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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT PURSUANT TO
SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE
SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Date of report (Date of earliest event reported): October 20, 2021

LAREDO PETROLEUM, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in charter)

Delaware
(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or
organization)

001-35380
(Commission File Number)

45-3007926
(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

15 W. Sixth Street, Suite 900, Tulsa, Oklahoma
(Address of principal executive offices)

74119
(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: **(918) 513-4570**

Not Applicable
(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Exchange Act:

Title of each class	Trading Symbol	Name of each exchange on which registered
Common stock, \$0.01 par value	LPI	New York Stock Exchange

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- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d-2(b))
- Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e-4(c))

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (§230.405 of this chapter) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (§240.12b-2 of this chapter).

Emerging growth company

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.

Item 8.01 Other Events.

As previously disclosed in its Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the “SEC”) on May 11, 2021 (the “Sabalo Announcement 8-K”), Laredo Petroleum, Inc. (the “Company”) entered into agreements with respect to the Sabalo/Shad Acquisition and the Working Interest Sale, as those terms are defined and described in the Sabalo Announcement 8-K. On July 1, 2021, the Company consummated the Sabalo/Shad Acquisition and the Working Interest Sale.

The Company is filing this Current Report on Form 8-K to disclose the financial statements and information set forth in Item 9.01 hereto.

On October 20, 2021, in connection with the Pioneer Acquisition, as that term is defined and described in the Company’s Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the SEC on September 20, 2021, and pursuant to the regular semi-annual redetermination, the Company’s lenders increased the borrowing base under the Fifth Amended and Restated Credit Agreement (as amended, the “Senior Secured Credit Facility”) to \$1.0 billion. The aggregate elected commitment under the Senior Secured Credit Facility remained unchanged at \$725 million.

Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(a) Financial statements of business to be acquired.

The audited annual combined financial statements of Sabalo Energy, LLC and Sabalo Operating, LLC (collectively, “Sabalo”), which comprise the balance sheets as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, the related statements of operations, members’ equity, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the combined financial statements, were previously filed as [Exhibit 99.1 to the Company’s Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the SEC on June 2, 2021](#) and are incorporated by reference herein.

The unaudited quarterly combined financial statements of Sabalo, which comprise the balance sheet as of June 30, 2021, the related statements of operations, members’ equity, and cash flows for each of the six-month periods ended June 30, 2021 and June 30, 2020, and the related notes to the combined financial statements, are filed as Exhibit 99.1 hereto and incorporated by reference herein.

The audited annual financial statements of Shad Permian, LLC (“Shad”), which comprise the balance sheets as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, the related statements of operations, members’ equity, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements, were previously filed as [Exhibit 99.3 to the Company’s Current Report on Form 8-K filed with the SEC on June 2, 2021](#) and are incorporated by reference herein.

The unaudited quarterly financial statements of Shad, which comprise the balance sheet as of June 30, 2021, the related statements of income, members’ equity, and cash flows for each of the six-month periods ended June 30, 2021 and June 30, 2020, and the related notes to the financial statements, are filed as Exhibit 99.2 hereto and incorporated by reference herein.

(b) Pro forma financial information.

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information of the Company, which comprise the balance sheet as of June 30, 2021, the related statements of operations for the six-month period ended June 30, 2021 and year ended December 31, 2020, and the related notes to the pro forma condensed combined financial information, is filed as Exhibit 99.3 hereto and incorporated by reference herein.

(d) Exhibits.

Exhibit Number	Description
23.1	Consent of Tranbarger FHK, PLLC with respect to Sabalo audited combined financial statements.
23.2	Consent of Tranbarger FHK, PLLC with respect to Shad audited financial statements.
23.3	Consent of W.D. Von Gonten & Co.
99.1	Unaudited combined financial statements of Sabalo as of June 30, 2021 and for the six-month periods ended June 30, 2021 and June 30, 2020.
99.2	Unaudited financial statements of Shad as of June 30, 2021 and for the six-month periods ended June 30, 2021 and June 30, 2020.
99.3	Unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information of Laredo as of June 30, 2021 and for the six-month period ended June 30, 2021 and year ended December 31, 2020.
104	Cover Page Interactive Data File (formatted as Inline XBRL).

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

LAREDO PETROLEUM, INC.

Date: October 25, 2021

By: /s/ Bryan J. Lemmerman
Bryan J. Lemmerman
Senior Vice President and Chief Financial Officer

TRANBARGER FHK, PLLC
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

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CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM

We consent to the incorporation by reference in this Current Report on Form 8-K of Laredo Petroleum, Inc. of our report dated May 24, 2021, relating to the combined financial statements of Sabalo Energy, LLC and Sabalo Operating, LLC as of December 31, 2020 and 2019 and for the years then ended, which appears in Laredo's Current Report on Form 8-K Laredo Petroleum, Inc. filed on June 2, 2021.

/s/ Tranbarger FHK, PLLC

San Antonio, Texas
October 25, 2021

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/s/ Tranbarger FHK, PLLC

San Antonio, Texas
October 25, 2021

CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT PETROLEUM ENGINEERS

We consent to the incorporation by reference in this Current Report on Form 8-K of Laredo Petroleum, Inc. of our estimates of reserves contained in our reports entitled “Sabalo Energy, LLC Interests Midland Basin Oil & Gas Assets Estimate of Reserves and Revenues SEC Pricing Case “As of” January 1, 2021,” dated May 5, 2021, and “Shad Permian, LLC Interests Midland Basin Oil & Gas Assets Estimate of Reserves and Revenues SEC Pricing Case “As of” January 1, 2021,” dated May 5, 2021.

Yours truly,

W.D. VON GONTEN & CO.

By: /s/ William D. Von Gonten, Jr.
William D. Von Gonten, Jr.
October 25, 2021

SABALO ENERGY, LLC AND

SABALO OPERATING, LLC

REVIEWED COMBINED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

JUNE 30, 2021 AND 2020

TRANBARGER FHK, PLLC

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

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Independent Accountant's Review Report

To the Members
Sabalo Energy, LLC and Sabalo Operating, LLC
Corpus Christi, Texas

We have reviewed the accompanying combined financial statements of Sabalo Energy, LLC and Sabalo Operating, LLC (collectively the "Company"), which comprise the combined balance sheets as of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, and the related combined statements of operations, members' equity, and cash flows for the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, and the related notes to the combined financial statements. A review includes primarily applying analytical procedures to management's financial data and making inquiries of Company management. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion regarding the combined financial statements as a whole. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these combined financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of combined financial statements that are free from material misstatement whether due to fraud or error.

Accountant's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to conduct the review engagement in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services promulgated by the Accounting and Review Services Committee of the AICPA. Those standards require us to perform procedures to obtain limited assurance as a basis for reporting whether we are aware of any material modifications that should be made to the combined financial statements for them to be in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We believe that the results of our procedures provide a reasonable basis for our conclusion.

Accountant's Conclusion

Based on our review, we are not aware of any material modifications that should be made to the accompanying combined financial statements in order for them to be in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

/s/ Tranbarger FHK, PLLC
San Antonio, Texas
October 18, 2021

SABALO ENERGY, LLC AND SABALO OPERATING, LLC

COMBINED BALANCE SHEETS

June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020

	June 30, 2021	December 31, 2020
ASSETS		
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 36,510,365	\$ 19,818,849
Time deposits	50,528	50,528
Accounts receivable	36,448,094	26,273,725
Other receivable	41,808	14,709
Prepaid expenses	92,746	180,710
Inventory	1,618,082	1,892,024
	<u>74,761,623</u>	<u>48,230,545</u>
Non-current assets		
Oil and gas properties – successful efforts method, net	500,544,267	459,287,254
Property, plant, and equipment, net	1,271,668	1,297,062
	<u>1,271,668</u>	<u>1,297,062</u>
Total Assets	<u>\$ 576,577,558</u>	<u>\$ 508,814,861</u>
LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY		
Current liabilities		
Accounts payable	\$ 36,884,909	\$ 12,140,217
Accrued expenses	3,944,975	1,780,744
Revenue payables	20,823,665	13,518,466
Prepayments from non-operators	935,554	210,460
Derivative liability, current	29,685,766	33,219
Short term borrowings	50,647	203,040
	<u>92,325,516</u>	<u>27,886,146</u>
Non-current liabilities		
Long-term debt, less deferred loan costs	146,714,564	146,549,943
Derivative liability, non-current	755,714	2,134,538
Accounts payable - related party	31,751,506	26,106,929
Asset retirement obligation	7,215,077	7,039,313
Total liabilities	<u>278,762,377</u>	<u>209,716,869</u>
Members' equity		
Total members' equity	<u>297,815,181</u>	<u>299,097,992</u>
Total Liabilities and Members' Equity	<u>\$ 576,577,558</u>	<u>\$ 508,814,861</u>

See notes to the combined financial statements.

SABALO ENERGY, LLC AND SABALO OPERATING, LLC

COMBINED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS

Six Months Ended June 30,	2021	2020
REVENUES		
Oil revenue	\$ 84,606,107	\$ 56,214,515
Gas revenue	2,139,151	54,996
Natural gas liquids revenue	3,840,673	1,030,692
Total revenues, net	<u>90,585,931</u>	<u>57,300,203</u>
OPERATING EXPENSES		
Production taxes	4,313,735	2,787,101
Lease operating expenses	19,619,266	19,500,032
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	20,963,494	29,049,903
Accretion of asset retirement obligation	170,005	164,105
Selling, general and administrative	3,148,588	3,177,804
Total operating expenses	<u>48,215,088</u>	<u>54,678,945</u>
OPERATING INCOME	42,370,843	2,621,258
OTHER INCOME (EXPENSE)		
Provision for uncollectible receivables	(27,736)	-
Gain (loss) on derivative instruments, net	(40,820,247)	30,846,259
Interest expense	(3,463,113)	(4,150,652)
Interest income	157	10,579
Loss on sale of property and equipment	-	(3,904)
Other income	784,234	746,193
Total other income (expense)	<u>(43,526,705)</u>	<u>27,448,475</u>
INCOME (LOSS) BEFORE INCOME TAXES	(1,155,862)	30,069,733
STATE INCOME TAX EXPENSE	126,949	2,101
NET INCOME (LOSS)	<u>\$ (1,282,811)</u>	<u>\$ 30,067,632</u>

See notes to the combined financial statements.

SABALO ENERGY, LLC AND SABALO OPERATING, LLC

COMBINED STATEMENTS OF MEMBERS' EQUITY

Six Months Ended June 30, 2021 and 2020

	Total Members' Equity
Balance at January 1, 2021	\$ 299,097,992
Loss from the period	<u>(1,282,811)</u>
Balance at June 30, 2021	<u>\$ 297,815,181</u>
Balance at January 1, 2020	\$ 304,107,040
Income from the period	<u>30,067,632</u>
Balance at June 30, 2020	<u>\$ 334,174,672</u>

See notes to the combined financial statements.

