

Investor Trading Update Q2 2021/22



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Q2 Revenue Account Summary

- Strong financial performance to date with operating margin of 29% and projected surplus £4m above budget
- All covenants and Board-set golden rules met (YTD and projected)
- The good YTD operational performance results from low void rates (YTD – 0.58%) and lower than expected repairs costs to date (external contractors experiencing supply chain issues)
- Projected results benefit from strong sales of assets (projection is £3m above budget), however, due to lower than budgeted care income, operating surplus is projected at 24%, although this is considered a conservative forecast



2021/22 2021/22 O2 Projected

		Q2 Projected	
<i>Statement of Comprehensive Income</i> Total Income	£'000	48,643	97,389
Social Housing Lettings Turnover	£'000	38,890	76,844
% of Total Income from SHL	%	80%	79%
Sales of Assets Turnover	£'000	3,536	8,751
% of Total Income from Sales Activities	%	7%	9%
Care Activities Turnover	£'000	3,108	6,113
% of Total Income from Care Activities	%	6%	6%
Other Activities Turnover	£'000	3,109	5,681
% of Total Income from Other Activities	%	6%	6%
Operating Surplus	£'000	14,096	23,120
Operating Margin	%	29%	24%
Total Surplus	£'000	8,581	12,107
Total Margin	%	18%	12%
Key Financial Ratios			
EBITDA MRI interest coverage - Annual (projected)	Times		2.15x
Gearing - Current	%	65%	

Q2 Debt & Liquidity Summary

- Wrekin's liquidity position remains strong with access to liquid funds of over £120m and £25m retained bonds
- Work is ongoing to prepare unencumbered assets for charge (1,016 homes), but current drawn funds are adequately covered by charged properties and cash on deposit
- Cash generation is positive with £18m being generated from £14m operating surplus, helping to fund development activity and financing costs
- Cash flow projections show that current agreed facilities are sufficient to fund the Group's development plans through to 2025



		2021/22
		Q2
Liquidity & Debt		
Drawn Debt	£'000	479,000
Undrawn Debt	£'000	127,000
Cash	£'000	25,759
Total WHG owned and managed properties	Homes	13,091
Unencumbered security	Homes	1,016
YTD Cash flow from Operating Activities	£'000	18,169
Cash conversion ratio		1:1.29
Being the amount of Operating Surplus that translates into Cash	Flow from Operating	g Activities
Average cost of funds	%	3.13%
Gearing	%	65%
Debt to Revenue (projected full year)	Times	4.92

Q2 Development Summary

- Development delivery continues to meet business plan forecasts, with 128 delivered by Q2 and 480 new homes projected for 2021/22
- Shared ownership sales are at a comparatively low level (£1m YTD), reducing risk for the Group, and no further projections are made in order to ensure any new homes can be financially viable as rented social housing
- The Asset Renewal Programme continues to subsidise development activity with 27 sales an a number of deposits to date, and 101 projected for the year
- The sales have attracted higher than budgeted market values (£95k per home inc deposits v budget of £55k), thus reducing the Group's reliance on grant funding and debt financing to fund new delivery



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Development & Asset Sales			
New homes completed	Number	128	480
Net development spend	£'000	19,199	41,895
Shared ownership sales	Number	14	
Homes unsold	Number	5	
Homes unsold for longer than 6 months	Number	0	
Asset Renewal Sales	Number	27	101
Asset Renewal Sales income	£'000	2,576	7,790
Average sales value per home	£'000	<i>9</i> 5	77



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