

Village of Tahsis

Statement of Financial Information
For the Year Ended December 31, 2018

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Financial Statements
December 31, 2018

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MANAGEMENT REPORT

December 31, 2018

The Mayor and Council of the Village of Tahsis has delegated the responsibility for the integrity and objectivity of the financial information contained in the financial statements to the management of the Village of Tahsis. The financial statements which, in part, are based on informed judgments and estimates, have been prepared by management in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards, which have been applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

To assist in carrying out their responsibility, management maintains an accounting system and internal controls to provide reasonable assurance that transactions are properly authorized and recorded in compliance with legislative and regulatory requirements and that financial records are reliable for preparation of the financial statements. These systems are monitored and evaluated by management.

The Village of Tahsis's independent auditors, Chan Nowosad Boates Inc., Chartered Professional Accountants, are engaged to express an opinion as to whether these financial statements present fairly the Village of Tahsis's financial position and operating results in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards. Their opinion is based on procedures they consider sufficient to support such an opinion.

The financial statements have, in management's position, been properly prepared within reasonable limits of materiality and in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards. These statements present, in all significant respects the financial position of the Village of Tahsis as at December 31, 2018.

Mr. Mark Tatchell

Chief Administrative Officer

May 7, 2019



INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Mayor and Council of the Village of Tahsis

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Village of Tahsis (the "Village"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2018, the statements of operations, changes in net financial assets and cash flows for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information (hereinafter referred to as the "financial statements").

In our opinion, the Village's financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Village as at December 31, 2018, and its financial performance and cash flows for the year then ended. The financial statements have been prepared by management in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.

Basis of 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 Village 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 of our opinion.

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

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

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

Those charged with governance are responsible for over-seeing the Village's financial reporting process.

Auditors' 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.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements (continued)

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 the 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 Village'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 Village'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 Village 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.
- 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.

Chartered Professional Accountants Campbell River, BC

Chan Noword Brate Inc

May 7, 2019

Statement of Financial Position		
December 31, 2018	2018	2017
	\$	\$ (Note 16)
FINANCIAL ASSETS		
Cash	473,657	538,437
Portfolio Investments (Note 2)	2,334,896	2,294,876
Accounts Receivable (Note 3)	309,628	138,577
Taxes and User Fees Receivable	171,412	209,374
	3,289,593	3,181,264
LIABILITIES		
Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities	372,162	137,674
Deferred Grants and Unearned Revenue (Note 4)	420,136	172,775
Contaminated Site Remediation (Notes 5 and 16)	56,700	56,700
	848,998	367,149
NET FINANCIAL ASSETS	2,440,595	2,814,115
NON-FINANCIAL ASSETS		
Tangible Capital Assets (Note 6)	5,734,047	5,333,553
Prepaid Expenses	65,064	62.964
•	5,799,111	5,396,517
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS (Note 11)	8,239,706	8,210,632

Approved by:

Finance Officer

Mayor

Statement of Operations Year Ended December 31, 2018

Tear Effect December 51, 2018			
	20	18	
	Budget	Actual	2017
	\$	\$	\$
	(Note 12)		(Note 16)
Revenues (Schedules 2 and 3)			
Taxation - Net (Note 7)	690,053	712,291	705,244
Utility Connection Fees and User Rates	235,000	235,132	146,105
Government Grants - Federal (Schedule 1)	560,757	698,937	440,718
Fee and Services Charges	236,350	213,560	221,288
Other Revenues	<u>36,500</u>	<u> 175,955</u>	141,422
	<u>1,758,660</u>	2.035.875	1,654,777
Expenditures (Schedules 2 and 3)			
General Departmental Expenditures	1,916,518	1,769,680	1,579,025
Water System Operations	115,316	134,476	147,564
Sewer System Operations	<u> 117,199</u>	102,645	105.217
	2,149,033	2,006,801	1,831,806
Annual Surplus (Deficit)	(390,373)	29,074	(177,029)
Accumulated Surplus - Beginning of Year	8,210,632	8,210,632	8,387,661
Accumulated Surplus - End of Year	7,820,259	8,239,706	8,210,632

