

**EAGLE LAKE FIRST NATION
CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2019**

EAGLE LAKE FIRST NATION
MANAGEMENT'S REPORT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2019

Management's Responsibility for the Consolidated Financial Statements

The accompanying consolidated financial statements of Eagle Lake First Nation are the responsibility of management and have been approved by the Council.

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared by management in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards prescribed for governments as recommended by the Public Sector Accounting Board of Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada and as such include amounts that are the best estimates and judgments of management.

Management is responsible for the integrity and objectivity of these statements and for implementing and maintaining a system of internal controls to provide reasonable assurance that reliable financial information is produced.

The Council is responsible for ensuring that management fulfills its responsibilities for financial reporting and internal control and is ultimately responsible for reviewing and approving the consolidated financial statements.

The Council meets periodically with management, as well as the external auditors, to discuss internal controls over the financial reporting process, auditing matters and financial reporting issues, to satisfy themselves that each party is properly discharging their responsibilities, and to review the consolidated financial statements and the external auditor's report.

The external auditors, Heartland Chartered Professional Accountants LLP, conduct an independent examination, in accordance with Canadian auditing standards, and express their opinion on the consolidated financial statements. The external auditors have full and free access to financial management of Eagle Lake First Nation and meet when required.

On behalf of Eagle Lake First Nation:


Arnold Gauthier
Chief


Dista Kaveneugh
Councillor


D. K.
Councillor


William D.
Councillor

September 30, 2019

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members of Eagle Lake First Nation:

Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Eagle Lake First Nation (the "First Nation"), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at March 31, 2019, and the consolidated statements of operations and accumulated surplus, change in net debt and cash flows for the year then ended, and the notes to the financial statements.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of Eagle Lake First Nation as at March 31, 2019 and the results of its consolidated operations and its consolidated cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the First Nation in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with those requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the 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 financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the First Nation's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters relating to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the First Nation or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the First Nation's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

A further description of the auditor's responsibilities for the audit of the financial statements is located at Heartland CPAs' website at: heartlandcpa.com/auditorsresponsibilities. This description forms part of our auditor's report.



EAGLE LAKE FIRST NATION
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
AS AT MARCH 31, 2019

	2019	2018
FINANCIAL ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents (Note 2)	\$ 3,068,275	3,487,487
Accounts receivable (Note 3)	1,082,285	256,342
Trust funds held by the federal government (Note 4)	<u>69,045</u>	<u>67,267</u>
	<u>4,219,605</u>	<u>3,811,096</u>
LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 6)	912,601	757,094
Incomplete projects (Note 7)	3,912,589	2,990,789
Long-term debt (Note 8)	<u>1,825,249</u>	<u>2,016,979</u>
	<u>6,650,439</u>	<u>5,764,862</u>
NET DEBT	\$ 2,430,834	<u>1,953,766</u>
NON-FINANCIAL ASSETS		
Tangible capital assets (Note 5)	<u>8,601,801</u>	<u>7,181,819</u>
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS	\$ 6,170,967	<u>5,228,053</u>

APPROVED ON BEHALF OF THE FIRST NATION:

 CHIEF
 COUNCILLOR

 COUNCILLOR
 COUNCILLOR

EAGLE LAKE FIRST NATION
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND ACCUMULATED SURPLUS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2019

	2019	2018
REVENUE		
ISC (Page 13)	\$ 4,891,778	3,673,510
Health Canada (Page 41)	897,646	928,634
Federal Government - other	25,772	60,380
Province of Ontario	2,791,042	1,039,157
Business enterprises - net	(204,375)	(160,765)
CMHC - rental subsidies	154,219	63,637
Other	2,920,226	2,208,928
Net transfer to incomplete projects	<u>(921,800)</u>	<u>(900,427)</u>
	<u>10,554,508</u>	<u>6,913,054</u>
EXPENSES		
Community development	2,405,766	2,137,768
Economic development	1,302,261	277,321
Education	1,723,155	1,509,327
Government support	933,424	653,978
Social development	889,173	1,029,759
Governance	35,249	-
Health	1,419,686	1,004,401
Amortization	<u>902,880</u>	<u>871,220</u>
	<u>9,611,594</u>	<u>7,483,774</u>
ANNUAL SURPLUS (DEFICIT)	<u>942,914</u>	<u>(570,720)</u>
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	<u>5,228,053</u>	<u>5,798,773</u>
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS AT END OF YEAR	\$ 6,170,967	5,228,053

