

# **OFFERING MEMORANDUM**

EXCLUSIVE NET-LEASE OFFERING





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# **Demographics**

Population Income Employment

# PRICE: \$3,241,132 | 6.15%CAP | RENT: \$199,330

PROPERTY DESCRIPTION		
Property	Red Lobster	
Property Address	2565 Capitol Ave. S.W.	
City, State, ZIP	Battle Creek, MI 49015	
Building Size (SF)	5,468	
Lot Size (Acres)	+/- 1.98	
THE OFFERING		
Net Operating Income <sup>1</sup>	\$199,330	
CAP Rate	6.15%	
Purchase Price	\$3,241,132	
Price / SF	\$596	
Year Opened	1979	
Year Remodeled	2013	

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LEASE SUIVIMARY		
Property Name	Red Lobster	
Property Type	Net Leased Casual Dining	
Ownership	Private	
Tenant	Red Lobster Restaurants, LLC	
Guarantor	Red Lobster Intermediate Holdings, LLC	
Lease Term	25 Years	
Lease Expiration	July 31, 2039	
Lease Term Remaining	20 Years	
Lease Type	Triple-Net (NNN) Lease	
Roof & Structure	Tenant Responsible	
Rental Increases	2.00% Annually	
Options to Renew	Four (4), Five (5) Year Option Periods	
Rental Increases in Options	2.00% Annually	

## **HIGHLIGHTS**

- Property is Subject to a 25 Year Triple-Net (NNN) Lease With 20 Years Remaining
- Corporate Guaranty | 704 Locations in the US & Canada
- Strong Inflation Hedge | Attractive 2.0% Annual Increases
- Four (4), Five (5)-Year Tenant Renewal Options
- ➤ World's Largest Seafood Restaurant | Serving Customers in 11 Countries



1 NOI Based on August 2019 Rental Increase

#### **INVESTMENT SUMMARY**

Marcus & Millichap is pleased to present the exclusive listing for a Red Lobster property located in Battle Creek, Michigan. The property consists of 5,468 square feet of building space and is situated on approximately 1.98 acres of land. The property is subject to a 25-year Triple-Net (NNN) lease with 20 years remaining on the base term. The current rent is \$199,330 and will continue to increase by 2.00% annually. The increases will continue through the four, five-year tenant renewal options.

#### **TENANT SUMMARY**

Red Lobster is the largest seafood restaurant concept in the world and is an iconic full service brand with broad demographic appeal and significant advertising budget. Red Lobster is led by an experienced management team with a history of success leading the brand(average 27+ years experience across executive team). The company generates \$2.5 billion in revenue and is the 5<sup>th</sup> largest casual dining concept in North America. Red Lobster was recently acquired by Golden Gate Capital.



ANNUALIZED OPERATING DATA			
Current Annual Rent	\$199,330		
Base Term Rental Escalations	2.00% Annually		

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RENT SCHEDULE				
Lease Year	Annual Rent	<b>Monthly Rent</b>		
Year 6	\$199,330	\$16,611		
Year 7	\$203,316	\$16,943		
Year 8	\$207,383	\$17,282		
Year 9	\$211,530	\$17,628		
Year 10	\$215,761	\$17,980		
Year 11	\$220,076	\$18,340		
Year 12	\$224,478	\$18,706		
Year 13	\$228,967	\$19,081		
Year 14	\$233,546	\$19,462		
Year 15	\$238,217	\$19,851		
Year 16	\$242,982	\$20,248		
Year 17	\$247,841	\$20,653		
Year 18	\$252,798	\$21,067		
Year 19	\$257,854	\$21,488		
Year 20	\$263,011	\$21,918		
Year 21	\$268,271	\$22,356		
Year 22	\$273,637	\$22,803		
Year 23	\$279,110	\$23,259		
Year 24	\$284,692	\$23,724		
Year 25	\$290,386	\$24,199		
CAP Rate		6.15%		
Purchase Price		\$3,241,132		

# **Tenant Overview**



- Red Lobster is the largest seafood restaurant concept in the world and is an iconic full service brand with broad demographic appeal and a significant advertising budget (2<sup>nd</sup> largest in casual dining).
- The Company was founded in 1968 and currently operates 704 restaurants throughout the United States and Canada and has 43 franchised restaurants in international markets.
- Red Lobster is led by an experienced management team with a history of success leading the brand (average 27+ years experience across executive team).
- The company generates \$2.5B in revenue and is the 6<sup>th</sup> largest casual dining concept in North America.

