

**SADDLE LAKE CREE NATION**  
**Consolidated Financial Statements**  
**Year Ended March 31, 2019**

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## **MANAGEMENT'S RESPONSIBILITY FOR FINANCIAL REPORTING**

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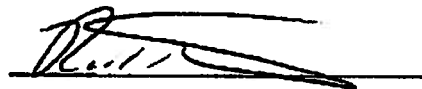
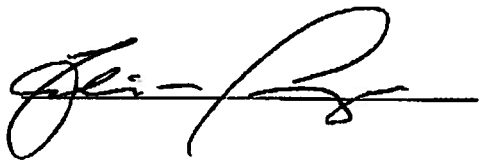
The consolidated financial statements of Saddle Lake Cree Nation have been prepared in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards. When alternative accounting methods exist, management has chosen those it deems most appropriate in the circumstances. These statements include certain amounts based on management's estimates and judgments. Management has determined such amounts based on a reasonable basis in order to ensure that the financial statements are presented fairly in all material respects.

The integrity and reliability of Saddle Lake Cree Nation's reporting systems are achieved through the use of formal policies and procedures, the careful selection of employees and an appropriate division of responsibilities. These systems are designed to provide reasonable assurance that the financial information is reliable and accurate.

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

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 satisfying themselves that each party is properly discharging their responsibilities, and to review the consolidated financial statements and the external auditor's report.

The consolidated financial statements have been audited on behalf of the members by Kingston Ross Pasnak LLP, in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.



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## **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT**

To the Members of Saddle Lake Cree Nation

### **Qualified Opinion**

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of Saddle Lake Cree Nation (the Nation), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at March 31, 2019, and the consolidated statements of revenues and expenditures, changes in net financial assets and cash flow for the year then ended, consolidated schedule of total expenses by object, and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, except for the possible effects of the matter described in the *Basis for Qualified Opinion* section of our report, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Nation as at March 31, 2019, and the results of its operations and its cash flow for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.

### **Basis for Qualified Opinion**

Investments in government business enterprises and long term investments, which are accounted for by the modified equity method, are carried on the consolidated statement of financial position as at March 31, 2019 and March 31, 2018. Saddle Lake Cree Nation's share of these enterprises' net income is included in Saddle Lake Cree Nation's consolidated surplus of revenue over expenditures for the years then ended. We were unable to obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence about the carrying amount of the Nation's investment and equity in these enterprises as at March 31, 2019 and March 31, 2018 and the Nation's share of these enterprises' net income for the years then ended. Consequently, we were unable to determine whether any adjustments to these amounts were necessary. Our audit opinion on the consolidated financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2018 was modified accordingly because of the possible effects of this limitation of scope.

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 Consolidated Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Nation in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated 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 qualified audit opinion.

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

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the 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.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the 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 Nation or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

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

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## Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of Saddle Lake Cree Nation (continued)

### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated 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 consolidated financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit 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 Nation's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Nation's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Nation to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Nation to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.



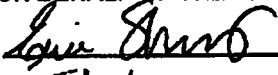
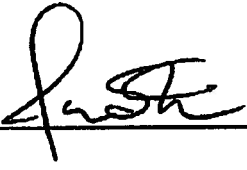
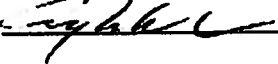
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**Kingston Ross Pasnak LLP**  
Chartered Professional Accountants

**SADDLE LAKE CREE NATION**  
**Consolidated Statement of Financial Position**  
**March 31, 2019**

	2019	2018
<b>FINANCIAL ASSETS</b>		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 11,635,380	\$ 17,121,551
Accounts receivable (Note 3)	4,251,043	2,722,027
Restricted short term investments (Note 4)	272,324	272,324
Investment in government business enterprises (Note 5)	1,483,147	1,221,926
Long term investments (Note 6)	6,826,127	6,825,652
Restricted capital trust funds (Note 8)	629,051	867,505
Restricted revenue trust funds (Note 8)	703,781	736,424
	<b>25,800,853</b>	<b>29,767,409</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	2,567,936	2,640,779
Deferred revenue (Note 9)	7,279,408	12,103,204
Long term debt (Note 10)	1,822,497	1,186,282
Obligations under capital lease (Note 11)	112,979	196,446
	<b>11,782,820</b>	<b>16,126,711</b>
<b>CONTINGENCIES (Note 14)</b>		
<b>NET FINANCIAL ASSETS</b>	<b>14,018,033</b>	<b>13,640,698</b>
<b>NON-FINANCIAL ASSETS</b>		
Tangible capital assets (Note 12)	38,503,387	28,218,094
Deposits and prepaid expenses	915,388	733,345
	<b>39,418,775</b>	<b>28,951,439</b>
<b>ACCUMULATED SURPLUS (Note 13)</b>	<b>\$ 53,436,809</b>	<b>\$ 42,592,139</b>

**ON BEHALF OF THE NATION**

	Chief		Councilor
	Councilor		Councilor
	Councilor		Councilor
	Councilor		Councilor
	Councilor		Councilor

**SADDLE LAKE CREE NATION**  
**Consolidated Statement of Revenues and Expenditures**  
**For the Year Ended March 31, 2019**

	Budget 2019 (unaudited)	2019	2018
<b>REVENUE</b>			
Indigenous Service Canada (ISC)	\$ 27,544,996	\$ 47,186,580	\$ 43,112,677
First Nations and Inuit Health Branch (FNIHB)	7,083,867	9,673,571	9,534,536
Other revenue	1,963,900	5,395,641	5,715,184
Province of Alberta	11,025	2,632,501	3,167,556
Aboriginal Human Resource Development (AHRD)	1,958,741	1,710,588	1,884,978
First Nations Development Fund (FNDF)	202,000	1,356,929	1,366,881
Child Tax Benefit	219,181	480,571	442,368
Capital trust funds (Note 8)	-	400,000	650,000
Revenue trust funds (Note 8)	285,000	355,000	354,500
Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC)	-	239,360	300,797
Contributions carried forward from prior year (Note 9)	12,103,203	12,049,174	11,170,502
Contributions carried forward to next year (Note 9)	-	(7,279,408)	(12,103,204)
	51,371,913	74,200,507	65,596,775
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>			
Child Welfare	5,181,792	13,523,351	13,272,840
Public Works	5,921,875	10,462,120	8,351,942
Education	11,430,341	9,627,616	8,579,328
Tribal Administration	3,513,943	8,149,456	7,329,583
Social Assistance	9,097,443	7,920,045	7,822,449
Health Services	7,932,287	7,094,641	6,076,199
Post Secondary Education	3,439,111	3,521,114	3,369,736
Human Resources Development	1,597,041	1,481,724	1,558,753
Social Services	1,661,995	1,489,649	1,639,035
Other Health	-	93,196	174,963
	49,775,828	63,362,912	58,174,828
<b>SURPLUS FROM OPERATIONS</b>	1,596,085	10,837,595	7,421,947
<b>OTHER INCOME (EXPENSES)</b>			
(Loss) income from Government Business Enterprises (Note 5)	-	190,256	108,719
Income from long term investments	-	85,919	(196,862)
Gain on disposal of assets	-	1,997	-
	-	278,172	(88,143)
<b>SURPLUS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES</b>	1,596,085	11,115,767	7,333,804
<b>ACCUMULATED SURPLUS - BEGINNING OF YEAR</b>	42,592,139	42,592,139	35,710,955
<b>Net change in trust funds</b>	-	(271,097)	(452,620)
<b>ACCUMULATED SURPLUS - END OF YEAR</b>	\$ 44,188,224	\$ 53,436,809	\$ 42,592,139

**SADDLE LAKE CREE NATION****Consolidated Statement of Changes in Net Financial Assets****Year Ended March 31, 2019**

	Budget 2019 (Unaudited)	2019	2018
<b>SURPLUS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>\$ 1,596,085</b>	<b>\$ 11,115,767</b>	<b>\$ 7,333,804</b>
Acquisition of tangible capital assets	-	(12,630,671)	(7,909,367)
Disposal of tangible capital assets	-	25,003	10,408
Amortization of tangible capital assets	-	2,320,375	1,780,785
Increase in deposits and prepaid expenses	-	(182,042)	52,620
Net change in trust funds	-	(271,097)	(452,620)
	-	(10,738,432)	(6,518,174)
<b>INCREASE IN NET FINANCIAL ASSETS</b>	<b>1,596,085</b>	<b>377,335</b>	<b>815,630</b>
Net financial assets - beginning of year	13,640,698	13,640,698	12,825,068
<b>NET FINANCIAL ASSETS - END OF YEAR</b>	<b>\$ 15,236,783</b>	<b>\$ 14,018,033</b>	<b>\$ 13,640,698</b>



