

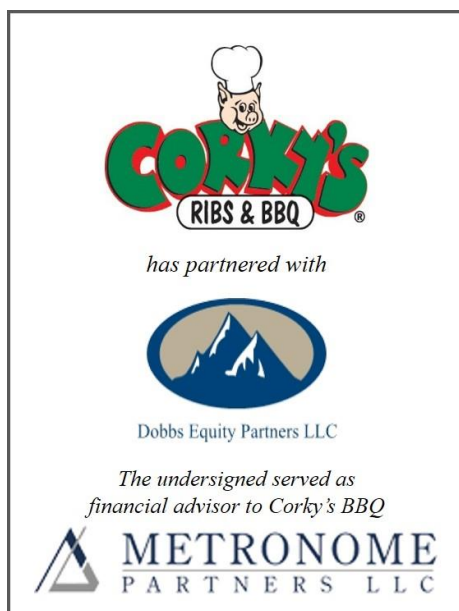
## Metronome Partners Represents Corky's BBQ in its Partnership with Dobbs Equity Partners, LLC

Metronome Partners, LLC (Metronome) served as a financial advisor to Corky's BBQ (Corky's or the Company) in its partnership with Dobbs Equity Partners, LLC (DEP).

Headquartered in Memphis, TN, Corky's is an iconic, nationally-known barbecue brand that provides Memphis-style barbecue and other food products and services across restaurants, retail, and direct-to-consumer channels. In addition to restaurants, the Company manufactures and distributes Corky's retail products and El Terrifico Cheese Dip to Walmart, Sam's Club, Costco, Publix, Kroger, and other outlets from its more than 115,000 square foot manufacturing and distribution facility. The Company is a regular contributor to the QVC shopping network along with offering full-service fulfillment and shipping for dozens of food brands nationwide. Corky's also offers full-service concierge catering for groups ranging from 10 to 10,000 people.

According to Barry Pelts and Andy Woodman, co-owners of Corky's, "Randy Karchmer and Metronome exceeded our expectations. Their commitment helped us achieve a terrific outcome for all shareholders. We truly felt it was as important to them as it was to us." Added Barry Pelts, "This was the right time to find the right partner to take the brand my father created to the next level."

DEP is a family investment company founded by John H. Dobbs, Jr. Mr. Dobbs comes from a rich history of entrepreneurs, and the Dobbs family has been investors in various businesses since 1920.



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