# UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

# **FORM 10-Q**

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

For the quarterly period ended March 31, 2019

OR

# □ TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the transition period from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)	Commission file number	State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization	(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)
Crestwood Equity Partners LP	001-34664	Delaware	43-1918951
Crestwood Midstream Partners LP	001-35377	Delaware	20-1647837

811 Main Street, Suite 3400 Houston, Texas (Address of principal executive offices)

77002

(Zip code)

(832) 519-2200

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

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.

Crestwood Equity Partners LP	Yes x No o
Crestwood Midstream Partners LP	Yes x No o

(Explanatory Note: Crestwood Midstream Partners LP is currently a voluntary filer and is not subject to the filing requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934. Although not subject to these filing requirements, Crestwood Midstream Partners LP 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.)

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 (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files).

Crestwood Equity Partners LP	Yes x No o
Crestwood Midstream Partners LP	Yes x No o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, a smaller reporting company or an emerging growth company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer", "smaller reporting company" and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Crestwood Equity Partners LP	Large accelerated filer x	Accelerated filer o	Non-accelerated filer o	Smaller reporting company o	Emerging growth company o
Crestwood Midstream Partners LP	Large accelerated filer o	Accelerated filer o	Non-accelerated filer x	Smaller reporting company o	Emerging growth company o

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange act.

Crestwood Equity Partners LP	0
Crestwood Midstream Partners LP	0

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act).

Crestwood Equity Partners LP	Yes o No x
Crestwood Midstream Partners LP	Yes o No x

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date (April 29, 2019).

Crestwood Equity Partners LP	71,838,746
Crestwood Midstream Partners LP	None

Crestwood Midstream Partners LP, as a wholly-owned subsidiary of a reporting company, meets the conditions set forth in General Instruction H(1) (a) and (b) of Form 10-Q and is therefore filing this report with the reduced disclosure format as permitted by such instruction.

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#### PART I - FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements

# CRESTWOOD EQUITY PARTNERS LP CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (in millions, except unit information)

(in minors, except unit information)	March 31, 2019		December 31, 2018	
	(	unaudited)	 	
Assets				
Current assets:				
Cash	\$	0.5	\$ 0.9	
Restricted cash		1.3	16.3	
Accounts receivable, less allowance for doubtful accounts of \$0.3 million at both March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018		255.6	251.5	
Inventory		42.0	64.6	
Assets from price risk management activities		16.6	34.7	
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		10.1	11.3	
Total current assets		326.1	 379.3	
Property, plant and equipment		2,661.7	2,598.1	
Less: accumulated depreciation		596.6	568.4	
Property, plant and equipment, net		2,065.1	2,029.7	
Intangible assets		770.3	770.3	
Less: accumulated amortization		226.9	216.5	
Intangible assets, net		543.4	553.8	
Goodwill		138.6	138.6	
Operating lease right-of-use assets, net		61.6	—	
Investments in unconsolidated affiliates		1,206.4	1,188.2	
Other non-current assets		5.2	4.9	
Total assets	\$	4,346.4	\$ 4,294.5	
Liabilities and partners' capital				
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$	224.6	\$ 213.0	
Accrued expenses and other liabilities		123.3	112.4	
Liabilities from price risk management activities		5.0	5.8	
Current portion of long-term debt		0.6	0.9	
Total current liabilities		353.5	 332.1	
Long-term debt, less current portion		1,768.4	1,752.4	
Long-term operating lease liabilities		48.2	—	
Other long-term liabilities		177.0	173.6	
Deferred income taxes		2.8	2.6	
Commitments and contingencies ( <i>Note 10</i> )				
Interest of non-controlling partner in subsidiary		182.0	181.3	
Crestwood Equity Partners LP partners' capital (72,335,893 and 71,659,385 common and subordinated units issued and outstanding at March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018)		1,202.5	1,240.5	
Preferred units (71,257,445 units issued and outstanding at both March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018)		612.0	612.0	
Total Crestwood Equity Partners LP partners' capital		1,814.5	 1,852.5	
Total partners' capital		1,996.5	2,033.8	
Total liabilities and partners' capital	\$	4,346.4	\$ 4,294.5	

See accompanying notes.

# CRESTWOOD EQUITY PARTNERS LP CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (in millions, except unit and per unit data) (unaudited)

		onths Ended rch 31,
	2019	2018
Revenues:		
Product revenues:		
Gathering and processing	\$ 109.6	\$ 272.2
Marketing, supply and logistics	636.8	753.4
Related party ( <i>Note 11</i> )	1.2	—
	747.6	1,025.6
Services revenues:		
Gathering and processing	72.7	68.1
Storage and transportation	7.8	4.2
Marketing, supply and logistics	7.1	16.8
Related party ( <i>Note 11</i> )		0.3
	87.6	89.4
Total revenues	835.2	1,115.0
Costs of product/services sold (exclusive of items shown separately below):		
Product costs	653.5	938.9
Product costs - related party ( <i>Note 11</i> )	34.4	13.1
Service costs	7.7	13.8
Total costs of products/services sold	695.6	965.8
Operating expenses and other:		
Operations and maintenance	28.6	34.5
General and administrative	37.2	23.9
Depreciation, amortization and accretion	39.8	45.1
(Gain) loss on long-lived assets, net	2.0	(0.3)
	107.6	103.2
Operating income	32.0	46.0

# CRESTWOOD EQUITY PARTNERS LP CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (continued) (in millions, except unit and per unit data) (unaudited)

	Three Months Ended March 31,		
	 2019		2018
Earnings from unconsolidated affiliates, net	 6.9		12.4
Interest and debt expense, net	(24.9)		(24.4)
Other income, net	0.1		0.1
Net income	 14.1		34.1
Net income attributable to non-controlling partner	4.0		4.0
Net income attributable to Crestwood Equity Partners LP	 10.1		30.1
Net income attributable to preferred units	15.0		15.0
Net income (loss) attributable to partners	\$ (4.9)	\$	15.1
Subordinated unitholders' interest in net income	\$ _	\$	0.1
Common unitholders' interest in net income (loss)	\$ (4.9)	\$	15.0
Net income (loss) per limited partner unit:	 <u> </u>		
Basic	\$ (0.07)	\$	0.21
Diluted	\$ (0.07)	\$	0.21
Weighted-average limited partners' units outstanding ( <i>in thousands</i> ):		-	
Basic	71,833		71,165
Dilutive	_		789
Diluted	 71,833		71,954

See accompanying notes.

# CRESTWOOD EQUITY PARTNERS LP CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (in millions) (unaudited)

	<b>Three Months Ended</b>				
	 March 31,				
	2019		2018		
Net income	\$ 14.1	\$	34.1		
Change in fair value of Suburban Propane Partners, L.P. units	0.4		(0.3)		
Comprehensive income	 14.5		33.8		
Comprehensive income attributable to non-controlling partner	4.0		4.0		
Comprehensive income attributable to Crestwood Equity Partners LP	\$ 10.5	\$	29.8		

See accompanying notes.

# CRESTWOOD EQUITY PARTNERS LP CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF PARTNERS' CAPITAL (in millions)

(unaudited)

	Pre	ferre	d																
	Units		Capital	Common Units	Subordinated hits Units				Capital		Capital		Capital		Capital		Non-Controlling Partner		Total Partners' Capital
Balance at December 31, 2018	71.3	\$	612.0	71.2	0.4	\$	1,240.5	\$	181.3	\$	2,033.8								
Distributions to partners			(15.0)	—			(43.1)		(3.3)		(61.4)								
Unit-based compensation charges			_	0.9			17.3		_		17.3								
Taxes paid for unit-based compensation vesting	_		_	(0.2)	_		(7.0)		_		(7.0)								
Change in fair value of Suburban Propane Partners, L.P. units	_		_	_			0.4		_		0.4								
Other			—	—	—	(0.7)					(0.7)								
Net income (loss)			15.0	_	—		(4.9)		4.0		14.1								
Balance at March 31, 2019	71.3	\$	612.0	71.9	0.4		\$ 1,202.5		182.0	\$	1,996.5								
Balance at December 31, 2017	71.3	\$	612.0	70.3	0.4	\$	1,393.5	\$	175.0	\$	2,180.5								
Cumulative effect of accounting change	_		_	—			7.5		_		7.5								
Distributions to partners			(15.0)				(42.7)		_		(57.7)								
Unit-based compensation charges	—		—	1.2			7.2		—		7.2								
Taxes paid for unit-based compensation vesting	_		_	(0.2)	_		(6.3)		_		(6.3)								
Change in fair value of Suburban Propane Partners, L.P. units	_		_	_			(0.3)		_		(0.3)								
Other	_		(0.1)				(0.1)				(0.2)								
Net income			15.0				15.1		4.0		34.1								
Balance at March 31, 2018	71.3	\$	611.9	71.3	0.4	\$	1,373.9	\$	179.0	\$	2,164.8								

See accompanying notes.

#### CRESTWOOD EQUITY PARTNERS LP CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (in millions) (unaudited)

	Three Months Ended March 31,				
	 2019		2018		
Operating activities					
Net income	\$ 14.1	\$	34.1		
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:					
Depreciation, amortization and accretion	39.8		45.1		
Amortization of debt-related deferred costs	1.4		1.8		
Unit-based compensation charges	17.3		7.2		
(Gain) loss on long-lived assets, net	2.0		(0.3)		
Earnings from unconsolidated affiliates, net, adjusted for cash distributions received	3.3		(0.6)		
Deferred income taxes	0.2		(0.2)		
Other	_		0.1		
Changes in operating assets and liabilities	52.8		61.5		
Net cash provided by operating activities	130.9		148.7		
Investing activities					
Purchases of property, plant and equipment	(68.5)		(65.3)		
Investment in unconsolidated affiliates	(38.2)		(0.1)		
Capital distributions from unconsolidated affiliates	16.7		11.5		
Other	(1.0)		1.2		
Net cash used in investing activities	(91.0)		(52.7)		
Financing activities					
Proceeds from the issuance of long-term debt	298.9		399.8		
Payments on long-term debt	(284.4)		(425.4)		
Payments on finance/capital leases	(1.1)		(0.3)		
Payments for deferred financing costs	(0.2)		—		
Distributions to partners	(43.1)		(42.7)		
Distributions to non-controlling partner	(3.3)		_		
Distribution to preferred unit holders	(15.0)		(15.0)		
Taxes paid for unit-based compensation vesting	(7.0)		(6.3)		
Other	(0.1)		(0.1)		
Net cash used in financing activities	(55.3)		(90.0)		
Net change in cash and restricted cash	(15.4)		6.0		
Cash and restricted cash at beginning of period	17.2		1.3		
Cash and restricted cash at end of period	\$ 1.8	\$	7.3		
Supplemental schedule of noncash investing and financing activities	 				
Net change to property, plant and equipment through accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$ 5.7	\$	12.7		

See accompanying notes.

#### CRESTWOOD MIDSTREAM PARTNERS LP CONSOLIDATED BALANCE SHEETS (in millions)

	Ν	/larch 31, 2019	D	ecember 31, 2018
	(1	unaudited)		
Assets				
Current assets:				
Cash	\$	0.2	\$	0.2
Restricted cash		1.3		16.3
Accounts receivable, less allowance for doubtful accounts of \$0.3 million at both March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018		254.9		249.9
Inventory		42.0		64.6
Assets from price risk management activities		16.6		34.7
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		10.1		11.3
Total current assets		325.1		377.0
Property, plant and equipment		2,991.7		2,928.2
Less: accumulated depreciation		757.7		725.9
Property, plant and equipment, net		2,234.0		2,202.3
Intangible assets		770.3		770.3
Less: accumulated amortization		226.9		216.5
Intangible assets, net		543.4		553.8
Goodwill		138.6		138.6
Operating lease right-of-use assets, net		61.6		
Investments in unconsolidated affiliates		1,206.4		1,188.2
Other non-current assets		2.0		2.1
Total assets	\$	4,511.1	\$	4,462.0
Liabilities and partners' capital				
Current liabilities:				
Accounts payable	\$	222.0	\$	210.5
Accrued expenses and other liabilities		122.3		111.3
Liabilities from price risk management activities		5.0		5.8
Current portion of long-term debt		0.6		0.9
Total current liabilities		349.9		328.5
Long-term debt, less current portion		1,768.4		1,752.4
Long-term operating lease liabilities		48.2		
Other long-term liabilities		174.0		171.0
Deferred income taxes		0.6		0.6
Commitments and contingencies ( <i>Note 10</i> )				
Interest of non-controlling partner in subsidiary		182.0		181.3
Partners' capital		1,988.0		2,028.2
Total partners' capital		2,170.0		2,209.5
Total liabilities and partners' capital	\$	4,511.1	\$	4,462.0

See accompanying notes.

#### CRESTWOOD MIDSTREAM PARTNERS LP CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS (in millions) (unaudited)

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	Three M	<b>Three Months Ended</b>					
	M	arch 31,					
	2019	2018					
Revenues:							
Product revenues:							
Gathering and processing	\$ 109.6	\$ 272.2					
Marketing, supply and logistics	636.8	753.4					
Related party ( <i>Note 11</i> )	1.2	. —					
	747.6	1,025.6					
Service revenues:							
Gathering and processing	72.7	68.1					
Storage and transportation	7.8	4.2					
Marketing, supply and logistics	7.1	16.8					
Related party (Note 11)	_	- 0.3					
	87.6	89.4					
Total revenues	835.2	1,115.0					
Costs of product/services sold (exclusive of items shown separately below):							
Product costs	653.5	938.9					
Product costs - related party ( <i>Note 11</i> )	34.4						
Service costs	7.7						
Total costs of product/services sold	695.6						
	000.0	500.0					
Operating expenses and other:							
Operations and maintenance	28.6	34.5					
General and administrative	36.0						
Depreciation, amortization and accretion	43.4						
(Gain) loss on long-lived assets, net	2.0						
(	110.0						
Operating income	29.6						
Earnings from unconsolidated affiliates, net	6.9						
Interest and debt expense, net	(24.9						
Net income							
Net income attributable to non-controlling partner	4.0						
Net income attributable to from controlling partner	\$ 7.6						
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See accompanying notes.

#### CRESTWOOD MIDSTREAM PARTNERS LP CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF PARTNERS' CAPITAL (in millions) (unaudited)

	Partners			on-Controlling Partner	Total Partners' Capital
Balance at December 31, 2018	\$	2,028.2	\$	181.3	\$ 2,209.5
Distributions to partners		(57.8)		(3.3)	(61.1)
Unit-based compensation charges		17.3			17.3
Taxes paid for unit-based compensation vesting		(7.0)		—	(7.0)
Other		(0.3)			(0.3)
Net income		7.6		4.0	11.6
Balance at March 31, 2019	\$	1,988.0	\$	182.0	\$ 2,170.0
Balance at December 31, 2017	\$	2,195.4	\$	175.0	\$ 2,370.4
Cumulative effect of accounting change		7.5			7.5
Distributions to partners		(60.5)			(60.5)
Unit-based compensation charges		7.2		_	7.2
Taxes paid for unit-based compensation vesting		(6.3)			(6.3)
Other		0.2		_	0.2
Net income		28.4		4.0	32.4
Balance at March 31, 2018	\$	2,171.9	\$	179.0	\$ 2,350.9

See accompanying notes.

#### CRESTWOOD MIDSTREAM PARTNERS LP CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS (in millions) (unaudited)

	Three Months Ended March 31,			
		2019		2018
Operating activities				
Net income	\$	11.6	\$	32.4
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:				
Depreciation, amortization and accretion		43.4		47.8
Amortization of debt-related deferred costs		1.4		1.8
Unit-based compensation charges		17.3		7.2
(Gain) loss on long-lived assets		2.0		(0.3)
Earnings from unconsolidated affiliates, net, adjusted for cash distributions received		3.3		(0.6)
Deferred income taxes		—		(0.1)
Other		—		0.1
Changes in operating assets and liabilities		51.9		63.1
Net cash provided by operating activities		130.9		151.4
Investing activities				
Purchases of property, plant and equipment		(68.5)		(65.3)
Investment in unconsolidated affiliates		(38.2)		(0.1)
Capital distributions from unconsolidated affiliates		16.7		11.5
Other		(1.0)		1.2
Net cash used in investing activities		(91.0)		(52.7)
Financing activities				
Proceeds from the issuance of long-term debt		298.9		399.8
Payments on long-term debt		(284.4)		(425.4)
Payments on finance/capital leases		(1.1)		(0.3)
Payments for deferred financing costs		(0.2)		
Distributions to partners		(57.8)		(60.5)
Distributions paid to non-controlling partners		(3.3)		
Taxes paid for unit-based compensation vesting		(7.0)		(6.3)
Net cash used in financing activities		(54.9)		(92.7)
Net change in cash and restricted cash		(15.0)		6.0
Cash and restricted cash at beginning of period		16.5		1.0
Cash and restricted cash at end of period	\$	1.5	\$	7.0
Supplemental schedule of non-cash investing and financing activities				
Net change to property, plant and equipment through accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$	5.7	\$	12.7

See accompanying notes.

#### CRESTWOOD EQUITY PARTNERS LP CRESTWOOD MIDSTREAM PARTNERS LP NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (unaudited)

#### Note 1 – Organization and Business Description

#### Organization

The accompanying notes to the consolidated financial statements apply to Crestwood Equity Partners LP and Crestwood Midstream Partners LP, unless otherwise indicated. References in this report to "we," "us," "our," "ours," "our company," the "partnership," the "Company," "Crestwood Equity," "CEQP," and similar terms refer to either Crestwood Equity Partners LP itself or Crestwood Equity Partners LP and its consolidated subsidiaries, as the context requires. Unless otherwise indicated, references to "Crestwood Midstream" and "CMLP" refer to Crestwood Midstream Partners LP and its consolidated subsidiaries.

The accompanying consolidated financial statements and related notes should be read in conjunction with our 2018 Annual Report on Form 10-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on February 22, 2019. The financial information as of March 31, 2019, and for the three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018, is unaudited. The consolidated balance sheets as of December 31, 2018, were derived from the audited balance sheets filed in our 2018 Annual Report on Form 10-K.

#### **Business Description**

Crestwood Equity is a publicly-traded (NYSE: CEQP) Delaware limited partnership that develops, acquires, owns or controls, and operates primarily feebased assets and operations within the energy midstream sector. We provide broad-ranging infrastructure solutions across the value chain to service premier liquids-rich natural gas and crude oil shale plays across the United States. We own and operate a diversified portfolio of crude oil and natural gas gathering, processing, storage and transportation assets that connect fundamental energy supply with energy demand across North America. Crestwood Equity is a holding company and all of its consolidated operating assets are owned by or through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Crestwood Midstream, a Delaware limited partnership.

#### Note 2 – Basis of Presentation and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### **Basis of Presentation**

Our consolidated financial statements are prepared in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP) and include the accounts of all consolidated subsidiaries after the elimination of all intercompany accounts and transactions. In management's opinion, all necessary adjustments to fairly present our results of operations, financial position and cash flows for the periods presented have been made and all such adjustments are of a normal and recurring nature. Certain information and footnote disclosures normally included in annual consolidated financial statements prepared in accordance with GAAP have been omitted pursuant to the rules and regulations of the SEC.

#### **Significant Accounting Policies**

Effective January 1, 2019, we adopted the following accounting standard. There were no other material changes in our significant accounting policies from those described in our 2018 Annual Report on Form10-K.

#### Leases

We maintain leases in the ordinary course of our business activities. Our leases include those for the office buildings, crude oil railroad cars, certain vehicles and other operating facilities and equipment leases. We also sublease certain of our crude oil railroad cars and trucks to a third party. We do not have any material leases where we are considered to be the lessor. Our lease agreements do not contain any material residual value guarantees or material restrictive covenants.

Prior to January 1, 2019, we classified our leases as either capital or operating leases under Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) Topic 840, *Leases (Topic 840)*. We recognized assets (included in property, plant and equipment) and liabilities (included in accrued expenses and other liabilities and other long-term liabilities) related to our capital leases on our



consolidated balance sheets. We also recognized depreciation expense and interest expense related to our capital leases on our consolidated statements of operations. The majority of our lease arrangements were classified as operating leases, under which we did not recognize assets or liabilities on our consolidated balance sheets, but rather recognized lease payments on our consolidated statements of operations as either costs of product/services sold or operations and maintenance expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

On January 1, 2019, we adopted the provisions of ASC Topic 842, *Leases (Topic 842)*, which revises the accounting for leases by requiring certain leases to be recognized as assets and liabilities on the balance sheet, and requiring companies to disclose additional information about their leasing arrangements. We adopted the standard using the modified retrospective method. Based on the practical expedients allowed for in the standard, we did not reassess the current GAAP classification of leases, easements and rights of way that existed as of January 1, 2019, and we did not utilize the hindsight method in determining the assets and liabilities to be recorded for our existing leases on January 1, 2019. The adoption of this standard required us to make significant judgments on whether our revenue and expenditure-related contracts were considered to be leases (or contain leases) under *Topic 842*, and if contracts were considered to be leases under the new standard. We do not have any material revenue contracts that are considered leases under *Topic 842*.

Upon the adoption of this standard, on January 1, 2019, we recorded a \$67.5 million increase to our operating lease right-of-use assets, a \$18.6 million increase to our accrued expenses and other liabilities and a \$48.9 million increase to our long-term operating lease liabilities, related to reflecting our operating leases on our consolidated balance sheet as a result of adopting the new standard. We also recorded a \$1.6 million increase to our property, plant and equipment, \$0.3 million increase to our accrued expenses and other liabilities and a \$1.3 million increase to our other long-term liabilities, related to our finance leases (which were all formerly capital leases under *Topic 840*) as a result of applying the provisions of the new standard to the leases. The adoption of the standard did not result in a material cumulative effect of accounting change to our consolidated financial statements. The following table summarizes the balance sheet information related to our operating and finance leases at March 31, 2019 (*in millions*):

#### **Operating Leases**

Operating lease right-of-use assets, net	\$ 61.6
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	\$ 18.1
Long-term operating lease liabilities	48.2
Total operating lease liabilities	\$ 66.3
Finance Leases	 
Property, plant and equipment	\$ 14.1
Less: accumulated depreciation	2.7
Property, plant and equipment, net	\$ 11.4
Accrued expenses and other liabilities	\$ 2.9
Other long-term liabilities	7.1
Total finance lease liabilities	\$ 10.0

The estimation of our right-of-use assets and lease liabilities requires us to make significant assumptions and judgments about the term of the lease, variable payments, and discount rates. Our operating leases have remaining terms that vary from one year to 14 years and certain of those leases have renewal options to extend the leases from one year to five years, or terminate the leases at our sole discretion. In addition, our finance leases have remaining terms that vary from two years to four years and certain of those leases have options to purchase the lease property by the end of the lease term. We made significant assumptions on the likelihood on whether we would renew our leases or purchase the property at the end of the lease terms in determining the discounted cash flows to measure our right-of-use assets and lease liabilities. The estimation of variable lease payments in determining discounted cash flows, including those with usage-based costs, also required us to make significant assumptions on the timing and nature of the variability of those payments based on the lease terms. We utilized discount rates ranging from 4.9% to 8.3% to estimate the discounted cash flows used in estimating our right-of-use assets and lease liabilities as of March 31, 2019, which were primarily based on our credit-adjusted collateralized incremental borrowing rate.

We recognize operating lease expense and amortize our right-of-use assets for our finance leases on a straight-line basis over the term of the respective leases. We have applied the practical expedient of not separating the lease and non-lease components

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for our leases where the predominant consideration paid related to the underlying operating and finance lease contracts relate to the lease component. The following table presents the costs and sublease income associated with our operating and finance leases for the three months ended ended March 31, 2019 (in millions):

**Operating leases:** 

Operating lease expense <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	\$ 7.5
Sublease income <sup>(3)</sup>	0.2
Total operating lease expense, net	\$ 7.3
Finance leases:	
Amortization of right-of-use assets <sup>(4)</sup>	\$ 0.9
Interest on lease liabilities <sup>(5)</sup>	0.2
Total finance lease expense	\$ 1.1

(1) Approximately \$4.8 million is included in costs of product/services sold and \$2.7 million is included in operations and maintenance expense on our consolidated statements of operations.

Includes short-term and variable lease costs of approximately \$0.7 million. (2) (3)

Included in Marketing, Supply and Logistics service revenues on our consolidated statements of operations. Included in depreciation, amortization and accretion on our consolidated statements of operations.

(4)

(5) Included in interest and debt expense, net on our consolidated statements of operations.

The following table presents supplemental cash flow information for our operating and finance leases for the three months ended March 31, 2019 (in millions):

Cash paid for lease liabilities:

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Operating cash flows from operating leases	\$ 6.3
Operating cash flows from finance leases	\$ 0.2
Financing cash flows from finance leases	\$ 1.1
Right-of-use assets obtained in exchange for lease obligations:	
Operating leases	\$ 0.3
Finance leases	\$ 1.0

The following table shows the weighted-average remaining lease term and the weighted-average discount rate associated with our operating and finance leases for the three months ended March 31, 2019:

Weighted-average remaining lease term (in years):	
Operating leases	4.4
Finance leases	3.3
Weighted-average discount rate:	
Operating leases	5.9%
Finance leases	7.3%

The following table presents the future minimum lease liabilities under *Topic 842* and *Topic 840* for our leases for the next five years and in total thereafter (*in millions*):

	<b>Topic 842</b>						<b>Topic 840</b>						
			Ma	rch 31, 2019			December 31, 2018						
<u>Year Ending December 31,</u>	Operating Leases		1 0		1 0		Total		)perating Leases	Capital Leases			Total
2019 <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	15.7	\$	2.6	\$	18.3	\$	22.3	\$	3.0	\$	25.3	
2020		18.4		3.5		21.9		18.1		3.3		21.4	
2021		14.8		3.4		18.2		14.4		3.2		17.6	
2022		10.1		1.7		11.8		9.7		1.9		11.6	
2023		6.3		—		6.3		6.0		—		6.0	
Thereafter		10.9		—		10.9		10.7		—		10.7	
Total lease payments		76.2		11.2		87.4		81.2		11.4		92.6	
Less: Interest		9.9		1.2		11.1		_		1.3		1.3	
Present value of lease liabilities	\$	66.3	\$	10.0	\$	76.3	\$	81.2	\$	10.1	\$	91.3	

(1) Represents the remainder of 2019 at March 31, 2019.

New Accounting Pronouncement Issued But Not Yet Adopted

As of March 31, 2019, the following accounting standard had not yet been adopted by us:

In June 2016, the Financial Accounting Standards Board issued Accounting Standards Update 2016-13, *Financial Instruments - Credit Losses (Topic 326)*, which provides new guidance on how companies should evaluate their accounts and notes receivable and other financial instruments for impairment. The standard requires companies to evaluate their financial instruments for impairment by recording an allowance for doubtful accounts and/or bad debt expense based on certain categories of instruments rather than a specific identification approach. We expect to adopt the provisions of this standard effective January 1, 2020 and are currently evaluating the impact that this standard may have on our consolidated financial statements.

#### Note 3 – Certain Balance Sheet Information

#### **Accrued Expenses and Other Liabilities**

Accrued expenses and other liabilities consisted of the following (in millions):

		CE	EQP		CMLP				
	N	March 31,	]	December 31,		March 31,	D	ecember 31,	
		2019		2018		2019		2018	
Accrued expenses <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	39.7	\$	64.8	\$	38.7	\$	63.7	
Accrued property taxes		3.9		2.6		3.9		2.6	
Income tax payable		0.4		0.3		0.4		0.3	
Interest payable		38.2		19.8		38.2		19.8	
Accrued additions to property, plant and equipment		8.1		10.5		8.1		10.5	
Operating leases		18.1				18.1		_	
Finance leases		2.9		2.4		2.9		2.4	
Deferred revenue		12.0		12.0		12.0		12.0	
Total accrued expenses and other liabilities	\$	123.3	\$	112.4	\$	122.3	\$	111.3	

 Includes \$1.2 million and \$16.2 million of related party accrued expenses at March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018 related to deposits received from Jackalope Gas Gathering Services, L.L.C. (Jackalope), our 50% equity method investment.

#### Note 4 - Investments in Unconsolidated Affiliates

#### Variable Interest Entity

Crestwood Permian Basin Holdings LLC (Crestwood Permian) is a joint venture owned by Crestwood Infrastructure Holdings LLC (Crestwood Infrastructure), our wholly-owned subsidiary, and an affiliate of First Reserve Management, L.P. (First Reserve). We manage and account for our 50% ownership interest in Crestwood Permian, which is a variable interest entity, under the equity method of accounting as we exercise significant influence, but do not control Crestwood Permian and we are not its primary beneficiary due to First Reserve's rights to exercise control over the entity.

#### **Net Investments and Earnings**

Our net investments in and earnings from our unconsolidated affiliates are as follows (in millions):

	 Inve	stmen	t	 Earnings (Loss) from Unconsolidated Affiliates						
	March 31,		December 31,	 Three Months I	s Ended March 31,					
	 2019		2018	2019		2018				
Stagecoach Gas Services LLC <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 824.4	\$	830.4	\$ 7.0	\$	5.7				
Jackalope Gas Gathering Services, L.L.C. <sup>(2)</sup>	226.2		210.2	3.2		3.0				
Crestwood Permian Basin Holdings LLC <sup>(3)</sup>	106.1		104.3	(3.4)		2.7				
Tres Palacios Holdings LLC <sup>(4)</sup>	41.5		35.0	0.2		0.4				
Powder River Basin Industrial Complex, LLC <sup>(5)</sup>	8.2		8.3	(0.1)		0.6				
Total	\$ 1,206.4	\$	1,188.2	\$ 6.9	\$	12.4				

(1) As of March 31, 2019, our equity in the underlying net assets of Stagecoach Gas Services LLC (Stagecoach Gas) exceeded our investment balance by approximately \$51.3 million. This excess amount is entirely attributable to goodwill and, as such, is not subject to amortization. Pursuant to the Stagecoach limited liability company agreement, our share of Stagecoach's equity earnings increased from 35% to 40% effective July 1, 2018. Our Stagecoach Gas investment is included in our storage and transportation segment.

- (2) As of March 31, 2019, our equity in the underlying net assets of Jackalope exceeded our investment balance by approximately \$0.4 million. Our Jackalope investment is included in our gathering and processing segment.
- (3) As of March 31, 2019, the difference of \$8.8 million between our equity in Crestwood Permian's net assets and our investment balance is not subject to amortization. Pursuant to the Crestwood Permian limited liability company agreement, we were allocated 100% of Crestwood New Mexico Pipeline LLC's (Crestwood New Mexico) earnings through June 30, 2018. Effective July 1, 2018, our equity earnings from Crestwood New Mexico is based on our ownership percentage of Crestwood Permian, which is currently 50%. Our Crestwood Permian investment is included in our gathering and processing segment.
- (4) As of March 31, 2019, our equity in the underlying net assets of Tres Palacios Holdings LLC (Tres Holdings) exceeded our investment balance by approximately \$25.0 million. Our Tres Holdings investment is included in our storage and transportation segment.
- (5) As of March 31, 2019, our equity in the underlying net assets of Powder River Basin Industrial Complex, LLC (PRBIC) exceeded our investment balance by approximately \$5.8 million. Our PRBIC investment is included in our storage and transportation segment.

#### Summarized Financial Information of Unconsolidated Affiliates

Below is the summarized operating results for our significant unconsolidated affiliates (*in millions; amounts represent 100% of unconsolidated affiliate information*):

						Three Months H	Ended N	1arch 31,									
		2019							2018								
	Operati	ng Revenues	Operat	ing Expenses	Net	Income (Loss)	Oper	ating Revenues	Oper	ating Expenses		Net Income					
Stagecoach Gas	\$	40.3	\$	20.2	\$	20.2	\$	41.3	\$	20.1	\$	21.2					
Jackalope <sup>(1)</sup>		19.6		13.4		6.3		15.7		9.7		6.1					
Crestwood Permian		13.9		20.0		(6.9)		21.7		19.8		3.0					
Other <sup>(2)</sup>		8.3		8.8		(0.5)		10.0		9.1		0.9					
Total	\$	82.1	\$	62.4	\$	19.1	\$	88.7	\$	58.7	\$	31.2					

We amortize the excess basis in our Jackalope equity investment as an increase in our earnings from unconsolidated affiliates. During both the three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018, we recorded amortization of the excess basis in Jackalope of less than \$0.1 million.



(2) Includes our Tres Holdings and PRBIC equity investments. We amortize the excess basis in these equity investments as an increase in our earnings from unconsolidated affiliates. We recorded amortization of the excess basis in our Tres Holdings and PRBIC equity investments of \$0.3 million and \$0.1 million, respectively, for the three months ended March 31, 2019, and \$0.3 million and \$0.2 million, respectively, for the three months ended March 31, 2018.

#### **Distributions and Contributions**

The following table summarizes our distributions and contributions from our unconsolidated affiliates (in millions):

		Distrib	utions	s(1)	Contributions					
	Three	Months H	Ended	March 31,	Three Months Ended March 31,					
	2019	•		2018		2019	2018			
Stagecoach Gas	\$	13.0	\$	11.3	\$	_	\$			
Jackalope		11.6		7.4		24.4		—		
Crestwood Permian		2.3		4.3		7.5		0.1		
Tres Holdings				—		6.3		_		
PRBIC				0.3		_		_		
Total	\$	26.9	\$	23.3	\$	38.2	\$	0.1		

(1) In April 2019, we received cash distributions from Stagecoach Gas, Crestwood Permian and Tres Holdings of approximately \$12.4 million, \$0.6 million and \$1.2 million, respectively.

#### Other

*Contingent Consideration.* Pursuant to the Stagecoach Gas limited liability company agreement, we may be required to make payments of up to \$57 million to Con Edison Gas Pipeline and Storage Northeast, LLC after December 31, 2020 if certain criteria are not met by Stagecoach Gas by December 31, 2020, including achieving certain performance targets on growth capital projects. These growth capital projects depend on the construction of other third-party expansion projects, and during 2017, those third-party projects experienced regulatory and other delays that caused Stagecoach Gas to delay its growth capital projects. As a result, our consolidated balance sheets reflect an other long-term liability of \$57 million at March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018.

*Guarantee*. CEQP issued a guarantee under which CEQP has agreed to fund 100% of the costs to build the Nautilus gathering system (which is currently estimated to cost \$180 million, of which approximately \$155.7 million has been spent through March 31, 2019) if Crestwood Permian fails to do so. The Nautilus gathering system is owned by Crestwood Permian Basin LLC, a 50% equity investment of Crestwood Permian. We do not believe this guarantee is probable of resulting in future losses based on our assessment of the nature of the guarantee, the financial condition of the guaranteed party and the period of time that the guarantee has been outstanding, and as a result, we have not recorded a liability on our consolidated balance sheets at March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018.

Jackalope Acquisition. On April 9, 2019, Crestwood Niobrara LLC (Crestwood Niobrara), our consolidated subsidiary, acquired Williams Partners LP's (Williams) 50% equity interest in Jackalope for approximately \$484.6 million, which was funded through a combination of borrowings under the CMLP credit facility and the issuance of \$235 million of new preferred units to CN Jackalope Holdings LLC (Jackalope Holdings) as further discussed in Note 9. The acquisition of this equity interest results in Crestwood Niobrara owning 100% of the equity interests in Jackalope. Crestwood Midstream Operating, LLC (Crestwood Midstream Operating), our consolidated subsidiary, will provide field operations and construction management services for Jackalope.

#### Note 5 – Risk Management

We are exposed to certain market risks related to our ongoing business operations. These risks include exposure to changing commodity prices. We utilize derivative instruments to manage our exposure to fluctuations in commodity prices, which is discussed below. Additional information related to our derivatives is discussed in Note 6.

#### **Commodity Derivative Instruments and Price Risk Management**

#### **Risk Management Activities**

We sell NGLs and crude oil to energy related businesses and may use a variety of financial and other instruments including forward contracts involving physical delivery of NGLs, heating oil and crude oil. We periodically enter into offsetting positions to economically hedge against the exposure our customer contracts create. Certain of these contracts and positions are derivative instruments. We do not designate any of our commodity-based derivatives as hedging instruments for accounting purposes. Our commodity-based derivatives are reflected at fair value in the consolidated balance sheets, and changes in the fair value of these derivatives that impact the consolidated statements of operations are reflected in costs of product/services sold. Our commodity-based derivatives that are settled with physical commodities are reflected as an increase to product revenues, and the commodity inventory that is utilized to satisfy those physical obligations is reflected as an increase to costs of product sold in our consolidated statements of operations. The following table summarizes the impact to our consolidated statements of our commodity-based derivatives reflected in operating revenues and costs of product/services sold during the three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018 (*in millions*):

	Three Mo	onths En	ded
	Ma	rch 31,	
	 2019		2018
Product revenues	\$ 104.1	\$	97.8
Gain (loss) reflected in costs of product/services sold	(2.9)		7.8

We attempt to balance our contractual portfolio in terms of notional amounts and timing of performance and delivery obligations. This balance in the contractual portfolio significantly reduces the volatility in costs of product/services sold related to these instruments.

#### **Commodity Price and Credit Risk**

#### Notional Amounts and Terms

The notional amounts and terms of our derivative financial instruments include the following:

	March 3	81, 2019	December	r 31, 2018		
	Fixed Price Payor	Fixed Price Receiver	Fixed Price Payor	Fixed Price Receiver		
Propane, crude and heating oil (MMBbls)	28.8	29.5	27.8	30.1		
Natural gas (Bcf)	1.6	1.6	1.8	1.8		

Notional amounts reflect the volume of transactions, but do not represent the amounts exchanged by the parties to the financial instruments. Accordingly, notional amounts do not reflect our monetary exposure to market or credit risks. All contracts subject to price risk had a maturity of 36 months or less; however, 82% of the contracted volumes will be delivered or settled within 12 months.

#### Credit Risk

Inherent in our contractual portfolio are certain credit risks. Credit risk is the risk of loss from nonperformance by suppliers, customers or financial counterparties to a contract. We take an active role in managing credit risk and have established control procedures, which are reviewed on an ongoing basis. We attempt to minimize credit risk exposure through credit policies and periodic monitoring procedures as well as through customer deposits, letters of credit and entering into netting agreements that allow for offsetting counterparty receivable and payable balances for certain financial transactions, as deemed appropriate. The counterparties associated with our price risk management activities are energy marketers and propane retailers, resellers and dealers.

Certain of our derivative instruments have credit limits that require us to post collateral. The amount of collateral required to be posted is a function of the net liability position of the derivative as well as our established credit limit with the respective counterparty. If our credit rating were to change, the counterparties could require us to post additional collateral. The amount of additional collateral that would be required to be posted would vary depending on the extent of change in our credit rating as well as the requirements of the individual counterparty. In addition, we have margin requirements with a New York Mercantile

Exchange (NYMEX) broker related to our net asset or liability position with such broker. All collateral amounts have been netted against the asset or liability with the respective counterparty and are reflected in our consolidated balance sheets as assets and liabilities from price risk management activities.

The following table represents the fair value of our commodity derivative instruments with credit-risk related contingent features and their associated collateral (*in millions*):

	Mai	rch 31, 2019	December 31, 2018
Aggregate fair value of derivative instruments with credit-risk-related contingent features <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	2.6	\$ 2.2
NYMEX-related net derivative asset (liability) position	\$	1.4	\$ (9.4)
NYMEX-related cash collateral posted	\$	9.1	\$ 21.7
Cash collateral received	\$	5.4	\$ 14.2

(1) At March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018, we posted less than \$0.1 million of collateral associated with these derivatives.

#### Note 6 – Fair Value Measurements

The accounting standard for fair value measurement establishes a three-tier fair value hierarchy, which prioritizes the inputs used in measuring fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1 measurement) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurement). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are as follows:

- Level 1—Quoted prices are available in active markets for identical assets or liabilities as of the reporting date. Active markets are those in which
  transactions for the asset or liability occur in sufficient frequency and volume to provide pricing information on an ongoing basis. Level 1 primarily
  consists of financial instruments such as exchange-traded derivatives, listed equities and US government treasury securities.
- Level 2—Pricing inputs are other than quoted prices in active markets included in Level 1, which are either directly or indirectly observable as of the reporting date. Level 2 includes those financial instruments that are valued using models or other valuation methodologies. These models are primarily industry-standard models that consider various assumptions, including quoted forward prices for commodities, time value, volatility factors, and current market and contractual prices for the underlying instruments, as well as other relevant economic measures. Substantially all of these assumptions are observable in the marketplace throughout the full term of the instrument, can be derived from observable data or are supported by observable levels at which transactions are executed in the marketplace. Instruments in this category include non-exchange-traded derivatives such as over the counter (OTC) forwards, options and physical exchanges.
- Level 3—Pricing inputs include significant inputs that are generally less observable from objective sources. These inputs may be used with internally developed methodologies that result in management's best estimate of fair value.

