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# Reading Our Report

This Sustainability Report (the "Report", or "Sustainability Report") is divided into sections comprising each publicly listed Dream entity: Dream Unlimited Corp., Dream Impact Trust, Dream Office REIT, Dream Industrial REIT and Dream Residential REIT. The introduction, and subsequent Environmental/Net Zero, Social and Governance sections focus on the shared net zero strategy, social policies, processes and programs, and governance and risk management for the Dream group of companies.

The Dream group of companies (collectively referred to as "Dream", the "Dream group", the "Dream entities", "we", or "our") includes:

Dream Unlimited Corp. (TSX: DRM) 7 ("Dream Unlimited", or "DRM")

Dream Impact Trust (TSX: MPCT.UN) ↗ ("Dream Impact", or "MPCT.UN")

Dream Office Real Estate Investment Trust (TSX: D.UN) > ("Dream Office", or "D.UN")

Dream Industrial Real Estate Investment Trust (TSX: DIR.UN) > ("Dream Industrial", or "DIR.UN")

Dream Residential Real Estate Investment Trust (TSX: DRR.U and DRR.UN) 7 ("Dream Residential", or "DRR.U")

The remainder of this report focuses on the environmental, social and governance ("ESG") performance and practices of each public entity. Each entity has specific investment objectives and a unique underlying business which drives its ESG initiatives and the information reported on.

We realize the majority of our readers will focus on the entity chapter(s) which coincide with their interests or investments. We have therefore structured this report so each entity chapter can be read on a standalone basis resulting in some repetition across entity chapters.





# **About this Report**

Our 2023 Sustainability Report discloses the most relevant ESG topics and impacts of our activities for the year ended December 31, 2023. This Report also highlights our 2023 ESG initiatives and accomplishments and presents our forward-looking plans for 2024. Reports from previous years are available on our website. The **2022**Sustainability Report was published in May 2023.

#### **Reporting Scope and Boundaries**

This Report encompasses the Dream group of companies. All information and performance data contained in this Report reflects the period from January 1, 2023 to December 31, 2023, unless otherwise stated. All amounts are reported in Canadian dollars unless otherwise stated. There have been no restatements from the information published in the 2022 Sustainability Report, unless otherwise stated in footnotes.

#### **Approvals**

This Report on the recommendation of the Governance Committees have been approved by the following boards and executives of each entity.

DRM	MPCT.UN	D.UN	DIR.UN	DRR.U	
• Board	• Board	• Board	• Board	• Board	
· CRO	<ul> <li>Portfolio Manager</li> </ul>	· CEO	<ul> <li>President &amp; CEO</li> </ul>	· CEO	
· CFO	· CFO	· CFO	· CFO	· CFO	
		· COO		. COO	

#### **External Assurance**

PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP ("PwC") has performed a limited assurance engagement over select performance metrics for Dream Unlimited, Dream Impact, Dream Office, Dream Industrial, and Dream Residential, which have been identified with the symbol "\sqrt " throughout this Report. This Report and the information contained within is unaudited. For more information about the scope of PwC's work, including the select performance metrics and data in scope of the assurance click on the following links: <a href="Dream Unlimited">Dream Unlimited</a>, <a href="Dream Unlimited">Dream Impact</a>, <a href="Dream Unlimited">Dream Unlimited</a>, <a href="Dre

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#### **Reporting Standards**

This Report has been prepared with references to the Global Reporting Initiative ("GRI") Standards. It also includes indicators from the Sustainability Accounting Standards Board ("SASB") Real Estate Standard and addresses the recommendations of the Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosures ("TCFD"). In addition, Dream Industrial's disclosures include alignment with the European Public Real Estate Association ("EPRA") Sustainability Best Practices Recommendations ("sBPR") for sustainability reporting. These standards are referenced in the reference tables starting on page 64 of this Report.

In June 2023, the IFRS Accounting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IFRS Accounting Standards") published two Sustainability Disclosure Standards. While not currently mandatory in Canada, we are monitoring the implications of IFRS S1 General Requirements for Disclosure of Sustainability-related Financial Information and IFRS S2 Climate-related Disclosures on our future reporting.

#### **Other Reporting**

For more information on our sustainability and impact initiatives and progress, please refer to our other reports:

2023 Impact Report 7

Net Zero by 2035 Action Plan 7

Dream Industrial's Green Use of Proceeds Report 2022

For more information on each of the Dream entities, please refer to their respective 2023 Annual Reports and 2023 Annual Information Forms:

DRM 2023 Annual Report A

MPCT.UN 2023 Annual Report A

MPCT.UN Annual Information Form A

D.UN 2023 Annual Report A

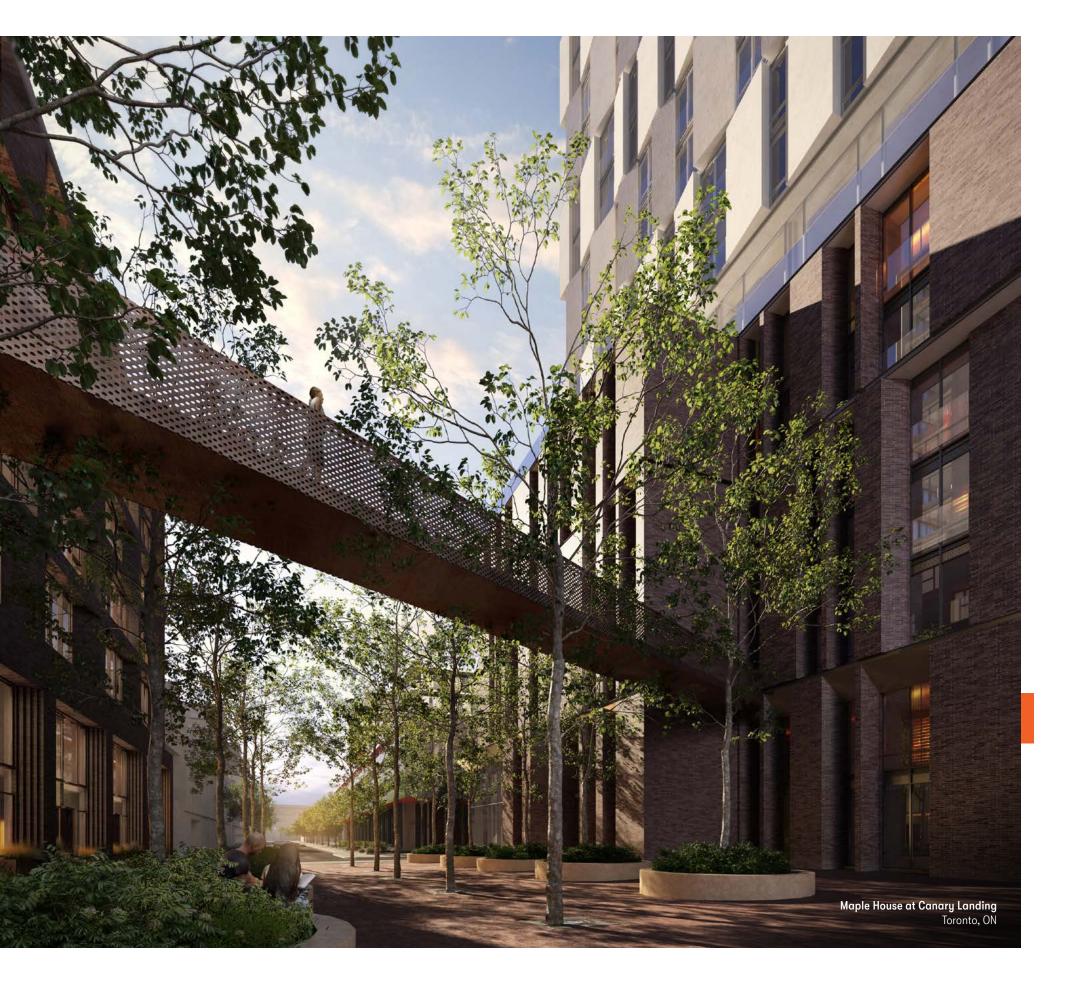
DIR.UN 2023 Annual Report A

DIR.UN 2023 Annual Report A

DIR.UN Annual Information Form A

DRR.U 2023 Annual Report A

DRR.U Annual Information Form A



# Dream Group of Companies

### **Dream Group of Companies**

# Introduction

Founded in 1994 with a vision to revolutionize the way people live and work, the Dream group of companies have become some of Canada's leading real estate companies, with approximately \$24 billion of assets under management across its platform.<sup>[1]</sup>



# Letter from Chief Responsible Officer

Over the past few years, Dream has undergone a significant transformation as we focused on growing our asset management business, owning and operating income properties, specifically purpose-built rentals, and the continued development of our exceptional projects. We are proud to have made these changes while the real estate industry is experiencing significant challenges from high interest rates, inflation and economic uncertainty.

Alongside our progress, we've found meaningful ways to deliver on our goal of Building Better Communities. We believe our business can create positive and measurable impacts on people and the planet, create new business opportunities, and deliver stakeholder value.

We continued to work collaboratively with municipalities and the federal government on zoning and financing solutions to create more housing for our communities. This year, we completed over 950 purpose-built rentals in our development pipeline, the most in our history, including the LEED Gold certified Maple House at Canary Landing and Aalto II at Zibi, our net zero community. This showcases how we are effectively leveraging our existing land assets to generate recurring income with strong returns, while addressing the critical need for housing across the country and minimizing our environmental footprint.

Our team is executing on our development pipeline, including Zibi, Dream LeBreton, and Quayside, with nearly 7,700 housing units and 2.5 million sf in commercial/retail GLA, all of which are intended to be net zero. This positions us to develop a projected \$6 billion worth of net zero communities in North America<sup>(1)</sup>, which will help us realize economies of scale, attract financing and capitalize on tenant demand for sustainable spaces to generate returns for our investors. Constructing to green building standards is becoming table stakes in the markets where we operate and we are well prepared based on our track record to navigate these requirements.

Sustainability remains a key priority for Dream Industrial. In 2023, we advanced many of our sustainability goals including the completion of 3.7 MW of solar projects and achieved 3.5 million of in green certifications. While our renewable energy program is less than two years old, it has already contributed over \$1 million to our annual NOI and we will continue to pursue additional opportunities as they arise to further scale these returns.

Across our office portfolio, we continued to realize energy, water and GHG emissions reductions from operational efficiencies and projects we've completed in the past. We are prudently managing our capital and are focused on leveraging our existing capabilities and funding sources to yield results, such as certifying more of our office portfolio to green building standards while reducing our equity outlay by using our Canada Infrastructure Bank credit facility.

We are proud of our accomplishments at Arapahoe Basin, where we achieved carbon neutrality in late 2023.<sup>(2)</sup> We co-founded the National Ski Area Association's Sustainable Slopes Environmental Charter over 20 years ago, and set seven ambitious sustainability goals in 2018. The value-add sustainability initiatives undertaken by the team have helped build the brand, positioned the asset well with its customer base and contributed to a great return on investment.

We were once again recognized as one of Greater Toronto's Top Employers and one of Canada's Best Workplaces™ in Real Estate & Property Development. Building a winning team and culture is key to our future success. Our people and their passion to make a positive difference is reflected in everything we do. The work we have done to date and the accomplishments highlighted in this report would not be possible without the commitment and hard work of our great team.

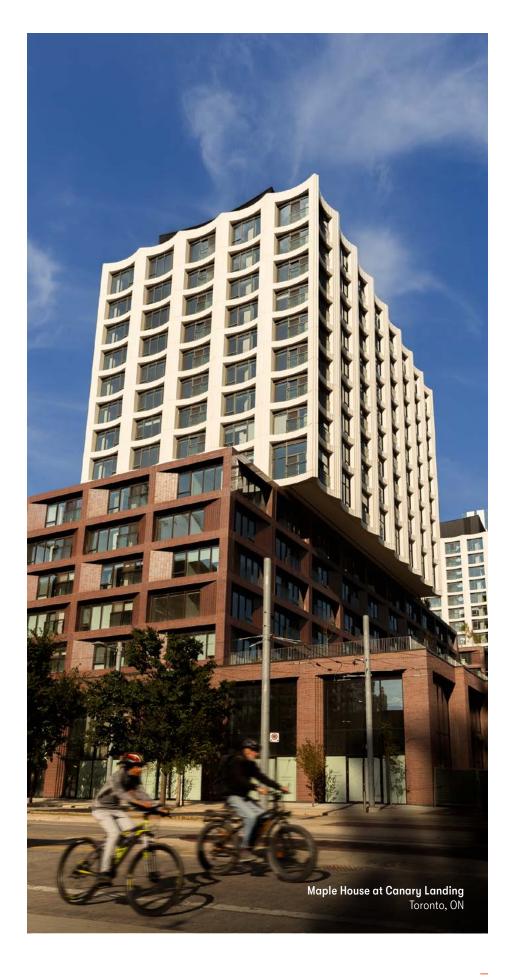
The long-term risks from climate change continue to be a concern in the investment community and economic uncertainty in the near-term continues to challenge the real estate market. Against this backdrop, we are looking at how building a resilient and sustainable business can protect asset value, maintain strong liquidity levels, differentiate ourselves and deliver market returns to investors.

We are encouraged by our track record of executing on our projects, being pragmatic in our decision-making and delivering impactful results. We look forward to sharing more of our work with you in this report as we continue to evolve and challenge expectations of the impact a real estate company can have.



"Michael J. Cooper" **Michael Cooper** Chief Responsible Officer Dream Unlimited Corp.

June 11, 2024



# Letter from Head of Sustainability and ESG

In our fifth consecutive Sustainability Report, we are proud to share updates on how our journey to build a more sustainable business that creates positive impact is progressing. It is commonly stated that real estate is responsible for about 39% of global GHG emissions. But when we dig further into this number, we find that approximately 28% is from operational emissions and the remaining 11% is from embodied carbon associated with materials and construction during the development stage<sup>(1)</sup>. As we are over two years into our net zero journey, we now have completed several projects to reduce operational emissions and we have several initiatives to reduce embodied carbon from our developments underway, which we will continue to learn from to optimize our strategy moving forward.

We've made significant progress in refining our net zero delivery strategies and integrating them across our business. To do this effectively, we've used in-house expertise and tools, and scaled our program to more assets, to reduce overall costs and time to meet the goals set out in our business plan.

In 2023, we also continued to secure funding for our decarbonization retrofits. Three of Dream's properties were selected, out of eight total selected projects, to participate in the City of Toronto's Deep Retrofit Challenge ("DRC") and are eligible to receive grants of up to \$500,000 to accelerate emissions reductions from buildings in Toronto and identify pathways to net zero that can be replicated in other buildings across the city.

We continued to decarbonize our existing office and apartment assets using attractive financing provided by the Canada Infrastructure Bank ("CIB"). We've drawn over \$23 million of this funding across 14 properties in a responsible manner towards our net zero goals. These projects can reduce GHG emissions, reduce operating costs, modernize the buildings, improve the tenant experience and protect asset value. As part of this program, we have achieved the rigorous Investor Ready Energy Efficiency ("IREE") certification for 19 properties<sup>(2)</sup> and, as a result, we have the largest portfolio of IREE certified projects in Canada.

For its renewable power program in Canada, Dream Industrial has secured over \$800,000 in government and utility incentives to support 2.6 MW of solar projects. In the Netherlands, all of the solar projects completed and underway have been granted the government's energy production subsidy scheme ("SDE" or SDE++"), which guarantees a fixed energy rate for the solar project for 15 years and, in 2023, 17 additional projects were approved for SDE++.

Using government funding sources like the CIB and DRC preserves our equity while achieving our business plan goals and creates new revenue streams, such as through renewable energy production.

We are proud to have completed our inaugural United Nations Principles for Responsible Investment (PRI) submission and continued our Net Zero Asset Managers initiative reporting - both demonstrating transparency, accountability and good governance over the commitments we set. We successfully have implemented many best practices on integrating sustainability, impact and ESG into our investment decision making and, as a result, achieved excellent results with our PRI scores.

We also increased our participation in the GRESB Real Estate Assessment with four submissions in 2023 for our public companies and are proud of the results, providing our investors with extensive information on our progress on the management and performance of sustainability and ESG-related risks and opportunities.

In 2023, we launched a Climate Resiliency Working Group to bring various stakeholders together to collaborate on pragmatic strategies for our assets to adapt to the changing environment.

We have also continued preparing for sustainability and climate-related regulations in Canada, the United States and Europe, leveraging our shared platform to reduce compliance costs and position us well for further investment.

We hope you continue to find our reporting informative, educational, and inspiring as we continue our sustainability journey.



"Lee Hodgkinson" Lee Hodgkinson Head of Sustainability and Technical Services Dream Unlimited Corp.

June 11, 2024



# About the Dream Group of Companies<sup>[1]</sup>

Dream Unlimited is the flagship of the Dream group of companies, and is an asset manager, owner, and developer of real estate.

Our purpose is to **Build Better Communities.** ESG and impact are ingrained in how we manage our buildings and run our business. Our commitment to sustainability aligns with our values and guides how we think, live and work.

Across the Dream group we have:

\$24 billion

of assets under management<sup>[2]</sup>

\$5.2 billion

of properties in the U.S. and Europe

71.4 million

sf gross leasable area ("GLA") co-owned and managed by Dream Industrial<sup>(4)</sup>

645

total employees<sup>(3)</sup>

~35,000

condominium and purpose-built rental units in the Dream group portfolio (including development pipeline)

5.1 million

sf GLA owned by Dream Office



<sup>(2)</sup> As at December 31, 2023. Assets under management is a supplementary financial measure in respect of DRM. Please refer to the Specified Financial Measures and Other



<sup>(3)</sup> Includes only employees employed by Dream Asset Management Corporation, Dream Industrial Management Corp., Dream Office Management Corp., Dream U.S. Manager LLC, Dream European Advisors GmbH, Dream Netherlands Advisors B.V., Dream US Manager LLC, Dream France Advisors SAS, Dream Europe Advisors Cooperatieve U.A and Dream Summit Industrial Management Corp. Does not include employees at recreational properties, employees on unpaid leaves of absence (e.g., permanent disability, long-term disability, parental leave), interns, Avrio employees and DRR.U employees of Pauls Corp.

<sup>(4)</sup> Includes DIR.UN's owned and managed properties as at December 31, 2023. Managed properties include assets held in a joint venture between GIC and DIR.UN in which DIR.UN has a 10% interest ("the Dream Summit JV") and U.S. assets held in a private U.S. industrial fund (the "U.S. Fund").

### **Our Public Entities**



**Dream Unlimited Corp. | TSX: DRM** 

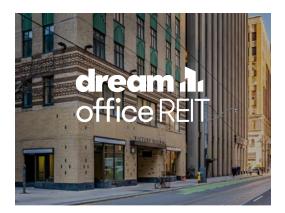
\$24 billion

of assets under management<sup>[1]</sup>



**Dream Impact Trust | TSX: MPCT.UN** 

\$707.4 million



**Dream Office REIT | TSX: D.UN** 

\$2.7 billion



**Dream Industrial REIT | TSX: DIR.UN** 

\$6.9 billion

investment properties fair value



Dream Residential REIT | TSX: DRR.U and DRR.UN

US \$411.9 million

total assets



#### **Dream Private Investment Vehicles**

Dream Impact Fund is one of Canada's first real estate impact funds, focused exclusively on investments that generate measurable social, environmental, and financial returns.

Dream Summit Industrial Joint Venture ("Dream Summit") is a partnership with GIC which acquired Summit Industrial Income REIT with a portfolio of light industrial properties in Canada in February 2023. Additionally, there is a private partnership with a major Canadian financial institution through the Dream Summit partnership.

Development Joint Venture is a partnership with a leading global sovereign wealth fund to build high-quality, best-in-class industrial assets in the greater Toronto area with the intention to hold the properties following stabilization.

Dream U.S. Industrial Fund invests in high-quality core, core+, value-add and development industrial assets across the United States.

# **Associations and Memberships**

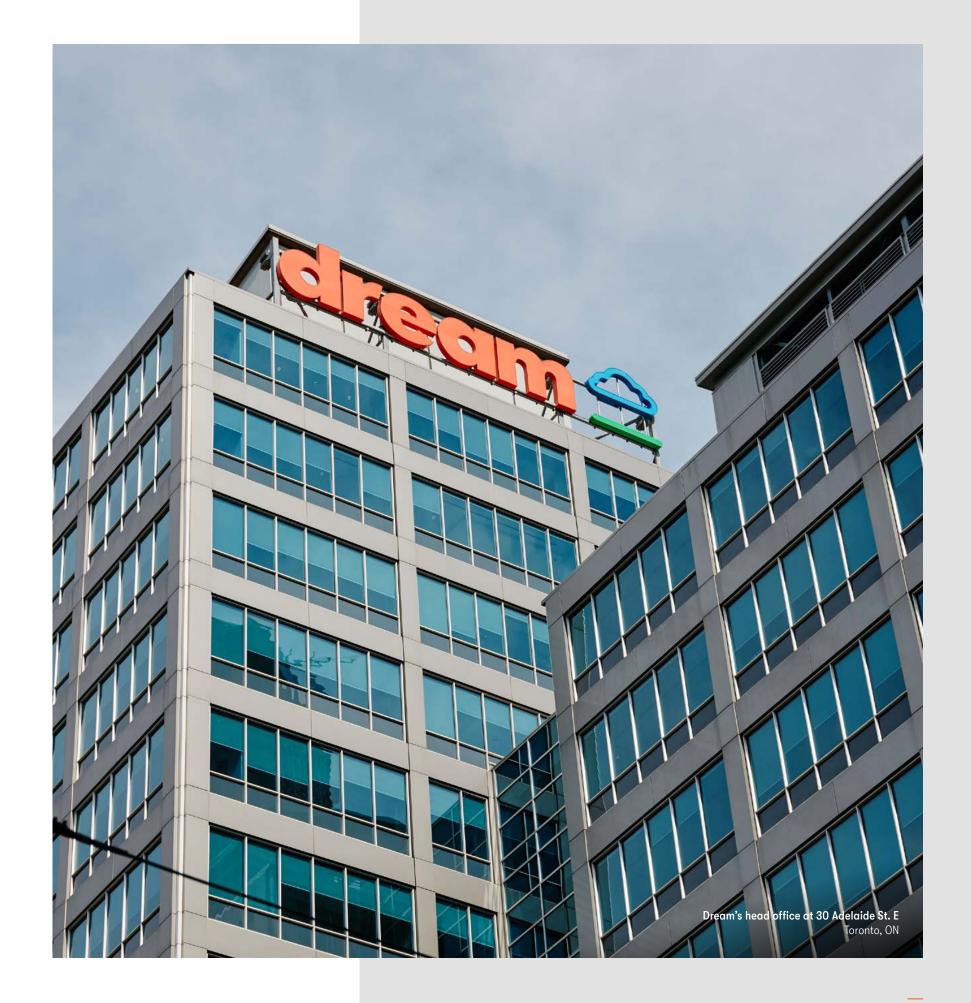
Headquartered in Toronto, Canada, Dream is responsible for some of Canada's most iconic and transformational projects. We always invest with purpose, embracing creativity, passion and innovation to deliver high returns, while doing good for the communities and the world around us.

#### **Industry Associations, Benchmarks and ESG Initiatives**

- Building Industry and Land Development Association ("BILD")
- Building Owners and Managers Association ("BOMA")
- · Catalyst member of the Canada Green Building Council ("CaGBC")
- · City of Toronto Green Will Initiative
- European Public Real Estate Association ("EPRA")
- · Dutch Green Building Council ("DGBC")
- · Global Impact Investing Network ("GIIN")
- · GRESB
- · Commercial Real Estate Development Association ("NAIOP")
- · Real Estate Council of Alberta ("RECA")
- · Real Estate Council of Ontario ("RECO")
- · Real Property Association of Canada ("REALPAC")
- · Urban Land Institute ("ULI")
- · United Nations Sustainable Development Goals ("SDGs")

We are supporters, signatories or members of the following global initiatives:

- Net Zero Asset Managers ("NZAM")
- · Operating Principles for Impact Management >
- · Principles for Responsible Investment ("PRI") >
- Task Force on Climate-related Financial Disclosures ("TCFD")



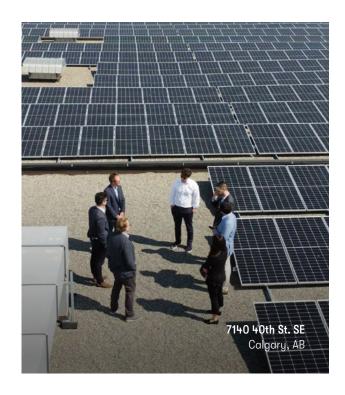
### **ESG** Framework

For over two decades, we have worked to build better communities while maximizing returns for our investors.

