

# **REIT Growth and Income Monitor**

## Weekly Comments 12/02/2014

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the S&P 5	00 Index.
Online sal	les trends indicate importance of mobile wireless devices, driving investor interest
in Data Ce	enter REITs and Cell Tower REITs.
DuPont Fa	abros Technology demonstrates sudden growth spurt as capacity is leased-up,
accompar	nied by major dividend increase.
Crown Ca	istle dramatic dividend increase supports the stock following completion
	conversion.

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#### Weekly REIT Comments 12/02/2014

REIT positive performance gap expanded to 14% year to date for 2014, as REITs continued to outperform within the S&P 500 Index. Average gain for all REITs followed by REIT Growth and Income Monitor is now 15% year to date for 2014, exceeding 12% gain for the S&P 500 Index. REIT stocks trailed the S&P 500 Index during 2013, with average gain of 8%.

Most REIT earnings slightly exceeded expectations for 3Q 2014, increasing investor confidence. Health Care REITs, Industrial REITs and Residential REITs all increased guidance, while Office REITs affirmed conservative guidance indicating modest growth for 2014. Health Care REITs continue to rally as Affordable Care Act is implemented, bringing more patient volume for tenants of Health Care REITs. Industrial REITs are gaining occupancy, allowing FFO guidance to increase. Hotel REITs demonstrate positive revenue and margin trends, with stock price performance aided by price decline for oil and gasoline. Most Residential REITs expect strong FFO growth to continue into 2015, still due to tight occupancy and rental rate increases, while portfolio expansion through acquisition and new developments drives long term FFO growth. Performance of Retail REITs should respond to rental rate increases, as well as portfolio expansion and portfolio restructuring sustaining long term FFO growth. Certain Specialty REIT segments, such as Specialty Self-Storage REITs, Specialty Center REITs, with portfolios of timberlands and sawlog mills, have been volatile on news of variable home sales. Investors take a cautious stance for Office REITs, due to exposure to financial industry layoffs and continued rent rolldowns in many urban markets

Investor acceptance of the end to Federal Reserve bond market purchases during October 2014 supports positive outlook for Financial Mortgage REITs, as prices for new issues of agency guaranteed Residential MBS are expected to moderate. Financial Mortgage REITs face significant fundamental change, with debate of Fannie Mae reform legislation likely to be delayed by interim elections. Proposals to liquidate Fannie Mae within 5 years face stiff opposition from Democratic Congressmen and Senators, as industry experts and lobbyists warn recession would follow removal of government support from the housing sector. Profits paid by Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac support the Treasury at a time of fiscal austerity, increasing probability that status quo for Fannie Mae will be maintained through the 2016 Presidential election.

REIT stocks normally perform like interest rate sensitive stocks, although none of the 20 REITs in the S&P 500 Index are actually invested in financial assets. Dividend increases for 2013 and 2014 indicate management confidence in continued FFO growth. As dividend payers, REITs may be viewed as income stocks, attracting investors in need of both consistent income and growth

#### Cell Tower REITs and Data Center REITs Benefit from Growth in Online Sales

Online shopping metrics highlight the importance of online contribution to total retail sales, as integration of online sales with in-store shopping drives more demand for online shopping activity. IBM Digital Analytics reported its real time tracking index of digital shopping showed online sales increased 8% for Cyber Monday, 10% for Black Friday and 14% for Thanksgiving 2014. Another analysis from Forrester shows online sales now represent 14% of total retail sales for November and the first days of December. Growth in "omni-channel" retailing means online sales are now almost fully integrated with instore offerings by major retailers. This trend is confirmed for all retail categories, including apparel, shoes, office supplies, sporting goods, and home improvement, as well as consumer electronics. Mall retailers including JC Penney, Macy's and Sears all now discuss online sales as a key driver for in-store traffic, with dedicated single retailer websites attracting shoppers for discounts and convenience of online purchase, while accepting delivery at local stores to avoid shipping charges. This "omni-channel" trend also helps big box retailers, including Wal-Mart, Target, Best Buy and Staples. Internet mobility adds to demand, as consumers make purchases online from smartphones, tablets and e-readers. Investors seeking to capitalize on these trends may consider Cell Tower REITs and Data Center REITs, as both enjoy phenomenal growth in data transmission rates, driven by the full installed base of mobile Internet devices.

New product introductions are critical to long term growth in demand for both Cell Tower REITs and Data Center REITs. Dramatic new smartphone product introductions from Samsung and Apple in September 2014 should drive unit subscriber growth starting during 4Q 2014, forcing wireless carrier tenants for Cell Tower REITs to continue to invest to expand network coverage and data capacity. Data Center REITs benefit from systems investment and outsourcing by retailers, distributors and manufacturers, all adding capacity for cloud applications to support online sales and service. Growth in penetration of 4G wireless service brings more users for online digital services, including e-commerce. The amount of data consumed by smartphone users increases steadily over time, determining a long term forecast for industry data consumption, showing 10X increase in demand for US digital data services over the next 5 years. Both Cell Tower REITs and Data Center REITs will see more and higher rents as demand increases for online sales and services and as data transmission rates increase intensity of utilization.

#### **Trading Opportunities**

**Crown Castle** sees growth in US revenues driven by dynamic demand for digital media, as well as by new Internet mobile devices and services. With market cap of \$28 billion, **Crown Castle** operates more than 41,000 US wireless cell towers, with international market participation limited to 1,800 towers in Australia. Stock price increased 13% year to date for 2014, once again outperforming the S&P 500 Index, and rebounding since 2015 guidance adjustment clipped (8%) from the stock price during November, 2014. AFFO increased 14% for 3Q 2014, while latest guidance for AFFO indicates growth of 14% for 2014 and 4% for 2015. IRS informally confirmed REIT status with a private letter ruling received in August, 2014. **Crown Castle** paid its first cash dividend in March 2014, then increased the distribution by 134% for 4Q 2014, now providing income investors with 4.3% yield.

Investors should also consider small cap **DuPont Fabros Technology**, with market cap of \$3 billion. As lease-up of recent developments drives rapid FFO growth, the stock traded up 32% year to date for 2014. **DuPont Fabros Technology** owns a portfolio of 12 wholesale data centers delivering 240 megawatts of power leased to the largest Internet service providers, including Google, Facebook, Yahoo! and Microsoft MSN. Portfolio capacity will increase 10% for 2014, while additional expansion plans add 26% long term portfolio capacity increment. FFO for 3Q 2014 increased 18%, while guidance for FFO for 2014 indicates as much as 24% growth. Dividends increased 67% for 2013 and 40% for 2014, now providing dividend yield of 4.3%.

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#### Weekly Price Change for S&P 500 Index REITs

S&P 500 Index RETS:		Price	Price	Price	Price	Price	Price	Weekly	2014
		12/31/2013	10/31/2014	11.07/2014	11/14/2014	11/21/2014	11/28/2014	Price Change	Price Change
American Tower	AMT	\$80	\$98	\$99	\$100	\$102	\$105	3%	32%
Apartment Investment	AIV	\$26	\$36	\$36	\$36	\$37	\$37	1%	44%
AvalonBay Communities	AVB	\$118	\$156	\$157	\$157	\$157	\$161	2%	36%
Boston Properties	BXP	\$100	\$127	\$128	\$126	\$128	\$130	1%	29%
Crown Castle	CCI	\$73	\$78	\$80	\$80	\$82	\$83	2%	13%
Equity Residential	EQR	\$52	\$70	\$69	\$69	\$70	\$71	1%	37%
Essex Property Trust	ESS	\$144	\$202	\$201	\$199	\$200	\$202	1%	41%
General Growth Properties	GGP	\$20	\$26	\$26	\$26	\$26	\$27	2%	33%
НСР	HCP	\$36	\$44	\$43	\$44	\$44	\$45	2%	23%
Health Care REIT	HCN	\$54	\$71	\$71	\$71	\$73	\$74	1%	38%
Host Hotels & Resorts	HST	\$19	\$23	\$23	\$23	\$23	\$23	2%	20%
Kimco Realty	KIM	\$20	\$25	\$25	\$24	\$25	\$25	2%	29%
Macerich	MAC	\$59	\$71	\$68	\$68	\$78	\$79	2%	34%
Plum Creek Timber	PCL	\$47	\$41	\$41	\$40	\$41	\$42	1%	-10%
Prologis	PLD	\$37	\$42	\$41	\$41	\$41	\$42	3%	14%
Public Storage	PSA	\$151	\$184	\$186	\$186	\$185	\$188	1%	25%
Simon Property Group	SPG	\$152	\$179	\$179	\$178	\$178	\$181	1%	19%
Yentas	VTR	\$57	\$69	\$68	\$69	\$70	\$72	3%	25%
Vornado Realty Trust	VND	\$89	\$109	\$109	\$108	\$111	\$112	1%	26%
Weyerhaeuser	WY	\$32	\$34	\$34	\$34	\$34	\$35	3%	12%
5&P 500 Index	S&P 500	\$1,848	\$2,019	\$2,032	\$2,040	\$2,064	\$2,069	0%	12%
Average for S&P 500 Index PETs 2% 26%				26%					