EAGLE LAKE FIRST NATION
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGE IN NET DEBT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2019

	2019	2018
ANNUAL SURPLUS (DEFICIT)	\$ 942,914	(570,720)
Acquisition of tangible capital assets	(2,322,862)	(1,074,089)
Amortization of tangible capital assets	<u>902,880</u>	<u>871,220</u>
CHANGE IN NET DEBT	(477,068)	(773,589)
NET DEBT AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	<u>1,953,766</u>	<u>1,180,177</u>
NET DEBT AT END OF YEAR	\$ <u>2,430,834</u>	<u>1,953,766</u>

EAGLE LAKE FIRST NATION
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2019

	2019	2018
OPERATING TRANSACTIONS		
Annual surplus (deficit)	\$ 942,914	(570,720)
Item not affecting cash:		
Amortization	902,880	871,220
	1,845,794	300,500
Change in non-cash charges to operations:		
Accounts receivable	(825,943)	33,457
Trust funds held by the federal government	(1,778)	20,635
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	155,507	148,382
Incomplete projects	921,800	989,442
	<u>2,095,380</u>	<u>1,492,416</u>
CAPITAL TRANSACTIONS		
Purchase of tangible capital assets	<u>(2,322,862)</u>	<u>(1,074,089)</u>
FINANCING TRANSACTIONS		
Proceeds from long-term debt	-	1,024,000
Debt retirement	<u>(191,730)</u>	<u>(142,904)</u>
	<u>(191,730)</u>	<u>881,096</u>
(DECREASE) INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(419,212)	1,299,423
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	3,487,487	2,188,064
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR	\$ 3,068,275	3,487,487

EAGLE LAKE FIRST NATION

NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2019

1) SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

a) Basis of accounting

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards prescribed for governments as recommended by the Public Sector Accounting Board of the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada.

b) Reporting entity

The Eagle Lake First Nation reporting entity includes the Eagle Lake First Nation government and all related entities that are controlled by the First Nation.

c) Principles of consolidation

All controlled entities are fully consolidated on a line-by-line basis except for the commercial enterprises which meet the definition of government business enterprise, which are included in the Consolidated Financial Statements on a modified equity basis. Inter-organizational balances and transactions are eliminated upon consolidation.

Under the modified equity method of accounting, only Eagle Lake First Nations investment in the government business enterprise and the enterprise's net income and other changes in equity are recorded. No adjustment is made for accounting policies of the enterprise that are different from those of Eagle Lake First Nation.

Organizations accounted for on a modified equity basis:

- Ojibway Paradise Resort
- Bingo Palace
- 1157065 Ontario Inc. (o/a Eagle Lake Contractors)
- Migisi Logging
- Recreation (Arena) Operations
- Concession Operation

d) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, balances with banks net of bank overdrafts and term deposits having a maturity of three months or less at acquisition which are held for the purpose of meeting short-term cash commitments.

e) Portfolio investments

Portfolio investments are recorded at cost. Portfolio investments are written down where there has been a loss in value that is other than a temporary decline.

e) Tangible capital assets

Tangible capital assets acquired after March 31, 1999 are recorded at cost, which includes amounts that are directly related to the acquisition, design, construction, development, improvement or betterment of the assets. Cost includes overhead directly attributable to construction and development, as well as interest costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or construction of the asset. Tangible capital assets acquired prior to April 1, 1999 were recorded at insured values at that date.

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NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2019

1) SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

e) Tangible capital assets (continued)

Leases that transfer substantially all the benefits and risks of ownership to the lessee are recorded as capital leases. Accordingly, at the inception of the leases, the tangible capital asset and related lease obligations are recorded at an amount equal to the present value of future lease payments discounted at the lower of the interest rate inherent in the lease contracts and Eagle Lake First Nation incremental cost of borrowing.

Amortization is provided at the following rates and methods:

Buildings - CMHC	Amount of principal repayment of mortgage
Buildings - other	5% straight line
Infrastructure	5% straight line
Equipment	20% straight line
Vehicles	30% straight line

Tangible capital assets are written down when conditions indicate that they no longer contribute to Eagle Lake First Nation's ability to provide goods and services, or when the value of future economic benefits associated with the tangible capital assets are less than their net book value. The net write-downs are accounted for as expenses in the consolidated statement of operations.

