# THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE MOUNT DENNIS BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA

Financial Statements
For the Year Ended December 31, 2006

# MOUNT DENNIS 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 Mount Dennis Business Improvement Area

I have audited the statement of financial position of the Board of Management for the Mount Dennis 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 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 November 4, 2007

Chartered Accountant Licensed Public Accountant

# THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE MOUNT DENNIS BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2006

	2006
	\$
Assets	•
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Current	
Cash Accounts receivable	10,952
City of Toronto – special charges (Note 3)	758
City of Foronto – other	798 500
Other	- -
	12,210
LIABILITIES	· ·
Current	
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities City of Toronto	
Other	
	1,560
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS	,
ACCOMPLATED SURPLUS	
Operating (Note 4)	10.650
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Approved on behalf of the Board of Management:	
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Chair (1)	Treasurer

# THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE MOUNT DENNIS BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA STATEMENT OF REVENUE, EXPENDITURE AND OPERATING SURPLUS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

	2006	2006
	\$	\$
	Budget	Actual
REVENUE		
City of Toronto – special charges	4.5.	
Municipal grants	12,738	12,738
Fund raising and other	4.000	500
and official	1,000	
	13,738	13,238
EXPENDITURE		_
Administration	2 200	0.400
Promotion and advertising	2,280	2,188
Capital and maintenance	10,300	-
Provision for uncollected special charges (Note 3)	1,158	<del>-</del> 400
	13,738	<del></del>
		2,000
EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURE		
FOR THE YEAR	-	10,650
		.0,000
OPERATING SURPLUS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	-	-
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OPERATING SURPLUS, END OF YEAR		10,650

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	2006	
	\$	
CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATIONS		
Excess of revenue over expenditure for the year	10,650	
Increase (decrease) resulting from changes in Accounts receivable - City of Toronto Accounts receivable – other Accounts payable - City of Toronto Accounts payable – other	(1,258) - - - 1,560	
CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATIONS	10,952	
CASH, BEGINNING OF YEAR	-	
CASH, END OF YEAR	10,952	

### 1. ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATIONS

The Mount Dennis 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.

The BIA had been inactive for the past several years and did not have a Board in place nor submit budgets for City Council approval from 1998 through 2005 inclusive. In 2006, the Mount Dennis BIA formed a steering committee to undertake plans to revive the activities of the BIA.

### 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.

#### 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
	\$
Total special charges outstanding Less: allowance for uncollected special	1,158
charges	(400)
Special charges receivable	758

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

	2006 \$
Special charges written-off Provision for losses on assessment appeals	- 400
	400

THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE MOUNT DENNIS BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS, CONT'D FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

#### 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 \$1,500 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.