#### **Cash, Accounts Receivable and Accounts Payable**

As of March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018, the carrying amounts of cash, accounts receivable and accounts payable approximate fair value based on the short-term nature of these instruments.

#### **Credit Facility**

The fair value of the amounts outstanding under our CMLP credit facility approximates the carrying amounts as of March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018, due primarily to the variable nature of the interest rate of the instrument, which is considered a Level 2 fair value measurement.



#### **Senior Notes**

We estimate the fair value of our senior notes primarily based on quoted market prices for the same or similar issuances (representing a Level 2 fair value measurement). The following table reflects the carrying amount (reduced for deferred financing costs associated with the respective notes) and fair value of our senior notes (*in millions*):

	March	31, 2	019		Decembe	er 31, 2018		
	Carrying Amount				Carrying Amount		Fair Value	
2023 Senior Notes	\$ 694.0	\$	720.8	\$	693.6	\$	668.1	
2025 Senior Notes	\$ 493.6	\$	514.8	\$	493.4	\$	466.2	

#### **Financial Assets and Liabilities**

As of March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018, we held certain assets and liabilities that are required to be measured at fair value on a recurring basis, which include our derivative instruments related to heating oil, crude oil, and NGLs. Our derivative instruments consist of forwards, swaps, futures, physical exchanges and options.

Our derivative instruments that are traded on the NYMEX have been categorized as Level 1.

Our derivative instruments also include OTC contracts, which are not traded on a public exchange. The fair values of these derivative instruments are determined based on inputs that are readily available in public markets or can be derived from information available in publicly quoted markets. These instruments have been categorized as Level 2.

Our OTC options are valued based on the Black Scholes option pricing model that considers time value and volatility of the underlying commodity. The inputs utilized in the model are based on publicly available information as well as broker quotes. These options have been categorized as Level 2.

Our financial assets and liabilities are classified in their entirety based on the lowest level of input that is significant to the fair value measurement. The assessment of the significance of a particular input to the fair value measurement requires judgment, and may affect the valuation of fair value assets and liabilities and their placement within the fair value hierarchy levels.

The following tables set forth by level within the fair value hierarchy, our financial instruments that were accounted for at fair value on a recurring basis at March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018 (*in millions*):

								March	31, 2	2019		
	L	evel 1	I	evel 2	L	evel 3	(	Gross Fair Value		Contract Netting <sup>(1)</sup>	teral/Margin ived or Paid	Fair Value
Assets												
Assets from price risk management	\$	5.6	\$	64.7	\$	—	\$	70.3	\$	(60.4)	\$ 6.7	\$ 16.6
Suburban Propane Partners, L.P. units <sup>(2)</sup>		3.2		—		—		3.2		_	_	3.2
Total assets at fair value	\$	8.8	\$	64.7	\$		\$	73.5	\$	(60.4)	\$ 6.7	\$ 19.8
Liabilities												
Liabilities from price risk management	\$	5.3	\$	57.1	\$	—	\$	62.4	\$	(60.4)	\$ 3.0	\$ 5.0
Total liabilities at fair value	\$	5.3	\$	57.1	\$		\$	62.4	\$	(60.4)	\$ 3.0	\$ 5.0



							Decemb	er 31	, 2018		
	L	evel 1	I	Level 2	Le	vel 3	Gross Fair Value		Contract Netting <sup>(1)</sup>	teral/Margin ived or Paid	Fair Value
Assets							 	-			
Assets from price risk management	\$	12.4	\$	160.7	\$	—	\$ 173.1	\$	(140.3)	\$ 1.9	\$ 34.7
Suburban Propane Partners, L.P. units <sup>(2)</sup>		2.8		_			2.8		—		2.8
Total assets at fair value	\$	15.2	\$	160.7	\$		\$ 175.9	\$	(140.3)	\$ 1.9	\$ 37.5
Liabilities											
Liabilities from price risk management	\$	7.0	\$	144.7	\$	—	\$ 151.7	\$	(140.3)	\$ (5.6)	\$ 5.8
Total liabilities at fair value	\$	7.0	\$	144.7	\$	—	\$ 151.7	\$	(140.3)	\$ (5.6)	\$ 5.8

 Amounts represent the impact of legally enforceable master netting agreements that allow us to settle positive and negative positions as well as cash collateral held or placed with the same counterparties.

(2) Amount is reflected in other assets on CEQP's consolidated balance sheets.

#### Note 7 – Long-Term Debt

Long-term debt consisted of the following at March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018 (in millions):

	March 31, 2019	Γ	December 31, 2018
Credit Facility	\$ 593.0	\$	578.2
2023 Senior Notes	700.0		700.0
2025 Senior Notes	500.0		500.0
Other	1.2		1.5
Less: deferred financing costs, net	25.2		26.4
Total debt	 1,769.0		1,753.3
Less: current portion	0.6		0.9
Total long-term debt, less current portion	\$ 1,768.4	\$	1,752.4

#### **Credit Facility**

At March 31, 2019, Crestwood Midstream had \$584.0 million of available capacity under its credit facility considering the most restrictive debt covenants in its credit agreement. At March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018, Crestwood Midstream's outstanding standby letters of credit were \$73.0 million and \$68.0 million. Borrowings under the credit facility accrue interest at prime or Eurodollar based rates plus applicable spreads, which resulted in interest rates between 4.74% and 6.75% at March 31, 2019 and 4.63% and 6.75% at December 31, 2018. The weighted-average interest rate as of March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018 was 4.79% in both periods.

Crestwood Midstream is required under its credit agreement to maintain a net debt to consolidated EBITDA ratio (as defined in its credit agreement) of not more than 5.50 to 1.0, a consolidated EBITDA to consolidated interest expense ratio (as defined in its credit agreement) of not less than 2.50 to 1.0, and a senior secured leverage ratio (as defined in its credit agreement) of not more than 3.75 to 1.0. At March 31, 2019, the net debt to consolidated EBITDA ratio was approximately 4.11 to 1.0, the consolidated EBITDA to consolidated interest expense ratio was approximately 4.41 to 1.0, and the senior secured leverage ratio was 1.36 to 1.0.

In April 2019, Crestwood Niobrara acquired the remaining 50% equity interest in Jackalope and funded approximately \$250 million of the total purchase price through borrowings under Crestwood Midstream's credit facility. Contemporaneously with the closing of the remaining interest in Jackalope, Crestwood Midstream entered into the First Amendment to the Second Amended and Restated Credit Agreement to modify certain defined terms and calculations, among other things, to account for the Jackalope acquisition. The other debt covenants under the amended credit agreement are materially consistent with the credit facility that existed at March 31, 2019.

#### **Senior Notes**

In April 2019, Crestwood Midstream issued \$600 million of 5.625% unsecured senior notes due 2027 (the 2027 Senior Notes). The 2027 Senior Notes will mature on May 1, 2027, and interest is payable semiannually in arrears on May 1 and November 1 of each year, beginning November 1, 2019. The net proceeds from this offering of approximately \$591.1 million were used to repay a portion of the outstanding borrowings under our credit facility, which included the borrowings that were used to fund the acquisition of the remaining 50% equity interest in Jackalope.

#### Note 8 - Earnings Per Limited Partner Unit

Our net income (loss) attributable to Crestwood Equity Partners is allocated to the subordinated and limited partner unitholders based on their ownership percentage after giving effect to net income attributable to the preferred units. We calculate basic net income per limited partner unit using the two-class method. Diluted net income per limited partner unit is computed using the treasury stock method, which considers the impact to net income attributable to Crestwood Equity Partners and limited partner units from the potential issuance of limited partner units.

We exclude potentially dilutive securities from the determination of diluted earnings per unit (as well as their related income statement impacts) when their impact on net income attributable to Crestwood Equity Partners per limited partner unit is anti-dilutive. The following table summarizes information regarding the weighted-average of common units excluded during the three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018:

	Three Montl	ıs Ended
	March	31,
	2019	2018
Preferred units <sup>(1)</sup>	7,125,744	7,125,744
Crestwood Niobrara's preferred units <sup>(1)</sup>	5,775,394	7,055,735
Stock-based compensation performance units <sup>(2)</sup>	460,091	
Subordinated units <sup>(2)</sup>	438,789	

See Note 9 for additional information regarding the potential conversion/redemption of our preferred units and Crestwood Niobrara's preferred units to common units.
 For a description of our performance units and subordinated units, see our 2018 Annual Report on Form 10-K.

#### Note 9 – Partners' Capital

#### **Preferred Units**

Subject to certain conditions, the holders of the preferred units have the right to convert their preferred units into (i) common units on a 1-for-10 basis or (ii) a number of common units determined pursuant to a conversion ratio set forth in Crestwood Equity's partnership agreement upon the occurrence of certain events, such as a change in control. The preferred units have voting rights that are identical to the voting rights of the common units and will vote with the common units as a single class, with each preferred unit entitled to one vote for each common unit into which such preferred unit is convertible, except that the preferred units are entitled to vote as a separate class on any matter on which all unitholders are entitled to vote that adversely affects the rights, powers, privileges or preferences of the preferred units in relation to Crestwood Equity's other securities outstanding.

#### **Common Units**

We have an employee unit purchase plan under which employees of the general partner may purchase our common units through payroll deductions up to a maximum of 10% of the employees' eligible compensation, not to exceed \$25,000 for any calendar year. During the three months ended March 31, 2019, there were 789 common units purchased under the plan. For a further description of our employee unit purchase plan, see our 2018 Annual Report on Form 10-K.



#### Distributions

#### Crestwood Equity

Limited Partners. A summary of CEQP's limited partner quarterly cash distributions for the three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018 is presented below:

Record Date	Payment Date	Per Unit Rate	Cash Distributions (in millions)				
<u>2019</u>							
February 7, 2019	February 14, 2019	\$ 0.60	\$ 43.1				
<u>2018</u>							
February 7, 2018	February 14, 2018	\$ 0.60	\$ 42.7				

On April 18, 2019, we declared a distribution of \$0.60 per limited partner unit to be paid on May 15, 2019 to unitholders of record on May 8, 2019 with respect to the first quarter of 2019.

*Preferred Unit Holders.* During the three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018, we made cash distributions to our preferred unitholders of approximately \$15.0 million in both periods. On April 18, 2019, the board of directors of our general partner authorized a cash distribution to our preferred unitholders of approximately \$15.0 million for the quarter ended March 31, 2019.

#### Crestwood Midstream

During the three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018, Crestwood Midstream paid cash distributions of \$57.8 million and \$60.5 million to Crestwood Equity.

#### **Non-Controlling Partner**

Crestwood Niobrara LLC (Crestwood Niobrara) issued preferred interests (Series A-2 Preferred Units) to Jackalope Holdings, which are reflected as noncontrolling interest in our consolidated financial statements. Subject to certain restrictions, we have the ability to redeem the Series A-2 Preferred Units for an amount in cash or CEQP common units equal to an amount necessary for Jackalope Holdings to achieve a certain rate of return. During the three months ended March 31, 2019, Crestwood Niobrara paid cash distributions of \$3.3 million to Jackalope Holdings. In April 2019, Crestwood Niobrara paid a cash distribution of \$3.3 million to Jackalope Holdings for the quarter ended March 31, 2019.

In conjunction with the acquisition of the remaining 50% equity interest in Jackalope in April 2019, Crestwood Niobrara issued \$235 million of preferred interests (Series A-3 Preferred Units) to Jackalope Holdings. Crestwood Niobrara will be required to make quarterly cash distributions on the Series A-3 Preferred Units within 30 days after the end of each quarter beginning with the quarter ended June 30, 2019. In connection with the issuance of the Series A-3 Preferred Units, we entered into a Third Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement (Crestwood Niobrara Amended Agreement) with Jackalope Holdings for Crestwood Niobrara and modified the provisions related to the redemption and conversion of the Series A-3 Preferred Units. In addition, we amended our registration rights agreement with Jackalope Holdings and entered into the First Amendment to the Registration Rights Agreement to conform with certain provisions of the Crestwood Niobrara Amended Agreement and the issuance of the Series A-3 Preferred Units.

#### Other

In February 2019, Crestwood Equity issued 238,263 performance units under the Crestwood Equity Partners LP Long Term Incentive Plan (Crestwood LTIP). The performance units are designed to provide an incentive for continuous employment to certain key employees. The vesting of performance units is subject to the attainment of certain performance and market goals over a three-year period, and entitle a participant to receive common units of Crestwood Equity without payment of an exercise price upon vesting. As of March 31, 2019, we had total unamortized compensation expense of approximately \$5.7 million related to these performance units, which we expect will be amortized during the next three years. We recognized compensation expense of approximately \$1.4 million under the Crestwood LTIP related to these performance units during the three months ended March 31, 2019, which is included in general and administrative expenses on our consolidated statements of operations.

#### Note 10 – Commitments and Contingencies

#### Legal Proceedings

We are periodically involved in litigation proceedings. If we determine that a negative outcome is probable and the amount of loss is reasonably estimable, then we accrue the estimated amount. The results of litigation proceedings cannot be predicted with certainty. We could incur judgments, enter into settlements or revise our expectations regarding the outcome of certain matters, and such developments could have a material adverse effect on our results of operations or cash flows in the period in which the amounts are paid and/or accrued. As of March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018, both CEQP and CMLP had approximately \$0.2 million and \$0.1 million accrued for outstanding legal matters. Based on currently available information, we believe it is remote that future costs related to known contingent liability exposures for which we can estimate will exceed current accruals by an amount that would have a material adverse impact on our consolidated financial statements. As we learn new facts concerning contingencies, we reassess our position both with respect to accrued liabilities and other potential exposures.

Any loss estimates are inherently subjective, based on currently available information, and are subject to management's judgment and various assumptions. Due to the inherently subjective nature of these estimates and the uncertainty and unpredictability surrounding the outcome of legal proceedings, actual results may differ materially from any amounts that have been accrued.

#### **Regulatory Compliance**

In the ordinary course of our business, we are subject to various laws and regulations. In the opinion of our management, compliance with current laws and regulations will not have a material effect on our results of operations, cash flows or financial condition.

#### **Environmental Compliance**

Our operations are subject to stringent and complex laws and regulations pertaining to worker health, safety, and the environment. We are subject to laws and regulations at the federal, state, regional and local levels that relate to air and water quality, hazardous and solid waste management and disposal, and other environmental matters. The cost of planning, designing, constructing and operating our facilities must incorporate compliance with environmental laws and regulations and safety standards. Failure to comply with these laws and regulations may trigger a variety of administrative, civil and potentially criminal enforcement measures.

During 2014, we experienced three releases totaling approximately 28,000 barrels of produced water on our Arrow water gathering system located on the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation in North Dakota. We immediately notified the National Response Center, the Three Affiliated Tribes and numerous other regulatory authorities. Thereafter, we contained and cleaned up the releases, and placed the impacted segments of these water lines back into service. In May 2015, we experienced a release of approximately 5,200 barrels of produced water on our Arrow water gathering system, immediately notified numerous regulatory authorities and other third parties, and thereafter contained and cleaned up the releases.

In August 2015, we received a notice of violation from the Three Affiliated Tribes' Environmental Division related to our 2014 produced water releases on the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation. The notice of violation imposes fines and requests reimbursements exceeding \$1.1 million; however, the notice of violation was stayed on September 15, 2015. Our discussions regarding the notice of violation continue with the Three Affiliated Tribes.

We will continue our remediation efforts to ensure the impacted lands are restored to their prior state. We believe these releases are insurable events under our policies, and we have notified our carriers of these events. We have not recorded an insurance receivable as of March 31, 2019.

At March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018, our accrual of approximately \$1.8 million was based on our undiscounted estimate of amounts we will spend on compliance with environmental and other regulations, and any associated fines or penalties (including the Arrow water releases described above). We estimate that our potential liability for reasonably possible outcomes related to our environmental exposures could range from approximately \$1.8 million to \$3.3 million at March 31, 2019.

#### Self-Insurance

We utilize third-party insurance subject to varying retention levels of self-insurance, which management considers prudent. Such self-insurance relates to losses and liabilities primarily associated with medical claims, workers' compensation claims and general, product, vehicle and environmental liability. Losses are accrued based upon management's estimates of the aggregate liability for claims incurred using certain assumptions followed in the insurance industry and based on past experience. The primary assumption utilized is actuarially determined loss development factors. The loss development factors are based primarily on historical data. Our self insurance reserves could be affected if future claim developments differ from the historical trends. We believe changes in health care costs, trends in health care claims of our employee base, accident frequency and severity and other factors could materially affect the estimate for these liabilities. We continually monitor changes in employee demographics, incident and claim type and evaluate our insurance accruals and adjust our accruals based on our evaluation of these qualitative data points. We are liable for the development of claims for our disposed retail propane operations, provided they were reported prior to August 1, 2012. The following table summarizes CEQP's and CMLP's self-insurance reserves at March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018 (*in millions*):

		CI	EQP					
	March 3	1, 2019	December	31, 2018	March	a 31, 2019	Decemb	er 31, 2018
Self-insurance reserves <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	11.4	\$	11.3	\$	10.0	\$	9.6

(1) At March 31, 2019, CEQP and CMLP classified approximately \$7.4 million and \$6.3 million, respectively of these reserves as other long-term liabilities on their consolidated balance sheets.

*Guarantees and Indemnifications.* We are involved in various joint ventures that sometimes require financial and performance guarantees. In a financial guarantee, we are obligated to make payments if the guaranteed party fails to make payments under, or violates the terms of, the financial arrangement. In a performance guarantee, we provide assurance that the guaranteed party will execute on the terms of the contract. If they do not, we are required to perform on their behalf. We also periodically provide indemnification arrangements related to assets or businesses we have sold. For a further description of our guarantees associated with our joint ventures, see Note 4.

Our potential exposure under guarantee and indemnification arrangements can range from a specified amount to an unlimited dollar amount, depending on the nature of the claim, specificity as to duration, and the particular transaction. As of March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018, we have no amounts accrued for these guarantees.

#### Note 11 – Related Party Transactions

Crestwood Holdings indirectly owns both CEQP's and CMLP's general partner. The affiliates of Crestwood Holdings and its owners are considered CEQP's and CMLP's related parties. We enter into transactions with our affiliates within the ordinary course of business, including gas gathering and processing services under long-term contracts, product purchases and various operating agreements. We also enter into transactions with our affiliates related to services provided on our expansion projects. At March 31, 2019 and 2018, we paid approximately \$2.2 million and \$0.2 million of capital expenditures to Applied Consultants, Inc., an affiliate of Crestwood Holdings.

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The following table shows transactions with our affiliates which are reflected in our consolidated statements of operations (*in millions*). For a further description of our related party agreements, see our 2018 Annual Report on Form 10-K.

		nded				
	March 31,					
		2019 2018				
Revenues at CEQP and CMLP	\$	1.2	\$	0.3		
Costs of product/services sold at CEQP and CMLP <sup>(1)</sup>	\$	34.4	\$	13.1		
Operations and maintenance expenses at CEQP and CMLP <sup>(2)</sup>	\$	7.5	\$	6.7		
General and administrative expenses charged by CEQP to CMLP, net <sup>(3)</sup>	\$	11.0	\$	5.6		
General and administrative expenses at CEQP charged from Crestwood Holdings, net <sup>(4)</sup>	\$	(5.2)	\$	(0.4)		

(1) Includes \$8.2 million and \$13.1 million during the three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018 related to purchases of NGLs from a subsidiary of Crestwood Permian. The amount for the three months ended March 31, 2019 also includes \$23.9 million related to an agency marketing agreement with Ascent Resources - Utica, LLC, an affiliate of Crestwood Holdings and \$2.3 million related to purchases of natural gas from a subsidiary of Stagecoach Gas.

(2) We have operating agreements with certain of our unconsolidated affiliates pursuant to which we charge them operations and maintenance expenses in accordance with their respective agreements, and these charges are reflected as a reduction of operations and maintenance expenses in our consolidated statements of income. During the three months ended March 31, 2019, we charged \$2.0 million to Stagecoach Gas, \$1.2 million to Tres Palacios, \$3.8 million to Crestwood Permian and \$0.5 million to Jackalope. During the three months ended March 31, 2018, we charged \$2.1 million to Stagecoach Gas, \$1.1 million to Tres Palacios, \$3.4 million to Crestwood Permian and \$0.1 million to Jackalope.

(3) Includes \$11.9 million and \$6.4 million of net unit-based compensation charges allocated from CEQP to CMLP for the three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018. In addition, includes \$0.9 million and \$0.8 million of CMLP's general and administrative costs allocated to CEQP during the three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018.

(4) Includes \$5.4 million and \$0.8 million unit-based compensation charges allocated from Crestwood Holdings to CEQP and CMLP during the three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018.

The following table shows accounts receivable and accounts payable from our affiliates (in millions):

	March 31, 2019	Γ	December 31, 2018
Accounts receivable at CEQP and CMLP	\$ 4.9	\$	4.1
Accounts payable at CEQP	\$ 17.4	\$	16.1
Accounts payable at CMLP	\$ 14.9	\$	13.6

#### Note 12 – Segments

#### **Financial Information**

We have three operating and reportable segments: (i) gathering and processing operations; (ii) storage and transportation operations; and (iii) marketing, supply and logistics operations. Our corporate operations include all general and administrative expenses that are not allocated to our reportable segments. We assess the performance of our operating segments based on EBITDA, which is defined as income before income taxes, plus interest and debt expense, net and depreciation, amortization and accretion expense.

Below is a reconciliation of CEQP's net income to EBITDA (in millions):

	Three Mor Mar	nths Ei ch 31,	nded
	 2019		2018
Net income	\$ 14.1	\$	34.1
Add:			
Interest and debt expense, net	24.9		24.4
Depreciation, amortization and accretion	39.8		45.1
EBITDA	\$ 78.8	\$	103.6

#### Below is a reconciliation of CMLP's net income to EBITDA (in millions):

	<b>Three Months Ended</b>					
	March 31,					
	 2019		2018			
Net income	\$ 11.6	\$	32.4			
Add:						
Interest and debt expense, net	24.9		24.4			
Depreciation, amortization and accretion	43.4		47.8			
EBITDA	\$ 79.9	\$	104.6			

The following tables summarize CEQP's and CMLP's reportable segment data for the three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018 (*in millions*). Intersegment revenues included in the following tables are accounted for as arms-length transactions that apply our revenue recognition policies as described in our 2018 Annual Report on Form 10-K. Included in earnings from unconsolidated affiliates, net below was approximately \$12.7 million and \$9.7 million of interest expense, depreciation and amortization expense and gains (losses) on long-lived assets, net related to our equity investments for the three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018.

#### **Crestwood Equity**

	Three Months Ended March 31, 2019													
	Gathering and Processing			Storage and Transportation	Marketing, Supply and Logistics			Corporate		Total				
Revenues	\$	182.3	\$	7.8	\$	645.1	\$	_	\$	835.2				
Intersegment revenues		52.8		3.6		(56.4)		—		_				
Costs of product/services sold		138.0		—		557.6		—		695.6				
Operations and maintenance expense		18.1		1.0		9.5				28.6				
General and administrative expense		—		—		—		37.2		37.2				
Loss on long-lived assets, net		(1.8)		—		(0.2)		—		(2.0)				
Earnings (loss) from unconsolidated affiliates, net		(0.2)		7.1		_		_		6.9				
Other income, net		—		—		—		0.1		0.1				
EBITDA	\$	77.0	\$	17.5	\$	21.4	\$	(37.1)	\$	78.8				
Goodwill	\$	45.9	\$		\$	92.7	\$		\$	138.6				
Total assets	\$	2,687.9	\$	1,007.2	\$	612.2	\$	39.1	\$	4,346.4				

	Three Months Ended March 31, 2018												
		hering and rocessing	ſ	Storage and Fransportation		arketing, Supply and Logistics		Corporate		Total			
Revenues	\$	340.3	\$	4.2	\$	770.5	\$		\$	1,115.0			
Intersegment revenues		41.3		2.0		(43.3)							
Costs of product/services sold		287.7		0.1		678.0				965.8			
Operations and maintenance expense		17.7		0.8		16.0				34.5			
General and administrative expense		_		—		—		23.9		23.9			
Gain on long-lived assets		0.1		—		0.2				0.3			
Earnings from unconsolidated affiliates, net		5.7		6.7		—				12.4			
Other income, net		—		—		—		0.1		0.1			
EBITDA	\$	82.0	\$	12.0	\$	33.4	\$	(23.8)	\$	103.6			

#### Crestwood Midstream

	Three Months Ended March 31, 2019										
		thering and rocessing	,	Storage and Transportation		rketing, Supply nd Logistics		Corporate		Total	
Revenues	\$	182.3	\$	7.8	\$	645.1	\$		\$	835.2	
Intersegment revenues		52.8		3.6		(56.4)				—	
Costs of product/services sold		138.0		—		557.6				695.6	
Operations and maintenance expense		18.1		1.0		9.5				28.6	
General and administrative expense		—		—		—		36.0		36.0	
Loss on long-lived assets, net		(1.8)		—		(0.2)				(2.0)	
Earnings (loss) from unconsolidated affiliates, net		(0.2)		7.1		—				6.9	
EBITDA	\$	77.0	\$	17.5	\$	21.4	\$	(36.0)	\$	79.9	
Goodwill	\$	45.9	\$		\$	92.7	\$		\$	138.6	
Total assets	\$	2,857.9	\$	1,007.2	\$	612.2	\$	33.8	\$	4,511.1	

	Three Months Ended March 31, 2018										
		ring and cessing		orage and nsportation		ting, Supply Logistics	С	Corporate		Total	
Revenues	\$	340.3	\$	4.2	\$	770.5	\$	_	\$	1,115.0	
Intersegment revenues		41.3		2.0		(43.3)				_	
Costs of product/services sold		287.7		0.1		678.0		—		965.8	
Operations and maintenance expense		17.7		0.8		16.0		—		34.5	
General and administrative expense		—				—		22.8		22.8	
Gain on long-lived assets		0.1		—		0.2		—		0.3	
Earnings from unconsolidated affiliates, net		5.7		6.7		—		—		12.4	
EBITDA	\$	82.0	\$	12.0	\$	33.4	\$	(22.8)	\$	104.6	

#### Note 13 - Revenues

#### Contract Assets and Contract Liabilities

Our contract assets and contract liabilities are reported in a net position on a contract-by-contract basis at the end of each reporting period. Our receivables related to our *Topic 606* revenue contracts totaled \$225.0 million and \$209.7 million for both CEQP and CMLP at March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018, and are included in accounts receivable on our consolidated balance sheets. Our contract assets are included in other non-current assets on our consolidated balance sheets. Our contract liabilities primarily consist of current and non-current deferred revenues. On our consolidated balance sheets, our current deferred revenues are included in other long-term liabilities. The majority of revenues associated with our deferred revenues is expected to be recognized as the performance obligations under the related contracts are satisfied over the next 13 years.

The following table provides a summary of the opening and closing balances of our contract assets and contract liabilities (in millions):

	Balance at March 31, 2019	Bal	ance at December 31, 2018
Contract Assets (Non-current)	\$ 0.9	\$	1.0
Contract Liabilities (Current) <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 12.0	\$	12.0
Contract Liabilities (Non-current) <sup>(1)</sup>	\$ 71.5	\$	65.4

(1) During the three months ended March 31, 2019, we recognized revenues of approximately \$2.8 million that were previously included in contract liabilities (current) at December 31, 2018. The remaining change in our contract liabilities during the three months ended March 31, 2019, primarily related to capital reimbursements associated with our revenue contracts and revenue deferrals associated with our contracts with increasing (decreasing) rates.

The following table summarizes the transaction price allocated to our remaining performance obligations under certain contracts that have not been recognized as of March 31, 2019 (*in millions*):

Remainder of 2019	\$ 21.4
2020	23.2
2021	9.4
2022	7.3
2023	7.3
Thereafter	3.3
Total	\$ 71.9

Our remaining performance obligations presented in the table above exclude estimates of variable rate escalation clauses in our contracts with customers, and is generally limited to fixed-fee and percentage-of-proceeds service contracts which have fixed pricing and minimum volume terms and conditions. Our remaining performance obligations generally exclude, based on the following practical expedients that we elected to apply, disclosures for (i) variable consideration allocated to a wholly-unsatisfied promise to transfer a distinct service that forms part of the identified single performance obligations; (ii) unsatisfied performance obligations where the contract term is one year or less; and (iii) contracts for which we recognize revenues as amounts are invoiced.

#### Disaggregation of Revenues

The following tables summarize our revenues from contracts with customers disaggregated by type of product/service sold and by commodity type for each of our segments for the three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018 (*in millions*). We believe this summary best depicts how the nature, amount, timing and uncertainty of our revenues and cash flows are affected by economic factors.

	Three Months Ended March 31, 2019											
		thering and Processing		Storage and Transportation	N	Marketing, Supply and Logistics	Intersegment Elimination	Total				
Revenues:												
Topic 606 revenues												
Gathering												
Natural gas	\$	30.2	\$	_	\$	—	\$	\$ 30.2				
Crude oil		15.3		—		—	—	15.3				
Water		16.8					—	16.8				
Processing												
Natural gas		2.5					—	2.5				
Compression												
Natural gas		6.0		_		—	—	6.0				
Storage												
Crude oil		0.5		1.4			(0.7)	1.2				
NGLs		—		—		1.3	_	1.3				
Pipeline												
Crude oil		—		1.7		—	(0.7)	1.0				
Transportation												
Crude oil		1.5		—		1.5	—	3.0				
NGLs		—				4.1	—	4.1				
Rail Loading												
Crude oil		_		7.2			(1.4)	5.8				
Product Sales												
Natural gas		18.8				22.3	(6.6)	34.5				
Crude oil		131.6		—		290.1	(43.3)	378.4				
NGLs		11.9				221.5	(2.8)	230.6				
Other		_		1.1		—	(0.9)	0.2				
Total Topic 606 revenues		235.1		11.4		540.8	(56.4)	730.9				
Non-Topic 606 revenues <sup>(1)</sup>		_		—		104.3	—	104.3				
Total revenues	\$	235.1	\$	11.4	\$	645.1	\$ (56.4)	\$ 835.2				

(1) Represents revenues primarily related to our commodity-based derivatives. See Note 5 for additional information related to our price risk management activities.

	Three Months Ended March 31, 2018									
		Gathering and Processing			Marketing and Log		Intersegment Elimination	Total		
Revenues:										
Topic 606 revenues										
Gathering										
Natural gas	\$	35.4	\$	—	\$	— \$	—	\$ 35.4		
Crude oil		9.2		—		—	—	9.2		
Water		12.1		—		—		12.1		
Processing										
Natural gas		2.7		—		—		2.7		
NGLs		—		—		1.7	—	1.7		
Compression										
Natural gas		7.6		—		—		7.6		
Storage										
Crude oil		0.5		0.6		_	(0.2)	0.9		
NGLs		_		_		3.2		3.2		
Pipeline										
Crude oil				1.2		—	(0.5)	0.7		
Transportation										
Crude oil		0.6		_		1.2		1.8		
NGLs		_		_		9.7		9.7		
Water		_		_		0.2		0.2		
Rail Loading										
Crude oil				4.0		—	(1.0)	3.0		
NGLs		—		—		1.1		1.1		
Product Sales										
Natural gas		13.4		_		7.8	(3.9)	17.3		
Crude oil		279.9		_		190.6	(32.3)	438.2		
NGLs		20.2		—		457.2	(5.1)	472.3		
Other		_		0.4		—	(0.3)	0.1		
Total Topic 606 revenues		381.6		6.2		672.7	(43.3)	1,017.2		
Non-Topic 606 revenues		_		_		97.8		97.8		
Total revenues	\$	381.6	\$	6.2	\$	770.5 \$	(43.3)	\$ 1,115.0		

(1) Represents revenues related to our commodity-based derivatives. See Note 5 for additional information related to our price risk management activities.

#### Note 14 – Condensed Consolidating Financial Information

Crestwood Midstream is a holding company (Parent) and owns no operating assets and has no significant operations independent of its subsidiaries. Obligations under Crestwood Midstream's senior notes and its credit facility are jointly and severally guaranteed by substantially all of its subsidiaries, except for Crestwood Infrastructure, Crestwood Niobrara, Crestwood Pipeline and Storage Northeast LLC, PRBIC and Tres Holdings and their respective subsidiaries (collectively, Non-Guarantor Subsidiaries). Crestwood Midstream Finance Corp., the co-issuer of the senior notes, is Crestwood Midstream's 100% owned subsidiary and has no material assets, operations, revenues or cash flows other than those related to its service as co-issuer of the Crestwood Midstream senior notes.

The tables below present condensed consolidating financial statements for Crestwood Midstream as Parent on a stand-alone, unconsolidated basis, and Crestwood Midstream's combined guarantor and combined non-guarantor subsidiaries as of March 31, 2019 and December 31, 2018, and for the three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018. The financial information may not necessarily be indicative of the results of operations, cash flows or financial position had the subsidiaries operated as independent entities.

# Crestwood Midstream Partners LP Condensed Consolidating Balance Sheet March 31, 2019 *(in millions) (unaudited)*

	Parent	Guarantor Subsidiaries	Non- Guarantor Subsidiaries	irantor			Consolidated		
Assets									
Current assets:									
Cash	\$ 0.2	\$ —	\$ —	\$	—	\$	0.2		
Restricted cash	1.3	—	—		—		1.3		
Accounts receivable	—	250.3	5.9		(1.3)		254.9		
Inventory	_	42.0	_		_		42.0		
Other current assets	 _	 26.7	 _				26.7		
Total current assets	1.5	319.0	5.9		(1.3)		325.1		
Property, plant and equipment, net	—	2,234.0	—		—		2,234.0		
Goodwill and intangible assets, net	—	682.0	—		—		682.0		
Operating lease right-of-use assets, net	—	61.6	—		—		61.6		
Investment in consolidated affiliates	3,794.6	—	—		(3,794.6)		—		
Investment in unconsolidated affiliates	—	—	1,206.4		—		1,206.4		
Other non-current assets	 —	 2.0	—				2.0		
Total assets	\$ 3,796.1	\$ 3,298.6	\$ 1,212.3	\$	(3,795.9)	\$	4,511.1		
Liabilities and partners' capital									
Current liabilities:									
Accounts payable	\$ 1.3	\$ 222.0	\$ _	\$	(1.3)	\$	222.0		
Other current liabilities	38.4	88.3	1.2		_		127.9		
Total current liabilities	39.7	 310.3	1.2		(1.3)		349.9		
Long-term liabilities:									
Long-term debt, less current portion	1,768.4	_	—		—		1,768.4		
Other long-term liabilities	—	165.2	57.0		—		222.2		
Deferred income taxes	—	0.6	—		—		0.6		
Interest of non-controlling partners in subsidiary	_	_	182.0		—		182.0		
Partners' capital	1,988.0	2,822.5	972.1		(3,794.6)		1,988.0		
Total partners' capital	1,988.0	 2,822.5	 1,154.1		(3,794.6)		2,170.0		
Total liabilities and partners' capital	\$ 3,796.1	\$ 3,298.6	\$ 1,212.3	\$	(3,795.9)	\$	4,511.1		

# Crestwood Midstream Partners LP Condensed Consolidating Balance Sheet December 31, 2018 *(in millions)*

	Parent	Guarantor Subsidiaries		Non- Guarantor Subsidiaries				Consolidated	
Assets									
Current assets:									
Cash	\$ 0.2	\$ —	\$	—	\$	—	\$	0.2	
Restricted cash	16.3	—		—		—		16.3	
Accounts receivable	—	246.3		19.9		(16.3)		249.9	
Inventory	_	64.6		_		_		64.6	
Other current assets	 _	 46.0		_		_		46.0	
Total current assets	16.5	356.9		19.9	(16.3)		377.0		
Property, plant and equipment, net		2,202.3		_				2,202.3	
Goodwill and intangible assets, net		692.4		—		—	692.4		
Investment in consolidated affiliates	3,800.4	—		—		(3,800.4)			
Investment in unconsolidated affiliates		—		1,188.2	—			1,188.2	
Other non-current assets	—	2.1		—				2.1	
Total assets	\$ 3,816.9	\$ 3,253.7	\$	1,208.1	\$	(3,816.7)	\$	4,462.0	
Liabilities and partners' capital									
Current liabilities:									
Accounts payable	\$ 16.3	\$ 210.5	\$	_	\$	(16.3)	\$	210.5	
Other current liabilities	20.0	81.8		16.2		_		118.0	
Total current liabilities	 36.3	 292.3	-	16.2		(16.3)	-	328.5	
Long-term liabilities:									
Long-term debt, less current portion	1,752.4	_		_				1,752.4	
Other long-term liabilities	_	114.0		57.0		_		171.0	
Deferred income taxes	—	0.6		—		—		0.6	
Interest of non-controlling partners in subsidiary	_	_		181.3		_		181.3	
Partners' capital	2,028.2	2,846.8		953.6				2,028.2	
Total partners' capital	 2,028.2	 2,846.8	_	1,134.9		(3,800.4)	_	2,209.5	
Total liabilities and partners' capital	\$ 3,816.9	\$ 3,253.7	\$	1,208.1	\$	(3,816.7)	\$	4,462.0	

# Crestwood Midstream Partners LP Condensed Consolidating Statement of Operations Three Months Ended March 31, 2019 *(in millions) (unaudited)*

	Parent	Guarantor Subsidiaries	Non- Guarantor Subsidiaries		Eliminations		Consolidated	
Revenues	\$ _	\$ 835.2	\$		\$		\$	835.2
Costs of product/services sold	—	695.6		—		—		695.6
Operating expenses and other:								
Operations and maintenance	—	28.6		—				28.6
General and administrative	18.7	17.3		—				36.0
Depreciation, amortization and accretion	—	43.4		—				43.4
Loss on long-lived assets, net	—	2.0		—				2.0
	18.7	 91.3		_				110.0
Operating income (loss)	 (18.7)	 48.3				_		29.6
Earnings from unconsolidated affiliates, net	—	—		6.9		—		6.9
Interest and debt expense, net	(24.7)	(0.2)		—				(24.9)
Equity in net income (loss) of subsidiaries	51.0	—		—		(51.0)		—
Net income (loss)	 7.6	 48.1		6.9		(51.0)		11.6
Net income attributable to non-controlling partners in subsidiaries	_	_		4.0				4.0
Net income (loss) attributable to Crestwood Midstream Partners LP	\$ 7.6	\$ 48.1	\$	2.9	\$	(51.0)	\$	7.6

# Crestwood Midstream Partners LP Condensed Consolidating Statement of Operations Three Months Ended March 31, 2018 *(in millions) (unaudited)*

	Parent	Guarantor Subsidiaries	Non- Guarantor Subsidiaries	Eliminations	(	Consolidated
Revenues	\$ 	\$ 1,115.0	\$ _	\$ —	\$	1,115.0
Costs of product/services sold		965.8				965.8
Operating expenses:						
Operations and maintenance	—	34.5		—		34.5
General and administrative	15.6	7.2		—		22.8
Depreciation, amortization and accretion	—	47.8		—		47.8
Gain on long-lived assets, net	—	(0.3)		—		(0.3)
	 15.6	89.2	 _			104.8
Operating income (loss)	 (15.6)	 60.0	 _			44.4
Earnings from unconsolidated affiliates, net	_		12.4	—		12.4
Interest and debt expense, net	(24.4)			—		(24.4)
Equity in net income (loss) of subsidiaries	68.4			(68.4)		_
Net income (loss)	 28.4	 60.0	 12.4	(68.4)		32.4
Net income attributable to non-controlling partners in subsidiaries	_	_	4.0	_		4.0
Net income (loss) attributable to Crestwood Midstream Partners LP	\$ 28.4	\$ 60.0	\$ 8.4	\$ (68.4)	\$	28.4

# Crestwood Midstream Partners LP Condensed Consolidating Statement of Cash Flows Three Months Ended March 31, 2019 *(in millions) (unaudited)*

	Parent		Guarantor Parent Subsidiaries		Non- Guarantor Subsidiaries	Eliminations	Co	nsolidated
Cash flows from operating activities	\$	(38.6)	\$	160.3	\$ 9.2	\$ —	\$	130.9
Cash flows from investing activities:								
Purchases of property, plant and equipment				(68.5)	—	—		(68.5)
Investment in unconsolidated affiliates		—		—	(38.2)	—		(38.2)
Capital distributions from unconsolidated affiliates		_		—	16.7	_		16.7
Capital contributions to consolidated affiliates		(15.6)				15.6		—
Other				(1.0)	—	—		(1.0)
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities		(15.6)		(69.5)	(21.5)	15.6		(91.0)
Cash flows from financing activities:								
Proceeds from the issuance of long-term debt		298.9			—	—		298.9
Payments on long-term debt		(284.0)		(0.4)	_	_		(284.4)
Payments on finance leases				(1.1)	_	_		(1.1)
Payments for debt-related deferred costs		(0.2)			_	_		(0.2)
Distributions to partners		(57.8)			(3.3)	_		(61.1)
Contributions from parent				—	15.6	(15.6)		
Taxes paid for unit-based compensation vesting				(7.0)	_	_		(7.0)
Change in intercompany balances		82.3		(82.3)	_	_		_
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities		39.2		(90.8)	12.3	(15.6)		(54.9)
Nuclear and a share the shared								(15.0)
Net change in cash and restricted cash		(15.0)			_			(15.0)
Cash and restricted cash at beginning of period		16.5					<u> </u>	16.5
Cash and restricted cash at end of period	\$	1.5	\$	_	<u>\$                                    </u>	\$	\$	1.5

# Crestwood Midstream Partners LP Condensed Consolidating Statement of Cash Flows Three Months Ended March 31, 2018 *(in millions) (unaudited)*

	Parent	Guarantor Subsidiaries	Gua	on- rantor diaries	El	iminations	Co	nsolidated
Cash flows from operating activities:	\$ (19.6)	\$ 158.5	\$	12.5	\$	_	\$	151.4
Cash flows from investing activities:								
Purchases of property, plant and equipment	(1.2)	(64.1)				_		(65.3)
Investment in unconsolidated affiliates	_	_		(0.1)		_		(0.1)
Capital distributions from unconsolidated affiliates		_		11.5		_		11.5
Capital distributions from consolidated affiliates	23.9					(23.9)		
Other		1.2				_		1.2
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities	 22.7	 (62.9)		11.4		(23.9)		(52.7)
Cash flows from financing activities:								
Proceeds from the issuance of long-term debt	399.8			—				399.8
Payments on long-term debt	(425.0)	(0.4)		—		—		(425.4)
Payments on capital leases	—	(0.3)		—		—		(0.3)
Distributions to partners	(60.5)	—		—		—		(60.5)
Distributions to parent	—	—		(23.9)		23.9		—
Taxes paid for unit-based compensation vesting	—	(6.3)		—		—		(6.3)
Change in intercompany balances	88.6	(88.6)		—		—		
Net cash provided by (used in) financing activities	 2.9	 (95.6)		(23.9)		23.9		(92.7)
Net change in cash and restricted cash	6.0	_				_		6.0
Cash and restricted cash at beginning of period	1.0			_		_		1.0
Cash and restricted cash at end of period	\$ 7.0	\$ 	\$	_	\$		\$	7.0

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

Our Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations should be read in conjunction with the consolidated financial statements and the accompanying footnotes and Part II, Item 7. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations in our 2018 Annual Report on Form 10-K.