# The Transaction

- On July 28th, 2014, Golden Gate Capital ("GGC") acquired Red Lobster from Darden Restaurants.
- Red Lobster is now an independently owned company, completely separate from Darden Restaurants.
- Red Lobster is well capitalized with >\$200M of liquidity.
- Golden Gate Capital has a long, successful track record and significant experience with multi-unit restaurant and retail businesses.



# **TENANT OVERVIEW**

# **OUR HISTORY**

#### FRESH IS IN OUR FOOD

Each day, you'll find an updated selection of fresh fish on our Today's Fresh Fish menu, not to mention live Maine lobster, freshly baked Cheddar Bay Biscuits™, crisp salads and a host of fresh seafood recipes waiting to be explored.

#### FRESH IS IN OUR KNOWLEDGE

No one knows seafood better than we do. As global seafood buyers, we have employees stationed throughout the world who inspect our seafood the moment it comes out of the water. They ensure it meets standards that are second to none. Then, the renowned chefs at our culinary center deliver the fresh expertise that turns it all into something truly special.

#### FRESH IS IN OUR DEDICATION

We hold ourselves to the highest standards for service, quality and a welcoming atmosphere. And we're focused on doing what's right — for our employees, in our communities and in the world.

#### FRESH IS IN OUR COMMITMENT

You deserve the freshest food and thinking. So every time you visit one of our seafood restaurants or our online seafood store, you'll find an uncommon commitment to deliver the best of the sea with fresh energy and fresh ideas that we hope will make you want to come back again and again.

We invite you to come in and experience our commitment to quality for yourself. Whether it's choosing your favorite fresh fish from our "Today's Fresh Fish" menu, or selecting your favorite seafood to be prepared over our wood-fired grill, Red Lobster is the place you can enjoy fresh, delicious seafood now and for generations.



Blue Angel

# **RED LOBSTER TIMELINE**



1968

Bill Darden opens the first Red Lobster in Lakeland, Florida

General Mills acquires Red Lobster and rapidly expands nationally

1983

1984

Our 1st Canadian restaurant opens in Ontario

Out Lobsterfest® promotion begins, giving guests the best variety of lobster anywhere

1988

1989

We introduce our famous and delicious Cheddar Bay Biscuits®

We operate 450 US and 55 Canadian restaurants

1996

2003

We introduce "Walt's Favorite Shrimp", named after one of our earliest employees

We celebrate our 35th anniversary of serving fresh, delicious seafood

2004

2006

Endless Shrimp® is introduced, and becomes an annual guest-favorite promotion

"Today's Fresh Fish" gives guests a daily selection of national and local fresh fish favorites

2008

2013

We introduce Wood-Fire Grills and Certified Grill Masters in every restaurant

We celebrate our 45th anniversary and operate more than 700 locations worldwide

2014

Acquisition by Golden Gate Capital ("GGC")

# TENANT OVERVIEW

#### **Strong Market Position**

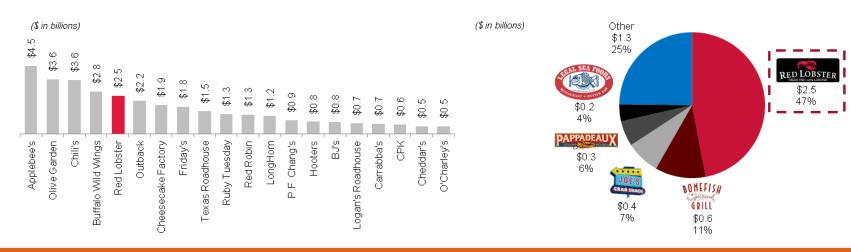
- Red Lobster is the largest seafood restaurant concept in the world and the 6<sup>th</sup> largest casual dining concept in the United States with over \$2.5 billion in annual sales and 704 restaurants.
- The Company is the category killer in the seafood casual dining space, holding almost 50% market share.
  - Largest share of any restaurant concept in any segment.
- 6<sup>th</sup> largest overall casual dining concept in the US.

## **Significant Scale With Broad Geographic Reach**



## 6<sup>th</sup> Largest Casual Dining Concept in the US

## ~50% Share in Seafood Casual Dining



# TENANT OVERVIEW

# Iconic Brand With Unparalleled Customer Loyalty

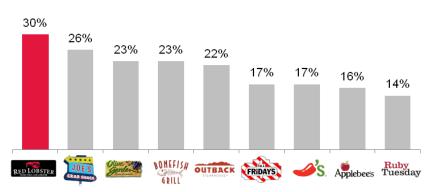
- Red Lobster has strong consumer appeal and broad usage across multiple dining out occasions, including high-crave, healthier "good for you" and special meal occasions.
- The brand has a strong foundation of loyal guests, who visit 1-2 times per month and account for more than 50% of sales.
- Red Lobster is the clear leader in casual dining seafood, and the most indispensable brand among major casual dining concepts, further indicating strong consumer loyalty.

