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Municipality of Powassan
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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Members of Council, Inhabitants and Ratepayers of The Corporation of the Municipality of Powassan

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of The Corporation of the Municipality of Powassan (the "Municipality"), which comprise of the consolidated statement of financial position as at December 31, 2014, and the consolidated statement of operations, consolidated statement of change in net debt and consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Management's Responsibility for the Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these consolidated financial statements in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of The Corporation of the Municipality of Powassan as at December 31, 2014 and the results of its operations, change in net debt and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.

BDO Canada LLP

Chartered Professional Accountants, Licensed Public Accountants

North Bay, Ontario
April 21, 2015

**The Corporation of the Municipality of Powassan
Consolidated Statement of Financial Position**

December 31	2014	2013
Financial assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 365,397	\$ 817,415
Temporary investments (Note 2)	738,633	697,598
Taxes receivable (Note 3)	715,867	642,995
Accounts receivable (Note 4)	1,317,197	1,293,197
	3,137,094	3,451,205
Liabilities		
Temporary borrowings (Note 13)	1,043,974	746,825
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Notes 8 and 15)	1,084,758	356,843
Deferred revenue (Note 7)	-	334,326
Landfill closure and post-closure costs accrual (Note 14)	88,230	69,532
Long-term debt (Note 9)	2,330,185	2,689,719
Contractual obligations (Note 10)	460,827	499,575
	5,007,974	4,696,820
Net debt	(1,870,880)	(1,245,615)
Non-financial assets		
Tangible capital assets (Note 6)	15,266,975	14,327,151
Prepaid expenses	59,775	60,141
Inventories (Note 5)	65,191	-
	15,391,941	14,387,292
Accumulated surplus (Note 12)	\$ 13,521,061	\$ 13,141,677

Commitments (Note 11)

On behalf of the Council:

Maureen Lang Treasurer

Qm 1 Mayor

The Corporation of the Municipality of Powassan Consolidated Statement of Operations

For the year ended December 31	2014 Budget (Note 17)	2014 Actual	2013 Actual
Revenues			
Taxation	\$ 2,745,821	\$ 2,787,902	\$ 2,692,558
Grants and transfer payments	1,698,640	1,750,547	1,139,465
Other	758,161	812,047	758,153
User fees	113,221	45,105	59,987
Water and sewer revenues	569,526	593,978	565,375
	<u>5,885,369</u>	<u>5,989,579</u>	<u>5,215,538</u>
Expenses (Note 18)			
General government	765,021	834,376	768,686
Protection to persons and property	805,858	825,438	738,893
Transportation services	1,037,600	1,568,830	1,357,280
Environmental services (Note 9)	281,000	747,643	769,868
Health, social and family services	531,100	509,606	490,199
Recreation and culture	1,060,349	1,000,016	924,217
Planning and development	167,510	124,286	131,385
	<u>4,648,438</u>	<u>5,610,195</u>	<u>5,180,528</u>
Annual surplus	1,236,931	379,384	35,010
Accumulated surplus, beginning of year	<u>13,141,677</u>	<u>13,141,677</u>	<u>13,106,667</u>
Accumulated surplus, end of the year	<u>\$ 14,378,608</u>	<u>\$ 13,521,061</u>	<u>\$ 13,141,677</u>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

**The Corporation of the Municipality of Powassan
Consolidated Statement of Change in Net Debt**

For the year ended December 31	2014 Budget	2014 Actual	2013 Actual
Annual surplus	\$ 1,236,931	\$ 379,384	\$ 35,010
Acquisition of tangible capital assets	(1,859,298)	(1,781,693)	(515,347)
Amortization of tangible capital assets	-	841,869	797,307
Acquisition of prepaid expenses	-	(59,775)	(60,143)
Use of prepaid expenses	-	60,141	68,420
Acquisition of inventories	-	(65,191)	-
Change in net debt	(622,367)	(625,265)	325,247
Net debt, beginning of year	(1,245,615)	(1,245,615)	(1,570,862)
Net debt, end of year	\$ (1,488,598)	\$ (1,870,880)	\$ (1,245,615)

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

The Corporation of the Municipality of Powassan Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