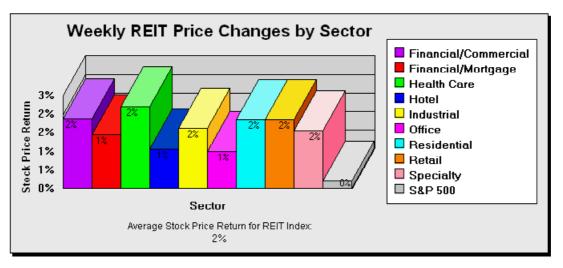
REITs traded higher for the week, gaining 2% during the week ended November 28, 2014. REITs outperformed the S&P 500 Index, trading unchanged for the week, still showing 12% gain year to date for 2014. Positive performance gap for REITs expanded to 14% year to date for 2014. REIT stocks trailed the S&P 500 Index during 2013, with average gain of 8%. Outperformance of REIT stocks reflects investor interest in equity yield alternatives to low bond market returns

Almost all of the 20 S&P 500 Index REITs outperformed the S&P 500 Index year to date for 2014, with 18 of the 20 S&P 500 Index REITs trading up more than 12% gain for the S&P 500 Index during 2014. Only 1 of the S&P 500 Index REITs traded down year to date for 2014. Rally for Residential REITs now includes **Apartment Investment and Management** up 44%, **AvaIonBay Communities** up 36%, **Equity Residential** up 37% and **Essex Property Trust** up 41%, all reporting strong earnings results. Health Care REITs enjoy sustainable rally, buoyed by news of individual health enrollment under Affordable Care Act, with **Health Care REIT** up 38%, while **HCP** shows gain of 23%, and **Ventas** shows 25% gain. Office REITs also demonstrated strong performance, with **Boston Properties** up 29% and **Vornado Realty Trust** up 26% year to date for 2014. Retail REITs rallied, now lead by **General Growth Properties** up 33% and **Kimco Realty** up 29%, while **Macerich** shows 34% gain, on sudden rally spiked by takeover speculation. **Simon Property Group** gave up a portion of its year to date gain due to recent spin-off of **Washington Prime Group**, with the parent company stock now up 19% year to date for 2014. **Host Hotels & Resorts** traded up 20%, helped by plunging oil prices and by higher group bookings during 2014. **Public Storage**, up 25%, and **Prologis**, up 14%, also show good gains for 2014. **American Tower** gained 32% year to date for 2014, with REIT conversion **Crown Castle** now up 13% for 2014. In contrast, Specialty Timber REITs traded down on news of variable sales of new and existing homes, with Specialty Timber REIT **Plum Creek Timber** now down (10%) and **Weyerhaeuser** up 12% year to date for 2014.

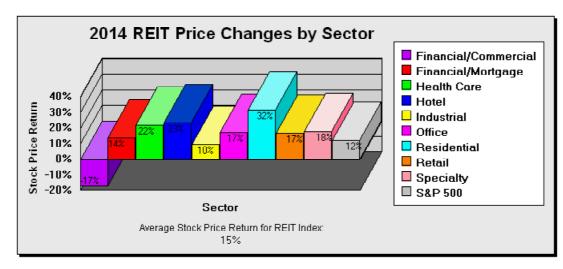
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Weekly REIT Price Changes by Sector



All REIT sectors enjoyed strong rally during the week ended November 28, 2014. Best performance was shown by Financial Commercial REITs, Health Care REITs, Industrial REITs, Residential REITs, Retail REITs and Specialty REITs, all trading up 2%. Lagging REIT sectors were Financial Mortgage REITs, Hotel REITs and Office REITs, all trading up 1%. On average, stock prices for REIT Growth and Income Monitor traded up 2% for the week ended November 28, 2014.



Stock prices for REITs followed by REIT Growth and Income Monitor traded up 15% on average year to date for 2014, outperforming the S&P 500 Index, still up 12% year to date for 2014. REITs have unique tax structure, with 90% of pretax income required to be distributed to shareholders as dividends, ensuring continuity of dividends. Investors are attracted by consistent dividend income, and REITs have demonstrated ability both to pay and to increase dividends REITs offer higher yields than S&P 500 stocks, with REIT dividends taxed at the same rate as ordinary income. REIT funds flow demonstrates moderate growth, at a time when other market sectors face adjusted revenue expectations due to currency exposure and variable international economies

Almost all REIT sectors outperform the S&P 500 Index during 2014. Leading REIT sector for 2014 is Residential REITs, now up 32% due to strong employment trends. Hotel REITs traded up 23% year to date, supported by plunging oil prices. Health Care REITs are up 22% as the Affordable Care Act is implemented, bringing more patient volume to tenants of Health Care REITs. Specialty REITs traded up 18% year to date for 2014, supported by investor interest in Cell Tower REITs, Data Center REITs and Self-Storage REITs, offset by underperformance of Specialty Timber REITs. Office REITs and Retail REITs show gain of 17% year to date. Financial Mortgage REITs show gain of 14%, as investors respond positively to the outlook for continued low interest rates and the exit of Federal Reserve from bond market purchases. Rebounding Industrial REITs show gain of 10% year to date for 2014. Lagging Financial Commercial REITs traded down (17%) year to date for 2014, reflecting investor concern over lower volume of new issues of commercial securitizations, as well as impact of spin-offs on stock prices of Financial Commercial REITs.

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Company:	Prologis		
Price:	\$41		
Recommendation:	BUY		
Ranking:	2		
Market Cap:	\$21,305		
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT		
Additional Text: 11/24/2014 PLD \$41			
Prologis PLD decision	by China central bank to reduce interest rates may stimulate loan demand		
	ncrease corporate liquidity to support economic growth but impact of tighter strict eagerness of smaller banks to lend		
PLD China central ban unchanged at 2.75%	k to reduce lending rate by $(0.4\%)$ to 5.6%, while keeping deposit rate		
PLD slower Asia growt	h contributing to reduced estimates for global economic growth		
PLD management see trade, consumption and	s consistent demand for bulk distribution space driven by growth in global de-commerce		
PLD total \$29 billion assets under management in institutional funds enables PLD to increase market share in international markets			
PLD recently completed new China Logistics Venture2 to invest \$1.0 billion in bulk distribution centers in China, with institutional equity commitments of \$588 million			
	ation now 69% US, EU 25% and Asia 6%, while focus of development Asia at 39% of total investment		
PLD increased low end of guidance range for 2014 FFO to indicate growth UP +12%-+13%			
PLD increased dividend distribution by 18% for 2014, bringing current yield to 3.2%			
PLD an Industrial REIT with a portfolio of bulk distribution facilities in US, Europe and Asia			
PLD we rank 2 BUY			
PLD market cap \$21.3	billion		
PLD an S&P 500 Index	REIT		



Company:	Digital Realty Trust		
Price:	\$69		
Recommendation:	BUY		
Ranking:	1		
Market Cap:	\$9,570		
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT		
Additional Text: 11/24/2014 DLR \$69			
	R decision to appoint interim CEO as permanent CEO continues existing nent holding 2 positions		
DLR A William Stein serving as interim CEO since sudden departure of Michael F Foust in March 2014			
DLR A William Stein continues to act as both CEO and CFO, pending outcome of search for new CFO			
DLR stock has fully recovered from 3Q 2013 disappointment regarding prior leasehold accounting			
DLR to develop 14 new data centers, including 10 in US and 4 international in London, Melbourne and Singapore			
DLR guidance for core	FFO for 2014 indicates growth UP +3%-+4%		
DLR stock price supported by current annual dividend yield of 4.8%			
DLR the largest publicly traded Data Center REIT with a portfolio of turnkey data centers and office properties			
DLR we rank 1 BUY			
DLR market cap \$9.6 billion			



Company:	American Tower	
Price:	\$102	
Recommendation:	BUY	
Ranking:	2	
Market Cap: \$40,798		
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT	
Additional Text: 11/24/2014 AMT \$102		
	announcement of 2 acquisitions of international wireless cell towers indicates folio expansion continues	
AMT to invest \$1.2 billion Italia	on to acquire 6,480 towers in 2 separate portfolios in Brazil from Telecom	
AMT pending \$1.2 billio	on acquisition to double size of existing AMT portfolio in Brazil	
AMT also announced \$ from Bharti Airtel	1.05 billion acquisition of more than 4,800 wireless phone masts in Nigeria	
	ion acquisition represents first AMT presence in Nigeria, adding to existing nana, South Africa and Uganda	
AMT portfolio total 69,0	000 towers, including 28,000 US sites and 41,000 international sites	
AMT reported AFFO fo	r 3Q 2014 increased UP +25%	
AMT increased guidance for AFFO for 2014 to indicate growth UP +25%-+26%		
AMT provides current annual dividend yield of 1.5%		
AMT a Specialty REIT with a portfolio of wireless and broadcast communications real estate with towers in US, Europe, South America, Africa and India		
AMT we rank 2 BUY		
AMT market cap \$40.8	billion	
AMT an S&P 500 Inde>	< REIT	



