### BUNNINGS WAREHOUSE PROPERTY TRUST

### Full year results 2010

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# **Presentation outline**

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### Income growth and portfolio enhancements lift values

- 9.1% increase from 10 market rent reviews helps lift income by 7.3% from previous year
- Portfolio enhanced by extending leases of 35 Bunnings Warehouses
- 9.3 year weighted average lease expiry
- 99.2% occupancy
- BWP outperformed the S&P/ASX 200 A-REIT Accumulation Index for the year ended 30 June 2010 (23.3% vs 20.4% for the Index)
- BWP unit price outperformed indices (15.6% vs 12.6% for S&P/ASX 200 A-REIT)

### **Results - performance**

	2009/10	Previous corresponding period
Revenue	\$78.5 million	7.3% on pcp
Net profit/(loss) including revaluations	\$92.2 million	(\$11.7) million pcp
Distributable profit (excluding revaluations)	\$50.4 million	24.6% on pcp
Full year distribution	12.08 cpu	4.4% on pcp
Total assets	\$1,026.4 million	2.7% on pcp
Borrowings	\$193.5 million	\$225.9 million pcp
Net tangible assets	\$1.88 per unit	1 \$0.09 on pcp
Weighted average cap rate	7.65%	7.81% pcp
Gearing (debt to total assets)	18.8%	22.6% pcp
Covenant gearing (debt + n.c.l to total assets)	19.3%	23.1% pcp

### **Results - distributions**

Compound annual growth rate since inception of Trust 4.8%



<sup>1</sup> BWP commenced trading in Sep 98

<sup>2</sup> end of concessional management fee

<sup>3</sup> final distribution FY09 – impacted by additional units issued from \$150 million capital raising and one-off termination costs of interest rate derivatives closed out to pay down debt from capital raising

### Results – total returns

#### BWP total returns compared to market – periods ended 30 June 2010



Total returns include distributions and movement in price (assumes distributions are reinvested). Source: UBS

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# Portfolio – geographic spread

#### **53** Bunnings Warehouses



- **1** Bunnings distribution centre
- 1 Bunnings Warehouse development site
- 4 Industrial properties
- **2** Bulky goods showrooms\*

\* showrooms at Bayswater are on the same site as the Bayswater BWH





### Portfolio - Extended Lease Tenure

- 35 leases extended by either 5 or 10 years (average 6 years)
- Secures future rental income
  - Approximately \$280m\* over the average 6 years' increased committed term
  - Reduces re-leasing or vacancy risk
- Increases value of some subject properties
  - Approximately \$14m increase in portfolio value
- Enhances the Trust's Portfolio
  - "Locks in" high quality tenant
  - Secures existing lease terms and conditions beyond current expiry
  - Introduces 10 year optional terms on 7 properties
  - Smooths and extends lease expiry profile (refer to Appendix A)

<sup>\*</sup> ignores rental growth through CPI and market rent reviews

# Portfolio - WALE

#### 9.3 year weighted average lease expiry (by rental income)

Typical Bunnings Warehouse Property Trust lease features:

- 15 years (plus 2 x 5 year options)
- annual CPI escalation

- 5 yearly market rent reviews (majority uncapped)
- Wesfarmers covenant (BBB+ credit rating)



Non Bunnings rental income represents 3.7% of the portfolio rental income as at 30 June 2010

Canning Vale industrial property vacancy represents 0.8% of the portfolio rental income as at 30 June 2010

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# Portfolio – FY10 rent reviews



#### Like-for-like rental growth

	FY04	FY05	FY06	FY07	FY08	FY09	FY10
BWP	8.2%	4.1%	3.0%	4.4%	2.8%	7.1%	2.9%

Note: Like-for-like rental growth excludes income from acquisitions, developments and non-reviewable rents in the relevant years

# Portfolio – FY10 market rent reviews<sup>#</sup>

Property location	Passing rent (\$'000)	Determined rent (\$'000)	Uplift (\$'000)	Uplift (%)	Effective date
Albany, WA	570	745	178	+30.6	1 Nov 09
Bibra Lake, WA	1,217	1,489	272	+22.3	1 Nov 09
Fountain Gate, VIC*	1,281	1,325	44	+3.4	1 Feb 10
Hoppers Crossing, VIC*	1,127	1,163	35	+3.1	22 Mar 10
Maitland, NSW*	1,088	1,160	72	+6.6	18 Oct 09
Minchinbury, NSW <sup>#</sup>	1,402	1,525	123	+8.8	31 Dec 08
Morayfield, QLD^	1,368	1,508	140	+10.3	22 Mar 10
Mornington, VIC*	1,374	1,450	760	+5.5	13 Dec 09
Nunawading, VIC	1,927	2,065	138	+7.2	11 Feb 10
Thornleigh, NSW*	1,128	1,190	62	+5.5	6 Sep 09
Weighted average				+9.1	

