# Keppel Capital Virtual Corporate Day

11 May 2021

## **Key Highlights**

Focus on key growth markets driven by tech and innovation

Tech markets of Seattle - Bellevue/Redmond, Austin and Denver contribute ~62% of NPI(1)

Tech-focused tenant composition and industry exposure

>37% tenants from the growing and defensive sectors of tech and healthcare

- Stable income with visible organic growth 91.6% committed occupancy and 2.6% built-in average annual rental escalations
- Robust financial position and healthy aggregate leverage

100% unsecured debt, 37.5% gearing ratio with no long-term debt refinancing requirements until November 2022

Proven resilience through the pandemic Collected ~99% of rent for FY2020 and ~98% of rent for 1Q 2021.





## Magnet Cities for Businesses and Individuals

Majority of KORE's key growth markets are located in cities that researchers have named Super Sun Belt and 18-Hour cities<sup>(1)</sup>



These cities are popular in-migration destinations due to attractive lifestyle, culture and employment opportunities

- ✓ Low or no taxes in most markets
- ✓ GDP, employment and population growth above national average
- ✓ Highly-educated workforce
- ✓ Amenity-rich locations
- ✓ Good infrastructure with lower congestion
- ✓ COVID-accelerated suburban appeal
- → KORE is well poised to capture growth from population migration and suburbanisation trends





- 1) Super Sun Belt Cities include Atlanta, Dallas and Houston; 18-Hour Cities include Austin, Denver and Seattle.
- 2) In the top 20 "Markets to Watch" in 2021 by PwC and ULI.

## RESILIENT INCOME AND **STABLE PERFORMANCE**

Maintained stable financial performance in 1Q 2021.

With US economic recovery apace, KORE is well positioned to continue delivering value.

### ~128,000sf

Leased in 1Q 2021, equivalent to 2.7% of portfolio NLA.

Leasing activities driven mainly by demand from professional services, finance and insurance. and tech.

#### 91.6%

Maintained healthy portfolio committed occupancy in 10 2021.

#### 5.7%

Positive rent reversion driven by rent growth in Seattle -Bellevue/Redmond and Austin.

#### 20.4%

CRI contribution by top 10 tenants represents a very low tenant concentration risk.

Also received 100% of rent due from top 10 tenants throughout FY 2020 and in 1Q 2021.

### US\$14.9m

Distributable income for 10 2021.

3.6% yoy growth in DI was supported by new and expansion leases from the tech hubs of Seattle - Bellevue/Redmond and Denver.

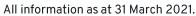
### 3.7 years

Portfolio WALE by cash rental income as at 31 March 2021.

### 2.6%

Built-in average annual rent escalations.

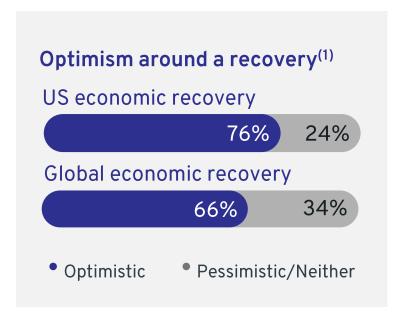




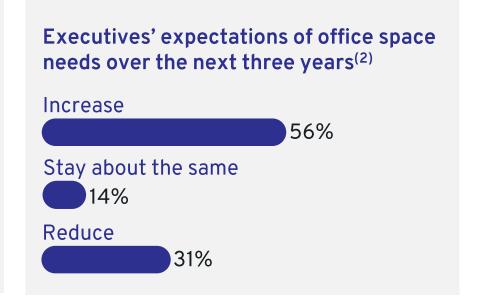
<sup>(1)</sup> NPI includes non-cash items such as straight-line rent and lease incentives adjustment, as well as the amortisation of leasing commissions.

## Gradual Return to the Workplace

The rollout of vaccines is raising confidence in workers returning to the office. Confidence among US business leaders is surging amid expectations of a strong US economic recovery.







The majority of US business leaders are optimistic about the US and global economic recovery.

By December 2021, 91% of executives and 77% of employees anticipate at least half of the office workforce will be back on-site<sup>(2)</sup>.

Most executives expect to need more office space over the next three years due to rising headcount and social distancing needs.

PwC US Pulse Survey of C-Suite executives, March 2021.

<sup>2)</sup> PwC US Remote Work Survey, January 2021. Totals do not add up to 100% due to rounding.

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We place sustainability at the heart of our strategy and are committed to delivering sustainable distributions and strong total returns for Unitholders.



#### **ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP**

In line with Keppel's Vision 2030, we will do our part to combat climate change, and are committed to improving resource efficiency and reducing our environmental impact.



#### **RESPONSIBLE BUSINESS**

The long-term sustainability of our business is driven at the highest level of the organisation through good corporate governance and prudent risk management.



#### **PEOPLE AND COMMUNITY**

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