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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, DC 20549

## FORM 10-Q

(Mark One)

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

For the quarterly period ended June 30, 2013 OR

oTRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT<br/>OF 1934For the transition period fromto

Commission File Number: 001-13957

RED LION HOTELS CORPORATION (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Washington	91-1032187
(State or other jurisdiction of	(I.R.S. Employer
incorporation or organization)	Identification No.)
201 W. North River Drive, Suite 100 Spokane Washington (Address of principal executive offices)	99201
Registrant's Telephone Number, Including Area (	(Zip Code) Code: (509) 459-6100

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes  $\circ$  No o Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes  $\circ$  No o Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, accelerated filer, or a non-accelerated filer. See definition of "accelerated filer and large accelerated filer" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one): Large accelerated filer o Accelerated filer  $\circ$ 

Non-accelerated fileroSmaller reporting company oIndicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of theAct.)Yes oNo ýAs of August 5, 2013, there were 19,608,381 shares of the registrant's common stock outstanding.

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# PART I – FINANCIAL INFORMATION Item 1. Financial Statements

# RED LION HOTELS CORPORATION CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (UNAUDITED)

June 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012

	June 30, 2013	December 31, 2012
	(In thousands, ex	cept share data)
ASSETS		
Current assets:	• • • • • • • •	
Cash and cash equivalents	\$17,175	\$6,477
Restricted cash	8	2,417
Accounts receivable, net	6,243	5,774
Notes receivable	2,135	4,112
Inventories	1,507	1,329
Prepaid expenses and other	2,994	2,648
Deferred income taxes	778	2,342
Assets held for sale	2,768	18,288
Total current assets	33,608	43,387
Property and equipment, net	192,422	195,012
Goodwill	8,512	8,512
Intangible assets	6,992	6,992
Notes receivable, long term	4,644	2,902
Other assets, net	4,808	4,137
Total assets	\$250,986	\$260,942
LIABILITIES		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable	\$6,237	\$5,967
Accrued payroll and related benefits	4,122	2,504
Accrued interest payable	57	190
Advance deposits	550	248
Other accrued expenses	9,981	9,286
Long-term debt, due within one year	3,000	49,178
Total current liabilities	23,947	67,373
Long-term debt, due after one year	42,000	
Deferred income	3,689	3,923
Deferred income taxes	1,635	5,913
Debentures due Red Lion Hotels Capital Trust	30,825	30,825
Total liabilities	102,096	108,034
Commitments and contingencies		
STOCKHOLDERS' EQUITY		
Preferred stock- 5,000,000 shares authorized; \$0.01 par value; no shares issued		
or outstanding		
Common stock- 50,000,000 shares authorized; \$0.01 par value; 19,574,572 and 19,451,849 shares issued and outstanding	196	195
Additional paid-in capital	151,230	150,798
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax	(134	) —
Retained earnings (accumulated deficit)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	) 1,915
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Total stockholders' equity	148,890	152,908
Total liabilities and stockholders' equity	\$250,986	\$260,942

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

# RED LION HOTELS CORPORATION CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS) (UNAUDITED) For the Three and Six Months Ended June 30, 2013 and 2012

	Three Months Ended June 30,				Six months ended June 30,			
	2013		2012		2013		2012	
	(In thousands, except per			per s	r share data)			
Revenue:								
Hotels	\$32,560		\$36,525		\$58,154		\$64,677	
Franchise	1,943		1,309		3,207		2,398	
Entertainment	1,778		2,376		5,151		4,900	
Other	86		122		171		232	
Total revenues	36,367		40,332		66,683		72,207	
Operating expenses:								
Hotels	25,472		27,832		48,784		52,870	
Franchise	2,013		1,096		3,312		2,268	
Entertainment	2,115		2,567		5,099		4,770	
Other	132		209		240		399	
Depreciation and amortization	3,614		3,847		7,278		7,689	
Hotel facility and land lease	1,221		1,156		2,345		2,282	
Asset impairment			252				6,929	
Loss (gain) on asset dispositions, net	(28	)	(103	)	(120	)	(207	)
Undistributed corporate expenses	1,858	ĺ	1,902	,	3,664	í	3,283	
Total operating expenses	36,397		38,758		70,602		80,283	
Operating income (loss)	(30	)	1,574		(3,919	)	(8,076	)
Other income (expense):			,					,
Interest expense	(1,545	)	(1,820	)	(3,029	)	(3,637	)
Other income, net	201		16		302		29	,
Income (loss) before taxes	(1,374	)	(230	)	(6,646	)	(11,684	)
Income tax expense (benefit)	(471		(93	)	(2,540	)		)
Net income (loss) from continuing operations	(903		(137	Ĵ	(4,106	)		)
Discontinued operations	× ·		× ·					,
Income (loss) from discontinued business units, net of income								
tax (benefit) expense of \$7 and \$71 for the three months ended			100		4.40			
and \$86 and \$31 for the six months ended June 30, 2013 and	11		126		149		54	
2012, respectively								
Income (loss) on disposal and impairment of the assets of the								
discontinued business units, net of income tax (benefit) expense								
of $(179)$ and $(1,678)$ for the three months ended and $(204)$	(315	)	(2,959	)	(360	)	(2,959	)
and $(1,678)$ for the six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012,		ĺ		,		í		
respectively								
Net income (loss) from discontinued operations	(304	)	(2,833	)	(211	)	(2,905	)
Net income (loss)	(1,207	)	(2,970	)	(4,317	)	(10,138	)
Less net income or loss attributable to noncontrolling interest		,		,			(7	)
Net income (loss) attributable to Red Lion Hotels Corporation	(1,207	)	(2,970	)	(4,317	)	(10,131	)
Comprehensive income (loss)	( ) ~.	,	x 7- · · ·	,	<	,	( - )	,
Unrealized gains (losses) on cash flow hedge, net of tax	(134	)			(134	)		
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Comprehensive income (loss) attributable to Red Lion Hotels	\$(1,341	)	\$(2,970	)	\$(4,451	)	\$(10,131	`
Corporation	\$(1,341	)	\$(2,970	)	\$(4,431	)	\$(10,131	)
Earnings per share - basic and diluted								
Net income (loss) from continuing operations	\$(0.04	)	\$(0.01	)	\$(0.21	)	\$(0.38	)
Net income (loss) from discontinued operations	\$(0.02	)	\$(0.14	)	\$(0.01	)	\$(0.15	)
Net income (loss) attributable to Red Lion Hotels Corporation	\$(0.06	)	\$(0.15	)	\$(0.22	)	\$(0.53	)
Weighted average shares - basic	19,512		19,292		19,490		19,257	
Weighted average shares - diluted	19,512		19,292		19,490		19,257	
The accompanying condensed notes are an integral part of the consolidated financial statements.								

#### RED LION HOTELS CORPORATION CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED) For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2013 and 2012

Six Months Ended June 30. 2013 2012 (In thousands) **Operating activities:** Net loss \$(4,317 ) ) \$(10,138 Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash provided by operating activities: Depreciation and amortization 7,282 8,252 (Gain) loss on disposition of property, equipment and other assets, net 444 (207)) Asset impairment 11,567 Deferred income taxes (2.639)) (6,389 ) Equity in investments 4 11 Stock based compensation expense 751 668 Tax benefit associated with stock based plans (102)) 14 Provision for doubtful accounts 53 233 Change in current assets and liabilities: Restricted cash 1.816 602 Accounts receivable 71 (128)) (238 Inventories ) (105 ) Prepaid expenses and other (346 ) (1.388 ) Accounts payable 270 481 Income taxes payable 65 \_\_\_\_ Accrued payroll and related benefits 1.425 2.615 Accrued interest payable (133)) 884 Deferred income (14 ) Other accrued expenses and advance deposits 788 1.155 Net cash provided by operating activities 5,046 8,261 Investing activities: Purchases of property and equipment (4,722)) (3,002 ) Proceeds from disposition of property and equipment 13,414 4 Repayment of notes receivable 1.955 Advances to Red Lion Hotels Capital Trust (27 ) (27 ) Other, net (157)) Net cash (used in) provided by investing activities 10,620 (3, 182)) Financing activities: Borrowings on revolving credit facility 2.122 \_\_\_\_\_ Repayment of revolving credit facility (9,800 ) (2,966 ) Borrowings on long term debt 44,500 Repayment of long-term debt (38,878 ) (1,126 ) Proceeds from stock options exercised 19 11 Proceeds from issuance of common stock under employee stock purchase 49 55 plan Additions to deferred financing costs (850 ) (253 ) Net cash used in financing activities ) (2,149 (4,968 )

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

# RED LION HOTELS CORPORATION CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (UNAUDITED) - (Continued)

For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2013 and 2012

	Six Months Ended June 30, 2013	2012
	(In thousands)	2012
Change in cash and cash equivalents:		
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	10,698	2,930
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	6,477	1,981
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$17,175	\$4,911
Supplemental disclosure of cash flow information:		
Cash paid during periods for:		
Income taxes	\$18	\$84
Interest on long-term debt	\$3,162	\$2,752
Non-cash operating, investing and financing activities:		
Reclassification of property and other assets/liabilities to assets held for sale	\$141	\$13,394
Exchange of note receivable for real property	\$1,720	\$—
Common stock redeemed	\$193	\$160
Conversion of restricted cash to accounts receivable	\$593	\$75
Exchange of common stock for noncontrolling interest in partnership	\$—	\$50
Conversion of note receivable to fixed assets	\$—	\$210
Bonuses to employees paid in stock	\$—	\$125

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

# RED LION HOTELS CORPORATION CONDENSED NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### 1. Organization

Red Lion Hotels Corporation ("Red Lion", "we", "our", "us" or the "company") is a NYSE-listed hospitality and leisure company (ticker symbols RLH and RLH-pa) primarily engaged in the ownership, operation and franchising of hotels under our proprietary brands, including Red Lion Hotels, Red Lion Inns & Suites and Leo Hotel Collection (the "Red Lion Brands"). As of June 30, 2013, the Red Lion network of hotels was comprised of 52 hotels located in 10 states and one Canadian province. The Red Lion Hotels and Red Lion Inn & Suites network was comprised of 51 hotels with 9,088 rooms and 471,687 square feet of meeting space, of which we operated 26 hotels (20 are wholly owned and six are leased), and franchised 25 hotels. The Leo Hotel Collection was comprised of one hotel with 2,956 rooms and 220,000 square feet of meeting space.

We are also engaged in entertainment operations, which derive revenues from promotion and presentation of entertainment productions and ticketing services under the operations of WestCoast Entertainment and TicketsWest. The ticketing service offers online ticket sales, ticketing inventory management systems, call center services, and outlet/electronic distributions for event locations.

We were incorporated in the state of Washington in April 1978, and until 1999 operated hotels under various brand names including Cavanaughs Hotels. In 1999, we acquired WestCoast Hotels, Inc., and rebranded our Cavanaughs hotels to the WestCoast brand, changing our name to WestCoast Hospitality Corporation. In 2001, we acquired Red Lion Hotels, Inc. In September 2005, after rebranding most of our WestCoast hotels to the Red Lion brand, we changed our name to Red Lion Hotels Corporation. The financial statements encompass the accounts of Red Lion Hotels Corporation and all of its consolidated subsidiaries, including Red Lion Hotels Holdings, Inc., Red Lion Hotels Franchising, Inc., and Red Lion Hotels Limited Partnership ("RLHLP").

