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Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM S-1

REGISTRATION STATEMENT UNDER THE SECURITIES ACT OF 1933

Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP (Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)

1311 (Primary Standard Industrial Classification Code)

11-3742489 (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

1360 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 2400 Houston, Texas 77056 (713) 783-8000

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Approximate date of commencement of proposed sale to the public: As soon as practicable after this registration statement becomes effective.

If any of the securities being registered on this Form are to be offered on a delayed or continuous basis pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act of 1933 check the following box.

If this Form is filed to register additional securities for an offering pursuant to Rule 462(b) under the Securities Act, please check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering. \Box

If this Form is a post-effective amendment filed pursuant to Rule 462(c) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering. \Box

If this Form is a post-effective amendment filed pursuant to Rule 462(d) under the Securities Act, check the following box and list the Securities Act registration statement number of the earlier effective registration statement for the same offering. \Box

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, a smaller reporting company, or an emerging growth company. See the definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," "smaller reporting company" and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Large accelerated filer \Box Accelerated filer \Box Non-accelerated filer \boxtimes

Smaller reporting company ⊠ 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 7(a)(2)(B) of Securities Act.

CALCULATION OF REGISTRATION FEE

Title of Each Class of Securities to be Registered	Amount to be Registered ⁽¹⁾	Proposed Maximum Offering Price Per Unit ⁽²⁾	Proposed Maximum Aggregate Offering Price ⁽³⁾	Amount of registration fee ⁽⁴⁾
Common Units Representing Limited Partner Interests	9,000,000	\$1.12	\$10,080,000.00	\$934.42

Pursuant to Rule 416(a) under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), the number of common units representing limited partner (1)interests in Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP ("common units") being registered on behalf of the selling unitholder shall be adjusted to include any additional common units that may be issued or become issuable as a result of any unit distribution, split, combination or similar transaction.

The proposed maximum offering price per unit is estimated solely for the purpose of calculating the registration fee in accordance with Rule 457(c) under (2) the Securities Act and is based on the average of the high (\$1.17) and low (\$1.06) sale prices of our common units as reported on the NYSE American on November 10, 2021, which date is within five business days prior to filing this Registration Statement. The price will be determined from time to time in connection with, and at the time of, the sale by selling unitholder.

Estimated solely for the purpose of calculating the registration fee pursuant to Rule 457(c) under the Securities Act. (3)

(4)Calculated in accordance with Rule 457(c) under the Securities Act.

The Registrant hereby amends this Registration Statement on such date or dates as may be necessary to delay its effective date until the Registrant shall file a further amendment that specifically states that the Registration Statement shall thereafter become effective in accordance with Section 8(a) of the Securities Act or until the Registration Statement shall become effective on such date as the Securities and Exchange Commission, acting pursuant to said Section 8(a), may determine.

SUBJECT TO COMPLETION, DATED NOVEMBER 10, 2021

PROSPECTUS



Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP

9,000,000 Common Units

Representing Limited Partner Interests

This prospectus relates to 9,000,000 common units representing limited partner interests in Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP (the "common units") that may be offered from time to time by the selling unitholder named in this prospectus. For purposes of this prospectus, the term "selling unitholder" includes donees, pledgees, transferees or other successors in interest selling common units receivned from the selling unitholder after the date of this prospectus as a gift, pledge, distribution or other transfer. The common units were originally issued to Stonepeak Catarina Holdings, LLC pursuant to the Stonepeak Letter Agreement (as defined herein).

We are not selling any securities under this prospectus and will not receive any of the proceeds from the sale of the common units by the selling unitholder. For a more detailed discussion of the selling unitholder, please read "Selling Unitholder."

Our registration of the common units covered by this prospectus does not mean that the selling unitholder will offer or sell any of the common units. The selling unitholder may sell the common units covered by this prospectus in a number of different ways and at varying prices. We provide more information about how the selling unitholder may sell the common units in the section entitled "Plan of Distribution."

Our common units are listed for trading on the NYSE American LLC, or NYSE American, under the symbol "SNMP." On November 9, 2021, the last reported sale price of our common units on the NYSE American was \$1.20.

INVESTING IN OUR COMMON UNITS INVOLVES RISKS. LIMITED PARTNERSHIPS ARE INHERENTLY DIFFERENT FROM CORPORATIONS. FOR A DISCUSSION OF THE FACTORS YOU SHOULD CONSIDER BEFORE DECIDING TO PURCHASE OUR COMMON UNITS, PLEASE SEE "RISK FACTORS" ON PAGE <u>3</u> OF THIS PROSPECTUS.

Neither the Securities and Exchange Commission nor any state securities commission has approved or disapproved of these securities or passed upon the adequacy or accuracy of this prospectus. Any representation to the contrary is a criminal offense.

The date of this prospectus is

, 2021

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ABOUT THIS PROSPECTUS

Neither we, nor the selling unitholder, have authorized anyone to provide you with any information or to make any representations other than those contained in this prospectus. We and the selling unitholder do not take responsibility for, and can provide no assurance as to the reliability of, any other information that others may give you. This prospectus is an offer to sell only the securities offered hereby and only under circumstances and in jurisdictions where it is lawful to do so. No dealer, salesperson or other person is authorized to give any information or to represent anything not contained in this prospectus. This prospectus is not an offer to sell securities, and it is not soliciting an offer to buy securities, in any jurisdiction where the offer or sale is not permitted. You should assume that the information appearing in this prospectus or any sale of a security. Our business, financial condition, results of operations and prospects may have changed since those dates.

This prospectus contains summaries of certain provisions contained in some of the documents described herein, but reference is made to the actual documents for complete information. All of the summaries are qualified in their entirety by reference to the actual documents. Copies of some of the documents referred to herein have been filed or will be filed or incorporated by reference as exhibits to the registration statement of which this prospectus is a part, and you may obtain copies of those documents as described below in the section entitled "Where You Can Find More Information."

Unless otherwise indicated or unless the context otherwise requires, all references in this prospectus to: (i) the "Partnership," "we," "our," "us" or similar references mean Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP and its consolidated subsidiaries, (ii) "our general partner" means Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC, our general partner, (iii) "Stonepeak Catarina" means Stonepeak Catarina Holdings, LLC, (iv) "Stonepeak" means Stonepeak Catarina and its subsidiaries, other than the Partnership, and (v) "SP Holdings" means SP Holdings, LLC, the sole member of our general partner.

INCORPORATION BY REFERENCE

The SEC allows us to "incorporate by reference" information into this prospectus. This means that we can disclose important information to you by referring you to another document filed separately with the SEC. The information incorporated by reference is considered to be part of this prospectus. Any statement contained in this prospectus or a previously filed document incorporated by reference will be deemed to be modified or superseded for purposes of this prospectus to the extent that a statement contained in this prospectus or a subsequently filed document incorporated by reference modifies or replaces that statement. We incorporate by reference the documents listed below, other than any portions of the respective filings that were furnished (pursuant to Item 2.02 or Item 7.01 of current reports on Form 8-K or other applicable SEC rules) rather than filed:

- <u>our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2020, as filed with the SEC (File No. 001-33147) on March 16, 2021;</u>
- our Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q for each of the quarter ended March 31, 2021, as filed with the SEC (File No. 001-33147) on <u>May 13, 2021</u>, the quarter ended June 30, 2021, as filed with the SEC (File No. 001-33147) on <u>August 12, 2021</u> and amended by Amendment No. 1 thereto, as filed with the SEC (File No. 001-33147) on <u>October 28, 2021</u> and the quarter ended September 30, 2021, as filed with the SEC (File No. 001-33147) on <u>November 10, 2021</u>;
- our Current Reports on Form 8-K filed with the SEC (File No. 001-33147) on <u>February 2, 2021</u>, <u>February 17, 2021 (both), February 26, 2021, March 18, 2021, March 23, 2021, March 31, 2021</u>, <u>April 16, 2021, April 20, 2021, April 26, 2021, May 4, 2021, May 18, 2021, June 25, 2021</u>, <u>August 3, 2021, August 4, 2021, August 12, 2021, August 23, 2021 (both), September 8, 2021</u>, <u>September 17, 2021, November 9, 2021</u> and <u>November 10, 2021</u>; and
- the description of our common units contained in our registration statement on Form 8-A/A filed with the SEC (File No. 001-33147) on March 6, 2015, including any amendments and reports filed for the purpose of updating such description.

All documents that we file pursuant to Sections 13(a), 13(c), 14 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, which we refer to as the Exchange Act, after the date of this prospectus and until the offerings hereunder are completed will be deemed to be incorporated by reference into this prospectus and will be a part of this prospectus from the date of the filing of the document. Any statement contained in a document incorporated or deemed to be incorporated by reference in this prospectus will be deemed to be modified or superseded for purposes of this prospectus to the extent that a statement contained in this prospectus or in any other subsequently filed document that also is or is deemed to be incorporated by reference in this prospectus modified or supersedes that statement. Any statement that is modified or superseded will not constitute a part of this prospectus, except as modified or superseded.

As described above, each of these documents is available from the SEC's web site, as well as through our website, http://www.evolvetransition.com. Information on our website is not incorporated into this prospectus or our other securities filings and is not a part of this prospectus. We will provide to each person, including any beneficial owner, to whom this prospectus is delivered copies of this prospectus and any of the documents incorporated by reference into this prospectus, excluding any exhibit to those documents unless the exhibit is specifically incorporated by reference into those documents, without charge, by written or oral request directed to:

> Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP 1360 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 2400 Houston, Texas 77056 (713) 783-8000 Attn: Investor Relations

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WHERE YOU CAN FIND MORE INFORMATION

We have filed a registration statement with the SEC under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, which we refer to as the Securities Act, that registers the issuance and sale of the securities offered by this prospectus. The registration statement, including the attached exhibits, contains additional relevant information about us. The rules and regulations of the SEC allow us to omit some information included in the registration statement from this prospectus.

We are required to file annual, quarterly and current reports and other information with the SEC. These filings with the SEC are available to the public on the SEC's website at www.sec.gov, which contains reports, proxy and information statements, and other information regarding issuers that file electronically with the SEC. General information about us, including our Annual Reports on Form 10-K, Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q and Current Reports on Form 8-K, as well as any amendments and exhibits to those reports, are available free of charge through our website at http://www.evolvetransition.com as soon as reasonably practicable after we file them with, or furnish them to, the SEC. Information on our website is not incorporated into this prospectus or our other securities filings and is not a part of this prospectus.

CAUTIONARY NOTE REGARDING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This prospectus and the documents incorporated by reference include "forward-looking statements" as defined by the SEC. All statements, other than statements of historical fact included in this prospectus, regarding our strategy, future operations, financial position, estimated revenue and losses, projected costs, prospects, plans and objectives of management are forward-looking statements. When used in this prospectus, the words "could," "believe," "anticipate," "intend," "estimate," "expect," "project" and similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements, although not all forward-looking statements contain such identifying words. These forward-looking statements are based on management's current expectations and assumptions about future events and are based on currently available information as to the outcome and timing of future events. Actual outcomes and results may be materially different from the results stated or implied in such forward-looking statements included in this prospectus. You should not put any undue reliance on any forward-looking statement. When considering forward-looking statements, you should keep in mind the risk factors and other cautionary statements described under, but not limited to, the heading "Item 1A. Risk Factors" and "Cautionary Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements" in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2020, Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended March 31, 2021 and the quarter ended June 30, 2021, and our other filings with the SEC.

Important factors that could cause our actual results to differ materially from the expectations reflected in the forward-looking statements include, among others:

- our ability to successfully execute our business, acquisition and financing strategies, including our business strategy to focus on the ongoing energy transition in the industries in which we operate;
- our ability to successfully finance and develop our initial project with HOBO Renewable Diesel LLC ("HOBO");
- changes in general economic conditions, including market and macro-economic disruptions resulting from the ongoing pandemic caused by a novel strain of coronavirus, and the Delta and other variants thereof as well as related governmental and consumer responses thereto;
- the ability of our customers to meet their drilling and development plans on a timely basis, or at all, and perform under gathering, processing and other agreements;
- the creditworthiness and performance of our counterparties, including financial institutions, operating partners, customers and other counterparties;
- our ability to grow enterprise value;
- the ability of our partners to perform under our joint ventures;
- the availability, proximity and capacity of, and costs associated with, gathering, processing, compression and transportation facilities;

- our ability to access the credit and capital markets to obtain financing on terms we deem acceptable, if at all, and to otherwise satisfy our capital expenditure requirements;
- the timing and extent of changes in prices for, and demand for, natural gas, NGLs and oil;
- competition in the oil and natural gas industry for employees and other personnel, equipment, materials and services and, related thereto, the availability and cost of employees and other personnel, equipment, materials and services;
- the extent to which our assets operated by others are operated successfully and economically;
- our ability to compete with other companies in the oil and natural gas and energy transition infrastructure industries;
- the impact of, and changes in, government policies, laws and regulations, including tax laws and regulations, environmental laws and regulations relating to air emissions, waste disposal, hydraulic fracturing and access to and use of water, laws and regulations imposing conditions and restrictions on drilling and completion operations and laws;
- the use of competing energy sources and the development of alternative energy sources;
- unexpected results of litigation filed against us or other legal proceedings we are involved in;
- disruptions due to extreme weather conditions, such as extreme rainfall, winter storms, hurricanes or tornadoes;
- the extent to which we incur uninsured losses and liabilities or losses and liabilities in excess of our insurance coverage; and
- the other factors described under "Risk Factors" in this prospectus and any updates to those factors set forth in our subsequent Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q, Current Reports on Form 8-K and Annual Reports on Form 10-K filed with the SEC and incorporated herein by reference.

Management cautions all readers that the forward-looking statements contained in this prospectus are not guarantees of future performance, and we cannot assure any reader that such statements will be realized or the forward-looking events and circumstances will occur. Actual results may differ materially from those anticipated or implied in the forward-looking statements due to factors listed in the "Risk Factors" section and elsewhere in this prospectus. The forward-looking statements speak only as of the date made, and other than as required by law, we do not intend to publicly update or revise any forward-looking statements as a result of new information, future events or otherwise. These cautionary statements qualify all forwardlooking statements attributable to us or persons acting on our behalf.

PROSPECTUS SUMMARY

This summary provides a brief overview of information contained elsewhere in this prospectus and the documents we incorporate by reference. It does not contain all of the information you should consider before making an investment decision. You should read this entire prospectus and the documents incorporated by reference herein.

Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP

We are a publicly-traded limited partnership formed in 2005 focused on the acquisition, development and ownership of infrastructure critical to the transition of energy supply to lower carbon sources. We own natural gas gathering systems, pipelines, and processing facilities in South Texas and continue to pursue energy transition infrastructure opportunities. Our common units are currently listed on the NYSE American under the symbol "SNMP."

On February 26, 2021, in connection with our management team's focus on expanding our business strategy to focus on the ongoing energy transition in the industries in which we operate, we changed our name to Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP and our general partner changed its name to Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC.

Principal Executive Offices

Our principal executive offices are located at 1360 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 2400 in Houston, Texas 77056. Our telephone number is (713) 783-8000, and our website is accessed at www.evolvetransition.com. Information on our website is not incorporated into this prospectus or our other securities filings and is not a part of this prospectus.

For additional information as to our business, properties and financial condition please read "Where You Can Find More Information" and "Incorporation By Reference."

Implications of Being a Smaller Reporting Company

We are a "smaller reporting company" because the market value of our stock held by non-affiliates is less than \$700 million and our annual revenue was less than \$100 million during our most recently completed fiscal year. We may continue to be a smaller reporting company if either (a) the market value of our stock held by non-affiliates is less than \$250 million or (b) our annual revenue was less than \$100 million during the most recently completed fiscal year and the market value of our stock held by nonaffiliates is less than \$700 million. We may continue to rely on exemptions from certain disclosure requirements that are available to smaller reporting companies. For so long as we remain a smaller reporting company, we are permitted and intend to rely on exemptions from certain disclosure and other requirements that are applicable to public companies that are not smaller reporting companies.

THE OFFERING				
Units offered by the selling unitholder	9,000,000 common units.			
Common units outstanding immediately prior to and after this offering	114,165,219 common units.			
Use of proceeds	All of the common units offered by the selling unitholder pursuant to this prospectus will be sold by the selling unitholder for its own account. We will not receive any of the proceeds from these sales.			
Risk factors	Investing in our common units involves risks. Limited partnerships are inherently different from corporations. See "Risk Factors" and the other information included or incorporated by reference into this prospectus for a discussion of factors you should consider carefully beforce deciding to invest in our common units.			
Exchange listing	The common units are currently listed on the NYSE American under the symbol "SNMP."			

RISK FACTORS

An investment in our common units involves risks. You should carefully consider all of the information contained in or incorporated by reference in this prospectus and additional information which may be incorporated by reference, in this prospectus or any prospectus supplement in the future as provided under "Incorporation by Reference," including our Annual Reports on Form 10-K, Quarterly Reports on Form 10-Q and Current Reports on Form 8-K, including the risk factors described under "Risk Factors" in such reports. This prospectus also contains forward-looking statements that involve risks and uncertainties. Please read "Cautionary Note Regarding Forward-Looking Statements." Our actual results could differ materially from those anticipated in the forward-looking statements as a result of certain factors, including the risks described elsewhere in this prospectus or any prospectus supplement and in the documents incorporated by reference into this prospectus or any prospectus supplement.

If any of these risks were to materialize, our business, results of operations, cash flows and financial condition could be materially adversely affected, the trading price of our common units could decline and you could lose all or part of your investment.

Risks Relating to the Offering

Sales by the selling unitholder of the common units that are covered by this prospectus could adversely affect the trading price of our common units.

We are registering for resale an aggregate of 9,000,000 common units held by the selling unitholder, which as of November 9, 2021 represent approximately 7.9% of our currently outstanding common units. Subject to certain exceptions, we are obligated to keep this prospectus current so that the common units can be sold in the public market at any time. The resale of all or a substantial portion of the common units in the public market, or the perception that these sales might occur, could cause the market price of our common units to decrease and may make it more difficult for us to sell our equity securities in the future at a time and upon terms that we deem appropriate.

Risks Relating to the Common Units

You will not receive cash distributions on your common units until we are able to redeem 100% of the outstanding Class C Preferred Units, as a result, you are unlikely to receive cash distributions on your common units for the foreseeable future.

Our partnership agreement prohibits us from declaring or making any distributions, redemptions or repurchases in respect of any junior securities or any parity securities until the first quarter in which no Class C Preferred Units remain outstanding. This means that you will not receive any cash distributions on your common units until such time as we are able to redeem all of the outstanding Class C Preferred Units. We currently have the right to redeem 100% of the outstanding Class C Preferred Units for cash at the greater of the current market price or the liquidation preference for the Class C Preferred Units. As of November 9, 2021, the liquidation preference for the Class C Preferred Units was approximately \$430,260,082 million. Our total revenues for the year ended December 31, 2020 were approximately \$57 million. As a result, you are unlikely to receive cash distributions on your common units for the foreseeable future.

Stonepeak and its affiliates may sell additional common units in the public or private markets, and such sales could have an adverse impact on the trading price of the common units.

As of November 9, 2021, Stonepeak and its affiliates (including the selling unitholder) owned (i) 61,399,542 common units, representing approximately 53.8% of our outstanding common units, and (ii) a warrant exercisable for junior securities that entitles Stonepeak Catarina to receive junior securities of the Partnership (including common units) representing 10% of all junior securities deemed outstanding when exercised (the "Warrant"). Additionally, we have agreed to provide Stonepeak Catarina with certain registration rights under applicable securities laws. The sale of these common units in the public or private markets could have an adverse impact on the price of the common units or on the trading market for our common units.

The New Executives have significant duties with, and spend significant time serving, HOBO and may have conflicts of interests in allocating time or pursuing business opportunities.

In furtherance of the initial project with HOBO and to support our energy transition focus, key members of the HOBO leadership team will join our management team effective December 1, 2021. HOBO Co-Founder and Chief Executive Officer Randy Gibbs will join as the new Chief Executive Officer, and as a member of the Board, HOBO Co-Founder and President Mike Keuss will join as the new President and Chief Operating Officer, and HOBO's Chief Financial Officer Jonathan Hartigan will join as the new President and Chief Investment Officer (the "New Executives").

The New Executives who, together with the Board and our existing officers and employees, will be responsible for managing the direction of our operations, hold positions of responsibility with HOBO and other entities. Subject to restrictions in the Framework Agreement, dated November 3, 2021, between us and HOBO (the "Framework Agreement") and their respective executive services agreements, the New Executives may pursue other business or investment ventures while employed with us. Additionally, as a result of their ownership of HOBO, the New Executives are incentivized to achieve specific milestones with respect to the initial project, which may result in additional time being allocated to the initial project under, and the other transactions contemplated by, the Framework Agreement (the "HOBO Transaction"). Accordingly, each of the New Executives may have conflicts of interest in allocating time among various business activities and potentially competitive fiduciary and pecuniary interests that conflict with our interests. These conflicts may not be resolved in our favor.

You may experience substantial future dilution.

On November 16, 2020, we entered into the "Stonepeak Letter Agreement" wherein we agreed with Stonepeak Catarina that the distribution on their Class C Preferred Units for the three months ended September 30, 2020 would be paid in common units instead of Class C Preferred PIK Units, cash or a combination thereof. The Stonepeak Letter Agreement also provides Stonepeak Catarina with the ability to elect to receive distributions on the Class C Preferred Units in common units for any quarter following the third quarter of 2020 by providing written notice to us no later than the last day of the calendar month following the end of such quarter. The transactions under the Stonepeak Letter Agreement were approved by the conflicts committee of the board of directors of our general partner. As a result of the Stonepeak Letter Agreement, we have issued a total of 56,496,459 common units to Stonepeak Catarina representing all distributions made to Stonepeak Catarina since the third quarter of 2020. In accordance with the Stonepeak Letter Agreement, on October 29, 2021, the Partnership received written notice of Stonepeak Catarina's election to receive distributions on the Class C Preferred Units for the quarter ended September 30, 2021 in common units. In accordance with the Stonepeak Letter Agreement, we will issue 10,832,186 common units to Stonepeak Catarina on November 22, 2021. Additionally, in order to fulfill our funding and reimbursement obligations in connection with the Levo Mobility LLC joint venture (the "Levo JV") and the HOBO Transaction, we may issue additional common units, which will result in current common unitholders experiencing dilution. Finally, Stonepeak Catarina may elect to receive future distributions on their Class C Preferred Units in common units instead of Class C Preferred PIK Units. As a result of the foregoing, you may experience substantial future dilution.

The market price of our common units has been extremely volatile and may continue to be volatile due to numerous circumstances beyond our control.

The market price of our common units has fluctuated, and may continue to fluctuate, widely, due to various factors, many of which are beyond our control. These factors include, without limitation:

- comments by securities analysts or other third parties, including blogs, articles, message boards and social and other media;
- actual or anticipated fluctuations in our financial and operating results;
- provisions in our Amended Credit Agreement which currently prohibit us from paying distributions to our common unitholders other than in certain limited circumstances set forth in our Amended Credit Agreement;

- announcements by us or our competitors of significant contracts or acquisitions;
- changes in accounting standards, policies, guidance, interpretations or principles;
- general economic conditions, including interest rates and governmental policies impacting interest rates;
- future sales of our common units; and
- other factors described in the documents incorporated by reference herein.

Stock markets in general and our common unit price in particular have recently experienced extreme price and volume fluctuations that have often been unrelated or disproportionate to the operating performance of the companies impacted, including us. For example, since September 1, 2021, our common units have closed at a high of \$1.34 per common unit and a low of \$0.88 per common unit. In addition, during that same period, daily trading volume ranged from approximately 1,498,300 to 32,673,900 common units. These broad market fluctuations may adversely affect the trading price of our common units, which may limit or prevent investors from readily selling their common units and may otherwise negatively affect the liquidity of our common units.

Risks Relating to the Partnership

Failure to achieve commercial resolution with Mesquite could adversely affect our business, cash flows and results of operations.

The Settlement Agreement, dated June 6, 2020, as amended by that certain Amendment Agreement, dated as of June 14, 2020 and effective as of June 6, 2020, in each case, by and among the Partnership, our general partner, Catarina Midstream, LLC, Seco Pipeline, LLC, Mesquite Energy, Inc. ("Mesquite"), SN Palmetto, LLC, SN Marquis LLC, SN Cotulla Assets, LLC, SN Operating, LLC, SN TMS, LLC, SN Catarina, LLC, Rockin L Ranch Company, LLC, SN Payables, LLC, SN EF Maverick, LLC, SN UR Holdings, LLC (collectively with Mesquite, the "SN Debtors"), SP Holdings, Carnero G&P LLC and TPL SouthTex Processing Company LP (the "Settlement Agreement"), contemplated, among other things, our entry into Amendment No. 2 (the "Gathering Agreement Amendment") to the Firm Gathering and Processing Agreement, dated as of October 14, 2015, by and between Catarina Midstream, LLC and SN Catarina LLC, as amended by Amendment No. 1 thereto, dated June 30, 2017 (the "Gathering Agreement") providing for, among other things, the dedication by Mesquite of the eastern portion ("Eastern Catarina") of Mesquite's acreage position in Dimmit, La Salle and Webb counties in Texas (such net acreage, collectively, "Mesquite's Catarina Asset") and the establishment of field-wide rates.

On June 24, 2021, Mesquite terminated the Settlement Agreement, and as a result, the Gathering Agreement Amendment will not become effective. The western portion of Mesquite's Catarina Asset is currently dedicated under the Gathering Agreement. We increased the tariff rate for interruptible throughput volumes from Eastern Catarina. Despite the increase, Mesquite short-paid the initial invoice and continues to pay the tariff rate in effect prior to the June 24, 2021 increase. We are currently in discussions with Mesquite on a commercial resolution for Eastern Catarina. On August 30, 2021, we filed for arbitration against Mesquite alleging breach of the Gathering Agreement and seeking a declaration confirming our ability to set the tariff rate for interruptible volumes from Eastern Catarina. On October 15, 2021, Mesquite and SN Catarina, LLC initiated an adversary proceeding against us and Catarina Midstream LLC in the United States Bankruptcy Code filed by the SN Debtors in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas, Houston Division. There can be no guarantee that we are able to reach any commercial resolution and our failure to do so could adversely affect our business, financial condition, cash flows and results of operations.

We may be unable to maintain compliance with the NYSE American listing standards. If our common units are delisted, it could adversely affect our business, cash flows and results of operations.

Our common units are currently listed on the NYSE American. On April 3, 2020, we received notice from the NYSE American stating that we were below compliance with the continued listing standards set forth in Section 1003(a)(i) of the Company Guide. On April 29, 2021, we received a second notice from the

NYSE American that we were not in compliance with the continued listing standards set forth in Section 1003(a)(ii) of the Company Guide. On October 4, 2021, the NYSE American informed us that we have regained compliance by meeting the requirements of the \$50 million market capitalization exemption from the stockholders' equity requirement in Section 1003(a) of the Company Guide.

Going forward, we will be subject to the NYSE American's normal continued listing monitoring. If we are again determined to be below any of the continued listing standards of the NYSE American prior to October 4, 2022, then the NYSE American will examine the relationship between the incidents of noncompliance and re-evaluate our method of financial recovery from the prior incidents. The NYSE American may, among other things, truncate the compliance procedures described in Section 1009 of the Company Guide or immediately initiate delisting proceedings with respect to our common units.

If we are unable to maintain compliance with the NYSE American listing standards, the NYSE American may delist our common units, which could adversely affect our business, cash flows and results of operations.

We may be unable to fund our capital requirements for the Levo JV and the HOBO Transaction.

Upon completion of certain milestones or execution of specific contracts, we will be asked to provide capital to fulfill our funding and reimbursement obligations in connection with the Levo JV and the HOBO Transaction. If we cannot provide capital for such opportunities from cash on hand or borrowings under our credit facility, we may need to raise additional funds through the issuance of securities, including equity, debt or a combination of both. Additional financing may not be available to us on favorable terms, or at all. If we are unable to access the capital markets and other adequate financing is not available to us on acceptable terms, we may be unable to fund these capital requirements, which could adversely affect our business and limit our ability to expand and grow.

We can provide no assurance that we will be successful in implementing our new energy transition infrastructure business due to competition and other factors, which could limit our ability to grow and extend our dependence on Mesquite and our midstream business.

Part of our new business strategy is to grow our business through the acquisition and development of infrastructure critical to the transition of energy supply to lower carbon sources. This will involve identifying opportunities to offer services to third parties with our existing assets or constructing or acquiring new assets.

We are currently pursuing energy transition infrastructure opportunities and while we have entered into the Framework Agreement with HOBO and completed the formation of the Levo JV, we have not developed any project in connection with this business strategy. We can provide no assurance that we will be successful in implementing our new energy transition infrastructure business, which could limit our ability to grow and extend our dependence on Mesquite and our midstream business. Moreover, we may fail to realize the anticipated benefit of any project under the Framework Agreement, in connection with the Levo JV or any acquisition we make, or we may be unable to integrate businesses we acquire effectively. Finally, to the extent that Stonepeak, SP Holdings or our general partner are successful in pursuing energy transition opportunities, there is no guarantee that such opportunities will be offered to us.

USE OF PROCEEDS

All of the common units offered by the selling unitholder pursuant to this prospectus will be sold by the selling unitholder for its own account. We will not receive any of the proceeds from these sales. For information about the selling unitholder, see "Selling Unitholder."

DESCRIPTION OF THE COMMON UNITS

The Common Units

The common units represent limited partner interests in us that entitle the holders thereof to the rights and privileges specified to limited partners set forth in our partnership agreement, including the right to participate in partnership distributions. For a description of the relative rights and preferences of holders of common units in and to partnership distributions, please read this Section and "Provisions of Our Partnership Agreement Relating to Cash Distributions." For a description of other rights and privileges of limited partners under our partnership agreement, including voting rights, please read "The Partnership Agreement." Our common units are currently listed on the NYSE American under the symbol "SNMP."

Transfer Agent and Registrar

Duties

Computershare Trust Company, N.A. serves as the registrar and transfer agent for the common units. We will pay all fees charged by the transfer agent for transfers of common units except the following, which must be paid by unitholders:

- surety bond premiums to replace lost or stolen certificates, taxes and other governmental charges;
- special charges for services requested by a holder of a common unit; and
- other similar fees or charges.

There will be no charge to unitholders for disbursements of our cash distributions. We will indemnify the transfer agent, its agents and each of their stockholders, directors, officers and employees against all claims and losses that may arise out of acts performed or omitted for its activities in that capacity, except for any liability due to any gross negligence or intentional misconduct of the indemnified person or entity.

Resignation or Removal

The transfer agent may resign, by notice to us, or be removed by us. The resignation or removal of the transfer agent will become effective upon our appointment of a successor transfer agent and registrar and its acceptance of the appointment. If no successor is appointed or a successor has not accepted its appointment, our general partner may act as the transfer agent and registrar until a successor is appointed.

Transfer of Common Units

Upon the transfer of a common unit in accordance with our partnership agreement, the transferee of the common unit shall be admitted as a limited partner with respect to the common units transferred when such transfer and admission are reflected in our books and records. Each transferee:

- represents that the transferee has the capacity, power and authority to become bound by our partnership agreement;
- automatically becomes bound by the terms and conditions of our partnership agreement; and
- · gives the consents, waivers and approvals contained in our partnership agreement.

Our general partner will cause any transfers to be recorded on our books and records no less frequently than quarterly.

We may, at our discretion, treat the nominee holder of a common unit as the absolute owner. In that case, the beneficial holder's rights are limited solely to those that it has against the nominee holder as a result of any agreement between the beneficial owner and the nominee holder.

Common units are securities and any transfers are subject to the laws governing the transfer of securities in addition to the provisions of our partnership agreement. In addition to other rights acquired upon transfer, the transferor gives the transferee the right to become a substituted limited partner in our partnership with respect to the transferred common units.

Until a common unit has been transferred on our books, we and the transfer agent may treat the record holder of the common unit as the absolute owner for all purposes, except as otherwise required by law or stock exchange regulations.

Number of Common Units

As of November 9, 2021, we had 114,165,219 common units issued and outstanding: 32,573,525 common units were held by the public; and 81,591,694 common units were held by affiliates of our general partner and directors, officers and employees of our general partner.

