

# 2016 MLPA

#### Master Limited Partnership Investor Conference



## **Forward-Looking Statements**



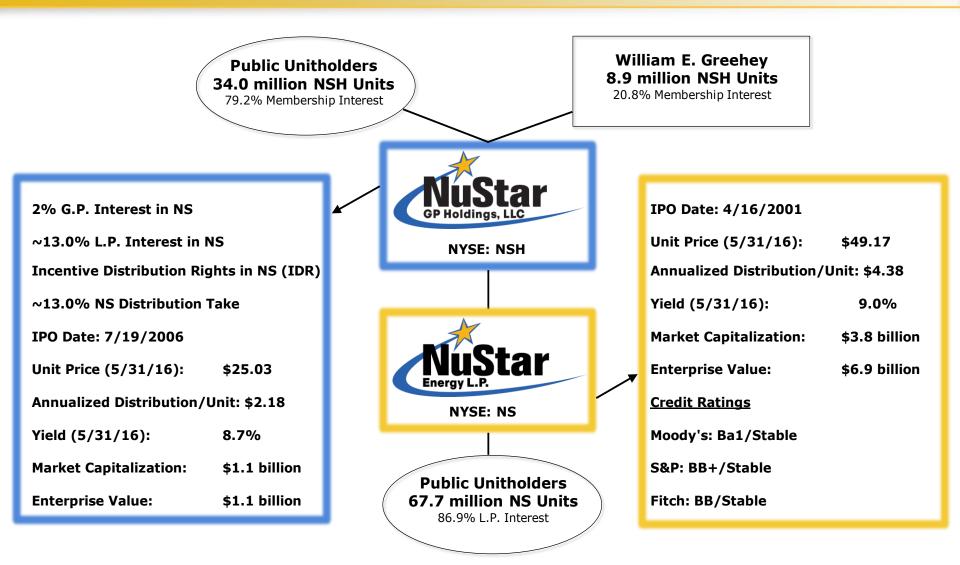
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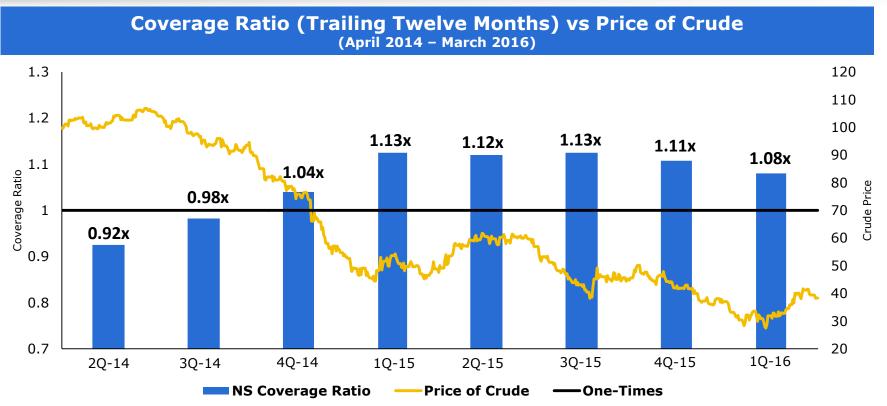