Statement of Change in Net Financial Assets Year Ended December 31, 2018

	201	2018			
	Budget	Actual	2017		
	\$	\$	\$		
	(Note 12)		(Note 16)		
Annual Surplus (Deficit)	(390,373)	29,074	(177,029)		
Acquisition of Tangible Capital Assets	_	(683,625)	(478,080)		
Amortization of Tangible Capital Assets	243,277	283,131	245,532		
Acquisition of Prepaid Expenses		(2.100)	(3,556)		
	_(147,096)	(373,520)	(413,133)		
Net Financial Assets - Beginning of Year	2,814,115	2,814,115	3,227,248		
Net Financial Assets - End of Year	2,667,019	2,440,595	2,814,115		

Statement of Cash Flows		# <u> </u>
Year Ended December 31, 2018	2018	2017
	\$	\$
Cash Flows From Operating Activities:		
Annual Surplus (Deficit) Items Not Involving Cash Equity loss from Nootka Sound Economic	29,074	(177,029)
Development Corporation	-	74,199
Amortization of Tangible Capital Assets	283,131	245,532
Changes in Non Cosh Oneutine D.1	312,205	142,702
Changes in Non-Cash Operating Balances Accounts and Taxes Receivable	(123.000)	(110.0-0)
Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities	(133,089)	(118,356)
Deferred Grants and Unearned Revenue	234,488 247,361	35,608
Prepaid Expenses	(2,100)	145,009
	658,865	(3,556) 201,407
Cash Flows From Capital Activities:		
Purchase of Tangible Capital Assets	(683,625)	(478,080)
Cash Flows From Investing Activities:		
Redemption of (Investment in) Portfolio Investments	(40,020)	540,707
Increase (Decrease) in Cash and Cash Equivalents	(64,780)	264,034
Cash and Cash Equivalents - Beginning of Year	538,437	274,403
Cash and Cash Equivalents - End of Year	473,657	538,437

Notes to the Financial Statements

December 31, 2018

The Village of Tahsis (the "Village") is a municipality in the province of British Columbia and operates under the provisions of the Community Charter. Its principal activities are the provision of local government services to the residents of the Village. These services include fire protection, public works, planning, parks and recreation, water distribution and sewer collection and other general government services.

1. Significant Accounting Policies:

a) Basis of Presentation:

The Village prepares its financial statements in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards using guidelines developed by the Public Sector Accounting Board ("PSAB") for the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada.

b) Portfolio Investments:

Portfolio investments are comprised entirely of Municipal Finance Authority (MFA) pooled investments including money market, intermediate and short-term bond funds. Portfolio investments are recorded at fair value.

c) Tangible Capital Assets:

Tangible capital assets are recorded at cost less accumulated amortization and are classified according to their functional use. Cost includes amounts that are directly related to the acquisition, design, construction, development, improvement or betterment of the assets. Amortization is recorded on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life of the tangible capital asset commencing once the asset is in use. Donated tangible capital assets are recorded at fair value at the time of the donation.

Estimated useful lives of tangible capital assets are as follows:

Roads and Bridges	30 to 50 years
Buildings	20 to 40 years
Machinery and Equipment	5 to 20 years
Water Infrastructure	30 to 50 years
Sewer Infrastructure	30 to 50 years
Drainage	30 to 50 years

d) Collection of Taxes on Behalf of Other Taxation Authorities:

The Village collects taxation on behalf of other entities. Such levies, other revenues, expenses, assets and liabilities with respect to the operations of these other entities are not reflected in these financial statements.

e) Deferred Revenue:

Revenues from rental revenues pertaining to the subsequent year have been deferred. These amounts will be recognized as revenue in the next fiscal year.

f) Revenue Recognition and Deferred Grants:

Taxes are recorded at estimated amounts when they meet the addition of an asset, have been authorized and the taxable event occurs. Taxes receivable are recognized net of allowance for anticipated uncollectible amounts.