**SADDLE LAKE CREE NATION**  
**Consolidated Statement of Cash Flow**  
**Year Ended March 31, 2019**

	2019	2018
<b>OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Surplus of revenues over expenditures	\$ 11,115,767	\$ 7,333,804
Items not affecting cash:		
Amortization of tangible capital assets	2,320,375	1,780,785
Advances and income from government business enterprises	(261,221)	(144,532)
Advances and income from long term investments	(476)	414,653
Gain on disposal of tangible capital assets	(1,997)	(1,589)
	<b>13,172,448</b>	<b>9,383,121</b>
Changes in non-cash working capital:		
Accounts receivable	(1,529,015)	(220,468)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(72,843)	547,031
Deferred revenue and deferred trust funds	(4,823,796)	932,702
Deposits and prepaid expenses	(182,043)	52,620
	<b>(6,607,697)</b>	<b>1,311,885</b>
Cash flow from operating activities	<b>6,564,751</b>	<b>10,695,006</b>
<b>INVESTING ACTIVITY</b>		
Maturity of short term investments	-	1,000,000
Cash flow from investing activity	-	1,000,000
<b>FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Proceeds from long term financing	967,182	363,219
Repayment of long term debt	(330,966)	(215,987)
Repayment of obligations under capital lease	(83,467)	(82,395)
Cash flow from financing activities	<b>552,749</b>	<b>64,837</b>
<b>CAPITAL ACTIVITIES</b>		
Acquisitions of tangible capital assets	(12,630,671)	(7,909,367)
Disposals of tangible capital assets	27,000	12,000
	<b>(12,603,671)</b>	<b>(7,897,367)</b>
<b>(DECREASE) INCREASE IN CASH FLOW</b>	<b>(5,486,171)</b>	<b>3,862,476</b>
<b>CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - BEGINNING OF YEAR</b>	<b>17,121,551</b>	<b>13,259,075</b>
<b>CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - END OF YEAR</b>	<b>\$ 11,635,380</b>	<b>\$ 17,121,551</b>

**SADDLE LAKE CREE NATION****Consolidated Schedule of Total Expenses by Object****(Schedule 1)****Year Ended March 31, 2019**

	<b>Budget 2019 (Unaudited)</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>
Wages and benefits	\$ 18,432,819	\$ 19,422,330	\$ 17,506,383
Child welfare operations	4,991,592	9,499,452	9,697,044
Direct social assistance	7,978,242	6,447,831	6,270,935
Contracted and program services	3,992,719	5,137,499	4,727,802
Travel, meetings, workshops	1,950,961	5,121,204	5,070,029
Materials, goods and utilities	3,540,216	3,778,639	2,616,611
Repairs and maintenance	3,559,873	3,673,975	3,129,791
Post secondary allowances and tuition	2,782,811	3,206,492	3,213,090
Office and general	1,715,806	3,026,478	2,491,189
Amortization	-	2,320,375	1,780,785
Donations, sponsorships and honorariums	220,252	928,285	881,714
Professional fees	598,215	677,593	683,516
Interest and bank charges	12,322	122,759	105,939
	<b>\$ 49,775,828</b>	<b>\$ 63,362,912</b>	<b>\$ 58,174,828</b>

**SADDLE LAKE CREE NATION**  
**Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements**  
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**1. NATURE OF THE ORGANIZATION**

Saddle Lake Cree Nation ("the Nation") is committed to developing an effective governance structure to enhance the community services, culture, education, wellness and economic prosperity while retaining the Treaty Rights of Saddle Lake Cree Nation members.

These consolidated financial statements reflect the financial assets, non-financial assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses of Saddle Lake Cree Nation No. 125 and No. 125A.

**2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards established for local governments recommended by the Public Sector Accounting Board of the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada. Significant accounting policies observed in the preparation of the consolidated financial statements are summarized below.

Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Nation and its subsidiaries:

- 544526 Alberta Ltd; and
- The Saddle Lake Wah-Koh-To-Win Society

As a result, figures as at March 31, 2019 and for the year then ended include the financial position of the subsidiary and the results of its operations for the year then ended. The results of operations of the subsidiary are included in the consolidated financial statements from the date of incorporation.

Revenue recognition

Funding received under the terms of agreements is recognized as revenue in the relevant funding period when the funding agreements are approved. Restricted contributions are recognized as revenue when the revenue is approved and the related expenditures are incurred. Restricted contributions which are not yet expended for the intended purpose are included in the consolidated statement of financial position as deferred revenue.

Income earned from oil and gas royalties in the restricted Capital and Revenue trust funds is recognized when a Band Council Resolution requesting to withdraw the amounts from the respective trust fund account is approved. Approved withdrawals which are not yet expended for the intended purpose are included in the statement of financial position as deferred trust funds. The uncommitted balance in the trust funds accounts is included in the consolidated statement of financial position as accumulated surplus.

Other revenues are recognized when persuasive evidence of an arrangement exists, delivery of goods has occurred or services have been rendered, the selling price is fixed or determinable, and collection is reasonably assured. Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received.

Income from Onihcikiskowapowin Business Trust ("the Trust"), when allocated, is recognized on the accrual basis pursuant to the Trust's Trust Deed, under which 10% to 20% of the defined annual income of the Trust is distributed to the Nation as of December 31 of each year.

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**2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)**

Non-financial assets

Non-financial assets are not available to discharge existing liabilities and are held for use in the provision of services. They may have useful lives extending beyond the current year and are not intended for sale in the normal course of operations. The change in non-financial assets during the year together with the excess of revenues over expenses and the change in trust funds provides the change in net financial assets for the year.

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents consist of cash on deposit less cheques issued and outstanding and net of draws on the operating line of credit. On occasion, the operating line of credit is drawn upon to meet short-term cash needs.

Short term investments

Short term investments, which consist primarily of commercial paper with original maturities at date of purchase beyond three months and less than twelve months, are carried at amortized cost.

Long term investments

Long term investments are accounted for using the modified equity method. Accordingly the investments are recorded at acquisition cost and are increased for the proportionate share of post acquisition earnings and decreased by post acquisition losses and dividends received. The accounting policies of the long term investments have not been adjusted to conform with those of Saddle Lake Cree Nation and inter-entity balances are not eliminated. Inter-entity gains and losses are eliminated on assets remaining within the long term investments entities at the reporting date.

Investment in government business enterprises

The investments in government business enterprises are accounted for using the modified equity method whereby the investment is initially recorded at cost and adjusted thereafter to include the post acquisition earnings of the enterprises. The accounting policies of the government business enterprises have not been adjusted to conform with those of Saddle Lake Cree Nation and inter-entity balances are not eliminated. Inter-entity gains and losses are eliminated on assets remaining within the government reporting entities at the reporting date.

Tangible capital assets

Tangible capital assets are stated at cost or deemed cost less accumulated amortization. Tangible capital assets are amortized over their estimated useful lives at the following rates and methods:

Land	N/A	non-amortizable
Buildings	4%	diminishing balance method
Automotive	30%	diminishing balance method
Computer equipment	50%	diminishing balance method
Equipment	20%	diminishing balance method
Engineering structures	4-6%	diminishing balance method
Paving and roads	20%	diminishing balance method

Tangible capital assets under construction are amortized once the assets are available for use. In the year of acquisition, half of the normal rate of available amortization is charged.

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**2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)**

Pension expenditures

Saddle Lake Cree Nation sponsors a defined contribution pension plan for certain employees. Under the plan the Nation matches the employee's contribution of 5% of earnings. During the year the Nation contributed \$697,019 (2018 - \$678,307) to the pension plan. The employer's portion of the payment is recorded as employee benefits in the period when the benefit is earned.

Use of estimates

The preparation of the consolidated financial statements in conformity with Canadian public sector accounting standards requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities, disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the consolidated financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the period. Estimated life of property and equipment, collectibility of accrued receivables, if applicable, are the most significant items that involve the use of estimates. Such estimates are periodically reviewed and any adjustments necessary are reported in earnings in the period in which they become known. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

Financial instruments

All financial instruments are initially measured at fair value, and, unless otherwise noted, the Nation subsequently measures its financial instruments at amortized cost.