During a portion of the first quarter of 2012, Red Lion Hotels Corporation owned 99.7% of RLHLP. The remaining 0.3% is reflected in our first quarter 2012 financial statements as noncontrolling interest. In February 2012, we elected to issue 44,837 shares of our common stock in exchange for a like number of operating partnership units that then certain limited partners had put to RLHLP. RLHLP remained in existence as a limited partnership because there were 70,842.51 operating partnership units held by North River Drive Company, a wholly owned subsidiary of Red Lion Hotels Corporation. In December 2012, North River Drive Company was merged into Red Lion Hotels Corporation and no longer exists. However, RLHLP remains a limited partnership for state law (but not federal tax) purposes because Red Lion Hotels Corporation and its wholly owned subsidiary, Bellevue Inn LLC, are its two partners.

The financial statements also include an equity method investment in a 19.9% owned real estate venture, as well as certain cost method investments in various entities included as other assets, over which we do not exercise significant influence. In addition, we hold a 3% common interest in Red Lion Hotels Capital Trust (the "Trust") that is considered a variable interest entity. We are not the primary beneficiary of the Trust; thus, it is treated as an equity method investment. The consolidated financial statements include all of the activities of our cooperative marketing fund, a variable interest entity, of which we are the primary beneficiary.

All significant inter-company and inter-segment transactions and accounts have been eliminated upon consolidation. Certain amounts disclosed in prior period statements have been reclassified to conform to the current period presentation. Specifically, certain operations have been classified as discontinued and are reflected as such in all periods presented.

#### 2. Basis of Presentation

The unaudited consolidated financial statements included herein have been prepared by us pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") and in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America ("GAAP"). Certain information and footnote disclosures normally included in financial statements have been condensed or omitted as permitted by such rules and regulations.

The consolidated balance sheet as of December 31, 2012 has been compiled from the audited balance sheet as of such date. We believe the disclosures included herein are adequate; however, they should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements and the notes thereto for the year ended December 31, 2012, previously filed with the SEC on Form 10-K.

In the opinion of management, these unaudited consolidated financial statements contain all of the adjustments of a normal and recurring nature necessary to present fairly our consolidated financial position at June 30, 2013, the consolidated statements of comprehensive (loss) income for the three and six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012, and the consolidated cash flows for

the six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012. The comprehensive (loss) income for the periods presented may not be indicative of those which may be expected for a full year.

Management makes estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities as of the date of the financial statements, the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period and the disclosures of contingent liabilities. Actual results could materially differ from those estimates.

#### Reclassifications

Certain amounts in the prior period financial statements have been reclassified to conform to the current period presentation. These reclassifications had no effect on reported income/losses, total assets, or stockholders' equity as previously reported. See <u>Notes 4, 5</u> and <u>6</u>.

#### 3. Recent Accounting Pronouncements

## Adopted Accounting Standards

July 2013, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued Accounting Standards Update No. 2013-11, "Income Taxes (Topic 740): Presentation of an Unrecognized Tax Benefit When a Net Operating Loss Carryforward, a Similar Tax Loss, or a Tax Credit Carryforward Exists" ("ASU 2013-11"). ASU 2013-11 requires an entity to present an unrecognized tax benefit and an NOL carryforward, a similar tax loss, or a tax credit carryforward on a net basis as part of a deferred tax asset, unless the unrecognized tax benefit is not available to reduce the deferred tax asset component or would not be utilized for that purpose, then a liability would be recognized. ASU 2013-11 will be effective for fiscal periods beginning after December 15, 2013, with early adoption permitted. We are currently evaluating the impact that the adoption of this guidance will have on our financial statements.

In February 2013, the FASB issued Accounting Standards Update 2013-02, "Comprehensive Income (Topic 220): "Reporting of Amounts Reclassified Out of Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income" ("ASU 2013-02"). ASU 2013-02 requires an entity to provide information about the amounts reclassified out of accumulated other comprehensive income by component. In addition, an entity is required to present, either on the face of the statement where net income is presented or in the notes, significant amounts reclassified out of accumulated other comprehensive income by the respective line items of net income but only if the amount reclassified is required under GAAP to be reclassified in their entirety in the same reporting period. For other amounts that are not required under GAAP to be reclassified in their entirety to net income, an entity is required to cross-reference to other disclosures required under GAAP that provide additional detail about those amounts. ASU 2013-02 is effective prospectively for annual and interim periods beginning after December 15, 2012. The adoption of this ASU did not have a material impact on our financial position, comprehensive (loss) income, or cash flows as of June 30, 2013.

Management has assessed the potential impact of other recently issued, but not yet effective, accounting standards and determined that the provisions are either not applicable to our company, or are not anticipated to have a material impact on our consolidated financial statements.

#### 4. Property and Equipment

Property and equipment used in continuing operations is summarized as follows (in thousands):

	June 30,	December 31,
	2013	2012
Buildings and equipment	\$222,321	\$221,217
Furniture and fixtures	39,533	38,976

Landscaping and land improvements	7,475 269,329	7,099 267,292
Less accumulated depreciation and amortization	(138,572	) (133,446 )
Land	130,757 58,265	133,846 58,265
Construction in progress Property and equipment, net	3,400 \$192,422	2,901 \$195,012
Toperty and equipment, net	$\psi_1 \rangle_2, \forall_2 \rangle$	\$175,012

The tables as of June 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012 exclude the property, land, and equipment of the Red Lion Hotel Medford, Oregon ("Medford property"), which was classified as an asset held for sale. The table as of December 31, 2012 also

excludes the property and equipment of the Red Lion Hotel Pendleton in Pendleton, Oregon ("Pendleton property"), the Red Lion Hotel Missoula ("Missoula property"), and our commercial mall in Kalispell, Montana ("Kalispell Mall property"), which were classified as assets held for sale. The Missoula property was sold in February 2013, and the Pendleton property and Kalispell Mall property were sold in April 2013; their assets are no longer reflected in our financial statements as of June 30, 2013. See <u>Note 5</u> for further discussion.

# 5. Assets Held for Sale

We consider properties to be assets held for sale when all of the following criteria are met: management commits to a plan to sell a property;

it is unlikely that the disposal plan will be significantly modified or discontinued;

- the property is available for immediate sale in its present
- condition;

actions required to complete the sale of the property have been initiated;

sale of the property is probable, and we expect the completed sale will occur within one year; and the property is actively being marketed for sale at a price that is reasonable given its current market value.

Upon designation as an asset held for sale, we record the carrying value of each property at the lower of its carrying value or its estimated fair value, less estimated costs to sell, and cease depreciation. The operations of a property held for sale prior to the sale date are recorded in discontinued operations unless we intend to have significant continuing involvement after the sale, for example, through a franchise or management agreement, in which case the operations remain part of continuing operations.

As discussed in Note 4, during 2013, the following properties were classified as held for sale:

# Missoula Property

During the fourth quarter of 2011, we listed for sale the Missoula property. The property and equipment of this property were classified as assets held for sale in the consolidated balance sheet as of December 31, 2012. During the quarter ended March 31, 2013, we sold the property for \$1.95 million. Concurrent with the sale, the purchaser signed a franchise agreement. We determined that while the continuing operations cash flows are not significant, we still have significant involvement under the franchise agreement such that the property should be classified as part of continuing operations for all periods presented.

# Pendleton Property

During the third quarter of 2012, we listed for sale our Pendleton property. The property and equipment of this property are classified as assets held for sale in the consolidated balance sheet as of December 31, 2012. On April 4, 2013, we closed on the sale of the Pendleton property for \$2.25 million, of which \$530,000 was paid in cash and \$1.72 million was paid via a secured promissory note with monthly payments and the balance due in April 2016. Concurrent with the sale, we entered into a franchising agreement with the new owners of the property resulting in the property remaining as part of continuing operations for all periods presented.

# Kalispell Mall Property

During the third quarter of 2012, we listed for sale our Kalispell Mall property. We did not, however, expect to maintain significant continuing involvement in the commercial mall after the sale and classified the real estate operations of this property as discontinued operations for all periods presented. Refer to <u>Note 6</u> for further detail. The property and equipment of this property have been classified as assets held for sale in the consolidated balance sheet as of December 31, 2012.

On April 25, 2013, we closed on the sale of the Kalispell Mall property for \$11.6 million. Under the terms of our then existing credit facility, we made a required principal payment in the amount of \$8.8 million when the sale closed. See <u>Note 8</u> for further discussion. Concurrent with the sale, we entered into an operating lease agreement with the buyer of the commercial mall under which we will continue to operate the attached Red Lion Hotel Kalispell for a term of 15 years with three additional terms, at our option, of five years each. As required under the terms of the agreement, we will pay \$0.5 million per year in lease payments for an initial term of 45 months with annual increases thereafter of 2% per year.

# Medford Property

During the fourth quarter of 2011, we listed for sale the Medford property. Subsequent to the end of the second quarter of 2013, we sold the property for \$2.8 million. We will not maintain any significant continuing involvement in this property after the sale, therefore the operations of this property will continue to be classified as discontinued operations for all periods presented. The property and equipment of this property have been classified as assets held for sale in the consolidated balance sheets as of June 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012. Refer to <u>Note 6</u> and <u>Note 16</u> for further detail.

The table below as of December 31, 2012, includes the property and equipment of the Missoula, Kalispell Mall and Pendleton properties however they are excluded in the June 30, 2013 table as they were sold and are no longer reflected in our financial statements as of June 30, 2013. The property and equipment of the assets held for sale on the consolidated balance sheets as of June 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012, are summarized as follows (in thousands):

June 30, 2013	December 31,
Julie 30, 2013	2012
\$1,775	\$24,540
751	2,818
161	1,732
2,687	29,090
(2,041)	(18,374)
646	10,716
2,117	7,305
5	267
\$2,768	\$18,288
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Impairments of assets held for sale in continuing operations

At the time each property was listed for sale, and at any time during the marketing process in which there was a change in circumstances (such as a decrease in listed price), the carrying value of the assets was written down to estimated fair value less selling costs, and an impairment was recognized in either continuing operations or discontinued operations.

During the quarter ended June 30, 2013, we considered whether any events or changes in circumstances occurred that would indicate that the carrying amounts of the assets held for sale would not be recoverable and would require us to further impair the properties and determined no such events had occurred and therefore no impairments were recognized.

In the second quarter of 2012, we recognized a pre-tax impairment charge of \$0.3 million on our Red Lion Colonial Hotel in Helena, Montana ("Helena property"). For the six months ended June 30, 2012, we recognized aggregate pre-tax impairment charges of \$6.9 million on our Helena and Missoula properties and our Red Lion Hotel Denver Southeast in Aurora, Colorado.

# 6. Discontinued Operations

In addition to certain properties discussed above in <u>Note 5</u> which were classified as discontinued operations, during the first quarter of 2013, we decided not to renew a catering contract in Yakima, Washington. Accordingly, all operations under this contract have been classified as discontinued operations for all periods presented. Certain

property and equipment related to these operations were considered abandoned and a pre-tax loss on disposition of assets of \$0.1 million has been recognized in discontinued operations.

The following table summarizes the assets and liabilities of discontinued operations included in the consolidated balance sheets as of June 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012 (in thousands):

	June 30, 2013	December 31, 2012
ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$82	\$184
Accounts receivable, net	21	221
Inventories	32	39
Prepaid expenses and other	58	36
Total current assets	193	480
Property and equipment, net	2,768	14,247
Total current assets, net	\$2,961	\$14,727
LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable	\$14	\$57
Accrued payroll related benefits	84	26
Advance deposits	14	8
Other accrued expense	67	312
Total current liabilities	\$179	\$403

The following table summarizes the results of discontinued operations for the periods indicated (in thousands):

	Three Months Ended June 30,			Six Months Ended June 30,				
	2013		2012		2013		2012	
Revenues	\$1,003		\$2,075		\$2,543		\$3,540	
Operating expenses	(976	)	(1,509	)	(2,251	)	(2,749	)
Hotel facility and land lease	(8	)	(87	)	(52	)	(143	)
Depreciation and amortization	(1	)	(282	)	(5	)	(563	)
Income tax benefit (expense)	(7	)	(71	)	(86	)	(31	)
Income (loss) from operations of discontinued business units, net of tax	11		126		149		54	
Loss on disposal and impairment of the assets of discontinued business units	(494	)	(4,637	)	(564	)	(4,637	)
Income tax benefit	179		1,678		204		1,678	
Loss on disposal and impairment of the assets of the discontinued business units, net of tax	(315	)	(2,959	)	(360	)	(2,959	)
Income (loss) from discontinued operations	\$(304	)	\$(2,833	)	\$(211	)	\$(2,905	)

Impairments of assets held for sale in discontinued operations

At the time each property was listed for sale, and at any time during the marketing process in which there was a change in circumstances (such as a decrease in listed price), the carrying value of the assets was adjusted to estimated fair value less selling costs, and an impairment was recognized in discontinued operations.