Through the British Columbia Assessment's appeal process, taxes may be adjusted by way of supplementary roll adjustments. The affects of these adjustments on taxes are recognized at the time they are awarded.

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1. Significant Accounting Policies (continued):

f) Revenue Recognition and Deferred Grants (continued):

Charges for sewer and water usage are recorded as user fees. Connection fee revenues are recognized when the connection has been established.

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

Sale of service and other revenue is recognized on an accrual basis as earned.

g) Financial Instruments:

Financial instruments consist of cash and portfolio investments, accounts receivable and accounts payable. Unless otherwise noted, it is management's opinion that the Village is not exposed to significant interest rate, currency or credit risk arising from these financial instruments.

h) Use of Estimates:

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 the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, as well as the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period.

Significant areas requiring the use of management estimates relates to the collectability of accounts receivable, valuation of investments, estimates of contingent liabilities, the provision for amortization and the estimation of potential environmental liabilities. Actual results could differ from management's best estimates as additional information becomes available in the future.

i) Contaminated Sites:

Governments are required to accrue a liability for the costs to remediate a contaminated site. Liabilities are recognized when an environmental standard exists, contamination exceeds the standards, the government has responsibility for the remediation, future economic benefits will be given up and a reasonable estimate can be made.

Management has assessed its potential liabilities under the new standard including sites that are no longer in productive use and sites which the Village accepts responsibility.

j) Government Partnerships:

Government partnerships are accounted for using the proportionate consolidation method.

Notes to the Financial Statements

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2. Portfolio Investments:

	<u>2018</u>	<u> 2017</u>
	\$	\$
Short-Term Bond Funds	567,479	557,664
Intermediate	620,977	609,378
Money Market Funds - Municipal Finance Authority	1,146,440	1,127,834
	2,334,896	2,294,876

The current annual yield of the short-term bond fund is 1.76% (2017 - 0.25%) while the money market fund has an annual yield of 1.65% (2017 - 0.97%) and intermediate funds have an annual yield of 1.90% (2017 - 0.78%). All portfolio investments are effectively redeemable on demand.

3. Accounts Receivable:

	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
	\$	\$
GST Receivable	5,995	46,202
Accounts Receivable	311,641	101,304
Allowance for Doubtful Accounts	(8,008)	(8,929)
•	309 628	138,577

4. Deferred Grants and Unearned Revenue:

<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
\$	\$
3,999	5,594
-	11,194
416.137	155,987
420,136	172,775
	3,999 - 416.137

5. Contaminated Site Remediation:

A parcel of land that was previously used as a seaplane base has been under the ownership of the Village since 2009. In 1995, it was noted there were contaminate concentrations in the soil at the sea plane base and the site was registered as a contaminated site. An environmental assessment carried out by the Federal Government in November 2018 on an adjacent property determined that there were still minimal levels of petroleum hydrocarbons and polychromatic hydrocarbons, but they were at such a level that the site would no longer be considered to be contaminated. The site, however, remains on the registered contaminated site listing.

To remove the site from the registered contaminated site listing to allow for building on the property or alternatively the future sale of the property, it is estimated by management of the Village that the total cost to obtain the report that would allow for the deregistration of the site as a contaminated site is \$56,700. The Village has recognized the liability for this amount which was recorded as an expenditure in the previous period.

