

MD&A

MANAGEMENT DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

FOURTH QUARTER 2020 DECEMBER 31, 2020



FORWARD LOOKING STATEMENTS

The following management's discussion and analysis ("MD&A") of the financial condition and results of operations of Firm Capital Apartment Real Estate Investment Trust ("FCA" or the "Trust") should be read in conjunction with the Trust's audited consolidated financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2020 and December 31, 2019. All disclosures including tables presented herein, related to an interim period are unaudited. This MD&A has been prepared taking into account material transactions and events up to and including March 10, 2021. Additional information about the Trust, including the Trust's Annual Information Form, required by NI 51-102, has been filed with applicable Canadian securities regulatory authorities and is available at www.sedar.com or on our web site at www.firmcapital.com.

Certain information included in this MD&A contains forward-looking statements within the meaning of applicable securities laws including, among others, statements concerning our 2021 objectives and our strategies to achieve those objectives, as well as statements with respect to management's beliefs, estimates, and intentions, and similar statements concerning anticipated future events, results, circumstances, performance or expectations that are not historical facts. Forward-looking statements generally can be identified by the use of forward-looking terminology such as "outlook", "objective", "may", "will", "expect", "intent", "estimate", "anticipate", "believe", "should", "plans" or "continue" or similar expressions suggesting future outcomes or events. Such forward-looking statements reflect management's current beliefs and are based on information currently available to management.

These statements are not guarantees of future performance and are based on our estimates and assumptions that are subject to risks and uncertainties, including those described below in this MD&A under Risks and Uncertainties, which could cause our actual results to differ materially from the forward-looking statements contained in this MD&A. Such risk factors include, but are not limited to, risks associated with real property ownership, availability of cash flow, general uninsured losses, future property acquisitions, environmental matters, tax related matters, debt financing, unitholder liability, potential conflicts of interest, potential dilution, reliance on key personnel, changes in legislation and changes in the income tax act. The Trust cannot assure investors that actual results will be consistent with any forward-looking statements and the Trust assumes no obligation to update or revise such forward-looking statements to reflect actual events or new circumstances. All forward-looking statements contained in this MD&A are qualified by this cautionary statement. Although the forward-looking information contained in this MD&A is based upon what management believes are reasonable assumptions, there can be no assurance that actual results will be consistent with these forward-looking statements.

All forward-looking statements in this MD&A are qualified by these cautionary statements. Except as required by applicable law, the Trust undertakes no obligation to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise.

TRUST NAME CHANGE: CORPORATE REORGANIZATION AND NAME CHANGE

On January 1, 2020, the Trust completed its plan of arrangement (the "Arrangement") to convert Firm Capital American Realty Partners Corp (the "Corporation") into a Real Estate Investment Trust and began trading under symbols FCA.U and FCA.UN. Under the terms of the Arrangement, each outstanding common share of the Corporation was exchanged for one unit of the Trust. Accordingly, references to historical results and transactions will reference the Corporation while forward looking statements will reference the Trust. On September 22, 2020, to more reflect the investment activities of the Trust and its focus on multi-residential investments, the Board of Trustees has approved a name change to "Firm Capital Apartment Real Estate Investment Trust".

The Trust is a U.S. focused real estate investment entity that pursues real estate and debt investments through the following platforms:

• Income Producing Real Estate Investments:

- Core Markets Wholly Owned Investments: The Trust is focused on growing its
 wholly owned multi-residential property portfolio in large core markets with
 attention to cities located in Texas, Florida, New Jersey, North and South
 Carolina, Colorado, Georgia and New York.
- Core and Non-Core Markets: Joint Venture Investments: The Trust will also purchase in both core and non-core markets where it lacks knowledge or experience, partial ownership interests in multi-residential properties with industry leaders as partners. These partners bring both expertise in operations and knowledge, especially in non-core markets. The Trust strives to have a minimum 50% ownership interest and will fund the equity in a combined preferred/common equity investment structure. The preferred equity provides a fixed rate of return for investors in the Trust, resulting in a secured structure ahead of the partners ownership interest, while the common equity provides investors an upside return for investors as the investment meets its targeted objectives.
- Mortgage Debt Investments: The Trust, using Firm Capital's 30-year plus experience
 as a leader in the mortgage lending industry, provides bridge lending of mortgage and
 preferred capital secured by residential/multi-residential properties.

BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The Trust has adopted International Financial Reporting Standards ("**IFRS**"), as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board as its basis of financial reporting. The Trust's reporting currency is the US dollar ("**USD**") and all amounts reported in this MD&A are in USD, unless otherwise noted.

Certain financial information presented in this MD&A reflects non-IFRS financial measures including Net Rental Income, Funds From Operations ("FFO") and Adjusted Funds From Operations ("AFFO"), Adjusted FFO, Adjusted AFFO, Adjusted FFO Payout Ratio and Adjusted FFO Payout Ratio (each as defined below). These measures are commonly used by real estate investment companies as useful metrics for measuring performance, however, they do not have any standardized meaning prescribed by IFRS and are not necessarily comparable to similar measures presented by other real estate investment companies. The Trust believes that FFO and Adjusted FFO are important measures to evaluate operating performance, AFFO and Adjusted AFFO are important measures of cash available for distribution and, Net Rental Income is an important measure of operating performance. "GAAP" means generally accepted accounting principles described by the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada ("CPA") Handbook - Accounting, which are applicable as at the date on which any calculation using GAAP is to be made. As a public entity, the Trust applies IFRS as described in Part I of the CPA Handbook - Accounting.

Occupancy rate represents the total number of units leased as a percentage of the total number of units owned. Leased properties consist solely of those units that are occupied by a tenant at the given date.

Net Rental Income is a term used by industry analysts, investors, and management to measure operating performance of Canadian real estate investment companies. Net Rental Income represents rental revenue from properties less repairs and maintenance, insurance, utilities, property management, property taxes, bad debt, and other property operating costs. Net Rental Income excludes certain expenses included in the determination of net income such as interest, amortization, corporate overhead and taxes.

Net income (loss) before other income (expenses) is a measure that the Trust uses in order to present the key operations and administration of the Trust, excluding certain items. Items that are excluded from this total and are presented in other income (expenses) include transaction costs, foreign exchange gain (loss), fair value adjustments of investment properties, gain (loss) on dispositions, fair value gain (loss) on derivative financial instruments and unit-based compensation.

FFO is a term used to evaluate operating performance, but is not indicative of funds available to meet the Trust's cash requirements. The Trust calculates FFO substantially in accordance with the guidelines set out by the Real Property Association of Canada ("RealPAC"), for entities adopting IFRS. FFO is defined as net income before fair value gains/losses on real estate properties, gains/losses on the disposition of real estate properties, deferred income taxes, and certain other non-cash adjustments.

AFFO is a term used as a non-IFRS financial measure by most Canadian real estate investment companies but should not be considered as an alternative to net income, cash flows from operations, or any other measure prescribed under IFRS. The Trust considers AFFO to be a useful measure of cash available for distributions. AFFO should not be interpreted as an indicator of cash generated from operating activities, as it does not consider changes in working capital and includes a deduction for capital expenditures. AFFO is defined as FFO adjusted for (i) adding back amortization of deferred financing costs in place at closing (ii) deducting capital expenditures, and (iii) making such other adjustments as may be determined by the trustees of the Trust at their discretion. In addition, the Trust calculates AFFO by adjusting Net Income calculated on the Trust's consolidated financial statements for all changes in non-cash working capital and making such other adjustments as may be determined by the directors of the Trust at their discretion.

Net Income/(Loss) Before Other Income/(Expenses), Net Rental Income, FFO and AFFO should not be construed as alternatives to net income or cash flow from operating activities determined in accordance with IFRS. Net Rental Income, FFO and AFFO, are not intended to represent operating profits for the period, or from a property, nor should any of these measures be viewed as an alternative to net income, cash flow from operating activities or other measures of financial performance calculated in accordance with IFRS. Readers should be further cautioned that Net Rental Income, FFO and AFFO as calculated by the Trust may not be comparable to similar measures presented by other real estate companies.

ATTRACTIVE VALUATION RELATIVE TO PEERS

Based on the current trading price of \$6.15 per Trust Unit, the Trust trades at a 38% discount to its NAV of \$9.84 per Trust Unit and has one of the highest distribution yields of 3.8%, in the Multi-Residential REIT sector, while maintaining a conservative 75% AFFO Payout Ratio.

EARNINGS

- For the three months ended December 31, 2020, Net Income was approximately \$2.5 million, in comparison to the \$3.5 million reported for the three months ended December 31, 2019. For the year ended December 31, 2020, Net Income was \$5.6 million in comparison to the \$7.1 million reported for the year ended December 31, 2019. For the year ended December 31, 2020, excluding Fair Value Adjustments, Net Income was \$2.0 million, in comparison to the \$1.2 million reported for the year ended December 31, 2019;
- For the three months ended December 31, 2020, AFFO was approximately \$0.6 million, an increase compared to the \$0.2 million reported for the three months ended December 31, 2019. For the year ended December 31, 2020, AFFO was \$2.0 million, a 16% increase compared to the \$1.7 million reported for the year ended December 31, 2019;
- Results for the three months and year ended December 31, 2020 are as follows:

	•	Three Mor	nth	s Ended	_1	welve Mon	th	s Ended
		Dec 31,		Dec 31,		Dec 31,		Dec 31,
		2020		2019		2020		2019
Net Income	\$ 2	2,471,888	\$	3,514,541	\$	5,604,354	\$	7,055,862
FFO	\$	468,125	\$	8,611	\$	4,739,715	\$	1,394,335
AFFO	\$	616,601	\$	202,342	\$	2,013,423	\$	1,731,910
Distributions	\$	455,170	\$	409,183	\$	1,911,984	\$	1,636,731
FFO Per Unit	\$	0.06	\$	0.00	\$	0.60	\$	0.20
AFFO Per Unit	\$	0.08	\$	0.03	\$	0.26	\$	0.25
Distributions Per Unit	\$	0.06	\$	0.06	\$	0.24	\$	0.24
AFFO Payout Ratio		74%		202%		95%		95%

• 93% RENT COLLECTIONS:

Since the beginning of Q4/2020, the Trust has received approximately 93% of its expected rent and is actively either collecting the remaining rent or working with tenants who require assistance;

• 100% RETURN OF CAPITAL ON 2020 DISTRIBUTIONS:

The Trust's distributions for 2020 were tax efficient to unitholders as it delivered a 100% return of capital. The 100% return of capital is in excess of the 85% projected when the Trust converted from a Corporation at the beginning of 2020;

• INCREASED NAV BY 13% CAGR TO \$9.84 PER TRUST UNIT:

Since Q3/2017, the Trust has increased NAV from \$7.85 per Trust Unit to \$9.84 per Trust Unit for a +13% Compounded Annual Growth Rate ("CAGR");

• \$21.6 MILLION BRONX, NY MORTGAGE REFINANCING:

On February 25, 2021, the first mortgage on the Bronx, NY joint venture was refinanced for gross proceeds of \$21.6 million. With the \$3.6 million net proceeds received from the refinance and the \$1.6 million of capital contributed by Common Shareholders, the Preferred Equity was repaid in full. The mortgage is a 3.51%, \$21.6 million first mortgage with a 12-year term amortizing over 30 years.

• ACCRETIVE \$38 MILLION ACQUISITION:

On September 22, 2020, the Trust closed an equity accounted and preferred investment to acquire a 235 unit multi-family residential portfolio located in Hyattsvile, MD (the "North Pointe Acquistion"). The purchase price for 100% of the North Point Acquistion was \$40.5 million (including transaction costs). The North Pointe Acquistion was financed, in part with a \$29.7 million, 3.0% first mortgage due on September 21, 2024. The Trust contributed \$4.0 million of preferred equity yielding 8% and \$3.4 million of common equity representing a 50% ownership interest in the investment;

SALE OF BRIDGEPORT, CT JOINT VENTURE

On December 23, 2020, the Trust completed a sale of its interest in fourteen multifamily buildings located in Bridgeport, Connecticut to its joint venture partner (the "**Bridgeport Sale**"). The Trust received net proceeds of approximately \$4.5 million from the Bridgeport Sale consisting of a repayment of its preferred equity (inclusive of accrued interest) of \$2.8 million and \$1.7 million of common equity, respectively;

ACCRETIVE TRUST UNIT REDEMPTION AND NCIB ACTIVITY:

On July 27, 2020, the Trust redeemed 686,200 Trust Units (representing approximately 8% of the issued and outstanding Trust Units) at a price of CAD \$5.35 per Trust Unit (\$4.00 per Trust Unit) per Trust Unit representing total gross cost of CAD \$3.7 million (\$2.8 million);

The Trust has also purchased to date for cancellation 128,100 Trust Units for total gross cost of approximately \$0.7 million through its NCIB. In addition, the Trust purchased for cancellation Convertible Unsecured Debentures under its NCIB having a face amount of CAD\$61,000 at a weighted average price of \$78.00 per Debenture, or CAD \$47,710 (\$35,768);

TRUST UNIT PURCHASES:

Senior management and the board of trustees of the Trust have purchased 105,865 Trust Units in the market at a weighted average price of US\$5.90 per Trust Unit over the past month. As a result, senior management and the board of trustees now control approximately 27% of the Trust; and

• <u>DISTRIBUTIONS</u>:

On March 10, 2021, the Trust declared and approved quarterly distributions of \$0.059 per unit for unitholders on record on March 31, 2021 payable on or about April 15, 2021.

INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO

As at December 31, 2020, the Trust had three distinct asset portfolios:

Multi-Family Investment Portfolio:

311 wholly-owned multi-family apartment units located across three portfolios in Florida (one portfolio) and Texas (two portfolios), with an aggregate IFRS valuation of approximately \$49.6 million.

Equity Accounted and Preferred Investments:

Investment in Equity Accounted and Preferred Investments with ownership interests in 1,535 multi-family apartment units with an aggregate IFRS equity valuation of approximately \$48.1 million (including accrued income) and a pro-rata real estate fair market value of \$96.6 million (\$221 million on an associate basis).

