Non-consolidated financial statements

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers)

Town of Port Hawkesbury

March 31, 2023

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Advisory to readers

The Town of Port Hawkesbury prepares both consolidated and non-consolidated financial statements.

Non-consolidated financial statements are prepared to show the details of the individual funds managed by the Town. In particular, they provide information as to how each of the funds performed compared to the approved Operating Budget of the Town. For all other purposes, readers are advised to refer to the consolidated financial statements that have been audited.

These non-consolidated financial statements have \underline{not} been audited. The non-consolidated financial statements are \underline{not} presented in full accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.

Town of Port Hawkesbury General section Operating fund balance sheet

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers)
March 31 2023 2022

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Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 3,245,249	\$ 3,189,151
Receivables		
Taxes (Note 2)	326,821	294,650
Due from federal government and its agencies	425,974	111,627
Due from provincial government and its agencies		
(Note 3)	575,709	49,991
Due from local government and its agencies (Note 4)	290,686	193,926
Other	560,628	308,176
	2,179,818	958,370
Tangible assets		
Inventories of materials and supplies	<u>1,125</u>	1,176
Other assets		
Deferred expenditures	-	56,809
	\$ 5,426,192	\$ 4,205,506

Town of Port Hawkesbury General section Operating fund balance sheet (continued)

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Liabilities and operating equity

On behalf of the Town of Port Hawkesbury

Trade payables	<u>\$ 2,548,431</u>	<u>\$ 1,658,686</u>
Other liabilities Due to operating reserve Due to Water Utility – operating/capital fund Payable to Landrie Lake Water Utility Deferred revenue Prepaid taxes	483,045 794,536 33,968 1,103,565 <u>158,649</u> 2,573,763	946,134 647,076 50,204 555,182 111,020 2,309,616
Asset valuation allowances For uncollectible accounts receivable For uncollected taxes (Note 5)	186,199 82,514 268,713	132,605 69,314 201,919
Operating fund surplus (Page 5)	35,285 \$ 5,426,192	35,285 \$ 4,205,506

Town of Port Hawkesbury General section Statement of operations

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers) Year ended March 31

	Budget	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Actual</u>
Revenue (Schedule A)			
Taxes	\$ 5,202,358	\$ 5,460,415	\$ 5,272,221
Grants in lieu of taxes	774,476	773,190	762,088
Services provided to other local governments	311,000	573,514	487,178
Sales of services	796,037	904,633	667,581
Other revenue from own sources	319,034	363,364	320,892
Conditional transfers from other governments Unconditional transfers from other	212,000	314,847	311,838
governments	304,730	298,716	603,370
Conditional transfers from other local			
governments	56,500	57,500	57,500
Other transfers	<u>155,438</u>	34,583	
	<u>8,131,573</u>	<u>8,780,762</u>	8,482,668
Expenditures (Schedule B)			
General government services	1,320,421	1,283,907	1,143,213
Protective services	1,818,594	1,804,713	1,637,473
Transportation services	1,004,350	1,141,094	1,113,349
Environmental health services	666,010	570,637	638,137
Public health and welfare services	70,000	58,881	60,873
Environmental development services	98,988	95,279	95,610
Recreation and cultural services	1,887,418	2,072,780	1,688,886
Education	647,292	647,291	633,397
Financing and transfers	618,500	<u>1,106,180</u>	1,471,730
	8,131,573	8,780,762	8,482,668
Excess of revenue over expenditures	\$ -	<u> </u>	\$ -

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Town of Port Hawkesbury General section Statement of operating fund surplus

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers) Year ended March 31	2023	2022
Operating fund surplus, beginning of year	\$ 35,285	\$ 35,285
Excess of revenue over expenditures	=	=
Operating fund surplus, end of year	<u>\$ 35,285</u>	\$ 35,285

Town of Port Hawkesbury General section General capital fund balance sheet

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers) March 31	2023	2022
Assets Cash and cash equivalents Due from other governments Due from Water Utility – capital fund Unamortized discount on debentures Property and equipment (Note 7)	\$ 10,477 451 715 15,145 27,330,288 \$ 27,357,076	\$ 10,477 451 715 17,725 26,651,129 \$ 26,680,497
Liabilities Long term debt (Note 8) (Schedule D) Equity	\$ 2,308,345	\$ 2,754,045
Investment in capital assets (Page 8)	<u>25,048,731</u> \$ 27,357,076	<u>23,926,452</u> \$ 26,680,497
On behalf of the Town of Port Hawkesbury		
Mayor		CAO

Town of Port Hawkesbury General section School capital fund balance sheet

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers)

March 31

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Assets

Strait Regional Centre for Education (Note 6)

Equity

Investment in capital assets

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On behalf of the Town of Port Hawkesbury

_ Mayor

See accompanying notes to the non-consolidated financial statements.