**3. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE**

	2019	2018
Accounts receivable include amounts due from the following:		
Other receivables	\$ 1,249,486	\$ 1,056,645
Province of Alberta	1,194,341	727,575
Indigenous Service Canada (ISC)	1,309,323	444,598
First Nations Development Fund	325,268	323,746
First Nations & Inuit Health Branch	150,033	150,033
Canada Revenue Agency	22,592	19,430
	<b>\$ 4,251,043</b>	<b>\$ 2,722,027</b>

The balance due from Indigenous Services Canada includes \$2,926 (fiscal 2018 Public Works Environmental Site Assessment – fixed contribution), \$138,139 (fiscal 2019 Community Based Initiatives - flexible contribution), \$41,076 (fiscal 2019 Environmental Site Assessment - flexible contribution), \$21,158 (fiscal 2019 Fire Response - flexible contribution), \$18,900 (fiscal 2019 Risk Management - flexible contribution), \$35,155 (fiscal 2019 Basic Needs - set contribution), \$380,610 (fiscal 2019 Maintenance - Group Homes - fixed contribution), \$622,605 (fiscal 2019 Operations - CFS - fixed contribution) and \$48,754 (fiscal 2019 Special Claim Submission - fixed contribution).

**4. RESTRICTED SHORT TERM INVESTMENTS**

Included in restricted short term investments are \$272,324 of Guaranteed Investment Certificates which bear interest at 2.00% and mature in September 2019. These investments are held as security for the Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation replacement reserves and the use of such investments is therefore restricted. The replacement reserve is under funded at year end as reflected in Note 14.

**SADDLE LAKE CREE NATION**  
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**5. INVESTMENT IN GOVERNMENT BUSINESS ENTERPRISES**

	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>
Balance beginning of year	\$ 1,221,926	\$ 1,077,394
Share of income	190,256	108,719
Net advances to government business enterprises	70,965	35,813
	<b>\$ 1,483,147</b>	<b>\$ 1,221,926</b>

The following is a summary of the percentage of government business enterprises owned and the related year ends of the entities. The financial information presented below is combined based on the government business enterprises' respective year ends.

	<b>% ownership</b>	<b>Year end</b>
Bison Auto Shop Ltd.	100%	July 31, 2018
Saddle Lake Building Supplies Ltd.	100%	December 31, 2018
1786228 Alberta Ltd.	100%	March 31, 2019

**Unaudited aggregate balance sheet information:**

<b>Assets</b>		
Current assets	\$ 2,028,292	\$ 1,795,181
Capital assets	2,852,636	112,719
Other assets	26,447	-
	<b>\$ 4,907,375</b>	<b>\$ 1,907,900</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>		
Current liabilities	\$ 475,315	\$ 346,892
Other liabilities	3,958,321	1,355,301
Equity	473,739	205,707
	<b>\$ 4,907,375</b>	<b>\$ 1,907,900</b>

**Unaudited aggregate income statement information:**

Revenue	\$ 7,170,494	\$ 8,369,750
Expenses	(7,014,528)	(8,261,031)
Net income (loss)	<b>\$ 155,966</b>	<b>\$ 108,719</b>

**6. LONG TERM INVESTMENTS**

	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>
Seven Lakes Oilfield Services LP	\$ 1,872,009	\$ 1,857,174
Pimee Well Servicing Ltd.	1,811,331	1,807,701
Pimee Well Servicing LP	1,856,067	1,739,859
SL Smoke Eaters LP	573,763	692,517
Keyano Pimee Exploration Company Ltd.	665,083	665,083
United Farmers of Alberta Equity	47,874	47,874
TD Canada Trust guaranteed investment certificate	-	15,444
	<b>\$ 6,826,127</b>	<b>\$ 6,825,652</b>

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**7. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

During the year, Saddle Lake Cree Nation entered into transactions with its owned entities and long term investments. These transactions are in the normal course of operations and have been recorded at the exchange amount which is the amount of consideration established and agreed to by the related parties.

**8. RESTRICTED CAPITAL AND REVENUE TRUST FUNDS**

Trust funds are considered restricted assets and are controlled directly by Indigenous Service Canada (ISC). The expenditure of trust funds is limited to purposes identified in the Indian Act. Information relating to the income earned in the trust fund accounts from oil and gas royalties, leases and rentals was obtained directly from Indigenous Service Canada. The uncommitted balance at the end of the year is shown in the accumulated surplus (Note 13) as equity in trust funds.

	2019	2018
<b>Capital trust fund</b>		
Beginning of year	\$ 867,505	\$ 1,371,540
Income from royalties	161,546	145,965
Transfer to Nation programs	(400,000)	(650,000)
	<b>629,051</b>	<b>867,505</b>
<b>Revenue trust fund</b>		
Beginning of year	736,424	685,010
Income from royalties and interest	322,357	405,914
Transfer to Nation programs	(355,000)	(354,500)
	<b>703,781</b>	<b>736,424</b>
<b>Total trust funds</b>	<b>\$ 1,332,832</b>	<b>\$ 1,603,929</b>

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**9. DEFERRED REVENUE**

Deferred revenue represents funding received during the year that has not been expended as at March 31, 2019.

	Opening balance	Contributions received	Revenue recognized	Ending balance
First Nations and Inuit Health Branch (FNIHB)	\$ 5,352,423	\$ 7,025,590	\$ (8,588,418)	\$ 3,789,595
Indigenous Services Canada (ISC)	3,458,075	24,043,317	(24,717,453)	2,783,939
Aboriginal Human Resource Development (AHRD)	177,262	694,143	(594,756)	276,649
First Nations Development Fund (FNDF)	250,000	250,000	(250,000)	250,000
Other	2,865,444	214,226	(2,900,445)	179,225
	<b>\$ 12,103,204</b>	<b>\$ 32,227,276</b>	<b>\$ (37,051,072)</b>	<b>\$ 7,279,408</b>

Included in the FNIHB deferred revenue is \$1,184,753 for Jordan's Principle, \$1,148,985 for Capital Investments to be used for the construction of the Saddle Lake Health Care Centre expansion, \$450,000 for Health Research and Engagement, \$344,441 for Alberta Head Start on Reserve, \$195,348 for Brighter Futures, \$158,657 for Service Delivery, \$122,155 for Building Healthy Communities, \$63,349 for Aboriginal Diabetes Initiative, \$49,260 for Community Health Representative, \$35,507 for Suicide Prevention, \$20,000 for Community Disaster Emergency, \$9,094 for Health Planning, and \$8,046 for Climate Change.

Included in the ISC deferred revenue is \$549,929 for Child Welfare – Prevention Least Disruptive Measures, \$71,341 for Child Welfare – Maintenance Post Adoption Subsidy, \$330,259 for Child Welfare – Operations CFS, \$276,277 for Child Welfare – Community Based Initiative, \$263,712 for Post Secondary Education, \$313,061 for Education – Jordan's Principle, \$62,703 for Social Assistance – Income Assistance, \$300,002 for Social Services – Income Assistance, \$442,542 for Housing Authority – Construction, \$10,753 for Health Services – Assisted Living, \$135,000 for Tribal Administration – Membership Governance Capacity Development, and \$28,360 for Tribal Administration – Administration and Support Estates.

Amounts included in AHRD, FNDF and Other deferred revenue is in accordance with their respective agreements.



