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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Directors and Members of the South Huron Hospital Foundation

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of South Huron Hospital Foundation, which are comprised of the balance sheet as at March 31, 2024 and the statements of revenue and expenses and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, except for the effects of the matter described in the *Basis for Qualified Opinion* section of our report, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the South Huron Hospital Foundation as at March 31, 2024, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations (ASNFPO).

Basis for Qualified Opinion

In common with many charitable organizations, the South Huron Hospital Foundation derives revenue from donations, the completeness of which is not susceptible to satisfactory audit verification. Accordingly, verification of these revenues was limited to the amounts recorded in the records of the South Huron Hospital Foundation. Therefore, we were not able to determine whether any adjustments might be necessary to recorded donations, excess of revenues over expenses, assets and fund balances. Our opinion on the financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2024, as well as the opinion on the prior year financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2023, was modified accordingly because of the possible effects of this scope limitation.

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the South Huron Hospital Foundation in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with ASNFPO, 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.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the South Huron Hospital Foundation's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the South Huron Hospital Foundation or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the South Huron Hospital Foundation's financial reporting process.

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT (continued)

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or
 error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is
 sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material
 misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion,
 forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit 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 South Huron Hospital Foundation's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based
 on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that
 may cast significant doubt on the South Huron Hospital Foundation's ability to continue as a going concern.
 If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to
 the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our
 opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report.
 However, future events or conditions may cause the South Huron Hospital Foundation to cease to continue
 as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Chartered Professional Accountants

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Licensed Public Accountants

Clinton, Ontario June 18, 2024

SOUTH HURON HOSPITAL FOUNDATION (A REGISTERED PUBLIC FOUNDATION)

BALANCE SHEET

See Accompanying Notes to Financial Statements

As at March 31	2024	2023
ASSETS		
Current assets		
Cash	74,904	384,588
Accounts receivable	2,947	3,860
Investments (note 3)	2,540,229	2,252,769
Prepaid expenses	22,868	5,119
	2,640,948	2,646,336
Capital assets (note 4)	66,500	69,511
	66,500	69,511
	\$ 2,707,448	\$ 2,715,847
LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS		
Current liabilities		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	2,572	1,902
Government remittances payable	10,316	-
Due to South Huron Hospital Association	42,485	31,241
	55,373	33,143
Surplus		
Unrestricted (note 6)	2,652,075	2,682,704
Restricted	_	
	2,652,075	2,682,704
	\$ 2,707,448	\$ 2,715,847

SOUTH HURON HOSPITAL FOUNDATION (A REGISTERED PUBLIC FOUNDATION) STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENSES

See Accompanying Notes to Financial Statements

For the Year Ended March 31	Unrestricted Fund	Restricted Fund	2024 Total	2023 Total
Receipts				
Donations and fundraising	1,067,228	50	1,067,278	1,230,253
Investment income - interest, dividends and realized gains (losses)	113,780	-	113,780	80,065
Investment income - unrealized holding gains (losses)	57,404		57,404	_(126,990)
	1,238,412	50	1,238,462	1,183,328
Expenditure				
Fundraising expenses	159,268	-	159,268	168,043
Administrative expenses	187,022	-	187,022	127,955
Investment counsel fees	13,089	-	13,089	12,300
Depreciation	3,011		3,011	3,012
	362,390	-	362,390	311,310
Excess of revenues over expenditures before allocation to South Huron Hospital Association	\$ 876,022	\$ 50	\$ 876,072	\$ 872,018
Allocation to South Huron Hospital Association	(906,651)	-	(906,651)	(566,490)
Allocation to Jessica's House Foundation	_	(50)	(50)	(625)
Excess of revenues over expenditures	(\$ 30,629)	\$ 0	(\$ 30,629)	\$ 304,903
Accumulated surplus, beginning of year	\$ 2,682,704	<u> </u>	2,682,704	2,377,801
Accumulated surplus, end of year	\$ 2,652,075	\$ 0	\$ 2,652,075	\$ 2,682,704

