# Third Quarter Earnings Call 

November 7, 2017

## Forward Looking Statements

Certain information discussed today constitutes forward-looking statements. Actual results could differ materially from those presented in the forward looking statements as a result of many factors including general economic conditions, weather, competitive conditions in the Company's industries, both in the U.S. and internationally, and additional factors that are described in the Company's publically-filed documents, including its ' 34 Act filings and the prospectuses prepared in connection with the Company's offerings.

This Presentation includes financial information of which the Company's independent auditors have not completed their review. Although the Company believes that the assumptions upon which the financial information and its forward looking statements are based are reasonable, it can give no assurances that these assumptions will prove to be accurate.

This presentation and today's prepared remarks contain non-GAAP financial measures. Reconciliations of the GAAP to non-GAAP measures may be found within the financial tables of our earnings release and the appendix of this presentation. "Adjusted Pretax Income" is our primary measure of period-over-period comparisons, and we believe it is a meaningful measure for investors to compare our results from period to period. EBITDA, or earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization, is a measure we use to assess the cash flow generated by our operations. We have excluded the impairment charge related to our wholesale fertilizer business, as we believe it is not representative of our ongoing core operations when calculating Adjusted Pretax Income, Adjusted Net Income and Adjusted EBITDA.


## Speakers

# Pat Bowe <br> Chief Executive Officer <br> John Granato <br> Chief Financial Officer <br> John Kraus 

Director, Investor Relations


## Q3 ‘17 Headlines

- Grain: Recorded better year-over-year results for the fourth consecutive quarter; 2017 harvest looks positive so far
- Ethanol: Softer margins continued due to higher industry production, which drove lower year-over-year results
- Plant Nutrient: Excess supply continues to cause compressed margins; volume somewhat improved over 2016 levels
- Rail: Recorded comparable base leasing income year-over-year as utilization crept higher and lease rates declined
- Company: Closed on the sale of two of four retail store properties; successfully launched a new company-wide procurement system


## Key Financial Data

| Unaudited \$ in millions, except per share data | Q3 '17 | Q3 '16 | VPY | YTD '17 | YTD ‘16 | VPY |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net Sales | \$836.6 | \$859.6 | (\$23.0) | \$2,682.3 | \$2,811.7 | (\$129.4) |
| Gross Profit | \$69.7 | \$77.0 | (\$7.3) | \$234.0 | \$241.8 | (\$7.8) |
| Operating and general expenses | \$68.5 | \$78.8 | (\$10.3) | \$220.3 | \$234.1 | (\$13.8) |
| Equity in earnings (loss) of affiliates | \$3.6 | \$8.4 | (\$4.8) | \$8.1 | \$3.8 | \$4.3 |
| Income (loss) before income taxes | \$5.0 | \$4.4 | \$0.6 | (\$19.6) | \$4.6 | (\$24.2) |
| Adjusted income before taxes | \$5.0 | \$4.4 | \$0.6 | \$22.4 | \$4.6 | \$17.8 |
| Net income (loss) attributable to The Andersons, Inc. | \$2.5 | \$1.7 | \$0.8 | (\$27.2) | \$1.4 | (\$28.6) |
| Adjusted net income attributable to The Andersons, Inc. | \$2.5 | \$1.7 | \$0.8 | \$14.8 | \$1.4 | \$13.4 |
| Diluted Earnings per share (EPS) | \$0.09 | \$0.06 | \$0.03 | (\$0.96) | \$0.05 | (\$1.01) |
| Adjusted diluted earnings per share (EPS) | \$0.09 | \$0.06 | \$0.03 | \$0.52 | \$0.05 | \$0.47 |
| Depreciation and amortization | \$21.7 | \$20.9 | \$0.8 | \$64.5 | \$62.2 | \$2.3 |
| EBITDA | \$32.0 | \$28.1 | \$3.9 | \$62.3 | \$83.1 | (\$20.8) |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$32.0 | \$28.1 | \$3.9 | \$104.3 | \$83.1 | \$21.2 |
| Corporate unallocated expenses | \$6.4 | \$6.5 | (\$0.1) | \$18.5 | \$19.6 | (\$1.1) |
| Long-term debt |  |  |  | \$371.3 | \$395.6 | (\$24.3) |
| Long-term debt-to-equity |  |  |  | 0.50 | 0.51 | (0.01) |

## Pretax Income

Q3 '16 Pretax Income to Q3 '17 Pretax Income


Note: Amounts above exclude net income attributable to the non controlling interests


## Pretax Income

Reported YTD '16 Pretax Income

## YTD '17 Reconciliation

 to Adjusted YTD '17 Pretax Income

Note: Amounts above exclude net income attributable to the non controlling interests


