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## Barry Perry

President & CEO



## Fortis Delivers Strong Results in 2016

#### **Transformative Acquisition Completed**

- ✓ Closed the acquisition of ITC in a transaction valued at ~\$16 billion on closing
- ✓ Listed on New York Stock
  Exchange

#### **Strong Earnings and Cash Flow**

- ✓ 18% and 8% increase in adjusted EPS for Q4 and 2016, respectively, excluding ITC
- ✓ Cash flow from operations 13% higher than 2015

#### **Execution of Growth Strategy**

- ✓ Invested \$2.1 billion in 2016
- ✓ Major capital projects progressing
- ✓ Pursuing additional opportunities in service territories

#### **Progress in Regulatory Proceedings**

✓ Constructive outcomes at FortisBC, FortisAlberta, TEP & ITC in 2016



## ITC Accretive to EPS with Integration on Track

- ITC Immediately Accretive to EPS in 2016 (1)
- Integration On Track
  - Minimal impact on day-to-day operations at ITC
  - ITC's new board of directors formed
  - Linda Blair appointed President and CEO of ITC during Q4 2016
  - Joe Welch to be nominated for Fortis' board of directors in 2017

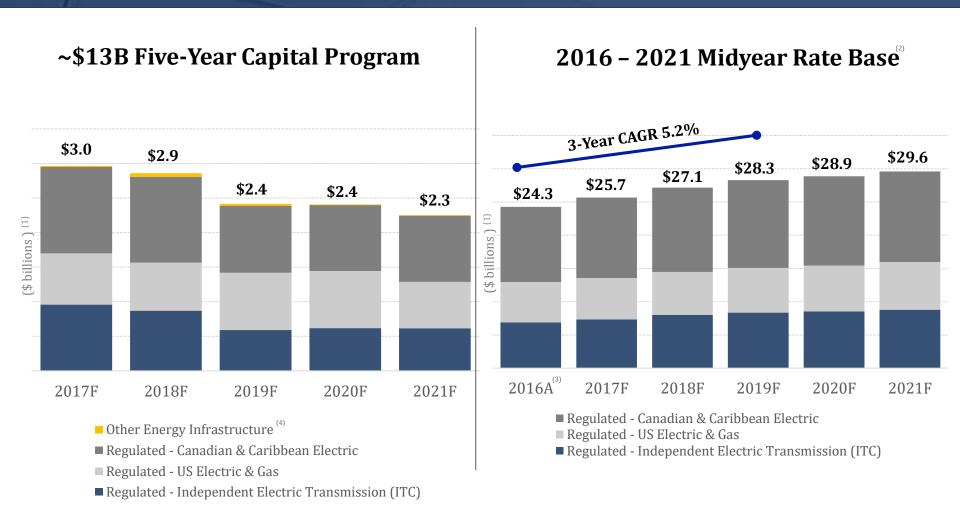


We remain confident that the transaction will be nicely accretive to EPS in 2017



#### Capital Plan Grows Rate Base to \$30 Billion in 2021





<sup>(1)</sup> US Dollar denominated CAPEX converted at a USD/CAD exchange rate of 1.30 for 2017 through 2021.

 $<sup>(2) \ \</sup> Includes \ the \ impact \ of \ bonus \ depreciation \ and \ excludes \ construction \ work \ in \ progress.$ 

<sup>(3)</sup> Reflects actual midyear 2016 rate base compared to previous forecast of \$24.2 billion.

 $<sup>(4)\ \</sup> Includes\ 100\%\ of\ the\ Waneta\ Expansion,\ of\ which\ Fortis\ has\ a\ 51\%\ controlling\ ownership\ interest.$ 

#### Progress on Major Capital Projects

\$millions <sup>(1) (2)</sup>	Actual 2016	Forecast 2017	Forecast 2018-2021
ITC Multi-Value Regional Transmission Projects (3)	57	354	96
ITC 34.5 kV to 69 kV Conversion Project (3)	11	89	369
UNS Energy Springerville Unit 1 Purchase	112	-	-
Central Hudson Gas Main Replacement Program	26	33	169
FortisBC Tilbury LNG Facility Expansion – Tilbury 1A	79	65	-
FortisBC Lower Mainland System Upgrade	28	162	220
FortisAlberta Pole-Management Program	45	43	53

<sup>(1)</sup> Represents utility capital asset expenditures, including both the capitalized debt and equity components of AFUDC, where applicable.

<sup>(3) 2016</sup> reflects capital expenditures from date of acquisition.









<sup>(2)</sup> US Dollar denominated CAPEX converted at a USD/CAD exchange rate of 1.33 for 2016 and 1.30 for 2017 through 2021.