In 2021, we launched our ESG Framework to identify our ESG priorities and support formal integration of ESG throughout our business. The ESG Framework was developed through consideration of global macro trends influencing the sustainability landscape, a review of the ESG topics material for our industry and input from key stakeholders.

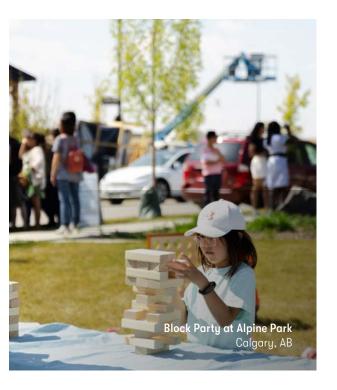
While our ESG Framework applies to the Dream group, each entity is empowered to consider ESG topics to reduce risks and capitalize on the unique opportunities specific to its business model and strategy. For example, Dream Industrial is focused on increasing renewable energy generation and capacity from solar panels on industrial buildings, which reduces emissions and creates an additional revenue stream. Similarly, Dream Office prioritizes building certifications to attract tenants, protect asset values, reduce utility costs and obtain competitive financing.

Our Sustainability and ESG team is responsible for supporting the implementation of the ESG Framework across all entities, helping to ensure that ESG risks and opportunities are integrated into our business activities including our investment decision-making, asset management, property management, stakeholder engagement, risk management and governance processes.



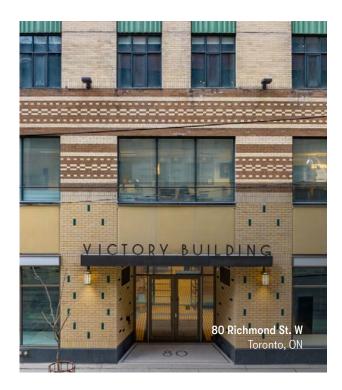
### **Environmental**

- Building certifications
- Carbon and resource efficiency
- Climate change resilience
- Connectivity and low carbon transportation
- Innovation and technology adoption
- Sustainable development
- Sustainable redevelopment



### Social

- Amenities and inclusive atmosphere
- · Attainability and affordability
- Community and NGO partnerships
- Diversity, inclusion and advancement
- · Health, safety and wellness
- Indigenous engagement
- Sustainable procurement
- Tenant relationships
- Valuing employees



### Governance

- Corporate governance
- ESG impact and management
- ESG risk management
- Government collaboration

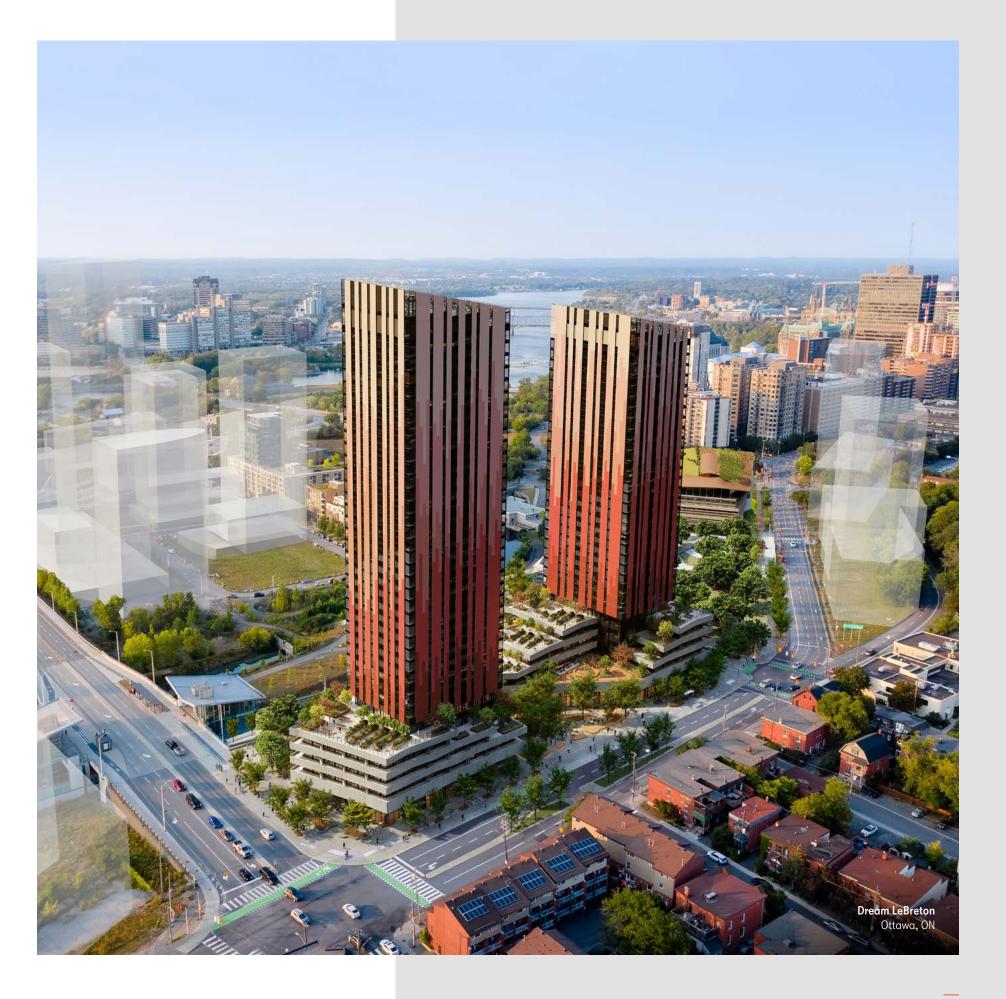
# **United Nations Sustainable Development Goals**

In 2015, the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals ("SDGs") , were adopted by all United Nations Member States as a universal call to action to protect the planet and ensure that all people enjoy peace and prosperity. There are 17 goals in total which provide a shared blueprint to achieve these goals by 2030.

As a real estate developer and manager, we have the potential to support many of the SDGs. Our ESG and Impact Frameworks position us to contribute to the SDGs that are most closely connected to our core business activities and where we can intentionally measure our impact. We are focused on building safe, resilient, inclusive, and sustainable cities. Therefore, we view **SDG 11: Sustainable Cities** and Communities as our overarching goal with several other SDGs supporting asset-level projects and initiatives within our impact investing strategy.







# **ESG** Journey

The Dream group of companies has integrated sustainability into the way we conduct business for over 20 years. We are proud of our track record of ESG initiatives and look forward to sharing our progress with you on the journey ahead.

#### 2004

**DRM** formed partnership to invest in and revitalize The Distillery Historic District, transforming 40 heritage buildings into a landmark destination and a cultural anchor in Toronto's East end

#### 2011

D.UN began measuring greenhouse gas emissions, energy and water consumption, set four-year targets

**DRM** selected to develop LEED Gold Pan/ Parapan Am Athletes Village, inclusive of affordable and student housing

#### 2013

**DRM** became first TSX-listed company to have female majority Board

#### 2014

The Dream group formalized diversity policies

The Dream group established Sustainability Executive Committee to oversee and embed sustainability in key business areas, including property operations, employee engagement and communications

**D.UN** implemented Operations Best Practices Training, mandatory waste audits and redesigned recycling processes

**DIR.UN** began rooftop solar program

#### 2015

**DRM**'s Chief Executive Officer, Michael Cooper, changed title to Chief Responsible Officer

**Dream group** published first Sustainability Report

#### 2018

**DRM and MPCT.UN** selected to deliver Canary Landing project, building 600+ affordable housing units in a mixed income community

#### 2019

**DRM and MPCT.UN** established partnership with Anishnawbe Health Toronto to develop the Indigenous Hub celebrating culture and serving Toronto's Indigenous community

#### 2020

**DRM** became signatory to Operating Principles for Impact Management and member of Global Impact Investing Network

Dream Hard Asset Alternatives Trust ("DRA. **UN")** changed name to Dream Impact Trust ("MPCT.UN"), focusing on impact investing

**DIR.UN** launched extensive in-house renewable energy program

#### 2022 (continued)

**DIR.UN** participated in the GRESB<sup>[1]</sup> Real Estate Assessment for the first time and achieved full points in Leadership, Policies, Reporting, Targets, Data Monitoring and Review aspects

DRR.U used Dream's existing ESG framework to incorporate ESG into culture and operations

DRR.U achieved pre-IPO Low Risk ESG assessment of 15.2/100 from Sustainalytics<sup>(3)</sup>

#### 2023

Dream group completed its first PRI submission

**DRM and MPCT.UN** won Environmental Excellence Award at the 2023 Federation of Rental-housing Providers of Ontario MAC Awards

**DRM and MPCT.UN** completed development of Maple House at Canary Landing, which consists of 770 units including 30% affordable units, and commenced occupancy in 2023

Dream group's head office received BOMA BEST Gold certification and Rick Hansen Foundation Accessibility Certification

**D.UN and DIR.UN** were the only Canadian landlords to receive 2023 Green Lease Leader Platinum recognition from the Department of Energy's Better Buildings Alliance and the Institute for Market Transformation

**DIR.UN** completed additional 3.7 MW of renewable energy capacity added across 4 solar projects, bringing portfolio-wide total to 14 MW

**DRR.U** completed its first GRESB<sup>(1)</sup> Real Estate Assessment

DIR.UN closed €68.6 million or \$99 million sustainability-linked loan in Europe

#### achieved score of 91 and 90 respectively

**DRM and MPCT.UN** released Impact Financing Framework to issue green, social or sustainability bonds, green loans and social loans, or other financial instruments to finance or re-finance eligible impact projects

**DRM and MPCT.UN** published inaugural Impact

D.UN and MPCT.UN participated in the GRESB<sup>(1)</sup>

Real Estate Assessment for the first time and

Report and Disclosure Statement

**DIR.UN** released its Green Financing Framework in support of green financing initiatives and issued inaugural \$650 million in green bonds

Dream group of companies developed ESG framework to drive and unite ESG initiatives

#### 2022

2021

**Dream group** published inaugural Net Zero by 2035 Action Plan

**DRM and MPCT.UN** selected to develop LeBreton Flats Library Parcel in Ottawa and Quayside in Toronto

DRM, MPCT.UN, and D.UN secured \$136 million investment from Canada Infrastructure Bank funding decarbonization initiatives in 19 buildings

**D.UN** completed \$395 million<sup>(2)</sup> in sustainabilitylinked revolving facilities with performance requirements bound to GHG intensity and green building certification achievements

<sup>(1)</sup> All intellectual property rights to this data belong exclusively to GRESB B.V. All rights reserved. GRESB B.V. All rights reserved. GRESB B.V. All rights reserved containing a natural person, corporate or unincorporated body) for any losses, damages, costs, expenses, or other liabilities suffered as a result of any use of or reliance on any of the information which may be attributed to it. (2) Converted \$375 million and \$20 million revolving credit facilities sustainability-linked performance targets.

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# Stakeholder Engagement

The Dream group fosters strong, long-term relationships and maintains an open and ongoing dialogue with all our stakeholders.

We make use of multiple engagement methods to continuously improve how we work together and create shared value in the communities where we operate. We continue to build on the feedback received from our stakeholders and use it to improve our business.

In 2023, we conducted site tours with all three levels of government at our Zibi, Quayside and Canary Landing development projects, as well as hosted a teach-in for our municipal partners. We also held public sessions to solicit feedback from local community members on our Quayside project, in partnership with the City of Toronto and Waterfront Toronto.

Stakeholder Group	Employees Frequency: Continuous	<b>Tenants</b> Frequency: Continuous	Investors and Analysts Frequency: Continuous	Municipal Government Partners and Local Communities Frequency: Ad Hoc	Suppliers Frequency: Continuous
Topics engaged on	<ul> <li>Health, safety and wellness initiatives</li> <li>Office services</li> <li>People &amp; Culture programs</li> <li>Social activities</li> <li>Diversity, inclusion and advancement</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Sustainability campaigns and events</li> <li>GHG data collection</li> <li>Wellness initiatives</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Sustainability reporting</li><li>Impact investing</li><li>Sustainability initiatives</li><li>Net zero targets and plan</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Housing affordability<sup>(1)</sup></li> <li>Indigenous engagement<sup>(1)</sup></li> <li>Social procurement<sup>(1)</sup></li> <li>Sustainability practices</li> <li>Energy efficiency retrofits</li> </ul>	<ul><li>Sustainable procurement</li><li>Supplier risk management</li></ul>
Engagement methods	<ul> <li>Annual performance reviews</li> <li>Internal communications (intranet, emails)</li> <li>Monthly town halls with Chief Responsible Officer</li> <li>One-on-one regular feedback check-ins</li> <li>Social media (LinkedIn, Glassdoor)</li> <li>Touch points and exit interviews</li> <li>Guest speakers</li> <li>Lunch and Learns</li> <li>Employee Surveys</li> </ul>	Emails/communications     Engagement surveys     Media releases     Monthly promotions     One-on-one meetings with leasing and client services     Tenant experience emails     Tenant concierge service     Website     Quarterly newsletters	Investor relations activities including:  Investor days Investor presentations Meetings Annual General Meeting External conferences Press releases Quarterly and annual reports Website	<ul> <li>Community meetings</li> <li>Emails and other communications</li> <li>Sustainability policies and standards</li> <li>Focus groups</li> <li>Market round- table discussions</li> <li>Media releases</li> <li>Websites (project specific and corporate) websites</li> <li>Relationship building</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Providing support and education to local and diverse suppliers</li> <li>RFP processes</li> <li>Website</li> <li>Email responses to supplier questions</li> </ul>
What we heard	<ul> <li>Employees feel heard and supported</li> <li>Employees report that Dream is an inclusive place to work</li> <li>Employees feel there is an openness to new ideas</li> <li>Employees feel they have access to leadership</li> </ul>	Tenants report they are appreciative of efforts to promote wellness, as well as offer new programs and communication platforms	<ul> <li>Investors are interested in the Dream group's approach to managing sustainability, climate risk disclosure and net zero plan</li> <li>Investors encourage participation in global initiatives such as the GRESB Real Estate Assessment, the PRI and NZAM initiative</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Design-related feedback</li> <li>Importance of public realm, parks, public spaces, amenities</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Overall support for Dream's         Social Procurement         Strategy<sup>(1)</sup></li> <li>Vendors seek clarity,         simplicity and support for         meeting Dream's         procurement objectives</li> <li>More opportunities geared to         small suppliers</li> </ul>
How we are responding	<ul> <li>Initiated discussions with employees and managers on topics of engagement</li> <li>Used feedback from survey to identify opportunities to improve employee experience</li> <li>Used feedback from employee survey to improve inclusivity of benefits</li> <li>Formalized a recruitment guide to ensure recruiting practices meet diversity requirements</li> </ul>	Used feedback from our tenant satisfaction survey to identify improvement opportunities for property teams and develop action plans to implement new tenant engagement initiatives	<ul> <li>Enhanced sustainability governance</li> <li>Set interim GHG reduction targets</li> <li>Assessed flood risk</li> <li>Aligned disclosures with leading ESG reporting standards</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Enhanced communication through ongoing dialogue</li> <li>Open soundings and weekly meetings</li> <li>Integrated design-related changes</li> </ul>	Updated procurement clauses and contract language to support diversity objectives     Internal working group to improve processes     Participation in a variety of diverse vendor industry organizations

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### **Dream Group of Companies**

# **Environmental**

In this section we focus on the shared net zero strategy for the Dream group of companies.

Please refer to our Net Zero by 2035 Action Plan ("Net Zero Action Plan") for more details on our targets and milestones, emissions boundary, investment boundary and delivery strategy.





### **Net Zero Action Plan**

To achieve our net zero targets at the asset level, we are focused on: highperformance new construction, operational improvements through conservation and energy efficiency retrofits, low carbon fuel selection, renewable power generation, and, if necessary, purchasing renewable energy certificates ("RECs") and carbon offsets.

~30%

of Dream Office tenants have set GHG emissions reduction targets, including net zero ambitions<sup>[1]</sup>

~13%

of Dream Industrial tenants have set GHG emissions reduction targets, including net zero ambitions<sup>[1]</sup>

**Tenants of Dream Office and Dream Industrial** are increasingly looking for spaces that align with their net zero targets. This is likely to play an important role in leasing over the next ten years.



DRM, MPCT.UN, D.UN

2035

net zero Scope 1, Scope 2 and select Scope 3 emissions (operational and development)<sup>[3]</sup>

**DIR.UN** 

2035

net zero Scope 1, Scope 2 (operational and development) by 2035 and select Scope 3 emissions (operational) by 2050<sup>(3)</sup>

DRR.U

2050

net zero Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions  $^{[2][3]}$ 

<sup>(1)</sup> GLA and tenant list as at December 31, 2023. Assets taken at 100% GLA. Internally performed review based on publicly available information from tenant websites and published sustainability reports as at April 2024.

<sup>(2)</sup> During its formation in 2022, DRR.U announced its net zero commitment.

<sup>(3)</sup> For more information on Dream's net zero commitments with respect to investment boundary and emissions boundary, please refer to pages 20-22 in our Net Zero by 2035 Action Plan .

# **Taking Action**

At an organizational level, our delivery strategy and implementation approach focus on the following actions, where applicable and appropriate:

### Baselining

Action	2023 Progress <sup>(1)</sup>	Forward-looking Plans
Identify current baseline emissions and estimate future emissions	<ul> <li>Confirmed emission source categories for Scope 1 (direct), Scope 2 (indirect) and Scope 3 (non-controlled indirect) emissions</li> <li>Estimated select Scope 3 emissions baselines using in-house tracking tool</li> <li>Standardized life cycle assessment ("LCA") scope of work and software tools</li> <li>Performed LCA for Dream LeBreton</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Continue to improve accuracy of GHG projections, expand Scope 3 emissions data collection</li> <li>Perform LCAs at additional development projects, including Quayside</li> </ul>
<b>Quantify</b> the emission source, materiality and reduction viability to inform strategy	Enhanced data collection, management and quality assurance practices	Start evaluating portfolio level net zero pathways for Dream Industrial
Review existing capital plans and identify emission reduction options and associated incremental costs	<ul> <li>Used Net Zero Action Plan checklists within capital planning process for existing assets, major renovations and developments</li> <li>Quantified Net Zero Action Plan considerations for new investments and acquisitions</li> <li>Updated capital plans to meet evolving local sustainability regulations</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Continue to track and prepare for upcoming local sustainability regulations and their impact on our assets</li> <li>Continue to integrate net zero planning for new investments and acquisitions</li> </ul>

### Roadmapping

Action	2023 Progress <sup>(1)</sup>	Forward-looking Plans
Analyze appropriate material selection, energy efficiency upgrades, low carbon energy sources and renewable energy generation installations	<ul> <li>Implemented previously developed renewable power and offset procurement strategy</li> <li>Developed in-house proprietary net zero engineering tools to compare and evaluate other types of GHG reduction projects at more asset types</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Develop embodied carbon reduction strategies for construction projects in our pipeline</li> <li>Continue to analyze business opportunities for integrating renewable energy technologies into new developments</li> <li>Update new construction and retrofit strategies with lessons learned</li> <li>Stay up to date with retrofit initiatives and decarbonization technologies</li> </ul>
<b>Develop</b> costed net zero roadmap case studies to inform the budgeting process	<ul> <li>Increased total number of detailed asset-level net zero roadmaps by 140%</li> <li>Created business case analysis and design option comparison</li> <li>Continued to use in-house asset-level roadmap tool to optimize timing, scope, cost and sequencing of decarbonization actions</li> </ul>	Scale up the number of asset level net zero roadmaps for more properties using our in-house engineering tools
Forecast emission reductions and estimate avoided costs using an internal price of carbon	<ul> <li>Continued to use portfolio-level roadmap and forecasting tool to assess impact of planned energy efficiency initiatives and track progress toward meeting interim GHG emission targets</li> <li>Incorporated results of completed LCA study into portfolio roadmap</li> <li>Continued analyzing impact of carbon taxes and internal price of carbon on decarbonization business case</li> </ul>	Begin establishing embodied carbon targets at all new development projects
Integrate our base-case capital plans with optimized net zero roadmaps	<ul> <li>Updated over 260 capital plans with net zero roadmap initiatives and projects</li> <li>Used asset level net zero roadmaps to update capital request forms</li> </ul>	

### Execution

Action	2023 Progress <sup>(1)</sup>	Forward-looking Plans
Secure attractive sustainable financing and incentives	<ul> <li>Secured participation for three buildings in City of Toronto's Deep Retrofit Challenge, each eligible to receive grants to accelerate emissions reductions</li> <li>Increased capital funded by CIB facility to over \$23 million, cumulative to date, on decarbonization deep retrofits<sup>(2)</sup></li> <li>\$275 million deployed as part of Dream Industrial's Green Financing Framework</li> <li>Dream Industrial secured €68.6 million or \$99 million sustainability-linked loan</li> </ul>	Continue to position ourselves well to participate in incentive and grant programs as well as sustainable finance products
Engage with stakeholders	<ul> <li>Achieved 19 Investor Ready Energy Efficiency ("IREE") certifications, cumulative to date, to demonstrate our commitment to decarbonization</li> <li>Engaged with select tenants to collaborate on net zero strategies and share expertise; by bringing tenants into our deep retrofit project management process, we can reduce project costs, disruptions to tenants, and overall construction risks</li> </ul>	Continue pursuing IREE certifications included in the business plans
Execute capital projects to realize GHG reductions	<ul> <li>Completed 54 energy efficiency, fuel-switching and renewable power projects with combined estimated GHG savings of 304 tCO<sub>2</sub>e/yr</li> <li>Increased portfolio-wide renewable energy capacity by 3.7 MW</li> <li>Conducted research on procurement and tendering policies and started incorporating learnings from net zero aligned projects completed to date</li> <li>Started defining standard requirements for product selection, on-site construction techniques, system sizing and redundancy, and the level of involvement required by tenants and property managers</li> <li>Created shortlist of preferred manufacturer, contractor and consulting partners to streamline procurement and reduce construction risk and timelines</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Continue to implement GHG emissions reductions and energy efficiency improvements across portfolio</li> <li>Continue implementing renewable power projects in our pipeline, including 7 MW of renewable energy capacity underway in 2024</li> <li>Incorporate further procurement and tendering best practices</li> <li>Develop standard requirements for product selection, on-site construction techniques, system sizing and redundancy, and the level of involvement required by tenants and property managers</li> <li>Continue collaborating with preferred manufacturer, contractor and consulting partners and look for process improvements</li> </ul>
<b>Support</b> conservation and energy efficiency in operating our assets	Continued energy management program in office and multi-family assets, recognized by the IESO Energy Managers of the Year award	Evaluate technologies for energy management in industrial assets

### Oversight

Action	2023 Progress <sup>(1)</sup>	Forward-looking Plans
Measure and Report on progress in a consistent and standardized manner	<ul> <li>Started using energy modeling guidelines</li> <li>Updated data sources for utility and GHG emission tracking resources</li> <li>Published latest GHG emissions performance data in annual Sustainability Report in alignment with GHG Protocol</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Continue publishing latest GHG emissions data in annual Sustainability Report in alignment with GHG Protocol</li> <li>Continue monitoring our Net Zero Action Plan's alignment with leading net zero frameworks, including Science Based Targets initiative and Carbon Risk Real Estate Monitor project</li> </ul>
<b>Be accountable</b> for our performance	Completed 2023 NZAM reporting     Provided semi-annual strategy and performance updates to Net Zero Steering Committee, composed of executives and members of senior management from across the Dream group of companies	Continue NZAM reporting to be transparent in our progress     Continue providing semi-annual strategy and performance updates to the Net Zero Steering Committee
Create a feedback loop to iterate on our strategies and share learnings across organization	<ul> <li>Net Zero Working Group hosted 15+ targeted educational, training and strategy collaboration sessions with departments from across Dream entities and third-party leasing agents on topics such as embodied and operational carbon</li> <li>Hired Senior Manager of Decarbonization to increase internal expertise and capacity</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Continue systematizing our approach to decarbonizing our portfolio efficiently</li> <li>Continue to develop and enhance the internal skills and competencies related to net zero and decarbonization strategies</li> <li>Refine strategies on a continuous basis</li> </ul>

<sup>(1)</sup> Progress is reported on a consolidated basis and all figures at 100% unless otherwise stated.
(2) Based on cumulative draws to date as at Dec 31, 2023. Reflective of the Residence at Weston LP, Dream Impact Master LP and Dream Office LP credit facilities at 100%.

