



# **Flow Investor Presentation**

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# At a Glance







### **Our Story**

- + Founded in Ontario in 2014 as a sustainable premium water and beverage company
- + Started from a family-owned spring in Ontario
- + Packaged in eco-friendly Tetra Pak®
- + Sourced from and produced in Virginia since 2019
- + Over 59,000 retail locations

### **Our Water**

- + Naturally alkaline, ± pH 8.1
- Naturally occurring essential minerals and electrolytes from our artesian springs
- + Abundant supply of spring water
- + Conservation and water stewardship protects our sources for present and future generations

### **Our Portfolio**

- + Flow Naturally Alkaline Spring Water
- + Flow Alkaline Spring Water in six light and refreshing organic flavours, ZERO sugar, ZERO calories
- + Flow Vitamin-Infused Water in three flavours with Vitamin C and zinc

### **Our Consumer**

- She is 25-45 y/o, mindful, balances work, social life, and exercise
- + She is health-conscious and willing to pay more for eco-friendly products
- + Loyal consumer base with a Net Promoter Score of 79\*

# **Recent Strategic Initiatives Driving Profitable Growth**



# Sale of Verona production facility

- + Proceeds of US \$19.5 million
- + \$6.3 million in lease assignment
- + Entered into a co-pack agreement for efficient transition
- + Maintaining ownership of
   144-acre Verona, Virginia spring
   water source

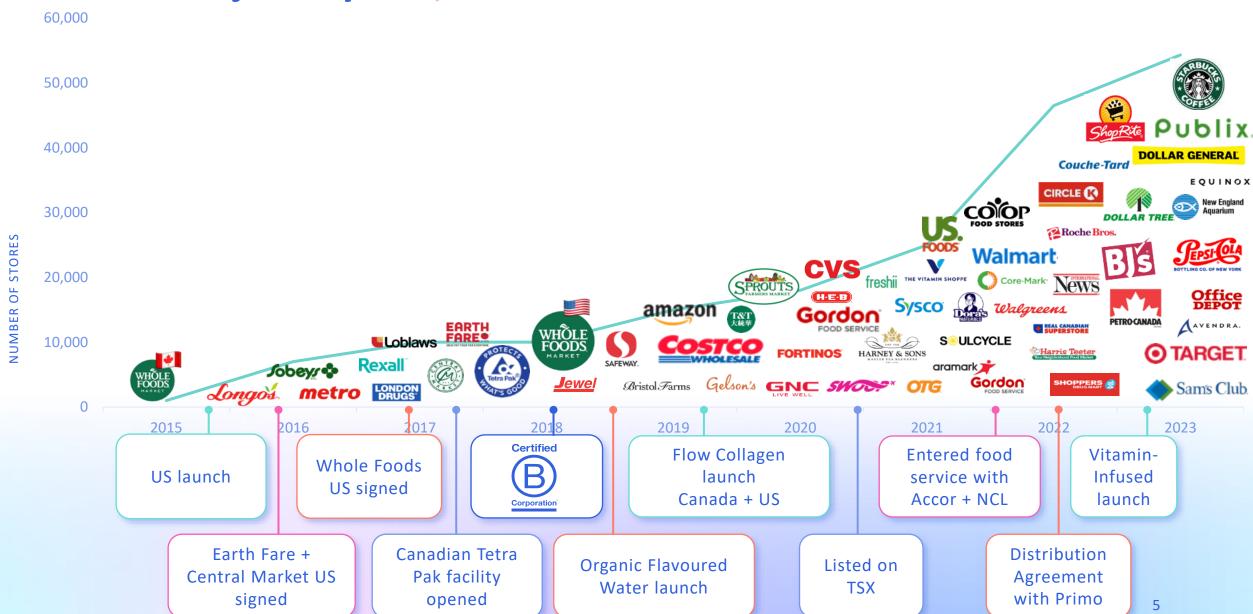
# **Corporate**

- + Extended \$9.5 million of unsecured debentures to 2026
- + Extended \$1.8 million Seawright
  Mineral Springs loan to 2026
- + \$20 million raised through the issuance of senior secured debt
- + Cross-functional restructuring, eliminating 30% of roles
- + Stephen A. Smith and Michael Lines appointed to Board of Directors

# **Recent progress**

- + Flow brand growth
  - + 21% in Q3 2023, 46% for YTD Q3 2023
- + Gross margin
  - + 21% in Q3 2023, 22% for YTD Q3 2023
- + Aurora production facility sale advancing through brokered process
- + Executing on third-party logistics plan
- + Cash of \$7.6 million and working capital of \$12.3 million as of Q3 2023