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Town of Port Hawkesbury General section Statement of investment in general capital assets

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers) Year ended March 31	2023	2022
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 23,926,452	\$ 24,439,005
Transfer from Canada Community Building Fund revenue Capital out of revenue Amortization of debenture discount and other adjustments Amortization of tangible capital assets	402,729 39,964 (2,579)	- 42,206 (2,579) (1,381,380)
Transfer from waterfront reserve Assets funded by ACOA and miscellaneous funding Asset funded through operating reserve	(1,364,505) 10,000 918,411 672,559	7,054 59,312 317,134
Term debt retired/refinanced Town debt refinanced	445,700	1,333,200 (887,500)
Balance, end of year	\$ 25,048,731	\$ 23,926,452

General section Statement of investment in school capital assets

(Unaudited - see advisory to readers)

Year ended March 31 2023 2022

Balance, beginning and end of year \$ 1 \$ 1

Town of Port Hawkesbury General section Schedule A - Details of revenue

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers) Year ended March 31

Budget 2,752,181	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Actual</u>
2,752,181	\$ 2.692.102	
2,752,181	\$ 2.692.102	
2,752,181	\$ 2,692,102	
	¥ =, = , = =	\$ 2,616,732
2,270,949	2,358,294	2,332,117
23,882	20,956	21,323
E 0.47.040		4.070.470
5,047,012	5,071,352	4,970,172
21 000	22 005	32,327
	•	9,136
	•	<u>23,716</u>
20,000		20,110
55,346	56,438	65,179
100,000	332,625	236,870
5,202,358	\$ 5,460,415	\$ 5,272,221
60 550	¢ 60.550	\$ 79,993
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104,511	700,001	002,000
774,476	\$ 773,190	\$ 762,088
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61,000	\$ 61,000	\$ 60,000
250,000	<u>512,514</u>	427,178
044.000	A 570 544	ф. 407.470
311,000	\$ 5/3,514	\$ 487,178
	2,270,949 23,882 5,047,012 21,000 9,346 25,000 55,346 100,000 5,202,358 69,559 704,917 774,476	2,270,949 2,358,294 23,882 20,956 5,047,012 5,071,352 21,000 23,995 9,346 9,756 25,000 22,687 55,346 56,438 100,000 332,625 5,202,358 \$5,460,415 69,559 704,917 773,190 61,000 \$12,514

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(Unaudited – see advisory to readers)
Year ended March 31

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2022

Year ended March 31				2023	2022
		Budget		<u>Actual</u>	<u>Actual</u>
Sales of services Airport Civic centre Public works Recreation and education Water utility Administrative	\$	80,000 438,687 25,000 191,500 52,850 8,000	\$	150,308 455,084 31,922 208,133 52,916 6,270	\$ 50,932 379,055 35,140 143,432 51,847 7,175
	\$	796,037	\$	904,633	\$ 667,581
Other revenue from own sources Licenses and permits Fines and fees Rentals Interest on short term funds Interest on taxes Miscellaneous	\$	2,250 7,500 188,984 22,000 60,000 38,300	\$	1,680 5,959 136,509 94,529 71,090 53,597	\$ 934 5,092 182,913 24,195 60,339 47,419
Conditional transfers from other governments Provincial government	\$	319,034	\$	363,364	\$ 320,892
Education and community literacy MPAL COVID Recovery Environmental development	\$	150,000 25,000 -	\$	162,089 25,000 73,775	\$ 156,521 25,000 68,500
Refuse diversion		17,000 192,000	_	30,016 290,880	 45,504 295,525
Federal government Federal works grant	_	20,000		23,967	 16,313
	\$	212,000	\$	314,847	\$ 311,838

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers)

Year ended March 31		2023	2022
	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Actual</u>
Unconditional transfers from other governments			
Fuel rebate	\$ 6,000	\$ -	\$ 5,910
Municipal Financial Capacity Grant	298,730	<u>298,716</u>	597,460
	\$ 304,730	<u>\$ 298,716</u>	\$ 603,370
Conditional transfers from other local governments			
Pool funding	\$ 26,500	\$ 27,500	\$ 27,500
Airport funding	30,000	30,000	30,000
	\$ 56,500	\$ 57,500	\$ 57,500
Other transfers			
Transfer from operating reserve fund	\$ 155,438	\$ 34,583	<u> </u>