PROVISIONS OF OUR PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT RELATING TO CASH DISTRIBUTIONS

Set forth below is a summary of the significant provisions of our partnership agreement that relate to cash distributions. Our partnership agreement currently prohibits us from declaring or making cash distributions to common unitholders until the first quarter in which none of the Class C Preferred Units representing limited partner interests in the Partnership (the "Class C Preferred Units") remain outstanding.

Distributions of Available Cash

Distributions of Available Cash

Our partnership agreement requires that, on or about the last day of each of February, May, August and November, we distribute all of our available cash to unitholders of record on the applicable record date. Available cash generally means, for any quarter, the sum of all cash and cash equivalents on hand at the end of that quarter:

- *less*, the amount of cash reserves established by our general partner to:
 - provide for the proper conduct of our business (including cash reserves for our future capital expenditures and anticipated future debt service requirements) subsequent to that quarter;
 - comply with applicable law, any of our debt instruments or other agreements; or
 - provide funds for distributions to our unitholders for any one or more of the next four quarters (provided that our general partner may not establish cash reserves for distributions if the effect of the establishment of such reserves will prevent us from distributing the cash portion of any distributions on our Class C Preferred Units or minimum quarterly distribution on our common units with respect to such quarter);
- *plus*, if our general partner so determines, all or any portion of additional cash and cash equivalents on hand on the date of determination of available cash for the quarter resulting from working capital borrowings made subsequent to the end of such quarter.

The purpose and effect of the last bullet point above is to allow our general partner, if it so decides, to use cash from working capital borrowings made after the end of the quarter but on or before the date of determination of available cash for that quarter to pay distributions to unitholders. Under our partnership agreement, working capital borrowings are generally borrowings that are made under a credit facility, commercial paper facility or similar financing arrangement, and in all cases are used solely for working capital purposes or to pay distributions to unitholders, and with the intent of the borrower to repay such borrowings within twelve months with funds other than from additional working capital borrowings.

Class C Preferred Units

Under the terms of our partnership agreement, commencing with the quarter ended on June 30, 2019, the Class C Preferred Units receive a quarterly distribution of, at the election of the board of directors of our general partner, (i) with respect to any distribution made with respect to the quarter ended June 30, 2019, 10.0% per annum if paid in full in cash or 12.0% per annum if paid in paid-in-kind units; (ii) with respect to any distribution made with and after the quarter ended September 30, 2019, through and including the quarter ending December 31, 2021, 12.5% per annum, regardless of whether paid in cash, paid-in-kind units or a combination thereof; and (iii) with respect to any distribution made with respect to any quarter beginning on or after January 1, 2022, 14.0% per annum, regardless of whether paid in cash, paid-in-kind units or a combination thereof.

Additionally, under the terms of our partnership agreement, until the first quarter in which no Class C Preferred Units remain outstanding, we are not permitted to, and are prohibited from declaring or making, any distributions, redemptions or repurchases in respect of any junior securities, including common units, or any parity securities.

Pursuant to the Stonepeak Letter Agreement, dated November 16, 2020, by and between us, our general partner and Stonepeak Catarina, Stonepeak Catarina, as the holder of our Class C Preferred Units,

may also elect to receive Class C preferred quarterly distributions in common units for any quarter following the quarter ended September 30, 2020.

General Partner Interest and Incentive Distribution Rights

Our general partner currently owns a non-economic general partner interest in us, which does not entitle it to receive cash distributions. However, our general partner may in the future own common units or other equity interests in us and will be entitled to receive distributions on any such interests.

SP Holdings, the sole member of our general partner, holds all of our incentive distribution rights, which entitles it to receive increasing percentages, up to a maximum of 35.5%, of the available cash we distribute from operating surplus (as defined in our partnership agreement) after we have achieved the minimum quarterly distribution and the target distribution levels.

Operating Surplus and Capital Surplus

General

Any distributions that we make will be characterized as made from "operating surplus" or "capital surplus." Distributions from operating surplus are made differently than cash distributions that we would make from capital surplus. Operating surplus distributions will be made to our unitholders and, if we make quarterly distributions above the first target distribution level described below, to the holder of our incentive distribution rights. We do not anticipate that we will make any distributions from capital surplus. In such an event, however, any capital surplus distribution would be made pro rata to all holders of our Class C Preferred Units, until there has been distributed an amount equal to the Class C preferred quarterly distribution, and then pro rata to all common unitholders until the minimum quarterly distribution is reduced to zero, as described below, but the holder of the incentive distribution rights would generally not participate in any capital surplus distributions with respect to those rights.

In determining operating surplus and capital surplus, we will only take into account our proportionate share of our consolidated subsidiaries, provided they are not wholly owned, and our proportionate share of entities accounted for under the equity method.

Operating Surplus

We define operating surplus as:

- \$20.0 million (as described below); plus
- all of our cash receipts, excluding cash from interim capital transactions (as defined below), provided that cash receipts from the termination of a commodity hedge or interest rate hedge prior to its specified termination date shall be amortized in operating surplus in equal quarterly installments over the remaining scheduled term of such commodity hedge or interest rate hedge; plus
- working capital borrowings made after the end of a quarter but on or before the date of determination of operating surplus for that quarter; plus
- cash distributions (including incremental distributions on incentive distribution rights) paid in
 respect of equity issued, other than equity issued in connection with consummating the initial public
 offering of our predecessor, to finance all or a portion of expansion capital expenditures in respect of
 the period from the date that we enter into a binding obligation to commence the replacement,
 improvement, addition, expansion, acquisition, construction or development of a capital asset and
 ending on the earlier to occur of the date the capital asset commences commercial service and the
 date that it is abandoned or disposed of; plus
- cash distributions (including incremental distributions on incentive distribution rights) paid in
 respect of equity issued, other than equity issued in connection with the initial public offering of our
 predecessor, to pay interest on debt incurred, or to pay distributions on equity issued, to finance the
 expansion capital expenditures referred to in the prior bullet; less
- all of our operating expenditures (as defined below); less



- the amount of cash reserves established by our general partner to provide funds for future operating expenditures; less
- all working capital borrowings not repaid within twelve months after having been incurred, or repaid within such twelve-month period with the proceeds of additional working capital borrowings; less
- any cash loss realized on disposition of an investment capital expenditure.

As described above, operating surplus does not reflect actual cash on hand that is available for distribution to our unitholders and is not limited to cash generated by our operations. For example, the partnership agreement includes a provision that will enable us, if we choose, to distribute as operating surplus up to \$20.0 million of cash we receive in the future from non-operating sources such as asset sales, issuances of securities and long-term borrowings that would otherwise be distributed as capital surplus. In addition, the effect of including, as described above, certain cash distributions on equity interests in operating surplus will be to increase operating surplus by the amount of any such cash distributions. As a result, we may also distribute as operating surplus up to the amount of any such cash that we receive from non-operating sources.

The proceeds of working capital borrowings increase operating surplus, and repayments of working capital borrowings are generally operating expenditures (as described below) and thus reduce operating surplus when repayments are made. However, if working capital borrowings, which increase operating surplus, are not repaid during the twelve-month period following the borrowing, they will be deemed repaid at the end of such period, thus decreasing operating surplus at such time. When such working capital borrowings are in fact repaid, they will not be treated as a further reduction in operating surplus because operating surplus will have been previously reduced by the deemed repayment.

We define interim capital transactions as (i) borrowings, refinancings or refundings of indebtedness (other than working capital borrowings and items purchased on open account or for a deferred purchase price in the ordinary course of business) and sales of debt securities, (ii) sales of equity interests and (iii) sales or other voluntary or involuntary dispositions of assets, other than sales or other dispositions of inventory, accounts receivable and other assets in the ordinary course of business and sales or other dispositions of assets as part of normal asset retirements or replacements.

We define operating expenditures as all of our cash expenditures (or our proportionate share of expenditures in the case of subsidiaries that are not wholly owned), including, but not limited to, taxes, amounts paid under the Shared Services Agreement, reimbursements of expenses of our general partner and its affiliates, director, officer and employee compensation, debt service payments, payments made in the ordinary course of business under interest rate hedge contracts and commodity hedge contracts (provided that payments made in connection with the termination of any interest rate hedge contract or commodity hedge contract prior to the expiration of its settlement or termination date specified therein will be amortized in operating expenditures in equal quarterly installments over the remaining scheduled life of such interest rate hedge contract or a commodity hedge contract will be amortized over the life of such rate hedge contract or commodity hedge contract), estimated maintenance capital expenditures (as discussed in further detail below), and repayment of working capital borrowings; provided, however, that operating expenditures will not include:

- expansion capital expenditures;
- actual maintenance capital expenditures;
- investment capital expenditures;
- payment of transaction expenses (including taxes) relating to interim capital transactions;
- distributions to our partners;
- repayments of working capital borrowings where such borrowings have previously been deemed to have been repaid (as described above);
- payments (including prepayments and prepayment penalties) of principal of and premium on indebtedness other than working capital borrowings; or

• repurchases of partnership interests (excluding repurchases we make to satisfy obligations under employee benefit plans).

Capital Surplus

Capital surplus is defined as any distribution of available cash in excess of our cumulative operating surplus. Although the cash proceeds from interim capital transactions do not increase operating surplus, all distributions of available cash from whatever source are deemed to be from operating surplus until cumulative distributions of available cash exceed cumulative operating surplus. Thereafter, all distributions of available cash are deemed to be from capital surplus to the extent they continue to exceed cumulative operating surplus. Accordingly, except as described above, capital surplus would generally be generated by:

- borrowings other than working capital borrowings;
- sales of our equity and debt securities; and
- sales or other dispositions of assets, other than inventory, accounts receivable and other assets sold in the ordinary course of business or as part of ordinary course retirement or replacement of assets.

Characterization of Cash Distributions

Our partnership agreement requires that we treat all available cash distributed as coming from operating surplus until the sum of all available cash distributed since the closing of our initial public offering equals the operating surplus from the closing of our initial public offering through the end of the quarter immediately preceding that distribution. Our partnership agreement requires that we treat any amount distributed in excess of operating surplus, regardless of its source, as capital surplus. As described above, operating surplus includes a basket of \$20.0 million, and therefore does not reflect actual cash on hand that is available for distribution to our unitholders. Rather, this provision enables us, if we choose, to distribute as operating surplus up to that amount of cash we receive in the future from interim capital transactions that would otherwise be distributed as capital surplus. We do not anticipate that we will make any distributions from capital surplus.

Capital Expenditures

Expansion capital expenditures are cash expenditures incurred for capital improvements that we expect will increase our operating capacity, operating income or asset base over the long term. Examples of expansion capital expenditures include the construction, development or acquisition of assets associated with our business to the extent such capital expenditures are expected to expand our operating capacity, our operating income or our asset base. Expansion capital expenditures also include interest payments (and related fees) on debt incurred and distributions in respect of equity issued (including incremental distributions on incentive distribution rights) to finance all or a portion of expansion capital expenditures in respect of the period from the date that we enter into a binding obligation to commence the replacement, improvement, addition, expansion acquisition, construction, development or capital contribution of a capital asset and ending on the earlier to occur of the date that such capital improvement commences commercial service and the date that such capital improvement is abandoned or disposed of.

Maintenance capital expenditures are cash expenditures made to maintain, over the long-term, our operating capacity, operating income or asset base. Examples of maintenance capital expenditures are expenditures to develop and replace our oil and natural gas reserves as well as the repair, refurbishment and replacement of gathering and transportation assets, to maintain equipment reliability, integrity and safety and to address environmental laws and regulations.

Because our maintenance capital expenditures can be very large and irregular, the amount of our actual maintenance capital expenditures may differ substantially from period-to-period, which could cause similar fluctuations in the amounts of operating surplus and cash available for distribution to our unitholders if we subtracted actual maintenance capital expenditures from operating surplus. As a result, to eliminate the effect on operating surplus of these fluctuations, our partnership agreement requires that an estimate of the average quarterly maintenance capital expenditures necessary to maintain our asset base over the long-term be subtracted from operating surplus each quarter as opposed to the actual amounts spent. The

amount of estimated maintenance capital expenditures deducted from operating surplus is subject to review and change by the board of directors of our general partner at least once a year. The estimate is made at least annually and whenever an event occurs that is likely to result in a material adjustment to the amount of our future estimated maintenance capital expenditures, such as a major acquisition or the introduction of new governmental regulations that will impact our business. For purposes of calculating operating surplus, any adjustment to this estimate will be prospective only.

The use of estimated maintenance capital expenditures in calculating operating surplus has the following effects:

- it reduces the risk that maintenance capital expenditures in any one quarter will be large enough to render operating surplus less than the minimum quarterly distribution to be paid on all the units for that quarter and subsequent quarters;
- it increases our ability to distribute as operating surplus cash we receive from non-operating sources;
- it is more difficult for us to raise our distribution above the minimum quarterly distribution and pay distributions on our incentive distribution rights; and
- it reduces the likelihood that a large maintenance capital expenditure during one quarterly distribution period will prevent the payment of a distribution on the incentive distribution rights in respect of any quarterly distribution period since the effect of an estimate is to spread the expected expense over several periods, thereby mitigating the effect of the actual payment of the expenditure on any single period.

Investment capital expenditures are those capital expenditures that are neither maintenance capital expenditures nor expansion capital expenditures. Investment capital expenditures largely will consist of capital expenditures made for investment purposes. Examples of investment capital expenditures include traditional capital expenditures for investment purposes, such as purchases of securities, as well as other capital expenditures that might be made in lieu of such traditional investment capital expenditures, such as the acquisition of a capital asset for investment purposes or development of facilities that are in excess of the maintenance of our existing operating capacity or operating income, but that are not expected to expand our operating capacity or operating income over the long term.

Capital expenditures that are made in part for maintenance capital purposes, investment capital purposes and/or expansion capital purposes will be allocated as maintenance capital expenditures, investment capital expenditures or expansion capital expenditure by our general partner.

Distributions of Available Cash From Operating Surplus

Our partnership agreement requires that we make distributions of available cash from operating surplus from any quarter in the following manner:

- *first*, 100% to holders of our Class C Preferred Units, pro rata, until we distribute for each Class C Preferred Unit an amount equal to the quarterly distribution for such Class C Preferred Units, as described above under "— Distributions of Available Cash Class C Preferred Units;"
- *second*, 100% to common unitholders, pro rata, until we distribute for each common unit an amount equal to the minimum quarterly distribution for that quarter; and
- *thereafter*, in the manner described in "— Incentive Distribution Rights" below.

Incentive Distribution Rights

Incentive distribution rights represent the right to receive increasing percentages (13.0%, 23.0% and 35.5%) of quarterly distributions of available cash from operating surplus after the minimum quarterly distribution and the target distribution levels have been achieved. SP Holdings holds the incentive distribution rights, but may transfer these rights, subject to the restrictions set forth in our partnership agreement.

If, for any quarter, we have distributed available cash from operating surplus to the common unitholders in an amount equal to the minimum quarterly distribution, then we will make additional distributions from operating surplus for that quarter among the common unitholders and SP Holdings (in its capacity as the holder of our incentive distribution rights) in the following manner:

- *first*, 100% to all common unitholders, pro rata, until each unitholder receives a total of \$0.575 per unit for that quarter (the "first target distribution");
- second, 87.0% to all common unitholders, pro rata, and 13.0% to the holders of our incentive distribution rights, until each unitholder receives a total of \$0.625 per unit for that quarter (the "second target distribution");
- *third*, 77.0% to all common unitholders, pro rata, and 23.0% to the holders of our incentive distribution rights, until each unitholder receives a total of \$0.875 per unit for that quarter (the "third target distribution"); and
- thereafter, 64.5% to all common unitholders, pro rata, and 35.5% to the holders of our incentive distribution rights.

Distributions from Capital Surplus

How Distributions from Capital Surplus Will Be Made

Our partnership agreement requires that we make distributions from capital surplus, if any, in the following manner:

- *first*, 100% to holders of our Class C Preferred Units, pro rata, until we distribute for each Class C
 Preferred Unit an amount equal to the quarterly distribution for such Class C Preferred Units, as
 described above under "— Distributions of Available Cash Class C Preferred Units;" and
- *second*, 100% to our common unitholders, pro rata, until the minimum quarterly distribution is reduced to zero as described below.

Effect of a Distribution From Capital Surplus

Our partnership agreement treats a distribution of capital surplus as the repayment of the initial unit price from our initial public offering, which is a return of capital. Each time a distribution of capital surplus is made, the minimum quarterly distribution and the target distribution levels will be reduced in the same proportion that the distribution had to the fair market value of the common units immediately prior to the announcement of the distribution (or the average of the closing prices for the 20 consecutive trading days immediately prior to the ex-dividend date). Because distributions of capital surplus will reduce the minimum quarterly distribution and target distribution levels after any of these distributions are made, it may be easier for SP Holdings (in its capacity as the holder of our incentive distribution rights) to receive incentive distributions. However, any distribution of capital surplus before the minimum quarterly distribution.

Once we reduce the minimum quarterly distribution and target distribution levels to zero, all future distributions will be made such that 64.5% is paid to all unitholders, pro rata, and 35.5% is paid to the holder or holders of incentive distribution rights, pro rata.

Adjustment to the Minimum Quarterly Distribution and Target Distribution Levels

In addition to adjusting the minimum quarterly distribution and target distribution levels to reflect a distribution of capital surplus, if we combine our common units into fewer common units or subdivide our common units into a greater number of common units, our partnership agreement specifies that the following items will be proportionately adjusted:

- the minimum quarterly distribution;
- · the target distribution levels; and
- the initial unit price, as described below under "- Distributions of Cash Upon Liquidation."

For example, if a two-for-one split of the common units should occur, the minimum quarterly distribution, the target distribution levels and the initial unit price would each be reduced to 50.0% of its



initial level. Our partnership agreement provides that we do not make any adjustment by reason of the issuance of additional units in exchange for cash or property.

In addition, if as a result of a change in law or interpretation thereof, we are or any of our subsidiaries is treated as an association taxable as a corporation or are otherwise subject to additional taxation as an entity for U.S. federal, state, local or non-U.S. income or withholding tax purposes, our general partner may, in its sole discretion, reduce the minimum quarterly distribution and the target distribution levels for each quarter by multiplying each distribution level by a fraction, the numerator of which is cash for that quarter (after deducting our general partner's estimate of our additional aggregate liability for the quarter for such income and withholdings taxes payable by reason of such change in law or interpretation) and the denominator of which is the sum of (1) cash for that quarter, plus (2) our general partner's estimate of our additional aggregate liability for the quarter for such income and withholding taxes payable by reason of such change in law or interpretation thereof. To the extent that the actual tax liability differs from the estimated tax liability for any quarter, the difference will be accounted for in distributions with respect to subsequent quarters.

Distributions of Cash Upon Liquidation

General

If we dissolve in accordance with the partnership agreement, we will sell or otherwise dispose of our assets in a process called liquidation. We will first apply the proceeds of liquidation to the payment of our creditors. We will distribute any remaining proceeds to the unitholders and the holders of the incentive distribution rights, in accordance with their capital account balances, as adjusted to reflect any gain or loss upon the sale or other disposition of our assets in liquidation.

The allocations of gain and loss upon liquidation are intended, to the extent possible, to entitle the holders of units to a repayment of the initial value contributed by unitholders for their units in our initial public offering, which we refer to as the "initial unit price" for each unit. Any further net gain recognized upon liquidation will be allocated in a manner that takes into account the incentive distribution rights.

Manner of Adjustments for Gain

The manner of the adjustment for gain is set forth in the partnership agreement. We will generally allocate any gain to the partners in the following manner:

- *first*, to the general partner to the extent of any negative balance in its capital account;
- second, to the holders of Class C Preferred Units, until the cumulative amounts of gain allocated to such holders is equal to the cumulative losses previously allocated to such holders as described below in "— Manner of Adjustments for Losses;"
- *third*, 100% to all unitholders, pro rata (determined without regard to any Class C Preferred Units, as applicable, then held by them), until the capital account in respect of each common unit then outstanding is equal to the sum of (i) its unrecovered initial unit price; (ii) the amount of the minimum quarterly distribution for the quarter during which our liquidation occurs, reduced by any distribution made from operating surplus in satisfaction of the minimum quarterly distribution per unit for such quarter; and (iii) the excess of (a) the first target distribution per unit less the minimum quarterly distribution per unit for each quarter after November 20, 2006 or the date of the most recent reset election, if any; over (b) the cumulative amount per unit of any distributions of cash or cash equivalents that are deemed to be from operating surplus in excess of the minimum quarterly distribution per unit that we have distributed to the unitholders, pro rata, for each quarter of our existence;
- fourth, 87.0% to all unitholders, pro rata (determined without regard to any Class C Preferred Units, as applicable, then held by them), and 13.0% to SP Holdings (in its capacity as the holder of our incentive distribution rights), until the capital account in respect of each common unit then outstanding is equal to the sum of: (i) the first liquidation target amount, and (ii) the excess of (a) the second target distribution less the first target distribution per unit for each quarter after November 20, 2006

or the date of the date of the most recent reset election, if any, over (b) the cumulative amount per unit of any distributions of cash or cash equivalents that are deemed to be from operating surplus in excess of the first target distribution per unit that we distributed 87.0% to the unitholders, pro rata, and 13.0% to SP Holdings (in its capacity as the holder of our incentive distribution rights) for each quarter of our existence;

- *fifth*, 77.0% to all unitholders, pro rata (determined without regard to any Class C Preferred Units, as applicable, then held by them), and 23.0% to SP Holdings (in its capacity as the holder of our incentive distribution rights), until the capital account in respect of each common unit then outstanding is equal to the sum of: (i) the second liquidation target amount, and (ii) the excess of (a) the third target distribution less the second target distribution for each quarter after November 20, 2006 or the date of the date of the most recent reset election, if any, over (b) the cumulative amount per unit of any distributions of cash or cash equivalents that are deemed to be from operating surplus in excess of the second target distribution per unit that we distributed 77.0% to the unitholders, pro rata, and 23.0% to SP Holdings (in its capacity as the holder of our incentive distribution rights) for each quarter of our existence; and
- *finally*, 64.5% to all unitholders, pro rata (determined without regard to any or Class C Preferred Units, as applicable, then held by them), and 35.5% to SP Holdings (in its capacity as the holder of our incentive distribution rights).

Manner of Adjustments for Losses

We will generally allocate any loss to our unitholders in the following manner:

- *first*, to our common unitholders in proportion to the positive balances in their capital accounts, until the capital accounts of the common unitholders have been reduced to zero;
- *second*, to the holders of our Class C Preferred Units pro rata in accordance with the number of Class C Preferred Units held by them, until the capital accounts of the holders of Class C Preferred Units have been reduced to zero; and
- thereafter, to our general partner.

Adjustments to Capital Accounts

We will make adjustments to capital accounts upon the issuance of additional units and upon the conversion of the Class C Preferred Units into common units. In doing so, we generally will allocate any unrealized and, for tax purposes, unrecognized gain or loss resulting from the adjustments to the unitholders and the holders of our incentive distribution rights in the same manner as we allocate gain or loss upon liquidation.

CONFLICTS OF INTEREST AND FIDUCIARY DUTIES

Conflicts of Interest

Conflicts of interest exist and may arise in the future as a result of the relationships between our general partner and its affiliates, including Stonepeak and its affiliates, on the one hand, and us and our limited partners, on the other hand. Stonepeak Catarina, through its ownership of SP Holdings, owns and controls our general partner and has the power to appoint all of the directors of our general partner. The directors and officers of our general partner have fiduciary duties to manage our general partner in a manner beneficial to SP Holdings. At the same time, pursuant to our partnership agreement, our general partner has a duty to manage our partnership in a manner that it believes is not adverse to our interests. Our partnership agreement specifically defines the remedies available to unitholders for actions taken that, without these defined liability standards, might constitute breaches of fiduciary duty under applicable Delaware law. The Delaware Revised Uniform Limited Partnership Act ("Delaware Act") provides that Delaware limited partnerships may, in their partnership agreements, expand, restrict or eliminate the fiduciary duties otherwise owed by the general partner to the limited partners and the partnership.

Whenever a conflict arises between our general partner or its affiliates, including Stonepeak and its affiliates, on the one hand, and us or our limited partners, on the other hand, the resolution or course of action in respect of such conflict of interest shall be permitted and deemed approved by all of our limited partners and shall not constitute a breach of our partnership agreement, of any agreement contemplated thereby or of any duty (including any duties to us or our unitholders), if the resolution or course of action in respect of such conflict of interest is:

- approved by the conflicts committee of the board of directors of our general partner, although our general partner is not obligated to seek such approval;
- approved by the holders of a majority of the outstanding common units, excluding any such units owned by our general partner or any of its affiliates;
- determined by the board of directors of our general partner to be on terms no less favorable to us than those generally being provided to, or available from, unrelated third parties; or
- determined by the board of directors of our general partner to be fair and reasonable to us, taking
 into account the totality of the relationships between the parties involved, including other
 transactions that may be particularly favorable or advantageous to us.

Our general partner may, but is not required to, seek the approval of such resolutions or courses of action from the conflicts committee of its board of directors or from the holders of a majority of the outstanding common units as described above. If our general partner does not seek approval from the conflicts committee or from holders of common units as described above and the board of directors of our general partner approves the resolution or course of action taken with respect to the conflict of interest, then our partnership agreement provides that it will be presumed that, in making its decision, the board of directors of our general partner acted in good faith, and in any proceeding brought by or on behalf of us or any of our unitholders, the person bringing or prosecuting such proceeding will have the burden of overcoming such presumption. Unless the resolution of a conflict of interest is specifically provided for in our partnership agreement, the board of directors of our general partner or the conflicts committee of the board of directors of our general partner may consider any factors that it determines in good faith to consider when resolving a conflict. An independent third-party is not required to evaluate the resolution. Under our partnership agreement, a determination, other action or failure to act by our general partner, the board of directors of our general partner or any committee thereof (including the conflicts committee) will be deemed to be "in good faith," unless our general partner, the board of directors of our general partner or any committee thereof (including the conflicts committee) believed such determination, other action or failure to act was adverse to the interests of the partnership.



Conflicts of interest could arise in the situations described below, among others:

Actions taken by our general partner may affect the amount of cash available to pay distributions to unitholders.

The amount of cash that is available for distribution to unitholders is affected by decisions of our general partner regarding such matters as:

- amount and timing of asset purchases and sales;
- cash expenditures;
- · borrowings;
- entry into and repayment of current and future indebtedness;
- · issuance of additional units; and
- the creation, reduction or increase of reserves in any quarter.

In addition, borrowings by us and our affiliates do not constitute a breach of any duty owed by our general partner to our unitholders, including borrowings that have the purpose or effect of enabling our general partner or its affiliates to receive distributions on the incentive distribution rights.

Furthermore, our general partner may use an amount, initially equal to \$20.0 million, which would not otherwise constitute operating surplus, in order to permit the payment of distributions on the incentive distribution rights. All of these actions may affect the amount of cash or equity distributed to our unitholders and our general partner. Please read "Provisions of Our Partnership Agreement Relating to Cash Distributions."

For example, in the event we have not generated sufficient cash from our operations to pay the minimum quarterly distribution on our common units, our partnership agreement permits us to borrow funds, which would enable us to make such distribution on all outstanding units. Please read "Provisions of Our Partnership Agreement Relating to Cash Distributions — Operating Surplus and Capital Surplus — Operating Surplus."

The directors and officers of our general partner have a fiduciary duty to make decisions in the best interests of the owners of our general partner, which may be contrary to our interests.

Because certain officers and/or certain directors of our general partner are also directors, managers and/or officers of affiliates of our general partner, including Stonepeak and its affiliates, they have fiduciary duties to such entities that may cause them to pursue business strategies that disproportionately benefit them or which otherwise are not in our best interests.

Our general partner is allowed to take into account the interests of parties other than us, such as Stonepeak, in exercising certain rights under our partnership agreement.

Our partnership agreement contains provisions that reduce the standards to which our general partner would otherwise be held by Delaware fiduciary duty law as permitted by the Delaware Act. For example, our partnership agreement permits our general partner to make a number of decisions in its individual capacity, as opposed to in its capacity as our general partner. This entitles our general partner to consider only the interests and factors that it desires, and it has no duty or obligation to give any consideration to any interest of, or factors affecting, us, our affiliates or any limited partner. Examples include the exercise of its call right, its voting rights with respect to any units it owns, its registration rights and its determination whether or not to consent to any merger or consolidation.

Our partnership agreement limits the liability of, and replaces the duties owed by, our general partner and also restricts the remedies available to our unitholders for actions that, without the limitations, might constitute breaches of fiduciary duty.

In addition to the provisions described above, our partnership agreement contains provisions that restrict the remedies available to our unitholders for actions that might otherwise constitute breaches of fiduciary duty. For example, our partnership agreement provides that:

- our general partner shall not have any liability to us or our unitholders for decisions made in its capacity as a general partner so long as it acted in good faith, meaning that it believed that the decision was not adverse to the interests of our partnership;
- our general partner and its officers and directors will not be liable for monetary damages to us or our limited partners for any acts or omissions unless there has been a final and non-appealable judgment entered by a court of competent jurisdiction determining that our general partner or those other persons acted in bad faith or, in the case of a criminal matter, acted with knowledge that its conduct was criminal; and
- in resolving conflicts of interest, it will be presumed that in making its decision the general partner, the board of directors of the general partner or the conflicts committee of the board of directors of our general partner acted in good faith, and in any proceeding brought by or on behalf of any limited partner or us, the person bringing or prosecuting such proceeding will have the burden of overcoming such presumption.

By taking ownership of a common unit, a common unitholder will agree to become bound by the provisions in our partnership agreement, including the provisions discussed above. Please read "— Fiduciary Duties."

Common unitholders have no right to enforce obligations of our general partner and its affiliates under agreements with us.

Any agreements between us, on the one hand, and our general partner and its affiliates, on the other, will not grant to the unitholders, separate and apart from us, the right to enforce the obligations of our general partner and its affiliates in our favor. Our general partner controls the enforcement of the obligations that it and its affiliates owe to us, including the obligations of SP Holdings and Stonepeak Catarina under their commercial agreements with us.

Contracts between us, on the one hand, and our general partner and its affiliates, on the other, are not and will not be the result of arm's-length negotiations.

Neither our partnership agreement nor any of the other agreements, contracts and arrangements between us and our general partner and its affiliates, including Stonepeak and its affiliates, are or will be the result of arm's-length negotiations. Our general partner will determine, in good faith, the terms of any of such future transactions.

Except in limited circumstances, our general partner has the power and authority to conduct our business without unitholder approval.

Under our partnership agreement, our general partner has full power and authority to do all things, other than those items that require unitholder approval, necessary or appropriate to conduct our business, including, but not limited to, the following actions:

- expending, lending or borrowing money, assuming, guaranteeing or otherwise contracting for indebtedness and other liabilities, issuing evidences of indebtedness, including indebtedness that is convertible into our securities, and incurring any other obligations;
- preparing and transmitting tax, regulatory and other filings, periodic or other reports to governmental or other agencies having jurisdiction over our business or assets;
- acquiring, disposing, mortgaging, pledging, encumbering, hypothecating, granting a security interest in or exchanging our assets or merging or otherwise combining us with or into another person;



- negotiating, executing and performing contracts, conveyances or other instruments;
- distributing cash;
- selecting or dismissing employees and agents, outside attorneys, accountants, consultants and contractors and determining their compensation and other terms of employment or hiring;
- maintaining insurance for our benefit;
- forming, acquiring an interest in, and contributing property and loaning money to, any further limited partnerships, joint ventures, corporations, limited liability companies or other relationships;
- controlling all matters affecting our rights and obligations, including bringing and defending actions at law or in equity or otherwise litigating, arbitrating or mediating, and incurring legal expense and settling claims and litigation;
- indemnifying any person against liabilities and contingencies to the extent permitted by law;
- purchasing, selling or otherwise acquiring or disposing of our partnership interests, or issuing, purchasing or otherwise acquiring additional options, rights, warrants, appreciation rights, phantom or tracking interests relating to our partnership interests; and
- entering into agreements with any of its affiliates to render services to us or to itself in the discharge of its duties as our general partner.

Please read "The Partnership Agreement" for information regarding the voting rights of unitholders.

Common units are subject to our general partner's call right.

