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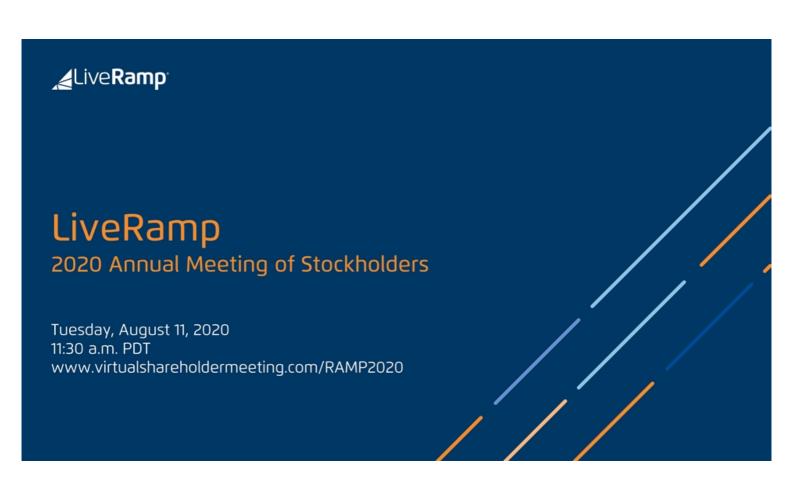
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# We Ask for Your Support

Our Board and management team value your support and encourage you to vote with us on the following ballot items at the 2020 Annual Meeting

#### 2020 LiveRamp Management Proxy Vote Recommendations

- **▼ FOR** Election of Directors
- FOR Advisory Vote to Approve Named Executive Officer Compensation
- **▼ FOR** Ratification of Independent Registered Public Accountant

#### **CEO Incentives Align with Business Transformation**

- Our executive compensation program aligns the interest of our officers with those of our stockholders and considers stockholder feedback when making compensation decisions
  - ✓ FY20 CEO target compensation was 93% "at-risk" and performance-based
  - ✓ Short- and long-term metrics align with Board and management's objectives for a successful standalone LiveRamp company
  - ✓ Designed to hold our executive officers accountable for delivering on the financial objectives communicated to stockholders
- Our Compensation Committee carefully designed a one-time performance-based award for our CEO, aligned with driving stockholder value creation
  - ✓ Intended to address the Compensation Committee's concerns about the retentive hold of our CEO's outstanding unvested equity
  - Subject to significant vesting periods and challenging performance hurdles aligned with transformation goals
  - Our CEO did not receive the "transformational" awards granted to other NEOs in connection with the sale of AMS to promote retention and motivate focus on a successful pivot of the business

### LiveRamp at a Glance

As the leading data connectivity platform powered by core identity capabilities and an unparalleled network, we enable companies and their partners to better connect, control and activate data to transform customer experiences and generate more valuable business outcomes

- Global technology company with a vision of making it safe and easy for companies to use data effectively
- Provide best-in-class enterprise data connectivity platform to help organizations better leverage customer data
- Operate an enterprise SaaS model, generating recurring, subscriptionbased revenue
- Continue to deliver new products and capabilities to our customers:
  - Scaled the Authenticated Traffic Solution
  - Accelerated Advanced TV opportunity with acquisition of Data Plus Math
  - Launched Safe Haven solution





# Response to the COVID-19 Pandemic

We have taken proactive steps during these unprecedented times and remain firmly committed to prioritizing our employees, customers and communities

#### **EMPLOYEES**

- Seamlessly transitioned 1,150 employees to working remotely
- Focus on employee engagement by increasing communications, allhands meetings, virtual events and employee feedback surveys
- Providing tools and resources needed to serve our customers in a virtual environment

#### **CUSTOMERS**

- Supporting customers and partners by offering products and solutions to help businesses become more resilient, efficient and innovative
- Committed to providing critical infrastructure required for companies to connect, control and activate data to deliver customer value and drive measurable return on investment

#### COMMUNITIES

- Stepped up our Data for Good efforts to support nonprofits on the frontlines of the crisis
- Launched a no-cost initiative to enable healthcare companies to use our products to recruit health care workers to telehealth platforms and to reach out to patients with personalized information in a time of crisis