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**10. LONG TERM DEBT**

	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>
TD financing bearing interest at 4.95% annum, repayable in monthly fixed payments of \$9,882 plus interest. The loan matures on April 25, 2019 and is secured by general security agreement.	\$ 494,114	\$ -
Indigenous Services Canada Native Claim loan to assist the Nation in meeting obligations associated with research, development and negotiation of its claim relating to 1925 Surrender claim. The loan bears no interest and is to be repaid on or before March 31, 2023 (Note 15).	168,374	-
Project #003 mortgage repayable to Canada Housing and Mortgage Corporation bearing interest at 1.31% per annum, repayable in monthly blended payments of \$1,911. The mortgage renews on December 1, 2021 and matures on October 1, 2026 and is secured by a ministerial guarantee.	165,476	186,100
BMO financing bearing interest at 6.90% per annum, repayable in monthly blended payments of \$4,360. The loan matures on October 6, 2022 and is secured by equipment with a carrying value of \$159,469.	162,277	201,904
Project #001 mortgage repayable to Canada Housing and Mortgage Corporation bearing interest at 0.94% per annum, repayable in monthly blended payments of \$2,264. The mortgage renews on September 1, 2020 and matures on April 1, 2025 and is secured by a ministerial guarantee.	160,566	186,095
Project #002 mortgage repayable to Canada Housing and Mortgage Corporation bearing interest at 1.14% per annum, repayable in monthly blended payments of \$1,775. The mortgage renews on June 1, 2021 and matures on May 1, 2026 and is secured by a ministerial guarantee.	146,550	166,067
TD financing bearing interest at 4.95% annum, repayable in monthly fixed payments of \$2,573 plus interest. The loan matures on November 21, 2019 and is secured by general security agreement.	144,109	-
Indigenous Services Canada Native Claim loan to assist the Nation in meeting obligations associated with research, development and negotiation of its claim relating to 1925 Surrender claim. The loan bears no interest and is to be repaid on or before March 31, 2022 (Note 15).	142,500	142,500
BMO financing bearing interest at 6.90% per annum, repayable in monthly blended payments of \$4,360. The loan matures on October 24, 2021 and is secured by equipment with a carrying value of \$91,929.	123,441	165,684
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**10. LONG TERM DEBT (continued)**

	2019	2018
TD financing bearing interest at 4.95% annum, repayable in monthly fixed payments of \$858 plus interest. The loan matures on December 19, 2019 and is secured by general security agreement.	48,895	-
BMO financing bearing interest at 7.25% per annum, repayable in monthly blended payments of \$1,965. The loan matures on February 8, 2021 and is secured by equipment with a carrying value of \$28,761.	42,080	61,823
Ford Credit loan bearing interest at 4.89% per annum, repayable in monthly blended payments of \$901. The loan matures on June 24, 2020 and is secured by automobile equipment with a carrying value of \$13,961.	13,075	22,989
GE Capital Finance loan bearing interest at 8.45% per annum, repayable in monthly blended payments of \$1,679. The loan matures on November 16, 2019 and is secured by automotive equipment with a carrying value of \$18,349.	11,040	53,120
	<b>\$ 1,822,497</b>	<b>\$ 1,186,282</b>

Principal repayment terms are approximately:

2020	\$ 355,351
2021	343,980
2022	449,143
2023	423,772
2024	119,727
Thereafter	130,524
	<b>\$ 1,822,497</b>

Interest paid on long-term debt amounted to \$65,338 (2018 - \$42,421) during the year.

As at March 31, 2019, Saddle Lake Cree Nation has a line of credit of \$200,000 available from TD Canada Trust bearing interest at prime plus 0.75% (effective rate of 4.70% at year end). As at March 31, 2019 the loan was not drawn upon.

As at March 31, 2019, Saddle Lake Cree Nation has a revolving term credit facility with Toronto Dominion Bank with multiple drawdowns allowed bearing interest at 1.00% over the Toronto Dominion prime rate (3.95% effective rate at year end). As at March 31, 2019 the loan was drawn upon for \$687,118 (2018 - \$nil). The facility is renegotiated annually and is collateralized as follows:

- a) General Security Agreement providing first security interest in all personal property of the Nation;
- b) guarantees of advances in the aggregate amount of \$200,000 by the Nation;
- c) authorization of Indigenous Services Canada to forward funding to TD Canada Trust;

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**10. LONG TERM DEBT (continued)**

- d) unlimited guarantees of advances from subsidiary companies;
- e) Assignment of Fire Insurance issued by the Nation.

**11. OBLIGATIONS UNDER CAPITAL LEASE**

	2019	2018
John Deere non-interest bearing lease repayable in monthly payments of \$7,126. The lease matures on June 1, 2020 and is secured by equipment which has a carrying value of \$192,638.	\$ 112,979	\$ 196,446

Future minimum capital lease payments are approximately:

2020	\$ 85,512
2021	28,504
Total minimum lease payments	114,016
Less: amount representing interest at various rates	(1,037)
	<u>\$ 112,979</u>

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**12. TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS**

<b>COST</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>Acquisitions</b>	<b>Disposals</b>	<b>2019</b>
Land	\$ 647,730	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 647,730
Buildings	16,524,597	8,242,134	-	24,766,731
Engineering structures	15,716,525	1,429,438	-	17,145,963
Automotive	9,342,113	1,567,200	60,031	10,849,282
Paving and roads	-	1,362,015	-	1,362,015
Equipment	1,574,804	-	-	1,574,804
Computer equipment	732,930	29,884	-	762,814
	<b>\$ 44,538,699</b>	<b>\$ 12,630,671</b>	<b>\$ 60,031</b>	<b>\$ 57,109,339</b>

<b>ACCUMULATED AMORTIZATION</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>Amortization expense</b>	<b>Disposals</b>	<b>2019</b>
Land	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Buildings	2,431,142	523,695	-	2,954,837
Engineering structures	5,128,098	641,325	-	5,769,423
Automotive	7,085,352	883,521	35,028	7,933,845
Paving and roads	-	121,314	-	121,314
Equipment	1,025,757	115,586	-	1,141,343
Computer equipment	650,256	34,934	-	685,190
	<b>\$ 16,320,605</b>	<b>\$ 2,320,375</b>	<b>\$ 35,028</b>	<b>\$ 18,605,952</b>

<b>NET BOOK VALUE</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>
Land	\$ 647,730	\$ 647,730
Buildings	14,093,455	21,811,894
Engineering structures	10,588,427	11,376,540
Automotive	2,256,761	2,915,437
Paving and roads	-	1,240,701
Equipment	549,047	433,461
Computer equipment	82,674	77,624
	<b>\$ 28,218,094</b>	<b>\$ 38,503,387</b>

Included above are Automotives held under capital lease (Note 11) with a cost of \$520,436, accumulated amortization of \$327,798 and a net book value of \$192,638.

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**13. ACCUMULATED SURPLUS**

	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>
Unrestricted surplus	<b>\$ 8,346,996</b>	<b>\$ 7,044,004</b>
Equity in trust funds (Note 8)	<b>1,332,832</b>	<b>1,603,929</b>
Equity in tangible capital assets	<b>34,817,226</b>	<b>24,916,308</b>
Equity in investments	<b>8,939,755</b>	<b>9,027,898</b>
	<b>\$ 53,436,809</b>	<b>\$ 42,592,139</b>

**14. CONTINGENCIES**

As at March 31, 2019, Saddle Lake Cree Nation has unfunded CMHC replacement reserves in the amount of \$62,703 (2018 - \$121,229).

The Nation has provided a guarantee to SL Smoke Eaters LP in the amount of \$200,000 for a demand revolving credit facility. The general security agreement is a first charge on all present and after acquired personal property.

The Nation has provided a guarantee to Bison Auto Shop Ltd. in the amount of \$2,540,000 for a term loan. The general security agreement is a first charge on all present and after acquired personal property.

The Nation has been added as a defendant in a claim made against Her Majesty the Queen by another Alberta First Nation. The outcome and estimate of loss, if any, are not determinable at the report date.

The Nation is named as a defendant in ongoing legal proceedings with members of the Nation and the Canadian Human Rights Commission. The outcome and estimate of loss, if any, are not determinable as at the report date.

The Nation is named as a defendant in ongoing legal proceedings with a member of the Nation. The outcome and estimate of loss, if any, are not determinable as at the report date.

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**15. NATIVE CLAIM LOAN**

Indigenous Services Canada has agreed to provide Saddle Lake Cree Nation with an interim loan to assist the Nation in meeting obligations with respect to the research, development, and negotiation of its specific claim related to the 1925 Surrender Claim. Advances received in the year were \$168,374 (2018 - \$142,500) are not subject to interest on the amounts owing. The loan is payable on the earlier of March 31, 2022 or the date on which the claim is settled.

