

ANGI HOMESERVICES REPORTS Q4 2017

GOLDEN, Colo. — February 7, 2018—ANGI Homeservices (NASDAQ: ANGI) financial results consist of HomeAdvisor financial results for all periods and Angie's List results following the completion of the combination on September 29, 2017. For periods prior to Q3 2017, ANGI Homeservices financial results are those of HomeAdvisor. A letter to IAC shareholders from IAC's CEO Joey Levin, which includes a discussion on ANGI Homeservices, was posted on the Investor Relations section of IAC's website at www.iac.com/Investors.

ANGI HOMESERVICES SUMMARY RESULTS											
(\$ in millions except per share amounts)											
	_	Q	4 2017	Q	4 2016	Growth	F	Y 2017	F	Y 2016	Growth
Revenue		\$	223.2	\$	123.7	80%	\$	736.4	\$	498.9	48%
Operating (loss) income			(33.9)		6.2	nm		(147.9)		24.1	nm
Net (loss) earnings			(58.2)		2.7	nm		(103.1)		13.1	nm
GAAP Diluted EPS			(0.12)		0.01	nm		(0.24)		0.03	nm
Adjusted EBITDA			16.2		11.9	36%		39.2		44.5	-12%
Adjusted Net Income			(30.1)		4.7	nm		(31.1)		21.0	nm
Adjusted EPS			(0.06)		0.01	nm		(0.07)		0.05	nm
	See reconciliat	ions	s of GAAP	to i	10n-GAAP	measures begin	ning	on page 9.			

Q4 2017 HIGHLIGHTS

- ANGI Homeservices revenue increased 80% to \$223.2 million driven by 32% Marketplace growth, a full quarter contribution from Angie's List and 48% growth in Europe.
- Operating loss and Adjusted EBITDA reflect costs and deferred revenue write-offs in connection with the Angie's List transaction. Excluding the transaction-related items, operating income was \$13.3 million and Adjusted EBITDA was \$38.3 million, which represents a 17% Adjusted EBITDA margin.
- For the full year 2017, operating income and Adjusted EBITDA would have been \$26.0 million and \$90.9 million, respectively, excluding costs and deferred revenue write-offs in connection with the Angie's List transaction.
- For 2017, ANGI Homeservices had:
 - On a pro forma basis, revenue of \$960 million
 - o 18 million Marketplace service requests from homeowners
 - 181,000 paying Marketplace service professionals and 45,000 Angie's List advertisers at December 31, 2017
- ANGI Homeservices expects \$85 million of operating income and \$270 million in Adjusted EBITDA in 2018, excluding costs and deferred revenue write-offs in connection with the Angie's List transaction.

Revenue

		Actual					Pro Forma (a)				
	Q4 2017		Q4 2016		Growth	Q	4 2017	Q	4 2016	Growth	
(\$ in millions)											
Marketplace ^(b)	\$	139.4	\$	105.3	32%	\$	139.4	\$	105.3	32%	
Advertising & Other ^(c)		68.8		8.2	736%		76.5		84.9	-10%	
Total North America	\$	208.2	\$	113.6	83%	\$	215.9	\$	190.2	13%	
Europe		15.0		10.1	48%		15.0		10.1	48%	
Total ANGI Homeservices revenue	\$	223.2	\$	123.7	80%	\$	230.9	\$	200.3	15%	

(a) Pro forma results reflect the inclusion of Angie's List revenue for all periods and excludes deferred revenue write-offs of \$7.6 million in Q4 2017 in connection with the Angie's List transaction.

(b) Reflects the HomeAdvisor domestic marketplace service. It excludes other North America operating subsidiaries within the segment.

(c) Includes Angie's List revenue (revenue from service professionals under contract for advertising during the period and Angie's List non-advertising revenue) as well as revenue from mHelpDesk, HomeStars and Felix.