Contributed capital assets are recorded into revenue at their fair value on the date of donation, except in circumstances where fair value cannot be reasonably determined, in which case they are recognized at nominal value. Transfers of capital assets from related parties are recorded at carrying value.

Certain assets which have historical or cultural value, including works of art, historical documents and historical and cultural artifacts, are not recognized as tangible capital assets. Assets under construction are not amortized until the asset is available to be put into service.

f) Revenue recognition

Revenue is recognized in the period in which the transactions or events occurred that gave rise to the revenue. All revenue is recorded on an accrual basis, except when the accruals cannot be determined with a reasonable degree of certainty or when their estimation is impracticable.

Government transfers are recognized as revenue when the transfer is authorized and any eligibility criteria are met, except to the extent that transfer stipulations give rise to an obligation that meets the definition of a liability. Transfers are recognized as deferred revenue when transfer stipulations give rise to a liability. Transfer revenue is recognized in the consolidated statement of operations as the stipulation liabilities are settled.

Contributions from other sources are deferred when restrictions are placed on their use by the contributor, and are recognized as revenue when used for the specific purpose.

Revenue related to fees or services received in advance of the fee being earned or the service is performed is deferred and recognized when the fee is earned or service performed.

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NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
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1) SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

g) Measurement uncertainty

In preparing the consolidated financial statements for Eagle Lake First Nation, management is required to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, and disclosure of contingent liabilities, at the date of the consolidated financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the period. Items requiring the use of significant estimates include the allowance for doubtful accounts and the estimated life of tangible capital assets. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

2) CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

Under the terms of an agreement with Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation, Eagle Lake First Nation must set aside funds annually for the repair, maintenance and replacement of worn out assets. Their funds are to be held in a separate bank account and invested only in accounts or instruments insured by the Canada Deposit Insurance Corporation or as otherwise approved by the Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation with any interest earned to be credited as revenue to the Replacement Reserve Fund. Cash and cash equivalents is comprised of the following:

	2019	2018
Externally restricted		
Replacement Reserve Fund	\$ 144,318	125,100
Operating Surplus Fund	88,572	132,011
Internally restricted		
Incomplete projects	3,912,589	2,990,789
Unrestricted	<u>(1,077,204)</u>	<u>239,587</u>
Total cash and cash equivalents	<u><u>\$ 3,068,275</u></u>	<u><u>3,487,487</u></u>

3) ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

	2019	2018
Trade receivables	\$ 365,141	165,452
Due from government and other government organizations		
Federal government		
Indigenous Services Canada	655,776	37,500
Health Canada	37,621	14,502
Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation	12,329	5,303
Provincial government	11,418	33,585
Total Accounts Receivable	<u><u>\$ 1,082,285</u></u>	<u><u>256,342</u></u>

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FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2019

4) TRUST FUNDS HELD BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

	<u>March 31, 2018</u>	<u>Additions 2019</u>	<u>Withdrawals 2019</u>	<u>March 31, 2019</u>
Revenue	\$ 12,858	1,778	-	14,636
Capital	<u>54,409</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>54,409</u>
	<u>\$ 67,267</u>	<u>1,778</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>69,045</u>

The trust funds arise from monies derived from capital or revenue sources as outlined in Section 62 of the Indian Act. These funds are held in trust in the Consolidated Revenue Fund of the Government of Canada. The management of these funds is primarily governed by Sections 63 to 69 of the Indian Act.

5) TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS

	2019		2018	
	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Accumulated Amortization</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Accumulated Amortization</u>
Buildings - CMHC	\$ 3,810,620	610,987	3,810,620	520,174
Buildings - other	17,951,691	14,480,780	17,448,580	13,922,408
Infrastructure	5,617,628	4,118,746	4,199,190	3,908,787
Equipment	1,654,081	1,309,334	1,309,334	1,309,334
Vehicles	<u>745,205</u>	<u>657,576</u>	<u>688,638</u>	<u>613,840</u>
	<u>\$ 29,779,225</u>	<u>21,177,423</u>	<u>27,456,362</u>	<u>20,274,543</u>
Net book value	<u>\$ 8,601,802</u>		<u>\$ 7,181,819</u>	

6) ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES

	2019	2018
Trade payables	\$ 807,689	679,237
Vacation pay accrual	<u>104,912</u>	<u>77,857</u>
	<u>\$ 912,601</u>	<u>757,094</u>

The vacation pay liability is comprised of the vacation pay that employees are deferring to future years. Employees have either earned the benefits or are entitled to these benefits within the next budgetary year.

