THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE EGLINTON WAY BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA

Financial Statements
For the Year Ended December 31, 2007

THE EGLINTON WAY BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA

DECEMBER 31, 2007

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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 Eglinton Way Business Improvement Area

I have audited the statement of financial position of the Board of Management for The Eglinton Way Business Improvement Area as at December 31, 2007 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, 2007 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 September 15, 2008 Chartered Accountant
Licensed Public Accountant

THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE EGLINTON WAY BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2007

	2007 \$	2006 \$
ASSETS		
Current		
Cash and short-term investments Accounts receivable	200,204	189,698
City of Toronto - special charges (Note 3) City of Toronto - other Other	21,082 1,300 10,503 233,089	22,622 1,300 5,502 219,122
LIABILITIES		
Current		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities City of Toronto Other	2,500 3,485 5,985	20,624 1,951 22,575
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS		
Operating (Note 4)	227,104 233,089	196,547 219,122

Approved on behalf of the Board of Management:

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Treasurer

THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE EGLINTON WAY BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA STATEMENT OF REVENUE, EXPENDITURE AND OPERATING SURPLUS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007

	2007 \$ Budget	2007 \$ Actual	2006 \$ Actual
REVENUE			
City of Toronto – special charges Interest Municipal grants Other	245,124 4,000 - 1,000	245,124 4,149 - 425	238,797 1,910 1,300 12,000
	250,124	249,698	254,007
EXPENDITURE			
Administration Promotion and advertising Capital and maintenance Provision for uncollected levies (Note 3)	51,700 108,800 95,842 342	54,339 79,256 83,634 1,912	52,335 80,850 65,704 519
	256,684	219,141	199,408
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR	(6,560)	30,557	54,599
OPERATING SURPLUS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	196,547	196,547	141,948
OPERATING SURPLUS, END OF YEAR	189,987	227,104	196,547

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	2007 \$	2006 \$
CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATIONS		
Excess of revenue over expenditure for the year	30,557	54,599
Increase (decrease) resulting from changes in Accounts receivable – City of Toronto Accounts receivable – other Accounts payable – City of Toronto Accounts payable – other	1,540 (5,001) (18,124) 1,534	4,091 (1,478) 18,642 (7,151)
CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATIONS	10,506	68,703
CASH AND SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	189,698	120,995
CASH AND SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS, END OF YEAR	200,204	189,698

THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE EGLINTON WAY BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2007

1. ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATIONS

The Eglinton Way 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. SIGNIFICNT 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:

		2007 \$	2006 \$
Total special charges outstanding Less: allowance for uncollected	special	31,282	35,122
charges Special charges receivable		(10,200) 21,082	(12,500) 22,622

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

	2007 \$	2006 , \$
Special charges written-off Changes in allowance for uncollected special	4,212	119
charges	(2,300)	400
	1,912	519

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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 Councils approval. The Board is committed to capital improvement projects of which the Boards share of \$172,335 was outstanding as at December 31, 2007.

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.