

**THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE
GERRARD INDIA BAZAAR
BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA**

**Financial Statements
For the Year Ended December 31, 2006**

GERRARD INDIA BAZAAR BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA

DECEMBER 31, 2006

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AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Council of the Corporation of the City of Toronto and the Board of Management for the Gerrard India Bazaar Business Improvement Area


I have audited the statement of financial position of the Board of Management for the Gerrard India Bazaar Business Improvement Area as at December 31, 2006 and the statements of revenue, expenditure and operating surplus and changes in financial position for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Board's management. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit.

I conducted my audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that I plan and perform an audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation.

In common with many non-profit organizations, the Board derives revenue from donations, the completeness of which is not susceptible to satisfactory audit verification. As a consequence, my verification of these revenues was limited to the amounts recorded in the records of the Board and I was not able to determine whether any adjustments might be necessary to revenue, operating surplus and assets.

In my opinion, except for the effect of adjustments, if any, which I might have determined to be necessary had I been able to satisfy myself concerning the completeness of the donations referred to in the preceding paragraph, these financial statements present fairly in all material respects, the financial position of the Board as at December 31, 2006 and the results of its operations and changes in financial position for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles.

Toronto, Ontario
May 16, 2007


Chartered Accountant
Licensed Public Accountant

**THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE
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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
As At DECEMBER 31, 2006**

	2006 \$	2005 \$
ASSETS		
Current		
Cash and short-term investments	56,548	37,676
Accounts receivable	11,721	6,841
City of Toronto – special charges (Note 3)	975	900
City of Toronto – other	10,676	5,272
Other	<u>79,920</u>	<u>50,589</u>
LIABILITIES		
Current		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	23,140	19,144
City of Toronto	13,331	8,322
Other	<u>36,471</u>	<u>27,466</u>
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS		
Operating	<u>43,449</u>	<u>23,123</u>
	<u>79,920</u>	<u>50,589</u>

Approved on behalf of the Board of Management:

Chair

Treasurer

**THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE
GERRARD INDIA BAZAAR BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA
STATEMENT OF REVENUE, EXPENDITURE AND OPERATING SURPLUS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006**

	2006 \$ Budget	2006 \$ Actual	2005 \$ Actual
REVENUE			
City of Toronto – special charges	131,043	134,104	119,130
Sponsorships and donations	30,000	68,225	38,048
Grants	-	4,755	5,100
Interest and other	-	4,024	1,040
	<u>161,043</u>	<u>211,108</u>	<u>163,318</u>
EXPENDITURE			
Promotion and advertising	116,776	128,755	108,183
Administration	28,656	37,236	27,484
Capital and maintenance	26,009	23,491	6,640
Provision for uncollected levies (Note 3)	3,149	1,300	3,315
	<u>174,590</u>	<u>190,782</u>	<u>145,622</u>
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR	(13,547)	20,326	17,696
OPERATING SURPLUS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	<u>23,123</u>	<u>23,123</u>	<u>5,427</u>
OPERATING SURPLUS, END OF YEAR	<u>9,576</u>	<u>43,449</u>	<u>23,123</u>

**THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE
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 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FINANCIAL POSITION
 FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006**

	2006	2005
	\$	\$
CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATIONS		
Excess of revenue over expenditure for the year	20,326	17,696
Increase (decrease) resulting from changes in		
Accounts receivable - City of Toronto	(4,955)	1,607
Accounts receivable – other	(5,404)	5,035
Accounts payable – City of Toronto	3,996	(13,326)
Accounts payable - other	5,009	(10,975)
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CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATIONS	18,972	37
CASH AND SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	37,576	37,539
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CASH AND SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS, END OF YEAR	56,548	37,576
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GERRARD INDIA BAZAAR BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006**

1. ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATIONS

The Gerrard India Bazaar Business Improvement Area (BIA) is established as a Business Improvement Area under the management and control of a Board of Management appointed by Council of the City of Toronto.

The Board is entrusted with the improvements, beautification and maintenance of municipally owned lands, buildings and structures in the area, together with the promotion of the area as a business or shopping area. Funding is provided by property owners of the BIA who are levied a special charge based on an annual operating budget prepared by the Board and approved by Council under Section 220(17) of the Municipal Act, as amended.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

These financial statements are the representation of management and have been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles for local governments as prescribed by the Public Sector Accounting Board (PSAB) of the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants (CICA), the most significant of which are as follows:

- (a) Revenues and expenditures are recorded using the accrual basis of accounting.
- (b) Capital expenditures are charged to operations in the year of acquisition.
- (c) Services provided without charge by the City of Toronto and others are not recorded in these financial statements.

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3. CITY OF TORONTO – SPECIAL CHARGES

Special charges levied by the City are collected and remitted to the Board by the City. The total special charges outstanding consist of amounts collected by the City not yet remitted to the Board and amounts uncollected by the City.

The Board records special charges receivable net of an allowance for uncollected amounts. The special charges receivable from the City of Toronto are comprised of:

	2006 \$	2005 \$
Total special charges outstanding	17,121	10,941
Less: allowance for uncollected special charges	<u>(5,400)</u>	<u>(4,100)</u>
Special charges receivable	<u>11,721</u>	<u>6,841</u>

The provision for uncollected levies reported on the Statement of Revenue, Expenditure and Operating Surplus comprises:

	2006 \$	2005 \$
Special charges written-off	-	2,315
Increase in allowance for uncollected special charges	<u>1,300</u>	<u>1,000</u>
	<u>1,300</u>	<u>3,315</u>

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4. COMMITMENTS

The Board, in co-operation with the City, has implemented cost-shared capital improvement projects on publicly owned property for several years. The projects are long-term in nature and are usually completed subsequent to the year of Council's approval. The Board is committed to capital improvement projects of which the Board's share of \$12,000 was outstanding as at December 31, 2006.

5. INSURANCE

The Board is required to deposit with the Treasurer, City of Toronto, insurance policies indemnifying the City against public liability and property damage in respect of the activities of the Board. Insurance coverage providing \$5,000,000 for each occurrence or accident has been obtained by the Board, through the City of Toronto.