## Grain Group

## Q3 '17 Highlights

- Base Grain improvement of $\$ 1.8$ million driven by better storage income
- Merchandising, trading and risk management activities all posted better results
- Results of affiliates were down by $\$ 1.1$ million primarily due to lower results at Thompsons


| \$ in millions, except margin | Q3 '17 | Q3 '16 | VPY | YTD '17 | YTD '16 | VPY |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Base Grain |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Revenues | \$497.6 | \$550.2 | (\$52.6) | \$1,464.6 | \$1,612.0 | (\$147.4) |
| Gross Profit | \$32.3 | \$30.5 | \$1.8 | \$86.4 | \$64.2 | \$22.2 |
| Gross Profit Margin | 6.5\% | 5.5\% | 1.0\% | 5.9\% | 4.0\% | 1.9\% |
| Pretax Income | \$3.4 | \$1.6 | \$1.8 | \$4.0 | (\$21.5) | \$25.5 |
| Affiliates Pretax Income | (\$0.8) | \$0.3 | (\$1.1) | \$0.5 | (\$7.1) | \$7.6 |
| Group Pretax Income | \$2.6 | \$1.9 | \$0.7 | \$4.5 | (\$28.6) | \$33.1 |

## Ethanol Group

## Q3 '17 Highlights

- Pretax income decrease of $\$ 3.4$ million was driven by lower year-over-year margins
- DDG prices remained lower due to lower export demand and abating vomitoxin issues
- Group wrote off $\$ 1.5$ million when it canceled a potential capital project to add a new valueadded coproduct at the Denison, lowa plant

Five Year Performance


| \$ in millions | Q3 '17 | Q3 '16 | VPY | YTD '17 | YTD '16 | VPY |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenues | \$191.5 | \$139.4 | \$52.1 | \$533.5 | \$396.6 | \$136.9 |
| Equity in Earnings of Affiliates | \$4.3 | \$7.9 | (\$3.6) | \$7.2 | \$9.9 | (\$2.7) |
| Consolidated Operations and Service Fees | \$1.8 | \$1.6 | \$0.2 | \$5.3 | \$3.1 | \$2.2 |
| Pretax Income Attributable to the Andersons, Inc. | \$6.1 | \$9.5 | (\$3.4) | \$12.5 | \$13.0 | (\$0.5) |

## Plant Nutrient Group

## Q3 '17 Highlights

- Volumes were higher for both base and value added nutrients
- Margins per ton were down sharply for base nutrients and somewhat for value added nutrients
- Group recorded a \$2.2 million charge for a legal settlement

Five Year Performance


| tons in thousands | Q3 '17 | Q3 '16 | VPY | YTD '17 | YTD '16 | VPY |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Basic Nutrient Tons | 236 | 219 | 17 | 971 | 980 | (9) |
| Value-Added Nutrient Tons | 84 | 78 | 6 | 387 | 404 | (17) |
| Other Tons (Lawn, Cob, Farm Centers) | 58 | 73 | (15) | 334 | 398 | (64) |
| \$ in millions, except margin |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Revenue | \$103.6 | \$101.8 | \$1.8 | \$514.9 | \$588.8 | (\$73.9) |
| Gross Profit | \$17.3 | \$19.4 | (\$2.1) | \$83.1 | \$95.7 | (\$12.6) |
| Gross Profit Margin | 16.7\% | 19.1\% | (2.4\%) | 16.1\% | 16.3\% | (0.2\%) |
| Adjusted Pretax Income | (\$7.9) | (\$7.2) | (\$0.7) | \$14.9 | \$18.0 | (\$3.1) |
| Reported Pretax Income | (\$7.9) | (\$7.2) | (\$0.7) | (\$27.1) | \$18.0 | (\$45.1) |

## Rail Group

## Q3 '17 Highlights

- Lease income up slightly year-over-year primarily due to lower maintenance expenses
- Income from car sales up on higher outright and scrapped car sales
- Group recorded a $\$ 750$ thousand reserve for expenses due to a shop worker fatality

Five Year Performance


| \$ in millions, except margin | Q3 '17 | Q3 '16 | VPY | YTD '17 | YTD '16 | VPY |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenues | \$43.1 | \$38.2 | \$4.9 | \$121.6 | \$118.2 | \$3.4 |
| Gross Profit | \$13.4 | \$12.5 | \$0.9 | \$38.4 | \$40.7 | (\$2.3) |
| Gross Profit Margin | 31.1\% | 32.7\% | (1.6\%) | 31.6\% | 34.4\% | (2.8\%) |
| Lease Income | \$3.5 | \$3.4 | \$0.1 | \$7.1 | \$10.4 | (\$3.3) |
| Railcar Sales Income | \$2.6 | \$1.6 | \$1.0 | \$7.6 | \$6.4 | \$1.2 |
| Service \& Other Income | - | \$1.8 | (\$1.8) | \$3.4 | \$5.9 | (\$2.5) |
| Pretax Income | \$6.1 | \$6.8 | (\$0.7) | \$18.1 | \$22.7 | (\$4.6) |