During the quarter ended June 30, 2013, we considered whether any events or changes in circumstances occurred that would indicate that the carrying amounts of the assets held for sale in discontinued operations would not be recoverable and would require us to further impair the properties and determined no such events had occurred and therefore no impairments were recognized.

7. Goodwill and Intangible Assets

Goodwill represents the excess of the estimated fair value of the net assets acquired during business combinations over the net tangible and identifiable intangible assets acquired. Goodwill was recorded in prior years in connection with the acquisitions of franchises and entertainment businesses. The Red Lion brand name is an identifiable, indefinite lived-intangible asset that represents the separable legal right to a trade name and associated trademarks acquired in a business combination we entered into

in 2001. Goodwill and the brand name are not amortized; however, we assess goodwill and the brand name for potential impairments annually in the fourth quarter, or during the year if an event or other circumstance indicates that we may not be able to recover the carrying amount of the assets. We did not impair any goodwill during the six months ended June 30, 2013 or 2012.

## 8. Credit Facility and Long-Term Debt

During the quarter ended June 30, 2013, we entered into an agreement with Wells Fargo Bank, National Association ("Wells Fargo") to expand our existing credit facility. The balance of the term loan under the credit facility at the time of the expansion was \$0.5 million and there was no outstanding balance on the revolving line of credit. The term loan was increased to a total of \$45.0 million, with \$38.2 million used to refinance nine fixed-rate notes collateralized by individual properties ("CMBS debt") that was maturing on July 11, 2013. The remaining balance of the term loan will be used for capital expenditures and for general corporate purposes.

The terms of the expanded facility are as follows:

Principal payments of \$750,000 are required on the term loan on the last day of each calendar quarter or the first business day thereafter. If a property securing the facility is sold we will be required to make an additional principal payment on the term loan equal to the greater of (i) 50% of the net proceeds from the sale or (ii) 50% of the appraised market value of the property sold. If any such additional principal payment exceeds \$1 million, the remaining principal balance amortization will be modified to reflect the additional payment.

We paid origination fees of \$0.5 million.

The term loan matures on June 30, 2018. The revolving line of credit is available under the facility until June 30, 2015.

Interest under the term loan and revolving line of credit will initially be payable at our option (i) at a fluctuating rate 75 basis points above a base rate in effect from time to time, or (ii) at a rate 325 basis points above LIBOR (under one, three or six month terms). Beginning in 2015, the spread on the LIBOR will decline if our senior leverage ratio is less than 3.00. We have entered into a swap to hedge 40% of our interest rate exposure under the term loan. See Note 9 for further discussion.

Our obligations under the facility are (i) guaranteed by our subsidiaries Red Lion Hotels Limited Partnership, Red Lion Hotels Franchising, Inc., Red Lion Hotels Management, Inc. and Red Lion Hotels Holdings, Inc., (ii) secured by our accounts receivable and inventory, and (iii) further collateralized by 19 of our hotel properties located in Bellevue, Spokane, Olympia, Port Angeles, Kennewick, Kelso, Richland, Yakima, Pasco and Wenatchee, Washington; in Post Falls, Pocatello, Twin Falls and Boise, Idaho; in Bend and Coos Bay, Oregon; in Eureka and Redding, California; and in Salt Lake City, Utah.

The facility requires us to comply with customary affirmative and negative covenants, as well as financial covenants relating to leverage, debt service, and loan coverage ratios. It also includes customary events of default. We were in compliance with these covenants at June 30, 2013.

At June 30, 2013 outstanding debt was \$75.8 million. The debt balance includes the \$45.0 million outstanding on a term loan with Wells Fargo. In addition to this term loan, we also have a revolving line of credit with Wells Fargo for up to \$10 million, a portion of which supports outstanding letters of credit. At June 30, 2013, the full \$10 million on the revolving line of credit was available as we had no amount drawn on that date. Also included in the total debt amount is \$30.8 million of debentures due to Red Lion Hotels Capital Trust.

9. Derivative Financial Instruments and Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income (Loss)

We do not enter into derivative transactions for trading purposes, but rather to hedge our exposure to interest rate fluctuations. We manage our floating rate debt using interest rate swaps in order to reduce our exposure to the impact of changing interest rates on our statement of comprehensive income (loss) and future cash outflows for interest.

As required under the expanded credit facility, we entered into an interest rate swap with Wells Fargo to hedge the first 40% of our interest rate exposure. The swap has a notional amount of \$18.0 million and a fixed rate of 4.88%. The swap is settled on the same day as the required monthly interest payments on the term loan and expires on June 29, 2018.

We followed the requirements of guidance primarily codified within Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC') Topic No. 815, "Derivatives and Hedging" ("ASC 815") pertaining to the accounting for derivatives and hedging activities. ASC 815 requires us to recognize all derivative instruments on our balance sheet at fair value. The related gains or losses on these transactions are deferred in stockholders' equity as a component of accumulated other comprehensive income or loss. These deferred gains and losses are recognized in income in the period in which the related items being hedged are recognized in interest expense. However, to the extent that the change in value of a derivative contract does not perfectly offset the change in the value of the items being hedged, that ineffective portion is immediately recognized in interest expense. Our interest rate hedge was designated as a cash flow hedge and is deemed to be effective as the critical terms continued to match at June 30, 2013.

We measure the value of the interest rate swap utilizing an income approach valuation technique, converting future amounts of cash flows to a single present value in order to obtain a transfer exit price within the bid and ask spread that is most representative of the fair value of our derivative instruments. This option-pricing technique utilizes a one-month LIBOR forward yield curve, obtained from an independent external service.

At June 30, 2013, the valuation of the interest rate swap resulted in the recognition of a swap liability totaling \$0.2 million.

# Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)

Changes in accumulated other comprehensive income (loss), comprised entirely of changes in the fair value of our cash flow hedge as follows:

	Six Months Ended June 30,				
	2013	2	012		
	(In thousands)				
Balance, beginning of period	—	_	_		
Loss on cash flow hedge, net of tax <sup>(1)</sup>	(134	) –	_		
Balance, end of period	(134	) –			

(1)Loss on cash flow hedge is net of income taxes of \$75,000.

#### **10. Business Segments**

As of June 30, 2013, we had three operating segments: hotels, franchise and entertainment. The "other" segment consists of miscellaneous revenues and expenses, cash and cash equivalents, certain receivables and certain property and equipment which are not specifically associated with an operating segment. Management reviews and evaluates the operating segments exclusive of interest expense and income taxes; therefore, those two items have not been allocated to the segments. All balances have been presented after the elimination of inter-segment and intra-segment revenues and expenses.

	Three Months	Ended June 30	), Six Month	s Ended June 30,		
	2013	2012	2013	2012		
Revenues:						
Hotels	\$32,560	\$36,525	\$58,154	\$64,677		
Franchise	1,943	1,309	3,207	2,398		
Entertainment	1,778	2,376	5,151	4,900		
Other	86	122	171	232		
	\$36,367	\$40,332	\$66,683	\$72,207		
Operating income (loss):						
Hotels	\$2,589	\$3,991	\$600	\$(4,006)		
Franchise	(83	) 202	(130	) 107		
Entertainment	(421	) (292	) (111	) (73 )		
Other	(2,115	) (2,327	) (4,278	) (4,104 )		
	\$(30	) \$1,574	\$(3,919	) \$(8,076 )		
			June 30, 2013	December 31, 2012		
Identifiable assets:						
Hotels <sup>(1)</sup>			\$207,284	\$212,418		
Franchise			9,432	8,994		
Entertainment			5,036	5,976		
Other <sup>(1)</sup>			29,234	33,554		
			\$250,986	\$260,942		

(1)Includes the identifiable assets of discontinued operations held for sale.

# 11. Earnings (Loss) Per Share

The following table presents a reconciliation of the numerators and denominators used in the basic and diluted net income (loss) per share computations for the three and six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012 (in thousands, except per share amounts):

	Three Mont	ths Ended June 30,	Six Months	s Ended June 30,	
	2013	2012	2013	2012	
Numerator - basic and diluted:					
Net income (loss) from continuing operations	\$(903	) \$(137 )	\$(4,106	) \$(7,233	)
Less net income or loss attributable to noncontrolling interest	—	_		(7	)
Net income (loss) from discontinued operations	(304	) (2,833 )	(211	) (2,905	)
Net income (loss) attributable to Red Lion Hotels Corporation	\$(1,207	) \$(2,970 )	\$(4,317	) \$(10,131	)
Denominator:					
Weighted average shares - basic	19,512	19,292	19,490	19,257	
Weighted average shares - diluted	19,512	19,292	19,490	19,257	
Earnings (loss) per share attributable to Red Lion					
Hotels					
Corporation: basic and diluted					
Net income (loss) from continuing operations	\$(0.04	) \$(0.01 )	\$(0.21	) \$(0.38	)
Net income (loss) from discontinued operations	\$(0.02	) \$(0.14 )	\$(0.01	) \$(0.15	)

Net income (loss) attributable to Red Lion Hotels Corporation (0.06 ) (0.15 ) (0.22 ) (0.53 )

Due to the loss for the three and six months ended June 30, 2013, all of the 169,783 options to purchase common shares and all of the 417,438 restricted stock units outstanding as of that date were considered antidilutive. For the three and six months

ended June 30, 2012, all of the 244,951 options to purchase common shares and all of the 356,144 restricted stock units outstanding were considered antidilutive due to losses in the periods.

#### 12. Income Taxes

We make estimates and judgments in determining income tax expense or benefit for financial statement purposes. These estimates and judgments occur in the calculation of certain tax assets and liabilities, which typically arise from differences in the timing of recognition of revenue and expense for tax and financial statement purposes, and the determination of tax credits and other items that impact our income tax expense or benefit.

At June 30, 2013 we were not able to reliably estimate the full year effective tax rate. Accordingly, we have recognized interim income tax benefit using the discrete method based on actual results for the six months ended June 30, 2013. The effective tax rates from continuing operations at June 30, 2013 and 2012 were 38.2% and 38.1%, respectively. The difference between the effective tax rates and the statutory rate of 34.0% for the periods is primarily driven by the impact of state income taxes, federal tax credits, and non-deductible expenses.

We recognize the financial statement effect of a tax position when, based on the technical merits of the uncertain tax position, it is more likely than not to be sustained on a review by taxing authorities. These estimates are based on judgments made with currently available information. We review these estimates and make changes to recorded amounts of uncertain positions as facts and circumstances warrant. We had no material uncertain tax positions at June 30, 2013 and do not anticipate a significant change in any unrecognized tax benefits over the next 12 months. Accordingly, we have not provided for any unrecognized tax benefits or related interest and penalties. With limited exception, we are no longer subject to U.S. federal, state and local income tax examinations by taxing authorities for years prior to 2008.

Based on our current assessment of future taxable income, including scheduling of the reversal of our taxable temporary differences, we anticipate that it is more likely than not that we will generate sufficient taxable income to realize our recorded deferred tax assets, and therefore we did not record a valuation allowance against our deferred tax assets as of June 30, 2013.