- Revenue increased 80% to \$223.2 million driven by:
 - A full quarter contribution from Angie's List following the completion of the combination of HomeAdvisor and Angie's List to create ANGI Homeservices on September 29, 2017, partially offset by deferred revenue write-offs of \$7.6 million related to the Angie's List transaction
 - 32% Marketplace growth driven by a 36% increase in service requests to 4.2 million and a 26% increase in paying service professionals to 181,000
 - 48% growth in Europe driven by the acquisitions of controlling interests in MyHammer Holding AG in Germany on November 3, 2016 and MyBuilder Limited in the UK on March 24, 2017

Operating (loss) income and Adjusted EBITDA

	Q	4 2017	Q4	2016	Growth
(\$ in millions)					
Operating (loss) income					
North America	\$	(29.0)	\$	9.3	nm
Europe		(4.9)		(3.0)	-61%
Total	\$	(33.9)	\$	6.2	nm
Adjusted EBITDA					
North America	\$	18.8	\$	14.1	34%
Europe		(2.6)		(2.2)	-19%
Total	\$	16.2	\$	11.9	36%

- Operating loss was \$33.9 million compared to operating income of \$6.2 million in Q4 2016 reflecting:
 - An increase of \$26.7 million in stock-based compensation expense, including \$25.1 million due primarily to the Angie's List transaction comprising:

- \$15.4 million related to the modification of previously issued HomeAdvisor unvested equity awards, which were converted into ANGI Homeservices equity awards
- \$9.7 million related to previously issued Angie's List equity awards and the acceleration of certain Angie's List equity awards resulting from the termination of employees in connection with the combination
- An increase of \$15.5 million in amortization of intangibles driven primarily by the Angie's List transaction.
- Adjusted EBITDA growth of 36% to \$16.2 million driven by higher revenue, partially offset by:
 - \$14.4 million of severance, retention, transaction and integration-related costs
 - \$7.6 million deferred revenue write-offs related to the Angie's List transaction
 - Higher selling and marketing expense (including 62% growth in TV marketing)

Operating Metrics

	Q4 2017	Q4 2016	Growth
(in thousands)			
Marketplace Service Requests ^{(b)(d)}	4,227	3,097	36%
Marketplace Paying Service Professionals ^{(b)(e)}	181	143	26%
Angie's List Advertising Service Professionals ^(f)	45	49	-9%

(d) Fully completed and submitted domestic customer service requests on HomeAdvisor.

(e) The number of HomeAdvisor domestic service professionals that had an active membership and/or paid for consumer matches in the last month of the period.

(f) Reflects the total number of Angie's List service professionals under contract for advertising at the end of the period.

Income Taxes

In the fourth quarter of 2017, the Company recorded a tax provision of \$22.0 million and \$38.9 million for GAAP and Adjusted Net Income, respectively. The provision was primarily due to the reduction of \$33.0 million and \$35.3 million for GAAP and Adjusted Net Income, respectively, in the Company's net deferred tax assets because of the lower tax rate enacted by the Tax Cuts and Jobs Act. There is no transition tax because the Company has generated net losses from its international operations on a cumulative basis.

LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

As of December 31, 2017:

- ANGI Homeservices had 478.0 million Class A and Class B common shares outstanding.
- IAC's economic and voting interest in ANGI Homeservices were 86.9% and 98.5%, respectively.
- ANGI Homeservices held \$221.5 million in cash and cash equivalents and owed \$277.8 million of debt, including a current portion of \$13.8 million and \$2.8 million owed to IAC subsidiaries.

CONFERENCE CALL

ANGI Homeservices will audiocast a conference call to answer questions regarding its fourth quarter 2017 results on Thursday, February 8, 2018, at 8:30 a.m. Eastern Time. This call will include the disclosure of certain information, including forward-looking information, which may be material to an investor's understanding of ANGI Homeservices' business. The live audiocast will be open to the public at <u>ir.angihomeservices.com</u> or <u>www.iac.com/Investors</u>.

DILUTIVE SECURITIES

ANGI Homeservices has various dilutive securities. The table below details these securities as well as potential dilution at various stock prices (shares in millions; rounding differences may occur).

