	

Deferred revenue from volumetric production payment	5,755	23,129
Accrued compensation under non-equity award plans	22,720	17,866
Other	386	751
	965,318	956,738
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY		
Preferred stock, par value \$.10 per share	—	—
Common stock, par value \$.10 per share	1,216	1,216
Additional paid-in capital	152,686	152,686
Retained earnings	192,905	243,892
Total stockholders' equity	346,807	397,794
	\$ 1,399,650	\$1,510,885

CLAYTON WILLIAMS ENERGY, INC.

CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

(Unaudited) (In thousands)

	Three Months Ended September 30, 2015 2014		Nine Months Ended September 30, 2015 2014			
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES			<b>.</b>			
Net income (loss)	,	\$27,429	\$ (50,987)	\$48,148		
Adjustments to reconcile net income (loss) to cash provided by operating activities						
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	36,861	37,037	121,636	112,24		
Impairment of property and equipment	3,089	—	5,620	3,406		
Abandonments and impairments	874	2,026	5,005	8,752		
(Gain) loss on sales of assets and impairment of inventory, net	3,414	400	(835 )	, ,		
Deferred income tax expense (benefit)	(5,039)		(27,705)			
Non-cash employee compensation	(2,679)	,		9,979		
(Gain) loss on derivatives	(18,099)	,	,	•		
Cash settlements of derivatives	6,352	(186 )	•	(4,777		
Accretion of asset retirement obligations	1,001	936	2,936	2,723		
Amortization of debt issue costs and original issue discount	746	685	2,241	2,329		
Amortization of deferred revenue from volumetric production payment	(1,680 )	,		` '		
Other	265	—	669	&mdas		
Changes in operating working capital:						
Accounts receivable	4,280	(1,868 )		(1,434		
Accounts payable	(5,846)	8,566	(32,057)			
Other	12,260	14,034	9,788	10,728		
Net cash provided by operating activities	26,376	86,678	54,996	211,74		
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES						
Additions to property and equipment	(30,413)	(127,750)	(155,680)	(311,96		
Proceeds from volumetric production payment	1,003	258	1,510	810		
Termination of volumetric production payment	(13,703)	—	(13,703)	&mdas		
Proceeds from sales of assets	14,744	30,861	47,484	104,63		
(Increase) decrease in equipment inventory	103	(1,868)	1,130	9,655		
Other	(2)	(192 )	(11 )	(325		
Net cash used in investing activities	(28,268)	(98,691)	(119,270)	(197,19		
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES	,	,	,	,		
Proceeds from long-term debt	3,000	7,000	45,000	29,522		
Repayments of long-term debt	—	—	—	(40,000		
Proceeds from exercise of stock options	—	130	—	130		
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	3,000	7,130	45,000	(10,348		
NET INCREASE (DÉCREASÉ) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	1,108	(4,883 )		•		
Beginning of period	7,634	35,709	28,016	26,623		
	\$8,742					
End of period	ΦO,14Z	\$30,826	\$8,742	\$30,826		

CLAYTON WILLIAMS ENERGY, INC.

COMPUTATION OF ADJUSTED NET INCOME (LOSS) (NON-GAAP)

(Unaudited)

(In thousands, except per share)

Adjusted net income (loss) is presented as a supplemental non-GAAP financial measure because of its wide acceptance by financial analysts, investors, debt holders, banks, rating agencies and other financial statement users as a tool for operating trends analysis and industry comparisons. Adjusted net income (loss) is not an alternative to net income (loss) presented in conformity with GAAP.

The Company defines adjusted net income (loss) as net income (loss) before changes in fair value of derivatives, abandonments and impairments, impairments of property and equipment, net (gain) loss on sales of assets and impairment of inventory, amortization of deferred revenue from volumetric production payment, certain non-cash and unusual items and the impact on taxes of the adjustments for each period presented.