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers)
Year ended March 31

Year ended March 31			2023		2022
	<u>Budget</u>		<u>Actual</u>		Actual
General government services Legislative					
Mayor					
Stipend	\$ 37,069	\$	37,605	\$	36,710
Travel	7,000		9,459		1,220
Council					
Stipend	79,010		79,314		77,439
Travel	 4,200	_	<u>5,361</u>	_	4,382
	 127,279	_	131,739		119,751
General administrative					
Administrative	504,654		461,851		421,594
Financial management	121,100		113,626		80,917
Taxation					
Administration	78,360		82,228		79,525
Reduced taxes - section 69 Reduced taxes - section 71	4,000 190,428		3,362 191,257		3,960 188,691
Common services	6,400		5,063		3,909
General financing	13,200		14,698		12,883
Transfer to assessment services	 41,700	_	41,514		53,014
	 959,842		913,599	_	844,493
Other general government services					
General liability insurance & claims Grants to other organizations and	105,000		142,997		110,349
individuals	18,500		19,078		7,416
Intergovernmental relations	17,500		15,107		6,090
Other general services	 67,300	_	48,187	_	41,145
	 208,300	_	225,369		165,000
Valuation allowances					
Uncollectible taxes allowance for appeals	 25,000	_	13,200		13,969
	\$ 1,320,421	\$	1,283,907	\$	1,143,213

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers) Year ended March 31

Year ended March 31		2023	2022
	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Actual</u>
Protective services			
Police protection			
Crime investigation, prevention,			
and protective services	<u>\$ 1,283,000</u>	<u>\$ 1,239,012</u>	<u>\$ 1,115,612</u>
Law enforcement			
Transfers to corrective services	38,861	37,729	38,068
Fire protection			
Administration	31,600	30,729	22,304
Fire fighting force	25,600	25,600	25,600
Water supply and hydrants	324,003	324,003	324,003
Fire stations and building	40,500	37,711	55,111
Firefighting equipment	52,000	86,739	32,664
	473,703	504,782	<u>459,682</u>
Other			
Animal and pest control	-	158	158
Emergency measures	2,000	2,000	2,000
Debenture interest	21,030	21,032	21,953
	23,030	23,190	24,111
	\$ 1,818,594	\$ 1,804,713	\$ 1,637,473

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Year ended March 31			2023		2022
Transportation services	<u>Bud</u>	<u>get</u>	<u>Actual</u>		Actual
Common services Administration Engineering services General equipment Small tools and equipment Workshop, yards, and other buildings Fleet insurance Other	5,0 59,7 7,5	000 500 000 155 500	15,871 13,777 9,925 3,775 65,344 12,385 5,941	\$	20,177 39,934 13,185 7,221 56,621 9,265 2,418 148,821
Road transport Administration Bridge repairs and maintenance Roads and streets Street lighting Traffic services Motor vehicles Other road transport	171,9 15,0 459,5 94,0 26,7 93,7 6,0	000 545 000 770 700 000 _	163,043 5,527 474,745 91,596 38,114 153,968 3,000		128,449 - 515,963 90,707 45,483 122,226 60 902,888
Air transport Airport	12,2	200 _	71,583		48,378
Debt charges Debenture interest	14, ² \$ 1,004,3		12,500 5 1,141,094		<u>13,262</u> ,113,349
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Year ended March 31				2023		2022
		<u>Budget</u>		<u>Actual</u>		<u>Actual</u>
Environmental health services						
Sewage collection and disposal						
Administration	\$	96,089	\$	89,299	\$	87,281
Sewage collection system		67,385		40,003		45,179
Sewage treatment and disposal		228,900		179,506		245,531
Other sewage collection		8,100	_	4,821		1,202
		400,474		313,629		379,193
Garbage and waste collection and disposal						
Garbage and waste collection		194,700		195,117		195,575
Waste disposal		45,000		41,232		32,749
Recycling costs		20,000	_	14,823		11,520
		259,700		251,172	_	239,844
Debt charges						
Interest on long term debt		5,836		5,836	_	19,100
	\$	666,010	\$	570,637	\$	638,137
Public health and welfare services						
Housing	ф	70.000	¢	E0 004	ф	60 072
Deficit of Regional Housing Authority	φ	70,000	\$	58,881	\$	60,873

