

HALF-YEAR REPORT 2024/25

UNNINGS

Six months to 31 December 2024

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We acknowledge the Traditional Owners of Country throughout Australia and their continuing connections to lands and waterways upon which we depend. We pay our respects to their Elders, past, present, and emerging.





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About us

Established and listed on the Australian Securities Exchange ("ASX") in 1998, BWP Trust ("BWP" or "the Trust") is a real estate investment trust investing in and managing commercial properties throughout Australia.

During the 2024 financial year, BWP completed the acquisition of Newmark Property REIT ("NPR") via an off-market takeover to form a consolidated group ("the Group"). The Group consists of BWP Trust and its subsidiaries, being NPR Trust No. 1, NPR Trust No. 2, NPR Trust No. 3 and NPR Trust No. 4.

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Report to unitholders

The directors of BWP Management Limited ("BWPM"), the responsible entity for the BWP Trust, are pleased to present this interim report to unitholders covering the financial results and activities of the Group for the six months to 31 December 2024.

The six months to 31 December 2024 reflected continued portfolio momentum focused on further optimisation of the portfolio and profitable growth. In delivering BWP's strategic agenda of portfolio optimisation, profitable growth and portfolio renewal, BWP's primary focus areas during the half included progressing the repurposing of ex-Bunnings properties, filling vacancies, progressing and completing store upgrades, extending existing leases with Bunnings through the exercise of options, completing market rent reviews, and the continued rollout of energy efficiency improvements at Group properties.

Portfolio optimisation

In optimising the portfolio, the Group recorded like-for-like rental growth of 3.3 per cent, five Bunnings market rent reviews were completed achieving a 2.7 per cent average increase, the weighted average lease expiry of the portfolio increased to 4.4 years (from 3.6 years at 31 December 2023) and occupancy increased 1.3 percentage points to 98.7 per cent. Bunnings also exercised nine lease options expiring during the half, with the Northland (VIC) lease not exercised.

The Trust continued to make good progress in repurposing a reduced number of stores vacated by Bunnings. These included development application submissions and leasing campaigns advanced for Noarlunga (SA), Fountain Gate (VIC) and Northland (VIC).

Profitable growth

In January 2025, in support of profitable growth, agreement was reached with Bunnings (subject to development approval and completion of legal documentation) for a \$14.0 million expansion of the Pakenham (VIC) warehouse and an agreement was also reached with an unrelated third party tenant for an \$11.0 million redevelopment and car showroom expansion at Midland (WA).

Portfolio renewal

Specific to portfolio renewal, the Port Kennedy (WA) divestment was advanced during the half, with sale completion expected in the second half of the 2025 financial year. During the half-year, a non-deal Asian debt roadshow was undertaken to further enhance investor engagement to assist in funding BWP's operations over the medium to long term. Finally, increased engagement with the large format retail sector was a key focus area to support customer store network expansion activity, including BWP's site repurposing collaboration (Noarlunga (SA) and Fountain Gate (VIC)).

Financial results

FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

Total income for the period was \$100.6 million, an increase of 22.2 per cent over the previous corresponding period. The \$18.1 million increase in rental income was largely due to the acquisition of NPR in March 2024, together with annual rent increases.

Finance costs of \$17.2 million were 63.7 per cent higher than the previous corresponding period, largely due to a higher level of average borrowings. The average level of borrowings was 58.0 per cent higher than the previous corresponding period (\$793.9 million compared to \$502.4 million), which was largely due to the NPR debt assumed as part of the acquisition.

Other operating expenses increased from \$5.6 million in the previous corresponding period to \$6.7 million, mainly due to increases in property outgoings related to the NPR assets, increased land tax payable and increased insurance costs.

Net profit for the period was \$157.1 million, after including \$91.0 million of net gains in fair value movements. This compares with net profit for the previous corresponding period of \$53.2 million which included unrealised losses of \$4.2 million in fair value movements. Net profit excluding fair value movements was \$66.1 million for the period, an increase of 15.0 per cent on the prior corresponding period.

FINANCIAL POSITION

Capitalisation rates for the Group's portfolio decreased 11 basis points from 30 June 2024, reflecting completed Bunnings Warehouse transactions (non-BWP) during the half. The half therefore saw a net fair value portfolio valuation gain of \$93.2 million reflecting the capitalisation rate compression, supported by increased rental income.

At 31 December 2024, the Group's total assets were valued at \$3.7 billion, with unitholders' equity of \$2.8 billion and total liabilities of \$0.9 billion. The underlying net tangible asset backing of the Trust's units increased during the period, from \$3.79 per unit as at 30 June 2024, to \$3.92 per unit at 31 December 2024, reflecting the unrealised gains on revaluation of investment properties (refer to the Revaluations section).

Interim distribution

Reflecting the increase in net profit (excluding fair value movements) of 15.0 per cent to \$66.1 million for the period, the directors of BWPM were pleased to approve a 2.0 per cent increase in interim distribution from the prior corresponding period, to 9.20 cents per unit, taking into consideration the additional units on issue relating to the acquisition of the NPR Property REIT ("NPR") in March 2024.

The interim distribution will be made on 26 February 2025 to unitholders on the Trust's register at 5:00 pm AWST on 31 December 2024.

Report to unitholders (Continued)

Property portfolio

EXTENSION OF LEASE WITH BUNNINGS

In December 2024, the Group entered into a new 10-year lease with three, five-year options exercisable by Bunnings at Scoresby (VIC) following completion of car park works costing \$1.4 million. The annual rent will increase by CPI with market rent reviews every 10 years, with no caps or collars on CPI or market rent reviews.

In December 2024, the Group agreed to an early surrender of the existing at Northland (VIC) and entered into a new three-year lease, with a five-year option with an emerging retailer. Work continues on the rezoning of the property.

At Fountain Gate (VIC) the Group has agreed to a 5.5 month lease extension with Bunnings post its lease expiry in January 2025. The short term lease extension will allow time for the Group to finalise both the design and planning approval for the redevelopment of the property for large format retail.

CAPITAL EXPENDITURE

During the period, the Group incurred capital expenditure of \$4.7 million comprising \$1.7 million on repositioning various properties and \$3.0 million on other improvements to the portfolio. Total capital expenditure of \$8.4 million was incurred in the prior corresponding period.

OCCUPANCY AND AVERAGE LEASE EXPIRY

At 31 December 2024 the portfolio was 98.7 per cent leased with a weighted average lease expiry term of 4.4 years (30 June 2024: 3.8 years, 31 December 2023: 3.6 years).

Rent reviews

The rent payable for each leased property is increased annually, either by a fixed percentage or by CPI, except when a property is due for a market rent review.