# **Healthy and Recently Remodeled Restaurant Base**

- Over \$320 million invested in remodels covering >90% of restaurants over the past 8 years.
- \$1.4 billion in overall capital expenditure investment over the past 10 years.
- New Bar Harbor format has strong appeal across customer base.
- 100% of restaurants are cash flow positive.

# **Indispensability vs. Peers**

Indispensability (How difficult it would be for me to 'give up' ever going there again ) - % very difficult (10 out of 10) shown



## **New Bar Harbor Format**

Before









# **Management Team**

Red Lobster is led by an experienced management team with prior success leading the brand.



Kim Lopdrup CEO (31 years in Restaurant Industry)

- Kim served as President of Red Lobster from FY2005 to FY2011, a period of consistent, above-market growth for the brand
- Prior to his return to Red Lobster, Kim served as President of Specialty Restaurant Group and New
- Before joining Darden, Kim served as EVP and COO of North America for Burger King, and at Dunkin' Brands as VP of Marketing and CEO of its international division
- BBA, College of William & Mary; MBA with distinction, Harvard Business School



Salli Setta President (28 years in Restaurant Industry)

- Salli was named President of Red Lobster in July of 2013
- Prior to her promotion to President, Salli served as Red Lobster's EVP of Marketing, before which she held numerous roles in Marketing and Culinary at Olive Garden during its turnaround, including VP Marketing and SVP Culinary and Beverage
- 24 years of experience in restaurant marketing, advertising and menu development; named "Menu Strategist of the Year" in 2003; recipient of three Menu Masters' Awards and a Silver Effie for her work on the "Hospitaliano" ad campaign
- BA, University of Central Florida; MBA, Florida Institute of Technology



Bill Lambert CFO (12 years in Restaurant Industry)

- Bill served as CFO of Red Lobster from FY2006 to FY2010
- Prior to his return to Red Lobster, Bill served as CFO of LongHorn Steakhouse
- Prior to joining Darden and Red Lobster, Bill spent 21 years with Federated Department Stores in various roles including CFO of Macy's Central
- BS, Duke University; MBA, University of Michigan



**Chip Wade EVP Operations** (30 years in Restaurant *Industry)* 

- Darryl "Chip" Wade is EVP of Operations at Red Lobster
- Previously, Chip held positions in Enterprise Operations at Darden and as SVP of its Smokey Bones brand
- Outside of Darden, Chip previously served as COO of Legal Sea Foods and in various operations management roles at TGI Friday's
- BA, Widener University; MBA, University of Texas



- Golden Gate Capital (GGC) is a San Francisco-based Private Equity firm with over \$15 billion of capital under management.
- GGC has been one of the most active acquirers of multi-unit restaurant and retail companies.
  - Over the past 10 years, GGC has invested in restaurant and retail companies with annual revenues in excess of \$15 billion.
- GGC's investors include leading educational endowments, non-profit foundations, and selected entrepreneurs and managers.
- Investment approach is to partner with strong management teams to acquire strong, established brands with an opportunity to grow earnings through better execution, productivity improvements and unit growth.
- Excellent track record with acquiring and growing divisions of corporations.