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6. Tangible Capital Assets:

	Cost			Accumulated Amortization			Net Boo	k Value		
	Opening \$	Additions \$	Disposals \$	Closing \$	Opening \$	Amort \$	Disposals	Closing \$	2018	2017 \$
Land	1,128,861	11,162	(4)	1,140,023		- 2	P	- 74	1,140,023	1,128,861
Buildings	4,483,649	207,008	- 2	4,690,657	3,135,294	123,412		3,258,706	1,431,951	1,348,355
Machinery and						, , , , , ,		-,,	-,,	1,5 10,000
Equipment	2,151,060	67,867	4,327	2,214,600	1,596,532	63,732	4,327	1,655,937	558,663	554,528
Roads and Bridges	5,098,508	80,744	100	5,179,252	3,845,531	56,599	222	3,902,130	1,277,122	1,252,977
Drainage	259,990	-	1.75	259,990	259,990	:+:	2.4.5	259,990	-,,	-
Other	179,660	21,922		201,582	150,033	6,889	-	156,922	44,660	29,627
Water Infrastructure	2,037,321	144,274		2,181,595	1,138,310	23,544		1,161,854	1,019,741	899,011
Sewer Infrastructure	2,804,844	<u>150,648</u>		2,955,492	2,684,650	8,955	_	2,693,605	261,887	120,194
	18,143,893	683,625	4,327	18,823,191	12,810,340	283,131	4,327	13,089,144	5,734,047	5,333,553

7. Taxation - Net:

	Budget <u>2018</u> \$	Actual <u>2018</u> \$	Actual <u>2017</u> \$
General Municipal Purposes Collections for Other Governments	690,053	711,909	701,017
Strathcona Regional District	9	9,132	8,894
Province of British Columbia - School Tax	*	192,429	187,236
Comox Strathcona Regional Hospital District	*	27,830	29,361
Municipal Finance Authority	≅.	8	7
British Columbia Assessment Authority	*	2,136	2,125
Vancouver Island Regional Library		10,874	12,102
Province of BC - Police Tax Comox Valley Regional District	8	12,907	12,349
Waste Management		6,495	6.841
	690,053	973,720	959.932
Transfers			
Strathcona Regional District	-	9,132	8,842
Province of British Columbia - School Tax	-	192,209	183,402
Comox Strathcona Regional Hospital Districts	-	27,830	28,957
Municipal Finance Authority	-	8	8
British Columbia Assessment Authority	-	2,136	2,207
Vancouver Island Regional Library	-	10,712	12,052
Province of BC - Police Tax Comox Valley Regional District	-	12,907	12,349
Waste Management		6,495	6.871
	-	261,429	254,688
Available for General Municipal Purposes	690,053	712,291	705_244

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8. Contingent Liabilities:

- (a) The Village is responsible as a member of the Strathcona Regional District and a member of the Comox Strathcona Waste Management Function for its share of any operating deficits or long-term debt related to functions in which it participates. Management of the Village have assessed the risks of any contingent liabilities as unlikely at this time therefore no provision has been recorded in the financial statements.
- (b) The Village is partially self-insured through the Municipal Insurance Association of British Columbia. Should the Association pay out claims in excess of premiums received, it is possible that the Village along with the other participants, would be required to contribute towards the deficit.

9. Pension Plan:

The Village and its employees contribute to the Municipal Pension Plan (the "Plan"), a jointly-trusted pension plan. The Board of Trustees, representing plan members and employers, is responsible for administering the Plan, including investment of the assets and administration of the benefits.

The Plan is a multi-employer defined benefit pension plan. Basic pension benefits are based on a formula. As at December 31, 2017 the Plan had about 197,000 active members and approximately 95,000 retired members. Active members include approximately 39,000 contributors from local government.

Every three years, an actuarial valuation is performed to assess the financial position of the plan and adequacy of plan funding. The actuary determines an appropriate combined employer and member contribution rate to fund the Plan. The actuary's calculated contribution rate is based on the entry-age normal cost method, which produces the long-term rate of member and employer contributions sufficient to provide benefits for average future entrants to the Plan. This rate is then adjusted for the amortization of any actuarial funding surplus and will be adjusted for the amortization of any unfunded actuarial liability.