### Making Net Zero Communities a Reality

We are taking action, while being good stewards of capital, to meet our net zero targets. We continue to see that achieving net zero in most of our communities and assets is complementary to our building improvement plans, and aligns with our objectives of meeting tenant demand, creating unique partnership opportunities, attracting creative financing solutions, reducing our operating costs and protecting asset value. There are challenges in adopting new technology, financing additional capital requirements and changing how we build and operate our buildings, but we work closely with our partners, including government, banks, contractors, suppliers and tenants, to find solutions.

In 2023, we continued to make significant progress on making our net zero developments a reality.

> Dream is projected to develop \$6 billion worth of net zero communities, including Zibi, Dream LeBreton and Quayside.

### **Net Zero Goals Net Zero Development Project** 2023 Update · Aalto II (Block 11; 148 residential units) - completed · Common (Block 206; 207 residential units) - nearing completion Zero Carbon Energy for whole community as part of One Planet Living certification · Block 207 (76,000 sf commercial building) - nearing completion · Block 204 - site plan approvals secured Ottawa, ON & Gatineau, QC Targeting CaGBC's Zero Carbon Building Secured site plan approval from the City of Ottawa **Design Certification** for 608-unit apartment building complex **DREAM LEBRETON** Site plan approval applications have been submitted **Targeting Net Zero GHG Emissions** for three buildings in Phase 1 (over 2,000 apartment and condominium units) **OUAYSIDE** Toronto, ON Made significant construction progress (Q1 2024 Achieved CaGBC's Zero Carbon Building anticipated completion date) on this 209,000 sf Design Certification in Q1 2024 industrial building **COURTNEY PARK**

#### Case Study

#### **Dream LeBreton**

40%

reduction in operational GHG emissions vs the all electric reference building of the National Energy Code for Buildings

86%

reduction in operational GHG emissions vs typical new buildings<sup>(3)</sup>

19%

reduction in energy use intensity vs the absolute energy use intensity targets<sup>(1)</sup>

37%

reduction in energy consumption vs typical new buildings<sup>(3)</sup>

37%

reduction in energy consumption vs the all electric reference building of the National Energy Code for Buildings<sup>(2)</sup>

10%

reduction in total embodied carbon targeted vs tupical new buildings<sup>(4)</sup>

#### Strategies for Net Zero Operational and Embodied **Carbon Emissions**

Dream LeBreton is an urban high-rise development targeting the Canada Green Building Council ("CaGBC") Zero Carbon Building Design Certification. Comprising of two towers (36 and 31 stories, respectively), the project will include 608 residential units, with 41% designated as affordable housing, alongside at-grade retail space and two levels of below-grade parking, utility, and storage space. The project emphasizes social equity by awarding contracts to equity-seeking groups and ensuring significant employment opportunities for Indigenous workers, enhancing the community fabric of Dream LeBreton.

#### To meet our net zero goals, the design team is focusing on several key features:

- · High-performance building envelope assemblies
- · Optimized window area
- Efficient ground-source heat pumps connected to a geothermal system

- · Efficient ventilation systems in residential units
- · On-demand ventilation for corridors
- · Reusing heat from wastewater and electrical rooms
- Low-flow water-saving fixtures
- · CO<sub>2</sub> sensors for demand control ventilation in common areas
- · High-efficacy lighting fixtures, such as LED, throughout the building
- · Rooftop solar photovoltaic system
- · Lower embodied carbon material selection

At Dream LeBreton, we are demonstrating our commitment to sustainability, aiming to achieve net zero operational carbon while simultaneously striving to reduce total embodied carbon by 10% compared to a typical new building.

Through collaboration with our consultants and stakeholders, we are implementing innovative solutions, such as low-carbon ready-mix concrete and recycled-content rebar, to meet, and in some cases surpass, our targets and pave the way for more sustainable construction practices.



<sup>(3)</sup> Typical new building was calculated by third-party LCA consultant using the criteria in CaGBC's Zero Carbon Building Design Standards v3 and industry-average environmental product declarations for construction products/materials. Typical new building is defined as the minimum Tier 1 energy efficiency requirements under the City of Ottawa's High Performance Standard 1, https://ottawa.ca/en/planning-development-and-construction/residential-property-regulations/development-application-review-process/development-application-submission/high-performance-development-standards-hpds# /\*.

(4) Typical new building was calculated by third-party LCA consultant using the criteria in CaGBC's Zero Carbon Building Design Standards v3 and industry-average environmental product declarations for construction products/materials.



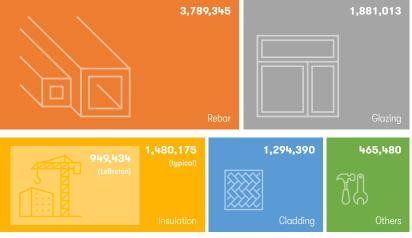
#### What is Embodied Carbon?

Embodied carbon refers to the greenhouse gas emissions arising from the manufacturing, transportation, installation, maintenance, and disposal of building materials. Embodied carbon can be overlooked when considering a building's carbon footprint because it is hidden—or "embodied"—in materials and manufacturing processes rather than emitted while a building is being used. The embodied carbon of a product is sometimes also referred to as Global Warming Potential and is typically quantified for a product in an Environmental Product Declaration ("EPD"). Embodied carbon for a building is partially calculated by summing the embodied carbon values in the EPDs of the materials within the building, among other factors, during an LCA, which is the standard methodology for assessing the environmental impacts associated with all the stages of the life cycle of a building.

overall embodied carbon reduction can be achieved at Dream LeBreton from improvements on concrete and insulation material selection.

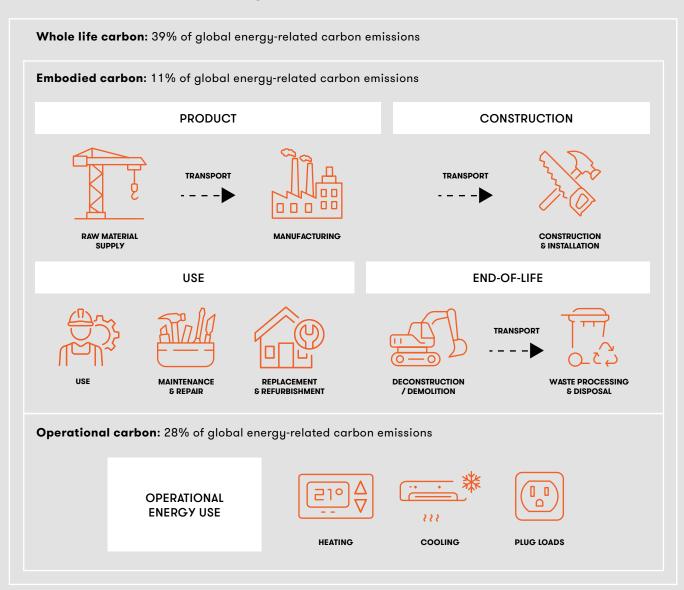
#### **Embodied Carbon Breakdown by Material for Typical Building** vs Dream LeBreton(1)





Buildings are currently responsible for 39% of global energy-related carbon emissions: 28% from operational emissions, from energy needed to heat, cool and power them, and the remaining 11% from materials, construction, use and end-of-life. [2] We are actively engaged in assessing the embodied carbon footprints of our projects and integrating comprehensive LCAs into our design and procurement processes. By doing so, we can make informed decisions regarding material selection and procurement strategies, ensuring that our developments align with our sustainability objectives. In order to work towards meeting our target of building net zero embodied carbon buildings by 2035, we have standardized our LCA scope of work and software tools so that we can scale this practice to more of our developments and we are identifying cost-effective strategies for design, procurement, construction and commissioning that reduce the green premiums.

#### Carbon Emissions in Buildings<sup>(2)</sup>



<sup>(1)</sup> Typical new building was calculated by third-party LCA consultant using the criteria in CaGBC's Zero Carbon Building Design Standards v3 and industry-average environmental product declarations for

<sup>(2)</sup> World Green Building Council, Bringing Embodied Carbon Upfront - https://worldgbc.org/advancing-net-zero/embodied-carbon/

### **Dream Group of Companies**

# Social

At Dream, our people set us apart. We take great pride in our workforce and know that investing in employees creates long-term value for our entities.

Employees across our entities come from a variety of backgrounds and experiences, bringing valuable skills and perspectives to our team. Together, we are united by our company values and common purpose of **Building Better Communities**.



# **Employee Engagement** & Development

Employee development and engagement is managed by the People and Culture team. Our approach is guided by open communication with our employees. Their feedback helps us to constantly improve our culture and overall employee experience.

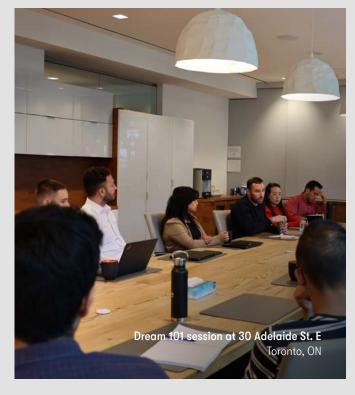
Our People and Culture and Health and Safety teams work with our Diversity, Inclusion & Advancement Committee to enhance engagement and employee development and embed wellness, diversity, and inclusion across all areas of the employee experience. We believe in unlocking everyone's potential to do their best work and contribute, regardless of their background.

### Employee Summary<sup>(1)</sup>



Employees <sup>(1)(6)</sup>	Total	Men	Women
Permanent <sup>(7)</sup>	633	341	292
Contract	12	5	7
Full-time <sup>(8)</sup>	636	343	293
Part-time	9	3	6



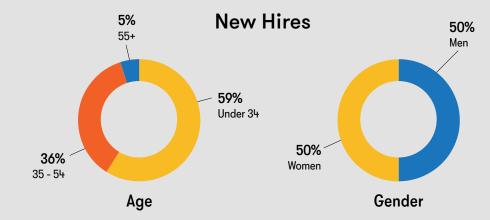


employees<sup>(1)</sup>

average tenure for Dream group employees<sup>[1]</sup>

### **New Hires and Voluntary Turnover Rates**

In 2023, the Dream group hired a total of 111 new full-time employees and had an overall voluntary turnover rate of 16%, which is consistent with market trends across the real estate industry as per the REALPAC Canadian Real Estate Compensation Survey Report.



	Total	Men	Women	Age 34 & under	Age 35-54	Age 55 & over	Canada	United States	Europe
New Hires <sup>(1)</sup>	111	55	56	66	40	5	105	2	4
Voluntary Turnover Rates(1)(9)	16%	13%	18%	21%	15%	5%	15%	3%	22%

<sup>(1)</sup> Includes only employees employed by Dream Asset Management Corporation, Dream Industrial Management Corp., Dream Office Management Corp., Dream U.S. Manager LLC, Dream European Advisors GmbH, Dream Netherlands Advisors B.V., Dream US Manager LLC, Dream France Advisors SAS, Dream Europe Advisors Coöperatieve U.A and Dream Summit Industrial Management Corp. Does not include employees at recreational properties, employees on unpaid leaves of absence (e.g., permanent disability, long-term disability, parental leave), interns, Avrio employees and DRR.U employees of Pauls Corp.

<sup>(2)</sup> Includes employees at all levels.

<sup>(3)</sup> Includes Managers and above.

<sup>(4)</sup> Includes Vice Presidents and above.

<sup>(5)</sup> For the purposes of this report, Executives include: the Chief Responsible Officer of DRM, the Chief Executive Officers of DIR.UN, D.UN, and DRR.U, the Portfolio Manager of MPCT.UN, the Chief Financial Officers of DRM, MPCT.UN, D.UN, DIR.UN and DRR.U as well as the Chief Operating Officers of D.UN, DIR.UN and DRR.U.

<sup>(6)</sup> Numbers represented as total headcount, not full-time equivalent.

<sup>(7)</sup> Includes permanent part-time employees.

<sup>(8)</sup> Includes all employees with a work schedule of 35 hours or greater

<sup>(9)</sup> Turnover is calculated as a percentage of total employee headcount in noted category.

### **Employee Engagement**

In April 2023, we conducted our third annual employee engagement survey to better understand employee satisfaction across a variety of topics. The survey was deployed by Great Place to Work® Canada, as part of the certification process. The Great Place to Work® certification is based upon the following factors:

- · The level of trust that employees have in leadership
- · The level of pride employees have in their jobs
- · The extent to which employees get along with colleagues

The survey results provided our People and Culture team with meaningful insights regarding employee satisfaction and opportunities to improve employee engagement.

85%

of employees think Dream is a great place to work

94%

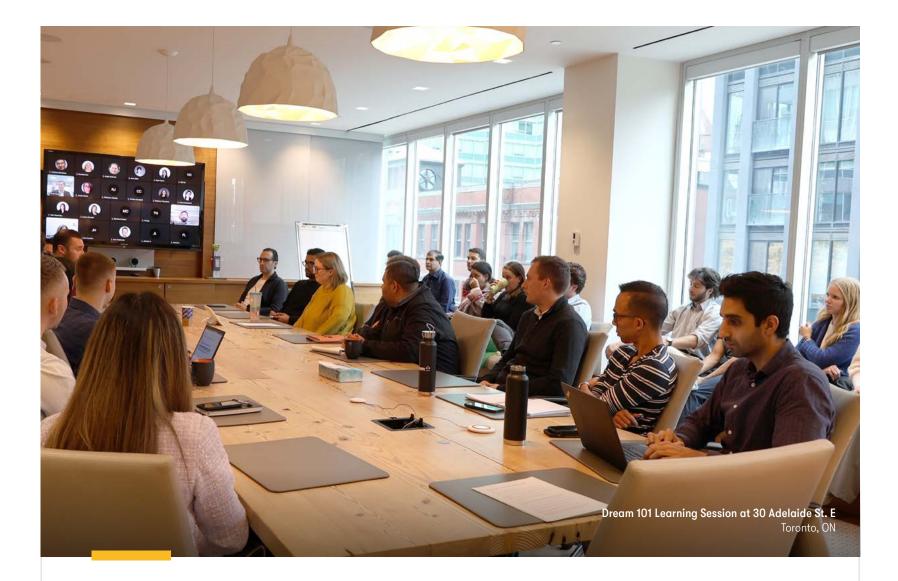
of employees think they are treated fairly regardless of their race or ethnicity

### **Employee Development**

At Dream, we value our talent as our strength, which is why we have programs in place to provide career progression and networking opportunities to current and future talent. Our Young Talent Recruitment Program supports a broad range of students and provides them with the opportunity to experience a corporate environment while gaining professional and practical skills relevant to their field of study. To help ensure our employees continue to grow professionally, we host leadership sessions to promote career progression and fireside chats to facilitate internal connections and skill development.

#### **Ten Thousand Coffees**

Ten Thousand Coffees is a platform that Dream employees can use to help expand their internal networks. The tool offers Dream employees the option to set up one-on-one connections based on professional topics of interest, as well as participate in small-group discussions with leadership.



#### Case Study

### **Employee Suggestion Program**

In 2023, we introduced an employee suggestion program. The aim of this program was to leverage ideas from the employees who experience and live the Dream culture every day. We asked for suggestions, ideas and recommendations to improve the performance and quality of their work and experience with the aim of being more proactive about actioning innovative ideas and process improvements that make a positive impact across the company.

Since launching in 2023, we have received over 120 suggestions. Based on these suggestions, we are proud to have introduced the following initiatives:

- **1. Introduced** communal prayer and meditation space at our head office in addition to individual prayer spaces.
- **2. Revamped** our employee fitness facility at our head office with state-of-the-art equipment.
- **3. Upgraded** coffee machines on all floors, enhancing options for those with specific dietary requirements.
- **4. Enhanced** Dream 101 program to give employees more insight into projects happening in other departments.
- **5. Provided** opportunities for employees to participate in blood drives throughout the year.

### **Employee Benefits**

Dream's benefits for full-time employees and their dependents are effective starting day one of employment and boast a wide variety of competitive perks, including a parental leave top-up program, annual bonuses, and retirement savings programs. Our People and Culture team is proactive in evolving our benefits program to prioritize employee health and well-being with flexible options to suit a variety of preferences.

### Learning and Development Perks

- · Up to \$2,500 tuition reimbursement per employee, per year
- Up to \$500 reimbursement for textbooks per employee, per year
- · Reimbursement of professional membership or designation fees
- · Reimbursement for job-related training, seminars, or conferences
- **Internal networking** through one-on-one connections and leadership fireside chats

In 2023, we were committed to enhancing our workplace through learning sessions aimed at fostering a culture of inclusivity, sustainability, and wellness. Our diversity and inclusion initiatives included enriching sessions on disability awareness and gender equality, alongside a special program celebrating International Women's Day and an educational deaf culture and history lesson.

Additionally, our benefits and wellness programming took a holistic approach to employee well-being with a mental health series that provided tools and insights for managing stress, fostering resilience, and supporting overall mental health.

\$434,000 in tuition and professional fees paid<sup>[1]</sup>





### **Awards and Recognition**



Recognized as one of Canada's **Best Workplaces™** in Real Estate &
Property Development for the second consecutive year.



Selected as a four-time honoree of the Globe and Mail's Report on Business Women Lead Here program that benchmarks executive gender parity.



Recognized as one of **Greater Toronto's Top Employers** for
exceptional human resources
programs and forward-thinking
workplace policies.



Named one of the **Best Workplaces™ for Giving Back** for the second consecutive year.



Honoured as one of **Canada's Best Employers for Recent Graduates** for the third consecutive year.



Three-time consecutive recipient of the **Great Place to Work®** certification.

(1) Tuition and professional fees reimbursed to employees are part of overall compensation.

### **Key Accomplishments**

- · Launched Dream employee suggestion program and implemented several initiatives
- Onboarded and integrated approximately 50 employees from Dream Summit
- Launched new self-service functionality for employees in our human resources information system called myDream
- Revamped Dream 360 Analyst Program by providing a more structured approach to compensation and advancement
- Enhanced mental health support for employees & their dependents
- · Provided opportunities to 67 interns
- Refreshed our head office gym to promote physical well-being
- · Launched a Canada-wide blood drive as a health initiative

### Forward-looking Plans

- · Enhance manager development programs
- · Expand employee training offerings
- · Provide updates on employee recognition programming and consider enhancements
- · Continue to focus on employee wellness and well-being
- Revamp our Young Talent Program
- · Revamp our mentorship, fireside chats and office hour programming
- · Continue to focus efforts on our total compensation review



#### Highlight

### **Dream Summit Employees**

In February 2023, Dream formally welcomed approximately 50 employees of Summit Industrial Income REIT into the Dream group. The acquisition represents a highly strategic transaction for Dream Industrial REIT, significantly increasing its exposure to the Canadian industrial market through a complementary portfolio and growing its property management vertical in geographies where Dream Industrial already operates.

# Diversity, Inclusion & Advancement

Diversity, Inclusion and Advancement ("DIA") is managed by the DIA Committee. The committee includes employees from multiple levels, including Executives, Directors, and Managers. The DIA Committee's mandate is to listen, learn and develop best practices to enhance diversity and inclusion at Dream, as well as build accountability for advancing DIA across the business.

### **Evolving our DIA Program**

The DIA Committee was established in 2020 with a mandate to elevate and build expertise across the business and instill a culture of inclusivity and belonging. In 2023, we expanded the committee by introducing engagement groups meant to expand the capabilities and reach of our DIA team.

We also developed a DIA Charter, which sets out the mission and vision for the expanded engagement groups at Dream and how they contribute to promoting inclusion among all employees, as well as a definition and plan for the inclusion of employee resource groups in 2024.

#### Highlight

### Supporting Inclusivity at Dream's Head Office

Accessibility is a key component for any inclusive and diverse community. At Dream, we are proud to have achieved the Rick Hansen Foundation's Accessibility Certification™ ("RHFAC") for our head office by adopting the program's recommendation on vehicular access, exterior approach, interior circulation and entrance, signage, emergency systems, and use of additional space. RHFAC is the first program in Canada designed to rate the level of meaningful access to buildings based on the user experiences of people whose disabilities impact their mobility, vision, and/or hearing.



of respondents identify as visible minorities<sup>[1]</sup>

of respondents identify as Indigenous<sup>[1]</sup>

of respondents identify as 2SLGBTQIA+[1]

of respondents identify as having a disability<sup>[1]</sup>

#### Highlight

#### **Pride Celebration**

In June 2023, Dream hosted a Pride celebration at our Toronto Head Office, inviting Dream head office employees and tenants of 30 Adelaide St. E to celebrate Pride together. It was put on in collaboration with tenants at the building and was accompanied by celebrations at our offices across Canada.

The event was driven by members of our DIA team and received strong toplevel endorsement and encouragement from executives. The drivers behind the event included increasing visibility and support for 2SLGBTQIA+ individuals at Dream, and specifically enhancing inclusion of queer and trans individuals.

#### The event featured:

- Engaging and inclusive performances from queer and trans drag performers
- · Fundraising for Rainbow Railroad through accessibly priced raffle tickets
- · Barbecue and happy hour featuring Indigenous and women-owned vendors
- · Speeches from leaders at Dream and tenant organizations on the importance of diversity and inclusion

Thanks to the dedication of our DIA committee and collaboration with our partners and tenants, the event was a huge success and received overwhelmingly positive feedback from attendees. It is our hope that through initiatives like this, all employees will feel comfortable coming to work as their whole selves and that we can build stronger social bonds between and among employees at Dream and in our neighbouring tenant businesses.

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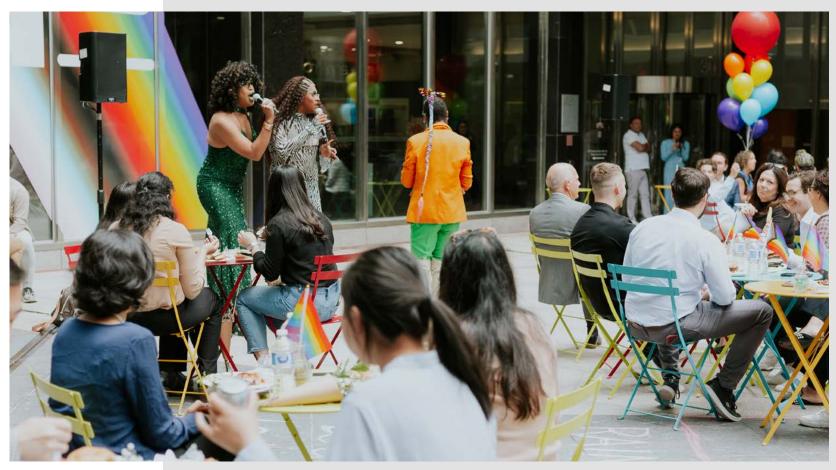
... an employee from a neighbouring tenant made a point to stop me in the lobby to thank Dream for being a leader in safe, inclusive workplaces - he loved the engagement and commitment.

**Gordon Wadley** 

Chief Operating Officer, Dream Office REIT







### **Key Accomplishments**

- · All Dream occupied floors at our Toronto head office have genderneutral washroom options
- · Achieved accessibility certification through the Rick Hansen Foundation for our Toronto head office
- 15 DIA focused events held to promote employee learning and
- · Hosted an interactive panel discussion for International Women's Day
- · Inaugural Pride celebration introduced in collaboration with tenants at our Toronto head office
- **755 total attendees** in our 10 Thousand Coffees initiative<sup>(1)</sup>
- · 93% overall feedback rating on our 10 Thousand Coffees
- · All manager and above level employees received mandatory diversity training

## Forward-looking Plans

- · Designate a champion in each Dream office across Canada with more than five employees to ensure we are leveraging a diverse range of perspectives and provide more opportunity for regional offices to lead DIA initiatives
- Further expand employee resource groups to increase employee participation and diversity







# **Health & Safety**

Health and safety at Dream is collectively overseen by the VP & Head of People and Culture and the VP of Property Management. Day-to-day management of health and safety is the responsibility of our Health and Safety Manager who is responsible for monitoring and tracking health and safety incidents, training requirements and implementing corporate and property level preventative measures.

