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REPX - RILEY EXPLORATION PERMIAN

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**UNITED STATES**  
**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**  
Washington, D.C. 20549  
**FORM 10-Q**

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**QUARTERLY REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

For the quarterly period ended **September 30, 2023** **March 31, 2024**

OR

**TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

Commission file number **001-15555**

**Riley Exploration Permian, Inc.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**

**87-0267438**

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

**29 E. Reno Avenue, Suite 500 Oklahoma City, Oklahoma**

**73104**

(Address of Principal Executive Offices)

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(405) 415-8699**

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common stock, par value \$0.001	REPX	NYSE American

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant: (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports); and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes  No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes  No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the

Exchange	Act.	(Check (one):
Large accelerated filer	<input type="radio"/>	Accelerated filer <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Non-accelerated filer	<input type="radio"/>	Smaller reporting company <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Emerging growth company <input type="radio"/>

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Act). Yes  No

The total number of shares of common stock, par value \$0.001 per share, outstanding as of November 2, 2023 May 3, 2024 was 20,426,199 21,543,798.

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RILEY EXPLORATION PERMIAN, INC.

FORM 10-Q

QUARTERLY REPORT ON FORM 10-Q FOR THE QUARTER ENDED **SEPTEMBER 30, 2023** **MARCH 31, 2024**

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DEFINITIONS

As used in this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q (the "Quarter Report"), unless otherwise noted or the context otherwise requires, we refer to Riley Exploration Permian, Inc., together with its subsidiaries, as "Riley Permian," "REPX," "the Company," "Registrant," "we," "our," or "us." In addition, this Quarterly Report includes certain terms commonly used in the oil and natural gas industry, and the following are abbreviations and definitions of certain terms used within this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q:

## Measurements.

Bbl	One barrel or 42 U.S. gallons liquid volume of oil or other liquid hydrocarbons
Boe	One stock tank barrel equivalent of oil, calculated by converting gas volumes to equivalent oil barrels at a ratio of 6 thousand cubic feet of gas to 1 barrel of oil and by converting NGL volumes to equivalent oil barrels at a ratio of 1 barrel of NGL to 1 barrel of oil
Boe/d	Stock tank barrel equivalent of oil per day
Btu	British thermal unit. One British thermal unit is the amount of heat required to raise the temperature of one pound of water by one degree Fahrenheit
MBbl	One thousand barrels of oil or other liquid hydrocarbons
MBoe	One thousand Boe
MBoe/d	One thousand Boe per day
Mcf	One thousand cubic feet of gas
MMcf	One million cubic feet of gas

## Abbreviations.

ARO	Asset Retirement Obligation
ATM	At-the-market equity sales program
CME	Chicago Mercantile Exchange
Credit Facility	A credit agreement among Riley Exploration - Permian, LLC, as borrower, and Riley Exploration Permian, Inc, as parent guarantor, with Truist Bank and certain lenders party thereto, as amended
CO <sub>2</sub>	Carbon Dioxide
EOR	Enhanced Oil Recovery
FASB	Financial Accounting Standards Board
NGL	Natural gas liquids
NYSE	New York Stock Exchange
Oil	Crude oil and condensate
RRC	Railroad Commission of Texas
SEC	Securities and Exchange Commission
Senior Notes	Unsecured 10.5% senior notes due April 2028
U.S. GAAP	Accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America
WTI	West Texas Intermediate

## CAUTIONARY STATEMENT REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q ("Quarterly Report") contains "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as

amended. All statements, other than statements of historical fact, contained in this Quarterly Report that include information concerning our possible or assumed future results of operations, business strategies, need for financing, competitive position and potential growth opportunities represent management's beliefs and assumptions based on currently available information and they do not consider the effects of future legislation or regulations. Forward-looking statements include all statements that are not historical facts and can be identified by the use of forward-looking terminology such as the words "believes," "intends," "may," "should," "anticipates," "expects," "could," "plans," "estimates," "projects," "targets" "believes," "intends," "may," "should," "anticipates," "expects," "could," "plans," "estimates," "projects," "targets" or comparable terminology or by discussions of strategy or trends. Such statements by their nature involve risks and uncertainties that could significantly affect expected results, and actual future results could differ materially from those described in such forward-looking statements.

Among the factors that could cause actual future results to differ materially are the risks and uncertainties discussed under "Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" and "Part II, Item 1.A Risk Factors" in this Quarterly Report and in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2022 December 31, 2023. We continue to face many risks and uncertainties including, but not limited to:

- the volatility of oil, natural gas and NGL prices;
- regional supply and demand factors, any delays, curtailment delays or interruptions of production, and any governmental order, rule or regulation that may impose production limits;
- cost and availability of gathering, pipeline, refining, transportation and other midstream and downstream activities, which could result in a prolonged shut-in of our wells that may adversely affect our reserves, financial condition and results of operations;
- severe weather and other risks that lead to a lack of any available markets;
- our ability to successfully complete mergers, acquisitions or divestitures;
- the inability or failure of the Company to successfully integrate the acquired assets into its operations and development activities;
- the potential delays in the development, construction or start-up of planned projects;
- the risk that the Company's EOR project may not perform as expected or produce the anticipated benefits;
- risks relating to our operations, including development drilling and testing results and performance of acquired properties and newly drilled wells;
- inability to prove up undeveloped acreage and maintain production on leases;
- any reduction in our borrowing base on our revolving credit facility Credit Facility from time to time and our ability to repay any excess borrowings as a result of such reduction;
- the impact of our derivative strategy and the results of future settlement;
- our ability to comply with the financial covenants contained in our revolving credit facility Credit Facility and in our unsecured Senior Notes;
- changes in general economic, business or industry conditions, including changes in inflation rates, interest rates, and foreign currency exchange rates;
- conditions in the capital, financial and credit markets and our ability to obtain capital needed for development and exploration operations on favorable terms or at all;
- the loss of certain tax deductions;
- risks associated with executing our business strategy, including any changes in our strategy;

- risks associated with concentration of operations in one major geographic area;
- legislative or regulatory changes, including initiatives related to hydraulic fracturing, emissions and disposal regulation of produced greenhouse gases, water which may be negatively impacted by regulation conservation, seismic activity, weatherization, or legislation; protection of certain species of wildlife, or of sensitive environmental areas;
- the ability to receive drilling and other permits or approvals and rights-of-way in a timely manner (or at all), which may be restricted by governmental regulation and legislation;
- restrictions on the use of water, including limits on the use of produced water and a moratorium on new produced water well permits recently imposed by the RRC in an effort to control induced seismicity in the Permian Basin;
- changes in government environmental policies and other environmental risks; the availability of drilling equipment and the timing of production; tax consequences of business transactions; public health crises, such as pandemics and

epidemics, and any related government policies and actions and the effects of such public health crises on the oil and natural gas industry, pricing and demand for oil and natural gas and supply chain logistics;

- general domestic and international economic, market and political conditions, including the military conflict between Russia and Ukraine, the Israel-Hamas conflict, and the global response to such conflicts;
- risks related to litigation; and
- cybersecurity threats, technology system failures and data security issues.

In light of such risks and uncertainties, we caution you not to place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements. These forward-looking statements speak only as of the date of this Quarterly Report, or if earlier, as of the date they were made. We do not intend to, and disclaim any obligation to, update or revise any forward-looking statements unless required by securities law.

## Part I. FINANCIAL INFORMATION

### Item 1. Financial Statements

RILEY EXPLORATION  
PERMIAN, INC.

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

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CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS

			(Unaudited)
			(Unaudited)
			(Unaudited)
		September 30, 2023	December 31, 2022
		(In thousands, except share amounts)	
		(Unaudited)	
		March 31, 2024	
		March 31, 2024	
		March 31, 2024	
		(In thousands, except share amounts)	
		(In thousands, except share amounts)	
		(In thousands, except share amounts)	
<b>Assets</b>			
<b>Assets</b>			
<b>Assets</b>	<b>Assets</b>		
<b>Current Assets:</b>	<b>Current Assets:</b>		
Cash and cash equivalents		\$ 10,366	\$ 13,301
<b>Current Assets:</b>			
Cash			
Cash			
Cash			
Accounts receivable			
Accounts receivable			
Accounts receivable	Accounts receivable	45,322	25,551
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		2,206	3,236
Prepaid expenses			
Prepaid expenses			
Prepaid expenses			
Inventory			
Inventory			
Inventory	Inventory	8,623	8,886
Current derivative assets	Current derivative assets	689	20
Current derivative assets			
Current derivative assets			
<b>Total current assets</b>			

<b>Total current assets</b>			
<b>Total current assets</b>	<b>Total current assets</b>	<u><b>67,206</b></u>	<b>50,994</b>
Oil and natural gas properties, net (successful efforts)	Oil and natural gas properties, net (successful efforts)	853,032	440,102
Oil and natural gas properties, net (successful efforts)	Oil and natural gas properties, net (successful efforts)		
Other property and equipment, net	Other property and equipment, net	20,158	20,023
Other property and equipment, net	Other property and equipment, net		
Non-current derivative assets	Non-current derivative assets		
Non-current derivative assets	Non-current derivative assets	1,356	—
Other non-current assets, net	Other non-current assets, net	11,487	4,175
Other non-current assets, net	Other non-current assets, net		
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>Total Assets</b>		
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>Total Assets</b>	<u><b>\$ 953,239</b></u>	<u><b>\$ 515,294</b></u>
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity	Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity		
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity	Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity		
Current Liabilities:	Current Liabilities:		
Current Liabilities:	Current Liabilities:		
Current Liabilities:	Current Liabilities:		
Accounts payable	Accounts payable	\$ 12,764	\$ 3,939
Accounts payable	Accounts payable		
Accounts payable	Accounts payable		
Accrued liabilities	Accrued liabilities	23,988	35,582
Accrued liabilities	Accrued liabilities		
Accrued liabilities	Accrued liabilities		
Revenue payable	Revenue payable		
Revenue payable	Revenue payable		

Revenue payable	Revenue payable	28,648	17,750
Current derivative liabilities	Current derivative liabilities	19,103	16,472
<b>Current derivative liabilities</b>			
Current derivative liabilities			
Current portion of long-term debt			
Current portion of long-term debt			
Current portion of long-term debt	Current portion of long-term debt	20,000	—
Other current liabilities	Other current liabilities	2,798	2,562
Other current liabilities			
Other current liabilities			
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>			
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>			
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>	<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>	<b>107,301</b>	<b>76,305</b>
Non-current derivative liabilities	Non-current derivative liabilities	6,672	12
Non-current derivative liabilities			
Non-current derivative liabilities			
Asset retirement obligations	Asset retirement obligations	21,089	2,724
Asset retirement obligations	Asset retirement obligations	365,069	56,000
Long-term debt			
Long-term debt			
Deferred tax liabilities			
Deferred tax liabilities			
Deferred tax liabilities	Deferred tax liabilities	63,358	45,756
Other non-current liabilities	Other non-current liabilities	970	1,051
Other non-current liabilities			
Other non-current liabilities			
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>564,459</b>	<b>181,848</b>
<b>Total Liabilities</b>			
<b>Total Liabilities</b>			

**Commitments and Contingencies (Note 13)****Commitments and Contingencies (Note 13)****Commitments and Contingencies (Note 13)****Commitments and Contingencies (Note 13)****Shareholders' Equity:****Shareholders' Equity:****Shareholders' Equity:****Shareholders' Equity:**

Preferred stock,  
\$0.0001 par value,  
25,000,000 shares  
authorized; 0 shares  
issued and outstanding

Preferred stock,  
\$0.0001 par value,  
25,000,000 shares  
authorized; 0 shares  
issued and outstanding

Common stock, \$0.001 par value, 240,000,000 shares  
authorized; 20,146,394 and 20,160,980 shares issued and  
outstanding at September 30, 2023 and December 31,  
2022, respectively

20

20

Preferred stock, \$0.0001 par value, 25,000,000  
shares authorized; 0 shares issued and outstanding

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shares authorized; 0 shares issued and outstanding

Common stock, \$0.001 par value, 240,000,000  
shares authorized; 20,400,032 and 20,405,093  
shares issued and outstanding at March 31, 2024 and  
December 31, 2023, respectively

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December 31, 2023, respectively

Additional paid-in capital

Additional paid-in capital

Additional paid-in  
capital

Additional paid-in  
capital

276,845

274,643

Retained earnings

Retained earnings

111,915

58,783

Retained earnings

Retained earnings

**Total Shareholders' Equity**

**Total Shareholders' Equity**

<b>Total Shareholders' Equity</b>	<b>Total Shareholders' Equity</b>	<hr/> <b>388,780</b>	<hr/> <b>333,446</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity</b>	<b>Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity</b>		
		<b>\$ 953,239</b>	<b>\$ 515,294</b>

**Total Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity**

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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these condensed consolidated financial statements.

**RILEY EXPLORATION PERMIAN, INC.**

**RILEY EXPLORATION PERMIAN, INC.**

**CONDENSED  
CONSOLIDATED  
STATEMENTS  
OF  
OPERATIONS** *(Unaudited)*

<b>RILEY EXPLORATION PERMIAN, INC.</b>		<b>Three Months Ended</b>	<b>Nine Months Ended</b>
		<b>September 30,</b>	<b>September 30,</b>
		<b>2023</b>	<b>2022</b>
(In thousands, except per share amounts)			

**Three Months**

**Ended March**

**31,**

**2024**

**2024**

**2024**

**(In thousands, except**

**per share amounts)**

**(In thousands, except**

**per share amounts)**

**(In thousands, except**

**per share amounts)**

**Revenues:**

**Revenues:**

Oil and natural gas sales, net	Oil and natural gas sales, net	\$107,694	\$87,471	\$273,418	\$241,897
Oil and natural gas sales, net					
Oil and natural gas sales, net					
Contract services - related parties					
Contract services - related parties					
Contract services - related parties	Contract services - related parties	600	600	1,800	1,800
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>108,294</b>	<b>88,071</b>	<b>275,218</b>	<b>243,697</b>
<b>Total Revenues</b>					
<b>Total Revenues</b>					
<b>Costs and Expenses:</b>					
<b>Costs and Expenses:</b>					
Costs and Expenses:	Costs and Expenses:				
Lease operating expenses	Lease operating expenses	16,898	8,813	43,287	23,705
Lease operating expenses					
Lease operating expenses					
Production and ad valorem taxes					
Production and ad valorem taxes					
Production and ad valorem taxes	Production and ad valorem taxes	7,242	5,826	18,573	14,854
Exploration costs	Exploration costs	231	20	643	1,540
Exploration costs					
Exploration costs					
Depletion, depreciation, amortization and accretion					
Depletion, depreciation, amortization and accretion					
Depletion, depreciation, amortization and accretion	Depletion, depreciation, amortization and accretion	18,706	8,346	46,390	22,167

General and administrative:	General and administrative:				
General and administrative:					
General and administrative:					
Administrative costs					
Administrative costs	Administrative costs	5,530	5,154	17,497	13,567
Share-based compensation expense	Share-based compensation expense	1,109	704	3,448	2,274
Share-based compensation expense					
Share-based compensation expense					
Cost of contract services - related parties					
Cost of contract services - related parties					
Cost of contract services - related parties	Cost of contract services - related parties	128	89	347	263
Transaction costs	Transaction costs	221	—	5,760	2,638
Transaction costs					
Transaction costs					
<b>Total Costs and Expenses</b>	<b>Total Costs and Expenses</b>	<b>50,065</b>	<b>28,952</b>	<b>135,945</b>	<b>81,008</b>
<b>Income From Operations</b>		<b>58,229</b>	<b>59,119</b>	<b>139,273</b>	<b>162,689</b>
<b>Total Costs and Expenses</b>					
<b>Total Costs and Expenses</b>					
<b>Income from Operations</b>					
<b>Income from Operations</b>					
<b>Income from Operations</b>					
<b>Other Income (Expense):</b>					
<b>Other Income (Expense):</b>					

Other Income (Expense):	Other Income (Expense):			
Interest expense, net	Interest expense, net	(10,338)	(585)	(21,515)
Gain (loss) on derivatives		(35,345)	17,600	(20,925)
Gain (loss) from equity method investment		23	—	(213)
Interest expense, net				
Interest expense, net				
Gain (loss) on derivatives, net				
Gain (loss) on derivatives, net				
Gain (loss) on derivatives, net				
Income (loss) from equity method investment				
Income (loss) from equity method investment				
Income (loss) from equity method investment				
<b>Total Other Income (Expense)</b>	<b>Total Other Income (Expense)</b>	<b>(45,660)</b>	<b>17,015</b>	<b>(42,653)</b>
<b>(46,355)</b>				
<b>Net Income From Operations Before Income Taxes</b>				
		<b>12,569</b>	<b>76,134</b>	<b>96,620</b>
				<b>116,334</b>
<b>Total Other Income (Expense)</b>				
<b>Total Other Income (Expense)</b>				
<b>Net Income from Operations before Income Taxes</b>				
<b>Net Income from Operations before Income Taxes</b>				
<b>Net Income from Operations before Income Taxes</b>				
Income tax expense				
Income tax expense				
Income tax expense	Income tax expense	(3,922)	(16,317)	(23,054)
				(25,130)
<b>Net Income</b>	<b>Net Income</b>	<b>\$ 8,647</b>	<b>\$ 59,817</b>	<b>\$ 73,566</b>
				<b>\$ 91,204</b>
<b>Net Income</b>				
<b>Net Income</b>				

**Net Income per Share:****Net Income per Share:**

Net Income per Share:	Net Income per Share:	====	====	====	====	====	====
Basic	Basic	\$ 0.44	\$ 3.06	\$ 3.74	\$ 4.67		
Basic							
Basic							
Diluted							
Diluted							
Diluted	Diluted	\$ 0.43	\$ 3.05	\$ 3.68	\$ 4.65		
Weighted Average Common Shares	Weighted Average Common Shares						
Outstanding:	Outstanding:						

**Weighted Average Common Shares****Outstanding:****Weighted Average Common Shares****Outstanding:**

Basic	Basic	19,680	19,546	19,667	19,530		
Diluted	Diluted	19,989	19,587	19,964	19,632		
Diluted							
Diluted							

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these condensed consolidated financial statements.

**CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY**  
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**CONDENSED  
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SHAREHOLDERS'  
EQUITY**  
*(Unaudited)*

**CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY**

*(Unaudited)*

*(Unaudited)*

*(In Thousands)*

*(In Thousands)*

*(In Thousands)*

*(In Thousands)*

**Shareholders' Equity**

**Shareholders' Equity**

**Shareholders' Equity**

**Common Stock**

**Additional Paid-in Capital**

**Total Shareholders' Equity**

**Shares**

**Amount**

**in Capital**

**Retained Earnings**

**Equity**

**Balance, December 31, 2022**

**20,161**

**\$ 20**

**\$ 274,643**

**\$ 58,783**

**\$ 333,446**

**Shareholders' Equity**

**Common Stock**

**Common Stock**

**Common Stock**

**Shares**

**Shares**

**Shares**

**Balance, December 31, 2023**

**Balance, December 31, 2023**

**Balance, December 31, 2023**

**Share-based**

**compensation**

**compensation expense**

**expense**

**16**

**—**

**1,260**

**—**

**1,260**

**Share-based compensation expense**

**Share-based compensation expense**

Shareholders' Equity							
	Shareholders' Equity						
	Common Stock		Additional Paid-in Capital		Accumulated Deficit		Total Shareholders' Equity
	Shares	Amount	in Capital		Deficit		
<b>Balance, December 31, 2021</b>	<b>19,837</b>	<b>\$ 20</b>	<b>\$ 271,737</b>		<b>\$ (33,919)</b>		<b>\$ 237,838</b>
Share-based compensation expense	—	—	1,061		—		1,061
Repurchased shares for tax withholding	(13)	—	(339)		—		(339)
Issuance of common shares under long-term incentive plan, net	30	—	—		—		—

Dividends declared	—	—	—	(6,154)	(6,154)
Net loss	—	—	—	(7,168)	(7,168)
<b>Balance, March 31, 2022</b>	<b>19,854</b>	<b>\$ 20</b>	<b>\$ 272,459</b>	<b>\$ (47,241)</b>	<b>\$ 225,238</b>
Share-based compensation expense	—	—	828	—	828
Repurchased shares for tax withholding	(9)	—	(252)	—	(252)
Issuance of common shares under long-term incentive plan	20	—	—	—	—
Dividends declared	—	—	—	(6,159)	(6,159)
Net income	—	—	—	38,555	38,555
<b>Balance, June 30, 2022</b>	<b>19,865</b>	<b>\$ 20</b>	<b>\$ 273,035</b>	<b>\$ (14,845)</b>	<b>\$ 258,210</b>
Share-based compensation expense, net	—	—	795	—	795
Repurchased shares for tax withholding	—	—	(9)	—	(9)
Issuance of common shares under long-term incentive plan, net	317	—	—	—	—
Dividends declared	—	—	—	(6,159)	(6,159)
Net income	—	—	—	59,817	59,817
<b>Balance, September 30, 2022</b>	<b>20,182</b>	<b>\$ 20</b>	<b>\$ 273,821</b>	<b>\$ 38,813</b>	<b>\$ 312,654</b>
<b>Shareholders' Equity</b>					
<b>Shareholders' Equity</b>					
<b>Shareholders' Equity</b>					
<b>Common Stock</b>					
<b>Common Stock</b>					
<b>Common Stock</b>					
<b>Shares</b>					
<b>Shares</b>					
<b>Shares</b>					
<b>Balance, December 31, 2022</b>					
<b>Balance, December 31, 2022</b>					
<b>Balance, December 31, 2022</b>					
Share-based compensation expense					
Share-based compensation expense					
Share-based compensation expense					
Repurchased shares for tax withholding					
Repurchased shares for tax withholding					

Repurchased shares for tax withholding
Dividends declared
Dividends declared
Dividends declared
Net income
Net income
Net income
<b>Balance, March 31, 2023</b>
<b>Balance, March 31, 2023</b>
<b>Balance, March 31, 2023</b>

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**CONDENSED  
CONSOLIDATED  
STATEMENTS  
OF CASH  
FLOWS**

*(Unaudited)*

**RILEY EXPLORATION PERMIAN, INC.**

**Nine Months Ended**  
**September 30,**  
**2023      2022**  
**(In thousands)**

**Three Months**  
**Ended March**

**31,**  
**2024**

**2024**

**2024**

**(In thousands)**

**(In thousands)**

**(In thousands)**

<b>Cash Flows from Operating Activities:</b>	<b>Cash Flows from Operating Activities:</b>		
Net income	Net income	\$ 73,566	\$ 91,204
Net income			
Net income			
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:	Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Oil and natural gas lease expirations		619	1,465
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:			
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:			
Exploratory well costs and lease expirations			
Exploratory well costs and lease expirations			
Exploratory well costs and lease expirations			
Depletion, depreciation, amortization and accretion			
Depletion, depreciation, amortization and accretion			
Depletion, depreciation, amortization and accretion			
Depletion, depreciation, amortization and accretion	Depletion, depreciation, amortization and accretion	46,390	22,167
(Gain) loss on derivatives		20,925	44,395
(Gain) loss on derivatives, net			
(Gain) loss on derivatives, net			
(Gain) loss on derivatives, net			

Settlements on derivative contracts	Settlements on derivative contracts	(13,660)	(61,198)
Settlements on derivative contracts			
Settlements on derivative contracts			
Amortization of deferred financing costs and discount			
Amortization of deferred financing costs and discount			
Amortization of deferred financing costs and discount	Amortization of deferred financing costs and discount	2,470	548
Share-based compensation expense	Share-based compensation expense	3,594	2,684
Share-based compensation expense			
Share-based compensation expense			
Deferred income tax expense			
Deferred income tax expense			
Deferred income tax expense	Deferred income tax expense	17,602	23,202
Other	Other	188	—
Other			
Other			
Changes in operating assets and liabilities	Changes in operating assets and liabilities		
Changes in operating assets and liabilities			
Changes in operating assets and liabilities			
Accounts receivable			
Accounts receivable			

Accounts receivable	Accounts receivable	(19,771)	(9,461)
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	Prepaid expenses and other current assets		
		(2,216)	1,513
Prepaid expenses and other current assets			
Prepaid expenses and other current assets			
Other non-current assets			
Other non-current assets			
Other non-current assets			
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities			
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities			
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	6,720	5,710
Inventory	Inventory	(2,108)	286
Inventory			
Inventory			
Revenue payable			
Revenue payable			
Revenue payable	Revenue payable	9,423	6,398
Other current liabilities	Other current liabilities	(2,370)	1,439
Other current liabilities			
Other current liabilities			
<b>Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities</b>			
<b>Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities</b>			

<b>Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities</b>	<b>Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities</b>	<b>141,372</b>	<b>130,352</b>
<b>Cash Flows from Investing Activities:</b>	<b>Cash Flows from Investing Activities:</b>		
<b>Cash Flows from Investing Activities:</b>			
<b>Cash Flows from Investing Activities:</b>			
Additions to oil and natural gas properties	Additions to oil and natural gas properties	(114,298)	(82,101)
Net assets acquired in business combination		(324,686)	—
Acquisitions of oil and natural gas properties		(5,443)	—
Additions to oil and natural gas properties			
Additions to oil and natural gas properties			
Contributions to equity method investment	Contributions to equity method investment	(3,566)	—
Contributions to equity method investment			
Contributions to equity method investment			
Funds held in escrow			
Funds held in escrow			
Funds held in escrow			
Additions to other property and equipment	Additions to other property and equipment	(499)	(1,081)
Additions to other property and equipment			
Additions to other property and equipment			

<b>Net Cash Used in Investing Activities</b>			
<b>Net Cash Used in Investing Activities</b>			
Net Cash Used in Investing Activities	Net Cash Used in Investing Activities	(448,492)	(83,182)
<b>Cash Flows from Financing Activities:</b>			
<b>Cash Flows from Financing Activities:</b>			
Deferred financing costs	Deferred financing costs	(6,250)	(1,722)
Proceeds from revolving credit facility		178,000	4,000
Repayments under revolving credit facility		(24,000)	(21,000)
Proceeds from Senior Notes, net of discount		188,000	—
Deferred financing costs			
Deferred financing costs			
Proceeds from credit facility			
Proceeds from credit facility			
Proceeds from credit facility			
Repayments under credit facility			
Repayments under credit facility			
Repayments under credit facility			
Repayments of Senior Notes			
<b>Repayments of Senior Notes</b>			
Repayments of Senior Notes	Repayments of Senior Notes	(10,000)	—
Payment of common share dividends	Payment of common share dividends	(20,173)	(18,257)
Proceeds from issuance of common stock, net of issuance costs		87	—
<b>Payment of common share dividends</b>			

<b>Payment of common share dividends</b>		
Common stock repurchased for tax withholding	Common stock repurchased for tax withholding	
		<u>(1,479)</u> <u>(600)</u>
	<b>Net Cash Provided by (Used in)</b>	
	<b>Financing Activities</b>	<u>304,185</u> <u>(37,579)</u>
<b>Net Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents</b>		<u>(2,935)</u> <u>9,591</u>
Common stock repurchased for tax withholding		
Common stock repurchased for tax withholding		
<b>Net Cash (Used in) Provided by Financing Activities</b>		
<b>Net Cash (Used in) Provided by Financing Activities</b>		
<b>Net Cash (Used in) Provided by Financing Activities</b>		
<b>Net Decrease in Cash and Cash Equivalents</b>		
<b>Net Decrease in Cash and Cash Equivalents</b>		
<b>Net Decrease in Cash and Cash Equivalents</b>		
<b>Cash and Cash Equivalents, Beginning of Period</b>		
<b>Cash and Cash Equivalents, Beginning of Period</b>		
Cash and Cash Equivalents, Beginning of Period	Cash and Cash Equivalents, Beginning of Period	<u>13,301</u> <u>8,317</u>
Cash and Cash Equivalents, End of Period	Cash and Cash Equivalents, End of Period	<u>\$ 10,366</u> <u>\$17,908</u>
<b>Cash and Cash Equivalents, End of Period</b>		
<b>Cash and Cash Equivalents, End of Period</b>		

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**RILEY EXPLORATION PERMIAN, INC.** **CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS**

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*(Unaudited)*

**Nine Months Ended**  
September 30,  
2023      2022  
(In thousands)

Three  
Months  
Ended March  
31,  
2024  
2024  
2024  
(In thousands)  
(In thousands)  
(In thousands)

**Supplemental Disclosure of Cash  
Flow Information**

**Supplemental Disclosure of Cash  
Flow Information**

**Supplemental  
Disclosure of  
Cash Flow  
Information**

**Supplemental  
Disclosure of  
Cash Flow  
Information**

**Cash Paid  
For:**

**Cash Paid For:**

**Cash Paid For:**

Interest, net of capitalized interest	Interest, net of capitalized interest	\$18,140	\$ 1,866
Income taxes		\$ 4,633	\$ —
Interest, net of capitalized interest			
Interest, net of capitalized interest			
<b>Non-cash Investing and Financing Activities:</b>	<b>Non-cash Investing and Financing Activities:</b>		
<b>Non-cash Investing and Financing Activities:</b>			
<b>Non-cash Investing and Financing Activities:</b>			
Changes in capital expenditures in accounts payable and accrued liabilities			
Changes in capital expenditures in accounts payable and accrued liabilities			
Changes in capital expenditures in accounts payable and accrued liabilities	Changes in capital expenditures in accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ (9,662)	\$ 11,971
Right of use assets obtained in exchange for operating lease liability		\$ (517)	\$ 1,624
Assets contributed to equity method investment	Assets contributed to equity method investment	\$ 2,272	\$ —
Asset retirement obligations assumed in acquisitions		\$19,359	\$ —

Assets contributed to equity  
method investment

Assets contributed to equity  
method investment

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**RILEY EXPLORATION PERMIAN, INC.**  
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### **(1)Organization and Nature of Business**

Riley Permian is a growth-oriented, independent oil and natural gas company focused on the acquisition, exploration, development and production of oil, natural gas and NGL's NGLs in Texas and New Mexico. Our activities primarily include the horizontal development of conventional reservoirs on the Northwest Shelf of the Permian Basin. Our acreage is primarily located on large, contiguous blocks in Yoakum County, Texas and Eddy County, New Mexico.

On April 3, 2023 (the "Closing Date" "Closing Date"), the Company completed the acquisition of oil and natural gas assets (the "New" "New Mexico Acquisition" "Acquisition") from Pecos Oil & Gas, LLC ("Pecos" ("Pecos"), a Delaware limited liability company and an affiliate of Cibolo Energy Partners LLC. For further information regarding the New Mexico Acquisition, see Note 4 - Acquisitions of Oil and Natural Gas Properties.

### **(2)Basis of Presentation**

Effective by the Company's Board of Directors written consent on September 23, 2022, the Company's fiscal year is now the period from January 1 to December 31, beginning with the year ended December 31, 2022.

These unaudited condensed financial statements as of September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024 and for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024 and 2022 2023 include the accounts of Riley Permian and its wholly owned wholly-owned subsidiaries and have been prepared in accordance with U.S. GAAP. All intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated upon consolidation.

Certain information and footnote disclosures normally included in annual financial statements prepared in accordance with U.S. GAAP have been condensed or omitted pursuant to the rules and regulations of the SEC. Certain prior period amounts have been reclassified to conform to the current period financial statement presentation. These reclassifications had an immaterial effect on the previously reported total assets, total liabilities, members'/shareholders' equity, results of operations or cash flows. These condensed consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2022 December 31, 2023.

These condensed consolidated financial statements have not been audited by an independent registered public accounting firm. In the opinion of the Company's management, the accompanying unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements contain all adjustments necessary for fair presentation of the results of operations for the periods presented, which adjustments were of a normal recurring nature, except as disclosed herein. The results of operations for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024 are not necessarily indicative of the results to be expected for the full year ending December 31, 2023 December 31, 2024, for various reasons, including as a result of the impact of the

New Mexico Acquisition, fluctuations in prices received for oil and natural gas, natural production declines, the uncertainty of exploration and development drilling results, fluctuations in the fair value of derivative instruments, the current and future impacts of the military conflicts between Russia and Ukraine and Israel and Hamas, the volatile inflationary environment in U.S. markets and other factors.

### (3)Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### ***Significant Estimates***

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the amounts reported in the condensed consolidated financial statements and accompanying notes. These estimates and assumptions may also affect disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities as of the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period.

The Company evaluates these estimates on an ongoing basis, using historical experience, consultation with experts and other methods the Company considers reasonable in the particular circumstances. Actual results may differ significantly from the Company's estimates. Any effects on the Company's business, financial position or results of operations resulting from revisions to these estimates are recorded in the period in which the facts that give rise to the revision become known. Significant items subject to such estimates and assumptions include, but are not limited to, estimates of proved oil and natural gas reserves and related present value estimates of future net cash flows therefrom, the carrying value of oil and natural gas

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properties, accounts receivable, accrued capital expenditures and operating expenses, ARO, the fair value determination of acquired assets and assumed liabilities, certain tax accruals and the fair value of derivatives.

#### **Accounts Receivable**

Accounts receivable is summarized below:

	September 30, 2023	December 31, 2022
	(In thousands)	
Oil, natural gas and NGL sales	\$ 41,368	\$ 24,136
Joint interest accounts receivable	3,581	793
Other accounts receivable	373	622
<b>Total accounts receivable</b>	<b>\$ 45,322</b>	<b>\$ 25,551</b>

As of December 31, 2021, the Company has accounts receivables from oil, natural gas and NGL sales of \$17.6 million.

The Company had no allowance for credit losses at September 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022.