SABALO ENERGY, LLC AND SABALO OPERATING, LLC

COMBINED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

Six Months Ended June 30,	2021	2020
OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Net income (loss)	\$ (1,282,811)	\$ 30,067,632
Adjustments to reconcile net income (loss) to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Loss on sale of property and equipment	-	3,904
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	20,963,494	29,049,903
Provision for uncollectible receivables	27,736	-
Amortization of loan costs	269,946	381,547
Accretion of asset retirement obligation	170,005	164,105
(Gain) loss on derivative instruments	40,820,247	(30,846,259)
Cash settled on derivative instruments	(12,546,524)	12,670,789
Changes in:		
Receivables	(10,229,204)	26,647,560
Prepaid expenses	87,964	38,002
Inventory	273,942	707,440
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	35,469,929	(43,944,998)
Accounts payable - related party	5,644,577	4,224,129
Prepayment by non-operators	725,094	286,886
Net cash provided by operating activities	<u>80,394,395</u>	<u>29,450,640</u>
INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Capital expenditures on oil and gas properties	(63,440,418)	(32,433,123)
Proceeds from sale of property and equipment	-	2,000
Capital expenditures on property and equipment	(4,743)	(23,592)
Net cash used in investing activities	<u>(63,445,161)</u>	<u>(32,454,715)</u>
FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Payments on long-term debt	-	(9,000,000)
Payments on short-term borrowings	(152,393)	(164,953)
Loan costs paid	(105,325)	-
Net cash used in financing activities	<u>(257,718)</u>	<u>(9,164,953)</u>
Net increase (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	16,691,516	(12,169,028)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	19,818,849	15,734,982
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	<u>\$ 36,510,365</u>	<u>\$ 3,565,954</u>

See notes to the combined financial statements.

NOTES TO THE COMBINED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020

1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Nature of Operations

Sabalo Energy, LLC and Sabalo Operating, LLC (collectively the “Company”) were formed to focus on leasing, acquiring, drilling, operating, and developing oil and gas properties in the United States. The Company primarily operates in Texas.

Basis of Preparation

These combined financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (“U.S. GAAP”) as codified by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (“FASB”) in its Accounting Standards Codification (“ASC”). The accounting policies set out below have been applied in preparing the combined financial statements.

Principles of Combination

Sabalo Operating, LLC (“Operating”) is the operator of record on all properties owned by Sabalo Energy LLC (“Energy”) under the Joint Operating Agreement (“JOA”) between all working interest owners of each property. As operator, Operating is responsible under the JOA to drill wells, maintain production, pay for costs to drill and operate wells, collect revenues and distribute revenues as approved by the owners, including Energy and other third parties. Additionally, Energy has executed a Management Agreement whereby Operating provides services to develop the properties, pay the costs, collect revenues and distribute to owners. Due to this relationship, the combined financial statements include the financial information of Sabalo Energy, LLC, Sabalo Operating, LLC and Sabalo Energy, Inc. Sabalo Energy, Inc. is the .01% general owner of Sabalo Energy, LLC. Energy and Operating are effectively 100% owned by Sabalo Holdings, LLC. All intercompany amounts have been eliminated upon combination.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of combined financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the combined financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates. Management believes that these estimates and assumptions provide a reasonable basis for the fair presentation of the combined financial statements. Material estimates that are particularly susceptible to significant change in the near term relate to the determination of the estimate of the fair value of the derivative asset/liability.

NOTES TO THE COMBINED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020

1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Additionally, significant estimates include volumes of oil and natural gas reserves used in calculating depreciation and depletion of oil and gas properties, future net revenues, abandonment obligations, impairment of unproved evaluated properties, the collectability of outstanding accounts receivable, and contingencies. Oil and natural gas reserve estimates, which are the basis for unit-of-production depreciation and depletion, have numerous inherent uncertainties. The accuracy of any reserve estimate is a function of the quality of available data and of engineering and geological interpretation and judgement. Subsequent drilling results, testing, and production may justify revision of such estimates. Accordingly, reserve estimates are often different from the quantities of oil and natural gas that are ultimately recovered. In addition, reserve estimates are sensitive to changes in wellhead prices of crude oil and natural gas. Such prices have been volatile in the past and can be expected to be volatile in the future. The Company's reserve estimates were determined by an independent petroleum engineering firm.

The significant estimates are based on current assumptions that may be materially affected by changes to future economic conditions, such as the market prices received for sales of oil and natural gas. Changes in these assumptions may materially affect these significant estimates in the near term.

Oil and Gas Properties

The carrying value of the Company's oil and gas properties represents the cost to acquire or develop the asset, including any asset retirement obligations and capitalized interest, net of accumulated depreciation, depletion and amortization ("DD&A") and any impairment charges. For assets acquired, the cost of oil and gas properties are based on fair values at the acquisition date. Asset retirement obligations and interest costs incurred in connection with qualifying capital expenditures are capitalized and amortized over the lives of the related assets.

The Company uses the successful efforts method to account for its oil and gas properties. Under this method, the Company capitalizes costs of acquiring properties, costs of drilling successful exploration wells and development costs. The costs of exploratory wells are initially capitalized pending a determination of whether proved reserves have been found. If proved reserves have been found, the costs of exploratory wells remain capitalized. Otherwise, the Company charges the costs of the related wells to expense. In some cases, a determination of proved reserves cannot be made at the completion of drilling, requiring additional testing and evaluation of the wells. The Company generally expenses the costs of such exploratory wells if a determination of proved reserves has not been made within a 12-month period after drilling is complete.

The Company determines depreciation and depletion of oil and gas properties by the unit-of-production method. It amortizes acquisition costs over total proved reserves, and capitalized development and successful exploration costs over proved developed reserves.

NOTES TO THE COMBINED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020

1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Proved oil and gas reserves are those quantities of oil and gas which, by analysis of geoscience and engineering data, can be estimated with reasonable certainty to be economically producible – from a given date forward, for known reservoirs, and under existing economic conditions, operating methods, and government regulations – prior to the time at which contracts providing the right to operate expire, unless evidence indicates that renewal is reasonably certain, regardless of whether deterministic or probabilistic methods are used for the estimation. The Company has proved oil and gas reserves for which the determination of economic productivity is subject to the completion of major additional capital expenditure as of June 30, 2021 which totaled \$787 million.

The Company performs impairment tests with respect to its proved properties whenever events or circumstances indicate that the carrying value of property may not be recoverable. If there is an indication the carrying amount of the asset may not be recovered due to declines in current and forward prices, significant changes in reserve estimates, changes in management's plans, or other significant events, management will evaluate the property for impairment. Under the successful efforts method, if the sum of the undiscounted cash flows is less than the carrying value of the proved property, the carrying value is reduced to estimated fair value and reported as an impairment charge in the period. Individually proved properties are grouped for impairment purposes at the lowest level for which there are identifiable cash flows, which is generally on a field by field basis. The impairment test incorporates a number of assumptions involving expectations of future cash flows which can change significantly over time. These assumptions include estimates of future product prices, contractual prices, estimates of risk-adjusted proved oil and gas reserves and estimates of future operating and development costs.

A portion of the carrying value of the Company's oil and gas properties is attributable to unproved properties. The unproved amounts are not subject to DD&A until they are classified as proved properties. Capitalized costs attributable to the properties become subject to DD&A when proved reserves are assigned to the property.

If the exploration efforts are unsuccessful, or management decides not to pursue development of these properties as a result of lower commodity prices, higher development and operating costs, contractual conditions or other factors, the capitalized costs of the related properties would be expensed. The timing of any write-downs of these unproved properties, if warranted, depends upon management's plans, the nature, timing and extent of future exploration and development activities and their results. The Company recorded no impairments during the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020.

Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost, less accumulated depreciation. Improvements or betterments of a permanent nature are capitalized. Expenditures for maintenance and repairs are charged to expense when incurred. The cost of assets retired or otherwise disposed of, and the related accumulated depreciation, are eliminated from the accounts in the year of disposal. Gains or losses resulting from property disposals are credited or charged to current operations.

NOTES TO THE COMBINED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020

1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

The Company provides for depreciation and amortization using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the assets, which range from 3 to 7 years. Such rates are calculated to reduce the cost of assets to their estimated residual values over their expected useful lives. The expected useful lives of property, plant and equipment are reviewed annually.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, deposits held with banks and other short-term highly liquid investments with original maturities of six months or less.

Time Deposits

Time deposits are certificates of deposit held for collateral for a letter of credit amounting to \$50,528 as of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020. No balance is outstanding on the letter of credit as of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020.

Prepaid Expenses

Prepaid expenses represent payments for insurance, software, and deposits on well studies that will benefit future periods. Prepaid expenses totaled \$92,746 and \$180,710 as of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively.

Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable are stated net of a provision for amounts estimated to be uncollectible. Accounts receivable primarily consist of accrued revenues from oil and gas sales and amounts due from other working interest owners. The Company routinely assesses the recoverability of all material receivables to determine their collectability. The Company creates a provision against a receivable when, based on the judgment of management, it is likely that a receivable will not be collected and the amount of such provision may be reasonably estimated. No allowance for doubtful accounts was considered necessary as of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020.

Inventory

Inventories are carried at the lower of cost or market and consisted of the following at:

	June 30, 2021	December 31, 2020
Crude oil held-for-sale	\$ 459,923	\$ 445,142
Materials used in oil and gas operations	865,424	1,154,147
Water used in oil and gas operations	292,735	292,735
	<u>\$ 1,618,082</u>	<u>\$ 1,892,024</u>

NOTES TO THE COMBINED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020

1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Derivative Financial Instruments

The Company uses derivative contracts to hedge the effects of fluctuations in the prices of oil and natural gas. Such derivative instruments are accounted for in accordance with ASC 815, "*Derivatives and Hedging*," which establishes accounting and disclosure requirements for derivative instruments and requires them to be measured at fair value and recorded as assets or liabilities in the combined balance sheets.

Under ASC 815, hedge accounting is used to defer recognition of unrealized changes in the fair value of such financial instruments, for those contracts which qualify as cash flow hedges, as defined in the standard. The Company has not designated any of its derivative contracts as fair value or cash flow hedges. Accordingly, the changes in fair value of the contracts, as well as settlements received or paid, are included in the combined statement of operations.

Accounts Payable and Accruals

Liabilities are recognized for amounts to be paid in the future for goods and services received, whether billed by the supplier or not.

Asset Retirement Obligations

The initial estimated asset retirement obligation related to property, plant and equipment is recorded as a liability at its fair value, with an offsetting asset retirement cost recorded as an increase to the associated property, plant and equipment. If the fair value of the recorded asset retirement obligation changes, a revision is recorded to both the asset retirement obligation and the asset retirement cost.

Revisions in estimated liabilities can result from changes in estimated inflation rates, changes in service and equipment costs and changes in the estimated timing of an asset's retirement. Asset retirement costs are depreciated using a systematic and rational method similar to that used for the associated property and equipment. Accretion of the liability is recognized over the estimated productive life of the related assets.

Revenue Recognition

Under Accounting Standards Codification Topic 606, "*Revenue from Contracts with Customers*," ("ASC 606"), oil, natural gas and NGL sales revenues are recognized when control of the product is transferred to the customer, the performance obligations under the terms of the contracts with customers are satisfied and collectability is reasonably assured. All of the Company's oil, natural gas and NGL sales are made under contracts with customers. The performance obligations for the Company's contracts with customers are satisfied at a point in time through the delivery of oil and natural gas to its customers.

NOTES TO THE COMBINED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020

1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

The Company typically receives payment for oil, natural gas and NGL sales within 30 days of the month of delivery. The Company's contracts for oil, natural gas and NGL sales are standard industry contracts that include variable consideration based on the monthly index price and adjustments that may include counterparty-specific provisions related to volumes, price differentials, discounts and other adjustments and deductions.

The Company's product types are as follows:

Oil Revenue – Under the Company's oil sales contracts, the Company generally sells oil to the purchaser at or near the wellhead, and collects a contractually agreed upon index price, net of pricing and gathering and transportation differentials. The Company transfers control of the product to the purchaser at or near the wellhead and recognizes revenue based on the net price received.

Natural Gas and NGL Revenue – Under the Company's natural gas sales contracts, the Company delivers and transfers control of natural gas to the purchaser at delivery points at or near the wellhead. The purchaser gathers and processes the natural gas and sells the resulting residue gas and NGLs. The Company receives its contractual portion of the proceeds for the sale of the residue gas and NGLs at an agreed upon index price, net of pricing differentials and applicable selling expenses including gathering, processing and fractionation costs. The Company recognizes revenue at the net price when control transfers to the purchaser.

