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# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

# To the Members of Downtown Moncton Centre-Ville Inc.

Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

# Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Downtown Moncton Centre-Ville Inc., which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2018, and the statements of changes in net assets, operations and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the entity as at December 31, 2018, and its results of operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

# 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 entity 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 Financial Statements
Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with
ASNPO, 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 entity's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the entity or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the entity'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. 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 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 organization's internal control.

# INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT, continued

- 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 organization'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 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 organization to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

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.

Thiel Greene

CHARTERED PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTANTS

Moncton, NB March 19, 2019



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# **DOWNTOWN MONCTON CENTRE-VILLE INC. Statement of Financial Position**

As at December 31,		2018		2017
ASSETS				
Current assets Cash and cash equivalents Accounts receivable (note 3) Prepaid expenses	\$	118,256 39,528 597	\$	113,349 48,588 597
		158,381		162,534
Capital assets (note 4)		127,196		129,649
Restricted cash (note 5)	3:	271,132		241,985
	\$	556,709	\$	534,168
LIABILITIES				
Current liabilities Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Due to the Province of New Brunswick	\$	22,332 23,632	\$	18,948 42,303
		45,964		61,251
NET ASSETS				
Unrestricted		112,417		101,283
Invested in capital assets		127,196		129,649
Internally restricted (note 5)		271,132		241,985
		510,745		472,917
	\$	556,709	\$	534,168
COMMITMENTS (note 6)				
Signed on Behalf of the Board				
Member			Mem	ber

See accompanying notes

# DOWNTOWN MONCTON CENTRE-VILLE INC. Statement of Changes in Net Assets

For the year ended Decem	iber 31	1				 	 
	Un	restricted	- 5	Invested in oital assets	Internally restricted	Total 2018	 Total 2017
BALANCE, BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$	101,283	\$	129,649	\$ 241,985	\$ 472,917	\$ 430,251
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures		63,045		(29,364)	4,147	37,828	42,666
Investments in capital assets		(26,911)		26,911	-		-
Transfer to restricted funds		(25,000)			25,000	-	 
BALANCE, END OF YEAR	\$	112,417	\$	127,196	\$ 271,132	\$ 510,745	\$ 472,917

# **DOWNTOWN MONCTON CENTRE-VILLE INC.** Statement of Operations

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For the year ended December 31,		2018 Budget		2018 Actual		2017 Actual
REVENUES						
Special levy	\$	749,518	\$	751,663	\$	755,128
Program Income, Schedule 1	Ψ	76,183	Ψ	86,826	Ψ	86,686
Interest income		4,000		7.065		5,781
Loss on sale of capital assets		-,000		-		(2,752)
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		829,701		845,554		844,843
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EXPENDITURES						
Amortization		20,000		29,364		26,569
Bad debts (recovered)		1,000		232		(4,237)
Meetings and hospitality		13,000		19,948		14,252
Office		49,000		36,096		40,587
Professional fees		15,015		27,026		20,539
Rent		31,000		31,970		32,303
Salaries and related benefits		242,500		239,994		238,066
Stakeholder Services, Schedule 2		404,900		404,370		413,394
Telephone		8,000		7,638		8,701
Travel		18,000		11,088		12,003
		802,415		807,726		802,177
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EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENDITURES FOR THE						
YEAR	\$	27,286	\$	37.828	\$	42,666
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# **DOWNTOWN MONCTON CENTRE-VILLE INC. Statement of Cash Flows**

For the year ended December 31,		2018	2017
OPERATING ACTIVITIES			
Excess of revenues over expenditures for the year Adjustments for Amortization	2000	7,828 \$ 9,364	42,666 26,569
Loss on disposal of capital assets	-	-	2,752
Change in non-cash working capital items	6	7,192	71,987
Accounts receivable		9,060	(3,781)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Employee deductions payable		3,384	(8,894) (8,557)
Due to the Province of New Brunswick	(1	8,671)	(13,872)
	6	0,965	36,883
INVESTING ACTIVITIES			
Purchase of capital assets Restricted cash	<b>,</b>	6,911) 9,147)	(51,958) (28,316)
	(5	6,058)	(80,274)
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH		4,907	(43,391)
CASH, BEGINNING OF YEAR	11	3,349	156,740
CASH, END OF YEAR	\$ 11	8,256 \$	113,349

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# 1. STATUS AND NATURE OF ACTIVITIES

Downtown Moncton Centre-Ville Inc. is the representative agency for all businesses located within the Moncton Business Improvement Area which includes the merchants in the Main Street and St. George Street business areas. The Corporation is exempt from income taxes, provided certain requirements of the Income Tax Act are met.

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

### Basis of presentation

The financial statements were prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations (ASNFPO).

# Revenue recognition

Special levy, program income and interest income is recognized as revenue in the year received or receivable, if the amount to be received can be reasonable estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

Contributions received for capital purposes are recognized as an increase to the capital surplus in the year received or receivable, if the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

# Cash and cash equivalents

For the purpose of the statement of cash flows, the Corporation considers cash on hand and balances with banks, net of overdrafts, and highly liquid temporary money market instruments with original maturities of three months or less as cash equivalents. Bank borrowings are considered to be financing activities.