As of November 9, 2021, Stonepeak and its affiliates (including the selling unitholder) owned approximately 53.8% of our issued and outstanding common units. Pursuant to Section 15.1 of our partnership agreement, if at any time Stonepeak holds more than 80% of our outstanding common and transfers all of the common units held by it to our general partner or a controlled affiliate of our general partner, then Stonepeak will be able to cause our general partner or a controlled affiliate of our general partner to exercise its right to acquire all, but not less than all, of our common units held by persons other than our general partner and its controlled affiliates at a price equal to the greater of (1) the average of the daily closing price of our common units over the 20 trading days preceding the date three days before notice of exercise of the limited call right is first mailed and (2) the highest per-unit price paid by our general partner or any of its controlled affiliates for common units during the 90-day period preceding the date such notice is first mailed. As a result, common unitholders may be required to sell their common units at an undesirable time or price and may not receive any return or a negative return on their investment. Common unitholders may also incur tax liability upon a sale of their units. Our general partner is not obligated to obtain a fairness opinion regarding the value of common units to be repurchased upon exercise of the limited call right. Furthermore, there is no restriction in our partnership agreement that prevents our general partner from causing us to issue additional common units, including common units issued pursuant to the Stonepeak Letter Agreement, dated as of November 16, 2020, between the Partnership and Stonepeak Catarina, and then exercising its limited call right. If our general partner exercises its limited call right, the effect would be to take us private and, if the common units are subsequently deregistered, the Partnership will no longer be subject to the reporting requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

Please read "The Partnership Agreement — Limited Call Right."

We may not choose to retain separate counsel for ourselves or for the holders of common units.

Attorneys, independent accountants and others who perform services for us may be retained by our general partner. Attorneys, independent accountants and others who perform services for us are selected by our general partner or the conflicts committee of the board of directors of our general partner and may perform services for our general partner and its affiliates. We may retain separate counsel for ourselves or the conflicts committee in the event of a conflict of interest between our general partner and its affiliates, on the one hand, and us or the holders of common units, on the other, depending on the nature of the conflict, although we may choose not to do so.

Our general partner's affiliates, including Stonepeak, may compete with us, and neither our general partner nor its affiliates have any obligation to present business opportunities to us.

Our partnership agreement provides that our general partner is restricted from engaging in any business other than those incidental to its ownership of interests in us. However, affiliates of our general partner including Stonepeak and its affiliates, are not prohibited from engaging in other businesses or activities, including those that might be in direct competition with us, and may acquire, construct or dispose of assets in the future without any obligation to offer us the opportunity to acquire those assets. In addition, under our partnership agreement, the doctrine of corporate opportunity, or any analogous doctrine, will not apply to our general partner and its affiliates. As a result, neither our general partner nor any of its affiliates, including Stonepeak and its affiliates, have any obligation to present business opportunities to us.

Our general partner and its affiliates, including Stonepeak, may not allocate corporate opportunities to us.

Pursuant to the terms of our partnership agreement, the doctrine of corporate opportunity, or any analogous doctrine, does not apply to our general partner or any of its affiliates, including Stonepeak and its affiliates, and our general partner's executive officers and directors. Any such person or entity that becomes aware of a potential transaction, agreement, arrangement or other matter that may be an opportunity for us does not have any duty to communicate or offer such opportunity to us. Any such person or entity will not be liable to us or to any limited partner for breach of any fiduciary duty or other duty by reason of the fact that such person or entity pursues or acquires such opportunity for itself, directs such opportunity to another person or entity or does not communicate such opportunity or information to us. This may create actual and potential conflicts of interest between us and affiliates of our general partner and result in less than favorable treatment of us and our common unitholders.

The holder or holders of our incentive distribution rights may elect to cause us to issue common units to it in connection with a resetting of incentive distribution levels without the approval of our unitholders. This election may result in lower distributions to our common unitholders in certain situations.

The holder or holders of a majority of our incentive distribution rights (currently SP Holdings) have the right, at any time when they have received incentive distributions at the highest level to which they are entitled (35.5%) for each of the prior four consecutive fiscal quarters, to reset the initial target distribution levels at higher levels based on our cash distribution levels at the time of the exercise of the reset election without the approval of the conflicts committee or our unitholders. Following a reset election, the minimum quarterly distribution will be reset to an amount equal to the average cash distribution per common unit for the two fiscal quarters immediately preceding the reset election (such amount is referred to as the "reset minimum quarterly distribution"), and the target distribution levels will be reset to correspondingly higher levels based on percentage increases above the reset minimum quarterly distribution.

We anticipate that SP Holdings would exercise this reset right in order to facilitate acquisitions or internal growth projects that would not be sufficiently accretive to cash distributions per unit without such conversion. However, SP Holdings may transfer the incentive distribution rights at any time. It is possible that SP Holdings or a transferee could exercise this reset election at a time when we are experiencing declines in our aggregate cash distributions or at a time when the holders of the incentive distribution rights expect that we will experience declines in our aggregate cash distributions in the foreseeable future. In such situations, the holders of the incentive distribution rights may be experiencing, or may expect to experience, declines in the cash distributions that it receives related to the incentive distribution rights and may therefore desire to be issued our common units, which are entitled to specified priorities with respect to our distributions and which therefore may be more advantageous for them to own in lieu of the right to receive incentive distribution payments based on target distribution levels that are less certain to be achieved. As a result, a reset election may cause our common unitholders to experience dilution in the amount of cash distributions that they would have otherwise received had we not issued new common units to the holders of the incentive distribution levels. Please read "Provisions of Our Partnership Agreement Relating to Cash Distributions — Incentive Distribution Rights."

Fiduciary Duties

Duties owed to unitholders by our general partner are prescribed by law and in our partnership agreement. The Delaware Act provides that Delaware limited partnerships may, in their partnership agreements, expand, restrict or eliminate the fiduciary duties otherwise owed by the general partner to limited partners and the partnership.

Our partnership agreement contains various provisions that eliminate and replace the fiduciary duties that might otherwise be owed to us by our general partner. We have adopted these provisions to allow our general partner or its affiliates to engage in transactions with us that otherwise might be problematic under otherwise applicable state law fiduciary standards and to take into account the interests of other parties in addition to our interests when resolving conflicts of interest. We believe this is appropriate and necessary because the board of directors of our general partner has a duty to manage our partnership in good faith and a duty to manage our general partner in a manner beneficial to its owner. Without these modifications, our general partner's ability to make decisions involving conflicts of interest would be restricted. Replacing the fiduciary duty standards in this manner benefits our general partner by enabling it to take into consideration all parties (including it and its affiliates) involved in the proposed action. Replacing the fiduciary duty standards also strengthens the ability of our general partner to attract and retain experienced and capable directors. However, modifying the fiduciary duty standards represents a detriment to our public unitholders because it restricts the recourse otherwise available to our public unitholders for actions that, without those limitations, might constitute breaches of fiduciary duty, as described below, and permits our general partner to take into account the interests of third parties in addition to our interests when resolving conflicts of interests.

The following is a summary of the material restrictions of the fiduciary duties owed by our general partner to the limited partners:

Delaware law fiduciary duty standards Fiduciary duties are generally considered to include an obligation to act in good faith and with due care and loyalty. The duty of care, in the absence of a provision in a partnership agreement providing otherwise, would generally require a general partner to act for the partnership in the same manner as a prudent person would act on his own behalf. The duty of loyalty, in the absence of a provision in a partnership agreement providing otherwise, would generally require that any action taken or transaction engaged in be entirely fair to the partnership. Partnership agreement modified standards Our partnership agreement contains provisions that waive or consent to conduct by our general partner and its affiliates that might otherwise raise issues as to compliance with fiduciary duties or applicable law. For example, our partnership agreement provides that when our general partner is acting in its capacity as our general partner, as opposed to in its individual capacity, it must act in "good faith" and will not be subject to any other standard under applicable law. In addition, when our general partner is acting in its individual capacity, as opposed to in its capacity as our general partner, it may act without any fiduciary obligation to us or the unitholders whatsoever. These standards replace the obligations to which our general partner would otherwise be held.

Rights and remedies of unitholders

If our general partner does not obtain approval from the conflicts committee of the board of directors of our general partner or our common unitholders, excluding any such units owned by our general partner or its affiliates, and the board of directors of our general partner approves the resolution or course of action taken with respect to the conflict of interest, then it will be presumed that, in making its decision, its board, which may include board members affected by the conflict of interest, acted in good faith, and in any proceeding brought by or on behalf of any limited partner or the partnership, the person bringing or prosecuting such proceeding will have the burden of overcoming such presumption. These standards replace the obligations to which our general partner would otherwise be held. The Delaware Act generally provides that a limited partner may institute legal action on behalf of the partnership to recover damages from a third-party where a general partner has refused to institute the action or where an effort to cause a general partner to do so is not likely to succeed. These actions include actions against a general partner for breach of its duties or of our partnership agreement. In addition, the statutory or case law of some jurisdictions may permit a limited partner to institute legal action on behalf of himself and all other similarly situated limited partners to recover damages from a general partner for violations of its duties to the limited partners.

The Delaware Act provides that, unless otherwise provided in a partnership agreement, a partner or other person shall not be liable to a limited partnership or to another partner or to another person that is a party to or is otherwise bound by a partnership agreement for breach of fiduciary duty for the partner's or other person's good faith reliance on the provisions of the partnership agreement. Under our partnership agreement, to the extent that, at law or in equity an indemnitee has duties (including fiduciary duties) and liabilities relating thereto to us or to our partners, our general partner and any other indemnitee acting in connection with our business or affairs shall not be liable to us or to any partner for its good faith reliance on the provisions of our partnership agreement.

By taking ownership of our common units, each common unitholder automatically agrees to be bound by the provisions in our partnership agreement, including the provisions discussed above. This is in accordance with the policy of the Delaware Act favoring the principle of freedom of contract and the enforceability of partnership agreements. The failure of a limited partner to sign a partnership agreement does not render the partnership agreement unenforceable against that person.

Under our partnership agreement, we must indemnify our general partner and its officers, directors, managers and certain other specified persons, to the fullest extent permitted by law, against liabilities, costs and expenses incurred by our general partner or these other persons. We must provide this indemnification unless there has been a final and non-appealable judgment by a court of competent jurisdiction determining that these persons acted in bad faith. We must also provide this indemnification for criminal proceedings unless our general partner or these other persons acted with knowledge that their conduct was criminal. Thus, our general partner could be indemnified for its negligent acts if it meets the requirements set forth above. To the extent these provisions purport to include indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act in the opinion of the SEC, such indemnification is contrary to public policy and, therefore, unenforceable. Please read "The Partnership Agreement — Indemnification."

THE PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT

The following is a summary of the material provisions of our partnership agreement. Our partnership agreement is filed with the registration statement of which this prospectus is a part.

We summarize the following provisions of our partnership agreement elsewhere in this prospectus:

- with regard to distributions, please read "Provisions of Our Partnership Agreement Relating to Cash Distributions;"
- with regard to the duties of, and standard of care applicable to, our general partner, please read "Conflicts of Interest and Fiduciary Duties;"
- with regard to the transfer of common units, please read "Description of the Common Units Transfer of Common Units;" and
- with regard to allocations of taxable income and taxable loss, please read "Material Tax Considerations."

Organization and Duration

We were formed in 2005 as a limited liability company and converted into a limited partnership in 2015. We will have a perpetual existence unless terminated pursuant to the terms of our partnership agreement.

Purpose

Our purpose, as set forth in our partnership agreement, is limited to any business activity that is approved by our general partner and that lawfully may be conducted by a limited partnership organized under Delaware law; provided that our general partner shall not cause us to take any action that the general partner determines would be reasonably likely to cause us to be treated as an association taxable as a corporation or otherwise taxable as an entity for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

Although our general partner has the ability to cause us and our current or future subsidiaries to engage in activities other than our current business, our general partner may decline to do so free of any fiduciary duty or obligation whatsoever to us or the limited partners, including any duty to act in good faith or in the best interests of us or the limited partners. Our general partner is generally authorized to perform all acts that it determines to be necessary or appropriate to carry out our purposes and to conduct our business.

Cash Distributions

Our partnership agreement specifies the manner in which we will make cash distributions to holders of our common units and other partnership securities as well as to SP Holdings in respect of its incentive distribution rights. Our partnership agreement currently prohibits us from declaring or making cash distributions to common unitholders until the first quarter in which none of the Class C Preferred Units remain outstanding. For a description of these cash distribution provisions, please read "Provisions of our Partnership Agreement Relating to Cash Distributions."

Capital Contributions

Unitholders are not obligated to make additional capital contributions, except as described below under "— Limited Liability."

Voting Rights

The following is a summary of the unitholder vote required for approval of the matters specified below. Matters that require the approval of a "unit majority" require the approval of a majority of the common units. Holders of Class C Preferred Units have voting rights identical to the voting rights of the common unitholders and vote together with the common units as a single class, such that the Class C Preferred Units (including, for the avoidance of doubt, the Class C Preferred PIK Units) will be entitled to one vote per Class C Preferred Units, except that the Class C Preferred Units are entitled to vote as a separate class on any matter on which unitholders are entitled to vote that adversely affects the rights or preferences of the Class C Preferred Units in relation to other classes of partnership interests.

In voting their common units, our general partner and its affiliates will have no fiduciary duty or obligation whatsoever to us or the limited partners, including any duty to act in good faith or in the best interests of us or the limited partners.

The incentive distribution rights may be entitled to vote in certain circumstances. Please read "— Voting Rights of Incentive Distribution Rights."

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If any person or group other than our general partner and its affiliates acquires beneficial ownership of 20% or more of any class of units (other than the Class C Preferred Units), that person or group loses voting rights on all of its units, unless otherwise required by law or approved by the board of directors of our general partner. This loss of voting rights does not apply to any person or group that acquires the units from our general partner or its affiliates and any transferees of that person or group approved by our general partner or to any person or group who acquires the units with the specific prior approval of our general partner. In addition, if any person or group beneficially owns 20% or more of any class of units solely as a result of actions taken by us, then the 20% threshold is increased, with respect to such person, to a percentage

equal to such person's new beneficial ownership after the taking of such action plus the difference between 20% and such person's beneficial ownership prior to such action.

Applicable Law; Forum, Venue and Jurisdiction

Our partnership agreement is governed by Delaware law. Our partnership agreement requires that any claims, suits, actions or proceedings:

- arising out of or relating in any way to the partnership agreement (including any claims, suits or actions to interpret, apply or enforce the provisions of the partnership agreement or the duties, obligations or liabilities among limited partners or of limited partners to us, or the rights or powers of, or restrictions on, the limited partners or us);
- brought in a derivative manner on our behalf;
- asserting a claim of breach of a fiduciary duty owed by any director, officer or other employee of us
 or our general partner, or owed by our general partner, to us or the limited partners;
- asserting a claim arising pursuant to any provision of the Delaware Act; or
- asserting a claim governed by the internal affairs doctrine,

shall be exclusively brought in the Court of Chancery of the State of Delaware (or, if such court does not have subject matter jurisdiction thereof, any other court located in the State of Delaware with subject matter jurisdiction), in each case regardless of whether such claims, suits, actions or proceedings sound in contract, tort, fraud or otherwise, are based on common law, statutory, equitable, legal or other grounds, or are derivative or direct claims. In addition, each party to such claims, suits, actions or proceedings irrevocably waives the right to trial by jury.

If any limited partner, our general partner or any person holding any beneficial interest in us (whether through a broker, dealer, bank, trust company or clearing corporation) brings any of the claims, suits, actions or proceedings described in the bullets above and such person does not obtain a judgment on the merits that substantially achieves, in substance and amount (if the extent of such achievement is disputed, then as determined by the Court of Chancery of the State of Delaware or such other court with subject matter jurisdiction of such claim, suit, action or proceeding), the full remedy sought, then such limited partner, our general partner or person holding any beneficial interest in us shall be obligated to reimburse us and our affiliates (including our general partner, the directors of our general partner and the owner of our general partner) for all fees, costs and expenses of every kind and description, including but not limited to all reasonable attorney's fees and other litigation expenses, that the parties may incur in connection with such claim, suit, action or proceeding. We and our "affiliates," as defined in our partnership agreement (including our general partner, the directors of our general partner and SP Holdings, Stonepeak Catarina and their respective affiliates) would be entitled to recover all of their fees, costs and expenses in any such action, and such losing party would be severally liable for all such fees, costs and expenses.

Although we believe these provisions will benefit us by providing increased consistency in the application of Delaware law for the specified types of actions and proceedings, the provisions may have the effect of discouraging lawsuits against our directors, officers, employees and agents. The enforceability of similar forum selection provisions in other companies' certificates of incorporation or similar governing documents have been challenged in legal proceedings, and it is possible that, in connection with one or more actions or proceedings described above, a court could find that the forum selection provision contained in our partnership agreement is inapplicable or unenforceable in such action or actions, including with respect to claims arising under the federal securities laws. Limited partners will not be deemed, by operation of the forum selection provision alone, to have waived claims arising under the federal securities laws and the rules and regulations thereunder.

The forum selection provision is intended to apply "to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law" to the above-specified types of actions and proceedings, including, to the extent permitted by the federal securities laws, to lawsuits asserting both the above-specified claims and federal securities claims. However, application of the forum selection provision may in some instances be limited by applicable law. Section 27 of the Exchange Act provides: "The district courts of the United States ... shall have exclusive jurisdiction of

violations of [the Exchange Act] or the rules and regulations thereunder, and of all suits in equity and actions at law brought to enforce any liability or duty created by [the Exchange Act] or the rules and regulations thereunder." As a result, the forum selection provision will not apply to actions arising under the Exchange Act or the rules and regulations thereunder. However, Section 22 of the Securities Act provides for concurrent federal and state court jurisdiction over actions under the Securities Act and the rules and regulations thereunder, subject to a limited exception for certain "covered class actions" as defined in Section 16 of the Securities Act and interpreted by the courts. Accordingly, we believe that the forum selection provision would apply to actions arising under the Securities Act or the rules and regulations thereunder, except to the extent a particular action fell within the exception for covered class actions.

Limited Liability

Assuming that a limited partner does not participate in the control of our business within the meaning of the Delaware Act and that he otherwise acts in conformity with the provisions of the partnership agreement, his liability under the Delaware Act will be limited, subject to possible exceptions, to the amount of capital he is obligated to contribute to us for his common units plus his share of any undistributed profits and assets. However, if it were determined that the right, or exercise of the right, by the limited partners as a group:

- to remove or replace our general partner;
- to approve some amendments to our partnership agreement; or
- to take other action under our partnership agreement,

constituted "participation in the control" of our business for the purposes of the Delaware Act, then the limited partners could be held personally liable for our obligations under the laws of Delaware, to the same extent as our general partner. This liability would extend to persons who transact business with us under the reasonable belief that the limited partner is a general partner. Neither our partnership agreement nor the Delaware Act specifically provides for legal recourse against our general partner if a limited partner were to lose limited liability through any fault of our general partner. While this does not mean that a limited partner could not seek legal recourse, we know of no precedent for this type of a claim in Delaware case law.

Under the Delaware Act, a limited partnership may not make a distribution to a partner if, after the distribution, all liabilities of the limited partnership, other than liabilities to partners on account of their partnership interests and liabilities for which the recourse of creditors is limited to specific property of the partnership, would exceed the fair value of the assets of the limited partnership. For the purpose of determining the fair value of the assets of a limited partnership, the Delaware Act provides that the fair value of property subject to liability for which recourse of creditors is limited shall be included in the assets of the limited partnership only to the extent that the fair value of that property exceeds the nonrecourse liability. The Delaware Act provides that a limited partner who receives a distribution and knew at the time of the distribution that the distribution was in violation of the Delaware Act shall be liable to the limited partnership for the amount of the distribution for three years.

Limitations on the liability of members or limited partners for the obligations of a limited liability company or limited partnership have not been clearly established in many jurisdictions. If, by virtue of our ownership interest in our subsidiary or any subsidiaries we may have in the future, or otherwise, it were determined that we were conducting business in any jurisdiction without compliance with the applicable limited partnership or limited liability company statute, or that the right or exercise of the right by the limited partners as a group to remove or replace our general partner, to approve some amendments to our partnership agreement, or to take other action under our partnership agreement constituted "participation in the control" of our business for purposes of the statutes of any relevant jurisdiction, then the limited partners could be held personally liable for our obligations under the law of that jurisdiction to the same extent as our general partner under the circumstances. We will operate in a manner that our general partners.

Redemption of Class C Preferred Units

We have the right to redeem outstanding Class C Preferred Units as follows:

- from and after January 1, 2021, we have the right to redeem 100% of the then outstanding Class C Preferred Units for cash in an amount equal to the number of Class C Preferred Units so redeemed *multiplied by* the greater of (i) the average of the daily closing price per common unit for the 20 consecutive trading days immediately prior to the redemption date for such units and (ii) the aggregate purchase price for such Class C Preferred Units plus accrued and unpaid distributions thereon; and
- if we fail to redeem all outstanding Class C Preferred Units on or before December 31, 2021, then 100% of our available cash on hand (less any cash reserves established by our general partner) and thereafter received by us shall be distributed to the holders of Class C Preferred Units, pro rata in accordance with each such holder's ownership of the outstanding Class C Preferred Units, within five business days after the end of each month, with the first distribution to occur no later than the fifth business day of January 2022 and continuing until all outstanding Class C Preferred Units have otherwise been redeemed. This right of the holders of our Class C Preferred Units to have their Class C Preferred Units redeemed is senior in right of payment to all other distributions or redemptions of our interests by us.

Issuance of Additional Interests; Preemptive Rights

Our partnership agreement authorizes us to issue an unlimited number of additional partnership interests for the consideration and on the terms and conditions determined by our general partner without the approval of the common unitholders, provided, that the creation, authorization or issuance of a class or series of partnership securities constituting parity securities or senior securities to the Class C Preferred Units requires the affirmative vote of a majority of the outstanding Class C Preferred Units.

It is possible that we will fund acquisitions through the issuance of additional common units or other partnership interests. Holders of any additional common units that we issue will be entitled to share equally with the then-existing common unitholders in our distributions. In addition, the issuance of additional common units or other partnership interests may dilute the value of the interests of the then-existing common unitholders in our net assets.

In accordance with Delaware law and the provisions of our partnership agreement, we may also issue additional partnership interests that, as determined by our general partner, may have rights to distributions or special voting rights to which the common units are not entitled. In addition, our partnership agreement does not prohibit our current or future subsidiaries from issuing equity interests, which may effectively rank senior to the common units.

The holders of our common units do not have preemptive rights to acquire additional common units or other partnership securities.

Amendment of the Partnership Agreement

General

Amendments to our partnership agreement may be proposed only by our general partner. However, our general partner will have no duty or obligation to propose any amendment and may decline to do so free of any fiduciary duty or obligation whatsoever to us or the limited partners, including any duty to act in good faith or in the best interests of us or the limited partners. In order to adopt a proposed amendment, other than the amendments discussed below, our general partner is required to seek written approval of the holders of the number of units required to approve the amendment or to call a meeting of the limited partners to consider and vote upon the proposed amendment. Except as described below, an amendment must be approved by a unit majority. In addition, amendments to the partnership agreement pertaining to the Class C Preferred Units requires the consent of holders of a majority of the outstanding Class C Preferred Units, voting separately as a class with one vote per Class C Preferred Unit and any amendment that would

adversely affect any Class C Preferred Holder in a disproportionate manner as compared to any other Class C Preferred Holder requires the consent of such Class C Preferred Holder.

Prohibited Amendments

No amendment may be made that would:

- enlarge the obligations of any limited partner without his consent, unless approved by at least a majority of the type or class of limited partner interests so affected; or
- enlarge the obligations of, restrict, change or modify in any way any action by or rights of, or reduce in any way the amounts distributable, reimbursable or otherwise payable by us to our general partner or any of its affiliates without the consent of our general partner, which consent may be given or withheld in its sole discretion.

The provisions of our partnership agreement preventing the amendments having the effects described in the clauses above can be amended upon the approval of the holders of at least 75% of the outstanding units, voting as a single class (including units owned by our general partner and its affiliates).

No Unitholder Approval

Our general partner may generally make amendments to our partnership agreement without the approval of any limited partner to reflect:

- a change in our name, the location of our principal place of business, our registered agent or our registered office;
- the admission, substitution, withdrawal or removal of partners in accordance with our partnership agreement;
- a change that our general partner determines to be necessary or appropriate to qualify or continue our qualification as a limited partnership or other entity in which the limited partners have limited liability under the laws of any state or to ensure that neither we nor any of our subsidiaries will be treated as an association taxable as a corporation or otherwise taxed as an entity for U.S. federal income tax purposes (to the extent not already so treated or taxed);
- a change in our fiscal year or taxable year and related changes;
- an amendment that is necessary, in the opinion of our counsel, to prevent us or our general partner or its directors, officers, agents or trustees from in any manner being subjected to the provisions of the Investment Company Act of 1940, the Investment Advisers Act of 1940 or "plan asset" regulations adopted under the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended ("ERISA"), whether or not substantially similar to plan asset regulations currently applied or proposed;
- an amendment that our general partner determines to be necessary or appropriate in connection with the creation, authorization or issuance of additional partnership interests or the right to acquire partnership interests;
- any amendment expressly permitted in our partnership agreement to be made by our general partner acting alone;
- an amendment effected, necessitated or contemplated by a merger agreement that has been approved under the terms of our partnership agreement;
- any amendment that our general partner determines to be necessary or appropriate for the formation by us of, or our investment in, any corporation, partnership or other entity, as otherwise permitted by our partnership agreement;
- conversions into, mergers with or conveyances to another limited liability entity that is newly formed and has no assets, liabilities or operations at the time of the conversion, merger or conveyance other than those it receives by way of the conversion, merger or conveyance in certain circumstances; or
- any other amendments substantially similar to any of the matters described in the clauses above.



In addition, our general partner may make amendments to our partnership agreement, without the approval of any limited partner, if our general partner determines that those amendments:

- do not adversely affect the limited partners, considered as a whole, or any particular class of limited partners, in any material respect;
- are necessary or appropriate to satisfy any requirements, conditions or guidelines contained in any opinion, directive, order, ruling or regulation of any federal or state agency or judicial authority or contained in any federal or state statute;
- are necessary or appropriate to facilitate the trading of limited partner interests or to comply with any rule, regulation, guideline or requirement of any securities exchange on which the limited partner interests are or will be listed for trading;
- are necessary or appropriate for any action taken by our general partner relating to splits or combinations of units under the provisions of our partnership agreement;
- are necessary or appropriate in connection with the creation, authorization or issuance of any class or series of partnership securities (provided that the creation, authorization or issuance of a class or series of partnership securities constituting parity securities or senior securities to the Class C Preferred Units requires the affirmative vote of a majority of the outstanding Class C Preferred Units); or
- are required to effect the intent of the provisions of our partnership agreement or are otherwise contemplated by our partnership agreement.

Opinion of Counsel and Unitholder Approval

Any amendment that our general partner determines adversely affects in any material respect one or more particular classes of limited partners will require the approval of at least a majority of the class or classes so affected, but no vote will be required by any class or classes of limited partners that our general partner determines are not adversely affected in any material respect. Any amendment that would have a material adverse effect on the rights or preferences of any type or class of outstanding units in relation to other classes of units will require the approval of at least a majority of the type or class of units so affected. Any amendment that would reduce the voting percentage required to take any action other than to remove the general partner or call a meeting of unitholders is required to be approved by the affirmative vote of limited partners whose aggregate outstanding units constitute not less than the voting requirement sought to be reduced. Any amendment that would increase the percentage of units required to remove the general partner or call a meeting of unitholders must be approved by the affirmative vote of limited partners whose aggregate outstanding units constitute not less than the percentage sought to be increased. For amendments of the type not requiring unitholder approval, our general partner will not be required to obtain an opinion of counsel that an amendment will neither result in a loss of limited liability to the limited partners nor result in our being treated as a taxable entity for federal income tax purposes in connection with any of the amendments. Any amendment relating to special unitholder meetings, notices of unitholder meetings, quorum and voting requirements, actions without a meeting and the amendment provisions in our partnership agreement require approval of 75% of our outstanding units. No amendments to our partnership agreement, other than those the general partner can adopt without unitholder approval or in connection with a merger or consolidation, will become effective without the approval of holders of at least 90% of the outstanding units, voting as a single class, unless we first obtain an opinion of counsel to the effect that the amendment will not affect the limited liability under applicable law of any of our limited partners.

Merger, Consolidation, Conversion, Sale or Other Disposition of Assets

A merger, consolidation or conversion of us requires the prior consent of our general partner. However, our general partner will have no duty or obligation to consent to any merger, consolidation or conversion and may decline to do so free of any fiduciary duty or obligation whatsoever to us or the limited partners, including any duty to act in good faith or in the best interest of us or the limited partners.

In addition, our partnership agreement generally prohibits our general partner, without the prior approval of the holders of a unit majority, from causing us to sell, exchange or otherwise dispose of all or substantially all of our assets in a single transaction or a series of related transactions, including by way of merger, consolidation or other combination. Our general partner may, however, mortgage, pledge, hypothecate or grant a security interest in all or substantially all of our assets without such approval. Our general partner may also sell all or substantially all of our assets under a foreclosure or other realization upon those encumbrances without such approval. Finally, our general partner may consummate any merger without the prior approval of our unitholders if we are the surviving entity in the transaction, our general partner has received an opinion of counsel regarding limited liability and tax matters, the transaction would not result in a material amendment to the partnership agreement (other than an amendment that the general partner could adopt without the consent of other partners), each of our units will be an identical unit of our partnership following the transaction and the partnership securities to be issued do not exceed 20% of our outstanding partnership interests (other than incentive distribution rights) immediately prior to the transaction. If the conditions specified in our partnership agreement are satisfied, our general partner may convert us or any of our subsidiaries into a new limited liability entity or merge us or any of our subsidiaries into, or convey all of our assets to, a newly formed entity, if the sole purpose of that conversion, merger or conveyance is to effect a mere change in our legal form into another limited liability entity, we have received an opinion of counsel regarding limited liability and tax matters and the governing instruments of the new entity provide the limited partners and our general partner with the same rights and obligations as contained in our partnership agreement. Our unitholders are not entitled to dissenters' rights of appraisal under our partnership agreement or applicable Delaware law in the event of a conversion, merger or consolidation, a sale of substantially all of our assets or any other similar transaction or event.

Dissolution

We will continue as a limited partnership until dissolved and terminated under our partnership agreement and the Delaware Act. We will dissolve upon:

- the election of our general partner to dissolve us, if approved by the holders of units representing a unit majority;
- there being no limited partners, unless we are continued without dissolution in accordance with applicable Delaware law;
- the entry of a decree of judicial dissolution of our partnership;
- the withdrawal or removal of our general partner or any other event that results in its ceasing to be our general partner other than by reason of a transfer of its general partner interest in accordance with our partnership agreement or its withdrawal or removal following the approval and admission of a successor; or
- any other dissolution event as required by applicable Delaware law.

Upon a dissolution under the penultimate clause above, the holders of a unit majority may also elect, within specific time limitations, to continue our business on the same terms and conditions described in our partnership agreement by appointing as a successor general partner an entity approved by the holders of units representing a unit majority, subject to our receipt of an opinion of counsel to the effect that:

- the action would not result in the loss of limited liability under Delaware law of any limited partner; and
- neither we nor any of our subsidiaries would be treated as an association taxable as a corporation or
 otherwise be taxable as an entity for U.S. federal income tax purposes upon the exercise of that right
 to continue (to the extent not already so treated or taxed).

Liquidation and Distribution of Proceeds

Upon our dissolution, unless our business is continued, the liquidator authorized to wind up our affairs will, acting with all of the powers of our general partner that are necessary or appropriate, liquidate our assets and apply the proceeds of the liquidation as described in "Provisions of Our Partnership Agreement

Relating to Cash Distributions — Distributions of Cash Upon Liquidation." The liquidator may defer liquidation or distribution of our assets for a reasonable period of time or distribute assets to partners in kind if it determines that a sale would be impractical or would cause undue loss to our partners.

Withdrawal or Removal of Our General Partner

Except as described below, our general partner has agreed not to withdraw voluntarily as our general partner prior to September 30, 2024 without obtaining the approval of the holders of at least a majority of the outstanding common units, excluding common units held by our general partner and its affiliates, and furnishing an opinion of counsel regarding limited liability and tax matters. On or after September 30, 2024, our general partner may withdraw as general partner without first obtaining approval of any unitholder by giving 90 days' written notice, and that withdrawal will not constitute a violation of our partnership agreement. Notwithstanding the information above, our general partner may withdraw without unitholder approval upon 90 days' notice to the limited partners if at least 50% of the outstanding common units are held or controlled by one person and its affiliates, other than our general partner and its affiliates. In addition, our partnership agreement permits our general partner to sell or otherwise transfer all of its general partner interest in us without the approval of the unitholders. Please read "— Transfer of General Partner Interest."