The Trust has invested in the following Equity Accounted and Preferred investments:

(In \$millions unless otherwise stated)

				Pro- Rata Ownership				
				of	Equity			
		Investment	Ownership	Investment	Accounted	Preferred	Total	Preferred
Location	Units	Properties	%	Properties	Investment	Investment	Investment	Yield
New York City	129	\$ 34.3	22.8%	\$ 7.8	\$ -	\$ 5.8	\$ 5.8	8%
Brentwood, MD	118	19.1	25.0%	4.8	2.2	0.1	2.3	8%
Irvington, NJ	189	21.2	50.0%	10.6	2.4	2.7	5.1	9%
Houston, TX	235	24.2	50.0%	12.1	4.8	3.6	8.4	9%
Bronx, NY	132	25.7	50.0%	12.8	2.4	5.2	7.6	8%
Hartford, CT	109	13.4	50.0%	6.7	1.2	1.1	2.3	8%
Canton, GA	138	19.5	50.0%	9.7	1.7	2.5	4.2	8%
Houston, TX	250	25.5	50.0%	12.8	1.3	3.5	4.8	9%
Hyattsville, MD	235	38.5	50.0%	19.3	3.6	4.0	7.7	8%
Total/	1,535	\$ 221.4	43.6%	\$ 96.6	\$ 19.6	\$ 28.5	\$ 48.1	8.3%
Weighted								

Preferred Capital Investments:

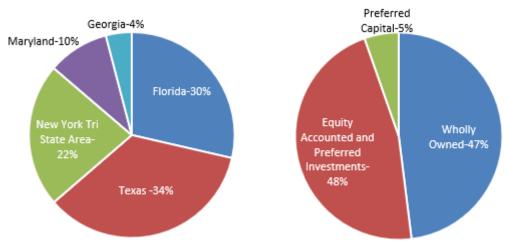
New York Portfolio: Investment of \$2.5 million in a \$12.0 million, interest only preferred capital investment to fund the acquisition by a New York based real estate investment firm of a portfolio of three apartment buildings in Manhattan, New York. The investment earns an interest rate of 12% per annum and matures on January 1, 2023.

Houston Portfolio: Investment of \$3.0 million in a \$10.0 million preferred capital loan for a portfolio of five apartment buildings located in Houston, Texas. The Houston Preferred Capital earns an interest rate of 12% per annum during its initial term of two years, following which if the term is extended, at an interest rate of 18% per annum.

Outlined below is a summary of the Investment Portfolio as at December 31, 2020 and September 30, 2020:

			Decembe		September	30,	2020		
Region	Number of Units	ı	FRS Value	Occupancy	M	verage onthly Rent	Occupancy	M	verage onthly Rent
Multi-Family Investme	nt Portfolio	,		_			'		
Florida Multi-Family	153	\$	29,523,222	94.8%	\$	1,397	92.8%	\$	1,426
Texas Multi-Family	158		20,062,618	94.3%	\$	919	93.0%	\$	922
Total / Weighted Avg.	311	\$	49,585,840	94.5%	\$	1,154	92.9%	\$	1,170
Equity Accounted and	Preferred I	Inv	estments						
New York City	129	\$	5,775,599	96.1%	\$	1,635	95.3%	\$	1,635
Brentwood, MD	118		2,298,527	89.8%	\$	1,341	92.4%	\$	1,378
Irvington, NJ	189		5,143,246	98.9%	\$	1,097	97.9%	\$	1,094
Houston, TX	235		8,398,518	94.5%	\$	865	91.9%	\$	899
Bronx, NY	132		7,562,409	98.5%	\$	1,407	91.7%	\$	1,386
Hartford, CT	109		2,332,223	88.1%	\$	1,192	89.0%	\$	1,177
Canton, GA	138		4,191,892	93.5%	\$	1,053	93.5%	\$	1,032
Houston, TX	250		4,754,665	94.4%	\$	945	92.0%	\$	953
Hyattsville, MD	235		7,675,484	95.3%	\$	1,420	93.6%	\$	1,413
Total / Weighted Avg.	1,535	\$	48,132,563	94.7%	\$	1,180	93.2%	\$	1,183
Preferred Capital Inves	stments								
New York City	N/A	\$	2,528,968	N/A		N/A	N/A		N/A
Houston, TX	N/A		3,000,000	N/A		N/A	N/A		N/A
Total / Weighted Avg.		\$	5,528,968	N/A		N/A	N/A		N/A
Total / Weighted Avg.	1,846	\$	103,247,371	94.7%	\$	1,175	93.0%	\$	1,181

GEOGRAPHICAL AND ASSET CLASS PORTFOLIO DIVERSICATION BASED ON IFRS ASSET VALUES



Note: *New York Tri State Area defined as New York, New Jersey and Connecticut.

PRO FORMA CONSOLIDATION OF EQUITY ACCOUNTED INVESTMENTS

Outlined below are the financial statements of the Trust including the pro forma consolidation of its interests in equity accounted investments: Assuming proportionate consolidation, the Trust would have total assets of approximately \$157.3 million.

(In \$thousands unless otherwise stated)

								Decen	nbe	r 31, 202	20										
	Th	e Trust	Ne	w York, NY	Bre	entwood, MD	İr۱	Irvington, F NJ		Houston, TX		Bronx, NY		artford, CT	Canton		Но	uston, TX	Hay	yattsville, MD	Total
Assets																					
Cash & Restricted																					
Cash	\$	5,173	\$	19	\$	50	\$	(82)	\$	33	\$	47	\$	96	\$	67	\$	68	\$	112	\$ 5,583
Accounts Receivable		279		54		97		77		332		196		155		196		278		857	2,522
Other Assets &																					
Investments		168		7,521		4,311		10,336		11,481	1	2,295		6,470		9,474		11,955		17,841	91,852
Preferred Capital																					
Investments		5,529		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-	5,529
Investment																					
Properties		49,586		211		313		288		239		307		-		-		449		450	51,844
	\$	60,735	\$	7,805	\$	4,771	\$	10,619	\$	12,084	\$ 1	2,844	\$	6,721	\$	9,737	\$	12,750	\$	19,261	\$ 157,329
Liabilities																					
Accounts Payable		2,864		9	\$	4	\$	11	\$	32	\$	12	\$	10	\$	9	\$	29	\$	5	2,987
Other Liabilities		336		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-	336
Long Term Liabilities		29,742		801		76		204		342		121		237		204		337		160	32,226
	\$	32,942	\$	810	\$	81	\$	216	\$	375	\$	133	\$	247	\$	214	\$	366	\$	166	\$ 35,383
Equity																					
Unitholders Equity		27,793		6,995		4,691		10,404		11,709	1	2,712		6,474		9,523		12,384		19,095	121,946
	\$	27,793	\$	6,995	\$	4,691	\$	4,258	\$	11,709	\$ 1	2,712	\$	6,474	\$	9,523	\$	12,384	\$	19,095	\$ 96,540
	\$	60,735	\$	7,805	\$	4,771	\$	10,619	\$	12,084	\$ 1	2,844	\$	6,721	\$	9,737	\$	12,750	\$	19,261	\$ 157,329

Note:(1) Excludes equity investments from the Trust's balance sheet as those are reflected on the proportionate consolidation chart.

INVESTMENT PORTFOLIO OCCUPANCY AND AVERAGE RENT

Multi-Family Investment Portfolio:

As at December 31, 2020, occupancy was 94.5%, compared to the 92.9% reported at September 30, 2020. The increase was largely due to higher leasing activity in both Florida and Texas.

Average monthly rents were \$1,154 per month, in comparison to the \$1,170 per month reported for the three months ended September 30, 2020. This decrease is largely due to rental rate decreases in Florida and Texas as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Equity Accounted Investments:

As at December 31, 2020, occupancy was 94.7%, an increase from the 93.2% reported at September 30, 2020. The increases were largely in Texas and New York.

Average monthly rents were \$1,180 per month, in comparison to the \$1,109 average monthly rent at September 30, 2020. The increase is largely due to rental rate increases in Bronx, NY, Hartford, CT, Canton, GA and Hyattsville, MD.

QUARTERLY FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

The following is a discussion of the combined results including discontinued operations as outlined in the financial statements, as well as a review of selected quarterly financial information of the Trust:

		Three Mon	ths Ended		Tw	elve Months Ended
	Dec 31, 2020	Sep 30, 2020	Jun 30, 2020	Mar 31, 2020		Dec 31, 2020
Rental Revenue	\$ 1,041,151	\$ 979,192	\$ 1,033,978	\$ 1,070,855	\$	4,125,175
Property Operating Expenses	(651,262)	(536,400)	(506,173)	(482,896)		(2,176,729)
Net Rental Income	389,889	442,792	527,805	587,960		1,948,446
Income from Equity Accounted and Preferred Investments	1,047,197	573,532	545,959	671,026		2,876,050
Income from Preferred Capital Investments	120,557	159,987	103,459	122,458		468,127
Income from Mortgage Investments	-	54,430	55,974	-		110,403
General and Administrative	(506,480)	(339,427)	(327,231)	(468,124)		(1,641,263)
Finance Costs	(508,402)	(440,781)	(439,185)	(429,345)		(1,817,716)
Convertible Debentures	-	1,200	1,146,983	848,363		1,996,546
Fair Value Adjustments of Investment						
Properties and Equity accounted investments	2,616,826	-	-	(1,768,263)		848,563
Other (1)	(687,699)	164,805	(209,144)	1,547,235		815,197
Net Income	\$ 2,471,888	\$ 616,536	\$ 1,404,620	\$ 1,111,310	\$	5,604,354

		-	Three Mon	ths	s Ended		Tw	elve Months Ended
	Dec 31, 2019		Sep 30, 2019		Jun 30, 2019	Mar 31, 2019		Dec 31, 2019
Rental revenue Property operating expenses	\$ 1,055,947 (559,282)	\$ ^	1,098,098 (518,974)	\$	1,061,967 (499,650)	\$ 1,138,684 (506,603)	\$	4,354,697 (2,084,509)
Net rental income (loss)	\$ 496,665	\$	579,124	\$	562,317	\$ 632,081	\$	2,270,187
Income from Equity Accounted and Preferred Investments	3,408,582		617,416		509,045	468,030		5,003,073
Income from Preferred Capital Investments	119,741		64,634		55,691	52,461		292,527
General and administrative	(976,259)		(362,745)		(390,655)	(407,954)		(2,137,613)
Finance costs	(445,578)		(462,399)		(224,139)	(310,098)		(1,648,304)
Convertible Debentures Fair Value Adjustments of Investment	(206,090)		-		-	-		-
Properties and Equity accounted investments	757,120		(6,464)		860,367	1,303,368		2,914,391
Other (1)	360,359		(5,405)		343	6,307		361,604
Net Income	\$ 3,514,541	\$	424,161	\$	1,372,969	\$ 1,744,195	\$	7,055,862

⁽¹⁾ The combination of foreign exchange gain/(loss), unit based recovery (expense) and income tax recovery.

REVIEW OF QUARTERLY AND YEAR TO DATE RESULTS

REVENUES

For the three months ended December 31, 2020, rental revenue was approximately \$1.0 million, in line with the \$1.1 million reported for the three months ended December 31, 2019. For year ended December 31, 2020, rental revenue was \$4.1 million, a decrease from the \$4.4 million reported for the year ended December 31, 2019. The annual decrease is largely due to collection issues resulting from the COVID-19 pandemic.

PROPERTY OPERATING EXPENSES

For the three months ended December 31, 2020, property operating expenses were approximately \$0.7 million, largely in line with the \$0.6 million reported for the three months ended December 31, 2019. For the year ended December 31, 2020, property operating expenses were \$2.2 million, compared to the \$2.1 million reported for year Firm Capital Apartment REIT • Q4/2020 • Page 9

ended December 31, 2019. The increase is mainly due to higher property tax expenses in Texas.

NET RENTAL INCOME

For the three months ended December 31, 2020, net rental income was approximately \$0.4 million, a decrease from the \$0.5 million reported for the three months ended December 31, 2019. For the year ended December 31, 2020, net rental income was approximately \$1.9 million, in comparison to the \$2.3 million reported for the year ended December 31, 2019. The decreases are largely due to the decreased collections and higher property taxes as described above.

INCOME FROM EQUITY ACCOUNTED AND PREFERRED INVESTMENTS

For the three months ended December 31, 2020, income from equity accounted and preferred investments was approximately \$2.5 million, in comparison to the \$3.4 million reported for the three months ended December 31, 2019.

For the year ended December 31, 2020, income from equity accounted and preferred investments was \$2.6 million in comparison to the \$5.0 million reported for the year ended December 31, 2019. This decrease is largely due to the larger fair value increase in 2019, coinciding with the completion of renovation programs to the underlying investment properties.

The Trust categorizes its preferred investments using a 12 month expected credit loss approach as described in note 5 of the Trust's consolidated financial statements.

	Three Mon	ths Ended	Twelve Mon	ths Ended		
	Dec 31,	Dec 31,	Dec 31,	Dec 31,		
	2020	2019	2020	2019		
Income from Equity Accounted Investments	\$ 2,575,192	\$ 3,408,582	\$ 2,635,782	\$ 5,003,073		
Less: Fair Value Adjustments	(1,527,995)	(2,807,848)	240,268	(2,807,848)		
Income Before Fair Value Adjustments	\$ 1,047,197	\$ 600,734	\$ 2,876,050	\$ 2,195,225		

For the three months ende December 31, 2020, income from equity accounted and preferred investments before fair value adjustments ("Cash income from equity accounted and preferred investments") was \$1.0 million, in comparison to the \$0.6 million reported for the three months ended December 31, 2019. For the year ended December 31, 2020, cash income from the equity accounted and preferred investments was \$2.9 million, in comparison to the \$2.2 million reported for the year ended December 31, 2019.

The quarterly and annual increases are due to the accretive impact of recent investments.

