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### Q2 2020 Agenda

Speakers: Ralph Andretta President and CEO
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### Q2 2020 Key Takeaways

- Mixed results at LoyaltyOne
  - AIR MILES® benefitted from expense reduction adjusted EBITDA, net increased 5% on a constant currency basis; Solid performance in grocer Sponsor category
  - BrandLoyalty experienced deferred program spending revenue decreased 44% on a constant currency basis
- Card Services performed better than expected in the COVID-19 environment
  - Sales activity improved throughout June as retailers reopened
  - Continue to drive operational efficiencies via expense reduction
  - Credit metrics trending better than anticipated and payment activity remains consistent
- Investing in people and technology to improve business positioning beyond COVID-19



## Q2 2020 Consolidated Results (MM, except per share)

	Quarter Ended June 30,		
·	2020	2019	% Change
Revenue	\$979	\$1,348	-27%
Income from continuing operations	\$38	\$142	-73%
Income from continuing operations per diluted share (EPS)	\$0.81	\$2.71	-70%
Core EPS	\$1.86	\$3.83	-51%
Adjusted EBITDA	\$258	\$414	-38%
Adjusted EBITDA, net	\$156	\$310	-50%
Pre-Provision, earnings before taxes	\$297	\$451	-34%
Diluted shares outstanding ************************************	47.7 ******	52.6 ******	*****
(Including discontinued operations)			
Net income	\$38	\$139	-72%
Net income per diluted share	\$0.81	\$2.64	-69%

Direct operating expenses (volume-adjusted) were down approximately \$50 million quarter over quarter, resulting in approximately \$140 million reduction year to date



## Q2 2020 LoyaltyOne (MM)

	Quarte	Quarter Ended June 30,		
	2020	2019	% Change	
Revenue	\$151	\$251	-40%	
Operating Expenses	\$127	\$223	43%	
Operating Income	\$24	\$28	-16%	
Interest Expense	\$0	\$1	nm	
Earnings before taxes	\$24	\$27	-13%	
Adjusted EBITDA, net	\$44	\$51	-14%	
AIR MILES Issued	1,053	1,423	-26%	
AIR MILES Redeemed	608	1,050	-42%	

Revenue and adjusted EBITDA, net decreased 33% and 10% respectively, adjusted for currency translation and the divestiture of Precima



# Q2 2020 Card Services (MM)

		Quarter Ended June 30,		
	_	2020	2019	% Change
Revenue	_	\$828	\$1,097	-24%
Operating Expenses				
Asset impairments		\$34	\$0	nm
Mark-to-market		\$2	\$40	nm
Operating Expenses	_	\$370	\$432	-14%
Total Operating Expenses		\$406	\$472	-14%
Provision for Loan Losses				
Charge Offs		\$305	\$258	18%
ALLL Build/(Release)	_	-\$55	-\$1	nm
Total Provision for Loan Losses		\$250	\$257	-3%
Funding Costs		\$102	\$105	-3%
Earnings before taxes	_	\$70	\$263	-73%
Adjusted EBITDA, net		\$127	\$287	-56%
	1/1/2020	3/31/2020	6,	/30/2020
End of Period Receivables	\$19,463	\$17,732		\$15,809
ALLL Balance	\$1,815	\$2,151		\$2,096
Reserve Rate	9.3%	12.1%		13.3%



#### **Key Metrics**

	Quarte	Quarter Ended June 30,		
	2020	2019	% Change/	
	2020	2019	Variance	
Credit Sales	\$4,799	\$7,551	-36%	
Average Card Receivables	\$16,116	\$16,798	-4%	
Normalized Average Card Receivables <sup>1</sup>	\$16,204	\$18,335	-12%	
End of Period Receivables	\$15,809	\$17,615	-10%	
Total Gross Yield % <sup>2</sup>	20.4%	23.9%	-3.5%	
Operating Expense % <sup>3</sup>	9.1%	9.4%	-0.3%	
Cost of Funds	2.5%	2.3%	0.2%	
Principal Loss Rate	7.6%	6.1%	1.5%	
Reserve Rate	13.3%	5.7%	7.6%	
Delinquency Rate	4.3%	5.2%	-0.9%	
Return on Equity	15%	31%	-16%	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Normalized card receivables includes held-for-sale receivables

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Excludes mark-to-market on held-for-sale receivables and asset impairment charges



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Revenue divided by normalized card receivables

### Q2 2020 Liquidity Update

#### **Parent Level**

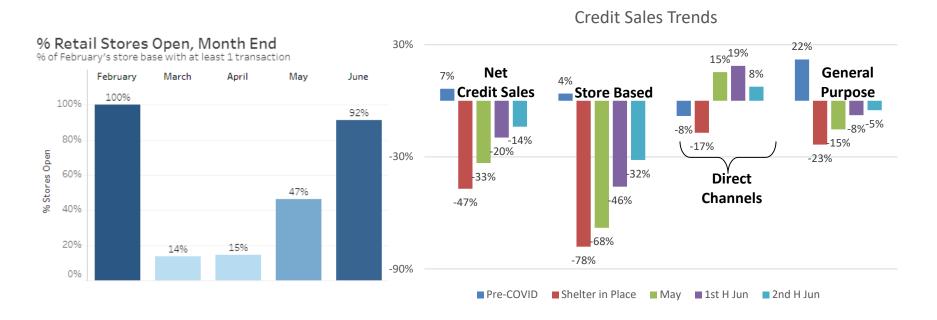
- Liquidity at 6/30 of \$1.1 billion, consisting of cash on hand plus revolver capacity
  - \$775 million in cash and cash equivalents, \$350 million in unused revolver
  - No debt maturities until December 2022