Upon withdrawal of our general partner under any circumstances, other than as a result of a transfer by our general partner of all or a part of its general partner interest in us, the holders of a unit majority may appoint a successor to that withdrawing general partner. If a successor is not elected, or is elected but an opinion of counsel regarding limited liability and tax matters cannot be obtained, we will be dissolved, wound up and liquidated, unless within a specified period after that withdrawal, the holders of a unit majority agree in writing to continue our business and to appoint a successor general partner. Please read "— Dissolution."

Our general partner may not be removed unless that removal is approved by the vote of the holders of not less than 66 2/3% of the outstanding units, voting together as a single class, including units held by our general partner and its affiliates, and we receive an opinion of counsel regarding limited liability and tax matters. Any removal of our general partner is also subject to the approval of a successor general partner by the vote of a unit majority.

In the event of the removal of our general partner under circumstances where cause exists or withdrawal of our general partner where that withdrawal violates our partnership agreement, a successor general partner will have the option to purchase the general partner interest and incentive distribution rights of the departing general partner and its affiliates for a cash payment equal to the fair market value of those interests. Under all other circumstances where our general partner withdraws or is removed by the limited partners, the departing general partner will have the option to require the successor general partner to purchase the general partner interest and the incentive distribution rights of the departing general partner and the incentive distribution rights of the departing general partner stand the incentive distribution rights of the departing general partner and its affiliates for fair market value. In each case, this fair market value will be determined by agreement between the departing general partner and the successor general partner. If no agreement is reached, an independent investment banking firm or other independent expert selected by the departing general partner and the successor general partner selected by the departing general partner and the successor general partner cannot agree upon an expert, then an expert chosen by agreement of the experts selected by each of them will determine the fair market value.

If the option described above is not exercised by either the departing general partner or the successor general partner, then the departing general partner's general partner interest and all of its affiliates' incentive distribution rights will automatically convert into common units equal to the fair market value of those interests as determined by an investment banking firm or other independent expert selected in the manner described in the preceding paragraph.

In addition, we will be required to reimburse the departing general partner for all amounts due to the departing general partner, including, without limitation, all employee-related liabilities, including severance liabilities, incurred as a result of the termination of any employees employed for our benefit by the departing general partner or its affiliates.

Transfer of General Partner Interest

At any time, our general partner may transfer all or any of its general partner interest to another person without the approval of our common unitholders. As a condition of this transfer, the transferee must, among other things, assume the rights and duties of our general partner, agree to be bound by the provisions of our partnership agreement and furnish an opinion of counsel regarding limited liability and tax matters.

Transfer of Ownership Interests in the General Partner

At any time, the owners of our general partner may sell or transfer all or part of its ownership interests in our general partner to an affiliate or third-party without the approval of our unitholders.

Transfer of Incentive Distribution Rights

By transfer of incentive distribution rights in accordance with our partnership agreement, each transferee of incentive distribution rights will be admitted as a limited partner with respect to the incentive distribution rights transferred when such transfer and admission is reflected in our books and records. Each transferee:

- represents that the transferee has the capacity, power and authority to become bound by our partnership agreement;
- automatically becomes bound by the terms and conditions of our partnership agreement; and
- gives the consents, waivers and approvals contained in our partnership agreement.

Our general partner will cause any transfers to be recorded on our books and records no less frequently than quarterly.

We may, at our discretion, treat the nominee holder of incentive distribution rights as the absolute owner. In that case, the beneficial holder's rights are limited solely to those that it has against the nominee holder as a result of any agreement between the beneficial owner and the nominee holder.

Incentive distribution rights are securities and any transfers are subject to the laws governing transfer of securities. In addition to other rights acquired upon transfer, the transferor gives the transferee the right to become a limited partner for the transferred incentive distribution rights.

Until an incentive distribution right has been transferred on our books, we and the transfer agent may treat the record holder of the unit or right as the absolute owner for all purposes, except as otherwise required by law or stock exchange regulations.

Change of Management Provisions

Our partnership agreement contains specific provisions that are intended to discourage a person or group from attempting to remove Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC as our general partner or from otherwise changing our management. Please read "— Withdrawal or Removal of Our General Partner" for a discussion of certain consequences of the removal of our general partner. If any person or group, other than our general partner and its affiliates, acquires beneficial ownership of 20% or more of any class of units, that person or group loses voting rights on all of its units. This loss of voting rights does not apply in certain circumstances. Please read "— Meetings; Voting."

Limited Call Right

If at any time our general partner and its controlled affiliates own more than 80% of the then-issued and outstanding limited partner interests of any class, our general partner will have the right, which it may assign and transfer in whole or in part to any of its affiliates or beneficial owners or to us, to acquire all, but not less than all, of the limited partner interests of the class held by unaffiliated persons, as of a record date to be selected by our general partner, on at least 10, but not more than 60, days' notice. The purchase price in the event of this purchase is the greater of:



- the highest price paid by our general partner or any of its affiliates for any limited partner interests of the class purchased within the 90 days preceding the date on which our general partner first mails notice of its election to purchase those limited partner interests; and
- the average of the daily closing prices of the partnership securities of such class over the 20 consecutive trading days preceding the date that is three days before the date the notice is mailed.

As a result of our general partner's right to purchase outstanding limited partner interests, a holder of limited partner interests may have his limited partner interests purchased at an undesirable time or at a price that may be lower than market prices at various times prior to such purchase or lower than a unitholder may anticipate the market price to be in the future. The tax consequences to a unitholder of the exercise of this call right are the same as a sale by that unitholder of his common units in the market. Please read "Material Tax Considerations — Disposition of Units."

Non-Taxpaying Holders; Redemption

To avoid any adverse effect on the maximum applicable rates chargeable to customers by us or any of our future subsidiaries, or in order to reverse an adverse determination that has occurred regarding such maximum rate, our partnership agreement provides our general partner the power to amend the agreement. If our general partner, with the advice of counsel, determines that our not being treated as an association taxable as a corporation or otherwise taxable as an entity for U.S. federal income tax purposes, coupled with the tax status (or lack of proof thereof) of one or more of our limited partners, has, or is reasonably likely to have, a material adverse effect on the maximum applicable rates chargeable to customers by us or our subsidiaries, then our general partner may adopt such amendments to our partnership agreement as it determines necessary or appropriate to:

- obtain proof of the U.S. federal income tax status of our limited partners (and their owners, to the extent relevant); and
- permit us to redeem the units held by any person whose tax status has or is reasonably likely to have a material adverse effect on the maximum applicable rates or who fails to comply with the procedures instituted by our general partner to obtain proof of the federal income tax status. The redemption price in the case of such a redemption will be the average of the daily closing prices per unit for the 20 consecutive trading days immediately prior to the date set for redemption.

Non-Citizen Assignees; Redemption

If our general partner, with the advice of counsel, determines that we are subject to U.S. federal, state or local laws or regulations that create a substantial risk of cancellation or forfeiture of any property that we have an interest in because of the nationality, citizenship or other related status of any limited partner, then our general partner may adopt such amendments to our partnership agreement as it determines necessary or advisable to:

- obtain proof of the nationality, citizenship or other related status of our limited partners (and their beneficial owners, to the extent relevant); and
- permit us to redeem the units held by any person whose nationality, citizenship or other related status creates substantial risk of cancellation or forfeiture of any property or who fails to comply with the procedures instituted by the general partner to obtain proof of the nationality, citizenship or other related status. The redemption price in the case of such a redemption will be the average of the daily closing prices per unit for the 20 consecutive trading days immediately prior to the date set for redemption.

Meetings; Voting

Except as described below regarding a person or group owning 20% or more of any class of units then outstanding, record holders of units on an applicable record date will be entitled to notice of, and to vote at, meetings of our limited partners and to act upon matters for which approvals may be solicited.

Our general partner does not anticipate that any meeting of our unitholders will be called in the foreseeable future. Any action that is required or permitted to be taken by the unitholders may be taken

either at a meeting of the unitholders or without a meeting if consents in writing describing the action so taken are signed by holders of the number of units necessary to authorize or take that action at a meeting. Meetings of the unitholders may be called by our general partner or by unitholders owning at least 20% of the outstanding units of the class for which a meeting is proposed. Unitholders may vote either in person or by proxy at meetings. The holders of a majority of the outstanding units of the class for which a meeting has been called, represented in person or by proxy, will constitute a quorum, unless any action by the unitholders requires approval by holders of a greater percentage of the units, in which case the quorum will be the greater percentage.

Each record holder of a unit has a vote according to his percentage interest in us, although additional limited partner interests having special voting rights could be issued. Please read "- Issuance of Additional Interests." However, if at any time any person or group, other than our general partner and its affiliates, or a direct or subsequently approved transferee of our general partner or its affiliates and purchasers specifically approved by our general partner, acquires, in the aggregate, beneficial ownership of 20% or more of any class of units then outstanding (other than the Class C Preferred Units), that person or group will lose voting rights on all of its units and the units may not be voted on any matter and will not be considered to be outstanding when sending notices of a meeting of unitholders, calculating required votes, determining the presence of a quorum or for other similar purposes. This loss of voting rights does not apply (i) to any person or group that acquires the units directly from our general partner or its affiliates, (ii) to any transferees of that person or group approved by our general partner, (iii) to any person or group who acquires the units with the specific prior approval of our general partner, (iv) Stonepeak Catarina with respect to its ownership (beneficial or recorded) of the Class C Preferred Units, or (v) the holder of the Warrant with respect to the junior securities issued or issuable upon exercise of the Warrant. In addition, if any person or group beneficially owns 20% or more of any class of units solely as a result of actions taken by us, then the 20% threshold is increased, with respect to such person, to a percentage equal to such person's new beneficial ownership after the taking of such action plus the difference between 20% and such person's beneficial ownership prior to such action. Common units held in nominee or street name account will be voted by the broker or other nominee in accordance with the instruction of the beneficial owner unless the arrangement between the beneficial owner and his nominee provides otherwise.

Any notice, demand, request, report or proxy material required or permitted to be given or made to record common unitholders under our partnership agreement will be delivered to the record holder by us or by the transfer agent.

Voting Rights of Incentive Distribution Rights

If a majority of the incentive distribution rights are held by our general partner and its affiliates, the holders of the incentive distribution rights will have no right to vote in respect of such rights on any matter, unless otherwise required by law, and the holders of the incentive distribution rights shall be deemed to have approved any matter approved by our general partner.

If less than a majority of the incentive distribution rights are held by our general partner and its affiliates, the incentive distribution rights will be entitled to vote on all matters submitted to a vote of unitholders, other than amendments and other matters that our general partner determines do not adversely affect the holders of the incentive distribution rights in any material respect. On any matter in which the holders of incentive distribution rights are entitled to vote, such holders will vote together with the common units as a single class, and such incentive distribution rights shall be treated in all respects as common units when sending notices of a meeting of our limited partners to vote on any matter (unless otherwise required by law), calculating required votes, determining the presence of a quorum or for other similar purposes under our partnership agreement. The relative voting power of the holders of the incentive distributions, if any, in respect of the incentive distribution rights for the four consecutive quarters prior to the record date for the vote bears to the cumulative cash distributions in respect of such class of units for such four quarters.

Status as Limited Partner

By transfer of common units in accordance with our partnership agreement, each transferee of common units shall be admitted as a limited partner with respect to the common units transferred when

such transfer and admission are reflected in our books and records. Except as described under "— Limited Liability," the common units and the Class C Preferred Units will be fully paid, and unitholders will not be required to make additional contributions.

Indemnification

Under our partnership agreement, in most circumstances, we will indemnify the following persons, to the fullest extent permitted by law, from and against all losses, claims, damages or similar events:

- our general partner;
- any departing general partner;
- any person who is or was an affiliate of our general partner or any departing general partner;
- any person who is or was a manager, managing member, general partner, director, officer, employee, agent, fiduciary or trustee of our partnership, our subsidiaries, our general partner, any departing general partner or any of their affiliates;
- any person who is or was serving at the request of a general partner, any departing general partner or any of their respective affiliates as a manager, managing member, general partner, director, officer, employee, agent, fiduciary or trustee of another person owing a fiduciary duty to us or our subsidiaries;
- any person who controls our general partner or any departing general partner; and
- any person designated by our general partner.

Any indemnification under these provisions will only be out of our assets. Unless our general partner otherwise agrees, it will not be personally liable for, or have any obligation to contribute or lend funds or assets to us to enable us to effectuate, indemnification. We may purchase insurance against liabilities asserted against and expenses incurred by persons for our activities, regardless of whether we would have the power to indemnify the person against liabilities under our partnership agreement.

Reimbursement of Expenses

Our partnership agreement requires us to reimburse our general partner and its affiliates for all direct and indirect expenses they incur or payments they make on our behalf and all other expenses allocable to us or otherwise incurred by our general partner and its affiliates in connection with operating our business. Our partnership agreement does not set a limit on the amount of expenses for which our general partner and its affiliates may be reimbursed. These expenses may include salary, bonus, incentive compensation and other amounts paid to persons who perform services for us or on our behalf and expenses allocated to our general partner by its affiliates. Our general partner is entitled to determine in good faith the expenses that are allocable to us.

Books and Reports

Our general partner is required to keep appropriate books of our business at our principal offices. These books will be maintained for both tax and financial reporting purposes on an accrual basis. For tax and fiscal reporting purposes, our fiscal year is the calendar year.

We will furnish or make available to record holders of our common units, within 105 days after the close of each fiscal year, an annual report containing audited consolidated financial statements and a report on those consolidated financial statements by our independent registered public accounting firm. Except for our fourth quarter, we will also furnish or make available summary financial information within 50 days after the close of each quarter. We will be deemed to have made any such report available if we file such report with the SEC on EDGAR or make the report available on a publicly available website which we maintain.

We will furnish each record holder with information reasonably required for U.S. federal and state tax reporting purposes within 90 days after the close of each calendar year. This information is expected to be



furnished in summary form so that some complex calculations normally required of partners can be avoided. Our ability to furnish this summary information to our unitholders will depend on their cooperation in supplying us with specific information. Every unitholder will receive information to assist him in determining his U.S. federal and state tax liability and in filing his U.S. federal and state income tax returns, regardless of whether he supplies us with the necessary information.

Right to Inspect Our Books and Records

Our partnership agreement provides that a limited partner can, for a purpose reasonably related to his interest as a limited partner, upon reasonable written demand stating the purpose of such demand and at his own expense, have furnished to him:

- a current list of the name and last known address of each record holder;
- information as to the amount of cash, and a description and statement of the agreed value of any other capital contribution, contributed or to be contributed by each partner and the date on which each became a partner;
- copies of our partnership agreement, our certificate of limited partnership, related amendments and powers of attorney under which they have been executed;
- information regarding the status of our business and financial condition (provided that obligation shall be satisfied to the extent the limited partner is furnished our most recent annual report and any subsequent quarterly or periodic reports required to be filed (or which would be required to be filed) with the SEC pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act); and
- any other information regarding our affairs that our general partner determines is just and reasonable.

Under our partnership agreement, however, each of our limited partners and other persons who acquire interests in our partnership interests do not have rights to receive information from us or any of the persons we indemnify as described above under "— Indemnification" for the purpose of determining whether to pursue litigation or assist in pending litigation against us or those indemnified persons relating to our affairs, except pursuant to the applicable rules of discovery relating to the litigation commenced by the person seeking information.

Our general partner may, and intends to, keep confidential from the limited partners trade secrets or other information the disclosure of which our general partner believes in good faith is not in our best interests or that we are required by law or by agreements with third parties to keep confidential.

Registration Rights

Under our partnership agreement, we have agreed to register for resale under the Securities Act and applicable state securities laws any common units or other limited partner interests proposed to be sold by our general partner or any of its affiliates or their assignees if an exemption from the registration requirements is not otherwise available. These registration rights continue for two years following any withdrawal or removal of our general partner. We are obligated to pay all expenses incidental to the registration, excluding underwriting discounts.

On November 22, 2016, we entered into a registration rights agreement with SN UR Holdings, LLC, and agreed to register the common units issued to such person on such date in connection with a private placement of our common units.

On August 2, 2019, we entered into a registration rights agreement with Stonepeak Catarina (the "Stonepeak Registration Rights Agreement") relating to the registered resale of (i) common units issuable upon exercise of the Warrant, and (ii) until such time as Stonepeak beneficially owns less than an aggregate of ten percent of the common units, any other common unit issued to or acquired by Stonepeak after the date thereof. Pursuant to the terms thereof, Stonepeak may transfer the registration rights to one or more transferees or assignees of the common units.

MATERIAL TAX CONSIDERATIONS

This section summarizes the material U.S. federal income tax consequences that may be relevant to prospective holders of our common units ("unitholders") who are individual citizens or residents of the United States and, unless otherwise noted in the following discussion, is the opinion of Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP ("Hunton Andrews Kurth") insofar as it relates to legal conclusions with respect to matters of U.S. federal income tax law. This section is based upon current provisions of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended (the "Internal Revenue Code"), existing and proposed Treasury regulations promulgated thereunder (the "Treasury Regulations") and current administrative rulings and court decisions, all of which are subject to change. Changes in these authorities may cause the federal income tax consequences to a prospective unitholder to vary substantially from the consequences described below. Unless the context otherwise requires, references in this section to "us" or "we" are references to Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP and our operating subsidiaries.

The following discussion does not address all U.S. federal income tax matters that affect us or our unitholders and does not describe the application of the alternative minimum tax that may be applicable to certain unitholders. To the extent that this section relates to taxation by a state, local or other jurisdiction within the U.S., such discussion is intended to provide only general information. Moreover, the discussion focuses on unitholders who are individual citizens or residents of the U.S. (for U.S. federal income tax purposes) who have the U.S. dollar as their functional currency, who use the calendar year as their taxable year, who purchase common units in this offering, who do not materially participate in the conduct of our business activities and who hold such common units as capital assets (typically, property that is held for investment). This section has limited applicability to corporations (including other entities treated as corporations for U.S. federal income tax purposes), estates, trusts, nonresident aliens or other unitholders subject to specialized tax treatment, such as tax-exempt institutions, foreign persons, individual retirement accounts (IRAs), real estate investment trusts (REITs), employee benefit plans or mutual funds.

Accordingly, we encourage each prospective unitholder to consult the unitholder's own tax advisor in analyzing the federal, state, local and non-U.S. tax consequences particular to that unitholder of the ownership or disposition of the common units and potential changes in applicable tax laws.

No ruling has been requested from the Internal Revenue Service (the "IRS") regarding any matter affecting us or the consequences of owning our common units. Instead, we are relying on the opinions and advice of Hunton Andrews Kurth with respect to the matters described herein. An opinion of counsel represents only that counsel's best legal judgment and does not bind the IRS or the courts. Accordingly, the opinions and statements made in this discussion may not be sustained by a court if contested by the IRS. Any contest of this sort with the IRS may materially and adversely impact the market for the common units and the prices at which the common units trade. In addition, our costs of any contest with the IRS will be borne indirectly by our unitholders because the costs will reduce our cash available for distribution. Furthermore, the tax consequences of an investment in us may be significantly modified by future legislative or administrative changes or court decisions, which may be retroactively applied.

Hunton Andrews Kurth has not rendered an opinion on the state, local or foreign tax consequences of an investment in us, and, for the reasons described below, has not rendered an opinion with respect to the following U.S. federal income tax issues: (i) the treatment of a unitholder whose common units are the subject of a securities loan (e.g., a loan to a short seller to cover a short sale of common units) (please read "— Tax Consequences of Unit Ownership — Treatment of Securities Loans"); (ii) whether percentage depletion will be available to a unitholder or the extent of the percentage depletion deduction available to any unitholder (please read "— Tax Treatment of Operations — Depletion Deductions"), (iii) whether our monthly convention for allocating taxable income and losses is permitted by existing Treasury Regulations (please read "— Disposition of Common Units — Allocations Between Transferors and Transferees"); and (iv) whether our method for taking into account Section 743 adjustments is sustainable in certain cases (please read "— Tax Consequences of Unit Ownership — Section 754 Election" and "— Uniformity of Common Units").

Partnership Status

We expect to be treated as a partnership for U.S. federal income tax purposes and, therefore, subject to the discussion below under "— Administrative Matters — Information Returns and Audit Procedures,"

generally are not liable for entity-level federal income taxes. Instead, as described below, each unitholder is required to take into account that unitholder' share of our items of income, gain, loss and deduction in computing the unitholder's U.S. federal income tax liability even if we make no cash distributions to the unitholder. Distributions we make to a unitholder are generally not taxable to the unitholder unless the amount of cash distributed exceeds the unitholder's adjusted tax basis in the common units.

Section 7704 of the Internal Revenue Code generally provides that a publicly traded partnership will be taxed as a corporation for U.S. federal income tax purposes. However, if 90% or more of a partnership's gross income for every taxable year it is publicly-traded consists of "qualifying income," the partnership may continue to be treated as a partnership for federal income tax purposes (the "Qualifying Income Exception"). Qualifying income includes income and gains derived from the exploration, development, transportation, storage, processing and marketing of crude oil, natural gas and products thereof. Other types of qualifying income include interest (other than from a financial business), dividends, gains from the sale of real property and gains from the sale or other disposition of capital assets held for the production of income that otherwise constitutes qualifying income. We estimate that less than 3% of our current gross income is not qualifying income; however, this estimate could change from time to time.

No ruling has been or will be sought from the IRS with respect to our classification as a partnership for U.S. federal income tax purposes or as to the classification of our operating subsidiaries. Instead, we will rely on the opinion of Hunton Andrews Kurth that, based upon the Internal Revenue Code, the Treasury Regulations, published revenue rulings and court decisions and the representations described below, we will be treated as a partnership and each of our operating subsidiaries will be treated as a partnership or disregarded as an entity separate from us for U.S. federal income tax purposes. In rendering its opinion, Hunton Andrews Kurth has relied on factual representations made by us and our general partner, including, without limitation:

- Neither we nor our operating subsidiaries have elected or will elect to be treated as a corporation; and
- For each taxable year, more than 90% of our gross income has been and will be income that Hunton Andrews Kurth has opined or will opine is "qualifying income" within the meaning of Section 7704(d) of the Internal Revenue Code.

We believe that these representations have been true in the past and expect that these representations will continue to be true in the future.

If we fail to meet the Qualifying Income Exception, other than a failure that is determined by the IRS to be inadvertent and that is cured within a reasonable time after discovery (in which case the IRS may also require us to make adjustments with respect to our unitholders or pay other amounts), we will be treated as transferring all of our assets, subject to all of our liabilities, to a newly formed corporation, on the first day of the year in which we fail to meet the Qualifying Income Exception, in return for stock in that corporation, and then as distributing that stock to our unitholders in liquidation of their interests in us. This deemed contribution and liquidation should not result in the recognition of taxable income by our unitholders or us so long as at that time, the aggregate amount of our liabilities do not exceed the adjusted tax basis of our assets. Thereafter, we would be treated as a corporation for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

The present U.S. federal income tax treatment of publicly traded partnerships, including us, or an investment in our common units may be modified by administrative, legislative or judicial interpretation at any time. For example, from time to time members of the U.S. Congress have proposed and considered substantive changes to the existing federal income tax laws that would affect certain publicly traded partnerships, including the elimination of partnership tax treatment for publicly traded partnerships. Further, Treasury regulations under Section 7704 of the Code, that apply to taxable years beginning on or after January 19, 2017, interpret the scope of the qualifying income requirements for publicly traded partnerships by providing industry specific guidance. We do not believe these regulations affect our ability to qualify as a publicly traded partnership.

It is possible that a change in law could affect us and may be applied retroactively. Any such changes could negatively impact the value of an investment in our common units. If for any reason we are taxable as a corporation for U.S. federal income tax purposes in any taxable year, our items of income, gain, loss and

deduction would be taken into account by us in determining the amount of our liability for federal income tax, rather than being passed through to our unitholders.

Our taxation as a corporation would result in a material reduction in a unitholder's cash flow and aftertax return and thus would likely result in a substantial reduction in the value of the common units. Any distribution made to a unitholder at a time when we are treated as a corporation would be treated as taxable dividend income, to the extent of our current and accumulated earnings and profits, or, in the absence of earnings and profits, a nontaxable return of capital, to the extent of the unitholder's tax basis in the partner's common units, or taxable capital gain, after the unitholder's tax basis in the partner's common units is reduced to zero.

The remainder of this discussion is based on Hunton Andrews Kurth's opinion that we will be treated as a partnership for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

Tax Consequences of Unit Ownership

Limited Partner Status

Unitholders who are admitted as limited partners of Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP will be treated as partners of Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP for U.S. federal income tax purposes. Also, unitholders whose common units are held in street name or by a nominee and who have the right to direct the nominee in the exercise of all substantive rights attendant to the ownership of their common units will be treated as partners of Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

A beneficial owner of common units whose units have been transferred to a short seller to complete a short sale would appear to lose the unitholder's status as a partner with respect to those units for U.S. federal income tax purposes. For a discussion related to the risks of losing partner status as a result of a securities loan, please read "— Treatment of Securities Loans."

Items of our income, gain, loss or deduction would not appear to be reportable by a unitholder who is not a partner for U.S. federal income tax purposes, and any cash distributions received by a unitholder who is not a partner for U.S. federal income tax purposes would therefore appear to be fully taxable as ordinary income. These holders are urged to consult their own tax advisors with respect to their tax consequences of holding common units in Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP for U.S. federal income tax purposes. The references to "unitholders" in the discussion that follows are to persons who are treated as partners in Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP for U.S. federal income tax purposes.

Flow-Through of Taxable Income

Subject to the discussion below under "— Entity-Level Collections of Unitholder Taxes" and "— Administrative Matters — Information Returns and Audit Procedures," we do not pay any U.S. federal income tax. Instead, each unitholder will be required to report on the unitholder's income tax return the unitholder's share of our income, gains, losses and deductions without regard to whether we make cash distributions to the unitholder. Consequently, we may allocate income to a unitholder even if that unitholder has not received a cash distribution. Our partnership agreement prohibits us from making certain distributions until all of the Class C Preferred Units are redeemed and, as a result, our ability to make, maintain and grow cash distributions is dependent on our ability to redeem the Class C Preferred Units. Each unitholder will be required to include in income the unitholder's allocable share of our income, gains, losses and deductions for our taxable year or years ending with or within the unitholder's taxable year. Our taxable year ends on December 31.

Treatment of Distributions

Distributions made by us to a unitholder generally will not be taxable to the unitholder for U.S. federal income tax purposes, except to the extent the amount of any such cash distribution exceeds the unitholder's tax basis in the unitholder's common units immediately before the distribution, in which case the unitholder generally will recognize gain taxable in the manner described below under "— Disposition of Common Units."

Any reduction in a unitholder's share of our "nonrecourse liabilities" for which no partner bears the economic risk of loss, will be treated as a distribution by us of cash to that unitholder. To the extent our distributions cause a unitholder's "at risk" amount to be less than zero at the end of any taxable year, the unitholder must recapture any losses deducted in previous years. Please read "— Limitations on Deductibility of Losses."

A decrease in a unitholder's percentage interest in us because of our issuance of additional common units will decrease the unitholder's share of our nonrecourse liabilities, and thus will result in a corresponding deemed distribution of cash. This deemed distribution may constitute a non-pro rata distribution. A non-pro rata distribution of money or property, including a deemed distribution as a result of the reallocation of our nonrecourse liabilities described above, may result in ordinary income to a unitholder, regardless of the unitholder's tax basis in the unitholder's common units, if the distribution reduces the unitholder's share of our "unrealized receivables," including depreciation, depletion, and intangible drilling and development cost recapture, and/or substantially appreciated "inventory items," both as defined in Section 751 of the Internal Revenue Code, and collectively, "Section 751 Assets." To the extent of such reduction, the unitholder would be deemed to receive its proportionate share of the Section 751 Assets and then deemed to exchange those assets with us in return for a portion of the non-pro rata distribution. This deemed exchange will generally result in the unitholder's realization of ordinary income in an amount equal to the excess of the non-pro rata portion of that distribution over the unitholder's tax basis (generally zero) in the Section 751 Assets deemed relinquished in the exchange.

Basis of Common Units

A unitholder's tax basis in its common units will initially be the amount paid for those common units increased by the unitholder's initial allocable share of our liabilities. That basis generally will be (i) increased by the unitholder's share of our income and by any increases in the unitholder's share of our liabilities, and (ii) decreased, but not below zero, by the amount of all distributions to the unitholder, by the unitholder's share of our losses, by any decreases in the unitholder's share of our liabilities and by the amount of any excess business interest allocated to the unitholder. The IRS has ruled that a partner who acquires interests in a partnership in separate transactions must combine those interests and maintain a single adjusted tax basis for all of those interests.

Limitations on Deductibility of Losses

The deduction by a unitholder of that unitholder's share of our losses will be limited to the tax basis the unitholder has in the unitholder's common units and, in the case of an individual, estate, trust or certain types of closely-held corporations, to the amount for which the unitholder is considered to be "at risk" with respect to our activities, if that amount is less than the unitholder's tax basis. A unitholder subject to these limitations must recapture losses deducted in previous years to the extent that distributions cause the unitholder or recaptured as a result of these limitations will carry forward and will be allowable as a deduction in a later year to the extent that the unitholder's tax basis or at risk amount, whichever is the limiting factor, is subsequently increased, provided such losses are otherwise allowable. Upon the taxable disposition of a unit, any gain recognized by a unitholder can be offset by losses that were previously suspended by the at risk limitation but may not be offset by losses suspended by the basis limitation. Any loss previously suspended by the at risk limitation in excess of that gain would no longer be utilizable.

In general, a unitholder will be at risk to the extent of the tax basis of the unitholder's common units, excluding any portion of that basis attributable to the unitholder's share of our nonrecourse liabilities, reduced by (i) any portion of that basis representing amounts otherwise protected against loss because of a guarantee, stop loss agreement or other similar arrangement and (ii) any amount of money he borrows to acquire or hold the unitholder's common units, if the lender of those borrowed funds owns an interest in us, is related to another unitholder or can look only to the common units for repayment. A unitholder's at risk amount will increase or decrease as the tax basis of the unitholder's units increases or decreases, other than tax basis increases or decreases attributable to increases or decreases in the unitholder's share of our nonrecourse liabilities.

The at risk limitation applies on an activity-by-activity basis, and in the case of oil and natural gas properties, each property is treated as a separate activity. Thus, a taxpayer's interest in each oil or gas property is generally required to be treated separately so that a loss from any one property would be limited to the at risk amount for that property and not the at risk amount for all the taxpayer's oil and natural gas properties. It is uncertain how this rule is implemented in the case of multiple oil and natural gas properties owned by a single entity treated as a partnership for U.S. federal income tax purposes. However, for taxable years ending on or before the date on which further guidance is published, the IRS will permit aggregation of oil or gas properties we own in computing a unitholder's at risk limitation with respect to us. If a unitholder must compute the unitholder's at risk amount separately with respect to each oil or gas property we own, a unitholder may not be allowed to utilize the unitholder's share of losses or deductions attributable to a particular property even though the unitholder has a positive at risk amount with respect to the unitholder's common units as a whole.

In addition to the basis and at risk limitations on the deductibility of losses, the passive loss limitations generally provide that individuals, estates, trusts and some closely-held corporations and personal service corporations are permitted to deduct losses from passive activities, which are generally trade or business activities in which the taxpayer does not materially participate, only to the extent of the taxpayer's income from those passive activities. The passive loss limitations are applied separately with respect to each publicly traded partnership. Consequently, any passive losses we generate will only be available to offset our passive income generated in the future and will not be available to offset income from other passive activities or investments, including our investments or a unitholder's investments in other publicly traded partnerships, or a unitholder's salary or active business income. Passive losses that are not deductible because they exceed a unitholder's entire investment in us in a fully taxable transaction with an unrelated party. The passive loss limitations are applied after other applicable limitations on deductions, including the at risk rules and the basis limitation.

A unitholder's share of our net income may be offset by any of our suspended passive losses, but it may not be offset by any other current or carryover losses from other passive activities, including those attributable to other publicly traded partnerships.