		Avg. Exercise	As of					
	Shares	Price	2/2/18	Dilution at:				
Share Price			\$13.32	\$ 14.00	\$ 15.00	\$ 16.00	\$ 17.00	
Absolute Shares as of 2/2/18	478.3		478.3	478.3	478.3	478.3	478.3	
SARs	43.6	\$ 2.61	8.9	9.0	9.2	9.3	9.4	
Options	3.1	\$11.52	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.8	
RSUs and Other	2.7		0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	0.7	
IAC denominated equity awards	4.1		1.4	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.1	
Total Dilution			11.5	11.6	11.7	11.9	12.0	
% Dilution			2.3%	2.4%	2.4%	2.4%	2.4%	
Total Diluted Shares Outstanding			489.7	489.8	490.0	490.1	490.2	

The dilutive securities calculation in the above table is different from GAAP dilution, which is calculated using the treasury stock method, and is based on the following assumptions:

SARs, subsidiary denominated equity awards and RSUs – These awards are settled on a net basis, with ANGI Homeservices making a cash payment on behalf of the holder equal to the amount of required tax withholdings; therefore the dilutive effect is presented as the net number of shares expected to be issued upon vesting or exercise, in each case assuming a withholding tax rate of 50%. In addition, the estimated income tax benefit from the tax deduction received upon the vesting or exercise of these awards is used to repurchase ANGI Homeservices shares.

Options – The cash generated from the exercise of ANGI Homeservices options (both vested and unvested awards), consisting of (a) the option exercise price and (b) the estimated income tax benefit from the tax deduction received upon the exercise of ANGI Homeservices options, is used to repurchase ANGI Homeservices shares.

IAC denominated equity awards – IAC denominated equity awards represent options and performance-based restricted stock units denominated in the shares of IAC that have been issued to employees of ANGI Homeservices. Upon the exercise or vesting of IAC equity awards, IAC will settle the awards with shares of IAC, and ANGI Homeservices will issue additional shares of ANGI Homeservices to IAC as reimbursement. The estimated income tax benefit from the tax deduction received upon the exercise or vesting of IAC denominated equity awards is used to repurchase ANGI Homeservices shares.

GAAP FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

ANGI HOMESERVICES CONSOLIDATED AND COMBINED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS (\$ in thousands except per share amounts)

	Thr	ee Months Ended	December 31,	Twe	lve Months Ended	December 31,		
		2017	2016		2017	2016		
Revenue	\$	223,213 \$	123,668	\$	736,386 \$	498,890		
Operating costs and expenses:								
Cost of revenue (exclusive of depreciation shown separately below)		11,682	6,293		34,073	25,858		
Selling and marketing expense		126,386	72,369		464,040	306,713		
General and administrative expense		82,471	29,859		300,433	110,093		
Product development expense		15,378	5,454		47,907	20,596		
Depreciation		4,838	2,595		14,543	8,419		
Amortization of intangibles		16,376	882		23,261	3,153		
Total operating costs and expenses		257,131	117,452		884,257	474,832		
Operating (loss) income		(33,918)	6,216		(147,871)	24,058		
Interest expense—third party		(1,765)	-		(1,765)	-		
Interest expense-related party		(433)	(654)		(5,971)	(894)		
Other (expense) income, net		(126)	(395)		1,974	(699)		
(Loss) earnings before income taxes		(36,242)	5,167		(153,633)	22,465		
Income tax (provision) benefit		(21,989)	(3,111)		49,106	(11,834)		
Net (loss) earnings		(58,231)	2,056		(104,527)	10,631		
Net loss attributable to noncontrolling interests		7	664		1,409	2,497		
Net (loss) earnings attributable to ANGI Homeservices Inc. shareholders	\$	(58,224) \$	2,720	\$	(103,118) \$	13,128		
Per share information attributable to ANGI Homeservices Inc. shareholders:								
Basic (loss) earnings per share	\$	(0.12) \$	0.01	\$	(0.24) \$	0.03		
Diluted (loss) earnings per share	\$	(0.12) \$	0.01	\$	(0.24) \$	0.03		
Stock-based compensation expense by function:								
Cost of revenue	\$	- \$	-	\$	19 \$	-		
Selling and marketing expense		5,361	233		25,763	863		
General and administrative expense		21,012	1,666		107,662	6,804		
Product development expense		2,577	332		15,786	1,249		
Total stock-based compensation expense	\$	28,950 \$	2,231	\$	149,230 \$	8,916		