Company:	General Growth Properties	
Price:	\$26	
Recommendation:	BUY	
Ranking:	2	
Market Cap:	\$24,840	
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT	
Additional Text: 11/24/2014 GGP \$26		
General Growth Properti competitive pressure	ies GGP lack of momentum for key mall tenant Gap Inc GPS may indicate	
	p Inc GPS last week reported comp store sales DOWN(2%), with Gap ana Republic FLAT and Old Navy UP+1%	
GGP best sales results shown by Old Navy, carrying lowest priced apparel, while largest decline shown in Gap stores, where apparel prices are relatively high		
GGP recent optimistic comments by anchor tenants JC Penney JCP and Macys M noted consumers responding to discounted pricing		
GGP key mall tenant Gap Inc GPS represents 3% of annualized rents for GGP		
GGP increased guidance for FFO for 2014 to indicate growth UP +13%-+15%		
GGP provides current yield of 2.6%		
GGP a Retail REIT with a portfolio of regional malls		
GGP we rank 2 BUY		
GGP market cap \$24.8 billion		
GGP an S&P 500 Index REIT		



Company:	Redwood Trust
Price:	\$19
Recommendation:	SELL
Ranking:	4
Market Cap:	\$1,616
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT

Additional Text: 11/24/2014

RWT \$19

Redwood Trust RWT issued press release indicating confidence of board of directors in maintaining dividend at current rate of \$0.28 per share quarterly through 2015

RWT quarterly dividend of \$0.28 per share has been constant through 2013 and 2014

RWT current dividend of \$0.28 per share supported by taxable EPS of \$0.21 per share for 3Q 2014, demonstrating growth from taxable EPS for both 1Q 2014 and 2Q 2014

RWT reported 3Q 2014 GAAP EPS of \$0.50 per share (including reversal of loan loss provision)

RWT investors should respond favorably to consistency of dividend at times of relatively low bond market volatility

RWT provides current annual dividend yield of 5.9%, at the low end of the range for Financial Mortgage  $\mbox{REITs}$ 

RWT a Financial Mortgage REIT with a portfolio of non-agency residential loans and securities

RWT we rank 4 SELL

RWT market cap \$1.6 billion



Company:	Alexandria Real Estate Equities
Price:	\$84
Recommendation:	BUY
Ranking:	2
Market Cap:	\$5,975
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT

Additional Text 11/24/2014 ARE \$84

Alexandria Real Estate Equities ARE traded UP+\$1.80 per share to close UP +2% day

ARE stock traded UP +32% year to date for 2014, outperforming Health Care REITs, trading UP +19% for 2014

ARE investor interest in new medical treatments and success of biotech fundraising drives FFO growth for Health Care REITs with portfolios of life science properties

ARE investing \$1.1 billion to develop new properties for total portfolio capacity increment UP+8%

ARE latest guidance for FFO for 2014 indicates growth UP +9%

ARE provides current annual dividend yield of 3.4%

ARE a Health Care REIT with a portfolio of office and laboratory properties net leased to biotech and pharmaceutical tenants

ARE we rank 2 BUY

ARE market cap \$6.0 billion



Company:	Sun Communities		
Price:	\$57		
Recommendation:	BUY		
Ranking:	2		
Market Cap:	\$2,337		
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT		
Additional Text: 11/24/2014 SUI \$57			
Sun Communities SUI tra	aded UP \$0.85 per share to close UP +2% day		
SUI stock traded UP +34% year to date for 2014, outperforming Residential REITs, trading UP +29% for 2014			
SUI pending \$1.32 billion acquisition of American Land Lease properties from Green Courte Partners LLC expected to close by January2015			
SUI reduced guidance 2014 FFO (adjusted) to reflect recent divestitures, now projecting growth UP +4%-+6%			
SUI provides current annual dividend yield of 4.6%			
SUI a Residential Manufactured Home REIT with a portfolio of manufactured home communities			
SUI we rank 2 BUY			
SUI market cap \$2.3 billion			



DuPont Fabros Technology		
\$31		
BUY		
2		
\$2,565		
http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT		
gy DFT traded UP\$0.47 per share to close UP +2% day		
% year to date for 2014, outperforming Specialty REITs, trading UP +16%		
for Data Center REITs driven by key Internet trends including cloud nline shopping		
DFT pending online sales promotions for Black Friday and Cyber Monday already appearing in print and online ads as consumers plan for biggest shopping days of the year over this week and next week		
DFT Data Center REITs benefit from proliferation of smartphones, tablets, e-readers and wearable data-enabled devices, with many new apps enabling e-commerce		
DFT tenants include the largest Internet websites and online service providers including Facebook, Google, Microsoft and Yahool, as well as managed hosting services such as Rackspace and AboveNet (providing Amazon cloud web service)		
DFT latest guidance for FFO for 2014 indicates growth UP +24%		
DFT now providing current annual dividend yield of 4.5%		
with a portfolio of wholesale data centers leased to key Internet portals and		
DFT market cap \$2.6 billion		



Company:	Duke Realty	
Price:	\$19	
Recommendation:	BUY	
Ranking:	2	
Market Cap:	\$6,549	
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT	
Additional Text: 11/25/2014 DRE \$19		
Duke Realty DRE third co for Industrial REITs	onsecutive upward adjustment to US GDP growth supports positive outlook	
DRE report from BEA (Bureau of Economic Analysis of US Department of Commerce) found US GDP increased UP +3.9% for 3Q 2014, exceeding previous estimate UP +3.5% and showing continued momentum from growth UP +4.6% for 2Q 2014		
DRE increase in estimate for US GDP growth for 3Q 2014 a result of increase in personal consumption expenditures and non-residential fixed investment, with smaller decrease in private inventory investment, while exports increased less than expectec		
DRE investors should expect more moderate growth for US GDP for 4Q 2014 than for 3Q 2014		
DRE investing \$630 million in development pipeline to add 5% to owned portfolio capacity		
DRE reported better than	expected results for 3Q 2014, with FFO UP +7%	
DRE guidance for FFO for 2014 indicates growth UP +8%		
DRE stock price supported by current annual dividend yield of 3.5%		
DRE an Industrial REIT with a diverse portfolio of distribution, industrial, commercial and office properties		
DRE we rank 2 BUY		
DRE market cap \$6.5 billion		



Company:	Annaly Capital Management
Price:	\$12
Recommendation:	BUY
Ranking:	1
Market Cap:	\$10,946
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT

Additional Text: 11/25/2014

NLY \$12

Annaly Capital Management NLY higher existing home sales may result from moderating home price increments

NLY last week report from NAR (National Association of Realtors) found actual existing home sales increased UP +1.5% to 5.26 million annual pace for October 2014 from revised pace for previous month, for second sequential monthly gain, with existing home sales now showing growth UF +2.5% from previous year

NLY today's report from Case-Shiller of moderating home price appreciation may indicate homebuyers see affordability as a key issue impacting the timing of home purchase decisions

NLY improving employment trends viewed as providing important support for housing demand

NLY home purchase drives mortgage application volume, stimulating new securitizations of agency guaranteed Residential MBS and providing portfolio investment opportunities for Financial Mortgage REITs

NLY stock price now trading at discount of (10%) from current book value of \$12.87 per share as of September 2014

NLY stock price supported by current annual dividend yield of10.4%, above the midpoint of the range for Financial Mortgage REITs

NLY a Financial Mortgage REIT with a portfolio of agency guaranteed Residential MBS