This report, including information included or incorporated by reference herein, contains forward-looking statements concerning the financial condition, results of operations, plans, objectives, future performance and business of our company and its subsidiaries. These forward-looking statements include:

- statements that are not historical in nature, including, but not limited to: (i) our belief that anticipated cash from operations, cash distributions from
  entities that we control, and borrowing capacity under our credit facility will be sufficient to meet our anticipated liquidity needs for the foreseeable
  future; (ii) our belief that we do not have material potential liability in connection with legal proceedings that would have a significant financial
  impact on our consolidated financial condition, results of operations or cash flows; (iii) our belief that our assets will continue to benefit from the
  development of unconventional shale plays as significant supply basins; and
- statements preceded by, followed by or that contain forward-looking terminology including the words "believe," "expect," "may," "will," "should,"
   "could," "anticipate," "estimate," "intend" or the negation thereof, or similar expressions.

Forward-looking statements are not guarantees of future performance or results. They involve risks, uncertainties and assumptions. Actual results may differ materially from those contemplated by the forward-looking statements due to, among others, the following factors:

- our ability to successfully implement our business plan for our assets and operations;
- governmental legislation and regulations;
- industry factors that influence the supply of and demand for crude oil, natural gas and NGLs;
- industry factors that influence the demand for services in the markets (particularly unconventional shale plays) in which we provide services;
  weather conditions;
- the availability of crude oil, natural gas and NGLs, and the price of those commodities, to consumers relative to the price of alternative and competing fuels;
- economic conditions;
- costs or difficulties related to the integration of acquisitions and success of our joint ventures' operations;
- environmental claims;
- operating hazards and other risks incidental to the provision of midstream services, including gathering, compressing, treating, processing, fractionating, transporting and storing energy products (i.e., crude oil, NGLs and natural gas) and related products (i.e., produced water);
- interest rates;
- the price and availability of debt and equity financing, including our ability to raise capital through alternatives like joint ventures; and
- the ability to sell or monetize assets, to reduce indebtedness, to repurchase our equity securities, to make strategic investments, or for other general partnership purposes.

For additional factors that could cause actual results to be materially different from those described in the forward-looking statements, see Part I, Item 1A. Risk Factors of our 2018 Annual Report on Form 10-K.

#### **Outlook and Trends**

Our business objective is to create long-term value for our unitholders. We expect to create long-term value by consistently generating stable operating margin and improved cash flows from operations by prudently financing our investments, maximizing throughput on our assets, and effectively controlling our operating and administrative costs. Our business strategy depends, in part, on our ability to provide increased services to our customers at competitive fees, including opportunities to expand our services resulting from expansions, organic growth projects and acquisitions that can be financed appropriately.

We have taken a number of strategic steps to better position the Company as a stronger, better capitalized company that can over time accretively grow cash flows and sustainably resume growing our distributions. Those strategic steps included (i) simplifying our corporate structure to eliminate our incentive distribution rights (IDRs) and create better alignment of interests with our unitholders; (ii) divesting assets to reduce long-term debt to ensure long-term balance sheet strength; (iii) realigning our operating structure to significantly reduce operating and administrative expenses; (iv) forming strategic joint ventures to enhance our competitive position around certain operating assets; and (v) focusing our acquisitions and growth capital expenditures on our highest return organic projects around our core growth assets in the Bakken Shale, Powder River Basin and Delaware Permian. We will remain focused on efficiently allocating capital expenditures by investing in accretive, organic growth projects, maintaining low-cost operations (through increased operating efficiencies and cost discipline) and maintaining our balance sheet strength through continued financial discipline. We expect to focus on expansion and greenfield opportunities to provide midstream services for crude oil, natural gas, NGLs and produced water, including gathering, storage and terminalling, condensate stabilization, truck loading/unloading options and connections to third party pipelines and produced water gathering, disposal and recycling in the Bakken Shale, Powder River Basin and Delaware Permian in the near term, while closely monitoring longer-term expansion opportunities in the northeast Marcellus. As a result, the Company is well positioned to execute its business plan and capitalize on improving market conditions.

The Company continues to be positioned to generate consistent results in a low commodity price environment without sacrificing revenue upside as market conditions improve. For example, many of our more mature G&P assets are supported by long-term, core acreage dedications in shale plays that are economic to varying degrees based upon natural gas, NGL and crude oil prices, the availability of infrastructure to flow production to market, and the operational and financial condition of our diverse customer base. In addition, a substantial portion of our midstream investments are based on fixed-fee or minimum volume commitment agreements that ensure a minimum level of cash flow regardless of actual commodity prices or volumetric throughput. Over time, we expect cash flows from our more mature, non-core, assets to stabilize and potentially increase with the improving commodity price environment, while the growth from our core assets in the Bakken Shale, Powder River Basin, Delaware Permian and northeast Marcellus drive significant growth to the Company.

#### **Business Highlights**

Below is a discussion of events that highlight our core business and financing activities. Through continued execution of our plan, we have materially improved the strategic and financial position of the Company and expect to capitalize on increasing opportunities in an improving but competitive market environment, which will position us to achieve our chief business objective to create long-term value for our unitholders.

*Powder River Basin.* In the Powder River Basin, our Jackalope joint venture with Williams continues to benefit from increased drilling activity and better than anticipated well results. Jackalope is expanding its gathering system and Bucking Horse processing plant to increase processing capacity to 345 MMcf/d in late 2019/early 2020. The Phase 2 Jackalope expansion also includes gathering, compression and a second processing plant which will add an additional 200 MMcf/d to the Jackalope system.

On April 9, 2019, Crestwood Niobrara, our consolidated subsidiary, acquired Williams's 50% equity interest in Jackalope for approximately \$484.6 million. The acquisition of the remaining 50% equity interest in Jackalope was financed through a combination of borrowings under the CMLP credit facility and the issuance of \$235 million in new preferred units to Jackalope Holdings. Crestwood Midstream Operating, our consolidated subsidiary, will provide field operations and construction management services for Jackalope. For a further discussion of the acquisition of the remaining 50% equity interest in Jackalope, see Item I. Financial Statements, Notes 4 and 9.

*Bakken.* In the Bakken, we are expanding and upgrading our Arrow system water handling facilities and increasing natural gas capacity on the system, which should allow for substantial growth in volumetric throughput across all of our crude oil, produced water and natural gas gathering systems. In addition, we are constructing a 120 MMcf/d cryogenic plant that we anticipate will be placed in-service in the third quarter of 2019 to fulfill 100% of the processing requirements for producers on the Arrow system upon expiration of third-party processing contracts in the third quarter 2019. Upon completion of the expansion, we expect to have 150 MMcf/d of gas processing capacity in the Bakken. We believe the expansion of our gas processing capacity on the Arrow system will, among other things, spur greater development activity around the Arrow system, allow us to provide greater flow assurance to our producer customers and reduce flaring of natural gas, and reduce the downstream constraints currently experienced by producers on the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation.

*Delaware Permian.* In the Delaware Permian, we have identified gathering and processing and transportation opportunities in and around our existing assets, including our Crestwood Permian joint venture. Crestwood Permian Basin owns and operates the Nautilus system in SWEPI's operated position in the Delaware Permian, which will be constructed to ultimately include 194

miles of low pressure gathering lines, 36 miles of high pressure trunklines and centralized compression facilities which are expandable over time as production increases, producing gas gathering capacity of approximately 250 MMcf/d.

#### **Regulatory Matters**

Our regulatory matters are discussed in our 2018 Annual Report on Form 10-K and there have been no material changes in those matters from December 31, 2018 to March 31, 2019.

#### **Critical Accounting Estimates**

Our critical accounting estimates are consistent with those described in our 2018 Annual Report on Form 10-K.

#### How We Evaluate Our Operations

We evaluate our overall business performance based primarily on EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA. We do not utilize depreciation, amortization and accretion expense in our key measures because we focus our performance management on cash flow generation and our assets have long useful lives.

EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA - We believe that EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA are widely accepted financial indicators of a company's operational performance and its ability to incur and service debt, fund capital expenditures and make distributions. We believe that EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA are useful to our investors because it allows them to use the same performance measure analyzed internally by our management to evaluate the performance of our businesses and investments without regard to the manner in which they are financed or our capital structure. EBITDA is defined as income before income taxes, plus interest and debt expense, net and depreciation, amortization and accretion expense. Adjusted EBITDA considers the adjusted earnings impact of our unconsolidated affiliates by adjusting our equity earnings or losses from our unconsolidated affiliates to reflect our proportionate share (based on the distribution percentage) of their EBITDA, excluding impairments. Adjusted EBITDA also considers the impact of certain significant items, such as unitbased compensation charges, gains or losses on long-lived assets, third party costs incurred related to potential and completed acquisitions, certain environmental remediation costs, the change in fair value of commodity inventory-related derivative contracts, costs associated with the realignment of our Marketing, Supply and Logistics and Corporate operations and other transactions identified in a specific reporting period. The change in fair value of commodity inventory-related derivative contracts is considered in determining Adjusted EBITDA given that the timing of recognizing gains and losses on these derivative contracts differs from the recognition of revenue for the related underlying sale of inventory to which these derivatives relate. Changes in the fair value of other derivative contracts is not considered in determining Adjusted EBITDA given the relatively short-term nature of those derivative contracts. EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA are not measures calculated in accordance with GAAP, as they do not include deductions for items such as depreciation, amortization and accretion, interest and income taxes, which are necessary to maintain our business. EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA should not be considered as alternatives to net income, operating cash flow or any other measure of financial performance presented in accordance with GAAP. EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA calculations may vary among entities, so our computation may not be comparable to measures used by other companies.

See our reconciliation of net income to EBITDA and Adjusted EBITDA in Results of Operations below.

## **Results of Operations**

The following tables summarize our results of operations for the three months ended March 31, 2019 and 2018 (in millions):

	Crestwood Equity					Crestwood Midstream			
	Three Months Ended March 31,					Three Months Ended March 31,			
		2019		2018		2019		2018	
Revenues	\$	835.2	\$	1,115.0	\$	835.2	\$	1,115.0	
Costs of product/services sold		695.6		965.8		695.6		965.8	
Operations and maintenance expense		28.6		34.5		28.6		34.5	
General and administrative expense		37.2		23.9		36.0		22.8	
Depreciation, amortization and accretion		39.8		45.1		43.4		47.8	
Gain (loss) on long-lived assets, net		(2.0)		0.3		(2.0)		0.3	
Operating income		32.0		46.0		29.6		44.4	
Earnings from unconsolidated affiliates, net		6.9		12.4		6.9		12.4	
Interest and debt expense, net		(24.9)		(24.4)		(24.9)		(24.4)	
Other income, net		0.1		0.1		_		_	
Net income		14.1		34.1		11.6		32.4	
Add:									
Interest and debt expense, net		24.9		24.4		24.9		24.4	
Depreciation, amortization and accretion		39.8		45.1		43.4		47.8	
EBITDA		78.8		103.6		79.9		104.6	
Unit-based compensation charges		17.3		7.2		17.3		7.2	
(Gain) loss on long-lived assets, net		2.0		(0.3)		2.0		(0.3)	
Earnings from unconsolidated affiliates, net		(6.9)		(12.4)		(6.9)		(12.4)	
Adjusted EBITDA from unconsolidated affiliates, net		19.6		22.1		19.6		22.1	
Change in fair value of commodity inventory-related derivative contracts		1.1		(20.2)		1.1		(20.2)	
Significant transaction and environmental related costs and other items		3.4		1.7		3.4		1.7	
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	115.3	\$	101.7	\$	116.4	\$	102.7	

	Crestwood Equity			Crestwood Midstream				
	Three Months Ended March 31,				Three Months Ended March 31,			
		2019 2018			2019		2018	
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$	130.9	\$	148.7	\$	130.9	\$	151.4
Net changes in operating assets and liabilities		(52.8)		(61.5)		(51.9)		(63.1)
Amortization of debt-related deferred costs		(1.4)		(1.8)		(1.4)		(1.8)
Interest and debt expense, net		24.9		24.4		24.9		24.4
Unit-based compensation charges		(17.3)		(7.2)		(17.3)		(7.2)
Gain (loss) on long-lived assets, net		(2.0)		0.3		(2.0)		0.3
Earnings from unconsolidated affiliates, net, adjusted for cash distributions received		(3.3)		0.6		(3.3)		0.6
Deferred income taxes		(0.2)		0.2		—		0.1
Other non-cash income		—		(0.1)		—		(0.1)
EBITDA		78.8		103.6		79.9		104.6
Unit-based compensation charges		17.3		7.2		17.3		7.2
(Gain) loss on long-lived assets, net		2.0		(0.3)		2.0		(0.3)
Earnings from unconsolidated affiliates, net		(6.9)		(12.4)		(6.9)		(12.4)
Adjusted EBITDA from unconsolidated affiliates, net		19.6		22.1		19.6		22.1
Change in fair value of commodity inventory-related derivative contracts		1.1		(20.2)		1.1		(20.2)
Significant transaction and environmental related costs and other items		3.4		1.7		3.4		1.7
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	115.3	\$	101.7	\$	116.4	\$	102.7

### Segment Results

The following table summarizes the EBITDA of our segments (in millions):

		rree Months Ended March 31, 2019		Three Months Ended March 31, 2018							
	 Gathering and Processing		Storage and Transportation		arketing, Supply and Logistics		Gathering and Processing	,	Storage and Transportation		arketing, Supply and Logistics
Revenues	\$ 182.3	\$	7.8	\$	645.1	\$	340.3	\$	4.2	\$	770.5
Intersegment revenues	52.8		3.6		(56.4)		41.3		2.0		(43.3)
Costs of product/services sold	138.0		—		557.6		287.7		0.1		678.0
Operations and maintenance expenses	18.1		1.0		9.5		17.7		0.8		16.0
Gain (loss) on long-lived assets, net	(1.8)		_		(0.2)		0.1				0.2
Earnings (loss) from unconsolidated affiliates, net	(0.2)		7.1		_		5.7		6.7		_
EBITDA	\$ 77.0	\$	17.5	\$	21.4	\$	82.0	\$	12.0	\$	33.4

Below is a discussion of the factors that impacted EBITDA by segment for the three months ended March 31, 2019 compared to the same period in 2018.

### Gathering and Processing

EBITDA for our gathering and processing segment decreased by approximately \$5.0 million during the three months ended March 31, 2019 compared to the same period in 2018. The decrease was primarily driven by a \$5.9 million decrease in our earnings from unconsolidated affiliates, which is further described below. Our gathering and processing segment's revenues decreased by approximately \$146.5 million during the three months ended March 31, 2019 compared to the same period in 2018, while our costs of product/services sold decreased by approximately \$149.7 million period-over-period. These variances were primarily driven by our Arrow operations which experienced lower average prices on its agreements under which it

purchases and sells crude oil as a result of the decrease in crude oil prices during the three months ended March 31, 2019 compared to the same period in 2018. Our costs of product/services sold decreased faster than our revenues period over period due to the offsetting impact of increasing volumes, as during the three months ended March 31, 2019, natural gas, crude oil and water volumes gathered by our Arrow system increased by 18%, 16% and 44%, respectively, compared to the same period in 2018.

Our gathering and processing segment's operations and maintenance expenses were relatively flat during the three months ended March 31, 2019 compared to the same period in 2018.

Our gathering and processing segment's EBITDA during the three months ended March 31, 2019 includes a loss on long-lived assets of approximately \$1.8 million primarily related to the disposal of our Granite Wash gathering and processing assets.

Our gathering and processing segment's EBITDA was also impacted by a net decrease in earnings from unconsolidated affiliates of approximately \$5.9 million during the three months ended March 31, 2019 compared to the same period in 2018. The decrease was primarily driven by a \$6.1 million decrease in equity earnings from Crestwood Permian resulting from a loss on the retirement of certain of its gathering and processing assets and an increase in its depreciation, amortization and accretion expense due to the in-service of its Orla processing plant in mid-2018. Partially offsetting this decrease was an increase in equity earnings from Jackalope of approximately \$0.2 million. In April 2019, Crestwood Niobrara acquired the remaining 50% equity interest in Jackalope from Williams, and as a result, we will reflect 100% of the operating results of Jackalope in our operating results beginning in the second quarter of 2019.

#### Storage and Transportation

EBITDA for our storage and transportation segment increased by approximately \$5.5 million during the three months ended March 31, 2019 compared to the same period in 2018, primarily due to an increase in revenues of approximately \$5.2 million from our COLT Hub operations. During the three months ended March 31, 2019, we recognized approximately \$4.0 million of revenues under a take-or-pay contract with one of our rail loading customers that expires in 2019. In addition, during the three months ended March 31, 2019, COLT's rail loading volumes increased by 63% compared to the same period in 2018 due to higher demand for rail loading services resulting from higher Bakken crude oil production and higher basis differentials between the Bakken and the U.S. western and eastern markets.

Our storage and transportation segment's operations and maintenance expenses were relatively flat during the three months ended March 31, 2019 compared to the same period in 2018.

Our storage and transportation segment's EBITDA was also impacted by a net increase in earnings from unconsolidated affiliates during the three months ended March 31, 2019 compared to the same period in 2018. Earnings from our Stagecoach Gas equity investment increased by approximately \$1.3 million primarily due to our share of Stagecoach Gas's equity earnings increasing from 35% to 40% effective July 1, 2018. Effective July 1, 2019, our equity earnings from Stagecoach Gas will be allocated based on our ownership percentage, which is currently 50%. Partially offsetting this increase was lower equity earnings from our PRBIC equity investment of approximately \$0.7 million due to the expiration of a rail loading contract with one of its customers in mid-2018.

#### Marketing, Supply and Logistics

EBITDA for our marketing, supply and logistics segment decreased by approximately \$12.0 million during the three months ended March 31, 2019 compared to the same period in 2018, primarily driven by lower revenues of approximately \$138.5 million and lower costs of approximately \$120.4 million.

Our marketing, supply and logistics results for the three months ended March 31, 2019 were impacted by the sale of our West Coast assets in late 2018, which resulted in lower revenues of approximately \$98.2 million and lower costs of product/services sold of approximately \$90.0 million compared to the same period in 2018. In addition, the sale of our West Coast assets also resulted in lower operations and maintenance expenses of approximately \$5.4 million.

Our NGL marketing and logistics operations (other than West Coast) experienced a reduction in its revenues and costs of product/services sold of approximately \$131.6 million and \$115.5 million during the three months ended March 31, 2019 compared to the same period in 2018. Included in our costs of product/services sold was a loss of \$2.9 million during the three months ended March 31, 2019 compared to a gain of \$7.8 million during the same period in 2018 related to the change in fair value of our derivative instruments. The remaining decrease in revenues and product costs was driven primarily by lower NGL prices during the first quarter of 2019 compared to 2018, which impacted the gross realized values of our NGL purchases and

sales during the first quarter of 2019 and decreased trucking and throughput volumes on our NGL assets by approximately 11% when compared to the same period in 2018.

Our crude and natural gas marketing operations experienced an increase in its revenues and product costs of approximately \$90.5 million and \$84.1 million during the three months ended March 31, 2019 compared to the same period in 2018. These increases were driven by higher crude marketing volumes due to increased marketing activity surrounding our crude-related operations.

#### **Other EBITDA Results**

*General and Administrative Expenses.* During the three month ended March 31, 2019, our general and administrative expenses increased by approximately \$13 million compared to the same period in 2018, primarily due to an increase in unit-based compensation charges based on the acceleration of certain awards due to the Corporate restructuring that occurred in early 2019, higher average awards outstanding under our long-term incentive plans and the impact of higher allocations of unit-based compensation costs from Crestwood Holdings.

#### Items not affecting EBITDA include the following:

*Depreciation, Amortization and Accretion Expense.* During the three months ended March 31, 2019, our depreciation, amortization and accretion expense decreased compared to the same period in 2018, primarily due to the sale of our West Coast assets in late 2018.

*Interest and Debt Expense, Net.* During the three months ended March 31, 2019, interest and debt expense, net increased by approximately \$0.5 million compared to the same period in 2018 due to higher outstanding balances on our credit facility that were primarily utilized to fund growth capital expenditures during the first quarter of 2019. The following table provides a summary of interest and debt expense (*in millions*):

	<b>Three Months Ended</b>				
	March 31,				
		2019		2018	
Credit facility	\$	7.9	\$	5.0	
Senior notes		18.1		18.1	
Other debt-related costs		1.6		1.8	
Gross interest and debt expense		27.6		24.9	
Less: capitalized interest		2.7		0.5	
Interest and debt expense, net	\$	24.9	\$	24.4	

#### Liquidity and Sources of Capital

Crestwood Equity is a holding company that derives all of its operating cash flow from its operating subsidiaries. Our principal sources of liquidity include cash generated by operating activities from our subsidiaries, distributions from our joint ventures, borrowings under the CMLP credit facility, and sales of equity and debt securities. Our equity investments use cash from their respective operations to fund their operating activities, maintenance and growth capital expenditures, and service their outstanding indebtedness. We believe our liquidity sources and operating cash flows are sufficient to address our future operating, debt service and capital requirements.

We make cash quarterly distributions to our common unitholders within approximately 45 days after the end of each fiscal quarter in an aggregate amount equal to our available cash for such quarter. We also pay cash quarterly distributions of approximately \$15 million to our preferred unitholders. We believe our operating cash flows will well exceed cash distributions to our partners and our preferred unitholders at current levels, and as a result, we will have substantial operating cash flows as a source of liquidity for our growth capital expenditures.

As of March 31, 2019, we had \$584.0 million of available capacity under the credit facility considering the most restrictive debt covenants in the credit agreement. As of March 31, 2019, we were in compliance with all of our debt covenants applicable to the credit facility and senior notes.



In April 2019, Crestwood Niobrara acquired Williams's 50% equity interest in Jackalope for approximately \$484.6 million. The acquisition of the remaining 50% equity interest in Jackalope was funded through a combination of borrowings under the CMLP credit facility and the issuance of \$235 million of new preferred units to Jackalope Holdings. Contemporaneously with the closing of the remaining interest in Jackalope, Crestwood Midstream entered into the First Amendment to the Second Amended and Restated Credit Agreement to modify certain defined terms and calculations, among other things, to account for the Jackalope acquisition. The other debt covenants under the amended credit agreement are materially consistent with the credit facility that existed at March 31, 2019.

In April 2019, Crestwood Midstream issued \$600 million of 5.625% unsecured senior notes due 2027. The net proceeds from this offering of approximately \$591.1 million were used to repay a portion of the outstanding borrowings under the CMLP credit facility, which includes approximately \$250 million of borrowings that were used to fund the acquisition of the remaining 50% equity interest in Jackalope.

We may from time to time seek to retire or purchase our outstanding debt through cash purchases and/or exchanges for equity securities, in open market purchases, privately negotiated transactions, tender offers or otherwise. Such repurchases or exchanges, if any, will depend on prevailing market conditions, our liquidity requirements, contractual restrictions and other factors. The amounts involved may be material.

#### **Cash Flows**

The following table provides a summary of Crestwood Equity's cash flows by category (in millions):

	<b>Three Months Ended</b>			
	March 31,			
	 2019 2018			
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$ 130.9	\$	148.7	
Net cash used in investing activities	\$ (91.0)	\$	(52.7)	
Net cash used in financing activities	\$ (55.3)	\$	(90.0)	

#### **Operating Activities**

Our operating cash flows decreased by approximately \$17.8 million during the three months ended March 31, 2019 compared to the same period in 2018, primarily due to a decrease in operating revenues of approximately \$279.8 million driven primarily by our marketing, supply and logistics segment's operations, which was impacted by the sale of our West Coast assets in late 2018 discussed above. Partially offsetting this decrease was lower costs of product/services sold of approximately \$270.2 million primarily from that segment. The decrease in net operating cash flows was also impacted by an \$8.7 million reduction in net cash inflow from working capital requirements, primarily from our marketing, supply and logistics segment.

#### Investing Activities

*Capital Expenditures*. The energy midstream business is capital intensive, requiring significant investments for the acquisition or development of new facilities. We categorize our capital expenditures as either:

- growth capital expenditures, which are made to construct additional assets, expand and upgrade existing systems, or acquire additional assets; or
- maintenance capital expenditures, which are made to replace partially or fully depreciated assets, to maintain the existing operating capacity of our assets, extend their useful lives or comply with regulatory requirements.

Adjusting for the acquisition of the remaining 50% equity interest in Jackalope, our growth capital expenditures and contributions to our joint ventures during 2019 will be approximately \$425 million to \$475 million. We anticipate that our growth and reimbursable capital expenditures for the remainder of 2019 will increase the services we can provide to our customers and the operating efficiencies of our systems. We expect to finance our capital expenditures with a combination of cash generated by our operating subsidiaries, distributions received from our equity investments and borrowings under our credit facility.

We have identified growth capital project opportunities for our reporting segments. Additional commitments or expenditures will be made at our discretion, and any discontinuation of the construction of these projects will likely result in less future cash

flows and earnings. The following table summarizes our capital expenditures for the three months ended March 31, 2019 (in millions).

Growth capital	\$ 60.0
Maintenance capital	1.4
Other <sup>(1)</sup>	7.1
Purchases of property, plant and equipment	\$ 68.5

(1) Represents purchases of property, plant and equipment that are reimbursable by third parties.

*Investments in Unconsolidated Affiliates.* During the three months ended March 31, 2019, we contributed approximately \$38.2 million to our equity investments primarily to fund their expansion projects.

#### Financing Activities

The following equity and debt transactions impacted our financing activities during the three months ended March 31, 2019:

- During the three months ended March 31, 2019, we distributed approximately \$3.3 million to our non-controlling partner.
- During the three months ended March 31, 2019, our debt-related transactions resulted in net borrowings of approximately \$14.3 million compared to
  net repayments of approximately \$25.6 million during the same period in 2018.

#### Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk

Our interest rate risk and commodity price and market risks are discussed in our 2018 Annual Report on Form 10-K and there have been no material changes in those exposures from December 31, 2018 to March 31, 2019.

#### Item 4. Controls and Procedures

#### **Disclosure Controls and Procedures**

As of March 31, 2019, Crestwood Equity and Crestwood Midstream carried out an evaluation under the supervision and with the participation of their respective management, including the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer of their General Partners, as to the effectiveness, design and operation of our disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (Exchange Act) Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)). Crestwood Equity and Crestwood Midstream maintain controls and procedures designed to provide reasonable assurance that information required to be disclosed in their respective reports that are filed or submitted under the Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, are recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified by the rules and forms of the SEC, and that information is accumulated and communicated to their respective management, including the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer of their General Partners, as appropriate, to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure. Such management, including the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer of their General Partners, do not expect that the disclosure controls and procedures or the internal controls will prevent and/or detect all errors and all fraud. A control system, no matter how well conceived and operated, can provide only reasonable, not absolute, assurance that the objectives of the control system are met. Further, the design of a control system must reflect the fact that there are resource constraints, and the benefits of controls must be considered relative to their costs. Crestwood Equity's and Crestwood Midstream's disclosure controls and procedures are designed to provide reasonable assurance of achieving their objectives and our Chief Executive Officer of their General Partners concluded that our disclosure controls and procedures were effective at the reasonable assurance level as of March 31, 2019.

### **Changes in Internal Control over Financial Reporting**

There were no changes to Crestwood Equity's or Crestwood Midstream's internal control over financial reporting during the three months ended March 31, 2019 that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect Crestwood Equity's or Crestwood Midstream's internal control over financial reporting.

### PART II - OTHER INFORMATION

#### Item 1. Legal Proceedings

Part I, Item 1. Financial Statements, Note 10 to the Consolidated Financial Statements, of this Form 10-Q is incorporated herein by reference.

### Item 1A. Risk Factors

Our business faces many risks. Any of the risks discussed elsewhere in this Form 10-Q or our other SEC filings could have a material impact on our business, financial position or results of operations. Additional risks and uncertainties not presently known to us or that we currently believe to be immaterial may also impair our business operations. For a detailed discussion of the risk factors that should be understood by any investor contemplating investment in our common units, see Part I, Item 1A. Risk Factors in our 2018 Annual Report on Form 10-K.

### 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.

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Item 6. Exhibits	
Exhibit Number 2.1	Description Contribution Agreement, dated as of April 20, 2016, by and between Crestwood Pipeline and Storage Northeast LLC and Con Edison Gas Pipeline and Storage Northeast, LLC (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.1 to Crestwood Equity Partners LP's Form 8-K filed on April 22, 2016)
2.2	Purchase Agreement, dated as of April 9, 2019, by and between Crestwood Niobrara LLC and Williams MLP Operating, LLC (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 2.1 to Crestwood Equity Partners LP's Form 8-K filed on April 10, 2019)
3.1	Certificate of Limited Partnership of Inergy, L.P. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to Inergy, L.P.'s Registration Statement on Form S-1 filed on March 14, 2001)
3.2	Certificate of Correction of Certificate of Limited Partnership of Inergy, L.P. (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to Inergy, L.P.'s Form 10-Q filed on May 12, 2003)
3.3	Amendment to the Certificate of Limited Partnership of Crestwood Equity Partners LP (the "Company") (f/k/a Inergy, L.P.) dated as of October 7, 2013 (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.2 to Crestwood Equity Partners LP's Form 8-K filed on October 10, 2013)
3.4	Certificate of Formation of Inergy GP, LLC (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.5 to Inergy, L.P.'s Registration Statement on Form S-1/A filed on May 7, 2001)
3.5	Certificate of Amendment of Crestwood Equity GP LLC (the "General Partner") (f/k/a Inergy GP, LLC) dated as of October 7, 2013 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.3A to Crestwood Equity Partners LP's Form 10-Q filed on November 8, 2013)
3.6	First Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement of Inergy GP, LLC dated as of September 27, 2012 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to Inergy, L.P.'s Form 8-K filed on September 27, 2012)
3.7	Amendment No. 1 to the First Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement of the General Partner entered into and effective as of October 7, 2013 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.4A to Crestwood Equity Partners LP's Form 10-Q filed on November 8, 2013)
3.8	Fifth Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of Crestwood Equity Partners LP dated as of April 11, 2014 (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to Crestwood Equity Partners LP's Form 8-K filed on April 11, 2014)
3.9	First Amendment to the Fifth Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of Crestwood Equity Partners LP entered into and effective as of September 30, 2015 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to Crestwood Equity Partner LP's Form 8-K filed on October 1, 2015)
3.10	Second Amendment to the Fifth Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of Crestwood Equity Partners LP entered into and effective as of November 8, 2017 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to Crestwood Equity Partners LP's Form 8-K filed on November 13, 2017)
3.11	Third Amendment to the Fifth Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of Crestwood Equity Partners LP entered into and effective as of May 30, 2018 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to Crestwood Equity Partners LP's Form 8-K filed on June 4, 2018)
3.12	Second Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of Crestwood Midstream Partners LP, dated as of September 30, 2015 (incorporated by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to Crestwood Midstream Partners LP's Form 8-K filed on October 1, 2015)
3.13	Certificate of Formation of NRGM GP, LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.7 to Inergy Midstream, L.P.'s Form S- 1/A filed on November 21, 2011)
3.14	Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement of NRGM GP, LLC, dated December 21, 2011 (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.2 to Inergy Midstream, L.P.'s Form 8-K filed on December 22, 2011)
3.15	Amendment No. 1 to the Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement of Crestwood Midstream GP LLC (f/k/a NRGM GP, LLC) (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.39 to Crestwood Midstream Partners LP's Form S-4/A filed on October 28, 2013)
*10.1	Separation Agreement and Release dated March 25, 2019 between Crestwood Operations LLC and Heath Deneke

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*10.2	Third Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement of Crestwood Niobrara LLC dated April 9, 2019 between Crestwood Midstream Partners LP and CN Jackalope Holdings LLC
*31.1	Certification of Chief Executive Officer pursuant to Rule 13a-14(a) and Rule 15d-14(a) of the Securities Exchange Act, as amended - Crestwood Equity Partners LP
*31.2	Certification of Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Rule 13a-14(a) and Rule 15d-14(a) of the Securities Exchange Act, as amended - Crestwood Equity Partners LP
*31.3	Certification of Chief Executive Officer pursuant to Rule 13a-14(a) and Rule 15d-14(a) of the Securities Exchange Act, as amended - Crestwood Midstream Partners LP
*31.4	Certification of Chief Financial Officer pursuant to Rule 13a-14(a) and Rule 15d-14(a) of the Securities Exchange Act, as amended - Crestwood Midstream Partners LP
*32.1	Certification of Chief Executive Officer pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes- Oxley Act of 2002 - Crestwood Equity Partners LP
*32.2	Certification of Chief Financial Officer pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes- Oxley Act of 2002 - Crestwood Equity Partners LP
*32.3	Certification of Chief Executive Officer pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes- Oxley Act of 2002 - Crestwood Midstream Partners LP
*32.4	<u>Certification of Chief Financial Officer pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-</u> <u>Oxley Act of 2002 - Crestwood Midstream Partners LP</u>
**101.INS	XBRL Instance Document
**101.SCH	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Document
**101.CAL	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation Linkbase Document
**101.LAB	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Label Linkbase Document
**101.PRE	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase Document
**101.DEF	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase Document

\* Filed herewith

\*\* Pursuant to Rule 406T of Regulation S-T, the Interactive Data Files on Exhibit 101 hereto are deemed not filed or part of a registration statement or prospectus for purposes of Sections 11 or 12 of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, are deemed not filed for purposes of Section 18 of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, and otherwise are not subject to liability under those sections.

#### SIGNATURE

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.

## **CRESTWOOD EQUITY PARTNERS LP**

By: CRESTWOOD EQUITY GP LLC (its general partner)

Date: May 2, 2019

By: /s/ ROBERT T. HALPIN

Robert T. Halpin Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Duly Authorized Officer and Principal Financial Officer)

### CRESTWOOD MIDSTREAM PARTNERS LP

By: CRESTWOOD MIDSTREAM GP LLC (its general partner)

Date: May 2, 2019

### By: /s/ ROBERT T. HALPIN

Robert T. Halpin Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (Duly Authorized Officer and Principal Financial Officer)

### SEPARATION AGREEMENT AND RELEASE

This Separation Agreement and Release (this "<u>Agreement</u>") is by and between Crestwood Operations LLC (the "<u>Company</u>") and Heath Deneke ("<u>Employee</u>"). Employee and the Company may sometimes be referenced herein individually as "<u>Party</u>" or collectively as the "<u>Parties</u>."

1. <u>Termination of Employment.</u> Pursuant to Sections 3.1(b)(i) and 3.3(a)(ii) of the Second Amended and Restated Employment Agreement, by and between Employee and the Company, dated July 21, 2017 (the "<u>Employment Agreement</u>"), the Company hereby provides Employee notice that the Employment Agreement and Employee's employment thereunder shall terminate effective April 15, 2019 (the "<u>Separation Date</u>"). Employee acknowledges and agrees that, other than for salary payable through the Separation Date and as otherwise set forth herein, Employee is not entitled to any additional compensation, payments, salary, wages, benefits, or other remuneration from the Company under the Employment Agreement or otherwise.

2. <u>Cessation of Benefits.</u> Employee's eligibility to participate in any of the Company's benefits and plans shall cease effective the Separation Date. To the extent that Employee participated in the Company's group medical and dental plans, Employee may be eligible for continuation of medical and dental coverage as provided for in the Consolidated Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985. Employee understands that continued health insurance coverage requires Employee's timely and proper completion of the COBRA enrollment form received from the administrative services provider.

3. Equity Interests. During Employee's employment with the Company, Employee received certain awards of restricted and performance units, which are each governed by the terms and conditions of the applicable award agreements and plan documents (collectively, the "Award Agreements"). The restricted and performance units were granted from the Crestwood Equity Partners LP Long Term Incentive Plan (the "Plan"). Employee acknowledges and agrees that he is not entitled to any further equity awards pursuant to Section 2.2 of the Employment Agreement or otherwise. The termination of Employee's employment with the Company is deemed to be a termination by the Employer without Cause (as defined in the Plan). Any units granted pursuant to the Award Agreements that have not yet vested shall fully vest on the Separation Date, except for those performance units issued on February 15, 2017, which shall vest on February 15, 2020.

4. <u>Severance Payment</u>. Pursuant to Section 3.3(b)(i) of the Employment Agreement, and in exchange for Employee's promises set forth in this Agreement, the Company shall pay Employee a severance payment in the amount of Two Million, Eight Hundred and Four Thousand, Four Hundred and Eleven Dollars and No Cents (\$2,804,411.00), less applicable taxes and withholdings (the "<u>Severance Payment</u>"), which represents two times the sum of Employee's Base Salary and the average of the annual Bonus paid to Employee for the prior 2-year period. The Severance Payment shall be payable in equal installments in accordance with the Company's normal payroll procedures during the twelve (12) month period following the Separation Date; *provided however*, that the Company's obligation to make the Severance Payment shall be expressly conditioned upon (a) Employee's timely execution and non-revocation of this Agreement; (b) Employee's compliance with his continuing obligations set forth in Section 4 of the Employment

Agreement (including all sub-parts thereto), which by their terms survive termination of the Employment Agreement. Payment of the first and any subsequent installments of the Severance Payment shall be delayed until such time that Employee has executed this Agreement and delivered it to the Company and the revocation period set forth in Section 8(h) has expired without revocation by Employee. Employee acknowledges and agrees that the Severance Payment provided for in this Section 4 fully satisfies any and all monetary severance obligations of the Company pursuant to Section 3.3(b)(i) of the Employment Agreement.

5. <u>COBRA Continuation Benefit</u>. Pursuant to Section 3.3(b)(i) of the Employment Agreement, during the period that Employee is entitled to receive Severance Payment installments hereunder, the Company shall pay on Employee's behalf, or reimburse Employee for, a portion of Employee's COBRA continuation premiums equal to the employer portion of the premiums paid by the Company on behalf of an active employee (the "<u>COBRA Benefit</u>"); *provided, however*, that the Company's obligation to provide the COBRA Benefit shall be expressly conditioned upon (a) Employee's timely execution and non-revocation of this Agreement; (b) Employee's timely and proper completion of the COBRA enrollment form received from the administrative services provider; (c) Employee's timely payment of the remaining premium amounts owed by Employee for such continuation coverage; and (d) Employee's compliance with his continuing obligations set forth in Section 4 of the Employment Agreement (including all sub-parts thereto), which by their terms survive termination of the Employment Agreement. The foregoing notwithstanding, the Company's obligation to provide the COBRA Benefit shall cease on the first day of the month after Employee obtains reasonably comparable health care coverage from a subsequent employer or other source, regardless of whether Employee remains entitled to receive Severance Payment installments.

