WASHINGTON PRIME GROUP INC.

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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 10-Q

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

For the quarterly period ended June 30, 2018

Washington Prime Group Inc.
Washington Prime Group, L.P.
(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

Indiana (Both Registrants)
(State of incorporation or organization)

001-36252 (Washington Prime Group Inc.) 180 East Broad Street 333-205859 (Washington Prime Group, L.P.) Columbus, Ohio 43215

(Commission File No.) (Address of principal executive offices)

46-4323686 (Washington Prime Group Inc.)

46-4674640 (Washington Prime Group, L.P.) (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

(I.R.S. Employer Identification No.)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days.

Washington Prime Group Inc. Yes x No o Washington Prime Group, L.P. Yes x No o

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T (§232.405 of this chapter) during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files).

Washington Prime Group Inc. Yes x No o Washington Prime Group, L.P. Yes x No o

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 definitions of "large accelerated filer," "accelerated filer," "smaller reporting company," and "emerging growth company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act.

Washington Prime Group Inc. (Check One):

Large accelerated filer x Accelerated filer o

Non-accelerated filer o Smaller reporting

company o

Emerging growth company o

(Do not check if a smaller reporting

company)

Washington Prime Group, L.P. (Check One):

Large accelerated filer o Accelerated filer o
Non-accelerated filer x Smaller reporting company o
Emerging growth company o
(Do not check if a smaller reporting company)

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Washington Prime Group Inc. Yes o No x

As of July 25, 2018, Washington Prime Group Inc. had 186,050,048 shares of common stock outstanding.

Washington Prime Group, L.P. has no publicly traded equity and no common stock outstanding.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

This report combines the quarterly reports on Form 10-Q for the quarter ended June 30, 2018 of Washington Prime Group® Inc. and Washington Prime Group, L.P. Unless stated otherwise or the context requires otherwise, references to "WPG Inc." mean Washington Prime Group Inc., an Indiana corporation, and references to "WPG L.P." mean Washington Prime Group, L.P., an Indiana limited partnership, and its consolidated subsidiaries, in cases where it is important to distinguish between WPG Inc. and WPG L.P. We use the terms "WPG," the "Company," "we," "us," and "our" to refer to WPG Inc., WPG L.P., and entities in which WPG Inc. or WPG L.P. (or any affiliate) has a material interest on a consolidated basis, unless the context indicates otherwise.

WPG Inc. operates as a self-managed and self-administered real estate investment trust ("REIT"). WPG Inc. owns properties and conducts operations through WPG L.P., of which WPG Inc. is the sole general partner and of which it held approximately 84.4% of the partnership interests ("OP units") at June 30, 2018. The remaining OP units are owned by various limited partners. As the sole general partner of WPG L.P., WPG Inc. has the exclusive and complete responsibility for WPG L.P.'s day-to-day management and control. Management operates WPG Inc. and WPG L.P. as one enterprise. The management of WPG Inc. consists of the same persons who direct the management of WPG L.P. As general partner with control of WPG L.P., WPG Inc. consolidates WPG L.P. for financial reporting purposes, and WPG Inc. does not have significant assets other than its investment in WPG L.P. Therefore, the assets and liabilities of WPG Inc. and WPG L.P. are substantially the same on their respective consolidated financial statements and the disclosures of WPG Inc. and WPG L.P. also are substantially similar.

The Company believes, therefore, that the combination into a single report of the quarterly reports on Form 10-Q of WPG Inc. and WPG L.P. provides the following benefits:

enhances investors' understanding of the operations of WPG Inc. and WPG L.P. by enabling investors to view the business as a whole in the same manner as management views and operates the business;

eliminates duplicative disclosure and provides a more streamlined and readable presentation since a substantial portion of the disclosure applies to both WPG Inc. and WPG L.P.; and

creates time and cost efficiencies through the preparation of one set of disclosures instead of two separate sets of disclosures.

The substantive difference between WPG Inc.'s and WPG L.P.'s filings is the fact that WPG Inc. is a REIT with shares traded on a public stock exchange, while WPG L.P. is a limited partnership with no publicly traded equity. Moreover, the interests in WPG L.P. held by third parties are classified differently by the two entities (i.e., noncontrolling interests for WPG Inc. and partners' equity for WPG L.P.). In the consolidated financial statements, these differences are primarily reflected in the equity section of the consolidated balance sheets and in the consolidated statements of equity. Apart from the different equity presentation, the consolidated financial statements of WPG Inc. and WPG L.P. are nearly identical.

This combined Form 10-Q for WPG Inc. and WPG L.P. includes, for each entity, separate interim financial statements (but combined footnotes), separate reports on disclosure controls and procedures and internal control over financial reporting, and separate CEO/CFO certifications. In addition, if there were any material differences between WPG Inc. and WPG L.P. with respect to any other financial and non-financial disclosure items required by Form 10-Q, they would be discussed separately herein.