The most recent valuation for the Municipal Pension Plan as at December 31, 2015, indicated a \$2,224 million funding surplus for basic pension benefits on a going concern basis. As a result of the 2015 basic account actuarial valuation surplus and pursuant to the joint trustee agreement, \$1,927 million was transferred to the rate stabilization account and \$297 million of the surplus ensured the required contribution rates remained unchanged.

The Village paid \$42,429 (2017 - \$29,410) for employer contributions to the Plan in fiscal 2018. The next valuation will be as at December 31, 2018, with results available in 2019.

Employers participating in the Plan record their pension expense as the amount of the employer contributions made during the fiscal year (defined contributions pension plan accounting). This is because the Plan records accrued liabilities and accrued assets for the Plan in aggregate, resulting in no consistent and reliable basis for allocating the obligation, assets and cost to individual employers participating in the Plan.

10. Related Party Transactions:

Government Partnership:

The Village of Tahsis and the Village of Zeballos established a non-formalized government partnership in 2016 in pursing a economic development tourism trail project between the two villages. The Village of Tahsis is the project manager, and in 2018, the Village of Zeballos applied for grants to be used towards the project. In 2018, total funds received from the Village of Zeballos is \$58,956 (2017 - \$77,153).

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10. Related Party Transactions (continued):

Condensed government partnership financial statement information:		
	<u>2018</u>	2017
	\$	\$
Statement of Financial Position		
Total Assets	7,700	7,700
Total Liabilities	28,482	28,482
Total Equity (Deficit)	(20.782)	(20,782)
	7,700	7,700
Statement of Comprehensive Income		
Revenues	58,956	77,153
Expenditures	58,956	77,570
Net Loss	_	(417)
	2018	<u>2017</u>
	\$	-\$
Statement of Changes in Equity		•
Retained Earnings (Deficit), beginning of the year	(20,782)	(20,365)

11. Accumulated Surplus:

Retained Earnings (Deficit), end of the year

Net Loss

The Village segregates its accumulated surplus in the following categories:

	<u>2018</u>	2017
	\$	\$
Internally Restricted Funds for Future Expenditure	524,352	524,352
Unrestricted Funds	1,023,628	1,195,879
Reserve Funds (a)	892,615	1,093,884
Investment in Non-Financial Assets (b)	5,799,111	5,396,517
	8,239,706	8,210,632

- (a) Reserve funds represent funds set aside by bylaw or council resolution for specific purposes.
- (b) The investment in non-financial assets represents amounts already spent and invested in infrastructure and other non-financial assets.

Details of reserve funds are shown below:

	<u>2018</u>	<u>2017</u>
	\$	\$
Capital Works, Machinery and Equipment Reserve (a)	444,974	546,694
Fire Hall Reserve (b)	266,024	252,251
Recreation Centre Capital Works, Machinery and		
Equipment Reserve (c)	154,886	270,619
Economic Development (d)	26,731	24,320
	892,615	1,093,884

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11. Accumulated Surplus (continued):

(a) Capital Works, Machinery and Equipment Reserve

The Capital Works, Machinery and Equipment Reserve was established by Bylaw 364 to provide for new capital works, extensions or renewals of existing works and to provide for machinery and equipment necessary for capital projects for the maintenance of Municipal Property or for the protection of persons and property. Money from the sale of land, current revenue or General Operating Fund surpluses may be transferred into the Reserve Fund.

(b) Fire Hall Reserve

The Hall Reserve fund was established by Bylaw 400 to provide for the cost of a new fire hall including land, buildings, machinery and equipment. Money from current revenue, General Operating Fund surpluses or as otherwise provided in the Local Government Act may be transferred into the Reserve Fund.

(c) Recreation Centre Capital Works, Machinery and Equipment Reserve

The Recreation Centre Capital Works, Machinery and Equipment Reserve Fund was established by Bylaw 418 to provide for the cost of the recreation centre. Money from current revenue, General Operating fund surpluses, or as otherwise provided in the Local Government Act may be transferred into the Reserve Fund.