For taxpayers other than corporations in taxable years beginning before January 1, 2026, an "excess business loss" limitation further limits the deductibility of losses by such taxpayers. An excess business loss is the excess (if any) of a taxpayer's aggregate deductions for the taxable year that are attributable to the trades or businesses of such taxpayer (determined without regard to the excess business loss limitation) over the aggregate gross income or gain of such taxpayer for the taxable year that is attributable to such trades or businesses plus a threshold amount. The threshold amount is equal to \$250,000 or \$500,000 for taxpayers filing a joint return. Disallowed excess business losses are treated as a net operating loss carryover to the following tax year. Any losses we generate that are allocated to a unitholder and not otherwise limited by the basis, at risk or passive loss limitations will be included in the determination of such unitholder's aggregate trade or business deductions. Consequently, any losses we generate that are not otherwise limited will only be available to offset a unitholder's other trade or business income equal to the applicable threshold amount. Thus, except to the extent of the threshold amount, our losses that are not otherwise limited may not offset a unitholder's non-trade or business income (such as salaries, fees, interest, dividends and capital gains). This excess business loss limitation will be applied after the passive activity loss limitation.

Limitations on Interest Deductions

In general, we are entitled to a deduction for interest paid or accrued on indebtedness properly allocable to our trade or business during our taxable year. However, our deduction for this "business interest" is limited to the sum of our business interest income and a specified percentage of our "adjusted taxable income." For the purposes of this limitation, our adjusted taxable income is computed without regard to any business interest or business interest income, and in the case of taxable years beginning before January 1, 2022, any deduction allowable for depreciation, amortization, or depletion. This limitation is first applied at the partnership level and any deduction for business interest is taken into account in determining our non-separately stated taxable income or loss. Then, in applying this business interest

limitation at the partner level, the adjusted taxable income of each of our unitholders is determined without regard to such unitholder's distributive share of any of our items of income, gain, deduction, or loss and is increased by such unitholder's distributive share of our excess taxable income, which is generally equal to the excess of 30% of our adjusted taxable income over the amount of our deduction for business interest for a taxable year.

To the extent our deduction for business interest is not limited, we will allocate the full amount of our deduction for business interest among our unitholders in accordance with their percentage interests in us. To the extent our deduction for business interest is limited, the amount of any disallowed deduction for business interest will also be allocated to each unitholder in accordance with their percentage interest in us, but such amount of "excess business interest" will not be currently deductible. Subject to certain limitations and adjustments to a unitholder's basis in its units, this excess business interest may be carried forward and deducted by a unitholder in a future taxable year.

The deductibility of a non-corporate taxpayer's "investment interest expense" is generally limited to the amount of that taxpayer's "net investment income." Investment interest expense includes:

- interest on indebtedness properly allocable to property held for investment;
- · our interest expense attributed to portfolio income; and
- the portion of interest expense incurred to purchase or carry an interest in a passive activity to the extent attributable to portfolio income.

The computation of a unitholder's investment interest expense will take into account interest on any margin account borrowing or other loan incurred to purchase or carry a unit. Net investment income includes gross income from property held for investment and amounts treated as portfolio income under the passive loss rules, less deductible expenses, other than interest, directly connected with the production of investment income, but generally does not include gains attributable to the disposition of property held for investment or qualified dividend income (if applicable). A unitholder's share of a publicly traded partnership's portfolio income and, according to the IRS, net passive income will be treated as investment income for purposes of the investment interest expense limitation.

Entity-Level Collections of Unitholder Taxes

If we are required or elect under applicable law to pay any U.S. federal, state, local or non-U.S. income tax on behalf of any current or former unitholder, we are authorized to treat the payment as a distribution of cash to the relevant unitholder. Where the tax is payable on behalf of all unitholders or we cannot determine the specific unitholder on whose behalf the tax is payable, we are authorized to treat the payment as a distribution to all current unitholders. We are authorized to amend our partnership agreement in the manner necessary to maintain uniformity of intrinsic tax characteristics of common units and to adjust later distributions, so that after giving effect to these distributions, the priority and characterization of distributions otherwise applicable under our partnership agreement is maintained as nearly as is practicable. Payments by us as described above could give rise to an overpayment of tax on behalf of an individual unitholder in which event the unitholder would be required to file a claim in order to obtain a credit or refund.

Allocation of Income, Gain, Loss and Deduction

In general, our items of income, gain, loss and deduction will be allocated among our unitholders in accordance with their percentage interests in us. At any time that we make distributions to the holders of Class C Preferred Units or we make incentive distributions, gross income will be allocated to the recipients to the extent of these distributions.

Specified items of our income, gain, loss and deduction generally will be allocated under Section 704(c) of the Code (or the principles of Section 704(c) of the Code) to account for any difference between the tax basis and fair market value of our assets at the time such assets are contributed to us and at the time of any subsequent offering of our common units (a "Book-Tax Disparity"). As a result, the federal income tax burden associated with any Book-Tax Disparity immediately prior to an offering generally will be borne by the partners holding interests in us prior to such offering. In addition, items of recapture income will be specially allocated to the extent possible to the unitholder who was allocated the deduction giving rise to the treatment of that gain as recapture income in order to minimize the recognition of ordinary income by other unitholders. Finally, although we do not expect that our operations will result in the creation of negative capital accounts, if negative capital accounts nevertheless result, items of our income and gain will be allocated in such amount and manner as is needed to eliminate the negative balance as quickly as possible.

An allocation of items of our income, gain, loss or deduction, other than an allocation required by the Internal Revenue Code to eliminate a Book-Tax Disparity, will generally be given effect for U.S. federal income tax purposes in determining a partner's share of an item of income, gain, loss or deduction only if the allocation has substantial economic effect. In any other case, a partner's share of an item will be determined on the basis of the unitholder's interest in us, which will be determined by taking into account all the facts and circumstances including (i) the partner's relative contributions to us, (ii) the interests of all the partners to distributions of capital upon liquidation. Hunton Andrews Kurth is of the opinion that, with the exception of the issues described in "— Section 754 Election" and "— Disposition of Common Units — Allocations Between Transferors and Transferees," allocations under our partnership agreement will be given effect for U.S. federal income tax purposes in determining a partner's share of an item of income, gain, loss or deduction.

Treatment of Securities Loans

A unitholder whose common units are the subject of a securities loan (for example, a loan to a "short seller" to cover a short sale of common units) may be treated having disposed of those units. If so, such unitholder would no longer be treated for tax purposes as a partner with respect to those common units during the period of the loan and may recognize gain or loss from the disposition. As a result, during this period:

- any of our income, gain, loss or deduction allocated to those common units would not be reportable by the lending unitholder; and
- any cash distributions received by the lending unitholder as to those common units may be treated as ordinary taxable income.

Due to lack of controlling authority, Hunton Andrews Kurth has not rendered an opinion regarding the tax treatment of a unitholder that enters into a securities loan with respect to its common units. Unitholders desiring to assure their status as partners and avoid the risk of gain recognition from a loan to a short seller are urged to consult a tax advisor to discuss whether it is advisable to modify any applicable brokerage account agreements to prohibit their brokers from borrowing and loaning their common units. The IRS has previously announced that it is studying issues relating to the tax treatment of short sales of partnership interests. Please also read "— Disposition of Common Units — Recognition of Gain or Loss."

Tax Rates

Under current law, the highest marginal U.S. federal income tax rates for individuals applicable to ordinary income and long-term capital gains (generally, gains from the sale or exchange of certain investment assets held for more than one year) are 37% and 20%, respectively.

For taxable years beginning after December 31, 2017 and ending on or before December 31, 2025, an individual unitholder is entitled to a deduction equal to 20% of the unitholder's allocable share of our "qualified business income." For purposes of this deduction, our "qualified business income" is equal to the sum of:

- the net amount of our U.S. items of income, gain, deduction, and loss to the extent such items are included or allowed in the determination of taxable income for the year, excluding, however, certain specified types of passive investment income (such as capital gains and dividends, which are taxed at a rate of 20%) and certain payments made to the unitholder for services rendered to us; and
- any gain recognized upon a disposition of our units to the extent such gain is attributable to Section 751 Assets and is thus treated as ordinary income under Section 751 of the Code.

These rates, and the deduction, are subject to change by new legislation at any time.

Furthermore, a 3.8% net investment tax, or NIIT, applies to certain net investment income earned by individuals, estates and trusts. For these purposes, net investment income generally includes a unitholder's allocable share of our income and gain realized by a unitholder from a sale of common units. In the case of an individual, the tax will be imposed on the lesser of (i) the unitholder's net investment income or (ii) the amount by which the unitholder's modified adjusted gross income exceeds specified threshold levels depending on a unitholder's federal income tax filing status. In the case of an estate or trust, the tax will be imposed on the lesser of (i) undistributed net investment income, or (ii) the excess adjusted gross income over the dollar amount at which the highest income tax bracket applicable to an estate or trust begins. Prospective unitholders are urged to consult with their tax advisors as to the impact of the NIIT on an investment in our common units.

Section 754 Election

We have made the election permitted by Section 754 of the Internal Revenue Code. That election is irrevocable without the consent of the IRS. The election will generally permit us to adjust a common unit purchaser's tax basis in our assets ("inside basis") under Section 743(b) of the Internal Revenue Code to reflect the unitholder's purchase price. The Section 743(b) adjustment separately applies to any transferee of a unitholder who purchases outstanding common units from the unitholder based upon the values and tax bases of our assets at the time of the transfer to the transferee. The Section 743(b) adjustment does not apply to a person who purchases common units directly from us, and belongs only to the purchaser and not to other unitholders. For purposes of this discussion, a unitholder's basis in our assets will be considered to have two components: (i) the unitholder's share of our tax basis in our assets ("common basis") and (ii) the unitholder's Section 743(b) adjustment to that basis.

Under our partnership agreement, we are authorized to take a position to preserve the uniformity of units even if that position is not consistent with applicable Treasury Regulations. A literal application of Treasury Regulations governing a Section 743(b) adjustment attributable to properties depreciable under Section 167 of the Internal Revenue Code may give rise to differences in the taxation of unitholders purchasing units from us and unitholders purchasing from other unitholders. If we have any such properties, we intend to adopt methods employed by other publicly traded partnerships to preserve the uniformity of units, even if inconsistent with existing Treasury Regulations, and Hunton Andrews Kurth has not opined on the validity of this approach. Please read "— Uniformity of Common Units."

The IRS may challenge the positions we adopt with respect to depreciating or amortizing the Section 743(b) adjustment we take to preserve the uniformity of units due to lack of controlling authority. Because a unitholder's adjusted tax basis in its units is reduced by the unitholder's share of our items of deduction or loss, any position we take that understates deductions will overstate a unitholder's basis in its units and may cause the unitholder to understate gain or overstate loss on any sale of such units. Please read "— Disposition of Common Units — Recognition of Gain or Loss." If a challenge to such treatment were sustained, the gain from the sale of units may be increased without the benefit of additional deductions.

The calculations involved in the Section 754 election are complex and will be made on the basis of assumptions as to the value of our assets and other matters. For example, the allocation of the Section 743(b) adjustment among our assets must be made in accordance with the Internal Revenue Code. The IRS could seek to reallocate some or all of any Section 743(b) adjustment we allocated to our tangible assets to goodwill instead. Goodwill, an intangible asset, is generally nonamortizable or amortizable over a longer period of time or under a less accelerated method than our tangible assets. We cannot assure you that the determinations we make will not be successfully challenged by the IRS and that the deductions resulting from them will not be reduced or disallowed altogether. Should the IRS require a different basis adjustment to be made, and should, in our opinion, the expense of compliance exceed the benefit of the election, we may seek permission from the IRS to revoke our Section 754 election. If permission is granted, a subsequent purchaser of units may be allocated more income than he would have been allocated had the election not been revoked.

Tax Treatment of Operations

Accounting Method and Taxable Year

We use the year ending December 31 as our taxable year and the accrual method of accounting for federal income tax purposes. Each unitholder will be required to include in income the unitholder's share of our income, gain, loss and deduction for our taxable year or years ending within or with the unitholder's taxable year. In addition, a unitholder who has a taxable year ending on a date other than December 31 and who disposes of all of the unitholder's common units following the close of our taxable year but before the close of the unitholder's taxable year must include the unitholder's share of our income, gain, loss and deduction in income for the unitholder's taxable year, with the result that he will be required to include in income for the unitholder's taxable year the unitholder's share of more than one year of our income, gain, loss and deduction. Please read "— Disposition of Common Units — Allocations Between Transferors and Transferees."

Depletion Deductions

Subject to the limitations on deductibility of losses discussed above, unitholders are entitled to deductions for the greater of either cost depletion or (if otherwise allowable) percentage depletion with respect to our oil and natural gas interests. Although the Internal Revenue Code requires each unitholder to compute his own depletion allowance and maintain records of the unitholder's share of the adjusted tax basis of the underlying property for depletion and other purposes, we intend to furnish each of our common unitholders with information relating to this computation for U.S. federal income tax purposes. Each unitholder, however, remains responsible for calculating his own depletion allowance and maintaining records of his share of the adjusted tax basis of the underlying property for depletion and other purposes.

Percentage depletion is generally available with respect to unitholders who qualify under the independent producer exemption contained in Section 613A(c) of the Internal Revenue Code. For this purpose, an independent producer is a person not directly or indirectly involved in the retail sale of oil, natural gas, or derivative products or the operation of a major refinery. Percentage depletion is calculated as an amount generally equal to 15% (and, in the case of marginal production, potentially a higher percentage) of the common unitholder's gross income from the depletable property for the taxable year. The percentage depletion deduction with respect to any property is limited to 100% of the taxable income of the unitholder from the property for each taxable year, computed without the depletion allowance. A unitholder that qualifies as an independent producer may deduct percentage depletion only to the extent the unitholder's average net daily production of domestic crude oil, or the natural gas production, with 6,000 cubic feet of domestic natural gas production regarded as equivalent to one barrel of crude oil. The 1,000 barrel limitation must be allocated among the independent producer and controlled or related persons and family members in proportion to the respective production by such persons during the period in question.

In addition to the foregoing limitations, the percentage depletion deduction otherwise available is limited to 65% of a unitholder's total taxable income from all sources for the year, computed without the depletion allowance, net operating loss carrybacks, or capital loss carrybacks. Any percentage depletion deduction disallowed because of the 65% limitation may be deducted in the following taxable year if the percentage depletion deduction for such year plus the deduction carryover does not exceed 65% of the common unitholder's total taxable income for that year. The carryover period resulting from the 65% net income limitation is unlimited.

Unitholders that do not qualify under the independent producer exemption are generally restricted to depletion deductions based on cost depletion. Cost depletion deductions are calculated by (i) dividing the common unitholder's share of the adjusted tax basis in the underlying mineral property by the number of mineral units (barrels of oil and thousand cubic feet, or Mcf, of natural gas) remaining as of the beginning of the taxable year and (ii) multiplying the result by the number of mineral units sold within the taxable year. The total amount of deductions based on cost depletion cannot exceed the unitholder's share of the total adjusted tax basis in the property.

All or a portion of any gain recognized by a unitholder as a result of either the disposition by us of some or all of our oil and natural gas interests or the disposition by the unitholder of some or all of his common units may be taxed as ordinary income to the extent of recapture of depletion deductions, except for percentage depletion deductions in excess of the basis of the property. The amount of the recapture is generally limited to the amount of gain recognized on the disposition.

The foregoing discussion of depletion deductions does not purport to be a complete analysis of the complex legislation and Treasury Regulations relating to the availability and calculation of depletion deductions by the unitholders. Further, because depletion is required to be computed separately by each common unitholder and not by us, no assurance can be given, and Hunton Andrews Kurth is unable to express any opinion, with respect to the availability or extent of percentage depletion deductions to the unitholders for any taxable year. We encourage each prospective unitholder to consult his tax advisor to determine whether percentage depletion would be available to the unitholder.

Deductions for Intangible Drilling and Development Costs

We elect to currently deduct intangible drilling and development costs ("IDCs"). IDCs generally include our expenses for wages, fuel, repairs, hauling, supplies and other items that are incidental to, and necessary for, the drilling and preparation of wells for the production of oil, natural gas or geothermal energy. The option to currently deduct IDCs applies only to those items that do not have a salvage value.

Although we elect to currently deduct IDCs, each unitholder will have the option of either currently deducting IDCs or capitalizing all or part of the IDCs and amortizing them on a straight-line basis over a 60-month period, beginning with the taxable month in which the expenditure is made. If a unitholder makes the election to amortize the IDCs over a 60-month period, no IDC preference amount in respect of those IDCs will result for alternative minimum tax purposes.

Integrated oil companies must capitalize 30% of all their IDCs (other than IDCs paid or incurred with respect to oil and natural gas wells located outside of the United States) and amortize these IDCs over 60 months beginning in the month in which those costs are paid or incurred. If the taxpayer ceases to be an integrated oil company, it must continue to amortize those costs as long as it continues to own the property to which the IDCs relate. An "integrated oil company" is a taxpayer that has economic interests in oil and natural gas properties and also carries on substantial retailing or refining operations. An oil or gas producer is deemed to be a substantial retailer or refiner if it is subject to the rules disqualifying retailers and refiners from taking percentage depletion. In order to qualify as an "independent producer" that is not subject to these IDC deduction limits, a unitholder, either directly or indirectly through certain related parties, may not be involved in the refining of more than 75,000 barrels of oil (or the equivalent amount of natural gas) on average for any day during the taxable year or in the retail marketing of oil and natural gas products exceeding \$5 million per year in the aggregate.

IDCs previously deducted that are allocable to property (directly or through ownership of an interest in a partnership) and that would have been included in the adjusted basis of the property had the IDC deduction not been taken are recaptured to the extent of any gain realized upon the disposition of the property or upon the disposition by a unitholder of interests in us. Recapture is generally determined at the unitholder level. Where only a portion of the recapture property is sold, any IDCs related to the entire property are recaptured to the extent of the gain realized on the portion of the property sold. In the case of a disposition of an undivided interest in a property, a proportionate amount of the IDCs with respect to the property is treated as allocable to the transferred undivided interest to the extent of any gain recognized. Please read "— Disposition of Units — Recognition of Gain or Loss."

Lease Acquisition Costs

The cost of acquiring oil and natural gas leaseholder or similar property interests is a capital expenditure that must be recovered through depletion deductions if the lease is productive. If a lease is proved worthless and abandoned, the cost of acquisition less any depletion claimed may be deducted as an ordinary loss in the year the lease becomes worthless. Please read "— Depletion Deductions."

Geophysical Costs

Geophysical costs paid or incurred in connection with the exploration for, or development of, oil or gas within the United States are allowed as a deduction ratably over the 24-month period beginning on the date that such expense was paid or incurred.

Operating and Administrative Costs

Amounts paid for operating a producing well are deductible as ordinary business expenses, as are administrative costs to the extent they constitute ordinary and necessary business expenses which are reasonable in amount.

Tax Basis, Depreciation and Amortization

The tax basis of each of our assets is used for purposes of computing depreciation and cost recovery deductions and, ultimately, gain or loss on the disposition of these assets. The federal income tax burden associated with the difference between the fair market value of our assets and their tax basis immediately prior to the time we issue common units in an offering will be borne by our partners holding interests in us prior to such offering. Please read "— Tax Consequences of Unit Ownership — Allocation of Income, Gain, Loss and Deduction."

To the extent allowable, we may elect to use the depreciation and cost recovery methods, including bonus depreciation to the extent applicable, that will result in the largest deductions being taken in the early years after assets subject to these allowances are placed in service. Property we subsequently acquire or construct may be depreciated using accelerated methods permitted by the Internal Revenue Code.

If we dispose of depreciable property by sale, foreclosure or otherwise, all or a portion of any gain, determined by reference to the amount of depreciation previously deducted and the nature of the property, may be subject to the recapture rules and taxed as ordinary income rather than capital gain. Similarly, a unitholder who has taken cost recovery or depreciation deductions with respect to property we own will likely be required to recapture some or all of those deductions as ordinary income upon a sale of the unitholder's interest in us. Please read "— Tax Consequences of Unit Ownership — Allocation of Income, Gain, Loss and Deduction" and "— Disposition of Common Units — Recognition of Gain or Loss."

The costs we incur in offering and selling our common units (called "syndication expenses") must be capitalized and cannot be deducted currently, ratably or upon our termination. While there are uncertainties regarding the classification of costs as organization expenses, which may be amortized by us, and as syndication expenses, which may not be amortized by us, the underwriting discount we incur will be treated as syndication expenses.

Valuation and Tax Basis of Our Properties

The federal income tax consequences of the ownership and disposition of common units will depend in part on our estimates of the relative fair market values, and the tax bases, of our assets. Although we may from time to time consult with professional appraisers regarding valuation matters, we will make many of the relative fair market value estimates ourselves. These estimates and determinations of tax basis are subject to challenge and will not be binding on the IRS or the courts. If the estimates of fair market value or basis are later found to be incorrect, the character and amount of items of income, gain, loss or deduction previously reported by unitholders could change, and unitholders could be required to adjust their tax liability for prior years and incur interest and penalties with respect to those adjustments.

Disposition of Common Units

Recognition of Gain or Loss

A unitholder will be required to recognize gain or loss on a sale of common units equal to the difference between the unitholder's amount realized and the unitholder's tax basis for the common units sold (taking into account any basis adjustments attributable to previously disallowed interest deductions). A unitholder's amount realized will equal the sum of the cash or the fair market value of other property the unitholder

receives plus the unitholder's share of our liabilities attributable to the common units sold. Because the amount realized includes a unitholder's share of our liabilities, the gain recognized on the sale of common units could result in a tax liability in excess of any cash received from the sale.

Except as noted below, gain or loss recognized by a unitholder, other than a "dealer" in units, on the sale or exchange of a common unit will generally be taxable as capital gain or loss. Capital gain recognized by an individual on the sale of units held for more than one year will generally be taxed at the U.S. federal income tax rate applicable to long-term capital gains. However, a portion of this gain or loss, which will likely be substantial, will be separately computed and taxed as ordinary income or loss under Section 751 of the Internal Revenue Code to the extent attributable to "unrealized receivables" or "inventory items" that we own. The term "unrealized receivables" includes potential recapture items, including depreciation, depletion and IDC recapture. Ordinary income attributable to unrealized receivables (including recapture items) and inventory items may exceed net taxable gain realized on the sale of a common unit and may be recognized even if there is a net taxable loss realized on the sale of a unit. Thus, a unitholder may recognize both ordinary income and a capital loss upon a sale of units. Capital losses may offset capital gains and, in the case of individuals, no more than \$3,000 of ordinary income each year. Both ordinary income and capital gain recognized by a unitholder on the sale or exchange of a common unit may be subject to the NIIT in certain circumstances. Please read "— Tax Consequences of Unit Ownership — Tax Rates."

For purposes of calculating gain or loss of the sale or exchange of a common unit, the unitholder's adjusted tax basis will be adjusted by its allocable share of our income or loss in respect of its common unit for the year of the sale. Furthermore, the IRS has ruled that a partner who acquires interests in a partnership in separate transactions must combine those interests and maintain a single adjusted tax basis for all those interests. Upon a sale or other disposition of less than all of those interests, a portion of that tax basis must be allocated to the interests sold using an "equitable apportionment" method, which generally means that the tax basis allocated to the interest sold equals an amount that bears the same relation to the partner's tax basis in the unitholder's entire interest in the partnership as the value of the interest sold bears to the value of the partner's entire interest in the partnership. Treasury Regulations under Section 1223 of the Internal Revenue Code allow a selling unitholder who can identify common units transferred with an ascertainable holding period to elect to use the actual holding period of the common units transferred. Thus, according to the ruling discussed above, a common unitholder will be unable to select high or low basis common units to sell as would be the case with corporate stock, but, according to the Treasury Regulations, may designate specific common units sold for purposes of determining the holding period of common units transferred. A unitholder electing to use the actual holding period of common units transferred must consistently use that identification method for all subsequent sales or exchanges of common units. A unitholder considering the purchase of additional common units or a sale of common units purchased in separate transactions is urged to consult the unitholder's tax advisor as to the possible consequences of this ruling and application of the Treasury Regulations.

Specific provisions of the Internal Revenue Code affect the taxation of some financial products and securities, including partnership interests, by treating a taxpayer as having sold an "appreciated" partnership interest, one in which gain would be recognized if it were sold, assigned or terminated at its fair market value, if the taxpayer or related persons enter(s) into:

- a short sale;
- an offsetting notional principal contract; or
- a futures or forward contract;

in each case, with respect to the partnership interest or substantially identical property.

Moreover, if a taxpayer has previously entered into a short sale, an offsetting notional principal contract or a futures or forward contract with respect to the partnership interest, the taxpayer will be treated as having sold that position if the taxpayer or a related person then acquires the partnership interest or substantially identical property. The Secretary of the Treasury is also authorized to issue regulations that treat a taxpayer that enters into transactions or positions that have substantially the same effect as the preceding transactions as having constructively sold the financial position. Please read"— Tax Consequences of Unit Ownership — Treatment of Securities Loans."

Allocations Between Transferors and Transferees

In general, our taxable income or loss will be determined annually, will be prorated on a monthly basis and will be subsequently apportioned among the unitholders in proportion to the number of common units owned by each of them as of the opening of the applicable exchange on the first business day of the month, which we refer to in this discussion as the "Allocation Date." However, gain or loss realized on a sale or other disposition of our assets other than in the ordinary course of business will be allocated among the unitholders on the Allocation Date in the month in which that gain or loss is recognized. As a result, a unitholder transferring common units may be allocated income, gain, loss and deduction realized after the date of transfer.

Although simplifying conventions are contemplated by the Internal Revenue Code and most publicly traded partnerships use similar simplifying conventions, existing Treasury Regulations do not specifically authorize all aspects of the proration method we have adopted. Accordingly, Hunton Andrews Kurth is unable to opine on the validity of this method of allocating income and deductions between transferee and transferor unitholders. If the IRS determines that this method is not allowed under the Treasury Regulations our taxable income or losses could be reallocated among our unitholders. We are authorized to revise our method of allocation between transferee and transferor unitholders, as well as among unitholders whose interests vary during a taxable year, to conform to a method permitted under the Treasury Regulations.

A unitholder who owns common units at any time during a quarter and who disposes of them prior to the record date set for a cash distribution for that quarter will be allocated items of our income, gain, loss and deduction attributable to the month of disposition but will not be entitled to receive that cash distribution.

Notification Requirements

A unitholder who sells any of the unitholder's common units is generally required to notify us in writing of that sale within 30 days after the sale (or, if earlier, January 15 of the year following the sale). A purchaser of common units who purchases common units from another unitholder is also generally required to notify us in writing of that purchase within 30 days after the purchase. Upon receiving such notifications, we are required to notify the IRS of that transaction and to furnish specified information to the transferor and transferee. Failure to notify us of a transfer of common units may, in some cases, lead to the imposition of penalties. However, these reporting requirements do not apply to a sale by an individual who is a citizen of the U.S. and who effects the sale or exchange through a broker who will satisfy such requirements.

Uniformity of Common Units

Because we cannot match transferors and transferees of common units and for other reasons, we must maintain uniformity of the economic and tax characteristics of the common units to a purchaser of these units. As a result of the need to preserve uniformity, we may be unable to completely comply with a number of federal income tax requirements. Any non-uniformity could have a negative impact on the value of our units. Please read "— Tax Consequences of Unit Ownership — Section 754 Election."

Our partnership agreement permits our general partner to take positions in filing our tax returns that preserve the uniformity of our units. These positions may include reducing the depreciation, amortization or loss deductions to which a unitholder would otherwise be entitled or reporting a slower amortization of Section 743(b) adjustments for some unitholders than that to which they would otherwise be entitled. Hunton Andrews Kurth is unable to opine as to the validity of such filing positions.

A unitholder's adjusted tax basis in units is reduced by its share of our deductions (whether or not such deductions were claimed on an individual income tax return) so that any position that we take that understates deductions will overstate the unitholder's basis in its units, and may cause the unitholder to understate gain or overstate loss on any sale of such units. Please read "— Disposition of Common Units — Recognition of Gain or Loss" and "— Tax Consequences of Unit Ownership — Section 754 Election" above. The IRS may challenge one or more of any positions we take to preserve the uniformity of our units. If such a challenge were sustained, the uniformity of units might be affected, and, under some circumstances, the gain from any sale of our units might be increased without the benefit of additional deductions.

Tax-Exempt Organizations and Other Investors

Ownership of common units by employee benefit plans and other tax-exempt organizations, as well as by non-resident aliens, non-U.S. corporations and other non-U.S. persons (collectively "non-U.S. unitholders") raises issues unique to those investors and, as described below to a limited extent, may have substantially adverse tax consequences to them. Tax-exempt entities and non-U.S. unitholders are encouraged to consult their tax advisors before investing in our common units.

Employee benefit plans and most other organizations exempt from U.S. federal income tax, including individual retirement accounts and other retirement plans, are subject to U.S. federal income tax on unrelated business taxable income. Virtually all of our income allocated to a unitholder that is a tax-exempt organization will be unrelated business taxable income and will be taxable to it.

Non-U.S. unitholders are generally taxed by the United States on income effectively connected with a U.S. trade or business ("effectively connected income") and on certain types of U.S.-source non-effectively connected income (such as dividends), unless exempted or further limited by an income tax treaty. Each non-U.S. unitholder will be considered to be engaged in business in the United States because of its ownership of our units. Furthermore, it is probable that non-U.S. unitholders will be deemed to conduct such activities through a permanent establishment in the United States within the meaning of an applicable tax treaty. Consequently, each non-U.S. unitholder will be required to file federal tax returns to report its share of our income, gain, loss or deduction and pay federal income tax on its share of our net income or gain. Moreover, under rules applicable to publicly-traded partnerships, distributions to non-U.S. unitholders are subject to withholding at the highest applicable effective tax rate. Each non-U.S. unitholder must obtain a taxpayer identification number from the IRS and submit that number to our transfer agent on a Form W-8BEN or W-8BEN-E (or other applicable or successor form) in order to obtain credit for these withholding taxes. A change in applicable law may require us to change these procedures.

In addition, a non-U.S. unitholder that is classified as a corporation will be treated as engaged in a U.S. trade or business and may be subject to the U.S. branch profits tax at a rate of 30%, in addition to regular U.S. federal income tax, on its share of our income and gain, as adjusted for changes in the non-U.S. corporation's "U.S. net equity," which is effectively connected with the conduct of a U.S. trade or business. That tax may be reduced or eliminated by an income tax treaty between the U.S. and the country in which the non-U.S. corporate unitholder is a "qualified resident." In addition, this type of unitholder is subject to special information reporting requirements under Section 6038C of the Internal Revenue Code.

A non-U.S. unitholder who sells or otherwise disposes of a common unit will be subject to U.S. federal income tax on gain realized from the sale or disposition of that unit to the extent the gain is effectively connected with a U.S. trade or business of the non-U.S. unitholder. Gain realized by a non-U.S. unitholder from the sale of its interest in a partnership that is engaged in a trade or business in the United States will be considered to be "effectively connected" with a U.S. trade or business to the extent that the gain that would be recognized upon a sale by the partnership of all of its assets would be "effectively connected" with a U.S. trade or business. Thus, all of a non-U.S. unitholder's gain from the sale or other disposition of our common units would be treated as effectively connected with a unitholder's indirect U.S. trade or business constituted by its investment in us and would be subject to U.S. federal income tax. As a result of the effectively connected income rules described above, the exclusion from U.S. taxation under the Foreign Investment in Real Property Tax Act for gain from the sale of partnership units regularly traded on an established securities market will not prevent a non-U.S. unitholder from being subject to U.S. federal income tax on gain from the sale or disposition of its units.

Moreover, the transferee of an interest in a partnership that is engaged in a U.S. trade or business is generally required to withhold 10% of the amount realized by the transferor unless the transferor certifies that it is not a foreign person. While the determination of a partner's "amount realized" generally includes any decrease of a partner's share of the partnership's liabilities, recently issued Treasury regulations provide that the "amount realized" on a transfer of an interest in a publicly traded partnership, such as our common units, will generally be the amount of gross proceeds paid to the broker effecting the applicable transfer on behalf of the transferor, and thus will be determined without regard to any decrease in that partner's share of a publicly traded partnership's liabilities. The Treasury regulations, as amended by recently published IRS guidance, further provide that withholding on a transfer of an interest in a publicly traded

partnership will not be imposed on a transfer that occurs prior to January 1, 2023. For a transfer of interests in a publicly traded partnership that is effected through a broker on or after January 1, 2023, the obligation to withhold is imposed on the transferor's broker. Prospective foreign unitholders should consult their tax advisors regarding the impact of these rules on an investment in our common units.