Cash and cash equivalents are composed of the following:

Balances with banks

\$118,256

## Capital assets

Rates and bases of depreciation applied to write-off the cost less estimated salvage value of property and equipment over their estimated lives are as follows:

Furniture and fixtures

Christmas lights

Robinson court improvements

Bike racks and side walk clusters

Sidewalk sweeper

Leasehold improvements

20% Declining balance
20% Declining balance
20% Declining balance
10% Straight-line



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# 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, continued

# Measurement uncertainty

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations 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 financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the period. Significant areas requiring the use of estimates include: allowance for doubtful accounts and estimated useful lives of capital assets. 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

Financial instruments are recorded at fair value when acquired or issued. In subsequent periods, financial assets with actively traded markets are reported at fair value, with any unrealized gains and losses reported in income. All other financial instruments are reported at amortized cost, and tested for impairment at each reporting date. Transaction costs on the acquisition, sale, or issue of financial instruments are expensed when incurred.

# 3. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

	and prior y arrears	2018 levy arrears	Other receivables	2018	2017
Receivables Allowance for doubtful	\$ 6,393	\$ 25,777	\$ 8,279	\$ 40,449	\$ 49,277
accounts	(921)		-	(921)	(689)
	\$ 5,472	\$ 25,777	\$ 8,279	\$ 39,528	\$ 48,588



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### 4. CAPITAL ASSETS

				 2018	 2017
	Cost	200.00	ccumulated mortization	Net	Net
Furniture and fixtures Christmas lights Robinson court improvements Bike racks and side walk clusters Sidewalk sweeper Leasehold improvements	\$ 117,703 364,792 43,318 31,664 49,767 11,117	\$	95,611 285,424 41,110 20,607 38,025 10,388	\$ 22,092 79,368 2,208 11,057 11,742 729	\$ 27,615 68,934 2,761 13,821 14,677 1,841
	\$ 618,361	\$	491,165	\$ 127,196	\$ 129,649

### 5. RESTRICTED CASH

	2018	2017
Restricted for Downtown Events Centre	\$ 271,132	\$ 241,985

The Corporation has chosen to set aside certain funds for its future commitment to the Downtown Events Centre.

#### COMMITMENTS

The Corporation has committed to contribute \$3,750,000 to be paid in non-consecutive instalments over a period not to exceed 30 years, towards the contruction costs of the Downtown Events Centre. As of December 31, 2018, no instalments were made and the full amount remains outstanding.

The Corporation entered into a ten-year lease in November 2009 for office space for \$11,099 annually plus a proportionate share of operating costs.

The Corporation entered into a five-year lease in December 2018 for storage space for \$2,795 monthly in year one, \$2,995 monthly in year two, and \$3,295 monthly in years three to five.

The Corporation has also made a commitment to help fund the YMCA ReConnect program at \$25,000 for 2019.



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### 7. BANK INDEBTEDNESS

The Corporation has an established line of credit, to a maximum of \$40,000, with interest at prime plus 1.25%, all of which is unused as of December 31, 2018.

As security for the line of credit, the Corporation has pledged a general security agreement and assignment of receivables.

# 8. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Corporation is exposed to various risks through its financial instruments. The following analysis provides information about the Corporation's risk exposure and concentration as of December 31, 2018.

### (a) Market risk

Market Risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk comprises three types of risk: currency rate risk, interest rate risk and other price risk. The Corporation is not exposed to significant market risk.

#### (b) Credit risk

Credit risk arises from the potential that a counter party will fail to perform its obligations. The Corporation is exposed to credit risk from property owners on assessed levies. An allowance for doubtful accounts is established based upon factors surrounding the credit risk of specific accounts, historical trends and other information. The Corporation has receivables from a significant number of property owners which minimizes concentration of credit risk.

# (c) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that an entity will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities. The Corporation is exposed to this risk mainly in respect of its receipt of funds from property owners, the government and other related sources, and accounts payable. The Corporation mitigates this risk with an established line of credit.

## 9. ECONOMIC DEPENDENCE

The Corporation's special levy revenue is dependent on the City of Moncton's approval of it's operating budget for the year. Should the City of Moncton not approve this operating budget, the Corporation would not receive the special levy revenue and it is management's opinion that continued viable operations would be doubtful.

### 10. COMPARATIVE FIGURES

The financial statements have been reclassified, where applicable, to conform to the presentation used in the current year. The changes do not affect prior year net assets.



For the year ended December 31,		 	
SCHEDULE OF PROGRAM INCOME			Schedule 1
	2018 Budget	2018 Actual	 2017 Actual
City of Moncton			
Light display Downtown maintenance Ambassador program	\$ 27,683 17,000 25,000	\$ 27,683 17,000 30,000	\$ 27,683 17,000 30,000
	69,683	74,683	74,683
Federal government			
Summer student program	 6,500	 12,143	 12,003
	\$ 76,183	\$ 86,826	\$ 86,686
SCHEDULE OF STAKEHOLDER SERVICES			Schedule 2
	2018 Budget	2018 Actual	2017 Actual
Summer student program Annual meeting ReConnect Program Christmas lights Christmas promotion Downtown development Downtown maintenance Downtown gift cards General advertising Security Special events Street banners Website	\$ 	\$	\$