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers)
Year ended March 31

Year ended March 31			2023	2022
Environmental development services	Buc	<u>lget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Actual</u>
Community development Transfers to Eastern Planning Commission Transfers to Regional Development	\$ 68,	988 \$	67,379	\$ 67,710
Cape Breton Regional Enterprise Network	30,	000	27,900	 27,900
	\$ 98,	988 \$	95,279	\$ 95,610
Recreation and cultural services Recreation facilities				
Civic centre	\$ 1,044,	-	-,,	\$ 913,988
Administration		200	32,356	26,668
Parks and other recreation facilities Swimming pool	171, 277,		246,424 242,695	184,687 166,616
Other programs	334,		435,420	344,922
· 1 3	1,847,		2,033,683	1,636,881
Cultural buildings and facilities Transfers to regional library	28,	<u> 100</u>	26,791	 21,147
Debt charges Interest on long term debt	12,	<u>305</u> _	12,306	 30,858
	\$ 1,887,	418 \$	2,072,780	\$ 1,688,886

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers)	_			2022		2022
Year ended March 31				2023		2022
Education		Budget		<u>Actual</u>		<u>Actual</u>
Education						
Appropriation to Strait Regional	•	0.47.000	•	0.47 00.4	•	000 007
Centre for Education	\$	647,292	\$	647,291	\$	633,397
Financing and transfers						
Principal instalments						
Debenture principal, net	\$	445,700	\$	445,700	\$	445,700
Transfers to own reserves, funds and agencies						
Other funds						
Capital out of revenue		_		39,964		42,206
Transfer to capital fund		60,000		· -		· -
Operating reserve fund		-		483,045		946,134
Waterfront reserve fund		_		13,746		16,700
Airport committee		112,800	_	123,725		20,990
	\$	618,500	\$	1,106,180	\$	1,471,730

Town of Port Hawkesbury Water utility section Operating fund balance sheet

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers) March 31	2023	2022
Assets		
Accounts receivable		
Rates (less allowance for doubtful accounts \$14,456;		
2022 - \$8,279)	\$ 229,516	\$ 221,863
Due from general section – operating fund	823,386	647,076
Inventories, at cost		
Chemicals	19,545	18,126
Other	30,394	42,141
Water meters and equipment	2,698	2,325
	\$1,105,539	\$ 931,531
Liabilities and operating equity Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Prepaid rates Consumer deposits	\$ 21,437 10,822 32,259	\$ 17,136 10,822 27,958
Operating fund surplus (Page 20)	1,073,280	903,573
	\$1,105,539	\$ 931,531
On behalf of the Town of Port Hawkesbury	y 1,100,000	Ψ 301,001
Mayor		CAO

Town of Port Hawkesbury Water utility section Statement of operations

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers)

Year ended March 31		2023	2022
	<u>Budget</u>	<u>Actual</u>	<u>Actual</u>
Operating revenues			
Flat rate sales	\$ 80,000	\$ 77,817	\$ 79,825
Metered sales	998,000	1,066,537	1,048,424
Other utility revenues	9,200	14,884	14,350
Public fire protection	324,003	324,003	324,003
	1,411,203	1,483,241	1,466,602
Operating expenses			
Source of supply	135,000	148,525	139,973
Pumping	10,640	2,273	4,430
Water treatment	423,871	421,053	405,343
Transmission and distribution	277,216	209,710	181,956
Administration and general	165,000	150,834	152,510
Depreciation	300,000	281,677	293,043
Taxes	<u>113,566</u>	<u>113,565</u>	<u>113,565</u>
	1,425,293	1,327,637	1,290,820
Operating (loss) income	(14,090)	<u> 155,604</u>	175,782
Non-operating expenditure			
Debt charges Debenture interest	18,000	17,987	21,511
Principal instalments	. 5,555	11,001	_ :,
Debenture principal	<u>85,800</u>	<u>85,800</u>	<u>85,800</u>
	103,800	103,787	107,311
Non-operating revenue			
Amortization of deferred government contributions	117,890	117,890	117,890
government contributions	117,000	117,030	
Excess of revenue over expenditures	\$ -	<u>\$ 169,707</u>	\$ 186,361

Town of Port Hawkesbury Water utility section Statement of operating fund surplus