# **Growth Trajectory: 59,340 Stores**



# Flow brand growth of 46% YTD 2023



Flow brand net revenue and Y-Y growth						
Q1 2022	Q2 2022	Q3 2022	Q4 2022	Q1 2023	Q2 2023	Q3 2023
\$5.2	\$4.8	\$8.6	\$7.9	\$7.3	\$9.5	\$10.5
40% ↑	9% ↓	36% 个	38% ↑	40% ↑	98% ↑	21% ↑

# **#1 Market Share in Carton Format**



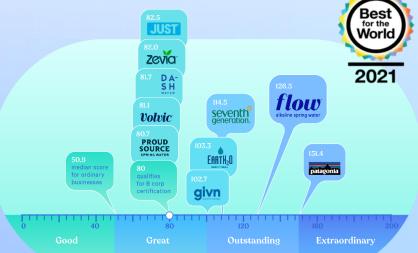
# A Positive Impact on the Planet and People

### **ESG Reporting**

- + Flow published its first Sustainability Accounting Standards Board (SASB) Report on Earth Day 2022 and will publish its next report in October.
- + An annual report is being developed and will be published soon.

### **B Corp "Best for the World" Honoree**

- + Top 5% of all B Corp certified companies
- + B Corp score is 126.5, the highest in the water industry
- +. Preparing for successful 2024 recertification



### **Community Engagement**

- + Flow participated in Starbucks Canada to Shoreline Cleanup in Toronto and Edmonton, and is supporting a Starbucks Tree Planting initiative this month.
- + Flow has continued donating water in disaster-stricken areas such as Hawaii, Florida, Flint, and local food banks.



### Going beyond the plastic bottle

- Packaging in ca.75% plant-based, renewable materials
- +. Increased renewable materials packaging coming in 2024
- + Committed to 100% renewable source package by 2030

### **Carbon neutral**

- Carbon Neutrality across operations
- Sourcing 100% renewable energy for facilities
- + Amazon Climate Pledge Member
- Reducing Scope 3 emissions from travel and packaging with Goodwings and Ecocart

### **Protecting the source**

- Water stewardship
- Land management
- Enhancing spring source protection

### **Greening the supply chain**

- + Procurement requires sustainable suppliers
- + Promoting recycling through the Carton Council
- Packaging designed to be recycled and upcycled



# **Operational Milestones**

### Retail

- + Expanded to over 59,000 stores, a 63% increase
- + Family Dollar, Dollar Tree, Albertsons/Safeway, Save on Foods, Circle K
- Maintained #1 market share in U.S. carton format water

### **Food service**

- + Entered food service through contracts with Live Nation, Starbucks Canada and Foodbuy
- + Launched in 1,100 Starbucks in January 2023 and Live Nation concerts in June 2023

### **Innovation**

- Launched Vitamin-Infused Water in three new flavours across North America
- + Now in over 8,000 locations in North America
- + Circle K in Canada, Albertsons/Safeway in the U.S.

















# **Financial Highlights**

### Q3 2023

### Flow brand net revenue

\$10.5 million in Q3 2023, 21% increase from Q3 2022

\$27.2 million for YTD Q3 2023, 46% increase from YTD Q3 2022

**Drivers:** food service, new stores, e-commerce, innovation

### Consolidated net revenue

\$13.8 million in Q3 2023, 8% increase from Q3 2022

\$37.6 million for YTD Q3 2023, 12% increase from YTD Q3 2022

**Drivers:** Flow brand growth

### **Gross margin**

21% in Q3 2023, 22% for YTD Q3 2023

**Drivers:** Change in sales mix, e-commerce fulfillment methodology and service interruption

### **EBITDA**

\$(9.7) million in Q3 2023, as compared to \$(8.9) million in Q3 2022

**Drivers:** gross profit, stock-based compensation, \$3.8 million related to non-recurring charges



# Financial Results — Q3 2023

	Three months ended			
In Millions (\$CAD)	July 31, 2023	July 31, 2022		
Flow brand net revenue	10.5	8.6		
Co-pack net revenue	3.3	4.1		
Net revenue	13.8	12.7		
Gross profit	3.0	3.6		
Gross margin <sup>1</sup>	21%	28%		
Sales and marketing	1.8	1.9		
General and administrative	6.5	4.6		
Salaries and benefits	3.0	3.7		
Share-based compensation	1.7	1.9		
EBITDA Loss <sup>2</sup>	(9.7)	(8.9)		
Adjusted EBITDA Loss <sup>3</sup>	(7.7)	(6.4)		

### **Gross margin**

- + Higher food service revenue in sales mix
- + E-commerce: change in fulfillment methodology, service interruptions

### **Operating expenses**

- + Sales and marketing: lower as a % of net revenue
- + General and admin: includes \$3.8 million nonrecurring costs
- + Salaries and benefits: partial impact from restructuring, no impact from 3PL
- + Restructuring initiatives to become more pronounced in fiscal Q4 2023 and Q1 2024

<sup>(1)</sup> This is a supplementary financial measure. See the "Non-IFRS and Other Financial Measures" for more information on the supplementary financial measure. "Gross margin" is defined as gross profit divided by net revenue.