# **Two Publicly Traded Companies**



## Resilient and Strong Core Operations, No Matter the Price of a Barrel of Crude

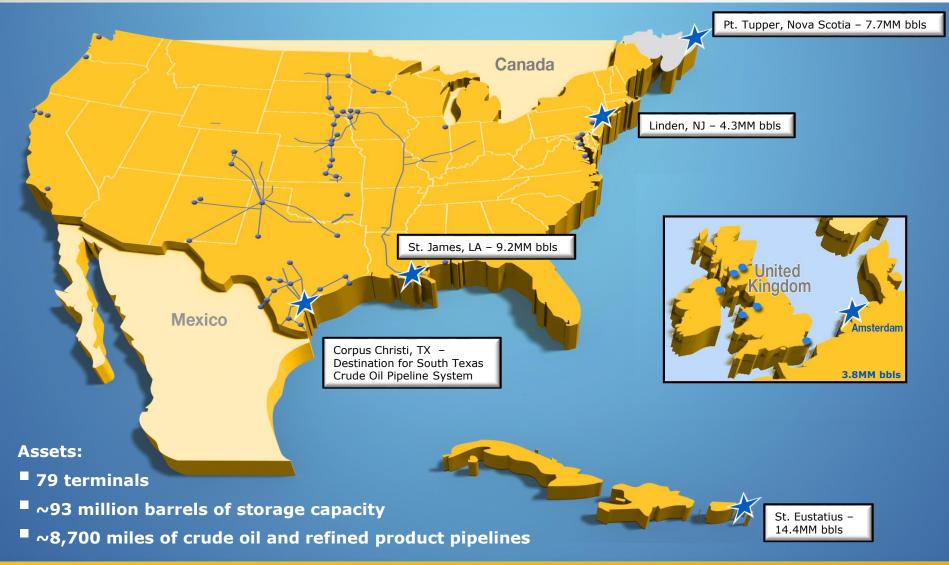




- Although valuations of some MLPs have de-coupled from crude prices we still believe that our valuation does not yet reflect our solid financial results, stable cash flow and overall stability and strength of our business
- Total unitholder return since recent low on January 20, 2016 +97%<sup>1</sup>, however still down -17%<sup>1</sup> from last year's high on April 30, 2015.