The following table is a reconciliation of net income (loss) (GAAP) to adjusted net income (loss) (non-GAAP):

	Three Months Ended				Nine Months Ended			
	September 30,				September 30,			
	2015		2014		2015		2014	
Net income (loss)	\$ (9,423	)	\$27,429		\$ (50,987)		\$48,148	
(Gain) loss on derivatives	(18,099	)	(9,650	)	(10,431)		3,715	
Cash settlements of derivatives	6,352		(186	)	4,585		(4,777	)
Abandonments and impairments	874		2,026		5,005		8,752	
Impairment of property and equipment	3,089 —			5,620		3,406		
Net (gain) loss on sales of assets and impairment of inventory	3,414		400		(835)		(9,069	)
Amortization of deferred revenue from volumetric production payment	(1,680	)	(1,898	)	(5,181)		(5,855	)
Non-cash employee compensation	(2,679	)	(6,395	)	4,405		9,979	
Other	265 —		669		—	١;		
Tax impact (a)	2,945		5,684		(1,351)		(2,227)	)
Adjusted net income (loss)	\$ (14,942	)	\$17,410		\$ (48,501)		\$52,072	
Adjusted earnings per share:								
Diluted	\$ (1.23	)	\$1.43		\$(3.99)		\$4.28	
Weighted average common shares outstanding:								
Diluted	12,170		12,166		12,170		12,166	
Effective tax rates	34.8	%	36.2	%	35.2 %	%	36.2	%

<sup>(</sup>a) The tax impact is computed utilizing the Company's effective tax rate on the adjustments for each period presented.

CLAYTON WILLIAMS ENERGY, INC. COMPUTATION OF EBITDAX (NON-GAAP)

(Unaudited)

(In thousands)

EBITDAX is presented as a supplemental non-GAAP financial measure because of its wide acceptance by financial analysts, investors, debt holders, banks, rating agencies and other financial statement users as an indication of an entity's ability to meet its debt service obligations and to internally fund its exploration and development activities. EBITDAX is not an alternative to net income (loss) or cash flow from operating activities, or any other measure of financial performance presented in conformity with GAAP.

The Company defines EBITDAX as net income (loss) before interest expense, income taxes, exploration costs, net (gain) loss on sales of assets and impairment of inventory, and all non-cash items in the Company's statements of operations, including depreciation, depletion and amortization, impairment of property and equipment, accretion of asset retirement obligations, amortization of deferred revenue from volumetric production payment, certain employee compensation, changes in fair value of derivatives and certain non-cash and unusual items.

The following table reconciles net income (loss) to EBITDAX:

	Three Months Ended September 30,	Nine Months Ended September 30,					
Matter and the set	2015 2014	2015 2014					
Net income (loss)	\$ (9,423 ) \$ 27,429	\$ (50,987) \$ 48,148					
Interest expense	13,565 12,609	40,451 37,975					
Income tax expense (benefit)	(5,039 ) 15,562	(27,705 ) 27,319					
Exploration:							
Abandonments and impairments	874 2,026	5,005 8,752					
Seismic and other	239 247	1,210 1,955					
Net (gain) loss on sales of assets and impairment of inventory	3,414 400	(835 ) (9,069 )					
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	36,861 37,037	121,636 112,242					
Impairment of property and equipment	3,089 —	5,620 3,406					
Accretion of asset retirement obligations	1,001 936	2,936 2,723					
Amortization of deferred revenue from volumetric production payment	(1,680 ) (1,898	) (5,181 ) (5,855 )					
Non-cash employee compensation	(2,679 ) (6,395	) 4,405 9,979					
(Gain) loss on derivatives	(18,099) (9,650	) (10,431 ) 3,715					
Cash settlements of derivatives	6,352 (186	4,585 (4,777 )					
Other	265 —	669 —					
EBITDAX (a)	\$28,740 \$78,117	\$ 91,378 \$ 236,513					
The following table reconciles net cash provided by operating activities to EBITDAX:							
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 26,376 \$ 86,678	\$ 54,996 \$ 211,745					
Changes in operating working capital	(10,694) (20,732	) (3,038 ) (12,833 )					
Seismic and other	239 247	1,210 1,955					

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(a) In March 2014, the company sold interests in certain non-core Austin Chalk/Eagle Ford assets. Revenue, net of direct expenses, associated with the sold properties was \$2.5 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2014.

CLAYTON WILLIAMS ENERGY, INC. SUMMARY PRODUCTION AND PRICE DATA (Unaudited)

