THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT FOR THE CABBAGETOWN BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA

Financial Statements
For the Year Ended December 31, 2012

CABBAGETOWN

BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA

DECEMBER 31, 2012

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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 Cabbagetown Business Improvement Area

I have audited the accompanying financial statements of Cabbagetown Business Improvement Area, which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2012 and the statements of operations and cash flows 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, 2012 and the results of its operations and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles.

Toronto, Ontario May 10, 2013 Chartered Accountant
Licensed Public Accountant

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BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2012

	2012 \$	2011 \$
FINANCIAL ASSETS		
Cash and short-term investments Accounts receivable	113,239	83,347
City of Toronto – special charges (Note 3)	10,983	15,985
Other	15,602	18,859
	139,824	118,191
LIABILITIES Assessment of the state of the s		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	2,288	5,178
City of Toronto Other	16,832	5,708
Other	19,120	10,886
NET FINANCIAL ASSETS	120,704	107,305
Non-Financial Assets		
Tangible Capital Assets (Note 4)	4,280	6,490
	124,984	113,795
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS	124,984	113,795

Approved on behalf of the Board of Management:

Chair

Treasurer

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STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012

	2012 \$ Budget (Note 7)	2012 \$ Actual	2011 \$ Actual
REVENUE			
City of Toronto – special charges Festival and sponsorship Grants, Interest and Other	196,914 5,000 600 202,514	196,914 43,130 4,140 244,184	197,291 39,823 5,338 242,452
EXPENSES			
Administration Promotion, advertising & Cabbagetown Festival Maintenance Capital / Amortization Provision for uncollected levies (Note 3)	97.512 73.500 26,500 59,000 6,002 262,514	94,970 85,323 39,488 2,210 11,004 232,995	97,345 86,580 42,426 7,885 1,743 235,979
SURPLUS (DEFICIT) FOR THE YEAR	(60,000)	11,189	6,473
OPERATING SURPLUS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	113,795	113,795	107,322
OPERATING SURPLUS, END OF YEAR	53,795	124,984	113,795

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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012

	2012 \$	2011 \$
Increase (decrease) in cash and short-term investments		
Cash flows from operating transactions		
Surplus (Deficit) for the year	11,189	6,473
Non-cash changes to operations		
Add: Non-cash item Amortization of capital assets Increase (decrease) resulting from changes in	2,210	7,885
Accounts receivable - City of Toronto	5,002	(2,548)
Accounts receivable – other	3,257	(7,845)
Accounts payable - City of Toronto	(2,890)	(10,263)
Accounts payable – other	11,124	(13,559)
Cash Provided By (Used In) Operations	29,892	(19,857)
Capital Transactions		
Purchase of tangible capital assets		(5,175)
Cash and short-term investments, Beginning Of Year	83,347	108,379
Cash and short-term investments, End Of Year	113,239	83,347

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BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT AREA
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012

1. ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATIONS

The Cabbagetown 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 expenses are recorded using the accrual basis of accounting.

(b) Capital assets

Purchased capital assets are recorded at cost. Amortization is calculated on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of the assets as follows:

Computers	3 years
Street & Christmas lights	5 years
Street furniture	5 years
Planters	5 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:

	2012 \$	2011 \$
Total special charges outstanding Less: allowance for uncollected special	21,283	23,785
charges	(10,300)	(7,800)
Special charges receivable	10,983	15,985

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

	2012 \$	2011 \$
Special charges written-off Change in allowance for uncollected special	8,504	5,643
charges	2,500	(3,900)
	11,004	1,743

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4. CAPITAL ASSETS

		2012	
	Cost	Accumulated Amortization	Net book Value
Lights	59,740	57,121	2,619
Planters	6,685	5,024	1,661
	66,425	62,145	4,280

		2011	
	Cost	Accumulated Amortization	Net book Value
Lights	59,740	56,248	3,492
Planters	6,685	3,687	2,998
	66,425	59,935	6,490

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.