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers)
Year ended March 3120232022Operating fund surplus, beginning of year\$ 903,573\$ 717,212Excess of revenue over expenditures169,707186,361Operating fund surplus, end of year\$ 1,073,280\$ 903,573

Town of Port Hawkesbury Water utility section Capital fund balance sheet

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers) March 31	2023	2022
Assets		
Cash	4 - 4 - 40 400	A 4 507 044
Depreciation fund Due from other government	\$ 1,746,432 28,850	\$ 1,567,941 -
Unamortized discount on debentures	2,400	3,057
Utility plant in service (Schedule C)	<u>11,296,383</u>	11,216,626
	<u>\$13,074,065</u>	<u>\$12,787,624</u>
Liabilities Long term debt (Note 8) (Schedule D)	\$ 389,655	\$ 475,455
Due to general section – operating fund	28,850	-
Due to general section – capital fund	<u>715</u>	<u>715</u>
	419,220	476,170
Reserve		
Reserve for depreciation Deferred government contributions	5,804,871 <u>2,318,177</u>	5,523,194 2,389,435
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Equity	<u>8,123,048</u>	<u>7,912,629</u>
Investment in capital assets	4,531,797	4,398,825
	<u>\$13,074,065</u>	\$12,787,624
On behalf of the Town of Port Hawkesbury		
Mayor		CAO
mayor		

Town of Port Hawkesbury Water utility section Statement of reserve for depreciation

2023	2022
\$ 5,523,194	\$ 5,230,151
<u>281,677</u>	293,043
<u>\$ 5,804,871</u>	\$ 5,523,194
	\$ 5,523,194

Water utility section Statement of investment in capital assets

Year ended March 31	2023	2022
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 4,398,825	\$ 4,302,899
Interest earned depreciation fund Term debt retired Discount amortized	47,829 85,800 (657)	10,783 85,800 (657)
Balance, end of year	\$ 4,531,797	\$ 4,398,825

Water utility section Statement of depreciation fund cash

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers) Year ended March 31	2023	2022
Cash, beginning of year	\$ 1,567,941	\$ 1,382,005
Deferred assistance transferred Capital additions Depreciation Interest earned on depreciation funds	(117,890) (33,125) 281,677 47,829	(117,890) - 293,043
Cash, end of year	<u>\$ 1,746,432</u>	\$ 1,567,941

Town of Port Hawkesbury Water utility section Schedule C - Utility plant and equipment

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers) Year ended March 31	2023	2022
Intangible asset	A 0.500	Φ 0.500
Working capital	<u>\$ 3,500</u>	\$ 3,500
Tangible plant Land and land rights		
Land for chemical building	13,058	13,058
Reservoir	17,841	17,841
Structures and improvements		
Heating	23,806	23,806
Source of supply	19,639	19,639
Purification structures	1,231,708	1,231,708
Distribution reservoirs and standpipes	1,167,030	1,138,086
Electric pumping equipment	353,547	353,547
Purification equipment	3,609,603	3,558,790
Transmission and distribution mains	4,373,744	4,373,744
Services	103,270	103,270
Meters	262,427	262,427
Hydrants	33,655	33,655
Tools and equipment	<u>83,555</u>	<u>83,555</u>
	11,292,883	11,213,126
	\$11,296,383	\$11,216,626

Town of Port Hawkesbury Reserve funds section Capital reserve balance sheet

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers)

Balance, beginning of year

Proceeds on sale of property

Interest earned

Balance, end of year

March 31	2023	2022
Assets Cash and cash equivalents	<u>\$ 337,889</u>	\$ 312,722
Reserve Special reserve	\$ 337,889	\$ 312,722
On behalf of the Town of Port Hawkesbury		
Mayor		CAO
Reserve funds section Statement of capital reserve (Unaudited – see advisory to readers)		
Year ended March 31	2023	2022

See accompanying notes to the non-consolidated financial statements.

312,722

9,366

<u> 15,801</u>

337,889

288,424

2,198

22,100

\$ 312,722

Town of Port Hawkesbury Reserve funds section Operating reserve balance sheet

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers)

Interest earned

Capital additions

Balance, end of year

Appropriation per council – general

Year ended March 31	2023	2022
Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 3,694,422	\$ 3,353,963
Due from general operating	<u>483,045</u>	946,134
	\$ 4,177,467	\$ 4,300,097
Reserve		
Snow reserve	\$ 51,453	\$ 51,453
General reserve	4,126,014	4,248,644
Operating reserve	<u>\$4,177,467</u>	\$ 4,300,097
On behalf of the Town of Port Hawkesbury		
Mayor		CAO
Reserve funds section		
Statement of operating reserve		
(Unaudited – see advisory to readers) Year ended March 31	2023	2022
	* 4 000 005	
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 4,300,097	\$ 3,648,505

See accompanying notes to the non-consolidated financial statements.