SOUTH HURON HOSPITAL FOUNDATION (A REGISTERED PUBLIC FOUNDATION) STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

See Accompanying Notes to Financial Statements

2024	2023
(20 620)	304,903
(30,029)	304,903
2 011	3,012
•	
	5,536
(22,293)	313,451
	3,103
• • •	14,045
	2
10,316	-
(28,143)	330,601
(292.785)	(307,544)
	(34,937)
(281,541)	(342,481)
(309,684)	(11,880)
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384,588	396,468
\$ 74,904	\$ 384,588
	(30,629) 3,011 5,325 (22,293) 913 (17,749) 670 10,316 (28,143) (292,785) 11,244 (281,541) (309,684) 384,588

SOUTH HURON HOSPITAL FOUNDATION (A REGISTERED PUBLIC FOUNDATION) NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the Year Ended March 31, 2024

1. Incorporation

The South Huron Hospital Foundation ("Foundation") was incorporated under the laws of the Province of Ontario as a registered public foundation. The Foundation is a registered foundation under the Income Tax

The purpose of the Foundation is to receive and maintain a fund or funds and to apply from time to time all or part thereof for charitable purposes carried on by, in connection with, in relation to, for the benefit of or to enhance or improve the health care services in the area serviced by the South Huron Hospital ("Hospital") and to do all such things as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of these objectives. The Foundation is managed and controlled independent of the Hospital.

The financial statements of the Foundation are the representation of management prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

Significant accounting policies 2.

Basis of accounting

The financial statements have been prepared using the accrual method of accounting using the restricted fund method of accounting. Under the restricted fund method of accounting, there are no deferred contributions in a restricted fund; all contributions are taken into revenue in the current period.

Investments

The Foundation has classified all stocks and bonds as available-for-sale which are carried at fair value. Bank quaranteed investment certificates are classified as held-to-maturity and are carried at cost. A write down of the carrying amount of held-to-maturity investments is charged against income when evidence indicates a permanent decline in the underlying value and earning power of an investment. Gains and losses on disposal of held-to-maturity investments are determined on a completed transaction basis.

Capital assets

Purchased capital assets are recorded at cost. Contributed capital assets are recorded at fair value at the date of contribution. Depreciation is provided on a straight-line basis over the asset's useful life as follows: 25 years

Building structure

Use of estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amount of revenues and expenses during the reported period. These estimates are reviewed periodically, and, as adjustments become necessary, they are reported in earnings in the period in which they become known.

For the Year Ended March 31, 2024

3. Investments

Investments consist of negotiable federal and provincial government securities and corporate bonds and equities as follows:

		2024		2023
	cost	market value	cost	market value
Cash	495,022	495,023	258,995	258,998
Fixed income	1,462,451	1,460,190	1,473,584	1,444,814
Equities	432,416	<u>585,016</u>	427,254	548,957
•	\$ <u>2,389,889</u>	\$ <u>2,540,229</u>	\$ 2,159,833	\$ <u>2,252,769</u>

The investment portfolio is managed by an arm's length professional manager.

4. Capital assets

	Cost	Accumulated Depreciation	Net Book Value March	Net Book Value March
		•	2024	2023
Building structure	\$ 75,283	<u>\$8,783</u>	\$ 66,500	<u>\$ 69,511</u>

5. Financial instruments

The Foundation's financial instruments consist of cash and investments. It is management's opinion that the Foundation is not exposed to significant interest and credit risks arising from these financial instruments. The fair value of the financial instruments approximates their carrying amount.

6. Commitments

As at March 31, 2024, the Board of Directors has received a request for total funding of \$520,134 to assist the South Huron Hospital Association with its capital and service commitments in fiscal 2024/2025. The Foundation has committed over \$5 million to pending projects which may begin in fiscal 2024/2025, pending Ministry and other approvals.