

# **Q2 2024 Earnings & Business Update Conference Call**

August 7, 2024



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# Summary of second quarter 2024 financial results

- **✓** Consolidated earnings of \$0.51 per average diluted share
  - Electric company earnings of \$0.54 per average diluted share
  - ➤ Other operations, including holding company, loss of \$0.03 per average diluted share
- **✓** Expect to be in top half of 2024 consolidated earnings guidance range

"Our results demonstrate our unwavering commitment to deliver reliable, affordable, and safe energy to our customers"



# Constructive results for regulatory agenda

#### √ Oklahoma rate review moves forward

- ALJ recommended approval of uncontested settlement
- Expect order in the fall
- ✓ Rate reductions keep rates low
  - Rates today are 40% below the national average
  - Lower fuel costs passed along to customers in May
- ✓ Integrated Resource Plan
  - Issued RFPs to address capacity requirements
- ✓ Filed new 5-year Energy Efficiency portfolio



# **Excellent second quarter performance**



- **✓** Business & Economic Development drives expansion
  - More jobs and investment in communities
- **✓** Our sustainable business model works
  - Low rates powers growth
  - Attracts diversified customer mix
- **✓** Technology drives satisfaction and efficiency
  - Customer tools and resources to manage energy usage and bills
- ✓ Grid investments provide reliable, resilient electricity
  - Customers benefit with fewer and shorter outages

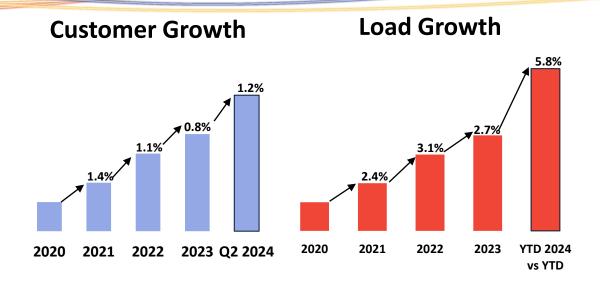
# Strong Q2 2024 results

	Q2 2024	Q2 2023	Drivers
OG&E	\$0.54	\$0.46	Robust load growth ↑ Warmer than normal weather ↑ Depreciation on a growing asset base ↓
Other Operations/HoldCo	\$(0.03)	\$(0.02)	Interest expense ↓
Consolidated	\$0.51	\$0.44	

Robust load growth and warmer than normal weather in the second quarter resulted in strong year-over-year OG&E results



## Q2 2024 customer and load growth highlight strength of service area



Load Growth	Q2 2024 weather normalized compared to Q2 2023	YTD 2024 weather normalized compared to YTD 2023				
Residential	2.3%	3.1%				
Commercial	15.4%	13.8%				
Industrial	3.4%	2.5%				
Oilfield	3.2%	0.6%				
Public Authority	4.1%	3.6%				
Total	6.7%	5.8%				

## **Q2** Highlights

- 1.2% customer growth
- 6.7% load growth, driven by contributions from all customer classes
- Now forecasting 2024 total retail load growth of 4% to 6%<sup>1</sup>

1. Compared to original forecast of 3% to 5%



## Pointing to top half of 2024 EPS guidance

- Reaffirming 2024 consolidated EPS guidance and expect results in the top half of the \$2.06 to \$2.18 range
  - Remarkable load results for first half of the year

Targeting annual consolidated 5% to 7% EPS growth rate through 2028<sup>1</sup>



1. Base year equal to 2024's consolidated EPS midpoint of \$2.12 per share



## 2024 financing plan update

- Planned debt issuance of \$350 million at OG&E in the third quarter of 2024
- Strong balance sheet, no fixed-rate maturities until 2027, and no external equity issuance needs in current 5-year capital plan
- Forecasted FFO to debt of ~17% each year throughout the 5-year plan<sup>1</sup>
- ➤ Compelling total shareholder return proposition that combines consolidated annual and long-term forecasted earnings per share growth of 5% to 7%² and an expected stable and growing dividend³

<sup>3.</sup> Subject to approval by the Board of Directors; dividend yield of approximately 4.3% as of August 6, 2024. In the next five years, OGE Energy expects to grow the dividend, targeting a dividend payout ratio of 65-70%. Over the next several years, OGE Energy expects earnings per share growth to exceed the dividend growth rate to help achieve this target.