The Company does not disclose the value of unsatisfied performance obligations for (i) contracts with an original expected length of one year or less and (ii) contracts for which the variable consideration is allocated entirely to a wholly unsatisfied performance obligation, as allowed under ASC 606. Under the Company's oil, natural gas and NGL sales contracts, each unit of product delivered to the customer represents a separate performance obligation; therefore, future volumes are wholly unsatisfied and disclosure of the transaction price allocated to remaining performance obligations is not required.

Contract Balances – Under the Company's product sales contracts, it has the right to invoice its customers once the performance obligations have been satisfied, at which point payment is unconditional. Accordingly, the Company's product sales contracts do not give rise to contract assets or liabilities under ASC 606.

Prior-period Performance Obligations – The Company records revenue in the month production is delivered to the purchaser. However, settlement statements for certain natural gas and natural gas liquids sales may not be received for 30 to 90 days after the date production is delivered, and as a result, the Company is required to estimate the amount of production delivered to the purchaser and the price that will be received for the sale of the product. The Company records the differences between its estimates and the actual amounts received for product sales in the month that payment is received from the purchaser. The Company has existing internal controls for its revenue estimation process and related accruals, and any identified differences between its revenue estimates and actual revenue received historically have not been significant.

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1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Income Taxes

The Company is not a taxpaying entity for federal income tax purposes; accordingly, a provision for income taxes has not been recorded in the accompanying financial statements. Income or losses from disregarded entities are reflected in the member's individual or corporate income tax returns. The Company does pay franchise taxes, which are considered income taxes under the authoritative guidance. The Company's current year and prior three years tax returns remain open for examination by the taxing authorities.

The Company has adopted the provisions of FASB Accounting Standards Codification 740, "Income Taxes" ("ASC 740"), effective January 1, 2009. ASC 740 provides guidance regarding the recognition, measurement, presentation and disclosure in the financial statements of tax positions taken or expected to be taken on a tax return, including the decision whether to file or not to file in a particular jurisdiction.

Concentration of Credit Risk

Financial instruments which potentially subject the Company to concentrations of credit risk include cash, cash equivalents, short term loans and accounts receivable. The Company maintains its cash in bank deposit accounts; which, at times, may exceed the federally insured limits set forth by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation ("FDIC"). The Company monitors the financial condition of the institutions whereby these deposits are maintained and has not experienced any losses associated with its accounts. As of June 30, 2021, the Company has uninsured deposits totalling \$40,811,455.

The Company's financial condition, results of operations, and capital resources are highly dependent upon the prevailing market prices of, and demand for, oil and natural gas. These commodity prices are subject to wide fluctuations and market uncertainties due to a variety of factors that are beyond its control. These factors include the level of global demand for petroleum products, foreign supply of oil and gas, the establishment of and compliance with production quotas by oil-exporting countries, weather conditions, the price and availability of alternative fuels, and overall economic conditions, both foreign and domestic.

The Company cannot predict future oil and gas prices with any degree of certainty. Sustained weakness in oil and gas prices may adversely affect its financial condition and results of operations, and may also reduce the amount of net oil and gas reserves that the Company can produce economically. Similarly, any improvement in oil and gas prices can have a favorable impact on the Company's financial condition, results of operations and capital resources.

The Company's customer concentration may impact the Company's overall credit risk, either positively or negatively, in that these entities may be similarly affected by changes in economic or other conditions affecting the oil and gas industry.

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1. **NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES** (continued)

The Company manages credit risk related to accounts receivable through credit approvals, credit limits and monitoring procedures. The Company routinely assesses the financial strength of its customers and, based upon factors surrounding the credit risk, establishes an allowance, if required, for uncollectible accounts and, as a consequence, believes that its accounts receivable credit risk exposure beyond such allowance is limited.

In the exploration, development and production business, production is normally sold to relatively few customers. Substantially all of the Company's customers are concentrated in the oil and gas industry and revenue can be materially affected by current economic conditions, the price of certain commodities such as crude oil and natural gas and the availability of alternate purchasers. The Company believes that the loss of any of its major purchasers would not have a long-term material adverse effect on its operations.

Compensated Absences

Compensated absences for sick pay and personal time have not been accrued since they cannot be reasonably estimated. The Company's policy is to recognize these costs when actually paid.

Advertising

The Company expenses all advertising costs as incurred, and such expenses were not significant for the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020.

Contingent Revenue from Sale

The Company is entitled to contingent consideration in relation to the sale detailed at Note 14 if certain conditions are met over a three year period. The Company will recognize the amount earned into gain income upon the condition being met. No revenue will be recognized if the condition is not met.

Deferred Financing Costs

Deferred financing costs are stated at cost, net of amortization, and as a direct reduction from the carrying value of long-term debt on the combined balance sheets. Amortization of deferred financing costs is computed using the straight line method over the life of the loan. Amortization of deferred financing costs of \$269,946 and \$381,547 was recorded for the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively.

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1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Fair Values

As defined in FASB ASC Topic No. 820-10, "Fair Value Measurements," fair value is the price that would be received upon the sale of an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. FASB ASC Topic No. 820-10 requires disclosure that establishes a framework for measuring fair value and expands disclosure about fair value measurements. The statement requires fair value measurements be classified and disclosed in one of the following categories:

Level 1 – Inputs utilize quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that we have the ability to access.

Level 2 – Inputs utilize other-than-quoted prices that are observable, either directly or indirectly. Level 2 inputs include quoted prices for similar assets and liabilities in active markets, and inputs such as interest rates and yield curves that are observable at commonly quoted intervals.

Level 3 – Inputs are unobservable and are typically based on our own assumptions, including situations where there is little, if any, market activity.

The carrying amounts of financial assets and liabilities, such as cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, borrowings, accounts payable and accrued expenses, approximate their fair values because of the short maturity of these instruments and market rates of interest available to the Company. The valuation assumptions the Company has used to measure the fair value of its commodity derivatives were observable inputs based on market data obtained from independent sources and are considered Level 2 inputs (quoted prices for similar assets, liabilities and market-corroborated inputs).

Assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a recurring basis

Certain assets and liabilities are reported at fair value on a recurring basis in the combined balance sheets. The following methods and assumptions were used to estimate fair value:

Commodity derivative instruments. The fair value of commodity derivative instruments is derived using an income approach valuation model that utilizes market-corroborated inputs that are observable over the term of the derivative contract. The Company's fair value calculations also incorporate an estimate of the counterparties' default risk for derivative assets and an estimate of the Company's default risk for derivative liabilities.

The Company believes that the majority of the inputs used to calculate the commodity derivative instruments fall within Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy based on the wide availability of quoted market prices for similar commodity derivative contracts. See Note 6 for additional information regarding the Company's derivative instruments.

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1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

The following table presents the Company's assets and (liabilities) measured at fair value on a recurring basis:

	Level 1 Inputs	Level 2 Inputs	Level 3 Inputs	Total Fair Value
June 30, 2021				
Derivative instruments, net	\$ -	\$ (30,441,480)	\$ -	\$ (30,441,480)
December 31, 2020				
Derivative instruments, net	\$ -	\$ (2,167,757)	\$ -	\$ (2,167,757)

Statement of Cash Flows

Supplemental information on cash flows for the six months ended June 30 were as follows:

	2021	2020
Property additions financed (paid) through accounts payable and through accruals	\$ 1,255,807	\$ 1,032,695
Interest paid	\$ 3,193,167	\$ 3,769,105
Asset retirement obligation net additions	\$ 5,759	\$ -
Interest received	\$ 157	\$ 10,579

2. OIL AND GAS PROPERTIES AND PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

Gross balances of oil and gas properties and property, plant and equipment were as follows:

	Unproved Properties	Proved Properties	Total Oil and Gas Properties	Property, Plant and Equipment
Gross balance at June 30, 2021	\$ 9,308,116	\$ 700,847,707	\$ 710,155,823	\$ 1,638,012
Gross balance at December 31, 2020	\$ 9,561,436	\$ 638,404,017	\$ 647,965,453	\$ 1,633,269

For the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, \$61,674,825 and \$31,000,085, respectively was added to the proved properties via capital expenditure. For the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, \$515,545 and \$233,566, respectively was added to the unevaluated properties via capital expenditure. For the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, \$768,865 and \$4,224,362, respectively was transferred from unevaluated properties to proved properties.

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2. OIL AND GAS PROPERTIES AND PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (continued)

Changes in accumulated depreciation and depletion for the period ended June 30, 2021 were:

	Unproved Properties	Proved Properties	Total Oil and Gas Properties	Property, Plant and Equipment
Balance at December 31, 2020	\$ 424,675	\$ 188,253,524	\$ 188,678,199	\$ 336,207
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	-	20,933,357	20,933,357	30,137
Balance at June 30, 2021	424,675	209,186,881	209,611,556	366,344
Net Assets at June 30, 2021	\$ 8,883,441	\$ 491,660,826	\$ 500,544,267	\$ 1,271,668

Changes in accumulated depreciation and depletion for the year ended December 31, 2020 were:

	Unproved Properties	Proved Properties	Total Oil and Gas Properties	Property, Plant and Equipment
Balance at January 1, 2020	\$ 3,870,070	\$ 104,279,959	\$ 108,150,029	\$ 275,882
Impairment	424,675	-	424,675	-
Transfer to proved	(3,870,070)	3,870,070	-	-
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	-	80,103,495	80,103,495	60,325
Balance at December 31, 2020	424,675	188,253,524	188,678,199	336,207
Net Assets at December 31, 2020	\$ 9,136,761	\$ 450,150,493	\$ 459,287,254	\$ 1,297,062

For the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, \$20,933,357 and \$29,019,740, respectively of depletion expense was incurred. For the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, \$30,137 and \$30,163, respectively of depreciation expense was incurred.

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3. ASSET RETIREMENT OBLIGATIONS

The change in asset retirement obligations for the six months ended June 30, was as follows:

	2021	2020
January 1,	\$ 7,039,313	\$ 6,632,125
Additions	5,759	-
Accretion	170,005	164,105
Deletions	-	-
At June 30,	<u>\$ 7,215,077</u>	<u>\$ 6,796,230</u>

4. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Accounts receivable consisted of the following as of:

	June 30, 2021	December 31, 2020
Revenue receivable	\$ 28,864,250	\$ 18,392,374
Joint interest receivables	5,440,694	5,968,571
Accrued revenue	2,143,150	1,912,780
Total accounts receivable	<u>\$ 36,448,094</u>	<u>\$ 26,273,725</u>

5. GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE

General and administrative expenses consisted of the following for the six months ended June 30:

	2021	2020
Staff costs	\$ 1,996,240	\$ 1,822,531
Professional fees	591,154	589,016
Insurance	806	3,792
Communications	16,485	12,276
Occupancy	272,134	193,354
Travel and entertainment	34,425	40,124
Other	237,344	516,711
Total general and administrative	<u>\$ 3,148,588</u>	<u>\$ 3,177,804</u>

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6. DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Objectives and Strategies for Using Derivative Instruments

The Company is exposed to fluctuations in oil and natural gas prices received for its production. Consequently, the Company believes it is prudent to manage the variability in cash flows on a portion of its oil and natural gas production. The Company utilizes a mix of collars, swaps, put and call options and similar derivative financial instruments to manage fluctuations in cash flows resulting from changes in commodity prices. The Company does not use these instruments for speculative or trading purposes.

Counterparty Risk and Offsetting

The use of derivative instruments exposes the Company to the risk that a counterparty will be unable to meet its commitments. While the Company monitors counterparty creditworthiness on an ongoing basis, it cannot predict sudden changes in counterparties' creditworthiness. In addition, even if such changes are not sudden, the Company may be limited in its ability to mitigate an increase in counterparty credit risk.