6. <u>Severance Waiver Notice.</u> In the event Employee delivers a Severance Waiver Notice as defined in and pursuant to Section 4.1 of the Employment Agreement, Employee shall no longer be bound by the non-competition obligation set forth in Section 4.1 of the Employment Agreement, but shall continue to be bound by all other obligations set forth in Section 4 of the Employment Agreement, including Employee's obligations regarding non-solicitation and non-disclosure of confidential information. The Company shall be immediately released from the obligation to pay any further installments of the Severance Payment and COBRA Benefit upon Employee's delivery of a Severance Waiver Notice. Pursuant to Section 3.9 of the Employment Agreement, which shall remain in full force and effect, Employee acknowledges that in the event Employee breaches the non-competition obligation set forth in Section 4.1 of the Employment Agreement prior to delivery of a Severance Waiver Notice, or otherwise breaches any of the other obligations set forth in Section 4, Employee shall fully, completely and permanently forfeit any and all rights to the Severance Payment and COBRA Benefit.

7. <u>Employee Release.</u> In exchange for the Severance Payment and COBRA Benefit, as well as the other promises set forth in this Agreement, Employee voluntarily and knowingly waives, releases, and discharges the Company, its direct and indirect parent companies, predecessor, successor, subsidiary, and affiliate companies, and all of their respective employees, officers, directors, owners, members, shareholders, principals, attorneys, insurers, benefit plans, plan fiduciaries, representatives, agents and assigns (collectively, the "**Released Parties**") from all

claims, liabilities, demands, damages, obligations, grievances, and causes of action, known or unknown, fixed or contingent, which Employee may have or claim to have against any of them as a result of Employee's employment and/or separation from employment and/or as a result of any other matter arising through the date of Employee's signature on this Agreement. Employee agrees not to file a lawsuit to assert any such released claims. Employee hereby represents and warrants that Employee has not as of the date of Employee's signature on this Agreement filed any action, complaint, charge, grievance, arbitration or similar proceeding against the Company or any other Released Party. This waiver, release and discharge includes, but is not limited to:

- a) claims arising under federal, state, or local laws regarding employment or prohibiting employment discrimination such as, without limitation, Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, the Equal Pay Act, the Age Discrimination in Employment Act, the Older Workers' Benefit Protection Act, the Occupational Health and Safety Act, the National Labor Relations Act, Section 1981 of the Civil Rights Act of 1866, the Americans with Disabilities Act, the Rehabilitation Act, the Fair Labor Standards Act, the Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA), the Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act, the Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act, the Sarbanes Oxley Act of 2002, the Comprehensive Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1985 (COBRA), the Health Insurance and Portability Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), the Worker Adjustment and Retraining Notification (WARN) Act, the Texas Labor Code, and the Texas Commission on Human Rights Act;
- b) claims for breach of oral or written express or implied contract, promissory estoppel, or quantum meruit, including any employment-related offer or agreement and including any claims for breach of the implied duty of good faith and fair dealing;
- c) claims for personal injury, harm, or other damages (whether intentional or unintentional and whether occurring on the job or not, including, without limitation, negligence, defamation, misrepresentation, fraud, intentional infliction of emotional distress, assault, battery, invasion of privacy, and other such claims);
- d) claims arising from the termination of employment, including, without limitation, public policy, discrimination, or retaliation claims under statute or common law;
- e) claims for wages, commissions, bonuses, equity or other incentive programs, or any other form of compensation other than any pending workers' compensation benefits claim; or
- f) claims for benefits including, without limitation, those arising under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974.

NOTHING IN THIS AGREEMENT SHALL CONSTITUTE OR BE CONSTRUED AS A WAIVER, RELEASE OR DISCHARGE OF, OR AS AN ATTEMPT TO WAIVE, RELEASE OR DISCHARGE, (I) ANY RIGHT OR CLAIM FOR RIGHTS UNDER THIS AGREEMENT, (II) ANY RIGHT OR CLAIM WHICH IS NOT WAIVABLE AS A MATTER OF LAW, (III) ANY

CLAIM ARISING AFTER THE DATE OF EMPLOYEE'S SIGNATURE ON THIS AGREEMENT, (IV) ANY CLAIM FOR INDEMNITY EMPLOYEE MAY BE OTHERWISE ENTITLED TO MAKE AS A FORMER OFFICER OF THE COMPANY; (V) ANY RIGHTS EMPLOYEE HAS UNDER THE EQUITY AGREEMENT BETWEEN EMPLOYEE HAS UNDER THE EQUITY AGREEMENT BETWEEN EMPLOYEE HAS UNDER THE EQUITY AGREEMENT BETWEEN EMPLOYEE AND FR CRESTWOOD MANAGEMENT CO-INVESTMENT LLC DATED DECEMBER 3, 2015.

8. <u>ADEA Waiver and Acknowledgments.</u> Employee expressly acknowledges and agrees that, by entering into this Agreement, Employee is waiving any and all rights or claims, if any, that Employee may have arising under the Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967, as amended ("<u>ADEA</u>"), and the Older Workers Benefit Protection Act ("<u>OWBPA</u>"), which have arisen on or before the date of execution of this Agreement. Employee further expressly acknowledges and agrees that:

- a)The release is part of an agreement between the Parties that is written in a manner calculated to be understood by Employee and that Employee in fact understands the terms, conditions, and effect of this Agreement;
- b)This Agreement refers to rights or claims arising under the ADEA and OWBPA;
- c)Employee does not waive rights or claims under the ADEA or OWBPA that may arise after the date this Agreement is executed;
- d)In return for this Agreement, Employee will receive consideration beyond that which Employee was already entitled to receive before entering into this Agreement;
- e)Employee is hereby advised in writing by this Agreement to consult with an attorney before signing this Agreement;
- f)Nothing in this Agreement prevents or precludes Employee from challenging or seeking a determination in good faith of the validity of this waiver under the ADEA or OWBPA, nor does it impose any condition precedent or penalty for doing so, unless specifically authorized by federal law;
- g)Employee is hereby informed that Employee has twenty-one (21) days within which to consider the Agreement, but Employee need not take the entire twenty-one (21) day period if Employee does not desire to do so; and
- h)Employee is hereby informed that Employee has seven (7) days following the date of the execution of the Agreement in which to revoke the Agreement in writing by providing a copy of such writing to Joel Lambert, 811 Main Street, Suite 3400, Houston, Texas, 77002 **via hand delivery, certified mail or courier service.** Employee acknowledges and agrees that this Agreement, however, will not be

effective or enforceable until this seven (7) day period has expired, and, if timely revoked by Employee, Employee shall not be entitled to receive the Severance Payment or the COBRA Benefit.

9. <u>Protected Disclosures</u>. Employee acknowledges and agrees that this Agreement does not (a) prevent Employee from providing information to or filing a report, charge or complaint, including a challenge to the validity of this Agreement, with the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission ("<u>EEOC</u>"), Department of Labor ("<u>DOL</u>"), National Labor Relations Board ("<u>NLRB</u>"), Securities and Exchange Commission ("<u>SEC</u>") or any other governmental agency, or from participating in any investigation or proceeding conducted by any such governmental agency, or (b) impose any condition precedent (such as prior notice to the Company), any penalty, or any other restriction or limitation adversely affecting Employee's rights regarding any governmental agency disclosure, report, claim or investigation; *provided, however*, that Employee shall not be entitled to recover any individual monetary relief or other individual remedies in any action brought by any such governmental agency or otherwise against the Company on Employee's behalf. The foregoing notwithstanding, this Agreement does not limit Employee's right to receive an award for information provided under any SEC program.

10. <u>Confidential Agreement.</u> Subject to Section 9 of this Agreement, Employee agrees to keep the existence and content of this Agreement confidential and further agrees that Employee will not disclose information concerning this Agreement to anyone outside of Employee's immediate family, tax advisor or attorney, except as may be required by law. This Section 10 does not apply to Employee's utilization of internal Company reporting procedures, or Employee's communication with federal, state or local governmental agencies as may be legally required or otherwise protected by law.

11. <u>Independent Legal Advice.</u> Employee acknowledges that Employee has been advised to obtain independent legal counsel of Employee's choice with respect to the advisability of signing this Agreement and providing the releases, waivers, acknowledgements, representations, and undertakings specified herein, and with respect to Employee's rights and obligations under the terms of this Agreement.

12. <u>Company Property</u>. Employee represents to the Company that Employee shall on or prior to the Separation Date return all property of the Company or any of its affiliates in Employee's possession, including any keys, access cards, computers, cell phones, or other equipment and any Company records, files, data, and documents (whether on a work or personal computer, in electronic format or otherwise, and whether confidential in nature or not).Employee shall be permitted to transfer his existing cell phone number to another cell phone.

13. <u>Post-Termination Assistance</u>. Employee acknowledges and agrees that he remains bound to provide post-termination assistance to the Company in accordance with the terms and conditions of Section 3.6 of the Employment Agreement, which shall remain in full force and effect.

14. <u>No Admission of Liability.</u> This Agreement is not and shall not be deemed or construed to be an admission by Employee, the Company or any of the Released Parties of any

wrongdoing of any kind or of any breach of any contract, law, obligation, policy, or procedure of any kind or nature.

15. <u>Severability.</u> In the event that any provision of this Agreement should be held to be void, voidable, or unenforceable, the remaining portions hereof shall remain in full force and effect; *provided, however*, that if the releases found in Sections 7 and 8 are determined to be invalid or unenforceable for any reason whatsoever by a court of competent jurisdiction in any action between Employee and the Company, then the Company's promise to provide the Severance Payment and COBRA Benefit shall fail for lack of consideration and immediately be null and void, and the Company shall be entitled to terminate any additional payments thereof then owing to Employee and any portion thereof already paid hereunder shall be returned or reimbursed by Employee to the Company.

16. <u>Governing Law.</u> This Agreement shall be governed by and interpreted under the laws of the State of Texas without regard to Conflict of Laws. Unless any injunctive relief sought requires filing elsewhere, the Parties agree that any dispute concerning this Agreement shall be brought only in a court of competent jurisdiction in Harris County, Texas.

17. <u>Assignment</u>. Employee acknowledges and agrees that this Agreement may be assigned or transferred to any successor of the Company and any such successor of the Company shall be deemed substituted for all purposes as the "Company" under the terms of this Agreement. As used in this Agreement, the term "successor" shall mean any person, firm, corporation, or business entity, which at any time, whether by merger, purchase, or otherwise, acquires all or substantially all of the assets of the Company or its parent. Employee may not assign or delegate Employee's duties or obligations under this Agreement.

18. <u>Entirety and Integration.</u> Upon the execution hereof by the Parties, this Agreement together with the Award Agreements and any other documents expressly referenced herein, shall constitute a single, integrated contract expressing the entire agreement of the Parties relative to the subject matter hereof and supersede all prior negotiations, understandings and/or agreements, if any, of the Parties; *provided, however*, that this Agreement supplements and does not supersede any rights or obligations under the Employment Agreement that by their terms continue beyond the termination of the Employment Agreement and Employee's employment thereunder. No covenants, agreements, representations, or warranties of any kind whatsoever have been made by any Party hereto, except as specifically set forth in this Agreement, the Award Agreements, or the other documents referenced herein.

19. <u>Binding Effect; Amendments.</u> This Agreement will be binding upon, and inure to the benefit of the Company and Employee and their respective successors and assigns, heirs and personal representatives and estates, as the case may be. This Agreement may not be modified or amended except by an instrument in writing signed by Employee and a duly authorized representative of the Company.

20. <u>Effectiveness.</u> This Agreement will not become effective and binding until the eighth day after Employee signs this Agreement if, and only if, Employee does not timely revoke this

Agreement during the seven-day revocation period. No payments under this Agreement will be owing and due until this Agreement becomes binding and effective as provided for in this Section 20.

21. <u>Authorization.</u> Each person signing this Agreement as a Party or on behalf of a Party represents that he is duly authorized to sign this Agreement on such Party's behalf, and is executing this Agreement voluntarily, knowingly, and without any duress or coercion.

22. <u>Counterparts</u>. This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original, but all of which together will constitute one and the same Agreement.

## [SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]

AGREED AND ACCEPTED on this 25th day of March, 2019.

## **COMPANY:** CRESTWOOD OPERATIONS LLC

By: <u>/s/ Robert G. Phillips</u> Name: Robert G. Phillips Title: Chief Executive Officer

AGREED AND ACCEPTED on this 25th day of March, 2019.

# EMPLOYEE

/s/ Heath Deneke HEATH DENEKE

**Execution Version** 

### THIRD AMENDED AND RESTATED

## LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY AGREEMENT

OF

## **CRESTWOOD NIOBRARA LLC**

## a Delaware Limited Liability Company

## Dated as of April 9, 2019

Limited liability company interests in Crestwood Niobrara LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, have not been registered with or qualified by the Securities and Exchange Commission or any securities regulatory authority of any state. The interests are being sold in reliance upon exemptions from such registration or qualification requirements. The interests cannot be sold, transferred, assigned or otherwise disposed of except in compliance with the restrictions on transferability contained in the Second Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement of Crestwood Niobrara LLC, as such may be amended or restated from time to time, and applicable federal and state securities laws.

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## THIRD AMENDED AND RESTATED LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY AGREEMENT OF CRESTWOOD NIOBRARA LLC

This THIRD AMENDED AND RESTATED LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY AGREEMENT (the "<u>Agreement</u>") of Crestwood Niobrara LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (the "<u>Company</u>"), is made and entered into by and between CN Jackalope Holdings, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, Crestwood Midstream Partners LP, a Delaware limited partnership, and, solely for the purposes of the provisions set forth on its signature page to this Agreement, Crestwood Equity Partners LP, a Delaware limited partnership ("<u>CEQP</u>"), effective as of April 9, 2019 (the "<u>Effective Date</u>"). Capitalized terms used herein without definition have the meanings set forth in <u>Section 1.01</u>.

# Article I

# DEFINITIONS

## **1.01** Certain Definitions. As used in this Agreement, the following terms have the following meanings:

"<u>A-2 Conversion Ratio</u>" means, as used in the definition of Aggregate Conversion Ratio or in <u>Section 4.02(b)(i)</u>, <u>Section 4.06(d)</u>, <u>Section 4.06(f)</u> or <u>Section 4.07(a)(ii)(B)</u>, a fraction, the numerator of which is the product of (a) 0.25 multiplied by (b) the number of Series A-2 Preferred Units outstanding at the time of Conversion (or at such time of determination if not calculated in connection with a Conversion) and the denominator of which is the sum of (x) the total number of Series A-2 Preferred Units outstanding as of the Effective Date plus (y) the total number of Series A-2 Preferred Units issued following the Effective Date.

"<u>A-3 Conversion Ratio</u>" means, as used in the definition of Aggregate Conversion Ratio or in <u>Section 4.02(b)(i)</u>, <u>Section 4.06(f)</u>, <u>Section 4.06(f)</u> or <u>Section 4.07(a)(ii)(C)</u>, a fraction, the numerator of which is the product of (a) 0.25 multiplied by (b) the number of Series A-3 Preferred Units outstanding at the time of Conversion (or at such time of determination if not calculated in connection with a Conversion) and the denominator of which is the sum of (x) the total number of Series A-3 Preferred Units outstanding as of the Effective Date plus (y) the total number of Series A-3 Preferred Units issued following the Effective Date.

"Accordion Capital Contribution" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.02(b)(i).

"Act" means the Delaware Limited Liability Company Act and any successor statute, each as amended from time to time.

"<u>Adjusted Available Cash</u>" means, with respect to any Fiscal Quarter ending prior to the Liquidation Date, (a) the sum of all cash and cash equivalents on-hand at the end of a Fiscal Quarter, <u>less</u> (b) an amount of cash reserves established by the Managing Member to cover the reasonably anticipated working capital needs of the Company in the then-current Fiscal Quarter, which amount shall not exceed \$500,000. Notwithstanding the foregoing, "Adjusted Available Cash" with respect

to the Fiscal Quarter in which the Liquidation Date occurs and any subsequent Fiscal Quarter shall equal zero.

"<u>Adjusted Capital Account</u>" means, with respect to any Member, the balance, if any, in such Member's Capital Account as of the end of the relevant Tax Year or other period, after giving effect to the following adjustments:

(a) adding to such Capital Account any amounts which such Member is obligated to restore pursuant to this Agreement or is deemed to be obligated to restore to the Company pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(c) or the penultimate sentence of each of Treasury Regulations Sections 1.704-2(g)(1) and 1.704-2(i)(5); and

(b) subtracting from such Capital Account such Member's share of the items described in Treasury Regulations Sections 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(d)(4), (5) and (6).

The foregoing definition is intended to comply with the provisions of Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(d) and will be interpreted consistently therewith.

"<u>Affiliate</u>" means, with respect to a Person, any other Person directly or indirectly controlling or controlled by or under direct or indirect common control with the first Person. For purposes of this definition, "control" means possession, directly or indirectly, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management or policies of a Person, whether through ownership of voting securities, by agreement or otherwise.

"<u>Aggregate Conversion Ratio</u>" means, in a conversion pursuant to <u>Section 4.07(a)(i)</u> or <u>Section 4.07(a)(ii)(A)</u> or as used in the definition of Maximum Holdings Member Accordion Amount or <u>Section 4.02(b)(i)</u> or Section <u>4.02(b)(ii)</u>, the sum of (a) the A-2 Conversion Ratio and (b) the A-3 Conversion Ratio.

"<u>Agreed Midstream Project</u>" has the meaning set forth in <u>Section 6.03(d)(i)</u>.

"<u>Agreed Midstream Services</u>" means the development and operation of any Agreed Midstream Project.

"<u>Agreement</u>" has the meaning set forth in the introductory paragraph hereof.

"<u>Annual Budget</u>" means the Initial Budget and each subsequent annual operating budget of the Company and its Subsidiaries, as each such subsequent annual operating budget is approved (a) prior to a Conversion, pursuant to <u>Section 6.02(a)</u> (<u>xvii</u>) and (b) after a Conversion, pursuant to <u>Section 6.02(b)(xvi</u>) or as otherwise in effect pursuant to <u>Section 6.06</u>. For the avoidance of doubt, the Annual Budget shall not include any capital expenditures of the Company or its Subsidiaries relating to growth capital expenditures.

"<u>Apollo</u>" means any Entity Controlled, directly or indirectly, by Apollo Infra Equity US Fund, LP.

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2 "<u>Applicable Adjusted Capex Amount</u>" means (i) in the case of an Initial Period Conversion or a Secondary Period Full Conversion, both the Series A-2 Adjusted Capex Amount and the Series A-3 Adjusted Capex Amount; (ii) in the case of a Secondary Period A-2 Conversion, the Series A-2 Adjusted Capex Amount; and (ii) in the case of a Secondary Period A-3 Conversion, the Series A-3 Adjusted Capex Amount.

3 "<u>Area of Interest</u>" means Converse County and Campbell County, each in the State of Wyoming.

"<u>Asset Sale</u>" has the meaning set forth in <u>Section 4.06(c)</u>.

"Available Cash" means, with respect to any Fiscal Quarter ending prior to the Liquidation Date:

(a) the sum of all cash and cash equivalents of the Company on hand at the end of such Fiscal Quarter; *less* 

(b) the amount of any cash reserves established by the Managing Member to (i) provide for the proper conduct of the business of the Company (including reserves for future capital expenditures and for anticipated future credit needs of the Company) subsequent to such Fiscal Quarter or (ii) comply with applicable law or any loan agreement, security agreement, mortgage, debt instrument or other agreement or obligation to which the Company is a party or by which it is bound or its assets are subject;

<u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that disbursements made by the Company or cash reserves established, increased or reduced after the end of such Fiscal Quarter, but on or before the date of determination of Available Cash with respect to such Fiscal Quarter, shall be deemed to have been made, established, increased or reduced, for purposes of determining Available Cash, within such Fiscal Quarter if the Managing Member so determines.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, "Available Cash" with respect to the Fiscal Quarter in which the Liquidation Date occurs and any subsequent Fiscal Quarter shall equal zero.

"Book Value" means, with respect to any asset, the asset's adjusted basis for federal income tax purposes, except as follows:

(a) the Book Value of any asset contributed by a Member to the Company is the gross Fair Market Value of such asset as jointly determined by the Members at the time of contribution;

(b) the Book Value of all Company assets shall be adjusted to equal their respective gross Fair Market Values, as jointly determined by the Members taking into account the provisions of Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv)(h)(2), as of the following times: (i) immediately before the acquisition of any interest in the Company by any new or existing Member in exchange for more than a *de minimis* capital contribution to the Company; (ii) immediately before the distribution by the Company to the Member of more than a *de minimis* amount of property as

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consideration for an interest in the Company; and (iii) immediately before the liquidation of the Company within the meaning of Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(g); <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that the adjustments pursuant to <u>clauses (i)</u> and <u>(ii)</u> shall be made only if the Managing Member reasonably determines that such adjustments are necessary or appropriate to reflect the relative economic interests of the Members in the Company;

(c) the Book Value of any Company asset distributed to any Member shall be adjusted to equal the gross Fair Market Value of such asset on the date of distribution as determined jointly by the Members; and

(d) the Book Values of Company assets shall be increased (or decreased) to reflect any adjustments to the adjusted basis of such assets pursuant to Section 734(b) or Section 743(b) of the Code, but only to the extent that such adjustments are taken into account in determining Capital Accounts pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv)(m); provided, however, that Book Values shall not be adjusted pursuant to this <u>clause (d)</u> to the extent the Managing Member determines that an adjustment pursuant to <u>clause (b)</u> above is necessary or appropriate in connection with a transaction that would otherwise result in an adjustment pursuant to this <u>clause (d)</u>.

If the Book Value of a Company asset has been determined or adjusted pursuant to <u>clause (a)</u>, (b) or (d) above, such Book Value shall thereafter be adjusted by the depreciation, amortization or other cost recovery deductions taken into account with respect to such asset for purposes of maintaining Capital Accounts.

"<u>Business</u>" means (a) gathering, treatment or processing of natural gas or gathering of crude oil or (b) owning an equity interest in any Person engaged in any of the activities referenced in clause (a) if at the time of the initial acquisition of such equity interest the activities referenced in clause (a) generated more than 25% of the revenues of such Person for the most recently completed fiscal year of such Person.

"<u>Business Day</u>" means any day other than a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday on which banks in New York City, New York, are authorized or obligated by law to close.

"<u>Capital</u>" means the amount of cash and the Fair Market Value, as jointly determined by the Members, of any property (net of any liabilities assumed by the Company or which are secured by any property contributed by such Member to the Company) contributed to the Company by the Members pursuant to the terms of this Agreement.

"<u>Capital Account</u>" means the Capital Account maintained for each Member on the Company's books and records in accordance with the following provisions:

(a) To each Member's Capital Account there will be added (i) the amount of cash and the Fair Market Value of any other asset contributed by such Member to the Company pursuant to any provision of this Agreement, (ii) such Member's allocable share of any items of Company income or gain, and (iii) the amount of any Company liabilities assumed by such Member or which are secured by any property distributed to such Member.

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(b) From each Member's Capital Account there will be subtracted (i) the amount of cash and the Fair Market Value of any other Company assets distributed to such Member pursuant to any provision of this Agreement, (ii) such Member's allocable share of any items of Company deduction or loss, and (iii) liabilities of such Member assumed by the Company or which are secured by any property contributed by such Member to the Company.

Notwithstanding the foregoing, adjustments to the foregoing may be made in the discretion of the Managing Member, with the consent of the Holdings Member, in order to comply with the Treasury Regulations promulgated under Section 704 of the Code, adjustments shall be made to the Members' Capital Accounts in accordance with the provisions of Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv)(s)(3). In the event any Interest is Transferred (other than by pledge of, or grant of a security interest in, such Interest) in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, the transferee will succeed to the Capital Account of the transferor to the extent it relates to the Interest that is Transferred.

"<u>Capital Contribution</u>" means, subject to <u>Section 4.05</u>, any amount of Capital contributed to the Company by a Member pursuant to the terms of this Agreement. Any reference to the Capital Contributions of a Member will include the Capital Contributions made by a predecessor holder of the Units of such Member.

"<u>CEQP</u>" has the meaning set forth in the preamble.

"CEQP Guaranty" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.06(h).

"<u>CEQP Partnership Agreement</u>" means the Fifth Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of CEQP, dated as of April 11, 2014, as amended or restated prior to the Effective Date and as further amended or restated from time to time.

"<u>CEQP Unit</u>" has the meaning given to the term "Common Unit" in the CEQP Partnership Agreement, <u>provided</u> that such security is newly issued and is listed or admitted to trading on a National Securities Exchange. For all purposes hereunder, references to CEQP Units shall also be deemed to be references to any security into which "Common Units" (or any successor securities) are converted or exchanged (whether as a result of a recapitalization, reclassification, merger or otherwise), <u>provided</u> that any such security is newly issued and is listed or admitted to trading on a National Securities Exchange.

"<u>CEQP Unit Issuance Limitations</u>" shall be deemed to be triggered if a proposed issuance of CEQP Units in a redemption or acquisition pursuant to <u>Section 3.05(a)</u>, <u>Section 4.06(c)</u>, <u>Section 4.06(d)</u>, <u>Section 4.06(e)</u> or <u>Section 4.06(f)</u> would result in the occurrence of any of the following: (a) the aggregate value of all CEQP Units (valued at the then-applicable CEQP Unit Price) issued to the Holdings Member in such redemption or acquisition (together with the aggregate value of all CEQP Units (valued at the CEQP Unit Price as of the time of such previous redemption or acquisition) issued in all previous redemptions or acquisitions of Series A Preferred Units) would exceed \$100,000,000, or (b) the RRA Suspension Right would, or would be reasonably likely to, be exercisable by CEQP pursuant to the Registration Rights Agreement if the Holdings Member were to exercise a demand registration right pursuant to Section 2.03 of the Registration Rights Agreement immediately following the issuance of CEQP Units to the Holdings Member.

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"<u>CEQP Unit Price</u>" means, as of any determination date, an amount equal to (a) 92.5%, <u>times</u> (b) the lower of (i) the volume-weighted average trading price of a CEQP Unit for the 20 trading days immediately preceding such determination date, or (ii) the trading price of a CEQP Unit as of the closing of the last trading day immediately preceding such determination date.

"Certificate" has the meaning set forth in Section 2.01.

"Change of Control Redemption Notice" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.06(b).

"<u>Change of Control Redemption Price</u>" means, as applicable, with respect to each Series A-2 Preferred Unit, each Series A-3 Preferred Unit and each Series B Preferred Unit:

(a) solely in the circumstance of a Crestwood Change of Control, an amount per Series A-2 Preferred Unit equal to 105% of the Series A-2 Liquidation Amount, an amount per Series A-3 Preferred Unit equal to 105% of the Series A-3 Liquidation Amount and an amount per Series B Preferred Unit equal to 105% of the Series B Liquidation Amount, respectively;

(b) solely in the circumstance of a Company Change of Control, an amount determined as follows:

(i) if the Company Change of Control occurs following the first anniversary of the Issue Date but on or prior to the second anniversary of the Issue Date, an amount per Series A-2 Preferred Unit equal to 119.5% of the Series A-2 Liquidation Amount, an amount per Series A-3 Preferred Unit equal to 125% of the Series A-3 Liquidation Amount and an amount per Series B Preferred Unit equal to 119.5% of the Series B Liquidation Amount, respectively;

(ii) if the Company Change of Control occurs following the second anniversary of the Issue Date but on or prior to the third anniversary of the Issue Date, an amount per Series A-2 Preferred Unit equal to 117% of the Series A-2 Liquidation Amount, an amount per Series A-3 Preferred Unit equal to 119.5% of the Series A-3 Liquidation Amount and an amount per Series B Preferred Unit equal to 117% of the Series B Liquidation Amount, respectively;

(iii) if the Company Change of Control occurs following the third anniversary of the Issue Date but on or prior to the fourth anniversary of the Issue Date, an amount per Series A-2 Preferred Unit equal to 115% of the Series A-2 Liquidation Amount, an amount per Series A-3 Preferred Unit equal to 117% of the Series A-3 Liquidation Amount and an amount per Series B Preferred Unit equal to 115% of the Series B Liquidation Amount, respectively;

(iv) if the Company Change of Control occurs following the fourth anniversary of the Issue Date but on or prior to the fifth anniversary of the Issue Date, an amount per Series A-2 Preferred Unit equal to the Series A-2 Liquidation Amount, an amount per Series A-3 Preferred Unit equal to 115% of the Series A-3 Liquidation Amount and an

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amount per Series B Preferred Unit equal to the Series B Liquidation Amount, respectively; or

(v) if the Company Change of Control occurs following the fifth anniversary of the Issue Date, an amount per Series A-2 Preferred Unit equal to the Series A-2 Liquidation Amount, an amount per Series A-3 Preferred Unit equal to the Series B Preferred Unit equal to the Series B Liquidation Amount, respectively.

"Code" means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and any successor statute, as amended from time to time.

"<u>Collection Costs</u>" means any costs and expenses, including attorney's fees and costs, incurred by the Company or a nondefaulting Member in connection with collecting all or any portion of a Post-Conversion Default.

"Common Member" means any Member holding Common Units.

"Common Unit Price" means \$1.00 per Common Unit.

"<u>Common Units</u>" means the Common Units issued to the Crestwood Member as set forth on <u>Exhibit A</u> as of the Effective Date and any other Units issued after the date hereof and designated as Common Units.

"Company" has the meaning set forth in the introductory paragraph hereof.

"<u>Company Change of Control</u>" means any event or transaction, or series of related events or transactions, the result of which is that neither the Crestwood Member as of the Effective Date nor the Holdings Member (or any investor therein) is, or directly or indirectly Controls, the Managing Member; <u>provided</u>, that any event or transaction, or series of related events or transactions, that constitute a Crestwood Change of Control shall not be considered a Company Change of Control.

"<u>Company Minimum Gain</u>" has the meaning set forth in Treasury Regulations Sections 1.704-2(b)(2) and 1.704-2(d)(1) for the phrase "partnership minimum gain."

"<u>Company Sale</u>" means (b) a merger or consolidation of the Company with any Person that is not an Affiliate of the Company, or (c) a sale, transfer or other disposition of all or substantially all of the Interests or assets of the Company to any Person that is not an Affiliate of the Member proposing the Company Sale.

"Company Sale Definitive Agreements" has the meaning set forth in Section 3.05(b).

"<u>Competitor</u>" means, as of any date of determination, any Person that is engaged in the Business in the Area of Interest as of such date; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that a private equity fund, infrastructure fund or other financial investor shall not be a Competitor unless it has an Affiliate that would satisfy the foregoing definition of Competitor.

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"Consideration Election Notice" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.06(b).

"<u>Control</u>", "<u>Controlling</u>" or "<u>Controlled</u>" as to any Entity means (a) the possession, directly or indirectly, through one or more intermediaries, of the right to more than 50% of the distributions therefrom (including liquidating distributions); or (b) the power or authority, through ownership of voting securities, by contract or otherwise, to direct the management, activities or policies of such Entity by contract or otherwise.

"<u>Conversion</u>" means either an Initial Period Conversion or a Secondary Period Conversion, as applicable.

"<u>Conversion Notice</u>" means either an Initial Period Conversion Notice or a Secondary Period Conversion Notice, as applicable.

"Crestwood Additional Capital Contribution" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.02(b)(i).

"<u>Crestwood Change of Control</u>" means the occurrence of any of the following: (a) any circumstance after which both (I) First Reserve Fund XI, L.P. or an Affiliate of First Reserve Fund XI, L.P. has ceased to be the general partner of CEQP (or the controlling equityholder or general partner of any successor to CEQP) and (II) Robert Phillips has ceased to be the Chief Executive Officer of CEQP, (b) any circumstance pursuant to which the CEQP Units are no longer listed or admitted to trading on a National Securities Exchange, (c) any direct or indirect sale, lease, transfer, conveyance or other disposition, in one or more series of related transactions, of all or substantially all of the properties and assets of CEQP to a Person other than any of its Affiliates or (d) any dissolution or liquidation of CEQP (other than in connection with a bankruptcy proceeding or a statutory winding up).

"Crestwood Floor Price" has the meaning set forth in Section 3.05(a).

"<u>Crestwood Member</u>" means Crestwood Midstream Partners LP, a Delaware limited partnership, or, as applicable, any transferee of Crestwood Midstream Partners LP that has become a Member in accordance with this Agreement following the Transfer of all of the Crestwood Member's Units to such transferee. For the purpose of calculating the amount of contributions or distributions made with respect to any Unit held at various times by more than one Crestwood Member, the Crestwood Member will mean the current Crestwood Member and all prior Crestwood Members that previously held such Unit.

"Crestwood Offer" has the meaning set forth in Section 3.05(a).

"Crestwood Full Redemption Notice" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.06(d).

"Crestwood Full Redemption Price" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.06(d).

"Crestwood Partial Redemption Notice" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.06(d).

"Crestwood Scheduled Project" has the meaning set forth in Section 6.03(f).

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"<u>De Minimis Midstream Project Opportunity</u>" means an opportunity or project for engaging in the Business in the Area of Interest that would constitute a Midstream Project Opportunity but for the provisions of clause (b) of the definition of Midstream Project Opportunity. For the avoidance of doubt, if an opportunity or project for engaging in the Business in the Area of Interest constitutes a De Minimis Midstream Project Opportunity but thereafter aggregate anticipated expenditures exceed the specified thresholds in the aforementioned clause (b), then such opportunity or project shall cease to be a De Minimis Midstream Project Opportunity and would become a Midstream Project Opportunity and would be subject to the other applicable provisions of this Agreement.

"Default Contribution" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.03(b).

"Deficiency Contribution" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.03(a).

"Deficiency Event" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.03(a).

"Deficiency Preferred Units" means the Series B Preferred Units and the Series C Preferred Units, collectively.

"<u>Dispute</u>" means any dispute, controversy or claim, of any and every kind or type, whether based on contract, tort, statute, regulations, or otherwise, between the Parties, arising out of, connected with, or relating in any way to the Company or its business or to this Agreement or the obligations of the Parties, including any dispute as to the existence, validity, construction, interpretation, negotiation, performance, non-performance, breach, termination or enforceability of this Agreement.

"Effective Date" has the meaning set forth in the introductory paragraph hereof.

"<u>Entity</u>" means any corporation, limited liability company, general partnership, limited partnership, venture, trust, business trust, unincorporated association, estate or other entity.

"Evaluation Material" has the meaning set forth in Section 6.03(c)(ii).

"Excluded Indirect Crestwood Transfer" means any (i) transaction, or series of related transactions, pursuant to which an equity interest in the Crestwood Member, or in any of its direct or indirect owners, is transferred as part of a larger transaction involving a sale or transfer of additional assets in which the Fair Market Value of the Units being indirectly transferred in such transaction represents less than 25% of the Fair Market Value of all assets being sold or transferred in such transaction, or series of related transactions, (ii) any change in the ownership of CEQP or any of its successors whether through a sale, issuance, merger, consolidation, exchange, recapitalization, reorganization, conversion, cancellation, redemption or repurchase transaction or otherwise or (iii) any issuance of equity securities in the Crestwood Member so long as the proceeds received by the Crestwood Member in such issuance are used to make a Capital Contribution to the Company.

"<u>Excluded Indirect Holdings Member Transfer</u>" means any transaction, or series of related transactions, (i) pursuant to which an equity interest in the Holdings Member, or in any of its direct

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or indirect owners, is transferred as part of a larger transaction involving a sale or transfer of additional assets in which the Fair Market Value of the Units being indirectly transferred in such transaction represents less than 25% of the Fair Market Value of all assets being sold or transferred in such transaction, or series of related transactions or (ii) following which both (A) Apollo and GIP collectively still own, directly or indirectly (and in each case together with their respective Affiliates), at least 50% of the equity interests in the Holdings Member and (B) either Apollo or GIP, or one of their respective Affiliates, serves as the owner in the Holdings Member that represents the Holdings Member with respect to matters arising under this Agreement.

"Excluded Opportunity" means, as of any date of determination, (a) any Business in the Area of Interest acquired by the Crestwood Member, CEQP or any of their controlled Affiliates in a transaction, or series of related transactions, in which the value of the Business in the Area of Interest is less than 25% of the value of all of the assets being acquired in such transaction, or series of related transactions, and expansion of such Business or (b) any Business in the Area of Interest for which the assets in the Area of Interest are also used, or intended to be used, to provide services primarily to customers located outside of the Area of Interest or are directly connected to assets outside of the Area of Interest that are used, or intended to be used, to provide services primarily to customers located outside of the Area of Interest; provided, however, that, in the case of clause (b), any such Business in the Area of Interest shall not be an "Excluded Opportunity" if the Business referenced therein competes with any Business conducted by the Company unless the Holdings Member has provided prior written consent thereto, which shall not be unreasonably withheld, but which may be conditioned upon the parties agreeing to satisfactory arrangements to address competitive impacts.

"<u>Fair Market Value</u>" means, as to any Units, assets or other property, the fair market value, as determined in good faith by the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member as of such time. If the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member are unable to agree upon such determination of the Fair Market Value within 30 days after the event triggering such determination, the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member will select an independent nationally recognized investment banking firm to determine the Fair Market Value, which determination shall be binding on the Members and the Company.

"Final Coupon Period" means the period from and after the Second Coupon Period.

"First Coupon Period" means the period commencing on the Issue Date and ending on March 31, 2019.

"<u>Fiscal Quarter</u>" means each three-calendar-month period ending on March 31, June 30, September 30 or December 31 of any calendar year.

"Fiscal Year" has the meaning set forth in Section 2.06.

"Full Redemption Effective Date" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.06(d).

"Funding Member" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.03(c)(i).

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"GIP" means any Entity Controlled, directly or indirectly, by Global Infrastructure Management, LLC.

"<u>Governmental Authority</u>" means any transnational, national or foreign federal, state, municipal or local government (including any subdivision, court, tribunal, administrative agency, regulatory body or commission or other authority thereof), arbitration body, or any quasi-governmental or private body exercising any regulatory, importing or other governmental or quasigovernmental authority.

"<u>Growth Capex Budget</u>" means an annual capital budget of the Company and its Subsidiaries for all capital expenditures of the Company and the Subsidiaries other than those included in the Initial Budget or any Annual Budget, as each such budget is approved (a) prior to a Conversion, pursuant to <u>Section 6.02(a)(xix)</u> and (b) after a Conversion, pursuant to <u>Section 6.02(b)(xvi)</u> or as otherwise in effect pursuant to <u>Section 6.06</u>. Each Growth Capex Budget shall consist of separate project budgets for each capital expenditure project contained therein.

"<u>Holdings Member</u>" means CN Jackalope Holdings, LLC or, as applicable, any Transferee of CN Jackalope Holdings, LLC that has become a Member in accordance with this Agreement following the direct Transfer of all of the Holding Member's Units to such Transferee. For the purpose of calculating the amount of contributions or distributions made with respect to any Unit held at various times by more than one Holdings Member, the Holdings Member will mean the current Holdings Member and all prior Holdings Members that previously held such Unit.

"Holdings Member Default" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.03(b).

"<u>Holdings Member Default Period</u>" means the period of time commencing upon (a) 30 days after the Company's receipt of a Default Contribution pursuant to <u>Section 4.03(b)</u> and ending upon the redemption in full of all Series C Preferred Units pursuant to <u>Section 4.06(a)</u> or (b) 30 days after the Company's receipt of a Post-Conversion Default Contribution from Crestwood Member pursuant to <u>Section 4.03(c)</u> and ending on the date on which Holdings Member regains the right to receive distributions pursuant to this Agreement pursuant to <u>Section 4.03(c)(iii)</u>.

"Holdings Member Option Period" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.06(f).

"Holdings Member Redemption Effective Date" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.06(f).

"Holdings Member Redemption Notice" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.06(f).

"Holdings Member Response" has the meaning set forth in Section 3.05(a).

"Holdings Redemption Price" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.06(f).

"Indemnification Payment" has the meaning set forth in <u>Section 4.05(a)</u>.

"Indemnified Losses" has the meaning set forth in Section 6.04(c).

"Indemnitee" has the meaning set forth in <u>Section 6.04(c)</u>.

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"Indirect Holdings Member Transfer" has the meaning set forth in Section 3.04(a).

"Indirect Transfer Offered Units" has the meaning set forth in Section 3.04(a).

