# 2Q 2019 Earnings Results

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## **Consolidated: Earnings Summary** 2Q 2019

	2Q '18	1Q '19	2Q '19
Reported EPS	\$1.00	\$1.22	\$0.95
Special items:			
Early debt redemption costs	_	_	\$0.28
Pension remeasurement credit	_	(\$0.02)	-
Product realignment charges	\$0.12	_	-
Severance charges	\$0.06	_	-
Acquisition and integration-related charges	\$0.02	_	-
Adjusted EPS*	\$1.20	\$1.20	\$1.23

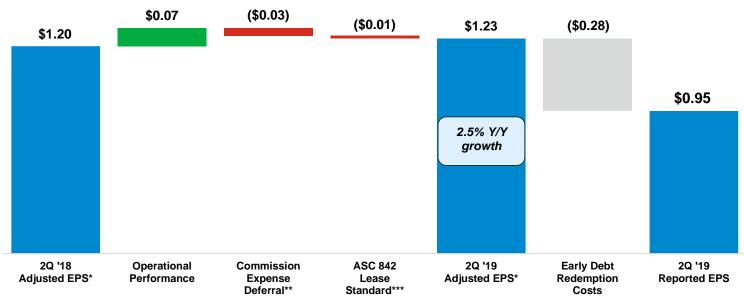
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Year-over-year and sequential increase in adjusted EPS



<sup>\*</sup> Non-GAAP measure.

## **Consolidated: Adjusted EPS** 2Q 2019



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### **Strong earnings performance**



<sup>\*\*</sup> ASC 606 - Revenue Recognition Standard adopted on January 1, 2018.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> ASC 842 - Lease Accounting Standard adopted on January 1, 2019.

### 2Q 2019 Overview

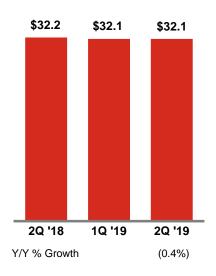
CORE	<ul> <li>Strong 2Q results – wireless service revenue growth and solid EBITDA</li> <li>Growth in net adds and strong customer loyalty</li> <li>Disciplined capital allocation – strong cash flow</li> </ul>
verizon VETWORK	<ul> <li>VZ network continues to top 3<sup>rd</sup> party tests; strengthened mmWave position</li> <li>Nine cities launched on mobile 5G Ultra Wideband; expansion of 5G device portfolio</li> <li>Fiber deployment across 60+ markets out of footprint</li> </ul>
2.0 TRANSFORMATIONS	<ul> <li>First quarter in 2.0 customer-centric operating model</li> <li>Expanding ecosystem partnerships (YouTube TV, NBA)</li> <li>Workforce transformation concluded</li> </ul>

### Transformation to Verizon 2.0 from a position of strength

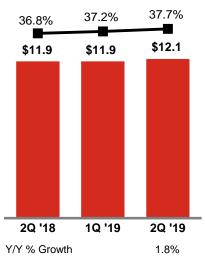


## **Consolidated: Financial Summary** 20 2019





### Adjusted EBITDA (\$B)\*



#### Adjusted EBITDA Margin %\*

#### **Adjusted EPS\***



EPS growth driven by ~\$200M Y/Y increase in adjusted EBITDA



<sup>\*</sup> Non-GAAP measure

## **Consumer: Financial** 2Q 2019

Total revenue of \$22.0B

Wireless service revenue of \$13.5B

- Up 2.5% Y/Y
- Up 0.7% Q/Q

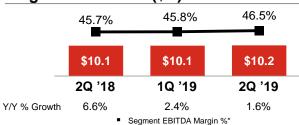
Fios revenue grew 1.2%

Segment EBITDA margin on total revenue of 46.5%\*



Wireline	\$22.0 \$3.2	\$22.1 \$3.1	\$22.0 \$3.1
Wireless	\$18.8	\$19.0	\$18.9
_	2Q '18	1Q '19	2Q '19
Y/Y % Growth	3.4%	2.4%	_

### Segment EBITDA\* (\$B)



Wireless service revenue growth driving strong EBITDA performance



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## **Consumer: Key Metrics** 2Q 2019

#### 6.6M Postpaid device activations

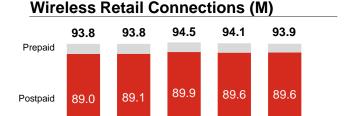
- Gross adds of 2.7M, up 4.1%
- 2Q'19 upgrade rate of 4.3% vs 5.1% in 2Q '18

209K Postpaid smartphone net adds

126K Retail postpaid net adds\*

28K Fios Internet net adds

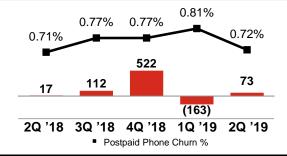
52K Fios Video net losses



#### Wireless Postpaid Phone Net Adds (K)

3Q '18 4Q '18 1Q '19

0.1%



### Consumer wireless volumes higher year-over-year

Y/Y % Growth



<sup>\*</sup> Excludes acquisitions and adjustments.