## Large and Diverse Geographic Footprint with Assets in Key Locations

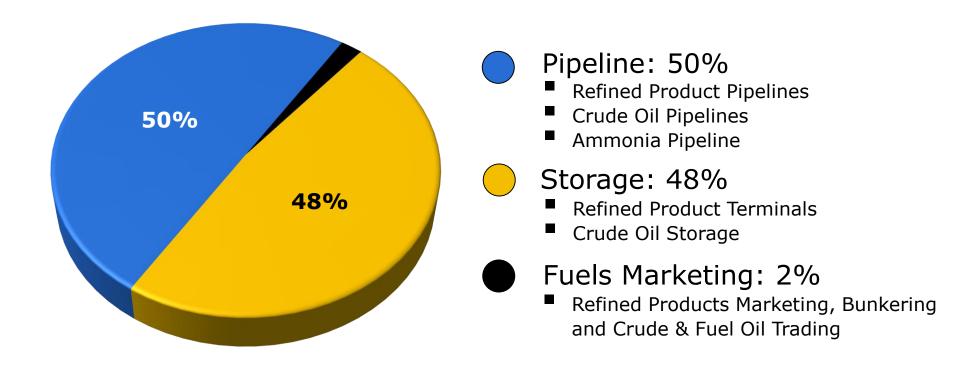




#### Majority of Segment EBITDA Generated by Fee-Based Pipeline and Storage Segments



#### Percentage of 2015 Segment EBITDA (for the year ended 12/31/15)

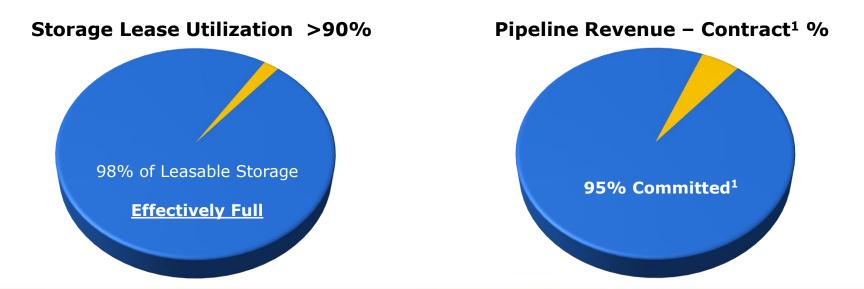


Pipeline and Storage segments account for about 98% of 2015 segment EBITDA

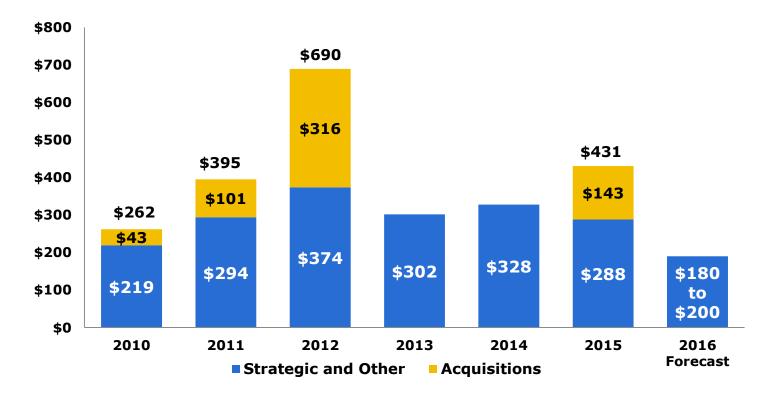
#### Building on Our Strengths - Stable, Diversified Business Foundation for Future Growth



- Contracted fee-based storage and pipeline assets provide stable cash flows
  - Storage terminals effectively full
  - ~75% of pipeline revenues are demand-pull based on refinery/fertilizer plant feedstock supply or refinery production delivery
  - ~25% of pipeline revenues are Eagle Ford volumes to area refineries or Corpus Christi, TX docks
- ~95% of tariffs are FERC-based, which are adjusted annually for inflation
- Diverse and high-quality customer base composed of large integrated oil companies, national oil companies and refiners



#### Expect ~\$180 to \$200 Million of Strategic Spending in 2016 (Dollars in Millions)



- Initial 2016 forecast reduced by approximately 50% moving forward with best and highest return projects
- 2016 Total Capital Spending, which includes Reliability Capital, is expected to be in the range of \$215 to \$245 million in 2016

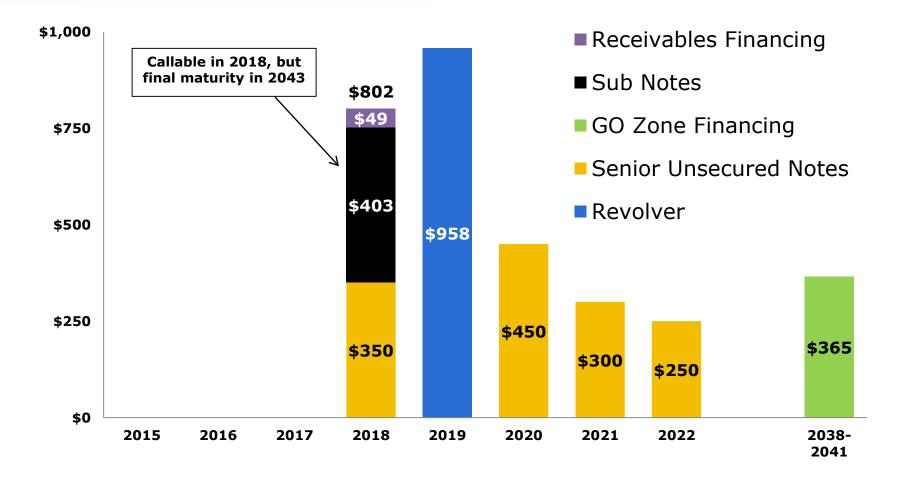
### Pursuing Pipeline and Storage Opportunities