WASHINGTON PRIME GROUP INC. AND WASHINGTON PRIME GROUP, L.P. FORM $10\mbox{-}Q$

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PART I FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Item 1. Financial Statements

Washington Prime Group Inc.

Unaudited Consolidated Balance Sheets

(dollars in thousands, except share and par value amounts)

	June 30, 2018	December 31, 2017
ASSETS:		,
Investment properties at cost	\$5,913,473	\$5,807,760
Less: accumulated depreciation	2,226,646	2,139,620
1	3,686,827	3,668,140
Cash and cash equivalents	53,987	52,019
Tenant receivables and accrued revenue, net	79,363	90,314
Investment in and advances to unconsolidated entities, at equity	443,963	451,839
Deferred costs and other assets	207,928	189,095
Total assets	\$4,472,068	\$4,451,407
LIABILITIES:		
Mortgage notes payable	\$1,060,687	\$1,157,082
Notes payable	981,026	979,372
Unsecured term loans	684,939	606,695
Revolving credit facility	275,440	154,460
Accounts payable, accrued expenses, intangibles, and deferred revenues	251,422	264,998
Distributions payable	2,992	2,992
Cash distributions and losses in unconsolidated entities, at equity	15,421	15,421
Total liabilities	3,271,927	3,181,020
Redeemable noncontrolling interests	3,265	3,265
EQUITY:		
Stockholders' Equity:		
Series H Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock, \$0.0001 par value, 4,000,000 shares	104,251	104,251
issued and outstanding as of June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017	104,231	104,231
Series I Cumulative Redeemable Preferred Stock, \$0.0001 par value, 3,800,000 shares	98,325	98,325
issued and outstanding as of June 30, 2018 and December 31, 2017	76,323	76,525
Common stock, \$0.0001 par value, 350,000,000 shares authorized;		
186,050,048 and 185,791,421 issued and outstanding as of June 30, 2018 and December	19	19
31, 2017, respectively		
Capital in excess of par value	1,244,211	1,240,483
Accumulated deficit		(350,594)
Accumulated other comprehensive income	12,403	6,920
Total stockholders' equity	1,040,737	1,099,404
Noncontrolling interests	156,139	167,718
Total equity	1,196,876	1,267,122
Total liabilities, redeemable noncontrolling interests and equity	\$4,472,068	\$4,451,407

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these statements.

Washington Prime Group Inc.
Unaudited Consolidated Statements of Operations and Comprehensive Income (dollars in thousands, except per share amounts)

	For the Th	ree Months	For the Six Months		
	Ended June	e 30,	Ended June 30,		
	2018	2017	2018	2017	
REVENUE:					
Minimum rent	\$121,787	\$129,433	\$245,126	\$266,549	
Overage rent	1,415	1,299	3,429	4,131	
Tenant reimbursements	47,594	52,121	96,238	108,911	
Other income	7,932	6,318	14,275	11,974	
Total revenues	178,728	189,171	359,068	391,565	
EXPENSES:					
Property operating	35,945	35,164	72,311	72,408	
Depreciation and amortization	63,796	66,620	125,090	134,131	
Real estate taxes	21,094	23,253	43,135	49,260	
Advertising and promotion	2,240	2,275	4,011	4,427	
Provision for credit losses	611	1,903	3,957	3,484	
General and administrative	11,191	9,091	20,845	17,919	
Ground rent	198	996	395	2,027	
Impairment loss	_	_	_	8,509	
Total operating expenses	135,075	139,302	269,744	292,165	
OPERATING INCOME	43,653	49,869	89,324	99,400	
Interest expense, net	(34,701)	(31,281)	(69,045)	(63,769)	
Gain on extinguishment of debt, net	_	21,221	_	21,221	
Income and other taxes	(601)	(522)	(1,086)	(2,548)	
(Loss) income from unconsolidated entities, net	(895)	(172)	267	(616)	
INCOME BEFORE GAIN ON DISPOSITION OF INTERESTS IN	7,456	39,115	19,460	53,688	
PROPERTIES, NET	7,730	37,113	17,400	33,000	
Gain on disposition of interests in properties, net	8,063	125,385	16,244	125,436	
NET INCOME	15,519	164,500	35,704	179,124	
Net income attributable to noncontrolling interests	1,925	25,525	4,586	27,339	
NET INCOME ATTRIBUTABLE TO THE COMPANY	13,594	138,975	31,118	151,785	
Less: Preferred share dividends		(3,508)	(7,016)	(7,016)	
NET INCOME ATTRIBUTABLE TO COMMON SHAREHOLDERS	\$10,086	\$135,467	\$24,102	\$144,769	
EARNINGS PER COMMON SHARE, BASIC	\$0.05	\$0.73	\$0.13	\$0.78	
EARNINGS PER COMMON SHARE, DILUTED	\$0.05	\$0.72	\$0.13	\$0.77	
COMPREHENSIVE INCOME:					
Net income	\$15,519	\$164,500	\$35,704	\$179,124	
Unrealized income (loss) on interest rate derivative instruments, net	602	(2,050)	5,819	299	
Comprehensive income	16,121	162,450	41,523	179,423	
Comprehensive income attributable to noncontrolling interests	2,024	25,206	5,506	27,397	
Comprehensive income attributable to common shareholders	\$14,097	\$137,244	\$36,017	\$152,026	