ANNUAL ESCALATIONS

Rental growth of 3.4 per cent per annum was recorded for 74 of the Group's leases which were subject to annual fixed or CPI reviews during the period. The rental growth achieved included weighted average increases in annual rent of 3.9 per cent for the 24 CPI reviews and 3.0 per cent for the 50 fixed reviews.

MARKET RENT REVIEWS

The market rent reviews completed during the half-year are shown in the following table, recording a weighted average increase in rent of 2.7 per cent for the five reviews completed.

| Property location | Passing rent (\$ pa) | Market review (\$ pa) | Variance to passing rent (%) | Effective date |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Balcatta (WA) ^{1,2} | 2,477,363 | 2,550,000 | 2.9 | 24-Sep-23 |
| Tuggeranong (ACT) ^{1,2} | 2,036,300 | 2,178,841 | 7.0 | 1-Dec-23 |
| Bayswater (VIC) ^{1,3} | 2,316,558 | 2,310,000 | (0.3) | 21-Apr-24 |
| Bibra Lake (WA)² | 1,946,104 | 2,030,000 | 4.3 | 1-Nov-24 |
| Mornington (VIC) ² | 2,110,399 | 2,110,399 | | 13-Dec-24 |
| Total/ <i>Weighted</i> Average | 10,886,723 | 11,179,240 | 2.7 | |

¹ The market rent review was due during the year ended 30 June 2024, but the outcome was only finalised during the current financial year.

² The market rent review was agreed between the parties.

³ The market rent review was determined by an independent valuer.

Market rent reviews that were due for three Bunnings Warehouses during the financial year to 30 June 2024 and three during the six months to 31 December 2024 remained in negotiation and unresolved at the end of the period.

LIKE-FOR-LIKE RENTAL GROWTH

Excluding rental income from properties acquired, upgraded or vacated and re-leased during or since the previous corresponding period, rental income increased by 3.3¹ per cent for the 12 months to 31 December 2024 (compared to 4.8 per cent for the 12 months to 31 December 2023).

Revaluations

During the half-year, the Group's entire investment property portfolio was revalued, with property revaluations performed by independent valuers for 13 properties (11 properties in the prior corresponding period). The remaining 69 properties were subject to directors' revaluations. Following the revaluations, the Group's weighted average capitalisation rate for the portfolio at 31 December 2024 was 5.43 per cent (30 June 2024: 5.54 per cent; 31 December 2023: 5.53 per cent).

The value of the Group's portfolio increased by \$96.4 million to \$3,641.0 million during the half-year largely reflecting unrealised gains of \$93.2 million, in addition to capital expenditure of \$4.7 million and adjustments for the straight-lining of rent and capitalised interest of \$1.5 million.

¹ The unresolved market reviews at 31 December 2024 are not included in the calculation of like-for-like rental growth.

Report to unitholders (Continued)

Capital management

The Group's debt facilities as at 31 December 2024 are summarised below.

| | Limit (\$m) | Amount drawn (\$m) | Expiry date |
|--|----------------|-----------------------|----------------|
| Bank debt facilities | | | |
| Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation | 100.0 | 100.0 | 24 Jan 2026 |
| Westpac Banking Corporation | 135.0 | 68.6 | 30 Apr 2026 |
| Westpac Banking Corporation | 85.0 | 51.0 | 31 Jul 2026 |
| Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation | 110.0 | 85.0 | 15 Mar 2027 |
| Commonwealth Bank of Australia | 150.0 | 108.2 | 31 Jul 2027 |
| Bank of China | 50.0 | 50.0 | 26 Jun 2028 |
| Institutional term loan | 75.0 | 75.0 | 29 Nov 2030 |
| Corporate bonds | | | |
| Fixed term seven-year corporate bonds | 150.0 | 150.0 | 10 Apr 2026 |
| Fixed term seven-year corporate bonds | 100.0 | 100.0 | 24 Mar 2028 |
| | 955.0 | 787.8 | |

The weighted average duration of the facilities as at 31 December 2024 was 2.3 years (31 December 2023: 3.1 years). The Group's gearing ratio (debt to total assets) as at 31 December 2024 was 21.4 per cent (30 June 2024: 21.5 per cent, 31 December 2023: 17.1 per cent) which is at the lower end of the Board's preferred range of 20 to 30 per cent. The lower gearing provides flexibility for the Group to take advantage of investment opportunities to create long-term value when they arise.

The Group has a policy of hedging the majority of its borrowings against interest rate movements. At 31 December 2024, the Group's interest rate hedging cover was 52.4 per cent of gross borrowings, with \$412.5 million of fixed rate corporate bonds and interest rate swaps against gross borrowings of \$787.8 million. The weighted average term to maturity of hedging was 1.4 years (30 June 2024: 1.8 years, 31 December 2023: 3.0 years).

Outlook

For the balance of the 2025 financial year BWP will continue to focus on optimising the portfolio whilst remaining active in assessing opportunities to grow the portfolio that create value. This activity will focus on reinvesting in the core retail portfolio to support tenant optimisation plans, acquiring accretively to grow the core portfolio and partnering with tenants to potentially, over time, participate in adjacent parts of the retail value chain.

Rent reviews are expected to contribute incrementally to property income for the half-year to 30 June 2025, with 73 leases to be reviewed to CPI or by a fixed percentage increase during the second half (77 completed in the first half). In addition, nine¹ market rent reviews of Bunnings Warehouses are in the process of being finalised and are expected to be completed during the second half.

In renewing the portfolio, the Group will look to recycle actively by potentially divesting non-core assets, including the completion of the divestment of the Port Kennedy (WA) site, and reinvesting in growth initiatives to complement its core portfolio. Maintaining a strong and flexible balance sheet will be a key focus, including the potential refinancing of medium-term bond maturities and the broadening of debt providers (type and geography).

Tony Howarth AO Chairman BWP Management Limited Perth, 5 February 2025

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Mark Scatena Managing Director BWP Management Limited Perth, 5 February 2025





Half-year summary

Total income

\$100.6 million 122.2% on pcp^{1,2} Distributable amount for the six month period

\$65.6 million

13.3% on pcp²

Interim distribution

9.20 cents per unit

12.0% on pcp

Portfolio valuation

\$3.6 billion \$3.0 billion 31 December 2023

Net tangible assets

\$3.92 per unit

\$3.74 per unit 31 December 2023

Market rent reviews³

5 completed 12.7% average increase in rent Weighted average capitalisation rate

5.43%

5.53% 31 December 2023

Weighted average lease expiry ("WALE")



3.6 years 31 December 2023

Gearing (debt/total assets)

21.4%

17.1% 31 December 2023 Occupancy

98.7% 97.4%

Like-for-like rental growth

3.3% for the 12 months to

31 December 2024

Weighted average cost of debt

4.4% per annum

for the six month period **4.2%** at 31 December 2023

Prior corresponding period.