NLY we rank 1 BUY

NLY market cap \$10.9 billion



Company:	Hatteras Financial	
Price:	\$19	
Recommendation:	BUY	
Ranking:	1	
Market Cap:	\$1,847	
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT	
Additional Text: 11/25/2014 HTS \$19		
Hatteras Financial HTS slowdown in appreciation of US home prices confirmed by latest report from Case-Shiller		
HTS report from Case-Shiller showed prices of US existing homes UP+4.9% for September 2014 from previous year, showing continued deceleration from UP+12.9% for February 2014		
HTS greatest yearly change in prices included Miami UP+10.3%, Las Vegas UP +9.1%, San Francisco UP +7.9%, Dallas UP +7.4%, Portland UP +6.7%, Denver UP +6.2%, Seattle UP +6.0% and Los Angeles UP +5.7%		
HTS lowest yearly change in prices shown for Cleveland UP+0.8%, Washington UP +2.1%, Chicago UP +2.6%, New York UP +2.8%, Phoenix UP +3.0%, Minneapolis UP +3.1% and Charlotte UP +3.3%		
HTS higher prices of US homes support higher appraisal values and LTV ratios enabling more mortgages to be approved, although affordability remains a concern		
HTS stock trading at discount of (14%) to latest book value of \$22.30 per share		
HTS provides current yield of 10.5%, above the midpoint of the range for Financial Mortgage REITs		
HTS a Financial Mortgage	e REIT with a portfolio of agency guaranteed Residential MBS	
HTS we rank 1 BUY		
HTS market cap \$1.8 billio	on	



Company:	Simon Property Group	
Price:	\$179	
Recommendation:	BUY	
Ranking:	2	
Market Cap:	\$64,932	
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT	
Additional Text: 11/25/2014 SPG \$179		
Simon Property Group S comments from key and	SPG report of lower consumer confidence conflicts with latest positive hor retailers	
SPG report from Confer November 2014 from pr	ence Board showed consumer confidence declined DOWN(5.8%) for evious month	
SPG analysis of Conference Board report shows previous high of 94.5% for October 2014 consumer confidence was highest level for past 7 years		
	nments by JC Penney JCP and Macys M indicates positive outlook for ected to increase UP +2%-+4%	
	2014, SPG reported mall tenant sales showed strong growth UP+5.9% for recent spin-off of Washington Prime Group WPG	
SPG increased guidance for FFO for 2014 to indicate growth UP +4%		
SPG provides current annual dividend yield of 2.9%		
SPC a Potail PEIT with	a portfolio of regional malls and brand name outlet centers in LIS Europe	

SPG a Retail REIT with a portfolio of regional malls and brand name outlet centers in US Europe and Asia

SPG we rank 2 BUY

SPG market cap \$64.9 billion

SPG an S&P 500 Index REIT



Company:	General Growth Properties
Price:	\$26
Recommendation:	BUY
Ranking:	2
Market Cap:	\$25,029
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT
Additional Text: 1/25/2014 GGP \$26	
General Growth Prope rading in Retail REITs	rties GGP news of optimistic spending outlook from NRF survey supports
	m NRF (National Retail Federation) showed average shopper intends to $\%$ for Holiday 2014, enough to increase retail sales for November 2014 and $\%$
	ve outlook is more sobering indication that 33% of consumers plan to spend ercentage than for the previous year
GGP desired categorie ablets and video game	es for children's Christmas gifts include dolls, toy cars and trucks, LEGO,
GGP higher jewelry sa ewelry for adult gifts	les recently reported by JC Penney JCP may indicate more spending on
GGP smartphones and consumer electronics s	I tablets, as well as smartwatches from Apple and Samsung likely to attract spending
GGP tenant sales trenerate increments, not by	ds have indirect impact on Retail REITs, as FFO growth determined by renta tenant sales
GGP increased guidan	ce for FFO for 2014 to indicate growth UP +13%-+15%
GGP provides current	yield of 2.6%
GGP a Retail REIT wit	h a portfolio of regional malls
GGP we rank 2 BUY	
GGP market cap \$25.0	billion



Company:	Select Income REIT
Price:	\$23
Recommendation:	HOLD
Ranking:	3
Market Cap:	\$1,235
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT

Additional Text: 11/25/2014 SIR \$23

Select Income REIT SIR traded DOWN (\$0.41) per share to close DOWN (2%) day

SIR stock traded DOWN (15%) year to date for 2014, underperforming Industrial REITs, trading UP +8% day

SIR investors see Industrial REITs as benefitting from better than expected US GDP growth

SIR pending \$2.9 billion acquisition of Cole Corporate Income Trust to double asset size and enterprise value, with transaction expected to be completed during 1Q 2015

SIR no longer controlled by Equity Commonwealth EQC following sale of 44% of SIR shares previously held by EQC to Government Properties Income Trust GOV

SIR continues under external management by RMR(Reit Management & Research LLC), a privately held real estate management company that previously managed Equity Commonwealth EQC (renamed from CommonWealth REIT CWH), and still manages Government Properties Income Trust GOV, Hospitality Properties Trust HPT, TravelCenters of America TA and Senior Housing Properties Trust SNH

SIR provides current annual dividend yield of 8.4%

SIR an Industrial REIT with a portfolio concentrated in commercial properties in HI

SIR we rank 3 HOLD

SIR market cap \$1.2 billion



Company:	American Tower	
Price:	\$104	
Recommendation:	BUY	
Ranking:	2	
Market Cap:	\$41,625	
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT	
Additional Text: 11/25/2015 AMT \$104		
American Tower AMT t	raded UP \$1.70 per share to close UP +2% day	
AMT stock traded UP + for 2014	-31% year to date for 2014, outperforming Specialty REITs, trading UP +16%	
AMT investors see Cell Tower REITs offering rapid growth through portfolio expansion and technology trends		
AMT penetration of tablets and smartphones into subscriber base increases demand for data and video streaming, forcing wireless carrier tenants to invest to upgrade service levels driving network expansion as well as higher rents		
AMT increased guidance for AFFO for 2014 to indicate growth UP +25%-+26%		
AMT provides current annual dividend yield of 1.5%		
AMT a Specialty REIT with a portfolio of wireless and broadcast communications real estate with towers in US, Europe, South America, Africa and India		
AMT we rank 2 BUY		
AMT market cap \$41.6 billion		
AMT an S&P 500 Index REIT		



Company:	NorthStar Realty Finance	
Price:	\$18	
Recommendation:	BUY	
Ranking:	2	
Market Cap:	\$3,227	
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT	
Additional Text: 11/25/2014 NRF \$18		
NorthStar Realty Finan	ce NRF traded UP \$0.27 per share to close UP +2% day	
NRF stock traded DOW REITs, trading DOWN	/N (33%) year to date for 2014, underperforming Financial Commercial (18%)	
NRF adjusted for July 2014 distribution of NorthStar Asset Management NSAM, NRF provided shareholders with combined stock price appreciation UP+7% for 2014, with total return of 12.6% (including dividends)		
NRF completed previously disclossed acquisition of \$1.1 billion hotel portfolio from American Real Estate Trust		
NRF acquisition brings hotel portfolio to 155 upscale extended stay and select service hotels including 90% Marriott and Hilton brands		
NRF pending \$4.0 billic existing NorthStar heal	on acquisition of Griffin-American Health Care REIT II, to be consolidated with th care assets	
NRF recent 1:2 reverse stock split stabilized share price while reducing total shares outstanding following June 2014 spin-off of NorthStar Asset Management NSAM		
NRF recently reduced quarterly dividend distribution to reflect reduced contribution from spinoff of NorthStar Asset Management NSAM		
NRF providing current annual dividend yield of 8.8%		
NRF a Financial Commercial REIT		
NRF we rank 2 BUY		
NRF market cap \$3.2 b	illion	



Company:	Ashford Hospitality Trust
Price:	\$10
Recommendation:	BUY
Ranking:	2
Market Cap:	\$1,132
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT
Additional Text: 11/25/2014 AHT \$10	
Ashford Hospitality Trust	AHT traded DOWN (\$0.16) per share to close DOWN (2%) day
AHT stock traded UP 26% 2014	6 year to date for 2014, outperforming Hotel REITs, trading UP +22% for
AHT news stories highligl benefiting Hotel REITs	hting lower travel costs indicate good growth for Holiday2014 travel,
AHT lower prices of oil ar	nd gasoline supports trading in stocks of Hotel REITs
AHT stocks of Hotel REIT	s, like all travel related stocks, trade inversely to oil prices
AHT no guidance provide	d for FFO for 2014
AHT provides current divi	dend yield of 4.6%
AHT a Hotel REIT	
AHT we rank 2 BUY	
AHT market cap \$1.1 billi	on



Company:	Equity Residential	
Price:	\$70	
Recommendation:	BUY	
Ranking:	2	
Market Cap:	\$26,390	
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT	
Additional Text: 11/26/2014 EQR \$70		
Equity Residential EQR higher new unemployment claims may reflect seasonality before Holiday season		
EQR Labor Department reported new claims for unemployment increased UP+21,000 to 313,000 for week ended November 22, 2014 from revised number for previous week		
EQR more stable 4 week moving average of new unemployment claims increased UF +6,250 to 294,000 from revised average for previous week		
EQR Residential REITs benefit from positive employment trends, as most new jobs are taken by 25-34 year old age group, target market for apartment dwellers		
EQR recently increased guidance for FFO for 2014 to indicate growth UP +9%-+10% for 2014		
EQR provides current annual dividend yield of 2.9%		
EQR the largest publicly traded Residential REIT with a diverse portfolio of apartment communities		
EQR we rank 2 BUY		
EQR market cap \$26.4 billion		
EQR an S&P 500 Index F	REIT	