All managers and supervisors are responsible and accountable for the health and the safety of the individuals and workplaces under their oversight. They are expected to advise employees of the existence of potential or actual workplace hazards and help ensure that employees work safely in accordance with applicable legislation and its regulations, as well as all applicable policies and procedures. Health and Safety Committees and Representatives and on-site building operators are required to do regular inspections. Our Health and Safety department receives a copy of each inspection and may direct concerns to supervisors, schedule follow-up inspections, or investigate any instances of non-compliance. We provide health and safety training for all employees, specific to their roles and job requirements.

#### 2023 Health and Safety Performance

Indicator	Lost-time injuries	Near misses
Men	1	1
Women	1	0
Central Canada	1	1
Western Canada	1	0
Injury Type	Slip and fall	0
Lost Days	2	0

### **Key Accomplishments**

- Engaged a third-party to finalize updates to Emergency Response Plans for all Ontario properties
- · Collaborated with Dream Industrial to complete third-party annual health and safety inspections and analyses across all
- · Completed annual review of the health and safety program, safe work practices and safe job procedures
- · Continuously reviewed and tracked inspections submitted by property operations and development teams and provided assistance where needed

### **Forward-looking Plans**

- · Collaborate with a third-party service provider to develop a lone operator app, providing real-time monitoring, emergency responses, and automatic alerts for extended inactivity to enhance safety at sites
- · Transition all construction teams to eCompliance, our Health and Safety Management System
- · Coordinate with Industrial teams to consider implementing third-party audits and site inspections for select properties on a rotational basis
- · Launch GTA Multi-site Joint Health and Safety Committee
- · Update Quebec properties with a French Health and Safety Program and French inspection forms on eCompliance
- · Maintain monthly inspections, safety meetings, Health and Safety Committee meeting minutes and inspections, safety data sheets, documentation and training records through eCompliance





# **Volunteering & Giving**

Nationally and locally, we prioritize charitable organizations that support youth in sport, women's health, youth services, people experiencing homelessness, and marginalized communities. Each Dream entity also supports additional initiatives of their choosing.

In 2023, our local and national charitable partners included, among others:

· Play Forever 7

· Gem Girls E-Mentorship /

· Frontlines /

· Ottawa Tool Library 🗷

· The Toronto Public Library 7

In 2023, Dream employees spent over 200 hours volunteering for various not-for-profits such as:

Daily Bread Food Bank 7

· Kit packing for New Circles ?

Ronald McDonald House

· Jessie's Place 7

· Scott Mission >

· Engage & Change 🗸

Good Shepherd Centre

Shoebox Project

#### To encourage our employees to give back to their communities, we offer:

- · One paid volunteering day per year
- \$500 annually through our employee donation program whereby we contribute to charitable organizations that employees are actively involved with
- \$1,000 awarded to five employees through our ETHOS awards program to contribute to a cause they believe in
- · Partnering with local charities and organizations endorsed by our employees

\$1.1 million

donated to charities in 2023, up by 24% from 2022<sup>(1)</sup>



#### Highlight

### **Electronics Recycling**

In 2023, Dream partnered with Free Geek Toronto, a not-for-profit organization specializing in technology reuse, digital accessibility, and equitable employment to develop an Employee Used Electronic Donations Program, which collects used electronics/computers from Dream employees.

This program enhances technology accessibility for lower-income groups while supporting Free Geek to provide employment and training opportunities for people facing barriers to participating in the labour market such as individuals with disabilities, criminal records, and newcomers to Canada, among others.

#### Highlight

#### One Tree Planted

In 2023, Dream partnered with **One Tree Planted** , a nonprofit that is dedicated to global reforestation. Their projects span the globe and are done in partnership with local communities and environmental organizations to create an impact for nature, people, and wildlife. Many projects have overlapping objectives that contribute to the UN's Sustainable Development Goals. Through the engagement Dream financially supported the planting of 7,000+ trees in Ontario, Canada, as a part of the 50 Million Tree Program, assisting restoration of ~7 acres of land.

### **Dream Community Foundation**

Dream Community Foundation is a non-profit organization founded in 2022 that builds stronger communities through programs that bring people together. Its initiatives prioritize fostering connections and empowering individuals to reach their full potential.

after school club days, over 200 attendees were able to participate in sports, arts and crafts, and socializing activities

Artscape workshops, over 100 attendees received career support, skills training and networking opportunities

back-to-school hair cut event for 65 kids to boost their confidence and get them excited for the school year

senior citizen field trips to promote social interaction, new experiences and building community

scholarships to youth experiencing financial barriers

tutoring days for kids

\$850,000

in donations to other non-profit organizations

>400 hours

hours of programming with over 845 attendees









### **Key Accomplishments**

- 10 scholarships at \$5,000 each awarded to high school students experiencing financial barriers
- 10 curated volunteer opportunities offered for Dream employees to participate in
- Provided employees with the option to donate to charities through payroll deduction
- \$1.1 million total donated to charities in 2023
- · 200 hours volunteered by Dream employees for various not-forprofits in 2023

# Forward-looking Plans

- Expand programming to Western Canada and Ottawa through new partnerships with not-for-profits and new events
- · Continue to promote and enhance payroll giving
- Work with Dream's internal marketing team to promote employee volunteering and giving back within our communities







### **Dream Group of Companies**

# Governance

The Dream group is committed to sound and effective corporate governance. Our goal is to not only meet requirements established by regulators, but also to uphold excellent corporate governance principles and practices. We believe that strong governance reduces investment risk, leads to more consistent outcomes, and attracts global investors.



# Corporate Governance

Our governance approach includes nominating diverse, independent and experienced board members to each of the Dream entities, as well as providing transparency in all aspects of our business.

The following sections in this chapter illustrate how we are integrating ESG and climate considerations throughout our governance structure and risk management processes. For information on entity-level board oversight, management's approach and ESG risk management practices, please refer to each entity chapter.

### **Board Composition**

The boards of each Dream entity are composed of highly experienced, dedicated and knowledgeable professionals who each have expertise in key areas of our businesses.

We periodically assess the skills, knowledge and backgrounds of Directors and Trustees in light of the needs of the boards, including the extent to which the current composition of the boards reflects a diverse mix of skills, experience, knowledge and backgrounds, and an appropriate number of women Directors and Trustees. Our boards target a composition in which women comprise a minimum of 30% of Directors or Trustees.

### **Board Oversight**

To support integration of sustainability across our business and help ensure that non-financial considerations such as ESG matters and, for certain Dream group entities, impact objectives, are considered alongside financial considerations, our governance policies specify oversight and accountability for ESG matters at the board level. Such policy language is also reflected in relevant board mandates, committee charters and corporate policies.<sup>[1]</sup>

On a quarterly basis, the applicable governance committee of each Dream entity is provided with an ESG update from the Head of Sustainability and Technical Services. The Chair of each governance committee then provides an update at each of the entity board meetings.

In addition, we intend to conduct ESG education sessions for the applicable governance committee every three years. In 2022, ESG training was provided by Quinn+Partners, sustainability advisors, and focused on key ESG trends affecting Dream's business and best practices for strong and effective ESG governance.

# Sustainability and Climate Disclosure Regulations

As Canada, the United States, and Europe move toward adopting mandatory ESG reporting regulations, we continue to monitor the regulatory environment, trends, and investor requirements, adjusting our strategies accordingly.

In 2023, the International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") Foundation took over the Task Force on Climaterelated Financial Disclosures ("TCFD"), and published the IFRS S1 and S2 standards, which incorporate the TCFD recommendations. In 2024, the Canadian Securities Administrators ("CSA") is considering the Canadian Sustainability Standards Board's ("CSSB") recommendations with regards to the IFRS S1 and S2 standards.

In addition, parts of our businesses may be subject in the future to the Sustainable Finance Disclosure Regulation ("SFDR") and the Corporate Sustainability Reporting Directive ("CSRD") frameworks that have been coming into effect.

We view the adoption of mandatory reporting as an opportunity to improve our understanding of the risks and opportunities for our business, improve our processes, and effectively communicate our sustainability initiatives to our stakeholders. Having aligned our reporting with TCFD, SASB, and GRI and developed robust internal control processes over the past four years, we believe we are well-positioned to cost-effectively meet future expected disclosure regulation requirements without impeding our global business operations.



### 2023 PRI Results and NZAM Update

The PRI is the world's leading responsible investor coalition, with over 3,000 investment managers overseeing a total of U.S. \$112 trillion in assets as members. Signatories are publicly accountable for their responsible investment commitments and can benefit from enhanced ESG ratings, attracting investors with responsible investment allocations.

Dream Unlimited, on behalf of the Dream group of companies, became a signatory of the PRI in October 2021. We reported through the PRI Reporting Framework for the first time in 2023 and are proud that we outperformed the peer median in two out of the three modules:

• 4 out of 5 stars (78%) in the Policy Governance and Strategy module (PRI Median score was 59%)

- 4 out of 5 stars (67%) in the Real Estate module (PRI Median score was 62%)
- · 3 out of 5 stars (63%) in the Confidence Building Measures module (PRI Median score was 80%)

The annual PRI submission also fulfills the reporting requirements of NZAM, a global alliance of asset managers committed to achieving net zero emissions by 2050 or sooner. The NZAM initiative covers 315 signatories and U.S. \$57 trillion in assets under management. Dream Unlimited, representing the Dream group of companies, was among the first Canadian companies to join NZAM in 2021. In 2023, 69% of the Dream group of companies' total assets under management were committed to be managed in line with net zero by 2050, an increase from 61% in 2022.

#### **Dream Group of Companies**

# Risk Management

Risk management is embedded into our critical business units and workflows, managed by our Risk Management group and overseen by the applicable governance committee of each Dream entity. The Senior Director of Risk and Insurance provides annual reports to these committees.

Risk management across the Dream group of companies is conducted through procedures aimed at identifying, analyzing, responding to, managing and reporting on our exposure to risks. Through this process, risks are assessed based on their anticipated frequency, severity and likelihood, then either transferred, mitigated, or managed accordingly as appropriate.



# **ESG Risk Management**

Our ESG risk management constitutes a process that helps us to continuously identify and mitigate risks that could impact our companies. It requires collaboration with numerous teams across entities, including Risk and Insurance, Sustainability and ESG, Development, Construction and Technical Services. Our processes for identifying and managing ESG risks involve understanding the potential risks that arise during acquisition, developments and operations, as applicable in accordance with the risk management practices of each Dream entity.

#### **Operations**

We are focused on managing and operating our buildings efficiently to help mitigate risk associated with physical damage, escalating utility costs, shifting regulations and tenant preferences. We manage utility risks by conducting energy and water audits and implementing applicable efficiency measures to reduce our consumption where relevant and commercially reasonable.

Leaks, for example, can pose a significant risk of costly water damage. In 2023, Dream Office continued to deploy leak detection sensors across its portfolio, with 250+ sensors installed to date. These sensors detected one significant leak in 2023 which allowed our property management teams to quickly respond to mitigate damage, costs and disruptions to tenants. Dream Impact Trust also launched a leak detection program at one multi-family asset in 2023, which identified an opportunity to save \$40,000 in annual water utility costs by repairing leaky plumbing fixtures.

## Acquisition, Investments and Developments

ESG risk management activities in the acquisition and development stages include evaluating risks and opportunities using checklists to review a comprehensive set of risks, tailored for each investment opportunity. Due diligence checklists generally involve assessments of building systems to determine the business case and feasibility of capital improvements to enhance resource efficiency. Other ESG risk management tools include environmental site assessments ("ESA") and building condition assessments ("BCA"). We have incorporated additional ESG considerations into our ESAs and BCAs to learn more about our standing investments and potential acquisitions during the due diligence process. Information pertaining to climate change adaptation strategies, waste management, renewable energy and biodiversity helps us make impactful decisions as a responsible real estate owner, manager, and developer.

#### Governance

# Climate Change Risk

Climate change poses a significant risk for our properties, employees, tenants and communities. Dream is proactively managing climate-related risks to help support the transition to a low-carbon economy and protecting our portfolio and developments against the shocks and stressors of climate change. Climate change risk informs our business strategy and decision-making by establishing the order of priority for making the capital and operational investments needed to help future-proof assets.

#### Oversight of Climate Change Risk

The boards and management teams of each Dream entity are made aware of the risks posed by climate change and remain informed about climate-related risks and opportunities through internal reporting processes.

Boards receive annual updates from the Risk and Insurance team on physical climate risk management activities and performance. Transition climate risk management updates are also presented to the boards on a quarterly basis by the Sustainability and ESG team.

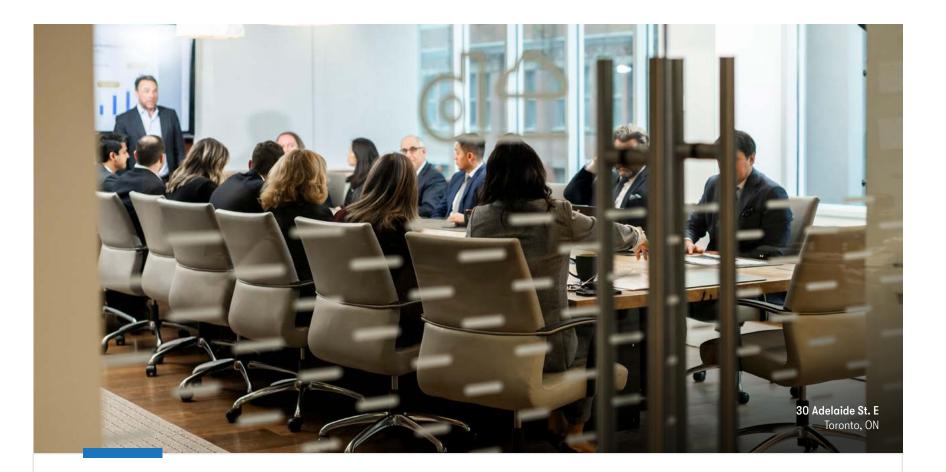
## **Physical Risk**

We conduct analyses on an ongoing basis to identify physical climate risks in our portfolios and assess our level of resiliency. Climate resiliency refers to our actions to prepare, adapt and endure shocks and stressors related to climate change. Our goal with respect to climate resilience is to reduce the likelihood and impact of a catastrophic or disruptive event on our properties and our tenants.

We leverage third-party climate data to assess property-level physical climate risks across all Dream entities from the following physical climate risks:

- · Acute: flooding, wildfire, earthquake, hailstorm, lightning, windstorm, tornado
- Chronic: temperature change, precipitation change, sea-level rise, air-quality, water security/ water stress

We also conduct an annual flood and catastrophic loss risk assessment to determine which properties in our portfolio are at risk of losses from 50, 100, 200 and 500-year floods. Using these tools and assessments, we identify specific regions and properties with increased climate risk and identify opportunities to improve resilience through ongoing capital and operational investments.



#### **Spotlight**

# A Climate Resilient Business: Physical Risk and Resiliency Working Group

In 2023, we established a working group to develop a physical risk and resiliency strategy. The group's ultimate objective is to standardize our approach to physical climate risk adaptation strategies to be incorporated into property-specific capital and operation plans.

The group includes representation from several teams including Technical Services, Risk & Insurance, Dream Office Property Management, Dream Industrial Portfolio Management, and the Sustainability and ESG team. As a starting point, the focus of the working group over the past year was on developing tactical methodologies for reducing our Toronto office assets' exposure to modeled climate perils.

The working group used a climate risk scenario analysis tool to aggregate and prioritize asset type-specific climate risks based on likelihood and severity. A survey was also

conducted among property management and operations teams to understand known risks and mitigation strategies for each asset type.

This analysis provided actionable insights to address the increasing climate risk compared to the existing building codes. For example, for buildings with moderate to high wind exposure, a standard approach is being implemented, such as retrofitting with resilient roofing materials to withstand extreme winds.

In 2024 and beyond, the working group intends to use this data to establish standardized adaptation strategies for the most pertinent climate risks, which will be incorporated into property-specific capital plans. Strategies identified for office assets will be tailored for other asset types in the same region as well as adapted to other asset types and regions.

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## **Transition Risk**

Our GHG reduction targets and Net Zero Action Plan help mitigate transition risk by proactively reducing emissions ahead of potential future regulations and anticipated future changes in tenant preferences and market supply and demand.

Our Risk Management and Sustainability and ESG teams continuously monitor our exposure to transition risks associated with policy and legislative changes, market, and reputational shifts. Additionally, we continue to enhance our climate reporting to align with best practice climate standards.

The adjacent table provides a high-level summary of our key physical and transition risks, time horizons and associated potential impacts.

Type of Risk <sup>(1)</sup>	Identified Risks	Potential Impact	Mitigating Action
Physical, acute Short-to long-term time horizon	Natural disasters and increasingly frequent and severe weather conditions including wildfire, windstorms, tornadoes, hailstorms, lightning and earthquake	Could interrupt operations and activities, threaten tenant health and safety, damage properties and may decrease property values or require additional expenses to be incurred, including increased insurance costs	Across all entities we use third-party climate data to assess property-level physical climate risks from the following hazards:  Flooding · Wildfire · Earthquake · Hailstorm Lightning · Windstorm · Tornado
	• 50, 100, 200 and 500-year flood events		A flood and catastrophic loss risk assessment is performed annually to determine which properties in our portfolio are at risk of losses from 50, 100, 200 and 500-year floods. Based on the results, we are developing site-specific resilience strategies
Physical, chronic Long-term time horizon	Temperature change Precipitation change Sea-level rise Air quality Water security/water stress	Temperature change could increase cooling loads and costs  Sea-level rise could alter geographies targeted for future investment  Water security/water stress risk may impact approach to water management and capital expenditures on efficiency upgrades	Property-level risk is assessed using third-party climate data against the listed chronic physical climate risks:  Temperature change Property-level risk is assessed using third-party climate data against the listed chronic physical climate risks:  Water security  Water stress Sea-level rise
Transition, policy and legal Short-to long-term time horizon	Greenhouse gas emissions reduction regulations	Could impose constraints on operational flexibility or result in financial costs or fines to comply with various reforms	<ul> <li>Our GHG reduction targets and Net Zero Action Plan help mitigate transition risk by proactively reducing emissions ahead of potential future regulations and anticipated future changes in tenant preferences and market supply and demand.</li> <li>Our Risk Management and Sustainability and ESG teams continuously monitor our exposure to transition risk associated with policy and legislative changes, market,</li> </ul>
Transition, market and reputation  Long-term time horizon	Shift in supply and demand for products and services     Changing tenant preferences     Increased stakeholder expectations on climate-related risk	<ul> <li>Failure to adapt to climate change reforms could adversely affect our reputation</li> <li>Costs to build net zero assets, or upgrade assets to net zero could increase</li> <li>May require increased internal resources to manage climate risk and produce climate disclosure</li> </ul>	and reputational shifts.  Additionally, we continue to strengthen alignment with TCFD recommendations.

## **Scenario Analysis**

The Dream group has identified climate change as a significant risk, as well as a catalyst for opportunities to create long-term value through proactive strategic decisions. In 2022, we conducted a climate scenario analysis to explore how the potential risks and opportunities associated with different climate scenarios could impact our businesses. The objective of the exercise was to build our teams' understanding of the specific ways climate change may impact the way we conduct business and identify how we can prepare to mitigate risks and capitalize on opportunities.

The scope of the scenario analysis covered all Dream public entities and included input from decision makers and key stakeholders across the Dream group with expertise in business functions including sustainability and ESG, corporate finance, compliance, portfolio management, risk management, asset management, and development.

While the uncertainty about the future is an inherent challenge and limitation of this exercise, we have incorporated assumptions about macroeconomic trends, such as the likelihood of ESG regulations increasing in tandem with more extreme weather events.

#### **Scenario Development**

Our analysis used two divergent climate scenarios:

	Scenario 1: Failure to act	Scenario 2: Paris-aligned
GHG emissions	Emissions continue to rise through 2100	Advanced economies reach net zero by 2050
Temperature rise	Over 4° C in Canada	Lower than 2° C
Climate action policies	Least aggressive	Most aggressive
Greatest risks to Dream	Physical risks	Transition risks
Guided by	Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change ("IPCC") Representative Concentration Pathway ("RCP") 6.0 and 8.5 <sup>(1)</sup>	International Energy Agency ("IEA") Sustainable Development Scenario ("SDS"), IPCC RCP 2.6 <sup>(2)</sup>

These scenarios were chosen because they are:

Plausible: the scenario events are possible based on research from credible sources

Differentiated: each scenario focuses on different combination of factors and thus allows Dream to identify a variety of possible risks and opportunities

TCFD aligned: the TCFD recommends using a warming scenario of 2°C or lower

The scenarios are also aligned with IFRS S2 which requires the use of climate-related scenarios aligned with the latest international agreement on climate change.





tion trajectories used to model climate change outcomes. More information on RCPs published by the IPCC can be found at https://  $ipcc\text{-}data.org/guidelines/pages/glossary/glossary\_r.html ~.$ 

The SDS outlines one potential path to 2040 to meet the objectives of the Paris Agreement through assumptions about policies aimed at increasing efficiencies and renewable energy sources to limit energy  $\label{lem:demand} \mbox{demand growth. More information can be found at $$\underline{$https://www.iea.org/data-and-statistics/charts/energy-sector-carbon-intensity-historical-and-sds} $$\mathcal{P}.$$ 

#### Scenario 1: Failure to Act

Risk					
Market variability	· Increased time and cost to comply with varying regulations				
	<ul> <li>Varying tenant and investor expectations lead to confusion and inefficiencies</li> </ul>				
Asset value protection	<ul> <li>Higher capital expenditure costs to protect assets from increased physical risk</li> </ul>				
	· Potential for stranded assets in high-risk, uninsurable areas				
Repair costs and	Unpredictable operating expenditures				
disruptions	· Increased repair costs				
	Decrease in availability of assets to acquire				
	Business disruption due to climate events				
	Health and safety risks				
Tenant needs shift	Misaligned climate objectives deter progress				
	· Increased tenant demand for resilience				
	Decreased demand in high-risk areas				
	<ul> <li>Tenant operations suffer due to physical risk, depressed economic activity</li> </ul>				
Supply chain issues	Risk to development timelines and budgets				
	· Product availability and transportation becomes a challenge				

Opportunities	
Differentiate and attract via resilience	Strengthen existing relationships by increasing awareness of the importance of resilience
	<ul> <li>Invest in resilience to differentiate from peers and attract tenants and investors</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Improve resilience to create investment opportunities in higher risk areas</li> </ul>
Opportunities for new and creative leadership innovations	<ul> <li>Contribute to resilience-related standards or certifications</li> <li>Sell renewable energy</li> </ul>
Collaborate to lessen	Pursue industry leadership and collaboration through resilience
impact	Build relationships with local suppliers who can mitigate potential disruptions better than global supply chain partners
	<ul> <li>Capitalize on increased availability of skilled workers and potential tenants as local population grows</li> </ul>

# Scenario 2: Paris-aligned

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Risk			
Net zero investment	<ul> <li>High capital expenditure costs to achieve net zero at existing buildings and protect value</li> </ul>		
	· Up-skilling for new technology and operational practices		
	Technology risk as first-movers		
	Risk of stranded assets		
Development costs	Increased costs to develop net zero capabilities		
	<ul> <li>Reduced rent premiums and affordability challenges due to increase in minimum sustainability requirements</li> </ul>		
	Longer permitting and development timelines		
Infrastructure challenges	Limits to capacity and reliability of electrical grids		
	· Increased demand leads to brownouts, business disruption		
	· Lack of renewable energy infrastructure and materials		
Tenant collaboration	Pursue industry leadership and collaboration through resilience		
challenges	<ul> <li>Resistant tenants could impact net zero target achievement and relationships</li> </ul>		
Reputational expectations	Reputational risk to not achieving net zero target		
and risk	<ul> <li>Increased reporting requirements and costs to communicate clima action</li> </ul>		

Opportunities		
Attract tenants and capital		Differentiate from peers through ambitious GHG reduction programs and partnerships
		Attract tenants and investors with similar decarbonization goals
	•	Lower risk profiles from investors by committing to transparent reporting
Opportunity for low- carbon products and	•	Increased demand for renewable energy certificates and solar energy
services	•	Invest in low-carbon technology ventures
Early action reduces future		Reduce future costs by building low-carbon assets ahead of peers
costs		Decrease future costs by conducting early pilots of new technology
		Lower insurance costs by increasing asset resilience and longevity

# Forward-looking Plans

We are using the results of the climate scenario analysis to:

- · Identify and prioritize which climate risks may impact our assets based on likelihood and severity to help prioritize property-specific capital plans and future-proof our assets
- · Prioritize mitigation efforts and engage in proactive positioning to pursue relevant opportunities
- · Protect our financial position by investing and building competence in resilience and adaptation
- Advance opportunities to be a low-carbon leader, benefit from increased tenant demand for net zero assets, and gain access to capital for clean technology innovations

In addition, we intend to expand the scope of the climate resiliency working group to more assets, risk types and regions.