Outlined below are the details of the Trust's net investment in the equity accounted investment comprised of common equity, accounted for using the equity method and preferred equity, accounted as preferred investment loans carried at amortized cost, along with the balance sheet and statement of income (each at 100% of the underlying property) and income allocation from the equity accounted and preferred investments as of December 31, 2020 and December 31, 2019 and for the year ended December 31, 2020 and 2019:

Security Deposits

Equity Accounted and Preferred Investments, December 31, 2018	3		\$	28,698,180
Investments				2.050.225
- Common Equity - Preferred Equity				2,959,335 3,308,359
- Freienea Equity				3,306,339
Income Earned				
- Common Equity				450,040
- Fair Value Adjustments				2,807,848
- Preferred Equity				1,745,183
- Less: Distributions and interest received				(1,503,580)
Equity Accounted and Preferred Investments, December 31, 2019)		\$	38,465,367
Investments				
- Common Equity				5,025,630
- Preferred Equity				8,287,177
- Less:Sale of Common Equity				(1,672,279)
- Less: Redemption of Preferred Equity				(2,694,769)
Income Earned				
- Common Equity				500,502
- Fair Value Adjustments				(240, 268)
- Preferred Equity				2,375,548
- Less: Distributions and interest received				(1,914,345)
Equity Accounted and Preferred Investments, December 31, 2020)		\$	48,132,563
	C	December 31,	,	December 31
		2020)	2019
Assets	•	700 500		
Cash Restricted Cook	\$	709,568	\$, -
Restricted Cash		3,036,713		2,843,411
Accounts Receivable Other Assets		962,889 816,782		531,860 719,398
Investment Properties		221,398,580		189,714,434
involution i reporties	\$	226,924,532	-	194,693,081
Liabilities		-,- ,,		
Accounts Payable	\$	2,754,339	9	2,213,869

826,920

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	(11,135,627) (7,960,7 \$ 10,437,914 \$ 8,556,3 (80,900) (289,4 (6,850,585) (4,929,2 (1,965,009) 3,886,1 \$ 1,541,421 \$ 7,223,7 (3,392,057) (2,358,9 \$ (1,850,636) \$ 4,864,8 \$ 500,502 \$ 450,0 (240,268) 2,807,8 2,375,548 1,745,1			led
	C	ecember 31,	De	ecember 30,
		2020		2019
Net Income				
Rental Revenue	\$	21,573,542	\$	16,517,038
Property Operating Expenses		(11,135,627)		(7,960,708)
Net Rental Income	\$	10,437,914	\$	8,556,330
General & Administrative		(80,900)		(289,466)
Interest Expense		(6,850,585)		(4,929,246)
Fair Value Adjustments		(1,965,009)		3,886,118
Net Income Before Interest from Preferred Investments	\$	1,541,421	\$	7,223,737
Less: Interest from Preferred Investments		(3,392,057)		(2,358,936)
Net Income	\$	(1,850,636)	\$	4,864,800
Income Earned by the Trust				
Common Equity	\$	500,502	\$	450,042
Fair Value Adjustments		(240,268)		2,807,848
Preferred Equity		2,375,548		1,745,183
	\$	2,635,782	\$	5,003,073

On April 4, 2019, the Trust closed an equity accounted and preferred investment to acquire a 109 unit multi-family residential portfolio comprised of two buildings located in Hartford, CT (the "Hartford Portfolio"). The purchase price of the Hartford Portfolio was \$13.0 million (including transaction costs). The acquisition was financed with a \$10.0 million 4.81% first mortgage due April 3, 2039 and \$3.0 million of equity. The Trust contributed \$0.6 million (100% ownership) of preferred equity yielding 8% and \$1.2 million of common equity, representing a 50% ownership stake in the investment.

On September 27, 2019, the Trust closed an equity accounted and preferred investment to acquire a 138 unit multi-family residential building located in Canton, GA (the "Canton Acquistion"). The purchase price for 100% of the Canton Acquisiton was \$19.3 million (including transaction costs). The Canton Acquistion was financed, in part with a \$14.0 million, 4.0% first mortgage due on September 26, 2029. The Trust contributed \$2.1 million (100% ownership) of preferred equity yielding 8% and \$1.6 million of common equity representing a 50% ownership stake in the investment.

On January 31, 2020, the Trust closed an equity accounted and preferred investment to acquire the Woodglen Village, a 250-unit multi-family residential portfolio located in Houston, TX (the "Woodglen Acquisition"). The purchase price for 100% of the Woodglen Acquisition was \$27.9 million (including transaction costs). The Woodglen Acquisition was financed, in part with a \$22.1 million, 4.6% first mortgage due on February 9, 2023. The Trust contributed \$3.4 million (100% ownership) of preferred equity yielding 9% and \$1.2 million of common equity representing a 50% ownership stake in the investment.

On September 22, 2020, the Trust closed an equity accounted and preferred investment to acquire a 235 unit multi-family residential portfolio located in Hyattsvile, MD (the "North Pointe Acquistion"). The purchase price for 100% of the North Point Acquistion was \$40.5 million (including transaction costs). The North Point Acquistion was financed, in part with a \$29.7 million, 3.0% first mortgage due on September 21, 2024. The Trust contributed \$4.0 million of preferred equity yielding 8% and \$3.4 million of common equity representing a 50% ownership interest in the investment.

On December 23, 2020, the Trust completed a sale of its interest in fourteen multi-family buildings located in Bridgeport, Connecticut to its joint venture partner. The Trust received net proceeds of approximately \$4.5 million from the Bridgeport Sale consisting of a repayment of its preferred equity (inclusive of accrued interest) of \$2.8 million and \$1.7 million of common equity, respectively.

INCOME FROM PREFERRED CAPITAL INVESTMENTS

On December 18, 2017, the Trust closed a participation of \$2.5 million in a \$12.0 million preferred capital loan (the "New York Preferred Capital") to fund the acquisition of a portfolio of three apartment buildings located in New York, New York. The New York Preferred Capital earns an interest rate of 12% per annum during its initial term of three years and, if the term is extended for a further two years, at an interest rate thereafter that is the greater of 13% or London Interbank Offered Rate ("LIBOR") plus 10% per annum. The investment yield is interest only and may be repaid by the borrower prior to maturity in whole or in part upon 30 days prior written notice.

On September 24, 2018, \$2.5 million of the New York Preferred Capital was repaid leaving a principal balance of \$9.5 million. Subsequently, on June 5, 2019, an additional \$1.0 million was advanced leaving a total principal balance of \$10.5 million.

On July 1, 2020, the New York Preferred Capital loan was extended and will mature on January 1, 2023 earning 12% interest of which 9% will be paid monthly while the remainder will be paid on maturity. As at December 31, 2020, the Trust's pro-rata share of the principal balance was \$2.5 million.

On November 15, 2019, the Trust closed on a participation of \$3.0 million in a \$10.0 million preferred capital loan (the "Houston Preferred Capital") for a portfolio of five apartment buildings located in Houston, Texas. The Houston Preferred Capital earns an interest rate of 12% per annum during its initial term of two years, following which, if the term is extended, it earns an interest rate of 18% per annum. As at December 31, 2020, the Trust's pro-rata principal balance was \$3.0 million.

The Trust establishes loss provisions applicable to its preferred capital investments using a 12 month expected credit loss approach as described in note 6 of the Trust's consolidated finanical statements.

FAIR VALUE ADJUSTMENTS ON INVESTMENT PROPERTIES

As of December 31, 2020, the Trust owned the following investment properties:

- 311 wholly owned apartment units with a fair value of approximately \$49.6 million;
- 1,535 jointly owned apartment units with an investment fair value of approximately \$48.1 million.

Each quarter, the Trust determines the fair value of its wholly owned and equity accounted and preferred investment portfolios using a combination of an internally managed valuation model and external appraisals using the income approach as well as comparable property sales.

For the year ended December 31, 2020, the total fair value adjustment to investment properties was \$1.1 million net gain in comparison to the \$3.1 million net gain reported for the year ended December 31, 2019. In light of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Trust has updated its assumptions used in determining the fair value of investment properties.

Accordingly, the Trust exercises judgment in assessing its inputs given the uncertainty created by the pandemic.

For the year ended December 31, 2020, the total fair value adjustment to equity accounted investment properties was a \$0.2 million net loss in comparison to the \$2.8 million net gain reported for the year ended December 31, 2019. This decrease is largely due to the larger fair value increase in 2019, coinciding with the completion of renovation programs to the underlying investment properties.

VALUATION AND LEVERAGE

At December 31, 2020, the Investment Portfolio had a valuation of \$103.2 million. With associated mortgage debt of approximately \$17.6 million, leverage (defined as Mortgages / Investment Portfolio) was 17.0%. At the year ended December 31, 2019, the Investment Portfolio had a valuation of \$92.0 million. With associated mortgage debt of approximately \$17.8 million, leverage was 19.4%.

	Years E	nded
	Dec 31,	Dec 31,
	2020	2019
Investment Portfolio (1)	\$ 103,247,371	\$92,005,921
Less: Mortgages (2)	(17,573,175)	(17,812,352)
Net Equity	\$ 85,674,196	\$74,193,569

Leverage (Mortgages / Investment Portfolio) 17.0% 19.4%

GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE ("G&A")

For the three months ended December 31, 2020, G&A was approximately \$0.5 million, in comparison with the \$1.0 million reported for the three months ended December 31, 2019.

For the year ended December 31, 2020, G&A was \$1.6 million, largely in line with the \$2.1 million reported for the year ended December 31, 2019.

FINANCE COSTS

For the three months ended December 31, 2020, finance costs were approximately \$0.5 million, in comparison to the \$0.5 million reported for the three months ended December 31, 2019. For the year ended December 31, 2020, finance costs were \$1.8 million, in comparison to the \$1.6 million reported for the year ended December 31, 2019. The increase over the year ended December 31, 2020 is largely due to the full year interest costs associated with the convertible debenture offering in August 2019.

On a normalized cash basis (excluding non-cash accretion expense), cash finance costs for the three months ended December 31, 2020 were approximately \$0.4 million, largely in line with the \$0.4 million reported for the three months ended December 31, 2019. For the year ended December 31, 2020, cash finance costs were \$1.7 million, a 36% increase over the \$1.3 million reported for the year ended December 31, 2019.

⁽¹⁾ Includes equity, preferred capital and mortgage investments which is net of the Company's share of associated mortgage debt

⁽²⁾ Exclusive of the Convertible Debentures, including the Convertible Debentures at December 31, 2020, leverage would be 28.8%.

The increases in the annual cash finance costs in comparison to the year ended December 31, 2019 are largely due to the higher interest costs associated with the convertible debentures.

	٦	Three Mon	ths	Ended	Twelve Mor	nths Ended
		Dec 31,		Dec 31,	Dec 31,	Dec 31,
		2020		2019	2020	2019
Finance Costs	\$	508,402	\$	651,668	\$1,817,716	\$1,648,304
Less: Accretion/ Amortization		(83,587)		(206,090)	(118,086)	(397,189)
Cash Finance Costs	\$	424,815	\$	445,578	\$1,699,630	\$1,251,115
% Change - Cash Finance Costs				(5) %		36 %

FUNDS FROM OPERATIONS ("FFO"), ADJUSTED FUNDS FROM OPERATIONS ("AFFO").

For the three months ended December 31, 2020, FFO was \$0.5 million, a significant improvement over the \$nil reported for the three months ended December 31, 2019. For the year ended December 31, 2020, FFO was \$4.7 million, a significant improvement over the \$1.4 million reported for the year ended December 31, 2019.

For the three months ended December 31, 2020, AFFO was \$0.6 million, a significant improvement over \$0.2 million reported for the three months ended December 31, 2019. For the year ended December 31, 2020, AFFO was \$2.0 million, a 16% increase over with the \$1.7 million reported for the year ended December 31, 2019.

	Thr	ee	Months En	de	<u></u>	 Twelve Mon	nths Ended		
	Dec 31, 2020		Sep 30, 2020		Dec 31, 2019	Dec 31, 2020		Dec 31, 2019	
Net income	\$ 2,471,888	\$	1,404,620	\$	3,514,541	\$ 5,604,354	\$	7,055,862	
Add (deduct):									
Income tax expense	-		=.		(525, 358)	-		(525, 358)	
Fair value gain on investment properties	(1,088,831)		-		(757,120)	(1,088,831)		(2,914,393)	
Fair value loss on equity accounted investments	(1,527,995)		-		(2,807,848)	240,268		(2,807,848)	
Foreign exchange (gain)/loss	529,476		214,105		164,941	(134,162)		166,615	
Corporate Reorganization Costs	-		=.		419,455	-		419,455	
Finance Fee amortization	83,587		11,499			 118,086			
FFO	\$ 468,125	\$	1,630,223	\$	8,611	\$ 4,739,715	\$	1,394,335	
Add (deduct):									
Accretion Expense	-		-		206,090	-		397,189	
Fair value gain on convertible debentures	-		(1,146,983)		-	(1,996,546)		-	
Unit based (expense) / recovery	158,223		(4,961)		58	(681,035)		(2,858)	
Capital expenditures	(9,747)		(13,195)		(12,417)	(48,711)		(56,755)	
AFFO	\$ 616,601	\$	465,085	\$	202,342	\$ 2,013,423	\$	1,731,910	
Weighted Average Units	7,716,762		7,922,366		6,935,306	7,841,795		6,935,306	
FFO per Unit	\$ 0.06	\$	0.21	\$	0.00	\$ 0.60	\$	0.20	
AFFO per Unit	\$ 80.0	\$	0.06	\$	0.03	\$ 0.26	\$	0.25	

As AFFO is viewed as a measure of cash available for distributions, the following table reconciles AFFO to cash flow from operations:

	Thre	ee N	onths En	ded		Twelve Months Ended			Ended
	Dec 31,		Sep 30,		Dec 31,		Dec 31,		Dec 31,
	2020		2020		2019		2020		2019
Total Operating Activities	\$ (1,529,450)	\$	539,488	\$	(383,395)	\$	116,862	\$	667,138
Changes in non-cash working capital items:									
Amortization	-				-		-		(49,525)
Foreign exchange gain on convertible debentures	(578,869)		(485,310)		-		(161,916)		-
Accounts receivable	1,659,687		7,729		(23,591)		1,691,053		35,974
Other assets and prepaid expenses	108,688		(58,111)		(121,920)		(14,086)		(49,428)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(112,414)		256,111		(32,233)		(453,842)		(161,959)
Change in equity accounted and preferred									
investments	487,271		(14, 189)		121,562		961,706		691,645
Change in preferred capital investments	36,853		(15,396)		69,940		56,519		68,749
Foreign exchange loss (gain)	554,586		214,105		164,941		(134,162)		166,615
Corporate Reorganization Costs	-		-		419,455		-		419,455
Capital expenditures	(9,747)		(13, 195)		(12,417)		(48,711)		(56,755)
AFFO	\$ 616,601	\$	431,232	\$	202,342	\$	2,013,423	\$	1,731,910
AFFO per Unit	\$ 0.08	\$	0.06	\$	0.03	\$	0.26	\$	0.25

COMPARABLE CASH FLOWS

Comparable operating, investing and financing cash flows for the three and twelve months ended December 31, 2020, and 2019 are outlined below:

	Three Mon	ths Ended	Twelve Mon	ths Ended
	Dec 31,	Dec 31,	Dec 31,	Dec 31,
	2020	2019	2020	2019
Operating Activities	\$(1,529,450)	\$ (383,395)	\$ 116,862	\$ 667,138
Investing Activities	4,091,779	(2,986,107)	(9,374,663)	(6,955,317)
Financing Activities	(614,103)	(514,822)	5,783,685	10,323,093
Increase/ (Decrease) in Cash	\$ 1,948,226	\$(3,884,324)	\$(3,474,115)	\$4,034,914
Cash, Beginning of Period	1,618,179	10,924,845	7,040,520	3,005,606
Cash, End of Period	\$ 3,566,405	\$ 7,040,520	\$ 3,566,405	\$7,040,520

Net cash generated by operating activities decreased in comparison to the three and twelve months ended December 31, 2019 largely due changes in working capital.