² Largely due to the acquisition of NPR Property REIT during 2H FY24.

³ Bunnings Warehouse properties finalised during the half.

Financial performance

| Half-year ended 31 December | | 2024 | 2023 |
|---|-------|---------|---------|
| INCOME AND EXPENSES | | | |
| Total income | \$m | 100.6 | 82.3 |
| Total expenses | \$m | (34.5) | (24.9) |
| Profit before fair value movements | \$m | 66.1 | 57.4 |
| Amounts (retained)/released from undistributed income reserve | \$m | (0.4) | 0.5 |
| Distributable amount for the period | \$m | 65.6 | 57.9 |
| Management expense ratio ¹ (annualised) | % | 0.67 | 0.65 |
| PORTFOLIO VALUATION AND DISTRIBUTION | | | |
| Property and derivative revaluation gains/(losses) | \$m | 91.0 | [4.2] |
| Net profit including fair value movements | \$m | 157.1 | 53.2 |
| Number of units on issue | m | 714 | 642 |
| Distribution per unit | cents | 9.20 | 9.02 |
| Number of unitholders | | 23,856 | 22,521 |
| Unit price as at 31 December | \$ | 3.28 | 3.53 |
| INVESTMENT AND CASH GENERATION | | | |
| Capital expenditure | \$m | 4.7 | 8.4 |
| Acquisitions of investment properties | \$m | - | 32.0 |
| Free cash flow | \$m | 47.5 | 13.1 |
| CAPITAL STRUCTURE | | | |
| Total assets | \$m | 3,682.4 | 2,997.7 |
| Borrowings | \$m | 786.9 | 513.5 |
| Unitholders' equity | \$m | 2,798.9 | 2,401.0 |
| Net tangible assets per unit | \$ | 3.92 | 3.74 |
| Weighted average cost of debt | % ра | 4.4 | 4.2 |
| Weighted average cap rate | % | 5.43 | 5.53 |
| Gearing (debt to total assets) | % | 21.4 | 17.1 |

Figures above are subject to rounding. ¹ Expenses other than property outgoings and borrowing costs as a percentage of average total assets.

Strategic framework

Strategic pillars and supporting principles

In delivering BWP's objective of providing unitholders a secure and growing income stream and long-term capital growth, the Group's key areas of focus align to its three strategic pillars: portfolio optimisation, profitable growth and portfolio renewal. To enable these strategic pillars, BWP prioritises commercial discipline, effective capital allocation and access, sustainability, and active and effective collaboration with key stakeholders.

BWP's three strategic pillars are summarised below:

Portfolio optimisation - optimising and leveraging the existing network while managing asset repurposing requirements.

Profitable growth - expanding the core portfolio and assessing adjacent growth segments and addressable markets, where feasible.

Portfolio renewal – focusing on active value creation through capital recycling and reinvestment in growth initiatives to complement the core portfolio, while maintaining a strong and flexible balance sheet.

Underpinning the strategic pillars are three supporting principles comprising:



Operating excellence – effective management of lease renewals and rent reviews and approved and planned developments.

Capital structure – proactive debt refinancing and capital Capital structure – productive department. acquisition target site identification.



Asset management – structured planned and unplanned maintenance and asset renewal and portfolio network planning via balance sheet leverage.

Objective

Provide unitholders with a secure and growing income stream and long-term capital growth

| Strategic pillars | Portfolio optimisati | ion | َ Profitabl | e growth | P | Cortfolio renewal |
|-----------------------|--|-------------|--|---|----------------------------------|--|
| Supporting principles | Operating exceller | nce | | 副 低 structure | As | ه) sset management |
| Business approach | Investment areas | 5 | - Returns | ») s drivers | | مُسَاً Value creation |
| Enablers | Commercial discipline | | al allocation nd access | Sustainabi | ility | Active and effective collaboration |
| Values | Respectful | Re | sponsible | Resource | ful | Responsive |
| | We seek mutually beneficial relationships with all stakeholders | ho trans | e professional, onest, and parent in how re operate | We value simp and focus achieving effe and sustaine | on ective able | We are agile and are responsive to stakeholders and opportunities |
| | > We treat others as we expect to be treated > We are committed to having a safe and inclusive work environment | for ou | are accountable ur actions operate within the | > We make the r opportunities > We are financi focused and m decisions base what creates v | most of ally nake ed on | > We are agile, efficient, and flexible in our approach > We are focused on collaborative relationships and responsive opportunity assessment |

Recent progress and future priorities

The first half of the 2025 financial year saw continued portfolio momentum through further optimisation of the portfolio and a focus on profitable growth.

Consistent with the Group's 2024 Annual Report, BWP's near-term priorities in delivering its strategic agenda of portfolio optimisation, profitable growth and portfolio renewal include:

- > progressing the repurposing of properties and completing store upgrades and the continued roll out of energy efficiency improvements at group properties.
- > assessing and actioning opportunities to grow the portfolio that will create value for BWP with a focus on re-investing in its core retail portfolio to support tenant optimisation plans.

- acquiring accretively and growing the core portfolio and partnering with existing tenants to potentially, over time, participate in adjacent parts of the retail value chain.
- > actively recycling when in the interest of unitholders by divesting non-core assets, re-allocating capital to higher returning opportunities, and reinvesting in logical and adjacent growth initiatives to complement its core portfolio while maintaining a strong and flexible balance sheet.

The table summarises the priorities for the 2025 financial year and progress achieved in the six months to 31 December 2024.