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# **Unlocking Shareholder Value**

### **Current valuation**

- + Flow is trading at 1.0x EV/Revenue
- + Weighted average peer group trading at 5.3x EV/Revenue
- + Flow brand is achieving among the highest growth rates (46% YTD 2023, 26% FY 2022)

### Value to be unlocked through:

- + Strengthening balance sheet and cash flow position
- + Continued growth of *Flow* brand
- + Executing plan to profitability
- + Investments into IR program

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Company	Mcap.	EV	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024
Bellring	\$5,350	\$6,259	\$1,654	\$1,854	19%	12%	3.8x	3.4x	19x	19x
Celsius	\$15,500	\$14,887	\$1,251	\$1,724	91%	38%	11.9x	8.6x	61x	61x
Guru	\$70	\$50	\$29	\$35	(1)%	21%	1.7x	1.4x	N/A	N/A
Lassonde	\$1,370	\$1,621	\$2,320	\$2,375	7%	2%	0.7x	0.7x	8x	8x
Monster	\$59,050	\$57,781	\$7,164	\$8,003	12%	12%	8.1x	7.2x	27x	27x
National Beverage	\$4,400	\$4,323	\$1,195	\$1,227	5%	3%	3.6x	3.5x	18x	18x
Oatly	\$663	\$732	\$788	\$893	11%	13%	0.9x	0.8x	N/A	N/A
Primo	\$3,260	\$4,861	\$2,344	\$2,496	5%	6%	2.1x	1.9x	10x	10x
Vita Coco	\$1,610	\$1,591	\$477	\$464	12%	(3)%	3.3x	3.4x	27x	27x
Average					18%	12%	4.0x	3.5x	24x	24x
Weighted average					33%	11%	5.3x	4.8x	<b>20</b> x	<b>20</b> x
Flow	\$26	\$48	\$49	\$60	4%	22%	1.0x	0.8x	N/A	N/A

Source: CapitalIQ, Flow analyst estimates

# Path to profitability and unlocking shareholders value

Flow brand growth	Financial improvements	Asset-light model
<ul><li>+ Retail</li><li>+ Food service</li><li>+ Innovation</li></ul>	<ul><li>+ Logistics</li><li>+ Shipping</li><li>+ Restructuring</li></ul>	<ul> <li>+ Unlock balance sheet value</li> <li>+ Improve cash position</li> <li>+ Reinvest in Flow brand</li> </ul>

### **Financial benefits**

+ Flow expects \$22-\$26 million in cost improvement



# **Management Team**



Nicholas Reichenbach Chief Executive Officer

- + Founder of Flow
- + Director SimplyProtein (Wellness Natural, Inc.)
- + Managing Partner Evolver Ventures



Trent MacDonald
Chief Financial Officer

- + 25 years of executive leadership
- Retail and CPG experience with Sobeys, Indigo,
   Neighbourly Pharmacy and HEXO
- + Award winning entrepreneur focused on growth and value creation

# **Board of Directors**



Nicholas Reichenbach Chairman & CEO

Founder of Flow

Director Simply Protein (Wellness Natural Inc.)

**Director General Assembly** 

Managing Partner Evolver Ventures



Joe Jackman
Director

Founder & CEO
Jackman Reinvents

Director Simply Protein (Wellness Natural Inc.)

Former CMO (Acting) Old Navy (division of Gap Inc.)

Former CMO (Acting)
Duane Reade

Former EVP Marketing Loblaw Companies Ltd



Chavanne
Lead Independent
Director

President & CEO, eShopWorld

Director, Chair Compensation
Committee Brown-Forman

Director, French-American Foundation United States



**Stephen A. Smith** Independent Director

Chair of Flow Audit Committee

Previous co-CEO and CFO of Cara
Operations (now Recipes Unlimited)

Previous EVP Finance and CFO of Loblaw

Director of Organigram, Freshii, Mav Beauty Brand and CE Brands



Michael Lines
Independent Director

Chair of Flow's CHR&C Committee

Founder and President of Simply Protein (Wellness Natural Inc.)

Vice-Chair of Plant Based Foods of Canada

# **Corporate Snapshot**

# **Capitalization Summary**

Company Symbol	TSX:FLOW		
Shares outstanding	56.4M		
Options, RSUs, DSUs and warrants	18.7M		
Fully-diluted shares outstanding	75.1M		
Market capitalization (September 13, 2023)	\$26M		
Cash (July 31, 2023)	\$7.6M		



# It's a beautiful day to invest in the future.

Alkaline spring water in a sustainable package.