ANGI HOMESERVICES CONSOLIDATED AND COMBINED BALANCE SHEET

(\$ in thousands)

	De	ecember 31, 2017	December 31, 2016	
ASSETS				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	221,521	\$ 36,377	
Accounts receivable, net		28,085	18,696	
Other current assets		12,772	8,739	
Total current assets		262,378	63,812	
Property and equipment, net		53,292	23,645	
Goodwill		770,226	170,990	
Intangible assets, net		328,571	10,792	
Deferred income taxes		50,723	15,211	
Other non-current assets		2,072	11,067	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	1,467,262	\$ 295,517	
LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY				
LIABILITIES				
Current portion of long-term debt	\$	13,750	\$ -	
Current portion of long-term debt-related party		816	2,838	
Accounts payable		18,933	11,544	
Deferred revenue		62,371	18,828	
Accrued expenses and other current liabilities		75,171	34,438	
Total current liabilities		171,041	67,648	
Long-term debt, net		258,312	-	
Long-term debt—related party, net		1,997	47,000	
Deferred income taxes		5,626	2,228	
Other long-term liabilities		5,892	2,247	
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Redeemable noncontrolling interests		21,300	13,781	
Commitments and contingencies				
SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY				
Class A Common Stock		63	-	
Class B Common Stock		415	-	
Class C Common Stock		-	-	
Additional paid-in capital		1,112,400	-	
Accumulated deficit		(121,764)	-	
Invested Capital		-	154,852	
Accumulated other comprehensive income (loss)		2,232	(1,721)	
Total ANGI Homeservices Inc. shareholders' equity and invested capital, respectively	_	993,346	153,131	
Noncontrolling interests		9,748	9,482	
Total shareholders' equity	_	1,003,094	162,613	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SHAREHOLDERS' EQUITY	\$	1,467,262	\$ 295,517	

ANGI HOMESERVICES CONSOLIDATED AND COMBINED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

(\$ in thousands)

	Twelve Months Ended December 31,			
		2017	2016	
Cash flows from operating activities:				
Net (loss) earnings	\$	(104,527) \$	10,631	
Adjustments to reconcile net (loss) earnings to net cash provided by operating activities:				
Stock-based compensation expense		149,230	8,916	
Amortization of intangibles		23,261	3,153	
Bad debt expense		27,514	17,425	
Depreciation		14,543	8,419	
Deferred income taxes		(48,350)	(3,719)	
Other adjustments, net		(911)	1,142	
Changes in assets and liabilities, net of effects of acquisitions:				
Accounts receivable		(33,179)	(23,862)	
Other current assets		4,523	(2,972)	
Accounts payable and other current liabilities		778	14,936	
Income taxes payable		(2,054)	6,932	
Deferred revenue		10,995	6,895	
Net cash provided by operating activities		41,823	47,896	
Cash flows from investing activities:				
Acquisitions, net of cash acquired		(66,340)	(15,649)	
Capital expenditures		(26,837)	(16,660	
Net cash used in investing activities		(93,177)	(32,309)	
Cash flows from financing activities:			• •	
Borrowing under term loan		275,000	-	
Debt issuance costs		(3,013)	-	
Proceeds from issuance of related party debt		131,360	44,838	
Principal payments on related party debt		(181,580)	(11,350	
Proceeds from the exercise of stock options		1,653	-	
Withholding taxes paid on behalf of employees on net settled stock-based awards		(10,113)	-	
Funds returned from (held in) escrow for MyHammer tender offer		10,604	(10,548)	
Transfers from (to) IAC/InterActiveCorp		24,178	(4,305)	
Purchase of noncontrolling interests		(12,789)	(209)	
Other, net		37	-	
Net cash provided by financing activities		235,337	18,426	
Total cash provided		183,983	34,013	
Effect of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents		1,161	(98)	
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		185,144	33,915	
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period		36,377	2,462	
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	\$	221,521 \$	36,377	

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RECONCILIATIONS OF GAAP TO NON-GAAP MEASURES

ANGI HOMESERVICES RECONCILIATION OF OPERATING CASH FLOW TO FREE CASH FLOW (\$ in millions; rounding differences may occur)

	Twe	lve Months Ended I	December 31,
		2017	2016
Net cash provided by operating activities	\$	41.8 \$	47.
Capital expenditures		(26.8)	(16.)
Free Cash Flow	\$	15.0 \$	31.