#### **Other Non-Current Assets, Net**

Other non-current assets consisted of the following:

	September 30, 2023	December 31, 2022
	(In thousands)	
Deferred financing costs, net <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 3,468	\$ 2,556
Right of use assets	1,379	1,370
Equity method investment	5,625	—
Other	1,015	249
<b>Total other non-current assets, net</b>	<b>\$ 11,487</b>	<b>\$ 4,175</b>

(1) Deferred financing costs, net reflects costs associated with the Company's revolving credit facility which are amortized over the term of the revolving credit facility.

*Equity method investment.* In January 2023, the Company entered into an agreement to form a joint venture created for the purpose of constructing a new power infrastructure for onsite power generation in Yoakum County, Texas using produced natural gas. RPC Power Holdco LLC, a wholly-owned subsidiary of REPX, has a 30% investment in the joint venture, RPC Power LLC ("RPC Power"). The Company contributed its portion of capital for construction of the onsite power generation. As of September 30, 2023, the Company had invested \$5.8 million to date in the joint venture, comprised of \$3.6 million in cash and \$2.3 million of contributed assets, which was reduced by the loss during the nine months ended September 30, 2023. The onsite power generation facility is expected to be placed in service during the fourth quarter of 2023.

The Company accounts for its corporate joint ventures under the equity method of accounting in accordance with FASB Accounting Standards Codification Topic 323 "Investments — Equity Method and Joint Ventures." The Company applies the equity method of accounting to investments of less than 50% in an investee over which the Company exercises significant influence but does not have control. Under the equity method of accounting, the Company's share of the investee's earnings or loss is recognized in the condensed consolidated statements of operations.

Judgment regarding the level of influence over each equity method investment includes considering key factors such as ownership interest, representation on the board of directors, participation in policy-making decisions, material intercompany transactions and extent of ownership by an investor in relation to the concentration of other shareholdings.

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**Accounts Receivable**

Accounts receivable is summarized below:

	March 31, 2024	December 31, 2023
	(In thousands)	
Oil, natural gas and NGL sales	\$ 36,599	\$ 31,135

Joint interest accounts receivable	1,973	1,630
Other accounts receivable	11	2,361
Total accounts receivable	\$ 38,583	\$ 35,126

As of December 31, 2022, the Company had accounts receivables from oil, natural gas and NGL sales of \$24.1 million.

The Company had no allowance for credit losses at March 31, 2024 and December 31, 2023.

### **Other Non-Current Assets, Net**

Other non-current assets consisted of the following:

	March 31, 2024	December 31, 2023
	(In thousands)	
Deferred financing costs, net <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 3,441	\$ 3,844
Right of use assets	1,666	1,890
Equity method investment	11,406	5,620
Other	3,381	1,247
<b>Total other non-current assets, net</b>	<b>\$ 19,894</b>	<b>\$ 12,601</b>

(1) Deferred financing costs, net reflects costs associated with the Company's Credit Facility which are amortized over the term of the Credit Facility.

*Equity method investment.* In January 2023, the Company formed a joint venture, RPC Power LLC ("RPC Power"), for the purpose of constructing a power infrastructure for onsite power generation in Yoakum County, Texas using produced natural gas. The Company has contributed its portion of capital for the joint venture through RPC Power Holdco LLC, a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company. In March 2024, the Company made an additional capital contribution of \$5.6 million in RPC Power. As of March 31, 2024, the Company owned 35% and had invested \$11.5 million in the joint venture, comprised of \$9.2 million in cash and \$2.3 million of contributed assets, which was reduced by the Company's share of losses and increased by its share of income in the joint venture.

### **Accrued Liabilities**

Accrued liabilities consisted of the following:

March 31, 2024	March 31, 2024	December 31, 2023
(In thousands)	(In thousands)	(In thousands)
Accrued capital expenditures		

Accrued lease operating expenses			
Accrued general and administrative costs			
Accrued general and administrative costs			
Accrued general and administrative costs			
	September 30, 2023	December 31, 2022	
			(In thousands)
Accrued capital expenditures	\$ 7,295	\$16,744	
Accrued lease operating expenses	4,508	4,607	
Accrued general and administrative costs	5,826	2,286	
Accrued ad valorem tax			
Accrued inventory	884	6,235	
Accrued ad valorem tax			
Accrued ad valorem tax	3,952	3,789	
Other accrued expenditures	1,523	1,921	
Other accrued expenditures			
Other accrued expenditures			
Total accrued liabilities	<u>\$23,988</u>	<u>\$35,582</u>	

#### Other Current Liabilities

Other current liabilities consisted of the following:

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	September 30, 2023	December 31, 2022
(In thousands)		

Advances from joint interest owners	\$ 312	\$ 192
Income taxes payable	—	1,194
Current ARO liabilities	1,430	314
Lease liabilities	796	538
Accounts payable - related parties	260	324
<b>Total other current liabilities</b>	<b>\$ 2,798</b>	<b>\$ 2,562</b>

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**Asset Retirement Obligations**

Components of the changes in ARO for the **nine** **three** months ended **September 30, 2023** **March 31, 2024** and the year ended **December 31, 2022** consisted of the following and is **December 31, 2023** are shown below:

	March 31, 2024		March 31, 2024		December 31, 2023
	September 30, 2023	December 31, 2022			
	(In thousands)		(In thousands)		(In thousands)
	(In thousands)		(In thousands)		(In thousands)
	(In thousands)		(In thousands)		(In thousands)
ARO, beginning balance	ARO, beginning balance	\$ 3,038	\$ 2,453		
Liabilities incurred	Liabilities incurred	37	358		
Liabilities assumed in acquisitions	Liabilities assumed in acquisitions	19,359	—		
Revision of estimated obligations	—	326			
Liability settlements and disposals					
Liability settlements and disposals					
Liability settlements and disposals					
Accretion	Accretion	1,105	79		

ARO, ending balance	ARO, ending balance	22,519	3,038
Less: current ARO (1)	Less: current ARO (1)	(1,430)	(314)
ARO, long-term	ARO, long-term	\$ 21,089	\$ 2,724

(1) Current ARO is included within other current liabilities on the accompanying condensed consolidated balance sheets.

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**Revenue Recognition**

The following table presents oil and natural gas sales disaggregated by product:

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
(In thousands)				
Three Months Ended March 31,				
Three Months Ended March 31,				
Three Months Ended March 31,				
2024				
2024				
2024				
(In thousands)				
(In thousands)				
(In thousands)				
Oil and natural gas sales:	Oil and natural gas sales:			
Oil	Oil	\$ 104,490	\$ 80,017	\$ 267,293
Oil				\$ 224,895
Oil				
Natural gas	Natural gas	983	4,216	1,547
				8,855

Natural gas liquids	2,221	3,238	4,578	8,147
Natural gas				
Natural gas				
NGLs				
NGLs				
Total oil and natural gas sales, net	<u>\$ 107,694</u>	<u>\$ 87,471</u>	<u>\$ 273,418</u>	<u>\$ 241,897</u>
Total oil and natural gas sales, net				
Total oil and natural gas sales, net				

#### Deferred financing costs

Long-term debt includes capitalized costs related to the issuance of \$200 million of 10.50% senior unsecured notes with final maturity due 2028 ("Senior Notes"), net of accumulated amortization. The costs associated with the Senior Notes are netted against the Senior Notes balance and are amortized over the term of the Senior Notes using the effective interest method. See Note 9 - Long-Term Debt for additional information.

#### Recent Accounting Pronouncements

No new accounting pronouncements have been adopted or In November 2023, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued that would ASU 2023-07, Segment Reporting (Topic 280): Improvements to Reportable Segment Disclosures, which enhances the disclosures required for operating segments in the Company's annual and interim consolidated financial statements. This ASU is effective retrospectively for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2023 and for interim periods within fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2024. The Company is currently evaluating the impact of this standard on its disclosures.

In December 2023, the financial statements FASB issued ASU 2023-09, Income Taxes (Topic 740): Improvements to Income Tax Disclosures, which is intended to enhance the transparency and decision usefulness of income tax disclosures. The amendments in this standard provide for enhanced income tax information primarily through changes to the Company rate reconciliation and income taxes paid. This ASU is effective for the Company prospectively to all annual periods beginning after December 15, 2024. The Company is currently evaluating the impact of this standard on its disclosures.

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#### (4) Acquisitions of Oil and Natural Gas Properties

##### New Mexico Acquisition

On April 3, 2023, the Company completed the New Mexico Acquisition from Pecos for approximately \$330 million, before including customary purchase price adjustments. The assets acquired are located in Eddy County, New Mexico, and include approximately 10,600 total contiguous net acres of leasehold. The acquisition also included 18 net horizontal wells and 250 net vertical wells. Additionally, the assets add significant drilling locations to the Company's inventory.

The Company funded the New Mexico Acquisition through a combination of borrowings under the Company's revolving credit facility and proceeds from the issuance of \$200 million of Senior Notes and borrowings under the Company's Credit Facility, including application of a \$33 million escrow deposit paid during the three months ended March 31, 2023 with from borrowings under the revolving credit facility. For further information regarding the financing for the New Mexico Acquisition, see Note 9 - Long-Term Debt.

The New Mexico Acquisition qualified as a business combination using the acquisition method of accounting. The assets acquired and liabilities assumed were recognized at fair value as of the acquisition date. The preliminary purchase price allocation is subject to change for up to one year subsequent to the Closing Date due to changes in the estimated fair value of the assets acquired and liabilities assumed in the New Mexico Acquisition. The assets acquired and liabilities assumed were recognized on the condensed consolidated balance sheet at fair value as of the acquisition date. The fair value measurements of the oil and natural gas properties acquired and asset retirement obligations ARO assumed were derived utilizing an income approach and based, in part, on significant inputs not observable in the market. These inputs represent Level 3 measurements in the fair value hierarchy and include, but are not limited to, estimates of reserves, future production volumes, future development, future operating costs, future cash flows and the use of a weighted average cost of capital. These inputs required the use of significant judgments and estimates at the date of valuation, and use of different estimates and judgments could yield different results.

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The following presents the preliminary allocation of the total purchase price of the New Mexico Acquisition to the identified assets acquired and liabilities assumed based on estimated fair value as of the Closing Date:

**Preliminary purchase Purchase price allocation as of September 30, 2023 (in thousands):**

<b>Total cash consideration</b>	\$	324,686
<b>Assets acquired:</b>		
Inventory		
Oil and natural gas properties		342,457 342,308
Other	\$	149
<b>Amount attributable to assets acquired</b>	\$	345,437
<b>Fair value of liabilities Liabilities assumed:</b>		
Revenue payable	\$	1,475
Asset retirement obligations		19,276
<b>Amount attributable to liabilities assumed</b>	\$	20,751
<b>Net assets acquired</b>	\$	324,686

Transaction costs associated with the New Mexico Acquisition were approximately \$0.2 million and \$5.8 million \$1.9 million for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2023, respectively, March 31, 2023 and are included on the accompanying condensed consolidated statements of operations.

**Post-Acquisition Operating Results**

The results of operations attributable to the New Mexico Acquisition since the Closing Date have been included in the condensed consolidated statements of operations and include \$25.1 million \$29.0 million of total revenue, net, and \$15.7 \$18.9 million of earnings for the three months ended September 30, 2023 and \$49.5 million of total revenue, net and \$31.3 million of earnings for the nine months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024.

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**Pro Forma Operating Results (Unaudited)**

The following unaudited pro forma combined results for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 and 2022 March 31, 2023 reflect the consolidated results of operations of the Company as if the New Mexico Acquisition had occurred on January 1, 2022. The unaudited pro forma information includes adjustments for (i) transaction costs being reclassified to the first quarter of 2022 instead of being recorded in the three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 (ii) amortization for the discount and deferred financing costs and interest expense related to the Senior Notes (iii) and Credit Facility, (ii) depletion, depreciation and amortization expense, and (iv) (iii) interest expense related to Pecos that would not have been recognized had the Company acquired financing for the assets, New Mexico Acquisition. In addition, the pro forma

information has been effected for income taxes with a 23% 21.5% statutory tax rate. rate for three months ended March 31, 2023.

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
	(In thousands, except per share amounts)			
Total revenues	\$ 108,294	\$ 117,256	\$ 305,813	\$ 331,910
Net income	\$ 10,745	\$ 66,421	\$ 87,545	\$ 108,845
Basic net income per common share	\$ 0.55	\$ 3.40	\$ 4.45	\$ 5.57
Diluted net income per common share	\$ 0.54	\$ 3.39	\$ 4.39	\$ 5.54

	Three Months Ended
	March 31, 2023
	(In thousands, except per share amounts)
Total revenues	\$ 97,607
Net income	\$ 33,798
Basic net income per common share	\$ 1.72
Diluted net income per common share	\$ 1.70

The unaudited pro forma combined financial information is for informational purposes only and is not intended to represent or to be indicative of the combined results of operations that the Company would have reported had the New Mexico Acquisition been completed as of January 1, 2022 and should not be taken as indicative of the Company's future combined

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results of operations. The actual results may differ significantly from that reflected in the unaudited pro forma combined financial information for a number of reasons, including, but not limited to, differences in assumptions used to prepare the unaudited pro forma combined financial information and actual results.

***Other Acquisitions Entry into Purchase and Sale Agreement***

On April 21, 2023 March 22, 2024, the Company completed an asset acquisition of interests entered into a purchase and sale agreement, pursuant to which the Company agreed to purchase interest in oil and natural gas leases primarily related to non-producing leasehold properties in Yoakum Eddy County, TX, within the San Andres formation in the Permian Basin New Mexico ("2024 NM Asset Acquisition") for a purchase price of approximately \$5.4 \$20.5 million, subject to customary post-closing adjustments. In connection with executing the purchase and sale agreement in March 2024, a deposit of \$1.9 million was paid by the Company and is included in other non-current assets, net in the accompanying condensed consolidated

balance sheets. The Company accounted for closed this asset acquisition as on May 7, 2024 with an acquisition effective date of assets December 1, 2023. See Note 14 - Subsequent Events.

## (5) Oil and Natural Gas Properties

Oil and natural gas properties are summarized below:

	March 31, 2024		March 31, 2024		December 31, 2023
	September 30, 2023	December 31, 2022			
(In thousands)					
(In thousands)					
(In thousands)					
(In thousands)					
Proved	Proved	\$ 872,204	\$516,011		
Unproved	Unproved	110,234	12,770		
Work-in-progress	Work-in-progress	49,026	45,169		
		1,031,464	573,950		
		1,079,514			
Accumulated depletion, amortization and impairment	Accumulated depletion, amortization and impairment	(178,432)	(133,848)		
Total oil and natural gas properties, net	Total oil and natural gas properties, net	\$ 853,032	\$440,102		

Depletion and amortization expense for proved oil and natural gas properties was \$17.8 million \$17.0 million and \$8.2 million \$8.9 million, respectively, for the three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024 and 2022 and \$44.6 million and \$21.7 million, respectively, for the nine months ended September 30, 2023 and 2022.

Exploration expense was \$231 thousand and \$20 thousand, respectively, for the three months ended September 30, 2023 and 2022 and \$0.6 million and \$1.5 million, respectively, for the nine months ended September 30, 2023 and 2022.

On April 3, 2023, the Company closed on the New Mexico Acquisition. For further information regarding the acquisition, see Note 4 - Acquisitions of Oil and Natural Gas Properties. 2023.