# Cybersecurity and Information Governance



We are committed to cybersecurity and privacy through a combination of regular security awareness activities and the use of next-generation protection technologies. Our Cybersecurity and Information Governance program is overseen by our Chief Information Officer.

# Cybersecurity

In 2023, our cybersecurity program was focused on the following areas in order to help minimize the likelihood and impact of cyber incidents on our systems:

- · Monitoring threats and implementing preventative measures to ensure that all systems and employees are protected
- · Performing regular assurance activities, including internal and third-party vulnerability scanning and assessments in order to manage exposure and risk
- · Incident management and resolution, guided by internally developed processes, policies and procedures, supported by continuous improvement
- · Benchmarking our security controls against leading cybersecurity frameworks
- · Conducting mandatory cyber-awareness training program for all employees

## Information Governance

Our data governance program aims to strengthen our data posture and data privacy oversight across the business. The program monitors security threats, malicious events, incidents, employee data, and file sharing by implementing new monitoring processes and tools. We generate monthly reports tracking malicious attempts that are shared with our senior leadership team.

# Forward-looking Plans

· We continuously evaluate and implement new technologies, processes, and tools in order to adapt to emerging cybersecurity threats.

#### **Dream Group of Companies**

# **Business Ethics**

As one of Canada's leading real estate organizations, we are committed to maintaining the highest standards as it relates to ethical business conduct.

We are steadfast in our commitment to maintaining the highest business and personal ethical standards by dealing openly and honestly with each other and with our Directors, Trustees, investors, tenants, and suppliers. We are also acutely aware of the laws and regulations that govern our conduct at work, in the marketplace, and in our communities.

Our various policies governing business ethics and norms of behaviour are developed by the respective entity boards. Compliance with these policies is the responsibility of all employees.

Each Dream entity is governed by a Code of Conduct (the "Codes") which are reviewed annually. The Codes are our statement of the values and principles that guide us in our daily business activities. The keystones of our Codes are: integrity, respect, fairness, accountability and transparency. The Codes support our commitment to operate our businesses at the highest level of legal, moral and ethical standards, and they provide the overriding principles for all of our policies and our approach to business. Each Code of Conduct applies to all members of the organization, including Directors, Trustees, Officers, and employees.

These Codes have guidelines for expected behaviours and practices in daily business activities, and direct employees to report conflicts of interest to the applicable supervising individual. Conflicts of interests related to Directors, Trustees and Officers are disclosed in our Annual Information Forms.





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# **Dream Unlimited** Corp.

# **About Dream Unlimited Corp.**<sup>(1)</sup>

Dream Unlimited Corp. (TSX: DRM) ("Dream Unlimited", or "DRM") is an innovative developer of exceptional retail, commercial, office and residential assets.

Dream Unlimited owns stabilized income generating assets in both Canada and the United States and has an established and successful asset management business, inclusive of over \$24 billion of assets under management<sup>(2)</sup> across four TSX listed trusts, a private asset management business and numerous partnerships. Dream Unlimited is the asset manager for Dream Impact Trust and Dream Industrial REIT and co-asset manager for Dream Residential REIT.

\$24 billion

of assets under management<sup>[2]</sup>

~35,000

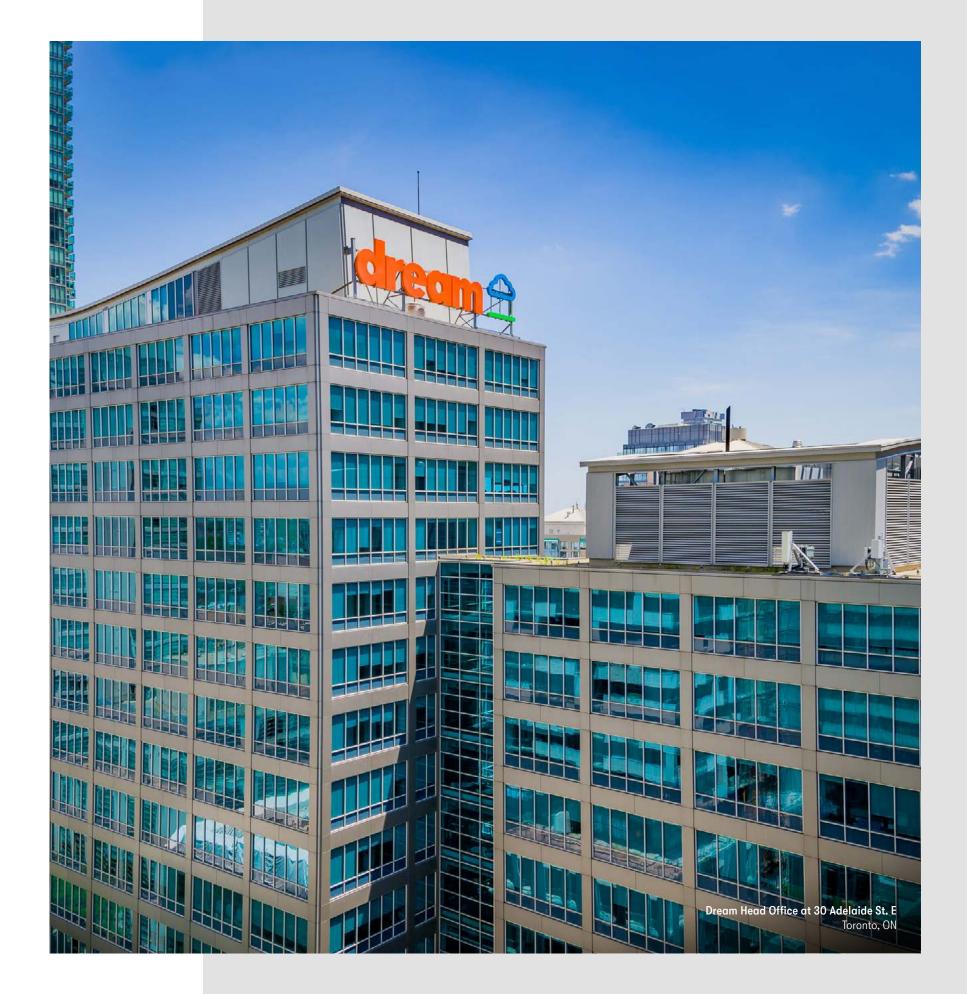
condominium and purpose-built rental units in the Dream group portfolio (including development pipeline)

\$6 billion

worth of projected net zero communities in development pipeline<sup>(3)</sup>

82 million sf

of commercial/retail gross leasable area ("GLA") across the Dream group portfolio, inclusive of development pipeline



<sup>(1)</sup> All figures as at December 31, 2023, unless otherwise stated.

<sup>(2)</sup> As at December 31, 2023. Assets under management is a supplementary financial measure in respect of DRM. Please refer to the Specified Financial Measures and Other Disclosures > section of this Report.

<sup>(3)</sup> Net zero communities in development pipeline consist of Zibi, Dream LeBreton, and Quayside.

# 2023 Highlights

## **Environmental**

116

solar ready homes<sup>[1]</sup> occupied at Alpine Park 57%

waste diverted from landfill at Arapahoe Basin

100%

of electricity sourced from renewables at Arapahoe Basin as of October 2023

10%

reduction in total embodied carbon targeted at Dream LeBreton vs typical new building (currently on track)<sup>(2)</sup>

\$2.6 million

funded by the Canada Infrastructure Bank ("CIB") for decarbonization projects<sup>(3)</sup>

## **FRPO Environmental Excellence Award**

Winner of the Federation of Rental-housing Providers of Ontario ("FRPO") MAC Award for Environmental Excellence for Zibi

# **NSAA Golden Eagle Award**

Winner of the 2023 National Ski Areas Association ("NSAA") Golden Eagle Award for Community and Partnerships for the 2022-23 ski season at Arapahoe Basin

#### **BOMA Best Gold**

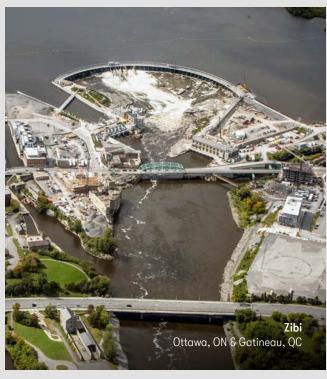
at Dream's Head office

## Net Zero by 2035

Continued to integrate Net Zero by 2035 Action Plan into developments, capital planning and property operations







<sup>(1)</sup> A solar-ready home is constructed with the future installation of a solar energy system in mind. Such homes meet specific criteria to ease the installation process and maximize solar electricity

<sup>(2)</sup> Typical new building was calculated by third-party consultant using the criteria in CaGBC's Zero Carbon Building Design Standards v3 and industry-average environmental product eclarations for construction products/materials

<sup>(3)</sup> Based on cumulative draws to date as at Dec 31, 2023. Reflective of the Residence at Weston LP credit facility at 100%.

# 2023 Highlights

# Social

affordable housing units added to portfolio in 2023<sup>[1]</sup> 51%

average discount to market rent on affordable units<sup>[2]</sup>

affordable housing units under development that are expected to be completed by 2027<sup>(2)</sup>

~\$48 million

in estimated annual rent savings for households in affordable units<sup>(2)</sup>

~\$16 million

in spending awarded to diverse vendors<sup>(3)</sup>

rental units to be dedicated to housing Algonquin and other Indigenous Peoples at Dream LeBreton

# **Rick Hansen Foundation Accessibility Certification**

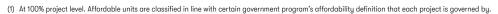
received for Dream Unlimited's head office

## **Great Place to Work**

Received the Great Place to Work® Certification for the third consecutive year

## **Women Lead Here**

Selected as a four-time honouree of the Globe and Mail's Report on Business "Women Lead Here" program (2020, 2021, 2022 and 2023)



<sup>(2)</sup> All figures are at 100% project level, inclusive of Quayside and Dream LeBreton developments. These are forecasted figures and are subject to change. Affordable units are classified in line with certain government program's affordability definition that each project is governed by.







<sup>(3)</sup> Diverse vendors are defined as businesses that are majority-owned or majority-managed by people from equity-seeking groups. MPCT.UN collected this information in coordination with DRM and D.UN - and therefore includes tracked spending by MPCT.UN, DRM and D.UN. Spending is tracked on specific categories that include developmen projects (Quayside and Dream LeBreton), decarbonization retrofits in office and multi-family buildings, and general operational spending.

# 2023 Highlights

#### Governance

# PRI

Completed inaugural Principles for Responsible Investment ("PRI") submission and achieved scores above the PRI median in two out of three modules<sup>[1]</sup>

# **NZAM**

Completed second annual reporting requirements for the Net Zero Asset Managers ("NZAM") initiative<sup>(1)</sup>

# **Improved**

Morningstar Sustainalytics ESG risk rating from 19.2 in 2022 to 13.0 in 2023, and assessed to be a Low Risk of experience material financial impacts from ESG factors<sup>(2)</sup>

in its respective GRESB<sup>(3)</sup> Public Disclosure Report peer group for the third consecutive year

#### Launched

Climate Resiliency Working Group to standardize an asset-level approach to climate risk adaptation

## **Enhanced**

internal controls framework to increase the rigor of ESG data collection, measurement and reporting

# **Implemented**

preliminary findings from scenario analysis which identified climate risks, opportunities and potential business impacts

## **Implemented**

Responsible Investment Policy

#### **Published**

Environmental Policy and Supplier Code of Conduct







<sup>(1)</sup> DRM completed the submission on behalf of the Dream group of companies.

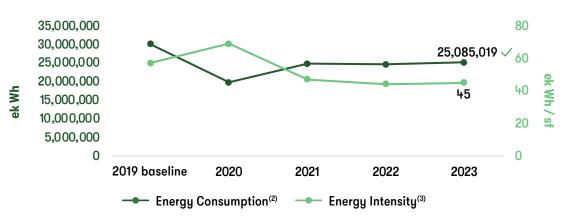
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# ESG Scorecard<sup>(1)</sup>

Energy consumption, Scope 1 and Scope 2 GHG emissions, and water consumption intensities under Dream Unlimited's control increased year-overyear by 2%, 2% and 44%, respectively. The increase was due to visitor volumes, tenant activity and routine fluctuations in normal operations, compared to 2022, which was still affected by COVID-related impacts. The waste diversion rate decreased by 3% in 2023 for similar reasons.



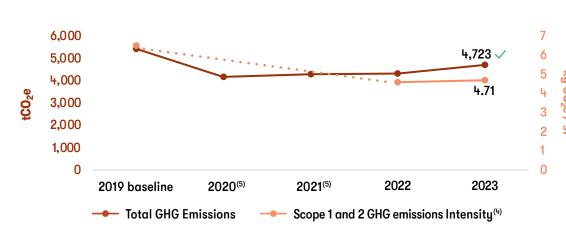


**Energy intensity:** 

YoY% change

% change from baseline







YoY% change

% change from baseline

Target:

0.2

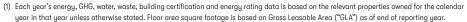
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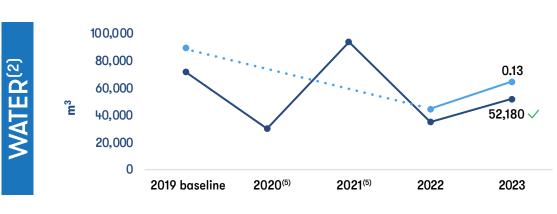
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reduction by 2025 (vs. 2019 baseline)

#### ✓ Externally assured; please refer to note in the About this Report → section



<sup>(2)</sup> The scope of boundary of the data includes standing investments where DRM has direct operational control. As a result, investment assets  ${\it Gladstone\ Hotel, Broadview\ Hotel\ and\ Zibi\ Community\ Utility\ are\ outside\ DRM's\ organizational\ boundaries.}$ 



**──** Water Consumption

Water Intensity<sup>(3)</sup>

Water intensity:

YoY% change

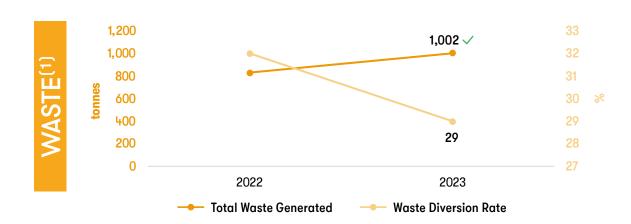
% change from baseline

<sup>(3)</sup> Data coverage includes Distillery District and Arapahoe Basin Ski Resort.

<sup>(4)</sup> Data coverage includes Distillery District.

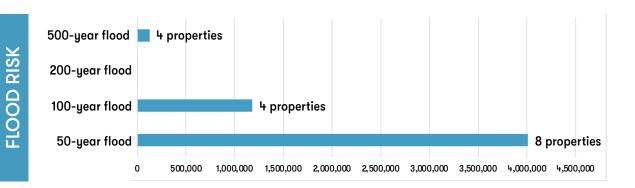
<sup>(5)</sup> Dashed lines represent data that was not tracked during the noted time period. Dashed lines are shown for illustrative purposes only and do not represent any correlation with any other consumption or intensity values shown on same chart.

<sup>(6)</sup> GHG emissions are calculated in accordance with the World Resource Institute Greenhouse Gas Protocol. The captured activities include DRM's operational control over: Scope 1 emissions generated directly from its operations; Scope 2 emissions indirectly associated with generation of purchased electricity, heating, cooling, and steam consumed by properties, Scope 3 emissions generated from Category 13 (downstream-



**Waste Diversion Rate:** 

YoY% change



Floor area (sf)(2)

Dream Unlimited performs annual flood and catastrophic loss risk assessments to determine which properties in its portfolio are at risk of losses from 50, 100, 200 and 500-year floods.

# **Certifications and Ratings**

395,000 sf

GLA of Portfolio with Green Building Certification (sf)

# **ESG Ratings Summary**

Dream Unlimited is evaluated periodically by the following rating agencies:





✓ Externally assured; please refer to note in the About this Report → section

<sup>(1)</sup> The scope of boundary of the data includes standing investments where DRM has direct operational control. As a result, investment assets Gladstone Hotel, Broadview Hotel and Zibi Community Utility are outside DRM's organizational boundaries. For more information, please refer to the Supplemental Disclosures -7 section of this Report.

<sup>(2)</sup> The floor area (in sf) of assets under development, planning, and land are subject to change pending various development approvals. Owned land is included in the number of assets and excluded from the affected area in cases when the final sf is not publicly available.

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# **Environmental**

# **Approach**

Dream Unlimited is committed to integrating sustainability into the design, construction, and operations of its buildings. Dream Unlimited has a legacy of building communities that showcase best practices in sustainability.

As outlined in its Environmental Policy, Dream Unlimited is committed to, when applicable and where appropriate to its business:

- · Consider environmental protection in its operations, developments and procurement, including investing in climate resilience and enhancing local biodiversity
- **Promote** a comprehensive approach to resource management, energy efficiency and emissions reduction, which encompasses reduction, reuse, and recycling throughout its operations, developments, and procurement processes
- · Implement commercially prudent measures to minimize negative environmental impacts of its operations
- **Engage** in ongoing dialogues with stakeholders to promote environmental sustainability in commercial real estate
- **Develop** internal environmental awareness programs and engage employees by establishing sustainability working groups
- · Identify and manage environmental risks, and monitor environmental performance



#### Net Zero Action Plan

Dream Unlimited has committed to be net zero by 2035 for operations and new developments, including Scope 1, Scope 2 and select Scope 3 emissions.

In 2023, Dream Unlimited made progress by developing asset-level net zero roadmaps for a number of assets in its portfolio, integrating net zero thinking into the development of capital plans, enhancing energy management practices, and improving data collection.

Dream Unlimited is also focused on developing new high-performance, net zero buildings that will help meet its net zero targets. In 2023, Dream Unlimited made progress on several of these developments and started exploring strategies to minimize embodied carbon throughout its development process.

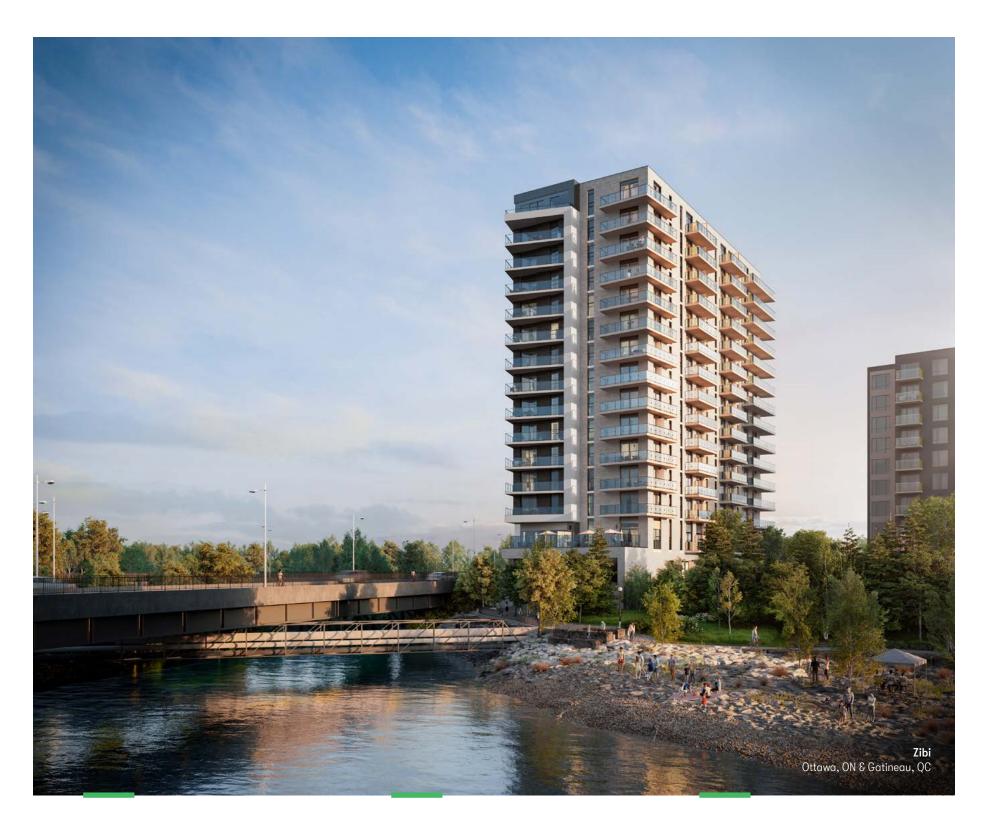
As a benefit of being a first mover, Dream Unlimited is focused on partnering with governments and participating in programs that offer financial incentives to encourage and support the capital investments needed to accelerate decarbonization of the building sector.

For more information on Dream Unlimited's net zero commitments, please refer to the Net Zero by 2035 Action Plan ...

52%

of Dream Unlimited's AUM is targeting net zero GHG emissions by 2035 or 2050<sup>[1]</sup>

worth of projected net zero communities being developed by Dream Unlimited<sup>(2)</sup>



2025

20% reduction in carbon intensity within the net zero boundary<sup>(3)</sup>

2030

**50% reduction** in carbon intensity within the net zero boundary<sup>(3)</sup>

2035

net zero Scope 1, Scope 2 and select Scope 3 emissions (operational and development)[3]

<sup>(1)</sup> As at December 31, 2023. "Assets under management ("AUM")" is the respective carrying value of gross assets managed by the Company on behalf of its clients, investors or partners under asset management agreements, development management agreements and/or management services agreements at 1 of the client's total assets. All other investments are reflected at the Company's proportionate share of the investment's total assets without duplication. Assets under management is a measure of success against the competition and consists of growth or decline due to asset appreciation, changes in fair market value, acquisitions and dispositions, operations gains and losses, and inflows and outflows of capital. Please refer to our **Annual Report** 7 for more information.

<sup>(2)</sup> At 100% ownership level. Net zero communities in development consist of Zibi, Dream LeBreton and Quayside.

<sup>(3)</sup> For more information on DRM's net zero commitments with respect to investment boundary and emissions boundary, please refer to pages 20-22 in our Net Zero by 2035 Action Plan ...

#### Spotlight —

# **Arapahoe Basin Achieves Carbon Neutrality**

Dream Unlimited acquired Arapahoe Basin in 1997 and over the last 27 years, together with the Arapahoe Basin management team, the ski area was expanded and modernized, the two highest elevation restaurants in North America were opened, and industry leading sustainability goals were set.

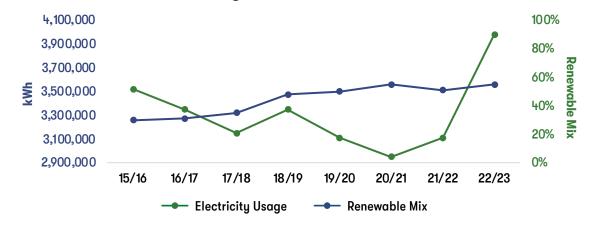
In 2023, Arapahoe Basin was honoured by the National Ski Areas Association's Golden Eagle Award for Community and Partnerships, for its collaboration with community organizations, industry-wide sustainability initiatives, and climate advocacy work. In the same year, Arapahoe Basin also achieved its ambitious goal to source 100% of electricity from renewables, two years ahead of schedule. By fully switching to renewable electricity, Arapahoe Basin has reduced its GHG emissions by over two thirds. The target to achieve 100% renewable electricity by 2025 was set in 2018, alongside six other environmental sustainability targets which together support a pledge to achieve carbon neutrality by 2025.

Key to the success of achieving 100% renewable electricity is Arapahoe Basin's partnerships with like-minded organizations. These include Xcel Energy, an electric utility pursuing a net zero by 2050 target, and Jack's Solar Farm, a visionary social enterprise pioneering innovative agrivoltaic techniques to increase both food and energy security.

On February 5, 2024, Dream announced it had entered into an agreement to sell Arapahoe Basin to Alterra Mountain Company for an after-tax profit of \$110 million<sup>(1)</sup>. The sale is expected to close in 2024 and is subject to regulatory approvals.