Should one of these counterparties not perform, the Company may not realize the benefit of some of its derivative instruments under lower commodity prices while continuing to be obligated under higher commodity price contracts subject to any right of offset under the agreements. Counterparty credit risk is considered when determining the fair value of a derivative instrument; see Note 1 for additional information regarding fair value.

The Company executes commodity derivative contracts under master agreements with netting provisions that provide for offsetting assets against liabilities. In general, if a party to a derivative transaction incurs an event of default, as defined in the applicable agreement, the other party will have the right to demand the posting of collateral, demand a cash payment transfer or terminate the arrangement.

Financial Statement Presentation and Settlements

Settlements of the Company's derivative instruments are based on the difference between the contract price or prices specified in the derivative instrument and a benchmark price, such as the NYMEX price. To determine the fair value of the Company's derivative instruments, the Company utilizes present value methods that include assumptions about commodity prices based on those observed in underlying markets. See Note 1 for additional information regarding fair value.

Derivatives Not Designated as Hedging Instruments

The Company records its derivative contracts at fair value in the combined balance sheets and records changes in fair value as a gain or loss on derivative contracts in the combined statements of operations. Cash settlements are also recorded as a gain or loss on derivative contracts in the combined statements of operations.

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6. DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

The Company entered into swaps, basis swaps and collar contracts to reduce its exposure to price risk in the spot market for oil and natural gas. A collar is a combination of two options: a sold call and a purchased put. The sold call establishes the maximum price that the Company will receive for the contracted commodity volumes. The purchased put establishes the minimum price that the Company will receive for the contracted volumes. The contracts settle monthly and are scheduled to coincide with production equivalent to barrels (Bbl) per month. Cash settlement occurs monthly. No derivative contracts have been entered into for trading purpose. None of the Company's derivative contracts have been designated as fair value or cash flow hedges; accordingly mark-to-market accounting is used to recognize changes in the fair value of derivative contracts in the combined statements of operations at each reporting date.

At June 30, 2021, the Company had the following open derivative assets (liabilities):

	Fair Value	Strike	Volume	Expire
Current Liability Fair Value				
Natural Gas Collar:	\$ (88,636)		261,169 mmbtu	Mar 2022
Ceiling sold price (call)		\$ 3.34		
Floor purchase price (put)		2.90		
Crude Oil Collar:	\$ (5,281,426)		207,439 bbls	Dec 2021
Ceiling sold price (call)		\$ 45.20		
Floor purchase price (put)		40.00		
Crude Oil Collar:	(3,266,112)		143,889 bbls	June 2022
Ceiling sold price (call)		45.50		
Floor purchase price (put)		40.00		
Crude Oil Swap	(1,376,227)	42.27	47,412 bbls	Sept 2021
Crude Oil Swap	(7,944,172)	43.60	299,549 bbls	Mar 2022
Crude Oil Swap	(9,919,596)	49.50	498,371 bbls	June 2022
Crude Oil Swap	(977,655)	41.23	36,798 bbls	June 2022
Crude Oil Basis Swap	(99,368)	0.18	299,549 bbls	Mar 2022
Crude Oil Basis Swap	(61,079)	0.05	164,059 bbls	Dec 2021
Natural Gas Swap	(214,406)	2.58	239,222 mmbtu	Oct 2021
Natural Gas Basis Swap	(5,924)	(0.28)	153,490 mmbtu	Mar 2022
Natural Gas Basis Swap	(451,165)	(1.16)	506,000 mmbtu	Dec 2021
Total Current Liability Fair Value	\$ (29,685,766)			
Net Current Derivative Fair Value	\$ (29,685,766)			

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6. DERIVATIVE FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

	Fair Value	Strike	Volume	Expire
Non-Current Liability Fair Value				
Crude Oil Collar:	\$ (368,565)		20,538 bbls	Sept 2022
Ceiling sold price (call)		47.50		
Floor purchase price (put)		40.00		
Crude Oil Collar:	(278,960)		19,441 bbls	Dec 2022
Ceiling sold price (call)		50.20		
Floor purchase price (put)		45.00		
Crude Oil Basis Swap	(108,189)	0.40	809,829 bbls	Dec 2022
Total Non-Current Liability Fair Value	<u>\$ (755,714)</u>			
Net Non-Current Derivative Fair Value	<u>\$ (755,714)</u>			

The fair values of these financial instruments at June 30, 2021 were a loss of \$30,441,480 and were included in derivative liabilities on the combined balance sheets.

7. SHORT TERM BORROWINGS

In October 2020, the Company entered into a note payable for \$298,754 with a premium finance company to finance its annual insurance premiums. The note matures in August 2021 and is non-interest bearing. The balance as of June 30, 2021 was \$50,647. Imputing interest expense on the short-term borrowings is immaterial for the year ended June 30, 2021.

In October 2019, the Company entered into a note payable for \$351,732 with a premium finance company to finance its annual insurance premiums. The note matured in August 2020 and was non-interest bearing. The balance as of December 31, 2020 was \$203,040. Imputing interest expense on the short-term borrowings is immaterial for the year ended December 31, 2020.

8. LONG-TERM DEBT

The Company's long-term debt consisted of the following as of:

	June 30, 2021	December 31, 2020
Line of credit	\$ 147,000,000	\$ 147,000,000
Unamortized deferred financing costs	(285,436)	(450,057)
Total carrying value of long-term debt	<u>\$ 146,714,564</u>	<u>\$ 146,549,943</u>

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8. LONG-TERM DEBT (continued)

The Company entered into a reserve based lending facility with certain financial institutions with aggregate commitments from the lenders totalling \$150 million; collateralized by oil and gas properties located in the Howard County, Texas area. The interest rate is variable at LIBOR plus the applicable margin in effect, 4.25% at June 30, 2021. Interest is due monthly and principal is due at maturity, February 2022. The Company is subject to certain restrictive covenants, of which these include a current ratio and funded debt ratio. As of June 30, 2021, the Company is in compliance with all such covenants.

9. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Accounts Payable

Sabalo Operating, LLC provides operation services which include recordkeeping, management and accounting services for MB Minerals, LP, a related party due to common control. MB Minerals does not have a bank account so all funds earned are held by Sabalo Operating, LLC. The amounts due to MB Minerals, LP as of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020 were \$31,751,506 and \$26,106,929, respectively.

10. MEMBERS' EQUITY

Sabalo Energy, LLC ("Energy") and Sabalo Operating, LLC ("Operating") are effectively owned 100% by Sabalo Holdings, LLC ("Holdings"). Holdings has provided \$40 million and \$255 million in funding to Operating and Energy, respectively. No contributions or distributions were received by or made to Holdings for the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020.

11. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

Litigation – From time-to-time, the Company is subject to various legal proceedings arising in the ordinary course of business, including proceedings for which the Company may not have insurance coverage. While many of these matters involve inherent uncertainty, as of the report date, the Company does not currently have any claims or proceedings.

Drilling Rig Contract – The Company enters into drilling rig contracts to ensure availability of desired rigs to facilitate drilling plans. The Company has a short term operating lease for five wells which contains an early termination clause that requires the Company to potentially pay penalties to the third party should the Company cease drilling efforts. These penalties would negatively impact the Company's financial statements upon early contract termination. The contract runs for approximately six months and can be extended if desired.

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11. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (continued)

Firm Sale and Transportation Commitments – The Company has committed to deliver, for sale or transportation, volumes of product under certain contractual arrangements that specify the delivery of substantially 100% of the production under a seven year acreage dedication effective October 5, 2017.

Federal and State Regulations – Oil and natural gas exploration, production and related operations are subject to extensive federal and state laws, rules and regulations. Failure to comply with these laws, rules and regulations can result in substantial penalties. The regulatory burden on the oil and natural gas industry increases the cost of doing business and affects profitability. The Company believes that it is in compliance with currently applicable federal and state regulations related to oil and natural gas exploration and production, and that compliance with the current regulations will not have a material adverse impact on the financial position or results of operations of the Company. These rules and regulations are frequently amended or reinterpreted; therefore, the Company is unable to predict the future cost or impact of complying with these regulations.

Environmental – The Company is subject to extensive federal, state and local environmental laws and regulations. These laws, among other things, regulate the discharge of materials into the environment and may require the Company to remove or mitigate the environmental effects of the disposal or release of petroleum or chemical substances at various sites. Environmental expenditures are expensed in the period incurred. Liabilities for expenditures of a non-capital nature are recorded when environmental assessment or remediation is probable and the costs can be reasonably estimated. Such liabilities are generally undiscounted unless the timing of cash payments is fixed and readily determinable. Management believes no materially significant liabilities of this nature existed as of June 30, 2021.

As of June 30, 2021, the Company had no accrued commitments.

12. OPERATING LEASES

The Company had one lease related to its office space in Corpus Christi, Texas, which expires in 2022. During the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, the Company incurred \$175,379 and \$179,025, respectively of rent expense related to this lease.

Minimum future lease payments on non-cancellable operating leases are as follows:

Year ending June 30,		
2022	\$	172,084
2023	\$	43,021

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13. EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLAN

The Company provides post-retirement benefits to employees in the form of a 401(k) retirement plan. As of June 30, 2021, the Company offered a matching contribution equal to 100% of salary deferrals that do not exceed 3% of a participant's compensation plus 50% of salary deferrals between 3% and 5%. The Company's contributions to the plan for the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020 were \$44,523 and \$45,039, respectively.

14. SALE OF OIL AND GAS PROPERTY

In August 2019, the Company sold a large portion of their salt water disposal facilities located in Howard County, Texas. Costs associated with the properties sold were \$29,549,047. The proceeds from the sale of these properties was \$51,829,446. The sale resulted in a gain of \$22,280,399. The Company now purchases their salt water disposal services from the new buyer. No revenue was generated by the salt water disposal facilities in the six months ended June 30, 2021 or 2020.

As part of the sales contract, the Company will receive contingency payments if they are able to gather specific amounts of water as follows for the twelve months ending June 30:

2022	Cumulative water gathered is greater than 65 million barrels	\$	3,500,000
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15. DRILLING DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT

On November 21, 2017, the Company entered into a Farmout and Development Agreement with Shad Permian, LLC ("Shad"). Based on the agreement, Shad agreed to fund 75% of the required capital expenditures the Company incurred on the participating wells in exchange for 55% of the net revenue for a specific period of time. Shad's total commitment was approximately \$228.8 million from inception to June 30, 2021. Shad participates in 27 wells operated by the Company and 29 wells operated by others owned by the Company in Howard County, Texas. All wells are developed and producing as of December 31, 2018. The Company maintains a drill company statement for Shad's share of capital expenditures and net revenue on the participating wells.

The amount owed to the Company from Shad included in accounts receivable totaled \$756,464 and \$2,362,860 as of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively. The amount owed by the Company to Shad included in revenues payable totaled \$2,835,579 and \$2,545,478 as of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, respectively.

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16. COVID-19 RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

On January 31, 2020, the Secretary of Health and Human Services declared a public health emergency in response to the spread of coronavirus disease 2019 (“COVID-19”). The COVID-19 pandemic and subsequent global recession are having significant effects on global markets, supply chains, businesses, and communities. Going forward, there may be additional negative impacts, including but not limited to losses of revenue, costs for emergency preparedness, or potential shortage of personnel. Management believes the Company is taking appropriate actions to mitigate the negative impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic. However, the full impact of COVID-19 is unknown.

17. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

Effective July 1, 2021, Laredo Petroleum, Inc. purchased all oil and gas properties owned by Sabalo Energy, LLC and Sabalo Operating, LLC located in Howard County for a profit.