Company:	Annaly Capital Management
Price:	\$12
Recommendation:	BUY
Ranking:	1
Market Cap:	\$10,955
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT

Additional Text: 11/26/2014

NLY \$12

Annaly Capital Management  $\mathsf{NLY}$  report of lower index of pending home sales still shows year over year growth

NLY report from NAR (National Association of Realtors) found index of pending home sales DOWN (1.1%) to 104.1% for October 2014 from revised number for previous month

NLY index of pending home sales now UP+2.2% from previous year, showing higher rate of year over year improvement than for previous month

NLY NAR economist notes sale prices for existing homes now UP+5.5% from previous year

NLY NAR forecast projects existing home sales of 4.9 million for 2014, DOWN (4%) from previous year, then projects growth to 5.3 million for 2015 and 5.4 million for 2016

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{NLY}}$  latest survey of home sellers shows average tenure was at all time high of10 years before home sale

NLY Financial Mortgage REITs benefit from sales of existing homes through volume of securitizations of new mortgage originations, providing opportunities for portfolio repositioning

NLY stock price supported by current annual dividend yield of10.4%, near the midpoint of the range for Financial Mortgage REITs

NLY a Financial Mortgage REIT with a portfolio of agency guaranteed Residential MBS

NLY we rank 1 BUY

NLY market cap \$11.0 billion



Company:	Kimco Realty	
Price:	\$25	
Recommendation:	BUY	
Ranking:	1	
Market Cap:	\$10,371	
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT	
Additional Text: 11/26/2014 KIM \$25		
Kimco Realty KIM news o REITs	f consumer confidence at7 year high supports positive outlook for Retail	
KIM index of consumer sentiment from University of Michigan improved UP+1.9% to 88.8% for October 2014, now at highest level since July2007		
KIM University of Michigan report cites job growth, cheaper fuel and stock prices near all-time highs as key reasons for improved consumer sentiment		
KIM retailers report strong interest in early shopping for Holiday2014 gifts, raising expectations for Black Friday promotions this week		
KIM increased guidance for FFO for 2014 to indicate growth UP +5%-+6%		
KIM recently increased dividend by7%, bringing current annual dividend yield to3.8%		
KIM a Retail REIT with a diverse portfolio of retail properties including neighborhood and communit shopping centers and big box retail, as well as grocery anchored shopping centers		
KIM we rank 1 BUY		
KIM market cap \$10.4 billion		
KIM an S&P 500 Index REIT		



Company:	Host Hotels & Resorts
Price:	\$23
Recommendation:	BUY
Ranking:	2
Market Cap:	\$18,177
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT

Additional Text: 11/26/2014

HST \$23

Host Hotels & Resorts HST tomorrows's OPEC meeting may either calm or roil energy markets, with discussions to be reflected in trading for Hotel REITs

HST production cuts by OPEC may be required to prevent further oil price decline

HST "compliance" with production limits by OPEC nations, now producing one third of global oil production, to be main topic on the agenda for oil ministers from 12 nations included in OPEC

HST oil prices DOWN more than (30%) since June 2014, with Brent Crude now trading below \$80 per barrel, as investors speculate potential oil price decline could go as low as \$60-\$70 per barrel

HST consumers tempted to do more driving, with price of gasoline secure at less than  $2.70\ {\rm per}$  gallon

HST Hotel REITs normally trade inversely to oil prices, as lower price of gasoline enables more spending on extra room nights and ancillary charges increasing occupancy and profitability for hotels

HST increased guidance range for FFO for 2014 to indicate growth UP +12%-+14%

HST recently increased dividend by 33%, bringing current annual dividend yield to 3.5%, above the midpoint of the range for Hotel REITs

HST a Hotel REIT with a portfolio of upscale hotels and resorts in US, Mexico, Europe and Pacific

HST we rank 2 BUY

HST market cap \$18.2 billion

HST an S&P 500 Index REIT



Company:	Lexington Realty Trust
Price:	\$11
Recommendation:	HOLD
Ranking:	3
Market Cap:	\$2,654
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT
Additional Text: 11/26/2014 LXP \$11	
Lexington Realty Trust L	XP 3Q 2014 FFO \$0.28 v \$0.25 (adjusted) UP +12%
+7%-+9%	of guidance range2014 FFO \$1.09-\$1.11 (adjusted) v \$1.02 (adjusted) UP 2014 FFO \$1.08-\$1.11 per share
LXP implied guidance 40	Q 2014 FFO \$0.25-\$0.27 v \$0.28 (adjusted) DOWN (4%)-(11%)
LXP 3Q 2014 same property NOI DOWN (0.4%) LXP 3Q 2014 net leased portfolio occupancy 97.6% DOWN (0.2%) from June 2014	
LXP investing \$504 milli	on in build-to-suit projects to add 4% portfolio capacity increment
LXP pending acquisitions \$205 million for 3 properties LXP year to date 2014 divestitures \$53 million for 5 properties	
LXP provides current annual dividend yield of 6.2%	
LXP an Office REIT with a portfolio of properties net leased to single tenants	
LXP we rank 3 HOLD	
LXP market cap \$2.7 billion	



Company:	LTC Properties
Price:	\$41
Recommendation:	BUY
Ranking:	2
Market Cap:	\$1,524
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT
Additional Text: 11/26/2014 LTC \$41	
LTC Properties LTC 30	2 2014 normalized FFO \$0.64 v \$0.57 UP +12%
LTC no guidance provi	ded for FFO for 2014
	s \$30 million UP +14% due to acquisitions g income \$17 million UP 19%
LTC portfolio growth a well as investment in re	chieved through small acquisitions of operating skilled nursing properties as elated debl
LTC to transfer 13 prop	es previously leased to Extendicare to Enlivant affiliate for\$27 million perties previously leased to Extendicare to master lease with Senior Lifestyle inties previously leased to Extendicare to Veritas InCare under new master
	e agreements to increase potential annual rents
LTC pays monthly divid	dends, now providing annual dividend yield of 4.9%
LTC a Health Care RE properties and related	IT with a portfolio concentrated in skilled nursing and assisted living debt
LTC we rank 2 BUY	



Company:	Equity One	
Price:	\$24	
Recommendation:	HOLD	
Ranking:	3	
Market Cap:	\$3,116	
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT	
Additional Text: 11/26/2014 EQY \$24		
	recurring FFO \$0.31 (adjusted) v \$0.30 UP +3% FO excludes net charges of (\$0.02) per share relating to reorganization	
(adjusted) UP +3%-+4% EQY previous guidance ra EQY guidance range 2014 relating to reorganization a	f guidance range2014 recurring FFO \$1.27-\$1.28 (adjusted) v \$1.23 ange2014 recurring FFO \$1.25-\$1.28 (adjusted) per share recurring FFO (adjusted) excludes net charges of (\$0.02) per share and transaction costs net of gain on debt extinguishment recurring FFO assumes same property NOI UP +2.5%-+3.25%	
EQY implied guidance rar	ge 4Q 2014 recurring FFO \$0.31-\$0.32 v \$0.30 (adjusted) UP +3%-+7%	
EQY 3Q 2014 same property NOI UP +2.5% EQY 3Q 2014 portfolio occupancy 94.4% UP +2.0% EQY 3Q 2014 average annualized base rent per square foot\$17.00 UP +1.9%		
EQY 3Q 2014 rents on lea	ase turnover UP +9.2%	
EQY investing \$134 million	n in development and redevelopment pipeline for 11 projects	
EQY year to date 2014 divestitures \$142 million for 20 non-core assets, with pending \$8 million for 4Q 2014 EQY 2014 target divestitures \$150-\$175 million		
EQY announced pending CFO transition for June2015		
EQY stock price supported by current annual dividend yield of3.7%		
EQY a Retail REIT with a	EQY a Retail REIT with a portfolio of neighborhood and community shopping centers	
EQY we rank 3 HOLD		
EQY market cap \$3.1 billion		



Company:	Saul Centers
Price:	\$54
Recommendation:	HOLD
Ranking:	3
Market Cap:	\$1,620
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT
Additional Text: 11/26/2014 BFS \$54	
Saul Centers BFS 3Q	2014 FFO \$0.70 v \$0.69 UP +1%
BFS 3Q 2014 same pro BFS 3Q 2014 portfolio BFS 3Q 2014 occupan	
BFS seeking approval existing Metro Pike Ce	to build 2 apartment towers and an office complex on Rockville Pike at site of nter
BFS provides current a	annual dividend yield of 3.0%
BFS a Retail REIT with DC area	a diverse portfolio of retail and commercial assets located in metropolitan
BFS we rank 3 HOLD	
BFS market cap \$1.6 b	villion



