

**THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE
UPTOWN YONGE
BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA**

**Financial Statements
For the Year Ended December 31, 2010**

**UPTOWN YONGE
BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA**

DECEMBER 31, 2010

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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 Uptown Yonge Business Improvement Area

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of Uptown Yonge Business Improvement Area, which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2010 and the statements of revenue, expenditure and operating surplus and changes in financial position for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Management's responsibility for the financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles 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.

Auditor's Responsibility

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 comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement.


An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements 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 entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

Opinion

In my opinion, these financial statements present fairly in all material respects, the financial position of the Board as at December 31, 2010 and its results of financial activities and changes in financial position for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles.

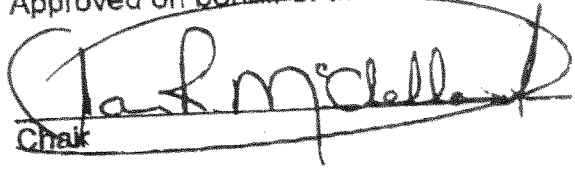
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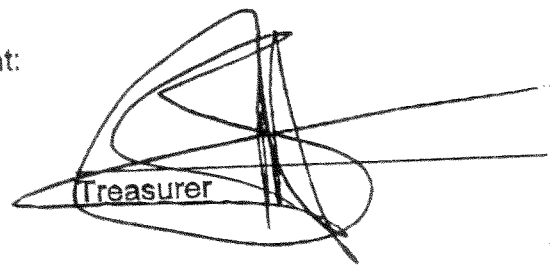

Chartered Accountant
Licensed Public Accountant

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 STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
 AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2010

	2010 \$	2009 \$
ASSETS		
Current		
Cash and Short-term investments	206,085	250,142
Accounts receivable	2,423	63,259
City of Toronto - special charges (Note 3)	772	292
Other	<u>209,280</u>	<u>313,693</u>
Capital Assets, net (Note 4)	<u>140,160</u>	<u>141,437</u>
	<u>349,440</u>	<u>455,130</u>
LIABILITIES		
Current		
Accounts payable – Other	14,434	900
Accounts payable - City of Toronto	<u>40,010</u>	<u>173,102</u>
	<u>54,444</u>	<u>174,002</u>
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS		
Internally restricted	140,160	141,437
Unrestricted	<u>154,836</u>	<u>139,691</u>
	<u>294,996</u>	<u>281,128</u>
	<u>349,440</u>	<u>455,130</u>

Approved on behalf of the Board of Management:


 Chair


 Treasurer

**THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE
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 STATEMENT OF REVENUE, EXPENDITURE AND OPERATING SURPLUS
 FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2010**

	2010 \$ Budget (Note 7)	2010 \$ Actual	2009 \$ Actual
REVENUE			
City of Toronto – special charges	115,500	115,772	115,500
Fund raising and other	750	370	734
	<u>116,250</u>	<u>116,142</u>	<u>116,234</u>
EXPENDITURE			
Administration	36,790	35,930	35,590
Promotion and advertising	10,922	4,220	3,298
Maintenance and Improvements	15,000	13,173	34,128
Capital / amortization	143,500	41,287	5
Provision for (recovery of) uncollected special charges (Note 3)	(53,444)	7,664	6,734
	<u>152,768</u>	<u>102,274</u>	<u>79,755</u>
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE OVER EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR	(36,518)	13,868	36,479
OPERATING SURPLUS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	<u>281,128</u>	<u>281,128</u>	<u>244,649</u>
OPERATING SURPLUS, END OF YEAR	<u>244,610</u>	<u>294,996</u>	<u>281,128</u>

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 STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FINANCIAL POSITION
 FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2010

	2010 \$	2009 \$
CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN) OPERATIONS		
Excess of revenue over expenditure for the year	13,868	36,479
Add Amortization of Tangible Capital Assets	41,287	5
Increase (decrease) resulting from changes in		
Accounts receivable - City of Toronto	60,836	6,686
Accounts receivable - other	(480)	1,126
Accounts payable – City of Toronto	(133,092)	-
Accounts payable – Other	13,534	173,102
CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN) OPERATIONS	<u>(4,047)</u>	<u>217,398</u>
Investing Activity		
Acquisition of tangible Capital Assets	(40,010)	(141,442)
	<u>(44,057)</u>	<u>75,956</u>
CASH AND SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	<u>250,142</u>	<u>174,186</u>
CASH AND SHORT-TERM INVESTMENTS, END OF YEAR	<u><u>206,085</u></u>	<u><u>250,142</u></u>

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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2010**

1. ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATIONS

The Uptown Yonge 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) For fiscal years beginning on or after January 1, 2010, tangible capital assets are recorded at cost. Amortization is calculated on straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of the assets as follows:
 - Street Lights 5 years
 - Benches 5 years
 - Planters 5 years
 - Flags and Banners 3 years
- (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:

	2010 \$	2009 \$
Total special charges outstanding	17,623	73,259
Less: allowance for uncollected special charges	<u>(15,200)</u>	<u>(10,000)</u>
Special charges receivable	<u>2,423</u>	<u>63,259</u>

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

	2010 \$	2009 \$
Special charges written-off	2,464	1,234
Change in provision for losses on assessment appeals	<u>5,200</u>	<u>5,500</u>
	<u>7,664</u>	<u>6,734</u>

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4. CAPITAL ASSETS

	2010		
	Cost	Accumulated Amortization	Net book Value
Street Lights	121,816	24,363	97,453
Banners	37,491	12,500	24,991
Benches	19,545	3,909	15,636
Planters	2,600	520	2,080
	<u>181,452</u>	<u>41,292</u>	<u>140,160</u>

	2009		
	Cost	Accumulated Amortization	Net book Value
Street Lights	103,951	-	103,951
Banners	37,491	5	37,486
	<u>141,442</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>141,437</u>

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.

6. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The carrying value of the BIA's financial instruments approximates their values. The BIA is subject to an interest rate risk with respect to its investments; however, as these instruments are short-term investments the risk is minimal.

7. BUDGET

Budget Figures are provided for comparative purposes only and have not been subject to audit procedures. Accordingly, I do not express any opinion regarding the budget figures.