#### **Bank Level**

- Banks finished the quarter with \$4.2 billion in cash and \$2.5 billion in equity
- Total Risk Based Capital Ratio at 19.7% nearly double the 10% threshold to be considered well-capitalized
- Funding readily available
  - CDs and MMDAs Deposits taken in daily on our FDIC insured platform
  - Retail deposits have nearly tripled as a percentage of our funding since Q2 2019
  - Conduits Recently renewed \$2 billion of conduit capacity through July 2021



#### Store Openings / Credit Sales Trends

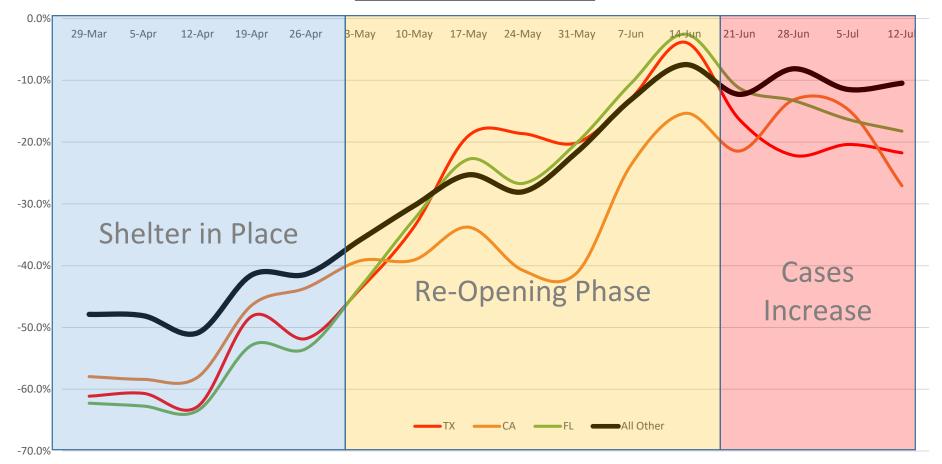


Pre-COVID = 1/1 to 3/14Shelter in Place = 3/15 to 4/30

- Compared to February base, stores were largely reopened at quarter-end
- Store-based sales recovered commensurate with store re-openings



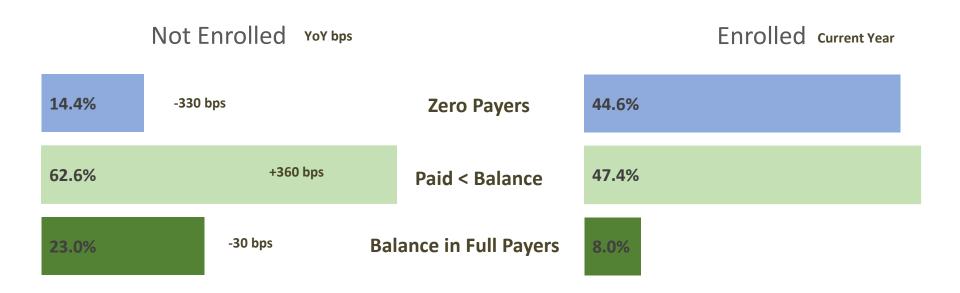
**State Re-Opening Trends** 



- States with COVID surges have come off of their peak re-openings
- Uncertainty in Q3/4 continues to rely on consumer confidence with direct implications from cases both in terms of number and severity



#### **Payment Behavior Trends**



- Total forbearance programs peaked above 10% of our total A/R and now represent slightly less than 4%
- Forbearance group was heavily influenced by Payment Holiday (largest program); still shows strong payment trends
- Over 50% of Payment Holiday enrollees made a payment even though none was required
- Over 85% of not enrolled made a payment, up over 300bps YoY



#### Retailer Bankruptcy Economics

- Approximately 6% of A/R is from retailers currently in bankruptcy process
- Cards retain functionality during retailer reorganizations, with appropriate measures implemented by ADS for prudent account management
- If a retailer ultimately liquidates, the associated A/R portfolio follows a predictable and profitable curve. For instance, with a typical private label credit card apparel program:
  - Card utility is suspended
  - A/R declines to about 50% after 6 months, and to about 10% after 24 months
  - Gross Yields increase about 800 basis points over 24 months
  - Charge-offs peak in 6 to 8 months
  - Operating expenses trend down as we no longer incur sales or marketing expenses and client compensation
- We can optimize value by profitably liquidating the file, selling the portfolio or we can offer cardholders a proprietary co-brand card to replace the private label credit card



### Q2 2020 Closing Remarks

#### The Way Forward - Planning For Our Future

- Board refreshment in June, two new directors were elected to our board and three completed their service
- Adding key talent recent addition of industry veteran Val Greer as Chief Commercial
  Officer
- Continuing investment in Data and Analytics and digital capabilities
- Increase flexibility of our cost basis and overall business model
- Continue to sign and renew partners in growth areas including health and beauty, home improvement (Card Services) and essential categories such as grocery, gas and liquor (LoyaltyOne)
- Prudent balance sheet management



#### **Financial Measures**

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# Q & A