	2019	2018
<b>Advances</b>		
Advances received	\$ 168,374	\$ 142,500
Funding from prior year carry forward	34,126	-
	-	-
<b>Funding available</b>	<b>202,500</b>	<b>142,500</b>
<b>Expenditures</b>		
<u>First Nation Negotiations</u>		
Community meetings	29,831	19,200
Researcher	7,768	5,000
<u>First Nation Travel</u>		
Travel	23,186	14,924
<u>Legal</u>		
Fees, disbursements and travel	119,576	55,000
<u>Other</u>		
Administration	22,139	14,250
<b>Total expenditures</b>	<b>202,500</b>	<b>108,374</b>
<b>Unspent advances, end of year</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 34,126</b>

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**16. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS**

The Nation is exposed to various risks through its financial instruments. The following analysis provides information about the Nation's risk exposure and concentration as of March 31, 2019. Unless otherwise noted, the Nation's risk exposure has not changed from the prior year.

**Credit risk**

Credit risk arises from the potential that a counter party will fail to perform its obligations. The Nation is exposed to credit risk from other revenue. The significant annual funding received from the Government of Canada minimizes credit risk.

**Interest rate risk**

Interest rate risk is the risk that the value of a financial instrument might be adversely affected by a change in the market interest rates. The Nation is exposed to interest rate risk primarily through its floating interest rate bank indebtedness and credit facilities.

**17. SEGMENT INFORMATION**

Saddle Lake Cree Nation provides a wide range of services to its members. Services are delivered through a number of different programs and departments. Identified segments are defined by Saddle Lake Cree Nation for which separate financial information is available and is evaluated regularly by Chief and Council and management in allocating resources and assessing results.

For each reported segment, revenues and expenses represent amounts that are directly attributable to the segment. The accounting policies used in the segments are consistent with the accounting policies followed in the preparation of these consolidated financial statements as disclosed in Note 2.

**18. BUDGET INFORMATION**

The budget information for the year ended March 31, 2019 is prepared by management, approved by Chief and Council and is unaudited.

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**19. CONSOLIDATED SEGMENT DISCLOSURES**

	2019 Fiscal Year																						
	Public Works		Human Resources Development		Education		Post Secondary		Social Assistance		Social Services		Child Welfare		Administration		Other Health		Health Care Centres		Other		Total
Revenue	3,064,804	-	-	-	5,796,559	3,445,411	10,382,360	232,512	-	-	-	-	-	-	582,685	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28,352,438
ISC Block Contribution funding	1,962,966	-	-	-	3,049,608	241,179	20,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17,444,881
ISC Capital Contribution funding	-	-	-	-	-	-	81,586	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	91,586
ISC Flexible Contribution funding	4,071,307	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,291,874
First Nation and Inuit Health Branch (FNIH-B)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9,873,571
Other Revenue	1,338,723	-	-	-	256,302	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,584,740
Province of Alberta	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,832,591
AMRD/ARDC Revenue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,710,580
Fred Nelson Development fund (FNDP)	-	-	-	-	408,012	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,356,928
Credit Tax Benefits	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	488,571
Capital Trust funds	400,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	400,000
Revenue Trust funds	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	353,080
Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation (CMHC)	238,360	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	238,360
Net contributions carried forward	2,482,927	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,768,106
Property Tax Revenue	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	460,221
Federal Grants	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	350,681
Income allocation from Oxyphobol/Komogowah Business Trust	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Income from gain or loss on disposal of assets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Income from Government Business Enterprises	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Income from Investments	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Revenue	11,131,267	1,517,243	10,354,783	1,803,591	10,837,608	221,485	14,134,897	6,575,534	101,574	11,259,531	776,175	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767
Expenses	2,383,772	386,101	6,335,528	201,605	734,180	728,067	2,381,005	3,385,218	2,916,251	2,916,251	2,916,251	2,916,251	2,916,251	2,916,251	2,916,251	2,916,251	2,916,251	2,916,251	2,916,251	2,916,251	2,916,251	2,916,251	2,916,251
Wages and benefits	2,220,632	22,219	682,108	137,793	77,506	21,656	600,535	1,612,733	320,136	320,136	320,136	320,136	320,136	320,136	320,136	320,136	320,136	320,136	320,136	320,136	320,136	320,136	320,136
Contracted and program services	49,250	852,075	948,812	12,300	17,350	17,350	128,540	265,927	73,250	73,250	73,250	73,250	73,250	73,250	73,250	73,250	73,250	73,250	73,250	73,250	73,250	73,250	73,250
Materials, goods and utilities	1,785,081	35,993	174,151	20,998	10,135	1,851	63,005	180,263	42,595	42,595	42,595	42,595	42,595	42,595	42,595	42,595	42,595	42,595	42,595	42,595	42,595	42,595	42,595
Amortization of tangible capital assets	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Post secondary allowances and tuition	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Travel	1,851,891	52,368	520,336	111,775	520,336	248,061	1,418,078	2,897,832	1,268,332	1,268,332	1,268,332	1,268,332	1,268,332	1,268,332	1,268,332	1,268,332	1,268,332	1,268,332	1,268,332	1,268,332	1,268,332	1,268,332	1,268,332
Travel Meetings Workshops	122,519	101,406	339,305	120,019	69,025	27,754	221,122	385,768	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290
Office and general	380,423	83,041	300,677	120,019	69,025	27,754	221,122	385,768	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290	80,290
Donations, sponsorships and honorariums	36,785	40,876	34,369	12,229	13,000	1,800	82,560	658,401	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800	800
Interest and bank charges	42,389	(800)	35,643	2,125	1,189	1,419	(25)	37,506	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836
Automotive	401,133	5,018	194,462	2,125	1,189	1,419	(25)	37,506	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836	1,836
Rent	5,529	-	7,448	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Advertising	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Child welfare maintenance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Direct social assistance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other	240,361	279,219	303,156	372,368	6,447,831	102,025	412,564	101,767	333,317	333,317	333,317	333,317	333,317	333,317	333,317	333,317	333,317	333,317	333,317	333,317	333,317	333,317	333,317
Total Expenses	10,282,120	1,581,724	9,627,616	3,511,114	7,920,045	1,289,868	13,523,349	6,183,438	83,196	7,284,641	7,284,641	7,284,641	7,284,641	7,284,641	7,284,641	7,284,641	7,284,641	7,284,641	7,284,641	7,284,641	7,284,641	7,284,641	7,284,641
Surplus (Deficit) before transfers	2,889,147	35,521	728,077	84,087	2,711,563	(1,284,186)	811,648	426,066	8,378	4,334,890	278,175	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767
Transfers	256,141	14,000	(8,824)	(9,878)	(36,375)	(18,978)	(108,324)	(80,897)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Office	18,010	-	(18,010)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vehicle repair	175,000	-	110,000	-	2,655	836,945	-	145,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
WCOT transfers	37,259	-	-	-	1,888,538	81,501	(38,437)	173,187	(36,750)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Accounting fee	(23,000)	(12,000)	(32,000)	(9,000)	(12,000)	(9,000)	(150,000)	187,431	(17,431)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Administrative fee	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hampers	-	-	(5,000)	(5,000)	-	55,300	(10,000)	3,601	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfer from Post Secondary	-	-	(3,857)	(4,000)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfer to Health	-	-	(650)	(4,000)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfer from Education	4,300	-	(4,300)	-	-	417,705	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfer from Social Assistance and Social Services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfer to Education	-	-	53,444	(53,444)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfer to Health	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfer to Public Works	7,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfer to Social Services	802,959	-	-	-	-	2,710	-	(802,959)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfer to Human Resources Development	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfer to Administration	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total Transfers	1,278,148	(184,224)	94,815	(84,087)	(2,711,563)	1,284,186	(364,761)	681,818	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Surplus (Deficit) after transfers	3,847,296	(148,703)	822,262	-	-	-	306,887	1,067,684	8,378	4,814,859	278,175	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767	11,115,767



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Saskatchewan United Credit Association

**Whitefish Lake Band No. 128**  
**Consolidated Financial Statements**  
**March 31, 2019**

# **Whitefish Lake Band No. 128**

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## MANAGEMENT'S RESPONSIBILITY FOR FINANCIAL REPORTING

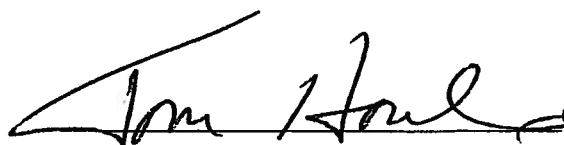
The accompanying consolidated financial statements of **Whitefish Lake First Nation No. 128** are the responsibility of management and have been approved by the Chief and Council.

The financial statements have been prepared by management in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards. Financial statements are not precise since they include certain amounts based on estimates and judgment. When alternative accounting methods exist, management has chosen those it deems most appropriate in the circumstances, in order to ensure that the consolidated financial statements are presented fairly, in all material respects.