"Indirect Transfer Offering Notice" has the meaning set forth in <u>Section 3.04(a)</u>.

"Indirect Transfer ROFO Offer" has the meaning set forth in Section 3.04(b).

"<u>Initial Budget</u>" means the initial operating budgets of the Company and its Subsidiaries for the years ended December 31, 2019 and 2020 that are set forth on <u>Exhibit D</u>. For the avoidance of doubt, the Initial Budget shall not include any capital expenditures of the Company or its Subsidiaries relating to growth capital expenditures.

"Initial A-2 Capex Amount" means \$27,739,572.

"<u>Initial Period Conversion</u>" has the meaning set forth in <u>Section 4.07(a)(i)</u>.

"Initial Period Conversion Notice" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.07(a)(i).

"<u>Interest</u>" means the limited liability company interest of a Member in the Company at any particular time, as evidenced initially by the Units.

"IRR" means, with respect to a Member, and subject to <u>Section 4.05(a)</u>, the aggregate internal rate of return, calculated on a per-Unit basis, to such Member computed using the "xIRR" function of Microsoft Excel 2007 or any successor function thereto of equal effect (which for the avoidance of doubt, will take into account all contributions and distributions (including distributions and contributions with respect to Series A-2 PIK Distributions, as applicable, as set forth in the final sentences of <u>Section 5.01(a)(i)</u> and <u>5.01(a)(ii)</u>, as applicable) and payments made with respect to such Units); <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that, if the Crestwood Member purchases any Series A Preferred Units pursuant <u>Section 3.04</u>, then the portion of any prior Capital Contributions or distributions attributable to such Units shall be counted as if made by and to the Crestwood Member for all purposes hereunder. A sample calculation of IRR is attached hereto as <u>Exhibit C</u>.

"Issue Date" shall mean December 28, 2017.

"Jackalope LLC" means Jackalope Gas Gathering Services, L.L.C., an Oklahoma limited liability company.

"<u>Lien</u>" means, with respect to any property or asset, any mortgage, charge, pledge, lien, option, right of first refusal or first offer, encumbrance, easement, restriction or restrictive covenant, assignment, hypothecation, security interest, title retention or any other security agreement or arrangement in respect of such property or asset

"<u>Liquidation Date</u>" means the date that the Company is dissolved and its liquidation commences in accordance with <u>Sections 10.01</u> and <u>10.02</u>.

"Managing Member" means the Crestwood Member.

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"Marketing Period" has the meaning set forth in Section 3.05(b).

"<u>Material Adverse Change</u>" means any circumstance, change or effect that, individually or taken together with other circumstances, changes or effects, is, or within the immediately following two Fiscal Quarters would be reasonably likely to be, materially adverse to the business, operations, assets, liabilities, properties, financial condition or results of operations of the Company, and its subsidiaries, taken as a whole.

"<u>Maximum Holdings Member Accordion Amount</u>" means an amount equal to twice the product of \$200,000,000 and the Aggregate Conversion Ratio, subject to adjustment pursuant to <u>Section 4.02(b)(iii)</u> if the Crestwood Member acquires Series A Preferred Units pursuant to <u>Section 3.04</u> (it being understood that the Maximum Holdings Member Accordion Amount shall be apportioned among the holders of the Series A-2 Preferred Units and the holders of the Series A-3 Preferred Units as described in <u>Section 4.02(b)(i)</u>).

"<u>Maximum Redemption Units</u>" means a number of CEQP Units equal to the total number of Preferred Units issued to the Holdings Member under this Agreement that are then outstanding; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that, in the event of any unit split, unit distribution, merger, spinoff, combination, exchange or conversion of units or any similar transaction or event affecting the CEQP Units, the number of Maximum Redemption Units shall be increased or reduced accordingly to account for the effect of such transaction or event.

"<u>Member</u>" means any Person executing this Agreement as a Member, but does not include CEQP (unless subsequently admitted as a Member in accordance with this Agreement) or any Person who has ceased to hold any Interest in the Company or a direct or indirect transferee of Units from a Member unless and until admitted as a Member in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement.

"<u>Member Minimum Gain</u>" means an amount, with respect to each Member Nonrecourse Debt, equal to the Company Minimum Gain that would result if such Member Nonrecourse Debt were treated as a Nonrecourse Liability, determined in accordance with Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-2(i) with respect to "partner minimum gain."

"<u>Member Nonrecourse Debt</u>" has the meaning set forth in Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-2(b)(4) for the phrase "partner nonrecourse debt."

"<u>Member Nonrecourse Deductions</u>" has the meaning set forth in Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-2(i) for the phrase "partner nonrecourse deductions."

"<u>Midstream Project Opportunity</u>" means an opportunity or project (a) that is either (i) a commercial proposal, prospect, solicitation, deal, transaction or opportunity relating to the Business, whether within or outside of the Area of Interest, or (ii) a capital enhancement or capital expansion, or series of related capital enhancements or capital expansions, of any existing assets of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries and (b) that involves aggregate anticipated expenditures which, when adjusted to account for the proportion thereof attributable to the Company (based on the Company's

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direct or indirect ownership thereof), equal to \$5,000,000 or more for the Company or its Subsidiaries.

"MLP" has the meaning set forth in the definition of "Public Offering."

"<u>National Securities Exchange</u>" means an exchange registered with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission under Section 6(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, or any successor statute.

"Negotiation Period" has the meaning set forth in Section 3.05(b).

"Negotiation Period Notice" has the meaning set forth in Section 3.05(a).

"<u>Net Capital Contribution Amount</u>" means the sum of the following: (a) \$14,600,000, plus (b) the aggregate amount of Capital Contributions made by the Crestwood Member after the Effective Date in respect of its Common Units, plus (c) the aggregate amount of Accordion Capital Contributions made by the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member in respect of the Series A-2 Preferred Units after the Effective Date, plus (d) the aggregate amount of Accordion Capital Contributions made by the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member in respect of the Series A-3 Preferred Units after the Effective Date, plus (d) the Series A-3 Preferred Units after the Effective Date, less (e) the aggregate amount of distributions paid to the Crestwood Member after the Effective Date in respect of its Common Units, less (f) the aggregate distributions paid to the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member in respect of Series A-3 Preferred Units, less (g) the aggregate distributions paid to the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member in respect of Series A-3 Preferred Units.

"Non-Funding Member" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.03(c)(i).

"Nonparty Affiliates" has the meaning set forth in Section 6.05.

"Nonrecourse Deductions" has the meaning set forth in Treasury Regulations Sections 1.704-2(b)(1) and 1.704-2(c).

"Nonrecourse Liability" has the meaning set forth in Treasury Regulations Sections 1.704-2(b)(3) and 1.752-1(a)(2).

"Offered Units" has the meaning set forth in Section 3.03(a).

"Offering Notice" has the meaning set forth in Section 3.03(b).

"<u>Operating Agreement</u>" means that certain Construction and Operating Agreement, dated April 9, by and between Crestwood Midstream Operating LLC and Jackalope LLC, as may be amended from time to time.

"Partial Redemption Effective Date" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.06(e).

"Parties" means, collectively, the Members and CEQP, together with the successors and assigns of such Persons.

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"Payment Cure" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.03(c)(ii).

"Permitted Affiliate" has the meaning set forth in Section 7.04.

"Permitted Liens" means (a) mechanics, materialmen's and similar Liens with respect to any amounts not yet delinquent or which are being contested in good faith in accordance with appropriate proceedings (and for which adequate security has been posted or for which adequate reserves are being maintained in accordance with GAAP), (b) Liens for taxes not yet delinquent or which are being contested in good faith (and for which adequate reserves have been made), (c) Liens securing rental payments not yet delinquent or that did not arise due to such delinquency, in each case, under capital lease agreements, (d) easements, covenants, rights of way, restrictions, encroachments, overlapping improvements and similar such encumbrances on title to real property that do not, individually or in the aggregate, materially interfere with the present uses of such real property, (e) Liens that affect the underlying fee estate of any real property leased by the Company or any easements, licenses, rights-of-way, permits and servitudes used by the Company, (f) zoning, building codes, reservations of interest in title imposed or promulgated by law or any Governmental Authority with respect to real property and other land use laws regulating the use or occupancy of real property which are imposed by any Governmental Authority having jurisdiction over such real property which are not violated by the current use or occupancy of such real property or the operation of the businesses of the Company as currently conducted, (g) Liens arising in the ordinary course of business and not incurred in connection with the borrowing of money, (h) Liens arising under worker's compensation, unemployment insurance, social security, retirement or similar laws, and (i) purchase money Liens.

"<u>Permitted Transferee</u>" means (a) with respect to a Member, any wholly owned Subsidiary of such Member or any Entity that Controls or is under common Control with such Member; (b) with respect to the Holdings Member, any proposed transferee consented to in writing by the Crestwood Member; or (c) with respect to the Crestwood Member, any proposed transferee consented to in writing by the Holdings Member.

"<u>Permitted Utilization Arrangement</u>" means an arrangement that will not prevent the Company or its Subsidiaries from satisfying their obligations to any other Person.

"<u>Person</u>" means any individual or Entity.

"Post-Conversion Default" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.03(c)(i).

"Post-Conversion Default Contribution" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.03(c)(i).

"<u>Preferred Units</u>" means the Series A-2 Preferred Units, the Series A-3 Preferred Units, the Series B Preferred Units, and the Series C Preferred Units, collectively.

"Prior Aggregate Accordion Amount" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.02(b)(ii).

"<u>Prior LLC Agreement</u>" means that certain Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement of the Company effective as of July 19, 2013.

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"Project Request" has the meaning set forth in Section 6.03(c)(i).

"<u>Public Offering</u>" means either (a) an initial public offering of equity securities of any of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries or (b) a contribution by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries of all or substantially all of its assets, or a contribution by the Members of all or substantially all of the Interests, to a limited partnership or other entity in a master limited partnership or other structure ("<u>MLP</u>"), or the restructuring of the Company as an MLP, in connection with an underwritten public offering of securities of such MLP.

"<u>Registration Rights Agreement</u>" means that certain Registration Rights Agreement dated as of the Issue Date by and between CEQP and the Holdings Member, as may be amended from time to time.

"Rejection" has the meaning set forth in Section 6.03(d)(ii).

"Representative" has the meaning set forth in Section 7.04.

"Right to Compete" has the meaning set forth in Section 6.03(a).

"<u>ROFO Offer</u>" has the meaning set forth in <u>Section 3.03(c)</u>.

"<u>RRA Suspension Right</u>" means any applicable right of CEQP to suspend the Holdings Member's use of a prospectus that is part of a registration statement pursuant to Section 2.03 of the Registration Rights Agreement.

"<u>Second Coupon Period</u>" means the period commencing on the first day following the First Coupon Period and ending on December 31, 2020.

"Secondary Period Conversion Notice" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.07(a)(ii).

"Secondary Period A-2 Conversion" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.07(a)(ii).

"Secondary Period A-3 Conversion" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.07(a)(ii).

"<u>Secondary Period Conversion</u>" means any of a Secondary Period Full Conversion, a Secondary Period A-2 Conversion, or a Secondary Period A-3 Conversion.

"Secondary Period Full Conversion" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.07(a)(ii).

"Secretary of State" means the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware.

"Securities Act" means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

"Series A Preferred Units" means the Series A-2 Preferred Units and the Series A-3 Preferred Units, collectively.

"<u>Series A Quarterly Distribution</u>" means each of a Series A-2 Quarterly Distribution and a Series A-3 Quarterly Distribution.

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"<u>Series A-2 Adjusted Capex Amount</u>" means, as of any date of determination, and subject to <u>Section 4.05(a)</u>, an amount equal to the product of (a) a fraction, the numerator of which is the number of Series A-2 Preferred Units held by the Holdings Member at the time of Conversion and the denominator of which is the total number of Series A-2 Preferred Units then outstanding multiplied by (b) sum of the following: (i) the product of (x) 0.25 multiplied by (y) the Net Capital Contribution Amount, plus (ii) the aggregate distributions paid to the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member in respect of Series A-2 Preferred Units, less (iii) the aggregate amount of Accordion Capital Contributions made by the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member in respect of the Series A-2 Preferred Units after the Effective Date, plus (iv) the Initial A-2 Capex Amount.

"<u>Series A-2 Coupon Amount</u>" means (a) with respect to each Fiscal Quarter in the First Coupon Period, the product of (i) the aggregate number of Series A-2 Preferred Units outstanding as of the end of such Fiscal Quarter, and (ii) \$00.01875, (b) with respect to each Fiscal Quarter in the Second Coupon Period, the product of (i) the aggregate number of Series A-2 Preferred Units outstanding as of the end of such Fiscal Quarter and (ii) \$00.0225 and (c) with respect to each Fiscal Quarter in the Final Coupon Period, the product of (i) the aggregate number of Series A-2 Preferred Units outstanding as of the end of such Fiscal Quarter and (ii) \$00.0225 and (c) with respect to each Fiscal Quarter in the Final Coupon Period, the product of (i) the aggregate number of Series A-2 Preferred Units outstanding as of the end of such Fiscal Quarter and (ii) \$00.025.

"<u>Series A-2 Liquidation Amount</u>" means, as of any date of determination with respect to a Series A-2 Preferred Unit, the sum of (a) the Series A-2 Preferred Unit Price and (b) an amount sufficient to provide the Holdings Member an IRR equal to 10% with respect to such Series A-2 Preferred Unit as of such date of determination, taking into account all Series A-2 Quarterly Distributions (including any Series A-2 PIK Distributions and, without duplication, any distributions in respect of the Series A-2 Preferred Units pursuant to <u>Section 5.01(b)(ii)</u>) paid by the Company as of such date of determination.

"Series A-2 PIK Distribution" has the meaning set forth in Section 5.01(a)(i).

"Series A-2 Preferred Unit Price" means \$1.00 per Series A-2 Preferred Unit.

"<u>Series A-2 Preferred Units</u>" means the Series A-2 Preferred Units issued to the Holdings Member as set forth on <u>Exhibit A</u> as of the Effective Date and any other Units issued after the date hereof and designated as Series A-2 Preferred Units.

"Series A-2 Quarterly Distribution" has the meaning set forth in Section 5.01(a)(i).

"<u>Series A-2 Subscription Agreement</u>" means that certain Subscription and Investment Agreement for Series A-2 Preferred Units in the Company dated as of the Issue Date by and among the Company and the Holdings Member.

"<u>Series A-3 Adjusted Capex Amount</u>" means, as of any date of determination, and subject to <u>Section 4.05(a)</u>, an amount equal to the product of (a) a fraction, the numerator of which is the number of Series A-3 Preferred Units held by the Holdings Member at the time of Conversion and the denominator of which is the total number of Series A-3 Preferred Units then outstanding multiplied by (b) sum of the following: (i) the product of (x) 0.25 multiplied by (y) the Net Capital

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Contribution Amount, plus (ii) the aggregate distributions paid to the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member in respect of Series A-3 Preferred Units, less (iii) the aggregate amount of Accordion Capital Contributions made by the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member in respect of the Series A-3 Preferred Units after the Effective Date.

"<u>Series A-3 Coupon Amount</u>" means (a) with respect to each Fiscal Quarter in the Second Coupon Period, the product of (i) the aggregate number of Series A-3 Preferred Units outstanding as of the end of such Fiscal Quarter and (ii) \$00.0225 and (b) with respect to each Fiscal Quarter in the Final Coupon Period, the product of (i) the aggregate number of Series A-3 Preferred Units outstanding as of the end of such Fiscal Quarter and (ii) \$00.0225.

"<u>Series A-3 Liquidation Amount</u>" means, as of any date of determination with respect to a Series A-3 Preferred Unit, the sum of (a) the Series A-3 Preferred Unit Price and (b) an amount sufficient to provide the Holdings Member an IRR equal to 10% with respect to such Series A-3 Preferred Unit as of such date of determination, taking into account all Series A-3 Quarterly Distributions (including without duplication, any distributions in respect of the Series A-3 Preferred Units pursuant to <u>Section 5.01(b)(ii)</u>) paid by the Company as of such date of determination.

"Series A-3 Preferred Unit Price" means \$1.00 per Series A-3 Preferred Unit.

"<u>Series A-3 Preferred Units</u>" means the Series A-3 Preferred Units issued to the Holdings Member as set forth on <u>Exhibit A</u> as of the Effective Date and any other Units issued after the date hereof and designated as Series A-3 Preferred Units.

"Series A-3 Quarterly Distribution" has the meaning set forth in Section 5.01(a)(ii).

"<u>Series A-3 Subscription Agreement</u>" means that certain Subscription and Investment Agreement for Series A-3 Preferred Units in the Company dated as of the Effective Date by and among the Company and the Holdings Member.

"<u>Series B Liquidation Amount</u>" means, as of any date of determination with respect to a Series B Preferred Unit, the sum of (a) the Series B Preferred Unit Price and (b) an amount sufficient to provide the Holdings Member an IRR equal to 20% with respect to such Series B Preferred Unit as of such date of determination, taking into account all distributions paid to the Holdings Member in respect of such Series B Preferred Unit.

"Series B Preferred Unit Price" means \$1.00 per Series B Preferred Unit.

"Series B Preferred Units" means any Units issued after the date hereof and designated as Series B Preferred Units.

"Series C Preferred Units" means any Units issued after the date hereof and designated as Series C Preferred Units.

"Series C Unit Price" means \$1.00 per Series C Preferred Unit.

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"Subscription Agreements" means the Series A-2 Subscription Agreement and the Series A-3 Subscription Agreement.

"<u>Subsidiary</u>" means, with respect to any specified Entity, any corporation, association, partnership or other business entity (a) which is Controlled by such Entity and (b) the outstanding equity securities entitled to more than 50% of the distributions therefrom are held, directly or indirectly, by such Entity.

"Surviving Provisions" has the meaning set forth in Section 4.06(g).

"Tag-Along Acceptance" has the meaning set forth in Section 3.11(c).

"Tag-Along Notice Period" has the meaning set forth in Section 3.11(c).

"Tag-Along Offer" has the meaning set forth in Section 3.11(a).

"<u>Tag-Along Right</u>" has the meaning set forth in <u>Section 3.11(a)</u>.

"<u>Tag-Along Transfer</u>" has the meaning set forth in <u>Section 3.11(a)</u>.

"Tag-Along Transfer Period" has the meaning set forth in Section 3.11(d).

"<u>Tag Interest</u>" has the meaning set forth in <u>Section 3.11(a)</u>.

"Tax Advances" has the meaning set forth in Section 5.01(c).

"Tax Proceeding" has the meaning set forth in Section 8.03.

"<u>Tax Year</u>" has the meaning set forth in <u>Section 2.06</u>.

"<u>Total Amount in Default</u>" means, as of any time, with respect to a Non-Funding Member, an amount equal to (a) the outstanding Post-Conversion Default that the Non-Funding Member has failed to pay pursuant to the terms of this Agreement, plus (b) Collection Costs applicable thereto, plus (c) interest accrued on the amounts set forth in clause (a) and clause (b) at an annual interest rate equal to the prime rate (as published on the applicable date of determination in the "Money Rates" table of *The Wall Street Journal, Eastern Edition*) plus an additional 10 percentage points (or, if such rate is contrary to any applicable law, the maximum rate permitted by such applicable law) compounded quarterly from the incurrence thereof until payment in full.

"Total Project Capital Contribution" has the meaning set forth in <u>Section 4.02(b)(i)</u>.

"<u>Transfer</u>", "<u>Transferred</u>" or "<u>Transferring</u>" means with respect to a Person, a direct disposition, sale, assignment, transfer, gift, surrender for cancellation, exchange, or the direct grant or transfer of any economic interest, voting power, or any other direct transfer of beneficial interest, whether voluntary or involuntary, by operation of law or judicial decree (and including the direct disposition, sale, assignment, transfer, gift, surrender for cancellation, exchange, or the direct grant

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or transfer of any economic interest, voting interest or any other direct transfer of beneficial interest in such Person by a Controlling Person).

"<u>Treasury Regulations</u>" means temporary and final Treasury Regulations promulgated under the Code, as amended from time to time.

"<u>Units</u>" means the Interests of the Company and includes the Series A-2 Preferred Units, the Series A-3 Preferred Units, the Series B Preferred Units, the Series C Preferred Units, the Common Units and any other class or series of units or other equity securities of the Company issued after the date hereof.

"<u>U.S. GAAP</u>" has the meaning set forth in <u>Section 7.02(a)</u>.

### 1.02 Construction.

(a) Whenever the context requires, the gender of all words used in this Agreement includes the masculine, feminine and neuter. If a term is defined as one part of speech (such as a noun), it shall have a corresponding meaning when used as another part of speech (such as a verb). The words "includes" or "including" shall mean "including, without limitation." All references to Articles and Sections refer to articles and sections of this Agreement unless otherwise specified, and all references to Exhibits are to exhibits attached hereto, each of which is made a part hereof for all purposes. For the purposes of the definitions of "Adjusted Capital Account," "Capital Account," "Common Member," "Interest," "IRR," "Public Offering," <u>Article V</u>, and <u>Article X</u>, references to "Member" shall also refer to transferees of such Members who acquire Units in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, without intending to confer on such transferees any rights or benefits of Members. All accounting terms used herein and not otherwise defined herein will have the meanings accorded them in accordance with U.S. GAAP and, except as expressly provided herein, all accounting determinations will be made in accordance with such accounting principles in effect from time to time.

(b) Each Party acknowledges that it and its attorneys and advisers have been given an equal opportunity to negotiate the terms and conditions of this Agreement and that any rule of construction to the effect that ambiguities are to be resolved against the drafting Party or any similar rule operating against the drafter of an agreement shall not be applicable to the construction or interpretation of this Agreement.

# Article II ORGANIZATION

**2.01 Continuation of the Company.** The Company was organized as a Delaware limited liability company by the filing of the Certificate of Formation of the Company (the "<u>Certificate</u>") in the office of the Secretary of State pursuant to the Act on June 4, 2013. This Agreement amends and restates in its entirety the Second Amended and Restated Limited Liability Company Agreement of the Company, dated as of December 28, 2017. The Members desire to continue the Company for the purposes and upon the terms and conditions **h**ereinafter set forth. Except as provided herein, the rights, duties and liabilities of each Member shall be as provided in the Act.

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**2.02** Name. The name of the Company is Crestwood Niobrara LLC. Company business will be conducted in such name or such other names that comply with applicable law as the Managing Member may select from time to time.

2.03 Registered Office; Registered Agent. The registered office of the Company in the State of Delaware will be the initial registered office designated in the Certificate or such other office (which need not be a place of business of the Company) as the Managing Member may designate from time to time in the manner provided by law. The registered agent of the Company in the State of Delaware will be the initial registered agent designated in the Certificate, or such other Person or Persons as the Managing Member may designate from time to time in the manner provided by law.

2.04 Principal Office. The principal office of the Company will initially be at 811 Main St., Suite 3400, Houston, TX 77002, (Facsimile – (832) 519-2250) or such other location as the Managing Member may designate from time to time, which need not be in the State of Delaware. The Company may have such other offices as the Managing Member may determine appropriate.

**2.05 Purpose; Powers.** The Company is organized for the purpose of (a) owning the membership interests in Jackalope LLC, (b) performing the Agreed Midstream Services and (c) engaging in any other lawful act or activity for which limited liability companies may be formed under the Act to the extent that the Crestwood Member and the Holdings Member have consented in writing to the Company's engaging in such act or activity or to the extent related to opportunities that may be pursued by the Company pursuant to <u>Section 6.03</u> without the consent of the Holdings Member. The Company will have all powers permitted to be exercised by a limited liability company organized in the State of Delaware.

**2.06** Fiscal Year; Tax Year. The fiscal year of the Company (the "<u>Fiscal Year</u>") for financial statement purposes will end on December 31st unless otherwise jointly determined by the Crestwood Member and the Holdings Member. The tax year of the Company (the "<u>Tax Year</u>") for any applicable income or franchise tax purposes will end on December 31st unless otherwise required under applicable law.

**2.07** Foreign Qualification Governmental Filings. Prior to the Company's conducting business in any jurisdiction other than the State of Delaware, the Managing Member will cause the Company to comply, to the extent procedures are available, with all requirements necessary to qualify the Company as a foreign limited liability company in such jurisdiction. The Managing Member is authorized, on behalf of the Company, to execute, acknowledge, swear to and deliver all certificates and other instruments as may be necessary or appropriate in connection with such qualifications. Further, each Member will execute, acknowledge, swear to and deliver all certificates and other instruments that are necessary or appropriate to qualify, or, as appropriate, to continue or terminate such qualification of, the Company as a foreign limited liability company in all such jurisdictions in which the Company may conduct business.

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**2.08 Term.** The Company commenced on the date the Certificate was filed with the Secretary of State of the State of Delaware and will continue in existence until terminated pursuant to this Agreement.

# Article III MEMBERS; TRANSFERS OF INTERESTS

**3.01 Members.** As of the Effective Date, the Crestwood Member and the Holdings Member are the sole Members. The names, addresses, Capital Contributions and number and class of Units of the Members are set forth on <u>Exhibit A</u> attached hereto and incorporated herein. The Managing Member is hereby authorized and directed to complete or amend <u>Exhibit A</u> to reflect the admission of additional Members, the withdrawal of a Member, the change of address of a Member, the Capital Contribution of a Member, the failure of a Member to make a required Capital Contribution, the number and classes of Units of a Member and other information called for by <u>Exhibit A</u>. Except as set forth in <u>Section 6.01</u>, Members shall not have any right to act on behalf of or with respect to the Company except to the extent expressly authorized to do so by the provisions of this Agreement. Any Person admitted to the Company as a Member following the Transfer of Units from a Member shall succeed to all of the rights, duties and obligations of its transferor with respect to such Units under this Agreement.

# 3.02 Restrictions on the Transfer of Interests.

(a) <u>General</u>. No Units may be Transferred (and no indirect transfer may occur) unless in accordance with <u>Article III</u> or in connection with a redemption of Preferred Units effected pursuant to <u>Section 4.06</u>, <u>5.01</u> or <u>10.02</u>, and any other Transfer (or any other indirect transfer) shall be void and will not be recognized by the Company. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, a Member may not Transfer less than all of its Units to any Person (whether or not a Permitted Transferee) without the prior written approval of the other Member.

(b) <u>Conditions to Transfer</u>. No Transfer may be effected by any Person if: (i) such Transfer is not in compliance with the Securities Act and all applicable state securities laws, (ii) such Transfer would cause the Company to be required to register as an "Investment Company" under the Investment Company Act of 1940, as amended, or to be treated as an association taxable as a corporation or (iii) such Transfer would cause the Company to be a publicly traded partnership for tax purposes.

(c) <u>Permitted Transferees</u>. Subject to <u>Section 3.02(a)</u>, each Member will be permitted to Transfer all, but not less than all, of its Units to a Permitted Transferee of such Member.

(d) <u>Competitors</u>. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, without the prior written consent of the Crestwood Member, except in a Company Sale, the Holdings Member shall neither (i) Transfer Units to a Competitor nor (ii) effect or permit an indirect transfer of any of its equity interests, or of any equity interests in any of its direct or indirect owners, to a Competitor.

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### 3.03 Right of First Offer on Transfer of Units.

(a) If the Holdings Member seeks to Transfer all of its Units (the "<u>Offered Units</u>") (it being understood that, pursuant to <u>Section 3.02(a)</u>, the Holdings Member may not Transfer less than all of its Units without the consent of the Crestwood Member) other than to a Permitted Transferee, then it must first make an offering of the Offered Units to the Crestwood Member in accordance with the following provisions of this <u>Section 3.03</u>.

(b) The Holdings Member will give written notice (the "<u>Offering Notice</u>") to the Crestwood Member stating its bona fide intention to Transfer the Offered Units. The Offering Notice will constitute the Holdings Member's offer to review bids from the Crestwood Member, which offer will remain outstanding for a period of 30 days.

(c) Upon receipt of the Offering Notice, the Crestwood Member will have 30 days to make an irrevocable offer to purchase all (but not less than all) of the Offered Units at a specified price by delivering a written notice (a "<u>ROFO Offer</u>") to the Holdings Member with such details. If the Holdings Member provides written notice within 30 days of receiving the ROFO Offer, then both parties shall be bound and the purchase of the Offered Units shall occur at the price set forth in the applicable ROFO Offer within 60 days after delivery of such acceptance.

(d) If (i) the Crestwood Member does not deliver a ROFO Offer within the aforementioned 30 day period, (ii) the Holdings Member does not elect timely to accept a ROFO Offer or (iii) the Holdings Member receives a ROFO Offer but (A) the Holdings Member does not receive payment in full of the purchase price for all of the Offered Units within the aforementioned 60 days (<u>provided</u> that such failure to receive payment is not the result of a breach by the Holdings Member of its obligations to consummate the sale of the Offered Units) or (B) the Transfer of all of the Offered Units does not occur for any reason, including the failure to obtain any governmental approvals, but other than due to a breach by the Holdings Member of its obligation to consummate the sale of the Offered Units, then the Holdings Member may, during the 180-day period thereafter (which period may be extended for a reasonable time not to exceed an additional 60 days to the extent reasonably necessary to obtain any required government or other third party approvals), Transfer all, but not less than all, of the Offered Units to any Person (subject to, for the avoidance of doubt, <u>Section 3.02(b)</u>, <u>Section 3.02(d)</u> and <u>Section 3.06</u>; <u>provided</u> that, solely if the Holdings Member received a ROFO Offer but did not accept the ROFO Offer, such Transfer is subject to a price greater than the price set forth in the ROFO Offer.

(e) If the Holdings Member does not Transfer the Offered Units within such 180 day period (as extended in accordance with <u>Section 3.03(d)</u>), then the Holdings Member must again comply with the provisions set forth in this <u>Section 3.03</u>, to the extent applicable, prior to making any subsequent Transfer of all of its Units other than to a Permitted Transferee.

(f) The Members will take all actions as may be reasonably necessary to consummate the sale contemplated by this <u>Section 3.03</u>, including entering into agreements and delivering certificates and instruments and consents as may be deemed necessary or appropriate.

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## 3.04 Right of First Offer on Indirect Holdings Member Transfer.

(a) Prior to consummating or permitting the consummation of any Transfer of any equity interest in the Holdings Member or in any of its direct or indirect owners (any such Transfer, other than any Excluded Indirect Holdings Member Transfer, an "<u>Indirect Holdings Member Transfer</u>"), the Holdings Member must first deliver a written offer to the Crestwood Member (the "<u>Indirect Transfer Offering Notice</u>") of a number of each class or series of Units it holds equal to the product of the aggregate Units of such class or series it holds *multiplied by* the percentage of equity interests (as of immediately prior to the consummation of such the Indirect Holdings Member Transfer) in the Holdings Member associated with such class or series of Units held directly or indirectly by the member of the Holdings Member whose change in direct or indirect ownership would cause the Indirect Holdings Member Transfer (the number of Units represented by such product, the "<u>Indirect Transfer Offered Units</u>"), in accordance with the following provisions of this <u>Section 3.04</u>.

(b) Upon receipt of the Indirect Transfer Offering Notice, the Crestwood Member will have 30 days to make an irrevocable offer to purchase all (but not less than all) of the Indirect Transfer Offered Units at a specified price by delivering a written notice (an "<u>Indirect Transfer ROFO Offer</u>") to the Holdings Member with such details. If the Holdings Member provides written notice to the Crestwood Member accepting the Indirect Transfer ROFO Offer within 30 days of receipt of the Indirect Transfer ROFO Offer, then both Parties shall be bound and the purchase of the Indirect Transfer Offered Units shall occur at the price set forth in the applicable Indirect Transfer ROFO Offer within 60 days after delivery of such acceptance.

(c) If (i) the Crestwood Member does not deliver an Indirect Transfer ROFO Offer within the aforementioned 30 day period, (ii) the Holdings Member does not elect timely to accept an Indirect Transfer ROFO Offer or (iii) the Holdings Member receives an Indirect Transfer ROFO Offer but (A) the Holdings Member does not receive payment in full of the purchase price for all of the Indirect Transfer Offered Units within the aforementioned 60 days (provided that such failure to receive payment is not the result of a breach by the Holdings Member of its obligations to consummate the sale of the Indirect Transfer Offered Units) or (B) the Indirect Holdings Member Transfer does not occur for any reason, including the failure to obtain timely any required governmental approvals, but other than due to a breach by the Holdings Member of its obligation to consummate the sale of the Indirect Transfer Offered Units, then the Holdings Member may, during the 180-day period thereafter (which period may be extended for a reasonable time not to exceed an additional 60 days to the extent reasonably necessary to obtain any required government or other third party approvals), consummate or permit the consummation of such Indirect Holdings Member Transfer (subject to, for the avoidance of doubt, Section 3.02(b), Section 3.02(d), and Section 3.06); provided that, solely if the Holdings Member received but did not accept an Indirect Transfer ROFO Offer, then the value ascribed to the Indirect Transfer Offered Units in the Indirect Transfer ROFO Offer.

(d) If the applicable Indirect Holdings Member Transfer does not occur within such 180 day period (as extended in accordance with <u>Section 3.04(c)</u>), then the Holdings Member

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must again comply with the provisions set forth in this <u>Section 3.04</u>, to the extent applicable, prior to consummating or permitting the consummation of another Indirect Holdings Member Transfer.

(e) The Members will take all actions as may be reasonably necessary to consummate the sale contemplated by this <u>Section 3.04</u>, including entering into agreements and delivering certificates and instruments and consents as may be deemed necessary or appropriate.

## 3.05 Company Sale Procedure.

(a) Subject to the rights of Crestwood Member pursuant to this Article III, including Section 3.03, and Article IV, at any time after December 31, 2023. Holdings Member will have the right to cause the Company to effect a Company Sale in accordance with this Section 3.05. If Holdings Member desires to initiate a Company Sale, it must first deliver written notice to Crestwood Member (the "Negotiation Period Notice") and for a period of three months after delivery of such Negotiation Period Notice (the "<u>Negotiation Period</u>"), Holdings Member and Crestwood Member shall negotiate in good faith with each other for the purchase by Crestwood Member of all of Holdings Member's Units. On or prior to the expiration of the Negotiation Period, Crestwood Member may deliver a written offer (the "Crestwood Offer") to purchase all (and not less than all) of Holdings Member's Units, which Crestwood Offer shall be irrevocable until at least the later of 30 days from receipt by the Holdings Member thereof or the expiration of the Negotiation Period and shall set forth Crestwood Member's proposed purchase price (the "Crestwood Floor Price"). If Crestwood Member makes a Crestwood Offer within the Negotiation Period, Holdings Member shall deliver written notice to Crestwood Member within the later of (a) 30 days after receipt of the Crestwood Offer or (b) the expiration of the Negotiation Period stating whether it desires to accept the Crestwood Offer or to reject the Crestwood Offer and instead initiate the Company Sale process (the "Holdings Member Response"). If the Holdings Member Response timely accepts the Crestwood Offer, then (a) both Parties shall be bound and the purchase by Crestwood Member of Holdings Member's Units shall occur at the Crestwood Floor Price within 60 days after delivery of such acceptance in the Holdings Member Response and Holdings Member shall be required to make no other representations other than in relation to its due organization, title to the securities it is selling, its authority and capacity to effect the transfer and the absence of any conflict under law or its organizational documents or any contract that would prevent or delay the transfer and (b) the Crestwood Floor Price shall be paid by Crestwood Member in cash or CEQP Units, valued at the CEQP Unit Price calculated as of close of business on the day prior to the closing of such sale or a combination thereof; provided that (A) the option for Crestwood Member to fund the purchase price with CEQP Units shall not be available if any of the CEQP Unit Issuance Limitations would be triggered in such proposed issuance, (B) CEQP shall comply with its obligations under the Registration Rights Agreement with respect to such CEQP Units so issued, and (C) that the number of CEQP Units issued pursuant to this <u>Section 3.05(a)</u> shall not exceed the Maximum Redemption Units.

(b) If, in the Holdings Member Response, the Holdings Member rejects the Crestwood Offer, or if no Crestwood Offer is timely delivered by Crestwood Member, then Holdings Member may cause the Company to effect a Company Sale, provided that (a) the definitive agreements related to such Company Sale ("<u>Company Sale Definitive Agreements</u>") shall be

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executed within fifteen (15) months after the date on which the Negotiation Period Notice was delivered (the "<u>Marketing Period</u>") and (b) only if Crestwood Member has timely submitted a Crestwood Offer, the consideration received in the Company Sale by Holdings Member (or distributed in accordance with this Agreement to Holdings Member in the case of a sale of the assets of the Company) must exceed the Crestwood Floor Price by 10%. If the Company Sale Definitive Agreements are not executed during the Marketing Period or if Holdings Member terminates the Company Sale prior to the expiration of the Marketing Period and provides notice of such termination to Crestwood Member, (i) Holdings Member shall return to Crestwood Member all documents in the possession of Holdings Member executed by Crestwood Member in connection with the proposed Company Sale, and all the restrictions on Transfer contained in this Agreement or otherwise applicable at such time with respect to such Units owned by Crestwood Member shall again be in effect and (ii) Holdings Member shall not have the right to initiate another Company Sale process (which would initiate, for the avoidance of doubt, a new Negotiation Period) for a period of 12 months after the expiration of the Marketing Period or, if earlier, the termination of such Company Sale. Holdings Member shall use reasonable efforts to prioritize transactions with cash and marketable securities constituting the consideration to be received for a Company Sale.

Holdings Member shall manage the Company Sale process and the Company and Crestwood Member shall (c) cooperate as reasonably requested by Holdings Member, including by participating in management presentations and providing information related to the Company and reasonably requested by Holdings Member. Holdings Member shall be permitted to engage financial and other advisors on behalf of itself or the Company in connection with a Company Sale at any time during the Negotiation Period or thereafter and such engagement or other advising in preparation for a possible Company Sale (other than distribution of marketing materials to potential purchasers or other public marketing of the Company) during the Holding Member Units Purchase Period shall not constitute evidence of lack of good faith by Holdings Member. Holdings Member will provide to Crestwood Member copies of all documentation to be entered into in connection with the Company Sale process prior to their execution by Holdings Member and Crestwood Member will be provided a reasonable opportunity to provide input and comment with respect to such documentation, including any Confidential Information Memorandum and marketing materials, any merger or purchase and sale agreement and other transaction documents and correspondence with potential purchasers. Subject to Crestwood Member's continued reasonable cooperation with the Company Sale, Holdings Member will provide notice to Crestwood Member of, and Crestwood Member will have the right to have a representative present at, all meetings and conferences (including teleconferences) with the financial advisor engaged in connection with such Company Sale and with potential buyers in such Company Sale.

(d) Upon the consummation of a Company Sale, all of the Members will be entitled to receive the same form of consideration to the extent consideration is a combination of cash, marketable securities, and/or non-marketable securities, with all such consideration (as well as other forms of consideration) being distributed in a manner that such Member would have received if such aggregate consideration with respect to the Units had been distributed by the Company to the Members in accordance with <u>Section 10.02</u>; *provided*, that no consideration for any additional agreements entered into in connection with such transaction, such as non-competition agreements, be included in the amount of consideration and if any Members are given an option as to the form

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and amount of consideration to be received, all Members participating therein will be given the same option pro rata.

(e) Subject to Crestwood Member's right to receive documentation and participate in the Company Sale process pursuant to <u>Section 3.05(c)</u>, Crestwood Member shall enter into any agreement or instrument reasonably agreed to by Holdings Member in connection with a Company Sale, and shall make or provide the same representations, warranties, covenants, indemnities and agreements as Holdings Member makes or provides in connection with the Company Sale (except that in the case of representations, warranties, covenants, indemnities and agreements pertaining specifically to Holdings Member, Crestwood Member shall only be required to make the comparable representations, warranties, covenants, indemnities and agreements pertaining specifically to itself); *provided*, that all representations, warranties, covenants and indemnities shall be made by Holdings Member and Crestwood Member severally and not jointly and any indemnification obligation shall be pro rata based on the consideration received by Holdings Member and Crestwood Member in connection with the Company Sale. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, Crestwood Member shall vote in favor of the Company Sale conducted in accordance with this <u>Section 3.05</u> and take all actions to waive any dissenters, appraisal or other similar rights.

(f) Promptly after the consummation of a Company Sale pursuant to this <u>Section 3.05</u>, Holdings Member shall notify Crestwood Member thereof, and if not remitted directly to Crestwood Member, remit or cause to be remitted (including by a distribution from the Company) to Crestwood Member the total consideration to which the Member is entitled with the cash portion of the purchase price paid by wire transfer of immediately available funds in accordance with the wire transfer instructions provided by Crestwood Member and furnish such other evidence of the completion and the date of completion of such transfer and the terms thereof as may be reasonably requested by Crestwood Member. If not remitted directly to Crestwood Member, Holdings Member shall promptly remit or cause to be remitted to Crestwood Member any additional consideration payable upon the release of any escrows, holdbacks or adjustments in purchase price with respect to the Units of Crestwood Member Transferred pursuant to such Company Sale.