#### Opportunities Beyond Base Plan





#### Development Project Update





- Potential pipeline expansion to the Woodfibre LNG export site
- Earliest expected in service date is late 2020
- Project estimate of up to \$600 million, not currently in forecast



- Proposed 1,000 MW, bi-directional, high-voltage direct current transmission line connecting the Ontario energy grid to the PJM energy market
- Expected in-service date of late 2020, subject to meeting milestones

#### **FORTIS** ONTARIO

Wataynikaneyap Power Project

- Opportunity to connect remote First Nations communities in Northern Ontario to clean electricity
- The agreement with Renewable Energy Systems Canada to acquire its ownership interest in the Wataynikaneyap Partnership is subject to approval by the OEB and is expected to close in the first quarter of 2017



## Karl Smith

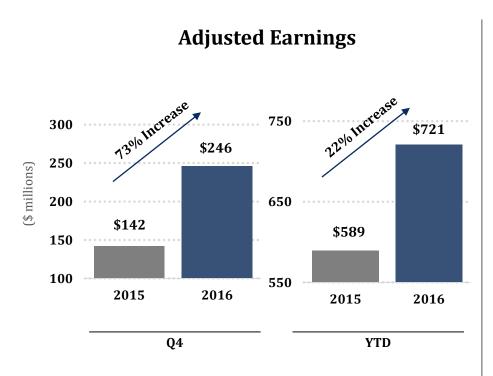
Executive Vice President, Chief Financial Officer

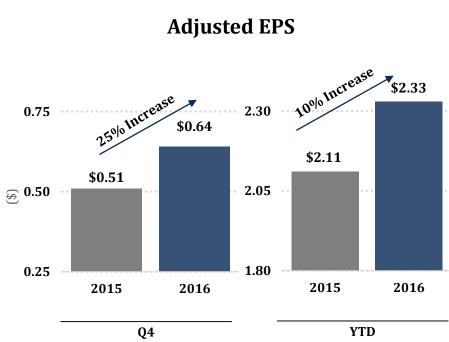




# Diversified Portfolio of Utilities Continues to Deliver Strong Performance

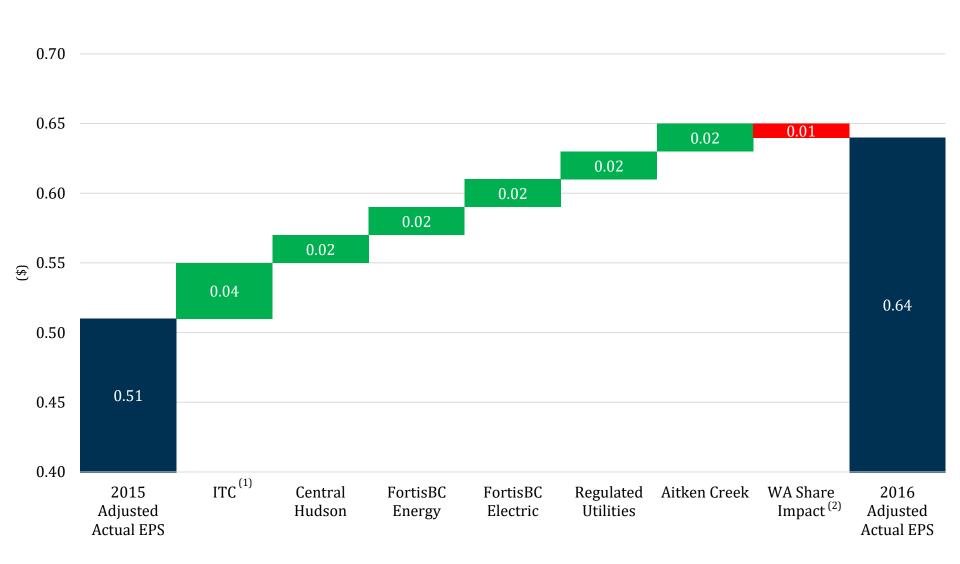






## Multiple Drivers of EPS Growth – Q4





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## Multiple Drivers of EPS Growth– Full Year 2016