101,467

(672,559)

448,462

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(317,134)

946,134

\$ 4,300,097

Town of Port Hawkesbury Reserve funds section Canada Community Building Fund reserve balance sheet

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers) Year ended March 31	2023	2022
Assets Cash and cash equivalents	<u>\$1,695,628</u>	\$ 1,811,670
Reserve Canada Community Building Fund reserve	<u>\$ 1,695,628</u>	\$ 1,811,670
On behalf of the Town of Port Hawkesbury		
Mayor		CAO

Reserve Funds section Statement of Canada Community Building Fund reserve

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers) Year ended March 31	2023	2022
Balance, beginning of year	\$1,811,670	\$ 1,331,316
Interest earned Grant – Canada Community Building Fund	54,019 <u>232,668</u>	10,541 <u>469,813</u>
	2,098,357	1,811,670
Capital additions	(402,729)	
Balance, end of year	<u>\$ 1,695,628</u>	\$ 1,811,670

Town of Port Hawkesbury Reserve funds section Waterfront reserve balance sheet

(Unaudited – see advisory to readers) March 31	2023	2022
Assets Cash and cash equivalents	<u>\$ 24,729</u>	\$ 20,334
Reserve Waterfront reserve	<u>\$ 24,729</u>	\$ 20,334
On behalf of the Town of Port Hawkesbury		
Mayor		CAO
Reserve Funds section		
Statement of Waterfront reser	ve	
(Unaudited – see advisory to readers) Year ended March 31	2023	2022
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 20,334	\$ 10,575
Capital additions Creamery rental allocation Interest earned	(10,000) 13,746 <u>649</u>	(7,054) 16,700 <u>113</u>
Balance, end of year	\$ 24,729	\$ 20,334

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1. Summary of significant accounting policies

Basis of presentation

These non-consolidated financial statements, except as disclosed, have been prepared to conform in all material respects to the accounting principles prescribed for Nova Scotia municipalities by the Department of Municipal Affairs and for water utilities by the Utilities and Review Board.

Operating funds

i) Properties acquired at tax sale
 Properties acquired at tax sale are stated at cost.

ii) Valuation allowances

Uncollected taxes, special assessments and rates

The Town provides a valuation allowance for uncollected taxes equal to, at minimum, the following, which it feels represents a reasonable estimate of potential losses:

Uncollected taxes, special assessments and rates are reserved as required based on management's estimate of their collectability.

In the water utility, a valuation allowance is provided for estimated losses that will be incurred in collecting water rates receivable outstanding.

iii) Other receivables

The Town provides a valuation allowance at minimum, for all receivables which are outstanding for more than one year.

iv) Revenue and expenditures

Major revenue and expenditure items are recorded on the accrual basis.

Forfeited discount revenue on water rates is recorded on the accrual basis.

Principal and interest payments relating to long term debt are recorded as an expenditure when due for payment.

Interest earned on depreciation funds is recorded as income earned in investment in capital assets in the water utility section - capital fund.

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1. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

Capital funds

i) General and school purpose assets

Capitalized debt expense

The Town capitalizes interest incurred on funds borrowed for construction in progress activity.

ii) Water purpose assets

Capitalized debt expense

The Town capitalizes interest incurred on funds borrowed for construction in progress activity.

Capital asset assistance

Funds received through capital assistance programs are treated as additions to the investment in capital assets.

Capital assets and related depreciation

Utility plant, none of which is donated, is recorded at cost.

Depreciation of utility plant is charged to income based on formula rates prescribed by the Utility and Review Board.

Depreciation cash

The depreciation charge in the operating fund is transferred to a designated bank account in the capital fund where it becomes available to fund new construction, extensions, additions, or replacements of existing plant and equipment.

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 assets. The cost, less residual value, of the tangible capital assets is amortized on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life as follows:

	<u>Years</u>
Buildings	15 - 40
Engineered structures	25 - 50
Automotive equipment	6
Machinery and equipment	5 - 15
Sewer lines	50
Streets and lighting	25
Computer software	10

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1. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

A full year of amortization is charged in the year after acquisition. Assets under construction are not amortized until the year after the asset is available for productive use.