Company:	Plum Creek Timber
Price:	\$41
Recommendation:	HOLD
Ranking:	3
Market Cap:	\$7,359
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT
Additional Text: 11/26/2014 PCL \$41	
Plum Creek Timber PC	CL traded DOWN (\$0.50) per share to close DOWN (1%) day
PCL stock traded DOV +16% for 2014	VN (11%) year to date for 2014, underperforming Specialty REITs, trading UP
PCL last week's report from NAHB (National Association of Home Builders) found builder confidenc UP +4% to 58% for November 2014, reversing decline of DOWN (5%) previously reported for October 2014	
PCL recent management comments indicated strong market developing for southern pulpwood due to recent investment in pellet plants for export market	
PCL indicated 2014 EPS now expected to decline as much as DOWN (24%)	
PCL stock price supported by current annual dividend yield of4.2%	
PCL a Specialty Timber REIT with a portfolio of timberlands and sawlog mills	
PCL we rank 3 HOLD	
PCL market cap \$7.4 billion	
PCL an S&P 500 Index REIT	



Company:	American Realty Capital Properties
Price:	\$9
Recommendation:	BUY
Ranking:	2
Market Cap:	\$8,222
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT

# Additional Text: 11/26/2014

ARCP \$9

American Realty Capital Properties ARCP traded UP \$0.41 per share to close UP +5% day

ARCP stock traded DOWN (26%) year to date for 2014, underperforming Retail REITs, trading UP +15% for 2014

ARCP stock rallied from bottom under \$8 per share in first week of November 2014 after announcing restatement of prior periods

ARCP still has not yet reported results for 3Q 2014, expected soon

ARCP pending litigation with RCS Capital RCAP over previous agreement to acquire Cole Capital from ARCP for \$700 million concerns investors

ARCP former CEO Nicholas Schorsch stepped down as CEO of ARCP to continue as Chairman of the Board, as well as retaining significant holdings in RCAP

ARCP outsider David Kay, previously President of ARCP, assumed role of CEO effective October 1, 2014

ARCP restatement episode should be over quickly, as management substitutions already made, and results for 3Q 2014 results to be released this month with full corrections of prior periods

ARCP previous guidance for FFO for 2014 indicated growth UP more than +30%

ARCP management clearly stated dividend to remain unimpeded by restatement

ARCP distributes dividends monthly, now providing current annual dividend yield of10.6%, at the top end of the range for Retail REITs

ARCP a Retail REIT with a portfolio of single tenant net leased properties

ARCP we rank 2 BUY

ARCP market cap \$8.2 billion



Company:	LaSalle Hotel Properties
Price:	\$40
Recommendation:	BUY
Ranking:	2
Market Cap:	\$4,178
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT
Additional Text: 11/26/2014 LHO \$40	
LaSalle Hotel Properties	s LHO traded UP \$0.92 per share to close UP +2% day
LHO stock traded UP +30% year to date for 2014, outperforming Hotel REITs, trading UP +22% for 2014	
LHO rally for Hotel REI	Ts a results of lower oil and gasoline prices
LHO tomorrow's OPEC meeting may bring even more news of lower gasoline prices if OPEC members cannot agree to cut production	

LHO investors expect to see significant FFO contribution during4Q 2014 from completion of renovation of Park Central Hotel in NYC

LHO also should see FFO contribution from recent \$130 million acquisition of Hotel Vitale in San Francisco in April 2014, near redevelopment area in Embarcadero

LHO guidance for FFO for 2014 indicate growths UP +10%

LHO provides current yield of 3.8%, at the upper end of the range for Hotel REITs

LHO a Hotel REIT

LHO we rank 3 HOLD

LHO market cap \$4.2 billion



Company:	General Growth Properties
Price:	\$27
Recommendation:	BUY
Ranking:	2
Market Cap:	\$25,369
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT
Additional Text: 11/26/2014 GGP \$27	
General Growth Prope Friday promotions	rties GGP extended Holiday shopping hours mean additional sales for Black
	ded hours, starting with 5:00 PM openings on Thanksgiving Day include Besi nney, Target, Sears, Kohl's and Macy's
GGP increased guidan	ce for FFO for 2014 to indicate growth UP +13%-+15%
GGP provides current	yield of 2.5%
GGP a Retail REIT wit	h a portfolio of regional malls
GGP we rank 2 BUY	
GGP market cap \$25.4	billion



Company:	CoreSite Realty
Price:	\$38
Recommendation:	BUY
Ranking:	2
Market Cap:	\$1,913
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT
Additional Text: 11/26/2014 COR \$38	
CoreSite Realty COR 30	Q 2014 FFO \$0.55 v \$0.47 UP +17%
COR 3Q 2014 revenues COR 3Q 2014 adjusted	s \$71 million UP +16% EBITDA \$33 million UP +20%
COR previous guidance	e range 2014 FFO \$2.12-\$2.16 (adjusted) v \$1.82 UP +16%-+19% range 2014 FFO \$2.07-\$2.15 per share 014 FFO (adjusted) excludes net charges of (\$0.08) per share relating to
COR implied guidance	4Q 2014 FFO \$0.52-\$0.56 v \$0.49 UP +6%-+14%
COR 3Q 2014 portfolio COR 3Q 2014 rents on	occupancy 84.8% renewed leases UP +3.0% on cash basis
	cremental leases for \$8 million annualized rent, adding 3% to revenue run
rate COR 3Q 2014 renewed	leases on \$12 million annualized rents
COR investing \$85 millio total portfolio capacity b	on to develop 2 new data centers in Reston VA and Boston MA to expand $y59\%$
COR built and acquired 2010	a portfolio of 16 data centers since spin-off from Carlyle Group and IPO in
COR provides current a	nnual dividend yield of3.7%
COR a Specialty Data C	Center REIT with a portfolio of data centers in8 US metropolitan areas
COR we rank 2 BUY	



Company:	One Liberty Properties
Price:	\$23
Recommendation:	HOLD
Ranking:	3
Market Cap:	\$371
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT
Additional Text: 11/26/2014 OLP \$23	
One Liberty Properties	OLP 3Q 2014 FFO 2Q 2014 FFO \$0.46 v \$0.40 UP +15%
OLP no guidance prov	ided for FFO for 2014
	\$15 million UP +17% due to acquisitions g income (excluding impairment and acquisition costs) \$8.2 million UP +15%
	acquisitions \$50 million for 8 properties divested 3 properties for \$45 million
	over exposure to Office Depot ODP, representing 7% of annualized rents, now any as 400 stores, representing 20% of existing US store base following th rival OfficeMax
OLP stock price suppo	rted by current annual dividend yield of6.4%
OLP a Retail REIT with	n a diversified portfolio of net leased retail, office and industrial properties
OLP we rank 3 HOLD	
OLP market cap \$371	million



Componi	Inland Real Estate	
Company:		
Price:	\$11	
Recommendation:	HOLD	
Ranking:	3	
Market Cap:	\$1,057	
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT	
Additional Text: 11/26/2014 IRC \$11		
Inland Real Estate IRC	3Q 2014 recurring FFO \$0.24 v \$0.24 (adjusted) FLAT	
IRC guidance 2014 rec 91%-92%	o guidance range 2014 recurring FFO \$0.93-\$0.97 v \$0.99 DOWN (2%)-(6%) surring FFO assumes same property NOI UP +2%-+4%, with occupancy n income earned during 2013 were excluded, 2014 guidance recurring FFO %-+5%	
	pperty NOI UP +3.2% (excluding lease termination income occupancy 96.0% UP +1.7%	
IRC 3Q 2014 average base rent on lease turnover UP+12%, with new leases UP+26% and renewed leases UP+10%		
IRC year to date 2014 divested 7 properties for \$65 million IRC year to date 2014 acquired 3 property for \$28 million IRC year to date 2014 joint venture investments \$139 million for 8 net leased properties		
IRC stock price supported by current annual dividend yield of5.3%		
IRC a Retail REIT with a diverse portfolio of neighborhood and community shopping centers concentrated in midwestern states		
IRC we rank 3 HOLD		