Administrative Matters

Information Returns and Audit Procedures

We intend to furnish to each unitholder, within 90 days after the close of each taxable year, specific tax information, including a Schedule K-1, which describes the unitholder's share of our income, gain, loss and deduction for our preceding taxable year. In preparing this information, which will not be reviewed by counsel, we will take various accounting and reporting positions, some of which have been mentioned earlier, to determine each unitholder's share of income, gain, loss and deduction. We cannot assure you that those positions will yield a result that conforms to the requirements of the Internal Revenue Code, Treasury Regulations or administrative interpretations of the IRS.

The IRS may audit our U.S. federal income tax information returns. Neither we nor Hunton Andrews Kurth can assure prospective unitholders that the IRS will not successfully challenge the positions we adopt, and such a challenge could adversely affect the value of our units. Adjustments resulting from an IRS audit may require each unitholder to adjust a prior year's tax liability, and may result in an audit of the unitholder's own return. Any audit of a unitholder" return could result in adjustments unrelated to our returns.

If the IRS makes audit adjustments to our income tax returns, it may assess and collect any taxes (including any applicable penalties and interest) resulting from such audit adjustment directly from us, unless we elect to have our general partner, unitholders and former unitholders take any audit adjustment into account in accordance with their interests in us during the taxable year under audit. Similarly, for such taxable years, if the IRS makes audit adjustments to income tax returns filed by an entity in which we are a member or partner, it may assess and collect any taxes (including penalties and interest) resulting from such audit adjustment directly from such entity.

Generally, we expect to elect to have our general partner, unitholders and former unitholders take any such audit adjustment into account in accordance with their interests in us during the taxable year under audit, but there can be no assurance that such election will be effective in all circumstances. If we are unable or if it is not economical to have our general partner, unitholders and former unitholders take such audit adjustment into account in accordance with their interests in us during the taxable year under audit, our then current unitholders may bear some or all of the tax liability resulting from such audit adjustment, even if such unitholders did not own our units during the taxable year under audit. If, as a result of any such audit adjustment, we are required to make payments of taxes, penalties or interest, our cash available for distribution to our unitholders might be substantially reduced.

The Internal Revenue Code requires us to designate a partner, or other person, with a substantial presence in the United States as the partnership representative ("Partnership Representative"). The Partnership Representative will have the sole authority to act on our behalf for purposes of, among other things, federal income tax audits and judicial review of administrative adjustments by the IRS. We have designated our general partner as the Partnership Representative. Any actions taken by us or by the Partnership Representative on our behalf with respect to, among other things, federal income tax audits and judicial review of administrative adjustments by the IRS.

Nominee Reporting

Persons who hold an interest in us as a nominee for another person are required to furnish to us:

- (a) the name, address and taxpayer identification number of the beneficial owner and the nominee,
- (b) a statement regarding whether the beneficial owner is:
 - (1) a person that is not a U.S. person;
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- (2) a non-U.S. government, an international organization or any wholly owned agency or instrumentality of either of the foregoing; or
- (3) a tax-exempt entity;
- (c) the amount and description of common units held, acquired or transferred for the beneficial owner; and
- (d) specific information including the dates of acquisitions and transfers, means of acquisitions and transfers, and acquisition cost for purchases, as well as the amount of net proceeds from sales.

Brokers and financial institutions are required to furnish additional information, including whether they are U.S. persons and specific information on common units they acquire, hold or transfer for their own account. A penalty per failure, with a significant maximum penalty per calendar year, is imposed by the Internal Revenue Code for failure to report that information to us. The nominee is required to supply the beneficial owner of the common units with the information furnished to us.

Accuracy-Related Penalties

Certain penalties may be imposed under the Internal Revenue Code as a result of an underpayment of tax that is attributable to one or more specified causes, including negligence or disregard of rules or regulations, substantial understatements of income tax and substantial valuation misstatements. No penalty will be imposed, however, for any portion of an underpayment if it is shown that there was a reasonable cause for the underpayment of that portion and that the taxpayer acted in good faith regarding the underpayment of that portion. We do not anticipate that any accuracy-related penalties will be assessed against us.

State, Local and Other Tax Considerations

In addition to U.S. federal income taxes, unitholders may be subject to other taxes, such as state and local income taxes, unincorporated business taxes, and estate, inheritance or intangible taxes that may be imposed by the various jurisdictions in which we do business or own property or in which you are a resident. We currently own property or conduct business in various states, most of which impose personal income taxes on individuals. Most of these states also impose an income tax on corporations and other entities. Moreover, we may also own property or do business in other jurisdictions in the future that impose income or similar taxes on nonresident individuals. Although an analysis of those various taxes is not presented here, each prospective unitholder should consider their potential impact on the unitholder's investment in us.

A unitholder may be required to file state income tax returns and to pay state income taxes in many of these states in which we do business or own property and may be subject to penalties for failure to comply with those requirements. In some states, tax losses may not produce a tax benefit in the year incurred and may not be available to offset income in subsequent taxable years. We determine our depreciation and cost recovery allowances using U.S. federal income tax methods and may use methods that result in the largest deductions being taken in the early years after assets are placed in service. Some of the jurisdictions in which we do business or own property may not conform to these federal depreciation methods. A successful challenge to these methods could adversely affect the amount of taxable income or loss being allocated to our unitholders for state tax purposes. It also could affect the amount of gain from a unitholder's sale of common units and could have a negative impact on the value of the common units or result in audit adjustments to the unitholder's state tax returns.

Some of the states may require us, or we may elect, to withhold a percentage of income from amounts to be distributed to a unitholder who is not a resident of the state. Withholding, the amount of which may be greater or less than a particular unitholder's income tax liability to the state, generally does not relieve a nonresident unitholder from the obligation to file an income tax return. Amounts withheld will be treated as if distributed to unitholders for purposes of determining the amounts distributed by us. Please read "— Tax Consequences of Unit Ownership — Entity-Level Collections." Based on current law and our estimate of our future operations, our general partner anticipates that any amounts required to be withheld will not be material.

It is the responsibility of each unitholder to investigate the legal and tax consequences, under the laws of pertinent jurisdictions, of the unitholder's investment in us. Accordingly, each prospective unitholder is urged to consult, and depend on, the unitholder's own tax counsel or other advisor with regard to those matters. Further, it is the responsibility of each unitholder to file all state, local and non-U.S., as well as U.S. federal tax returns, that may be required of it. Hunton Andrews Kurth has not rendered an opinion on the state, local, alternative minimum tax or non-U.S. tax consequences of an investment in us.

INVESTMENT IN EVOLVE TRANSITION INFRASTRUCTURE LP BY EMPLOYEE BENEFIT PLANS

The following is a summary of certain considerations associated with an investment in us by employee benefit plans that are subject to Title I of ERISA, plans, individual retirement accounts and other arrangements that are subject to Section 4975 of the Code or employee benefit plans that are governmental plans (as defined in Section 3(32) of ERISA), certain church plans (as defined in Section 3(33) of ERISA), non-U.S. plans (as described in Section 4(b)(4) of ERISA) or other plans that are not subject to the foregoing but may be subject to provisions under any other federal, state, local, non-U.S. or other laws or regulations that are similar to such provisions of ERISA or the Code (collectively, "Similar Laws"), and entities whose underlying assets are considered to include "plan assets" of any such plan, account or arrangement (each, a "Plan").

This summary is based on the provisions of ERISA and the Code (and related regulations and administrative and judicial interpretations) as of the date of this prospectus. This summary does not purport to be complete, and no assurance can be given that future legislation, court decisions, regulations, rulings or pronouncements will not significantly modify the requirements summarized below. Any of these changes may be retroactive and may thereby apply to transactions entered into prior to the date of their enactment or release. This discussion is general in nature and is not intended to be all inclusive, nor should it be construed as investment or legal advice.

General Fiduciary Matters

ERISA and the Code impose certain duties on persons who are fiduciaries of, or with respect to, a Plan subject to Title I of ERISA or Section 4975 of the Code or an entity that is deemed to hold assets of either of the foregoing by virtue of such employee benefit plan's or plan's investment in the entity (each, an "ERISA Plan") and prohibit certain transactions involving the assets of an ERISA Plan and its fiduciaries or other interested parties. Among other things, consideration should be given to:

- whether the investment is prudent under Section 404(a)(1)(B) of ERISA;
- whether in making the investment, that ERISA Plan will satisfy the diversification requirements of Section 404(a)(l)(C) of ERISA;
- whether the acquisition or holding of the common units will constitute a "prohibited transaction" under Section 406 of ERISA or Section 4975 of the Code (please see discussion under "— Prohibited Transaction Issues" below);
- whether the investing ERISA Plan will be considered to hold, as plan assets, (i) only common units or (ii) an undivided interest in our underlying assets (please see the discussion under "— Plan Asset Issues" below); and
- whether the investment will result in recognition of unrelated business taxable income by the ERISA Plan and, if so, the potential after-tax investment return (please see "Material Tax Considerations — Tax-Exempt Organizations and Other Investors").

Under ERISA and the Code, any person with discretionary authority or control over the administration of an ERISA Plan or the management or disposition of the assets of an ERISA Plan, or who renders investment advice for a fee or other compensation to an ERISA Plan, often called a fiduciary, should consider the ERISA Plan's particular circumstances and all of the facts and circumstances of the investment and determine whether an investment in our common units is authorized by the appropriate governing instruments and the applicable provisions of ERISA and/or the Code relating to the fiduciary's duties to the ERISA Plan and is a proper investment for the ERISA Plan.

Prohibited Transaction Issues

Section 406 of ERISA and Section 4975 of the Code prohibits ERISA Plans from engaging in specified transactions involving "plan assets" with parties that are "parties in interest" under ERISA or "disqualified persons" under the Code with respect to the ERISA Plan, unless an exemption is available.

A party in interest or disqualified person who engages in a non-exempt prohibited transaction may be subject to excise taxes and other penalties and liabilities under ERISA and the Code. In addition, the fiduciary of the ERISA Plan that engages in such a non-exempt prohibited transaction may be subject to, penalties and liabilities under ERISA and the Code. The acquisition and/or holding of our common units by an ERISA Plan with respect to which the issuer, the initial purchaser, or a guarantor is considered a party in interest or a disqualified person may constitute or result in a direct or indirect prohibited transaction under Section 406 of ERISA and/or Section 4975 of the Code, unless the investment is acquired and is held in accordance with an applicable statutory, class or individual prohibited transaction exemption.

Because of the foregoing, our common units should not be acquired or held by any person acting on behalf of, or investing "plan assets" of, any ERISA Plan, unless such acquisition and holding will not constitute a non-exempt prohibited transaction under ERISA and the Code.

Plan Asset Issues

In addition to considering whether the purchase or holding of our common units is a prohibited transaction, a fiduciary of an ERISA Plan should consider whether the ERISA Plan will, by investing in our common units , be deemed to own an undivided interest in our assets, with the result that our general partner also would be a fiduciary with respect to the ERISA Plan and our operations would be subject to the regulatory restrictions of ERISA, including its prohibited transaction rules, as well as the prohibited transaction rules of the Code.

The Department of Labor ("DOL") regulations provide guidance with respect to whether the assets of an entity in which ERISA Plans acquire equity interests would be deemed "plan assets" under some circumstances. Under these regulations, an entity's assets would not be considered to be "plan assets" of an investing ERISA Plan if, among other things:

- the equity interests acquired by ERISA Plans are publicly offered securities (as defined in DOL regulations) i.e., the equity interests are widely held by 100 or more investors independent of the issuer and each other, freely transferable and registered under some provisions of the federal securities laws or sold to the ERISA Plan as part of a public offering under certain conditions;
- the entity is an "operating company" (as defined in DOL regulations) i.e., it is primarily engaged in the production or sale of a product or service other than the investment of capital either directly or through a majority owned subsidiary or subsidiaries; or
- there is no significant investment by "benefit plan investors," which is defined to mean that less than 25% of the value of each class of equity interest, disregarding some interests held by our general partner, its affiliates, and some other persons, is held by ERISA Plans (we note that no monitoring or other measures will be taken with respect to limiting the value of our common units held by ERISA Plan investors to comply with this 25% limit).

As noted above, Plans that are governmental plans (as defined in Section 3(32) of ERISA), certain church plans (as defined in Section 3(33) of ERISA), non-U.S. plans (as described in Section 4(b)(4) of ERISA) or other plans or an entity that is treated as holding assets of any of the foregoing by virtue of such Plan's investment in the entity are not subject to the fiduciary provisions of ERISA or the prohibited transaction provisions of ERISA and the Code but may be subject to Similar Laws. Accordingly, each such purchaser or holder of our common units should consider whether purchase and holding of our common units will result in a violation of applicable Similar Laws and/or unrelated business taxable income issues.

Due to the complexity of these rules and the excise taxes, penalties and liabilities that may be imposed upon persons involved in non-exempt prohibited transactions, it is particularly important that fiduciaries, or other persons considering acquiring and/or holding our common units on behalf of, or with the assets of, any Plan, consult with their counsel regarding the potential applicability of ERISA (including the application of DOL regulations described above), Section 4975 of the Code and any Similar Laws to such investment and whether a prohibited transaction exemption would be applicable to the acquisition and holding of our common units. Purchasers of our common units have the exclusive responsibility for ensuring that their acquisition and holding of such units complies with the fiduciary responsibility rules of ERISA and

does not violate the prohibited transaction rules of ERISA, the Code or applicable Similar Laws. The sale of common units to a Plan is in no respect a representation by us or any of our affiliates or representatives that such an investment meets all relevant legal requirements with respect to investments by any such Plans generally or a particular Plan or that such investment is appropriate for such Plans generally or any particular Plan.

PLAN OF DISTRIBUTION

We are registering the common units described in this prospectus to permit the resale of these common units by the selling unitholder from time to time after the date of this prospectus. We will not receive any of the proceeds from the sale by the selling unitholder of the common units.

The selling unitholder may act independently of us in making decisions with respect to the timing, manner and size of each of its sales. The selling unitholder may make sales of the common units from time to time through one or more methods specified herein or through a combination of any of such methods or any other method permitted pursuant to applicable law. Such offers and sales may be made directly to purchasers, through underwriters, to dealers, or through agents, on any securities exchange on which the common units are then listed, at prices and under terms prevailing at the time of the sale, at prices related to the then current market price if any, at fixed prices, at varying prices determined at the time of sale, or at privately negotiated prices. These prices will be determined by the holders of the securities or by agreement between the holders and any underwriters or broker-dealers who may receive fees or commissions in connection with the sale. Our common units on the NYSE American under the symbol "SNMP." The last reported sales price of our common units on the NYSE American on November 9, 2021 was \$1.20 per common unit. The selling unitholder may offer and sell some or all of the common units included in this prospectus by one or more, or a combination, of the following methods, without limitation:

- purchases by a broker-dealer as principal, and resale by the broker-dealer for its own account pursuant to this prospectus;
- ordinary brokerage transactions and transactions in which the broker solicits purchasers;
- block trades in which the broker-dealer so engaged will attempt to sell the Shares as agent but may position and resell a portion of the block as principal to facilitate the transaction;
- in a public auction;
- through trading plans entered into by the selling unitholder pursuant to Rule 10b5-1 under the Exchange Act, that are in place at the time of an offering pursuant to this prospectus and any applicable prospectus supplement hereto that provide for periodic sales of their securities on the basis of parameters described in such trading plans;
- to or through underwriters or broker-dealers;
- transactions in which a broker-dealer may agree with the selling unitholders to sell a specified number of such units at a stipulated price per unit;
- in "at the market" offerings, as defined in Rule 415 under the Securities Act, at negotiated prices, at prices prevailing at the time of sale or at prices related to such prevailing market prices, including sales made directly on a national securities exchange or sales made through a market maker other than on an exchange or other similar offerings through sales agents;
- in privately negotiated transactions;
- in options transactions;
- through a combination of any of the above methods of sale; and
- any other method permitted pursuant to applicable law.

The selling unitholder may also directly make offers to sell some or all of the common units included in this prospectus to, or solicit offers to purchase such common units from, purchasers from time to time. If required, the prospectus supplement related to any such offering by the selling unitholder will set forth the terms of such offering.

Sale Through Underwriters or Dealers

If the selling unitholder uses underwriters in the sale of the common units, the underwriters will acquire the common units for their own account. The underwriters may resell the common units from time to time in one or more transactions, including negotiated transactions, at a fixed public offering price or at



varying prices determined at the time of sale. Underwriters may offer the common units to the public either through underwriting syndicates represented by one or more managing underwriters or directly by one or more firms acting as underwriters. Unless we inform you otherwise in the prospectus supplement, the obligations of the underwriters to purchase the common units will be subject to certain conditions, and the underwriters will be obligated to purchase all of the offered common units if they purchase any of them. The underwriters may sell common units to or through dealers, and the dealers may receive compensation in the form of discounts, concessions or commissions from the underwriters may change from time to time the public offering price and any discounts, concessions or commissions allowed or reallowed or paid to dealers.

During and after an offering through underwriters, the underwriters may purchase and sell the common units in the open market. These transactions may include overallotment and stabilizing transactions and purchases to cover syndicate short positions created in connection with the offering. The underwriters may also impose a penalty bid, which means that selling concessions allowed to syndicate members or other broker-dealers for the common units sold for their account may be reclaimed by the syndicate if the offered common units are repurchased by the syndicate in stabilizing or covering transactions. These activities may stabilize, maintain or otherwise affect the market price of the offered common units, which may be higher than the price that might otherwise prevail in the open market. If commenced, these activities may be discontinued at any time.

If the selling unitholder uses dealers in the sale of securities, the selling unitholder may sell the securities to them as principals. They may then resell those securities to the public at varying prices determined by the dealers at the time of resale. The dealers participating in any sale of the securities may be deemed to be underwriters within the meaning of the Securities Act with respect to any sale of these securities. We will include in the prospectus supplement the names of the dealers and the terms of the transaction.

Direct Sales and Sales Through Agents

The selling unitholder may sell the common units directly. In that event, no underwriters or agents would be involved. The selling unitholder may sell the common units directly to institutional investors or others who may be deemed to be underwriters within the meaning of the Securities Act with respect to any sale of those common units. The selling unitholder may use electronic media, including the Internet, to sell the common units directly.

The selling unitholder may also sell the common units through agents they designate from time to time. If required, the prospectus supplement related to any such offering will name such agents, and will include information about the plan of distribution, terms of any agreement or arrangement, and any discounts or commissions paid to the agents in such offering. Agents may be deemed to be "underwriters" as that term is defined in the Securities Act in such offering.

Delayed Delivery Contracts or Forward Contracts

If we so indicate in the prospectus supplement, the selling unitholder may authorize agents, underwriters or dealers to solicit offers from selected types of institutions to purchase the common units from the selling unitholder at the public offering price under delayed delivery contracts or forward contracts providing for payment or delivery on a specified date in the future at prices determined as described in the prospectus supplement. The contracts would be subject only to those conditions described in the prospectus supplement. The prospectus supplement will describe the commission payable for solicitation of such contracts.

General Information

The selling unitholder may have agreements with firms, agents, dealers and underwriters to indemnify them against civil liabilities, including liabilities under the Securities Act, or to contribute with respect to payments that the firms, agents, dealers or underwriters may be required to make. Such firms, agents, dealers and underwriters may be customers of, engage in transactions with or perform services for us in the ordinary course of their businesses.

Because the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FINRA") views our common units as interests in a direct participation program, any offering of common units under the registration statement of which

this prospectus forms a part will be made in compliance with Rule 2310 of the FINRA Conduct Rules. Any compensation to be received by underwriters in connection with an offering of securities pursuant to this prospectus will not exceed 8% of the gross proceeds of such offering.

SELLING UNITHOLDER

This prospectus relates to 9,000,000 common units that were originally issued to Stonepeak Catarina pursuant to the terms of the Stonepeak Letter Agreement and were subsequently transferred to the selling unitholder. We are registering the common units for resale by the selling unitholder pursuant to the Stonepeak Registration Rights Agreement to permit the selling unitholder, or its transferees, assignees or successors-in-interest, to offer the common units for resale from time to time, in one or more offerings.

The following table sets forth information about the maximum number of common units that may be offered from time to time by the selling unitholder under this prospectus. The selling unitholder identified below may currently hold or acquire at any time common units in addition to those registered hereby. In addition, the selling unitholder identified below may sell, transfer, assign or otherwise dispose of some or all of its common units in private placement transactions exempt from or not subject to the registration requirements of the Securities Act. Accordingly, we cannot give an estimate as to the amount of common units that will be held by the selling unitholder upon termination of this offering. Information concerning the selling unitholder may change from time to time and, if necessary, we will supplement this prospectus accordingly.

To our knowledge, except as noted below under "— Certain Relationships Between Stonepeak and the Partnership", the selling unitholder does not, and has not within the past three years had, any position, office or other material relationship with us or any of our predecessors or affiliates, other than its ownership of common units. Because the selling unitholder may sell all or a portion of the common units registered hereby, we cannot currently estimate the number or percentage of common units that the selling unitholder will hold upon completion of the applicable offering.

The selling unitholder is not a broker-dealer registered under Section 15 of the Exchange Act, or an affiliate of a broker-dealer registered under Section 15 of the Exchange Act.

We have prepared the table and the related notes based on information supplied to us by the selling unitholder on or prior to November 9, 2021. We have not sought to verify such information. Other information about the selling unitholder may change over time.

		Maximum Number of	
	Common Units Beneficially Owned	Common Units to be Sold Pursuant to this	Percentage of Common Units Beneficially Owned Following
Name of Selling Unitholder	Before this Offering	Prospectus	the Offering ⁽¹⁾⁽²⁾
SP Preferred Equity Subsidiary LLC ⁽³⁾	9,000,000	9,000,000	0%

(1) Assumes that the selling unitholder will sell all of the common units offered pursuant to this prospectus. We cannot assure you that the selling unitholder will sell all or any of the common units.

- (2) Pursuant to Rule 416 of the Securities Act, this registration statement also shall cover any additional common units that become issuable, in connection with the common units registered for resale hereby, as a result of any unit distribution, split, combination or similar transaction or conversion.
- (3) Stonepeak Catarina is the sole member of SP Preferred Equity Subsidiary LLC. Stonepeak Texas Midstream Holdco LLC is the managing member of Stonepeak Catarina. Stonepeak Catarina Upper Holdings LLC is the majority owner member of Stonepeak Texas Midstream Holdco LLC. Stonepeak Infrastructure Fund (Orion AIV) LP is the managing member of Stonepeak Catarina Upper Holdings LLC. Stonepeak Associates LLC is the managing member of Stonepeak Texas Midstream Holdco LLC and the general partner of Stonepeak Infrastructure Fund (Orion AIV) LP is the managing member of Stonepeak GP Holdings LP is the sole member of Stonepeak Associates LLC. Stonepeak GP Investors LLC is the general partner of Stonepeak GP Investors Manager LLC. Stonepeak GP Investors Manager of Stonepeak GP Investors Manager LLC. Each of these entities and Mr. Dorrell disclaims beneficial ownership of the common units except to the extent of its or his pecuniary interest therein. The address of the selling unitholder is 55 Hudson Yards, 550 W. 34th Street, 48th Floor, New York, NY 10001.

Certain Relationships Between Stonepeak and the Partnership

The Partnership is managed and operated by the executive officers of our general partner and its board of directors. Since September 7, 2020, Stonepeak has owned our general partner and has had the right to appoint its entire board of directors. In August 2019, Stonepeak Catarina exchanged all of the Class B Preferred Units held by it for newly issued Class C Preferred Units and the Warrant in a privately negotiated transaction. On November 16, 2020, we entered into the Stonepeak Letter Agreement. As a result of the Stonepeak Letter Agreement, we have issued a total of 56,496,459 common units to Stonepeak Catarina representing all distributions made to Stonepeak Catarina since the third quarter of 2020. In accordance with the Stonepeak Letter Agreement, on October 29, 2021, the Partnership received written notice of Stonepeak Catarina's election to receive distributions on the Class C Preferred Units for the quarter ended September 30, 2021 in common units. The aggregate distribution of 10,832,186 common units is expected be paid to Stonepeak Catarina on November 22, 2021. John T. Steen III, Michael Bricker, Jack Howell and Luke R. Taylor, directors of our general partner, are employees or operating partners of Stonepeak. For additional information regarding our relationship with the selling unitholder and its affiliates, see the section entitled *"Item 13. Certain Relationships and Related Transactions"* in our <u>Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2020, incorporated by reference herein.</u>

LEGAL MATTERS

Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP, Houston, Texas has passed on the validity of the common units offered by this prospectus. Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP will also render an opinion on the material federal income tax considerations regarding the common units.

EXPERTS

The consolidated financial statements of Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP as of December 31, 2020 and 2019, and for each of the years in the two-year period ended December 31, 2020, have been incorporated by reference herein in reliance upon the report of KPMG LLP, independent registered public accounting firm, incorporated by reference herein, and upon the authority of said firm as experts in accounting and auditing.

The audit report covering the December 31, 2020 consolidated financial statements contains an explanatory paragraph that states that the Partnership's inability to generate sufficient liquidity to meet future debt obligations raises substantial doubt about the entity's ability to continue as a going concern. The consolidated financial statements do not include any adjustments that might result from the outcome of that uncertainty.

Certain information incorporated by reference in this prospectus regarding our estimated quantities of natural gas reserves was prepared by Ryder Scott Company, LP.

PART II

INFORMATION NOT REQUIRED IN PROSPECTUS

Item 14. Other Expenses of Issuance and Distribution.

The following table sets forth the estimated expenses to be borne by the registrant in connection with the issuance and distribution of the common units being registered hereby, other than underwriting discounts and commissions and any expenses of the selling unitholder.

Expense	Estimated Amount
SEC registration fee	\$935
Printing expenses	*
Legal fees and expenses	*
Accounting fees and expenses	*
Transfer agent fees and expenses	*
Miscellaneous	*
Total	\$*

* These fees are calculated based on the number of issuances and accordingly cannot be estimated at this time.

Item 15. Indemnification of Directors and Officers.

The Section of the prospectus entitled "The Partnership Agreement — Indemnification" is incorporated herein by reference. Subject to any terms, conditions or restrictions set forth in our partnership agreement, Section 17-108 of the Delaware Revised Uniform Limited Partnership Act empowers a Delaware limited partnership to indemnify and hold harmless any partner or other person from and against all claims and demands whatsoever.

Item 16. Exhibits.

(a) Exhibits

Exhibit No.	Exhibit
3.1	<u>Certificate of Limited Partnership of Sanchez Production Partners LP (incorporated herein by</u> reference to Exhibit 4.2 to the Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to Form S-4 filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on March 6, 2015, File No. 333-198440).
3.2	<u>Certificate of Amendment to Certificate of Limited Partnership of Sanchez Production Partners</u> <u>LP (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by</u> <u>Sanchez Midstream Partners LP on June 2, 2017, File No. 001-33147).</u>
3.3	Certificate of Amendment to Certificate of Limited Partnership of Sanchez Midstream Partners LP (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on February 26, 2021, File No. 001-33147).
3.4	Third Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of Sanchez Midstream Partners LP (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on August 5, 2019, File No. 001-33147).
3.5	Letter Agreement, dated November 16, 2020, by and between Sanchez Midstream Partners LP, Sanchez Midstream Partners GP LLC and Stonepeak Catarina Holdings LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.2 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Sanchez Midstream Partners LP on November 16, 2020, File No. 001-33147).

Exhibit No.	Exhibit
3.6	Amendment No. 1 to Third Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of Sanchez Midstream Partners LP (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.2 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on February 26, 2021, File No. 001-33147).
3.7	<u>Certificate of Formation of Sanchez Production Partners GP LLC (incorporated herein by</u> reference to Exhibit 4.4 to the Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to the Registration Statement on Form S-4 filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on March 6, 2015, File No. 333-198440).
3.8	<u>Certificate of Amendment to Certificate of Formation of Sanchez Midstream Partners GP LLC</u> (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.3 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on February 26, 2021, File No. 001-33147).
3.9	<u>Limited Liability Company Agreement of Sanchez Production Partners GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 4.5 to the Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to the Registration Statement on Form S-4 filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on March 6, 2015, File No. 333-198440).</u>
3.10	Amendment No. 1 to Limited Liability Company Agreement of Sanchez Production Partners GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q/A filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on September 3, 2015, File No. 001-33147).
3.11	<u>Amendment No. 2 to Limited Liability Company Agreement of Sanchez Production Partners</u> <u>GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.2 to the Current Report on Form 8-K</u> <u>filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on October 14, 2015, File No. 001-33147).</u>
3.12	Amendment No. 3 to Limited Liability Company Agreement of Sanchez Production Partners GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.2 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on August 5, 2019, File No. 001-33147).
3.13	Amendment No. 4 to Limited Liability Company Agreement of Sanchez Midstream Partners GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Sanchez Midstream Partners LP on September 9, 2020, File No. 001-33147).
3.14	Amendment No. 5 to Limited Liability Company Agreement of Sanchez Midstream Partners GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 3.4 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on February 26, 2021, File No. 001-33147).
3.15	Form of common unit certificate (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit A to Exhibit 3.4 above).
4.1	Registration Rights Agreement, dated November 22, 2016, between Sanchez Production Partners LP and SN UR Holdings, LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 4.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on November 22, 2016, File No. 001-33147).
4.2	Amended and Restated Registration Rights Agreement, dated August 2, 2019, by and among Sanchez Midstream Partners LP and Stonepeak Catarina Holdings LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 4.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Sanchez Midstream Partners LP on August 5, 2019, File No. 001-33147).
5.1*	Opinion of Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP as to the legality of the securities being registered.
8.1*	Opinion of Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP relating to tax matters.

Exhibit No.	Exhibit		
10.1	Purchase Agreement, dated November 16, 2016, between Sanchez Production Partners LP and SN UR Holdings, LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on November 22, 2016, File No. 001-33147).		
10.2	Third Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of March 31, 2015, among Sanchez Production Partners LP, Royal Bank of Canada, as administrative agent and collateral agent, and the lenders party thereto (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on April 1, 2015, File No. 001- 33147).		
10.3	Amendment and Waiver of Third Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of August 12, 2015, between Sanchez Production Partners LP, the Lenders party thereto and Royal Bank of Canada, as Administrative Agent and as Collateral Agent (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on August 14, 2015, File No. 001-33147).		
10.4	Joinder, Assignment and Second Amendment to Third Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of October 14, 2015, among Sanchez Production Partners LP, Royal Bank of Canada, as administrative agent and collateral agent, and the lenders party thereto (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.3 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on October 14, 2015, File No. 001-33147).		
10.5	Third Amendment to Third Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of November 12, 2015, among Sanchez Production Partners LP, Royal Bank of Canada, as administrative agent and collateral agent, and the lenders party thereto (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on November 13, 2015, File No. 001-33147).		
10.6	Fourth Amendment to Third Amended and Restated Credit Agreement among Sanchez Production Partners LP, the guarantors party thereto, each of the lenders party thereto, and Royal Bank of Canada, as administrative agent and collateral agent, dated July 5, 2016 (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.3 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on August 12, 2016, File No. 001-33147).		
10.7	Fifth Amendment to the Third Amended and Restated Credit Agreement dated as of April 17, 2017, between Sanchez Production Partners LP, the Lenders party thereto and Royal Bank of Canada, as Administrative Agent and as Collateral Agent (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on May 15, 2017, File No. 001-33147).		
10.8	Sixth Amendment to the Third Amended and Restated Credit Agreement dated as of November 7, 2017, between Sanchez Midstream Partners LP, the Lenders party thereto and Royal Bank of Canada, as Administrative Agent and as Collateral Agent (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Sanchez Midstream Partners LP on November 14, 2017, File No. 001-33147).		
10.9	Seventh Amendment to the Third Amended and Restated Credit Agreement dated as of February 5, 2018, between Sanchez Midstream Partners LP, the Lenders party thereto and Royal Bank of Canada, as Administrative Agent and as Collateral Agent (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.11 to the Annual Report on Form 10-K filed by Sanchez Midstream Partners LP on March 12, 2018, File No. 001-33147).		