Certain assets such as surplus schools are disclosed at a nominal value as the determination of a fair market value for these types of assets is not appropriate.

2. Taxes receivable	<u>2023</u>	2022
Balance, beginning of year Levy Interest	\$ 225,336 5,071,352 71,090 5,367,778	\$ 271,958 4,970,172 60,339 5,302,469
Collections Write offs, adjustments, and exemptions	4,846,338 521,440 194,619 326,821	4,815,168 487,301 192,651 294,650
Valuation allowance (Note 5) Balance, end of year	<u>82,514</u> \$ 244,307	<u>69,314</u> \$ 225,336
3. Due from provincial government and its agencies	2023	<u>2022</u>
Province of Nova Scotia	\$ 575,709	\$ 49,991
4. Due from local government and its agencies	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
Various local governments	\$ 290,686	\$ 193,926

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5. Asset valuation allowances	2023	<u>2022</u>
For uncollected taxes Balance, beginning of year Provision for the year	\$ 69,314 13,200	\$ 55,345 13,969
Balance, end of year	\$ 82,514	\$ 69,314

6. Schools

On January 1, 1982, the Town of Port Hawkesbury joined with the Municipality of Inverness County to form the Inverness District School Board (now known as the Strait Regional Centre for Education). Under the agreement, all school buildings on hand at December 31, 1981, will remain assets of the Town but will be under the operational control of the Centre for Education until such time as the Centre for Education no longer requires the asset for school purposes. At that time, control will revert back to the Town.

7. Property and equipment			<u>2023</u>	2022
	<u>Cost</u>	Accumulated amortization	Net <u>book value</u>	Net <u>book value</u>
Land Buildings Engineered structures Automotive equipment Machinery and equipment Sewer lines Streets and lighting Computer software	\$ 1,906,143 26,833,631 2,775,824 835,927 4,965,311 7,470,723 10,215,805 107,953 \$ 55,111,317	\$ - 12,118,456 2,036,397 733,813 3,150,342 4,016,395 5,617,673 107,953	\$ 1,906,143 14,715,175 739,427 102,114 1,814,969 3,454,328 4,598,132	\$ 1,906,144 15,097,170 571,955 6,811 1,553,405 3,539,309 3,965,544 10,791 \$ 26,651,129

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8. Long term debt

Principal repayments required during the next five (5) years on long term debt are approximately as follows:

	General <u>Capital</u>	Water <u>Capital</u>	<u>Total</u>
2024	\$ 445,700	\$ 85,800	\$ 531,500
2025	\$ 393,200	\$ 85,800	\$ 479,000
2026	\$ 318,200	\$ 85,800	\$ 404,000
2027	\$ 260,700	\$ 85,800	\$ 346,500
2028	\$ 83,200	\$ 5,800	\$ 89,000

All existing long term debt has been approved by Municipal Finance.

9. Contributions to Boards and Commissions

(a) Boards and Commissions in which the Town has less than a 100% interest:

The Town is required to finance the operations of various boards and commissions, along with the other local municipal units to the extent of its participation based on assessment, population or prescribed formulae.

In addition to any budgeted contributions, the municipal units share in the deficits or surpluses of these boards based on their sharing percentages. A municipal unit's share of any deficit must be paid in the next fiscal year while a surplus may be taken into the next year's estimates. Alternatively, the Town may provide for its share of the surplus or deficit in the current year.

Details of contributions to these boards and commissions are as follows:

	<u>2023</u>	<u>2022</u>
Cape Breton Island Housing Authority	\$ 58,881	\$ 60,873
Eastern District Planning Commission	\$ 67,379	\$ 67,710
Cape Breton Regional Enterprise Network	\$ 27,900	\$ 27,900

The Town has no further financial obligations in connection with the operating results of the above-mentioned entities for the year ended March 31, 2023.

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9. Contributions to Boards and Commissions (continued)

- (b) Boards and commissions in which the Town has a 100% interest:
 - i) Town of Port Hawkesbury Water Utility

The Town annually records a provision for its share of the utility's deficit. During the year the Town recorded in its expenditures a deficit of nil (2022 – nil).

10. Transactions between the Town of Port Hawkesbury and the Water Utility

- (a) In general, and where identifiable, costs incurred by the Town of Port Hawkesbury on behalf of the Water Utility are charged to the Utility.
- (b) Salary and wage related costs are allocated in proportion to time spent performing functions on behalf of the Water Utility.
- (c) The Water Utility provides public fire protection to the Town. The charge for this service, included in operating revenues, amounted to \$324,003 (2022 \$324,003) and the charge is governed by the Utilities and Review Board.