For the twelve months ended December 31, 2017, Free Cash Flow decreased \$16.2 million due lower Adjusted EBITDA and higher capital expenditures.

ANGI HOMESERVICES RECONCILIATION OF GAAP EPS TO ADJUSTED EPS

(\$ in thousands except per share amounts)

	Thre	e Months Ended I	December 31,	Twelve Months Ended December 31,			
		2017	2016		2017	2016	
Net (loss) earnings attributable to ANGI Homeservices Inc. shareholders	\$	(58,224) \$	2,720	\$	(103,118) \$	13,128	
Stock-based compensation expense		28,950	2,231		149,230	8,916	
Amortization of intangibles		16,376	882		23,261	3,153	
Impact of income taxes and noncontrolling interests		(17,194)	(1,092)		(100,486)	(4,205)	
Adjusted Net Income	\$	(30,092) \$	4,741	\$	(31,113) \$	20,992	
GAAP Basic weighted average shares outstanding		477,002	414,754		430,612	414,754	
SARs, Options, subsidiary denominated equity awards and RSUs, treasury method		-			-	-	
GAAP Diluted weighted average shares outstanding		477,002	414,754		430,612	414,754	
SARs, Options, subsidiary denominated equity awards and RSUs, treasury method not included in diluted shares above		-	-		-	-	
Impact of RSUs and other		-	-		-	-	
Adjusted EPS weighted average shares outstanding		477,002	414,754		430,612	414,754	
GAAP Diluted EPS	\$	(0.12) \$	0.01	\$	(0.24) \$	0.03	
Adjusted EPS	\$	(0.06) \$	0.01	\$	(0.07) \$	0.05	

For GAAP diluted EPS purposes, RSUs and performance-based RSUs to the extent the applicable performance condition(s) have been met, are included on a treasury method basis. For Adjusted EPS purposes, the impact of RSUs on shares outstanding is based on the weighted average number of RSUs outstanding, including performance-based RSUs outstanding that the Company believes are probable of vesting.

ANGI HOMESERVICES RECONCILIATION OF SEGMENT GAAP MEASURE TO NON-GAAP MEASURE (\$ in millions; rounding differences may occur)

		For the three months ended December 31, 2017									
		Stock-based									
		compensation					Amortization of				
	Oper	ating loss	expense		Depreciation		intangibles	Adjusted	EBITDA		
North America	\$	(29.0) \$	28.6	\$	4.4	\$	14.8	\$	18.8		
Europe		(4.9)	0.3		0.5		1.5		(2.6)		
Total	\$	(33.9) \$	29.0	\$	4.8	\$	16.4	\$	16.2		

		For the three months ended December 31, 2016									
			Stock-based								
	Operating	g income	compensation			A	mortization of				
	(los	5S)	expense		Depreciation		intangibles	Adjusted EBITDA			
North America	\$	9.3	\$1	.8 \$	3 2.5	\$	0.5	\$ 14.1			
Europe		(3.0)	().5	0.1		0.3	(2.2)			
Total	\$	6.2	\$ 2	2.2 \$	5 2.6	\$	0.9	\$ 11.9			

		For the twelve months ended December 31, 2017									
				Stock-based							
				compensation	Amortization of						
	<u> </u>	erating loss		expense		Depreciation		intangibles	Adjust	ed EBITDA	
North America	\$	(128.5)	\$	147.6	\$	13.2	\$	17.8	\$	50.2	
Europe		(19.4)		1.7		1.3		5.4		(11.0)	
Total	\$	(147.9)	\$	149.2	\$	14.5	\$	23.3	\$	39.2	