#### 13. Stock Based Compensation

The 2006 Stock Incentive Plan authorizes the grant or issuance of various option and other awards including restricted stock units and other stock-based compensation. The plan was approved by our shareholders and allowed awards of 2.0 million shares, subject to adjustments for stock splits, stock dividends and similar events. As of June 30, 2013, there were 637,718 shares of common stock available for issuance pursuant to future stock option grants or other awards under the 2006 plan.

In the six months ended June 30, 2013, we recognized no compensation expense related to options, compared to approximately \$32,000 during the same period in 2012.

A summary of stock option activity for the six months ended June 30, 2013, is as follows:

		Weighted
	Number	Average
	of Shares	Exercise
		Price
Balance, January 1, 2013	172,814	\$9.41
Options granted	—	\$—
Options exercised	(2,000	) \$7.82

Options forfeited	(1,031	) \$5.26
Balance, June 30, 2013	169,783	\$9.49
Exercisable, June 30, 2013	169,063	\$9.50

Range of Exercise Prices	Number Outstanding	Weighted Average Remaining Contractual Life (Years)	Expiration Date	Weighted Average Exercise Price	Aggregate Intrinsic Value <sup>(1)</sup>	Number Exercisable	Weighted Average Exercise Price	Aggregate Intrinsic Value <sup>(1)</sup>
\$5.10	5,000	1.39	2014	\$5.10	\$5,050	5,000	\$5.10	\$5,050
\$7.10 - \$7.46	10,881	3.56	2015-2020	7.36	_	10,161	7.38	_
\$8.74 - \$8.80	113,407	4.83	2018	8.76		113,407	8.76	
\$12.21-\$13.00	40,495	3.64	2016-2017	12.62		40,495	12.62	
	169,783	4.37	2014-2020	\$9.49	\$5,050	169,063	\$9.50	\$5,050

Additional information regarding stock options outstanding and exercisable as of June 30, 2013, is as follows:

The aggregate intrinsic value is before applicable income taxes and represents the amount option recipients would (1)have received if all options had been fully vested and exercised on the last trading day of the first six months of 2013, or June 30, 2013, based upon our closing stock price on that date of \$6.11.

As of June 30, 2013 and 2012, there were 417,438 and 356,144 unvested restricted stock units outstanding, respectively. Since we began issuing restricted stock units, approximately 14.4% of total units granted have been forfeited. In the second quarter and first six months of 2013, we recognized approximately \$0.2 million and \$0.4 million in compensation expense related to restricted stock units compared to \$0.2 million and \$0.4 million in the comparable periods in 2012. As the restricted stock units vest, we expect to recognize approximately \$2.7 million in additional compensation expense over a weighted average period of 37 months, including \$0.5 million during the remainder of 2013.

A summary of restricted stock unit activity for the six months ended June 30, 2013, is as follows:

	Number of Shares	Weighted Average Grant Date Fair Value
Balance, January 1, 2013	323,561	\$7.75
Granted	218,356	\$6.77
Vested	(106,786	) \$6.76
Forfeited	(17,693	) \$7.86
Balance, June 30, 2013	417,438	\$7.34

In January 2008, we adopted the 2008 employee stock purchase plan (the "2008 ESPP") upon the expiration of its predecessor plan. Under the 2008 ESPP, a total of 300,000 shares of common stock are authorized for purchase by eligible employees at a discount through payroll deductions. No employee may purchase more than \$25,000 worth of shares in any calendar year, or more than 10,000 shares during any six-month purchase period under the plan. As allowed under the 2008 ESPP, a participant may elect to withdraw from the plan, effective for the purchase period in progress at the time of the election with all accumulated payroll deductions returned to the participant at the time of withdrawal. In January 2013 there were 7,276 shares issued to participants under the terms of the plan.

#### 14. Fair Value of Financial Instruments

Applicable accounting standards define fair value as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date (an exit price). We measure our assets and liabilities using inputs from the following three levels of the fair value hierarchy:

Level 1 inputs are unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that we have the ability to access at the measurement date.

Level 2 inputs include quoted prices for similar assets and liabilities in active markets, quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in markets that are not active, inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability (i.e., interest rates, yield curves, etc.), and inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means (market corroborated inputs).

Level 3 includes unobservable inputs that reflect assumptions about what factors market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability. We develop these inputs based on the best information available, including our own data.

Estimated fair values of financial instruments (in thousands) are shown in the table below. The carrying amounts for cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable and current liabilities are reasonable estimates of their fair values. The carrying amounts of our current notes receivable are reasonable estimates of their fair values due to the short nature of the loans (they are expected to be satisfied within a year). We estimate the fair value of our interest rate swap using standard calculations that use as their basis readily available observable market parameters, which are Level 2 inputs. We estimate the fair value of our long-term debt, excluding leases, using expected future payments discounted at risk-adjusted rates, both of which are Level 3 inputs. The debentures are valued at the closing price on June 30, 2013, of the underlying trust preferred securities on the New York Stock Exchange, which was a directly observable Level 1 input. The fair values provided below are not necessarily indicative of the amounts we or the debt holders could realize in a current market exchange. In addition, potential income tax ramifications related to the realization of gains and losses that would be incurred in an actual sale or settlement have not been taken into consideration.

	June 30, 20	13	December 31, 2012		
	Carrying	Fair	Carrying	Fair	
	Amount	Value	Amount	Value	
Financial assets:					
Cash and cash equivalents and restricted cash <sup>(1)</sup>	\$17,183	\$17,183	\$8,894	\$8,894	
Accounts receivable <sup>(1)</sup>	\$6,243	\$6,243	\$5,774	\$5,774	
Current notes receivable	\$2,135	\$2,135	\$4,112	\$4,112	
Financial liabilities:					
Current liabilities, excluding debt and interest rate swap <sup>(1)</sup>	\$20,947	\$20,947	\$18,195	\$18,195	
Interest rate swap	\$209	\$209	\$—	\$—	
Debt, excluding debentures	\$45,000	\$44,698	\$49,178	\$49,362	
Debentures	\$30,825	\$30,837	\$30,825	\$31,363	

(1)Includes the cash, accounts receivable, and current liabilities of discontinued operations held for sale.

# 15. Commitments and Contingencies

At any given time we are subject to claims and actions incidental to the operations of our business. Based on information currently available, we do not expect that any sums we may receive or have to pay in connection with any legal proceeding would have a materially adverse effect on our consolidated financial position or net cash flow.

#### 16. Subsequent Events

On August 1, 2013, we closed on the sale of the Medford property for \$2.8 million and did not enter into a franchise agreement with the new owners of the property.

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

This quarterly report on Form 10-Q includes forward-looking statements. We have based these statements on our current expectations and projections about future events. When words such as "anticipate," "believe," "estimate," "expect," "intend," "may," "plan," "seek," "should," "will" and similar expressions or their negatives are used in this quarterly report, the are forward-looking statements. Many possible events or factors, including those discussed in "Risk Factors" under Item 1A of our annual report filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC") on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012, could affect our future financial results and performance, and could cause actual results or performance to differ materially from those expressed. You are cautioned not to place undue reliance on these

forward-looking statements, which speak only as of the date of this quarterly report.

In this report, "we," "us," "our," "our company" and "RLH" refer to Red Lion Hotels Corporation and, as the context requires, all of its wholly owned subsidiaries, including Red Lion Hotels Holdings, Inc., Red Lion Hotels Franchising, Inc. and Red Lion Hotels Limited Partnership. "Red Lion" refers to the Red Lion brand. The terms "the network" or "network of hotels" refer to our entire group of owned, leased and franchised hotels.

The following discussion and analysis should be read in connection with our unaudited consolidated financial statements and the condensed notes thereto and other financial information included elsewhere in this quarterly report, as well as in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements and the notes thereto for the year ended December 31, 2012, previously filed with the SEC on Form 10-K.

## Introduction

We are a NYSE-listed hospitality and leisure company (ticker symbols RLH and RLH-pa) primarily engaged in the ownership, operation and franchising of hotels under our proprietary brands, including Red Lion Hotels, Red Lion Inns & Suites and Leo Hotel Collection (the "Red Lion Brands"). Established over 30 years ago, the Red Lion brand is regionally recognized and is particularly well known in the western United States, where our hotels are located. The Red Lion brand is typically associated with midscale full and select service hotels.

As of June 30, 2013, the Red Lion network of hotels was comprised of 52 hotels located in 10 states and one Canadian province. The Red Lion Hotels and Red Lion Inn & Suites network was comprised of 51 hotels with 9,088 rooms and 471,687 square feet of meeting space, of which we operated 26 hotels (20 are wholly owned and six are leased), and franchised 25 hotels. The Leo Hotel Collection was comprised of one hotel with 2,956 rooms and 220,000 square feet of meeting space.

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A summary of our properties is provided below:

Hotels	Available Rooms	Space (sq. ft.)
25	4,766	230,305
1	185	9,552
25	4,137	231,830
1	2,956	220,000
52	12,044	691,687
	25 1 25 1	Hotels Available Rooms   25 4,766   1 185   25 4,137   1 2,956

We operate in three reportable segments:

The hotels segment derives revenue primarily from guest room rentals and food and beverage operations at our owned and leased hotels. As of June 30, 2013, we operated 26 hotels, of which 20 are wholly-owned and six are leased. One of the owned hotels is classified as discontinued operations and not included in reported comparable hotel statistics from continuing operations.

The franchise segment is engaged primarily in licensing the Red Lion Brand to franchisees. This segment generates revenue from franchise fees that are typically based on a percent of room revenue and are charged to hotel owners in exchange for the use of our brand and access to our central services programs. These programs include our reservation system, guest loyalty program, national and regional sales, revenue management tools, quality inspections, advertising and brand standards.

The entertainment segment derives revenue primarily from promotion and presentation of entertainment productions under the operations of WestCoast Entertainment and from ticketing services under the operations of TicketsWest. The ticketing service offers online ticket sales, ticketing inventory management systems, call center services, and outlet/electronic distributions for event locations.

Our remaining activities, none of which constitutes a reportable segment, have been aggregated into "other".

**Executive Summary** 

Our company strategy is to grow the Red Lion Brands and profitability through (1) growth in the franchise business aided by the segmentation of our brands to add clear differentiation between Red Lion Hotels, Red Lion Inns & Suites and Leo Hotel Collection products; (2) sales and marketing initiatives and (3) leveraging our owned assets to strengthen the balance sheet and refresh our hotels.

We believe franchising represents a profitable non-capital intensive growth opportunity. Our strategy is to commit resources to continue to grow the Red Lion Brands in the coming years through franchising. By segmenting our brand with clear distinctions

between each offering of full service Red Lion Hotel, limited service Red Lion Inns & Suites and the unique, boutique or destination experience of the Leo Hotel collection, we are uniquely positioned to provide an appealing alternative for a variety of owners.

We have invested in sales and marketing talent and technology to improve our ability to manage the various channels which drive occupancy and rate at our hotels including transient, group and preferred corporate business. These investments include the redesign of the redlion.com website and booking engine. Our initiatives also include individual hotel websites, to be launched later this year, which will provide additional sales resources for expanding market reach and driving business in our owned and franchised properties. We have refreshed the look and feel of our logo and our marks, which will be reflected in printed and online collateral, advertisements and social media.

We have also embarked on a program of strategic asset sales by means of selective reduction in asset ownership. Proceeds from asset sales have been primarily used to reduce debt and make improvements to our owned and leased hotels. We are committed to keeping our properties well maintained and attractive to our customers in order to enhance our competitiveness within the industry and keep our hotels properly positioned in their markets.