## Select Restaurant Investments

# Restaurant Private Equity Investments



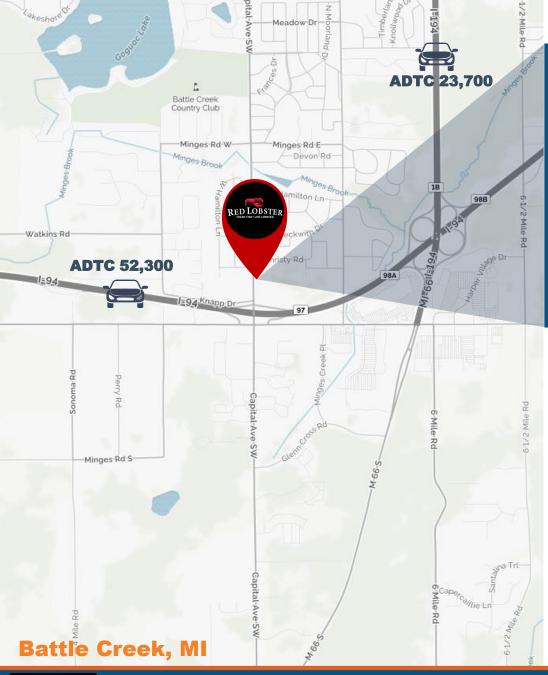








#### **LOCATION OVERVIEW**



## **HIGHLIGHTS**

- Major National Tenants In Surrounding Area: Walmart, Walgreens, Target, Lowe's. Kohl's, Meijer, Sam's Club, Best Buy, Quality Inn, Best Western, and Several Others
- Borgess Health Park | 100 Bed General Medical and Surgical Hospital
- Strong Traffic Counts in the Area: U.S Interstate 18 and U.S. Interstate- 98A | Average Traffic Counts of 23,700 and 52,300 Vehicles Daily
- Battle Creek | 50 Miles Southwest of Lansing | Capital City of Michigan

#### **MAJOR EMPLOYERS**

EMPLOYER	# OF EMPLOYEES *
McDonalds	1,647
Bronson Battle Creek Hospital	1,620
Kellog	1,189
110th Fighter Wing	958
Duncan Aviation Inc	525
City of Battle Creek	488
Meijer 016	475
Tish Staffing LLC	465
Home Health Professionals	350
Walmart	350
Meijer Inc	328
Clyde Union (holdings) Inc	321



This Red Lobster property is located at 2565 Capital Avenue in Battle Creek, Michigan. Battle Creek is a city in Calhoun County, at the confluence of the Kalamazoo and Battle Creek Rivers. It is the principal city of the Battle Creek, Michigan Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA), which encompasses all of Calhoun County.

# **Surrounding Retail and Points of Interest**

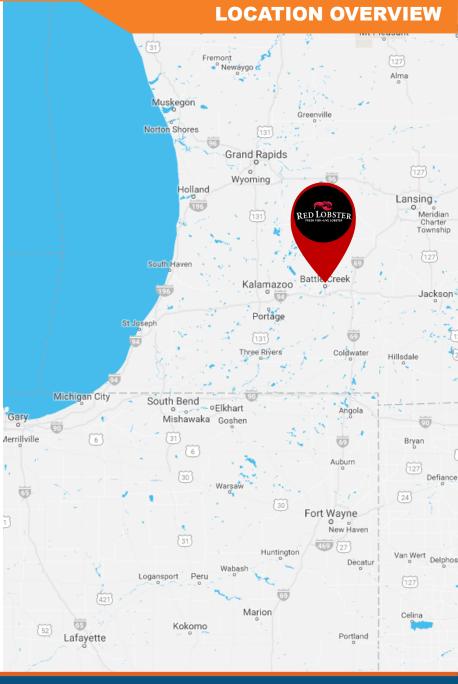
The subject property is well-positioned along Beckley Road and U.S. Interstate-98, benefitting from it's proximity to major national and local tenants. Nearby national tenants include: Walmart, Walgreens, Target, Lowe's, Best Buy, Kohl's, Sears, Sam's Club, Hobby Lobby, McDonald's, Panera Bread among various others. Nearby hospitality tenants include: Hampton Inn & Suites, Red Roof Inn, Quality Inn & Suites, and Best Western Inn. The Subject Property is located by Lakeview Square Mall and Minges Brook Mall. Borgess Health Park is also across the street from the property with over 100 beds.

