# **ModernGraham Valuation**

## **Company Name:**

**American Campus** Communities, Inc.



Company Ticker Date of Analysis

9/6/2017

### Stage 1: Is this company suitable for the Defensive Investor or the Enterprising Investor?

Defensive Investor; must pass 6 out of the following 7 tests.

Adequate Size of the Enterprise	Market Cap > \$2Bil	\$6,574,392,992 Pass
2. Sufficiently Strong Financial Condition	Current Ratio > 2	0.98 Fail
3. Earnings Stability	Positive EPS for 10 years prior	Fail
Dividend Record	Dividend Payments for 10 years prior	Pass
	Increase of 33% in EPS in past 10 years using 3 year averages at	
5. Earnings Growth	beginning and end	-763.16% Fail
Moderate PEmg Ratio	PEmg < 20	60.49 Fail
7. Moderate Price to Assets	PB Ratio < 2.5 OR PB*PEmg < 50	1.83 Pass

Enterprising Investor; must pass 4 out of the following 5 tests, or be suitable for the Defensive Investor.

Sufficiently Strong Financial Condition	Current Ratio > 1.5	0.98 Fail
2. Sufficiently Strong Financial Condition	Debt to NCA < 1.1	-1,808.46 Fail
3. Earnings Stability	Positive EPS for 5 years prior	Pass
4. Dividend Record	Currently Pays Dividend	Pass
5. Earnings Growth	EPSmg greater than 5 years ago	Pass
	Score	

Suitability

Defensive No Nο Enterprising

## Stage 2: Determination of Intrinsic Value

EPSmg	\$0.80
MG Growth Estimate	2.68%
MG Value	\$11.04
MG Value based on 3% Growth	\$11.55
MG Value based on 0% Growth	\$6.77
Market Implied Growth Rate	25.99%

MG Opinion

**Current Price** \$48.19 % of Intrinsic Value 436.59%

Opinion Overvalued

MG Grade

# Stage 3: Information for Further Research

Net Current Asset Value (NCAV)	-\$19.39
Graham Number	\$20.97
PEmg	60.49
Current Ratio	0.98
PB Ratio	1.83
Current Dividend	\$1.66
Dividend Yield	3.44%
Number of Consecutive Years of Dividend	
Growth	4

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EPS History		EPSmg History	
Next Fiscal Year		l <u>.</u> <u>.</u>	
Estimate		Next Fiscal Year Estimate	\$0.80
Dec2016	\$0.75	Dec2016	\$0.81
Dec2015	\$1.02	Dec2015	\$0.83
Dec2014	\$0.58	Dec2014	\$0.71
Dec2013	\$0.98	Dec2013	\$0.68
Dec2012	\$0.65	Dec2012	\$0.42
Dec2011	\$0.80	Dec2011	\$0.23
Dec2010	\$0.26	Dec2010	\$0.01
Dec2009	-\$0.28	Dec2009	\$0.00
Dec2008	-\$0.36	Dec2008	\$0.19
Dec2007	-\$0.07	Dec2007	\$0.37
Dec2006	\$1.17	Dec2006	\$0.46
Dec2005	\$0.65	Dec2005	\$0.06
Dec2004	\$0.15	Dec2004	-\$0.22
Dec2003	-\$1.00	Dec2003	-\$0.33
Dec2002	\$0.00	Dec2002	\$0.00
Dec2001	\$0.00	Dec2001	\$0.00
Dec2000	\$0.00	Balance Sheet Information	6/1/2017
Dec1999	\$0.00	Total Current Assets	\$61,242,000
Dec1998	\$0.00	Total Current Liabilities	\$62,547,000
Dec1997	\$0.00	Long-Term Debt	\$2,360,034,000
		Total Assets	\$6,224,973,000
		Intangible Assets	\$0
		Total Liabilities	\$2,670,973,000
		Shares Outstanding (Diluted Average)	134,614,000





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