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**(6)Derivative Instruments**

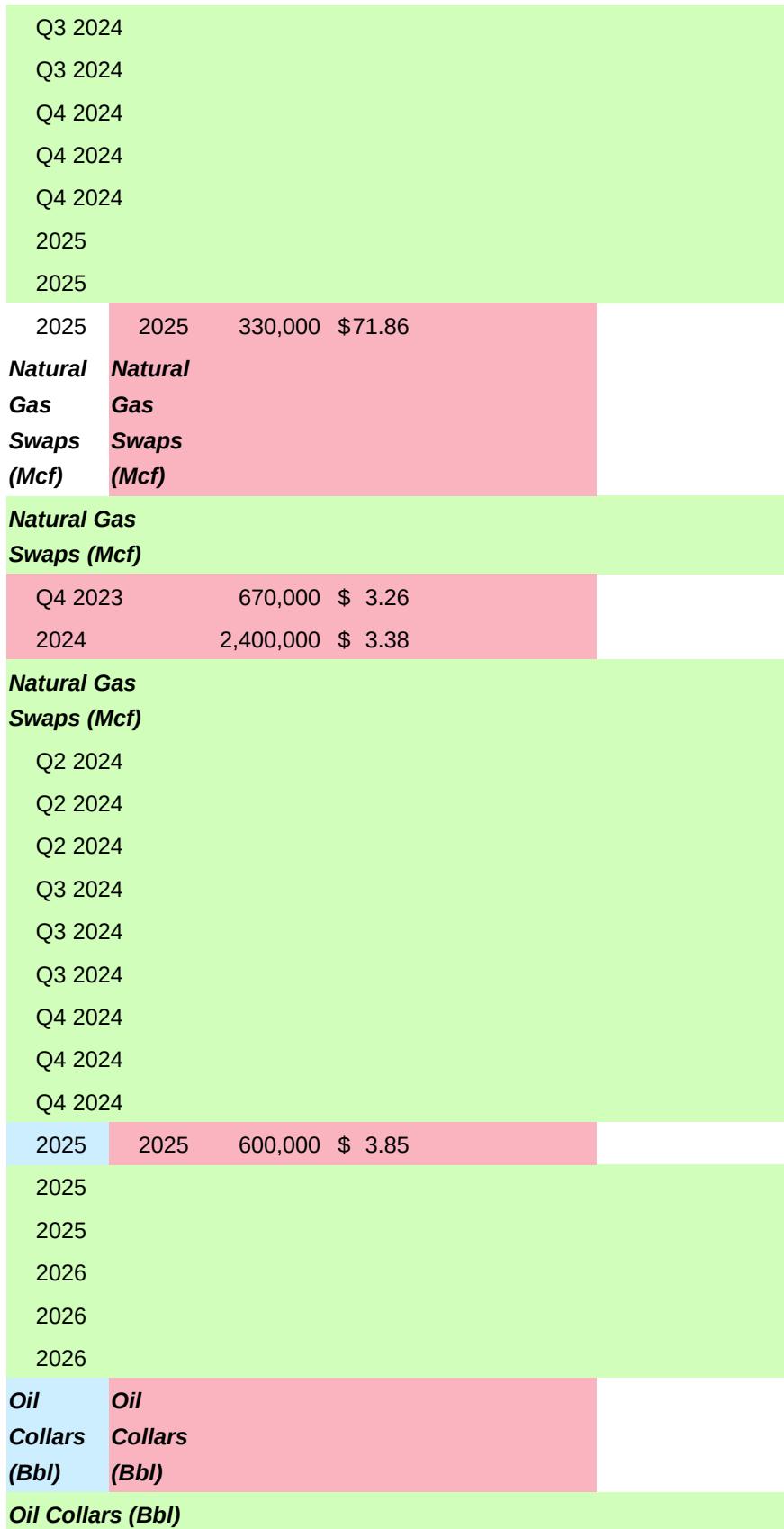
***Oil and Natural Gas Contracts***

The Company uses commodity based derivative contracts to reduce exposure to fluctuations in oil and natural gas prices. While the use of these contracts limits the downside risk for adverse price changes, their use also limits future revenues from favorable price changes. We have not designated our derivative contracts as hedges for accounting purposes, and therefore changes in the fair value of derivatives are included and recognized in other income (expense) in the accompanying condensed consolidated statements of operations.

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As of **September 30, 2023** **March 31, 2024**, the Company's oil and natural gas derivative instruments consisted of fixed price swaps, costless collars, and basis protection swaps. The following table summarizes the open financial derivative positions as of **September 30, 2023** **March 31, 2024**, related to **our future oil and natural gas production**:

Weighted Average						Calendar Quarter / Year	Notional Volume	Weighted Average Price		
Price			Average Price					Fixed	Put	Call
Quarter	Calendar	Year	Notional Volume	Fixed	Put	Call				
			(\$ per unit)							
(\$ per unit)										
<b>Oil</b>	<b>Oil</b>									
<b>Swaps</b>	<b>Swaps</b>									
<b>(Bbl)</b>	<b>(Bbl)</b>									
Q2 2024										
Q2 2024										
Q4 2023		437,000	\$69.35							
2024		870,000	\$72.39							
Q2 2024										
Q3 2024										



<b><i>Oil Collars (Bbl)</i></b>					
Q4 2023	330,000	\$ 68.64	\$ 88.85		
2024	1,621,000	\$ 61.12	\$ 84.39		
<b><i>Q2 2024</i></b>					
<b><i>Q2 2024</i></b>					
<b><i>Q2 2024</i></b>					
<b><i>Q3 2024</i></b>					
<b><i>Q4 2024</i></b>					
2025	2025	573,000	\$ 62.09	\$ 77.28	
<b><i>Natural Gas Collars (Mcf)</i></b>					
<b><i>Gas Collars (Mcf)</i></b>					
<b><i>(Mcf) (Mcf)</i></b>					
Q4 2023	300,000	\$ 3.12	\$ 4.07		
2024	1,065,000	\$ 3.19	\$ 4.14		
<b><i>Natural Gas Collars (Mcf)</i></b>					
<b><i>Natural Gas Collars (Mcf)</i></b>					
<b><i>Q2 2024</i></b>					
<b><i>Q2 2024</i></b>					
<b><i>Q2 2024</i></b>					
<b><i>Q3 2024</i></b>					
<b><i>Q4 2024</i></b>					
2025	2025	555,000	\$ 3.30	\$ 4.49	
<b><i>Oil Basis (Bbl)</i></b>					
<b><i>(Bbl) (Bbl)</i></b>					
<b><i>Oil Basis (Bbl)</i></b>					
<b><i>Oil Basis (Bbl)</i></b>					
<b><i>Q2 2024</i></b>					
<b><i>Q2 2024</i></b>					
Q4 2023	450,000	\$ 1.28			
2024	1,320,000	\$ 0.97			

Q2 2024
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***Interest Rate Contracts***

The Company entered into floating-to-fixed interest rate swaps, in which it will receive a floating market rate equal to one-month CME Term SOFR Secured Overnight Financing Rate and will pay a fixed interest rate, to manage future interest rate exposure related to the Company's revolving credit facility. In March 2024, the Company entered into a fixed-to-floating interest rate swap for the period May 2024 - December 2024, to reduce our interest rate exposure, which resulted in a gain of approximately \$1 million on a notional amount of \$80 million. This gain will be realized upon settlement of the contracts in 2024.

At the time of settlement of these interest rate derivative contracts, gain or loss on settlement will be included in interest expense on the condensed consolidated statements of operations.

The following table summarizes the open interest rate derivative positions as of **September 30, 2023** **March 31, 2024**:

Open Coverage Period	Notional Amount		Fixed Rate
	(In thousands)		
April 2024 - April 2026	\$	30,000	3.18 %
April 2024 - April 2026	\$	50,000	3.039 %

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Open Coverage Period	Position	Notional Amount	Fixed Rate
		(In thousands)	

April 2024 - April 2026	Long	\$ 30,000	3.180 %
April 2024 - April 2026	Long	\$ 50,000	3.039 %
May 2024 - December 2024	Short	\$ 80,000	4.910 %

### Balance Sheet Presentation of Derivatives

The following tables present the location and fair value of the Company's derivative contracts included in the condensed consolidated balance sheets as of **September 30, 2023** **March 31, 2024** and **December 31, 2022** **December 31, 2023**:

		September 30, 2023			March 31, 2024			March 31, 2024		
Balance Sheet Classification	Balance Sheet Classification	Gross Fair Value	Amounts Netted	Net Fair Value	Balance Sheet Classification	Gross Fair Value	Amounts Netted	Net Fair Value		
(In thousands)										(In thousands)
Current derivative assets	Current derivative assets	\$ 3,313	\$(2,624)	\$ 689						
Non-current derivative assets	Non-current derivative assets	6,174	(4,818)	1,356						
Current derivative liabilities	Current derivative liabilities	(21,727)	2,624	(19,103)						
Non-current derivative liabilities	Non-current derivative liabilities	(11,490)	4,818	(6,672)						
Total	Total	\$ (23,730)	\$ —	\$ (23,730)						
December 31, 2022										
December 31, 2023										
December 31, 2023										
Balance Sheet Classification	Balance Sheet Classification	Gross Fair Value	Amounts Netted	Net Fair Value	Balance Sheet Classification	Gross Fair Value	Amounts Netted	Net Fair Value		
(In thousands)										

		(In thousands)				
					(In thousands)	
Current derivative assets	Current derivative assets	\$ 64	\$ (44)	\$ 20		
Non-current derivative assets	Non-current derivative assets	9	(9)	—		
Current derivative liabilities	Current derivative liabilities	(16,516)	44	(16,472)		
Non-current derivative liabilities	Non-current derivative liabilities	(21)	9	(12)		
<b>Total</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ (16,464)</b>	<b>\$ —</b>	<b>\$ (16,464)</b>		

The following table presents the components of the Company's gain (loss) on derivatives, **net** for the periods presented below:

		Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,					
		2023	2022	2023	2022				
		(In thousands)							
Three Months Ended March 31,									
Three Months Ended March 31,									
Three Months Ended March 31,									
2024									
2024									
2024									
(In thousands)									
(In thousands)									
(In thousands)									
Settlements on derivative contracts	Settlements on derivative contracts	\$ (6,269)	\$ (17,040)	\$ (13,660)	\$ (61,198)				
Non-cash gain (loss) on derivatives	Non-cash gain (loss) on derivatives	(29,076)	34,640	(7,265)	16,803				
<b>Gain (loss) on derivatives</b>		<b>\$ (35,345)</b>	<b>\$ 17,600</b>	<b>\$ (20,925)</b>	<b>\$ (44,395)</b>				

Non-cash gain (loss) on derivatives
Non-cash gain (loss) on derivatives
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Gain (loss) on derivatives, net

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#### **(7) Fair Value Measurements**

The FASB has established a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy consists of three broad levels. Level 1 inputs are the highest priority and consist of unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets and liabilities. Level 2 are inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly. Level 3 are unobservable inputs for an asset or liability.

The carrying values of financial instruments comprising cash, **and cash equivalents**, payables, receivables, and advances from joint interest owners approximate fair values due to the short-term maturities of these instruments and are classified as Level 1 in the fair value hierarchy. The carrying value reported for the **revolving line of credit** **Credit Facility** approximates fair value because the underlying instruments are at interest rates which approximate current market rates. The fair value of the Senior Notes is based on estimates of current rates available for similar issues with similar maturities and is classified as Level 2 in the fair value hierarchy. The oil and natural gas properties acquired and **asset retirement obligations ARO** assumed in the New Mexico Acquisition are considered Level 3 measurements.

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#### ***Assets and Liabilities Measured on a Recurring Basis***

The fair value of commodity derivatives and interest rate swaps is estimated using discounted cash flow calculations based upon forward curves and are classified as Level 2 in the fair value hierarchy. The following table presents the Company's financial assets and liabilities that were accounted for at fair value on a recurring basis as of **September 30, 2023** **March 31, 2024** and **December 31, 2022** **December 31, 2023**, by level within the fair value hierarchy:

**September 30, 2023**

		Level			
		1	Level 2	3	Total
		(In thousands)			
		March 31, 2024			
		Level 1		Level 1	Level 2
		(In thousands)			
Financial assets:	Financial assets:	Commodity derivative assets			March 31, 2024
		Commodity derivative assets			
Commodity derivative assets	Commodity derivative assets	\$—	\$ 7,442	\$—	\$ 7,442
Interest rate assets	Interest rate assets	\$—	\$ 2,045	\$—	\$ 2,045
Financial liabilities:	Financial liabilities:	Commodity derivative liabilities			December 31, 2023
		Commodity derivative liabilities			
Commodity derivative liabilities	Commodity derivative liabilities	\$—	\$(33,217)	\$—	\$(33,217)
Commodity derivative liabilities					December 31, 2022
Commodity derivative liabilities					December 31, 2023
		Level			
		1	Level 2	3	Total
		(In thousands)			
		December 31, 2023			
		Level 1		Level 1	Level 2
		(In thousands)			
Financial assets:	Financial assets:	Commodity derivative assets			Level 3
		Commodity derivative assets			Total

Commodity derivative assets	Commodity derivative assets	\$—	\$ 73	\$—	\$ 73
Commodity derivative assets					
Commodity derivative assets					
Interest rate assets					
Financial liabilities:					
Commodity derivative liabilities	Commodity derivative liabilities	\$—	\$(16,537)	\$—	\$(16,537)
Commodity derivative liabilities					
Commodity derivative liabilities					

The following table summarizes the fair value and carrying amount of the Company's financial instruments.

	September 30, 2023		December 31, 2022	
	Carrying Amount	Fair Value	Carrying Amount	Fair Value
	(in thousands)			
Revolving Credit Facility (Level 2)	\$ 210,000	\$ 210,000	\$ 56,000	\$ 56,000
Senior Notes (Level 2)	\$ 175,069	\$ 186,085	—	—

	March 31, 2024		December 31, 2023	
	Carrying Amount	Fair Value	Carrying Amount	Fair Value
	(in thousands)			
Credit Facility (Level 2)	\$ 175,000	\$ 175,000	\$ 185,000	\$ 185,000
Senior Notes (Level 2) <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 166,842	\$ 190,426	\$ 170,959	\$ 185,346

(1) The carrying value reported for the Senior Notes is shown net of unamortized discount and unamortized deferred financing costs.

The carrying value reported for the revolving credit facility Credit Facility approximates fair value because the underlying instruments are at interest rates which approximate current market rates. The fair value of the Senior Notes ~~was~~ was

determined utilizing a discounted cash flow approach.

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**(8) Transactions with Related Parties**

**Contract Services**

Riley Permian Operating Company, LLC ("RPOC") provides provided certain administrative services to Riley Exploration Group, LLC ("REG") and certain administrative and operational services for Combo Resources, LLC ("Combo"). REG and is Combo are third-party entities with no ownership by the Company or any members of its management team as of March 31, 2024. REG owns shares of equity in the Company. Combo and the Company also own interests in certain oil and natural gas properties in Lee and Fayette Counties, Texas, which were being jointly developed by Combo and the contract operator on behalf of Combo Company.

RPOC provided administrative services to REG in exchange for a monthly fee of \$100 thousand pursuant to a contract services agreement or MSA. Beginning in February 2024, the Company began a transition of the administrative services to REG and its service providers at a reduced fee.

Additionally, RPOC provided certain administrative and operational services to Combo for a monthly fee of \$100 thousand and reimbursement of all third party expenses pursuant to a contract services agreement. Additionally, RPOC provides Both Combo and Riley Permian desired to terminate such MSA and transitioned the services under the MSA to Combo and its service providers effective as of January 31, 2024.

In addition, certain administrative oil and operational services natural gas properties were developed by Riley Permian and Combo who currently jointly own interests in 6 established units in Lee and Fayette Counties, Texas. Effective January 31, 2024, Riley Permian no longer has the right to acquire interest in Combo's leases or earn an interest in the future units formed within defined areas. Riley Exploration Group, LLC ("REG") Permian may participate in exchange for a monthly fee any wells or units to the extent Riley Permian owns an interest in oil, gas or minerals attributable to such new well or unit. Further, Riley Permian can continue to participate in wells drilled within each of \$100 thousand pursuant the established units. Riley Permian continues to a contract services agreement.

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serve as operator on the wells in the established units.

The following table presents revenues from and related cost for contract services for related parties:

Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
2023	2022	2023	2022
(In thousands)			
Three Months Ended March 31,			

Three Months Ended March 31,									
Three Months Ended March 31,									
2024									
2024									
2024									
(In thousands)									
(In thousands)									
(In thousands)									
Combo	Combo	\$	300	\$	300	\$	900	\$	900
REG	REG		300		300		900		900
REG									
REG									
Contract services - related parties									
Contract services - related parties									
Contract services - related parties	Contract services - related parties	\$	600	\$	600	\$	1,800	\$	1,800
Cost of contract services	Cost of contract services	\$	128	\$	89	\$	347	\$	263
Cost of contract services									
Cost of contract services									

The Company had no amounts payable to Combo of \$0.1 at March 31, 2024 and \$0.7 million and \$0.4 million payable at September 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022 December 31, 2023, respectively, which are reflected in other current liabilities respectively, on the accompanying condensed consolidated balance sheets. Amounts due to Combo reflect the revenue, net of any expenditures for wells and fees due under the contract services agreement, MSA, for Combo's net working interest in wells that the Company operates on Combo's behalf.

#### **Consulting and Legal Fees**

The Company has an engagement agreement with di Santo Law PLLC ("di Santo Law"), a law firm owned by Beth di Santo, a member of our Board of Directors, pursuant to which di Santo Law's attorneys provide legal services to the Company. The Company incurred legal fees from di Santo Law of approximately \$0.3 million and \$0.2 million for the three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024 and 2022, respectively, and \$0.7 million and \$0.5 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2023 and 2022, 2023, respectively. As of September 30, 2023 both March 31, 2024 and December 31, 2022 December 31, 2023, the Company had approximately \$0.2 \$0.6 million and zero in amounts accrued for di Santo Law, which was included in other current liabilities in the accompanying condensed consolidated balance sheets.