Net cash generated by investing activities increased in comparison to the three months ended December 31, 2019 largely due to the sale of the Bridgeport, CT portfolio.

Net generated by investing activities decreased in comparison to the year ended December 31, 2019 largely due to increased levels of investing compared to 2019.

Net cash generated by financing activities decreased in comparison to the three and twelve months ended December 31, 2019 largely due to the higher net proceeds received in 2019 from the convertible debentures issuance and higher distributions in 2020.

RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Trust has entered into the following transactions with related parties:

- I. On November 1, 2015, The Trust entered into a Management Agreement with Firm Capital Realty Partners Advisors Inc. (the "Manager"), an entity related to a director of the Trust. Under the terms of the Agreement, the Manager provides a number of services to the Trust, and is entitled to certain fees payable monthly, as follows:
 - a) Asset Management Fee: 0.75% of the Gross Invested Assets of the Trust, Firm Capital Apartment REIT Q4/2020 Page 16

b) Acquisition Fee:

- i. 1.0% of the first \$300 million of aggregate Gross Book Value in respect of Properties acquired in a particular year; and thereafter
- ii. 0.75% of aggregate Gross Book Value in respect of Properties acquired in such year.
- **c) Performance Incentive Fees:** 15% of AFFO once AFFO exceeds \$0.63 per Unit.
- **d)** Placement Fees: 0.25% of the aggregate value of all debt and equity financing arranged by the Manager.

e) Property Management Fees:

- Multi-unit residential properties with 120 units or less, 4.0% of Gross Revenue collected from the property;
- ii. Multi-unit residential properties with more than 120 units, 3.5% of Gross Revenue collected from the property;
- iii. Industrial or commercial property, 4.25% of Gross Revenue collected from the property; provided, however, that for such properties with a single tenant 3.0% of Gross Revenue collected from the property
- f) Commercial Leasing Fees: 3.0% of the net rental payments for the first year of the lease, and 1.5% of the net rental payments for each year during duration of the lease; provided, however, that where a third party broker arranges for the lease of any such property that is not subject to a long-term listing agreement, the Manager shall be entitled to reduced commission equal to 50% of the foregoing amounts with respect to such property.
- g) Commercial Leasing Renewal Fees: Renewals of space leased on commercial terms (including lease renewals at the option of the tenant) which are handled exclusively by the Manager shall be subject to a 0.50% commission on the net rental payments for each year of the renewed lease. When a long-term listing agreement is in effect for leasing and marketing of space with a party other than the Manager, the Manager shall cooperate fully with the broker and the leasing fees will not be payable to the Manager.
- h) Construction Development Property Management Fees: Where the Manager is requested by the Trust to construct tenant improvements or to renovate same, or where the Manager is requested by the Trust to construct, modify, or re-construct improvements to, or on, the Properties (collectively, "Capital Expenditures"), the Manager shall receive 5.0% of the cost of such Capital Expenditures, including the cost of all permits, materials, labour, contracts, and subcontracts; provided, however, that no such fee shall be payable unless the Capital Expenditures are undertaken following a tendering or procurement process wherein the total cost of such Capital Expenditures exceed \$50,000.
- i) Loan Servicing Fees: 0.25% per annum on the principal amount of each Mortgage Investment (other than syndicated loans serviced by third parties). The Loan Servicing Fee will be calculated as spread interest and deducted

from the first interest received on a mortgage investment. Mortgage servicing fees will be payable as to 1/12 monthly based on the receipt of interest payments from borrowers. Loan Servicing Fees will not be payable in respect of the Trust's cash balances or Non-Performing Loans held by the Trust, except that the Manager shall be entitled to retain any overnight float interest on all accounts maintained by the Manager in connection with the servicing of the Trust's Mortgage Investments. The Manager will retain all overnight float interest and related loan servicing fees as charged such as advance fees, discharge statement fees, realty tax escrow account charges, late payment and dishonoured payment charge fees, and all other such fees as charged by a loan servicing agent. This will only apply to the Mortgage Investments of the Trust.

- j) Origination, Commitment & Discharge Fees and Profit Sharing Fees: The Manager shall remit to the Trust:
 - 25% of all originating fees, commitment fees and renewal fees it receives from borrowers on mortgages it originates for the Trust (prorated to reflect the Trust's participation in the investment). The Manager will retain 100% of all originating fees, commitment fees, renewal fees and will remit 25% of such fees to the Trust calculated on the Trust's investment amount; and
 - ii. 75% of any profit sharing, discharge fees, participation fees and profit made on discounted debt that the Mortgage Banker receives in respect of all Non-Conventional Mortgages and Special Profit Transactions it originates for the Trust (with a 8.0% annual preferential return to be given to the Trust on the Trust's investment amount prior to the Manager receiving its unit of such fees). The Manager shall retain 100% of all servicing charges paid by borrowers which are not identified above, including, without limitation, discharge statement administration fees and all fees identified.
- k) Term and Termination: Initial term of ten years with automatic renewal for successive five year terms. The Trust may terminate the Agreement any time after November 1, 2025 other than for cause upon the approval of two-thirds of the votes cast by unitholders at a meeting and upon 24 months prior written notice. Upon termination, the Trust shall pay to the Manager the following:
 - i. 2% of the Gross Invested Assets of the Properties and the Trust's other assets; and
 - ii. any amounts which would have been earned by the Manager under the Agreement for the uncompleted portion of the term (the "Termination Payment").

For the year ended December 31, 2020, asset management fees were \$959,258 (2019 - \$724,392), loan servicing fees were \$98,064 (2019 - \$53,809), acquisition fees were \$285,125 (2019 - \$152,750), debt placement fees were \$64,799 (2019 - \$76,612), equity placement fees were \$31,623 (2019 - \$nil) and property management fees were \$84,338 (2019 - \$87,078).

Asset Management fees and loan servicing fees are included in general and administrative expenses. Property management fees are included in property operating expenses. Finance costs associated with the promissory note are included in finance costs, while the acquisition fees and debt placement fees are capitalized to equity accounted investments. Equity Placement Fees have been capitalized against unitholders' equity.

As at December 31, 2020, the Trust has accrued \$1,110,230 (December 31, 2019 - \$722,859) under this Management Agreement, which is included in accounts payable and accrued liabilities.

MORTGAGES PAYABLE

As at December 31, 2020, the Trust had mortgages payable secured by the multi-family properties of \$17,573,175 (including the current portion and net of unamortized financing costs) (December 31, 2019 - \$17,812,352) which bear interest at a weighted average interest rate of 4.37% (December 31, 2019- 4.37%) per annum, and have maturity dates ranging between October 2022 and June 2023.

	December 31,	December 31,
	2020	2019
Mortgage Payable	\$ 17,653,669 \$	18,010,932
Less: current portion	(373,540)	(355,899)
Less: unamortized financing costs	(80,494)	(198,580)
	\$ 17,199,635 \$	17,456,453

The following annual payments of principal and interest are required over the next four years in respect of these mortgages:

	Principal	Interest	Total
2021	\$ 375,241	\$ 775,148	\$ 1,150,389
2022	11,210,634	676,134	11,886,768
2023	6,067,792	127,451	6,195,243
Total	\$ 17,653,669	\$ 1,578,733	\$ 19,232,400

CONTRACTUAL OBLIGATIONS

The Trust's contractual obligations over the next few years are as follows:

	Le	ss than 1				
		year	1-2 years	>2 ye	ears	Total
Mortgages Payable	\$	375,241	\$ 17,278,426	\$	-	\$17,653,667
Convertible Debentures Payable		-	-	12,16	59,023	12,169,023
Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities	:	2,864,903	-		-	2,864,903
Total	\$:	3,240,144	\$ 17,278,426	\$ 12,16	59,023	\$32,687,593

CONVERTIBLE DEBENTURE

On August 8, 2019, the Trust closed a \$13.7 million (CAD \$18.1 million based on the Bank of Canada daily noon rate of exchange \$1.3257), 6.25% convertible unsecured unsubordinated debenture (the "Convertible Debenture") offering. On August 13, 2019, the Trust closed an additional \$1.0 million (CAD \$1.3 million based on the Bank of Canada daily noon rate of exchange of \$1.3236) of the Convertible Debenture. The Convertible Debenture is due on June 30, 2026. The Convertible Debenture can be converted into Trust Units at an exercise price of CAD \$12.60 per Trust Unit (the "Conversion Option") at any time prior to June 30, 2026. Each Convertible Debenture

Unit also includes 79 trust unit purchase warrants (the "Warrants") of the Trust. The warrants are exercisable at an exercise price of CAD \$12.60 per trust unit for a period of two years expiring on August 7, 2021.

On May 20,2020, the Trust received approval from the TSX Venture Exchange (the "Exchange") to commence a normal course issuer bid (the "Bid") to purchase up to \$1,810,800 principal amount of the Convertible Debenture being equal to 10% of the public float as at May 20, 2020. Pursuant to the policies of the Exchange, the Bid will be tied to the previously announced normal course issuer bid for the Trust's Trust Units and will therefore be deemed to commence on April 30, 2020 and will end on the earlier of April 29, 2021, or at such time as the Bid has been completed or the Bid is terminated at the Trust's discretion. For the year ended December 31, 2020, the Trust purchased convertible debentures with a face value of CAD \$61,000 for CAD \$47,710 (\$35,768).

UNITHOLDERS' EQUITY

Unitholders' Equity as of December 31, 2020 was \$75,923,905 and consisted of the following:

	Number of	Unitholder's
	Units	Equity
Balance at December 31, 2018	6,935,306	59,710,394
Add:	-	
Net Income		7,055,862
Less:		
Normal Course Issuer Bid	-	(6,800)
Distributions	-	(1,636,731)
Unitholder's Equity, December 31, 2019	6,935,306	\$ 65,122,724
Revaluation of Warrants and Options	-	(979,891)
Unitholder's Equity, Jannuary 1, 2020	6,935,306	\$ 64,142,833
Add:		
Issuance of Units from DRIP	2,669	21,623
Issuance of Units from Marketed Offering	1,590,000	11,523,781
Warrants Exercised	1,000	8,500
Net Income	-	5,604,354
Less:		
Revaluation of Warrants and Options	-	-
Normal Course Issuer Bid	(128,100)	(721,004)
Trust Unit Repurchase	(686,200)	(2,744,200)
Distributions	-	(1,911,984)
Unitholders' Equity, December 31, 2020	7,714,675	\$ 75,923,905

Outlined below are the key movements in Trust Units:

- On January 30, 2019, the Trust repurchased 1,000 common units through a Normal Course Issuer Bid a price of \$6.80 per unit for a total gross cost of \$0.007 million.
- On March 13, 2020, the Trust closed a marketed offering of 1,590,000 Trust Units at a price of \$8.20 (CAD \$10.90 per Trust Unit based on the Bank of Canada daily noon

rate of exchange of \$1.3745). The Trust raised total gross proceeds of \$12.6 million (\$11.5 million net of issuance costs).

- On April 28, 2020. The Trust received approval from the TSXV Venture Exchange to commence a Normal Course Issuer Bid ("NCIB") to purchase up to 645,442 of its trust units being equal to 10% of the public float. The NCIB commenced on April 30, 2020 and will end on the earlier of April 29, 2021, or such time as the bid has been completed. For the year ended December 31, 2020, the Trust repurchased 128,100 Trust Units for a total gross cost of \$0.7 million at a weighted average cost of \$5.75 per Trust Unit.
- On May 27, 2020, 1,000 warrants were exercised resulting in net proceeds of \$0.008 million, while the remaining options expired.
- On July 27, 2020, the Trust redeemed and cancelled 686,200 Trust Units at a price of CAD \$5.35 (\$4.00) per Trust Unit representing a total gross cost of CAD \$3.7 million (\$2.7 million).

DISTRIBUTIONS

For the year ended December 31, 2020, the Trust declared distributions of \$0.059 per Trust Unit resulting in total distributions of \$1,911,984 (2019- \$1,636,731). As at December 31, 2020, the Trust accrued \$455,170, which is included in its accounts payable and accrued liabilities (2019- \$409,183).

The policy of the Trust is to pay cash distributions on or about the 15th day after each quarter end to unitholders of record on the last business day of the preceding quarter end. Distributions paid to unitholders who are non-residents of Canada are subject to Canadian withholding tax.

The excess/(shortfall) of cash flow from operating activities over distributions and net income and comprehensive income over distributions for the three and twelve months ended December 31, 2020 and 2019 are outlined below:

	Three Months Ended			Twelve Months E			Ended
	Dec 31,		Dec 31,		Dec 31,		Dec 31,
	2020		2019		2020		2019
Total Operating Activities (A)	\$(1,529,450)	\$	(383,395)	\$	116,862	\$	667,138
Cash Finance Costs							
Finance Costs	508,402		651,668		1,817,716		1,648,304
Less: Accretion/Amortization	(83,587)		(218,471)		(118,086)		(446,714)
Net Cash Interest Expense (B)	\$ 424,815	\$	433,197	\$	1,699,630	\$	1,201,590
Net Cash Flows from Operating Activities (A-B)	\$(1,954,265)	\$	(816,592)	\$ ((1,582,768)	\$	(534,452)
Net Income	\$ 2,471,888	\$	3,514,541	\$	5,604,354	\$	7,055,862
Distributions	\$ 455,170	\$	409,183	\$	1,911,984	\$	1,636,731
Shortfall of Net Cash Flow From Operating							
Activities Over Distributions	\$(2,409,435)	\$ ((1,225,775)	\$ ((3,494,751)	\$(2,171,183)
Excess of Net Income Over Distributions	\$ 2,016,718	\$	3,105,358	\$	3,692,370	\$	5,419,131

For year ended December 31, 2020, the Trust had distributions in excess of net cash flows from operating activities. This distribution was funded from the Trust's cash on hand. The excess distribution was paid in the normal course from recurring cash flow and had no impact on the sustainability of distributions given that the distribution was covered from ongoing cash flows generated from the Trust's investment portfolio.