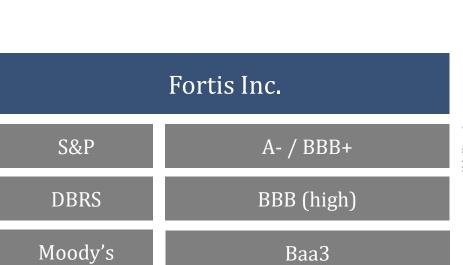
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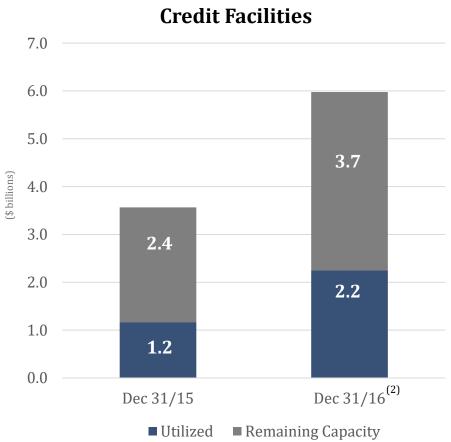
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## Liquidity and Credit Ratings

Credit Ratings<sup>(1)</sup>







<sup>(1)</sup> In October 2016, following the completion of the acquisition of ITC, DBRS revised the Corporation's unsecured debt credit rating to BBB(high) from A(low) and revised its outlook to stable from under review with negative implications, and S&P affirmed the Corporation's long-term corporate and unsecured debt credit ratings. In September 2016, Moody's assigned to Fortis, with a stable outlook, a Baa3 issuer and Baa3 senior unsecured debt credit ratings.

<sup>(2)</sup> Includes \$500 million of non-revolving senior unsecured equity bridge credit facility used to finance a portion of the cash purchase price of ITC.



## Continued Regulatory Stability

#### **Summary of Recent Regulatory Outcomes**

Regulated Utility	Application/Proceeding	Outcome	Agreement/Decision Timing	
ITC	Initial MISO Base ROE Complaint	<ul> <li>10.32% base ROE with a high-end zone of reasonableness of 11.35%</li> </ul>	September 2016	
FortisBC Energy	2016 Application: ROE and Common Equity Thickness	<ul> <li>Maintained ROE at 8.75% and common equity thickness of 38.5%</li> </ul>	August 2016	
FortisAlberta	2016/2017 Generic Cost of Capital Proceeding (GCOC)	<ul> <li>ROE maintained for 2016 at 8.30% and increasing to 8.50% for 2017. Common equity thickness reduced from 40% to 37% for 2016 and 2017</li> </ul>	October 2016	
TEP	2017 General Rate Application (GRA)	<ul> <li>Decision issued approving settlement agreement on revenue requirement</li> <li>9.75% ROE and common equity thickness of 50%</li> </ul>	February 2017	

#### **Remaining Significant Regulatory Decisions**

Regulated Utility	Application/Proceeding	Filing Date	Expected Decision
ITC	Second MISO Base ROE Complaint	Not applicable	2017

# Reiterating Average Annual Dividend Growth Target of 6% through 2021





Confident with capital plan and associated rate base growth which supports dividend guidance

#### U.S. Tax Reform





Corporate Tax Rate	Stress tested corporate tax rates at 20% and assumed remeasurement of existing deferred tax liabilities would be offset by a regulatory deferral mechanism				
100% Deductibility of Capital Investments	Assumes deductibility is required rather than a discretionary election				
Interest Expense Deductibility	Loss of interest deductibility only applies to prospective debt				

#### Key Takeaways

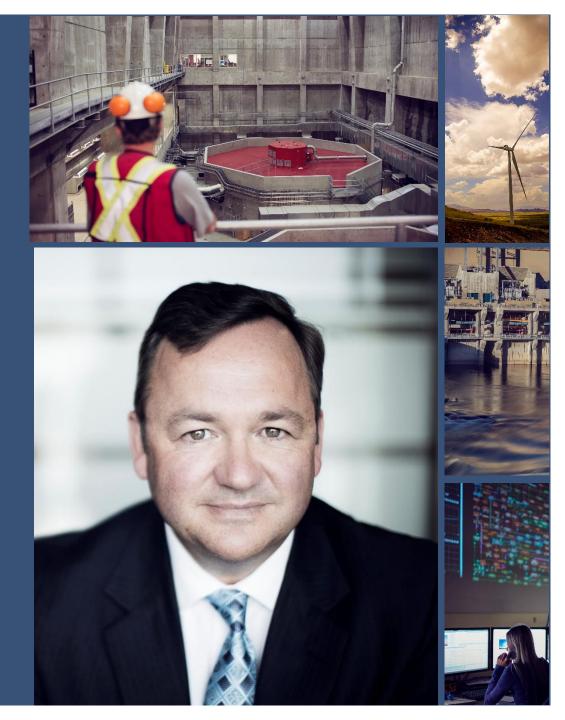
A slight negative impact to earnings. This assumes no mitigating factors like additional capital investments or improved economic conditions.

Not material to Fortis and does not change our strategy going forward.