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**(9) Long-Term Debt**

The following table summarizes the Company's outstanding debt:

		September 30, 2023	December 31, 2022	
		(In thousands)		
	March 31, 2024	March 31, 2024		December 31, 2023
		(In thousands)		(In thousands)
Credit Facility	Credit Facility	\$210,000	\$56,000	
Senior Notes	Senior Notes			
Principal				
Principal	Principal	\$190,000	\$ —	
Less:	Less:			
Unamortized	Unamortized			
discount <sup>(1)</sup>	discount <sup>(1)</sup>	10,765	—	
Less:	Less:			
Unamortized	Unamortized			
deferred	deferred			
financing	financing			
costs <sup>(2)</sup>	costs <sup>(2)</sup>	4,166	—	
Total Senior Notes	Total Senior Notes	<u><u>\$175,069</u></u>	<u><u>\$ —</u></u>	
<b>Total debt</b>				
<b>Total debt</b>				
<b>Total debt</b>				
Less: Current portion of long-term debt <sup>(3)</sup>	Less: Current portion of long-term debt <sup>(3)</sup>	20,000	—	
<b>Total long-term debt</b>	<b>Total long-term debt</b>	<u><u>\$365,069</u></u>	<u><u>\$56,000</u></u>	
<b>Total long-term debt</b>				
<b>Total long-term debt</b>				

(1) Unamortized discount on long-term debt is amortized over the **life term** of the respective debt.

(2) As of September 30, 2023, unamortized **Deferred financing costs** are attributable to and amortized over the **life term** of the Senior Notes.

(3) As of September 30, 2023 **March 31, 2024** and December 31, 2023, the current portion of long-term debt reflects \$20 million due on the Senior Notes over the next twelve months.

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**Credit Facility**

As of **September 30, 2023** **March 31, 2024**, Riley Exploration - Permian, LLC ("REP LLC"), as borrower, and the Company, as parent guarantor, are parties to a credit agreement with Truist Bank and certain lenders party thereto, as amended, which provides for a Credit Facility with a borrowing base of **\$325 million (such agreement and the borrowing facility provided thereby, the "Credit Facility")**. On February 22, 2023, the Company amended its Credit Facility to, among other things, allow for the issuance of unsecured senior notes of up to \$200 million. On April 3, 2023, and concurrent with the closing of the New Mexico Acquisition, the Company entered into the fourteenth amendment (the "Fourteenth Amendment") to the Credit Facility to, among other things, increase the maximum facility amount to \$1.0 billion and the borrowing base from \$225 million to \$325 million, resulting in the addition of new lenders to the lending group. On November 14, 2023, through the semi-annual redetermination process, the Credit Facility was amended to increase the borrowing base from \$325 million to \$375 million.

The Credit Facility contains certain covenants, which, among other things, require the maintenance of (i) a total leverage ratio of not greater than 3.00 to 1.00. The Credit Facility also contains a total leverage ratio for Restricted Payments, as defined in the credit agreement. The leverage ratio, after giving pro forma effect to such Restricted Payments, cannot exceed 2.50 to 1.00. If the pro forma leverage ratio is between 2.00 to 2.50, the Restricted Payments cannot exceed trailing twelve month free cash flow. In addition to and after giving effect to such Restricted Payments, the availability of funds under the Company's Credit Facility must be greater than or equal to 20% of the elected commitments. The Company must maintain a minimum hedging requirement included within the credit agreement for oil and natural gas based on its proved developed producing projected volumes for oil and natural gas on a rolling 24-month basis.

The Credit Facility is set to mature in April 2026. Substantially all of the Company's assets are pledged to secure the Credit Facility. The following table summarizes the Credit Facility balances:

		September 30, 2023	December 31, 2022		
		(In thousands)			
		March 31, 2024		March 31, 2024	December 31, 2023
		(In thousands)		(In thousands)	
Outstanding borrowings	Outstanding borrowings	\$ 210,000	\$ 56,000		

Available under the borrowing base	Available under the borrowing base	\$ 115,000	\$ 169,000
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**Senior Notes**

On April 3, 2023, and concurrent with the closing of the New Mexico Acquisition, the Company (as "Issuer") completed its issuance of \$200 million aggregate principal amount of 10.50% senior unsecured notes with final maturity in April 2028 pursuant to a note purchase agreement (the "Note Purchase Agreement"), with the Senior Notes issued at a 6% discount. The net proceeds from the Senior Notes were used to fund a portion of the purchase price and related fees, costs and expenses for the New Mexico Acquisition.

Interest is due and payable at the end of each quarter. In addition to interest, the Issuer will repay 2.50% of the original principal amount each quarter resulting in \$5 million quarterly principal payments until the maturity of the Senior Notes. As of September 30, 2023 (March 31, 2024), the Company had \$20 million in current liabilities on the accompanying condensed consolidated balance sheet related to the quarterly principal payments due within the next 12 months.

The Issuer may, at its option, redeem, at any time and from time to time on or prior to April 3, 2026, some or all of the Senior Notes at 100% of the principal amount thereof plus the make-whole amount plus a premium of 5.25% as set forth in the Note Purchase Agreement plus accrued and unpaid interest, if any. After April 3, 2026, but on or prior to October 3, 2026, the Issuer may, at its option, redeem, at any time and from time to time some or all of the Senior Notes at 100% of the principal amount thereof plus a premium of 5.25% as set forth in the Note Purchase Agreement plus accrued and unpaid interest, if any. After October 3, 2026, the Issuer may redeem some or all of the Senior Notes at 100% of the principal amount thereof plus accrued and unpaid interest, if any. The principal remaining outstanding at the time of maturity is required to be paid in full by the Issuer. Certain note features, including those discussed above, were evaluated and deemed to be remote. Due to the remote nature, the fair value of these features was estimated to be approximately zero.

The Senior Notes contain certain covenants, which, among other things, require the maintenance of (i) a total leverage ratio of less than 3.00 to 1.00 and (ii) an asset coverage ratio greater than 1.50 to 1.00. The Senior Notes also contain a total leverage ratio and an asset coverage ratio for Restricted Payments, as defined in the Senior Notes Note Purchase Agreement. The leverage ratio, after giving pro forma effect to such Restricted Payments, cannot exceed 2.00 to 1.00, and the asset coverage ratio, after giving effect to such Restricted Payments, must be greater than or equal to 1.50 to 1.00. In addition to and after giving effect to such Restricted Payments, the outstanding balance on availability of funds under the Company's Credit Facility must be greater than or equal to 15% of the lesser of the then effective Borrowing Base and the Aggregate Elected Commitment Amount. Upon issuance of the Senior Notes, the Company must maintain a minimum hedging requirement included within the Senior Notes for oil and natural gas based on its proved developed producing projected volumes for each commodity oil and natural gas on a rolling 18-month basis.

The Senior Notes are general unsecured obligations ranking equally in right of payment with all other senior unsecured indebtedness of the Company and are senior in right of payment to all existing and future subordinated indebtedness of the

Company. The Note Purchase Agreement contains customary terms and covenants, including limitations on the Company's ability to incur additional secured and unsecured indebtedness.

The following table summarizes the Company's interest expense:

	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2024	2023
	(In thousands)	
Interest expense	8,743	1,294
Interest income	(207)	—
Capitalized interest	(964)	(615)
Amortization of deferred financing costs	671	192
Amortization of discount on Senior Notes	644	—
Unused commitment fees on Credit Facility	180	145
Total interest expense, net	\$ 9,067	\$ 1,016

As of March 31, 2024 and December 31, 2023, the weighted average interest rate on outstanding borrowings under the Credit Facility was 8.51% and 8.68%, respectively.

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The following table summarizes the Company's interest expense:

	Three Months Ended September		Nine Months Ended September	
	30,		30,	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
(In thousands)				
Interest expense	\$ 9,848	\$ 519	\$ 20,913	\$ 1,626
Capitalized interest	(839)	(246)	(2,289)	(576)
Amortization of deferred financing costs	593	175	1,236	548
Amortization of discount on Senior Notes	596	—	1,234	—
Unused commitment fees on Credit Facility	140	137	421	362
Total interest expense, net	\$ 10,338	\$ 585	\$ 21,515	\$ 1,960

As of September 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022, the weighted average interest rate on outstanding borrowings under the Credit Facility was 8.60% and 7.17%, respectively.

As of September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024, the Senior Notes had \$10.8 \$9.5 million of unamortized discount and \$4.2 \$3.7 million of unamortized unamortized deferred financing costs, resulting in an effective interest rate of 13.38% during the nine three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024.

As of September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024, the Company was in compliance with all covenants contained in the financial covenants under its debt agreements credit agreement for the Credit Facility and in the Note Purchase Agreement.

## (10) Shareholders' Equity

### **Dividends**

For the three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024 and 2022, 2023, the Company declared quarterly dividends on its common stock totaling approximately \$6.7 million \$7.3 million and \$6.2 million, respectively. For the nine months ended September 30, 2023 and 2022, the Company declared quarterly dividends on its common stock totaling approximately \$20.4 \$6.9 million, and \$18.5 million, respectively.

### **Equity-Based Share-Based Compensation**

On April 21, 2023, at the Company's annual meeting of stockholders, In April 2023, the Company's stockholders approved the Amended and Restated 2021 Long Term Incentive Plan (the "A&R LTIP") that, which increased the total number of shares of Common Stock, par value \$0.001 per share, by 950,000 shares common stock that may be utilized for awards pursuant to the Plan A&R LTIP by 950,000 shares, from 1,387,022 to 2,337,022. The A&R LTIP is included as an exhibit to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 24, 2023. The A&R LTIP had 1,366,8431,076,095 shares available for future awards as of September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024.

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### **2021 Long-Term Incentive Plan**

The following table presents the Company's restricted stock activity during the nine three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024 under the A&R LTIP:

2021 Long-Term Incentive Plan			
Restricted Shares	Date Granted	Weighted Average	Grant Date Fair Value
		Grant Date	Fair Value

Unvested at December 31, 2022	536,209	\$ 18.39
<b>Restricted</b>		
	<b>Shares</b>	<b>Restricted Shares</b>
Unvested at December 31, 2023		
Granted	Granted	32,736 \$ 37.32
Vested	Vested	(169,149) \$ 18.15
Forfeited	Forfeited	(9,160) \$ 19.81
Unvested at September 30, 2023	390,636	\$ 19.71
Unvested at March 31, 2024		

For the three months ended **September 30, 2023** **March 31, 2024** and **2022, 2023**, the total **equity-based** **share-based** compensation expense was **\$1.1 million** **\$1.7 million** and **\$0.8 million** **\$1.3 million**, respectively. For the nine months ended **September 30, 2023** and **2022**, the total **equity-based** compensation expense was **\$3.6 million** and **\$2.7 million**, respectively. **Equity-based** **Share-based** compensation expense is included in general and administrative costs on the Company's condensed consolidated statements of operations for the restricted share awards granted under the A&R LTIP. Approximately **\$5.8 million** **\$9.4 million** of additional **equity-based** **share-based** compensation expense will be recognized over the weighted average life of **20** **25** months for the unvested restricted share awards as of **September 30, 2023** granted under the **A&R LTIP**. **March 31, 2024**.

#### **ATM Program**

On September 1, 2023, the Company entered into an Equity Distribution Agreement in connection with an at-the-market equity sales program (**ATM**) ("ATM") pursuant to which the Company may offer and sell from time to time up to an aggregate \$50 million in shares of the Company's common stock through its agents. The offer and sale of the shares has been registered under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (**Securities Act**) ("Securities Act"), pursuant to the Company's registration statement on Form S-3, as amended. A prospectus supplement related to the offering of the shares, as defined in Rule 415(a)(4) promulgated under the Securities Act, was **filed September 1, 2023**, **also filed**. The Company intends to use the net proceeds from any offering for working capital purposes and other general corporate purposes, including, but not limited to, financing of capital expenditures, repayment or refinancing of

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outstanding debt, financing acquisitions or investments, financing other business opportunities, and general working capital purposes.

During the period three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024, the Company executed did not execute any sales under the ATM program of 8,939 shares which generated proceeds of approximately \$0.3 million, net of approximately \$9 thousand of fees. The Company incurred approximately \$194 thousand of expenses associated with establishing the ATM program and filing of the related prospectus supplement. As of September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024, the Company had remaining capacity to sell up to an additional \$49.7 million of common stock under the ATM program.

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**(11) Income Taxes**

The components of the Company's consolidated provision for income taxes from operations are as follows:

		Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
		2023	2022	2023	2022
(In thousands)					
Three Months Ended March 31,					
Three Months Ended March 31,					
Three Months Ended March 31,					
2024					
2024					
2024					
(In thousands)					
(In thousands)					
(In thousands)					
Current income tax expense:	Current income tax expense:				
Federal	Federal	\$ (76)	\$ 142	\$ 4,705	\$ 1,442
Federal					
Federal					
State					
State					
State	State	133	291	747	486
Total current income tax expense	Total current income tax expense	\$ 57	\$ 433	\$ 5,452	\$ 1,928

Total current income tax expense								
Total current income tax expense								
Deferred income tax expense:								
Deferred income tax expense:								
Deferred income tax expense:	Deferred income tax expense:							
Federal	Federal	\$ 2,744	\$ 15,460	\$ 15,039	\$ 22,439			
Federal								
Federal								
State								
State								
State	State	1,121	424	2,563	763			
Total deferred income tax expense	Total deferred income tax expense							
Total deferred income tax expense	Total deferred income tax expense	\$ 3,865	\$ 15,884	\$ 17,602	\$ 23,202			
Total income tax expense	Total income tax expense							
Total income tax expense	Total income tax expense	\$ 3,922	\$ 16,317	\$ 23,054	\$ 25,130			
Total income tax expense								
Total income tax expense								

A reconciliation of the statutory federal income tax rate to the Company's effective income tax rate is as follows:

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
	(in thousands)			
Three Months Ended March 31,				
Three Months Ended March 31,				
Three Months Ended March 31,				
	2024			
		2024		

		2024							
		(In thousands)							
		(In thousands)							
Tax at statutory rate	Tax at statutory rate	21.0	%	21.0	%	21.0	%	21.0	%
Nondeductible compensation									
Nondeductible compensation									
Nondeductible compensation	Nondeductible compensation	4.8	%	0.1	%	0.7	%	0.2	%
Share-based compensation	Share-based compensation	(2.4)	%	—	%	(0.5)	%	(0.1)	%
Share-based compensation									
Share-based compensation									
State income taxes, net of federal benefit	State income taxes, net of federal benefit	(2.0)	%	0.8	%	1.4	%	0.8	%
Change in state rate <sup>(1)</sup>		9.8	%	—	%	1.3	%	—	%
Other		—	%	(0.5)	%	—	%	(0.3)	%
State income taxes, net of federal benefit									
State income taxes, net of federal benefit									
Effective income tax rate	Effective income tax rate	31.2	%	21.4	%	23.9	%	21.6	%
Effective income tax rate									
Effective income tax rate									

<sup>(1)</sup> Reflects the impact on the Company's deferred tax balance as a result of the increased apportionment to the state of New Mexico from the New Mexico Acquisition, which is a discrete item that is not expected to notably impact the Company's effective income tax rate for the full year.

The Company's federal income tax returns for the years subsequent to December 31, 2018 December 31, 2019 remain subject to examination. The Company's income tax returns in major state income tax jurisdictions remain subject to examination for various periods subsequent to December 31, 2017 December 31, 2018. The Company currently believes that all other significant filing positions are highly certain and that all of its other significant income tax positions and deductions would be sustained under audit or the final resolution would not have a material effect on the consolidated financial statements. Therefore, the Company has not established any significant reserves for uncertain tax positions.

**(12) Net Income Per Share**

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**(12) Net Income Per Share**

The Company calculated net income per share using the treasury stock method. The table below sets forth the computation of basic and diluted net income per share for the periods presented below:

		Three Months Ended March 31,					
		Three Months Ended March 31,					
		Three Months Ended March 31,					
		2024		2023	2022		
		2024		2023	2022		
		2024		2023	2022		
		(In thousands, except per share amounts)		(In thousands, except per share amounts)	(In thousands, except per share amounts)		
		(In thousands, except per share amounts)		(In thousands, except per share amounts)	(In thousands, except per share amounts)		
				Three Months Ended September 30,	Nine Months Ended September 30,		
				2023	2022		
				2023	2022		
				(In thousands, except per share)			
Net income							
Net income							
Net income	Net income	\$ 8,647	\$ 59,817	\$ 73,566	\$ 91,204		
Basic weighted-average common shares outstanding	Basic weighted-average common shares outstanding	19,680	19,546	19,667	19,530		
Basic weighted-average common shares outstanding							
Basic weighted-average common shares outstanding							
Restricted shares	Restricted shares	309	41	297	102		
Restricted shares							
Restricted shares							

Diluted weighted average common shares outstanding								
Diluted weighted average common shares outstanding								
Diluted weighted average common shares outstanding	Diluted weighted average common shares outstanding							
Basic net income per share	Basic net income per share	\$ 0.44	\$ 3.06	\$ 3.74	\$ 4.67			
Basic net income per share								
Diluted net income per share	Diluted net income per share	\$ 0.43	\$ 3.05	\$ 3.68	\$ 4.65			
Diluted net income per share								
Diluted net income per share								

The following shares were excluded from the calculation of diluted net income per share due to their anti-dilutive effect for the periods presented:

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
Restricted shares	186,701	293,473	199,051	232,246
Restricted shares	Three Months Ended March 31,			
	2024	2023	2024	2023
Restricted shares			409,822	246,358

### (13) Commitments and Contingencies

#### ***Indemnification***

The Company has agreed to indemnify its directors and certain of its officers, employees and agents with respect to claims and damages arising from acts or omissions taken in such capacity, as well as with respect to certain litigation.