Our current hotels are primarily located in 10 Western states, with the majority in secondary and tertiary markets. We believe the current operating environment provides us the opportunity to grow our business through franchising as hotel owners seek to improve profitability through an affiliation with a regional hotel brand or franchise distribution network. We additionally believe we can grow our business through sales and marketing initiatives; including a focus on the local experience in our markets, and leveraging our owned assets to strengthen our balance sheet and refresh our hotels to meet customer's current expectations.

We will continue to build on the strength and recognition of the Red Lion Brands for growth and achievement of long-term profitability and returns to shareholders.

While our goal is to deliver improved long-term profitability through the above-described initiatives, there can be no assurance our results of operations will improve.

Revenue per available room ("RevPAR") for owned and leased hotels on a comparable basis from continuing operations increased 3.0% in the second quarter of 2013 from the second quarter of 2012. Comparable occupancy from continuing operations decreased 80 basis points in the second quarter of 2013 from the second quarter of 2012. Comparable Average Daily Rate ("ADR"), from continuing operations, increased 4.3% in the second guarter of 2013 to \$88.15 from \$84.53 in the second quarter of 2012. Average occupancy, ADR and RevPAR statistics are provided below on a comparable basis from continuing operations.

	For the thr	For the three months ended June 30,								
	2013						2012			
	Average O	occuj	pahiDyR		RevPAR		Average Occupancy		ADR	RevPAR
Owned and Leased Hotels	66.8	%	\$88.15		\$58.89		67.6	%	\$84.53	\$57.15
Franchised Hotels	61.7	%	\$87.49		\$54.02		59.7	%	\$84.81	\$50.63
Total System Wide	64.7	%	\$87.90		\$56.90		64.4	%	\$84.64	\$54.49
Change from prior comparative period:										
Owned and Leased Hotels	(0.8	)	4.3	%	3.0	%				
Franchised Hotels	2.0		3.2	%	6.7	%				
Total System Wide <sup>(1)</sup>	0.3		3.9	%	4.4	%				

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	For the six months ended June 30, 2013									
	2013						2012			
	Average Occupancy		ADR		RevPAR		Average Occupancy		ADR	RevPAR
Owned and Leased Hotels	60.5	%	\$84.80		\$51.28		61.4	%	\$81.44	\$49.98
Franchised Hotels	53.6	%	\$85.15		\$45.64		53.2	%	\$82.10	\$43.66
Total System Wide	57.7	%	\$84.93		\$48.98		58.0	%	\$81.69	\$47.41
Change from prior comparative period:										
Owned and Leased Hotels	(0.9	)	4.1	%	2.6	%				
Franchised Hotels	0.4		3.7	%	4.5	%				
Total System Wide	(0.3	)	4.0	%	3.3	%				

Includes all hotels owned, leased and franchised, presented on a comparable basis. This excludes one owned hotel identified as discontinued operations. The Red Lion Colonial Hotel in Helena, Montana ("Helena property"), which was sold in July 2012, the Red Lion Hotel Denver Southeast in Aurora, Colorado ("Denver Southeast property"),

(1) which was sold in October 2012, the Red Lion Hotel Missoula, in Missoula, Montana ("Missoula property"), which was sold in February 2013, and the Red Lion Hotel Pendleton in Pendleton, Oregon ("Pendleton property"), which was sold in April 2013, have been excluded from the owned and leased hotel statistics and included in the franchised statistics as we maintained franchise agreements on those four properties.

Average occupancy, ADR and RevPAR, as defined below, are widely used in the hospitality industry and appear throughout this document as important measures to the discussion of our operating performance.

Average occupancy represents total paid rooms occupied divided by total available rooms. We use average occupancy as a measure of the utilization of capacity in our network of hotels.

RevPAR represents total room and related revenues divided by total available rooms. We use RevPAR as a measure of performance yield in our network of hotels.

ADR represents total room revenues divided by the total number of paid rooms occupied by hotel guests. We use ADR as a measure of room pricing in our network of hotels.

Total available rooms represents the number of rooms available multiplied by the number of days in the reported period. We use total available rooms as a measure of capacity in our network of hotels and do not adjust total available rooms for rooms temporarily out of service for remodel or other short-term periods.

Comparable hotels are hotels that have been owned, leased or franchised by us and were in operation throughout each of the full periods presented, other than hotels classified as discontinued operations.

Throughout this document and unless otherwise stated, RevPAR, ADR and average occupancy statistics are calculated using statistics for comparable hotels. Some of the terms used in this report, such as "full service" and "midscale" are consistent with those used by Smith Travel Research, an independent statistical research service that specializes in the lodging industry. Our hotels are typically classified by Smith Travel Research as midscale with food and beverage.

# **Results of Operations**

Our reported numbers for the periods presented in this report reflect results of the Helena and Denver Southeast properties for part of 2012 but not the full year, as the sales of the properties closed on July 30, 2012 and October 24, 2012, respectively. In addition, our reported numbers for the periods presented reflect the results of the Missoula property through February 20, 2013, and the results of the Pendleton property through April 4, 2013, when the sales of those properties closed. These properties are reported in continuing operations since we have significant continuing involvement in the operations of these properties that now operate as franchised hotels. In order to help investors

distinguish changes from results of continuing operations versus changes due to the sales of these hotel properties, we will discuss operating results from continuing operations as reported and also discuss certain operating results and data for periods included in the report on a comparable hotel basis. Comparable hotels are hotels that have been owned, leased or franchised by us and were in operation throughout each of the full periods presented, other than hotels classified as discontinued operations. Therefore, the Helena, Denver Southeast, Missoula and Pendleton properties are excluded from the comparable owned and leased hotel statistics and operating results.

During the second quarter of 2013 and 2012, we reported net losses from continuing operations of \$0.9 million, or \$0.04 per share, and \$0.1 million, or \$0.01 per share, respectively. The second quarter of 2012 included a \$0.3 million pre-tax impairment

charge on the Helena property. For the second quarter of 2013 earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization ("EBITDA") from continuing operations was \$3.8 million, compared to EBITDA of \$5.4 million for the second quarter of 2012.

For the first six months of 2013 and 2012, we reported net losses from continuing operations of \$4.1 million, or \$0.21 per share, and \$7.2 million, or \$0.38 per share, respectively. The six months ended June 30, 2012 included aggregate pre-tax impairment charges on the Helena, Denver Southeast, and Missoula properties of \$6.9 million. For the first six months of 2013, EBITDA from continuing operations was \$3.7 million, compared to EBITDA of \$(0.4) million for the first six months of 2012, which includes the \$6.9 million pre-tax impairment charges.

A summary of our consolidated statements of comprehensive (loss) income is provided below (in thousands):

	Three Mon	ths Ended June 30,	Six Months E	nded June 30,	
	2013	2012	2013	2012	
Total revenue	\$36,367	\$40,332	\$66,683	\$72,207	
Total operating expenses	36,397	38,758	70,602	80,283	
Operating income (loss)	(30	) 1,574	(3,919)	(8,076	)
Other income (expense):					
Interest expense	(1,545	) (1,820 )	(3,029)	(3,637	)
Other income, net	201	16	302	29	
Income (loss) before taxes before income taxes	(1,374	) (230 )	(6,646)	(11,684	)
Income tax expense (benefit)	(471	) (93 )	(2,540)	(4,451	)
Net income (loss) from continuing operations	(903	) (137 )	(4,106)	(7,233	)
Net income (loss) from discontinued operations, net of tax	(304	) (2,833 )	(211 )	(2,905	)
Net income (loss)	\$(1,207	) \$(2,970 )	\$(4,317)	\$(10,138	)
Net income (loss) attributable to Red Lion Hotels Corporation	\$(1,341	) \$(2,970 )	\$(4,451)	\$(10,131	)
Non-GAAP data:					
EBITDA	\$3,309	\$1,276	\$3,335	\$(4,341	)
EBITDA from continuing operations	\$3,785	\$5,437	\$3,661	\$(351	)

EBITDA represents net income (loss) attributable to Red Lion Hotels Corporation before interest expense, income tax expense (benefit) and depreciation and amortization. We utilize EBITDA as a financial measure because management believes that investors find it a useful tool to perform more meaningful comparisons of past, present and future operating results and as a means to evaluate the results of core, ongoing operations. We believe it is a complement to net income (loss) attributable to Red Lion Hotels Corporation and other financial performance measures. EBITDA is not intended to represent net income (loss) attributable to Red Lion Hotels Corporation so defined by generally accepted accounting principles in the United States ("GAAP"), and such information should not be considered as an alternative to net income (loss), cash flows from operations or any other measure of performance prescribed by GAAP.

We use EBITDA to measure financial performance because we believe interest, taxes and depreciation and amortization bear little or no relationship to our operating performance. By excluding interest expense, EBITDA measures our financial performance irrespective of our capital structure or how we finance our properties and operations. We generally pay federal and state income taxes on a consolidated basis, taking into account how the applicable tax laws apply to us in the aggregate. By excluding taxes on income, we believe EBITDA provides a basis for measuring the financial performance of our operations excluding factors that our hotels cannot control. By excluding depreciation and amortization expense, which can vary from hotel to hotel based on historical cost and other factors unrelated to the hotels' financial performance, EBITDA measures the financial performance of our hotels

without regard to their historical cost. For all of these reasons, we believe EBITDA provides us and investors with information that is relevant and useful in evaluating our business.

However, because EBITDA excludes depreciation and amortization, it does not measure the capital we require to maintain or preserve our fixed assets. In addition, because EBITDA does not reflect interest expense, it does not take into account the total amount of interest we pay on outstanding debt nor does it show trends in interest costs due to changes in our borrowings or changes in interest rates. EBITDA, as defined by us, may not be comparable to EBITDA as reported by other companies that do not define EBITDA exactly as we define the term. Because we use EBITDA to evaluate our financial performance, we reconcile it to net income (loss) attributable to Red Lion Hotels Corporation, which is the most comparable financial measure calculated and presented

in accordance with GAAP. EBITDA does not represent cash generated from operating activities determined in accordance with GAAP, and should not be considered as an indicator of performance or as an alternative to cash flows from operating activities as an indicator of liquidity.

The following is a reconciliation of EBITDA and EBITDA from continuing operations to net income (loss) attributable to Red Lion Hotels Corporation for the periods presented (in thousands):

	Three Mont 2013	hs Ended June 2012	30,	Six Months 2013	Er	nded June 30, 2012	,
EBITDA from continuing operations	\$3,785	\$5,437		\$3,661		\$(351	)
Income tax (expense) benefit - continuing operations	471	93		2,540		4,451	
Interest expense - continuing operations	(1,545	) (1,820	)	(3,029	)	(3,637	)
Depreciation and amortization - continuing operations	(3,614	) (3,847	)	(7,278	)	(7,689	)
Net income (loss) attributable to Red Lion Hotels							
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from continuing operations	\$(903	) \$(137	)	\$(4,106	)	\$(7,226	)
Income (loss) of discontinued operations, net of tax	(304	) (2,833	)	(211	)	(2,905	)
Net income (loss) attributable to Red Lion Hotels Corporation	\$(1,207	) \$(2,970	)	\$(4,317	)	\$(10,131	)
	Three Mont	ths Ended June	30,	Six Months	Er	nded June 30.	
	2013	2012	,	2013		2012	,
EBITDA	\$3,309	\$1,276		\$3,335		\$(4,341	)
Income tax (expense) benefit	643	1,700		2,658		6,098	
Interest expense	(1,545	) (1,820	)	(3,029	)	(3,637	)
Depreciation and amortization	(3,614	) (4,126	)	(7,281	)	(8,251	)
Net income (loss) attributable to Red Lion Hotels Corporation	\$(1,207	) \$(2,970	)	\$(4,317	)	\$(10,131	)

#### Revenue

A breakdown of our revenues from continuing operations for the three and six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012 is as follows (in thousands):

**Revenue From Continuing Operations** 

	Three Months Ended June 30,		Six Months E	nded June 30,
	2013	2012	2013	2012
Hotels:				
Rooms	\$25,538	\$27,727	\$44,543	\$48,233
Food and beverage	6,377	8,060	12,452	15,129
Other department	645	738	1,159	1,315
Total hotels segment revenue	32,560	36,525	58,154	64,677
Franchise	1,943	1,309	3,207	2,398
Entertainment	1,778	2,376	5,151	4,900
Other	86	122	171	232
Total Operating Revenue	\$36,367	\$40,332	\$66,683	\$72,207

Our reported hotel segment numbers for the periods presented in this report reflect the results of the Helena property and Denver Southeast property for the three and six months ended June 30, 2012, but not the same periods in 2013, as the sale of those properties closed on July 30, 2012 and October 24, 2012, respectively. In addition, our reported hotel segment numbers for the periods presented reflect the results of the Missoula and Pendleton properties for three and six months ended June 30, 2013 as the sale of those properties closed on February 20, 2013, and April 4, 2013,

respectively. In order to help investors distinguish changes in our results from continuing operations versus changes due to the sale of these properties, we will discuss our operating results as reported and also on a comparable basis to exclude the results of these sold properties from the hotel segment.