DIVIDEND REINVESTMENT PLAN & UNIT PURCHASE PLAN

On September 29, 2017, the Trust announced that it had implemented a dividend reinvestment plan (the "**DRIP**") and a share purchase plan (the "**Purchase Plan**" and collectively with the DRIP, the "**Plans**"), each to be offered to holders of Common Shares resident in Canada and administered by TSX Trust Company (the "**Agent**"). On January 1, 2020, the Plans were assumed by the Trust pursuant to the Arrangement. The Plans enable Unitholders to increase their investment in the Trust by receiving distribution payments and/or optional cash payments in the form of Trust Units. Pursuant to the DRIP and Purchase Plan, holders of Trust Units may elect to: (a) have all cash distributions of the Trust automatically reinvested in additional Trust Units at the Average Market Price and (b) purchase Trust Units by contributing optional cash payments to the Trust, which will be invested for additional Trust Units at the Average Market Price.

If the Average Market Price is less than US\$8.10, (the "Reference Price"), the Agent shall use such funds to purchase, at a cost less than the Reference Price, additional Trust Units for the participants through the facilities of the TSXV for a period of five (5) trading days following the relevant distribution date. To the extent the Agent is unable to purchase additional Trust Units at a cost less than the Reference Price because Trust Units are not offered or are offered at prices which, after payment of brokerage fees or commissions, would result in a cost at or exceeding the Reference Price, then the remaining funds will be applied to the purchase of Trust Units from the treasury of the Trust at the Reference Price. If the Average Market Price is equal to or more than the Reference Price, the funds will be applied to the purchase of Trust Units from the treasury of the Trust at the Average Market Price.

A minimum purchase of \$3,000 on the last business day of each calendar quarter (a "Quarterly Purchase Date") and maximum purchases of up to \$12,000 per year (payable in one lump sum or from time to time on a Quarterly Purchase Date) are permitted under the DRIP and Purchase Plan. The aggregate number of Trust Units that may be issued under the DRIP and Purchase Plan may not exceed in each year 2% of the number (at the commencement of the fiscal year of the Trust) of the outstanding Trust Units.

For the three months ended December 31, 2020, 2,669 Trust Units were issued from treasury for total gross proceeds of \$21,623 to Unitholders who elected to receive their distributions under the DRIP.

WARRANTS

The Trust had the following warrants outstanding and exercisable as at December 31, 2020:

		Weighted		
	Number of	average exercise	Warrants	
Issuance Date	warrants	price	Reserve	Expiry Date
August 8, 2019 (i)	1,534,812	\$ CAD 12.60	\$ -	August 7, 2021
March 13, 2020 (ii)	1,590,000	\$ 10.75	\$ 15,338	March 13, 2022
Total/ Weighted Average	3,124,812	\$ 10.01	\$ 15,338	

The warrant reserve was calculated using the Black Scholes model. The following assumptions were used:

	December 31,			nuary 1,
Warrant Assumptions	2020 2		2020	
Stock Price	\$	5.37	\$	6.51
Exercise Price	CAD \$	12.60-\$10.75	\$8	3.50-\$9.50
Expected Life in Years		1.20	(0.41-0.86
Annualized Volatility		30.00%		30.00%
Annual Rate of Monthly Dividends	\$	0.24	\$	0.24
Discount Rate - Bond Equivalent Yield		0.17%		1.65%

- On August 8, 2019, the Trust issued 1,534,812 Warrants as part of the Convertible Debenture offering as further described in note 8(b) of the condensed consolidated interim financial statements. The warrants have an exercise price of CAD \$12.60 per Trust Unit and expire on August 7, 2021. As the functional currency of the Trust is USD, the Warrants were classified as embedded derivatives. The Trust has elected to classify and measure the Convertible Debenture at FVTPL with changes in fair value being recognized in finance costs.
- On March 13, 2020, the Trust issued 1,590,000 Warrants as part of the equity offering as further described in note 11(a)(ii) of the condensed consolidated interim financial statements. The Warrants have an exercise price \$10.75 per Trust Unit and expire on March 13, 2022.
- On May 27, 2020, 1,000 warrants were exercised resulting in net proceeds of \$0.008 million, while the remaining options expired.

For the year ended December 31, 2020, the recovery from its warrants was \$293,802.

OPTIONS

The Trust has a 10% rolling incentive stock option plan which provides for the issuance of incentive stock options to directors, management, employees and consultants of the Trust.

The Trust had the following options outstanding and exercisable on December 31, 2020:

		W	eighted		
		а	verage		
	Number of	е	xercise	Options	
Issuance Date	Options		price	Reserve	Expiry Date
August 17, 2017	368,738	\$	7.50	\$ 181,103	August 17, 2027
November 19, 2018	248,400	\$	8.30	\$ 109,071	November 19, 2028
Total/ Weighted Average	617,138	\$	7.82	\$ 290,174	

The option reserve was calculated using the Black Scholes model. The following assumptions were used:

	December 3	31, January 1	ī,
Option Assumptions	2020	2020	
Stock Price	\$.	5.37 \$ 6.5	51
Exercise Price	\$7.50-\$	88.30 \$7.50-\$8.3	30
Expected Life in Years	6.63-	-7.89 7.69-8.8	.89
Annualized Volatility	30.	00% 30.00)%
Annual Rate of Monthly Dividends	\$	0.24 \$ 0.2	24
Discount Rate - Bond Equivalent Yield	0.	17% 1.65	5%

For the year ended December 31, 2020, the recovery for the options was \$381,144.

SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Q1/2021 Distributions: On March 10, 2021, the Trust declared and approved quarterly distributions of \$0.059 per unit for unitholders on record on March 31, 2021 payable on or about April 15, 2021.

\$21.6 Million Bronx, NY Mortgage Refinancing: On February 25, 2021, the first mortgage on the Bronx, NY joint venture was refinanced for gross proceeds of \$21.6 million. With the \$3.6 million net proceeds received from the refinance and the \$1.6 million of capital contributed by Common Shareholders, the Preferred Equity was repaid in full. The mortgage is a 3.51%, \$21.6 million first mortgage with a 12-year term amortizing over 30 years.

NEW CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES

I. Amendments to IFRS 3 ("IFRS 3"). The IASB published amendments to IFRS 3 in relation to whether a transaction meets the definition of a business combination. The amendments clarify the definition of a business, as well as provide additional illustrative examples, including those relevant to the real estate industry. A significant change in the amendment is the option for an entity to assess whether substantially all of the fair value of the gross assets acquired is concentrated in a single asset or group of similar assets. If such a concentration exists, the transaction is not viewed as an acquisition of a business and no further assessment of the business combination guidance is required. This will be relevant where the value of the acquired entity is concentrated in one property, or a group of similar properties. The amendments are effective for business combinations for which the acquisition date is on or after the beginning of the first annual reporting period beginning on or after January 1, 2020, and to asset acquisitions that occur on or after the beginning of that period. The Trust adopted the amendments on January 1, 2020 and the adoption did not result in a material impact its consolidated financial statements.

II. Amendments to References to the Conceptual Framework in IFRS Standards. On March 29, 2018, the IASB issued a revised version of its Conceptual Framework for Financial Reporting (the Framework), that underpins IFRS Standards. The IASB also issued Amendments to References to the Conceptual Framework in IFRS Standards to update references in IFRS Standards to previous versions of the Conceptual Framework. Both documents are effective from January 1, 2020 with earlier application permitted. The Trust adopted the amendments on January 1, 2020 and the adoption of this standard did not result in a material impact to its consolidated financial statements.

III. Definition of Material (Amendments to IAS 1 and IAS 8). On October 31, 2018, the IASB refined its definition of material and removed the definition of material omission or

misstatements from IAS 8. The definition of material has been aligned across IFRS Standards and the Framework. The amendments provide a definition and explanatory paragraphs in one place. Pursuant to the amendments, information is material if omitting, misstating or obscuring it could reasonably be expected to influence decisions that the primary users of general purpose financial statements make on the basis of those financial statements, which provide financial information about a specific reporting entity. The amendments are effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2020. The Trust adopted the amendments on January 1, 2020 and the adoption of this standard did not result in a material impact reflected to its consolidated financial statements.

SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Significant accounting policies applied by the Trust are described in note 2 of the audited consolidated financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2020 and 2019, and accordingly should be referred to for a description of the significant accounting policies.

Statement of compliance

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB").

Basis of measurement

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared on the cost basis except as otherwise noted.

Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Trust and its whollyowned subsidiaries. All intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated upon consolidation. Subsidiaries are consolidated from the date control commences until control ceases.

Functional currency

As at December 31, 2020, the functional currency of the Trust and all of its subsidiaries is the US Dollar ("USD").

Investment properties

The Trust uses the fair value method to account for real estate classified as investment properties. The Trust's investment properties are principally held to earn rental income or for capital appreciation, or both. Investment properties are initially measured at cost, including transaction costs. Subsequent to initial recognition, investment properties are carried at fair value. Gains or losses arising from changes in fair value are recognized in profit and loss during the period in which they arise.

The Trust determines the fair value of the investment properties based on an overall capitalization method which is a generally accepted appraisal methodology. Under the overall capitalization method, year one net operating income is stabilized, incorporates allowances for vacancy, management fees and other operating expenses.

Subsequent capital expenditures are charged to the investment property only when it is probable that the future economic benefits of the expenditure will flow to the Trust and the cost can be measured reliably.

Equity Investments

Investments in entities where the Trust exercises significant influence are accounted for using the equity method and are recorded initially at cost plus the Trust's share of income or loss to date including the fair value adjustments to the underlying investment properties less dividends or distributions received. The rights and obligations towards uses of capital, distributions and repayment of debt are further defined in the respective Limited Partnership Agreements.

Preferred Investments and Preferred Capital Investments

Preferred investments and preferred capital investments are debt and/or equity investments provided to sponsors or borrowers to acquire real estate. These investments are typically ranked above common equity and generate a fixed rate of return over the life of the investment. The investments are recorded at amortized cost.

Assets held for sale and discontinued operations

Non-current assets and groups of assets and liabilities which are comprised of disposal groups are presented as assets held for sale where the asset or disposal group is available for sale in its present condition, and the sale is highly probable. For this purpose, a sale is highly probable if management is committed to a plan to achieve the sale; there is an active program to find a buyer; the non-current asset or disposal group is being actively marketed at a reasonable price; the sale is anticipated to be completed within one year from the date of classification; and it is unlikely there will be changes to the plan. Where an asset or disposal group is acquired with a view to resale, it is classified as a current asset held for sale if the disposal is expected to take place within one year of the acquisition. Non-current assets held for sale and disposal groups are carried at fair value less costs to sell. When a component of an entity has been disposed of, or is reclassified as held for sale, and it represents a separate major line of business or geographical area of operations or is a subsidiary acquired exclusively with a view to resale, the related results of operations and gain or loss on reclassification or disposition are presented in discontinued operations. The profit or loss arising on disposition of assets or disposal groups that do not represent discontinued operations are presented in gains (losses) on disposition of investment properties.

Accounting for acquisitions

The Trust assesses whether an acquisition transaction should be accounted for as an asset acquisition or a business combination under IFRS 3, Business Combinations ("IFRS 3"). Accounting for business combinations under IFRS 3 is only applicable if it is determined that a business has been acquired. Under IFRS 3, a business is defined as an integrated set of activities and assets conducted and managed for the purpose of providing a return to investors or lower costs or other economic benefits directly and proportionately to the Trust. A business generally consists of inputs, processes applied to those inputs, and resulting outputs that are, or will be, used to generate revenues. In the absence of such criteria, a group of assets is deemed to have been acquired. If goodwill is present in a transferred set of activities and assets, the transferred set is presumed to be a business.

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents includes cash on hand to fund acquisition and other operating requirements. Cash and cash equivalents consists of cash on deposit and liquid money market funds, which are held at major Canadian and American banking institutions.

Financial instruments - recognition and measurement

The Trust recognizes a financial asset or a financial liability when, and only when, it becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. Such financial assets or financial liabilities are initially recognized at fair value plus or minus directly attributable transaction costs when a financial asset or financial liability is not recognized at fair value through profit or loss. Transaction costs of financial assets carried at fair value through profit or loss are expensed in profit or loss. Subsequent measurement depends on the initial classification of the financial asset or financial liability.

The classification of financial assets depends on the entity's business model for managing the financial assets and the contractual terms of the cash flows. Financial assets are classified and measured based on the following categories:

- amortized cost
- fair value through other comprehensive income ("FVOCI")
- fair value through profit or loss ("FVTPL")

The following summarizes the Trust's classification of financial assets and liabilities:

	Notes	Classification
Assets		
Preferred Investments	5	Amortized cost
Preferred Capital Investments	6	Amortized cost
Accounts Receivable		Amortized cost
Deposits and Other Assets		Amortized cost
Restricted Cash		Amortized cost
Cash and Cash Equivalents		Amortized cost
Liabilities		
Mortgages Payable	9,10	Amortized cost
Convertible Debentures Payable	8,10	FVTPL
Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities	14	Amortized cost
Unit Based Liabilities	11(c),(d),17	FVTPL

Financial Instruments - Impairment

The Trust uses the "expected credit loss" ("ECL") model to assess impairment for financial assets carried at amortized cost.

Account receivables

The Trust applies the simplified approach and measures loss allowances at an amount equal to lifetime ECLs. The Trust adopted the practical expedient to determine ECL on account receivables based on historical credit loss experiences to estimate lifetime ECLs.

Preferred investments and preferred capital investments

For the preferred investments and preferred capital investments with low credit risk (Stage 1), the Trust determines its credit loss using 12-month ECL approach, and where the credit risk has increased (Stage 2) or in default (Stage 3) the Trust uses a life time ECL approach.