In the ordinary course of business, the Company enters into agreements that may include indemnification provisions. Pursuant to such agreements, the Company may indemnify, hold harmless and defend the indemnified parties for losses suffered or incurred by the indemnified party. Some of the provisions will limit losses to those arising from third-party actions.

In some cases, the indemnification will continue after the termination of the agreement. The maximum potential amount of future payments the Company could be required to make under these provisions is not determinable.

### **Legal Matters**

Due to the nature of the Company's business, the Company may at times be subject to claims and legal actions. The Company accrues liabilities when it is probable that future costs will be incurred, and such costs can be reasonably estimated. Such accruals are based on developments to date and the Company's estimates of the outcomes of these matters. The Company did not recognize any material liability for legal matters as of **September 30, 2023 and December 31, 2022** **March 31, 2024 or December 31, 2023**. Management believes it is remote that the impact of such matters will have a materially adverse effect on the Company's financial position, results of operations, or cash flows.

### **Environmental Matters**

The Company is subject to various federal, state and local laws and regulations relating to the protection of the environment. These laws, which are often changing, regulate the discharge of materials into the environment and may require the Company to remove or mitigate the environmental effects of the disposal or release of petroleum or chemical substances at various sites. The Company had no material environmental liabilities as of **September 30, 2023** **March 31, 2024** or **December 31, 2022** **December 31, 2023**.

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### **Contractual Commitments**

In October 2021, the Company executed an agreement related to its EOR project. This agreement is a CO<sub>2</sub> purchase agreement that has a daily contract quantity with Kinder Morgan CO<sub>2</sub> Company, LLC **that has with** a primary term extending through the earlier of the total contract quantity delivered or December 31, 2025.

In August 2022, the Company entered into a second amendment on its gas gathering and processing agreement with its primary midstream counterparty, Stakeholder Midstream LLC **("Stakeholder")** **("Stakeholder")**. Stakeholder committed to expand its gathering and processing system with a commitment from the Company to deliver an annual minimum volume to Stakeholder's gathering

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system for a minimum of seven years beginning on the in-service date of the expanded **plant** **plant**, which is expected to be during the second quarter.

**In January 2023, the** **The Company entered into** **an agreement to form a joint venture with Conduit Power LLC. The** **Company is committed to contributing its portion of capital expenditures into the joint venture company, RPC Power. In** **conjunction with the formation of the joint venture, the Company entered into additional** **agreements with RPC Power**

or including one of its subsidiaries. These agreements subsidiaries, which include RPC Power providing operational expertise on the implementation and management of the power generation assets for a monthly fee of \$20 thousand and for a period of 10 years. In addition, the Company committing entered into a tolling agreement and committed to provide the natural gas needed to fuel the onsite power generators through 2028, for 10 years following the in-service date, with an automatic yearly extension until terminated by either party, for a fee based on a per MMBtu basis adjusted for contractual usage factors.

In October 2023, the Company entered into a purchase agreement for pipe related to its 2024 drilling program. Under the agreement, As of March 31, 2024, the Company has commitments to purchase approximately \$13.1 \$8.5 million of pipe by December 2024.

## (14) Subsequent Events

### ***Dividend Declaration***

On October 12, 2023 April 11, 2024, the Board of Directors of the Company declared a cash dividend of \$0.36 per share of common stock payable on November 9, 2023 May 9, 2024 to its shareholders of record at the close of business on October 26, 2023 April 25, 2024.

### ***Equity Offering***

On April 3, 2024, the Company issued 1,015,000 shares of common stock at a par value of \$0.001 per share. Net proceeds from the issuance were approximately \$25.9 million, after deducting the underwriting discounts and commissions.

### ***Asset Acquisition***

On May 7, 2024, the Company closed the 2024 NM Asset Acquisition for approximately \$20.5 million, subject to customary post-closing adjustments.

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## **Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations**

The following discussion and analysis of the Company's financial condition and results of operations should be read in conjunction with the Company's condensed consolidated financial statements and related notes thereto presented in this report as well as the Company's audited consolidated financial statements and related notes included in the Company's Annual Report for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2022 December 31, 2023. The following discussion contains "forward-looking statements" that reflect the Company's future plans, estimates, beliefs and expected performance. The Company's actual results could differ materially from those discussed in these forward-looking statements. See "Cautionary Statement Regarding Forward-Looking Statements" and "Part II. Item 1A. Risk Factors" below and the information set forth in the Risk Factors under Part I. Item 1A of the Company's Annual Report for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2022 December 31, 2023.

### **Overview**

We operate in the upstream segment of the oil and natural gas industry and are focused on steadily growing conventional reserves, production and cash flow through the acquisition, exploration, development and production of oil, natural gas and NGLs primarily in the Permian Basin in West Texas. The Company's activities are primarily focused on the horizontal development of conventional reservoirs on the Northwest Shelf of the Permian Basin, Texas and Southeastern New Mexico.

We intend to continue to develop our reserves and increase production through development drilling and exploration activities and through acquisitions that meet our strategic and financial objectives.

### **Financial and Operating Highlights**

Financial and operating results reflect the following:

- Increased total net equivalent production by 57% to 19.9 MBoe/d for the three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024, as compared to the three months ended September 30, 2022 and 66% to 18.1 MBoe/d for the nine months ended September 30, 2023, as compared to the nine months ended September 30, 2022 March 31, 2023
- During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024, 96 gross (5.7 net) and 22 gross (16.2 (5.97 net) horizontal wells respectively, were brought online to production
- Realized average combined oil price on production sold of \$58.69 and \$55.20 \$75.25 per Boe, barrel, before derivative settlements, during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2023, including \$80.87 and \$75.19 per barrel for oil March 31, 2024
- Generated cash flow from operations of \$141.4 \$56.1 million for the nine three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024
- Incurred total accrued (activity based) capital expenditures before acquisitions of \$110.5 \$26.2 million for the nine three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024
- Paid cash dividends on common shares of \$6.8 million and \$20.2 million \$7.2 million during the three and nine months ended September 30, 2023, respectively March 31, 2024
- \$10.4 6.6 million in cash and \$385 million \$341.8 million in total debt as of September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024

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## **Recent Developments**

### **Market Conditions, Commodity Prices and Interest Rates**

The U.S. and global economies and markets have experienced heightened volatility following impactful geopolitical events, the effects of widespread inflation, and the impact of significantly higher interest rates. Prices for oil and natural gas are determined primarily by prevailing market conditions, which have been and could continue to be volatile.

The combination of geopolitical events, inflation and the rising higher interest rate environment has led to increasing numerous forecasts of a U.S. or global recession. Any such recession could prolong market volatility or cause a decline in commodity prices, among other potential impacts.

The Company cannot estimate the length or gravity of the future impact these events will have on the Company's results of operations, financial position, liquidity and the value of oil and natural gas reserves.

### **New Mexico Acquisition**

On April 3, 2023, the Company completed the New Mexico Acquisition from Pecos for approximately \$330 million, subject to customary ~~an adjusted~~ purchase price ~~adjustments~~ pursuant to the Purchase Agreement of \$324.7 million. The New Mexico Acquisition was funded through a combination of borrowings under the Company's Credit Facility and proceeds from the issuance of \$200 million ~~\$200 million~~ of Senior Notes.

### **Power Joint Venture**

In January 2023, the Company entered into an agreement to form a joint venture created for the purpose of constructing a new power infrastructure for onsite ~~baseload~~ power generation using produced natural ~~gas~~ ~~gas~~ for its Champions Field. The Company ~~has had~~ an initial 30% investment in the joint venture company, RPC Power, which was increased to 35% in the current quarter, and is committed to providing its portion of ~~capital~~ ~~The capital expenditures~~. Construction of the onsite power generation facility ~~is expected to be placed~~ ~~was predominately completed during 2023 with temporary power generation beginning November 2023 and permanent onsite power generation beginning operations in service during the fourth~~ second quarter of 2023. ~~2023~~ 2024.

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### **Results of Operations**

**Comparison for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024 and 2022. 2023.**

The following table sets forth selected operating data for the three and nine months ended ~~September 30, 2023~~ ~~March 31, 2024~~ and ~~2022~~ 2023:

	Three Months Ended		Nine Months Ended		Three Months Ended March 31,	
	September 30,		September 30,			
	2023	2022	2023	2022		
Revenues (in thousands):	Revenues (in thousands):					
Oil sales	Oil sales	\$ 104,490	\$80,017	\$267,293	\$224,895	
Oil sales						
Oil sales						
Natural gas sales	Natural gas sales	983	4,216	1,547	8,855	
Natural gas liquids sales		2,221	3,238	4,578	8,147	
NGL sales						

Oil and natural gas sales, net	Oil and natural gas sales, net	\$ 107,694	\$ 87,471	\$ 273,418	\$ 241,897					
<b>Production Data, net:</b>	<b>Production Data, net:</b>									
<b>Production Data, net:</b>										
Oil (MBbls)										
Oil (MBbls)										
Oil (MBbls)	Oil (MBbls)	1,292	866	3,555	2,301					
Natural gas (MMcf)	Natural gas (MMcf)	1,616	985	4,242	2,239					
Natural gas liquids (MBbls)										
NGLs (MBbls)										
Total (MBoe)	Total (MBoe)	1,835	1,170	4,953	2,977					
Daily combined volumes (Boe/d)										
Daily combined volumes (Boe/d)										
Daily combined volumes (Boe/d)	Daily combined volumes (Boe/d)	19,949	12,717	18,143	10,903					
Daily oil volumes (Bbls/d)	Daily oil volumes (Bbls/d)	14,043	9,413	13,022	8,428					
Average Realized Prices:	Average Realized Prices:	Daily oil volumes (Bbls/d)	20,374	14,165	13,169					
Average Realized Prices:										
Average Realized Prices:										
Oil (\$ per Bbl)										
Oil (\$ per Bbl)										
Oil (\$ per Bbl)	Oil (\$ per Bbl)	\$ 80.87	\$ 92.40	\$ 75.19	\$ 97.74					

Natural gas (\$ per Mcf)	Natural gas (\$ per Mcf)	0.61	4.28	0.36	3.95
Natural gas liquids (\$ per Bbl)		8.11	23.13	6.63	26.89
Combined (\$ per Boe)	\$ 58.69	\$ 74.76	\$ 55.20	\$ 81.26	
NGLs (\$ per Bbl)					
<b>Average Realized Prices, including derivative settlements:<sup>(1)</sup></b>					
<b>Average Realized Prices, including derivative settlements:<sup>(1)</sup></b>					
Average Realized Prices, including derivative settlements: <sup>(1)</sup>	Average Realized Prices, including derivative settlements: <sup>(1)</sup>				
Oil (\$ per Bbl)	Oil (\$ per Bbl)	\$ 76.00	\$ 75.80	\$ 71.23	\$ 73.63
Oil (\$ per Bbl)					
Oil (\$ per Bbl)					
Natural gas (\$ per Mcf)	Natural gas (\$ per Mcf)	0.63	1.57	0.46	1.40
Natural gas liquids (\$ per Bbl)		8.11	23.13	6.63	26.89
Combined (\$ per Boe)	\$ 55.26	\$ 60.20	\$ 52.44	\$ 60.69	
NGLs (\$ per Bbl)					

(1) The Company's calculation of the effects of derivative settlements includes gains and losses on the settlement of its commodity derivative contracts. These gains and losses are included under other income (expense) on the Company's condensed consolidated statements of operations.

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### Oil and Natural Gas Revenues

Our revenues are derived from the sale of our oil and natural gas production, including the sale of NGLs that are extracted from our natural gas during processing. Revenues from product sales are a function of the volumes produced, product quality, market prices, and gas Btu content, content as well as midstream counterparty fees and deducts. Our revenues from oil, natural gas and NGL sales do not include the effects of derivatives. Our revenues may vary significantly from period to period as a result of changes in volumes the volume of production sold or changes in commodity prices.

*Three months ended September 30, 2023 compared to three months ended September 30, 2022*

The Company's total oil and natural gas revenue, net increased \$20.2 million \$33.0 million, or 23% 50%, for the three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024 compared to the three months ended September 30, 2022 March 31, 2023.

#### **Oil revenues**

- For the three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024, oil revenues increased by \$24.5 million \$32.0 million, or 31% 49%, compared to the three months ended September 30, 2022 March 31, 2023. Of the increase, \$39.3 million \$28.8 million was attributable to an increase in volume partially offset by a \$14.8 million decrease and \$3.2 million to an increase in our realized price. Volumes increased by 49% 44%, while realized prices decreased increased by 12% 3% compared to the three months ended September 30, 2022 March 31, 2023. The oil and natural gas properties acquired in the New Mexico Acquisition contributed \$22.4 million \$26.4 million to the Company's oil revenues for the period. three months ended March 31, 2024.
- Oil volumes increased during the three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024 due to oil and natural gas assets acquired in the New Mexico Acquisition, production from new wells, and workovers performed on existing historical wells. During the three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024, we brought online 6 gross (5.97 net) horizontal wells. The oil and natural gas properties acquired in the New Mexico Acquisition contributed oil volumes of approximately 271 MBbls. 350 MBbls for the three months ended March 31, 2024.
- The average WTI price decreased increased by \$10.81 \$1.57 per Bbl during the three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024 when compared to the three months ended September 30, 2022, respectively. March 31, 2023.

#### **Natural gas revenues**

- For the three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024, natural gas revenues decreased increased by \$3.2 million \$0.2 million, compared to the three months ended September 30, 2022 March 31, 2023. Of the decrease, \$5.9 million increase, \$0.4 million was attributable to a decrease in realized prices, partially offset by \$2.7 million attributable to an increase in volume. volumes, partially offset by a \$0.2 million decrease attributable to lower realized price. Volumes increased by 64% 72%, while realized prices decreased by nearly 86% 24%. The New Mexico Acquisition contributed 695 MMcf and \$0.9 million, respectively, to the Company's natural gas volumes and revenues for the period.
- The average Henry Hub price decreased by \$5.44 per Mcf Natural gas volumes increased during the three months ended September 30, 2023 compared March 31, 2024 due to the three months ended September 30, 2022.

#### **Natural gas liquids revenues**

- For the three months ended September 30, 2023, NGL revenues decreased by \$1.0 million compared to the three months ended September 30, 2022. Of the decrease, \$4.1 million was attributable to a decrease in realized price, partially offset by \$3.1 million attributable to an increase in volume. Volumes increased by 94%, while realized prices

decreased by 65%. The New Mexico Acquisition contributed 142 MBbls and \$1.8 million, respectively, to the Company's natural gas liquids volumes and revenues for the period.

*Nine months ended September 30, 2023 compared to nine months ended September 30, 2022*

The Company's total oil and natural gas revenue, net increased \$31.5 million, or 13%, for the nine months ended September 30, 2023 compared to the nine months ended September 30, 2022.

#### ***Oil revenues***

- For the nine months ended September 30, 2023, oil revenues increased by \$42.4 million, or 19%, compared to the nine months ended September 30, 2022. Of the increase, \$122.6 million was attributable to an increase in properties acquired in volume, partially offset by a \$80.2 million decrease in our realized price. Volumes increased by 55%, while realized prices decreased by 23% compared to the nine months ended September 30, 2022. The New Mexico Acquisition contributed \$45.0 million to the Company's oil revenues for the period.
- Oil volumes increased during the nine months ended September 30, 2023 due to the New Mexico Acquisition, production from new wells, and workovers performed on existing historical wells. During the nine months ended September 30, 2023, the oil and natural gas properties acquired in the New Mexico Acquisition contributed oil volumes of approximately 584 MBbls.
- The average WTI price decreased by \$21.70 per Bbl during the nine months ended September 30, 2023 when compared to the nine months ended September 30, 2022, respectively.

#### ***Natural gas revenues***

- For the nine months ended September 30, 2023, natural gas revenues decreased by \$7.3 million, compared to the nine months ended September 30, 2022. Of the decrease, \$15.2 million was attributable to a decrease in realized prices, partially offset by \$7.9 million attributable to an increase in volume. Volumes increased by 89%, while realized prices decreased by 91%. The New Mexico Acquisition contributed 1,370 862 MMcf and \$1.2 million, respectively, to the Company's natural gas volumes and revenues for the period. three months ended March 31, 2024.
- The average Henry Hub price decreased by \$4.28 \$0.49 per Mcf during the nine three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024 compared to the nine three months ended September 30, 2022 March 31, 2023.

#### ***Natural gas liquids NGL revenues***

- For the nine three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024, NGL revenues decreased increased by \$3.6 million \$0.8 million compared to the nine three months ended September 30, 2022 March 31, 2023. Of the decrease, \$14.0 million increase, \$1.1 million was attributable to a decrease in realized price, partially offset by \$10.4 million attributable to an increase in volume, partially offset by a \$0.3 million decrease attributable to lower realized price. Volumes increased by 128% 119%, while realized prices decreased by 75% 13%.
- NGL volumes increased during the three months ended March 31, 2024 due to oil and natural gas properties acquired in the New Mexico Acquisition, production from new wells, and workovers performed on existing wells. The oil and natural gas properties acquired in the New Mexico Acquisition contributed 286 155 MBbls and \$3.3 million, respectively, to the Company's natural gas liquids NGL volumes and revenues for the period. three months ended March 31, 2024.