O'l and One Book atting Both	Three Mo September 2015		Nine Months Ended September 30, 2015 2014		
Oil and Gas Production Data: Oil (MBbls) Gas (MMcf) Natural gas liquids (MBbls) Total (MBOE) Total (BOE/d) Average Realized Prices (a) (b):	1,026 1,590 142 1,433 15,576	1,040 1,500 144 1,434 15,586	3,330 4,458 418 4,491 16,451	•	
Oil (\$/Bbl) Gas (\$/Mcf) Natural gas liquids (\$/Bbl) Gain (Loss) on Settled Derivative Contracts (b) (\$ in thousands, except per unit) Oil:	\$ 43.26	\$ 90.73	\$46.93	\$ 93.45	
	\$ 2.71	\$ 4.14	\$2.65	\$ 4.53	
	\$ 11.01	\$ 31.73	\$13.09	\$ 34.35	
Cash settlements received (paid) Per unit produced (\$/Bbl) Average Daily Production: Oil (Bbls): Permian Basin Area:	\$ 6,352 \$ 6.19	, ,	\$4,585 \$1.38	\$ (4,777 ) \$ (1.54 )	
Delaware Basin Other Austin Chalk (c) Eagle Ford Shale (c) Other Total Natural Gas (Mcf):	3,175 3,221 1,806 2,634 316 11,152	2,990 3,205 1,917 2,716 476 11,304	3,561 3,141 1,884 3,269 343 12,198		
Permian Basin Area: Delaware Basin Other Austin Chalk (c) Eagle Ford Shale (c) Other Total Natural Gas Liquids (Bbls):	2,766	2,336	3,036	2,690	
	6,771	6,795	6,653	6,839	
	1,708	1,754	1,737	1,786	
	451	482	540	362	
	5,587	4,937	4,364	4,048	
	17,283	16,304	16,330	15,725	
Permian Basin Area: Delaware Basin Other Austin Chalk (c) Eagle Ford Shale (c) Other Total BOE:	408	451	417	477	
	814	803	794	812	
	179	176	169	184	
	121	95	126	91	
	21	40	25	26	
	1,543	1,565	1,531	1,590	
Permian Basin Area: Delaware Basin Other Austin Chalk (c) Eagle Ford Shale (c) Other Total Oil and Gas Costs (\$/BOE Produced):	4,044	3,830	4,484	4,315	
	5,164	5,141	5,044	5,277	
	2,270	2,385	2,343	2,556	
	2,830	2,891	3,485	2,257	
	1,268	1,339	1,095	1,136	
	15,576	15,586	16,451	15,541	
Production costs Production costs (excluding production taxes)	\$ 14.42	\$ 18.08	\$14.96	\$18.15	
	\$ 12.68	\$ 14.19	\$12.99	\$14.16	

Oil and gas sales includes \$0.8 million for the three months ended September 30, 2015, \$1.9 million for the three months ended September 30, 2014, \$4.3 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and \$5.9 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2014 of amortized deferred revenue attributable to a volumetric production payment ("VPP") transaction effective March 1, 2012. In August 2015, the Company terminated the VPP covering 277 MBOE of oil and gas

- (a) production from August 2015 through December 2019 for \$13.7 million. The calculation of average realized sales prices excludes production of 7,371 barrels of oil and 4,898 Mcf of gas for the three months ended September 30, 2015, 25,122 barrels of oil and 10,987 Mcf of gas for the three months ended September 30, 2014, 53,026 barrels of oil and 35,735 Mcf of gas for the nine months ended September 30, 2015 and 77,543 barrels of oil and 33,608 Mcf of gas for the nine months ended September 30, 2014 associated with the VPP.
- Hedging gains/losses are only included in the determination of the Company's average realized prices if the underlying derivative contracts are designated as cash flow hedges under applicable accounting standards. The Company did not designate any of its 2015 or 2014 derivative contracts as cash flow hedges. This means that the Company's derivatives for 2015 and 2014 have been realized to realize the contracts as cash flow hedges.
- (b) and 2014 have been marked-to-market through its statement of operations as other income/expense instead of through accumulated other comprehensive income on the Company's balance sheet. This also means that all realized gains/losses on these derivatives are reported in other income/expense instead of as a component of oil and gas sales.
- Following is a recap of the average daily production related to interests in producing properties sold by the Company effective March 2014.

Nine Months Ended September 30, 2015 2014

Average Daily Production:

Austin Chalk/Eagle Ford:

Oil (Bbls) — 125
Natural gas (Mcf) — 15
NGL (Bbls) — 4
Total (BOE) — 132

CLAYTON WILLIAMS ENERGY, INC.

SUMMARY OF OPEN COMMODITY DERIVATIVES

### (Unaudited)

The following summarizes information concerning the Company's net positions in open commodity derivatives applicable to periods subsequent to September 30, 2015. The settlement prices of commodity derivatives are based on NYMEX futures prices.

### Swaps:

Oil

MBbls Price

**Production Period:** 

4th Quarter 2015 592 \$55.65

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