For more information on Arapahoe Basin's carbon neutral goals and progress, please visit arapahoebasin.com/sustainability/ 🗷

## **Electricity Use and Renewables**







Our approach to securing a sustainable future is rooted in collaboration and knowledge exchange. From working with Xcel Energy to promote electric vehicles, to sharing our sustainability roadmap with peers, to testifying on Capitol Hill in support of climate solutions, we use engagement as a powerful tool to multiply our impact.

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**Mike Nathan** 

Sustainability Manager, Arapahoe Basin

# Resource Management

# **Energy Management**

Dream Unlimited is committed to using energy in an efficient, cost effective and environmentally responsible manner. **Dream Unlimited's Environmental Policy** ↗ is focused on benchmarking energy use, meeting its energy reduction targets, enrolling in demand response programs and educating employees and tenants on energy conservation.

# Water Management

Dream Unlimited is committed to reducing water consumption at its properties through preventative maintenance programs. Dream Unlimited's Environmental Policy sets forth objectives that support this goal, including monitoring major water consuming equipment through building management systems, leak reporting through the tenant service program, routine inspections by staff, installing low-flow water fixtures during washroom renovations, and monitoring landscape irrigation using rain sensors and control timers.



# Social

# Strong and Diverse Workforce

Dream Unlimited's resilience as an organization comes from its strong and diverse workforce. Employees come from a wide range of backgrounds and experiences, bringing many valuable skills and perspectives to the team.

#### Dream Unlimited Gender Breakdown<sup>(1)</sup>





## Managers<sup>(3)</sup>



**42%** Women





Executives<sup>(5)</sup>

Management(4)

50% Women • 50% Men

#### **Employee Summary**

• **43%** Women

• 57% Men

Employees <sup>(6)</sup>	Total	Men	Women
Permanent <sup>(7)</sup>	266	139	127
Contract	5	1	4
Full-time <sup>(8)</sup>	265	139	126
Part-time	6	1	5

employees<sup>[1]</sup>

average tenure for Dream Unlimited employees<sup>(1)</sup>









For detailed information on Dream Unlimited's approach to Employee Development and Engagement, Diversity, Inclusion and Advancement, Health and Safety, and Volunteering and Giving, please refer to the shared **Social section**  $\nearrow$  in the front of this report.

- (2) Includes employees at all levels.
- (3) Includes Managers and above.
- (4) Includes Vice Presidents and above.

- (6) Numbers represented as total headcount, not full-time equivalent.
- (7) Includes permanent part-time employees.

<sup>(1)</sup> Includes employees employees by Dream Asset Management Corporation, which includes DRM and MPCT.UN employees, and Canadian DRR.U employees. Does not include employees at recreational properties, employees on leaves of absence (e.g., permanent disability, long-term disability, parental leave), interns, and DRR.U employees of Pauls Corp.

<sup>(5)</sup> For the purposes of this report, Executives include: the Chief Responsible Officer and Chief Financial Officer of DRM

#### Social



## **Inclusive Communities**

Dream Unlimited also supports the communities in which it operates through its partnerships, programming, and inclusivity commitments.

## **Social Procurement Strategy**

Dream Unlimited, together with Dream Impact and Dream Office, released its Social Procurement Strategy in 2021, focusing on using its spending power on real estate activities to create economic benefits for diverse<sup>(1)</sup> vendors and local<sup>(2)</sup>, independent<sup>(3)</sup> and/or socially responsible<sup>[4]</sup> vendors, as well as employment opportunities for equityseeking groups<sup>[5]</sup>.

In 2023, Dream Unlimited, in coordination with Dream Impact and Dream Office, continued to implement and improve the Social Procurement Strategy and exceeded the initial 2025 published targets for spending across categories that included major development projects (Dream LeBreton and Quayside), decarbonization retrofits in office and multi-family rental buildings, general operational spending, and partnerships through the Dream Community Foundation.

For detailed information on Dream's Social Procurement Strategy, please refer to the **2023 Impact Report.** 7

#### The following are the targets set in the Social Procurement Strategy:

2025 Targets	2023 Progress
20% of the annual value of all contracts awarded to businesses that are majority owned or managed by an equity-seeking group	Exceeded Target Awarded 25% or \$15.9 million <sup>(6)</sup>
<b>20% of the annual value</b> of all contracts awarded to local, independent, and/or socially responsible businesses	Exceeded Target Awarded 80% or \$50.4 million <sup>(6)</sup>
<b>20% of annual jobs</b> created through capital and operating spending filled by individuals from an equity-seeking group	In Progress launched pilot to track progress against target
30% of apprentice hours worked by individuals from an equity-seeking group	In Progress launched pilot to track progress against target

#### The following is a summary of progress made in 2023 as measured against the Implementing Actions established in the initial strategy:

Implementing Actions	2023 Progress
Seek external memberships to support the work	100%
Support vendors	15%
Implement a monitoring and reporting system for tracking progress on published targets	80%
Create template language for updated bid and contract documents	95%
Establish a baseline of existing vendors	80%

<sup>(1)</sup> A Diverse Vendor is defined as a vendor who is at least 50% owned or managed by equity-seeking groups.

<sup>(2)</sup> A Local Vendor is defined as a vendor with a billing address that falls within a defined geographic catchment radius to a given asset.

<sup>(3)</sup> An Independent Vendor is defined as a vendor with demonstrable independent ownership

<sup>(4)</sup> A Socially Responsible Vendor is defined as a vendor that can provide evidence of a CSR/ESG report or equivalent, or third-party certification from groups such as EcoVadis, B-Corp or

<sup>(5)</sup> Dream's definition of an Equity-Seeking Group is one or more of the following: Black, Indigenous, People of Colour (BIPOC), Women, New Canadians (Having immigrated within the last 10 years), Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer (2SLGBTQIA+), Individuals with Disabilities or Accessibility needs and Indigenous Peoples.

<sup>(6)</sup> The figures shown are derived from spending on vendors meeting aforementioned Social Procurement definitions on select DRM, MPCT.UN and D.UN assets, over total cumulative asset spending and excludes spending on vendors that are determined as exempt as defined by the Social Procurement Strategy.

# Community Building at Scale<sup>(1)</sup>

Dream Unlimited has been an active developer and landowner in Toronto's Downtown East since 2004 with Dream Unlimited's investment in the 13-acre Distillery District. Over the last two decades Dream Unlimited has partnered with several other leading developers to become the largest developer in the area, currently owning or developing over 70 acres. Dream Unlimited takes pride in honouring the past and legacy of the neighbourhoods it creates while using innovative techniques and partnerships to integrate sustainability and provide housing across the income spectrum.

12,000

15,000+

~1,600 affordable units<sup>(2)</sup>

year history



#### Quayside

- · ~4,600 units
- . 800+ affordable units
- · Net Zero Community

#### **Canary Landing**

- . **1,508** units
- **684** affordable units
- · Targetting LEED Gold certification

#### Community partners:

Anishnawbe Health Toronto, Miziwe Biik

#### **Distillery District**

- · ~1,200 units
- · BOMA BEST Silver Certified

#### Community partners:

French School, Soul Pepper theatre, George Brown College

#### **Canary District**

- · ~2,200 units
- · ~250 affordable units
- · LEED Certified

#### Community partners:

Wigwamen, Fred Victor, YMCA, George Brown College

<sup>(1)</sup> All figures are at 100% project level. Includes past projects and forecasted figures from development pipeline and are subject to change.

<sup>(2)</sup> At 100% project level. Affordable units are classified in line with certain government program's affordability definition that each project is governed by. Includes forecasted figures from development pipeline and are subject to change.

#### **Spotlight**

# Community Engagement at the Quayside **Development Project**

Stakeholder advisory meetings

Eastern Waterfront Open House Event

Pop-up Events

Quayside Survey **Participants** 

Total people engaged

Resident Association Meetings

Quayside is one of the most exciting development projects in Canada, integrating multiple levels of government and ambitious sustainability and inclusivity targets. This 12-acre masterplanned community at the east end of downtown Toronto's waterfront is targetting net zero GHG emissions and will also include 3.5 acres of public forested green space, a significant urban farm, and one of Canada's largest residential mass timber structures.

Before initiating the application process for a city-transforming project like this, Dream Unlimited, as Dream Impact's asset manager and development partner on Quayside engages with the public to incorporate community needs and minimize environmental impact. It collaborates with leading urban designers and master community planners to create attractive, community oriented, and environmentally sustainable concepts.

In 2023, stakeholder outreach efforts began to raise awareness and gather feedback on project details, including programming, land use, density, massing and site plan design, and landscape. Meetings were attended by staff from Waterfront Toronto, the City of Toronto, Quayside Impact Limited Partnership and their consultant team. Additionally, the City hosted two Community Consultation meetings in November.

Key tools like the project website and social media accounts were created to educate the public about the development, share updates, and engage them in future phases.

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# Governance

# **Governance Structures and Policies**

As part of the ESG Framework, Dream Unlimited links ESG considerations to executive goals and compensation. Sustainability, ESG and impact related matters are managed by the following:

Board, Committee or Team	Responsibilities <sup>(1)</sup>				
Board of Directors	<ul> <li>The Dream Unlimited board is responsible for the oversight of ESG matters and has delegated such oversight to the Governance, Environmental and Nominating Committee</li> </ul>				
Governance, Environmental and Nominating Committee	Oversee approach to environmental, social, governance and impact investing matters				
Chief Responsible Officer	Highest-level executive with oversight over ESG and impact matters, including sustainability and climate change, at Dream Unlimited				
	· Works with the Chief Financial Officer to provide leadership over the sustainability strategy and oversee adoption o ESG Framework				
ESG Executive Committee	Receive regular updates from the Sustainability and ESG team on behalf of all departments and the sustainability working groups				
(Members of the Executive Leadership team from each Dream entity)	Adopt ESG Framework for Dream Unlimited				
nom each bream enargy	Communicate sustainability strategy and commitment across the company and to key external stakeholders				
	Delegate implementation to Dream Unlimited's Sustainability and ESG team				
	Reports to the Governance, Environmental and Nominating Committee				
Sustainability and ESG Team	Embed sustainability strategy and commitment across the company and with key external stakeholders				
	Oversee the implementation of the ESG Framework for each Dream entity				
	• Manage portfolio sustainability initiatives including building certifications, energy, water and waste management and monitoring, as well as strategic initiatives				
	Meet quarterly with the ESG Executive Committee				
Sustainability Working Groups	Responsible for advancing sustainability initiatives and activities at company and property level				
	<ul> <li>Includes three working groups covering the following focus areas: Green Property Operations, Employee Engagement, and Tenant Engagement</li> </ul>				
	· Includes representatives from across functions, regions, and properties				
	Each group reports regularly to the Sustainability and ESG team				
Investment Committee	Review each investment's Acquisition Checklist and approve investments that meet both financial and impact goals				
	Hold the project team accountable to achieve goals and create impact				

# **Board Composition**

**75%** 

of Dream Unlimited Directors are independent<sup>[2]</sup>

of Dream Unlimited Directors are women<sup>[2]</sup>

#### Governance, Environmental and Nominating Committee Members



Richard Gateman



Jennifer Lee Koss



Vincenza Sera

#### **Dream Unlimited Policies**

Charters and Policies 7

Responsible Investment Policy 7

Environmental Policy 🖊

Supplier Code of Conduct ↗

Board Diversity Policy 7

Disclosure Policy 7

Code of Conduct 7

Whistleblower Policy 7

Majority Voting Policy 🖊

Diversity, Inclusion & Advancement Commitment 7

Management Information Circular 7

For detailed information on Dream Unlimited's approach to Corporate Governance, ESG Risk Management, Cybersecurity and Business Ethics, please refer to the shared Governance section 7.

# Climate Change Risk

Climate change poses a significant risk for Dream Unlimited's properties, employees, tenants and communities.

Dream Unlimited is proactively managing climate-related risks to meet its net zero commitment and protect against the shocks and stressors of climate change and the transition to a low-carbon economy. Climate change risk informs Dream Unlimited's business strategy and decisionmaking by establishing the order of priority for making the capital and operational investments needed to future-proof assets.

The adjacent table provides a high-level summary of key physical and transition risks and their associated potential impacts on Dream Unlimited's business. For details on how Dream Unlimited identifies, manages and mitigates climate risks, please refer to the shared **Climate Change Risk >** section.

Type of Risk <sup>(1)</sup>	Identified Risks	Potential Impact	Mitigating Action
Physical, acute Short-to long term time horizon	Natural disasters and increasingly frequent and severe weather conditions including wildfire, windstorms, tornadoes, hailstorms, lightning and earthquakes	Could interrupt operations and activities, threaten tenant health and safety, damage properties and may decrease property values or require additional expenses to be incurred, including increased insurance costs	Across all entities we use third-party climate data to assess property-level physical climate risks from the following hazards:  • Flooding • Wildfire • Earthquake • Hailstorm • Lightning • Windstorm • Tornado
	50, 100, 200 and 500-year flood events		A flood and catastrophic loss risk assessment is performed annually to determine which properties in its portfolio are at risk of losses from 50, 100, 200 and 500-year floods. Based on the results, Dream Unlimited is developing site-specific resilience strategies.
Physical, chronic Short-to long term time horizon	<ul> <li>Temperature change</li> <li>Precipitation change</li> <li>Sea-level rise</li> <li>Air quality</li> <li>Water security/water stress</li> </ul>	Temperature change could increase cooling loads and costs  Sea-level rise could alter geographies targeted for future investment  Water security/water stress risk may impact approach to water management and capital expenditures on efficiency upgrades	Property-level risk is assessed using third-party climate data against the listed chronic physical climate risks:  Temperature change Air quality Precipitation change Water security/water stress Sea-level rise
Transition, policy and legal Short-to long term time horizon	Greenhouse gas emissions reduction regulations	Could impose constraints on operational flexibility or result in financial costs or fines to comply with various reforms	GHG reduction targets and Dream Unlimited's Net Zero Action Plan help mitigate transition risk by proactively reducing emissions ahead of potential future regulations and anticipating future changes in tenant preferences and market supply and demand.
Transition, market and reputation Short-to long term time horizon	Shift in supply and demand for products and services     Changing tenant preferences     Increased stakeholder expectations on climate-related risk	Failure to adapt to climate change reforms could adversely affect reputation     Costs to build net zero assets, or upgrade assets to net zero could increase     May require increased internal resources to manage climate risk and produce climate disclosures	<ul> <li>The Risk Management and Sustainability and ESG teams continuously monitor exposure to transition risk associated with policy and legislative changes, market, and reputational shifts.</li> <li>Additionally, Dream Unlimited continues to strengthen alignment with TCFD recommendations.</li> </ul>

#### Governance



GRESB is an independent organization that validates ESG performance data. It is the global standard for ESG benchmarking and reporting for listed property companies, private property funds, developers and investors that invest directly in real estate.

In 2023, Dream Unlimited completed its third consecutive submission to the GRESB Public Disclosure assessment. GRESB is an industrydriven organization that is committed to assessing the ESG performance of real estate portfolios around the globe. Participation in the GRESB Public Disclosure assessment provides Dream Unlimited with a globally recognized benchmark to evaluate the progression of its ESG strategy and targets, and the recent results validate its accomplishments to date.



#### Spotlight

# Incorporating Climate Resiliency into Developments

Physical climate risks can impact developments by driving up operational costs, repair and maintenance costs and influencing tenant preferences in areas with exposure to certain types of climate perils.

In 2023, the Dream group established a working group which brings together various teams across the entities, including Dream Unlimited, to standardize an approach to climate risk adaptation and incorporate that approach into its existing properties and developments.

Using a physical climate risk scenario analysis tool, the working group has aggregated asset type-specific climate risks and prioritized them on the basis of likelihood and severity. This information will be used to develop tactical methodologies for reducing the exposure of

assets across the Dream Unlimited portfolio to climate perils identified to be relevant to each asset.

Dream Unlimited has a strong track record of building communities to last by identifying and preparing for physical climate risks. In Ottawa and Gatineau, while it is typical to design to withstand a 1-in-100 flood risk, Zibi was designed to withstand a 1-in-1000 flood risk due to the increased flood risk as a result of climate change. This helped Zibi avoid water damage during the two 100-year floods that occurred between 2016-2019.

#### Case Study

# Mitigating Flood Risk at Brightwater

Brightwater is a 72-acre lakeside neighbourhood in Mississauga's Port Credit area. Upon completion, the site is expected to be transformed into a vibrant and diverse community, including an elementary school, YMCA, and 18 acres of parks and outdoor space.

The development, located on remediated Imperial Oil refinery lands, won the Building Industry and Land Development Association Pinnacle Award in 2020 for Best New Community Planned/Under Development. Due to its proximity to Lake Ontario, physical climate risk mitigation strategies have been used to mitigate flood risk.

These include the installation of berms and the use of low impact development tactics such as naturalized boulevards and permeable pavements. Investing in flood mitigation provides several benefits:

- · Preserving long-term asset value
- · Increasing tenant comfort and satisfaction when investing in waterfront real estate
- · Reducing business interruptions for retail tenants



# Forward-looking Plans



## **Environmental**

- · Continue to implement GHG emissions reductions and energy efficiency improvements across the portfolio and pilot retrofit projects to meet 2025 targets
- · Scale up the development of asset level net zero roadmaps for more properties using in-house engineering tools
- · Continue strategizing the most efficient approach to decarbonize the Dream Unlimited portfolio
- · Develop embodied carbon reduction strategies for each construction project in the pipeline
- Continue to develop and enhance the internal skills and competencies related to net zero and decarbonization strategies
- Continue to improve the accuracy of GHG emissions projections and data collection for Scope 3 emissions and increase GHG emissions data coverage boundary to more assets as appropriate
- Analyze business opportunities and options for procurement of renewable energy technologies
- · Continue incorporating the Digital Transformation Standard, which was developed to future-proof Dream Unlimited's assets, information, and operational technology infrastructure, for wholly owned new high-rise construction projects



# Social

- Continue developing 672 affordable housing units that are expected to be completed between 2024 and 2027
- · Continue to expand affordable rental housing units in the pipeline
- · Scale up social procurement tracking to more projects and refine tracking procedures
- · Engage with more vendors on, build internal knowledge of and generate more external awareness of Social Procurement Strategy
- **Expand** inclusive community programming across Canadian multi-family assets in partnership with the Dream Community Foundation, guided around the strategic pillars of "Grow Together, Eat Together, and Play Together"



## Governance

- · Evaluate and plan for compliance with future sustainability regulatory reporting requirements such as the International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") S1 and S2 standards
- · Continue reporting to PRI and NZAM
- · Create Dream Unlimited's Construction Waste Management Guideline for New Developments (applicable to high-rise office and apartment construction, wholly owned and developed by Dream Unlimited)
- Evaluate the impact and opportunities of aligning with the recommendations of the Task Force on Nature-related Financial Disclosures ("TNFD") on Dream Unlimited's portfolio
- Develop a plan to systematically assess climate change risk based on the short- and long-term risks and opportunities identified in scenario analysis
- Expand the scope of the climate resiliency working group to more assets, risk types and regions



# Supplemental Disclosures

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# **Dream Group of Companies**

#### Social

The boundary of the reporting in this section includes only employees employee by Dream Asset Management Corp., Dream Office Management Corp., Dream U.S. Manager LLC, Dream Europe Advisors Coöperatieve U.A., Dream European Advisors GmbH, Dream Netherlands Advisors B.V., Dream Industrial Netherlands Property Management B.V., Dream France Advisors SAS, and Dream Summit Industrial Management Corp. Does not include employees at recreational properties, employees on unpaid leaves of absence (e.g., permanent disability, long-term disability, parental leave) interns, and Dream Residential REIT employees of Pauls Corp. Annual numbers represents total headcount and not full-time equivalent as at December 31st of the respective year.

Topic	Content		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Employee breakdown	Total		490	493	535	600	645
	Permanent <sup>(1)</sup>		467	477	518	591	633
	Contract	Contract		16	17	9	12
	Full-time <sup>(2)</sup>		484	489	531	596	636
	Part-time		6	ц	4	4	9
Diversity breakdown <sup>[3]</sup>	Employees <sup>(4)</sup>	Women	47%	47%	48%	46%	46%
		Men	53%	53%	52%	54%	54%
	Managers <sup>(5)</sup>	Women	44%	43%	45%	43%	45%
		Men	56%	57%	55%	57%	55%
	Senior Management <sup>(6)</sup>	Women		See note <sup>(7)</sup>		33%	37%
		Men		See note		67%	63%
	Executive Team <sup>(8)</sup>	Women	40%	38%	47%	36%	30%
		Men	60%	62%	53%	64%	70%
	DRM Board of Directors	Women	50%	50%	50%	50%	50%
		Men	50%	50%	50%	50%	50%
	MPCT.UN GP and Trust Board	Women	43%	50%	60%	60%	63%
		Men	57%	50%	40%	40%	37%
	D.UN Board of Trustees	Women	43%	50%	50%	50%	57%
		Men	57%	50%	50%	50%	43%
	DIR.UN Board of Trustees	Women	25%	25%	25%	25%	38%
		Men	75%	75%	75%	75%	62%
	DRR.U Board of Trustees	Women		M1/A[9]		40%	40%
		Men		N/A <sup>(9)</sup>			60%
Demographic breakdown <sup>(10)</sup>	Visible Minority					30%	51%
	Indigenous			See note <sup>(7)</sup>			3%
	LGBTQ+						8%
	Accessibility						6%
	Indigenous, that is First Nation (North American Indian), Metis or Inuk (Inuit)						3%
	Middle Eastern						3%
	Black	Black					4%
	Hispanic						4%
	South Asian (e.g., East Indian, Pakistan	South Asian (e.g., East Indian, Pakistani, Sri Lankan, etc.)					10%
	East Asian (e.g., Vietnamese, Cambodian, Laotian, Thai, etc.)						16%
	West Asian (e.g., Iranian, Afghan, etc.)						1%
	White of Caucasian or European Descent						55%
	Other						5%
	Prefer not to answer						1%

## Dream Group of Companies

Topic	Content		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023		
New hires & turnover rates	New Hires	Total	99	58	125	181	111		
		Women	47	24	62	85	56		
		Men	52	34	63	96	55		
		Age < 35	See note <sup>(7)</sup>		78	111	66		
		Age 35 - 54			41	59	40		
		Age > 54			6	11	5		
		Central and Eastern Canada	82	47	88	134	82		
		Western Canada	17	8	22	37	23		
		United States	0	0	9	1	2		
		Europe	0	3	6	9	4		
	Voluntary turnover rate <sup>(11)</sup>	Total	29%	12%	17%	16%	16%		
		Women			19%	19%	18%		
		Men			14%	12%	13%		
		Age < 35	See a	(7)	24%	19%	21%		
		Age 35 - 54	Jee II	See note <sup>(7)</sup>					
		Age > 54			11%	19%	5%		
		Central and Eastern Canada			19%	15%	16%		
		Western Canada			13%	28%	13%		
		United States	See n	ote <sup>(7)</sup>	0%	0%	3%		
		Europe			0%	2%	22%		
mployee training & development	Tuition fees	Tuition fees		\$73,273	\$66,723	\$81,534	\$226,964		
	Professional fees	Professional fees		\$351,928	\$154,277	\$195,495	\$207,783		
	Tuition & Professional Fees Paid		\$500,000	\$425,000	\$221,000	\$277,000	\$434,747		
	Information on programs supporting d	Information on programs supporting degree programs and certifications for all employees		Dream supports the achievement of degree programs and certifications for all employees through providing time off and financial support. We provide up to \$2,500 for tuition reimbursement and \$500 for textbooks per calendar year, as well as reimbursement for professional designation fees. Dream is also a CPA Ontario Training Employer that allow students in the CPA program to satisfy all their CPA Practical Experience Requirements while working here. For more information see the following:					
			DRM Management Information Circular MPCT.UN Management Information Circular DIR.UN Management Information Circular DIR.UN Management Information Circular No. DR.U Management Information Circular No. DR						
	Regular performance and career development reviews	Percentage of employees		See n	ote <sup>(7)</sup>		86%		
Health & Safety	Lost-time injuries	Women	0	0	0	0	1		
		Men	1	1	2	1	1		
		Central Canada	1	0	1	1	1		
		Western Canada	0	1	1	0	1		
				Slip/trip	Motor vehicle accident;	Falls	Slip and Fall		
		Injury type(s)	Saw dust in eye	Slip/trip	psychological incident				
		Injury type(s)  Lost days	Saw dust in eye	10		3	2		
					0	3	2 0.35		
	Near-misses	Lost days		10	0		2 0.35 0		
	Near-misses	Lost days LTI rate	2	10 See n	0 ote <sup>(7)</sup>		2 0.35 0 1		
	Near-misses	Lost days LTI rate Women	2	10 See n 0	0 ote <sup>(7)</sup>	1	2 0.35 0 1 1		
	Near-misses	Lost days LTI rate Women Men	0 0	10 See n 0	0 ote <sup>(7)</sup> 0 0	1 0	2 0.35 0 1 1		
	Near-misses	Lost days LTI rate Women Men Central Canada	0 0 0	10 See n 0 0	0 ote <sup>(7)</sup> 0 0	1 0	2 0.35 0 1 1 0		

#### **Dream Group of Companies**

Topic	Content	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	
Health & Safety	Prevention and mitigation of occupational health and safety impacts directly linked by business relationships	Safety and Wellbeing Policy and Workplace legal requirements and industry standards monitoring of our Health and Safety progr reviewed and compared to industry standards	ce Violence, Discrimination and Harassment s in jurisdictions where we operate. Dream o am ensures the internal responsibility syster ards and benchmarks. Our results are analy:	policy during their orientation. During orienta ffers many other policies that are available to n is in practice. Incidents and accidents are tr	n and for their intended purpose. Employees are attion, employees are also instructed on how to contemployees at all times and are reviewed with eattacked and analyzed using multiple data inputs. It is common incidents. Joint Health and Safety Coses.	omply with all government and ach employee annually. Consistent Health and safety metrics are	
	Policy commitment to ensure product and service safety	Management's commitment to ongoing hazard assessment is promoted through workplace inspections, incident investigation and corrective actions. All incident reports are reported through the Incident/Injury Report Form available on the company website. During the reporting stage, the supervisor, in coordination with the Health and Safety Coordinator, will assess the scene, determine the root cause and provide an corrective actions that are needed. Management has taken on the responsibility to review all incident reports and review all Health and Safety Committee inspections and minutes.					
Alternative transportation	Dream's corporate head office is in the heart of downtown Toronto, within a five-minute walking supports provided to employees include onsite bike racks, reimbursement for public transit pas		=		es to commuter trains, VIA rail and the Union-Pear	rson Express. Transportation	

Includes permanent part-time employees.
 Includes all employees with a work schedule of 35 hours or greater per week.
 Percentages are based on total head count.