(g) The reasonable and documented fees and expenses of Holdings Member incurred on behalf of or for the benefit of the Company (or the Members generally and not solely for the Holdings Member) in connection with a Company Sale shall be shared by the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member pro rata based on their relative ownership in Common Units (including, with respect to Holdings Member, the percentage of Common Units into which any Series A Preferred Units held by the Holdings Member on the date of the Negotiation Period Notice convert), in each case, such amount shall be deducted from the proceeds thereof that would otherwise be distributed to each of the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member.

**3.06 Requirements Applicable to All Transfers.** Except in connection with a Company Sale or a redemption of Preferred Units effected pursuant to <u>Sections 4.06</u>, <u>5.01</u> or <u>10.02</u>, if requested by any Member, a Member Transferring Units must deliver to the Company an opinion of counsel, in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Managing Member, to the effect that such

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Transfer is either exempt from the requirements of the Securities Act and the applicable securities laws of any state or that such registration requirements have been complied with. Any Person acquiring Units from a Member (other than pursuant to a Company Sale) shall be obligated to execute an adoption agreement in a form reasonably satisfactory to the Managing Member (whether such Transfer resulted by operation of law or otherwise). Without limiting the foregoing, even if any such Person fails to execute such an adoption agreement, such Person and such Units shall nevertheless be subject to this Agreement in the same manner as the Member holding such Units immediately prior to such Transfer. The Managing Member will determine in its reasonable discretion whether the foregoing requirements have been satisfied and may, in its reasonable discretion, determine to waive any such requirements to the extent permitted by applicable law.

Additional Members. In connection with any Transfer or issuance of Interests permitted hereunder, additional 3.07 Persons may be admitted to the Company as Members and Units may be created and issued to such Persons as determined by the Managing Member on such terms and conditions as the Managing Member may determine at the time of admission which may include making a Capital Contribution, subject, solely to extent applicable pursuant to Section 6.02(a)(vi), 6.02(a)(xxiii) or 6.02(a) (xxiy) or Section 6.02(b)(y) or 6.02(b)(xxi), to the approval by the Holdings Member. As a condition to being admitted as a Member of the Company, any Person must agree to be bound by the terms of this Agreement by executing and delivering a counterpart signature page to this Agreement, and must make the representations and warranties set forth in Section 3.08 to the extent applicable as of the date of such Person's admission to the Company. To the extent legally permissible and reasonably practicable, the Crestwood Member shall provide such information in its possession, access and cooperation, in each case at the Holding Member's sole expense, as reasonably requested by the Holdings Member in connection with any proposed, bona fide Transfer of Preferred Units or Common Units permitted by this Agreement by the Holdings Member to a purchaser of such Preferred Units or Common Units; provided however, in no event shall the Crestwood Member be required to (i) take any action to obtain or provide information or access that it does not have in its possession or have the right to request, in each case at the time of such request by the Holdings Member, (ii) take any action that the Crestwood Member determines in its reasonable judgment would result in the loss of the protection of any attorney-client or other privilege held by any Person or the breach of any written agreement of the Company, the Crestwood Member or any of their respective Affiliates or (iii) initiate, or threaten to initiate, any action, proceeding or litigation in order to enforce any rights that the Company has to receive access in respect of any Agreed Midstream Project.

#### 3.08 Representations and Warranties. Each Party hereby represents and warrants to the Company that:

(a) such Party has full power and authority to enter into this Agreement and to perform its obligations hereunder;

(b) the execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement do not conflict with any other agreement or arrangement to which such Party is a party or by which it is or its assets are bound; and

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(c) such Party, if such Party is a Member, is and will be acquiring its Interest in the Company for investment purposes only for its own account and not with a view to the distribution, reoffer, resale, or other disposition not in compliance with the Securities Act and applicable state securities laws.

3.09 Liability to Third Parties. No Member will have any personal liability for any obligations or liabilities of the Company, whether such liabilities arise in contract, tort or otherwise, except to the extent that any such liabilities or obligations are expressly assumed in writing by such Member.

3.10 Representations and Warranties Made by Crestwood Member. The Crestwood Member hereby represents and warrants that the Company is a limited liability company duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the State of Delaware.

## 3.11 Tag-Along Right.

(a) Following a Conversion, if the Crestwood Member desires to Transfer, or effect or permit an indirect transfer of, all or any portion of its Units in the Company other than to an Affiliate and other than pursuant to an Excluded Indirect Crestwood Transfer, then (i) the Holdings Member shall have the right (but not the obligation) (the "<u>Tag-Along Right</u>," and the Units held by the Crestwood Member, the "<u>Tag Interest</u>") to participate in the proposed transaction (the "<u>Tag-Along Transfer</u>") and (ii) the Crestwood Member shall make an offer (a "<u>Tag-Along Offer</u>") by an irrevocable written notice to the Holdings Member, to include in the Tag-Along Transfer, on terms and conditions set forth in such notice (which must be at least as favorable to the Holdings Member as to the Crestwood Member), a number of the Holdings Member's Units in accordance with the provisions of this <u>Section 3.11</u>.

(b) Pursuant to the Tag-Along Right, (i) in the case of a Tag-Along Transfer that is a Transfer of Units, the Holdings Member shall have the right to Transfer in such Tag-Along Transfer the same percentage of its Units as the percentage of the Crestwood Member's aggregate Units that the Crestwood Member is proposing to Transfer and (ii) in the case of a Tag-Along Transfer that is an indirect transfer, the Holdings Member shall have the right to Transfer in such Tag-Along Transfer the same percentage of its Units as the percentage of equity interests in the Crestwood Member being directly or indirectly transferred in such Tag-Along Transfer. If the Crestwood Member is unable to cause the transferee to purchase all of the Units proposed to be sold directly or indirectly by the Crestwood Member and the Holdings Member, then the Crestwood Member and the Holdings Member shall reduce, on a pro rata basis, the amount of such Units that each otherwise would have sold so as to permit the Crestwood Member and the Holdings Member to sell directly or indirectly the number of Units (determined in accordance with such pro rata basis) that the proposed transferee is willing to purchase.

(c) The Tag-Along Offer may be accepted by the Holdings Member at any time within 30 days after the Holdings Member's receipt of the Tag-Along Offer (such period, the "<u>Tag-Along Notice Period</u>"), which acceptance must be made by delivery of a written notice indicating such acceptance to the Crestwood Member (such notice, the "<u>Tag-Along Acceptance</u>"). If the Holdings Member exercises the Tag-Along Right, then the Holdings Member's Units shall be

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purchased on the same terms and conditions as the Tag Interest (provided, that in the case of a Tag-Along Transfer involving the direct or indirect transfer of an equity interest in which the equity interest being transferred represents an ownership interest in anything other than an indirect ownership interest in the Crestwood Member's Units, then the purchase price to be paid in respect of the Holdings Member's Units shall equal the Fair Market Value thereof); provided that any representations and warranties relating specifically to any Member shall be made only by such Member.

(d) If (i) the Holdings Member does not deliver a Tag-Along Acceptance within the Tag-Along Notice Period or (ii) the Tag-Along Transfer fails to close for any reason other than due to a breach by the Crestwood Member of its obligation to consummate the Tag-Along Transfer, then the Crestwood Member (or the applicable indirect transferor) may, during the 180-day period following the expiration of the Tag-Along Notice Period (which period may be extended for a reasonable time not to exceed an additional 60 days to the extent reasonably necessary to obtain any required government or other third party approvals) (the "<u>Tag-Along Transfer Period</u>") consummate the Tag-Along Transfer with only the Tag Interest; <u>provided</u> that, in either such case, the Tag-Along Transfer is subject to a price no greater than the price set forth in the Tag-Along Offer and on other terms and conditions in the aggregate no more favorable to the transferee than those set forth in the Tag-Along Offer.

(e) If the Crestwood Member (or the applicable indirect transferor) does not sell the Tag Interest in the Tag-Along Transfer Period, the Crestwood Member must again comply with the provisions set forth in this <u>Section 3.11</u>, to the extent applicable, prior to making any subsequent sale of all or any portion of its Units or effecting or permitting any indirect transfer of all or any portion of Units.

### Article IV

# CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS; REDEMPTIONS OF PREFERRED UNITS

**4.01 Interests.** Each Member's Interest in the Company will be represented by its Capital Account and by Units issued by the Company to such Member. The classes of authorized Units as of the Effective Date are the Series A-2 Preferred Units, the Series A-3 Preferred Units, the Series B Preferred Units, the Series C Preferred Units and the Common Units (it being understood that all of the Series A-1 Preferred Units (as defined in the Prior LLC Agreement) issued under the Prior LLC Agreement were redeemed and extinguished on the Issue Date). Except as expressly set forth herein, the Units have no voting rights and do not confer the right to vote on matters related to the Company or otherwise. The obligations of each Member hereunder shall be several and not joint, and no Member shall be obligated to make any of the Capital Contributions of another Member.

#### 4.02 Capital Contributions.

(a) <u>Capital Contributions</u>. On the Issue Date, all of the Series A-1 Preferred Units (as defined in the Prior LLC Agreement) issued under the Prior LLC Agreement were redeemed and extinguished and the Company issued 175,000,000 Series A-2 Preferred Units to the Holdings Member. On the Effective Date, the Company issued the number of Series A-3 Preferred Units to the Holdings Member as set forth opposite the Holdings Member's name on <u>Exhibit A</u>, and the

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aggregate amount of Capital Contributions made by the Holdings Member in respect of such Series A-3 Preferred Units is also set forth opposite the Holdings Member's name on <u>Exhibit A</u>. As of the Effective Date, the Crestwood Member has contributed \$462,406,523 to the Company and holds the number of Common Units set forth opposite the Crestwood Member's name on <u>Exhibit A</u>.

### (b) Pre-Conversion Capital Contributions by Members.

(i) Until the occurrence of a Conversion, the Crestwood Member may, in its sole discretion, elect to require the Holdings Member to fund any Agreed Midstream Project as set forth in this Section 4.02(b)(i) (the total amount required from all Members to fund any such Agreed Midstream Project being the "Total Project Capital Contribution"). Any such election shall be exercised by delivering a written notice in compliance with <u>Section 4.02(d)</u> to the Holdings Member. If the Crestwood Member makes such an election and delivers such notice, then, on the funding dates set out in such notice, (A) the Holdings Member will be required to fund an amount equal to the product of the then-current Aggregate Conversion Ratio and the Total Project Capital Contribution (subject to any approvals or other limitations as may be set out in the applicable Project Request) by making Capital Contributions to the Company (Holdings Member's share of each such capital contribution, an "Accordion Capital Contribution"), it being understood that the amount of such Accordion Capital Contribution that is equal to the product of the A-2 Conversion Ratio and the Total Project Capital Contribution shall be borne by the holders of the Series A-2 Preferred Units and the amount of such Accordion Capital Contribution that is equal to the product of the A-3 Conversion Ratio and the Total Project Capital Contribution shall be borne by the holders of the Series A-3 Preferred Units, and (B) the Crestwood Member will be required to fund the balance of all amounts required in connection with such Agreed Midstream Project by making Capital Contributions to the Company (each such required contribution, a "Crestwood Additional Capital Contribution"). Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, if any Accordion Capital Contribution or Crestwood Additional Capital Contribution with respect to an Agreed Midstream Project has been approved but not fully funded prior to a Conversion, then after such Conversion, such Accordion Capital Contribution or Crestwood Additional Capital Contribution will continue to be required to be made (and <u>Section 4.02(b)(i)</u> shall be disregarded with respect thereto) except that, instead of issuing Series A-2 Preferred Units or Series A-3 Preferred Units to any Member that is funding an Accordion Capital Contribution (or Common Units based on the Common Unit Price in respect of Crestwood Additional Capital Contributions), the Company shall issue to each Member that is so funding a number of Common Units equal to the amount of such Accordion Capital Contribution or Crestwood Additional Capital Contribution made by such Member (as the case may be) divided by the Fair Market Value of a Common Unit. In the event that, prior to a Conversion, the Crestwood Member (i) does not elect to require an Accordion Capital Contribution in respect of an Agreed Midstream Project, or (ii) causes the Company to pursue a De Minimis Midstream Project Opportunity or Crestwood Scheduled Project pursuant to Section 6.03(e) and Section 6.03(f), respectively, any Capital Contribution required in connection therewith shall be considered a Crestwood Additional Capital Contribution.

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Notwithstanding the foregoing, once the Holdings Member has made aggregate Accordion Capital (ii) Contributions at least equal to the Maximum Holdings Member Accordion Amount, the Holdings Member will have no further obligation to make any further Accordion Capital Contributions to the Company, and the Holdings Member shall not be required to make Accordion Capital Contributions at any time at which either any Series B Preferred Units are outstanding or any Series A Quarterly Distribution required to have been distributed in cash has not been paid in full in accordance with Section 5.01(a). For the avoidance of doubt, (I) if (x) the Crestwood Member makes an election to require the Holdings Member to fund any Agreed Midstream Project at a time at which the aggregate amount of all Accordion Capital Contributions attributable to the outstanding Series A Preferred Units as of immediately prior to such election (the "Prior Aggregate Accordion Amount") does not exceed the Maximum Holdings Member Accordion Amount and (y) the excess of the Maximum Holdings Member Accordion Amount minus the Prior Aggregate Accordion Amount is an amount less than the product of the Aggregate Conversion Ratio and all amounts required in connection with an Agreed Midstream Project, then the Accordion Capital Contribution of the Holdings Member pursuant to such election shall be reduced to such excess amount and the Crestwood Additional Capital Contribution relating to such Agreed Midstream Project shall be increased accordingly and (II) the Maximum Holdings Member Accordion Amount shall not be reduced by any Series A-2 PIK Distribution. Except as provided in the penultimate sentence of <u>Section 4.02(b)(i)</u>, immediately upon receipt by the Company of: (A) any Accordion Capital Contribution by the Company, the Company shall issue to the Holdings Member (1) a number of Series A-2 Preferred Units equal to the amount of such Accordion Capital Contributions made by the Holdings Member in respect of its Series A-2 Preferred Units divided by the Series A-2 Preferred Unit Price and (2) a number of Series A-3 Preferred Units equal to the amount of such Accordion Capital Contribution made by the Holdings Member in respect of its Series A-3 Preferred Units divided by the Series A-3 Preferred Unit Price and (B) any Crestwood Additional Capital Contribution, the Company shall issue to the Crestwood Member a number of Common Units equal to the amount of such Crestwood Additional Capital Contribution divided by the Common Unit Price.

(iii) The Parties acknowledge and agree that, immediately following any acquisition of Series A Preferred Units by the Crestwood Member pursuant to <u>Section 3.04</u>, all obligations of the "Holdings Member" set forth in the foregoing provisions of <u>Section 4.02(b)</u> to fund Accordion Capital Contributions shall become obligations of both the Crestwood Member and the Holdings Member, and such obligations shall be performed pro rata in proportion to each of such Member's respective ownership of outstanding Series A Preferred Units, and the Maximum Holdings Member Accordion Amount shall be reduced proportionately to adjust for the percentage of Series A Preferred Units no longer held by the Holdings Member. Immediately upon the receipt of any Accordion Capital Contribution by the Crestwood Member, except as provided in the penultimate sentence of <u>Section 4.02(b)(i)</u>, the Company shall issue to the Crestwood Member a number of Series A-2 Preferred Units equal to the amount of such Accordion Capital Contribution made by the Crestwood Member a number divided by the Series A-2 Preferred Unit Price.

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(iv) Before a Conversion, in connection with any capital requirements of the Company, other than an Agreed Midstream Project or Crestwood Scheduled Project, the Managing Member shall fund the amount of such capital requirement (A) out of the operating cash flows of the Company (but only to the extent of Available Cash) and/or (B) by drawing on a credit facility approved in accordance with <u>Section 6.02</u>, as applicable, except to the extent that the Managing Member has determined that it is commercially reasonable to fund all or a portion of such capital requirements with Capital Contributions from the Crestwood Member. To the extent that the Managing Member has determined to fund any such capital requirements pursuant to <u>clauses (A)</u> or (B) above in this <u>Section 4.02(b)(iv</u>), and such funding sources are not sufficient to satisfy the full capital requirement, the remaining amount of such capital requirement shall be made by the Crestwood Member in exchange for a number of Common Units equal to the amount of such contribution divided by the Common Unit Price.

(c) <u>Post-Conversion Capital Call For Capital Contribution</u>. Without limiting the obligations of the Members pursuant to the penultimate sentence of <u>Section 4.02(b)(i)</u>, subject to <u>Section 6.02</u> and <u>Section 6.03</u>, at any time after a Conversion, the Managing Member may request that the Members make additional Capital Contributions by issuing a notice to the Members in accordance with <u>Section 4.02(d)</u>. Each Member shall have the right, but not the obligation, to elect to make Capital Contributions pursuant to such a notice. Within 30 days after the receipt of such notice, each Member shall notify the Managing Member whether it elects to fund its pro rata portion of the requested Capital Contribution. If any Member does not notify the Managing Member of such election within such 30 days, then such Member will be deemed to have elected not to fund its pro rata portion, and the Member that has elected to fund will have the option to fund the entire Capital Contribution amount and/or may allow another Person to make all or any portion of the Capital Contribution.

(d) <u>Capital Call Notices</u>. Prior to any request for Capital Contributions, the Managing Member shall send each Member a written notice setting forth (i) in reasonable detail the Agreed Midstream Project or other project giving rise to such request for Capital Contributions, (ii) the amount of such Capital Contribution requested (and, if applicable, the amount of any future anticipated requests for Capital Contributions in connection with such Agreed Midstream Project or other project), (iii) the portion of such requested Capital Contribution that each Member is obligated or requested to contribute, (iv) if after Conversion, the Fair Market Value of the Common Units to be issued in exchange for such Capital Contributions and (v) the date on which such Capital Contributions must occur, which shall in each case be no less than 30 days after the date of such notice.

# 4.03 Funding Defaults.

(a) <u>Failure of the Crestwood Member to Make a Crestwood Additional Capital Contribution</u>. If, prior to a Conversion, the Crestwood Member fails to fund 100% of any Crestwood Additional Capital Contribution when due and fails to cure such default within three Business Days after such due date (any such failure, a "<u>Deficiency Event</u>"), then the Company shall promptly, but in no event later than three Business Days after the due date for such Crestwood Additional Capital

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Contribution, provide written notice of such failure to the Holdings Member, and the Holdings Member shall have the option, in its sole discretion and as its sole and exclusive remedy hereunder, to fund the amount of such deficiency (any such amount funded by the Holdings Member, a "<u>Deficiency Contribution</u>"). Immediately upon receipt of any Deficiency Contribution by the Company, the Company shall issue to the Holdings Member a number of Series B Preferred Units equal to the amount of such Deficiency Contribution divided by the Series B Preferred Unit Price. A Deficiency Event shall not relieve the Crestwood Member of its obligation to make any Crestwood Additional Capital Contributions subsequent thereto.

(b) <u>Failure of Holdings Member to Make an Accordion Capital Contribution</u>. If, prior to a Conversion, the Holdings Member fails to fund 100% of any Accordion Capital Contribution when due and fails to cure such default within three Business Days after such due date (any such failure, a "<u>Holdings Member Default</u>"), then the Company shall promptly, but in no event later than three Business Days after the due date for such Accordion Capital Contribution, provide written notice of such failure to the Crestwood Member, and the Crestwood Member shall have the option, in its sole discretion and as its sole and exclusive remedy hereunder (any such amount funded by the Crestwood Member, a "<u>Default Contribution</u>"). Immediately upon receipt of any Default Contribution by the Company, the Company shall issue to the Crestwood Member a number of Series C Preferred Units equal to the amount of such Default Contribution divided by the Series C Unit Price. A Holdings Member Default shall not relieve the Holdings Member of its obligation to make any Accordion Capital Contributions subsequent thereto.

# (c) Failure of a Member to Fund a Post-Conversion Capital Contribution.

(i) If, following a Conversion, either Member elects to fund in response to a request for Capital Contributions (or is required to fund pursuant to the penultimate sentence of <u>Section 4.02(b)(i)</u>) but fails to fund such amount when due, and in either case, fails to cure such default within three Business Days after such due date (such Member, a "<u>Non-Funding Member</u>," and any such failure, a "<u>Post-Conversion Default</u>"), then the Company shall promptly, but in no event later than three Business Days after the due date for such Capital Contribution, provide written notice of such failure to the non-defaulting Member, and such non-defaulting Member shall have the option, in its sole discretion, to fund the amount of such Post-Conversion Default (any such amount funded by such Member in accordance with this <u>Section 4.03(c)(i)</u>, a "<u>Post-Conversion Default Contribution</u>"). Any Member that funds a Post-Conversion Default Contribution in accordance with this <u>Section 4.03(c)</u>.

(ii) If a Post-Conversion Default Contribution is made by the Funding Member, and the Total Amount in Default with respect thereto is paid by or on behalf of a Non-Funding Member to the Company within 30 days after the applicable Post-Conversion Default (a "<u>Payment Cure</u>"), then the Company shall pay to the Funding Member, within five Business Days of receipt, an amount equal to the Total Amount in Default less any distributions already paid to the Funding Member pursuant to <u>Section 4.03(c)(iii)</u>.

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(iii) From and after a Post-Conversion Default, the applicable Non-Funding Member's right to receive distributions pursuant to this Agreement shall be suspended and paid to the Funding Member or retained by the Company, as applicable, until the earlier of a Payment Cure and the time at which such aggregate distributions withheld from the Non-Funding Member (together with any additional contributions made by the Non-Funding Member pursuant to the following sentence) equal either (x) if a Funding Member funded the Post-Conversion Default Contribution, 250% of the Total Amount in Default or (y) if no Funding Member funded the Post-Conversion Default Contribution, the amount of the Post-Conversion Default Contribution, amount of the Post-Conversion Default Contribution, a Non-Funding Member shall have the right, at any time prior to the suspension of distributions referenced above terminating, to accelerate the date on which such suspension terminates by paying to the Company such amounts as are necessary to achieve the threshold identified in foregoing clause (x) or (y), as applicable, and if it does so, then such thresholds will be deemed satisfied and such funds shall be paid to the Funding Member or retained by the Company, as applicable, and then such suspension of distributions shall immediately cease.

(iv) A Post-Conversion Default shall not relieve the Non-Funding Member of its obligation to fund its pro rata portion of any other Capital Contributions that it elected or is required to fund.

**4.04 Withdrawal or Return of Capital.** Except as provided in this Agreement, including <u>Sections 4.06</u> and <u>5.01</u>, no Member is entitled to the return of or has the right to withdraw any part of its Capital Contribution from the Company prior to its liquidation and termination pursuant to <u>Article X</u> hereof. No Member is entitled to be paid interest in respect of either its Capital Account or its Capital Contributions. Any unrepaid Capital Contribution is not a liability of the Company or of the other Members. A Member is not required to contribute or to lend any cash or property to the Company to enable the Company to return any other Member's Capital Contributions.

# 4.05 Further Contributions.

(a) If the Company becomes obligated to make an indemnification payment (or to expend funds, or to make payments to third parties) pursuant to either of the Subscription Agreements with respect to Losses (as defined in each of the Subscription Agreements) and it does not at such time have sufficient Available Cash after payment of all amounts otherwise due or owing at such time, then the Crestwood Member shall promptly make a contribution of immediately available funds into the Company in an amount sufficient to permit the Company promptly to make such indemnification payment (or to pay such expense, or to pay any such third party) in full, and the Company shall promptly make such indemnification payment (or pay such expense, or pay any such third party) upon receipt; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that, following a Conversion, indemnification payments (as well as payments of expenses and payments to third parties) pursuant to either of the Subscription Agreements with respect to Losses (as defined in each of the Subscription Agreements) shall not be made by the Company from Available Cash but instead the Crestwood Member shall promptly make a contribution of immediately available funds into the Subscription Agreements in full from such

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contributed funds. Notwithstanding anything else in this Agreement to the contrary, (i) any such indemnification payment made by the Company from Available Cash (or any funds expended by the Company, or paid by the Company to a third party from a source other than a contribution by the Crestwood Member to the Company pursuant to this Section 4.05(a)) with respect to Losses (as defined in each of the Subscription Agreements) giving rise to such indemnification obligation (an "Indemnification Payment") shall be deemed (x) to the extent that an Indemnification Payment is made on account of Losses (as defined in the Series A-2 Subscription Agreement) under the Series A-2 Subscription Agreement, a distribution to the Crestwood Member for purposes of the definition of Series A-2 Adjusted Capex Amount and (y) to the extent that an Indemnification Payment is made on account of Losses (as defined in the Series A-3 Subscription Agreement) under the Series A-3 Subscription Agreement, a distribution to the Crestwood Member for purposes of the definition of Series A-3 Adjusted Capex Amount and shall not be a distribution to the Holdings Member for any purpose under this Agreement and (ii) any contribution by the Crestwood Member to the Company to permit the Company to make such an indemnification payment (or to fund such an expense, or such a payment to a third party) with respect to Losses (as defined in each of the Subscription Agreements) shall not be a Capital Contribution for the purposes of the definition of Series A-2 Adjusted Capex Amount, Series A-3 Adjusted Capex Amount or for the purposes of Section 5.01(b)(ii) (A). Without any effect on the foregoing, if the Crestwood Member makes any contribution to the Company pursuant to this Section 4.05(a), then the Company shall (I) issue to the Crestwood Member a number of Common Units equal to the quotient obtained by dividing the amount of such contribution by either (x) the Common Unit Price, if such contribution occurs prior to a Conversion or (y) the Fair Market Value per Common Unit, if such contribution occurs following a Conversion and (II) if such contribution by the Crestwood Member occurs following a Conversion, issue to the Holdings Member a number of Common Units equal to the product of the number of Common Units issuable to the Crestwood Member pursuant to the foregoing clause (I)(v) *multiplied* by a fraction, the numerator of which is the number of Common Units held by the Holdings Member as of immediately prior to such contribution and the denominator of which is the number of Common Units held by the Crestwood Member as of immediately prior to such contribution. For the avoidance of doubt, the issuance of Common Units as contemplated by the preceding sentence shall not be a Capital Contribution for purposes of, and shall not be subject to, Section 4.02 or Section 4.03, and neither Member shall be required to make any contributions with respect thereto (other than the obligation of the Crestwood Member expressly referenced in this <u>Section 4.05</u>).

(b) Except as otherwise specifically provided in this Agreement, no further Capital Contributions will be required from any Member without such Member's prior written consent, and no Member shall have any obligation to restore any deficit balance in such Member's Capital Account.

### 4.06 Redemption of Preferred Units.

(a) <u>Deficiency Preferred Units</u>. Following the issuance of any Deficiency Preferred Units and until the earlier of the date that such Deficiency Preferred Units have been redeemed in full in accordance with this Agreement, 100% of all Adjusted Available Cash on hand and thereafter received by the Company shall immediately be paid over to the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member, *pro rata* in accordance with their respective holdings of Deficiency

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Preferred Units, to redeem all outstanding Deficiency Preferred Units; <u>provided</u> that (i) a Series B Preferred Unit will be redeemed pursuant to the foregoing clause upon the Holdings Member's receipt of cash in respect of such Series B Preferred Unit in the amount required to provide the Holdings Member an IRR equal to 20% with respect to such Series B Preferred Unit and (ii) a Series C Preferred Unit will be redeemed pursuant to the foregoing clause upon the Crestwood Member's receipt of cash in respect of such Series C Preferred Unit in the amount required to provide the Crestwood Member an IRR equal to 20% with respect to such Series C Preferred Unit. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the right of the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member to have any Deficiency Preferred Units redeemed pursuant to this <u>Section 4.06(a)</u> will be senior in right of payment to all distributions to Members or redemptions of Units by the Company.

<u>Crestwood Change of Control</u>. In the event of a Crestwood Change of Control, the Crestwood Member shall (b) use commercially reasonable efforts to provide the Holdings Member with no less than 30 days advance written notice of such Crestwood Change of Control, and within five Business Days following such Crestwood Change of Control, if any, the Holdings Member may elect by written notice to the Crestwood Member (the "Change of Control Redemption Notice") to require the Company to redeem from the Holdings Member all then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units and Series B Preferred Units. Within five Business Days following delivery of the Change of Control Redemption Notice, the Crestwood Member shall deliver written notice to the Holdings Member (the "Consideration Election Notice") indicating whether (i) the Company has elected to redeem the then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units and Series B Preferred Units for cash, (ii) in lieu of such redemption, the Crestwood Member will acquire from the Holdings Member the then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units and Series B Preferred Units through the issuance to the Holdings Member or its designee as consideration a number of CEQP Units, valued at the CEQP Unit Price calculated as of the date of such Crestwood Change of Control, or (iii) it elects to effect a combination of the actions described in <u>clauses (i)</u> and (ii) above, in any case, in an amount per Series A Preferred Unit equal to the Change of Control Redemption Price and an amount per Series B Preferred Unit equal to the Change of Control Redemption Price; provided, however, that (A) the options set forth in the foregoing <u>clauses (ii)</u> and (iii) shall not be available at any time at which an RRA Suspension Right would be, or would reasonably likely to be, exercisable by CEQP pursuant to the Registration Rights Agreement if the Holdings Member were to exercise a demand registration right pursuant to Section 2.03 of the Registration Rights Agreement immediately following the issuance of CEQP Units to the Holdings Member, (B) the number of CEQP Units issued pursuant to this Section 4.06(b) shall not exceed the Maximum Redemption Units (it being acknowledged and agreed that the issuance of the Maximum Redemption Units, if applicable, shall redeem in full all of the then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units and Series B Preferred Units and no further cash or other consideration shall be required to be paid in connection therewith) and (C) CEQP shall comply with its obligations under the Registration Rights Agreement with respect to such CEQP Units so issued. The closing of any redemption or acquisition pursuant to this Section 4.06(b) shall occur no later than the tenth Business Day following the delivery of the Change of Control Redemption Notice; provided, however, that in the event that the Crestwood Member fails to deliver a Consideration Election Notice prior to the fifth Business Day following the delivery of the Change of Control Redemption Notice, the Company shall be deemed to have elected to redeem the then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units and Series B Preferred Units

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pursuant to this <u>Section 4.06(b)</u> in cash and the closing for such redemption shall occur no later than the tenth Business Day following the delivery of the Change of Control Redemption Notice.

(c) <u>Company Change of Control</u>. In the event of a Company Change of Control, the Crestwood Member shall use commercially reasonably efforts to provide the Holdings Member with no less than 30 days advance written notice of such Company Change of Control, and within five Business Days following such Company Change of Control, if any, the Holdings Member may elect by delivery of a Change of Control Redemption Notice to require the Company to redeem from the Holdings Member all then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units and Series B Preferred Units. Within five Business Days following delivery of the Change of Control Redemption Notice, the Crestwood Member shall deliver a Consideration Election Notice to the Holdings Member indicating whether (i) the Company has elected to redeem the then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units and Series B Preferred Units for cash, (ii) in lieu of such redemption, the Crestwood Member will acquire from the Holdings Member the thenoutstanding Series A Preferred Units and Series B Preferred Units through the issuance to the Holdings Member or its designee as consideration a number of CEQP Units, valued at the CEQP Unit Price calculated as of the day prior to such redemption, (iii) it elects to effect a combination of the actions described in <u>clauses (i)</u> and (ii) above, in any case, in an amount per Series A Preferred Unit equal to the Change of Control Redemption Price and an amount per Series B Preferred Unit equal to the Change of Control Redemption Price or (iv) the Company has elected to redeem the then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units and Series B Preferred Units using the cash proceeds from a sale of some or all of the operating assets of the Company, including interests in any of the Company's Subsidiaries (an "Asset Sale") and to the extent the cash proceeds from an Asset Sale are less than the Change of Control Redemption Price payable to Holdings Member, the issuance to the Holdings Member or its designee as consideration a number of CEQP Units, valued at the CEQP Unit Price calculated as of the day prior to such redemption; provided, however, that (A) the options set forth in the foregoing <u>clauses (ii)</u> and <u>(iii)</u> shall not be available if any of the CEQP Unit Issuance Limitations would be triggered in such proposed issuance, (B) the number of CEQP Units issued pursuant to this Section 4.06(c) shall not exceed the Maximum Redemption Units (it being acknowledged and agreed that the issuance of the Maximum Redemption Units, if applicable, shall redeem in full all of the then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units and Series B Preferred Units and no further cash or other consideration shall be required to be paid in connection therewith), and (C) CEQP shall comply with its obligations under the Registration Rights Agreement with respect to such CEQP Units so issued. The closing of any redemption or acquisition pursuant to this Section 4.06(c) shall occur no later than the later to occur of (x) the tenth Business Day following delivery of the Change of Control Redemption Notice and (y) the consummation of an Asset Sale, if applicable; provided, however, that in the event that the Crestwood Member fails to deliver a Consideration Election Notice prior to the fifth Business Day following the delivery of the Change of Control Redemption Notice, the Company shall be deemed to have elected the payment option described above in <u>clause (iv</u>).

(d) <u>Crestwood Option for Redemption – Full Redemption</u>. At any time following December 31, 2022, subject to <u>Section 4.06(a)</u> in respect of the redemption of Deficiency Preferred Units, by delivery of 45 days' prior written notice (the "<u>Crestwood Full Redemption Notice</u>") to each of the Company and the Holdings Member, the Crestwood Member may elect to cause the

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Company to redeem all of the then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units, effective as of the later to occur of (x) the 45<sup>th</sup> day following delivery of such Crestwood Redemption Notice and (y) the consummation of an Asset Sale, if applicable (the "Full Redemption Effective Date"), for an amount per Series A Preferred Unit equal to the product of (i) 1.10 and (ii) the Series A-2 Liquidation Amount and the Series A-3 Liquidation Amount, as applicable, in each case, calculated as of close of business on the day prior to the Full Redemption Effective Date (the "Crestwood Full Redemption Price"); provided, that such aggregate amount payable may be satisfied by the Crestwood Member's election of any one or a combination of the following actions: (1) causing the Company to redeem all of the then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units in exchange for the Company's paying the Holdings Member cash, (2) acquiring all of the then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units by the issuance to the Holdings Member or its designee as consideration a number of CEQP Units, valued at the CEQP Unit Price calculated as of close of business on the day prior to the Full Redemption Effective Date, or (3) redeeming all of the then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units using (A) the cash proceeds of an Asset Sale; provided that in the event that such Asset Sale is taking place in connection with a redemption pursuant to subsection (II) or subsection (III) of this <u>Section 4.06(d)</u>, an amount equal to the product of the A-2 Conversion Ratio in the case of subsection (II) or the A-3 Conversion Ratio in the case of subsection (III), in each case, multiplied by the cash proceeds of such Asset Sale shall first be applied to pay out in full the Series A Preferred Units subject to such conversion and (B) to the extent the cash proceeds from an Asset Sale (after applying any proceeds as required in accordance with subsection (A)) are less than the Crestwood Full Redemption Price payable to Holdings Member, the issuance to the Holdings Member or its designee as consideration a number of CEQP Units, valued at the CEQP Unit Price calculated as of close of business on the day prior to the Full Redemption Effective Date; provided, however, that (A) the option set forth in the foregoing clause (2) shall not be available if any of the CEQP Unit Issuance Limitations would be triggered, (B) CEQP shall comply with its obligations under the Registration Rights Agreement with respect to such CEQP Units so issued and (C) the number of CEQP Units issued pursuant to this Section 4.06(d) shall not exceed the Maximum Redemption Units (it being acknowledged and agreed that the issuance of the Maximum Redemption Units, if applicable, shall redeem in full all of the then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units and Series B Preferred Units and no further cash or other consideration shall be required to be paid in connection therewith). The Crestwood Full Redemption Notice shall state which action or combination of actions described in <u>clauses (1)</u> through (3) above that the Crestwood Member has elected to take. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Section 4.06, if the Crestwood Member has delivered a Crestwood Redemption Notice, then the Holdings Member may elect to (I) convert all of its Series A Preferred Units into Common Units pursuant to Section 4.07 or (II) convert all of its Series A-2 Preferred Units into Common Units pursuant to Section 4.07, or (III) convert all of its Series A-3 Preferred Units into Common Units pursuant to Section 4.07, in any case by delivering written notice to the Crestwood Member at least 30 days after receipt of the Crestwood Redemption Notice; provided that if the Holdings Member makes the election in subsection (II) of this Section 4.06(d) the Series A-3 Preferred Units shall be redeemed pursuant to this Section 4.06(d); provided, further, that if the Holdings Member makes the election in subsection (III) of this Section 4.06(d) the Series A-2 Preferred Units shall be redeemed pursuant to this Section 4.06(d).

(e) <u>Crestwood Option for Redemption – Partial Redemption</u>. At any time following December 31, 2022, subject to <u>Section 4.06(a)</u> in respect of the redemption of Deficiency

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Preferred Units, by delivery of 45 days' prior written notice (the "Crestwood Partial Redemption Notice") to each of the Company and the Holdings Member, the Crestwood Member may elect to cause the Company to redeem all of the then-outstanding Series A-3 Preferred Units effective as of the later to occur of (x) the 45<sup>th</sup> day following delivery of such Crestwood Partial Redemption Notice and (y) the consummation of an Asset Sale, if applicable (the "Partial Redemption Effective Date"), for an amount per Series A-3 Preferred Unit equal to the product of (i) 1.10 and (ii) the Series A-3 Liquidation Amount, calculated as of close of business on the day prior to the Partial Redemption Effective Date; provided, that such aggregate amount payable may be satisfied by the Crestwood Member's election of any one or a combination of the following actions: (1) causing the Company to redeem all of the then-outstanding Series A-3 Preferred Units in exchange for the Company's paying the Holdings Member cash or (2) acquiring all of the then-outstanding Series A-3 Preferred Units by the issuance to the Holdings Member or its designee as consideration a number of CEQP Units, valued at the CEQP Unit Price calculated as of close of business on the day prior to the Partial Redemption Effective Date; provided, however, that (A) the option set forth in the foregoing clause (2) shall not be available if any of the CEQP Unit Issuance Limitations would be triggered, (B) CEQP shall comply with its obligations under the Registration Rights Agreement with respect to such CEQP Units so issued and (C) the number of CEQP Units issued pursuant to this <u>Section 4.06(e)</u> shall not exceed the Maximum Redemption Units (it being acknowledged and agreed that the issuance of the Maximum Redemption Units, if applicable, shall redeem in full all of the then-outstanding Series A-3 Preferred Units and no further cash or other consideration shall be required to be paid in connection therewith). The Crestwood Partial Redemption Notice shall state which action or combination of actions described in <u>clauses (1)</u> through (2) above that the Crestwood Member has elected to take. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this <u>Section 4.06</u>, if the Crestwood Member has delivered a Crestwood Partial Redemption Notice, then the Holdings Member may elect to convert all (and not less than all) of its Series A Preferred Units into Common Units pursuant to Section 4.07 by delivering written notice to the Crestwood Member at least 30 days after receipt of the Crestwood Partial Redemption Notice.