For the year ended December 31 2014 2013

Cash provided by (used in):

Operating activities

Annual surplus	\$ 379,384	\$ 35,010
Items not involving cash		
Amortization of tangible capital assets	841,869	797,307
Landfill closure and post closure costs accrual	18,698	(19,468)
	1,239,951	812,849

Changes in non-cash operating balances

Taxes receivable	(72,872)	(93,413)
Accounts receivable	(24,000)	320,826
Prepaid expenses	366	8,277
Inventories	(65,191)	-
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	727,915	(156,459)
Deferred revenue	(334,326)	73,072
	1,471,843	965,152

Capital activities

Purchase of tangible capital assets	(1,781,693)	(515,347)
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Investing activities

Purchase of temporary investments	(41,035)	(9,056)
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Financing activities

Principal repayments of long term debt	(359,534)	(348,076)
Proceeds from (decrease in) temporary borrowings	297,149	(98,557)
Decrease in contractual obligations	(38,748)	(55,948)
	(101,133)	(502,581)

**Decrease in cash and cash equivalents
during the year**

(452,018) (61,832)

Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year

817,415 879,247

Cash and cash equivalents, end of year

\$ 365,397 \$ 817,415

The Corporation of the Municipality of Powassan Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

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1. Significant Accounting Policies

Management Responsibility

The consolidated financial statements of The Corporation of the Municipality of Powassan (the "Municipality") are the representations of management. They have been prepared in accordance with Canadian Public Sector Accounting Standards (PSAB). The Municipality provides municipal services such as general government, fire, building, protection to persons, transportation, environmental, health, social, family, recreation, culture, planning and development services.

Reporting Entity

These consolidated statements reflect the assets, liabilities, revenues and expenditures of the reporting entity. The reporting entity is comprised of all organizations, committees and local boards accountable for the administration of their financial affairs and resources to the Municipality and which are owned or controlled by the Municipality.

The following boards, controlled by Council, have been consolidated:

Powassan & District Union Library (60%)
Sportsplex
Trout Creek Community Centre

The following joint local boards are not consolidated:

North Bay Parry Sound District Health Unit
District of Parry Sound Services Administration Board
Eastholme Home for the Aged

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Management considers all highly liquid investments with maturity of three months or less at acquisition to be cash equivalents.

Inventories

Inventory of supplies are stated at the lower of cost and replacement cost. Cost is determined on the first in, first out basis.

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1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Tangible Capital Assets Tangible capital assets are recorded at cost less accumulated amortization. Cost includes all costs directly attributable to acquisition or construction of the tangible capital asset including transportation costs, installation costs, design and engineering fees, legal fees and the site preparation costs. Contributed tangible capital assets are recorded at fair value at the time of the donation, with a corresponding amount recorded as revenue, when fair value can be reasonably estimated. Amortization is recorded on a straight-line basis over the estimated life of the tangible capital asset commencing once the asset is available for productive use as follows:

Land improvements	10 years
Buildings	10 to 50 years
Vehicles	5 to 15 years
Machinery and equipment	10 to 25 years
Office equipment, computer hardware and software	3 to 10 years
Linear assets (roads, bridges and structures)	10 to 50 years
Water and sewer	15 to 100 years
Work in process	no amortization

**Landfill Closure and
Post-closure Costs**

The estimated costs to close and maintain the Municipality's solid waste landfill sites are based on estimated future expenses in current dollars, discounted, adjusted for estimation of inflation, and are charged to expenses as the landfill site's capacity is used.

**Collection of Taxes on
Behalf of School Boards**

The Municipality collects taxation revenue on behalf of four school boards. The taxation revenues, other revenues, expenses, assets and liabilities with respect to the operations of the school boards are not reflected in these financial statements.

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1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Revenue Recognition

- a. Taxation** Taxes are recorded at estimated amounts when they meet the definition of an asset, have been authorized and the taxable event occurs. For property taxes, the taxable event is the period for which the tax is levied. The Township is entitled to collect interest and penalties on overdue taxes. These revenues are recorded in the period the interest and penalties are levied.
- b. User Fees
and Other** User fees and other revenue are recognized on an accrual basis as services are rendered and collection is reasonably assured.
- c. Government
Transfers** Government transfers, which include legislative grants, are recognized in the financial statements in the period in which the events giving rise to the transfer occurs, providing the transfers are authorized, any eligibility criteria have been met and reasonable estimates of the amount can be determined.
- d. Grant Revenue** Conditional grant revenue is recognized to the extent the conditions imposed on it have been fulfilled. Unconditional grant revenue is recognized when monies are receivable.