A breakdown of our comparable hotel revenues for the three and six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012 is as follows:

Comparable Hotel Revenue From Continuing Operations

	Three Month 2013	hs	2012	30,	2013	Er	nded June 30, 2011	
Room revenue from continuing operations	\$25,538		\$27,727		44,543		48,233	
less: room revenue from Helena, Denver Southeast, Missoula and Pendleton properties	(2	)	(2,943	)	(308	)	(4,875	)
Comparable room revenue	\$25,536		\$24,784		\$44,235		\$43,358	
Food and beverage revenue from continuing operations	6,377		8,060		12,452		15,129	
less: food and beverage revenue from Helena, Denver	(1	)	(1,103	)	(59	)	(1,891	)
Southeast, Missoula and Pendleton properties Comparable food and beverage revenue	\$6,376		\$6,957		\$12,393		\$13,238	
Other hotels revenue from continuing operations	645		738		1,159		1,315	
less: other hotels revenue from Helena, Denver Southeast, Missoula and Pendleton properties	_		(227	)	(6	)	(427	)
Comparable other hotels revenue	\$645		\$511		\$1,153		\$888	
Total hotel revenue from continuing operations less: Total hotel revenue from Helena, Denver Southeast, Missoula and Pendleton properties Comparable total hotels revenue	32,560		36,525		58,154		64,677	
	\$(3	)	\$(4,273	)	\$(373	)	\$(7,193	)
	\$32,557		\$32,252		\$57,781		\$57,484	

We utilize comparable hotel revenue from continuing operations as a financial measure because management believes that investors find it a useful tool to perform more meaningful comparisons of past, present and future operating results and as a means to evaluate the results of core, ongoing operations. We believe it is a complement to reported revenue and other financial performance measures. Comparable hotel revenue from continuing operations is not intended to represent reported hotel revenue as defined by GAAP, and such information should not be considered as an alternative to reported hotel revenue or any other measure of performance prescribed by GAAP. Comparable hotel revenue from continuing operations represents reported hotel segment revenue less the impact of the Helena, Denver Southeast, Missoula and Pendleton properties' revenue.

Three months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012

During the second quarter of 2013, revenue from the hotel segment decreased \$4.0 million or 10.9% from the second quarter of 2012. The second quarter of 2012 included revenue from the Helena, Denver Southeast, Missoula and Pendleton properties, whereas the second quarter of 2013 did not include any revenue from the Helena, Denver Southeast and Missoula properties due to their sale in 2012 and the first quarter of 2013. Additionally, the second quarter of 2013 included only a few days of revenue from the Pendleton property which was sold on April 4, 2013. On a comparable basis, excluding the results of the Helena, Denver Southeast, Missoula and Pendleton properties, total revenue from the hotel segment increased \$0.3 million or 0.9% in the second quarter of 2013 compared to the second

quarter of 2012. Comparable room revenue from owned and leased hotels of \$25.5 million increased \$0.8 million over the same periods. Comparable ADR increased by 4.3 percent to \$88.15, which drove a RevPAR increase of 3.0 percent to \$58.89 for the second quarter of 2013.

Revenue from our franchise segment increased \$0.6 million to \$1.9 million in the second quarter of 2013 compared to the second quarter of 2012. The addition of new franchised properties primarily drove this increase. Revenue in the entertainment segment decreased \$0.6 million to \$1.8 million in the second quarter of 2013 compared to \$2.4 million in the second quarter of 2012, primarily due to a decrease in the total number of show nights for our productions in the second quarter of 2013.

Six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012

During the first six months of 2013, revenue from the hotel segment decreased \$6.5 million or 10.1% compared to the first six months of 2012. The first six months of 2012 included revenue from the Helena, Denver Southeast, Missoula and Pendleton properties, whereas the first six months of 2013 did not include any revenue from the Helena and Denver Southeast properties due to their sale in 2012. Additionally, the Missoula property was sold in February 2013 and the Pendleton property in April 2013. On a comparable basis, excluding the results of the Helena, Denver Southeast, Missoula and Pendleton properties, revenue from the hotel segment increased \$0.3 million or 0.5% in the first six months of 2012. This comparable increase was primarily driven by a 4.1% increase in ADR which was predominantly driven by higher rates in the transient market.

Revenue from our franchise segment increased \$0.8 million to \$3.2 million in the first six months of 2013 compared to the first six months of 2012. The addition of new franchised properties primarily drove the increase. Revenue in the entertainment segment increased to \$5.2 million in the first six months of 2013 compared to \$4.9 million in the first six months of 2012. This is primarily due to an increase in the total number of show nights for our productions, partially offset by a year over year decline in ticket demand for entertainment events in the markets we serve.

## **Operating Expenses**

Operating expenses generally include direct operating expenses for each of the operating segments, depreciation and amortization, hotel facility and land lease expense, gain or loss on asset dispositions and undistributed corporate expenses. Total operating expenses during the second quarter of 2013 compared to the second quarter of 2012 decreased \$2.4 million. The sales of the Helena, Denver Southeast, Missoula and Pendleton properties are the primary driver of the overall decline in reported hotel expenses. In addition, during the second quarter of 2012, operating expenses included a pre-tax impairment charge of \$0.3 million on our Helena property. During the first six months of 2013, total operating expenses decreased \$9.7 million compared to the first six months of 2012. Operating expenses during the first six months of 2012 included \$6.9 million in pre-tax impairment charges on our Helena, Denver Southeast and Missoula properties, which is the primary driver of the variance.

A breakdown of our operating expenses and direct margin by segment as reported for the three and six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012 is as follows (in thousands):

**Operating Expenses From Continuing Operations** 

	Three Months Ended June 30,			Six Months Ended June 30,				
	2013		2012		2013		2012	
Hotels	\$25,472		\$27,832		\$48,784		\$52,870	
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Franchise	2,013		1,096		3,312		2,268	
Entertainment	2,115		2,567		5,099		4,770	
Other	132		209		240		399	
Depreciation and amortization	3,614		3,847		7,278		7,689	
Hotel facility and land lease	1,221		1,156		2,345		2,282	
Asset impairment			252				6,929	
Loss (gain) on asset dispositions, net	(28	)	(103	)	(120	)	(207	)
Undistributed corporate expenses	1,858		1,902		3,664		3,283	
Total operating expenses	\$36,397		\$38,758		\$70,602		\$80,283	
Hotels revenue - continuing <sup>(1)</sup>	\$32,560		\$36,525		\$58,154		\$64,677	
Direct margin <sup>(2)</sup>	\$7,088		\$8,693		\$9,370		\$11,807	
Direct margin %	21.8	%	23.8	%	16.1	%	18.3	%
Franchise revenue <sup>(1)</sup>	\$1,943		\$1,309		\$3,207		\$2,398	
Direct margin <sup>(2)</sup>	\$(70	)	\$213		\$(105	)	\$130	
Direct margin %	(3.6	)%	16.3	%	(3.3	)%	5.4	%
Entertainment revenue	\$1,778		\$2,376		\$5,151		\$4,900	
Direct margin <sup>(2)</sup>	\$(337	)	\$(191	)	\$52		\$130	
Direct margin %	(19.0	)%	(8.0	)%	1.0	%	2.7	%
Other revenue - continuing <sup>(1)</sup>	\$86		\$122		\$171		\$232	
Direct margin <sup>(2)</sup>	\$(46	)	\$(87	)	\$(69	)	\$(167	)
Direct margin %	(53.5	)%	(71.3	)%	(40.4	)%	(72.0	)%

(1)Excludes operations classified as discontinued.

(2) Revenues less direct operating expenses.

Our reported hotel segment numbers for the periods presented in this report reflect the results of the Helena, Denver Southeast and Missoula properties for the three and six months ended June 30, 2012, but not the same periods in 2013, as the sale of those properties closed on July 30, 2012, October 24, 2012 and February 20, 2013, respectively. In addition, our reported hotel segment numbers for the periods presented reflect the results of the Pendleton property for three and six months ended June 30, 2012, but not the entire three and six months ended June 30, 2013 as the sale of that property closed on April 4, 2013. In order to help investors distinguish changes in our results from continuing operations versus changes due to the sale of these properties, we will discuss our operating results as reported and also on a comparable basis to exclude the results of these sold properties from the hotel segment.

A breakdown of our comparable hotel operating expenses and direct margin for the three and six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012 is as follows (in thousands):

	Three Months Ended June 30,		Six Months Ended June		ded June 30,			
	2013		2012		2013		2012	
Hotel operating expenses from continuing operations	25,472		27,832		48,784		52,870	
less: Hotel operating expenses from Helena, Denver Southeast, Missoula and Pendleton properties	(97	)	(3,540	)	(718	)	(6,678	)
Comparable hotel operating expenses	\$25,375		\$24,292		\$48,066		\$46,192	
Hotel revenue from continuing operations	32,560		36,525		58,154		64,677	
less: Hotel revenue from Helena, Denver Southeast, Missoula and Pendleton properties	(3	)	(4,273	)	(373	)	(7,193	)
Comparable hotel revenue	\$32,557		\$32,252		\$57,781		\$57,484	
Hotel direct operating margin from continuing operations	7,088		8,693		9,370		11,807	
less: Hotel direct operation margin from Helena,								
Denver Southeast, Missoula and Pendleton properties	94		(733	)	345		(515	)
Comparable hotel direct margin	\$7,182		\$7,960		\$9,715		\$11,292	
Comparable hotel direct margin %	22.1	%	24.7	%	16.8	%	19.6	%

We utilize comparable hotel operating expense from continuing operations as a financial measure because management believes that investors find it a useful tool to perform more meaningful comparisons of past, present and future operating results and as a means to evaluate the results of core, ongoing operations. We believe it is a complement to reported operating expense and other financial performance measures. Comparable hotel operating expense from continuing operations is not intended to represent reported hotel operating expense as defined by GAAP, and such information should not be considered as an alternative to reported hotel operating expense or any other measure of performance prescribed by GAAP. Comparable hotel operating expense from continuing operations represents reported hotel segment operating expenses less the impact of the Helena, Denver Southeast, Missoula and Pendleton properties' operating expense.

Three months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012

Direct hotel expenses as reported were \$25.5 million in the second quarter of 2013 compared to \$27.8 million in the second quarter of 2012. The primary driver of the decline was the sale of the Helena, Denver Southeast, Missoula and Pendleton properties. The prior year's second quarter included a full quarter of expense for these properties whereas the second quarter of 2013 did not. On a comparable basis, direct hotel expenses were \$25.4 million in the second quarter of 2013 compared to \$24.3 million in the second quarter of 2012, representing a 4.5% increase. The increase was driven primarily by higher sales and marketing costs. Additionally, the second quarter of 2012 benefited from labor cost adjustments that did not reoccur in the second quarter of 2013. On a comparable basis, the hotel segment had a direct margin of 22.1% in the second quarter of 2013 compared to 24.7% during the second quarter of 2012. The decline in margin was primarily driven by the higher costs mentioned above.