(d) Economic Development Reserve

The Economic Development Fund was not established through bylaw. The Community Charter stipulates that reserve funds may be established for certain types of activities, which is how this fund was established. Money from current revenue, General Operating fund surpluses, or as otherwise provided in the Local Government Act may be transferred into the Reserve Fund.

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12. Fiscal Plan

The Fiscal Plan amounts represent the Financial Plan Bylaw adopted by Council on May 3, 2018.

The budget anticipated use of surpluses accumulated in previous years to balance against current expenditures in excess of current year revenues. In addition, the budget anticipated capital expenditures rather than amortization expense. The following schedule reconciles the approved bylaw to the amounts presented in the financial statements.

	<u>2010</u>
	\$
Financial Plan (Budget) Bylaw Surplus Approved for the Year	
Less:	
Budgeted Transfers to Offset Amortization	(243,277)
Budgeted Transfers from Accumulated Surplus	(147,096)
Annual Deficit Presented in Financial Statements	(390,373)

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13. Segmented Information

The Village is a diversified municipal government institution that provides a wide range of services to its citizens such as recreation, fire, sewer, water, and solid waste. Distinguishable functional segments have been separately disclosed in the segmented information. The nature of the segments and activities they encompass are noted below and detailed further in Schedules 2 and 3 of these financial statements.

General Government

This item relates to the revenues and expenses of the operations of the Village itself and cannot be directly attributed to a specific segment.

Protective Services

Protection is comprised of fire protection services. The fire department is responsible to provide fire suppression service, fire prevention programs, training and education. The members of the fire department consist of volunteers.

Transportation Services

Public works and transportation is responsible for the maintenance of roads and outdoor lighting.

Environmental Treatment Services

Environmental Treatment Services consists of providing waste disposal to citizens.

Economic Development Services

This department develops outside awareness of the economic area.

Recreation and Cultural Services

This service area provides services meant to improve health and development of the Village's citizens. Recreational programs and cultural programs are provided at the aquatic centre and community centre.

Water Utility

The service provides distribution of water to residents.

Sewer Utility

Provision of sanitary sewer collection by providing and maintaining pipes, manholes, and culverts and sewer treatment.

14. Comparative Figures

Certain 2017 comparative figures have been reclassified, where necessary, to conform with the financial statement presentation adopted in the current year.

15. Subsequent Event

Subsequent to year end, the Village sold a parcel of land for \$136,000 to the Canadian Federal Government,

Notes to the Financial Statements

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16. Prior Period Adjustment

During the year ending December 31, 2018, it was identified that the Village owns property that is on the contaminated site registry. Under PS 3260 – Liability for Contaminated Sites, a liability for the costs of remediation and costs surrounding remediation should be recognized when the government is or will be directly responsible for the costs, which would have been when the property was transferred to the Village from the Canadian Federal Government in 2009.

In prior periods, it was not known to the Village that the parcel of land was listed on a registry of contaminated sites.

As a result of the above and the requirement to record the liability in both the prior and current year, the comparative financial statement information for the year ending December 31, 2017 has been adjusted and restated as detailed below.

Opening Accumulated Surplus was reduced by \$56,700 from \$8,444,361 to \$8,387,661 to account for the liability and related expense being recognized in the year of the adoption of PSAS and a liability on the Statement of Financial Position under Contaminated Site Remediation was recognized for \$56,700.

Schedule 1 - Government Grants and Transfers to the Village and Ratepayers Year Ended December 31, 2018

	20:		
	Budget \$	Actual \$	2017 \$
	(Note 12)		
Federal Government			
Grants in Lieu of Taxes	10,000	10,404	9.026
Province of BC and Federal/Provincial Programs General Fund			
Small Communities Protection	325,738	343,396	325,738
Infrastructure and Other	225,019	344,437	105.764
	550,757	687,833	431,502
General Capital			
Infrastructure (Provincial)	*	700	190
	560.757	698,937	440,718

Schedule 2 - Combined Statement of Operations by Segment Year Ended December 31, 2018