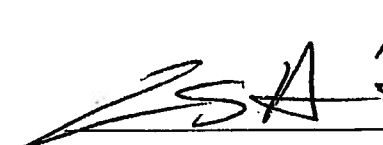
Whitefish Lake Band No. 128 maintains systems of internal accounting and administrative controls of high quality. Such systems are designed to provide reasonable assurance that the financial information is relevant, reliable and accurate and that Whitefish Lake Band No. 128's assets are appropriately accounted for and adequately safeguarded.

Whitefish Lake Band No. 128 is responsible for ensuring that management fulfills its responsibilities for financial reporting and is ultimately responsible for reviewing and approving the financial statements.

The consolidated financial statements have been audited by Doyle & Company in accordance with Canadian auditing standards on behalf of the members. Doyle & Company have full and free access to the Council.

 Chief

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Councilor

 L. Stanley Houle  
Councilor

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Councilor

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

### To the Chief and Council

#### Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of **Whitefish Lake First Nation No. 128 (the Nation)**, which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at March 31, 2019, and the results of its operations, changes in its net financial assets and cash flows for the years then ended, and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Whitefish Lake First Nation No. 128 as at March 31, 2019, the results of its operations, changes in its net financial assets and its 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 consolidated financial statements section of our report. We are independent of the 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 these 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 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 financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the 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 cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

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

#### Auditor's Responsibility for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated 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. As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than from one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal controls.

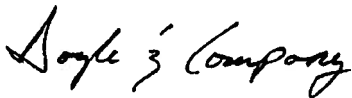
## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT - continued

- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit 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 Nation's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Nation's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Nation to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Group to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

We also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.

The engagement partner on the audit resulting in this independent auditor's report is Scott Mockford, CPA, CA.



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July 23, 2019


Chartered Professional Accountants

**Whitefish Lake Band No. 128**  
**Consolidated Statement of Financial Position**  
**As at March 31, 2019**

	2019 \$	2018 \$
<b>FINANCIAL ASSETS</b>		
Cash	1,088,400	3,674,950
Restricted cash (Note 3)	1,249,372	1,438,583
Investments (Note 4)	40,200	40,200
Accounts receivable (Note 5)	1,602,432	1,032,551
	<b>3,980,404</b>	<b>6,186,284</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>		
Line of credit (Note 6)	450,000	200,000
Accounts payable (Note 7)	2,172,439	4,851,841
Deferred contributions (Note 8)	3,997,742	3,302,842
Obligations Under Capital Lease (Note 9)	676,040	671,111
Long-term liabilities (Note 10)	413,860	1,336,395
	<b>7,710,081</b>	<b>10,362,189</b>
<b>NET FINANCIAL DEBT</b>	<b>(3,729,677)</b>	<b>(4,175,905)</b>
<b>NON-FINANCIAL ASSETS</b>		
Tangible capital assets (Schedule 2)	25,770,217	20,949,500
Prepaid expenses	-	133,590
	<b>25,770,217</b>	<b>21,083,090</b>
<b>ACCUMULATED SURPLUS (Schedule 1 and Note 13)</b>	<b>22,040,540</b>	<b>16,907,185</b>

Approved by the Band:

 Chief

 L. Stanky Houle.  
 Councilor

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 Councilor

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 Councilor

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

**Whitefish Lake Band No. 128**  
**Consolidated Statement of Financial Activities**  
For the year ended March 31, 2019

	2019 Budget \$	2019 Actual \$	2018 Actual \$
<b>REVENUE</b>			
Indigenous Services Canada	11,941,635	11,568,195	13,366,811
Trust Funds			
Revenue	-	400,000	-
First Nation Development Fund	-	745,830	751,346
Health Canada	2,060,550	2,221,346	1,875,143
Tribal Chiefs Employment and Training	787,024	1,834,250	933,177
Canada Housing and Mortgage Corporation	-	26,630	239,170
Other revenue	3,354,855	3,827,885	3,947,076
Revenue deferred from previous period	3,252,091	3,302,842	2,673,193
Revenue deferred to subsequent period	-	(3,997,742)	(3,302,842)
	21,396,155	19,929,236	20,483,074
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>			
Administration	1,381,376	1,986,145	2,051,966
Chief and Council	442,854	370,024	535,908
Consultation and IBA	204,470	384,306	270,853
Daycare Centre	387,267	347,482	325,876
Economic Development	-	48,300	759,182
Education - Administration	94,158	340,795	400,331
Education - Bussing	481,311	517,013	399,520
Education - Post-Secondary	1,131,359	964,222	902,006
Education - School	1,959,207	1,856,429	2,480,044
Education - Operations and Maintenance	340,873	388,452	428,865
Enhanced delivery	76,178	379,064	244,596
Health Services	1,859,371	2,001,395	2,038,661
Housing	731,726	838,034	1,238,195
Public Works	9,462,810	1,657,446	2,771,374
Recreation	-	842,146	489,932
Royal Bank Agency	51,276	109,061	132,318
Social Services	2,600,016	2,508,018	2,414,494
Social Services - Delivery	384,511	630,350	543,979
Summer Student Employment	149,800	55,766	119,886
Tribal Chiefs Employment and Training	372,399	406,286	346,195
Youth Skills Initiative	113,400	641,212	440,793
Jordan's Principle	-	56,152	-
	22,224,362	17,328,098	19,334,974
<b>Excess of Revenue Over Expenditures</b>			
<b>Before Other Revenue (Expenditures)</b>	(828,207)	2,601,138	1,148,100
<b>Other Revenue (Expenditures)</b>			
Indigenous Services Canada - capital funding	4,263,974	4,680,552	5,262,830
Amortization	-	(1,959,124)	(1,768,096)
<b>EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURES</b>	3,435,767	5,322,566	4,642,834

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.



## Whitefish Lake Band No. 128

### Consolidated Statement of Change in Net Financial Assets

For the year ended March 31, 2019

	2019 \$	2018 \$
<b>EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>5,533,355</b>	<b>4,870,334</b>
Acquisition of tangible capital assets	(6,779,841)	(5,765,828)
Amortization of tangible capital assets	1,959,124	1,768,096
Trust funds used for operations	(400,000)	-
	<b>(5,220,717)</b>	<b>(3,997,732)</b>
Acquisition of prepaid assets	-	(133,590)
Use of prepaid assets	133,590	157,459
	<b>133,590</b>	<b>23,869</b>
<b>DECREASE IN NET FINANCIAL DEBT</b>	<b>446,228</b>	<b>896,471</b>
<b>NET FINANCIAL DEBT, BEGINNING OF YEAR</b>	<b>(4,175,905)</b>	<b>(5,072,376)</b>
<b>NET FINANCIAL DEBT, END OF YEAR</b>	<b>(3,729,677)</b>	<b>(4,175,905)</b>

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

**Whitefish Lake Band No. 128**  
**Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows**  
For the year ended March 31, 2019

	2019 \$	2018 \$
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Cash received from funding agencies and other income	19,359,355	21,123,364
Cash paid to suppliers and employees	(15,165,036)	(12,462,903)
	4,194,319	8,660,461
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Repayment of long-term liabilities	(1,108,469)	(599,984)
Short-term liabilities obtained	250,000	-
Long-term liabilities obtained	190,863	161,224
	(667,606)	(438,760)
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Purchase of capital assets	(6,779,841)	(5,765,828)
<b>INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH</b>	(3,253,128)	2,455,873
<b>CASH, BEGINNING OF YEAR</b>	3,474,950	1,019,077
<b>CASH, END OF YEAR</b>	221,822	3,474,950
<b>Bank indebtedness consists of the following:</b>		
Cash	1,088,400	3,674,950
Line of credit	(450,000)	(200,000)
	638,400	3,474,950