## Barry Perry

President & CEO



#### **Outlook Remains Strong**



- Highly diversified; regulated utility, focused on wires and gas businesses
- Highly executable base capital plan
- Regulatory stability
- Consistent dividend growth
  - 43 years of consecutive dividend increases
  - 6% average annual dividend growth guidance through 2021
- Strong M&A track record & upside growth potential
  - Integrate ITC
  - · Pursue additional growth opportunities
- Track record of superior shareholder returns





#### **Expected Upcoming Events**





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Strategic Growth Drives Success





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The largest investor-owned electric and gas utility in Canada is now a transmission and distribution leader in North America with \$47 billion in assets in 17 locations in Canada, the United States and the Caribbean. Join President and CEO Barry Perry on March 2, 2017 as part of our Global Leaders Series as he discusses the growth of Fortis from a small utility in Newfoundland and Labrador to among the top 15 publicly traded utilities in North America (ranked by enterprise value) with over 8,000 employees serving 3.2 million customers. Mr. Perry will also address the critical role which leading Canadian organizations play in driving Canada's future prosperity and competitiveness.

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### **Expected Earnings Release Dates**

Q1 – 2017	May 2, 2017
Q2 - 2017	July 28, 2017
Q3 – 2017	November 3, 2017

#### **Save the Date - 2017 Investor Day**

Toronto	October 16, 2017
New York	October 18, 2017

## Q4 Results by Segment



			Q4 Variance A	Analysis By Se	gme	nt				
	Q4			Q4 2016		Q4		Q4 2015	Q	4 (Adjusted)
(Millions excluding EPS)	<u>2016</u>		<u>Adjustments</u>	(Adjusted)		<u>2015</u>	<b>Adjustments</b>	(Adjusted)		<u>Variance</u>
Regulated- Independent Electric Transmission	on (ITC)									
ITC Holdings	Ţ	59	22	81		-	-	-		81
Regulated - US Electric & Gas										
UNS Energy	2	29	-	29		26	-	26		3
Central Hudson	2	20	-	20		15	-	15		[
		19	-	49		41	-	41		8
Regulated Canadian & Caribbean Electric										
FortisBC Gas	7	70	-	70		65	-	65		Ţ
FortisAlberta	3	30	-	30		29	-	29		1
FortisBC Electric	-	13	-	13		8	-	8		[
Eastern Canadian	2	16	-	16		15	-	15		1
Caribbean		12	-	12	_	9	-	9		3
	14	11	-	141		126	-	126		15
Non-Utility (Fortis Properties)		-	-	-		1	-	1		(1
Other Energy Infrastructure	-	15	3	18		11	-	11		7
Corporate and Other	(7	75)	32	(43)		(44)	7	(37)		(6
Net Earnings	\$ 18	39	\$ 57	\$ 246	Ç	\$ 135	\$ 7	\$ 142	\$	104
Weighted Avg Shares	384	4.6		384.6		280.7		280.7		103.
<b>EPS</b>	\$ 0.4	19		\$ 0.64	5	5 0.48		\$ 0.51	\$	0.13

## Full Year Results by Segment



Annual Variance Analysis By Segment									
	Annual		Annual 2016	Annual		Annual 2015	Annual (Adjusted)		
(Millions excluding EPS)	<u>2016</u>	<b>Adjustments</b>	(Adjusted)	<u>2015</u>	<u>Adjustments</u>	(Adjusted)	<u>Variance</u>		
Regulated- Independent Electric Transmissic	on (ITC)								
ITC Holdings	59	22	81	-	-	-	81		
Regulated - US Electric & Gas									
UNS Energy	199	18	217	195	· -	195	22		
Central Hudson	70	-	70	58	-	58	12		
	269	18	287	253	-	253	34		
Regulated Canadian & Caribbean Electric									
FortisBC Gas	151	-	151	140	) -	140	11		
FortisAlberta	121	-	121	138	3 (9)	129	(8)		
FortisBC Electric	54	-	54	50	) -	50	4		
Eastern Canadian	64	-	64	62	_	62	2		
Caribbean	46	-	46	34	-	34	12		
	436	-	436	424	1 (9)	415	21		
Non-Utility (Fortis Properties)	-	-	-	114	(101)	13	(13)		
Other Energy Infrastructure	60	6	66	77	7 (32)	45	21		
Corporate and Other	(239)	90	(149)	(140	)) 3	(137)	(12)		
Net Earnings	\$ 585	\$ 136	\$ 721	\$ 728	3 \$ (139)	\$ 589	\$ 132		
Weighted Avg Shares	308.9		308.9	278.	6	278.6	30.3		
EPS	\$ 1.89		\$ 2.33	\$ 2.62		\$ 2.11	\$ 0.22		