Grants for the acquisition of tangible capital assets are recognized in the period in which eligible expenditures are made.

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1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the consolidated financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from management's best estimates as additional information becomes available in the future. Significant items subject to such estimates include: solid waste landfill closure and post-closure liabilities, allowances for doubtful accounts and other accrued liabilities and/or obligations.

In particular, management's estimate for the landfill closure and post-closure liability is subject to measurement uncertainty. The estimate is based on assumptions and calculations contained in an engineer's report of October 9, 2013, modified as necessary for the passage of time and actual use of the landfill site. Actual results could differ significantly from those estimates because of the uncertainty related to future cost estimates and future use of the landfill site.

2. Temporary Investments

Temporary investments consist of several Guaranteed Investment Certificates purchased for \$738,633 (2013 - \$695,379) bearing interest of 1.32%, (2013 - 1.33%) maturing April 30, 2015 (2013 - April 30, 2014). At year end, the investment includes accrued interest of \$Nil (2013 - \$2,219).

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3. Taxes Receivable

	2014	2013
Current taxes	\$ 341,954	\$ 323,634
Taxes in arrears	350,616	278,214
Interest	104,266	117,420
Less: allowance for uncollectible taxes	(80,969)	(76,273)
	\$ 715,867	\$ 642,995

Property tax billings are prepared by the Municipality based on assessment rolls issued by the Municipal Property Assessment Corporation (MPAC). Tax rates are established annually by Council, incorporating amounts to be raised for local services, the requisition made by the various local boards in respect of Regional services and amounts the Municipality is required to collect on behalf of the Province of Ontario in respect of education taxes. A normal part of the assessment process is the issue of supplementary assessment rolls which provide updated information with respect to changes in property assessment. Once a supplementary assessment roll is received, the Municipality determines the taxes applicable and renders supplementary tax billings.

4. Accounts Receivable

	2014	2013
Due from provincial government	\$ 68,487	\$ 36,710
Utilities receivable	276,801	202,789
Trade receivables	174,676	93,729
HST receivable	94,659	36,414
Eastholme mortgage receivable (Note 9ii)	702,574	923,555
	\$ 1,317,197	\$ 1,293,197

5. Inventory

	2014	2013
Sand and gravel	\$ 57,004	\$ -
Fuel	6,447	-
Culverts	1,740	-
	\$ 65,191	\$ -

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6. Tangible Capital Assets

2014

	Land & Land Improvement	Buildings	Vehicles	Machinery & Equipment	Office Equipment, Computer Hardware & Software	Linear Assets	Water & Sewer	Work in Process	Total
Cost, beginning of year	\$ 368,664	\$ 6,569,815	\$ 2,143,429	\$ 1,263,285	\$ 245,604	\$ 8,117,257	\$ 4,804,009	\$ -	\$ 23,512,063
Additions	-	567,430	181,595	129,178	-	903,490	-	-	1,781,693
Disposals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cost, end of year	368,664	7,137,245	2,325,024	1,392,463	245,604	9,020,747	4,804,009	-	25,293,756
Accumulated amortization, beginning of year	11,736	1,956,426	951,284	699,668	208,962	3,878,567	1,478,269	-	9,184,912
Amortization	-	151,082	135,493	86,729	14,651	331,902	122,012	-	841,869
Disposals	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Accumulated amortization, end of year	11,736	2,107,508	1,086,777	786,397	223,613	4,210,469	1,600,281	-	10,026,781
Net carrying amount, end of year	\$ 356,928	\$ 5,029,737	\$ 1,238,247	\$ 606,066	\$ 21,991	\$ 4,810,278	\$ 3,203,728	\$ -	\$ 15,266,975

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6. Tangible Capital Assets (continued)