Exhibit No.	Exhibit		
10.10	Eighth Amendment to the Third Amended and Restated Credit Agreement dated as of May 7, 2018, between Sanchez Midstream Partners LP, the Lenders party thereto and Royal Bank of Canada, as Administrative Agent and as Collateral Agent (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Sanchez Midstream Partners LP on May 10, 2018, File No. 001-33147).		
10.11	Ninth Amendment to the Third Amended and Restated Credit Agreement dated as of May 7, 2018, between Sanchez Midstream Partners LP, the Lenders party thereto and Royal Bank of Canada as Administrative Agent and as Collateral Agent (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Sanchez Midstream Partners LP on November 25, 2019, File No. 001-33147).		
10.12	Tenth Amendment to Third Amended and Restated Credit Agreement dated as of November 6, 2020, between Sanchez Midstream Partners LP, the lenders party thereto and Royal Bank of Canada, as Administrative Agent and as Collateral Agent (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Sanchez Midstream Partners LP on November 9, 2020, File No. 001-33147).		
10.13	Amended and Restated Shared Services Agreement, dated as of March 6, 2015, between SP Holdings, LLC and Sanchez Production Partners LP (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on May 15, 2015, File No. 001-33147).		
10.14	Contract Operating Agreement, dated May 8, 2014, between Constellation Energy Partners LLC and Sanchez Oil & Gas Corporation (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.2 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Constellation Energy Partners LLC on May 8, 2014, File No. 001-33147).		
10.15	Geophysical Seismic Data Use License Agreement, dated as of September 7, 2020, by and among Sanchez Oil & Gas Corporation, Sanchez Midstream Partners LP, Sanchez Midstream Partners GP LLC and SEP Holdings IV, LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Sanchez Midstream Partners LP on September 9, 2020, File No. 001-33147).		
10.16	Firm Gathering and Processing Agreement, dated as of October 14, 2015, by and between Catarina Midstream, LLC and SN Catarina, LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on October 14, 2015, File No. 001-33147).		
10.17	Amendment No. 1 to Firm Gathering and Processing Agreement by and between SN Catarina, LLC and Catarina Midstream, LLC, dated June 30, 2017 (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Sanchez Midstream Partners LP on August 14, 2017, File No. 001-33147).		
10.18+	Sanchez Production Partners LP Long-Term Incentive Plan (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 4.6 to the Post-Effective Amendment No. 1 to the Registration Statement on Form S-4 filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on March 6, 2015, File No. 333-198440).		
10.19+	Form of Award Agreement Relating to Restricted Units (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on December 3, 2015, File No. 001-33147).		
10.20+	Form of Award Agreement Relating to Restricted Units (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Sanchez Production Partners LP on March 28, 2017, File No. 001-33147).		

Exhibit No.	Exhibit		
10.21+	Form of Award Agreement Relating to Restricted Units (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.24 to the Annual Report on Form 10-K filed by Sanchez Midstream Partners LP on March 7, 2019, File No. 001-33147).		
10.22	Amended and Restated Board Representation and Standstill Agreement, dated August 2, 2019, by and among Sanchez Midstream Partners LP, Sanchez Midstream Partners GP LLC and Stonepeak Catarina Holdings LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Sanchez Midstream Partners LP on August 5, 2019, File No. 001-33147).		
10.23+	Executive Services Agreement, dated as of August 2, 2019, by and between Charles C. Ward and Sanchez Midstream Partners GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.27 to the Annual Report on Form 10-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on March 16, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.24	Warrant Exercisable for Junior Securities, dated August 2, 2019, by and between Sanchez Midstream Partners LP and Stonepeak Catarina Holdings LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.2 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Sanchez Midstream Partners LP on August 5, 2019, File No. 001-33147).		
10.25	Amendment No. 1 to Warrant Exercisable for Junior Securities, dated February 24, 2021, by and between Sanchez Midstream Partners LP and Stonepeak Catarina Holdings LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.30 to the Annual Report on Form 10-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on March 16, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.26+	Award Letter Agreement, dated March 13, 2020, by and between Gerald F. Willinger and Sanchez Midstream Partners GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.35 to the Annual Report on Form 10-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on March 16, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.27+	Award Letter Agreement, dated March 13, 2020, by and between Charles C. Ward and Sanchez Midstream Partners GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.36 to the Annual Report on Form 10-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on March 16, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.28	Full and Final Settlement and Release Agreement, dated as of December 23, 2020, by and among Dimension Energy Services, LLC, Sunbelt Tractor & Equipment Company, Sanchez Oil and Gas Corporation, Mesquite Energy, Inc., f/k/a Sanchez Energy Corporation, Sanchez Midstream Partners LP, Seco Pipeline LLC and Sanchez Midstream Partners GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Sanchez Midstream Partners LP on December 30, 2020, File No. 001-33147).		
10.29+	Form of Award Agreement Relating to Restricted Units (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on March 23, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.30+	Award Agreement Relating to Restricted Units, dated March 18, 2021, between Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP and Gerald F. Willinger (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.2 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on March 23, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.31+	Award Agreement Relating to Restricted Units, dated March 18, 2021, between Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP and Charles C. Ward (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.3 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on March 23, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		

Exhibit No.	Exhibit		
10.32	Summary Compensation of Independent Directors of Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on March 31, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.33+	Amended and Restated Executive Services Agreement for Realignment, dated April 16, 2021, by and among Gerald F. Willinger, Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC and Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on April 16, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.34	Gas Lift Agreement, entered into on April 21, 2021 but effective January 1, 2021, by and between SN Catarina, LLC and Catarina Midstream, LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on April 26, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.35	Purchase Agreement, dated April 30, 2021, by and between SEP Holdings IV, LLC and Bayshore Energy TX LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.4 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on August 12, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.36	Letter Agreement, dated April 30, 2021, by and between SEP Holdings IV, LLC and Bayshore Energy TX LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.5 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on August 12, 2021, File No. 001- 33147).		
10.37	Purchase Agreement, dated April 30, 2021, by and between SEP Holdings IV, LLC and Westhoff Palmetto LP (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.6 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on August 12, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.38	Amendment No. 2 to Warrant Exercisable for Junior Securities, dated May 4, 2021 (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.7 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on August 12, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.39	Letter Agreement, dated May 11, 2021, by and between Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP, Royal Bank of Canada, as Administrative Agent under the Third Amended and Restated Credit Agreement of the Partnership, as amended, and the lenders party thereto (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.8 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on August 12, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.40	Purchase Agreement, dated May 14, 2021, by and between SEP Holdings IV, LLC and Bayshore Energy TX LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.9 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on August 12, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.41	Series B Warrant for the Purchase of 200,000 Shares of Common Stock of Nuvve Holding Corp. issued May 17, 2021 (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.10 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on August 12, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.42	Series C Warrant for the Purchase of 100,000 Shares of Common Stock of Nuvve Holding Corp. issued May 17, 2021 (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.11 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on August 12, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		

Exhibit No.	Exhibit	
10.43	Series D Warrant for the Purchase of 100,000 Shares of Common Stock of Nuvve Holding Corp. issued May 17, 2021 (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.12 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on August 12, 2021, File No. 001-33147).	
10.44	Series E Warrant for the Purchase of 100,000 Shares of Common Stock of Nuvve Holding Corp. issued May 17, 2021 (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.13 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on August 12, 2021, File No. 001-33147).	
10.45	Series F Warrant for the Purchase of 100,000 Shares of Common Stock of Nuvve Holding Corp. issued May 17, 2021 (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.14 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on August 12, 2021, File No. 001-33147).	
10.46	Letter Agreement, dated May 17, 2021, among Stonepeak Rocket Holdings LP, Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP and Nuvve Holding Corp. (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.15 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on August 12, 2021, File No. 001-33147).	
10.47	Securities Purchase Agreement, dated May 17, 2021, by and among Nuvve Holding Corp., Stonepeak Rocket Holdings LP and Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.16 to the Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on August 12, 2021, File No. 001-33147).	
10.48	Eleventh Amendment to Third Amended and Restated Credit Agreement dated as of July 28, 2021, between Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP, the guarantors party thereto, the lenders party thereto and Royal Bank of Canada, as Administrative Agent (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on August 3, 2021, File No. 001-33147).	
10.49	Amendment No. 3 to Warrant Exercisable for Junior Securities, dated August 2, 2021 (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.2 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on August 3, 2021, File No. 001-33147).	
10.50	Letter Agreement, dated August 10, 2021, between Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP and Royal Bank of Canada (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on August 12, 2021, File No. 001-33147).	
10.51	Twelfth Amendment to Third Amended and Restated Credit Agreement dated as of August 20, 2021, between Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP, the guarantors party thereto, the lenders party thereto and Royal Bank of Canada, as administrative agent, collateral agent and letter of credit issuer (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on August 23, 2021, File No. 001-33147).	
10.52**	Framework Agreement, dated as of November 3, 2021, by and between Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP and HOBO Renewable Diesel LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on November 9, 2021, File No. 001-33147).	
10.53+	Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP 2021 Equity Inducement Award Plan, effective as of November 3, 2021 (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.2 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on November 9, 2021, File No. 001-33147).	

Exhibit No.	Exhibit		
10.54+	Separation and Transition Agreement, dated November 3, 2021, by and between Gerald F. Willinger and Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.3 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on November 9, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.55+	Executive Services Agreement, dated November 3, 2021, by and between Randall L. Gibbs and Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.4 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on November 9, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.56+	Executive Services Agreement, dated November 3, 2021, by and between Mike Keuss and Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.5 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on November 9, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.57+*	Executive Services Agreement, dated November 3, 2021, by and between Jonathan Hartigan and Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC.		
10.58+	Inducement Award Agreement Relating to Restricted Units, dated November 3, 2021, between Randall L. Gibbs and Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.7 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on November 9, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.59+	Inducement Award Agreement Relating to Restricted Units, dated November 3, 2021, between Mike Keuss and Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.8 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on November 9, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.60+	Inducement Award Agreement Relating to Restricted Units, dated November 3, 2021, between Jonathan Hartigan and Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.9 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on November 9, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.61+	Award Agreement Relating to Restricted Units, dated November 3, 2021, between Randall L. Gibbs and Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.10 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on November 9, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.62+	Award Agreement Relating to Restricted Units, dated November 3, 2021, between Mike Keuss and Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.11 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on November 9, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.63+	Award Agreement Relating to Restricted Units, dated November 3, 2021, between Jonathan Hartigan and Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.12 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on November 9, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.64	Amendment No. 4 to Warrant Exercisable for Junior Securities, dated November 5, 2021 (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.1 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on November 10, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
10.65	<u>Amendment No. 5 to Warrant Exercisable for Junior Securities, dated November 9, 2021</u> (incorporated herein by reference to Exhibit 10.2 to the Current Report on Form 8-K filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP on November 10, 2021, File No. 001-33147).		
21.1*	List of subsidiaries of Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP.		
23.1*	Consent of Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP (included in Exhibit 5.1).		

Exhibit No.	Exhibit
23.2*	Consent of Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP (included in Exhibit 8.1).
23.3*	Consent of KPMG LLP.
23.4*	Consent of Ryder Scott Company, LP.
24.1*	Power of Attorney (included on signature page)

^{*} Filed herewith.

^{**} Certain portion of this exhibit (indicated by "[***]") have been omitted pursuant to Item 601(b)(10) of Regulation S-K.

⁺ Management contract or compensatory plan or arrangement.

Item 17. Undertakings.

A. The undersigned registrant hereby undertakes:

(1) To file, during any period in which offers or sales are being made, a post-effective amendment to this registration statement:

(i) To include any prospectus required by section 10(a)(3) of the Securities Act of 1933;

(ii) To reflect in the prospectus any facts or events arising after the effective date of the registration statement (or the most recent post-effective amendment thereof) which, individually or in the aggregate, represent a fundamental change in the information set forth in the registration statement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, any increase or decrease in volume of securities offered (if the total dollar value of securities offered would not exceed that which was registered) and any deviation from the low or high end of the estimated maximum offering range may be reflected in the form of prospectus filed with the SEC pursuant to Rule 424(b) if, in the aggregate, the changes in volume and price represent no more than a 20% change in the maximum aggregate offering price set forth in the "Calculation of Registration Fee" table in the effective registration statement; and

(iii) To include any material information with respect to the plan of distribution not previously disclosed in the registration statement or any material change to such information in this registration statement;

provided, however, that Paragraphs (a)(1)(i), (a)(1)(ii) and (a)(1)(iii) of this section do not apply if the registration statement is on Form S-1, Form S-3, Form SF-3 or Form F-3 and the information required to be included in a post-effective amendment by those paragraphs is contained in reports filed with or furnished to the SEC by the registrant pursuant to section 13 or section 15(d) of the Exchange Act that are incorporated by reference in the registration statement, or as to a registration statement on Form S-3, Form SF-3 or Form F-3, is contained in a form of prospectus filed pursuant to Rule 424(b) that is part of the registration statement.

(2) That, for the purpose of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, each such posteffective amendment shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

(3) To remove from registration by means of a post-effective amendment any of the securities being registered which remain unsold at the termination of the offering.

(4) That, for the purpose of determining liability under the Securities Act of 1933 to any purchaser:

(i) Each prospectus filed by the registrant pursuant to Rule 424(b)(3) shall be deemed to be part of the registration statement as of the date the filed prospectus was deemed part of and included in the registration statement; and

(ii) Each prospectus required to be filed pursuant to Rule 424(b)(2), (b)(5), or (b)(7) as part of a registration statement in reliance on Rule 430B relating to an offering made pursuant to Rule 415(a)(1)(i), (vii), or (x) for the purpose of providing the information required by section 10(a) of the Securities Act of 1933 shall be deemed to be part of and included in the registration statement as of the earlier of the date such form of prospectus is first used after effectiveness or the date of the first contract of sale of securities in the offering described in the prospectus. As provided in Rule 430B, for liability purposes of the issuer and any person that is at that date an underwriter, such date shall be deemed to be a new effective date of the registration statement relating to the securities in the registration statement to which that prospectus relates, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof. Provided, however, that no statement made in a registration statement or prospectus that is part of the registration statement or made in a document incorporated or deemed incorporated by reference into the registration statement or prospectus that is part of the registration statement will, as to a purchaser with a time of contract of sale prior to such effective date, supersede or

modify any statement that was made in the registration statement or prospectus that was part of the registration statement or made in any such document immediately prior to such effective date.

B. The undersigned registrant hereby undertakes that, for purposes of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, each filing of the registrant's annual report pursuant to section 13(a) or section 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (and, where applicable, each filing of an employee benefit plan's annual report pursuant to section 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934) that is incorporated by reference in the registration statement shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered herein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

C. Insofar as indemnification for liabilities arising under the Securities Act of 1933 may be permitted to directors, officers and controlling persons of the registrant pursuant to the provisions described under Item 15 above, or otherwise, the registrant has been advised that in the opinion of the SEC such indemnification is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act and is, therefore, unenforceable. In the event that a claim for indemnification against such liabilities (other than the payment by the registrant of expenses incurred or paid by a director, officer or controlling person of the registrant in the successful defense of any action, suit or proceeding) is asserted by such director, officer or controlling person in connection with the securities being registered, the registrant will, unless in the opinion of its counsel the matter has been settled by controlling precedent, submit to a court of appropriate jurisdiction the question whether such indemnification by it is against public policy as expressed in the Securities Act and will be governed by the final adjudication of such issue.

D. The undersigned registrant hereby undertakes:

(1) For purposes of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, the information omitted from the form of prospectus filed as part of this registration statement in reliance upon Rule 430A and contained in a form of prospectus filed by the registrant pursuant to Rule 424(b)(1) or (4) or 497(h) under the Securities Act shall be deemed to be part of this registration statement as of the time it was declared effective.

(2) For the purpose of determining any liability under the Securities Act of 1933, each post-effective amendment that contains a form of prospectus shall be deemed to be a new registration statement relating to the securities offered therein, and the offering of such securities at that time shall be deemed to be the initial bona fide offering thereof.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, the registrant has duly caused this registration statement to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized, in the City of Houston, State of Texas, on November 10, 2021.

EVOLVE TRANSITION INFRASTRUCTURE LP

- By: Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC, its general partner
- By: /s/ Charles C. Ward

Name: Charles C. Ward

Title: Chief Financial Officer

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS, that each person whose signature appears below hereby severally constitutes and appoints Gerald F. Willinger and Charles C. Ward, and each of them individually (with full power to each of them to act alone), as his true and lawful attorney-in-fact and agent, with full power of substitution, for him and on his behalf and in his name, place and stead, in any and all capacities, to sign, execute and file any or all amendments (including, without limitation, post-effective amendments) to this Registration Statement and any and all registration statements pursuant to Rule 462(b) of the Securities Act, with any and all exhibits thereto, and all other documents required to be filed therewith, with the Securities and Exchange Commission or any regulatory authority, granting unto each such attorney-in-fact and agent, full power and authority to do and perform each and every act and thing requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises in order to effectuate the same, as fully to all intents and purposes as he himself might or could do, if personally present, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorneys-in-fact and agents, or either of them, or their or his substitutes or substitute, may lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

Title (Position with Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC) Signature Date /s/ Gerald F. Willinger Director; Chief Executive Officer November 10, 2021 (Principal Executive Officer) Gerald F. Willinger /s/ Charles C. Ward Chief Financial Officer & Secretary November 10, 2021 (Principal Financial Officer) Charles C. Ward /s/ John T. Steen III Director; Chairman of the Board November 10, 2021 John T. Steen III /s/ Michael Bricker Director November 10, 2021 **Michael Bricker** /s/ Jack Howell Director November 10, 2021 Jack Howell

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Act of 1933, this registration statement has been signed below by the following persons in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

Signature	Title (Position with Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC)	Date
/s/ Richard S. Langdon	Director	November 10, 2021
Richard S. Langdon		
/s/ Steven E. Meisel	Director	November 10, 2021
Steven E. Meisel		
/s/ Luke R. Taylor	Director	November 10, 2021
Luke R. Taylor		



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November 10, 2021

Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP 1360 Post Oak Blvd Suite 2400 Houston, Texas 77056

Re: Common Units of Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We have acted as special counsel to Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP, a Delaware limited partnership (the "<u>Partnership</u>"), in connection with the preparation of a registration statement on Form S-1 (the "<u>Registration Statement</u>") filed with the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission (the "<u>SEC</u>") on November 10, 2021 pursuant to the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "<u>Securities Act</u>"). The Registration Statement relates to the offering for resale from time to time, as set forth in the Registration Statement, the form of prospectus contained therein (the "<u>Prospectus</u>") and one or more supplements to the Prospectus, by the selling unitholder named therein of up to 9,000,000 common units representing limited partner interests in the Partnership ("<u>Common Units</u>") on terms to be determined at the time of the offering thereof.

In rendering the opinions set forth herein, we have read and examined and relied on originals or copies, certified or otherwise identified to our satisfaction, of such documents and records of the Partnership and Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and the general partner of the Partnership (the "<u>General Partner</u>"), certificates of public officials, certificates and statements of officers of the General Partner, and such other documents, certificates and records as we have deemed necessary to render the opinions set forth herein, including, among other things: (i) the Certificate of Limited Partnership of the Partnership, as amended (the "<u>Partnership Certificate</u>"); (ii) the Third Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of the Partnership, as amended (the "<u>Partnership Agreement</u>"); (iii) the Certificate of Formation of the General Partner, as amended (the "<u>GP Certificate</u>"); and (iv) the Limited Liability Company Agreement of the General Partner, as amended (the "<u>GP LLC Agreement</u>"). In our examination, we have assumed, without independent investigation, (a) the genuineness of the signatures on all documents that we have examined, (b) the legal capacity of all natural persons, (c) the authenticity of all documents supplied to us as originals, (d) the conformity to the authentic originals of such latter documents. As to any facts material to the opinions expressed herein that we did not independently establish or verify, we have relied, to the extent we deem appropriate, upon (i) oral or written statements and representations of officers and other representatives of the General Partner and (ii) statements and certifications of public officials and others.

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We have also assumed that, at the time of resale and delivery of any of the Common Units being offered, the Partnership Certificate, the Partnership Agreement, the GP Certificate and the GP LLC Agreement, in each case as amended to date, will not have been amended in any manner that would affect any legal conclusion set forth herein.

Our opinions expressed herein are limited to the Delaware Revised Uniform Limited Partnership Act and the Delaware Limited Liability Company Act, and we express no opinion as to the laws of any other jurisdiction.

Based upon the foregoing and subject to the limitations, qualifications, exceptions and assumptions set forth herein, we are of the opinion that (a) the Common Units are validly issued, and (b) purchasers of such Common Units will have no obligation, solely by reason of their ownership of such Common Units, to make any contributions to the Partnership or any further payments for their purchase of such Common Units, and such purchasers will have no personal liability, solely by reason of their ownership of such Common Units, to creditors of the Partnership for any of its debts, liabilities or other obligations.

We consent to the filing by you of this opinion as an exhibit to the Registration Statement and to the reference to this firm under the heading "Legal Matters" in the Prospectus. In giving this consent, we do not thereby admit that we are included in the category of persons whose consent is required under Section 7 of the Securities Act or the rules and regulations of the SEC. This opinion is expressed as of the date hereof, and we disclaim any undertaking to advise you of any subsequent changes in the facts stated or assumed herein or of any subsequent changes in law.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP



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November 10, 2021

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Ladies and Gentlemen:

We have acted as counsel to Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP, a Delaware limited partnership (the "<u>Partnership</u>"), in connection with the preparation of a registration statement on Form S-1 (the "<u>Registration Statement</u>") of the Partnership, filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on November 10, 2021, relating to the registration of the offering and sale (the "<u>Offering</u>") of common units representing limited partner interests in the Partnership to be sold by the selling unitholder (as defined in the Registration Statement) from time to time pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "<u>Act</u>"). In connection therewith, we have participated in the preparation of the discussion set forth under the caption "Material Tax Considerations" in the Registration Statement (the "<u>Discussion</u>").

This opinion is based on various facts and assumptions, and is conditioned upon certain representations made by the Partnership as to factual matters through a certificate of an officer of the Partnership (the "<u>Officer's Certificate</u>"). In addition, this opinion is based upon the factual representations of the Partnership concerning its business, properties and governing documents as set forth in the Registration Statement.

In our capacity as counsel to the Partnership, we have made such legal and factual examinations and inquiries, including an examination of originals or copies certified or otherwise identified to our satisfaction of such documents, corporate records and other instruments, as we have deemed necessary or appropriate for purposes of this opinion. In our examination, we have assumed the authenticity of all documents submitted to us as originals, the genuineness of all signatures thereon, the legal capacity of natural persons executing such documents and the conformity to authentic original documents of all documents submitted to us as copies. For the purpose of our opinion, we have not made an independent investigation or audit of the facts set forth in the above-referenced documents or in the Officer's Certificate. In addition, in rendering this opinion we have assumed the truth and accuracy of all representations and statements made to us which are qualified as to knowledge or belief, without regard to such qualification.

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We hereby confirm that all statements of legal conclusion contained in the Discussion, subject to the qualifications and assumptions stated in the Discussion and the limitations and qualifications set forth herein, constitute the opinion of Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP with respect to the matters set forth therein. This opinion is based on various statutory provisions, regulations promulgated thereunder and interpretations thereof by the Internal Revenue Service and the courts having jurisdiction over such matters, all of which are subject to change either prospectively or retroactively. Also, any variation or difference in the facts from those set forth in the representations described above, including in the Registration Statement and the Officer's Certificate, may affect the conclusions stated herein.

This opinion letter is limited to the matters set forth herein, and no opinions are intended to be implied or may be inferred beyond those expressly stated herein. This opinion is rendered as of the date hereof and we assume no obligation to update or supplement this opinion or any matter related to this opinion to reflect any change of fact, circumstances, or law after the date hereof. In addition, our opinion is based on the assumption that the matter will be properly presented to the applicable court.

Furthermore, our opinion is not binding on the Internal Revenue Service or a court. In addition, we must note that our opinion represents merely our best legal judgment on the matters presented and that others may disagree with our conclusion. There can be no assurance that the Internal Revenue Service will not take a contrary position or that a court would agree with our opinion if litigated.

We hereby consent to the filing of this opinion as an exhibit to the Registration Statement and to the references to our firm and this opinion contained in the Discussion. In giving this consent, we do not thereby admit that we are included in the category of persons whose consent is required under Section 7 of the Act or the rules and regulations of the Securities and Exchange Commission relating thereto, with respect to any part of the Registration Statement, including this exhibit to the Registration Statement.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Hunton Andrews Kurth LLP

EXECUTIVE SERVICES AGREEMENT

THIS EXECUTIVE SERVICES AGREEMENT (this "*Agreement*") is made and entered into as of November 3, 2021 (the "*Effective Date*"), by and between Jonathan Hartigan ("*Executive*") and Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC (formerly known as Sanchez Midstream Partners GP LLC), a Delaware limited liability company (the "*Company*") and the general partner of Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP (formerly known as Sanchez Midstream Partners LP), a Delaware limited partnership (the "*Partnership*," and together with the Company, the "*Partnership Parties*"). Executive and the Company are collectively referred to herein as the "*Parties*," and individually as a "*Party*."

WHEREAS, the Parties wish that Executive be hired as an employee of the Company as of the Effective Date, and to transition into the role of the President and Chief Investment Officer of the Company effective as of December 1, 2021, in each case, to provide services for and on behalf of the Partnership Parties; and

WHEREAS, the Parties wish to memorialize their agreement with respect to the terms and conditions of Executive's employment as specified hereunder.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises contained herein and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Parties, intending to be legally bound, mutually agree as follows:

1. **Term**: Effective as of the Effective Date, Executive agrees to provide services as an employee of the Company for and on behalf of the Partnership Parties, and effective as of December 1, 2021, the Company agrees to employ Executive as the Company's President and Chief Investment Officer, in each case, (i) reporting to such persons as shall be determined in the absolute discretion of the Company's Board of Directors (the "*Board*"), (ii) pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, and (iii) continuing from the Effective Date until Executive's services are terminated by either Executive or the Company, as applicable, in accordance with Section 4 below (the "*Term*").

2. Place of Services: Executive will perform Executive's duties under this Agreement at the Partnership Parties' offices in Houston, Texas.

3. <u>**Compensation**</u>: During the Company's employment of Executive, and subject to this Agreement, the Company agrees as follows:

a. <u>Base Salary</u>: Executive's annual base salary is \$375,000, subject to applicable withholdings and deductions ("*Base Salary*"). Executive's Base Salary may be increased during the Term in the absolute discretion of the Board, or, if applicable, an authorized committee thereof, in accordance with the rules and procedures governing the Board. To the extent Executive's Base Salary is increased during the Term, such increased rate shall thereafter be considered Executive's "Base Salary" for purposes of this Agreement.

Annual Bonus: In addition to Executive's Base Salary, during the Term, Executive shall receive an annual bonus for services b. rendered by Executive to the Partnership Parties equal to an amount between one hundred (100%) and one hundred fifty percent (150%) of Executive's Base Salary, as determined by the Board, in its sole discretion, subject to applicable withholdings and deductions (the "Annual Bonus"). The Annual Bonus with respect to the 2021 and 2022 annual periods (the "Initial Bonus Amounts") shall be payable to Executive in cash or common units representing limited partner interests ("Common Units") of the Partnership (or in a combination of cash and Common Units), as determined by the Board. The Initial Bonus Amounts that are payable in cash shall be paid to Executive on January 2, 2024 ("Deferred Initial Bonus Amounts"); provided that, to the extent the Initial Bonus Amounts are payable in Common Units, such Common Units shall be delivered to Executive no later than March 15th of the year following the applicable annual period for which such Initial Bonus Amounts relate. With respect to the 2021 annual period, Executive shall be eligible to receive a pro-rated Annual Bonus (calculated as the Annual Bonus that would have been paid for the entire 2021 annual period multiplied by a fraction, the numerator of which is equal to the number of days Executive worked in such annual period, and the denominator of which is equal to the total number of days in such period). With respect to the 2023 annual period and thereafter, the Annual Bonus shall be payable to Executive in cash no later than March 15th of the year following the annual period for which such Annual Bonus relates. The preceding Annual Bonus percentages may be increased during the Term in the absolute discretion of the Board, or, if applicable, an authorized committee thereof, in accordance with the rules and procedures governing the Board. To the extent the preceding Annual Bonus percentages are increased during the Term, such increased percentages shall thereafter be considered Executive's "Annual Bonus" for purposes of this Agreement.

c. <u>Long-Term Incentive Compensation Awards</u>:

i. The Board has approved a grant to Executive of restricted units in respect of 2,589,888 Common Units pursuant to the Company's 2021 Equity Inducement Award Program, such grant to be made and effective on the Effective Date (the "*Inducement Award*"). Subject to Executive's continued employment (unless otherwise provided for therein), the Inducement Award shall vest and become nonforfeitable if and to the extent the performance goals specified therein are attained. All other terms and conditions of the Inducement Award shall be governed by the Award Agreement that evidences the Inducement Award and the "Inducement Plan" (that is incorporated by reference in such Award Agreement) unless otherwise provided for thereunder.

ii. Executive shall be eligible to receive awards under the Sanchez Production Partners LP Long-Term Incentive Plan or any successor thereto (the "*Plan*") and to participate in any long-term incentive programs available generally to the Company's executive officers in the future, both as determined in the sole discretion of the Board, or, if applicable, a committee thereof.

d. In addition to the Base Salary and Annual Bonuses and incentives payable to Executive pursuant to this Section 3, Executive shall also be entitled to the following benefits during the Term, unless otherwise modified by the Board.

- i. participation in the applicable retirement plans, health and welfare plans and disability insurance plans of the Partnership Parties, under the terms of such plans (in effect from time to time) and to the same extent and under the same conditions such participation and coverages are provided to other similarly situated executive officers of the Company;
- ii. unlimited paid vacation each calendar year which may be used in Executive's reasonable discretion, so long as the vacation time does not interfere with Executive's ability to complete his or her corporate obligations, and is used only for time off for vacation and personal days, and not for other purposes covered by leave of absence and paid sick leave policies; and
- iii. reimbursement within thirty (30) days of its receipt from Executive of supporting receipts, to the extent required by the Company's reimbursement policies, for all of Executive's out-of-pocket business expenses reasonably and actually incurred by Executive in connection with his or her employment hereunder (Board approval shall be required for any single expense exceeding \$10,000 or for expenses exceeding in the aggregate annually \$120,000 and reimbursement of any and all business expenses is conditioned on Executive submitting his or her request to the Company for reimbursement and supporting substantiation within ninety (90) days of the date on which any such expenses shall have been incurred).

4. <u>Termination</u>

a. <u>Services Terminable At-Will; Notice of Termination</u>: The Term and Executive's employment hereunder may be terminated by Executive or the Company at any time and for any reason, the date of such termination of employment being the "*Termination Date*"; provided, that, any purported termination shall be communicated by a written "*Notice of Termination*" to the other in accordance with Section 26 below. The Notice of Termination shall (i) indicate the specific termination provision of this Agreement relied upon, (ii) to the extent applicable, set forth in reasonable detail the facts and circumstances claimed to provide a basis for the termination of Executive's services, under the provision so indicated, and (iii) specify the effective Termination Date of Executive's services hereunder (which shall not be earlier than the date the Notice of Termination is sent, and shall not be later than thirty (30) days after the date of the Notice of Termination is sent).

b. <u>Definitions</u>: For purposes of this Agreement, the following definitions shall apply:

i. <u>Affiliate</u>: means, with respect to any Person, any other Person that directly or indirectly through one or more intermediaries controls, is controlled by or is under common control with, the Person in question. As used herein, the term "control" means the possession, direct or indirect, of the power to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of a Person, whether through ownership of voting securities, by contract or otherwise.

ii. <u>Area of Interest</u>: means (a) during the Restriction Period prior to or on the Termination Date, the continental United States, and (b) during the Restriction Period following the Termination Date, any county in the United States in which the Company or its Affiliates: (i) owns or operates any material asset or (ii) evaluated a potential material investment or potential material project during the twelve (12) months prior to the Termination Date, and each county in the United States adjacent to any such county.

iii. <u>Business</u>: means the business conducted by the Company and its Affiliates in respect of the acquisition, development and ownership of infrastructure related to the transition of energy supply to lower carbon sources.

following reasons:

Cause: the Company will have "Cause" to terminate Executive's services under this Agreement for any of the

1. Executive's commission or conviction of, or plea of nolo contendere to, any felony or crime involving moral turpitude;

2. Executive being charged with, or a defendant in, an action brought by the Securities and Exchange Commission or another federal or state regulator based primarily on Executive's individual alleged acts or omissions during Executive's appointment as an officer of, or while providing services to, the Partnership Parties;

3. Executive's commission of a willful and material act of fraud or embezzlement of the Company's funds or other assets causing material damage to the Company; or

Board;

iv.