Direct expenses for the franchise segment in the second quarter of 2013 increased by \$0.9 million compared to the second quarter of 2012, primarily driven by increased costs to support our franchise growth initiative. Direct expenses for the entertainment segment in the second quarter of 2013 decreased \$0.5 million as compared to the second quarter of 2012, due to the decreased number of show nights for our productions in the second quarter of 2013.

Hotel facility and land lease costs remained flat at \$1.2 million in the second quarter of 2013 compared to the second quarter of 2012.

Undistributed corporate expenses remained flat at \$1.9 million in the second quarter of 2013 compared to the second quarter of 2012. Undistributed corporate expenses include general and administrative charges such as corporate payroll, stock compensation expense, director's fees, legal expenses, charitable contributions, director and officers insurance, bank service charges and outside accountants and various other consultants' expense. We consider these expenses to be "undistributed" because the costs are not directly related to our business segments and therefore are not further distributed. However, costs that can be identified with a particular segment, such as accounting, human resources and information technology, are distributed and included in direct expenses of the segments to which they are allocated.

#### Six months ended June 30, 2013 and 2012

Direct hotel expenses as reported were \$48.8 million in the first six months of 2013 compared to \$52.9 million in the first six months of 2012. The sales of the Helena, Denver Southeast, Missoula, and Pendleton properties are the primary driver of the overall decline in reported hotel expenses. On a comparable basis, direct hotel expenses were \$48.1 million in the first six months of 2013 compared to \$46.2 million in the first six months of 2012, representing a 4.1% increase. The increase was driven primarily by higher sales and marketing costs and additional workers compensation expense that was recognized in the first quarter of 2013. Additionally, the first six months of 2012 benefited from labor cost adjustments that did not reoccur in the first six months of 2013. On a comparable basis, the hotel segment had a direct margin of 16.8% in the first six months of 2013 compared to 19.6% for the first six months of 2012. The decline in margin was primarily driven by the timing of sales and marketing initiatives, declines in food and beverage sales and one-time labor adjustments mentioned above.

Direct expenses for the franchise segment in the first six months of 2013 increased by \$1.0 million to \$3.3 million compared to the first six months of 2012, primarily driven by increased costs to support our franchise growth initiative. Direct expenses for the entertainment segment in the first six months of 2013 increased by \$0.3 million compared to the first six months of 2012 primarily due to the timing and mix of shows and events.

Depreciation and amortization expenses decreased \$0.4 million in the first six months of 2013 compared to the first six months of 2012. We have stopped depreciating our assets held for sale which is the primary driver of the variance. See <u>Note 5</u> of Condensed Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

Hotel facility and land lease costs remained flat at \$2.3 million in the first six months of 2013 compared to the first six months of 2012.

During the first six months of 2012, we recorded pre-tax asset impairment charges of \$6.9 million in continuing operations related to our Helena, Denver Southeast and Missoula properties, which were classified as held for sale. The carrying values of these hotels were adjusted to their estimated fair value less costs to sell based upon indicators received during the marketing process or their listing price. There were no such impairments recorded in 2013.

Undistributed corporate expenses increased by \$0.4 million in the first six months of 2013 compared to the first six months of 2012. The increase primarily relates to legal costs and higher directors and officers insurance premiums. Undistributed corporate expenses include general and administrative charges such as corporate payroll, stock compensation expense, director's fees, legal expenses, charitable contributions, director and officers insurance, bank service charges and outside accountants and various other consultants' expense. We consider these expenses to be "undistributed" because the costs are not directly related to our business segments and therefore are not further distributed. However, costs that can be identified with a particular segment, such as accounting, human resources and information technology, are distributed and included in direct expenses of the segments to which they are allocated.

#### Income Taxes

During the second quarter of 2013, we reported an income tax benefit from continuing operations of \$0.5 million compared to an income tax benefit from continuing operations of \$0.1 million during the second quarter of 2012. The difference is due to the increase in the loss from continuing operations during the quarter.

During the first six months of 2013, we reported an income tax benefit from continuing operations of \$2.5 million compared to an income tax benefit from continuing operations of \$4.5 million during the first six months of 2012. The difference is due to the decrease in the loss from continuing operations during the first six months of 2013.

We make estimates and judgments in determining income tax expense or benefit for financial statement purposes. These estimates and judgments occur in the calculation of certain tax assets and liabilities, which typically arise from differences in the timing of recognition of revenue and expense for tax and financial statement purposes, and in the determination of tax credits and other items that impact our income tax expense or benefit.

Based on our current assessment of future taxable income, including scheduling of the reversal of our taxable temporary differences, we anticipate that it is more likely than not that we will generate sufficient taxable income to realize our recorded deferred tax assets, and therefore we did not record a valuation allowance against our deferred tax assets as of June 30, 2013.

Liquidity and Capital Resources

As of June 30, 2013, we had total long term debt maturing within one year of \$3.0 million. This is the current portion of a term loan from Wells Fargo Bank, National Association ("Wells Fargo") with a total outstanding balance of \$45 million, which matures on June 30, 2018. Our current assets, excluding assets held for sale at June 30, 2013 exceeded our current liabilities, by \$6.9 million.

During the quarter ended June 30, 2013, we entered into an agreement with Wells Fargo to expand our existing credit facility. The balance of the term loan under the credit facility at the time of the expansion was \$0.5 million and there was no outstanding balance on the revolving line of credit. The term loan was increased to a total of \$45 million, with \$38.2 million used to refinance other debt that was maturing on July 11, 2013. The remaining balance of the term loan will be used for capital expenditures and for general corporate purposes. See <u>Note 8</u> of Condensed Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements for additional information.

The terms of the expanded facility are as follows:

Principal payments of \$750,000 are required on the term loan on the last day of each calendar quarter or the first business day thereafter. If a property securing the facility is sold we will be required to make an additional principal payment on the term loan equal to the greater of (i) 50% of the net proceeds from the sale or (ii) 50% of the appraised market value of the property sold. If any such additional principal payment exceeds \$1 million, the remaining principal balance amortization will be modified to reflect the additional payment.

We paid origination fees of \$0.5 million.

The term loan matures on June 30, 2018. The revolving line of credit is available under the facility until June 30, 2015.

Interest under the term loan and revolving line of credit will initially be payable at our option (i) at a fluctuating rate 75 basis points above a base rate in effect from time to time, or (ii) at a rate 325 basis points above LIBOR (under one, three or six month terms). Beginning in 2015, the spread on the LIBOR will decline if our senior leverage ratio is less than 3.00. We have entered into a swap to hedge 40% of our interest rate exposure under the term loan. As a result, interest on 40% of the term loan is effectively fixed at 4.88%.

Our obligations under the facility are (i) guaranteed by our subsidiaries Red Lion Hotels Limited Partnership, Red Lion Hotels Franchising, Inc., Red Lion Hotels Management, Inc. and Red Lion Hotels Holdings, Inc., (ii) secured by our accounts receivable and inventory, and (iii) further collateralized by 19 of our hotel properties located in Bellevue, Spokane, Olympia, Port Angeles, Kennewick, Kelso, Richland, Yakima, Pasco and Wenatchee, Washington; in Post Falls, Pocatello, Twin Falls and Boise, Idaho; in Bend and Coos Bay, Oregon; in Eureka and Redding, California; and in Salt Lake City, Utah.

The credit facility requires us to comply with customary affirmative and negative covenants, as well as financial covenants relating to leverage, debt service and loan coverage ratios. It also includes customary events of default. We were in compliance with these covenants at June 30, 2013

We can access up to \$10 million on our current revolving line of credit, a portion of which supports outstanding letters of credit. The revolving line of credit, which is subject to certain financial covenants, allows us to fund operating needs and may be limited based on a formula relating to the trailing twelve-month consolidated net income of the hotel properties collateralizing the facility. We had no amounts drawn on the revolving line of credit at either June 30, 2013 or the date of filing this Form 10-Q. We continue to be in compliance with our debt covenants, to generate positive cash flow from operations and to have adequate liquidity to fund our ongoing operating activities; however there can be no assurance that we will be able to repay or refinance our debts when they mature or invest in our hotels to remain competitive at our current rates.

We have announced a listing for sale or the intent to sell some of our real estate assets. See <u>Note 5</u> and <u>Note 6</u> of Condensed Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements for further detail. During the second quarter of 2013, we closed on the sale of our commercial mall in Kalispell, Montana ("Kalispell Mall property"), and under the terms of our credit facility made a principal payment in the amount of \$8.8 million which, when combined with a scheduled principal payment of \$0.5 million made in April 2013, brought the remaining balance on the term loan of \$0.5 million prior to the expansion.

We are committed to keeping our properties well-maintained and attractive to our customers in order to enhance our competitiveness within the industry and keep our hotels in the midscale category. This requires ongoing access to capital for replacement of outdated furnishings as well as for facility repair, modernization and renovation. Over the last four to five years, our levels of capital expenditures for these purposes have been lower than normal due to the general economic conditions impacting

our industry. As a result, we will be required over the next 24 months to invest significant amounts of capital in our hotels in order to support the room rates that we have historically charged.

We may seek to raise additional funds through public or private financings, strategic relationships, sales of assets or other arrangements. We cannot assure that such funds, if needed, will be available on terms attractive to us, or at all. If we sell additional assets, these sales may result in future impairments or losses on the final sale. Finally, any additional equity financings may be dilutive to shareholders and debt financing, if available, may involve covenants that place substantial restrictions on our business. As described above, additional principal payments will be required on our Wells Fargo term loan if a property securing that loan is sold. Our failure to secure funding as and when needed could have a material adverse impact on our financial condition and our ability to pursue business strategies.

At June 30, 2013 total outstanding debt was \$75.8 million. Included in that amount is \$30.8 million of debentures due to Red Lion Hotels Capital Trust. Our average pre-tax interest rate on debt was 6.3% at June 30, 2013, of which 64.4% was fixed at an average rate of 7.8% and 35.6% was at an average variable rate of 3.5%.

### **Operating Activities**

Net cash provided by operating activities during the first six months of 2013 totaled \$5.0 million, a \$3.3 million decrease from net cash provided by operating activities of \$8.3 million during the first six months of 2012. The primary drivers of the decrease are in net income after adjustment for non-cash transactions, the timing of payroll and interest payments, offset by the collection of restricted cash and timing of the payments of prepaid expenses in 2013.

#### **Investing Activities**

Net cash provided by investing activities totaled \$10.6 million during the first six months of 2013 compared to net cash used in investing activities of \$3.2 million during the first six months of 2012. The primary drivers of the 2013 increase were the proceeds received from the sale of the Missoula and Kalispell Mall properties of \$13.0 million partially offset by the increase of property and equipment purchased in 2013 over 2012 of \$1.7 million.

## **Financing Activities**

Net cash used in financing activities was \$5.0 million during the first six months of 2013, compared to \$2.1 million cash used in financing activities in the first six months of 2012. The main driver of the decreased use of cash was due to the expansion of the credit facility.

#### **Contractual Obligations**

The following table summarizes our significant contractual obligations, including principal and estimated interest on debt, as of June 30, 2013 (in thousands):

	Total	Less than 1 year	1-3 years	4-5 years	After 5 years
Debt, excluding debentures <sup>(1)</sup>	\$52,592	\$2,401	\$9,275	\$8,798	\$32,118
Operating and capital leases	45,512	2,690	9,353	5,629	27,840
Service agreements	1,480	655	550	275	
Debentures due Red Lion					
Hotels Capital Trust <sup>(1)</sup>	120,628	1,464	5,857	5,857	107,450
Total contractual obligations <sup>(2)</sup>	\$220,212	\$7,210	\$25,035	\$20,559	\$167,408

(1)Including estimated interest payments and commitment fees over the life of the debt agreement.