Based on employees at all levels.
 Managers includes Manager level employees and above.

<sup>(6)</sup> Includes Vice Presidents and above.

<sup>(7)</sup> Data is unavailable or not collected for the reporting year.
(8) Executives include: the Chief Responsible Officers of D.R.W., the Chief Executive Officers of D.R.W., and DRR.U., without double counting individuals.

<sup>(10)</sup> The demographic survey results were based on 422 anonymous participants in 2022 and 410 anonymous participants in 2023. Percentages were based on total headcount. Includes employees which selected multiple responses.

(11) Turnover is calculated as an average of percentage of employee headcount across Dream group of companies in noted category.



#### **Environmental**

#### Methodology

#### Organizational Boundary

Dream Unlimited uses the operational control approach for sustainability reporting. Dream Unlimited energy, water, waste and GHG emissions inventory includes assets owned and operated as per the entities control approach. The baseline year for the organization is considered as 2019. Each year energy, GHG emissions, water, waste, building certification and energy rating data is based on the relevant properties with operational control that year unless otherwise stated.

#### **Operational Boundary**

Dream Unlimited measures and reports both scope 1 and 2 GHG emissions related to its activities across its value chain and is working to increase its reporting on Scope 3 emissions. Floor area square footage is based on gross leasable area ("GLA") as at the end of reporting year.

#### **Energy Indicators**

Content		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total fuel consumption <sup>(1)</sup>	ekWh	17,800,629	12,183,260	13,573,394	13,786,087	13,230,960
	Gigajoules	64,082	43,860	48,864	49,630	47,631
	Data coverage (%)	100%	See note <sup>(5)</sup>	See note <sup>(5)</sup>	90%	81%
Total electricity consumption <sup>(1)</sup>	ekWh	13,622,818	9,219,002	11,157,295	12,847,921	13,711,918
	Gigajoules	49,042	33,188	40,166	46,253	49,363
	Data coverage (%)	100%	See note <sup>(5)</sup>	See note <sup>(5)</sup>	98%	96%
Total energy consumption within the organization <sup>(2)</sup>	ekWh	30,105,400	19,760,739	24,730,688	24,572,495	25,085,019 🗸
	Gigajoules	108,379	71,139	89,030	88,461	90,306
	Data coverage (%)	100%	See note <sup>(5)</sup>	See note <sup>(5)</sup>	96%	95%
Total energy consumption outside the organization <sup>(3)</sup>	ekWh	1,336,245	1,641,523	2,517,927	2,061,513	1,857,859
	Gigajoules	4,810	35,962	9,065	7,180	1,858
	Data coverage (%)	100%	See note <sup>(6)</sup>	See note <sup>(5)</sup>	100%	100%
Energy intensity ratio <sup>(4)</sup>	ekWh/sf	57	69	47	44	45

#### **GHG Emissions Indicators**

Content		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Scope 1 GHG emission	tCO <sub>2</sub> e <sup>(2)</sup>	3,326	2,164	2,625	2,506	2,394 🗸
	Data coverage (%)	100%	See note <sup>(5)</sup>	See note <sup>(5)</sup>	86%	81%
Scope 2 GHG emission	tCO <sub>2</sub> e <sup>(2)</sup>	2,105	2,018	1,677	1,821	2,329 🗸
	Data coverage (%)	100%			98%	96%
Total Scope 1 and 2 GHG emissions	tCO <sub>2</sub> e <sup>(2)</sup>	5,431	4,182	4,302	4,327	4,723 🗸
	Data coverage (%)	100%			96%	94%
Scope 3 GHG emission <sup>(3)</sup>	tCO <sub>2</sub> e	169	97	152	250	218
Total Scope 1 and 2 GHG emissions intensity <sup>(4)</sup>	kgCO <sub>2</sub> e/sf <sup>(4)</sup>	6.54	S	- A - (fi)	4.60	4.71
	Data coverage (%)	100%	See r	note <sup>co</sup>	90%	87%
Assets under management aligned with net zero goal <sup>(6)</sup>	Percentage of AUM - Total				72%	52%
	Percentage of AUM - 2035 goal		See note <sup>(5)</sup>		69%	44%
	Percentage of AUM - 2050 goal				3%	8%

#### **Dream Unlimited**

#### **Water Indicators**

Content		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Total volume of water consumption <sup>(2)</sup>	volume of water consumption <sup>(2)</sup> m <sup>3</sup>		30,510	94,092	35,423	52,180 🗸
	Data coverage (%)	100%			73%	88%
Water intensity <sup>(4)</sup>	m³/sf	0.18	See r	See note <sup>(5)</sup>		0.13
Total water withdrawn by portfolio are with data coverage and percer baseline water stress	ntage in regions with high or extremely high	See note <sup>(5)</sup>	<b>3</b> 30.			3%

#### **Waste Indicators**

Content		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Waste to landfill	Tonnes				567	709
Waste diverted	Tonnes				261	293
Total waste generated	Tonnes		See note <sup>(5)</sup>		828	1,002 🗸
	Data Coverage (%)				100%	100%
Waste diversion					32%	29%

#### Other Indicators

Content		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
GLA of Portfolio with Green Building Certification	sf	0	395,000	395,000	395,000	395,000

# Social<sup>[7]</sup>

Topic	Content		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Employee breakdown <sup>(8)</sup>	Permanent <sup>(9)</sup>	Total	201	195	215	247	266
		Men	See note <sup>(5)</sup>	100	109	135	139
		Women	See note <sup>(5)</sup>	95	106	112	127
	Contract	Total	9	10	8	ц	5
		Men	See note <sup>(5)</sup>	5	3	0	1
		Women	See note <sup>(5)</sup>	5	5	ц	4
	Full-time <sup>(10)</sup>	Total	205	202	220	248	265
		Men	See note <sup>(5)</sup>	103	110	134	139
		Women	See note <sup>(5)</sup>	99	110	114	126
	Part-time	Total	5	3	3	3	6
		Men	See note <sup>(5)</sup>	2	2	1	1
		Women	See note <sup>(5)</sup>	1	1	2	5
Diversity breakdown <sup>(11)</sup>	Employees <sup>(12)</sup>	Women	50%	49%	50%	46%	48%
		Men	50%	51%	50%	54%	52%
	Managers <sup>(13)</sup>	Women	41%	35%	41%	37%	42%
		Men	59%	65%	59%	63%	58%
	Senior Management <sup>(14)</sup>	Women		<b>N/A</b> <sup>(6)</sup>		35%	43%
		Men		,		65%	57%
	Executive Team <sup>(15)</sup>	Women	44%	43%	25%	50%	50%
		Men	56%	57%	75%	50%	50%
	DRM Board of Directors	Women	50%	50%	50% <sup>(16)</sup>	50%	50%
		Men	50%	50%	50% <sup>(16)</sup>	50%	50%
New hires & turnover rates	New Hires	Total			61	91	57
		Women			33	44	31
		Men			28	47	26
		Age <35	See i	note <sup>(5)</sup>	40	55	37
		Age 35 - 54			20	32	18
		Age >54			1	4	2
		Central and Eastern Canada			37	63	40
		Western Canada			14	26	14
		United States	See i	note <sup>(5)</sup>	9	1	2
		Europe		,	1	1	1
	Voluntary turnover rate <sup>(17)</sup>	Total	26%	15%		19%	20%
		Women			11%	25%	22%
		Men			7%	13%	19%
		Age <35			11%	21%	27%
		Age 35 - 54	See i	note <sup>(5)</sup>	6%	14%	15%
		Age >54			1%	29%	5%
		Central and Eastern Canada	_		14%	21%	24%
		Western Canada			4%	17%	13%
		United States	See I	note <sup>(5)</sup>	0%	0%	10%
		Europe			0%	0%	20%

Topic	Content		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023			
Employee training and development	Tuition fees		\$252,207	\$265,629	\$221,004	\$28,035	\$146,968			
(CAD)	Information on programs supporting degree programs and certifications for all employees		per calendar year, as well as reimbursement for	Dream supports the achievement of degree programs and certifications for all employees through providing time off and financial support. We provide up to \$2,500 for tuition reimbursement and \$500 for textbook per calendar year, as well as reimbursement for professional designation fees. Dream is also a CPA Ontario Training Employer that allow students in the CPA program to satisfy all their CPA Practical Experience Requirements while working here. For more information see the following:						
			DRM Management Information Circular 7.							
Health & Safety <sup>(18)</sup>	Lost-time injuries	Women					1			
		Men								
	Central Canada					0				
		Western Canada		See no	ote <sup>(5)</sup>	(6)				
		Injury type(s)								
	Lost days				2					
		LTI rate					\$28,035 \$146,968  o \$2,500 for tuition reimbursement and \$500 for textbooks A program to satisfy all their CPA Practical Experience  1 0 0 1 Slip and fall 2 0.41  0 Near misses 0 ealth, Safety and Wellbeing Policy and Workplace irrements and industry standards in jurisdictions where we internal responsibility system is in practice. Incidents and and an action plan is developed to mitigate common  njury Report Form available on the company website.			
Ne	Near-misses	Women								
		Men			1					
		Central Canada		See no	sto (5)		1			
		Western Canada		See no	ote ·		0			
		Injury type(s)					Near misses			
		Lost days					2 0.41 0 1 1 1 Near misses 0 Near misses o iety and Wellbeing Policy and Workplace and industry standards in jurisdictions where we esponsibility system is in practice. Incidents and ction plan is developed to mitigate common overt Form available on the company website.			
	Prevention and mitigation of occupational health and safety impacts directly linked by business relationships	Dream encourages all employees to promote health, safety and wellbeing in the workplace. We all must comply with laws, as written and for their intended purpose. Employees are first introduced to the Health, Safety and Wellbeing Policy and Workplace Violence, Discrimination and Harassment policy during their orientation. During orientation, employees are also informed on their rights and instructed on how to comply with all government and legal requirements and industry standards in jurisdictions where we operate. Dream offers many other policies that are available to employees at all times and are reviewed with each employee annually. Consistent monitoring of our Health and Safety program ensures the internal responsibility system is in practice. Incidents and accidents are tracked and analyzed using multiple data inputs. Health and safety metrics are reviewed and compared to industry standards and benchmarks on an annual basis. Our results are analyzed, and an action plan is developed to mitigate common incidents. Joint Health and Safety Committees/Health and Safety Representatives review incident reports as well as establish and promote a safe work culture by holding regular meetings at our offices.								
	Policy commitment to ensure product and service safety	During the reporting stage, the supervisor, in a	ent to ongoing hazard assessment is promoted through workplace inspections, incident investigation and corrective actions. All incident reports are reported through the Incident/Injury Report Form available on the company website ge, the supervisor, in coordination with the Health and Safety Manager, will assess the scene, determine the root cause and provide any corrective actions that are needed. Management has taken on the responsibility to review all incital than a safety Committee inspections and minutes.							
Alternative transportation			g distance from both King and Queen subway stateses (only for director-level employees and above,			oyees to commuter trains, VIA rail and the U	Inion-Pearson Express. Transportation			
Tenant Surveys	Conduct tenant/resident satisfaction surveys	To ensure tenant / resident satisfaction, Dream	n intends to regularly conducts surveys. Questions	ns include sustainability content; respon	se rate and scores are tracked.					

#### Governance

Торіс	Content		2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	
Local spend & taxes (CAD)	As real estate owners, managers and developers, DRM understands the importance of taxes in creating value and contributing to the Canadian economy. Dream entities are subject to a range of federal, provincial and municipal taxes, fees, charges and levies. Below we summarize the collective amounts paid in the normal course of operations.							
	Income taxes <sup>(19)</sup>		\$107,798,000	\$91,286,000	\$125,329,00	\$119,109,000	\$84,745,000	
		and owned property, school taxes, provincial/ cy registration taxes paid on the purchase of real	\$88,893,528	\$7,437,000	\$18,668,000	\$14,239,000	\$11,607,000	
	Development and other charges Deve the cost of municipal services installe	lopment charges/fees paid, building permits, levies and d	\$35,108,236	\$65,423,000	\$88,869,000	\$93,570,000	\$52,733,000	
	People taxes Various payroll taxes inc government health costs	luding government pension, employment insurance,	\$5,174,049	\$2,734,000	\$2,450,000	\$3,847,000	\$3,758,000	
Whistleblower program	Number of whistleblower reports rece	ived	0	0	0	0	0	
Conflicts of interest	Section 4 of the Charter of Expectation covered as a legitimate concern for which public, which disclosure practices are management information circular on a conflict of interest, the applicable defined the conflict of section in the conflict of section in the conflict of the conflict	nterest", which sets out guidelines for directors and employees in sor Directors further requires directors to bring to the attention histleblowing, see page 1. In respect of disclosure of conflicts or everseen by DRM's Disclosure Committee. In addition, in respectors-board memberships, annual evaluation of cross-board meirector or employee would need to disclose same to the applications with related parties (and related amounts, description of MDSA.	ion of the chair of a board or committe f interest, DRM's Disclosure Policy des ect of: (i), DRM discloses cross-board m emberships regarding interlocks, and n ble internal Dream entity (but not to e:	ee meeting any conflict of interest that they is cribes disclosure controls and procedures to nemberships in the Management Information related approach to conflict of interest prevo external stakeholders) in accordance with DR	dentify, amongst other matters. DRM's Whistle o ensure that DRM complies with all legal and re o Circular, see pages 11-18. Also see "Areas of In ention and assessment; (ii) DRM does not disclo M's Code of Conduct (see above); (iii) controllin	eblower Policy also includes conflicts of i egulatory requirements in respect of disc nterlocking Directorships and Other Publ ose crossshareholding with suppliers, ho ng shareholders of DRM are disclosed in	nterest as one of the matters that is closure of information to the general ic Company Boards" at pages 26-17 of wever should any shareholdings generate the Management Information Circular,	
Processes to remediate negative impacts	Grievance mechanisms	(1) The whistleblower policy establishes a procedure concern (fraud, error, deficiency, etc. in respect of in Breach of Code of Conduct"; (2) the Workplace Viole engaging in DRM's business, activities or social even includes reporting anonymously through the service at meetings of shareholders.	nternal reporting controls or financial of ence and Harassment Policy provides of tts; (3) the Code of Conduct at section	data). An independent service provider is awall workers with the guidelines to report any "Compliance and Reporting" requires repor	ailable to receive and manage concerns and co concerns regarding workplace violence or hard ting of any situation or incident that goes agai	omplaints, as well as other internal resou assment. This policy applies to all activiti inst the Code of Conduct, and sets out th	rces - see "Reporting a Violation or es that occur on premises or while ne mechanism for such reporting which	
Mechanisms for seeking advice and raising concerns	J	nduct. An annual email is sent to employees requiring an attest ment that is also available to assist with questions that employe	•	by each employee, and providing that any	questions should be directed to the human reso	ources department (People and Culture)	. The Dream Group of Companies also	

- (1) Includes data from assets: Distillery District, Broadview Hotel, Gladstone Hotel and Arapahoe Basin Ski Resort since their acquisition.
- (2) Includes data from assets: Distillery District and Arapahoe Basin Ski Resort.
- (3) Includes data from assets: Broadview Hotel and Gladstone Hotel.
- (4) Includes data from assets: Distillery District.
- (5) Indicator was not tracked during this period.
- (6) As at December 31, 2023. "Assets under management ("AUM")" is the respective carrying value of gross assets managed by the Company's proportionate share of the investment's total assets without duplication. Assets under management is a measure of success against the competition and consists of growth or decline due to asset appreciation, changes in fair market value, acquisitions, operations gains and losses, and inflows and outflows of capital. Please refer to our Annual Report for more information.
- (7) Includes employees employees employees on leaves of absence (e.g., permanent disability, long-term disability, parental leave) interns and DRR.U employees of Dream European Advisors B.V., Dream US Manager LLC). Does not include employees on leaves of absence (e.g., permanent disability, long-term disability, parental leave) interns and DRR.U employees of Dream European Advisors B.V., Dream US Manager LLC).
- (8) Numbers represented as total headcount, not full-time equivalent (9) Includes permanent part-time employees.
- (10) Includes all employees with a work schedule of 35 hours or greater per week.
- (11) Percentages are based on total head count.
- (12) Based on employees at all levels.
- (13) Managers includes Manager level employees and above. (14) Includes Vice Presidents and above.
- (15) Executives include: the Chief Responsible Officer and Chief Financial Officer of DRM.
- (16) The value has been restated as a result of improved data quality.
- (17) Turnover is calculated as a percentage of average employee headcount in noted category.
- (18) Dream began collecting and disclosing health and safety data at company level as of January 1, 2023.
- (19) The amount reported in 2023 includes payments of \$13,704,500 made by the Company in February 2024 for 2022 income taxes payable). Please refer to Annual Reports for more details.

# Global Reporting Initiative (GRI) Content Index

GRI Material Topics	Disclosure	Information and/or Linked Resources	<b>Location/Section</b> (if included in the body of the report)
GRI 1: Foundation 2021			About This Report on page 4
GRI 2: General Disclosures	GRI 2-1 Organizational details		About This Report on page 4 About Dream Unlimited Corp. on page 45
	GRI 2-2 Entities included in the organization's sustainability reporting		About This Report on page 4
	GRI 2-3 Reporting period, frequency and contact point		About This Report on page 4
	GRI 2-4 Restatements of information		About This Report on page 4
	GRI 2-5 External assurance		About This Report on page 4
	GRI 2-7 Employees		Social on page 23-30 and 55 -58 Supplemental Disclosures on page 65,66 and 70
	GRI 2-9 Governance structure and composition	Please see page 35 in the March 2024 Annual Information Form 7 and page 27 in the April 2024 Annual Meeting Notice and Management Information Circular 7.	Governance on page 59
	GRI 2-10 Nomination and selection of the highest governance body	Dream Unlimited is a public entity and its board of directors are elected yearly by the entity's shareholders or unitholders. Board is responsible for establishing its committees. Please refer to Governance, Environmental and Nominating Committee Charter 7.	Governance on page 59
	GRI 2-11 Chair of the highest governance body	Please see page 33 in the March 2024 Annual Information Form 7 and page 13 in the April 2024 Notice of Annual Meeting of Shareholders and Management Information Circular 7.	Governance on page 59
	GRI 2-12 Role of the highest governance body in overseeing the management of impacts	Governance on page 59	
	GRI 2-13 Delegation of responsibility for managing impacts	Dream Unlimited's board has delegated responsibility for sustainability and ESG matters generally to Governance, Environmental and Nominating Committee 7.  The committee provide oversight of the ESG Executive Committee, which is responsible for adopting the ESG framework, communicating sustainability strategy and commitment across the company and to key external stakeholders. The ESG Executive Committee delegates responsibility of managing portfolio sustainability initiatives including building certifications, energy, water and waste management and monitoring, as well as strategic initiatives. The Sustainability and ESG team meet quarterly with the ESG Executive Committee.	Governance on page 59
	GRI 2-14 Role of the highest governance body in sustainability reporting		Governance on page 59
	GRI 2-15 Conflicts of interest	Dream Unlimited is a public entity and is therefore subject to securities regulations. These regulations require that certain material matters be considered (and, if needed, approved) by the board of directors. Day to day consideration of concerns is otherwise undertaken by management of each entity. Each entity has internal procedures and controls to ensure that material issues are directed to management for consideration. As for critical concerns, we disclose to the general public every material matter that is required to be disclosed in accordance with securities laws. We otherwise do not have a tally or list of critical concerns that are communicated to each board.	Governance on page 59
	GRI 2-16 Communication of critical concerns	Dream Unlimited is a public entity and is therefore subject to securities regulations. These regulations require that certain material matters be considered (and, if needed, approved) by the board of directors or Board of Trustees of each such entity. Day to day consideration of concerns is otherwise undertaken by management of each entity. Each entity has internal procedures and controls to ensure that material issues are directed to management for consideration. As for critical concerns, we disclose to the general public every material matter that is required to be disclosed in accordance with securities laws. We otherwise do not have a tally or list of critical concerns that were communicated to each board.	Governance on page 59
	GRI 2-17 Collective knowledge of the highest governance body	Dream Unlimited in advance of our net zero commitments, we conducted executive engagement on GHG accounting, what net zero means for our business and general ESG emerging trends. In addition, we also completed, in alignment with the TCFD, our first climate change scenario analysis and board training on ESG matters.	Governance on page 59
	GRI 2-18 Evaluation of the performance of the highest governance body	The Governance Committee of Dream Unlimited has been delegated the task of overseeing and assisting management in developing systems and procedures to monitor and track performance on ESG goals, initiatives and commitments. Each governance committee is also tasked with recommending changes to its own committee charter and to its applicable board's mandate, which covers ESG matters. The governance charter of Dream Unlimited recently amended by the board in early 2022 at the recommendation of the governance committee. Such amendments included the expansion of the scope of responsibility of governance committee in respect of ESG matters. Please see the respective charter of the governance committee for further details on ESG scope.	
	GRI 2-19 Remuneration policies	Please see pages 37-58 in the March 2024 Annual Information Form 7 and pages 37, 41-82 in the April 2024 Notice of Annual Meeting of Shareholders and Management Information Circular 7. In respect of ESG objectives and performance, the Organization Design and Culture Committee, which was delegated with reviewing and making recommendations on executive compensation to the Board, must consider the achievement of any applicable ESG goals in making such recommendations (see Organization Design and Culture Committee Charter 7. at s. 11.)	
	GRI 2-20 Process to determine remuneration	Compensation is discussed in applicable sections of Notice of Annual Meeting of Shareholders and Management Information Circular 7.	
	GRI 2-27 Compliance with laws and regulations	No material instances of non-compliance with laws and regulations were identified during the reporting period.	