## Sound Execution Against Growth Initiatives in FY20

We drove tremendous innovation for customers, extended our data governance capabilities, and delivered on financial promises to stockholders

# KEY BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

- Total revenue of \$381M, up 33% YoY
- Subscription revenue of \$306M, up 29% YoY
- Marketplace & other revenue of \$75M, up 53% YoY
- Returned significant value to shareholders, repurchasing 4.4M shares of our common stock for ~\$182M under our repurchase program
- Cash and cash equivalents of \$718M, with no debt at fiscal year-end
- Organic growth: Direct customers increased by 17% YoY and added dozens of new partners; launched new second-party data collaboration business
- M&A activity: Successfully integrated acquisitions of Faktor and Data Plus Math into our portfolio





1 Total Stockholder Return ("TSR") for the period 07/28/2017 to 07/28/2020, benchmarked against the Russell 2000; TSR is calculated assuming dividend reinvestment

# Performance-Based CEO Compensation Design Our executive compensation program promotes a strong link between our financial, operational,

and strategic performance and the incentives we use to motivate and reward our executives

	Award Type	Metric	Target	Performance Period	
Base Salary	Cash	Evaluated annually based on position, qualifications / experience, performance, market comparators and internal equity			
Annual	Cash	Adj. Revenue (70%)	\$365.8M	1-year	
Annual Incentive		Adj. EBIT (30%)	(\$39.6M)		
ive	PSUs	Revenue Growth (70%)	Above 28% year-over- year growth	3-year revenue CAGR	
Long-Term Incentive <sup>1</sup>	(60%)	Relative TSR (30%)	Performance above 60 <sup>th</sup> percentile and capped at target for negative TSR	3-year compared to Russell 2000	
-Foug-	RSUs (40%)	Stock Price	Based on stock price and contingent on continued employment	4-year vesting: 25% after year one, 1/16 <sup>th</sup> each quarter thereafter	



<sup>1</sup> Annual refresh equity award weighting is 60% PSUs and 40% RSUs; inclusion of one-time performance grant weighting is 79% PSUs and 21% RSUs

## Compensation Decisions to Support Transformation

Our FY20 compensation program was designed to strengthen our CEO's retentive hold, support a long-term commitment to the Company and align with stockholders' interests

- Following the sale of AMS, investors expressed concerns about losing key executive talent at the Company, and the need for incentives to ensure retention and continuity
- In FY20, our Compensation Committee granted a special one-time performance-based award to our CEO, intended to address concerns about the retentive hold of our CEO's outstanding and unvested equity awards
- Our CEO did not receive the "transformational" equity award granted to other NEOs at the time of the AMS sale to ensure retention during the business transformation
- The Committee determined this award should be entirely performance-based and will benefit our CEO only if there is sustained value creation for our stockholders

#### <u>Performance Metrics Directly Aligned</u> <u>to Stockholder Interests</u>

Performance Metric	Weighting
Three-Year Revenue CAGR	70%
Relative TSR against Russell 2000 Index	30%

- Pre-determined metrics incentivize short- and longterm sustained growth
- Accountability for delivering on financial objectives communicated to stockholders
- Appropriately balances the goals of attracting, motivating, rewarding, and retaining, therefore promoting stability in our leadership team

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## Strong Compensation Governance Profile

Compensation policies and practices are consistent with our executive compensation philosophy and designed to serve stockholders' long-term interests

#### WHAT WE DO

- ☑ Strong link between pay and performance
- Significant portion of equity awards are performance-based and "at-risk"
- Conduct annual compensation review and compensation-related risk assessment
- ☑ Retain independent compensation consultant
- ✓ Maintain clawback policy
- Provide "double trigger" change-in-control agreements
- ☑ Maintain stock ownership guidelines
- Regular stockholder engagement

#### WHAT WE DO NOT DO

- Encourage unreasonable risk taking
- Provide significant perquisites
- Experimental Permit hedging or pledging of our equity securities
- Provide excise tax gross-ups
- Pay dividends or dividend equivalents on unvested equity awards
- Permit stock option repricing without prior stockholder approval
- Provide guaranteed bonuses
- Provide "single trigger" change-in-control arrangements