(2) With regard to purchase obligations, we are not party to any material agreements to purchase goods or services that are enforceable or legally binding as to fixed or minimum quantities to be purchased or stated price terms.

In October 2007, we completed an acquisition of a 100-year (including extension periods) leasehold interest in a hotel in Anaheim, California for \$8.3 million, including costs of acquisition. At our option, we were entitled to extend the original 5-year lease for 19 additional terms of five years each, with increases in lease payments tied directly to the Consumer Price Index. We exercised the option to extend for the first additional 5-year term beginning in May 2011, leaving us with 18 remaining options

to extend the lease for additional terms of five years each. We are obligated to pay \$2.2 million per year in rent until the end of the extension period in April 2016, which is reflected in the table above.

In addition to the above mentioned obligation, we have leasehold interests at other hotel properties as well as our corporate headquarters located in Spokane, Washington. These leases require us to pay fixed monthly rent and have expiration dates of 2016 and beyond which are reflected in the table above. The table below summarizes the terms of the leases, including extension periods at our option, for our hotel properties as of June 30, 2013:

Property Red Lion Eugene Red Lion River Inn Red Lion Hotel Seattle Airport Red Lion Hotel Vancouver (at the Quay) Red Lion Anaheim Red Lion Hotel Kalispell Expiration date of lease February 2062 October 2018 December 2024 December 2020 April 2016 April 2028 Extension periods None Three renewal terms of five years each One renewal term of five years None 18 renewal terms of five years each Three renewal terms of five years each

### Franchise Update

At June 30, 2013, the Red Lion Hotels and Red Lion Inn & Suites network included 25 hotels under franchise agreements, representing a total of 4,137 rooms and 231,830 square feet of meeting space. In the second quarter of 2013, the Red Lion Inn & Suites Kennewick and Red Lion Inn & Suites Tempe converted to the brand and concurrent with the sale of the Pendleton property, we signed a franchise agreement with the buyer.

The Leo Hotel Collection is comprised of one hotel with 2,956 rooms and 220,000 square feet of meeting space.

During the quarter we received advance notice of termination from our franchisee at our Seattle Fifth Avenue Hotel. We anticipate their departure from our network at the end of June, 2014. This hotel generated approximately 12% of our total franchise segment revenue in the first six months of 2013.

## Asset Sale Update

During 2012, we signed separate letters of intent to sell our Kalispell Mall and Pendleton properties and closed on the sale of both in April 2013. In February 2013, we signed a letter of intent to sell the Red Lion Hotel Medford in Medford, Oregon and subsequent to the end of the second quarter 2013, closed on the sale of the property for \$2.8 million.

#### Off-balance Sheet Arrangements

As of June 30, 2013, we had no off-balance sheet arrangements, as defined by SEC regulations, which have or are reasonably likely to have a current or future effect on our financial condition, revenues or expenses, results of operations, liquidity, capital expenditures or capital resources.

Critical Accounting Policies and Estimates

The preparation of consolidated financial statements in conformity with GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect: (i) the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the dates of the financial statements, and (ii) the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting periods. Actual results could differ materially from those estimates. We consider a critical accounting policy to be one that is both important to the portrayal of our financial condition and results of operations

and requires management's most subjective or complex judgments, often as a result of the need to make estimates about the effect of matters that are inherently uncertain. Our significant accounting policies are described in <u>Note 2</u> of Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements included in our annual report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012.

Management has discussed the development and selection of our critical accounting policies and estimates with the audit committee of our board of directors, and the audit committee has reviewed the disclosures presented on Form 10-K for the year

ended December 31, 2012. Since the date of our 2012 Form 10-K, there have been no material changes to our critical accounting policies, nor have there been any changes to our methodology and assumptions applied to these policies.

## New and Future Accounting Pronouncements

July 2013, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued Accounting Standards Update No. 2013-11, "Income Taxes (Topic 740): Presentation of an Unrecognized Tax Benefit When a Net Operating Loss Carryforward, a Similar Tax Loss, or a Tax Credit Carryforward Exists" ("ASU 2013-11"). ASU 2013-11 requires an entity to present an unrecognized tax benefit and an NOL carryforward, a similar tax loss, or a tax credit carryforward on a net basis as part of a deferred tax asset, unless the unrecognized tax benefit is not available to reduce the deferred tax asset component or would not be utilized for that purpose, then a liability would be recognized. ASU 2013-11 will be effective for fiscal periods beginning after December 15, 2013, with early adoption permitted. We are currently evaluating the impact that the adoption of this guidance will have on our financial statements.

In February 2013, the FASB issued Accounting Standards Update 2013-02, "Comprehensive Income (Topic 220): "Reporting of Amounts Reclassified Out of Accumulated Other Comprehensive Income" ("ASU 2013-02"). ASU 2013-02 requires an entity to provide information about the amounts reclassified out of accumulated other comprehensive income by component. In addition, an entity is required to present, either on the face of the statement where net income is presented or in the notes, significant amounts reclassified out of accumulated other comprehensive income by the respective line items of net income but only if the amount reclassified is required under GAAP to be reclassified in their entirety in the same reporting period. For other amounts that are not required under GAAP to be reclassified in their entirety to net income, an entity is required to cross-reference to other disclosures required under GAAP that provide additional detail about those amounts. ASU 2013-02 is effective prospectively for annual and interim periods beginning after December 15, 2012. The adoption of this ASU did not have a material impact on our financial position, comprehensive (loss) income, or cash flows as of June 30, 2013.

Management has assessed the potential impact of other recently issued, but not yet effective, accounting standards and determined that the provisions are either not applicable to our company, or are not anticipated to have a material impact on our consolidated financial statements.

Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk

Our earnings and cash flows are subject to fluctuations due to changes in interest rates primarily from outstanding debt. As of June 30, 2013, our outstanding debt, including current maturities, was \$75.8 million.

At June 30, 2013, \$30.8 million of our outstanding debt was subject to currently fixed interest rates and was not exposed to market risk from rate changes. In addition, \$18.0 million of the \$45.0 million outstanding on the variable rate term loan is subject to an interest rate swap, which effectively fixes its interest rate at 4.88%. The remaining \$27.0 million outstanding under the term loan remains subject to variable rates, currently set at 3.5%. We can access up to \$10 million on our current revolving line of credit, a portion of which supports outstanding letters of credit. The revolving line of credit, which is subject to certain financial covenants, allows us to fund operating needs and may be limited based on a formula relating to the trailing twelve-month consolidated net income of the hotel properties collateralizing the facility. As of June 30, 2013, \$10 million on the revolving line of credit was available as we had no amount drawn as of that date.

Under the terms of our expanded credit facility with Wells Fargo, interest under the term loan and revolving line of credit will initially be payable at our option (i) at a fluctuating rate 75 basis points above a base rate in effect from time to time, or (ii) at a rate 325 basis points above LIBOR (under one, three or six month terms). Beginning in 2015, the spread on the LIBOR will decline if our senior leverage ratio is less than 3.00. The facility terms require us to

hedge at least 40% of our interest rate exposure under the term loan.

We do not enter into derivative transactions for trading purposes, but rather to hedge our exposure to interest rate fluctuations. We manage the floating rate debt using interest rate swaps in order to reduce our exposure to the impact of changing interest rates on our statement of comprehensive income (loss) and future cash outflows for interest.

In June 2013, we entered into an \$18.0 million notional amount swap agreement that exchanges a variable interest rate based upon LIBOR for a 4.88% fixed rate of interest over the term of the agreement. This swap matures on June 29, 2018. We designated this swap as a cash flow hedge of the interest rate risk attributable to projected variable interest payments. The effective portion of the fair value gains or losses on these swaps is included as a component of accumulated other comprehensive income or loss, net of tax.

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The below table summarizes our debt obligations at June 30, 2013 on our consolidated balance sheet (in thousands):									
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	Thereafter	Total	Fair Value	
Debt, excluding debentures	\$1,500	\$3,000	\$3,000	\$3,000	\$3,000	\$31,500	\$45,000	\$44,698	
Average interest rate							4.1 %		
Debentures due Red Lion Hotels Capital Trust Average interest rate	\$—	\$—	\$—	\$—	\$—	\$30,825	\$30,825 9.5 %	\$30,837	

Item 4. Controls and Procedures

As of June 30, 2013, we carried out an evaluation under the supervision and with the participation of our management, including our Chief Executive Officer ("CEO") and our Chief Financial Officer ("CFO"), of the effectiveness of the design and operation of our disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rule 13a-15(e) or 15d-15(e) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended). Based on that evaluation, our management, including the CEO and CFO, concluded that our disclosure controls and procedures were effective to ensure that material information required to be disclosed by us in the reports filed or submitted by us under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within time periods specified in Securities and Exchange Commission rules and forms.

There were no changes in internal control over financial reporting, as defined in Exchange Act Rule 13a-15(f), during the first six months of 2013 that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal controls over financial reporting.

### PART II - OTHER INFORMATION

Item 1. Legal Proceedings

At any given time, we are subject to claims and actions incidental to the operation of our business. While the outcome of these proceedings cannot be predicted, it is the opinion of management that none of such proceedings, individually or in the aggregate, will have a material adverse effect on our business, financial condition, cash flows or results of operations. See <u>Note 15</u> of Condensed Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

Item 1A. Risk Factors

In addition to the other information set forth in this report, you should carefully consider the factors discussed in Part I, Item 1A Risk Factors in our annual report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2012, which could materially affect our business, financial condition or future results. The risks described in our annual report may not be the only risks facing our company. Additional risks and uncertainties not currently known to us or that we currently deem to be immaterial also may materially adversely affect our business, financial condition and/or operating results in the future.

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

None.

Item 3. Defaults Upon Senior Securities

None.

Item 4. Mine Safety Disclosures

Not applicable.

Item 5. Other Information

None.

Item 6. Exhibits Index to Exhibits

Exhibit Number	Description
10.1	Second Amended and Restated Credit Agreement dated as of June 20, 2013 between the Registrant and Wells Fargo Bank, National Association
10.2	Term Note dated June 20, 2013 for \$45,000,000 payable by the Registrant to Wells Fargo Bank, National Association
10.3	Revolving Line of Credit Note dated June 20, 2013 for \$10,000,000 payable by the Registrant to Wells Fargo Bank, National Association
10.4	Amended and Restated Employment Offer Letter to Julie Shiflett dated May 21, 2013
31.1	Certification of Chief Executive Officer pursuant to Exchange Act Rule 13a-14(a)
31.2	Certification of Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Exchange Act Rule 13a-14(a)
32.1	Certification of Chief Executive Officer pursuant to Exchange Act Rule 13a-14(b)
32.2	Certification of Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Exchange Act Rule 13a-14(b)
101.INS	XBRL Instance Document
101.SCH	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Document
101.CAL	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation Linkbase Document
101.DEF	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase Document
101.LAB	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Label Linkbase Document
101.PRE	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase Document

### SIGNATURES

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

Red Lion Hotels Corporation Registrant

Sign	ature	Title	Date
By:	/s/ Jon E. Eliassen Jon E. Eliassen	President and Chief Executive Officer (Principal Executive Officer)	August 9, 2013
By:	/s/ Julie Shiflett Julie Shiflett	Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer (Principal Financial Officer)	August 9, 2013
By:	/s/ Sandra J. Heffernan Sandra J. Heffernan	Senior Vice President, Corporate Controller (Principal Accounting Officer)	August 9, 2013