	General Government	Protective Services	Transportation Services	Environmental Treatment Services	Economic Development Services	Recreation and Cultural Services	Water Utility	Sewer Utility	2018 Actual	2018 Budget (Note 12)
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Revenues										
Taxation Utility Connection Fees and User Rates Government Grants and Transfers Fees and Service Charges Other Revenues	712,291 698,937 140,977 1,552,205	4,090	161	190,236	29,478 29,478	23,324	129,639	105,493 - - 1,410 - 106,903	712,291 235,132 698,937 213,560 175,955 2,035,875	690,053 235,000 560,757 236,350 36,500 1,758,660
Expenses										
Operating Goods and Services Labour Amortization	304,970 407,338 26,618 738,926	74,466 30,503 59,628 164,597	37,213 126,517 79,933 _243,663	91,727 25,250 1,363 118,340	31,210	153,921 235,933 83,090 472,944	55,578 55,354 23,544 134,476	70,652 23,038 8,955 102,645	819,737 903,933 	1,048,166 857,590 243,277 2,149,033
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues over Expenses	813,279	(160,507)	(243,663)	71,896	(1,732)	(449,620)	(4,837)	4,258	29,074	(390,373)

Schedule 3 - Combined Statement of Operations by Segment Year Ended December 31, 2017

	General Government	Protective Services	Transportation Services	Environmental Treatment Services	Economic Development Services	Recreation and Cultural Services	Water Utility	Sewer Utility	2017 Actual	2017 Budget
Revenues	-	•	ů.	•	J	•	\$	\$	\$	\$
Taxation Utility Connection Fees and User Rates Government Grants and Transfers Fees and Service Charges Other Revenues	705,244 440,718	1,335 1,335	50	165,646	38,745 38,745	55,642	48,498	97,607 375 97,982	705,244 146,105 440,718 221,288 141,422 1,654,777	683,277 236,256 467,573 152,456 27,399 1,566,961
Expenses										
Operating Goods and Services Labour Amortization	268,438 348,682 21,807 638,927	51,734 16,510 39,293 107,537	61,667 113,130 77,778 252,575	90,229 15,309 1,363 106,901	46,984 	116,990 229,503 	64,373 59,260 	79,563 23,902 	779,978 806,296 245,532 1,831,806	859,667 707,292 209,807 1,776,766
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues over Expenses	608,002	(106,202)	(252,575)	58,745	(8,239)	(370,459)	(99,066)	(7,235)	(177,029)	(209,805)

Schedule 4 - Reserve Fund Transactions

Year Ended December 31, 2018

	Capital Works Machinery and Equipment	Fire Hall	Rec Centre	Economic Development	Total 2018	Total 2017
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Balance, Beginning of Year	546,694	252,251	270,619	24,320	1,093,884	1,417,852
Interest Earned	17,232	13,773	4,567	2,411	37,983	30,417
Transfer From Other Funds	-	-	-	ua.	_	-
Used for Capital Expenditures	_(118,952)	-	(120,300)		(239,252)	(354,385)
Balance, End of Year	444,974	_266,024	154,886	26.731	892,615	1.093,884

Schedule of Guarantee and Indemnity Agreements

The Village of Tahsis has not given any guarantees or indemnities under the Guarantees and Indemnities Regulation during the 2018 fiscal year.

Prepared under Financial Information Regulation, Schedule 1, section 5

Schedule of Remuneration and Expenses

1. Elected Officials

Name	Position	Ren	nuneration	Expenses (Note 1)		
Jude Schooner	Mayor	\$	1,511	\$	-	
Louis VanSolkema	Councillor		4,289		-	
Brenda Overton	Councillor		4,289		3,563	
Kathy Bellanger	Councillor		4,289		855	
Randy Taylor	Acting Mayor		7,959		575	
Martin Davis	Mayor		1,889		139	
Sarah Fowler	Councillor		975		384	
William Elder	Councillor		975		-	
Lynda Llewellyn	Councillor		975		10	
Joshua Lambert	Councillor		975		226	
Total Elected Officials		\$	28,125 (A) \$	5,515	