2013

	Land & Land Improvements	Buildings	Vehicles	Machinery & Equipment	Office Equipment, Computer Hardware & Software	Linear Assets	Water & Sewer	Work in Process	Total
Cost, beginning of year	\$ 368,664	\$ 6,569,815	\$ 1,790,007	\$ 1,263,285	\$ 245,604	\$ 7,955,332	\$ 4,804,009	\$ -	\$ 22,996,716
Additions	-	-	353,422	-	-	161,925	-	-	515,347
Cost, end of year	368,664	6,569,815	2,143,429	1,263,285	245,604	8,117,257	4,804,009	-	23,512,063
Accumulated amortization, beginning of year	11,736	1,811,018	835,759	616,142	194,311	3,562,381	1,356,258	-	8,387,605
Amortization	-	145,408	115,525	83,526	14,651	316,186	122,011	-	797,307
Accumulated amortization, end of year	11,736	1,956,426	951,284	699,668	208,962	3,878,567	1,478,269	-	9,184,912
Net carrying amount, end of year	\$ 356,928	\$ 4,613,389	\$ 1,192,145	\$ 563,617	\$ 36,642	\$ 4,238,690	\$ 3,325,740	\$ -	\$ 14,327,151

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7. Deferred Revenue

	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
Obligatory reserve funds - gas tax	\$ -	\$ 313,950
Other	-	<u>20,376</u>
	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 334,326</u>

Included in cash and cash equivalents is restricted amounts of \$Nil (2013 - \$313,950) with respect to the above obligatory reserve funds.

8. Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities

	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>
Due to school boards	\$ 765,672	\$ 185,738
Trade accounts payable	<u>319,086</u>	<u>171,105</u>
	<u>\$ 1,084,758</u>	<u>\$ 356,843</u>

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9. Long-Term Debt

- i) The balance of long-term liabilities reported on the consolidated statement of financial position is made up of the following:

	2014	2013
Debenture held by Infrastructure Ontario (OSIFA), repayable in semi-annual payments of principal and interest at 3.88%, due October 15, 2025.	\$ 1,557,865	\$ 1,669,500
Bank of Nova Scotia, repayable in blended monthly payments of \$2,494 including interest at prime plus 0.75%, due May, 2017.	69,746	96,664
OSIFA debenture for Eastholme expansion, repayable in semi-annual blended payments which include interest at 2.91% due October 16, 2017. ⁽ⁱⁱ⁾	702,574	923,555
	\$ 2,330,185	\$ 2,689,719

Principal repayments for the next year five years and thereafter are as follows:

2015	\$	369,025
2016		381,175
2017		381,019
2018		129,127
2019		134,186
Thereafter		935,653
	\$	2,330,185

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9. Long-Term Debt (continued)

Interest expense paid relating to long-term debt above is \$51,417 (2013 - \$53,889) and has been included in environmental services expense on the consolidated statement of operations.

- ii) Per Resolution No. 2001-114 the Municipality entered into a financing agreement with the Bank of Nova Scotia, on behalf of all of the supporting municipalities, for the purpose of borrowing up to \$3,000,000 to then be loaned to Eastholme Home for the Aged, to assist with the financing of its new addition. Eastholme is responsible for payments of principal and interest to the Municipality on the amounts borrowed. In October 2010 this loan was converted into a debenture owned by Infrastructure Ontario, and is repayable in semi-annual installments of principal and interest maturing October 16, 2017. The annual interest on the new debenture is 2.91% per year.

10. Contractual Obligations

	2014	2013
North Bay Regional Health Centre \$37,359 per year for twenty years (2007-2026)	\$ 448,309	\$ 485,665
Sudbury Regional Hospital \$1,392 per year for twenty years (2003-2022)	12,518	13,910
	\$ 460,827	\$ 499,575

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11. Commitments

The Municipality has entered into the following agreements:

- a. During 2013, the Municipality entered into an agreement with Ontario Clean Water Agency for water and sewer services. The agreement is effective January 1, 2013 for an initial term of five years, ending December 31, 2017 at an annual price of: \$15,094 for years one through five on the contract respectively. Commencing in year two, the price will include a CPI adjustment plus an adjustment for maintaining the insurance which is renewed annually by OWCA. The CPI adjustment shall be calculated as soon as necessary information is available from Statistics Canada. In year two of the agreement, the CPI adjustment shall be added to the annual price for year one of the agreement and for subsequent years, on a cumulative basis.
- b. During 2011 the Municipality entered into a five year commitment for policing services for a total of \$400,007 per year indexed annually to inflation rate.
- c. During 2013, the Municipality has entered into a contract for bi-weekly recycling services retroactive for the period of September 30, 2012 to September 30, 2017. The cost to the Municipality is expected to fluctuate based on the number of pick-ups in the Municipality and annual indexing for inflation.
- d. During 2011, the Municipality entered into a contract for hazmat disposal with the City of North Bay at a cost of \$2 per household (approximately \$2,698 per year).

12. Accumulated Surplus

The Municipality segregates its accumulated surplus in the following categories:

	2014	2013
Investment in tangible capital assets	\$ 15,266,975	\$ 14,327,151
General deficit	(1,979,798)	(1,332,871)
Unfunded liabilities		
Landfill closure and post closure costs	(88,230)	(69,532)
Long term debt	(2,330,185)	(2,689,719)
Contractual obligations	(460,827)	(499,575)
Reserve funds		
Working	5,100	5,100
Capital	3,108,026	3,401,123
	\$ 13,521,061	\$ 13,141,677

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13. Temporary Borrowing

The Municipality has a demand promissory note with the Bank of Nova Scotia with a limit of \$1,000,000 of which \$648,268 was used at December 31, 2014 (2013 - \$746,825). The demand loan bears interest at the rate of prime plus 0.75%.

The Municipality has a short-term credit facility with the Bank of Nova Scotia with a limit of \$600,000 of which \$395,706 was used at December 31, 2014 (2013 - \$Nil). The demand loan bears interest at the rate of 3.72%

The Municipality has an additional \$250,000 revolving term loan short-term credit facility with the Bank of Nova Scotia to assist with equipment acquisitions which was unused at the end of the year.

The Municipality has corporate credit cards with a limit of \$100,000.

14. Landfill Closure and Post-Closure Accrual

Solid waste closure and post-closure care requirements have been defined in accordance with industry standards and include final covering and landscaping of the landfill, removal of ground water leachates, and ongoing environmental monitoring, site inspection and maintenance. The present value of the Municipality's estimated future liability for this expense is calculated based on the ratio of utilization to total capacity of the landfill site and the discounted estimated cash flows associated with closure and post-closure activities. The reported liability as at year end was \$88,230 (2013 - \$69,532) and reflects a discount rate of 3.75% (2013 - 3.75%).

The liability is based on estimates and assumptions related to events extending over the remaining life of the landfill. The landfill is expected to reach its capacity in 148 years and the estimated remaining capacity is 740,583 cubic metres which is 96% (2013 - 97%) of the site's total capacity. The total undiscounted estimated future expenditures for closure and post-closure care are \$3,183,193 leaving an amount to be recognized of \$3,094,963. The estimated length of time needed for post-closure care is 25 years.

Municipal reserves for the landfill site total \$62,701 (2013 - \$52,701).

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15. Employment Benefits Accrual

Under the employee benefit plan, sick leave and overtime worked can accumulate over years of employment. Employees are not entitled to a cash payment for sick leave when they leave the Municipality's employment.

The liability for accumulated overtime that could be taken in cash by an employee on termination amounted to \$11,979 (2013 - \$11,979) at the end of the year. This amount is included in accounts payable and accrued liabilities on the consolidated statement of financial position. The amount is not expected to be paid out in 2015.

16. Pension Agreements

The Municipality makes contributions to the Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement Fund ("OMERS"), which is a multi-employer pension plan, on behalf of full-time members of staff. The plan is a defined benefit plan, which specifies the amount of the retirement benefit to be received by the employees based on the length of service and rates of pay. The Administration Corporation Board of Directors, representing plan members and employers, is responsible for overseeing the management of the pension plan, including investment of the assets and administration of the benefits. OMERS provides pension services to more than 451,115 active and retired members and approximately 974 employers.