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7) INCOMPLETE PROJECTS

	Balance March 31, 2018	Funding Received 2019	Revenue Recognized 2019	Balance March 31, 2019
<u>Federal Government</u>				
Capital projects	\$ 585,395	762,789	(668,933)	679,251
Other	251,398	600,940	(251,398)	600,940
	<u>836,793</u>	<u>1,363,729</u>	<u>(920,331)</u>	<u>1,280,191</u>
<u>Provincial Government</u>				
Capital projects	76,190	-	-	76,190
Other	38,263	452,604	(38,263)	452,604
	<u>114,453</u>	<u>452,604</u>	<u>(38,263)</u>	<u>528,794</u>
<u>Other</u>				
Restricted contributions	\$ 2,039,543	782,903	(718,842)	2,103,604
	<u>\$ 2,990,789</u>	<u>2,599,236</u>	<u>(1,677,436)</u>	<u>3,912,589</u>

8) LONG-TERM DEBT

	2019	2018
CMHC - Capital Fund		
4.64% mortgage loan payable at \$285 monthly including principal and interest, maturing January 1, 2022, secured by 1 rental house	\$ 9,063	11,991
2.68% mortgage loan payable at \$4,878 monthly including principal and interest, maturing October 1, 2023, secured by 14 rental houses	696,640	736,952
2.41% mortgage payable at \$6,812 monthly including principal and interest, maturing April 1, 2023, secured by 5 rental houses	976,127	1,024,000
Royal Bank of Canada - Community Building expansion loan		
The loan is repayable at \$8,410 monthly plus interest at Royal Bank prime plus 1.25%, maturing September 13, 2018	143,119	244,036
	<u>\$ 1,824,949</u>	<u>2,016,979</u>

Anticipated annual principal payments over the next five years are as follows:

March 31, 2020	196,238
March 31, 2021	146,993
March 31, 2022	106,965
March 31, 2023	106,829
March 31, 2024	109,553

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9) EXPENSES BY OBJECT

The following is a summary of expenses by object:

	2019	2018
Salaries, wages and benefits	\$ 3,925,187	3,252,394
Staff development	21,573	34,750
Supplies and services	3,753,188	2,540,202
Interest	20,870	20,183
Professional services	363,822	335,647
Rental expenditures	10,309	8,876
Fees and contract services	613,765	420,502
Amortization	902,880	871,220
	<hr/> \$ 9,611,594	<hr/> 7,483,774

10) COMPARATIVE FIGURES

Comparative figures have been provided where practicable in the Schedules of Revenue and Expenditure. Certain comparative figures have been reclassified to conform to the current year's method of presentation.

EAGLE LAKE FIRST NATION

SUMMARY OF ISC FUNDING

FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2019

(Unaudited)

	PAGE	REVENUE					EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURE	
		TRANSFER					EXPENDITURE	EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OVER EXPENDITURE
		FROM	TO	INCOMPLETE	INCOMPLETE	TOTAL		
	PAGE	ISC	OTHER					
Band support	14	\$ 308,856	322,978	-	-	631,834	853,724	(221,890)
Band employee benefits	15	53,250	-	-	-	53,250	64,874	(11,624)
CFS travel	15	681	-	-	-	681	681	-
Community based initiatives	16	213,310	-	-	(145,374)	67,936	67,936	-
Estates	16	40,866	-	-	(30,998)	9,868	9,868	-
PIDP	17	90,000	-	35,000	(90,000)	35,000	35,249	(249)
Skills Link	17	3,078	-	-	-	3,078	3,378	(300)
Summer work experience	17	3,180	-	-	-	3,180	3,180	-
Day care	18	9,800	278,765	-	-	288,565	398,707	(110,142)
Education	19	2,188,994	275,781	39,043	(184,868)	2,318,950	2,341,516	(22,566)
Social services	27	88,600	489,657	-	-	578,257	536,887	41,370
Capital	30	1,606,003	1,187,485	762,750	(679,251)	2,876,987	3,005,607	(128,620)
Economic development	35	245,563	89,902	15,752	(148,313)	202,904	205,298	(2,394)
Lands and resources	38	39,597	212,306	38,263	(9,355)	280,811	272,875	7,936
		\$ 4,891,778	2,856,874	890,808	(1,288,159)	7,351,301	7,799,780	(448,479)