2. Employees

Name	Position Remuneration				openses
Remuneration over \$75,000:					
Deb Bodnar	Director Finance	\$	85,983	\$	737
Mark Tatchell	CAO		120,366		9,613
Consolidated total of other employees with					
remuneration of \$75,000 or less			572,225		20,599
Total Employees		\$	778,574 (B)	\$	30,948

3. Reconciliation			
Total remuneration - elected officials	\$	28,125	(A)
Total remuneration - employees		778,574	(B)
Subtotal		806,699	
Reconciling item:			
Employer portion of El, CPP and benefit costs (Note 2)		99,143	
Total after reconciling item	-	905,842	
Total Labour per Schedule 2, Combined			
Statement of Operations by Segment		903,933	
Variance	\$	(1,909)	
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Notes to Schedule

Prepared under Financial Information Regulation, Schedule 1, section 6(2), (3), (4), (5) and (6)

^{1.} Expenses reimbursed to both Elected Officials and Employees include, among other reasonable expenses, mileage for the use of personal vehicles to attend required business meetings, professional training courses and conferences outside of Tahsis.

^{2.} Financial statement figures include the employer portion for EI, CPP and benefit costs, not included in the above.

Statement of Severance Agreements

There were no severance agreements made between the Village of Tahsis and its non-unionized employees during fiscal year 2018.

Prepared under Financial Information Regulation, Schedule 1, subsection 6(7)

Schedule of Payments to Suppliers of Goods and Services

1. Alphabetical list of suppliers who received aggregate payments exceeding \$25,000:

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	Ar	mount paid
Supplier Name	to	supplier
BC Hydro	\$	172,651
British Columbia Pension Corp		77,659
Carvello Law Corporation		35,942
Comox Strathcona Regional Hospital District		28,096
Great West Life		39,998
H.B. Energy Ltd.		96,793
Logical Developments Associates Inc		58,809
Minister of Finance - School Tax		87,363
Mudslinger Stucco Ltd.		127,082
Municipal Insurance Association of BC		80,214
Receiver General for Canada		203,372
Telus		25,417
Total aggregate amount paid to suppliers exceeding \$25,000		1,033,395
2. Consolidated total paid to suppliers who received aggregate payments of \$25,000 or less		550 444
		552,441
3. Total payments to suppliers related to grants exceeding \$25,000:		
Mar-Tech Underground Services Ltd.		90,582
McElhanney Ltd.		57,431
Onsite Engineering Ltd		61,903
Total payments to suppliers related to grants exceeding \$25,000		209,916
Total Payments to Suppliers in 2018	\$	1,795,752
Reconciling items:		
Acquisition of tangible capital assets		(683,625)
Employee benefits and source deduction pymts included in Total Labour		(281,031)
Total after reconciling items		831,096
Total Goods and Services, per Schedule 2, Combined Statement of		
Operations by Segment		819,737
Variance (see Note below)	\$	11,359

Note to Schedule

The Village of Tahsis prepares the schedule of payments to vendors based on actual disbursements (or cash basis) processed through its accounts payable system. However, the Village prepares its financial statements in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards which requires an accrual basis of accounting. This results in differences including transactions recorded not involving cash such as year end accruals.

Prepared under Financial Information Regulation, Schedule 1, section 7 and the *Financial Information Act*, Section 2

Village of Tahsis Statement of Financial Information Approval

The undersigned, as authorized by the Financial Information Regulation, Schedule 1, subsection 9(2), approves all the statement and schedules in this Statement of Financial Information, produced under the *Financial Information Act*.

Mark Tatchell CAO, Village of Tahsis June 18, 2019 Martin Davis Mayor, Village of Tahsis June 18, 2019

Prepared under Financial Information Regulation, Schedule 1, section 9