Each year an independent actuary determines the funding status of OMERS Primary Pension Plan (the Plan) by comparing the actuarial value of invested assets to the estimated present value of all pension benefits that members have earned to date. The most recent actuarial valuation of the Plan was conducted at December 31, 2014. The results of this valuation disclosed total actuarial liabilities of \$76,924 million in respect of benefits accrued for service with actuarial assets at that date of \$69,846 million indicating an actuarial deficit of \$7,078 million. Because OMERS is a multi-employer plan, any pension plan surpluses or deficits are a joint responsibility of Ontario municipal organizations and their employees. As a result, the Municipality does not recognize any share of the OMERS pension surplus or deficit. Contributions made by the Municipality to OMERS for 2014 were \$84,398 (2013 - \$67,556).

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17. Budget

The Budget By-law adopted by Council on May 6, 2014 was not prepared on a basis consistent with that used to report actual results (Public Sector Accounting Standards). The budget was prepared on a modified accrual basis while Public Sector Accounting Standards now require a full accrual basis. The budget figures anticipated use surpluses accumulated in previous years to reduce current year expenditures in excess of current year revenues to \$Nil. In addition, the budget expensed all tangible capital expenditures rather than including amortization expense. As a result, the budget figures presented in the statements of operations and change in net financial assets represent the Financial Plan adopted by Council on May 6, 2014 with adjustments as follows:

	2014
Budget By-law surplus for the year	\$ -
Add:	
Investment in tangible capital assets	1,859,298
Debt repayment	100,000
Transfers to reserve funds	242,723
Less:	
Transfers from reserve funds	(965,090)
Budget surplus per statement of operations	\$ 1,236,931

18. Expenses by Object

The following is a summary of the expenses reported on the consolidated statement of operations by object:

	2014	2013
Salaries, wages and employee benefits	\$ 1,604,315	\$ 1,327,387
Materials and supplies	1,970,527	1,887,339
Contracted services	1,113,435	1,051,402
Net long-term debt charges (interest)	76,023	110,403
External transfers	4,025	6,689
Amortization expense	841,870	797,308
	\$ 5,610,195	\$ 5,180,528

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19. Trust Funds

Trust funds administered by the Municipality amounting to \$12,600 (2013 - \$12,600) are held in trust by the Municipality for the benefit of others. These funds are included on the statement of financial position as cash and cash equivalents and accounts payable and accrued liabilities.

20. Comparative Figures

Certain comparative information has been revised to conform with current year presentation.

21. Segmented Information Disclosures

The Municipality is a diversified municipal government institution that provides a wide range of services to its citizens such as police and fire. Distinguishable functional segments have been separately disclosed in the segmented information. The nature of the segments and the activities they encompass are as follows:

Council

This relates to the revenues and expenses that are directly attributable to municipal Council functions.

General Government

This relates to the revenues and expenses of the Municipality itself and cannot be directly attributed to specific segments.

Protection to Persons and Property

Protection is comprised of police services, building department, fire department, animal control and livestock evaluators. The police services work to ensure the safety and protection of the citizens and their property. The building department provides a number of services including maintenance and enforcement of building and construction codes. The fire department is responsible to provide fire suppression service, fire prevention programs, training and education. The members of the fire department consist of volunteers.

Transportation Services

Transportation is responsible for maintaining the Municipality's roadway systems.

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21. Segmented Information Disclosures (continued)

Environmental Services

Environmental services consists of providing recycling and waste disposal to citizens as well as water and sewer services.

Health, Social and Family Services

Health services are comprised of public health services which works to improve the overall health of the population by providing services to individuals and communities. Social and family services provides services that are meant to help the less fortunate in society. Social housing is provided to help shelter families and elderly in need. Child care funding is provided to subsidize day cares and to provide early learning programs. The ambulance service transports the injured to the hospital and provides emergency medical care to those in distress.

Recreation and Culture

Recreation and culture represents cultural activity support within the Municipality. This includes maintenance and upkeep of parks, running recreation programs, and providing library services.

Planning and Economic Development

The planning department provides a number of services including municipal planning and review of all property development plans through its application process. The economic development department provides services to generate opportunities in the community and to strengthen the economic base of the Municipality.