(f) <u>Holdings Member Option Period</u>. From and after the earlier of December 31, 2023 and until such time as there are no Series A Preferred Units or Series B Preferred Units outstanding or during the five (5) Business Days following the Holdings Member receiving written notice from the Company or the Crestwood Member of a Crestwood Change of Control (such period, the "<u>Holdings Member Option Period</u>"), subject to <u>Section 4.06(a)</u> in respect of the redemption of Deficiency Preferred Units, the Holdings Member may elect at any time when there are no Series C Preferred Units outstanding, by delivery of 30 days' prior written notice (the "<u>Holdings Member Redemption Notice</u>") to each of the Company and the Crestwood Member, to cause the Company to redeem some or all of the then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units effective as of the later to occur of (x) the 30<sup>th</sup> day following delivery of such Holdings Member Redemption Notice and (y) the consummation of an Asset Sale involving the sale, transfer or other disposition of all or substantially all of the Interests or assets of the Company to any Person that is not an Affiliate of either of the Members, if applicable (the "<u>Holdings Member Redemption Effective Date</u>"), for an amount per Series A Preferred Unit equal to the Series A-2 Liquidation Amount or Series A-3 Liquidation Amount, as applicable, in each case, calculated as of close of business on the day prior to the Holdings Member Redemption Effective Date (the "<u>Holdings Redemption Price</u>"); <u>provided</u>, that such aggregate amount payable may be satisfied by the Crestwood Member's election of any

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one or a combination of the following actions: (1) causing the Company to redeem some or all of the then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units in exchange for the Company's paying the Holdings Member cash, (2) acquiring some or all of the thenoutstanding Series A Preferred Units by the issuance to the Holdings Member or its designee as consideration a number of CEOP Units, valued at the CEQP Unit Price calculated as of close of business on the day prior to the Holdings Member Redemption Effective Date, or (3) redeeming all of the then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units using (A) the cash proceeds of an Asset Sale involving the sale, transfer or other disposition of all or substantially all of the Interests or assets of the Company to any Person that is not an Affiliate of either of the Members; provided that in the event that such Asset Sale is taking place in connection with a redemption related to a Secondary Period A-2 Conversion or a Secondary Period A-3 Conversion, an amount equal to the product of the A-2 Conversion Ratio in the case of a Secondary Period A-2 Conversion, or the A-3 Conversion Ratio in the case of a Secondary Period A-3 Conversion, in each case multiplied by the cash proceeds of such Asset Sale shall first be applied to pay out in full the Series A Preferred Units subject to such Secondary Period Conversion and (B) to the extent the cash proceeds from such Asset Sale (after applying any proceeds as required in accordance with subsection (A)) are less than the Holdings Redemption Price payable to Holdings Member, the issuance to the Holdings Member or its designee as consideration a number of CEQP Units, valued at the CEQP Unit Price calculated as of close of business on the day prior to the Holdings Member Redemption Effective Date; provided that (A) the option set forth in the foregoing <u>clause (2)</u> shall not be available if any of the CEQP Unit Issuance Limitations would be triggered, (B) CEQP shall comply with its obligations under the Registration Rights Agreement with respect to such CEQP Units so issued, and (C) that the number of CEQP Units issued pursuant to this Section 4.06(f) shall not exceed the Maximum Redemption Units (it being acknowledged and agreed that the issuance of the Maximum Redemption Units, if applicable, shall redeem in full all of the then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units and Series B Preferred Units and no further cash or other consideration shall be required to be paid in connection therewith). If the Crestwood Member does not make an affirmative election with respect to the source of funds for the Holdings Redemption Price in accordance with this Section 4.06(f) within 30 days of receiving the Holdings Member Redemption Notice, the Crestwood Member shall be deemed to have elected the payment option described above in <u>clause (3)</u>.

(g) Effect of Redemption or Purchase of Preferred Units. To the extent that any Series A Preferred Unit or Series B Preferred Unit is redeemed in full by the Company pursuant to this Agreement, at the time of such redemption, such Series A Preferred Unit or Series B Preferred Unit will be immediately cancelled and retired by the Company. Upon the acquisition of any Series A Preferred Unit or Series B Preferred Unit by the Crestwood Member pursuant to this Agreement (other than pursuant to Section 3.04), immediately following such acquisition, such Preferred Unit shall be automatically converted into, and shall be treated in all respects as, one Common Unit. Upon the acquisition of any Series A Preferred Unit, Series B Preferred Unit or other Unit by the Crestwood Member pursuant to <u>Section 3.04</u>), such Units shall remain outstanding but, notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, such Units (and the Crestwood Member as the owner of such Units) shall not have any redemption rights (other than pursuant to <u>Section 4.06(f)</u>), voting rights, governance rights or other rights hereunder but instead shall only have economic rights with respect thereto (including, for the avoidance of doubt, the right to receive distributions in accordance with <u>Article V</u>) and the conversion rights set forth in <u>Section 4.07</u>. Further, at such

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time as 100% of the Series A Preferred Units and Series B Preferred Units held by the Holdings Member have been redeemed in full by the Company or acquired by the Crestwood Member in accordance with this Agreement, the Holdings Member shall immediately cease to be both a Member and a Party; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that the rights and obligations of the Holdings Member under <u>Sections 3.08</u>, 3.09, 3.10, <u>Article V</u>, <u>Sections 6.03(c)(ii)</u>, <u>6.04(c)</u>, (<u>d</u>), (<u>e</u>) and (<u>f</u>), <u>6.05</u>, <u>7.03</u>, <u>7.04</u>, <u>7.05</u>, <u>Article VIII</u>, <u>Section 9.01</u> and <u>Article XI</u> (the "<u>Surviving Provisions</u>") shall survive the Holdings Member's termination as a Member subject to any time limitations expressly set forth in any of the foregoing sections. In connection with any redemption or acquisition of less than all of the then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units or Series B Preferred Units pursuant to this <u>Section 4.06</u>, such redemption or acquisition shall be effected in a manner such that the earliest-issued, then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units or Series B Preferred Units, as applicable, are redeemed prior to the redemption of any later-issued Series A Preferred Units or Series B Preferred Units.

(h) <u>CEQP Guaranty</u>. CEQP hereby irrevocably and unconditionally agrees to be jointly and severally liable for the full, complete and timely performance by the Crestwood Member of the obligation to deliver CEQP Units to the Holdings Member under <u>Section 3.05</u>, <u>Section 4.06(b)</u>, <u>Section 4.06(c)</u>, <u>Section 4.06(d)</u>, <u>Section 4.06(e)</u> and <u>Section 4.06(f)</u> (the "<u>CEQP Guaranty</u>"), and CEQP's obligations under the CEQP Guaranty shall be primary and not secondary to the obligations of the Crestwood Member. The CEQP Guaranty is absolute, continuing and independent of, and in addition to, any and all rights and remedies of the Holdings Member under this Agreement, and shall not in any way be discharged, impaired or otherwise affected by any of the following, each of which is hereby waived by CEQP: (a) any release or waiver of, or delay in, the enforcement of any rights of the Holdings Member, or (b) any requirements for promptness, diligence, notice of acceptance, presentment, demand for performance, notice of non-performance, default, acceleration, protest or dishonor or any other notice or similar requirement.

(i) <u>Asset Sale</u>. If the Crestwood Member elects (or is deemed to have elected) to cause an Asset Sale to fund all or any portion of the applicable redemption price pursuant to <u>Section 4.06(c)</u>, <u>4.06(d)</u>, <u>4.06(e)</u> or <u>4.06(f)</u>, it shall use its commercially reasonable efforts to consummate the Asset Sale as promptly as practicable after the date of such election or deemed election. If the Asset Sale is not consummated within twelve months after the date of such election or deemed election, then, without modifying or altering the other provisions of <u>Section 4.06(c)</u>, <u>4.06(d)</u>, <u>4.06(e)</u> or <u>4.06(f)</u> (including payment of any shortfall if the Asset Sale does not yield sufficient proceeds to fund the applicable redemption price), the Holdings Member shall have the option to take over the administration and control of the Asset Sale process and the Crestwood Member shall reasonably cooperate with the Holdings Member in connection therewith.

## 4.07 Conversion of Preferred Units.

## (a) <u>Conditional Conversion Option</u>.

(i) At any time after December 31, 2020 but prior to December 31, 2023, the Holdings Member may elect by written notice to the Crestwood Member (the "<u>Initial Period Conversion Notice</u>") to cause the Company to convert all, but not less than all, of the then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units into an aggregate number of Common Units

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that, following such Conversion, shall equal the product of (x) the Aggregate Conversion Ratio multiplied by (y) the aggregate number of outstanding Common Units as of immediately following such Conversion (the "<u>Initial Period</u> <u>Conversion</u>"), which Common Units shall be issued to the Holdings Member (or, if the Crestwood Member acquired any Series A Preferred Units pursuant to <u>Section 3.04</u>, then to the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member in proportion to their respective ownership of all Series A Preferred Units); <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that the Holdings Member's right to effect a Conversion shall be limited solely to the extent required to be limited by applicable law.

At any time after December 31, 2023, the Holdings Member may elect by written notice to the (ii) Crestwood Member (the "Secondary Period Conversion Notice") to cause the Company to (A) convert all, but not less than all, of the then-outstanding Series A Preferred Units into an aggregate number of Common Units that, following such Conversion, shall equal the product of (x) the Aggregate Conversion Ratio multiplied by (y) the aggregate number of outstanding Common Units as of immediately following such Conversion (the "Secondary Period Full Conversion"), (B) convert all, but not less than all, of the then-outstanding Series A-2 Preferred Units into an aggregate number of Common Units that, following such Conversion, shall equal the product of (x) the A-2 Conversion Ratio multiplied by (y) the aggregate number of outstanding Common Units as of immediately following such Conversion (the "Secondary Period A-2 Conversion"), or (C) convert all, but not less than all, of the then-outstanding Series A-3 Preferred Units into an aggregate number of Common Units that, following such Conversion, shall equal the product of (x) the A-3 Conversion Ratio multiplied by (y) the aggregate number of outstanding Common Units as of immediately following such Conversion (the "Secondary Period A-3 Conversion"), in each case which Common Units shall be issued to the Holdings Member (or, if the Crestwood Member acquired any Series A Preferred Units pursuant to Section 3.04, then to the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member in proportion to their respective ownership of all Series A Preferred Units); provided, however, that the Holdings Member's right to effect a Conversion shall be limited solely to the extent required to be limited by applicable law. In the event that the Secondary Period Conversion Notice elects either a Secondary Period A-2 Conversion or a Secondary Period A-3 Conversion, the other series of Series A Preferred Units not being converted shall be redeemed in accordance with Section 4.06(f) and the delivery of the Secondary Period Conversion Notice shall be deemed to be a Holdings Member Redemption Notice with respect to such other series of Series A Preferred Units.

(b) <u>Effectiveness of Conversion; Rights of Holdings Member Upon Conversion</u>. A Conversion shall be effective immediately, and without any payment of consideration or further action by the Company, or the Members, upon the delivery by the Holdings Member of a Conversion Notice to the Crestwood Member. Upon a Conversion, the rights of the Holdings Member (and if applicable, the Crestwood Member) in its capacity as a holder of Series A Preferred Units or Series B Preferred Units shall cease with respect to such Units, including any rights under this Agreement with respect to such Units.

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(c) <u>Reimbursement Obligation Following Conversion</u>. No later than 10 Business Days following a Conversion, the Crestwood Member shall deliver a written notice to the Holdings Member setting forth the Applicable Adjusted Capex Amount and wire transfer instructions for the account to which the Holdings Member should deliver the funds required (if the Applicable Adjusted Capex Amount is positive) pursuant to this <u>Section 4.07(c)</u>. No later than 10 Business Days following the receipt of such notice, (I) if the Applicable Adjusted Capex Amount is positive, the Holdings Member shall deliver to the Crestwood Member a written notice agreeing to one of the following three options: (i) to pay to the Crestwood Member the Applicable Adjusted Capex Amount in immediately available funds to an account designated by the Crestwood Member, (ii) having the Company reduce the number of Common Units held by the Holdings Member following the Conversion by a number of Common Units equal to the quotient of (A) the Applicable Adjusted Capex Amount divided by (B) the Common Unit Price or (iii) electing to pay a portion of the Applicable Adjusted Capex Amount and instructing the Company to reduce the number of Common Units held by the Holdings Member following the Conversion by a number of Common Units equal to the quotient of (A) the balance of the Applicable Adjusted Capex Amount divided by (B) the Common Unit Price, or (II) if the Applicable Adjusted Capex Amount is negative, Holdings Member shall deliver to Crestwood Member wire transfer instructions for the account to which the Crestwood Member should deliver the required funds and Crestwood Member shall pay to the Holdings Member the Applicable Adjusted Capex Amount in immediately available funds to such account designated by the Holdings Member no later than 10 Business Days following receipt of the wire instructions. If the Holdings Member elects options (i) or (iii), then the Holdings Member shall deliver the Applicable Adjusted Capex Amount (or in the case of option (iii) the reduced amount thereof) to the Crestwood Member no later than 10 Business Days following the delivery of such notice to the Crestwood Member. If the Holdings Member elects options (ii) or (iii), then, without any further action by the Company, the board or the Members, the number of Common Units held by the Holdings Member shall automatically be reduced as instructed, effective upon the Conversion. If the Holdings Member fails to deliver a written notice within such 10 Business Day period or otherwise fails to fund the Applicable Adjusted Capex Amount, the Holdings Member shall be deemed to have elected option (ii), and the number of Common Units held by the Holdings Member shall be reduced in accordance with the provisions thereof.

(d) <u>Evaluation of G&A Services Fee</u>. Following a Conversion, the Crestwood Member and the Holdings Member shall (i) evaluate the G&A Services Fee set forth in the Operating Agreement and (ii) use commercially reasonable efforts to agree on an appropriate replacement G&A Services Fee to reflect changes in the scope of G&A services provided by the Operator (as defined in the Operating Agreement).

## ARTICLE V DISTRIBUTIONS AND ALLOCATIONS

## 5.01 Distributions.

#### (a) Series A Quarterly Distributions.

(i) Commencing with the Fiscal Quarter ending on March 31, 2018 and ending upon the earlier to occur of a Conversion or the redemption of all of the Series A-2

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Preferred Units, the holders of the Series A-2 Preferred Units shall be entitled to receive cumulative distributions (each, a "<u>Series A-2 Quarterly Distribution</u>"), prior to any other distributions made in respect of any Common Units or other Interests other than any outstanding Deficiency Preferred Units, in the amount set forth in this <u>Section 5.01(a)(i)</u> in respect of each Series A-2 Preferred Unit outstanding as of the end of such Fiscal Quarter. All such distributions shall be paid within 30 days after the end of each Such Fiscal Quarter and, except as provided in the immediately following sentence, in cash in an amount equal to the Series A-2 Coupon Amount; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that the Series A-2 Coupon Amount shall be equal to zero for each Fiscal Quarter in respect of which there are Series C Preferred Units outstanding as of end of such Fiscal Quarter. For the Fiscal Quarter ending March 31, 2018, and for each Fiscal Quarter thereafter through and including the Fiscal Quarter ending March 31, 2019, the Series A-2 Quarterly Distribution may, at the election of the Company, be paid through the issuance to the Holdings Member of a number of Series A-2 Preferred Units (a "<u>Series A-2 PIK Distribution</u>") equal to the quotient resulting from the division of (A) the Series A-2 Coupon Amount, by (B) the Series A-2 PIK Distribution shall be treated as a distribution of the Series A-2 Coupon Amount followed by an immediate contribution to the Company of such amount by the Holdings Member.

(ii) Commencing with the Fiscal Quarter ending on June 30, 2019 and ending upon the earlier to occur of a Conversion or the redemption of all of the Series A-3 Preferred Units, the holders of the Series A-3 Preferred Units shall be entitled to receive cumulative distributions (each, a "Series A-3 Quarterly Distribution"), prior to any other distributions made in respect of any Common Units or other Interests other than any outstanding Deficiency Preferred Units, in the amount set forth in this Section 5.01(a)(ii) in respect of each Series A-3 Preferred Unit outstanding as of the end of such Fiscal Quarter. All such distributions shall be paid within 30 days after the end of each such Fiscal Quarter and, except as provided in the immediately following sentence, in cash in an amount equal to the Series A-3 Coupon Amount; provided, however, that the Series A-3 Coupon Amount shall be equal to zero for each Fiscal Quarter in respect of which there are Series C Preferred Units outstanding as of end of such Fiscal Quarter.

(iii) In the event the Company has insufficient funds to pay in full the Series A-2 Quarterly Distribution and the Series A-3 Quarterly Distribution, all amounts available for such payment shall be shared pro rata among the Series A-2 Preferred Units and the Series A-3 Preferred Units based on the total number of Series A Preferred Units then outstanding.

(b) Distributions of Available Cash.

(i) Subject to <u>Section 5.01(b)(ii)</u>, the Managing Member shall cause the Company to make a distribution of 100% of all Available Cash in respect of a particular Fiscal Quarter to the Common Members in respect of the Common Units outstanding as of the end of such Fiscal Quarter (it being understood that, as of the Effective Date, the Crestwood Member shall be the only Common Member), <u>provided</u> that, if such distribution

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is prior to a Conversion, immediately prior to making such distribution (A) the Company has distributed any Series A Quarterly Distribution required with respect to such Fiscal Quarter, (B) there are no Series A Quarterly Distributions required to have been distributed pursuant to <u>Section 5.01(a)</u> with respect to any concluded Fiscal Quarter that remain unpaid, (C) no Series B Preferred Units are outstanding and (D) the Managing Member and the Company have each provided the Holdings Member with a written certificate in the form attached as <u>Exhibit B</u> at least three Business Days prior to making such distribution specifying that as of such time, no Material Adverse Change has occurred, nor will any Material Adverse Change occur as a result of the Company's making such distribution.

(ii) If a Conversion has not yet occurred, in addition to fulfilling the conditions set forth in the proviso of <u>Section 5.01(b)(i)</u>, at any time after December 31, 2023, the Managing Member shall cause the Company to make a distribution of 100% of all Available Cash in respect of a particular Fiscal Quarter as follows:

(A) First, pro rata to the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member in accordance with their then-current respective aggregate Capital Contributions (but disregarding any contributions as contemplated by <u>Section 4.05</u>) as of the making of such distribution; <u>provided</u> that, for the purpose of this <u>Section 5.01(b)(ii)</u>, (1) "Available Cash" shall include the aggregate amount of the Series A Quarterly Distribution required to be distributed in respect of the Series A Preferred Units with respect to such Fiscal Quarter and (2) the amount of Available Cash deemed to have been distributed to the Holdings Member for purposes of this <u>Section 5.01(b)(ii)</u> shall include the amount of any such Series A Quarterly Distribution required to be distributed to the Holdings Member for purposes of this <u>Section 5.01(b)(ii)</u> shall include the amount of any such Series A Quarterly Distribution required to be distributed to the Holdings Member for purposes of the Holdings Member with respect to such Fiscal Quarter; and

(B) Second, upon the receipt by the Holdings Member pursuant to <u>Section 5.01(b)(ii)(A)</u> of an amount of distributions equal to (1) in respect of each outstanding Series A-2 Preferred Unit equal to (x) the amount required to provide to the Holdings Member an IRR equal to 10% on each such outstanding Series A-2 Preferred Unit, less (y) the Series A-2 Preferred Unit Price, and (2) in respect of each outstanding Series A-3 Preferred Unit equal to (x) the amount required to provide to the Holdings Member an IRR equal to 10% on each such outstanding Series A-3 Preferred Unit equal to (x) the amount required to provide to the Holdings Member an IRR equal to 10% on each such outstanding Series A-3 Preferred Unit, less (y) the Series A-3 Preferred Unit, less (y) the Series A-3 Preferred Unit Price, then 100% to the Crestwood Member in respect of the Common Units.

(c) <u>Withholding</u>. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the Managing Member, in connection with and subject to the consent of the Holdings Member (such consent not to be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed), shall determine the amounts of any required tax withholdings. In connection therewith, the Managing Member may retain or withhold amounts (including any amounts imposed pursuant to Section 6225 of the Code) and make tax payments, including interest and penalties thereon, on behalf of or with respect to any Member ("<u>Tax Advances</u>"). All Tax Advances made on behalf of a Member shall, at the option of the Managing Member, (i) be promptly paid to the Company by the Member on whose behalf such Tax Advances

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were made or (ii) be repaid by reducing the amount of the current or next succeeding distribution or distributions which would otherwise have been made to such Member or, if such distributions are not sufficient for that purpose, by so reducing the proceeds of liquidation of the Company otherwise payable to such Member. Whenever the Managing Member selects option (ii) pursuant to the preceding sentence for repayment of a Tax Advance by a Member, for all other purposes of this Agreement, such Member shall be treated as having received all distributions unreduced by the amount of such Tax Advance. For the avoidance of doubt, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, the liabilities and obligations of each Member under this <u>Section</u> <u>5.01(c)</u> shall survive any deemed Transfer of an interest in the Company by such Member or such Member ceasing to be a Member under this Agreement.

(d) <u>Distributions in Error</u>. Any distributions pursuant to this <u>Section 5.01</u> made in error or in violation of Section 18-607(a) of the Act, will, upon good faith demand by the Managing Member (or the Holdings Member, if such distribution in error was received by the Managing Member), be returned to the Company.

# 5.02 Allocations.

(a) <u>In General</u>. Except as provided in <u>Section 5.02(b)</u>, for purposes of maintaining Capital Accounts, items of Company income, gain, loss, deduction and credit for each applicable accounting period (taking into account, for this purpose, any positive adjustments to the Book Values of Company assets in the same manner as if such adjustments were items of income or gain and any negative adjustments to the Book Values of Company assets in the same manner as if such adjustments were items of deduction or loss) shall be allocated among the Members in a manner that will, as nearly as possible, cause the Capital Account balance of each Member at the end of such period to equal the amount (which may be negative) determined for such Member by subtracting <u>item (ii)</u> from <u>item (i)</u> below:

(i) the amount that would be distributed to such Member (other than any amounts treated as a guaranteed payment under Section 707(c) of the Code) if: (A) all Company assets were sold for cash equal to their Book Values; (B) all Company obligations were satisfied in cash according to their terms (limited, with respect to each Nonrecourse Liability or Member Nonrecourse Debt, to the Book Values of the assets securing or subject to such liability); and (C) the net proceeds thereof (after satisfaction of such liabilities) were distributed in full pursuant to Section 10.02(c) (ignoring, for this purpose, Section 10.02(c)(ii)(B)(1), and applying Section 10.02(c)(ii)(B)(2) as if it applied at any time prior to the commencement of the Holdings Member Option Period); over

(ii) the sum of: (A) such Member's share of the Company Minimum Gain determined pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-2(g) computed immediately prior to the hypothetical sale described above, (B) such Member's share of Member Minimum Gain determined pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-2(i)(5), computed immediately prior to the hypothetical sale described above and (C) the amount, if any, that such Member is obligated to contribute to the capital of the Company computed after the hypothetical events described in <u>Section 5.02(a)(i)</u> above;

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<u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this <u>Section 5.02(a)</u>, the amount of items of Company deduction and loss allocated to any Member pursuant to this <u>Section 5.02(a)</u> shall not exceed the maximum amount of such items that can be so allocated without causing such Member to have a deficit balance in its Adjusted Capital Account at the end of any Tax Year or other applicable accounting period. Items of deduction and loss in excess of such limitation shall be allocated to the Members who do not have deficit balances in their Adjusted Capital Accounts, *pro rata*, in proportion to the amounts that may be so allocated to them without causing them to have such deficit balances.

(b) <u>Regulatory Allocations</u>. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of <u>Section 5.02(a)</u>, the following special allocations will be made in the following order of priority:

(i) <u>Minimum Gain Chargeback</u>. If there is a net decrease in Company Minimum Gain during an applicable accounting period, then each Member will be allocated items of Company income and gain for such period (and, if necessary, for subsequent periods) in an amount equal to such Member's share of the net decrease in Company Minimum Gain, determined in accordance with Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-2(g)(2). This <u>Section 5.02(b)(i)</u> is intended to comply with the minimum gain chargeback requirement of Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-2(f) and will be interpreted consistently therewith.

(ii) <u>Member Minimum Gain Chargeback</u>. If there is a net decrease in Member Minimum Gain attributable to a Member Nonrecourse Debt during any applicable accounting period, each Member who has a share of the Member Minimum Gain attributable to such Member Nonrecourse Debt, determined in accordance with Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-2(i)(5) will be specially allocated items of Company income and gain for such period (and, if necessary, subsequent periods) in an amount equal to such Member's share of the net decrease in Member Minimum Gain attributable to such Member Share of the net decrease in Member Minimum Gain attributable to such Member's share of the net decrease in Member Minimum Gain attributable to such Member Share of the net decrease in Member Minimum Gain attributable to such Member Share of the net decrease in Member Minimum Gain attributable to such Member Share of the net decrease in Member Minimum Gain attributable to such Member Share of the net decrease in Member Minimum Gain attributable to such Member Share of the net decrease in Member Minimum Gain attributable to such Member Share of the net decrease in Member Minimum Gain attributable to such Member Share of the net decrease in Member Minimum Gain attributable to such Member Nonrecourse Debt, determined in a manner consistent with the provisions of Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-2(g)(2) and (j)(2)(ii). This Section 5.02(b)(ii) is intended to comply with the partner nonrecourse debt minimum gain chargeback requirement of Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-2(i)(4) and will be interpreted consistently therewith.

(iii) <u>Qualified Income Offset</u>. If any Member unexpectedly receives an adjustment, allocation, or distribution of the type contemplated by Treasury Regulations Sections 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(d)(4), (5) or (6), items of income and gain will be allocated to such Member in an amount and manner sufficient to eliminate any resulting deficit balance in such Member's Adjusted Capital Account as quickly as possible, <u>provided</u> that an allocation pursuant to this <u>Section 5.02(b)</u> (<u>iii)</u> shall be made if and only to the extent that such Member would have an Adjusted Capital Account deficit after all other allocations provided for in this <u>Article V</u> have been tentatively made as if this <u>Section 5.02(b)(iii)</u> were not in this Agreement. It is intended that this <u>Section 5.02(b)(iii)</u> qualify and be construed as a "qualified income offset" within the meaning of Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(ii)(d).

(iv) <u>Certain Additional Adjustments</u>. To the extent that an adjustment to the adjusted tax basis of any Company asset pursuant to Code Section 734(b) or Code Section

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743(b) is required, pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv)(m)(2) or Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv)(m)(4), to be taken into account in determining Capital Accounts as the result of a distribution to a Member in complete liquidation of its Interest, the amount of such adjustment to the Capital Accounts will be treated as an item of gain (if the adjustment increases the basis of the asset) or loss (if the adjustment decreases such basis), and such gain or loss will be specially allocated to the Members in accordance with their Interests in the Company in the event that Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv)(m)(2) applies, or to the Members to whom such distribution was made in the event that Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv)(m)(4) applies.

(v) <u>Nonrecourse Deductions</u>. The Nonrecourse Deductions for each Tax Year will be allocated to holders of Common Units in proportion to the relative number of Common Units held.

(vi) <u>Member Nonrecourse Deductions</u>. Member Nonrecourse Deductions will be allocated to the Members that bear the economic risk of loss (within the meaning of Treasury Regulations Section 1.752-2) for the Member Nonrecourse Debt to which such Member Nonrecourse Deductions are attributable.

(vii) <u>Curative Allocations</u>. The allocations contained in the foregoing provisions of this <u>Section 5.02(b)</u>, and any allocations required following the proviso in <u>Section 5.02(a)</u>, are intended to comply with certain requirements of the Treasury Regulations promulgated under Code Section 704. It is the intent of the Members and the Company that, to the extent possible, all such allocations shall be offset either with other such allocations or with special allocations of other items of income, gain, loss or deduction pursuant to this <u>Section 5.02(b)(vii)</u>, so that after such offsetting allocations are made, each Member's Capital Account balance is, to the extent possible, equal to the Capital Account balance such Member would have had if no such allocations had been made and all items were allocated pursuant to <u>Section 5.02(a)</u> (not including the allocations required following the proviso in <u>Section 5.02(a)</u>).

(viii) <u>Noncompensatory Option</u>. Items of income, gain, loss or deduction resulting from a restatement of the Book Values of Company assets pursuant to <u>clause (b)(iii)</u> of the definition of Book Value shall be allocated among the Members in the manner described in Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-1(b)(2)(iv)(s)(2).

(c) <u>Tax Allocations</u>.

(i) Except as provided in Section 5.02(c)(ii) hereof, to the maximum extent possible, for U.S. federal income tax purposes (and for purposes of any state or local income or franchise tax that follows the federal treatment), each item of Company income, gain, loss or deduction will be allocated among the Members in the same manner as the correlative item of income, gain, loss or deduction is allocated for purposes of maintaining Capital Accounts pursuant to this <u>Article V</u>.

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(ii) Tax items with respect to any Company asset that has a Book Value that differs from its adjusted tax basis will be allocated among the Members for federal income tax purposes in a manner consistent with the Treasury Regulations promulgated under Code Sections 704(b) and 704(c) so as to take into account such difference utilizing the remedial allocation method under Treasury Regulations Section 1.704-3(d).

(d) <u>Other Provisions</u>. The Members, their respective Affiliates and Permitted Transferees, and the Company, intend and agree to treat the Preferred Units as equity interests in the Company for U.S. federal income tax purposes, and the Company as a partnership, for U.S. federal income tax purposes, except as otherwise required by applicable law following a final "determination" under Code Section 1313 or as otherwise agreed by all of the Members (including, for the avoidance of doubt, the Holdings Member to the extent such treatment is relevant to the treatment of the Company or any holder of a Preferred Unit for any Tax Year or portion thereof in which the Holdings Member, any of its Affiliates or Permitted Transferees, is or was a Member). In the event that it is determined upon audit by the Internal Revenue Service that the Company, the Crestwood Member, or any of its Affiliates or Permitted Transferees, is required to treat the rights and obligations represented by the Preferred Units as indebtedness for U.S. federal income tax purposes, the Members, their respective Affiliates and Permitted Transferees, and the Company agree to revise the provisions of this Agreement and take such other action as may be reasonably requested by either Member to minimize the effect of such treatment on all of the Members.

(e) <u>Compliance with Subchapter K</u>. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, in the discretion of the Managing Member, with the consent of the Holdings Member, the Company may diverge from the allocations described herein as may be necessary or appropriate to comply with the provisions of subchapter K of the Code and the Treasury Regulations promulgated thereunder.

# ARTICLE VI MANAGEMENT

**6.01 Authority of the Managing Member.** Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement (including as provided in Section 6.02 or by applicable law), the power and authority to manage, direct and control the Company will be vested in the Managing Member, and the Managing Member will have full, complete and exclusive authority to manage, direct and control the business, affairs and properties of the Company. The Company will not have any officers or employees.

# 6.02 Actions Requiring Holdings Member Consent.

(a) <u>Actions Requiring Holdings Member Consent Prior to a Conversion</u>. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, except as provided in <u>Section 6.03</u> or as set forth in the Operating Agreement, prior to a Conversion, neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries will take, and neither the Managing Member nor any other Member will take any action so as to cause or permit the Company or any of its Subsidiaries to take, any of the following actions without the prior written consent of the Holdings Member:

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(i) the liquidation, dissolution, recapitalization or reorganization of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries in any form of transaction except as contemplated by <u>Article III</u> and <u>Article IV</u> (excluding, for the avoidance of doubt, a liquidation to fund a redemption pursuant to <u>Section 4.06(f)</u>);

(ii) the election of, or any change in, the manner in which either (A) the Company or any of its Subsidiaries or any material transaction undertaken by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries is treated for tax purposes or (B) any material item of income or expense of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries is treated for tax purposes;

(iii) the entry by the Company into any line of business or activity other than (A) holding an equity interest in Jackalope LLC or (B) engaging in Agreed Midstream Services;

(iv) the merger or consolidation of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries with or into any other Entity;

(v) the acquisition by the Company or any of its Subsidiaries of any equity interest in any Entity;

(vi) the authorization or issuance of any equity security, convertible security, phantom equity instrument or similar right that would not be subordinated to the Preferred Units, or the amendment of the terms of any such security, instrument or right to the extent such amendment would cause such security, instrument or right not to be subordinated to the Preferred Units;

(vii) undertaking a Public Offering;

(viii) the amendment or waiver of any provision of the Certificate or this Agreement;

(ix) any change in the distribution policy of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries (including a change in the calculation of Adjusted Available Cash), or the making or authorization of any distribution other than as permitted by <u>Article V</u>; or

(x) the filing of a voluntary bankruptcy or similar proceeding or the failure to contest any bankruptcy or similar proceeding filed against the Company or any of its Subsidiaries;

(xi) the conversion of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries from a limited liability company into any other form of Entity;

(xii) except for Permitted Liens, the encumbering of any assets of the Company (not including any Units of the Company) or any of its Subsidiaries;

(xiii) except during any Holdings Member Default Period, the issuance, incurrence, renewal, refinancing, early repayment, or discharge of any material indebtedness

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(including the guarantee of the obligations of any other Person or the indemnification of any other Person) other than the extension of credit in the ordinary course of the Business;

(xiv) except during any Holdings Member Default Period, the commencement or settlement of any material tax contest, Dispute, arbitration, litigation, mediation, or other proceeding (other than the commencement or settlement of any such proceeding in which a Member is a defendant, in which case such Member will not be entitled to vote on such matter) in which the contested amount is greater than \$500,000;

(xv) the sale, lease, pledge or other disposition of any material assets of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries, except as contemplated by <u>Article III</u> or <u>Article IV</u>;

(xvi) the entry into, or termination or amendment of, any contract, agreement, transaction or other arrangement between the Company or any of its Subsidiaries and the Crestwood Member or any of its Affiliates, other than a Permitted Utilization Arrangement;

(xvii) except during any Holdings Member Default Period, the adoption of the Initial Budget and subsequent Annual Budgets and any amendments thereto;

(xviii) except during any Holdings Member Default Period, any expenditures in excess of 125% of the aggregate amount budgeted in any of the categories of expenditures for the current year contained in the Initial Budget or any Annual Budget; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that such consent shall not be necessary in connection with any expenditure required by reason of an emergency;

(xix) except during any Holdings Member Default Period, the adoption of any Growth Capex Budget and any amendments thereto and the adoption or approval of any specific growth capital expenditure project (not previously approved by the Members) under the any Growth Capex Budget having aggregate expenditures of greater than \$5,000,000;

(xx) except during any Holdings Member Default Period, any expenditures in excess of 110% of the aggregate amount budgeted in any of the categories of expenditures for the current year contained in the Growth Capex Budget; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that such consent shall not be necessary in connection with any expenditure pursuant to a Crestwood Scheduled Project;

(xxi) the determination of the Fair Market Value of any asset contributed to a Member by the Company or by a Member to the Company;

(xxii) except during any Holdings Member Default Period, the entry into (A) any contract (or series of related contracts) for services or for the purchase (or series of related purchases) of items, materials, and supplies for amounts greater than \$5,000,000 or (B) any lease for real or personal property that during the term of such lease is reasonably expected to result in an expenditure of greater than \$1,000,000, or (ii) any contract for capital

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expenditures (or series of related contracts) for amounts greater than \$5,000,000; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, to the extent any series of related contracts and/or purchases is related to a project or undertaking previously approved by the Members, then such consent of the Members shall not be required for each contract or purchase related to such project or undertaking;

(xxiii) the Transfer of any equity interest in the Company or any of its Subsidiaries (other than a Transfer permitted pursuant to <u>Article III</u> or a redemption or purchase of any Units effected in accordance with <u>Article IV</u> or <u>Article V</u>);

(xxiv) except in connection with a redemption of Preferred Units pursuant to <u>Section 4.06</u>, the issuance to any Person (other than the Company or another wholly-owned Subsidiary of the Company) of equity interests in any Subsidiary of the Company;

(xxv) except during any Holdings Member Default Period, the amendment of the budget for any Agreed Midstream Project or any material change in the scope of development or operation of any Agreed Midstream Project;

(xxvi) the removal or replacement of the Operator (as defined in the Operating Agreement) pursuant to the Operating Agreement;

(xxvii) any material amendment or termination to the Operating Agreement;

(xxviii) the removal or replacement of the Crestwood Member as the Managing Member other than as a result of a Transfer by the Crestwood Member in compliance with this Agreement; and

(xxix) agree or commit to do any of the foregoing.

(b) <u>Actions Requiring Holdings Member Consent Following a Conversion</u>. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, except as provided in <u>Section 6.03</u> or as set forth in the Operating Agreement, following a Conversion, neither the Company nor any of its Subsidiaries will take, and neither the Managing Member nor any other Member will take any action so as to cause or permit the Company or any of its Subsidiaries to take, any of the following actions without the prior written consent of the Holdings Member; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that at any time that the Holdings Member does not hold at least 15% of the Common Units, the prior written consent of the Holdings Member under this <u>Section 6.02(b)</u> will not be required for the actions set forth in clauses (xii), (xiii), (xvi), (xviii), (xx) or, to the extent relating to such clauses, clause (xxiv) of this <u>Section 6.02(b</u>):

(i) the liquidation, dissolution, recapitalization or reorganization of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries in any form of transaction except as contemplated by <u>Article III</u> and <u>Article IV</u> (including, for the avoidance of doubt, a liquidation to fund a redemption pursuant to <u>Section 4.06</u>);

(ii) the election of, or any change in, the manner in which either (A) the Company or any of its Subsidiaries or any material transaction undertaken by the Company

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or any of its Subsidiaries is treated for tax purposes or (B) any material item of income or expense of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries is treated for tax purposes;

(iii) the entry by the Company into any line of business or activity other than (A) holding an equity interest in Jackalope LLC or (B) engaging in Agreed Midstream Services;

(iv) the merger or consolidation of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries with or into any other Entity;

(v) except as contemplated by <u>Section 4.02(c)</u>, the authorization or issuance of any equity security, convertible security, phantom equity instrument or similar right to a third party;

(vi) undertaking a Public Offering;

(vii) the amendment or waiver of any provision of the Certificate or this Agreement;

(viii) any change in the distribution policy of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries (including a change in the calculation of Adjusted Available Cash), or the making or authorization of any distribution other than as permitted by <u>Article V</u>; or

(ix) the filing of a voluntary bankruptcy or similar proceeding or the failure to contest any bankruptcy or similar proceeding filed against the Company or any of its Subsidiaries;

(x) the conversion of the Company or any of its Subsidiaries from a limited liability company into any other form of Entity;

(xi) except for Permitted Liens, the encumbering of any assets of the Company (not including any Units of the Company) or any of its Subsidiaries;

(xii) except during any Holdings Member Default Period, the issuance, incurrence, renewal, refinancing, early repayment, or discharge of any material indebtedness (including the guarantee of the obligations of any other Person or the indemnification of any other Person) other than the extension of credit in the ordinary course of the Business;

(xiii) except during any Holdings Member Default Period, the commencement or settlement of any material tax contest, Dispute, arbitration, litigation, mediation, or other proceeding (other than the commencement or settlement of any such proceeding in which a Member is a defendant, in which case such Member will not be entitled to vote on such matter) in which the contested amount is greater than \$500,000;

(xiv) the sale, lease, pledge or other disposition of any material assets of the Company, in a single transaction or a series of related transactions for aggregate consideration exceeding \$5,000,000, except as contemplated by <u>Article III</u> or <u>Article IV</u>;

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(xv) the entry into, or termination or amendment of, any material contract, material agreement, material transaction or other material arrangement between the Company or any of its Subsidiaries and the Crestwood Member or any of its Affiliates, other than a Permitted Utilization Arrangement;

(xvi) except during any Holdings Member Default Period, the adoption of the Initial Budget, subsequent Annual Budgets and any amendments thereto;

(xvii) except during any Holdings Member Default Period, the adoption of any Growth Capex Budgets and any amendments thereto, and the adoption or approval of any project (not previously approved by the Members) under the Growth Capex Budget having aggregate expenditures of greater than \$5,000,000;

(xviii) except during any Holdings Member Default Period, any expenditures in excess of 110% of the aggregate amount budgeted in any of the categories of expenditures for the current year contained in the Initial Budget, any Annual Budget or any Growth Capex Budget; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that such consent shall not be necessary in connection with any expenditure required by reason of an emergency;

(xix) the determination of the Fair Market Value of any asset contributed to a Member by the Company or by a Member to the Company;

(xx) except during any Holdings Member Default Period, the entry into (A) any contract (or series of related contracts) for services or for the purchase (or series of related purchases) of items, materials, and supplies for amounts greater than \$5,000,000 or (B) any lease for real or personal property that during the term of such lease is reasonably expected to result in an expenditure of greater than \$1,000,000, or (ii) any contract for capital expenditures (or series of related contracts) for amounts greater than \$5,000,000; provided, however, to the extent any series of related contracts and/or purchases is related to a project or undertaking previously approved by the Members, then such consent of the Members shall not be required for each contract or purchase related to such project or undertaking;

(xxi) the Transfer of any equity interest in the Company (other than a Transfer permitted pursuant to <u>Article</u> <u>III</u> or a redemption or purchase of any Units effected in accordance with <u>Article IV</u> or <u>Article V</u>);

(xxii) the removal or replacement of the Operator (as defined in the Operating Agreement) pursuant to the Operating Agreement;

(xxiii) any material amendment or termination to the Operating Agreement; and

(xxiv) agree or commit to do any of the foregoing.

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## 6.03 Opportunities; Midstream Project Opportunities.