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

# Whitefish Lake Band No. 128

## Schedule of Changes in Accumulated Surplus - Schedule 1

For the year ended March 31, 2019

	Unrestricted Surplus \$	Equity in Tangible Capital Assets \$	Equity in Trust Funds \$	2019 \$	2018 \$
<b>Balance, Beginning of Year</b>	<b>(3,473,392)</b>	<b>18,941,994</b>	<b>1,438,583</b>	<b>16,907,185</b>	<b>12,036,851</b>
Excess of revenue over expenditures	5,322,566	-	210,789	5,533,355	4,870,334
Restricted funds used for operations	-	-	(400,000)	(400,000)	-
Current years funds used for tangible capital assets	(6,779,841)	6,779,841	-	-	-
Annual amortization expense	1,959,124	(1,959,124)	-	-	-
Long-term liabilities obtained	190,863	(190,863)	-	-	-
Long-term liabilities repaid	(1,108,469)	1,108,469	-	-	-
Change in accumulated surplus	(415,757)	5,738,323	(189,211)	5,133,355	4,870,334
<b>Balance, End of Year</b>	<b>(3,889,149)</b>	<b>24,680,317</b>	<b>1,249,372</b>	<b>22,040,540</b>	<b>16,907,185</b>

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

# Whitefish Lake Band No. 128

## Consolidated Statement of Tangible Capital Assets - Schedule 2

For the year ended March 31, 2019

	Automotive and Equip. \$	Buildings & Housing \$	Furniture and Equip. \$	Engineered Structures \$	2019 \$	2018 \$
<b>COST:</b>						
Balance, Beginning of Year	9,778,519	29,085,509	143,025	16,640,095	55,647,148	49,881,320
Acquisition of tangible capital assets	494,696	1,676,659	-	4,608,486	6,779,841	5,765,828
Balance, End of Year	10,273,215	30,762,168	143,025	21,248,581	62,426,989	55,647,148
<b>ACCUMULATED AMORTIZATION:</b>						
Balance, Beginning of Year	8,111,571	23,018,799	123,625	3,443,653	34,697,648	32,929,552
Annual amortization	573,539	606,671	3,880	775,034	1,959,124	1,768,096
Balance, End of Year	8,685,110	23,625,470	127,505	4,218,687	36,656,772	34,697,648
<b>NET BOOK VALUE</b>	<b>1,588,105</b>	<b>7,136,698</b>	<b>15,520</b>	<b>17,029,894</b>	<b>25,770,217</b>	<b>20,949,500</b>

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

# Whitefish Lake Band No. 128

## Consolidated Statement of Financial Activities by Program - Schedule 3

For the year ended March 31, 2019

	ISC Revenue \$	Trust Funds \$	Other Revenue \$	2019		2018 Surplus (Deficit) \$
				Total Revenue \$	Total Expenditures \$	
Administration	1,229,774	302,988	1,582,217	3,114,979	1,986,145	1,538,877
Chief and Council	-	97,012	-	97,012	370,024	(535,908)
Consultation and IBA	-	-	472,878	472,878	384,306	711,647
Daycare Centre	81,000	-	243,218	324,218	347,482	(1)
Economic Development	160,258	-	-	160,258	48,300	122,624
Education - Administration	223,914	-	116,881	340,795	340,795	(25,965)
Education - Bussing	560,357	-	600	560,957	517,013	255,890
Education - Post Secondary	1,041,495	-	2,886	1,044,381	964,222	139,489
Education - School	2,288,350	-	21,969	2,310,319	1,856,429	(236,169)
Education - Operations and Maintenance	373,604	-	10,925	384,529	388,452	47,339
Enhanced Delivery	-	-	428,301	428,301	379,064	-
Health Services	-	-	2,119,840	2,119,840	2,001,395	20,245
Housing	1,926,620	-	143,734	2,070,354	838,034	(347,344)
Public Works	5,067,041	-	1,014,467	6,081,508	1,657,446	4,739,054
Recreation	-	-	742,149	742,149	842,146	-
Royal Bank Agency	-	-	-	-	109,061	(132,318)
Social Services	2,665,272	-	(127,997)	2,537,275	2,508,018	99,023
Social Services - Delivery	575,296	-	39,313	614,609	630,350	-
Summer Student Employment	55,766	-	-	55,766	55,766	(60,000)
Tribal Chiefs Employment and Training	-	-	406,286	406,286	406,286	48,483
Youth Skills Initiative	-	-	687,222	687,222	641,212	25,964
Jordan's Principle	-	-	56,152	56,152	56,152	-
	16,248,747	400,000	7,961,041	24,609,788	17,328,098	6,410,930

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

## Whitefish Lake Band No. 128

### Consolidated Statement of Expenditures by Object - Schedule 4

For the year ended March 31, 2019

	2019	2018
	\$	\$
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>		
Advertising	1,779	2,113
Building maintenance and utilities	548,138	517,562
Equipment	7,870	12,949
Insurance	188,100	196,695
Interest, bank charges and loan payments	69,269	147,558
Materials and supplies	113,692	327,509
Repairs and maintenance	868,199	1,397,148
Professional fees	1,380,088	1,197,137
Program costs	3,869,089	5,606,077
Training	1,413,767	1,292,331
Travel	910,930	656,144
Vehicle	1,548,676	1,422,884
Wages and employee benefits	6,408,501	6,558,867
<b>TOTAL EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>17,328,098</b>	<b>19,334,974</b>

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

**Whitefish Lake Band No. 128**  
**Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements**  
**March 31, 2019**

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**NATURE OF OPERATIONS**

Whitefish Lake Band No. 128 provides local government, education and social development services to its members and was established under the Indian Act (Canada)

**1. BASIS OF PRESENTATION AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES**

These consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles for local government, as established by the Public Sector Accounting and Audit Boards ("PSAB"), which encompasses the following principles:

**(a) Fund Accounting**

The Whitefish Lake Band uses fund accounting procedures which result in a self-balancing set of accounts for each fund established by legal, contractual or voluntary actions. The various funds have been amalgamated for the purpose of presentation in the financial statements. Details of the operations of each fund are set out in the supplementary schedules. The Whitefish Lake Band maintains the following funds:

- The Operating Fund which reports the general activities of the Band Administration.
- The Tangible Capital Assets Fund which reports the capital assets of the Band, together with their related financing.
- The Trust Fund which reports the trust funds owned by the Band and held by third parties.

**(b) Cash and Cash Equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents consists of bank accounts and temporary investments with maturities of one year or less.

**(c) Investments**

Investments are recorded at fair market value.

**(d) Revenue Recognition**

Government transfers and grant revenue are recognized as the First Nations becomes entitled to the funding under the terms of applicable funding agreements and are recorded in the period in which the resources are used for the purpose specified in the agreements. Restricted funding received which relates to a subsequent fiscal period or which stipulations that give rise to an obligation are reported as deferred revenue until the resources are used for the purpose or purposes specified and/or the stipulations giving rise to an obligation have been met.

Other revenue, including rent and lease revenue, sales of goods and provision of services are recognized in the period the goods or services are provided and the related proceeds are received or receivable.

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### 1. BASIS OF PRESENTATION AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued

#### (e) Non-Financial Assets

Non-financial assets are not available to discharge existing liabilities and are held for use in the provision of services. They have useful lives extending beyond the current year and are not intended for sale in the normal course of operations. The change in non-financial assets during the year, together with the excess of revenues over expenses, provides the consolidated Change in Net Financial Assets for the year.

#### Tangible Capital Assets

Tangible capital assets are recorded at cost which includes all amounts that are directly attributable to acquisition, construction, development or betterment of the asset. The cost, less residual value, of the tangible capital assets are amortized on a declining balance basis over the estimated useful life as follows:

Buildings	10%
Furniture and equipment	20%
Automotive and construction equipment	30%

#### (f) Trust Funds

The Ottawa Trust Accounts 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 and are subject to audit by the Office of the Auditor General of Canada. The management of these funds is primarily governed by Sections 63 to 69 of the Indian Act.

First Nation trust funds are included as revenue in these statements only to the extent they have been received from the First Nation's trust funds.

#### (g) Financial Instruments

The Band initially measures financial assets and financial liabilities at their fair value. It subsequently measures its financial assets and financial liabilities, other than investments, at amortized cost. The financial assets subsequently measured at amortized cost include cash and cash equivalents and accounts receivable. The financial liabilities subsequently measured at amortized cost include accounts payable and accrued liabilities. Investments are recorded at fair value.

The Band risk exposures related to its financial instruments are outlined as follows:

#### Credit Risk

The Band is exposed to credit risk to the extent of non-collection of accounts receivable and loans to Band members. Management is of the opinion that the risk of non-collection of accounts receivable is low since the majority of accounts receivable are from the Government of Canada.