\* Negotiated outcome

# Minchinbury determination was handed down subsequent to year-end but has been included for completeness

^ Excludes amortised rent not subject to review

### **Portfolio - revaluations**

### Cap rate compression following lease extensions

- Consistent sales evidence (refer Appendix B for details):
  CY 2009 11 sales average yield 7.79%, WALE 9.75 years; no sales in CY 2010
- 17% of BWP portfolio independently valued in June 2010
- Independent valuations = 13bps cap rate compression on 31 Dec 2009
- 2.9% increase in fair value of portfolio (due to rental growth and cap rate tightening)

- June 2010 weighted average capitalisation rate 7.65%
  - Dec 09: 7.78% and June 09: 7.81%
  - Refer to Appendix C for valuation process and Jun 10 valuation summary by State/Territory

### Portfolio – future revals and reviews

# Future Bunnings Warehouse revaluations and market rent reviews

	FY11	FY12	FY13	FY14	FY15
<b>Rent reviews</b>	4	7	7	21	11
% of total	8%	13%	13%	40%	21%
Revaluations	15	24	20	15	24
% of total	28%	45%	38%	19%	45%

Refer Appendices C & D for outline of valuations and market rent review process

### Portfolio – developments

### Broadmeadows, VIC (\$5.7m)

- 433m<sup>2</sup> vacant site adjoining existing Trust owned Bunnings Warehouse acquired in May 2010
- 1,287m<sup>2</sup> expansion of Bunnings Warehouse commenced in June 2010
- expected completion date for expansion end of 2010 calendar year
- incremental annual rent based on 8% of total acquisition (\$0.3m) and development cost (\$5.4m)
- 8% access fee on acquisition of land until development complete
- new lease to commence post development: 10 years + one 10 year option
- annual CPI escalation
- market reviews every 5 years (no caps/collars)

# **Capital management**

- Balance sheet strength supported by:
  - low gearing 18.8% at 30 June 10 (19.3% covenant gearing)
  - strong lease covenant in Bunnings/Wesfarmers
  - solid rental base with growth from CPI and programmed rent reviews
  - low level of committed capex
- Maintaining 100% pay-out ratio of distributable profit
- Distribution Reinvestment Plan ("DRP") remains on
  - DRP for second half issued at \$1.8028 per unit (2.5% discount to 10 day VWAP)
  - 45.4% take up including 100% take up by Wesfarmers
- \$100m bank bill facility reduced by \$50m during half-year to reduce borrowing costs associated with holding excess debt capacity

### Capital management - debt facilities

As at 30 June 10	Limit (\$m)	Drawn (\$m) <sup>1</sup>	Expiry
ANZ	100	48.8	31 Jul 2013
СВА	100	49.9	14 Jan 2012
WBC	80	45.5	2 Jul 2012
NAB	50	50.0	Evergreen <sup>2</sup>
	330	194.2	

<sup>1</sup> amount drawn includes accrued interest of \$0.7 million as at 30 June 2010

<sup>2</sup> facility is extended annually in March each year provided there has been no event of default or potential event of default with any change to pricing to apply from 1 April the following year

#### Interest cover: 3.7x (2009: 2.9x) at 30 June 2010 Average duration: 2.2 years at 30 June 2010

### Capital management – interest rates

- \$192.0m hedged (99%) at 5.94% average
- 9.40% weighted average cost of net borrowings during the year after hedging and including margins and fees (2009: 6.55%)
- 3.26 years weighted average maturity, including delayed starts (2009: 3.07 years)

Hedge book profile by half-year ending:	Jun 10	Dec 10	Jun 11	Dec 11	Jun 12	Dec 12	Jun 13
Active swaps (\$ millions)	192	192	180	170	145	140	125
Swap rates (%)							
Maximum	7.85	7.85	7.72	7.35	5.82	5.77	5.77
Minimum	5.61	5.61	5.61	5.15	5.15	5.15	5.15
Weighted average	5.94	5.86	5.77	5.46	5.44	5.42	5.39