The Company has performed a review of subsequent events through October 18, 2021, which is the date the combined financial statements were available for issuance, and concludes there were no other events or transactions occurring during this period that required recognition or disclosure in the financial statements except above. Any events occurring after this date have not been factored into the combined financial statements being presented.

18. RECENTLY ISSUED AUTHORITATIVE GUIDANCE

ASU 2016-02, “Leases (Topic 842).” In February 2016, the FASB amended existing guidance that requires lessees recognize the following for all leases (with the exception of short term leases) at the commencement date (1) A lease liability, which is a lessee’s obligation to make lease payments arising from a lease, measured on a discounted basis; and (2) A right-of-use asset, which is an asset that represents the lessee’s right to use or control the use of a specified asset for the lease term. Under the new guidance, lessor accounting is largely unchanged. Certain targeted improvements were made to align, where necessary: lessor accounting with the lessee accounting model and *Topic 606, Revenue from Contracts with Customers*. The amendments will be effective for financial statements issued for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2021. The Company is currently evaluating the impact this change will have on the Company’s combined financial statements. Management believes it will have little impact on operating results but will create additional assets and debt obligations, primarily related to leased premises and equipment treated as operating leases under current GAAP.

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18. RECENTLY ISSUED AUTHORITATIVE GUIDANCE (continued)

ASU 2017-12, “*Derivatives and Hedging (Topic 815): Targeted Improvements to Accounting for Hedging Activities*”. In August 2017, the FASB provided guidance to improve the financial reporting of hedging relationships to better portray the economic results of an entity’s risk management activities in its financial statements. The amendments also simplify the application of the hedge accounting guidance. The amendments in this Update better align an entity’s risk management activities and financial reporting for hedging relationships through changes to both the designation and measurement guidance for qualifying hedging relationships and the presentation of hedge results. The amendments expand and refine hedge accounting for both nonfinancial and financial risk components and align the recognition and presentation of the effects of the hedging instrument and the hedged item in the financial statements. The amendments will be effective for annual periods beginning after December 15, 2020 and are not expected to have a significant impact on the Company’s combined financial statements.

SHAD PERMIAN, LLC

REVIEWED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

JUNE 30, 2021 AND 2020

TRANBARGER FHK, PLLC
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

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Independent Accountant's Review Report

To the Members
Shad Permian, LLC
Houston, Texas

We have reviewed the accompanying financial statements of Shad Permian, LLC (the "Company"), which comprise the balance sheets as of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020, and the related statements of operations, members' equity, and cash flows for the six months then ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, and the related notes to the financial statements. A review includes primarily applying analytical procedures to management's financial data and making inquiries of Company management. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion regarding the financial statements as a whole. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement whether due to fraud or error.

Accountant's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to conduct the review engagement in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services promulgated by the Accounting and Review Services Committee of the AICPA. Those standards require us to perform procedures to obtain limited assurance as a basis for reporting whether we are aware of any material modifications that should be made to the financial statements for them to be in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We believe that the results of our procedures provide a reasonable basis for our conclusion.

Accountant's Conclusion

Based on our review, we are not aware of any material modifications that should be made to the accompanying financial statements in order for them to be in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

/s/ Tranbarger FHK, PLLC
San Antonio, Texas

October 18, 2021

SHAD PERMIAN, LLC**BALANCE SHEETS**

June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020

	June 30, 2021	December 31, 2020
ASSETS		
Current assets		
Accounts receivable - Sabalo Energy, LLC	\$ 2,835,579	\$ 2,545,478
Inventory	173,787	123,795
	<u>3,009,366</u>	<u>2,669,273</u>
Non-current assets		
Oil and gas properties – successful efforts method, net	72,358,665	77,344,651
	<u>72,358,665</u>	<u>77,344,651</u>
Total Assets	<u>\$ 75,368,031</u>	<u>\$ 80,013,924</u>
LIABILITIES AND MEMBERS' EQUITY		
Current liabilities		
Accounts payable - Sabalo Energy, LLC	\$ 756,464	\$ 2,362,860
	<u>756,464</u>	<u>2,362,860</u>
Non-current liabilities		
Asset retirement obligation	146,661	142,886
Total liabilities	<u>903,125</u>	<u>2,505,746</u>
Members' equity	<u>74,464,906</u>	<u>77,508,178</u>
Total Liabilities and Members' Equity	<u>\$ 75,368,031</u>	<u>\$ 80,013,924</u>

See notes to the financial statements.

SHAD PERMIAN, LLC**STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS**

Six Months Ended June 30,	2021	2020
REVENUES		
Oil revenue	14,021,720	\$ 12,145,407
Gas revenue	369,910	(66,244)
Natural gas liquids revenue	691,188	312,344
Total revenues, net	<u>15,082,818</u>	<u>12,391,507</u>
OPERATING EXPENSES		
Production taxes	733,375	609,230
Lease operating expenses	3,805,912	5,282,557
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	4,989,188	7,384,529
Impairment of oil and gas properties	-	-
Accretion of asset retirement obligation	3,775	3,669
Selling, general and administrative	-	-
Total operating expenses	<u>9,532,250</u>	<u>13,279,985</u>
INCOME (LOSS) BEFORE INCOME TAXES	5,550,568	(888,478)
STATE INCOME TAX EXPENSE	87,457	-
NET INCOME (LOSS)	<u>\$ 5,463,111</u>	<u>\$ (888,478)</u>

See notes to the financial statements.

SHAD PERMIAN, LLC

STATEMENTS OF MEMBERS' EQUITY

Six Months Ended June 30, 2021 and 2020

	Total Members' Equity
Balance at January 1, 2021	\$ 77,508,178
Capital contributions	5,469,445
Member distributions	(13,975,828)
Income from the period	<u>5,463,111</u>
Balance at June 30, 2021	<u>\$ 74,464,906</u>
Balance at January 1, 2020	\$ 97,530,959
Capital contributions	5,576,683
Member distributions	(13,840,669)
Loss from the period	<u>(888,478)</u>
Balance at June 30, 2020	<u>\$ 88,378,495</u>

See notes to the financial statements.

SHAD PERMIAN, LLC

STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

Six Months Ended June 30,	2021	2020
OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Net income (loss)	\$ 5,463,111	\$ (888,478)
Adjustments to reconcile net income (loss) to net cash provided by operating activities		
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	4,989,188	7,384,529
Accretion of asset retirement obligation	3,775	3,669
Changes in:		
Receivables	(290,101)	2,058,391
Inventory	(49,992)	76,469
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	(1,606,396)	582,420
Net cash provided by operating activities	8,509,585	9,217,000
INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Capital expenditures on oil and gas properties	(3,202)	(953,014)
Net cash used by investing activities	(3,202)	(953,014)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Contributions by members	5,469,445	5,576,683
Distributions to members	(13,975,828)	(13,840,669)
Net cash used by financing activities	(8,506,383)	(8,263,986)
Net change in cash and cash equivalents	-	-
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year	-	-
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year	\$ -	\$ -
Supplementary disclosures:		
Interest paid	-	-
Taxes paid	87,457	-

See notes to the financial statements.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020

1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Nature of Operations

Shad Permian, LLC (the “Company”) was formed in 2017 solely to enter into a Farmout and Development Agreement with Sabalo Energy, LLC and affiliates (“Sabalo”) to become a non-operating partner in the drilling of 27 wells operated by Sabalo and 29 wells operated by others owned by Sabalo in Howard County, Texas. Based on the agreement, the Company agreed to fund 75% of the required capital expenditures Sabalo incurred on the participating wells in exchange for 55% of the net revenue for a specific period of time. All wells are developed and producing as of December 31, 2018. Sabalo Energy, LLC or their affiliates maintain a drill company statement for the Company’s share of capital expenditures and net revenue on the participating wells.

Basis of Preparation

These financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (“U.S. GAAP”) as codified by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (“FASB”) in its Accounting Standards Codification (“ASC”). The accounting policies set out below have been applied in preparing the financial statements.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates. Management believes that these estimates and assumptions provide a reasonable basis for the fair presentation of the financial statements.

Additionally, significant estimates include volumes of oil and natural gas reserves used in calculating depreciation and depletion of oil and gas properties, future net revenues, abandonment obligations, impairment of unproved evaluated properties, the collectability of outstanding accounts receivable, and contingencies. Oil and natural gas reserve estimates, which are the basis for unit-of-production depreciation and depletion, have numerous inherent uncertainties. The accuracy of any reserve estimate is a function of the quality of available data and of engineering and geological interpretation and judgement. Subsequent drilling results, testing, and production may justify revision of such estimates. Accordingly, reserve estimates are often different from the quantities of oil and natural gas that are ultimately recovered.

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June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020

1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

In addition, reserve estimates are sensitive to changes in wellhead prices of crude oil and natural gas. Such prices have been volatile in the past and can be expected to be volatile in the future. The Company's reserve estimates were determined by an independent petroleum engineering firm. The significant estimates are based on current assumptions that may be materially affected by changes to future economic conditions, such as the market prices received for sales of oil and natural gas. Changes in these assumptions may materially affect these significant estimates in the near term.

Oil and Gas Properties

The carrying value of the Company's oil and gas properties represents the cost to acquire or develop the asset, including any asset retirement obligations and capitalized interest, net of accumulated depreciation, depletion and amortization ("DD&A") and any impairment charges. For assets acquired, the cost of oil and gas properties are based on fair values at the acquisition date. Asset retirement obligations and interest costs incurred in connection with qualifying capital expenditures are capitalized and amortized over the lives of the related assets.

The Company uses the successful efforts method to account for its oil and gas properties. Under this method, the Company capitalizes costs of acquiring properties, costs of drilling successful exploration wells and development costs. The costs of exploratory wells are initially capitalized pending a determination of whether proved reserves have been found. If proved reserves have been found, the costs of exploratory wells remain capitalized. Otherwise, the Company charges the costs of the related wells to expense. In some cases, a determination of proved reserves cannot be made at the completion of drilling, requiring additional testing and evaluation of the wells. The Company generally expenses the costs of such exploratory wells if a determination of proved reserves has not been made within a 12-month period after drilling is complete.

The Company determines depreciation and depletion of oil and gas properties by the unit-of-production method. It amortizes acquisition costs over total proved reserves, and capitalized development and successful exploration costs over proved developed reserves. Proved oil and gas reserves are those quantities of oil and gas which, by analysis of geoscience and engineering data, can be estimated with reasonable certainty to be economically producible – from a given date forward, for known reservoirs, and under existing economic conditions, operating methods, and government regulations – prior to the time at which contracts providing the right to operate expire, unless evidence indicates that renewal is reasonably certain, regardless of whether deterministic or probabilistic methods are used for the estimation. The Company does not have any proved oil and gas reserves for which the determination of economic productivity is subject to the completion of major additional capital expenditure as of June 30, 2021.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020

1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

The Company performs impairment tests with respect to its proved properties whenever events or circumstances indicate that the carrying value of property may not be recoverable. If there is an indication the carrying amount of the asset may not be recovered due to declines in current and forward prices, significant changes in reserve estimates, changes in management's plans, or other significant events, management will evaluate the property for impairment. Under the successful efforts method, if the sum of the undiscounted cash flows is less than the carrying value of the proved property, the carrying value is reduced to estimated fair value and reported as an impairment charge in the period. Individually proved properties are grouped for impairment purposes at the lowest level for which there are identifiable cash flows, which is generally on a field by field basis. The impairment test incorporates a number of assumptions involving expectations of future cash flows which can change significantly over time. These assumptions include estimates of future product prices, contractual prices, estimates of risk-adjusted proved oil and gas reserves and estimates of future operating and development costs. The Company recorded no impairments during the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020.

The Company has no oil and gas properties attributable to unproved properties.

