



OAK VIEW GROUP ANNOUNCES CEO TRANSITION

DENVER (July 9, 2025) – Oak View Group (“OVG”) today announced that Tim Leiweke will transition from the position of CEO to Vice Chairman of OVG’s Board of Directors. He will remain a shareholder of the company. The Board of Directors has appointed Chris Granger, President, OVG360, to serve as Interim CEO.

Tim Leiweke stated, “It has been my great honor to help found and lead OVG as it has grown into the special, customer-oriented company it is today. While I’m pleased the company has resolved its Department of Justice Antitrust Division inquiry without any charges filed or admission of wrongdoing, the last thing I want to do is distract from the accomplishments of the team or draw focus away from executing for our partners, so the Board and I decided that now is the right time to implement the succession plan that was already underway and transition out of the CEO role. In my new role as Vice Chairman of the Board and as an OVG shareholder, I remain as committed as ever to the long-term success of the company, and I know OVG, our valued partners and our customers are in great hands with Chris and the rest of our stellar leaders.”

Chris Granger stated, “I am honored to serve in this role and am looking forward to working with our deep roster of leaders and talented team as we deliver on our mission to provide the best possible service and outcome for our customers and partners.”

Lee Wittlinger, Chairman of the OVG Board of Directors, stated, “We are deeply grateful to Tim for his vision and years of dedicated service as CEO, during which OVG evolved into an exceptional, multifaceted industry leader. The Board supports Tim’s transition out of the CEO role and is implementing the succession planning process that was already underway. We thank Chris for taking on this role. As the leader of OVG360, Chris has been an instrumental driver of success for both OVG and our venue partners. We remain big believers in OVG’s ability to deliver exceptional venue management and hospitality

services and venue development capabilities that surpass the expectations of our customers and partners.”

Chris Granger Bio

Chris Granger has more than 30 years of experience in the sports and entertainment industry. Prior to joining OVG360 in 2021, Chris was Group President, Sports and Entertainment of the Detroit Tigers and Detroit Red Wings and President and Chief Operating Officer of the Sacramento Kings. He also spent fourteen years in increasingly senior roles with the National Basketball Association, including as Executive Vice President of Team Marketing and Business Operations. Chris began his career at Walt Disney World and holds a Bachelor of Science in Business Management from Cornell University and an MBA from Yale University’s School of Management.

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