Priorities

- > Site repurposing advanced:
 - Broadmeadows (VIC)
 - Fountain Gate (VIC)
 - Noarlunga (SA)
 - Northland (VIC)
 - Morley (WA)
- Further funding source diversification (geography and debt type)
- > Surplus space activation
- > Outstanding rent review completion

Progress/achievements

- > Like-for-like rental growth (3.3%)
- Five Bunnings MRRs completed (2.7% average increase)
- Repurposing activities advanced at 5 sites
- > Bunnings exercised 9 lease options (1 not exercised)
- WALE of 4.4 years (†0.8 years on 31 December 2023)
- > 216kW (†15.4% in the half) of new solar installations completed bringing the portfolio total to 1,615 kW

Priorities

- Dubbo (NSW) Bunnings Warehouse expansion completion
- > Acquisition site/target identification
- Targeting and identification of attractive third-party assets for secondary trade

Progress/achievements

- > Agreement reached for a \$14.0m
 Bunnings expansion at Pakenham
 (VIC)
- > Agreement reached for an \$11.0m redevelopment and car showroom expansion at Midland (WA) to an unrelated third party
- Interim distribution of 9.20 cents (†2.0% on 1H FY24)

Priorities

- Port Kennedy (WA) divestment completion
- Continued engagement with rating agencies
- Increased engagement with large format retail sector to identify capital needs to accelerate expansion of existing and potential tenant omnichannel and supply chain productivity transition

Progress/achievements

- Port Kennedy (WA) divestment advanced (2H FY25 completion expected)
- Non-deal Asian debt roadshow completed with continued investor engagement
- Increased engagement with large format retail sector supporting customer store network expansion (including BWP site repurposing collaboration)







Property portfolio

| As at 31 December 2024 | Gross lettable area ¹ | Annual rental² | Valuation | As at 31 December 2024 | Gross lettable area ¹ | Annual rental² | Valuation |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| Suburb | sqm | \$000 | \$000 | Suburb | sqm | \$000 | \$000 |
| AUSTRALIAN CAPI | TAL TERRITORY | | | QUEENSLAND | | | |
| Fyshwick ³ | 6,648 | 1,505 | 31,100 | Arundel | 15,676 | 2,935 | 54,000 |
| Tuggeranong | 11,857 | 2,240 | 44,700 | Bethania | 13,494 | 2,386 | 43,000 |
| Total (2 properties) | 18,505 | 3,745 | 75,800 | Brendale | 15,035 | 2,524 | 48,900 |
| | | | | Browns Plains | 18,398 | 3,840 | 65,600 |
| NEW SOUTH WALE | ES | | | Cairns | 12,917 | 796 | 11,400 |
| Artarmon | 5,746 | 1,927 | 40,600 | Cannon Hill | 16,556 | 2,923 | 58,500 |
| Belrose | 8,888 | 2,350 | 49,500 | Fairfield Waters | 13,645 | 1,912 | 29,200 |
| Dubbo | 16,344 | 1,695 | 24,000 | Gladstone | 21,516 | 4,337 | 55,600 |
| Eastgardens | 14,576 | 3,432 | 72,200 | Hervey Bay | 16,878 | 2,212 | 33,000 |
| Greenacre | 14,149 | 3,045 | 60,900 | Manly West | 13,021 | 2,755 | 50,900 |
| Hoxton Park | 25,599 | 5,004 | 76,700 | Maroochydore | 16,440 | 3,954 | 73,000 |
| Lake Haven | 16,074 | 2,575 | 51,400 | Morayfield | 12,507 | 2,202 | 39,100 |
| Lismore | 14,046 | 2,072 | 39,400 | Mount Gravatt | 11,824 | 1,540 | 26,100 |
| Maitland | 12,797 | 1,679 | 31,500 | North Lakes | 18,861 | 3,350 | 64,100 |
| Minchinbury | 16,557 | 3,460 | 72,800 | Rocklea | 14,403 | 2,669 | 40,100 |
| Port Macquarie | 7,387 | 1,688 | 23,000 | Smithfield | 13,094 | 1,803 | 27,100 |
| Rydalmere | 16,645 | 3,776 | 83,900 | Southport | 12,431 | 1,953 | 35,000 |
| Thornleigh | 5,301 | 1,642 | 34,800 | Southport | | | |
| Villawood | 12,678 | 2,421 | 51,000 | Showrooms | 2,382 | 627 | 10,100 |
| Wagga Wagga ⁴ | 13,774 | 1,711 | 12,000 | Townsville North | 14,038 | 2,139 | 34,200 |
| Wallsend | 16,863 | 2,426 | 48,500 | Underwood | 11,111 | 3,130 | 46,100 |
| Total (16 properties) | 217,424 | 40,902 | 772,200 | West Ipswich | 14,977 | 3,057 | 53,000 |
| | | | | Total (21 properties) | 299,204 | 53,042 | 898,000 |

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| Total (2 properties) | 23,983 | 2,978 | 77,700 |
|----------------------|--------|-------|--------|
| Noarlunga⁵ | 8,918 | - | 15,000 |
| Mile End | 15,065 | 2,978 | 62,700 |

| As at 31 December 2024 | Gross lettable area ¹ | Annual rental² | Valuation |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------|-----------|
| Suburb | sqm | \$000 | \$000 |
| - | | | |
| TASMANIA | | | |
| Launceston | 17,668 | 2,621 | 49,900 |
| Launceston Showrooms | 4,098 | 958 | 16,600 |
| Total (2 properties) | 21,766 | 3,579 | 66,500 |
| | | | |
| VICTORIA | | | |
| Bayswater | 17,677 | 2,970 | 56,000 |
| Broadmeadows | 12,765 | 2,515 | 50,300 |
| Broadmeadows Homemaker Centre | 5,631 | 1,902 | 20,400 |
| Caroline Springs | 14,319 | 2,274 | 44,600 |
| Chadstone | 19,574 | 6,424 | 72,300 |
| Coburg | 25,413 | 5,879 | 92,500 |
| Craigieburn | 16,764 | 2,063 | 39,300 |
| Croydon | 15,543 | 2,563 | 51,300 |
| Fountain Gate ⁴ | 12,624 | 2,075 | 30,700 |
| Frankston | 13,843 | 2,683 | 51,100 |
| Hawthorn | 9,831 | 3,978 | 79,600 |
| Maribyrnong | 17,550 | 3,314 | 66,300 |
| Melton | 17,871 | 2,159 | 43,200 |
| Mentone | 8,271 | 2,595 | 35,700 |
| Mornington | 13,324 | 2,110 | 40,200 |
| Northland ⁴ | 13,006 | 2,392 | 34,300 |
| Nunawading ⁶ | 14,766 | 2,931 | 62,700 |
| Pakenham | 14,867 | 2,549 | 45,000 |
| Port Melbourne | 16,159 | 3,079 | 77,000 |
| Preston | 19,125 | 3,860 | 77,200 |
| Scoresby | 12,515 | 2,329 | 42,700 |
| Springvale | 13,458 | 2,561 | 51,200 |
| Sunbury | 15,270 | 2,232 | 42,500 |
| Vermont South | 16,634 | 2,681 | 48,700 |
| Warragul | 25,430 | 3,822 | 62,100 |
| Total (25 properties) | 382,228 | 73,942 | 1,316,900 |