#### No Debt Maturities until 2018 (LTD Maturity Profile as of March 31, 2016, Dollars in Millions)





Long-term Debt structure 55% fixed rate – 45% variable rate

# Pipeline Segment

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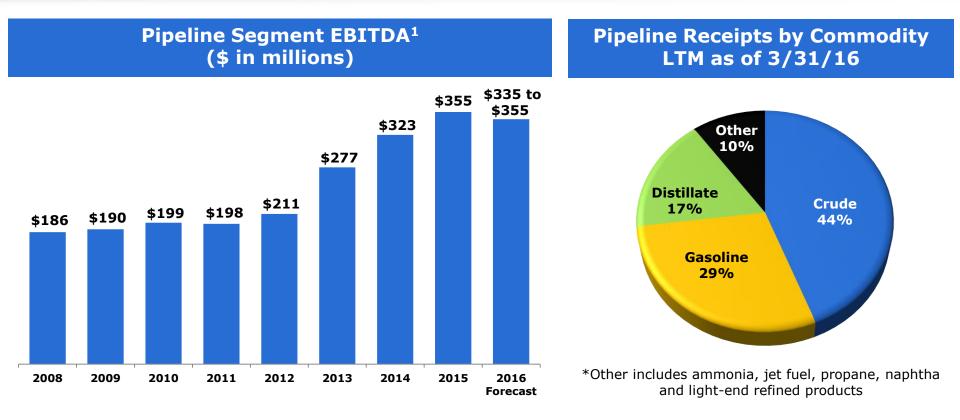
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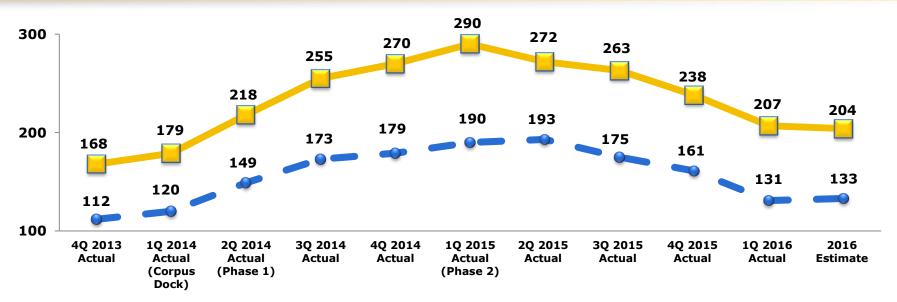
# **Pipeline Segment Overview**





2016 segment EBITDA should be lower than 2015 as we expect increased volumes on our refined product pipelines to be offset by lower projected Eagle Ford crude volumes.

## Throughputs in NuStar's South Texas Crude Oil Pipeline System



Total Eagle Ford Throughputs - Avg. Daily Throughputs (MBPD), Includes South Texas Crude Oil Pipeline System Throughputs

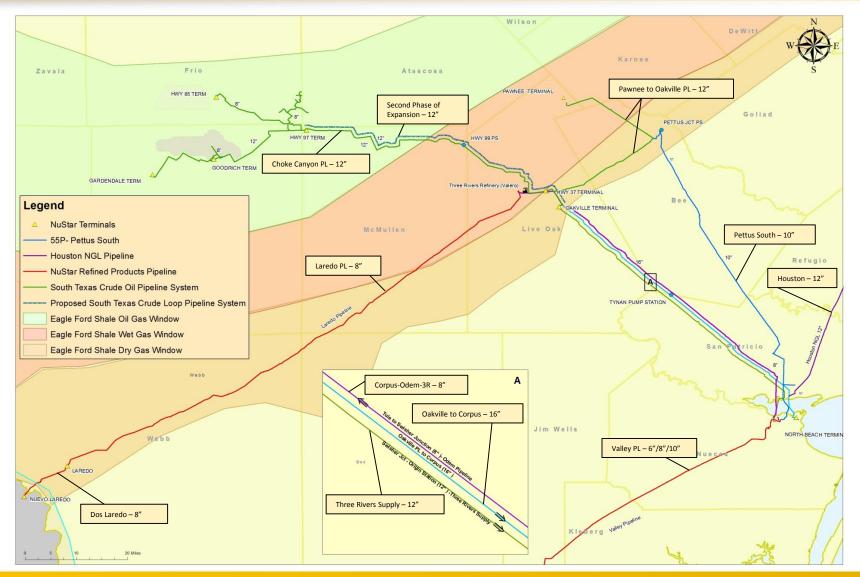
South Texas Crude Oil Pipeline System Throughputs into our Corpus Christi North Beach Terminal - Avg. Daily Throughputs (MBPD)

#### South Texas Crude Oil Pipeline System:

- 2016 guidance at contractual minimums, upside potential with a crude oil price recovery
- Throughput and deficiency agreements with strong, credit-worthy, investment grade customers
- Earliest renewal in 3Q 2018 (2-7 years remaining on all contracts)