The accounting policies of the segments are the same as those described in the summary of significant accounting policies. In measuring and reporting segment revenue from transactions with other segments, inter segment transfers are measured on the basis of the percentage of budgeted expenses.

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21. Segmented Information Disclosures (continued)

	Council	General Government	Protection to Persons and Property	Transportation Services	Environmental Water	Environmental Sewer	Environmental Landfill	Health, Social & Family Services	Recreation and Culture	Planning and Economic Development	Unallocated Amounts	2014 Total
Revenues												
Taxation	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,787,902	\$ 2,787,902
Grants and transfer payments	-	-	-	537,689	-	-	-	-	271,033	-	941,825	1,750,547
Other	-	7,809	96,282	23,546	-	-	90,462	103,784	465,569	-	24,595	812,047
User charges	-	5,705	28,776	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,624	-	45,105
Water and sewer	-	-	-	-	401,739	192,239	-	-	-	-	-	593,978
	-	13,514	125,058	561,235	401,739	192,239	90,462	103,784	736,602	10,624	3,754,322	5,989,579
Expenses												
Salaries and benefits	54,226	359,382	183,959	499,714	23,912	18,333	85,494	33,584	292,882	52,829	-	1,604,315
Materials	48,883	213,444	114,529	616,761	38,431	47,677	204,634	75,875	538,836	71,457	-	1,970,527
Contracted services	-	91,738	460,374	-	92,371	59,121	2,748	379,400	27,683	-	-	1,113,435
Interest	-	(2,794)	-	-	51,417	-	-	3,010	24,390	-	-	76,023
External transfers	4,025	-	66,576	452,355	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,025
Amortization	-	65,472	-	-	104,351	19,154	-	17,737	116,225	-	-	841,870
	107,134	727,242	825,438	1,568,830	310,482	144,285	292,876	509,606	1,000,016	124,286	-	5,610,195
Annual (deficit) surplus	\$ (107,134)	\$ (713,728)	\$ (700,380)	\$ (1,007,595)	\$ 91,257	\$ 47,954	\$ (202,414)	\$ (405,822)	\$ (263,414)	\$ (113,662)	\$ 3,754,322	\$ 379,384

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21. Segmented Information Disclosures (continued)

	Council	General Government	Protection to Persons and Property	Transportation Services	Environmental Water	Environmental Sewer	Environmental Landfill	Health, Social & Family Services	Recreation and Culture	Planning and Economic Development	Unallocated Amounts	2013 Total
Revenues												
Taxation	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,692,558	\$ 2,692,558
Grants and transfer payments	-	-	-	143,878	-	-	-	-	23,035	-	972,552	1,139,465
Other	-	15,159	94,417	26,766	-	-	104,686	79,843	413,122	-	24,160	758,153
User charges	-	6,213	28,033	-	-	-	-	-	-	25,741	-	59,987
Water and sewer	-	-	-	-	385,054	180,321	-	-	-	-	-	565,375
Gas tax	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	-	21,372	122,450	170,644	385,054	180,321	104,686	79,843	436,157	25,741	3,689,270	5,215,538
Expenses												
Salaries and benefits	51,845	280,561	141,860	385,120	29,316	23,114	66,793	27,327	269,382	52,069	-	1,327,387
Materials	38,220	231,351	127,761	549,582	38,349	81,917	199,029	47,803	494,011	79,316	-	1,887,339
Contracted services	-	90,815	405,124	-	96,431	58,908	110	372,384	27,631	-	-	1,051,403
Interest	-	5,694	-	-	53,889	-	-	24,948	25,872	-	-	110,403
External transfers	6,689	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,689
Amortization	-	63,511	64,148	422,578	102,858	19,154	-	17,737	107,321	-	-	797,307
	96,754	671,932	738,893	1,357,280	320,843	183,093	265,932	490,199	924,217	131,385	-	5,180,528
Annual (deficit) surplus	\$ (96,754)	\$ (650,560)	\$ (616,443)	\$ (1,186,636)	\$ 64,211	\$ (2,772)	\$ (161,246)	\$ (410,356)	\$ (488,060)	\$ (105,644)	\$ 3,689,270	\$ 35,010