| As at 31 December 2024 | Gross lettable area ¹ | Annual rental ² | Valuation |
|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------|
| Suburb | sqm | \$000 | \$000 |
| | | | |
| WESTERN AUSTRA | LIA | | |
| Australind | 13,700 | 1,631 | 27,200 |
| Balcatta | 25,439 | 2,477 | 49,500 |
| Belmont | 10,381 | 1,631 | 30,700 |
| Bibra Lake | 14,141 | 1,946 | 37,100 |
| Cockburn | 12,839 | 1,941 | 37,000 |
| Ellenbrook | 15,337 | 2,374 | 47,500 |
| Geraldton ⁴ | 17,874 | 1,522 | 12,600 |
| Harrisdale | 17,124 | 3,011 | 50,300 |
| Joondalup | 13,358 | 1,427 | 20,400 |
| Mandurah | 8,662 | 2,210 | 29,700 |
| Midland | 9,370 | 1,535 | 21,900 |
| Morley | 9,852 | 1,545 | 12,500 |
| Port Kennedy ⁵ | 9,557 | - | 10,000 |
| Rockingham | 15,188 | 2,613 | 47,500 |
| Total (14 properties) | 192,822 | 25,864 | 433,900 |

| Grand Total | | | |
|-----------------|-----------|---------|-----------|
| (82 properties) | 1,155,931 | 204,052 | 3,641,000 |

Note: Totals and Grand Total adjusted for rounding

¹ For Bunnings Warehouses this comprises the total retail area of the Bunnings Warehouse.

² Annual rental figures do not include access fees detailed below.

⁴ Sites that Bunnings has or is in the process of vacating, that are still leased
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to Bunnings.

⁶ Vacant property that is no longer leased to Bunnings.
 ⁶ Includes adjoining properties (01 hectares) for which Bunnings Group Limited pays the Trust an access fee of \$126,935 per annum.





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Consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income

FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

| Note | Dec 2024 \$000 | Dec 2023 \$000 |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|
| | | |
| Rental income | 100,033 | 81,924 |
| Other property income | 214 | 214 |
| Finance income | 327 | 175 |
| Total revenue | 100,574 | 82,313 |
| | | |
| Finance costs | (17,228) | (10,524) |
| Responsible entity's fees | (10,572) | (8,773) |
| Other operating expenses | (6,694) | (5,556) |
| Total expenses | (34,494) | (24,853) |
| | | |
| Profit before fair value movements | 66,080 | 57,460 |
| Remeasurement to fair value of derivatives | (2,192) | - |
| Unrealised gains/(losses) in fair value of investment properties | 93,222 | (4,232) |
| Profit for the period attributable to unitholders of BWP Trust | 157,110 | 53,228 |
| | | |
| Other comprehensive losses | | |
| Items that may be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss: | | |
| Effective portion of changes in fair value of cash flow hedges: | | |
| - Realised gains transferred to profit or loss | (75) | (56) |
| - Unrealised losses on cash flow hedges | (95) | (150) |
| Total comprehensive income for the period attributable to the unitholders of BWP Trust | 156,940 | 53,022 |
| · · · | | <u> </u> |
| Basic and diluted earnings (cents per unit) 2 | 22.02 | 8.29 |

The consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

BWP obtained control of its subsidiary trusts, NPR Trust No. 1, NPR Trust No. 2, NPR Trust No. 3 and NPR Trust No. 4, on 28 March 2024, therefore the results presented for 1H FY25 are for the consolidated group.

Consolidated statement of financial position

AS AT 31 DECEMBER 2024

| Note | Dec 2024 \$000 | Jun 2024 \$000 | Dec 2023 \$000 |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| ASSETS | | | |
| Current assets | | | |
| Cash | 27.914 | 27.300 | 18.876 |
| Receivables and prepayments | 12.078 | 10,609 | 6.032 |
| Derivative financial instruments | 1.361 | 3.553 | |
| Assets held for sale 3 | 10,000 | 10,000 | 45,800 |
| Total current assets | 51,353 | 51,462 | 70,708 |
| | | | |
| Non-current assets | | | |
| Investment properties 3 | 3,631,000 | 3,534,600 | 2,926,900 |
| Derivative financial instruments | 95 | 265 | 134 |
| Total non-current assets | 3,631,095 | 3,534,865 | 2,927,034 |
| Total assets | 3,682,448 | 3,586,327 | 2,997,742 |
| | | | |
| LIABILITIES | | | |
| Current liabilities | | | |
| Payables and deferred income | 31,091 | 41,035 | 25,319 |
| Distribution payable 4 | 65,643 | 66,143 | 57,943 |
| Total current liabilities | 96,734 | 107,178 | 83,262 |
| Non-current liabilities | | | |
| Interest-bearing loans and borrowings 5 | 786.867 | 771.599 | 513,521 |
| Total non-current liabilities | 786,867 | 771,599 | 513,521 |
| Total liabilities | 883,601 | 878,777 | 596,783 |
| Net assets | 2,798,847 | 2,707,550 | 2,400,959 |
| | | | |
| EQUITY | | | |
| Equity attributable to unitholders of BWP Trust | | | |
| Issued capital 6 | 1,191,167 | 1,191,167 | 945,558 |
| Hedge reserve | 95 | 265 | 134 |
| Undistributed income | 1,607,585 | 1,516,118 | 1,455,267 |
| Total equity | 2,798,847 | 2,707,550 | 2,400,959 |

The consolidated statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Consolidated statement of cash flows

FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

| | Dec 2024 \$000 | Dec 2023 \$000 |
|--|--------------------|----------------------|
| Cash flows from operating activities | | |
| Rent received | 107,586 | 91,749 |
| Payments to suppliers | (28,194) | (16,452) |
| Payments to the responsible entity | (9,624) | (8,857) |
| Finance income | 327 | 175 |
| Finance costs | (17,063) | (10,347) |
| Net cash flows from operating activities | 53,032 | 56,268 |
| Cash flows from investing activities Payments for purchase of, and additions to, investment properties Net cash flows used in investing activities | (5,525) (5,525) | (43,129) (43,129) |
| Cash flows from financing activities | 19,249 | 75,000 |
| Proceeds from borrowings Repayment of borrowings | 17,247 | (26,546) |
| Distributions paid | (66,142) | (59,549) |
| Net cash flows used in financing activities | (46,893) | (11,095) |
| | | |
| Net increase in cash | 614 | 2,044 |
| Cash at the beginning of the period | 27,300 | 16,832 |
| Cash at the end of the period | 27,914 | 18,876 |

The consolidated statement of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