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### Contract Services - Related Party

The following table presents the Company's revenue and costs associated with its contract services - related party transactions:

		Three Months		Nine Months					
		Ended	Ended September						
		September 30,	30,						
		2023	2022	2023	2022				
(In thousands)									
Three Months									
Ended March 31,				Three Months Ended March 31,					
2024				2023					
(In thousands)									
Contract services - related parties <sup>(1)</sup>	Contract services - related parties <sup>(1)</sup>	\$600	\$600	\$1,800	\$1,800				
Cost of contract services - related parties <sup>(2)</sup>	Cost of contract services - related parties <sup>(2)</sup>	128	89	347	263				
Gross profit from contract services									
\$472 \$511 \$1,453 \$1,537									
Gross profit (loss) from contract services									

(1) The Company's contract services - related parties revenue is derived from master service agreements with related parties to provide certain administrative support services.

(2) The Company's cost of contract services - related parties represents costs specifically attributable to the master service agreements the Company has in place with the respective related parties.

The MSA with Combo was terminated as of January 31, 2024. See Note 8 - Transactions with Related Parties for more information.

## Costs and Expenses

The following table presents the Company's operating costs and expenses and other (income) expenses:

	Three Months Ended		Nine Months Ended			
	September 30,		September 30,			
	2023	2022	2023	2022		
	Three Months Ended March 31,		Three Months Ended			
	2024		March 31,			
<b>Costs and Expenses:</b>	<b>Costs and Expenses:</b>	(In thousands)		<b>Costs and Expenses:</b>	<b>(In thousands)</b>	
Lease operating expenses	Lease operating expenses	\$ 16,898	\$ 8,813	\$ 43,287	\$ 23,705	
Production and ad valorem taxes	Production and ad valorem taxes	\$ 7,242	\$ 5,826	\$ 18,573	\$ 14,854	
Exploration costs	Exploration costs	\$ 231	\$ 20	\$ 643	\$ 1,540	
Depletion, depreciation, amortization and accretion	Depletion, depreciation, amortization and accretion	\$ 18,706	\$ 8,346	\$ 46,390	\$ 22,167	
Administrative costs						
Administrative costs						
Administrative costs	Administrative costs	\$ 5,530	\$ 5,154	\$ 17,497	\$ 13,567	
Share-based compensation	Share-based compensation	1,109	704	3,448	2,274	
General and administrative expense	General and administrative expense	\$ 6,639	\$ 5,858	\$ 20,945	\$ 15,841	
Transaction costs	Transaction costs	\$ 221	\$ —	\$ 5,760	\$ 2,638	
Transaction costs						
Transaction costs						

Interest expense, net	Interest expense, net	\$10,338	\$ 585	\$21,515	\$ 1,960
(Gain) loss on derivatives		\$35,345	\$(17,600)	\$20,925	\$44,395
(Gain) loss from equity method investment		\$ (23)	\$ —	\$ 213	\$ —
(Gain) loss on derivatives, net					
(Income) loss from equity method investment					
Income tax expense	Income tax expense	\$ 3,922	\$ 16,317	\$23,054	\$25,130

### ***Lease Operating Expenses ("LOE")***

LOE are the costs incurred in the operation and maintenance of producing properties. Expenses for electricity, compression, direct labor, saltwater disposal and materials and supplies comprise the most significant portion of our lease operating expenses. Certain operating cost components, such as direct labor and materials and supplies, generally remain relatively fixed across broad production volume ranges, but can fluctuate depending on activities performed during a specific period. For instance, repairs to our pumping equipment or surface facilities or subsurface maintenance result in increased production expenses in periods during which they are performed. Certain operating cost components, such as saltwater disposal

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associated with produced water, are variable and increase or decrease as hydrocarbon production levels and the volume of completion water disposal increases or decreases.

The Company's LOE increased by \$8.1 million \$7.9 million for the three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024 compared to the three months ended September 30, 2022 March 31, 2023. For The increase was driven primarily by the oil and natural gas properties acquired in the New Mexico Acquisition which contributed \$7.5 million to the Company's LOE for the three months ended September 30, 2023, the increase was driven by a \$5.0 million increase due to higher production, including \$4.5 million attributable to the New Mexico Acquisition, and a \$2.9 million increase due to higher workover expense, including \$2.8 million attributable to the New Mexico Acquisition. In addition, increases of \$0.2 million related to utility rates, field payroll, and saltwater disposal charges were incurred during the three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024.

The Company's LOE increased by \$19.6 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2023 compared to the nine months ended September 30, 2022. For the nine months ended September 30, 2023, the increase was driven by a \$15.7 million increase due to higher production, including \$8.2 million attributable to the New Mexico Acquisition, and a \$7.8 million increase due to higher workover expense, including \$5.4 million attributable to the New Mexico Acquisition. These increases

were partially offset by a \$3.9 million decrease in LOE expense related to utility rates, field payroll, and saltwater disposal charges.

#### **Production and Ad Valorem Tax Expense**

Production taxes are paid on produced oil, natural gas and NGLs based on a percentage of revenues at fixed rates established by federal, state or local taxing authorities. In general, the production taxes we pay correlate to changes in our oil, natural gas and NGL revenues. We are also subject to ad valorem taxes in the counties where our production is located. Ad

valorem taxes are generally based on the valuation of our oil and natural gas properties, which also trend with oil and natural gas prices and vary across the different counties in which we operate.

Production and ad valorem taxes increased by \$1.4 million \$3.1 million for the three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024 compared to the three months ended September 30, 2022, March 31, 2023. Production taxes increased primarily due to increases in our oil and \$3.7 million for natural gas sales, including revenues from production associated with the nine months ended September 30, 2023 compared to the nine months ended September 30, 2022. These increases are primarily attributable to oil and natural gas properties acquired in the New Mexico Acquisition with a slight increase in ad Acquisition. Ad valorem taxes and partially offset by lower commodity prices.

#### **Exploration Expense**

Exploration expense consists of expiration of unproved leasehold and geological and geophysical costs which include seismic survey costs. Exploration expense increased \$0.2 million for the three months ended September 30, 2023 compared to the three months ended September 30, 2022, and decreased \$0.9 million March 31, 2024 based on higher estimated property values for the nine months ended September 30, 2023 compared to current taxable period and higher tax rates for the nine months ended September 30, 2022.

current taxable period.

#### **Depletion, Depreciation, Amortization and Accretion Expense**

Depletion, depreciation and amortization is the systematic expensing of the capitalized costs incurred to acquire, explore and develop oil, natural gas and NGLs. All costs incurred in the acquisition, exploration and development of properties (excluding costs of surrendered and abandoned leaseholds, delay lease rentals, dry holes and overhead related to exploration activities) are capitalized. Capitalized costs are depleted using the units of production method.

Accretion expense relates to ARO. We record the fair value of the liability for ARO in the period in which the liability is incurred (at the time the wells are drilled or acquired) with the offset to property cost. The liability accretes each period until it is settled or the well is sold, at which time the liability is removed.

Depletion, depreciation, amortization and accretion expense increased by \$10.4 million \$8.7 million for the three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024 compared to the three months ended March 31, 2023. This The increase for the three months ended March 31, 2024 was primarily due to a \$6.7 million increase due to depletion associated with the oil and natural gas properties acquired in the New Mexico Acquisition along with higher production on historical properties and a higher depletion rate.

Depletion, depreciation, amortization and accretion expense increased by \$24.2 million for rate on the nine months ended September 30, 2023 compared to the nine months ended September 30, 2022. This increase was primarily due to a \$13.7

million increase due to the New Mexico Acquisition along with higher production on historical properties and a higher depletion rate. properties.

### **General and Administrative Expense ("G&A")**

G&A expenses include corporate overhead such as payroll and benefits for our corporate staff, share-based compensation expense, office rent for our headquarters, audit and other fees for professional services and legal compliance. G&A expenses are reported net of overhead recoveries.

Total G&A expense increased by \$0.8 million \$0.5 million for the three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024 compared to the three months ended September 30, 2022. Administrative costs, which include payroll, benefits and non-payroll costs, increased by \$0.4 million for the three months ended September 30, 2023 compared to the three months ended September 30, 2022 March 31, 2023, primarily due to increased employee count, insurance, and technology costs.

Total G&A expense increased driven by \$5.1 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2023 compared to the nine months ended September 30, 2022. Administrative costs, which include payroll, benefits and non-payroll costs, increased by \$3.9 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2023 compared to the nine months ended September 30, 2022, primarily due to increased employee count, professional services, insurance, and technology costs. higher share-based compensation expense.

### **Transaction Costs**

Transaction costs represent costs incurred on successful or unsuccessful business combinations or unsuccessful property acquisitions. There were no transaction costs of \$0.2 million and \$5.8 million for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 primarily relate to the New Mexico Acquisition. March 31, 2024. During the nine three months ended September 30, 2022 March 31, 2023, the transaction costs of \$2.6 \$1.9 million primarily related to a potential business combination and related financing the New Mexico Acquisition that the Company pursued but ultimately chose not to consummate due to changing market conditions.

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### **Interest Expense**

Interest expense increased by \$9.8 million \$8.1 million during the three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024 when compared to the three months ended September 30, 2022, and \$19.6 million during the nine months ended September 30, 2023 when compared to the nine months ended September 30, 2022 March 31, 2023. The increase in interest expense was primarily due to the higher debt balances, including the Senior Notes, as a result of financing for the New Mexico Acquisition, as well as along with higher interest rates impacting on borrowings under our credit facility borrowing cost. Credit Facility, during the three months ended March 31, 2024 when compared to the three months ended March 31, 2023.

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### **Gain (Loss) on Derivatives**

The Company recognizes settlements and changes in the fair value of its derivative contracts as a single component within other income (expense) on its condensed consolidated statements of operations. We have oil and natural gas derivative contracts, including fixed price swaps, basis swaps and collars, that settle against various indices. The following table presents the components of the Company's gain (loss) on derivatives, for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 and 2022:

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2023	2022	2023	2022
	(In thousands)			
Settlements on derivative contracts	\$ (6,269)	\$ (17,040)	\$ (13,660)	\$ (61,198)
Non-cash gain (loss) on derivatives	(29,076)	34,640	(7,265)	16,803
<b>Gain (loss) on derivatives</b>	<b>\$ (35,345)</b>	<b>\$ 17,600</b>	<b>\$ (20,925)</b>	<b>\$ (44,395)</b>

Our earnings are affected by the changes in value of our derivative portfolio between periods and the related cash received or paid upon settlement of our derivatives. To the extent the future commodity price outlook declines between periods, we will have mark-to-market gains, while future commodity price increases between measurement periods result in mark-to-market losses.

The gain (loss) on derivatives net for the three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024 and 2022 was \$(35.3) million and \$17.6 million, respectively. The non-cash loss 2023:

	Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2024	2023
	(In thousands)	
Settlements on derivative contracts	\$ 104	\$ (5,088)
Non-cash gain (loss) on derivatives	(17,181)	10,843
<b>Gain (loss) on derivatives, net</b>	<b>\$ (17,077)</b>	<b>\$ 5,755</b>

Cash gains or losses on derivatives for the three months ended September 30, 2023 was driven by higher forward pricing when compared settled derivative contracts related to contract pricing at September 30, 2023, while the gain on derivatives for the three months ended September 30, 2022 was driven by higher contract pricing compared to the forward pricing at September 30, 2022. The decrease in the loss on settlements on derivatives was due to the decrease in oil and natural gas prices for the three months ended September 30, 2023 compared to the three months ended September 30, 2022.

The loss on derivatives for the nine months ended September 30, 2023 and 2022 was \$20.9 million and \$44.4 million, respectively. The non-cash loss on derivatives for the nine months ended September 30, 2023 was driven by new contracts entered into that settle during the period and higher forward pricing when compared to contract pricing at September 30, 2023. The non-cash gain are a function of the difference in settled versus contractual prices and the associated hedged volumes for each underlying commodity. Non-cash gains or losses on derivatives relate to unsettled contracts and are a function of changes in derivative fair values associated with fluctuations in the forward price curves for the nine months ended September 30, 2022 was driven by higher contract commodities relative to contractual pricing when compared to forward pricing at September 30, 2022. The decrease in the loss on settlements on derivatives was due to the decrease in oil and natural gas

prices for the nine months ended September 30, 2023 compared to the nine months ended September 30, 2022, our derivative contracts outstanding.

### Income Tax Expense

Deferred income taxes are provided to reflect the future tax consequences or benefits of differences between the tax basis of assets and liabilities and their reported amounts in the financial statements using enacted tax rates. See Note 11 - Income Taxes to the Company's accompanying condensed consolidated financial statements included herein for further discussion of income taxes.

		Three Months Ended		Nine Months Ended					
		September 30,		September 30,					
		2023	2022	2023	2022				
(In thousands)									
Three Months Ended March									
31,				Three Months Ended March 31,					
2024				2024					
(In thousands)									
Current income tax expense	Current income tax expense	\$ 57	\$ 433	\$ 5,452	\$ 1,928				
Deferred income tax expense	Deferred income tax expense								
		3,865	15,884	17,602	23,202				
Total income tax expense	Total income tax expense								
		\$3,922	\$16,317	\$23,054	\$25,130				
Effective income tax rate	Effective income tax rate	31.2 %	21.4 %	23.9 %	21.6 %				
Effective income tax rate									
Effective income tax rate				23.9 %	21.4 %				

The rise in our effective income tax rate was primarily due to the New Mexico Acquisition increasing our apportionment in New Mexico, which has a higher state tax rate than where we have historically operated.

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## Liquidity and Capital Resources

The business of exploring for, developing and producing oil and natural gas is capital intensive. Because oil, natural gas and NGL reserves are a depleting resource, like all upstream operators, we must make capital investments to grow and even sustain production. The Company's principal liquidity requirements are to finance its operations, fund capital expenditures and acquisitions, make cash distributions and satisfy any indebtedness obligations. Cash flows are subject to a number of variables, including the level of oil and natural gas production and prices, and the significant capital expenditures required to more fully develop the Company's oil and natural gas properties. Historically, our primary sources of capital funding and liquidity have been our cash on hand, cash flow from operations and borrowings under our **revolving credit facility**. **Credit Facility**. At times and as needed, we may also issue debt or equity securities, including through transactions under our shelf registration statement filed with the SEC. In April 2023, the Company amended its Credit Facility to increase the borrowing base and issued Senior Notes to fund the New Mexico Acquisition. We estimate the combination of the sources of capital discussed above will continue to be adequate to meet our short and long-term liquidity needs.

Cash on hand and operating cash flow can be subject to fluctuations due to trends and uncertainties that are beyond our control. **Both purchaser and market constraints could impact our gas sales in the future. The Company may also experience periodic curtailments on natural gas produced in excess of our contractual processing capacity.** Likewise, our ability to issue equity and obtain credit facilities on favorable terms may be impacted by a variety of market factors as well as fluctuations in our results of operations.

**In the third quarter of 2023, a portion of the Company's oil, natural gas and NGL sales were negatively impacted due to downstream operational disruptions encountered by third parties we rely on to process our oil and natural gas production. As a result of the disruptions, the Company chose to temporarily shut in its New Mexico field to prevent flaring until volumes could be processed again, with the field returning to normal operating conditions in August. The Company continues to monitor its counterparties' ability to process its production. Management currently estimates that such production shut-ins to date have not resulted in a material adverse effect on the Company's results of operations. The disruption arising from this and similar circumstances may last from a few days to several months and management is unable to forecast the financial impact of any such future disruption; however, at this time, the Company anticipates maintaining full-year average production results.**

For further discussion of risks related to our liquidity and capital resources, **including Risks Related to Our Operations**, see "Item 1A. Risk Factors."

### **Working Capital**

Working capital is the difference in our current assets and our current liabilities. Working capital is an indication of liquidity and potential need for short-term funding. The change in our working capital requirements is driven generally by changes in accounts receivable, accounts payable, commodity prices, credit extended to, and the timing of collections from customers, the level and timing of spending for expansion activity, and the timing of debt maturities.

As of **September 30, 2023** **March 31, 2024**, we had a working capital deficit of **\$40.1** **\$40.9** million compared to a deficit of **\$25.3** **\$31.1** million as of **December 31, 2022** **December 31, 2023**. The current portion of our Senior Notes, which includes our regularly scheduled principal payments of \$5 million per quarter, accounts for \$20 million of our working capital deficit as of **March 31, 2024** and **December 31, 2023**. The working capital deficit at **September 30, 2023** **March 31, 2024** reflects an increase in both current assets and current liabilities due to the New Mexico Acquisition. Current liabilities increased \$20 million for the current portion of our long-term debt from the addition of the Senior Notes during the second quarter of 2023, as well as an increase of approximately \$8.8 million in accounts payable due to timing and an increase in activity due to the New Mexico Acquisition and an increase due to **\$19.1** **\$9.8** million in current derivative liabilities compared to **\$16.5** **\$0.4** million in current derivative liabilities at **December 31, 2022** **December 31, 2023**.