The determination of significant increase in credit risk takes into account different factors which vary based on the investment. The Trust assumes that the credit risk on a financial asset has increased significantly if it is more than 30 days past due and certain criteria are met which are specific to the individual customer/borrower and underlying asset, based on judgement.

When determining the ECL provision, the Trust considers reasonable and supportable information that is relevant and available without undue cost or effort. Management considers past events, current market conditions, and reasonable forecasts of future economic events based on mutually agreed assumptions. In assessing potential economic outcomes, the Trust assess multiple scenarios and evaluates the most probable outcome based on facts and management's expertise.

In the calculation of ECLs, management has considered key macroeconomic variables that are relevant to each investment type. The estimation of future cash flows also includes assumptions about local market for the real estate, availability of future financing and the underlying value of the asset. These assumptions are limited to the availability of comparable market data and the uncertainty of future events. Accordingly, the estimates of impairment are subjective and may not be comparable to the actual outcome. Should the underlying assumptions change, the estimated future cashflows could vary. The Trust exercises judgement to incorporate multiple economic models in the determination of the final ECL.

Revenue recognition

The Trust has retained substantially all of the risks and benefits of ownership of its investment properties and therefore accounts for leases with its tenants as operating leases. Revenue recognition under a lease commences when the tenant has a right to use the leased asset. Non- rental revenue is recorded as the services are provided over the term of the rental contract.

Finance costs

Finance costs comprise interest expense on borrowings and impairment losses, if any, recognized on financial assets.

Income taxes

Income tax expense comprises current and deferred tax. Current tax and deferred tax are recognized in net income (loss) except for items recognized directly in equity or in other comprehensive income/ (loss).

Current income taxes are recognized for the estimated income taxes payable or receivable on taxable income or loss for the current year and any adjustment to income taxes payable in respect of previous years. Current income taxes are determined using tax rates and tax laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the end of the reporting period, and any adjustment to tax payable in respect of previous years.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized where the carrying amount of an asset or liability differs from its tax basis, except for taxable temporary differences arising on the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction which is not a business combination and at the time of the transaction affects neither accounting nor taxable profit nor loss. Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are measured using tax rates that have been enacted or substantively enacted applied to taxable income in the years in which those temporary differences are expected to be recovered or settled. The effect on deferred income tax assets and liabilities of a change in statutory tax rates is recognized in net income (loss) in the year of change.

Recognition of deferred tax assets for unused tax losses, tax credits and deductible temporary differences is restricted to those instances where it is probable that future taxable profit will be available against which the deferred tax asset can be utilized. At the end of each reporting period the Trust reassesses unrecognized deferred tax assets. The Trust recognizes a previously unrecognized-deferred tax asset to the extent that it has become probable that future taxable profit will allow the deferred tax asset to be recovered.

Consolidated statement of cash flows

The Trust prepares its consolidated statement of cash flows using the indirect method. The Trust classifies interest received and paid as part of operating activities in the consolidated statement of cash flows.

Significant estimates and judgements

The preparation of the consolidated financial statements requires management to make estimates and judgements that affect the classification and reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the consolidated financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates and judgements. In making estimates and judgements, management relies on external information and observable conditions where possible, supplemented by internal analysis as required.

The estimates and judgements used in determining the recorded amount for assets and liabilities in the consolidated financial statements include the following:

Equity accounted investments

Judgement is used to determine that the Trust exercises significant influence over the operating and financing activities of the associate instead of joint control.

Impairment of Preferred Investments and Preferred Capital Investments

Management uses judgement in assessing factors discussed above in assessing ECL.

Impairment of Trade receivables

Management uses judgement in assessing factors discussed above in assessing ECL.

Investment properties

The Trust uses significant estimates in the calculations for capitalization rates, inflation rates, vacancy rates, and net rental income.

Accounting for acquisitions

Judgement is used by management in determining whether the acquisition of an individual property, or group of properties, qualifies as a business combination in accordance with IFRS 3 or as an asset acquisition.

Unitholders' Equity

As part of the Arrangement completed on January 1, 2020 the common shares of the predecessor Corporation were converted into trust units. The Trust Units are redeemable at the option of the holder and, therefore, are considered puttable instruments in accordance with International Accounting Standard 32 (IAS 32) and as further described in note 11(a). Puttable instruments are required to be accounted for as financial liabilities, except where certain conditions are met in accordance with IAS 32, in which case, puttable instruments may be presented as equity. To be presented as equity, a puttable instrument must meet all of the following conditions: (i) it must entitle the holder to a pro rata share of the entity's net assets in the event of the entity's dissolution; (ii) it must be in the class of instruments that is subordinate to all other instruments; (iii) all instruments in the class must have identical features; (iv) other than the redemption feature, there can be no other contractual obligations that meet the definition of a liability; and (v) the expected cash flows for the instrument must be based substantially on the profit or loss of the entity or change in fair value of the instrument. This is called the "Puttable Instrument Exemption". The Trust Units meet the Puttable Instrument Exemption criteria and accordingly are presented as equity in the consolidated financial statements. The distributions on Trust Units are deducted from retained earnings.

Unit-based compensation

Estimating fair value for unit-based compensation transactions requires determining the most appropriate valuation model, which is dependent on the terms and conditions of the grant. This estimate also requires determining the most appropriate inputs to the valuation model including expected life of the unit-based payment, volatility and dividend vield.

The Trust has issued options, warrants and deferred trust units (collectively the "Units") as outlined in notes 8, 11(c),(d),(e) and 17 of these consolidated financial statements. These Units were granted to senior management, the Board of Trustees of the Trust, investors in the convertible debenture offering (note 8) and the unit issuance (note 11(a)(ii)). These Units provide holders with the right to receive Trust Units, which are puttable. The Trust measures these Units at fair value at the grant date, a compensation recovery/ expense is recognized over the vesting period. The fair values of the units are determined at both the Arrangement date and each reporting period and the change in fair value is recognized as a fair value adjustment to financial instruments. Unit-based compensation is classified as a liability.

RESPONSIBILITY OF MANAGEMENT AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Management is responsible for the information disclosed in this MD&A, and has in place the appropriate information systems, procedures and controls to ensure that the information used internally by management and disclosed externally is materially complete and reliable. In addition, the Trust's Audit Committee and Board of Trustees provide an oversight role with respect to all public financial disclosures by the Trust, and

have reviewed and approved this MD&A and the consolidated financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2020 and 2019.

CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

The Trust maintains appropriate information systems, procedures and controls to ensure that information disclosed externally is complete, reliable, and timely. The Trust's Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer evaluated, or caused an evaluation under their direct supervision of, the design and operating effectiveness of the Trust's disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in National Instrument 52-109, Certification of Disclosure in Issuers' Annual and Interim Filings) as at December 31, 2020 and have concluded that such disclosure controls and procedures were appropriately designed and were operating effectively.

The Trust has also established adequate internal controls over financial reporting to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of the Trust's financial reporting and the preparation of the financial statements for external purposes in accordance with IFRS. The Trust's Chief Executive Officer and the Chief Financial Officer assessed, or caused an assessment under their direct supervision, of the design and operating effectiveness of the Trust's internal controls over financial reporting (as defined in National Instrument 52-109, Certification of Disclosure in Issuers' Annual and Interim Filings) as at December 31, 2020. Based on that assessment, it was determined that the Trust's internal controls over financial reporting were appropriately designed and were operating effectively. In addition, the Trust did not make any changes to the design of the Trust's internal controls over financial reporting during the three months ended December 31, 2020 that would have materially affected or would be reasonably likely to materially affect the Trust's internal controls over financial reporting.

It should be noted that a control system, no matter how well conceived and operated, can provide only reasonable, not absolute, assurance that the objectives of the control system are met. Because of the inherent limitations in all control systems, no evaluation of controls can provide absolute assurance that all control issues, including instances of fraud, if any, have been detected. These inherent limitations include, among other items: (i) that management's assumptions and judgments could ultimately prove to be incorrect under varying conditions and circumstances; (ii) the impact of any undetected errors; and (iii) controls may be circumvented by the unauthorized acts of individuals, by collusion of two or more people, or by management override. The design of any system of controls is also based in part upon certain assumptions about the likelihood of future events, and there can be no assurance that any design will succeed in achieving its stated goals under all potential future conditions.

RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

GEOGRAPHIC CONCENTRATION

The properties are located in the States of Florida, Georgia, New Jersey, New York, Texas, Maryland and Connecticut. Accordingly, the market value of the properties and the income to be generated by the Trust's performance are particularly sensitive to changes in the economic conditions and regulatory environments of those U.S. states. Adverse changes in the economic condition or regulatory environment of these U.S. states may have a material adverse effect on the Trust's business, cash flows, financial condition, and results of operations.

ACQUISITION RISK

The Trust may be subject to significant operating risks associated with its expanded operations. The Trust's business strategy includes growth through identifying suitable acquisition opportunities, pursuing such opportunities, consummating acquisitions, and effectively operating and leasing such properties. If the Trust is unable to manage its growth effectively, it could have a material adverse effect on the Trust's business, cash flows, financial condition, and results of operations. There can be no assurance as to the pace of growth through property acquisitions or that the Trust will be able to acquire assets that are accretive to earnings and/or cash flow. The Trust intends to acquire additional properties selectively. The acquisition of additional properties entails risks that investments will fail to perform in accordance with expectations. In undertaking such acquisitions, the Trust will incur certain risks, including the expenditure of funds, including non-refundable deposits, due diligence costs and inspection fees, and the devotion of management's time to transactions that may not come to fruition. Additional risks inherent in acquisitions include risks that the properties will not achieve anticipated occupancy levels and that estimates of the costs and benefits of the renovation and repositioning program intended for the property being acquired may prove inaccurate or may not have the intended results.

CO-INVESTMENT/INVESTMENTS IN ASSOCIATES

The Trust currently is and may in the future become, invested in, or a participant in, directly or indirectly, investments in associates and partnerships with third parties. An investment in an associate or partnership involves certain additional risks, including: (i) the possibility that such associate/partners may at any time have economic or business interests or goals that will be or are inconsistent with those of the Trust or take actions contrary to the Manager's instructions or requests or to the Manager's policies or objectives; (ii) the associate/partner may have control over all of the day to day and fundamental decisions relating to a property; the risk that such associates/partners could experience financial difficulties or seek the protection of bankruptcy, insolvency or other laws, which could result in additional financial demands to maintain and operate such properties or repay the associates/partners' unit of property debt guaranteed by the Trust or its Subsidiary Entities or for which the Trust or its Subsidiary Entities will be liable and/or result in the Trust suffering or incurring delays, expenses and other problems associated with obtaining court approval of an investment in associates or partnership decisions; (iv) the risk that such associates/partners may, through their activities on behalf of or in the name of the associates or partnerships, expose or subject the Trust or its Subsidiary Entities to liability; and (v) the need to obtain associates/ partners' consents with respect to certain major decisions or inability to have any decision making authority, including the decision to distribute cash generated from such properties or to refinance or sell a property. In addition, the sale or transfer of interests in certain of the investments in associates and partnerships may be subject to certain requirements, such as rights of first refusal, rights of first offer or drag-along rights, and certain of the investment in associates and partnership agreements may provide for buysell or similar arrangements. Such rights may inhibit the Trust's ability to sell an interest in a property or an investment in associates/partnership within the time frame or otherwise on the basis the Trust desires. Additionally, drag-along rights may be triggered at a time when the Trust may not desire to sell its interest in a property, but the Trust may be forced to do so at a time when it would not otherwise be in the Trust's best interest. In addition, associates/partners of the Trust may sell their interest in the applicable entity to a third party with the result that the Trust is investing in associates or partnering with an unknown third party.

PURCHASE AGREEMENTS

Additional properties may be sold to the Trust in an "as is" condition, and upon acquisition of said properties, the Trust may have limited recourse with respect to conditions affecting the purchased properties. The costs of unexpected repair and remediation work could be material and may, therefore, have an adverse effect on the Trust's financial condition and results of operations. Furthermore, representations and warranties made by the seller in a purchase agreement, if any, may survive only for a limited period of time after closing. If claims arising as a result of a breach of a representation or warranty are discovered after this period, the Trust may not be able to seek indemnification from the seller and would, therefore, suffer the financial consequences of such a breach, which could be material. Moreover, even if the Trust was entitled to indemnification from the seller, no assurance can be given that the seller would have sufficient funds to satisfy any such indemnification claims.

NON-REFUNDABLE DEPOSITS

Property acquisition transactions may require deposits by the Trust and costs to be incurred by the Trust, which may be non-refundable. If such transactions fail to close, these funds may be unrecoverable in whole or in part, thereby reducing funds otherwise available to the Trust.

OPERATIONAL RISKS

Operational risk is the risk that a direct or indirect loss may result from an inadequate or failed infrastructure, from a human process, or from external events. The impact of this risk may be financial loss, loss of reputation, or legal and regulatory proceedings. The Trust endeavors to minimize losses in this area by ensuring that effective infrastructure and controls exist. These controls are constantly reviewed and, if deemed necessary, improvements are implemented.

RISKS RELATED TO PREFERRED CAPITAL LOAN DEFAULTS

The Trust may from time to time deem it appropriate to extend or renew the term of a preferred capital loan past its maturity, or to accrue the interest on a preferred capital loan. The Trust generally will do so if it believes that there is a very low risk to the Trust of not being repaid the full principal and interest owing on the preferred capital loan. In these circumstances, however, the Trust is subject to the risk that the principal and/or accrued interest of such preferred capital loan may not be repaid in a timely manner or at all, which could impact the cash flows of the Trust during the period in which it is exercising such remedies. Further, in the event that the valuation of the asset underlying the preferred capital loan has fluctuated substantially due to market conditions, there is a risk that the Trust may not recover all or substantially all of the principal and interest owed to the Trust in respect of such preferred capital loan. When a preferred capital loan is extended past its maturity, the loan can either be held over on a month to month basis, or renewed for an additional term at the time of its maturity. Notwithstanding any such extension or renewal, if the borrower subsequently defaults under any terms of the loan, the Trust has the ability, subject to the rights of creditors in priority to the Trust, to exercise its preferred capital enforcement remedies in respect of the extended or renewed preferred capital loan. Exercising preferred capital enforcement remedies is a process that requires a significant amount of time to complete, which could adversely impact the cash flows of the Trust during the period of enforcement. In addition, as a result of potential declines in real estate values, in particular given the current economic environment, there is no assurance that the Trust will be able to recover all or substantially all of the outstanding principal and interest owed to the Trust in respect of such preferred capital loans by exercising its preferred capital loan enforcement remedies. Should the Trust be unable to recover all or substantially all of the principal and interest owed to the Trust in respect of such preferred capital loans, the returns, financial condition and results of operations of the Trust could be adversely impacted.