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**1. BASIS OF PRESENTATION AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES - continued**

**(g) Financial Instruments**

**Market Risk**

The Band is exposed to risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk is comprised of currency risk, interest rate risk and other price risk.

**Currency Risk**

The Band is exposed to risk that the fair value of financial instruments or future cash flows associated with the instrument will fluctuate relative to the Canadian dollar due to changes in foreign exchange rates.

**Interest Rate Risk**

The Band is exposed to risk that the fair value of financial instruments or future cash flows associated with the instrument will fluctuate due to changes in market interest rates.

**(h) Measurement Uncertainty**

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with Canadian public sector accounting standards requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

**(i) Landfill Closure and Post-Closure Liability**

The Alberta Environmental Protection and Enhancement Act sets out the regulatory requirements to properly close and maintain all active and inactive landfill sites. Under environmental law, there is a requirement for closure and post-closure care of solid waste landfill sites. This requirement is being provided for over the estimated remaining life of the landfill site based on usage.

The liability at March 31, 2019 is \$220,000 (2018 - \$200,000) and represents the present value of closure and post-closure costs. Closure will involve covering the site with topsoil and vegetation, and installing groundwater monitoring wells. Post-closure care activities are expected to occur for 25 years and will involve surface and ground water monitoring, and landfill cover maintenance. Whitefish Lake Band has started to designate assets for settling closure and post-closure care liabilities.

**2. ECONOMIC DEPENDENCE**

The Whitefish Lake Band receives a major portion of its revenues pursuant to a funding arrangement with Indigenous Services Canada.

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**3. RESTRICTED CASH**

	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Trust Funds		
Band Capital	570,023	506,794
Band Revenue	679,349	931,789
	1,249,372	1,438,583

**4. INVESTMENTS**

Investment includes shares of UFA.

**5. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE**

	2019	2018
	\$	\$
Indigenous Services Canada	235,191	200,936
Government of Alberta - Consultation	90,000	-
Canada Mortgage Housing Corporation	103,700	231,610
Health Canada	272,915	-
First Nation Development Fund	178,782	184,603
Goods and Services Tax	96,395	95,696
Tribal Chief Ventures	324,803	111,459
Goodfish Lake Community Development Trust	200,000	-
Other	100,646	208,247
	1,602,432	1,032,551

**6. LINE OF CREDIT**

The Band has a revolving line of credit with the Royal Bank authorized to a maximum of \$1,300,000 due on demand, bears interest at Prime plus 2.8% and is secured by a general security agreement. There is a \$250,000 (2018 - \$NIL) balance outstanding on this line of credit.

The Band has a second revolving line of credit with the Royal Bank authorized to a maximum of \$250,000, due on demand, bears interest at Prime plus 2.8% and is secured by a general security agreement. There is \$200,000 (2018 - \$200,000) balance outstanding on this line of credit.

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**7. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE**

	<b>2019</b>	<b>2018</b>
	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>
Trade payables	<b>1,576,313</b>	4,448,528
Payable to related entities	<b>50,700</b>	-
Landfill closure costs	<b>220,000</b>	200,000
Wages, salaries and source deductions	<b>325,426</b>	203,313
	<b>2,172,439</b>	4,851,841

Payable to related entities are non-interest bearing and have no fixed terms of repayment.

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### 8. DEFERRED CONTRIBUTIONS

	2019 \$	2018 \$
Consultation and IBA		
Impact Benefit Agreements (IBA)	1,346,341	1,111,051
Goodfish Business Corporation	800,000	-
Daycare Centre		
Tribal Chiefs	125,726	-
Education - Administration		
ISC - Fixed - Skill Link	30,041	24,674
Building Collaboration and Capacity in Education - BCCE	65,406	187,444
IFNE - Innovation in First Nation Education	378,752	-
Health Services		
Health Canada	132,645	-
Housing		
ISC - Fixed	-	28,422
Canada Mortgage and Housing Corporation - CMHC	29,029	87,036
Government of Alberta	60,000	-
Public Works		
ISC - Capital project - AUR44 - roads	137,492	949,070
ISC - Capital project - waterline	507,893	566,820
ISC - Capital project - waste measures	55,000	100,000
Recreation Facilities and Healthy Living		
First Nation Development Fund	111,543	81,970
Social Services		
ISC - Community Well Being	127,997	-
Social Services - Delivery		
Fixed - Social Services - Delivery	-	23,500
Youth Skills Initiative		
Alberta Government funding	23,302	142,855
Jordan's Principle		
Tribal Chief Ventures	66,574	-
	3,997,742	3,302,842

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**9. OBLIGATIONS UNDER CAPITAL LEASE**

	2019				2018
	Total	Deferred Finance	Current Portion	Long-Term Portion	Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Royal Bank - Leasing (Grader)	145,689	5,212	78,498	61,979	227,322
Royal Bank - Leasing (Buses)	113,778	5,422	33,491	74,865	160,862
Daimler Truck Financial (Water Truck)	127,047	7,746	41,752	77,549	173,214
Daimler Truck Financial (Water Truck)	134,706	17,664	31,361	85,681	164,534
Daimler Truck Financial (Water Truck)	219,072	28,208	39,938	150,926	-
	<b>740,292</b>	<b>64,252</b>	<b>225,040</b>	<b>451,000</b>	<b>725,932</b>

The loan payable to the Royal Bank - Leasing (Grader) is due December, 2020 and is repayable in monthly installments of \$6,890, including interest charged at 4.03% and is secured by equipment with a net book value of \$109,360.

The loan payable to the Royal Bank - Leasing (Buses) is due August, 2021 and is repayable in monthly installments of \$3,923, including interest charged at 3.93% and is secured by equipment with a net book value of \$88,880.

The loan payable to the Daimler Truck Financial (Water Truck) is due December, 2021 and is repayable in monthly installments of \$3,856, including interest charged at 4.50% and is secured by equipment with a net book value of \$94,331.

The loan payable to the Daimler Truck Financial (Water Truck) is due September, 2022 and is repayable in monthly installments of \$3,048, including interest charged at 4.99% and is secured by equipment with a net book value of \$106,343.

The loan payable to the Daimler Truck Financial (Water Truck) is due September, 2023 and is repayable in monthly installments of \$4,057, including interest charged at 6.17% and is secured by equipment with a net book value of \$194,641.

Interest paid on obligations under capital lease was \$31,794 (2018 - \$29,051)

Future lease payments on obligations under capital lease are estimated as follows:

	\$
2020	269,160
2021	240,613
2022	139,215
2023	66,962
2024 and thereafter	24,342
	<b>740,292</b>

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**10. LONG-TERM LIABILITIES**

	2019 \$	2018 \$
The loan payable to the Royal Bank is repayable in monthly installments of \$20,418 including interest charged at 4.95% and is secured by a general security agreement. Dry Cleaning facility.	-	647,801
The loan payable to the Royal Bank is repayable in monthly installments of \$25,249 including interest charged at 5.0% and is secured by a general security agreement. Debt consolidation loan.	413,860	688,594
	<b>413,860</b>	<b>1,336,395</b>

Interest paid on long-term liabilities was \$28,524 (2018 - \$72,371)

Future minimum principal repayments required to meet existing obligations are as follows:

	\$
2020	274,734
2021	139,126
	<b>413,860</b>

**11. EQUITY IN TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS**

	2019 \$	2018 \$
Tangible capital assets (Schedule 2)	62,426,989	55,647,148
Accumulated amortization (Schedule 2)	(36,656,772)	(34,697,648)
Obligations under capital lease (Note 9)	(676,040)	(671,111)
Long-term liabilities (Note 10)	(413,860)	(1,336,395)
	<b>24,680,317</b>	<b>18,941,994</b>

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**12. EQUITY IN TRUST FUND**

	Capital \$	Revenue \$	Total \$
Balance, beginning of year	506,794	931,789	1,438,583
Interest	63,229	147,560	210,789
	570,023	1,079,349	1,649,372
BCR NUMBER	DATES FUNDS RELEASED	PURPOSE OF EXPENDITURE	
016-2018-2019	2019/01/11	Operating Budget	-
			400,000
			400,000
Balance, end of year	570,023	679,349	1,249,372

**13. ACCUMULATED SURPLUS**

	2019 \$	2018 \$
Unrestricted surplus	(3,889,149)	(3,473,392)
Equity in tangible capital assets	24,680,317	18,941,994
Equity in trust funds	1,249,372	1,438,583
	22,040,540	16,907,185