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GRI 2: General Disclosures	GRI 2-28 Membership associations	<ul> <li>Building Owners and Managers Association (BOMA) Canada</li> <li>REALPAC</li> <li>International Council of Shopping Centres (ICSC)</li> <li>Building Industry and Land Development Association (BILD)</li> <li>City of Toronto Green Will Initiative</li> <li>NAIOP</li> <li>Local Business Improvement Associations</li> <li>Urban Land Institute (ULI)</li> <li>Catalyst member of the Canadian Green Building Council (CaGBC)</li> <li>Global Impact Investing Network (GIIN)</li> <li>Operating Principles for Impact Management (Impact Principles)</li> <li>European Public Real Estate Association (EPRA)</li> <li>Real Estate Council of Alberta (RECA)</li> <li>Saskatchewan Real Estate Council (SREC)</li> <li>Real Estate Council of Ontario (RECO)</li> </ul>	Page 11
	GRI 2-29 Approach to stakeholder engagement		Page 15
GRI 3: Material Topics 2021			
GRI 302: Energy 2016	GRI 302-1 Energy consumption within the organization	<ul> <li>a. Total fuel consumption within the organization from non-renewable sources, in joules or multiples, and including fuel types used. Dream Unlimited reports the quantity of fuel combustion (natural gas, propane, diesel and gasoline) and purchased electricity sources. Absolute and Like-for-Like energy disclosed in the tables are reported in kilowatt-hours equivalent (ekWh), and energy intensity is reported in kilowatt-hours equivalent per sf of GLA ekWh/sf.</li> <li>b. Total fuel consumption within the organization from renewable sources, in joules or multiples, and including fuel types used: Not applicable.</li> <li>c. In joules, watt-hours or multiples, the total: i. electricity consumption: Electricity is used for lighting, heating, cooling and powering purposes in the assets. ii. heating consumption: Natural gas is used for heating and hot water purposes in the assets.</li> <li>d. In joules, watt-hours or multiples, the energy total: Dream Unlimited currently does not sell any energy.</li> <li>e. Total energy consumption within the organization, in joules or multiples: Energy consumption is disclosed in ekWh and GJ.</li> <li>f. Standards, methodologies, assumptions, and/or calculation tools used: Same as GRI 305.</li> <li>g. Source of the conversion factors used: Same as GRI 305.</li> </ul>	Dream Unlimited Page 49 Supplemental Disclosures Page 68
	GRI 302-2 Energy consumption outside the organization	<ul> <li>a. Total fuel consumption outside the organization from non-renewable sources, in joules or multiples, and including fuel types used.         Dream Unlimited reports the quantity of fuel combustion (natural gas, propane, diesel and gasoline) and purchased electricity sources. Absolute energy disclosed in the tables are reported in kilowatt-hours equivalent (ekWh), and energy intensity is reported in kilowatt-hours equivalent per sf of GLA ekWh/sf.     </li> <li>b. Total fuel consumption outside the organization from renewable sources, in joules or multiples, and including fuel types used: Not applicable.</li> </ul>	
		c. In joules, watt-hours or multiples, the total:	
		i. electricity consumption: Electricity is used for lighting, heating, cooling and powering purposes in the assets.	
		<ul> <li>ii. heating consumption: Natural gas is used for heating and hot water purposes in the assets.</li> <li>d. In joules, watt-hours or multiples, the energy total: Dream Unlimited currently does not sell any energy.</li> </ul>	
		e. Total energy consumption outside the organization, in joules or multiples: Energy consumption is disclosed in ekWh and GJ.	
		f. Standards, methodologies, assumptions, and/or calculation tools used: Same as GRI 305.	
		g. Source of the conversion factors used: Same as GRI 305.	
	GRI 302-3 Energy intensity		
	GRI 302-4 Reduction of energy consumption		
GRI 303: Water and Effluents 2018	GRI 303-1 Interactions with water as a shared resource		Dream Unlimited Page 49 Supplemental Disclosures Page 69
	GRI 303-5 Water consumption	<ul> <li>a. Total water consumption from all areas in cubic meters: See table on water consumption. Water intensity in the tables is reported in cubic meters per square foot m3/sf.</li> <li>b. Total water consumption from all areas with water stress in megaliters: Please refer to Supplemental Disclosures.</li> <li>c. Change in water storage in megaliters, if water storage has been identified as having a significant water-related impact: Not applicable.</li> <li>d. Any contextual information necessary to understand how the data have been compiled, such as any standards, methodologies, and assumptions used, including whether the information is calculated, estimated, modeled, or sourced from direct measurements, and the approach taken for this, such as the use of any sector-specific factors: Dream Unlimited uses GRI standards and the operational control approach for collection of water consumption data. Water consumption is taken directly from utility or municipality or service providers water invoices/ data portals.</li> </ul>	

GRI Material Topics	Disclosure	Information and/or Linked Resources					Location/Section (if included in the body of the report)	
GRI 305: Emissions 2016	GRI 305-1 Direct (Scope 1) GHG emissions	from the use of propo	a. Gross direct (Scope 1) GHG emissions in metric tons of CO <sub>2</sub> equivalent: Scope 1 emissions are direct emissions that originate from the use of natural gas for space heating and from the use of propane, diesel, gasoline and natural gas for space heating, recreational vehicles and on-site equipment.					Dream Unlimited Page 49 Supplemental Disclosures Page 68-69
		<ul> <li>b. Gases included in the calculation: Carbon dioxide (CO<sub>2</sub>), methane (CH<sub>μ</sub>), nitrous oxide gases (N<sub>2</sub>O).</li> <li>c. Biogenic CO<sub>2</sub> emissions in metric tons of CO<sub>2</sub> equivalent: Dream Unlimited does not report on biogenic CO<sub>2</sub>.</li> </ul>						
		<ul> <li>a. Biogenic CO<sub>2</sub> emissions in metric tons of CO<sub>2</sub> equivalent: Dream Unlimited does not report on biogenic CO<sub>2</sub>.</li> <li>b. Base year for the calculation, if applicable, including: 2019 is the base year for Dream Unlimited.</li> </ul>						
		e. Source of the emission factors and the global warming potential (GWP) rates used: For emission factors:						
		c. Goding of the chinade						
			2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	
		Natural Gas	2022 National Inventory Report, 1990–2020 published by ECCC - Canada	2020 National Inventory Report, 1990–2018 published by ECCC - Canada	2021 National Inventory Report, 1990–2019 published by ECCC - Canada	2022 National Inventory Report, 1990–2020 published by ECCC - Canada	2023 National Inventory Report, 1990–2021 published by ECCC - Canada	
			2022 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory	2021 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory	2021 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory	2022 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory	2024 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory	
		Propane, Diesel and Gasoline	2022 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory	2021 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory	2021 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory	2022 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory	2024 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory	
		For Global Warming Potential: IPCC Fourth Assessment Report  f. Consolidation approach for emissions; whether equity share, financial control or operational control: Operational control.  g. Standards, methodologies, assumptions, and/or calculation tools used: All emissions and energy consumption calculation methodologies are based on The Greenhouse Gas Protocol						
	GRI 305-2 Indirect (Scope 2) GHG emissions	-A Corporate Accounting and Reporting Standard (Revised Version –March 2004).  s a. Energy indirect (Scope 2) GHG emissions: Scope 2 emissions are indirect emissions from purchased electricity that is consumed at the site.						Dream Unlimited Page 49 Supplemental Disclosures Page 68-69
	Okt 000 2 maneet (000pe 2) Offic emissions	<ul> <li>a. Energy indirect (Scope 2) GHG emissions: Scope 2 emissions are indirect emissions from purchased electricity that is consumed at the site.</li> <li>b. If applicable, gross market-based energy indirect (Scope 2) GHG emissions in metric tons of CO<sub>2</sub> equivalent: Scope 2 emissions are calculated based on the emission factors associated with electricity. Where market-based emission factors are available, additional disclosures are added.</li> </ul>						
		If available, the gases included in the calculation: Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ), methane (CH <sub>4</sub> ), nitrous oxide gases (N <sub>2</sub> O)						
		c. Base year for the calculation, if applicable, including: 2019 is the base year.						
		d. Source of the emission	n factors and the global warming p	ootential (GWP) rates used or a re	ference to the GWP source:			
			2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	
		Electricity	2022 National Inventory Report, 1990–2020 published by ECCC - Canada	2020 National Inventory Report, 1990–2018 published by ECCC - Canada	2021 National Inventory Report, 1990–2019 published by ECCC - Canada	2022 National Inventory Report, 1990–2020 published by ECCC - Canada	2023 National Inventory Report, 1990–2021 published by ECCC - Canada	
			2022 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory and Supplier provided emission factors	2021 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory and Supplier provided emission factors	2021 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory and Supplier provided emission factors	2022 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory and Supplier provided emission factors	2024 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory and Supplier provided emission factors	
		Propane, Diesel and Gasoline	2022 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory	2021 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory	2021 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory	2022 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory	2024 US Environmental Protection Agency's emission factors for GHG Inventory	
		IPCC Fourth Assessment Report is used for Global Warming Potential  e. Consolidation approach for emissions; whether equity share, financial control or operational control.  f. Standards, methodologies, assumptions, and/or calculation tools used: All emissions and energy consumption calculation methodologies are based on The Greenhouse Gas Protocol						
			nd Reporting Standard (Revised Ve			· ·		

GRI Material Topics	Disclosure	Information and/or Linked Resources	Location/Section (if included in the body of the report)
GRI 305: Emissions 2016	GRI 305-3 Other indirect (Scope 3) GHG emissions	c. Gross other indirect (Scope 3) GHG emissions in metric tons of CO <sub>2</sub> equivalent: Dream Unlimited's Scope 3 emissions were calculated based on emissions from category 13 (downstream leased assets) third-party managed assets. The methodology is the same as the one used to calculate Scope 1 and Scope 2 emissions as mentioned in 305-1 and 305-2	Dream Unlimited Page 49 Supplemental Disclosures Page 68-69
		d. If available, the gases included in the calculation: Carbon dioxide (CO <sub>2</sub> ), methane (CH <sub>4</sub> ), nitrous oxide gases (N <sub>2</sub> O)	
		e. Biogenic CO <sub>2</sub> emissions in metric tons of CO <sub>2</sub> equivalent: Dream Unlimited does not calculate biogenic CO <sub>2</sub> emissions	
		f. Other indirect (Scope 3) GHG emissions categories and activities included in the calculation: None	
		g. Base year for the calculation, if applicable, including: Same as GRI 305-1 and GRI 305-2	
		h. Source of the emission factors and the global warming potential (GWP) rates used, or a	
		i. Reference to the GWP source: Same as GRI 305-1 and GRI 305-2	
		j. Standards, methodologies, assumptions, and/or calculation tools used: Same as GRI 305-1 and GRI 305-2	'
	GRI 305-4 GHG emissions intensity		Dream Unlimited Page 49 Supplemental Disclosures Page 68-69
GRI 306: Waste 2020	related impacts	a. Total weight of hazardous waste, with a breakdown by the following disposal methods where applicable: Not applicable	Dream Unlimited Page 50
		b. Total weight of non-hazardous waste, with a breakdown by the following disposal methods where applicable: See total waste generated	Supplemental Disclosures Page 69
	GRI 306-3 Waste generated	c. How the waste disposal method has been determined:	
	GRI 306-4 Waste diverted from disposal	Dream Unlimited uses operational control approach to collect waste data. Generally, waste data is collected directly from waste hauler reports and third-party waste audit reports	
GRI 401: Employment 2016	GRI 401-1 New employee hires and employee turnover		Supplemental Disclosures Page 70
GRI 403: Occupational Health and Safety 2018	GRI 403-2 Types of injury and rates of injury, occupational diseases, lost days, and absenteeism, and number of work- related fatalities		Supplemental Disclosures Page 71
GRI 404: Training and Education 2016	GRI 404-2 Programs for upgrading employee skills and transition assistance programs		Social page 25
	GRI 404-3 Percentage of employees receiving regular performance and career development reviews		Supplemental Disclosures Page 66 & 71
GRI 405: Diversity and Equal Opportunity 2016	GRI 405-1 Diversity of governance bodies and employees		Social Page 28-30 Dream Unlimited Page 55 Supplemental Disclosures Page 70

# Sustainability Accounting Standards Board (SASB) Real Estate Standard

Code	Accounting Metric	Location/Section (if included in the body of the report)
SASB IF-RE-000.A Number of assets	Number of assets	Dream Unlimited Page 45
SASB IF-RE-000.B Leasable floor area	Leasable floor area	Dream Unlimited Page 45
SASB IF-RE-000.D Average occupancy rate	Average occupancy rate	<u>Dream Unlimited Annual Report</u> → Page 21-23
SASB IF-RE-130a.1 Energy Management	Percentage of total floor area with energy consumption data coverage	Supplemental Disclosures Page 68
SASB IF-RE-130a.2 Energy Management	(1) Total energy consumed by portfolio area with data coverage, (2) percentage grid electricity, and (3) percentage renewable, by property subsector	Supplemental Disclosures Page 68
SASB IF-RE-130a.3 Energy Management	Percentage change of like-for-like energy consumption compared to previous year	Dream Unlimited Page 49
SASB IF-RE-130a.5 Energy Management	Description of how building energy management considerations are integrated into property investment analysis and operational strategy	Dream Unlimited Page 51-54
SASB IF-RE-140.a.1 Water Management	Percentage of total floor area with water consumption data coverage	Dream Unlimited Page 51-54 Supplemental Disclosures Page 68
SASB IF-RE-140a.2 Water Management	Total water withdrawn by portfolio area with data coverage and percentage in regions with High or Extremely High Baseline Water Stress	Dream Unlimited Page 51-54 Supplemental Disclosures Page 68
SASB IF-RE-140a.3 Water Management	Like-for-like percentage change in water withdrawn for portfolio area compared to previous year	Dream Unlimited Page 49
SASB IF-RE-140a.4 Water Management	Description of water management risks and Discussion of strategies and practices to mitigate those risks	Dream Unlimited Page 51-54 Supplemental Disclosures Page 68
SASB IF-RE-450a.1 Climate Change Adaptation	Number of properties and associated floor area located in 50,100, 200 and 500-year flood zones	Dream Unlimited Page 50
SASB IF-RE-450a.2 Climate Change Adaptation	Description of climate change risk exposure analysis, degree of systematic portfolio exposure, and strategies for mitigating risks	Dream Unlimited Page 60-62

# Task Force for Climate-related Financial Disclosures (TCFD) Recommendations

Category	Recommendations	Information and/or Linked Resources	Location/Section (if included in the body of the report)
Governance	a. Describe the board's oversight of climate-related risks and opportunities	For further information see charter: Dream Unlimited Governance and Nominating Committee Charter	Dream Unlimited Page 59
	b. Describe management's role in assessing and managing climate- related risks and opportunities		Dream Unlimited Page 59-60
Strategy	Describe the climate-related risks and opportunities the organization has identified over the short, medium, and long term		Dream Group of Companies Governance Page 37-41 Dream Unlimited Page 60
	b. Describe the impact of climate-related risks and opportunities on the organization's businesses, strategy, and financial planning		Dream Group of Companies Governance Page 37-41 Dream Unlimited Page 60
Risk Management	a. Describe the organization's processes for identifying and assessing climate-related risks		Dream Group of Companies Governance Page 37-41 Dream Unlimited Page 60
	b. Describe the organization's processes for managing climate-related risks		Dream Group of Companies Governance Page 37-41 Dream Unlimited Page 60
	c. Describe how processes for identifying, assessing, and managing climate-related risks are integrated into the organization's overall risk management		Dream Group of Companies Governance Page 37-41 Dream Unlimited Page 60
Metrics and Targets	Disclose the metrics used by the organization to assess climate- related risks and opportunities in line with its strategy and risk management process		Dream Group of Companies Governance Page 37-41 Dream Unlimited Page 60
	b. Disclose Scope 1, Scope 2 and, if appropriate, Scope 3 greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions and the related risks		Dream Unlimited Page 49 Supplemental Disclosures Page 68
	c. Describe the targets used by the organization to manage climate- related risks and opportunities and performance against targets		Dream Unlimited Page 49 Supplemental Disclosures Page 68

# Forward-looking Information

Certain information in this Sustainability Report may constitute "forward-looking information" within the meaning of applicable securities legislation. Such statements include, but are not limited to, statements with respect to certain objectives of Dream Unlimited Corp. ("Dream Unlimited"), Dream Office Real Estate Investment Trust ("Dream Industrial Real Estate Investm Residential Real Estate Investment Trust ("Dream Residential REIT" and, collectively with Dream Unlimited, Dream Industrial REIT and Dream Impact, "Dream or the "Dream Entities" and, in respect of forward-looking statements indicated below to apply to a specific Dream Entity, "our" refers to such Dream Entity) and strategies to achieve such objectives; the sustainability goals of each of the Dream Entities or any of their properties, including their respective net zero greenhouse gas emissions ("GHG") targets, net zero operational carbon goals, total embodied carbon goals, and commitments and goals of continuing to publish sustainability reports and other publications in respect of sustainability matters, and benefits to be derived therefrom; the belief that Dream's business can create positive and measurable impacts on people and the planet, create new business opportunities and deliver stakeholder value; the intention to communicate certain of the Dream Entities' strategies and progress to achieve their net zero and sustainability goals, to maintain stakeholder engagement and to build on stakeholder feedback and use it to improve our business through certain initiatives; Dream's capacity to address environmental, social and governance ("ESG") challenges while delivering returns; the expectation that there will be an increase in ESG regulations and evolvement of ESG best practices and that parts of our business may be affected; our intention to monitor the regulatory environment, trends and investor requirements in respect of ESG matters; goals regarding limiting emissions from existing properties and developments, including regarding our net zero GHG developments, and related GHG reduction targets and project characteristics; the intention that all projects in our development pipeline will be net zero; the value of Dream's net zero development pipeline; the expectation that the projected value of net zero communities will help us realize economies of scale, attract financing and generate returns for investors; our continued pursuit of additional renewal energy program opportunities; our intention to learn from initiatives related to reducing embodied carbon and to optimize our strategy; our efforts to mitigate transition risk, including continuing to monitor of our exposure to transition risks and align with Task Force on Climate-Related Financial Disclosures ("TCFD") recommendations; our continued enhancement of our climate reporting to align with best practice climate standards; expectations, goals, implementation, and commitments in respect of Dream's Net Zero Action Plan, and resulting benefits, including contributing to our resiliency, fostering innovation and collaboration, and increasing asset value; the forward-looking plans to deliver strategy and implementation on our Net Zero Action Plan with respect to baselining, roadmapping, execution and oversight; expectations and goals in respect of our portfolio roadmaps to net zero, including their expected benefits and uses, as well as the respective individual goals under the Net Zero Action Plan for each Dream Entity; the expected benefits to result from investing in net zero initiatives, including the impact on people and delivery of returns to our investors; our belief that our performance will generate profits and have positive effects on people and the planet; expectations regarding market trends and corporate emission reduction commitments, including the resulting increase in tenant demand for low carbon spaces; our capacity to identify and transfer, mitigate or manage certain risks, including climate change risk, and to assess, and increase our resiliency in respect of, climate change, the risk management plans of each Dream Entity, and expected benefits therefrom; our capacity to manage and operate our buildings efficiently, including in respect of reducing energy and water consumption, and expected benefits therefrom; the conduct of flood and catastrophic risk assessment; the establishment of climate-related strategies for different property asset types and regions; Dream's charitable commitments and activities; employee engagement and development forward-looking plans; diversity, inclusion and advancement forward-looking plans; health and safety forward-looking plans; volunteer and giving forward-looking plans; risk management forward-looking plans; the aim of our data governance program to strengthen our data privacy oversight; the cybersecurity and information governance forward-looking plans; our boards' target for women to comprise a minimum of 30% of directors or trustees; our intention to conduct board or committee-level education sessions; expectations regarding portfolio occupancy, affordability of units, number of units, number of units, number of units, and purpose-built rental units, commercial and retail GLA, and the development pipeline of the Dream Entities, including in respect of net zero communities. Such statements also include, with respect to Dream Unlimited, Dream Unlimited, Dream Unlimited of the zero CHG emissions by 2035 for operations and new developments, including scope 1, 2 and select scope 3 (operational and development) emissions; Dream Unlimited's AUM targeting net zero GHG emissions by 2035 and 2050; the value of projected net zero communities being developed by Dream Unlimited; Dream Unlimited's target of achieving a 20% reduction in carbon intensity within the net zero boundary by 2025 and a 50% reduction in carbon intensity within the net zero boundary by 2030; Dream Unlimited's expectation that the sale of Arapahoe Basin will close in 2024; Dream Unlimited's expectations regarding the Quauside project, including net zero GHG emissions and the amount of public forested green space; our energy management and water management commitments, including our strategy and goals per our Energy Policy and Water Conservation Policy; the Social Procurement Strategy 2025 targets; our efforts to mitigate transition risk, including continuing to monitor of our exposure to transition risks and align with TCFD recommendations; our continued enhancement of our climate reporting to align with best practice climate standards; the use of asset-type specific climate risks to develop tactical methodologies for reducing the exposure of portfolio assets to climate perils; and, the expectation that Brightwater will be transformed into a vibrant and diverse community upon completion; and our environmental, social, and governance forward-looking plan.

Forward-looking information generally can be identified by words such as "objective", "may", "will", "would", "estimate", "anticipate", "believe", "could", "seek", "strive", "plan", "target", "project", "scheduled", "potential", "strategy" or "continue" or similar expressions suggesting future outcomes or events. Forward-looking information is based on a number of assumptions and is subject to a number of risks and uncertainties, many of which are beyond the Dream Entities' respective control, which could cause actual results to differ materially from those disclosed in or implied by such forward-looking information. The assumptions, which may prove to be incorrect, include, but are not limited to, assumptions with respect to each of our markets, including the general economy; that no unforeseen changes in the legislative and operating framework for our businesses will occur; that we will meet our future objectives, priorities and growth targets; that we receive the licenses, permits or approvals necessary in connection with our projects; that we will have access to adequate capital to fund our future projects, plans and any potential acquisitions; that we are able to identify high quality investment opportunities and find suitable partners with which to enter into joint ventures or partnerships; that we do not incur any material environmental liabilities; inflation and interest rates will not materially increase beyond current market expectations; our valuation assumptions; availability of equity and debt financing; foreign exchange rates; conditions within the real estate market; and competition for and availability of acquisitions. Although the forward-looking statements contained in this Sustainability Report are based on what the Dream Entities believe are reasonable assumptions, there can be no assurance that actual results will be consistent with these forward-looking statements. Factors or risks that could cause actual results to differ materially from those set forth in the forward-looking statements and information include, but are not limited to, the risk of adverse global market, economic and political conditions and health crises; inflation; risks associated with unexpected or ongoing geopolitical events, including disputes between nations, terrorism or other acts of violence, international sanctions and the disruption of movement of goods and services across jurisdictions; risks related to a potential economic slowdown in certain of the jurisdictions in which we operate and the effect inflation and any such economic slowdown may have on market conditions and lease rates; risks inherent in the real estate industry; risks relating to investment in development projects; impact investing strategy risk; risks relating to geographic concentration; risks inherent in investments in real estate, mortgages and other loans and development and investment holdings; credit risk and counterparty risk; competition risks; environmental and climate change risks; risks relating to access to capital; interest rate risk; the risk of changes in governmental laws and regulations; tax risks; foreign exchange risk; acquisitions risk; and leasing risks.

#### Forward-looking information

All forward-looking information in this Sustainability Report speaks as of the date of this Sustainability Report. None of the Dream Entities undertakes to update any such forward-looking information, whether as a result of new information, future events or otherwise, except as required by applicable law. Additional information about these assumptions and risks and uncertainties is contained in each of Dream Unlimited Corp.'s, Dream Industrial REIT's, Dream Impact's, and Dream Residential REIT's filings with securities regulators, including each Dream Entity's latest annual information form and annual and quarterly management discussion and analysis, which are available on SEDAR+ at www. sedarplus.com under each of the Dream Entities' profiles and incorporated by reference. These filings are also available at Dream Unlimited Corp.'s, Dream Office REIT's, Dream Industrial REIT's, Dream Impact Trust's and Dream Residential REIT's respective websites at www.dream.ca, www.dreamofficereit.ca, www.dreamindustrialreit.ca, www.dreamimpacttrust.ca, and www.dreamresidentialreit.ca.

# Specified Financial Measures and Other Disclosures

In addition to using financial measures determined in accordance with IFRS, we believe that important measures of operating performance include certain financial measures that are not defined under IFRS. Throughout this Sustainability Report, there are references to certain supplementary financial measures included in this Sustainability Report has been incorporated by reference from the management's discussion and analysis of Dream Unlimited for the three months ended March 31, 2024, dated May 14,2024 (the "DRM MD&A for Q1 2024") and can be found under the section "Supplementary and Other Financial Measures - "Assets under management ("AUM")".

The DRM MD&A for Q1 2024 is available on SEDAR+ at www.sedarplus.com under Dream Unlimited Corp.'s profile and on Dream Unlimited's website at www.dream.ca under the Investors section.