## Outlook

- Expect positive space income to continue
- Expect Base Grain's Q4 to be modestly better year-over-year
- Expect margins to continue to trail year-over-year levels into 2018
- Vomitoxin in the new crop appears to be less of an issue in our areas

- No significant margin improvement expected soon
- Stability in the supply chain and pricing is critical to margin improvement

- Expect continued modest improvement in utilization
- Expect headwinds from increased tank car recertification expense and accounting changes
- Continue to focus on productivity and managing costs
- Complete remaining retail properties sales in 2018


## Q \& A

Thank you for joining us.
Our next earnings call is scheduled for Thursday, February 15 at 11:00 a.m.

## Appendix



## Reconciliation of EBITDA

## Reconciliation of EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA

| Unaudited \$ in millions | Q3 '17 | Q3 '16 | VPY | YTD '17 | YTD ‘16 | VPY |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Net Income (loss) attributable to The Andersons, Inc. | \$2.5 | \$1.7 | \$0.8 | (\$27.2) | \$1.4 | (\$28.6) |
| Add: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Provision for income taxes | \$2.4 | \$1.1 | \$1.3 | \$7.5 | \$1.5 | \$6.0 |
| Interest expense | \$5.4 | \$4.4 | \$1.0 | \$17.5 | \$18.0 | (\$0.5) |
| Depreciation and amortization | \$21.7 | \$20.9 | \$0.8 | \$64.5 | \$62.2 | \$2.3 |
| Earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA) | \$32.0 | \$28.1 | \$3.9 | \$62.3 | \$83.1 | (\$20.8) |
| Adjusting items impacting EBITDA: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Goodwill impairment | - | - | - | \$42.0 | - | \$42.0 |
| Total adjusting items | - | - | - | \$42.0 | - | \$42.0 |
| Adjusted EBITDA | \$32.0 | \$28.1 | \$3.9 | \$104.3 | \$83.1 | \$21.2 |

## U.S. Corn Harvest



Five Yr. Average
83\%


## U.S. Soybean Harvest



Five Yr. Average 91\%


## Grain Group

Grain Storage Capacity


Grain Inventory

| In millions | Q3'15 | Q3' $^{\prime} 16$ | Q3'17 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Bushels owned | 64.1 | 66.0 | $\mathbf{7 4 . 1}$ |
| Bushels stored for others | 3.2 | 1.0 | 1.0 |
| Total bushel inventory | $\mathbf{6 7 . 3}$ | $\mathbf{6 7 . 0}$ | $\mathbf{7 5 . 1}$ |

Bushels Sold

U.S. Harvested Acres


## Ethanol Group

Ethanol Gallons Produced


DDG Tons Shipped


## E-85 Gallons Shipped



Corn Oil Pounds Shipped


## U.S. Ethanol Exports

Cumulative US ethanol exports


2017 ethanol exports by destination (million gallons)


2017 gross exports expected to be 1.2 to 1.3 billion gallons

## Ethanol Group



## Plant Nutrient Group

## Historical Seasonality



## Committed to Growth of Value Added Nutrients

Wholesale nutrients - base NPK = nitrogen, phosphorous, potassium
Wholesale nutrients - value added products = low-salt liquid starter fertilizers, micro-nutrients
Other = other farm centers, lawn, cob

## Rail Group

## Lease Income

| \$ in millions | Q1 '15 | Q2 '15 | Q3 '15 | Q4 '15 | Q1 '16 | Q2 '16 | Q3 '16 | Q4 '16 | Q1 '17 | Q2 '17 | Q3' 17 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Average \# of Assets | 22,879 | 22,972 | 23,301 | 22,916 | 23,026 | 23,242 | 23,185 | 22,935 | 23,237 | 23,565 | 23,299 |
| Beg. \$ on Bal. Sheet | \$297.7 | \$313.1 | \$330.8 | \$347.1 | \$338.1 | \$334.7 | \$340.1 | \$334.4 | \$327.2 | \$342.9 | \$375.1 |
| Average \% Utilization | 91.8\% | 93.5\% | 91.6\% | 92.7\% | 91.5\% | 88.6\% | 86.2\% | 84.8\% | 83.6\% | 84.4\% | 85.8\% |
| Lease Income | \$5.0 | \$15.6 | \$6.4 | \$4.5 | \$4.3 | \$2.7 | \$3.4 | \$2.9 | \$0.7 | \$2.9 | \$3.5 |