Consolidated statement of changes in equity

FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

| | lssued capital \$000 | Hedge Reserve \$000 | Undistributed income \$000 | Total \$000 |
|---|----------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|----------------|
| Balance at 1 July 2023 | 945,558 | 340 | 1,459,982 | 2,405,880 |
| Profit for the period attributable to unitholders of BWP Trust Other comprehensive loss: | - | - | 53,228 | 53,228 |
| Effective portion of changes in fair value of cash flow hedges | - | (206) | - | (206) |
| Total comprehensive income for the period | - | (206) | 53,228 | 53,022 |
| Distributions to unitholders | | - | (57,943) | (57,943) |
| Total transactions with unitholders of BWP Trust | | - | (57,943) | (57,943) |
| Balance at 31 December 2023 | 945,558 | 134 | 1,455,267 | 2,400,959 |
| Balance at 1 July 2024 | 1,191,167 | 265 | 1,516,118 | 2,707,550 |
| Profit for the period attributable to unitholders of BWP Trust Other comprehensive loss: | - | - | 157,110 | 157,110 |
| Effective portion of changes in fair value of cash flow hedges | - | (170) | - | (170) |
| Total comprehensive income for the period | - | (170) | 157,110 | 156,940 |
| Distributions to unitholders | - | - | (65,643) | (65,643) |
| Total transactions with unitholders of BWP Trust | - | - | (65,643) | (65,643) |
| Balance at 31 December 2024 | 1,191,167 | 95 | 1,607,585 | 2,798,847 |

The consolidated statement of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes.

FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

1 BASIS OF PREPARATION

The consolidated financial report of BWP Trust ("the Trust") and its subsidiaries' (referred to as "the Group") for the half-year ended 31 December 2024 was authorised for issue in accordance with a resolution of the directors on 5 February 2025. The Trust was constituted under a Trust Deed dated 18 June 1998 as amended and is managed by BWP Management Limited ("BWPM" and "the Responsible Entity"). Both the Trust and the Responsible Entity are domiciled in Australia.

The half-year financial statements are a general purpose financial report which:

- > has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Trust's constitution, the Corporations Act 2001 and AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting;
- > has been prepared using the same significant accounting policies as those applied by each entity in the consolidated Group and are consistent with those adopted and disclosed in the annual report for the year ended 30 June 2024. Subsidiaries are consolidated from the date on which control is obtained;
- > has been prepared on an historical cost basis, except for investment properties and derivative financial instruments, which have been measured at their fair value;
- > is presented in Australian dollars, the Group's functional currency, and all values are rounded to the nearest thousand dollars (\$'000) in accordance with ASIC Corporations (Rounding in Financial/Directors' Reports) Instrument 2016/191, unless otherwise stated; and
- > does not include all notes of the type normally included within the annual financial statements and therefore cannot be expected to provide as full an understanding of the financial performance, financial position and financing and investing activities of the Group as the full financial statements.

It is recommended that the half-year financial statements be read in conjunction with the annual financial statements of the Group as at 30 June 2024 which are available upon request from the Trust's registered office at Level 14, Brookfield Tower 2, 123 St Georges Terrace, Perth WA 6000 or at **bwptrust.com.au** and considered together with any public announcements made by the Trust during the half-year ended 31 December 2024 in accordance with the continuous disclosure obligations arising under the *Corporations Act 2001*.

2 INTERIM DISTRIBUTION PER UNIT

In accordance with the Trust's constitution, the unrealised gains or losses on the revaluation of the fair value of investment properties, as well as other items as determined by the directors, are not included in the profit available for distribution to unitholders. The following shows the effect on earnings per unit excluding gains or losses in fair value of investment properties and the resulting distribution per unit:

| | Dec 2024 | Dec 2023 |
|---|-------------|-------------|
| Basic and diluted earnings per unit (cents per unit) | 22.02 | 8.29 |
| Basic and diluted earnings per unit excluding gains/ (losses) in fair value of properties (cents per unit) | 9.26 | 8.94 |
| Interim distribution per unit (cents per unit) | 9.20 | 9.02 |
| Weighted average number of units on issue used in the calculation of basic and diluted earnings per unit | 713,511,241 | 642,383,803 |

The subsidiary trusts are managed by NPR Management Limited, a 100 per cent owned subsidiary of BWPM, and include NPR Trust No.1, NPR Trust No.2, NPR Trust No.3, and NPR Trust No.4. BWP obtained control of these entities on 28 March 2024, therefore the results presented for 1H FY25 are for the consolidated group.

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3 INVESTMENT PROPERTIES

| | Dec 2024 \$000 | Dec 2023 \$000 |
|---|-------------------|---------------------|
| | | |
| Balance at the beginning of the period Acquisitions during the period | 3,534,600 - | 2,936,600 32,006 |
| Reclassification to assets held for sale | - | (45,800) |
| Capital improvements during the period | 4,659 | 8,414 |
| Interest capitalised during the period | 279 | 167 |
| Straight-line lease income | (1,760) | (255) |
| Net unrealised gains/(losses) from fair value adjustments | 93,222 | [4,232] |
| Balance at the end of the period | 3,631,000 | 2,926,900 |

(a) Fair value

Investment properties are carried at fair value. Fair value for individual properties is determined by a full valuation completed at least every three years by an independent valuer who holds a relevant professional qualification and has recent experience in the location and category of the investment property. During the six months to 31 December 2024, 13 independent property valuations were performed.

Properties that have not been independently valued as at a balance date are carried at fair value by way of directors' valuation.

All investment properties of the Group have been categorised on a Level 3 fair value basis under AASB 13 *Fair Value Measurement*, as some of the inputs required to value the properties are not based on "observable market data". For full details of the methodology and the significant assumptions/ inputs used please refer to the 30 June 2024 annual financial statements.

In determining fair values as at 31 December 2024 due consideration has been given to interest rate movements and the impact of this on property capitalisation rates, and comparable market transactions completed.

(b) Capital expenditure

During the period, the Group incurred capital expenditure of \$4.7 million comprising \$1.7 million on repositioning various properties and \$3.0 million spent on other improvements to the portfolio.

(c) Assets held for sale

At 31 December 2024 the ex-Bunnings Warehouse at Port Kennedy, Western Australia, valued at \$10 million, was being marketed for sale.