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these statements.

Washington Prime Group Inc. Unaudited Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

(dollars in thousands)

	For the Si Ended Jur		
	2018	2017	
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:			
Net income	\$35,704	\$179,124	1
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities:			
Depreciation and amortization, including fair value rent, fair value debt, deferred financing costs and equity-based compensation	126,545	132,289	
Gain on extinguishment of debt, net	_	(21,221)
Gain on disposition of interests in properties and outparcels, net	(16,244)	(125,710)
Impairment loss		8,509	
Provision for credit losses	3,957	3,484	
(Income) loss from unconsolidated entities, net	(267)	616	
Distributions of income from unconsolidated entities	2,817	161	
Changes in assets and liabilities:			
Tenant receivables and accrued revenue, net	9,017	3,288	
Deferred costs and other assets	(15,858)	(11,479)
Accounts payable, accrued expenses, deferred revenues and other liabilities	(9,900)	(9,814)
Net cash provided by operating activities	135,771	159,247	
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES:			
Acquisitions, net of cash acquired	(80,108)		
Capital expenditures, net	(59,772)	(70,967)
Net proceeds from disposition of interests in properties and outparcels	23,402	203,624	
Investments in unconsolidated entities	(12,054)	(36,747)
Distributions of capital from unconsolidated entities	22,923	56,962	
Net cash (used in) provided by investing activities	(105,609)	152,872	
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:			
Distributions to noncontrolling interest holders in properties	(5)	(23)
Redemption of limited partner units	(25)	(12)
Net proceeds from issuance of common shares, including common stock plans	_	13	
Purchase of redeemable noncontrolling interest	_	(6,830)
Distributions on common and preferred shares/units		(118,073)
Proceeds from issuance of debt, net of transaction costs	593,714		
Repayments of debt		(540,003	-
Net cash used in financing activities		(296,729)
NET CHANGE IN CASH, CASH EQUIVALENTS AND RESTRICTED CASH	12,913		
CASH, CASH EQUIVALENTS AND RESTRICTED CASH, beginning of period		88,514	
CASH, CASH EQUIVALENTS AND RESTRICTED CASH, end of period	\$83,114	\$103,904	1

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Washington Prime Group Inc.
Unaudited Consolidated Statement of Equity
(dollars in thousands, except per share/unit amounts)

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	Preferred Series H	Preferred Series I	lCom Stoc	Capital in mon Excess of Par Value		Accumulate Deficit	Accumulation Accum	lated Total Stockholders ensive Equity	Non- 'Controlling Interests	Total Equity	Redeemab Non-Conti Interests
Balance, December 31, 2017	\$104,251	\$98,325	\$19	\$1,240,483		\$(350,594)	\$6,920	\$1,099,404	\$167,718	\$1,267,122	\$3,265
Cumulative effect of accounting standards	_	_	_	(389)	1,890	584	2,085	389	2,474	_
Redemption of limited partner units	_	_		_		_	_	_	(25)	(25)	_
Other	_	_		(89)	_	_	(89)	_	(89)	_
Equity-based compensation	_	_	_	3,771		_	_	3,771	490	4,261	_
Adjustments to noncontrolling interests	_	_		435		_	_	435	(435)	_	_
Distributions on common shares/units (\$0.50 per common	_	_	_	_		(93,870)	_	(93,870)	(17,384)	(111,254)	_
share/unit) Distributions declared on preferred shares	_	_	_	_		(7,016)	_	(7,016)	_	(7,016)	_
Other comprehensive income	_	_	_	_		_	4,899	4,899	920	5,819	_
Net income, excluding \$120	_	_	_	_		31,118	_	31,118	4,466	35,584	_
Balance, June 30, 2018	\$104,251	\$98,325	\$19	\$1,244,211		\$(418,472)	\$12,403	\$1,040,737	\$156,139	\$1,196,876	\$3,265

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