Company:	Host Hotels & Resorts	
Price:	\$23	
Recommendation:	BUY	
Ranking:	2	
Market Cap:	\$18,216	
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT	
Additional Text: 11/28/2014 HST \$23		
Host Hotels & Resorts HS supporting trading in stock	T OPEC decision not to reduce production heralds further oil price decline, ss of Hotel REITs	
HST Saudi Arabia as key OPEC producer refused to reduce production ensuring that prices must "find their own level"		
HST comment from Petroleum Policy Intelligence noted "an output cut may have been ineffective" and "the only way to counter the surge in US shale oil production is to allow lower prices to pare back supply over time"		
HST Brent Crude now trading at \$71 per barrel, DOWN (8%) since OPEC announcement, as investors speculate potential oil price decline could go as low as\$60-\$70 per barrel		
HST next OPEC meeting scheduled for June 2015, indicating another oil price adjustment unlikely to be addressed for 8 months		
HST Hotel REITs normally trade inversely to oil prices, as lower price of gasoline enables more spending on extra room nights and ancillary charges increasing occupancy and profitability for hotels		
HST increased guidance range for FFO for 2014 to indicate growth UP +12%-+14%		
HST recently increased dividend by 33%, bringing current annual dividend yield to 3.5%, above the midpoint of the range for Hotel REITs		
HST a Hotel REIT with a portfolio of upscale hotels and resorts in US, Mexico, Europe and Pacific		
HST we rank 2 BUY		
HST market cap \$18.2 bill	ion	
HST an S&P 500 Index RI	EIT	



Company:	SL Green Realty
Price:	\$116
Recommendation:	SELL
Ranking:	4
Market Cap:	\$11,527
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT
Additional Text: 11/28/2014 SLG \$116	
	decision by OPEC to allow oil prices to decline may create additional key financial industry tenants of Office REITs
	large US banks have become key players in commodity markets participating ncluding warehousing and stockpiling of commodities to support commodity
SLG last week's Senate commodity prices throu commodity activities of	e hearings held by Senator Levin on potential for Wall St manipulation of ugh merchant activities in commodity markets called for new legislation to limit US banks
forced sudden drop in	s as a result of OPEC decision to maintain current levels of oil production price of Brent Crude oil, DOWN (8%) on Thanksgiving Day yesterday, now price decline to \$71 per barrel from more than \$115 per barrel in June 2014
October 2014, providin	regulations impacting activities of US banks started to take effect as of g framework for Federal Reserve and other regulators to take immediate (s, forcing divestiture of targeted exposures even without incremental
SLG exposure to oil pri credit rankings	ice decline may impact US shale oil producers limiting their cash flows and
	over exposure to financial industry tenants due to potential layoffs causing d office space, driving down rental rates on prime properties
SLG financial services 36% and suburban pro rents	now represent 34% of total portfolio tenant exposure (Manhattan properties perties 33%), with Citi representing 11.2% and Credit Suisse 5.7% of total
SLG recently increased	d guidance for FFO for 2014 to indicate growth UP +16-+17%
SLG provides current a	annual dividend yield of 1.7%
SLG an Office REIT wi	th a portfolio of office properties concentrated in NYC
SLG we rank 4 SELL	



Company:	Crown Castle
Price:	\$83
Recommendation:	BUY
Ranking:	2
Market Cap:	\$27,484
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT
Additional Text: 11/28/2014 CCI \$83	
Crown Castle CCI long	term impact of tablets on demand for wireless Internet services still a matter
	shows total 2014 tablet shipments of 236 million, UP +7.2% for 2014, 286 million for 2018, with CAGR only at 5.4% for the next 4 years
	for decline of iPad tablet sales DOWN (13%) for 2014 indicates lower prices market share loss to Android and Windows tablets
Pad market share of 2	are of 68% for Android tablets expected to decrease to64% by 2018, Apple 8% expected to decrease to 25%, and Windows current market share of 5% b 11% over next 4 years
	benefit from penetration of tablets and smartphones into subscriber base data and video streaming
CCI rents for Cell Towe areas and improve serv	er REITs driven by carrier investment to expand capacity increase coverage vice
CCI increased quarterly	y dividend distribution by 134%, bringing current annual dividend yield to 4.0%
CCI a Specialty Cell To estate, with towers in U	ower REIT with a portfolio of wireless and broadcast communications real IS and Australia
CCI we rank 2 BUY	
CCI market cap \$27.5 I	billion
	DEIT

CCI an S&P 500 Index REIT



Company:	General Growth Properties	
Price:	\$27	
Recommendation:	BUY	
Ranking:	2	
Market Cap:	\$25,369	
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT	
Additional Text: 11/28/2014 GGP \$27		
General Growth Properties GGP first retailer comments on success of extended Holiday shopping hours indicate strong start for Black Friday promotions		
GGP stores with extended hours, starting with 5:00 PM openings on Thanksgiving Day, included Best Buy, Toys R Us, JC Penney, Target, Sears, Kohl's and Macy's		
GGP retailers expect as much as 20%-27% of total annual sales for 2014 will take place during last 5 weeks of the year		
GGP tenant sales trends have indirect impact on Retail REITs, as FFO growth determined by rental rate increments, not by tenant sales		
GGP increased guidance for FFO for 2014 to indicate growth UP +13%-+15%		
GGP provides current yield of 2.5%		
GGP a Retail REIT with a portfolio of regional malls		
GGP we rank 2 BUY		
GGP market cap \$25.4 billion		
GGP an S&P 500 Index REIT		



Company:	DuPont Fabros Technology	
Price:	\$32	
Recommendation:	BUY	
Ranking:	2	
Market Cap:	\$2,644	
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT	
Additional Text: 11/28/2014 DFT \$32		
	ology DFT expected growth in online sales for Thanksgiving and Black Friday line sales potential for Holiday2014 season	
	e Systems 2014 Digital Index Online Shopping Forecast shows contribution oliday promotions provide most significant growth	
DFT Adobe forecast shows Thanksgiving online sales of \$1.35 billion UP +25% from previous year, with Black Friday online sales of \$2.48 billion UP +28%, to be followed by Cyber Monday online sales of \$2.60 billion UP +15%		
DFT total online retail sales forecast for this extended weekend\$6.4 billion UP +22% from 2013		
DFT Adobe forecast ba	ased on 20 billion visits in last 30 days to 4,500 US retail websites	
DFT Data Center REITs benefit from proliferation of smartphones, tablets, e-readers and wearable data-enabled devices, with many new apps enabling e-commerce		
DFT latest guidance fo	r FFO for 2014 indicates growth UP +24%	
DFT now providing cur	rent annual dividend yield of4.3%	
DFT a Data Center REIT with a portfolio of wholesale data centers leased to key Internet portals an service providers		
DFT we rank 2 BUY		

DFT market cap \$2.6 billion



Company:	American Tower
Price:	\$105
Recommendation:	BUY
Ranking:	2
Market Cap:	\$41,837
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT

Additional Text: 11/28/2014 AMT \$105

American Tower AMT growth of mobile apps for online shopping helps drive demand for Cell Tower  $\ensuremath{\mathsf{REITs}}$ 

AMT report from IBM Digital Analytics shows online sales from mobile devices UP+10% to 24% of total online sales for Thanksgiving Holiday weekend

AMT report from IBM shows mobile devices (including smartphones, tablets and netbooks) now represent 48% of all online browsing

AMT sampling report from Adobe Systems 2014 Digital Index for online shopping shows mobile devices now claim 31% share of all online sales, UP +10% from 2013

AMT penetration of tablets and smartphones into subscriber base increases demand for data and video streaming, forcing wireless carrier tenants to invest to upgrade service levels driving network expansion as well as higher rents

AMT recently increased guidance for AFFO for 2014 to indicate growth UP +25%-+26%

AMT provides current annual dividend yield of 1.4%

AMT a Specialty REIT with a portfolio of wireless and broadcast communications real estate with towers in US, Europe, South America, Africa and India

AMT we rank 2 BUY

AMT market cap \$41.8 billion

AMT an S&P 500 Index REIT



Company:	Cousins Properties	
Price:	\$12	
Recommendation:	HOLD	
Ranking:	3	
Market Cap:	\$2,432	
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT	
Additional Text: 11/27/2014 CUZ \$12		
Cousins Properties CUZ	traded DOWN (\$0.21) per share to close DOWN (2%) day	
CUZ stock traded UP +19% year to date for 2014, outperforming Office REITs, trading UP +16% day		
CUZ completed joint venture disposition of remaining 5 retail centers for \$80 million, generating net proceeds of \$35 million		
CUZ announced pending development of new build to-suit headquarters for Genuine Parts, with construction to begin during 1Q 2015 for completion during summer of 2016		
CUZ recent acquisitions of Fifth Third Center in Charlotte NC for \$215 million and Northpark Town Center in Atlanta for \$348 million to add significant NOI for 2015		
CUZ portfolio contribution now 60% from recent \$1.0 billion acquisition of office properties in TX, not yet included in same property NOI		
CUZ no guidance provided for FFO for 2014		
CUZ providing current ar	nnual dividend yield of2.5%	
CUZ an Office REIT with	a portfolio of office and retail properties in southern states	
CUZ we rank 3 HOLD		
CUZ market cap \$2.4 billion		