Remarketing Income

| \$ in millions | Q1 '15 | Q2 '15 | Q3 '15 | Q4 '15 | Q1 '16 | Q2 '16 | Q3 '16 | Q4 '16 | Q1 '17 | Q2 '17 | Q3 '17 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Asset Sale Income | \$4.5 | \$4.7 | \$3.2 | \$0.8 | \$2.4 | \$2.3 | \$1.6 | \$4.7 | \$3.6 | \$1.4 | \$2.6 |

## Service \& Other Income

| \$ in millions | Q1 '15 | Q2 ${ }^{15}$ | Q3 '15 | Q4 '15 | Q1 '16 | Q2 ${ }^{16}$ | Q3 '16 | Q4 ${ }^{16}$ | Q1 '17 | Q2 ${ }^{17}$ | Q3 ${ }^{17}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Pretax Income | \$0.8 | \$1.4 | \$2.3 | \$1.5 | \$2.7 | \$1.6 | \$1.7 | \$2.1 | \$1.8 | \$1.6 | - |

Total Rail Income

| \$ in millions | Q1'15 | Q2 ${ }^{\prime} 15$ | Q3 '15 | Q4 '15 | Q1 '16 | Q2 '16 | Q3 '16 | Q4 ${ }^{16}$ | Q1 17 | Q2 '17 | Q3 ${ }^{17}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenue | \$44.2 | \$45.5 | \$44.8 | \$36.4 | \$39.6 | \$40.3 | \$38.2 | \$45.5 | \$40.4 | \$38.1 | \$43.1 |
| Gross Profit | \$17.3 | \$18.2 | \$17.5 | \$14.6 | \$14.6 | \$13.6 | \$12.5 | \$15.2 | \$12.3 | \$12.7 | \$13.4 |
| Gross Profit Margin | 39.2\% | 40.1\% | 39.1\% | 40.1\% | 36.8\% | 33.7\% | 32.7\% | 33.5\% | 30.5\% | 33.3\% | 31.1\% |
| Pretax Income | \$10.3 | \$21.7 | \$11.9 | \$6.8 | \$9.4 | \$6.6 | \$6.8 | \$9.7 | \$6.1 | \$5.9 | \$6.1 |

## Rail Group Earning Power

Lease Income

## Sources of Income

- Generates lease income from long-lived assets
- Maximizes value by remarketing assets opportunistically
- Provides repair services embedded in leases and to third parties

| \$ in millions | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Average \# of Assets | 23,019 | 22,990 | 22,199 | 23,017 | 23,057 |
| Beg. \$ on Bal. Sheet | \$197.1 | \$228.3 | \$240.6 | \$297.7 | \$338.1 |
| Average \% Utilization | 84.6\% | 86.1\% | 89.5\% | 92.4\% | 87.8\% |
| Lease Income | \$13.4 | \$18.9 | \$13.6 | \$31.5 | \$13.2 |
| Remarketing Income |  |  |  |  |  |
| \$ in millions | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 |
| Asset Sale Income | \$23.7 | \$19.4 | \$15.8 | \$13.3 | \$11.0 |

Service \& Other Income

| \$ in millions | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Rail Services \& Other | \$5.7 | \$4.5 | \$2.0 | \$5.9 | \$8.2 |

## Total Rail Income

| \$ in millions | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Revenue | \$156.4 | \$164.8 | \$149.0 | \$170.8 | \$163.7 |
| Gross Profit | \$56.7 | \$58.9 | \$59.8 | \$67.7 | \$55.9 |
| Gross Profit \% | 36.3\% | 35.7\% | 40.1\% | 39.6\% | 34.1\% |
| Pretax Income | \$42.8 | \$42.8 | \$31.4 | \$50.7 | \$32.4 |

## Definitions

EBITDA: Earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization; a non-GAAP measure. It is one of the measures the Company uses to evaluate liquidity and leverage
Base Grain: Grain operations owned and operated by The Andersons (does not include affiliates)
Ethanol Margin Hedging: From time to time we establish hedge positions with futures and derivative contracts that lock in prices for sales of ethanol and purchases of corn and natural gas with the intent of securing portions our future sales margins

Grain Bushels Shipped: Includes shipments from our facilities, farm-to-market (F2M) and origination services for corn, soybeans, wheat and oats
F2M: Bushels that The Andersons purchases from the farm that are delivered directly to an Andersons customer. The bushels are never delivered to an Andersons facility
Bushels Owned: Bushels delivered to an Andersons elevator or storage facility rented by The Andersons for which title to the grain is transferred to The Andersons
Bushels Stored for Others: Bushels stored by The Andersons for the owner of the grain for which the company charges a storage fee
Railcar Fleet Utilization: Percentage of railcars in leased service divided by total railcars controlled by company
Basic NPK Nutrients: Nitrogen, phosphorous, potassium
Value Added Nutrients: Low-salt liquid starter fertilizers, micro-nutrients
Other Nutrient Group: Other Farm Center fertilizers, lawn fertilizers, corn-cob products