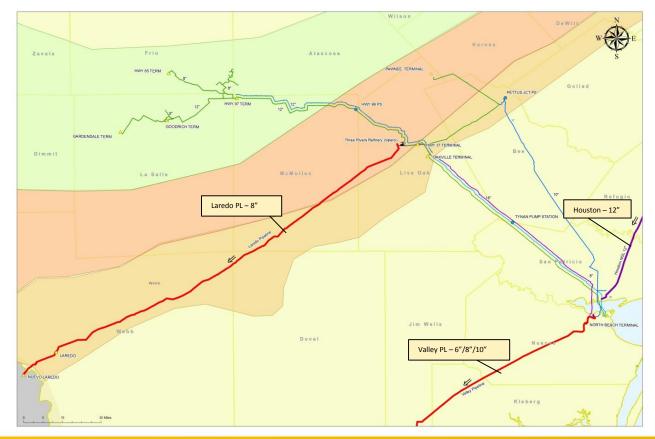
### NuStar's South Texas Pipeline Presence





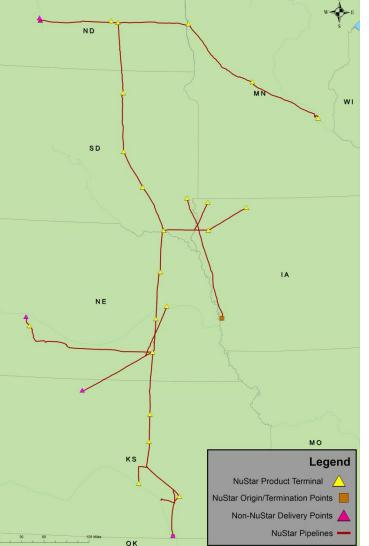
Working with Pemex to Develop Project to Transport LPGs and Refined Products from the U.S. Into Northern Mexico

- Delays due to organizational changes within Pemex
- Originally planned \$125 million spend in 2016. Due to project delay, spending reduced to about \$10 million in 2016
- Project now expected to be complete in late 2017



### NuStar Expanding Mid-Continent Pipeline and Terminal Network

- Several projects have been completed or are under development with a key customer to increase distillate and propane supply throughout the Upper Midwest for an investment of approximately \$70 million
- Capital investments to be backed by longterm agreements
- Propane supply projects complete and in service.
- Construction on remaining projects should be completed by the fourth quarter of 2017
- Expect EBITDA multiple in the 4-6x range



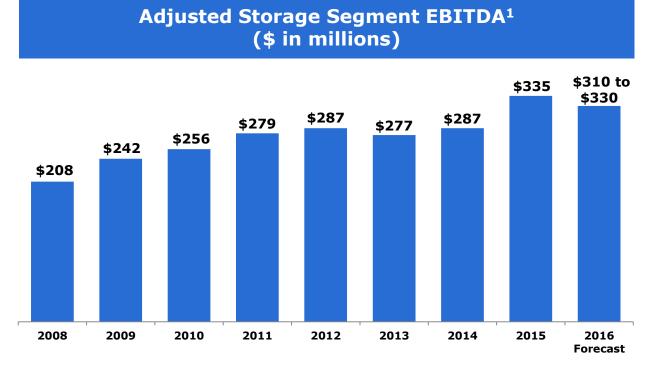


# Storage Segment



# **Storage Segment Overview**





2016 segment EBITDA expected to decrease compared to 2015 as the benefit from higher renewal rates and increased utilization should be more than offset by lower expected Eagle Ford throughput volumes into our Corpus Christi North Beach as a result of decreased Eagle Ford shale production.

• A number of contracts expiring in 2016 have upside potential not yet reflected in our EBITDA guidance above.

### **Piney Point Terminal Back in Service**



- Piney Point Terminal
  - **5.4** million-barrel storage facility located in Piney Point, Maryland, along the Potomac River
  - Primary storage capabilities include gasoline, distillates and other clean products
  - Reactivated due to favorable market economics
- Recently signed up storage commitments for 1.1 million barrels
  - Contract allows customer to take advantage of the contango market structure
  - First delivery of 189,000 barrels of ULSD arrived on April 21, 2016