11. Pensions

Pension costs and obligations

The Town of Port Hawkesbury sponsors a contributory defined benefit pension plan for a retired Municipal Clerk. The plan provides pension benefits for services which is determined using a final average salary formula in which the benefit is calculated as a specified percentage of the member's average salary over the last five years of membership in the plans.

An actuarial valuation for accounting purposes has been obtained for the year ended March 31, 2023 based on an actual valuation performed as at January 1, 2023. The next actuarial valuation for funding purpose will be prepared as at January 1, 2026. The March 31, 2023, actuarial valuation indicated that the pension plan had an accrued pension liability of \$65,100 (2022 - \$16,800 pension asset).

The actuarial valuation was based on a number of assumptions about future events, such as inflation rates, interest rates, wage and salary increases and employee turnover and mortality. The assumptions used reflect the Town's best estimates.

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11. Pensions (continued)

The following summarizes the major assumptions in the valuation:

- The expected inflation rate is 1.8 percent;
- The discount rate used to determine the accrued benefit obligation is 4.0 percent;
- The expected rate of return is 4.0 percent; and
- The expected average remaining life expectancy is 16 years.

Combined employer and employee contributions during the year were nil and nil, respectively.

Pension fund assets are valued at market values. The result of the 2023 valuation is as follows:

Market value of the pension plan asset	\$ 1,101,400
Accrued benefit obligation	(1,166,500)
Pension plan deficit	(65,100)
Unamortized actuarial losses	-
Valuation allowance	-
Accrued benefit liability	\$ 65,100

Pension expense was \$21,704.

During the year, the Town has also matched employee contributions to a money-purchase pension plan for full-time employees to a maximum percentage of each participating employee's gross pay depending on years of service. The employee and employer contributions are as follows:

Public Works	9%
Management and salaried employees	9%

This plan, to which contributions totalled \$129,863 in fiscal 2023 (2022 - \$124,507), is accounted for as a defined contribution plan, where the Town contributes a percentage of eligible wages as outlined above. These costs are included with wages and benefits expenditures on the statement of operations.

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12. Remuneration

Total remuneration and expenses paid to elected and senior appointed officials of the Town are as follows:

<u>Remuneration</u>	
ayor \$ 37,135	
eputy Mayor \$ 20,353	
ouncillor \$ 19,968	
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Town of Port Hawkesbury Schedule D - Debt charges and term debt

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		Loan Continuity										
			Balance					Balance				
	Year of	March 31,							March 31,			
	<u>Maturity</u>	2022			<u>Acquired</u>		Redeemed		2023		<u>Interest</u>	
General capital												
Serial debentures												
Civic Centre	2034	\$	225,000	\$	-	\$	75,000	\$	150,000	\$	4,949	
Waste water plant	2023		105,000		-		52,500		52,500		3,156	
Civic Centre	2025		230,000		-		57,500		172,500		2,155	
Civic Centre – refinanced	2026		625,000		-		125,000		500,000		5,201	
Waste water plant – refinanced	2026		262,500		-		52,500		210,000		2,680	
Aerial ladder truck	2034		810,000		-		45,000		765,000		21,032	
Pitt Napean	2034		<u>496,545</u>				38,200		458,34 <u>5</u>	_	12,500	
			2,754,045				445,700		2,308,34 <u>5</u>	_	51,673	
Water capital												
Serial debentures												
Municipal finance	2026		400,000		-		80,000		320,000		16,087	
Pitt Napean	2034		75,45 <u>5</u>		<u> </u>		5,800		69,655	_	1,899	
			475,455		<u> </u>		85,800		389,655		17,986	
								-			<u></u>	
Total Municipal debt		\$	3,229,500	\$	<u> </u>	\$	531,500	\$	2,698,000	\$	69,659	
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Note 1: Interest rates are ordered consistently with order of term loans and debentures above:

1 – 2.129% to 2.829%

2 - 2.963% to 3.048%

3 – 0.859% to 1.241%

4 - 5.080%

5 - 0.4% to 1.398%

6 - 2.039% to 3.048%

7 – 0.5% to 1.489%

8 – 2.129% to 2.829%

9 – 2.039% to 3.048%

10 - 4.301% to 4.597%

11 - 2.039% to 3.048%