We utilize our Credit Facility and cash on hand to manage the timing of cash flows and fund short-term working capital deficits. Our current derivative assets and liabilities represent the mark-to-market value as of **September 30, 2023** **March 31, 2024** of future commodity production which will settle on a monthly basis through the end of their contractual terms. This aligns with the receipt of oil and natural gas revenues on a monthly basis.

### **Cash Flows**

The following table summarizes the Company's cash flows:

		Three Months Ended March 31,	
		Three Months Ended March 31,	
		Three Months Ended March 31,	
	2024	2024	
	2024	2024	
	(In thousands)	(In thousands)	
	(In thousands)	(In thousands)	
		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
Net cash provided by operating activities		2023	2022
Net cash provided by operating activities		(In thousands)	
<b>Statement of Cash Flows Data:</b>			
Net cash provided by operating activities	Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 141,372	\$ 130,352
Net cash used in investing activities	Net cash used in investing activities	\$ (448,492)	\$ (83,182)
Net cash used in investing activities			
Net cash used in investing activities			

Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	\$ 304,185	\$ (37,579)
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities			
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities			

#### *Operating Activities*

The Company's net cash provided by operating activities increased by \$23.1 million, or 70%, to \$141.4 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2023 from \$130.4 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2022. The increase in net cash provided by operating activities is primarily due to a \$32.7 million increase in operating revenues and lower settlements on derivatives, a \$5.2 million decrease in payments to settle commodity derivative contracts, partially offset by changes in working capital. Prior to changes in certain expenses, including LOE and production and ad valorem taxes and a \$7.1 million increase in working capital, the Company's net cash provided by operating activities was \$151.7 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2023, as compared to \$124.5 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2023, interest paid.

#### *Investing Activities*

The Company's cash flows used in investing activities increased by \$365.3 million to \$448.5 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2023 from \$83.2 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2022. The increase was primarily due to funds

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held in escrow associated with the Company's New Mexico Acquisition of \$325 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2023, with no comparable items partially offset by a \$1.9 million deposit for the nine 2024 NM Asset Acquisition and an increase of \$3.8 million in contributions to the equity method investment in RPC Power for the three months ended September 30, 2022. Additionally, the Company incurred higher capital spending of \$32.2 million related to increased activity during the nine months ended September 30, 2023 compared to the nine months ended September 30, 2022, as a result of having a larger asset base following the New Mexico Acquisition.

#### *Financing Activities*

Net cash flows used in financing activities was \$22.3 million for the three months ended March 31, 2024 compared to net cash flow provided by financing activities were \$304.2 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2023. During the three months ended March 31, 2024, the Company had repayments to its Credit Facility of \$10.0 million and to its Senior Notes of \$5.0 million, compared to net cash flows used in financing activities a draw on its Credit Facility of \$37.6 million for the nine months ended September 30, 2022, used to fund the escrow for the New Mexico Acquisition.

### Credit Facility and Senior Notes

The borrowing base under the Company's Credit Facility was \$375 million with outstanding borrowings of \$175 million on March 31, 2024, representing available borrowing capacity of \$200 million.

On February 22, 2023, the Company amended its Credit Facility to, among other things, allow for the issuance of Senior Notes of up to \$200 million. On April 3, 2023, the Company amended its Credit Facility to, among other things, increase the borrowing base from \$225 million to \$325 million. On November 14, 2023, through the semi-annual redetermination, the Company increased its borrowing base to \$375 million.

During 2023, the Company issued \$200 million in principal amount of Senior Notes with a maturity date of April 2028. The Company's primary financing activities consist of proceeds from the Senior Notes, which were used to finance the New Mexico Acquisition. The principal balance of the following Senior Notes as of March 31, 2024 was \$180 million.

	Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2023	2022
	(In thousands)	
Deferred financing costs	\$ (6,250)	\$ (1,722)
Net proceeds (repayments) from revolving credit facility	\$ 154,000	\$ (17,000)
Proceeds from Senior Notes, net of discount and repayments	\$ 178,000	\$ —
Payment of common share dividends	\$ (20,173)	\$ (18,257)

See further discussion in Note 9 - Long-Term - Long-Term Debt in the notes to the unaudited Company's condensed consolidated financial statements in Part I, Item 1. for a description of the Company's debt agreements included herein.

### Distributions

For the nine three months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024, the Company authorized and declared a quarterly dividend totaling approximately \$20.4 million \$7.3 million, with \$20.2 million \$7.2 million paid in cash and \$0.2 million \$0.1 million payable to restricted shareholders upon vesting.

### Contractual Obligations

As of March 31, 2024, the Company has commitments with its primary midstream counterparty and has purchase commitments totaling \$8.5 million related to its 2024 drilling program. In January 2023, addition, the Company entered into an agreement in 2023 to form a joint venture with Conduit Power LLC. The Company and is committed to contributing its portion of capital expenditures into the joint venture company RPC Power. In conjunction with the formation of the joint venture, the Company and further entered into additional agreements with RPC Power or one of its subsidiaries. These agreements include RPC Power a tolling agreement to commit to providing operational expertise on the implementation and management of the power generation for a monthly fee of \$20 thousand and the Company committing to provide the natural gas needed for the joint venture. The Company has also committed to fuel the onsite power generators a CO<sub>2</sub> purchase agreement for a daily contracted quantity for an initial term that extends through 2028. December 2025. See Note 13 - Commitments and Contingencies for additional information. in our notes to the condensed consolidated financial statements.

### ATM Program

On September 1, 2023, we filed a prospectus supplement relating to an at-the-market equity sales program (ATM) under which we may issue and sell shares of our common stock from time to time up to an aggregate offering price of \$50 million. Actual future sales will depend on a variety of factors including, but not limited to, market conditions, the trading price of our common stock and our capital needs. The Company has no obligation to sell any common units under the ATM and may suspend sales under the ATM at any time. During the three and nine months ended September 30, 2023, we executed sales under our ATM equity sales program of 8,939 shares with proceeds of \$0.3 million, net of approximately \$9 thousand of fees. The Company incurred approximately \$124 thousand of expenses associated with establishing the ATM Program and filing the related prospectus supplement. As of September 30, 2023, \$49.7 million of equity was available for issuance under our ATM program. See Note 10 - Shareholders' Equity for additional information.

### **Critical Accounting Estimates**

The Company's critical accounting policies and estimates are described in "Critical Accounting Estimates" within "Item 7. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" and Note 1 of the Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements in Riley Permian's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2023 ended December 31, 2022. The accounting estimates used in preparing our interim condensed consolidated financial statements for the three and nine months ended September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024 are the same as those described in Riley Permian's Annual Report.

See Note 3 - Summary of Significant Accounting Policies in the Company's consolidated financial statements in "Item 15. Exhibits and Financial Statement Schedules" in Riley Permian's Annual Report for a full discussion of our significant accounting policies.

### **Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk**

Not applicable.

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### **Item 4. Controls and Procedures**

#### **Disclosure Controls and Procedures**

Our management establishes and maintains disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e) under the Exchange Act) that are designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed by us in the reports that we file or submit under the Exchange Act is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the Securities and Exchange Commission's rules and forms. Such information is accumulated and communicated to our management, including our Chief Executive Officer ("CEO" ("CEO")) and Chief Financial Officer ("CFO" ("CFO")), as appropriate, to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure. We evaluated the effectiveness of our disclosure controls and procedures as of September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024, with the participation of our CEO and CFO, as well as other key members of our management. Based on this evaluation, our CEO and CFO concluded that our disclosure controls and procedures were effective as of September 30, 2023 March 31, 2024.

#### **Changes in Internal Control Over Financial Reporting**

There were no changes in our internal control over financial reporting during the three months ended **September 30, 2023** **March 31, 2024** that materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

## PART II. OTHER INFORMATION

### Item 1. Legal Proceedings

From time to time, we may be involved in various legal proceedings and claims in the ordinary course of business. The ultimate outcome of any such proceedings or claims, and any resulting impact on us, cannot be predicted with certainty. The Company believes that the amount of the liability, if any, ultimately incurred with respect to any such proceedings or claims will not have a material adverse effect on our financial condition, liquidity, capital resources, results of operations or cash flows.

Refer to "Part I. Item 3 - Legal Proceedings" of Riley Permian's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended **December 31, 2022** **December 31, 2023**, and "Part I. Item 1. Note 13 - Commitments and Contingencies" in the notes to the unaudited condensed consolidated financial statements set forth in this Quarterly Report **on Form 10-Q** (which is incorporated by reference herein) for additional information.

### Item 1A. Risk Factors

In addition to the information set forth in this Quarterly Report, the risks that are discussed in the Company's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended **December 31, 2022** **December 31, 2023**, under the headings "Part I. Item 1. and Item 2. Business and Properties," "Part II. Item 7. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" and "Part II. Item 1A. Risk Factors," should be carefully considered, as such risks could materially affect the Company's business, financial condition or future results. **Except as set forth below, there has been no material change in the Company's risk factors from those that were described in the Company's 2022 2023 Annual Report on Form 10-K.**

#### Risks Relating to Our Operations

### Item 2. Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities and Use of Proceeds

#### *Issuer Repurchases of Equity Securities*

Our **drilling and production programs** **may** common stock repurchase activity during the first quarter of 2024 was as follows:

Month Ended	Total Number of Shares		Publicly Announced Plan or Programs	Programs	Maximum Number (or
	Purchased <sup>(1)</sup>	Average Price Paid per Share			Approximate Dollar Value of Shares that May Yet Be Purchased Under the Plan or Programs
January 31	4,440	\$ 23.05	—	—	—
February 29	152	\$ 22.48	—	—	—
March 31	—	\$ —	—	—	—

(1) These amounts reflect the shares received by us from employees for the payment of personal income tax withholding on vesting transactions. The acquisition of the surrendered shares was not be able part of a publicly announced program to obtain access on commercially reasonable terms or otherwise to truck transportation, pipelines, gas gathering, transmission, storage and processing facilities to market our oil and natural gas production, certain of which we do not control, and our initiatives to expand our access to midstream and operational infrastructure may be unsuccessful.

The marketing of oil and natural gas production depends in large part on the capacity and availability of pipelines and storage facilities, trucks, gas gathering systems and other transportation, processing and refining facilities. Access to such facilities is, in many respects, beyond our control. If these facilities are unavailable to us on commercially reasonable terms or otherwise (either temporarily or long term), we could be forced to shut in some production or delay or discontinue drilling plans and commercial production following a discovery of hydrocarbons, as was the case in July and August 2023, when our producing wells in the Red Lake field in New Mexico were shut in due to an unexpected maintenance issue with our third party processing plant. We rely (and expect to rely in the future) on facilities developed and owned by third parties in order to store, process, transmit, and sell our oil and natural gas production. Our plans to develop and sell our oil and natural gas reserves, the expected results repurchase shares of our drilling program and our cash flow and results of operations could be materially and adversely affected common stock. Any shares repurchased by the inability or unwillingness of third parties to provide sufficient facilities and services to us on commercially reasonable terms or otherwise. The amount of oil and natural gas that can be produced is subject to limitation in certain circumstances, such as pipeline interruptions due to scheduled and unscheduled maintenance, excessive pressure, damage to the gathering, transportation, refining or processing facilities, or lack of capacity on such facilities. For example, increases in activity in the Permian Basin could contribute to bottlenecks in processing and transportation that may negatively affect our results of operations, and these adverse effects could be disproportionately severe to us compared to our more geographically diverse competitors. Company for personal tax withholdings are immediately retired upon repurchase.

Similarly, the concentration of our assets within a small number of producing formations exposes us to risks, such as changes in field-wide rules, which could adversely affect development activities or production relating to those formations. In addition, in areas where exploration and production activities are increasing, as has been the case in recent years in the Permian Basin, we are subject to increasing competition for drilling rigs, oilfield equipment, services, supplies and qualified personnel, which may lead to periodic shortages or delays. The curtailments arising from these and similar circumstances may last from a few days to several months, and in many cases, we may be provided only limited, if any, notice as to when these circumstances will arise and their duration.

While we have undertaken initiatives to expand our access to midstream and operational infrastructure, these initiatives may be delayed or unsuccessful. As a result, our business, financial condition, and results of operations could be adversely affected.

## Item 5. Other Information

None. During the quarter ended March 31, 2024, none of our directors or officers (as defined in Rule 16a-1(f) of the Exchange Act) adopted or terminated a "Rule 10b5-1 trading arrangement" or "non-Rule 10b5-1 trading arrangement," as each term is defined in Item 408 of Regulation S-K.

## Item 6. Exhibits

Exhibit Number	Description
<a href="#">3.1</a>	First Amended and Restated Certificate of Incorporation of Riley Exploration Permian, Inc. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.1 to the Registrant's Registration Statement on Form S-8 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 1, 2021, Registration No. 333-253750).
<a href="#">4.13.2</a>	Third Amended and Restated Bylaws of Riley Exploration Permian, Inc. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to the Registrant's Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on September 23, 2022).
<a href="#">4.1</a>	Description of Registrant's Securities (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.1 to the Registrant's Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2023 filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 6, 2024).
<a href="#">4.2</a>	Note Purchase Agreement, <del>dates</del> dated as of April 3, 2023, among Riley Exploration - Permian, LLC, as Issuer, Riley Exploration Permian, Inc., as Parent, each of the subsidiaries of the Issuer party thereto as guarantors, each of the holders from time to time party thereto, and U.S. Bank Trust Company, National Association, as agent for the holders (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 4.1 to the Registrant's Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 4, 2023).
<a href="#">31.1*</a>	Certification of Chief Executive Officer pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
<a href="#">31.2*</a>	Certification of Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
<a href="#">32.1*</a>	Certification of Chief Executive Officer pursuant to 18 U.S.C., Section 1350 as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
<a href="#">32.2*</a>	Certification of Chief Financial Officer pursuant to 18 U.S.C., Section 1350 as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
101.INS*	XBRL Instance Document
101.SCH*	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Document
101.CAL*	XBRL Taxonomy Calculation Linkbase Document
101.DEF*	XBRL Taxonomy Definition Linkbase Document
101.LAB*	XBRL Taxonomy Label Linkbase Document
101.PRE*	XBRL Taxonomy Presentation Linkbase Document

\* Filed herewith.

† Compensatory plan or arrangement.

## SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

RILEY EXPLORATION PERMIAN, INC.

Date: November 7, 2023 May 8, 2024

By: /s/ Bobby D. Riley

Bobby D. Riley

Chief Executive Officer and President

By: /s/ Philip Riley

Philip Riley

Chief Financial Officer and Executive Vice President of  
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Exhibit 31.1

**CERTIFICATION**

I, Bobby D. Riley, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q of Riley Exploration Permian, Inc. for the ~~quarter~~year ended ~~September 30, 2023~~March 31, 2024.
2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
4. The registrant's other certifying officers and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:
  - (a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
  - (b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and

the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;

(c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and

(d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and

5. The registrant's other certifying officers and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):

(a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and

(b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Dated: November 7, 2023 May 8, 2024  
By: /s/ Bobby D. Riley  
Bobby D. Riley  
Chief Executive Officer and  
President

**Exhibit 31.2**

#### **CERTIFICATION**

I, Philip Riley, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q of Riley Exploration Permian, Inc. for the quarteryear ended September 30, 2023March 31, 2024.

2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;

3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;

4. The registrant's other certifying officers and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and have:

(a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;

(b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;

(c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and

(d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and

5. The registrant's other certifying officers and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):

(a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and

(b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Dated: **November 7, 2023** **May 8, 2024**

By: **/s/ Philip Riley**

**Philip Riley**

**Chief Financial Officer and  
Executive Vice President of  
Strategy**

**Exhibit 32.1**

**CERTIFICATION**

Pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 I hereby certify that:

I have reviewed the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q of Riley Exploration Permian, Inc. (the "Company") for the quarter year ended **September 30, 2023** **March 31, 2024** (the "Report").

To the best of my knowledge the Report (i) fully complies with the requirements of section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78m (a) or 78o (d)); and, (ii) the information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

Dated: **November 7, 2023** **May 8, 2024**

By: **/s/ Bobby D. Riley**

**Bobby D. Riley**

**Chief Executive Officer and  
President**

**Exhibit 32.2**

**CERTIFICATION**

Pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 I hereby certify that:

I have reviewed the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q of Riley Exploration Permian, Inc. (the "Company") for the quarter year ended **September 30, 2023** **March 31, 2024** (the "Report").

To the best of my knowledge the Report (i) fully complies with the requirements of section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78m (a) or 78o (d)); and, (ii) the information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

Dated: **November 7, 2023** **May 8, 2024**

By: **/s/ Philip Riley**

**Philip Riley**

**Chief Financial Officer and  
Executive Vice President of  
Strategy**

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