FORECLOSURE AND RELATED COSTS

One or more borrowers could fail to make payments according to the terms of their loan, and the Trust could therefore be forced to exercise its rights as the preferred creditor. The recovery of a portion of the Trust's assets may not be possible for an extended period of time during this process and there are circumstances where there may be complications in the enforcement of the Trust's rights as the preferred creditor. Legal fees and expenses and other costs incurred by the Trust in enforcing its rights as the preferred creditor against a defaulting borrower are usually recoverable from the borrower directly or through the sale of the secured property by power of sale or otherwise, although there is no assurance that they will actually be recovered. In the event that these expenses are not recoverable, they will be borne by the Trust. Furthermore, certain significant expenditures, including property taxes, capital repair and replacement costs, maintenance costs, mortgage payments, insurance costs and related charges must be made through the period of ownership of real property regardless of whether the property is producing income or whether preferred capital loan payments are being made. The Trust may therefore be required to incur such expenditures to protect its investment, even if the borrower is not honouring its contractual obligations.

COVID-19 RISK

On March 11, 2020, the World Health Organization declared COVID-19 a global pandemic, which has resulted in the federal and provincial governments, as well as U.S. federal and state governments. Reactions to the spread of COVID-19 have led to, among other things, significant restrictions on travel, business closures, quarantines and a general reduction in consumer activity and the institution of government programs to assist in addressing the economic impact of COVID-19. While these affects are expected to be temporary, the duration of the business disruption and

related financial impact cannot be reasonably estimated at this time and may be instituted, terminated and re-instituted from time to time as the COVID-19 outbreak worsens or waves of the COVID-19 outbreak occur from time to time.

The extent of the effect of the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic on the Trust's operational and financial performance will depend numerous factors, including the duration, spread and intensity of the pandemic, the actions by governments and others taken to contain the pandemic or mitigate its impact, changes in the preferences of tenants and prospective tenants, and the direct and indirect economic effects of the pandemic and containment measures, all of which are uncertain and difficult to predict considering that the situation continues to evolve rapidly. As a result, it is not currently possible to ascertain the long term impact of COVID-19 on the Trust's business and operations.

Accordingly, these events could have a material adverse effect on the Trust's business, financial conditions and cash flows. The Trust is continuously monitoring the impact of COVID-19 and will continue to transparently communicate with its staff, tenants and stakeholders.

RISK OF NATURAL DISASTERS

The properties located in Florida may have sustained significant storm damage in the past and may sustain significant storm damage in the future. While the Trust will take insurance to cover a substantial portion of the cost of such events, the Trust's insurance is likely to include deductible amounts and exclusions such that certain items may not be covered by insurance. Future hurricanes, floods, or other natural disasters may significantly affect the Trust's operations and some or all of the properties, and more specifically, may cause the Trust to experience reduced rental revenue (including from increased vacancy), incur cleanup costs as well as administration and collection costs, or otherwise incur costs in connection with such events. Any of these events may have a material adverse effect on the Trust's business, cash flows, financial condition, and results of operations and ability to declare and pay dividends, if any, to Trust unitholders. As well, if the Trust was unable to obtain adequate insurance, and the properties experienced damages that would otherwise have been covered by insurance, it could have a material adverse effect on the Trust's business, cash flows, and financial condition.

RISK OF LOSS NOT COVERED BY INSURANCE

The Trust maintains insurance policies related to its business, including casualty, general liability, and other policies covering the Trust's business operations, employees, and assets. However, the Trust will be required to bear all losses that are not adequately covered by insurance, as well as any insurance deductibles. In the event of a substantial property loss, the existing insurance coverage may be insufficient to pay the full current market value or current replacement cost of such property loss. In the event of an uninsured loss, the Trust could lose some or all of its capital investment, cash flow and anticipated profits related to one or more properties. Although the Trust believes that its insurance programs are adequate, assurance cannot be provided that the Trust will not incur losses in excess of insurance coverage or that insurance can be obtained in the future at acceptable levels and reasonable cost.

RISK RELATED TO INSURANCE RENEWALS

Certain events could make it more difficult and expensive to obtain property and casualty insurance, including coverage for catastrophic risks. When the Trust's current insurance policies expire, the Trust may encounter difficulty in obtaining or renewing property or casualty insurance on the properties at the same levels of coverage and under similar terms. Such insurance may be more limited and, for catastrophic risks (e.g., earthquake, hurricane, flood and terrorism), may not be generally available to fully cover potential losses. Even if the Trust is able to renew policies at levels and with limitations consistent with current policies, the Trust cannot be sure that it will be able to obtain such insurance at premiums that are reasonable. If the Trust is unable to obtain adequate insurance on the properties for certain risks, it could cause the Trust to be in default under specific covenants on certain of its indebtedness or other contractual commitments that it has which require the Trust to maintain adequate insurance on the properties to protect against the risk of loss. If this were to occur, or if the Trust were unable to obtain

adequate insurance and the properties experienced damages that would otherwise have been covered by insurance, it could have a material adverse effect on the Trust's business, cash flows, financial condition, and results of operations.

ACCESS TO CAPITAL

The real estate industry is highly capital intensive. The Trust will require access to capital to maintain the properties, as well as to periodically fund its growth strategy and significant capital expenditures. There can be no assurance that the Trust will have access to sufficient capital or access to capital on terms favourable to the Trust for future property acquisitions, financing or refinancing of the properties, funding operating expenses, or other purposes.

In addition, global financial markets have experienced a sharp increase in volatility during recent years. This has been, in part, the result of the re-valuation of assets on the balance sheets of international financial institutions and related securities. This has contributed to a reduction in liquidity among financial institutions and has reduced the availability of credit to those institutions and to the companies who borrow from them. While central banks as well as governments continue attempts to restore liquidity to the global economy, no assurance can be given that the combined impact of the significant re-valuations and constraints on the availability of credit will not continue to cause material adverse effect on economies around the world in the near to medium term. These market conditions and unexpected volatility or illiquidity in financial markets may inhibit the Trust's access to long-term financing, in the Canadian and/or United States capital markets. As a result, it is possible that financing which the Trust may require in order to grow and expand its operations, upon the expiry of the term of financing, on refinancing any particular property owned by the Trust or otherwise, may not be available or, if it is available, may not be available on favourable terms to the Trust. Failure by the Trust to access required capital could have a material adverse effect on the Trust's business, cash flows, financial condition and results of operations, and ability to declare and pay dividends, if any, to Trust unitholders.

FINANCING RISK

A portion of the cash flow generated by the properties will be devoted to servicing indebtedness, and there can be no assurance that the Trust will continue to generate sufficient cash flow from operations to meet required interest and principal payments. If the Trust is unable to meet interest or principal payments, it could be required to seek renegotiation of such payments or obtain additional equity, debt, or other financing. The failure of the Trust to make or renegotiate interest or principal payments or obtain additional equity, debt, or other financing could have a material adverse effect on the Trust's business, cash flows, financial condition, and results of operations.

The Trust will be subject to the risks associated with debt financing, including the risk that the convertible debentures, mortgages, and banking facilities secured by the properties will not be able to be refinanced or that the terms of such refinancing will not be as favourable as the terms of existing indebtedness. If the Trust decides to utilize variable rate debt, such debt will result in fluctuations in the Trust's cost of borrowing as interest rates change. To the extent that interest rates rise there may be a material adverse effect on the Trust's business, cash flows, financial condition, and results of operations.

The Trust will seek to manage its financing risk by maintaining a balanced maturity profile with no significant amounts coming due in one particular period. Given the increased credit quality of such debt, the probability of the Trust being unable to renew the maturing debt or transfer the debt to another accredited lending institution is significantly reduced. However, there can be no assurance that the renewal of debt will be on as favourable terms as existing indebtedness.

The Trust's credit facilities may also contain covenants that require it to maintain certain financial ratios on specific portfolios and/or on a consolidated basis. If the Trust does not maintain such ratios, its cash flows may be restricted and the ability to issue, declare, and pay dividends, if any, may be limited.

DEGREE OF LEVERAGE

The Trust's degree of leverage could have important consequences to Trust unitholders. For example, the degree of leverage could affect the Trust's ability to obtain additional financing in the future for working capital, capital expenditures, acquisitions, development, or other general purposes, making the Trust more vulnerable to a downturn in business or the economy in general.

As interest rates fluctuate in the lending market, generally so too do capitalization rates which affect the underlying value of real estate. As such, when interest rates rise, generally capitalization rates should be expected to rise. Over the period of investment, capital gains and losses at the time of disposition can occur due to the increase or decrease of these capitalization rates.

DEPENDENCE ON FIRM CAPITAL REALTY PARTENRS ADVISORS INC. ("FCRPAI") The Trust's earnings and operations are impacted by FCRPAI's ability to source appropriate real estate investments that provide sufficient yields for investors and FCRPAI to maintain these real estate investments. The Trust has also entered into a long-term contract with FCRPAI, as more particularly described in an agreement dated January 1, 2020 as posted on SEDAR (www.sedar.com). The Trust is exposed to adverse developments in the business and affairs of FCRPAI, since the day to day activities of the Trust are run by FCRPAI and since all of the Trust's debt and equity investments are originated by FCRPAI.

RELIANCE ON PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

The Trust relies upon independent management companies to perform property management functions in respect of certain of the Properties. To the extent the Trust relies upon such management companies, the employees of such management companies will devote as much of their time to the management of the Properties as in their judgment is reasonably required and may have conflicts of interest in allocating management time, services and functions among the Properties and their other development, investment and/or management activities.

LITIGATION RISKS

In the normal course of the Trust's operations, whether directly or indirectly, it may become involved in, named as a party to, or the subject of, various legal proceedings, including regulatory proceedings, tax proceedings, and legal actions relating to personal injuries, property damage, property taxes, land rights, the environment, and contract disputes. The outcome with respect to outstanding, pending or future proceedings cannot be predicted with certainty and may be determined in a manner adverse to the

Trust and, as a result, could have a material adverse effect on the Trust's assets, liabilities, business, financial condition, and results of operations. Even if the Trust prevails in any such legal proceeding, the proceedings could be costly and time-consuming and may divert the attention of management and key personnel from the Trust's business operations, which could have a material adverse effect on the Trust's business, cash flows, financial condition, and results of operations.

LAWS BENEFITING DISABLED PERSONS

Laws benefiting disabled persons may result in unanticipated expenses being incurred by the Trust. Under the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (the "ADA"), all places intended to be used by the public are required to meet certain federal requirements related to access and use by disabled persons. The Fair Housing Amendments Act of 1988 (the "FHAA") requires apartment properties first occupied after March 13, 1991 to comply with design and construction requirements for disabled access. For those projects receiving federal funds, the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 also has requirements regarding disabled access. These and other federal, state and local laws may require modifications to the Trust properties, or affect renovations of the properties. Noncompliance with these laws could result in the imposition of fines or an award of damages to private litigants and could also result in an order to correct any noncomplying feature, which could result in substantial capital expenditures. Although the Trust believes that the properties are substantially in compliance with present requirements, the Trust may incur unanticipated expenses to comply with the ADA, the FHAA, and the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 in connection with the ongoing operation or redevelopment of the properties.

POTENTIAL CONFLICTS OF INTEREST WITH TRUSTEES

There are potential conflicts of interest to which some of the trustees, officers, insiders and promoters of the Trust will be subject in connection with the operations of the Trust. Conflicts, if any, will be subject to the procedures and remedies as provided under the Ontario Business Corporations Act.

INTERNAL CONTROLS

Effective internal controls are necessary for the Trust to provide reliable financial reports and to help prevent fraud. Although the Trust will undertake a number of procedures and will implement a number of safeguards in order to help ensure the reliability of its financial reports, in each case, including those imposed on the Trust under Canadian securities law, the Trust cannot be certain that such measures will ensure that the Trust will maintain adequate control over financial processes and reporting. Failure to implement required new or improved controls, or difficulties encountered in their implementation, could harm the Trust's results of operations or cause it to fail to meet its reporting obligations. If the Trust or its auditors discover a material weakness, the disclosure of that fact, even if quickly remedied, could reduce the market's confidence in the Trust's consolidated financial statements and material adverse effect on the trading price of the units.

U.S. LAWS AND REGULATIONS

The Trust carries on business in the U.S. and, accordingly, is subject to United States federal, state and local laws, rules, regulations and requirements. Although the Trust believes that the Properties are substantially in compliance with present laws, rules, regulations and requirements, the Trust may incur unanticipated expenses to comply

with such laws, rules, regulations and requirements. Noncompliance with these laws, rules, regulations and requirements could have a material adverse effect on the Trust's business, cash flows, financial condition and results of operations and could result in, among other things, the imposition of fines or an award of damages to private litigants and also could result in an order to correct any non-complying feature of the Properties, which could result in substantial capital expenditures.

U.S. CURRENCY RISK

The Convertible Debenture financing was obtained in Canadian Dollars but invests in the US Market using US Dollars. Accordingly, the Trust has a risk that the value of the US Dollar will increase requiring more Canadian Dollars. In addition, the finance costs are paid in Canadian Dollars and a decrease in the US Dollar at such time will adversely affect the Trust.

FLORIDA, GEORGIA & TEXAS WEATHER

Florida, Georgia, and Texas historically have experienced periods of extreme weather that have resulted in periods of severe thunderstorms, tornadoes, wind, and rain damage. Extreme weather, including hurricanes and/or tornadoes, can have a negative impact upon the Trust's operating results and financial condition, including damage to property and equipment, increasing material costs, increasing labour costs, increasing insurance premiums, increased time to completion of renovation due to the foregoing factors, and increase in government regulations with respect to setbacks, drainage and engineering of seawalls, and other protective features.

LIQUIDITY

The Trust is a relatively new issuer and there can be no assurance that an active trading market in the units will be sustained. There is a significant liquidity risk associated with an investment in the units.

RELIANCE ON ASSUMPTIONS

The Trust's investment objectives and strategy have been formulated based on the analysis and expectations regarding recent economic developments in the U.S., the future recovery of U.S. real estate markets in general, and the U.S. to Canadian dollar exchange rate. Such analysis may be incorrect and such expectations may not be realized.