4 DISTRIBUTION PAYABLE

In accordance with the Trust's constitution, the unrealised gains or losses on the revaluation of the fair value of investment properties, as well as other items as determined by the directors are not included in the profit available for distribution to unitholders. A reconciliation is provided below:

| | Dec 2024 \$000 | Dec 2023 \$000 |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|
| Profit for the period attributable to unitholders of BWP Trust Capital profits (retained)/ | 157,110 | 53,228 |
| released from undistributed profit | (400) | 480 |
| Remeasurement of derivatives to fair value Net unrealised (gains)/losses | 2,192 | - |
| in fair value of investment properties | (93,222) | 4,232 |
| Distributable profit for the period | 65,680 | 57,940 |
| Opening undistributed profit Closing undistributed profit | - (37) | 7 (4) |
| Distributable amount | 65,643 | 57,943 |
| Distribution (cents per unit) | 9.20 | 9.02 |

The recording of the distribution payable at each reporting date as a current liability has resulted in the Group's current liabilities exceeding its current assets as at 31 December 2024 by \$45.4 million. This is a timing issue, as the Group repays its interest-bearing loans and borrowings during the period from net profit and draws its interest-bearing loans and borrowings when distribution payments are made in August and February of each year.

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5 INTEREST-BEARING LOANS AND BORROWINGS

As at 31 December 2024 the Trust had the following borrowings:

| | Expiry date | Limit \$000 | Amount drawn \$000 |
|---|-------------|----------------|--------------------------|
| | | | |
| Bank debt facilities | | | |
| Sumitomo Mitsui Banking Corporation | 24 Jan 2026 | 100,000 | 100,000 |
| Westpac Banking Corporation | 30 Apr 2026 | 135,000 | 68,600 |
| Westpac Banking Corporation Sumitomo Mitsui | 31 Jul 2026 | 85,000 | 51,000 |
| Banking Corporation | 15 Mar 2027 | 110,000 | 85,000 |
| Australia | 31 Jul 2027 | 150,000 | 108,200 |
| Bank of China | 26 Jun 2028 | 50,000 | 50,000 |
| Institutional term loan | 29 Nov 2030 | 75,000 | 75,000 |
| | | 705,000 | 537,800 |
| Corporate bonds | | | |
| Fixed term seven-year corporate bonds | 10 Apr 2026 | 150,000 | 150,000 |
| Fixed term seven-year corporate bonds | 24 Mar 2028 | 100,000 | 100,000 |
| Prepaid interest and | | | (933) |
| borrowing costs | | 250,000 | 249,067 |
| | | 955,000 | 786,867 |

6 ISSUED CAPITAL

During the half-year no new units (2023: nil) were issued under the Trust's distribution reinvestment plan as the units were purchased on market, therefore the number of ordinary units on issue as at 31 December 2024 remained at 713,511,241 (30 June 2024: 713,511,241). The distribution reinvestment plan was active for the interim distribution for the half-year ended 31 December 2024.

7 SEGMENT REPORTING

The Group operates wholly within Australia and derives rental income from investments in commercial property.

8 FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

(a) Fair value

The fair values and carrying amounts of the Group's financial assets and financial liabilities recorded in the financial statements are materially the same with the exception of the following:

| | Dec 2024 \$000 | Jun 2024 \$000 |
|-------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Corporate bonds – book value¹ | (249,067) | (251,408) |
| Corporate bonds – fair value | (238,887) | (233,772) |

¹ Current period includes \$2.3 million of accrued interest which has been recorded as a current liability.

The methods and assumptions used to estimate the fair value of financial instruments are as follows:

Loans and receivables, and payables and deferred income

Due to the short-term nature of these financial rights and obligations, their carrying amounts are estimates to represent their fair values.

Cash and short-term deposits

The carrying amount is fair value due to the liquid nature of these assets.

Bank debt facilities and corporate bonds

Market values have been used to determine the fair value of corporate bonds using a quoted market price. The fair value of bank debt facilities have been calculated discounting the expected future cash flows at prevailing interest rates using market observable inputs.

Interest rate swaps

Interest rate swaps are measured at fair value by valuation techniques for which all inputs which have a significant effect on the recorded fair value are observable, either directly or indirectly (Level 2).

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(b) Financial risk management - credit risk

An allowance for impairment in respect of \$42,958 of receivables has been made during the current period (2023: nil). Based on historical default rates and access to bank guarantees, the Trust believes that no other impairment allowance is necessary.

Other aspects of the Group's financial risk management objectives and policies are consistent with those disclosed in the 30 June 2024 annual financial statements.

9 CAPITAL EXPENDITURE COMMITMENTS

Estimated capital expenditure contracted for at balance date, but not provided for in the financial statements, which is payable:

| | Dec 2024 \$000 | Jun 2024 \$000 |
|--------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Not later than one year: | | |
| Related parties | 15,400 | 15,400 |
| | 15,400 | 15,400 |

Capital commitments to related parties

Scoresby, Victoria

In December 2023, the Trust committed to car park works at its Scoresby Bunnings Warehouse, Victoria at a cost of \$1.4 million.

Dubbo, New South Wales

In August 2022, the Trust committed to acquire from Bunnings adjoining land and expand its Dubbo Bunnings Warehouse, New South Wales at a cost of \$14.0 million.

10 RELATED PARTIES

Arrangements with related parties continue to be in place. For details on these arrangements refer to the 30 June 2024 annual financial statements, along with Note 9 of these financial statements.

Directors' report

FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

In accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, BWP Management Limited (ABN 26 082 856 424), the responsible entity for BWP Trust, provides this report for the half-year that ended 31 December 2024 and review report thereon. The information on pages 6 to 10 forms part of this directors' report and is to be read in conjunction with the following information:

DIRECTORS

The names of directors of the responsible entity in office during the financial half-year and until the date of this report were:

- > Tony Howarth AO (Chairman)
- > Danielle Carter
- > Fiona Harris AM
- > Alison Quinn
- > Mike Steur
- > Mark Scatena (Managing Director)

Directors were in office for the entire period.

REVIEW AND RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

The operations of the Group during the six months to 31 December 2024 and the results of those operations are reviewed on pages 6 to 10 of this report and the accompanying financial statements.

| | Dec 2024 \$000 | Dec 2023 \$000 |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|
| Profit for the period attributable to unitholders of BWP Trust | 157,110 | 53,228 |
| Capital profits (retained)/ released from undistributed profit | (400) | 480 |
| Remeasurement of derivatives to fair value | 2,192 | - |
| Net unrealised (gains)/losses in fair value of investment properties | (93,222) | 4,232 |
| Distributable profit for the period | 65,680 | 57,940 |
| Opening undistributed profit | - | 7 |
| Closing undistributed profit | (37) | (4) |
| Distributable amount | 65,643 | 57,943 |

The interim distribution is 9.20 cents per ordinary unit (2023: 9.02 cents). This interim distribution will be paid on 26 February 2025.

UNITS ON ISSUE

At 31 December 2024, 713,511,241 units of BWP Trust were on issue (30 June 2024: 713,511,241).