# **Fuels Marketing Segment**



# Fuels Marketing Segment Benefits Base Business



- Segment is composed of:
  - Refined Products Marketing
    - Primarily butane blending, which is a consistent and low risk business
  - Bunkering
  - Crude & Fuel Oil Trading
- Fuels Marketing Segment currently pays Storage Segment approximately \$26 million in annual storage fees
  - For storage otherwise idled or with challenging economics/locale
  - Represents around 4% of Storage Segment revenues
- 2016 EBITDA results for the segment are expected to be \$15 to \$35 million<sup>1</sup>



#### Capital Structure (as of March 31, 2016, Dollars in Millions)



\$1.5 billion Credit Facility	\$958
NuStar Logistics Notes (4.75%)	250
NuStar Logistics Notes (4.80%)	450
NuStar Logistics Notes (6.75%)	300
NuStar Logistics Notes (7.65%)	350
NuStar Logistics Sub Notes (7.625%)	403
GO Zone Bonds	365
Receivables Financing	49
Net unamortized discount and	
fair value adjustments	24
Deferred Debt	(23)
Total Long-term Debt	\$3,126
Total Short-term Debt	81
Total Partners' Equity	<u>1,557</u>
Total Capitalization	\$4,764

Availability under \$1.5 billion Credit Facility (as of March 31, 2016): ~\$523 million

\$958 million in borrowings and \$19 million in Letters of Credit outstanding

Debt to EBITDA calculation per Credit Facility of 4.6x (as of March 31, 2016)

#### Reconciliation of Non-GAAP Financial Information



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NuStar Energy L.P. utilizes financial measures, earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA) from continuing operations, distributable cash flow (DCF) from continuing operations, DCF from continuing operations per unit, adjusted net income and adjusted net income per unit (EPU), which are not defined in U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP). Management uses these financial measures because they are widely accepted financial indicators used by investors to compare partnership performance. In addition, management believes that these measures provide investors an enhanced perspective of the operating performance of the partnership's assets and the cash that the business is generating. None of EBITDA from continuing operations, DCF from continuing operations, DCF from continuing operations, DCF from continuing operations, DCF from continuing operations. They should not be considered in isolation or as substitutes for a measure of performance prepared in accordance with GAAP. For purposes of segment reporting, we do not allocate general and administrative expenses to our reported operating segments because those expenses relate primarily to the overall management at the entity level. Therefore, EBITDA reflected in the segment reconciliations exclude any allocation of general and administrative expenses consistent with our policy for determining segmental operating income, the most directly comparable GAAP measure

The following is a reconciliation of operating income to EBITDA for the pipeline segment:

	Year Ended December 31,												
		2008		2009		2010		2011		2012	2013	2014	2015
Operating income	\$	135,086	\$	139,869	\$	148,571	\$	146,403	\$	158,590	\$ 208,293	\$ 245,233	\$ 270,349
Plus depreciation and amortization expense		50,749		50,528		50,617		51,165		52,878	68,871	77,691	84,951
EBITDA	\$	185,835	\$	190,397	\$	199,188	\$	197,568	\$	211,468	\$ 277,164	\$ 322,924	\$ 355,300

The following is a reconciliation of operating income (loss) to EBITDA for the storage segment:

	Year Ended December 31,												
		2008		2009		2010		2011	2012	2013	2014		2015
Operating income (loss)	\$	141,079	\$	171,245	\$	178,947	\$	196,508	\$ 198,842	\$ (127,484)	\$ 183,104	\$	217,818
Plus depreciation and amortization expense		66,706		70,888		77,071		82,921	88,217	99,868	103,848		116,768
EBITDA	\$	207,785	\$	242,133	\$	256,018	\$	279,429	\$ 287,059	\$ (27,616)	\$ 286,952	\$	334,586
Impact from non-cash charges										304,453			
Adjusted EBITDA										\$ 276,837			

The following is a reconciliation of projected operating income to projected EBITDA for the year ended December 31, 2016:

	Pipeline Segment	Storage Segment	Segment
Projected operating income	\$ 250,000 - 265,000	\$ 195,000 - 210,000	\$ 15,000 - 35,000
Plus projected depreciation and amortization expense	85,000 - 90,000	115,000 - 120,000	-
Projected EBITDA	\$ 335,000 - 355,000	\$ 310,000 - 330,000	\$ 15,000 - 35,000

Fuels Marketing