GENERAL REAL ESTATE OWNERSHIP RISKS

All real property investments are subject to risks generally incident to the ownership, remodeling, operation, and sale of real estate, including: (a) changes in general economic or local conditions; (b) changes in supply of or demand for similar or competing properties in a particular geographic area; (c) bankruptcies, financial difficulties, or defaults by vendors, contractors, tenants, and others; (d) increases in operating costs, such as taxes and insurance; (e) the inability to achieve occupancy at rental rates adequate to produce desired financial returns; (f) periods of high interest rates and tight money supply; (g) excess supply of rental properties in the market area; (h) liability for uninsured losses resulting from natural disasters or other perils; (i) liability for environmental hazards; (j) changes in tax, real estate, or environmental laws or regulations; and (k) changes in availability of financing. For these and other reasons, no assurance can be given that the investment will be profitable or that it will achieve its financial objectives.

Certain significant expenditures, including property taxes, maintenance costs, insurance costs, and related charges must be made throughout the period of ownership of real property regardless of whether a property is producing any income. Real property investments tend to be relatively illiquid. This illiquidity will limit the ability of the Trust to respond to changing economic or investment conditions. If the Trust were required to liquidate assets quickly, there is a risk the proceeds realized from such a sale would be less than the book value of the assets or less than what could be expected to be realized under normal circumstances. By specializing in a particular type of real estate, the Trust is exposed to adverse effects on that segment of the real estate market and does not benefit from a broader diversification of its portfolio by property class.

All real property investments are subject to elements of risk. The value of real property and any improvements thereto depend on the credit and financial stability of tenants and upon the vacancy rates of the properties. The properties generate revenue through rental payments made by the tenants. The ability to rent un-leased suites in properties will be affected by many factors, including changes in general economic conditions (such as the availability and cost of mortgage funds), local conditions (such as an oversupply of space or a reduction in demand for real estate in the area), government regulations, changing demographics, competition from other available properties, and various other factors. The ability to declare and pay dividends, if any, will be adversely affected if a significant number of tenants are unable to meet their obligations under their leases, or if a significant amount of available space in the properties becomes vacant and cannot be leased on economically favourable lease terms. If properties do not generate revenues sufficient to meet operating expenses, including debt service and capital expenditures, this could have a material adverse effect on the Trust's business, cash flows, financial condition, and results of operations and ability to declare and pay dividends, if any, to Unitholders.

Historical occupancy rates and revenues are not necessarily an accurate prediction of the future occupancy rates for the properties or revenues to be thus derived. Reported estimates of market rent can be seasonal and the significance of any variations from quarter to quarter would material adverse effect the Trust's annualized estimated gain-to-lease amount. There can be no assurance that upon the expiration or termination of existing leases that the average occupancy rates and revenues will be higher than historical occupancy rates and revenues, and it may take a significant amount of time for market rents to be recognized by the Trust due to internal and external limitations on its ability to charge these new market based rents in the short term.

The short-term nature of residential tenant leases exposes the Trust to the effects of declining market rent, which could have a material adverse effect the Trust's results from operations and ability to declare and pay dividends, if any. Most of the Trust's residential tenant leases will be for a term of one year or less. Because the Trust's residential tenant leases generally permit residents to leave at the end of their lease term without any penalty, the Trust's rental revenue may have material adverse effects by declines in market rents more quickly than if such leases were for longer terms.

SUBSTITUTIONS FOR RESIDENTIAL RENTAL UNITS

Demand for the properties is impacted by and inversely related to the relative cost of home ownership. The cost of home ownership depends upon, among other things, interest rates offered by financial institutions on mortgages and similar home financing transactions. With the recent global economic crisis and its impact on the U.S. credit markets, interest rates offered by financial institutions for financing home ownership have been at historically low levels. If the interest rates offered by financial institutions for home ownership financing remain low, demand for rental properties may be adversely affected. A reduction in the demand for rental properties may have a material adverse effect on the Trust's ability to lease suites in the properties and on the rents charged. This, in turn, may have a material adverse effect on the Trust's business, cash flows, financial condition, and results of operations and the ability to declare and pay any dividends, if any, to Unitholders.

COMPETITION

The multi-family property sector is highly competitive. The Trust faces competition from many sources, including individuals, Trust's or other entities engaged in real estate investment activities, many of whom have greater financial resources than the Trust. There is also competition from other rental properties in the immediate vicinity of the various properties and the broader geographic areas where the properties are and will be located. Furthermore, the properties that the Trust owns or may acquire compete with numerous housing alternatives in attracting tenants, including home ownership. The relative demand for such alternatives may be increased by declining mortgage interest rates, government programs which promote home ownership, or other events or initiatives which increase the affordability of such alternatives to the properties and could have a material adverse effect on the Trust's ability to retain tenants and increase or maintain rental rates. Such competition may reduce occupancy rates and rental revenues of the Trust and could have a material adverse effect on the Trust's business, cash flows, financial condition, and results of operations and the ability to declare and pay any distributions, if any, to Unitholders.

The competition for the properties available for sale may significantly increase the cost of acquiring such assets and may result in such assets being acquired by the Trust at prices or on terms which are comparatively less favourable to the Trust or may result in such assets being acquired by competitors of the Trust. In addition, the number of entities seeking to acquire multi-family properties, and/or the amount of funds competing for such acquisitions may increase. Increases in the cost to the Trust of acquiring properties may material adverse effect on the ability of the Trust to acquire such properties on favourable terms and may otherwise have a material adverse effect on the Trust's business, cash flows, financial condition and results of operations and ability to declare and pay any distributions to Unitholders.

In addition, over-building in the multi-family sector in the United States may increase the supply of total multi-family properties, further increasing the level of competition in those markets.

CHANGES IN APPLICABLE LAWS

The Trust's operations must comply with numerous federal, state, and local laws and regulations, some of which may conflict with one another or be subject to limited judicial or regulatory interpretations. These laws and regulations may include zoning laws, building codes, landlord tenant laws, and other laws generally applicable to business operations. Non-compliance with laws could expose the Trust to liability.

Lower revenue growth or significant unanticipated expenditures may result from the Trust's need to comply with changes in Applicable Laws, including (i) laws imposing environmental remedial requirements and the potential liability for environmental conditions existing on properties or the restrictions on discharges or other conditions; (ii) rent control or rent stabilization laws or other residential landlord/tenant laws; or (iii) other governmental rules and regulations or enforcement policies affecting the development, use, and operation of the properties, including changes to building codes and fire and life-safety codes.

ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS

Under various environmental and ecological laws, the Trust and/or its subsidiaries could become liable for the costs of removal or remediation of certain hazardous or toxic substances released on or in one or more of the properties or disposed of at other locations. The failure to deal effectively with such substances may adversely affect the Trust's ability to sell such property and could potentially also result in claims against the Trust by third parties.

THE COSTS OF SECURING POSSESSION AND CONTROL OF NEWLY ACQUIRED PROPERTIES MAY EXCEED EXPECTATIONS

Upon acquiring a new property, the Trust may have to evict residents who are in unlawful possession before the Trust can secure possession and control of the property. The holdover occupants may be the former owners or tenants of a property, or they may be squatters or others who are illegally in possession. Securing control and possession from these occupants can be both costly and time-consuming. If these costs and delays exceed our expectations in a large proportion of newly acquired properties, the Trust's financial performance may suffer because of the increased expenses incurred or the unexpected delays in turning the properties into revenue-producing assets.

THE COSTS ARISING FROM RENOVATION OF PROPERTIES

The Trust expects that many of the properties will require some level of renovation immediately upon their acquisition or in the future following expiration of a lease or otherwise. The Trust may acquire properties that it plans to extensively renovate. The Trust may also acquire properties that it expects to be in good condition only to discover unforeseen defects and problems that require extensive renovation and capital expenditures. In addition, the Trust will be required to make ongoing capital improvements and replacements and may need to perform significant renovations to reposition properties in the rental market. The Trust's properties will have infrastructure and appliances of varying ages and conditions. Consequently, the Trust expects that its management will routinely retain independent contractors and trade professionals to perform physical repair work and will be exposed to all of the risks inherent in property renovation, including potential cost overruns, increases in labour and materials costs, delays by contractors in completing work, delays in the timing of receiving necessary work permits, certificates of occupancy, and poor workmanship. Although the Trust does not expect that renovation difficulties on any individual property will be significant to its overall results, if the assumptions regarding the costs or timing of renovation across the Trust's portfolio prove to be materially inaccurate, the Trust's earnings and distributable cash may be adversely affected.

FIXED COSTS AND INCREASED EXPENSES

The failure to maintain stable or increasing average monthly rental rates combined with acceptable occupancy levels would likely have a material adverse effect on the Trust's business, cash flows, financial condition, and results of operations and ability to declare and pay dividends, if any. Certain significant expenditures, including property taxes, maintenance costs, mortgage payments, insurance costs, and related charges, must be made throughout the period of ownership of real property regardless of whether a property is producing any income. If the Trust is unable to meet mortgage payments on any property, losses could be sustained as a result of the mortgagee's exercise of its rights of foreclosure or sale.

The Trust is also subject to utility and property tax risk relating to increased costs that the Trust experience as a result of higher resource prices as well as its exposure to significant increases in property taxes. There is a risk that property taxes may be raised as a result of re-valuations of properties and their adherent tax rates. In some instances, enhancements to properties may result in significant increases in property assessments following a re-valuation. Additionally, utility expenses, mainly consisting of natural gas, water, and electricity service charges, have been subject to considerable price fluctuations over the past several years. Any significant increase in these resource costs that the Trust cannot charge back to the tenant may have a material adverse effect on the Trust's business, cash flows, financial condition and results of operations and the ability to make, declare, and pay any dividends. Unlike commercial leases, which generally are "net" leases and allow a landlord to recover expenditures from tenants, residential leases are generally "gross" leases and the landlord is not able to pass on costs to its tenants. Generally, the Trust's leases with tenants require the tenant to pay directly for their own utilities. The timing and amount of capital expenditures by the Trust will affect the amount of any distributions available to Unitholders.

INTEREST RATE RISK

Interest rate risk is the combined risk that the Trust would experience a loss as a result of its exposure to a higher interest rate environment (interest rate risk) and the possibility that at the end of a mortgage term the Trust would be unable to renew the maturing debt either with the existing lender or a new lender (renewal risk).

The Trust will seek to manage its interest rate risk by negotiating, where possible, fixed interest rates on all of its debt.

ASSUMPTIONS MAY PROVE INACCURATE

In determining whether a particular property meets its investment criteria, the Trust makes a number of assumptions, including assumptions related to estimated time of possession and estimated renovation costs and time frames, annual operating costs, market rental rates and potential rent amounts, time from purchase to leasing, and tenant default rates. These assumptions may prove inaccurate, causing the Trust to pay too much for properties it acquires, to overvalue properties or to have properties not perform as expected, and adjustments to the assumptions made in evaluating potential purchases may result in fewer properties qualifying under the Trust's investment criteria. Reductions in the supply of properties that meet the Trust's investment criteria may adversely affect the Trust's operating results and ability to implement its business plan.

Furthermore, the properties are likely to vary materially in terms of time to possession, renovation, quality and type of construction, location, and hazards. The Trust's success will depend on its ability to acquire properties that can be quickly possessed, renovated, repaired, upgraded, and rented with minimal expenses and maintained in rentable condition. The Trust's ability to identify and acquire such properties will be fundamental to its success.

In addition, the recent market and regulatory environments relating to multi-family properties have been changing rapidly, making future trends difficult to forecast.

OUTLOOK

As the United States slowly exits the COVID-19 pandemic, it is anticipated that states where the Trust has investments will reopen for commerce and the impact of the lockdowns will diminish over time. This will in turn translate into both higher monthly rent and collections for almost all real estate asset classes. That said, COVID-19 has not had a material impact on the operations of FCA given that the Trust has consistently collected approximately 93% of its rent over the course of the pandemic, and pre-COVID-19, rent collections were in the +95% range.

We believe that as an asset class, US multi-residential real estate will outperform most asset classes in Canada as we come out of the COVID-19 pandemic due to a combination of: (i) minimal to no state-legislative rent controls combined with "landlordfriendly" state laws in terms of evictions and collections; (ii) larger, more liquid, markets to engage in transactions; and (iii) highly available federally-backed, government, bank, and private lenders willing to offer debt capital at attractive terms to owners of multiresidential real estate. Combined with shorter lease durations vs. commercial real estate classes which provide a better hedge to inflation (and we anticipate significant inflation to occur as a result of the long-term impact of various US stimulus packages and the printing of currency from the Federal Reserve System), we anticipate the US multiresidential sector to experience long-term cash flow growth, which will ultimately lead to increased property valuations and NAV growth for the Trust. Combined with future acquisitions, this increased cash flow growth should ultimately lead to increased distributions for unitholders over the time. Given that FCA.U trades at a 40% discount to NAV and pays a 4% distribution yield (considered for tax purposes to be 100% return of capital), we believe FCA provides an excellent risk-adjusted return for investors seeking asset and distribution growth, yield and stability in the US multi-residential sector. With senior management and the board of trustees owning approximately 33% of FCA, there is a true alignment with unitholders.

FCA has been opportunistic in deploying and recycling capital in a variety of initiatives during 2020 and the early part of 2021:

- Completed \$65.4 million of joint venture acquisitions comprising 485 units located in Hyattsville, MD and Houston, TX;
- Completed the sale of its Bridgeport, CT property back to its joint venture partner repatriating \$4.5 million of capital;
- Successfully refinanced the Bronx, NY Joint Venture mortgage and fully repatriating \$5.2 million of equity;

- Redeemed 686,200 Trust Units at a cost of \$2.8 million (\$4.00 per until CAD \$5.35) representing approximately 50% of NAV; and
- Purchased for cancellation 128,100 Trust Units for total cost of approximately \$0.7 million.

With over \$8.7 million of cash currently on its balance sheet, the Trust continues to pursue US real estate equity and debt investments through acquiring (i) income producing real estate investments in both core and non-core markets; and (ii) mortgage debt investments. Despite COVID-19, the Trust is actively seeking new investment opportunities and will invest opportunistically. With first mortgage debt at approximately 17% of the investment portfolio (excluding debt at the associate level), the Trust intends to explore the debt markets to fund future acquisitions once its current available capital is fully deployed.