# **Traffic Counts and Demographics**

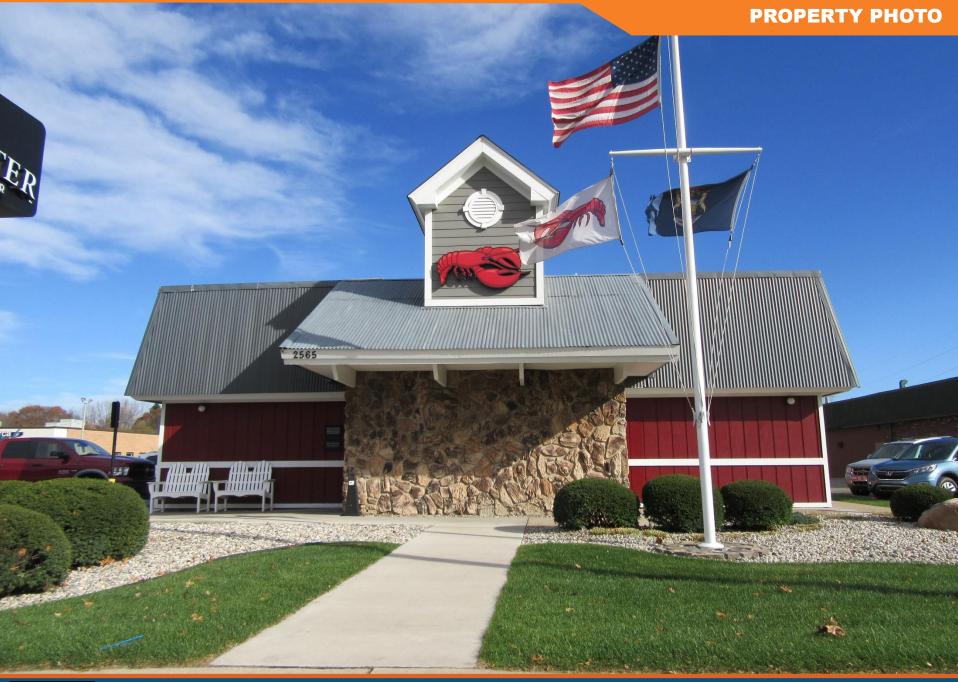
There are approximately 24,232 people within a three-mile radius of this property and more than 56,591 within a five-mile radius. The property is situated off of U.S. Interstate 98A and U.S. Interstate 18 which have daily traffic counts of 52,300 and 23,700 vehicles, respectively. The subject property is in close proximity to both Lakeview Square Mall and Minges Brook Mall. These regional outlets consist of traffic drivers such as: Walmart, Best Buy, Lowe's, and Target that consistently bring consumers to the area.

# **Battle Creek, Michigan**

Battle Creek is located roughly 50 miles southwest of Lansing, Michigan. Lansing is the capital of Michigan. It was named the new state capital in 1847, ten years after Michigan became a state. Lansing is the fifth largest city in Michigan. The Lansing metropolitan Area, colloquially referred to as "Mid-Michigan," is an important center for educational, cultural, governmental, commercial, and industrial functions. The city is home to two medical schools, one veterinary school, two nursing schools, two law schools, a Big Ten Conference university (Michigan State), the Michigan State Capital, the state Supreme Court, the Court of Appeals, a federal court, the Library of Michigan and Historical Center, and the headquarters of four national Insurance companies. The recent decline of the auto industry in the region has increased the region's awareness of the importance of a strategy to foster the high-technology sector. Lansing has a number of technology companies, especially in the fields of information technology and biotechnology. The Lansing JazzFest and the Old Town BluesFest host leading musicians, and are two of the largest music festivals held each year in the state.







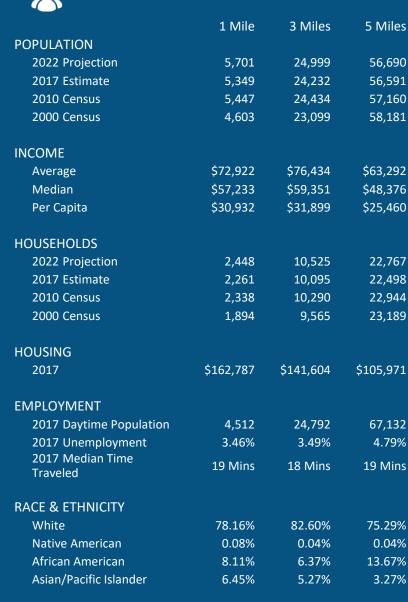


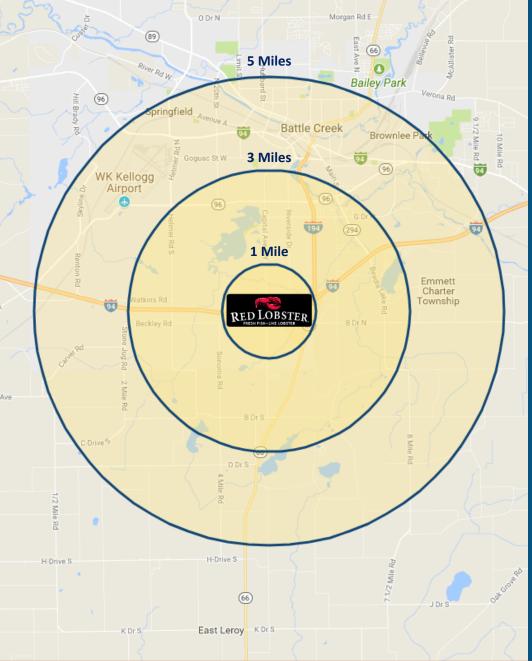




# **Demographics**







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