SIGNIFICANT EVENTS AFTER THE BALANCE DATE

No matters or circumstances have arisen since the end of the financial period that have significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations, results of operations or state of affairs of the Group in subsequent financial periods.

AUDITOR INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION

The lead auditor's independence declaration is set out on page 32 and forms part of the directors' report for the half-year ended 31 December 2024.

ROUNDING OFF

The amounts contained in this report and the financial statements have been rounded to the nearest thousand dollars in accordance with ASIC Corporations (Rounding in Financial/Directors' Reports) Instrument 2016/191, unless otherwise stated. The Trust is an entity to which the Class Order applies.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the directors of BWP Management Limited.

Tony Howarth AO

Chairman BWP Management Limited Perth, 5 February 2025

Directors' declaration

FOR THE HALF-YEAR ENDED 31 DECEMBER 2024

In accordance with a resolution of the directors of BWP Management Limited, responsible entity for the BWP Trust ("the Trust"), I state that:

In the opinion of the directors:

- (a) the consolidated financial statements and notes of the Group are in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:
 - giving a true and fair view of the Group's financial position as at 31 December 2024 and of its performance for the half-year ended on that date; and
 - (ii) complying with Accounting Standard AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting and Corporations Regulations 2001; and
- (b) there are reasonable grounds to believe that the Trust will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

For and on behalf of the board of BWP Management Limited.

Tony Howarth AO Chairman BWP Management Limited Perth, 5 February 2025

Auditor's independence declaration

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LEAD AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE DECLARATION UNDER SECTION 307C OF THE CORPORATIONS ACT 2001

To the Directors of BWP Management Limited as the responsible entity of BWP Trust

I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, in relation to the review of BWP Trust for the half-year ended 31 December 2024 there have been:

- no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements as set out in the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the review; and
- (ii) no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the review.

KPMG

Jane Barley

KPMG

Jane Bailey Partner Perth, 5 February 2025

Independent auditor's review report

TO THE UNITHOLDERS OF BWP TRUST

REPORT ON THE HALF-YEAR FINANCIAL REPORT

Conclusion

We have reviewed the accompanying Half-year Financial Report of BWP Trust (the Trust).

Based on our review, which is not an audit, we have not become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the Half-year Financial Report of BWP Trust does not comply with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:

- giving a true and fair view of the Group's financial position as at 31 December 2024 and of its performance for the half-year ended on that date; and
- complying with Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

The Half-year Financial Report comprises the:

- Consolidated statement of financial position as at 31 December 2024
- > Consolidated statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, Consolidated statement of changes in equity and Consolidated statement of cash flows for the half-year ended on that date
- Notes 1 to 10 comprising material accounting policies and other explanatory information
- > The Directors' Declaration.

The *Group* comprises the Trust and the entities it controlled at the Half year's end or from time to time during the Half-year.



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Basis for Conclusion

We conducted our review in accordance with ASRE 2410 Review of a Financial Report Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity. Our responsibilities are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Review of the Financial Report section of our report.

We are independent of the Group in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants (including Independence Standards) (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the annual financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements.

Responsibilities of the Directors for the Half-year Financial Report

The Directors of BWP Management Limited (the Responsible Entity) are responsible for:

- > the preparation of the Half-year Financial Report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Act 2001
- > such internal control as the Directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the Halfyear Financial Report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's responsibilities for the review of the Half-year Financial Report

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the Half-year Financial Report based on our review. ASRE 2410 requires us to conclude whether we have become aware of any matter that makes us believe that the Half-year Financial Report does not comply with the *Corporations Act 2001* including giving a true and fair view of the Trust's financial position as at 31 December 2024 and its performance for the Half-Year ended on that date, and complying with *Australian Accounting Standard AASB 134 Interim Financial Reporting* and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*.

A review of a Half-year Financial Report consists of making enquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit conducted in accordance with *Australian Auditing Standards* and consequently does not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion.

KPMG

Jane Barley

KPMG

Jane Baileu Partner Perth. 5 Februaru 2025



Investor information

STOCK EXCHANGE LISTING

The BWP Trust is listed on the Australian Securities Exchange ("ASX") and reported in the "Industrial" section in daily newspapers – code BWP.

DISTRIBUTION REINVESTMENT PLAN

The Distribution Reinvestment Plan was in place for the interim distribution for the current year.

ELECTRONIC PAYMENT OF DISTRIBUTIONS

All distributions to unitholders in Australia are by direct credit only to the unitholder's nominated account. Unitholders may nominate a bank, building society or credit union account for the payment of distributions by direct credit. Payments are electronically credited on the distribution date and confirmed either by an electronic or mailed payment advice. Unitholders wishing to take advantage of payment by direct credit can provide their banking instructions online by logging onto www.investorcentre.com/au. Alternatively, unitholders can request the relevant forms by contacting the registry.

PUBLICATIONS

The annual report is the main source of information for unitholders. In addition in February each year a half-year report is produced providing a summary of the six months to December.

Periodically, the Trust may also send releases to the ASX covering matters of relevance to investors.

WEBSITE

BWP's website, **bwptrust.com.au** provides information on each property in the portfolio, and an overview of the Trust's approach to investment, corporate governance and sustainability. The site also provides unit price information and access to annual and half-year reports and releases made to the ASX.

ANNUAL TAX STATEMENTS

Accompanying the final distribution payment in August each year will be an annual tax statement which details any tax advantaged components of the year's distribution, if applicable.

PROFIT DISTRIBUTIONS

Profit distributions are paid twice yearly, normally in February and August.

UNITHOLDER ENQUIRIES

Please contact the Registry Manager if you have any questions about your unitholding or distributions.

COMPLAINTS HANDLING

Complaints made in regard to BWP Trust should be directed to the Managing Director, BWP Management Limited, Level 14, Brookfield Place Tower 2, 123 St Georges Terrace, Perth, Western Australia, 6000. The procedure for lodgement of complaints and complaints handling is set out under the **Contact Us** tab of the BWP Trust website at **bwptrust.com.au**.

EXTERNAL DISPUTES RESOLUTION

Should a complainant be dissatisfied with the decision made by the responsible entity in relation to a complaint, the complainant is entitled to lodge a dispute with the Australian Financial Complaints Authority (AFCA), an independent external dispute resolution (EDR) scheme authorised by the Minister for Revenue and Financial Services to deal with complaints from consumers in the financial system. AFCA can be contacted by telephone on 1800 931 678 (free call), by email to **info@afca.org.au**, by fax to (03) 9613 6399, by mail addressed to Australian Financial Complaints Authority Limited, GPO Box 3, Melbourne VIC 3001, or by visiting their website at **afca.org.au**.

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