(a) <u>Right to Compete</u>. Notwithstanding anything else to the contrary in this Agreement, except for the limitations applicable to the Crestwood Member pursuant to <u>Section 6.03(b)</u>, <u>Section 6.03(c)</u> and <u>Section 6.03(d)</u>, nothing herein shall require the Crestwood Member or the Holdings Member (or any of their respective Affiliates or their direct or indirect equity owners) to bring any Midstream Project Opportunity or other opportunity to the Company (including any De Minimis Midstream Project Opportunity), and the Members (and their respective Affiliates and their respective direct or indirect equity owners) may engage or invest in, and devote their time to, any other business venture or activity of any nature and description, whether or not such activities are considered competitive with the Company or its business (the "<u>Right to Compete</u>"), and neither the Company nor any other Member (nor any of their respective Affiliates or their direct or indirect equity owners) will have any right by virtue of this Agreement or the relationship created hereby in or to such other venture or activity (or to the income or proceeds derived therefrom), and the pursuit of such other venture or activity will not be deemed wrongful or improper. Subject to the limitations applicable to the Crestwood Member pursuant to <u>Section 6.03(b)</u>, <u>Section 6.03(c)</u> and <u>Section 6.03(d)</u>, the foregoing Right to Compete does not require notice to, approval from, or other sharing with, any of the other Members, the Company or any other Person, and, notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, including in this <u>Section 6.03(b</u>, the legal doctrines of "corporate opportunity," "business opportunity" and similar doctrines will not be applied to any such competitive venture or activity (except as otherwise set forth in <u>Section 6.03(b</u>), <u>Section 6.03(c</u>) or <u>Section 6.03(d</u>), and are hereby fully and irrevocably disclaimed.

(b) <u>Prohibition on Pursuing Opportunities</u>. Except for those matters set forth on <u>Schedule I</u> and for Excluded Opportunities, the Crestwood Member, CEQP and their controlled Affiliates are prohibited from pursuing, developing, owning, operating or investing in any Midstream Project Opportunities relating to the Business in the Area of Interest other than in accordance with this <u>Section 6.03</u> (including with respect to De Minimis Midstream Project Opportunities which are prohibited other than as set out in <u>Section 6.03(e)</u>).

## (c) Project Requests.

(i) The Crestwood Member may (but in no event shall be required to), from time to time, propose that the Company engage in a Midstream Project Opportunity relating to the Business in the Area of Interest by delivering a written request (each, a "<u>Project Request</u>") to the Holdings Member. Each Project Request shall contain a reasonably detailed explanation of the Midstream Project Opportunity relating to the Business in the Area of Interest, including:

(A) a detailed monthly budget for such Midstream Project Opportunity, including a good faith estimate of the costs and expenses of constructing, operating and maintaining such Midstream Project Opportunity and the revenues to be derived therefrom;

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(B) a detailed timetable for such Midstream Project Opportunity, including an estimated commencement date and material milestones and the estimated schedule for calling capital;

(C) a framework for project review meetings with the Holdings Member, including approvals for any budget overruns, delays and other events that could materially impair the economics or viability of such Midstream Project Opportunity and subsequent requirements for Capital Contributions;

(D) the proposed terms of any agreements with third parties that arise in connection with such Midstream Project Opportunity; and

(E) the expected effect of such Midstream Project Opportunity on the Company and its existing business and assets.

(ii) The Holdings Member agrees that any information furnished to the Holdings Member or its advisors in a Project Request or by or on behalf of the Crestwood Member in connection with the Holdings Member's evaluation of any Midstream Project Opportunity (such information, "<u>Evaluation Material</u>") shall be (A) kept strictly confidential and (B) used by the Holdings Member and its Affiliates, on or before the second anniversary of the date such Evaluation Material is furnished to the Holdings Member, solely for the purpose of evaluating the Company's undertaking the Midstream Project Opportunity and implementing any Midstream Project Opportunity that becomes an Agreed Midstream Project; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that Evaluation Material shall not include any information to the extent that such information (I) was or becomes generally available to the public other than as a result of a disclosure by the Holdings Member, (II) was or becomes available to the Holdings Member from a source other than the Crestwood Member or its Affiliates, advisors or other representatives that is not bound by an obligation of confidentiality to the Crestwood Member or its Affiliates or (III) was independently developed by the Holdings Member or its Affiliates without reference to or otherwise using the Evaluation Material.

# (d) Agreed Midstream Projects and Rejection.

(i) If, within 45 days following receipt of a Project Request, the Holdings Member provides written notice to the Crestwood Member of its consent to the Company's undertaking the applicable Midstream Project Opportunity, then such Midstream Project Opportunity shall be deemed an "<u>Agreed Midstream Project</u>" and the Company may pursue such Agreed Midstream Project in accordance with the terms set forth in the applicable Project Request and may request Capital Contributions with respect thereto in accordance with <u>Section 4.02</u>.

(ii) If the Holdings Member (x) does not provide written notice to the Crestwood Member of its consent to the Company's undertaking a Midstream Project Opportunity within 45 days following receipt of the applicable Project Request or (y) provides written notice to the Crestwood Member that it does not consent to the Company's undertaking the relevant Midstream Project Opportunity prior to the expiration of such 45-

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day period (each such circumstance described in the foregoing <u>clauses (x)</u> and (y), a "<u>Rejection</u>"), then none of the Crestwood Member or its Affiliates, the Company or any of the Company's Subsidiaries may pursue such Midstream Project Opportunity except that the Crestwood Member may undertake such Midstream Project Opportunity, as well as any enhancements, extensions or expansions of such Midstream Project Opportunity, outside of the Company and its Subsidiaries so long as it does not utilize any assets of the Company and its Subsidiaries unless under a Permitted Utilization Arrangement.

(e) <u>De Minimis Midstream Project Opportunities</u>. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the Company shall be permitted (but not required) to pursue and effect a De Minimis Midstream Project Opportunity without the consent of the Holdings Member.

(f) <u>Crestwood Scheduled Projects</u>. Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, the capital projects listed on <u>Schedule II</u> (each, a "<u>Crestwood Scheduled Project</u>") shall be deemed approved by the Members. The Crestwood Member shall fund all capital expenditures associated with such Crestwood Scheduled Projects and such capital expenditures shall be deemed Crestwood Additional Capital Contributions pursuant to <u>Section 4.02(b)</u>.

(g) <u>PRB JV</u>. Without limiting the foregoing in this <u>Section 6.03</u>, if and to the extent that the Crestwood Member, CEQP or any of their controlled Affiliates become obligated pursuant to the terms of that certain PRB LLCA (as defined on Schedule I) to pursue, develop, own, operate or invest in a Midstream Project Opportunity relating to the Business in the Area of Interest that does not constitute an Excluded Opportunity through the PRB JV (as defined on Schedule I), then the Crestwood Member shall use its reasonable best efforts to do so by means of an investment by the Company or its Subsidiaries; provided that such reasonable best efforts shall not require the Crestwood Member or any of its Affiliates to (i) pay any amounts to any Person or make any economic concessions to any Person or (ii) initiate, or threaten to initiate, any action, proceeding or litigation against any Person. Notwithstanding the foregoing and without limiting other ways in which the Crestwood Member may satisfy its obligations under this <u>Section 6.03(g)</u>, the Crestwood Member shall have no further obligations under this <u>Section 6.03(g)</u>, if the Crestwood Member offers to contribute the interest in the PRB JV held by an Affiliate of the Crestwood Member to the Company as a Capital Contribution valued at Fair Market Value thereof; provided that if within thirty (30) days of being notified of such offer, the Holdings Member requests that the Crestwood Member make such Capital Contribution, the Crestwood Member shall make such Capital Contribution as soon as possible thereafter in exchange for a number of Common Units equal to the Fair Market Value of such Capital Contribution divided by (i) if such Capital Contribution is made prior to the Conversion, the Common Unit Price (it being understood for the avoidance of doubt that such Capital Contribution shall be taken into account in the determination of the Net Capital Contribution Amount) or (ii) if such Capital Contribution is made following the Conversion, the Fair Market Value of a Common Unit.

# 6.04 Indemnification; Limitation of Liability.

(a) Subject to <u>Section 6.04(b)</u>, (i) a Member, in its capacity as such, shall have no fiduciary or other duty to the Company, any other Member or any other Person that is a Party or is otherwise bound by this Agreement other than the implied contractual covenant of good faith

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and fair dealing and (ii) such Member shall not be liable in damages to the Company, any other Member or any other Person that is a Party or is otherwise bound by this Agreement by reason of, or arising from or relating to the operations, business or affairs of, or any action taken or failure to act on behalf of, the Company, except to the extent that it is determined by a final, non-appealable order of a court of competent jurisdiction that any of the foregoing was caused by (x) a breach or violation of the implied contractual covenant of good faith and fair dealing or the duties imposed by <u>Section 6.04(b)</u>, (y) actual fraud or willful misconduct, or, (z) with respect to any criminal action or proceeding, conduct of a Member that such Member had reasonable cause to believe was unlawful.

(b) Except with respect to the Managing Member's Right to Compete and the fiduciary duties related thereto, which duties are hereby disclaimed, the Managing Member shall have fiduciary duties of loyalty and care to the Company similar to that of directors and officers of for-profit corporations organized under the General Corporation Law of the State of Delaware.

(c) To the maximum extent permitted by applicable law, but subject to the provisions of this <u>Section 6.04</u>, the Members and the Managing Member (each an "<u>Indemnitee</u>"), each as provided below, will not be liable for, and will be indemnified and held harmless by the Company against, any and all claims, actions, demands, losses, damages, liabilities, costs or expenses, including attorneys' fees, court costs, and costs of investigation, actually and reasonably incurred by any such Indemnitee (collectively, "<u>Indemnified Losses</u>") arising from any civil, criminal or administrative proceedings in which such Indemnitee may be involved, as a party or otherwise, by reason of its being a Member or the Managing Member, whether or not it continues to be such at the time any such Indemnified Loss is paid or incurred, except to the extent that any of the foregoing is determined by a final, non-appealable order of a court of competent jurisdiction to (i) with respect to the Managing Member, have been caused by any breach of the duties imposed by <u>Section 6.04(b)</u>, (ii) with respect to all Indemnitees, have been caused by a willful breach of the terms of this Agreement or the actual fraud, gross negligence, willful misconduct or bad faith of such persons, or (iii) with respect to criminal matters, have occurred in connection with activity that an Indemnitee had reason to believe was unlawful. IT IS THE EXPRESS INTENT OF THE PARTIES THAT THE FOREGOING INDEMNITY SHALL BE APPLICABLE TO ANY LOSS THAT HAS RESULTED FROM OR IS ALLEGED TO HAVE RESULTED FROM THE ACTIVE OR PASSIVE OR THE SOLE, JOINT OR CONCURRENT ORDINARY NEGLIGENCE OF THE INDEMNITEE.

(d) To the maximum extent permitted by applicable law, expenses incurred by an Indemnitee in defending any proceeding (except a proceeding by or in the right of the Company or brought by any of the Members against such Indemnitee), will be paid by the Company in advance of the final disposition of the proceeding, upon receipt of a written undertaking by or on behalf of such Indemnitee to repay such amount if such Indemnitee is determined pursuant to this <u>Section 6.04</u> or adjudicated to be ineligible for indemnification, which undertaking will be an unlimited general obligation of the Indemnitee but need not be secured unless so determined by the Managing Member.

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(e) Any indemnification pursuant to this <u>Section 6.04</u> will be made only out of the assets of the Company and will in no event cause any Member to incur any personal liability nor shall it result in any liability of the Members to any third party.

(f) The rights of indemnification provided in this <u>Section 6.04</u> are in addition to any rights to which an Indemnitee may otherwise be entitled by contract (including advancement of expenses) or as a matter of law.

No Recourse Against Nonparty Affiliates. All claims, obligations, liabilities, or causes of action (whether in 6.05 contract or in tort, in law or in equity, or granted by statue) that may be based upon, in respect of, arise under, out or by reason of, be connected with, or relate in any manner to this Agreement, or the negotiation, execution, or performance of this Agreement (including any representation or warranty made in, in connection with, or as an inducement to, this Agreement), may be made only against (and are those solely of) the Parties. No Person who is not a Party, including any director, officer, employee, incorporator, member, partner, manager, stockholder, affiliate, agent, attorney, or representative of, and any financial advisor or lender to, any Party, or any director, officer, employee, incorporator, member, partner, manager, stockholder, affiliate, agent, attorney, or representative of, and any financial advisor or lender to any, of the foregoing ("Nonparty Affiliates"), shall have any liability (whether in contract or in tort, in law or in equity, or granted by statue) for any claims, causes of action, obligations, or liabilities arising under, out of, in connection with, or related in any manner to this Agreement or based on, in respect of, or by reason of this Agreement or its negotiation, execution, performance, or breach, and, to the maximum extent permitted by law, each Party hereby waives and releases all such liabilities, claims, causes of action, and obligations against any such Nonparty Affiliates. Without limiting the foregoing, to the maximum extent permitted by law, (a) each Party hereby waives and releases any and all rights, claims, demands, or causes of action that may otherwise be available at law or in equity, or granted by statute, to avoid or disregard the entity form of a Party or otherwise impose liability of a Party on any Nonparty Affiliate, whether granted by statute or based on theories of equity, agency, control, instrumentality, alter ego, domination, sham, single business enterprise, piercing the veil, unfairness, undercapitalization, or otherwise; and (b) each Party disclaims any reliance upon any Nonparty Affiliates with respect to the performance of this Agreement or any representation or warranty made in, in connection with, or as an inducement to this Agreement.

**6.06 Initial Budget and Annual Budgets.** The Members hereby adopt and approve the Initial Budget, as set forth on Exhibit D as the initial operating budget of the Company and agree that such Initial Budget shall be deemed to be the Annual Budget for the periods set forth therein. Subsequent Annual Budgets shall be approved (a) prior to a Conversion, pursuant to Section 6.02(a)(xvii) and (b) after a Conversion, pursuant to Section 6.02(b)(xvi). The Members hereby adopt and approve the initial Growth Capex Budget, as set forth on Exhibit E as the initial budget for growth capital expenditures of the Company and agree that such initial Growth Capex Budget shall be deemed to be the Growth Capex Budget for the periods set forth therein. Future Growth Capex Budgets shall be approved (a) prior to a Conversion, pursuant to Section 6.02(a)(xix) and (b) after a Conversion, pursuant to Section 6.02(a)(xix) and (b) after a Conversion, pursuant to Section 6.02(a)(xix) and (c) after a Conversion, pursuant to Section 6.02(a)(xix) and (c) after a Conversion, pursuant to Section 6.02(a)(xix) and (c) after a Conversion, pursuant to Section 6.02(a)(xix) and (c) after a Conversion, pursuant to Section 6.02(b)(xvi). If the Members do not approve any proposed Annual Budget in accordance with Section 6.02(a)(xvii) or Section 6.02(b)(xvi), as applicable, within 30 days after the Company submits such Annual Budget to the Members, the Company shall continue

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to use the Annual Budget for the previous year, extrapolated to a 12-month budget period if necessary, except that (i) any items of the proposed Annual Budget that previously have been approved by the Crestwood Member and the Holding Member shall be given effect in substitution of the corresponding items in the Annual Budget for the previous year, (ii) any one-time or non-recurring items and the corresponding budget entries therefor shall be deleted, and (iii) all other expenses from the Annual Budget for the previous year shall be increased by 25%. If the Members do not approve any Growth Capex Budget in accordance with Section 6.02(a)(xix) or Section 6.02(b)(xvi), as applicable, within 30 days after the Company submits such Growth Capex Budget to the Members, the Company shall not continue to use the Growth Capex Budget for the previous year and the Growth Capex Budget for the applicable year will only consist of capital expenditures for previously Agreed Midstream Projects unless and until such budget is approved in accordance with 6.02(a)(xix) or Section 6.02(b)(xvi), as applicable. During any period in which a default budget is in place pursuant to the foregoing provisions of this Section 6.02(b)(xvi), as applicable, that the Members approve.

# ARTICLE VII RIGHTS OF MEMBERS; CONFIDENTIALITY

## 7.01 Access to Information.

(a) <u>Generally</u>. In addition to the other rights specifically set forth in this Agreement, the Members and Permitted Transferees will have access to all information to which a Member is entitled to have access pursuant to the Act. The Company shall permit the Holdings Member (so long as the Holdings Member is a Member) to send representatives to visit and inspect any of the properties of the Company, including its books of account and other records (and make copies of and take extracts from such books and records), and to discuss all aspects of the Company's business, affairs, finances, and accounts with the Company's officers and its independent public accountants, all at such reasonable times during the Company's usual business hours and as often as the Holdings Member may reasonably request and to consult with and advise management of the Company, upon reasonable notice at reasonable times from time to time, on all matters relating to the operation of the Company.

(b) <u>Quarterly Meetings</u>. The Company, Crestwood Member and Holdings Member will meet no less than once a Fiscal Quarter to discuss the operating and financial performance of the Company and its Subsidiaries, capital projects, budgets, and additional topics as may be reasonably requested by a Member. Representatives of each member of the Holdings Member shall be entitled to attend each such quarterly meeting.

## 7.02 Financial Reports. The Company shall furnish the following to the Holdings Member:

(a) as soon as available, but not later than thirty (30) Business Days after the end of each calendar month financial statements of the Company, including monthly and year-to-date balance sheets, income statements, cash flow statements and statements of members' equity

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prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles ("U.S. GAAP") applied on a consistent basis;

(b) as soon as available, but not later than one hundred eighty (180) calendar days after the end of each Fiscal Year (commencing with the Fiscal Year ending December 31, 2013), a consolidated balance sheet of Company and its consolidated Subsidiaries as of December 31 of each Fiscal Year and the related consolidated statements of income, changes in members' equity and cash flows of Company and its consolidated Subsidiaries for the Fiscal Year then ended, such annual financial reports to include notes and to be in reasonable detail, all prepared in accordance with U.S. GAAP;

(c) promptly (but in no event later than two days) after the occurrence of any event that has, or could reasonably be expected to have, individually or in the aggregate, a material adverse effect on the business, results of operations, condition, assets, liabilities, employees, prospects, financial condition or capitalization of the Company, notice of such event together with a summary describing the nature of the event and its impact on the Company;

(d) within 15 days of the formation of any subsidiary company or joint venture in which the Company has Control, the Company shall provide the Holdings Member notice of such formation or acquisition and an updated organizational diagram; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that the Company's undertaking any such activity shall still be subject to <u>Section 6.02</u>; and

(e) any other information that the Holdings Member may reasonably request.

**7.03** Audits. The Holdings Member shall have the right to conduct, or cause to be conducted, audits of the books and records of the Company. The expenses of such audits shall be borne by Holdings Member. No other Member in its capacity as a Member will have the right to conduct, or cause to be conducted, an audit of the books and records of the Company.

**7.04 Confidentiality.** No Party will divulge to any Person any confidential information, paper or document relating to the assets, liabilities, operations, business affairs or any other such information about the Company or any of its Subsidiaries that is not already publicly available or that has not been publicly disclosed pursuant to authorization by the Members, except (a) as required by law or under the terms of a subpoena or order issued by a court of competent jurisdiction or by any applicable governmental body, (b) as required pursuant to an order of a court of competent jurisdiction or (c) to an Entity under 100% common Control with such Member (a "<u>Permitted Affiliate</u>"), provided that, any Party disclosing any such information to a Permitted Affiliate will (i) inform such Permitted Affiliate of the obligations of this <u>Section 7.04</u> and (ii) be responsible for any breach of this <u>Section 7.04</u> by any such Permitted Affiliate. The right to maintain the confidentiality of the affairs of the Company in connection with the Company's business may be enforced by the Company by way of an injunction issued out of any court of competent jurisdiction, and such right will not restrict or take the place of the Company's rights to money damages, actual and exemplary, for a violation of the provisions of this <u>Section 7.04</u>. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this <u>Section 7.04</u>, a Member may disclose information about the Company or any of its Subsidiaries to potential transferees of Units or to such Member's representatives, agents, advisors (including attorneys, accountants, consultants, bankers, and financial advisors) (each, a

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"<u>Representative</u>"); provided, however, such potential transferee must execute a confidentiality agreement in customary form prior to such disclosure which (A) requires the recipient to keep the information confidential and (B) prohibits the recipient from using the information for any purpose other than evaluating the potential Transfer and any such Representative must be similarly bound with respect to confidentiality and usage. The confidentiality obligations of the Members will survive any termination of the membership of any Member in the Company. Notwithstanding the foregoing or anything else herein to the contrary, the Members (and each Affiliate and Person acting on behalf of any Member) agree that each Member (and each employee, representative and other agent of such Member) may disclose to any and all Persons, without limitation of any kind, the transaction's tax treatment and tax structure (as such terms are used in Sections 6011 and 6112 of the Code and the Treasury Regulations promulgated thereunder) contemplated by this Agreement and all materials of any kind (including opinions or other tax analyses) provided to such Member or such Person relating to such tax treatment and tax structure, except to the extent necessary to comply with any applicable federal or state securities laws.

**7.05 Press Releases.** Neither the Company nor any Party or Affiliate of any Party shall issue, or authorize to be issued, any press release, interview, article or other media release (including an internet posting, web blog or other electronic publication) that makes reference to this Agreement or the transactions contemplated herein, without the prior unanimous written consent of the Members.

# ARTICLE VIII TAXES

**8.01 Tax Returns.** The Managing Member will cause to be prepared and filed all necessary federal, state and local tax returns for the Company, and the Managing Member will select an appropriate accounting firm to prepare such tax returns. The Company shall furnish to each Member the Company's estimated IRS Form 1065 including the Schedules K-1 no later than February 20<sup>th</sup> following each Tax Year. The Holdings Member may review and comment on the Company's draft federal tax return and the Managing Member and the accounting firm preparing such return shall provide the Holdings Member with any supporting information reasonably requested by the Holdings Member for the purpose of reviewing such tax returns and the Managing Member a final IRS Form 1065, Schedule K-1 with respect to such Member no later than April 15<sup>th</sup> following each Tax Year. The Company also shall use reasonable best efforts to timely provide such other information, if any, with respect to the Company as may be reasonably necessary for the preparation of each Member's, or its direct or indirect owners', state or local income tax (or information) returns for such Tax Year, in each case at the Member's expense. Upon the request of the Holdings Member, the Company will furnish to the Holdings Member copies of any and all returns that are actually filed, promptly after their filing.

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## 8.02 Tax Elections.

(a) <u>Elections by the Company</u>. Subject to <u>Sections 6.02(a)(ii)</u>, <u>6.02(b)(ii)</u>, <u>8.02(b)</u> and <u>8.03</u> the Crestwood Member will determine the elections to be made by the Company for tax purposes.

(b) <u>Entity Classification Election</u>. Neither the Company nor any Member may make an election for the Company to be treated as an association taxable as a corporation for U.S. federal income tax purposes, and no provision of this Agreement will be construed to sanction or approve such an election.

**Tax Audits.** In the event of an audit or inquiry by any taxing authority of tax matters relating to the Company (any 8.03 such audit or inquiry, a "Tax Proceeding"), the Crestwood Member shall represent the Company as the tax matters partner within the meaning of Section 6231(a)(7) of the Code and as the partnership representative pursuant to 6223(a) of the Code (as amended by the Bipartisan Budget Act of 2015); provided that, in all events, the Crestwood Member shall provide the Holdings Member with prompt notice of any audit or inquiry, shall consult with the Holdings Member on a regular basis regarding any such audit or inquiry, the Holdings Member shall be entitled to attend any meetings or conferences with the Internal Revenue Service (with counsel of its own choosing) relating to the Company or the U.S. federal income tax treatment of any items relating to the Company, all filings, elections, responses and other correspondence with the Internal Revenue Service on behalf of the Company or relating to the U.S. federal income tax treatment of any items relating to the Company shall be jointly approved by the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member, and the Crestwood Member shall not settle or compromise any Tax Proceeding without the written consent of the Holdings Member, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed. Expenses incurred by the Crestwood Member or the Holdings Member with respect to the matters described in this Section 8.03 shall be borne by the Company. Each Member and former Member, as applicable, agrees to cooperate with the tax matters partner or partnership representative, as applicable, and to do or refrain from doing any or all things reasonably required by the tax matters partner or partnership representative in connection with the conduct of any Tax Proceeding, including filing amended tax returns and paying any tax due by such Member or former Member in accordance therewith. Each Member hereby agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the Company and the other Members from and against any taxes, penalties and interest payable by the Company as a result of a Tax Proceeding with respect to income attributable to such Member (including with respect to any former Member, any taxes allocated to such former Member that are attributable to taxable periods (or portions thereof) during which such former Member was treated as holding Units or any other interest in the Company). The allocation of taxes to each member under the preceding sentence shall be made in consultation with and subject to the consent of the Holdings Member, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed. For the avoidance of doubt, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, the liabilities and obligations of each Member under this Section 8.03 shall survive any deemed Transfer of an interest in the Company by such Member or such Member ceasing to be a Member under this Agreement. The partnership representative is authorized to appoint any eligible individual to act as the "designated individual" in accordance with Treasury Regulations Section 301.6223-1(b)(3)(ii).

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# ARTICLE IX BOOKS, RECORDS, REPORTS, AND BANK ACCOUNTS

**9.01 Maintenance of Books and Records.** The books of account for the Company and other records of the Company will be located at the principal office of the Company or such other place as Managing Member may deem appropriate, and will be maintained on an accrual basis in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, except that the Capital Accounts of the Members will be maintained in accordance with the definition of "Capital Account" in this Agreement.

**9.02 Reports.** The Company will cause to be prepared or delivered such reports as the Managing Member may require and as are required to be prepared and delivered to the Holdings Member pursuant to <u>Section 7.02</u>. The Company will bear the costs of such reports.

**9.03 Bank Accounts.** The Managing Member will cause the Company to establish and maintain one or more separate bank or investment accounts for Company funds in the Company name with such financial institutions and firms as the Managing Member may select and with such signatories thereon as the Managing Member may designate.

# ARTICLE X DISSOLUTION, LIQUIDATION AND TERMINATION

**10.01 Dissolution.** The Company will dissolve and its affairs will be wound up upon the first to occur of any of the following:

- (a) the unanimous vote of the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member;
- (b) a redemption pursuant to clause (3) of <u>Section 4.06(f)</u>; or
- (c) the occurrence of any other event causing dissolution of the Company under the Act;

<u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that upon dissolution pursuant to <u>clause (c)</u> of this <u>Section 10.01</u>, any or all of the remaining Members may elect to continue the business of the Company within 90 days of the occurrence of the event causing such dissolution. The death, resignation, withdrawal, bankruptcy, insolvency or expulsion of any Member will not dissolve the Company.

**10.02** Liquidation and Termination. On dissolution of the Company, the Holdings Member, or, during any Holdings Member Default Period, the Managing Member, may appoint one or more Persons as liquidator(s), which Person or Persons shall be reasonably approved by the Crestwood Member. The liquidator will proceed diligently to wind up the affairs of the Company and make final distributions as provided herein. The costs of liquidation will be borne as a Company expense. Until final distribution, the liquidator will continue to operate the Company properties with all of the power and authority of the Members. The steps to be accomplished by the liquidator are as follows:

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(a) as promptly as possible after dissolution and again after final liquidation, the liquidator will cause a proper accounting to be made by a recognized firm of certified public accountants of the Company's assets, liabilities, and operations through the last day of the calendar month in which the dissolution occurs or the final liquidation is completed, as applicable;

(b) the liquidator will pay from Company funds all of the debts and liabilities of the Company (including all expenses incurred in liquidation) or otherwise make adequate provision therefor (including the establishment of a cash escrow fund for contingent liabilities in such amount and for such term as the liquidator may reasonably determine); and

(c) the Company will dispose of all remaining assets as follows:

(i) the liquidator may sell any or all Company property, and any resulting gain or loss from each sale will be computed and allocated to the Members pursuant to <u>Section 5.02</u>; and then pursuant to <u>clause (ii)</u> below:

following:

(ii) thereafter, if any, Company property will be distributed among the Members in accordance with the ng:

(A) *First*, 100% to the Holdings Member and the Crestwood Member, *pro rata* in accordance with their respective holdings of Deficiency Preferred Units, until (x) the Holdings Member has received an amount so as to result in an IRR to the Holdings Member of 20% on the aggregate Deficiency Contributions made by the Holdings Member in respect of such Series B Preferred Units and (y) the Crestwood Member has received an amount so as to result in an IRR to the Crestwood Member of 20% on the aggregate Default Contributions made by the Crestwood Member in respect of such Series C Preferred Units;

(B) *Second*, 100% to the Holdings Member in redemption of the outstanding Series A Preferred Units (pro rata among the Series A-2 Preferred Units and the Series A-3 Preferred Units based on the total number of Series A Preferred Units then-outstanding) as follows:

(1) at any time prior to the fifth anniversary of the Issue Date, pursuant to <u>Section 4.06(c)</u> in an amount determined as if the Crestwood Member had elected to cause the Company to make such redemption solely for cash in connection with a Company Change of Control;

(2) at any time on or after the fifth anniversary of the Issue Date but prior to the commencement of the Holdings Member Option Period, in an amount equal to the product of (x) 1.10 and (y) the Series A-2 Liquidation Amount or the Series A-3 Liquidation Amount, as applicable; or

(3) at any time after the commencement of the Holdings Member Option Period, in an amount equal to the Series A-2 Liquidation Amount or the Series A-3 Liquidation Amount, as applicable;

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(C) *The remainder*, if any, 100% to the Common Members, pro rata in proportion to their respective ownership of outstanding Common Units.

(d) All distributions in kind to the Members will be made subject to the liability of each distribute for its allocable share of costs, expenses and liabilities theretofore incurred or for which the Company has committed prior to the date of termination and those costs, expenses and liabilities will be allocated to the distribute pursuant to this <u>Section 10.02</u>.

**10.03 Cancellation of Filing.** On completion of the distribution of Company assets as provided herein, the Company will be terminated, and the Managing Member (or such other Person or Persons as may be required) will cause the cancellation of any other filings previously made on behalf of the Company and will take such other actions as may be necessary to terminate the Company.

# ARTICLE XI GENERAL PROVISIONS

**11.01 Notices.** All notices, requests or consents provided for or permitted to be given under this Agreement will be in writing (except as otherwise provided in <u>Section 11.12</u>) and will be given (a) by depositing such writing in the United States mail, addressed to the recipient, postage paid and certified with return receipt requested, (b) by depositing such writing with a reputable overnight courier for next day delivery, (c) by delivering such writing to the recipient in person, by courier, (d) by facsimile transmission or (e) email transmission. A notice, request or consent given under this Agreement will be effective on receipt by the Person to receive it. All notices, requests and consents to be sent to a Member will be sent to or made at the addresses given for that Member on the list attached hereto as <u>Exhibit A</u> or such other address as that Member may specify by notice to the other Members. Any notice, request or consent to the Company also will be given to the Crestwood Member and the Holdings Member. Any notice, request or consent to CEQP will be given to the following address: 811 Main Street, Suite 3400, Houston, Texas 77002, Attention: General Counsel.

**11.02** Entire Agreement; Third Party Beneficiaries. This Agreement, together with its Exhibits, constitutes the entire agreement of the Parties relating to the Company and supersedes all prior contracts or agreements with respect to the Company, whether oral or written. Nothing in this Agreement, express or implied, is intended to confer upon any Person other than the Parties and their respective successors, personal representatives and permitted assigns, any rights or remedies under or by reason of this Agreement; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that Nonparty Affiliates are intended to be third-party beneficiaries with rights to enforce the provisions of <u>Section 6.05</u> as though a Party.

**11.03** Effect of Waiver or Consent. A waiver or consent, express or implied, to or of any breach or default by any Person in the performance by that Person of its obligations with respect to the Company will not constitute a consent or waiver to or of any other breach or default in the performance by that Person of the same or any other obligations of that Person with respect to the Company. Failure on the part of a Person to complain of any act of any Person or to determine any Person to be in default with respect to the Company, irrespective of how long such failure continues,

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will not constitute a waiver by that Person of its rights with respect to that default until the applicable limitations period has expired.

**11.04 Amendment or Modification.** Except for any amendments to <u>Exhibit A</u> made solely to reflect issuances of additional Units or admission of Members in accordance with this Agreement, which amendments may be made by the Managing Member, this Agreement may be amended or modified from time to time only by a written instrument executed by each of the Crestwood Member and the Holdings Member; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that following the termination of the Holdings Member as a Member in accordance with this Agreement, the Holdings Member's consent shall only be required to amend or modify the Surviving Provisions or to otherwise amend or modify the Agreement in a manner that would negatively affect the Holdings Member's rights under the Surviving Provisions.

**11.05 Survivability of Terms.** The terms and provisions of the obligations or agreements of the Members under <u>Sections</u> 3.08, 3.09, 3.10, 6.04, 6.05, 7.03, 7.04, 7.05, <u>Article VIII</u> and <u>Section 9.01</u> and <u>Article XI</u> herein shall survive any termination of this Agreement and will be construed as agreements independent of any other provisions of this Agreement.

**11.06 Binding Effect.** Subject to <u>Article III</u>, this Agreement will be binding on and inure to the benefit of the Parties and their respective legal representatives and trustees.

**11.07 Governing Law; Severability.** This Agreement is governed by and will be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Delaware, excluding any conflict-of-laws rule or principle (whether under the laws of Delaware or any other jurisdiction) that might refer the governance or the construction of this Agreement to the law of another jurisdiction. If any provision of this Agreement or its application to any Person or circumstance is held invalid or unenforceable to any extent, the remainder of this Agreement and the application of such provision to other Persons or circumstances will not be affected thereby, and such provision will be enforced to the greatest extent permitted by law.

**11.08 Consent to Jurisdiction; Waiver of Jury Trial.** THE COMPANY AND THE PARTIES VOLUNTARILY AND IRREVOCABLY SUBMIT TO THE JURISDICTION OF THE FEDERAL COURTS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA LOCATED IN HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS, OVER ANY DISPUTE BETWEEN OR AMONG THE PARTIES OR THE COMPANY AND THE PARTIES ARISING OUT OF THIS AGREEMENT, AND THE COMPANY AND EACH PARTY IRREVOCABLY AGREES THAT ALL SUCH CLAIMS IN RESPECT OF SUCH DISPUTE SHALL BE HEARD AND DETERMINED IN SUCH COURTS. THE COMPANY AND THE PARTIES HEREBY IRREVOCABLY WAIVE, TO THE FULLEST EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, ANY OBJECTION WHICH THEY MAY NOW OR HEREAFTER HAVE TO THE VENUE OF ANY SUCH DISPUTE ARISING OUT OF THIS AGREEMENT BROUGHT IN SUCH COURT OR ANY DEFENSE OF INCONVENIENT FORUM FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF SUCH DISPUTE. THE COMPANY AND EACH PARTY AGREES THAT A JUDGMENT IN ANY SUCH DISPUTE MAY BE ENFORCED IN OTHER JURISDICTIONS BY SUIT ON THE JUDGMENT OR IN ANY OTHER MANNER PROVIDED BY LAW.

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# EACH OF THE PARTIES HEREBY VOLUNTARILY AND IRREVOCABLY WAIVES TRIAL BY JURY IN ANY DISPUTE OR OTHER PROCEEDING RELATED THERETO BROUGHT IN CONNECTION WITH THIS AGREEMENT.

**11.09** Further Assurances. In connection with this Agreement and the transactions contemplated thereby, each Party will execute and deliver any additional documents and instruments and perform any additional acts that may be necessary or appropriate to effectuate and perform the provisions of this Agreement and such transactions.

**11.10 Title to Company Property.** All assets shall be deemed to be owned by the Company as an entity, and no Member, individually, shall have any ownership of such property.

**11.11 Counterparts.** This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts with the same effect as if all signatories had signed the same document. All counterparts will be construed together and constitute the same instrument.

**11.12** Electronic Transmissions. Each of the Parties agrees that (a) any signed consent or signed document transmitted by electronic transmission shall be treated in all manner and respects as an original written document, (b) any such consent or document shall be considered to have the same binding and legal effect as an original document and (c) at the request of any Party, any such consent or document shall be re-delivered or re-executed, as appropriate, by the relevant Party or Parties in its original form. Each of the Parties further agrees that they will not raise the transmission of a consent or document by electronic transmission as a defense in any proceeding or action in which the validity of such consent or document is at issue and hereby forever waives such defense. For purposes of this Agreement, the term "electronic transmission" means any form of communication not directly involving the physical transmission of paper, that creates a record that may be retained, retrieved and reviewed by a recipient thereof, and that may be directly reproduced in paper form by such a recipient through an automated process.

**11.13** Equitable Relief. The Parties hereby acknowledge and agree that the terms of this Agreement are necessary to protect the Company's and the Members' legitimate business interests, and that breaches of this Agreement would cause irreparable harm and injury to the Company and the Members, which cannot adequately be remedied through damages at law. Accordingly, the Parties agree that the remedies of the Company and of the Members may include specific performance, a temporary restraining order, preliminary and permanent injunctive relief, or any other equitable relief against any threatened or actual breach by a Party without the need to post bond or other security in connection therewith.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Crestwood Member, the Holdings Member, and, solely for the purposes of <u>Section 4.06(h)</u> and <u>Article XI</u> (as well as any other provisions of this Agreement necessary to give meaning to the foregoing), CEQP have executed this Agreement effective as of the Effective Date.

## **CRESTWOOD**:

# **CRESTWOOD MIDSTREAM PARTNERS LP**

By: Crestwood Midstream GP LLC, its general partner

By: <u>/s/ William H. Moore</u> Name: William H. Moore Title: SVP, Strategy & Corporate Development

<u>CEQP</u>:

## **CRESTWOOD EQUITY PARTNERS LP**

By: Crestwood Equity GP LLC, its general partner

By: <u>/s/ William H. Moore</u> Name: William H. Moore Title: SVP, Strategy & Corporate Development

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# HOLDINGS MEMBER:

# **CN JACKALOPE HOLDINGS, LLC**

By: GIP JACKALOPE ACQUISITION PARTNERS, L.P., its Administrative Agent

By: GLOBAL INFRASTRUCTURE GP CASCADE I, L.P., its general partner

By: GLOBAL INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTORS CASCADE, LLC, its general partner

By: <u>/s/ Matthew Harris</u> Name: Matthew Harris Title: Partner

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#### I, Robert G. Phillips, certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of Crestwood Equity Partners LP (the "registrant");
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- 4. The registrant's other certifying officer and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d 15(f)) for the registrant and have:
  - a. Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
  - b. Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
  - c. Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
  - d. Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
- 5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
  - a. All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  - b. Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: May 2, 2019

/s/ Robert G. Phillips

Robert G. Phillips Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer

#### I, Robert T. Halpin, certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of Crestwood Equity Partners LP (the "registrant");
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
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  - c. Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
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- 5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
  - a. All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
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Date: May 2, 2019

/s/ Robert T. Halpin

Robert T. Halpin Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

#### I, Robert G. Phillips, certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this quarterly report on Form 10-Q of Crestwood Midstream Partners LP (the "registrant");
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
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- 5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
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/s/ Robert G. Phillips

Robert G. Phillips Chairman, President and Chief Executive Officer

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- 5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
  - a. All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  - b. Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: May 2, 2019

/s/ Robert T. Halpin

Robert T. Halpin Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

## Certification of the Chief Executive Officer Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350 As Adopted Pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002

In connection with the Quarterly Report of Crestwood Equity Partners LP (the "Company") on Form 10-Q for the period ended March 31, 2019, as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof (the "Report"), I, Robert G. Phillips, Chief Executive Officer of Crestwood Equity Partners LP, certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that:

- (1) The Report fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; and
- (2) The information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

May 2, 2019

/s/ Robert G. Phillips Robert G. Phillips Chief Executive Officer

A signed original of this written statement required by Section 906, or other document authenticating, acknowledging, or otherwise adopting the signature that appears in typed form within the electronic version of this written statement required by Section 906, has been provided to the Company and will be retained by the Company and furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission or its staff upon request.

## Certification of the Chief Financial Officer Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350 As Adopted Pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002

In connection with the Quarterly Report of Crestwood Equity Partners LP (the "Company") on Form 10-Q for the period ended March 31, 2019, as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof (the "Report"), I, Robert T. Halpin, Chief Financial Officer of Crestwood Equity Partners LP, certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that:

(1) The Report fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; and

(2) The information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

/s/ Robert T. Halpin

May 2, 2019

Robert T. Halpin Chief Financial Officer

A signed original of this written statement required by Section 906, or other document authenticating, acknowledging, or otherwise adopting the signature that appears in typed form within the electronic version of this written statement required by Section 906, has been provided to the Company and will be retained by the Company and furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission or its staff upon request.

#### Certification of the Chief Executive Officer Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350 As Adopted Pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002

In connection with the Quarterly Report of Crestwood Midstream Partners LP (the "Company") on Form 10-Q for the period ended March 31, 2019, as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof (the "Report"), I, Robert G. Phillips, Chief Executive Officer of Crestwood Midstream Partners LP, certify, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, that:

- (1) The Report fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; and
- (2) The information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

/s/ Robert G. Phillips

Robert G. Phillips Chief Executive Officer

May 2, 2019

A signed original of this written statement required by Section 906, or other document authenticating, acknowledging, or otherwise adopting the signature that appears in typed form within the electronic version of this written statement required by Section 906, has been provided to the Company and will be retained by the Company and furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission or its staff upon request.

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/s/ Robert T. Halpin **Robert T. Halpin** 

May 2, 2019

**Chief Financial Officer** 

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