		For the twelve months ended December 31, 2016									
				Stock-based							
	Operating	income	(compensation			A	Amortization of			
	(los	s)		expense		Depreciation		intangibles	Adjusted	EBITDA	
North America	\$	32.5	\$	7.1	\$	8.0	\$	2.5	\$	50.1	
Europe		(8.4)		1.8		0.4		0.7		(5.5)	
Total	\$	24.1	\$	8.9	\$	8.4	\$	3.2	\$	44.5	

ANGI HOMESERVICES RECONCILIATION OF GAAP MEASURE TO NON-GAAP MEASURE (\$ in millions; rounding differences may occur)

2018 operating income to Adjusted EBITDA reconciliation

	 FY 2018 Estimate	
Operating income	\$ 85	
Stock-based compensation expense ^(a)	105	
Depreciation	20	
Amortization of intangibles	 60	
Adjusted EBITDA ^(b)	\$ 270	

(a) Includes ~\$70 million of charges in connection with the Angie's List transaction.

(b) Excludes costs and deferred revenue write-offs in connection with the Angie's List transaction.

Adjusted EBITDA margin reconciliation

				Angie's					
Q4 2017			D	eferred Revenue	Transaction		Stock-based	Ex	cluding Transaction
	As R	eported		Write-offs	Costs	С	ompensation Expense		Related Items
_									
Revenue	\$	223.2	\$	7.6				\$	230.9
Operating (loss) income	\$	(33.9)	\$	7.6	\$ 14.4	\$	25.1	\$	13.3
Operating (loss) income margin		-15%							6%
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	16.2	\$	7.6	\$ 14.4			\$	38.3
Adjusted EBITDA margin		7%							17%

				Angie's	d Items						
FY 2017				Deferred Revenue		Transaction		Stock-based		Excluding Transaction	
	As I	As Reported		Write-offs		Costs	Co	mpensation Expense		Related Items	
Revenue	\$	736.4	\$	7.8					\$	744.2	
Operating (loss) income	\$	(147.9)	\$	7.8	\$	44.0	\$	122.1	\$	26.0	
Operating (loss) income margin		-20%								3%	
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	39.2	\$	7.8	\$	44.0			\$	90.9	
Adjusted EBITDA margin		5%								12%	

ANGI HOMESERVICES PRINCIPLES OF FINANCIAL REPORTING

ANGI Homeservices reports Adjusted EBITDA, Adjusted Net Income, Adjusted EBITDA Margin, Adjusted EPS and Free Cash Flow, all of which are supplemental measures to GAAP. These measures are among the primary metrics by which we evaluate the performance of our businesses, on which our internal budgets are based and by which management is compensated. We believe that investors should have access to, and we are obligated to provide, the same set of tools that we use in analyzing our results. These non-GAAP measures should be considered in addition to results prepared in accordance with GAAP, but should not be considered a substitute for or superior to GAAP results. ANGI Homeservices endeavors to compensate for the limitations of the non-GAAP measures presented by providing the comparable GAAP measures with equal or greater prominence and descriptions of the reconciling items, including quantifying such items, to derive the non-GAAP measures. We encourage investors to examine the reconciling adjustments between the GAAP and non-GAAP measures, which are included in this release. Interim results are not necessarily indicative of the results that may be expected for a full year.

Definitions of Non-GAAP Measures

Adjusted Earnings Before Interest, Taxes, Depreciation and Amortization (Adjusted EBITDA) is defined as operating income excluding: (1) stock-based compensation expense; (2) depreciation; and (3) acquisition-related items consisting of amortization of intangible assets and impairments of goodwill and intangible assets, if applicable. We believe Adjusted EBITDA is a useful measure for analysts and investors as this measure allows a more meaningful comparison between our performance and that of our competitors. Moreover, our management uses this measure internally to evaluate the performance of our business as a whole and our individual business segments. The above items are excluded from our Adjusted EBITDA measure because these items are non-cash in nature, and we believe that by excluding these items, Adjusted EBITDA corresponds more closely to the cash operating income generated from our business, from which capital investments are made and debt is serviced.

