

**THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR
ST. LAWRENCE NEIGHBOURHOOD
BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA**

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

ST. LAWRENCE NEIGHBOURHOOD 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 St. Lawrence Neighbourhood Business Improvement Area

I have audited the statement of financial position of the Board of Management for the St. Lawrence Neighbourhood 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 my opinion, 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 17, 2007

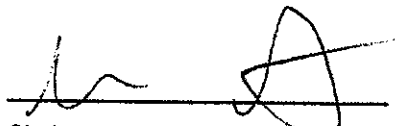


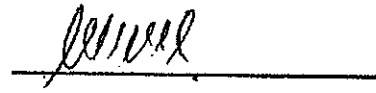
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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2006**

	2006 \$	2005 \$
ASSETS		
Current		
Cash and short-term investments	160,311	145,299
Accounts receivable		
City of Toronto – special charges (Note 3)	12,042	2,865
City of Toronto – other	1,100	1,100
Other	40,966	15,745
	<u>214,419</u>	<u>165,009</u>
LIABILITIES		
Current		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		
City of Toronto	156,965	138,812
Other	46,322	7,056
	<u>203,287</u>	<u>145,868</u>
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS		
Operating	<u>11,132</u>	<u>19,141</u>
	<u>214,419</u>	<u>165,009</u>

Approved on behalf of the Board of Management:


Chair


Treasurer

**THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE
ST. LAWRENCE NEIGHBOURHOOD 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	72,786	72,786	78,656
Municipal grants	-	6,177	1,100
Interest	2,000	3,461	1,836
Film companies	5,000	5,675	6,160
Advertising, contributions and other	13,000	37,104	18,831
	<u>92,786</u>	<u>125,203</u>	<u>106,583</u>
EXPENDITURE			
Administration	17,444	11,603	14,951
Promotion and advertising	16,700	34,704	30,103
Capital and maintenance	57,650	89,670	146,733
Provision for uncollected special charges (Note 3)	6,442	(2,765)	10,808
	<u>98,236</u>	<u>133,212</u>	<u>202,595</u>
(DEFICIENCY) EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR	(5,450)	(8,009)	(96,012)
OPERATING SURPLUS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	<u>19,141</u>	<u>19,141</u>	<u>115,153</u>
OPERATING SURPLUS, END OF YEAR	<u>13,691</u>	<u>11,132</u>	<u>19,141</u>

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

	2006	2005
	\$	\$
CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATIONS		
(Deficiency) excess of revenue over expenditure for the year	(8,009)	(96,012)
Increase (decrease) resulting from changes in		
Accounts receivable - City of Toronto	(9,177)	3,745
Accounts receivable – other	(25,221)	7,595
Accounts payable - City of Toronto	18,153	100,542
Accounts payable – other	39,266	(12,767)
CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATIONS	15,012	3,103
CASH AND SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	145,299	142,196
CASH, AND SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS, END OF YEAR	160,311	145,299

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006**

1. ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATIONS

The St. Lawrence Neighbourhood 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	30,442	28,765
Less: allowance for uncollected special charges	<u>(18,400)</u>	<u>(25,900)</u>
Special charges receivable	<u>12,042</u>	<u>2,865</u>

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

	2006 \$	2005 \$
Special charges written-off	4,735	8,308
Change in allowance for uncollected special charges	<u>(7,500)</u>	<u>2,500</u>
	<u>(2,765)</u>	<u>10,808</u>

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4. 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.