## **Business: Financial** 2Q 2019

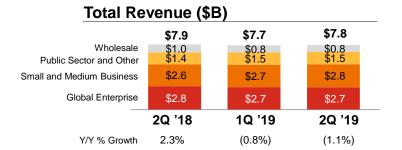
Total revenue of \$7.8B

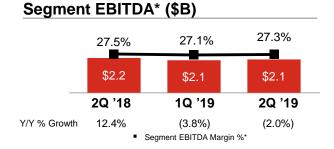
Wireless service revenue of \$2.8B, up 6.1% Y/Y

Wireless revenue up 5.6%

Wireline revenue down 7.6%

Segment EBITDA margin on total revenue of 27.3%\*





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\* Non-GAAP measure

Strong growth in wireless service revenue offsetting secular wireline pressures



## **Business: Key Metrics** 20 2019

#### 2.2M Postpaid device activations

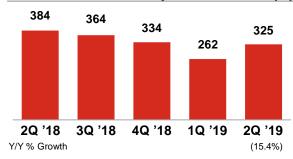
Upgrade rate of 4.2%

24.2M Retail connections

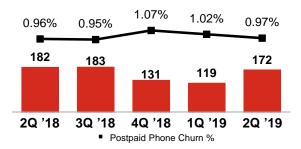
325K Wireless postpaid net adds

172K Wireless postpaid phone net adds

#### Wireless Retail Postpaid Net Adds (K)



### Wireless Retail Postpaid Phone Net Adds (K)



### **Continued strong trends in Business wireless volumes**



## **Verizon Media Group** 2Q 2019

#### Revenue of \$1.8B

- Down 2.9% Y/Y
- Up 4.4% Q/Q

### Focus on Super Channels:

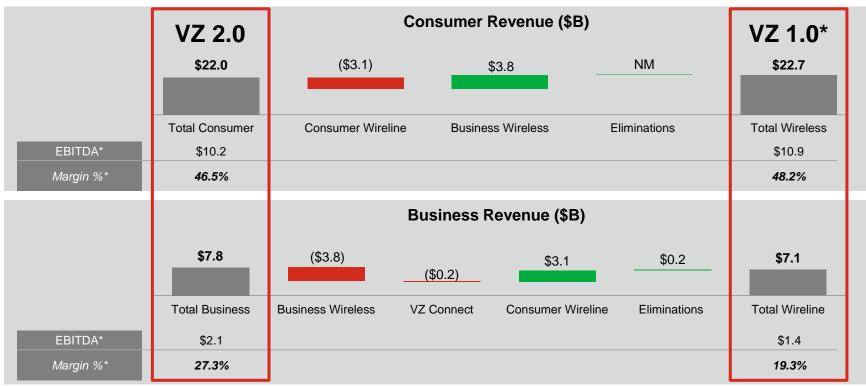
- Launched Yahoo Finance Premium
- Launched HuffPost Plus



### Improving trends in the business



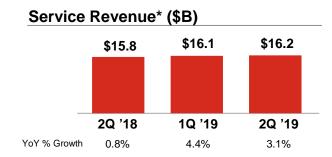
### VZ 2.0 to VZ 1.0 Reconciliation: 2Q '19



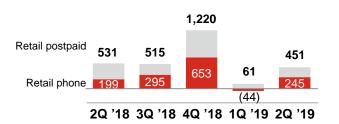
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### **Verizon 1.0: Total Wireless**



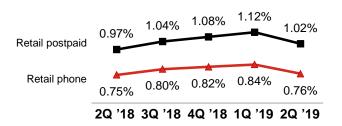
### Net Adds (K)



EBITDA\* (\$B)



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## **Consolidated: Cash Flow Summary**

(\$ in billions)	1H '18	1H '19
Cash flow from operations	\$16.4	\$15.8
Capital expenditures	\$7.8	\$8.0
Free cash flow*	\$8.6	\$7.9
Dividends paid	\$4.8	\$5.0
Total debt	\$114.6	\$113.4
Unsecured Debt	\$106.0	\$102.1
Net unsecured debt to adjusted EBITDA*	2.3x	2.1x

Note: Amounts may not add due to rounding.

Strong cash generation supports capital allocation goals



<sup>\*</sup> Non-GAAP measure.

## **2Q 2019 Summary**

\$ FINANCIALS	<ul> <li>Delivered strong growth in wireless service revenue and EBITDA</li> <li>Strong cash flow generation driven by disciplined capital allocation</li> </ul>
• Customer-driven go-to-market strategy supported by Verizon 2.0 realignment • Seamless transition to new structure	
NETWORK	<ul> <li>Capitalizing on first-mover advantage in 5G</li> <li>Recognition of unparalleled network leadership by third-party data</li> </ul>

### **Strong progress on 2019 strategic priorities**