<u>Adjusted EBITDA Margin</u> is defined as Adjusted EBITDA divided by revenues. We believe Adjusted EBITDA margin is useful for analysts and investors as this measure allows a more meaningful comparison between our performance and that of our competitors. Adjusted EBITDA margin corresponds more closely to the cash operating income margin generated from our business, from which capital investments are made and debt is serviced. Adjusted EBITDA margin has certain limitations in that it does not take into account the impact to our consolidated statement of operations of certain expenses.

<u>Adjusted Net Income</u> generally captures all items on the statement of operations that have been, or ultimately will be, settled in cash and is defined as net earnings attributable to ANGI Homeservices shareholders excluding, net of tax effects and noncontrolling interests, if applicable: (1) stock-based compensation expense and (2) acquisition-related items consisting of amortization of intangibles and impairments of goodwill and intangible assets. We believe Adjusted Net Income is useful to investors because it represents ANGI Homeservices' consolidated results taking into account depreciation, which management believes is an ongoing cost of doing business, as well as other charges that are not allocated to the operating businesses such as interest expense, income taxes and noncontrolling interests, but excluding the effects of any other non-cash expenses.

<u>Adjusted EPS</u> is defined as Adjusted Net Income divided by fully diluted weighted average shares outstanding for Adjusted EPS purposes. We include dilution from options and stock appreciation rights ("SARs") in accordance with the treasury stock method and include all restricted stock units ("RSUs") in shares outstanding for Adjusted EPS, with performance-based RSUs included based on the number of shares that the Company believes are probable of vesting. This differs from the GAAP method for including RSUs, which are treated on a treasury method, and performance-based RSUs, which are included for GAAP purposes only to the extent the applicable performance condition(s) have been met (assuming the end of the reporting period is the end of the contingency period), which increases shares outstanding for Adjusted EPS purposes. We believe Adjusted EPS is useful to investors because it represents, on a per share basis, ANGI Homeservices' consolidated results, taking into account depreciation, which we believe is an ongoing cost of doing business, as well as other charges, which are not allocated to the operating businesses such as interest expense, income taxes and noncontrolling interests, but excluding the effects of any other non-cash expenses, and is computed in a manner that is generally consistent with management's view of dilution. Adjusted Net Income and Adjusted EPS have the same limitations as Adjusted EBITDA. Therefore, we think it is important to evaluate these measures along with our consolidated statement of operations.

<u>Free Cash Flow</u> is defined as net cash provided by operating activities, less capital expenditures. We believe Free Cash Flow is useful to investors because it represents the cash that our operating businesses generate, before taking into account non-operational cash movements. Free Cash Flow has certain limitations in that it does not represent the total increase or decrease in the cash balance for the period, nor does it represent the residual cash flow for discretionary expenditures. For example, it does not take into mandatory debt service requirements. Therefore, we think it is important to evaluate Free Cash Flow along with our consolidated statement of cash flows.

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We look at Free Cash Flow as a measure of the strength and performance of our businesses, not for valuation purposes. In our view, applying "multiples" to Free Cash Flow is inappropriate because it is subject to timing, seasonality and one-time events. We manage our business for cash and we think it is of utmost importance to maximize cash – but our primary valuation metrics are Adjusted EBITDA and Adjusted EPS.

Non-Cash Expenses That Are Excluded From Our Non-GAAP Measures

<u>Stock-based compensation expense</u> consists principally of expense associated with the grants, including unvested grants assumed in acquisitions (including the Combination), of stock options, SARs, RSUs and performance-based RSUs. These expenses are not paid in cash, and we include the related shares in our fully diluted shares outstanding using the treasury stock method; however, performance-based RSUs are included only to the extent the applicable performance condition(s) have been met (assuming the end of the reporting period is the end of the contingency period). We view the true cost of stock options, SARs, RSUs and performance-based RSUs as the dilution to our share base, and such awards are included in our shares outstanding for Adjusted EPS purposes as described above under the definition of Adjusted EPS. Upon the exercise of stock options, the awards are gross settled or net settled at the election of the award holder, and the exercise of SARs and vesting of RSUs and performance-based RSUs, the awards are settled on a net basis, with the Company remitting the required tax-withholding amount from its current funds.