Accounts Receivable

Accounts receivable are stated net of a provision for amounts estimated to be uncollectible. Accounts receivable primarily consist of the Company's share of accrued revenues from oil and gas sales and amounts due from other working interest owners. The Company routinely assesses the recoverability of all material receivables to determine their collectability. The Company creates a provision against a receivable when, based on the judgment of management, it is likely that a receivable will not be collected and the amount of such provision may be reasonably estimated. No allowance for doubtful accounts was necessary as of June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020.

Accounts Payable and Accruals

Liabilities are recognized for amounts to be paid in the future for goods and services received, whether billed by the supplier or not.

Asset Retirement Obligations

The initial estimated asset retirement obligation related to property, plant and equipment is recorded as a liability at its fair value, with an offsetting asset retirement cost recorded as an increase to the associated property, plant and equipment. If the fair value of the recorded asset retirement obligation changes, a revision is recorded to both the asset retirement obligation and the asset retirement cost. Revisions in estimated liabilities can result from changes in estimated inflation rates, changes in service and equipment costs and changes in the estimated timing of an asset's retirement. Asset retirement costs are depreciated using a systematic and rational method similar to that used for the associated property and equipment. Accretion of the liability is recognized over the estimated productive life of the related assets.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020

1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Revenue Recognition

Under Accounting Standards Codification Topic 606, *Revenue from Contracts with Customers*, (“ASC 606”), oil, natural gas and natural gas liquid (“NGL”) sales revenues are recognized when control of the product is transferred to the customer, the performance obligations under the terms of the contracts with customers are satisfied and collectability is reasonably assured. All of the Company’s oil, natural gas and NGL sales are made under contracts with customers. The performance obligations for the Company’s contracts with customers are satisfied at a point in time through the delivery of oil and natural gas to its customers.

The Company typically receives payment for oil, natural gas and NGL sales within 30 days of the month of delivery. The Company’s contracts for oil, natural gas and NGL sales are standard industry contracts that include variable consideration based on the monthly index price and adjustments that may include counterparty-specific provisions related to volumes, price differentials, discounts and other adjustments and deductions.

The Company’s product types are as follows:

Oil Revenue – Under the Company’s oil sales contracts operated by Sabalo, the Company generally sells oil to the purchaser at or near the wellhead, and collects a contractually agreed upon index price, net of pricing and gathering and transportation differentials. The Company transfers control of the product to the purchaser at or near the wellhead and recognizes revenue based on the net price received.

Natural Gas and NGL Revenue – Under the Company’s natural gas sales contracts operated by Sabalo, the Company delivers and transfers control of natural gas to the purchaser at delivery points at or near the wellhead. The purchaser gathers and processes the natural gas and sells the resulting residue gas and NGLs. The Company receives its contractual portion of the proceeds for the sale of the residue gas and NGLs at an agreed upon index price, net of pricing differentials and applicable selling expenses including gathering, processing and fractionation costs. The Company recognizes revenue at the net price when control transfers to the purchaser.

The Company does not disclose the value of unsatisfied performance obligations for (i) contracts with an original expected length of one year or less and (ii) contracts for which the variable consideration is allocated entirely to a wholly unsatisfied performance obligation, as allowed under ASC 606. Under the Company’s oil, natural gas and NGL sales contracts operated by Sabalo, each unit of product delivered to the customer represents a separate performance obligation; therefore, future volumes are wholly unsatisfied and disclosure of the transaction price allocated to remaining performance obligations is not required.

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June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020

1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Contract Balances – Under the Company’s product sales contracts operated by Sabalo, it has the right to invoice its customers once the performance obligations have been satisfied, at which point payment is unconditional. Accordingly, the Company’s product sales contracts do not give rise to contract assets or liabilities under ASC 606.

Prior-period Performance Obligations – The Company records revenue in the month production is delivered to the purchaser. However, settlement statements for certain natural gas and natural gas liquids sales may not be received for 30 to 90 days after the date production is delivered, and as a result, the Company is required to estimate the amount of production delivered to the purchaser and the price that will be received for the sale of the product. The Company records the differences between its estimates and the actual amounts received for product sales in the month that payment is received from the purchaser. The Company has existing internal controls for its revenue estimation process and related accruals, and any identified differences between its revenue estimates and actual revenue received historically have not been significant.

Income Taxes

The Company has elected to be taxed as a general partnership for federal tax purposes, even though its legal form is a limited liability company. Under the partnership provisions of the Internal Revenue Code, the Company’s income, deductions, losses and credits flow directly to the partners. Therefore, these statements do not include any provisions for corporate income tax. The Company does pay franchise taxes, which are considered income taxes under the authoritative guidance. The Company’s current year and prior three years tax returns remain open for examination by the taxing authorities.

The Company has adopted the provisions of FASB Accounting Standards Codification 740, *Income Taxes* (“ASC 740”), effective January 1, 2009. ASC 740 provides guidance regarding the recognition, measurement, presentation and disclosure in the financial statements of tax positions taken or expected to be taken on a tax return, including the decision whether to file or not to file in a particular jurisdiction.

Concentration of Credit Risk

The Company’s financial condition, results of operations, and capital resources are highly dependent upon the prevailing market prices of, and demand for, oil and natural gas. These commodity prices are subject to wide fluctuations and market uncertainties due to a variety of factors that are beyond its control. These factors include the level of global demand for petroleum products, foreign supply of oil and gas, the establishment of and compliance with production quotas by oil-exporting countries, weather conditions, the price and availability of alternative fuels, and overall economic conditions, both foreign and domestic.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020

1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

The Company cannot predict future oil and gas prices with any degree of certainty. Sustained weakness in oil and gas prices may adversely affect its financial condition and results of operations, and may also reduce the amount of net oil and gas reserves that the Company can produce economically. Similarly, any improvement in oil and gas prices can have a favorable impact on the Company's financial condition, results of operations and capital resources.

The Company's customer concentration may impact the Company's overall credit risk, either positively or negatively, in that these entities may be similarly affected by changes in economic or other conditions affecting the oil and gas industry. The Company, through Sabalo, manages credit risk related to accounts receivable through credit approvals, credit limits and monitoring procedures. The Company routinely assesses the financial strength of its customers and, based upon factors surrounding the credit risk, establishes an allowance, if required, for uncollectible accounts and, as a consequence, believes that its accounts receivable credit risk exposure beyond such allowance is limited.

In the exploration, development and production business, production is normally sold to relatively few customers. Substantially all of Sabalo's customers are concentrated in the oil and gas industry and revenue can be materially affected by current economic conditions, the price of certain commodities such as crude oil and natural gas and the availability of alternate purchasers. Sabalo believes that the loss of any of its major purchasers would not have a long-term material adverse effect on the Company's operations.

2. OIL AND GAS PROPERTIES

Gross balances of oil and gas properties were as follows:

	Unproved Properties	Proved Properties	Total Oil and Gas Properties
Gross balance at June 30, 2021	\$ -	\$ 180,443,633	\$ 180,443,633
Gross balance at December 31, 2020	\$ -	\$ 180,440,431	\$ 180,440,431

For the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, \$3,202 and \$953,014, respectively was added to the proved properties via capital expenditure. For the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, \$4,989,188 and \$7,384,529, respectively, of depletion expense was incurred.

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June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020

2. OIL AND GAS PROPERTIES (continued)

Changes in accumulated depreciation, depletion and amortization for the period ended June 30, 2021 were as follows:

	Unproved Properties	Proved Properties	Total Oil and Gas Properties
Balance at December 31, 2020	\$ -	\$ 103,095,780	\$ 103,095,780
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	-	4,989,188	4,989,188
Balance at June 30, 2021	-	108,084,968	108,084,968
Net Assets at June 30, 2021	\$ -	\$ 72,358,665	\$ 72,358,665

Changes in accumulated depreciation, depletion and amortization for the year ended December 31, 2020 were as follows:

	Unproved Properties	Proved Properties	Total Oil and Gas Properties
Balance at January 1, 2020	\$ -	\$ 83,099,318	\$ 83,099,318
Depreciation, depletion and amortization	-	19,996,462	19,996,462
Balance at December 31, 2020	-	103,095,780	103,095,780
Net Assets at December 31, 2020	\$ -	\$ 77,344,651	\$ 77,344,651

3. ASSET RETIREMENT OBLIGATIONS

The change in asset retirement obligations for the six months ended June 30, was as follows:

	2021	2020
January 1,	\$ 142,886	\$ 135,548
Additions	-	-
Accretion	3,775	3,669
At June 30,	\$ 146,661	\$ 139,217

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020

4. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Accounts receivable consisted of the following as of:

	June 30, 2021	December 31, 2020
Revenue receivable from Sabalo customers	\$ 2,652,686	\$ 2,372,667
Accrued revenue from Sabalo customers	182,893	172,811
Total accounts receivable from Sabalo	<u>\$ 2,835,579</u>	<u>\$ 2,545,478</u>

5. INVENTORY

Inventories are carried at the lower of cost or market and consisted of the following at:

	June 30, 2021	December 31, 2020
Crude oil held-for-sale	<u>\$ 173,787</u>	<u>\$ 123,795</u>

6. MEMBERS' EQUITY

Shad Permian, LLC is funded by Benefit Street Partners, LLC ("BSP") in order to provide funding for their cash requirements to Sabalo in accordance with the Farmout and Development Agreement. BSP has contributed approximately \$230.7 million in cash for their portion of the capital expenditures and lease operating costs incurred from inception to June 30, 2021. Benefit Street Partners, LLC has been paid by Shad Permian, LLC as of June 30, 2021 approximately \$146.2 million in revenue, net of taxes from inception to June 30, 2021. The total contributions received from BSP for the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020 were \$5,469,445 and \$5,576,683, respectively. The total distributions made to BSP for the six months ended June 30, 2021 and 2020 were \$13,975,828 and \$13,840,669, respectively.

7. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

Legal – The Company regularly reviews current information and, as necessary, provides accruals for probable liabilities on the eventual disposition of matters. In the opinion of management, as of June 30, 2021, there were no threatened or pending legal matters that would have a material impact on the Company's financial statements.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

June 30, 2021 and December 31, 2020

7. **COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES** (continued)

Environmental – The Company is subject to extensive federal, state and local environmental laws and regulations. These laws, among other things, regulate the discharge of materials into the environment and may require the Company to remove or mitigate the environmental effects of the disposal or release of petroleum or chemical substances at various sites. Environmental expenditures are expensed in the period incurred. Liabilities for expenditures of a non-capital nature are recorded when environmental assessment or remediation is probable and the costs can be reasonably estimated. Such liabilities are generally undiscounted unless the timing of cash payments is fixed and readily determinable. Management believes no materially significant liabilities of this nature existed as of June 30, 2021 or December 31, 2020.

As of June 30, 2021, the Company had no accrued commitments.

8. **COVID-19 RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES**

On January 31, 2020, the Secretary of Health and Human Services declared a public health emergency in response to the spread of coronavirus disease 2019 (“COVID-19”). The COVID-19 pandemic and subsequent global recession are having significant effects on global markets, supply chains, businesses, and communities. Going forward, there may be additional negative impacts, including but not limited to losses of revenue or additional costs incurred. Management believes the Company is taking appropriate actions to mitigate the negative impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic. However, the full impact of COVID-19 is unknown.

9. **SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

Effective July 1, 2021, Laredo Petroleum, Inc. purchased all oil and gas properties owned by Sabalo Energy, LLC in Howard County including the ownership interest owned by Shad Permian, LLC for a profit.

The Company has performed a review of subsequent events through October 18, 2021, which is the date the financial statements were available for issuance, and concludes there were no other events or transactions occurring during this period that required recognition or disclosure in the financial statements except as disclosed above. Any events occurring after this date have not been factored into the financial statements being presented.