### Governance – structure

#### **Responsible Entity: Bunnings Property Management Limited**

Subsidiary of Wesfarmers Limited *but*...majority external directors

- John Austin (Chairman): Leighton Properties (Chairman), MREEF, Ringmer Pacific (Chairman), ex Jones Lang LaSalle
- Peter Mansell
- Peter Johnston
- Rick Higgins: Charter Hall (unlisted retail trusts)
- Bryce Denison: ex Wesfarmers (commenced 7 October 2009)

#### **Major Tenant: Bunnings Group Limited**

subsidiary of Wesfarmers Limited

#### Register

- Wesfarmers 23%
- "institutions" approximately 29%
- retail, other approximately 48%

### Governance - sustainability

- Adopted sustainability principles based on United Nations
  Principles for Responsible Investment
- Passive nature of BWP's operations result in relatively minor impacts
- Current focus: climate change priority, building knowledge/data, and improved reporting
- More details in new sustainability section of 2010 Annual Report

### Outlook

- Strong balance sheet to fund growth
  - organic growth through rent reviews and upgrades of existing assets
  - focus on acquiring quality assets that meet the Trust's investment criteria
  - availability of appropriate properties will be a challenge
  - finance cost will continue to constrain earnings growth in the short to medium term: increased pricing offsets benefits of reducing limits

# Outlook - FY11 rent reviews

#### **Rent review type FY11**

	First half	Second half	FY11
СРІ	35 <sup>1</sup>	18	53
Fixed	3	5	8
Market	4	0	4
Total	42	23	66



1 11 CPI reviews completed Q1 FY11 with average 3.04% increase

- 2 Mile End, SA market rent review effective from 22 March 2010 also expected to be finalised in 1HFY11
- 3 percentage based on rental as at 30 June 2010

# **Further information**

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### Appendix A: Extended lease tenure

• Extended and smoothed lease expiry profile



### **Appendix B: Sales evidence**

Bunnings Wareho	use	Sale price \$m	Yield %	Date
Rothwell	QLD	16.70	7.93	Mar 09
Nerang	QLD	16.35	7.60	Jun 09
Campbelltown	NSW	21.35	7.66	Jun 09
Nowra	NSW	11.60	7.75	Jun 09
Rockdale*	NSW	25.35	8.15	Dec 09
Mill Park	VIC	16.45	7.75	Apr 09
Box Hill	VIC	21.50	8.00	Jun 09
Bendigo	VIC	8.68	7.40	Apr 09
Keysborough	VIC	19.15	7.54	Nov 09
Belconnen	ACT	20.50	7.63	Jun 09
Kalgoorlie	WA	6.10	8.20	Jun 09
Total/weighted av	erage	183.73	7.79	

\* Includes two showrooms; analysed yield for Bunnings Warehouse 8.15% www.bwptrust.com.au

# **Appendix C: Valuations**

#### • Process

- entire portfolio revalued every 6 months
- independent valuations on a 3 year cycle for each property
- balance of portfolio directors' valuation using recognised valuation methodology
- directors' valuations methodology reviewed by an independent valuer and have regard to market evidence and the independent valuations completed at the time
- Valuations at 30 June 2010 by State/Territory

	No. of properties	Rental \$m/annum	Cap rate	Value \$m
VIC	21	29.8	7.55%	403.6
NSW/ACT	14	16.6	7.73%	215.1
QLD	10	14.4	7.85%	164.7
WA	12	13.1	7.62%	170.9
SA	3	3.4	7.47%	45.8
Total	60	76.1	7.65%	1,000.1

# Appendix D: Market rent reviews

- Typical Bunnings Warehouse market rent review clause
  - assumes free and open market with vacant possession
  - has regard to the rent paid by Bunnings at other Bunnings Warehouses
  - has regard to the rental value of other properties of a similar size and similar standard of construction and used for similar purposes
  - no regard to store turnover (i.e. no turnover or percentage rent)
- Process
  - Trust's asking rent based on advice from an independent valuer
  - negotiation period with Bunnings
  - if not agreed with Bunnings then referred to determination
  - determination by independent valuer jointly agreed or nominated by the President of the Australian Property Institute
  - results binding