<u>Depreciation</u> is a non-cash expense relating to our property and equipment and is computed using the straight-line method to allocate the cost of depreciable assets to operations over their estimated useful lives, or, in the case of leasehold improvements, the lease term, if shorter.

<u>Amortization of intangible assets and impairments of goodwill and intangible assets</u> are non-cash expenses related primarily to acquisitions (including the Combination). At the time of an acquisition, the identifiable definite-lived intangible assets of the acquired company, such as contractor and service professional relationships, technology, memberships, customer lists and user base, and trade names, are valued and amortized over their estimated lives. Value is also assigned to acquired indefinite-lived intangible assets, which comprise trade names and trademarks, and goodwill that are not subject to amortization. An impairment is recorded when the carrying value of an intangible asset or goodwill exceeds its fair value. We believe that intangible assets represent costs incurred by the acquired company to build value prior to acquisition and the related amortization and impairment charges of intangible assets or goodwill, if applicable, are not ongoing costs of doing business.

OTHER INFORMATION

Safe Harbor Statement Under the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995

This press release and our conference call, which will be held at 8:30 a.m. Eastern Time on February 8, 2018, may contain "forward-looking statements" within the meaning of the Private Securities Litigation Reform Act of 1995. The use of words such as "anticipates," "estimates," "expects," "plans" and "believes," among others, generally identify forward-looking statements. These forward-looking statements include, among others, statements relating to: our future business, financial condition, results of operations and financial performance, our business strategy, trends in the home services industry, expected synergies and other benefits to be realized by ANGI Homeservices following the combination of HomeAdvisor and Angie's List ("the Transaction") and other similar matters. These forward-looking statements are based on management's current expectations and assumptions about future events, which are inherently subject to uncertainties, risks and changes in circumstances that are difficult to predict. Actual results could differ materially from those contained in these forward-looking statements for a variety of reasons, including, among others: the possibility that the anticipated cost savings and other benefits of the Transaction are not realized when expected or at all (including as a result of the impact of, or problems arising from, the integration of HomeAdvisor and Angie's List or as a result of changes in the economy and competitive factors in the areas in which they do business), diversion of management's attention from ongoing business operations and opportunities as a result of the Transaction, the migration of the home services market online, our ability to establish and maintain relationships with quality service professionals, our ability to maintain and enhance our various brands, our ability to attract and convert visitors to our various websites into users and customers, our ability to offer new or alternative products and services that resonate with consumers, our ability to protect our systems from cyberattacks and to protect personal and confidential information, the ability to expand successfully into international markets, the ability to retain key personnel, the potential liability for a failure to meet regulatory requirements and regulatory changes. Certain of these and other risks and uncertainties are discussed in ANGI Homeservices' filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission. Other unknown or unpredictable factors that could also adversely affect ANGI Homeservices business, financial condition and results of operations may arise from time to time. In light of these risks and uncertainties, these forward-looking statements may not prove to be accurate. Accordingly, you should not place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements, which only reflect the views of ANGI Homeservices' management as of the date of this press release. ANGI Homeservices does not undertake to update these forward-looking statements.

About ANGI Homeservices Inc.

Through its collection of brands, ANGI Homeservices Inc. (NASDAQ: ANGI) is creating the world's largest digital marketplace for home services, connecting millions of homeowners across the globe with home service professionals. ANGI Homeservices operates brands in eight countries, including <u>HomeAdvisor®</u>, <u>Angie's List®</u>, <u>HomeStars (Canada)</u>, <u>Travaux.com</u> (France), <u>MyHammer (Germany and Austria)</u>, <u>MyBuilder (UK)</u>, <u>Werkspot (Netherlands)</u> and <u>Instapro (Italy)</u>. The company is headquartered in Golden, Colorado. For more information visit <u>www.angihomeservices.com</u>.

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