UNAUDITED PRO FORMA CONDENSED COMBINED FINANCIAL INFORMATION

The following unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information is derived from the historical consolidated financial statements of Laredo Petroleum, Inc. (“Laredo” or the “Company”), Sabalo Energy, LLC (“Sabalo Energy”), Sabalo Operating, LLC (“Sabalo Operating” and together with Sabalo Energy, “Sabalo”) and Shad Permian, LLC (“Shad”) and has been adjusted to reflect the following:

- Laredo’s acquisition of substantially all of Sabalo’s key operating assets consisting of wellbore interests (the “Sabalo Acquisition”) for aggregate consideration of approximately \$755.4 million, based on the closing price of a share of the Company’s common stock on July 1, 2021 (the acquisition close date), consisting of (i) \$542.3 million of cash, net of closing adjustments, (the “Sabalo Adjusted Cash Purchase Price”) and (ii) 2,225,930 unregistered shares of the Company’s common stock (the “Sabalo Equity Consideration”).
- Laredo’s acquisition of substantially all of Shad’s key operating assets consisting of wellbore interests (the “Shad Acquisition” and, together with the Sabalo Acquisition, the “Acquisitions”) for aggregate consideration of approximately \$90.8 million, based on the closing price of a share of the Company’s common stock on July 1, 2021 (the acquisition close date), consisting of (i) \$63.9 million of cash, net of closing adjustments, (the “Shad Adjusted Cash Purchase Price”) and (ii) 281,034 unregistered shares of the Company’s common stock (the “Shad Equity Consideration”).
- Laredo’s sale of 37.5% of its working interest in certain oil and gas properties in Glasscock and Reagan Counties, Texas, to an unrelated third party for aggregate gross proceeds of \$405.0 million plus potential cash-flow based earn-out payments over six years (the “Disposition”). The Disposition is effective at closing which occurred on July 1, 2021. Proceeds from the Disposition were used to fund the Acquisitions and related transaction costs.
- Borrowings of approximately \$220.0 million under Laredo’s Senior Secured Credit Facility which were used to fund the Acquisitions and related transaction costs (the “Borrowing”). The Borrowing is reflected in the Laredo historical balance sheet as of June 30, 2021.

Certain of Sabalo’s and Shad’s historical amounts have been reclassified to conform to the financial statement presentation of Laredo. Additionally, adjustments have been made to Sabalo’s and Shad’s historical financial information to remove certain assets and liabilities retained by Sabalo and Shad, respectively. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet as of June 30, 2021 gives effect to the Acquisitions, Disposition and Borrowing as if they had occurred on June 30, 2021. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined statements of operations for the year ended December 31, 2020 and the six months ended June 30, 2021 both give effect to the Acquisitions, Disposition and Borrowing as if they had occurred on January 1, 2020.

The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information is presented for illustrative purposes only to reflect the Acquisitions, Disposition and Borrowing and do not represent what Laredo’s results of operations or financial position would actually have been had the transactions occurred on the dates noted above, or project its results of operations or financial position for any future periods. The unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information is intended to provide information about the continuing impact of the Acquisitions, Disposition and Borrowing as if they had been consummated earlier. In the opinion of management, all adjustments necessary to present fairly the unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information have been made.

The following unaudited pro forma condensed combined financial information should be read in conjunction with Laredo’s consolidated financial statements and the related notes thereto, which are included in Laredo’s Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2020 and its Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q for the six months ended June 30, 2021, and Sabalo’s and Shad’s consolidated financial statements and the related notes thereto, which are included elsewhere in this filing.

Laredo Petroleum, Inc.
Pro Forma Condensed Combined Balance Sheet
As of June 30, 2021
(unaudited)

	Historical			Transaction Accounting Adjustments			Pro Forma Combined
	Laredo - As Reported	Sabalo - As Reported	Shad - As Reported	Reclassification & Elimination Adjustments	Disposition	Acquisitions & Borrowing	
(in thousands)							
Current assets:							
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 193,543	\$ 36,510	\$ -	\$ (36,510)(a)	\$ 393,356(e)	\$ (606,126)(j) (18,269)(n)	\$ (37,496)
Accounts receivable, net	90,609	36,490	-	(36,490)(a)	-	-	90,609
Accounts receivable - Sabalo Energy, LLC	-	-	2,836	(2,836)(a)	-	-	-
Derivatives	-	-	-	-	2,062(h)	-	2,062
Other current assets	18,665	1,762	173	(144)(a)	-	-	20,456
Total current assets	302,817	74,762	3,009	(75,980)	395,418	(624,395)	75,631
Property and equipment:							
Oil and natural gas properties, full cost method:							
Evaluated properties	8,053,975	-	-	881,292(b)	(2,498,268)(f)	296,081(j) (317,271)(k)	6,415,809
Unevaluated properties not being depleted	62,248	-	-	9,308(b)	-	1,074(j) (425)(k)	72,205
Less accumulated depletion and impairment	(6,889,399)	-	-	(317,697)(c)	2,149,809(f)	317,697(k)	(4,739,590)
Oil and natural gas properties, net	1,226,824	-	-	572,903	(348,459)	297,156	1,748,424
Midstream service assets, net	109,681	-	-	-	-	-	109,681
Other fixed assets, net	31,548	-	-	1,272(d)	-	-	32,820
Property and equipment, net	1,368,053	-	-	574,175	(348,459)	297,156	1,890,925
Oil and gas properties - successful efforts method, net	-	500,544	72,359	(572,903)(b),(c)	-	-	-
Property, plant and equipment, net	-	1,272	-	(1,272)(d)	-	-	-
Operating lease right-of-use assets	19,231	-	-	-	-	-	19,231
Derivatives	423	-	-	-	31,770(h)	-	32,193
Other noncurrent assets, net	96,282	-	-	-	-	1,449(n)	97,731
Total assets	\$ 1,786,806	\$ 576,578	\$ 75,368	\$ (75,980)	\$ 78,729	\$ (325,790)	\$ 2,115,711
Current liabilities:							
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 49,783	\$ 40,829	\$ -	\$ (40,829)(a)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 49,783
Accrued capital expenditures	32,641	-	-	-	-	-	32,641
Accounts payable - Sabalo Energy, LLC	-	-	756	(756)(a)	-	-	-
Undistributed revenue and royalties	46,285	20,824	-	(16,814)(a)	-	-	50,295
Derivatives	256,460	29,686	-	(29,686)(a)	(31,689)(i)	-	224,771
Operating lease liabilities	15,143	-	-	-	-	-	15,143
Other current liabilities	89,363	987	-	(987)(a)	-	-	89,363
Total current liabilities	489,675	92,326	756	(89,072)	(31,689)	-	461,996
Long-term debt, net	1,306,112	146,715	-	(146,715)(a)	-	-	1,306,112
Derivatives	61,514	756	-	(756)(a)	(18,537)(i)	-	42,977
Asset retirement obligations	67,587	7,215	147	-	(14,753)(f)	(1,163)(j)	59,033
Operating lease liabilities	6,573	-	-	-	-	-	6,573
Other noncurrent liabilities	9,627	-	-	-	-	-	9,627
Accounts payable - related party	-	31,751	-	(31,751)(a)	-	-	-
Total liabilities	1,941,088	278,763	903	(268,294)	(64,979)	(1,163)	1,886,318
Stockholders' equity:							
Preferred Stock	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Common stock	136	-	-	-	-	25(l)	161
Additional paid-in capital	2,473,709	-	-	-	-	239,942(l)	2,713,651
Accumulated deficit	(2,628,127)	-	-	-	93,482(g) 50,226(i)	-	(2,484,419)
Members' equity	-	297,815	74,465	192,314(a)	-	(564,594)(m)	-
Total stockholders' equity	(154,282)	297,815	74,465	192,314	143,708	(324,627)	229,393
Total liabilities and equity	\$ 1,786,806	\$ 576,578	\$ 75,368	\$ (75,980)	\$ 78,729	\$ (325,790)	\$ 2,115,711

Laredo Petroleum, Inc.
Pro Forma Condensed Combined Statement of Operations
For the Six Months Ended June 30, 2021
(unaudited)

(in thousands)	Historical			Transaction Accounting Adjustments			Pro Forma Combined
	Laredo - As Reported	Sabalo - As Reported	Shad - As Reported	Elimination Adjustments (a)	Disposition (b)	Acquisitions & Borrowing	
Revenues:							
Oil sales	\$ 285,423	\$ 84,606	\$ 14,022	\$ -	\$ (62,786)	\$ -	\$ 321,265
NGL sales	85,172	3,841	691	-	(29,676)	-	60,028
Natural gas sales	64,188	2,139	370	-	(22,681)	-	44,016
Midstream service revenues	2,553	-	-	-	-	-	2,553
Sales of purchased oil	107,265	-	-	-	-	-	107,265
Total revenues	544,601	90,586	15,083	-	(115,143)	-	535,127
Costs and expenses:							
Lease operating expenses	38,689	19,619	3,806	-	(11,098)	-	51,016
Production and ad valorem taxes	28,020	4,314	733	-	(8,221)	-	24,846
Transportation and marketing expenses	22,817	-	-	-	-	-	22,817
Midstream service expenses	1,558	-	-	-	-	-	1,558
Costs of purchased oil	114,653	-	-	-	-	-	114,653
Organizational restructuring expenses	9,800	-	-	-	-	-	9,800
General and administrative	34,174	3,149	-	-	-	-	37,323
Transaction expense	1,741	-	-	-	(1,741)	-	-
Depletion, depreciation and amortization	78,085	20,963	4,989	-	(17,081)	21,054 (c)	108,010
Impairment expense	1,613	-	-	-	-	-	1,613
Other operating expenses	2,301	170	4	-	(496)	(29) (c)	1,950
Total costs and expenses	333,451	48,215	9,532	-	(38,637)	21,025	373,586
Operating income (loss)	211,150	42,371	5,551	-	(76,506)	(21,025)	161,541
Non-operating income (expense):							
Provision for uncollectible receivables	-	(28)	-	28	-	-	-
Gain (loss) on derivatives, net	(371,307)	(40,821)	-	-	50,226	-	(361,902)
Interest expense	(51,816)	(3,463)	-	3,463	-	(3,145) (d)	(54,961)
Loss on disposal of assets, net	(6)	-	-	-	-	-	(6)
Other income, net	1,795	785	-	(785)	-	-	1,795
Total non-operating income (expense), net	(421,334)	(43,527)	-	2,706	50,226	(3,145)	(415,074)
Income (loss) before income taxes	(210,184)	(1,156)	5,551	2,706	(26,280)	(24,170)	(253,533)
Income tax benefit (expense):							
Current	-	(127)	(88)	-	-	-	(215)
Deferred	2,084	-	-	-	-	-	2,084
Total income tax benefit	2,084	(127)	(88)	-	-	-	1,869
Net income (loss)	\$ (208,100)	\$ (1,283)	\$ 5,463	\$ 2,706	\$ (26,280)	\$ (24,170)	\$ (251,664)
Net income (loss) per common share:							
Basic	\$ (16.92)						\$ (17.00)
Diluted	\$ (16.92)						\$ (17.00)
Weighted average common shares outstanding:							
Basic	12,298					2,507 (e)	14,805
Diluted	12,298					2,507 (e)	14,805

Laredo Petroleum, Inc.
Pro Forma Condensed Combined Statement of Operations
For the Year Ended December 31, 2020
(unaudited)