4. Executive's willful and material misrepresentations or concealments on any written reports submitted to the

provided, that, any of the events described in Section 4(b)(iv)(3) or Section 4(b)(iv)(4) above shall constitute Cause only if Executive fails to cure such event to the reasonable satisfaction of the Board within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving written notice from the Board of the event which allegedly constitutes Cause.

v. <u>Change in Control</u>: means, except as otherwise acknowledged on <u>Schedule B</u> of this Agreement, the occurrence of any of the following events: (A) any merger, consolidation or other transaction involving the Partnership or the Company, whether in one or a series of related transactions, which results in any "person" or "group" within the meaning of those terms as used in Section 13(d) and 14(d)(2) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, other than an Affiliate of the Partnership or the Company, directly or indirectly acquiring control over more than fifty percent (50%) of the equity interests of the Partnership or the Company, as applicable, (B) the direct or indirect sale, transfer, conveyance or other disposition, in one or a series of related transactions, of all or substantially all of the assets of the Partnership, (C) any dissolution or liquidation of the Partnership or the Company (other than in connection with a bankruptcy proceeding or a statutory winding up); or (D) any other transaction pursuant to which the Company or any Affiliate controlled by the Company exercises its rights to purchase all of the Common Units pursuant to Section 15.1 of the Third Amended and Restated Agreement of Limited Partnership of the Partnership (as amended and as may be further amended, restated, supplemented or otherwise modified from time to time).

vi. <u>Good Reason</u>: Executive will have "*Good Reason*" to terminate Executive's employment hereunder for any of the following reasons to which Executive does not consent in writing:

1. the relocation of Executive's primary place of performing services for the Partnership Parties to a location that increases Executive's commute to such location by more than fifty (50) miles from Executive's primary place of performing services as set forth in Section 2;

2. a material diminution in Executive's Base Salary;

3. a material diminution in the authority, duties or responsibilities of Executive to the Partnership Parties as an officer following appointment to the officer role on December 1, 2021; or

4. any other action or inaction that constitutes the Company's material breach of any provision of this Agreement;

provided, that, any of the conditions described in Section 4(b)(vi)(1) through 4(b)(vi)(4) above shall constitute Good Reason only if the Company fails to cure such condition to the reasonable satisfaction of Executive within thirty (30) calendar days of receiving written notice from Executive of the condition which allegedly constitutes Good Reason; and provided further, that, Executive's termination shall constitute a termination by Executive for Good Reason only if the Termination Date occurs not later than ninety (90) calendar days following the initial existence of one or more of the conditions described in Section 4(b)(vi)(1) through 4(b)(vi)(4) above.

vii. <u>Disability</u>: For purposes of this Agreement, "*Disability*" shall mean the earlier of:

1. a written determination by a physician that Executive has been unable to substantially perform Executive's usual and customary services for the Partnership Parties under this Agreement for a period of at least one hundred twenty (120) consecutive days (or one hundred eighty (180) non-consecutive days) during any twelve (12) month period as a result of Executive's incapacity due to mental or physical illness; or

2. "disability" as such term is defined in the Company's applicable long-term disability insurance plan as it is in effect at the time Executive becomes Disabled.

relating to the Business.

viii. <u>New Business Opportunity</u>: means any commercial proposal, prospect, solicitation, deal, transaction or opportunity e Business.

ix. Offtake Condition: has the meaning ascribed to such term in that certain Framework Agreement by and between HOBO Renewable Diesel LLC and Evolve Transition Instructure LP, dated November 3, 2021.

x. <u>Person</u>: means any individual, corporation, limited liability company, joint venture, trust, unincorporated organization, association, government agency or political subdivision thereof, or other entity.

c. <u>Compensation Upon Certain Events</u>.

i. <u>Termination by the Company for Cause or by Executive Without Good Reason</u>: If Executive's employment hereunder is terminated by the Company for Cause or by Executive without Good Reason, then:

1. the Company shall pay to Executive an amount equal to Executive's accrued but unpaid then-current Base Salary and any unpaid expense reimbursements or similar cash entitlements, pursuant to the applicable policies of the Company and its Affiliates, through the Termination Date, but excluding any payments or benefits with respect to vacation time; and

2. the treatment of each long-term incentive compensation award shall be governed by the terms and conditions of the applicable award agreement for such award and the Plan or similar incentive award program under which such award was granted.

ii. <u>Termination Upon Executive's Death or Disability</u>: Upon Executive's death or Disability:

1. the Company shall pay to Executive (or Executive's designated beneficiaries), an amount equal to Executive's accrued but unpaid then-current Base Salary and Deferred Initial Bonus Amounts, as well as any unpaid expense reimbursements or similar cash entitlements, pursuant to the applicable policies of the Company and its Affiliates, through the Termination Date, but excluding any payments or benefits with respect to vacation time;

2. provided that the Offtake Condition is achieved prior to the Termination Date as determined by the Board in good faith, to the extent not yet paid to Executive (or Executive's designated beneficiaries), the Company shall pay to Executive (or Executive's designated beneficiaries) (x) the amount of Executive's Annual Bonus for the last full year during which Executive performed services for the Partnership Parties, and (y) the amount of Executive's Annual Bonus for the current year, based on Executive's Annual Bonus for such last full year and pro-rated based on Executive's Termination Date, which amounts shall be payable at the time, and to the extent that, such Annual Bonus amounts are payable to similarly situated executive officers of the Company; and

3. the treatment of each long-term incentive compensation award shall be governed by the terms and conditions of the applicable award agreement for such award and the Plan or similar incentive award program under which such award was granted.

iii. <u>Termination by the Company Without Cause or by Executive for Good Reason</u>: If Executive's employment hereunder is terminated by the Company without Cause, or by Executive for Good Reason, then:

1. the Company shall pay to Executive an amount equal to Executive's accrued but unpaid then-current Base Salary and Deferred Initial Bonus Amounts, as well as any unpaid expense reimbursements or similar cash entitlements, pursuant to the applicable policies of the Company and its Affiliates, through the Termination Date, but excluding any payments or benefits with respect to vacation time;

2. provided that the Offtake Condition is achieved prior to the Termination Date as determined by the Board in good faith, the Company shall pay to Executive an amount equal to (x) one hundred percent (100%) of Executive's Base Salary; plus (y) one hundred percent (100%) of the largest Annual Bonus paid to (or due to be paid to) Executive for the year in which the Termination Date occurred or any year in the three (3)-calendar year period immediately preceding the Termination Date, which shall be paid in a single lump sum within fourteen (14) calendar days of the Termination Date;

3. provided that the Offtake Condition is achieved prior to the Termination Date as determined by the Board in good faith, if Executive timely elects continuation coverage under COBRA, then the Company shall pay the COBRA premiums for Executive and Executive's eligible dependents directly to the applicable insurer(s) until the earliest of: (x) the eighteen (18)-month anniversary of the Termination Date; (y) the date Executive is no longer eligible to receive COBRA continuation coverage; and (z) the date on which Executive becomes eligible to receive substantially similar coverage from another employer or other source (such period referred to herein as the "COBRA Continuation Period"));

4. provided that the Offtake Condition is achieved prior to the Termination Date as determined by the Board in good faith, to the extent not yet paid to Executive, the Company shall pay to Executive (x) the amount of Executive's Annual Bonus for the last full year during which Executive performed services for the Partnership Parties, and (y) the amount of Executive's Annual Bonus for the current year, based on Executive's Annual Bonus for such last full year and pro-rated based on Executive's Termination Date, which amounts shall be payable at the time, and to the extent that, such Annual Bonus amounts are payable to similarly situated executive officers of the Company; and

5. the treatment of each long-term incentive compensation award shall be governed by the terms and conditions of the applicable award agreement for such award and the Plan or similar incentive award program under which such award was granted;

provided, that, as a condition to receiving the benefits described in the above paragraphs 2-4, Executive must sign and return a release of all known and unknown claims in a termination agreement that is acceptable to the Company within the applicable deadline set forth therein, but in no event later than forty-five (45) days after the Termination Date.

iv. <u>Change in Control</u>: If, during the period beginning sixty (60) days prior to and ending two (2) years immediately following a Change in Control, either (A) the Company terminates Executive's employment without Cause, or (B) Executive terminates Executive's employment with the Company for Good Reason, in each case constituting a "separation from service" within the meaning of Section 409A of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (the "*Code*") ("*Separation from Service*"), then:

1. the Company shall pay to Executive an amount equal to Executive's accrued but unpaid then-current Base Salary and Deferred Initial Bonus Amounts, as well as any unpaid expense reimbursements or similar cash entitlements, pursuant to the applicable policies of the Company and its Affiliates, through the Termination Date, but excluding any payments or benefits with respect to vacation time;

2. provided that the Offtake Condition is achieved prior to the Termination Date as determined by the Board in good faith, the Company shall pay to Executive, in a single lump sum within fourteen (14) calendar days of the Termination Date, an amount equal to (x) two hundred percent (200%) of Executive's then-current Base Salary; plus (y) two hundred percent (200%) of the largest Annual Bonus paid to (or due to be paid to) Executive for the year in which the Termination Date occurred or any year in the three (3)-calendar year period immediately preceding the Termination Date;

3. provided that the Offtake Condition is achieved prior to the Termination Date as determined by the Board in good faith, if Executive timely elects continuation coverage under COBRA, then the Company shall pay the COBRA premiums for Executive and Executive's eligible dependents directly to the applicable insurer(s) during the COBRA Continuation Period;

4. provided that the Offtake Condition is achieved prior to the Termination Date as determined by the Board in good faith, to the extent not yet paid to Executive the Company shall pay to Executive, (x) the amount of Executive's Annual Bonus for the last full year during which Executive performed services for the Partnership Parties, and (y) the amount of Executive's Annual Bonus for the current year, based on Executive's Annual Bonus for such last full year and pro-rated based on Executive's Termination Date, which amounts shall be payable at the time, and to the extent that, such Annual Bonus amounts are payable to similarly situated executive officers of the Company; and

5. the treatment of each long-term incentive compensation award shall be governed by the terms and conditions of the applicable award agreement for such award and the Plan or similar incentive award program under which such award was granted;

provided, that, as a condition to receiving the benefits described in the above paragraphs 2-4, Executive must sign and return a release of all known and unknown claims in a termination agreement that is acceptable to the Company within the applicable deadline set forth therein, but in no event later than forty-five (45) days after the Termination Date.

5. <u>Non-Competition</u>.

a. <u>In General</u>: During the Term and until the one (1)-year anniversary following Executive's termination of employment with the Company (the "**Restriction Period**"), Executive shall not directly or indirectly (i) invest or otherwise take advantage of any New Business Opportunity in the Area of Interest, (ii) engage in any other activity or take any other employment in either case relating to, or competing with, the Business in the Area of Interest, (iii) perform services in the Area of Interest for third parties that are competitive with the Business ("**Competitive Services**"), (iv) induce or solicit employees, salesmen, agents, consultants, distributors, representatives or advisors to terminate or reduce their relations with the Company and its Affiliates, (v) induce or solicit customers or suppliers of the Company and its Affiliates to terminate or reduce their business relations with the Company and its Affiliates, (vi) induce or solicit any investors in connection with any (A) New Business Opportunity in the Area of Interest or (B) business that engages or participates in the Business in the Area of Interest or that performs Competitive Services or (vii) own, operate, advise, manage, carry on, establish, acquire control of, invest in or have an interest (in the capacity of a shareholder, partner, principal, consultant, or any other relationship or capacity) in or otherwise be engaged or affiliated with, any business that engages or participates in the Business in the Area of Interest or that performs Competitive Services.

b. <u>Permitted Outside Activities</u>: Notwithstanding anything to the contrary, the prohibitions of Section 5(a) shall not be deemed to prevent Executive from engaging in (i) activities listed in <u>Schedule A</u> of this Agreement, (ii) passive personal investments, charitable or public service activities or other business activities expressly approved by the Board and (iii) acquisitions or ownership of passive equity interests in businesses engaged in the Business in the Area of Interest, provided any equity acquired or owned is publicly traded, is not more than one percent (1%) of the economic interest of such business and does not grant Executive any material rights of control.

6. **Non-Disparagement.** During the Term and thereafter, Executive will not, directly or indirectly, make any disparaging statement or other negative remarks, written or oral, about the Company or any of its Affiliates or any of their directors, officers, employees or managers, whether past or present. This Section 6 shall not, however, prohibit Executive from testifying or otherwise participating in any legal proceeding, cooperating or otherwise participating in a governmental investigation, or otherwise making any statements or taking any action required or protected by applicable law.

7. **Patents, Copyrights, Trademarks, and Other Property Rights.** Any and all inventions, improvements, discoveries, formulas, technology, business and sales strategies, administration and accounting systems, processes, and computer software relating to the Company or its respective Affiliates' businesses (whether or not patentable), discovered, developed, or learned by Executive during Executive's employment with the Company (including prior to Executive's execution of this Agreement) are the sole and absolute property of the Company and are "works made for hire" as that term is defined in the copyright laws of the United States and Executive will agree to assign any and all rights thereto to the Company or such Affiliate. The Company is the sole and absolute owner of all patents, copyrights, trademarks, and other property rights to those items and Executive will fully assist the Company to obtain the patents, copyrights, trademarks, or other property rights to all such inventions, improvements, discoveries, formulas, technology, business and sales strategies, administration and accounting systems, processes, or computer software.

8. Confidential Information. During the Term and thereafter, Executive will not, directly or indirectly, use, divulge, transmit or otherwise disclose (except as required by applicable law) any trade secrets or other confidential or proprietary information of the Company or its Affiliates, including any such information relating to the Company's or its Affiliates' operations, finances, processes, services, techniques, customers or plans; provided, however, that Executive may disclose such information (a) to the extent required to enable Executive to comply with applicable laws and regulations or with duly issued administrative, legislative or legal process (it being understood and agreed that Executive shall provide the Company with notice as soon as reasonably practicable of any such disclosure obligation so that the Company may seek a protective order or other appropriate remedy) and (b) to Executive's attorneys, accountants and professional advisors, to the extent necessary to facilitate their representation of Executive shall remain responsible for any breach of this Agreement by any such persons). All files, records or other documents (regardless of media) relating to the business of the Company or its Affiliates, whether prepared by Executive or otherwise, shall be the exclusive property of the Company and shall be promptly returned by Executive to the Company at the end of the Term. In addition, Executive is hereby advised that in accordance with the Defend Trade Secrets Act of 2016 an individual may not be held criminally or civilly liable under any federal or state trade secret law for the disclosure of a trade secret that (i) is made in confidence to a federal, state, or local government official, either directly or indirectly, or to an attorney, solely for the purpose of reporting or investigating a suspected violation of law; or (ii) is made in a complaint or other document filed in a lawsuit or other proceeding, if such filing is made under seal.

9. Reasonableness of Restrictions. Executive acknowledges and agrees that the covenants contained in Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8 above are reasonable in scope and duration and are reasonably necessary to protect the legitimate business interests of the Company and its Affiliates. Executive further acknowledges that Executive's skills are such that Executive can be gainfully employed in noncompetitive employment and that the restrictions and other covenants in this Section 5, 6, 7 and 8 will in no way prevent Executive from earning a living. Executive understands that the foregoing restrictions may limit Executive's ability to engage in certain businesses anywhere in the Area of Interest during the Restriction Period, but acknowledges that Executive is receiving sufficient consideration and other benefits to justify such restriction. Without limiting the rights of the Company to pursue any other legal and/or equitable remedies available to it for any breach by Executive of the covenants contained in Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8 above, Executive acknowledges that a breach of those covenants would cause a loss to the Company for which it could not reasonably or adequately be compensated by damages in an action at law, that remedies other than injunctive relief could not fully compensate the Company for a breach of those covenants and that, accordingly, the Company shall be entitled to injunctive relief to prevent any breach or continuing breaches of Executive's covenants as set forth in Sections 5, 6, 7 and 8 above, and may seek such relief, at its sole option, before an arbitrator or a court of law. It is the intention of the Parties that if, in any such action before any court or arbitrator (as the case may be) empowered to enforce such covenants, any term, restriction, covenant, or promise is found to be illegal, invalid or unenforceable under any present or future law, then such term, restriction, covenant, or promise shall be deemed modified to the extent necessary to make it enforceable to the maximum extent permitted by applicable law. Executive agrees that the Company may seek, at its sole option, confidential treatment of any part or all of such proceedings, and Executive agrees that Executive will not object to such treatment.

10. **Indemnification**: During the Term, and for at least six (6) years following the termination of Executive's employment hereunder (regardless of the reason for such termination), the Company shall maintain directors and officers insurance for the benefit of Executive that is no less favorable than the directors and officers insurance provided to any other director, officer, or executive of the Company. The rights provided in this Section 10 are in addition to any other rights to indemnification, exculpation, or contribution Executive may otherwise have under any agreement, contract, policy, by-law, certificate of incorporation, or otherwise.

11. Section 409A of the Code:

a. This Agreement is intended to comply with, or be exempt from, Section 409A of the Code ("*Section 409A*") and will be interpreted accordingly. Notwithstanding anything in this Agreement to the contrary, any references under this Agreement to the termination of Executive's employment hereunder, or "Termination Date" shall be deemed to refer to the date upon which Executive has experienced a Separation from Service. It is the intent of the Parties that all compensation and benefits payable or provided to Executive (whether under this Agreement or otherwise) shall fully comply with the requirements of Section 409A. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Company makes no representations that the payments and benefits provided under this Agreement comply with Section 409A.

b. Notwithstanding any provision in this Agreement or elsewhere to the contrary, if upon a termination of employment Executive is deemed to be a "specified employee" within the meaning of Section 409A using the identification methodology selected by the Company from time to time, or if none, the default methodology under Section 409A, any payments or benefits due upon a termination of Executive's employment under any arrangement that constitutes a "deferral of compensation" within the meaning of Section 409A shall be delayed and paid or provided (or commence, in the case of installments) on the first payroll date on or following the earlier of (i) the date which is six (6) months and one (1) day after Executive's termination of employment for any reason other than death, and (ii) the date of Executive's death, and any remaining payments and benefits shall be paid or provided in accordance with the normal payment dates specified for such payment or benefit; provided, that, payments or benefits that qualify as short-term deferral (within the meaning of Section 409A and Final Treasury Regulations Section 1.409A-1(b)(4)) or involuntary separation pay (within the meaning of Section 409A and Final Treasury Regulations Section 1.409A-1(b)(4)) and are otherwise permissible under Section 409A and the Final Treasury Regulations, shall not be subject to such six (6)-month delay.

c. Each payment made under this Agreement shall be designated as a "separate payment" within the meaning of Section 409A.

d. To the extent that any payment hereunder is subject to Section 409A and may be payable in one of two calendar years, payment shall be made in the later year.

e. Any amount of expenses eligible for reimbursement, or in-kind benefit provided, during a calendar year shall not affect the amount of expenses eligible for reimbursement, or in-kind benefit to be provided, during any other calendar year. Any reimbursement shall be made no later than the last day of the calendar year following the calendar year in which the expenses to be reimbursed were incurred. The right to any reimbursement or in-kind benefit pursuant to this Agreement shall not be subject to liquidation or exchange for any other benefit.

f. In the event that either Executive or the Company's senior management becomes aware that any provision of this Agreement violates Section 409A, the Parties will meet and confer regarding such issues and will engage in good faith discussions regarding whether and how the Agreement can be modified so as to minimize the likelihood of a Section 409A violation while providing Executive with financial terms substantially commensurate to those set forth in this Agreement.

g. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Company and the Partnership make no representations or warranties and will have no liability to Executive or any other person if any provisions of or payments under this Agreement are determined to constitute deferred compensation subject to Section 409A but not to satisfy the conditions of Section 409A.

12. Section 280G:

a. If any of the payments or benefits received or to be received by Executive (including, without limitation, any payment or benefits received in connection with a Change in Control or Executive's termination of employment, whether pursuant to the terms of this Agreement or any other plan, arrangement or agreement, or otherwise) (all such payments collectively referred to herein as the "**280G Payments**") constitute "parachute payments" within the meaning of Section 280G of the Code and would, but for this Section 12, be subject to the excise tax imposed under Section 4999 of the Code (the "**Excise Tax**"), then prior to making the 280G Payments, a calculation shall be made comparing (i) the Net Benefit (as defined below) to Executive of the 280G Payments after payment of the Excise Tax to (ii) the Net Benefit to Executive if the 280G Payments are limited to the extent necessary to avoid being subject to the Excise Tax. Only if the amount calculated under (i) above is less than the amount under (ii) above will the 280G Payments be reduced to the minimum extent necessary to ensure that no portion of the 280G Payments is subject to the Excise Tax. "**Net Benefit**" shall mean the present value of the 280G Payments net of all federal, state, local, foreign income, employment, and excise taxes. Any reduction made pursuant to this Section 12 shall be made in a manner determined by the Company that is consistent with the requirements of Section 409A.

b. All calculations and determinations under this Section 12 shall be made by an independent accounting firm or independent tax counsel appointed by the Company (the "*Tax Counsel*") whose determinations shall be conclusive and binding on the Company and Executive for all purposes. For purposes of making the calculations and determinations required by this Section 12, the Tax Counsel may rely on reasonable, good faith assumptions and approximations concerning the application of Section 280G and Section 4999 of the Code. The Company and Executive shall furnish the Tax Counsel with such information and documents as the Tax Counsel may reasonably request in order to make its determinations under this Section 12. The Company shall bear all costs the Tax Counsel may reasonably incur in connection with its services.

13. **Tax Withholding**: The Company may withhold from any payments or benefits referenced under this Agreement, and payable from the Company to Executive, all federal, state, city or other taxes as shall be required pursuant to any law or governmental regulation or ruling, and any deductions authorized by Executive.

14. **Entire Agreement**: This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between Executive and the Company with respect to the subject matter hereof and supersedes any and all prior agreements, understandings, discussions, negotiations, and/or undertakings, whether written or oral. Executive specifically agrees that Executive is not relying on any representations, promises, understandings, discussions, negotiations, or undertakings, whether written or oral, express or implied, other than those contained in this Agreement. Notwithstanding the foregoing, for the avoidance of doubt, nothing in this Agreement supersedes or affects the validity of any indemnification agreement, long term incentive plan, or equity, severance, bonus or other similar agreement between Executive and the Company, or any of its parents, subsidiaries, Affiliates, or related companies, or any of their successors, which shall remain in effect in accordance with their terms.

15. **Governing Law; Disputes**:

a. <u>Governing Law</u>: This Agreement shall be interpreted and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas, without regard to the principles of conflict of laws.

b. <u>Mandatory Arbitration</u>: Subject to the sole exception to this provision provided in Section 9, any controversy or claim between Executive and the Company arising out of or relating to or concerning this Agreement and the transactions or relationship contemplated hereby (together, an "*Employment Matter*") will be finally settled by confidential arbitration in Harris County, Texas administered by the American Arbitration Association and governed by the Commercial Arbitration Rules in effect at the time that the arbitration is initiated (the "*Arbitration Rules*"). The arbitration will be conducted in Harris County, Texas before a single neutral arbitrator, admitted to practice law in Texas for at least ten (10) years, who is a former judge, and appointed in accordance with the Arbitration Rules. The arbitrator will follow Texas law in adjudicating the dispute and will have the authority to grant any remedy or relief allowed by applicable law. The arbitrator will provide a detailed written statement of decision, which will be part of the arbitration award and admissible in any judicial proceeding to confirm, correct or vacate the award.

c. <u>Injunction and Enforcement of Arbitration Awards</u>: Executive or the Company may bring an action or special proceeding in a state or federal court of competent jurisdiction sitting in Harris County Texas to enforce any arbitration award under Section 15(b) above. The Parties agree that the Company may seek, at its sole option, confidential treatment of any part or all of any such proceeding, and Executive agrees that Executive will not object to such treatment.

d. THE PARTIES VOLUNTARILY AND IRREVOCABLY SUBMIT TO THE JURISDICTION OF THE COURTS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS AND THE FEDERAL COURTS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA IN HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS, FOR PURPOSES OF ANY PROCEEDING TO SEEK INJUNCTION RELIEF PURSUANT TO SECTION 9 OR A PROCEEDING TO COMPEL ARBITRATION OR TO ENFORCE AN ARBITRATION AWARD PURSUANT TO SECTION 15(c), AND EACH PARTY IRREVOCABLY AGREES THAT ALL SUCH CLAIMS SHALL BE HEARD AND DETERMINED IN SUCH COURTS. EACH PARTY IRREVOCABLY WAIVES, TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, ANY OBJECTION WHICH IT MAY NOW OR HEREAFTER HAVE TO THE VENUE OF ANY SUCH CLAIM BROUGHT IN SUCH COURT OR ANY DEFENSE OF INCONVENIENT FORUM FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF SUCH CLAIM. EACH PARTY AGREES THAT A JUDGMENT IN ANY SUCH CLAIM MAY BE ENFORCED IN OTHER JURISDICTIONS BY SUIT ON THE JUDGMENT OR IN ANY OTHER MANNER PROVIDED BY LAW.

e. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY PROVISION HEREIN TO THE CONTRARY, EACH PARTY VOLUNTARILY AND IRREVOCABLY WAIVES TRIAL BY JURY IN ANY PROCEEDING ARISING OUT OF, CONNECTED WITH OR RELATING IN ANY WAY TO THIS AGREEMENT OR THE OBLIGATIONS OF THE PARTIES HEREUNDER.

16. **Cooperation**: Executive agrees that he or she shall assist and cooperate with the Company regarding any legal matters, including litigation matters that arise or continue during the Term or following the Termination Date. Executive shall not receive additional compensation for such assistance and cooperation; however, the Company shall reimburse Executive for all reasonable expenses incurred in fulfilling this obligation.

17. **Invalid or Unenforceable Provisions**: Without limiting any similar provision in this Agreement or other contract between the Parties, if any provision of this Agreement is determined to be unenforceable as a matter of governing law, a reviewing court or arbitrator, as the case may be, shall have the authority to "blue pencil" or otherwise modify such provision so as to render it enforceable while maintaining the Parties' original intent (as reflected herein) to the maximum extent possible. This Agreement shall be severable, and the invalidity or unenforceability of any particular provision of this Agreement shall not affect the other provisions hereof.

18. <u>Successors and Assigns; Third Party Beneficiary</u>:

a. This Agreement shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of the Company, and its successors and assigns, and the Company shall require any successor or assign to expressly assume and agree to perform this Agreement in the same manner and to the same extent that the Company would be required to perform this Agreement if no such succession or assignment had taken place. The term "Company" as used herein shall include each such entity's successors and assigns. The term "successors and assigns" as used herein shall include, without limitation, a corporation or other entity acquiring a majority ownership of the Company or all or substantially all the assets and business of the Company (including this Agreement), whether by operation of law or otherwise.

b. Neither this Agreement nor any right or interest hereunder shall be assignable or transferable by Executive, or by Executive's beneficiaries or legal representatives, except by will or by the laws of descent and distribution. This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and be enforceable by Executive's legal personal representative.

19. **No Waiver**: No failure on the part of any Party at any time to require the performance by any other Party of any term of this Agreement shall be taken or held to be a waiver of such term or in any way affect such Party's right to enforce such term, and no waiver on the part of any Party of any term of this Agreement shall be taken or held to be a waiver of any other term hereof or the breach hereof.

20. **Modification or Amendment**: This Agreement may not be modified, altered, or amended, nor shall any new contract be entered into between the Parties hereto, except in a writing signed by both Executive and the Board.

21. **Headings**: Headings and other captions in this Agreement are for convenience of reference only and shall not be used in interpreting, construing, or enforcing any of the provisions of this Agreement.

22. **Construction**: The Parties have had ample opportunity to review, and have in fact reviewed and understand, this Agreement. Accordingly, the normal rule of construction, to the effect that any ambiguities are to be resolved against the drafting party, shall not be employed in the interpretation of this Agreement. For purposes of this Agreement, the connectives "and," "or," and "and/or" shall be construed either disjunctively or conjunctively as necessary to bring within the scope of a sentence or clause all subject matter that might otherwise be construed to be outside of its scope.

23. **Counterparts**. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original and both of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument. Facsimile, PDF, and other true and accurate copies of this Agreement shall have the same force and effect as originals hereof.

24. **Right to Counsel**: Each Party, including Executive, acknowledges that such Party has had the right to seek the advice of independent legal counsel prior to the execution of this Agreement. By executing this Agreement, each Party warrants and represents to each other Party that (i) the executing Party has consulted with an attorney of the executing Party's choice prior to the execution of this Agreement, to the extent such Party chose to do so, and (ii) the executing Party understands each and every term and provision of this Agreement without explanation by any other Party. Each Party warrants and represents that such Party is under no duress or other coercion to sign this Agreement and that such Party is signing this Agreement of such Party's own free will.

25. <u>Survivability of Terms</u>: The terms and provisions of the Company's and Executive's obligations or agreements under this Agreement shall survive any termination of Executive's employment hereunder.

26. **Notices**: All notices and all other communications provided for in this Agreement (including the Notice of Termination) shall be provided in writing and shall be sent via overnight delivery (with proof of delivery retained by the sending Party) to the following addresses:

IF TO THE COMPANY:

Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC c/o Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP 1360 Post Oak Blvd, Suite 2400 Houston, TX 77056 Attn: Jack Howell Email: Howell@stonepeakpartners.com

With a copy to:

Sidley Austin LLP 1000 Louisiana St., Suite 5900 Houston, Texas 77002 Attention: Cliff W. Vrielink Email: cvrielink@sidley.com

IF TO EXECUTIVE:

Jonathan Hartigan c/o Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP 1360 Post Oak Blvd, Suite 2400 Houston, TX 77056

[Signature Page Follows]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have duly executed this Agreement as of the Effective Date first written above.

COMPANY

Evolve Transition Infrastructure GP LLC

By:

/s/ Charles Ward Name: Charles Ward Title: Chief Financial Officer

EXECUTIVE

/s/ Jonathan Hartigan Jonathan Hartigan

[Signature Page to Executive Services Agreement]

Schedule A

Permitted Outside Activities

The business of, or the performance of services with respect to, developing, constructing, owning and operating renewable fuels facilities that are not in contravention of that certain Framework Agreement by and between HOBO Renewable Diesel LLC and Evolve Transition Instructure LP, dated November 3, 2021.

<u>Schedule B</u>

Change in Control Matters

Clause (B) of the Change in Control definition set forth in Section 4(b)(v) of this Agreement shall not apply with respect to any direct or indirect sale, transfer, conveyance or other disposition, in one or a series of related transactions of the assets that relate to the Partnership's midstream business ("*Midstream Assets*"), and such Midstream Assets, to the extent sold, transferred, conveyed or disposed, shall not be taken into consideration in determining whether a Change in Control has occurred for purposes of Section 4(b)(v) of this Agreement.

List of Subsidiaries of Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP

Name	Jurisdiction of Organization
SEP Holdings IV, LLC	Delaware
Catarina Midstream, LLC	Delaware
SECO Pipeline, LLC	Delaware
SNMP Services Inc.	Delaware

* The names of certain indirectly owned subsidiaries have been omitted because, considered in the aggregate as a single subsidiary, they would not constitute a significant subsidiary pursuant to Rule 1-02(W) of Regulation S-X.

Consent of Independent Registered Public Accounting Firm

We consent to the use of our report dated March 16, 2021, with respect to the consolidated financial statements of Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP, incorporated herein by reference and to the reference to our firm under the heading "Experts" in the prospectus.

Our report dated March 16, 2021 contains an explanatory paragraph that states that the Partnership's inability to generate sufficient liquidity to meet future debt obligations raises substantial doubt about its ability to continue as a going concern. The consolidated financial statements do not include any adjustments that might result from the outcome of this uncertainty.

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November 10, 2021



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CONSENT OF INDEPENDENT PETROLEUM ENGINEERS AND GEOLOGISTS

We hereby consent to the incorporation by reference in this Registration Statement on Form S-1 of Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP, including any amendments thereto, of our report dated February 15, 2021, related to the estimated future reserves and income attributable to certain leasehold interests of Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP which is included as an exhibit to the Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2020, filed by Evolve Transition Infrastructure LP with the Securities and Exchange Commission on March 15, 2021.

/s/ Ryder Scott Company, L.P.

RYDER SCOTT COMPANY, L.P.

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