<sup>1.</sup> Forecast period 2024 to 2028, current 5-year \$6.0 billion capital plan. For the purpose of our forecast, we calculate FFO/debt consistent with rating agency methodology; FFO and FFO/debt is generally calculated by making adjustments to Cash Flow from Operations, such as excluding working capital and adjustments to debt for items such as leases and pensions

<sup>2.</sup> Base year equal to 2024's consolidated EPS midpoint of \$2.12 per share



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## **Appendix**



### Second quarter weather impact

Weather Variance							
Heating Degree Days <sup>1</sup>	Q2 2024	Q2 2023	% Change				
Actuals	117	234	(50%)				
Normal	249	249	0%				
Variance from Normal	(53%)	(6%)					
Cooling Degree Days <sup>1</sup>	2024	2023	% Change				
Actuals	740	571	30%				
Normal	553	553	0%				
Variance from Normal	34%	3%					

Estimated current year normalized earnings per share impact of weather						
	Q1	Q2				
2024	(\$0.03)	\$0.05				

<sup>1.</sup> Degree days are calculated as follows: The high and low degrees of a particular day are added together and then average is above 65 degrees, then the difference between the calculated average as cooling degree days, with each degree of difference equaling one cooling degree day. If the calculated average is below 65 degrees, then the difference between the calculated average and 65 is expressed as heating degree days, with each degree equaling one heating degree day. The daily calculations are then totaled for the particular reporting period. The calculation of heating and cooling degree normal days is based on a 30-year average and updated every ten years.



#### Building futures with a community centric investments plan

Capital Expenditures 2023 10K, \$ millions	;	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	•	Total
Transmission economic expansion & reliability	\$	145	\$ 180	\$ 195	\$ 225	\$ 240	\$	985
Oklahoma distribution economic expansion & reliability	\$	400	\$ 520	\$ 665	\$ 705	\$ 725	\$	3,015
Arkansas distribution economic expansion & reliability	\$	20	\$ 25	\$ 25	\$ 25	\$ 25	\$	120
Generation reliability	\$	140	\$ 150	\$ 155	\$ 160	\$ 165	\$	770
Generation capacity	\$	165	\$ 160	\$ 35	\$ -	\$ -	\$	360
Technology, fleet & facilities	\$	230	\$ 115	\$ 125	\$ 135	\$ 145	\$	750
Total	\$	1,100	\$ 1,150	\$ 1,200	\$ 1,250	\$ 1,300	\$	6,000

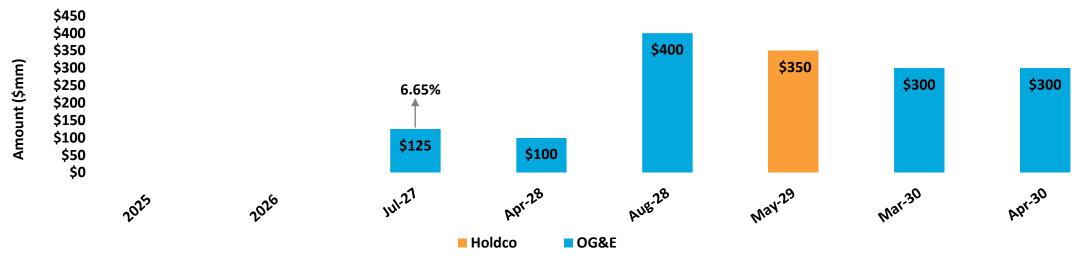
#### **5-YEAR INVESTMENT PLAN HIGHLIGHTS**

- ~82% of plan driven by economic expansion and reliability projects to address customers' expectations of a safe, reliable and resilient electric system
- Potential investments associated with capital investment plan will be periodically re-evaluated based on the system's needs, including the 2024 IRP and recently issued RFPs, while keeping affordability and reliability at the forefront



#### OGE/OG&E fixed rate debt maturity ladder through end of the decade; strong credit ratings

#### No fixed rate maturities until 2027





The Company's \$1.1B (OGE \$550mm/ OG&E \$550mm) credit facility has been extended through 2028

Moody's	Rating	Outlook			
OGE Energy Senior Notes	Baa1	Stable			
OGE Energy Commercial Paper	P2	Stable			
S&P					
OGE Energy Senior Notes	BBB	Stable			
OGE Energy Commercial Paper	A2	Stable			
Fitch	AZ	Stable			
OGE Energy Senior Notes	BBB+	Stable			
OGE Energy Commercial Paper	F2	Stable			