(in thousands)	Historical			Transaction Accounting Adjustments			Pro Forma Combined
	Laredo - As Reported	Sabalo - As Reported	Shad - As Reported	Elimination Adjustments (a)	Disposition (b)	Acquisitions & Borrowing	
Revenues:							
Oil sales	\$ 367,792	\$ 110,063	\$ 24,752	\$ -	\$ (119,060)	\$ -	\$ 383,547
NGL sales	78,246	2,177	644	-	(28,268)	-	52,799
Natural gas sales	50,317	1,013	90	-	(18,679)	-	32,741
Midstream service revenues	8,249	-	-	-	-	-	8,249
Sales of purchased oil	172,588	-	-	-	-	-	172,588
Total revenues	677,192	113,253	25,486	-	(166,007)	-	649,924
Costs and expenses:							
Lease operating expenses	82,020	40,110	11,261	-	(23,367)	-	110,024
Production and ad valorem taxes	33,050	5,393	1,231	-	(12,058)	-	27,616
Transportation and marketing expenses	49,927	-	-	-	-	-	49,927
Midstream service expenses	3,762	-	-	-	-	-	3,762
Costs of purchased oil	194,862	-	-	-	-	-	194,862
General and administrative	50,534	5,367	-	-	-	-	55,901
Organizational restructuring expenses	4,200	-	-	-	-	-	4,200
Depletion, depreciation and amortization	217,101	80,164	19,997	-	(63,569)	508 (c)	254,201
Impairment expense	899,039	425	-	-	(280,771)	(443,079)(d)	175,614
Other operating expenses	4,430	328	7	-	(957)	(83)(c)	3,725
Total costs and expenses	1,538,925	131,787	32,496	-	(380,722)	(442,654)	879,832
Gain on sale of oil and natural gas properties	-	-	-	-	93,482	-	93,482
Operating income (loss)	(861,733)	(18,534)	(7,010)	-	308,197	442,654	(136,426)
Non-operating income (expense):							
Provision for uncollectible receivables	-	(11)	-	11	-	-	-
Gain on derivatives, net	80,114	20,932	-	-	-	-	101,046
Interest expense	(105,009)	(7,381)	-	7,381	-	(6,325)(e)	(111,334)
Interest income	-	10	-	(10)	-	-	-
Gain on extinguishment of debt, net	8,989	-	-	-	-	-	8,989
Loss on disposal of assets, net	(963)	(4)	-	4	-	-	(963)
Write-off of debt issuance costs	(1,103)	-	-	-	-	-	(1,103)
Other income, net	1,586	(19)	-	19	-	-	1,586
Total non-operating income (expense), net	(16,386)	13,527	-	7,405	-	(6,325)	(1,779)
Income (loss) before income taxes	(878,119)	(5,007)	(7,010)	7,405	308,197	436,329	(138,205)
Income tax benefit (expense):							
Current	-	(2)	(265)	-	-	-	(267)
Deferred	3,946	-	-	-	-	-	3,946
Total income tax benefit (expense)	3,946	(2)	(265)	-	-	-	3,679
Net income (loss)	\$ (874,173)	\$ (5,009)	\$ (7,275)	\$ 7,405	\$ 308,197	\$ 436,329	\$ (134,526)
Net income (loss) per common share:							
Basic	\$ (74.92)						\$ (9.49)
Diluted	\$ (74.92)						\$ (9.49)
Weighted average common shares outstanding:							
Basic	11,668					2,507 (f)	14,175
Diluted	11,668					2,507 (f)	14,175

Laredo Petroleum, Inc.
Notes to Pro Forma Condensed Combined Financial Statements
(Unaudited)

Note 1. Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Balance Sheet

Adjustments to the Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Balance Sheet as of June 30, 2021

Reclassification & Elimination Adjustments

The following adjustments have been made to the accompanying unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet as of June 30, 2021 to reclassify certain of Sabalo's and Shad's historical amounts to conform to the historical presentation of Laredo and to eliminate certain assets and liabilities retained by Sabalo and Shad:

- a) Represents the elimination of certain assets and liabilities retained by Sabalo and Shad.
- b) Represents a reclassification of \$700.8 million and \$9.3 million from Sabalo's oil and natural gas properties under the successful efforts method of accounting to evaluated and unevaluated properties under the full cost method of accounting, respectively, and a reclassification of \$180.4 million from Shad's oil and natural gas properties under the successful efforts method of accounting to evaluated properties under the full cost method of accounting.
- c) Represents a reclassification of \$209.6 million and \$108.1 million from Sabalo's and Shad's accumulated depreciation, depletion, amortization and impairment under the successful efforts method of accounting, respectively, to accumulated depletion and impairment under the full cost method of accounting.
- d) Represents a reclassification of Sabalo's \$1.3 million of property, plant and equipment, net to other fixed assets, net.

Disposition

Effective at closing, the operations and cash flows of the 37.5% working interest in certain oil and natural gas properties included in the Disposition will be eliminated from the ongoing operations of the Company. The Company will continue to own a partial working interest in the properties and will operate the properties. The Company expects to record a gain on the Disposition pursuant to the rules governing full cost accounting as the Disposition represents more than 25% of the Company's pre-acquisition reserves. For the purposes of calculating the gain, total capitalized costs will be allocated between reserves sold and reserves retained.

The following adjustments have been made to the accompanying unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet as of June 30, 2021 to reflect the Disposition:

- e) Represents cash proceeds of \$405.0 million less transaction costs of \$11.6 million related to the Disposition.
 - f) Represents the elimination of the carrying value of the disposed assets and the asset retirement obligation attributable to the disposed assets.
 - g) Represents a net gain on the Disposition.
 - h) Reflects the fair value of contingent consideration that provides the Company with the right to receive up to a maximum of \$93.7 million in additional cash contingent consideration for the Disposition if certain cash flow targets related to divested oil and natural gas property operations are met. The contingent consideration is made up of quarterly payments through June 2027 totaling up to \$38.7 million and a potential balloon payment of \$55.0 million in June 2027. The Company has concluded that the contingent consideration should be accounted for as a derivative instrument, with all gains and losses as a result of changes in the fair value of the contingent consideration derivative recognized in earnings in the period in which the changes occur.
 - i) Reflects the elimination of derivative financial instruments that were entered into on behalf of the acquirer in the Disposition and novated to the acquirer subsequent to the Disposition close date, July 1, 2021.
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Transaction Accounting Adjustments

The Acquisitions were accounted for as a single transaction because they were entered into at the same time and in contemplation of one another and form a single transaction designed to achieve an overall economic effect. The Acquisitions were accounted for as an asset acquisition as substantially all of the gross assets acquired are concentrated in a group of similar identifiable assets. The consideration paid was allocated to the individual assets acquired and liabilities assumed based on their relative fair values. All transaction costs associated with the Acquisitions were capitalized. The allocation of the estimated purchase price is based upon management's estimates of and assumptions related to the fair value of assets to be acquired and liabilities to be assumed as of July 1, 2021.

Based on the closing price of Laredo's common stock on July 1, 2021, the value of Laredo's equity consideration to be transferred to Sabalo and Shad was approximately \$213.1 million and \$26.9 million, respectively, on such date.

For income tax purposes, the Acquisitions were treated as an asset purchase such that the tax bases in the assets and liabilities reflect the allocated fair value at closing. Therefore, the Company does not anticipate a material tax consequence for deferred income taxes related to the Acquisitions.

The following adjustments have been made to the accompanying unaudited pro forma condensed combined balance sheet as of June 30, 2021 to reflect the Acquisitions and Borrowing:

- j) Represents the allocation of the estimated fair value of consideration transferred of \$606.1 million of cash, \$240.0 million of common stock (based on the closing price of Laredo's common stock as of July 1, 2021) and \$16.8 million of transaction costs to the assets acquired and liabilities assumed in the following allocation adjustments:
 - \$606.1 million in cash consideration related to the Acquisitions,
 - \$297.2 million increase in Sabalo's and Shad's book basis of property, plant and equipment to reflect them at allocated value, and
 - \$1.2 million decrease in historical asset retirement obligations to reflect them at fair value.
- k) Reflects the elimination of Sabalo's and Shad's historical accumulated depreciation and impairment balances against gross properties and equipment.
- l) Reflects the estimated increase in Laredo's common stock and additional paid-in capital resulting from the issuance of Laredo shares to Sabalo and Shad.
- m) Reflects the elimination of Sabalo's and Shad's historical equity balances.
- n) Reflects \$18.2 million for the following estimated fees:
 - \$1.4 million comprised of debt issuance costs for underwriting, banking and, legal fees associated with an amendment to the Senior Secured Credit Facility to permit the Acquisitions and the Disposition; and
 - \$16.8 million of advisory, legal, and other fees associated with the Acquisitions.

Adjustments to the Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Statement of Operations for the six months ended June 30, 2021

The following adjustments have been made to the accompanying unaudited pro forma condensed combined statement of operations for the six months ended June 30, 2021 to reflect the Acquisitions, Disposition and Borrowing:

- a) Represents adjustments to eliminate the effects of assets and liabilities retained by Sabalo and not associated with the oil and natural gas properties acquired.
 - b) Represents adjustments to the Company's historical consolidated statement of operations to remove the effects of the Disposition, gain related to derivatives novated to acquirer subsequent to July 1, 2021 and elimination of the transaction expense of \$1.7 million. The transaction costs related to the Disposition were netted against the gain on sale recognized for the year ended December 31, 2021, as further described below.
 - c) Reflects adjustment to depreciation, depletion and amortization expense resulting from the change in basis of property, plant and equipment acquired and an increase in accretion of asset retirement obligations.
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- d) Reflects interest expense at the current rate of 2.875% as of October 21, 2021 in respect of the Borrowing. Actual interest expense may be higher or lower depending on fluctuations in interest rates and other market conditions. A one-eighth percent increase or decrease in the interest rate would not have had a material impact on interest expense for the six months ended June 30, 2021. Estimated amortization of debt issuance costs related to the Borrowing are not considered material and have not been included.
- e) Reflects 2.5 million shares of Laredo common stock issued to Sabalo and Shad as a portion of the consideration for the Acquisitions.

Laredo has not reflected any estimated tax impact related to the Acquisitions, Disposition or Borrowing in the accompanying unaudited pro forma condensed combined statement of operations for the six months ended June 30, 2021 because it does not anticipate the impact to be material due to the Company's net operating loss carryforwards. The Company's effective tax rate is not meaningful and is expected to remain under 1% due to the full valuation allowance against the Company's federal and Oklahoma net deferred tax assets.

Adjustments to the Unaudited Pro Forma Condensed Combined Statement of Operations for the year ended December 31, 2020

The following adjustments have been made to the accompanying unaudited pro forma condensed combined statement of operations for the year ended December 31, 2020 to reflect the Acquisitions, Disposition and Borrowing:

- a) Represents adjustments to eliminate the effects of assets and liabilities retained by Sabalo and not associated with the oil and natural gas properties acquired.
- b) Represents adjustments to the Company's historical consolidated statement of operations to remove the effects of the Disposition and recognize a nonrecurring gain of \$93.5 million, net of transaction costs, associated with the Disposition.
- c) Reflects adjustment to depreciation, depletion and amortization expense resulting from the change in basis of property, plant and equipment acquired and an increase in accretion of asset retirement obligations.
- d) Reflects adjustment to impairment expense resulting from the application of the quarterly ceiling test pursuant to the rules governing full cost accounting and due to the change from Sabalo's and Shad's historical accounting under successful efforts to conform to Laredo's presentation under full cost. The quarterly ceiling test takes into account the change in basis of the oil and gas properties acquired and reserves and historical prices determined using SEC guidelines at the time of each historical quarterly ceiling test.
- e) Reflects interest expense at the current rate of 2.875% as of October 21, 2021 in respect of the Borrowing. Actual interest expense may be higher or lower depending on fluctuations in interest rates and other market conditions. A one-eighth percent increase or decrease in the interest rate would not have had a material impact on interest expense for the year ended December 31, 2020. Estimated amortization of debt issuance costs related to the Borrowing are not considered material and have not been included.
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