Company:	National Retail Properties	
Price:	\$39	
Recommendation:	BUY	
Ranking:	2	
Market Cap:	\$5,953	
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT	
Additional Text: 11/28/2014 NNN \$39		
National Retail Properties NNN traded UP \$0.52 per share to close UP +1% day		
NNN stock traded UP +27% year to date for 2014, outperforming Retail REITs, trading UP +15% for 2014		
NNN Retail REITs with portfolios of net leased assets becoming more appealing to investors as cap rates are higher on acquisitions of net leased assets, indicating more opportunity for valuation appreciation		
NNN all leases are triple net, with no exposure to variable tenant sales		
NNN increased guidance range for FFO for 2014 to indicate growth UP +6%-+7%		
NNN provides current annual dividend yield of 4.4%		
NNN a Retail REIT with a portfolio of net leased retail and commercial properties		
NNN we rank 2 BUY		
NNN market cap \$6.0 billion		



Company:	Health Care REIT
Price:	\$74
Recommendation:	BUY
Ranking:	2
Market Cap:	\$21,950
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT
Additional Text: 11/28/2014 HCN \$74	
Health Care REIT HCN	traded UP \$0.69 per share to close UP +1% day
HCN traded UP +38% y 2014	year to date for 2014, outperforming Health Care REITs, trading UP +19% for
HCN portfolio now inclu and Canada 5%	udes international exposure, with US representing 88% of portfolio, UK 7%
HCN completed \$950 n housing, post acute and	nillion HealthLease Properties REIT acquisition in Canada, including senior d long term care assets
HCN pending \$369 mill bringing 2014 acquisition	ion acquisition of Mainstreet Property Group to close by year end2014, ons to \$2.5 billion
HCN guidance for FFO	for 2014 indicates growth UP +6%-+9%
HCN providing current	annual dividend yield of 4.3%
HCN a Health Care RE	IT with a diverse portfolio of health care and life science properties
HCN we rank 2 BUY	
HCN market cap \$22.0	billion
HCN an S&P 500 Index	REIT



Company:	Ashford Hospitality Trust
Price:	\$10
Recommendation:	BUY
Ranking:	2
Market Cap:	\$1,140
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT
Additional Text: 11/28/2014 AHT \$10	
	st AHT 3Q 2014 FFO \$0.25 v \$0.25 FLAT <sup>•</sup> period 3Q 2013 includes contribution from hotels of November 2013 spin-off ne AHP
	EBITDA \$82 million DOWN (4%) for prior year period 3Q 2013 includes contribution from hotels of November lospitality Prime AHP
AHT no guidance provi	ded for FFO for 2014
	(revenue per available room) \$108 UP +12.4% erage daily rate) \$139 UP +6.4% cy 78.2% UP +4.2%
AHT 3Q 2014 hotel EB	ITDA margin 31.4% UP +1.9%
AHT 3Q 2014 acquired	2 hotels for \$58 million
AHT provides current d	lividend yield of 4.6%
AHT a Hotel REIT	
AHT we rank 2 BUY	
AHT market cap \$1.1 b	illion



Company:	Arbor Realty Trust	
Price:	\$7	
Recommendation:	BUY	
Ranking:	2	
Market Cap:	\$350	
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT	
Additional Text: 11/28/2014 ABR \$7		
	3Q 2014 GAAP EPS \$1.26 v \$0.08 S includes (\$3) million loan loss provision and \$58 million gain on sale of	
ABR 3Q 2014 FFO \$0.15 (adjusted) v \$0.13 UP +15% ABR 3Q 2014 excludes net gain of \$1.15 per share on sale of 450 West 33rd St NYC		
ABR 3Q 2014 GAAP book value \$7.67 per share UP +15% from June 2014 ABR stock price trading at discount of (22%) to GAAP book value as of 3Q 2014		
ABR 3Q 2014 adjusted book value \$9.14 per share DOWN (1%) from June 2014 ABR 3Q 2014 adjusted book value includes deferred revenues and excludes charges for non-realized derivatives losses, partially offset by exclusion of prepaid management fees		
ABR 3Q 2014 portfolio \$1.7 billion loans and investments, including \$1.5 billion loans and investments and \$116 million real estate owned and held for sale ABR 3Q 2014 portfolio yield 6.99%, with cost of funds at 3.97% for NIM (net interest margin) of 3.02%, UP +0.53% from June 2014		
ABR 3Q 2014 invested \$243 million in new loans ABR 3Q 2014 received loan repayments totaling \$218 million		
ABR 3Q 2014 total \$6 million non-performing loans ABR 2Q 2014 total loan loss reserve \$116 million relating to \$229 million face value of loans		
ABR provides current annual dividend yield of7.5%		
ABR a Financial Commo	ercial REIT	
ABR we rank 2 BUY		
ABR market cap \$350 million		



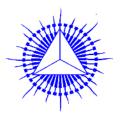
Company:	Kite Realty Group		
Price:	\$27		
Recommendation:	BUY		
Ranking:	2		
Market Cap:	\$2,334		
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT		
Additional Text: 11/28/2014 KRG \$27			
Kite Realty Group KRG 3Q 2014 FFO \$0.51 (adjusted) v \$0.52 (adjusted) DOWN (2%) KRG 3Q 2014 FFO (adjusted) excludes net charges of (\$0.22) per share relating to merger transaction			
KRG guidance range 2014 FFO \$2.00-\$2.04 (adjusted) v \$1.92 UP +4%-+6% KRG previous guidance range 2014 FFO \$1.96-\$2.08 per share KRG guidance range 2014 FFO (adjusted) excludes net charges of (\$0.45) per share relating to merger transaction KRG guidance range 2014 FFO assumes same property NOI UP +4.4-+4.6%%			
KRG implied guidance 4Q 2014 FFO \$0.48-\$0.52 v \$0.44 UP +9%-+18%			
KRG 3Q 2014 same property NOI UP +4.7% KRG 3Q 2014 portfolio occupancy 94.9% DOWN (1.0%)			
KRG 3Q 2014 rents on lease turnover UP +14.4%			
KRG pending divestiture of 15 assets for \$318 million expected to close during 4Q 2014 and 1Q 2015			
KRG investing \$157 million to develop 2 new retail centers, now 74% pre-leased			
KRG recently completed merger with non-traded REIT Inland Diversified Real Estate Trust, adding scale in community shopping centers			
KRG concentration of retail properties in midwest, with 45% of total retail space located in IN and IL, differentiates KRG from other Retail REITs			
KRG provides current annual dividend yield of 3.8%			
KRG a Retail REIT with a portfolio of neighborhood and community shopping centers			
KRG we rank 2 BUY			
KRG market cap \$2.3 billion			



Company:	Cedar Shopping Centers	
Price:	\$7	
Recommendation:	HOLD	
Ranking:	3	
Market Cap:	\$541	
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT	
Additional Text: 11/28/2014 CDR \$7		
Cedar Shopping Cente	ers CDR 3Q 2014 operating FFO \$0.14 v \$0.13 UP +8%	
	d of guidance range 2014 operating FFO \$0.53-\$0.54 v \$0.50 UP +6%-+8% e range 2014 operating FFO \$0.52-\$0.54 per share	
CDR 3Q 2014 same property NOI UP +1.9% CDR 3Q 2014 portfolio occupancy 93.1% CDR 3Q 2014 rents on lease turnover UP +8.8% on cash basis		
CDR 2014 year to date acquisitions \$92 million for 1 property CDR 2014 year to date dispositions \$79 million for 6 properties		
CDR stock price supported by current dividend yield of 3.0%		
CDR a Retail REIT with a portfolio of neighborhood and community shopping centers concentrated in northeastern states		
CDR we rank 3 HOLD		



Company:	Ashford Hospitality Prime		
Price:	\$17		
Recommendation:	BUY		
Ranking:	2		
Market Cap:	\$604		
Link:	http://www.reitmonitor.net/atlantis/REITWebRpt.nsf/PayBuy?OpenFor m&REIT		
Additional Text: 11/28/2014 AHP \$17			
Ashford Hospitality Prime AHP 3Q 2014 FFO \$0.42 v \$0.32 UP +31%			
AHP 3Q 2014 adjusted EBITDA \$25 million UP +47% due to acquisitions			
AHP spin-off from Ashford Hospitality Trust AHT occurred on November 19, 2013			
AHP no guidance provided for FFO for 2014			
AHP 3Q 2014 RevPAR (revenue per available room) \$191 UP +11.7% AHP 3Q 2014 ADR (average daily rate) \$221 UP +9.6% AHP 3Q 2014 occupancy 86.6% UP +1.9%			
AHP hotel EBITDA margin 34.7% UP +1.1%			
AHP provides current dividend yield of 1.1%			
AHP a Hotel REIT			
AHP we rank 2 BUY			
AHP market cap \$604 million			



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