TOWN OF ONOWAY

Financial Statements

For The Year Ended December 31, 2019

MANAGEMENT'S RESPONSIBILITY FOR FINANCIAL REPORTING

To the Mayor and Council of the Town of Onoway

Management of the Town of Onoway is responsible for the accompanying financial statements. The financial statements have been prepared by management in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.

To assist in meeting its responsibility, management maintains appropriate systems of control and administrative controls designed to provide reasonable assurance that transactions are appropriately authorized and accurately recorded, that assets are properly accounted for and safeguarded, and that financial information produced is relevant and reliable.

The preparation of financial statements necessarily includes some amounts which are based on best estimates and judgments of management.

The financial statements have been audited by Metrix Group ELP, Chartered Professional Accountants. Their report to the Mayor and Town Council, stating the scope of their examination and opinion on the financial statements follows.

Wendy Wildman

Chief Administrative Officer



INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Mayor and Council of the Town of Onoway

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of the Town of Onoway, which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2019, and the statements of operations and accumulated surplus, changes in net debt, and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Town of Onoway as at December 31, 2019, and the results of its operations, changes in net debt, and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Town in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe 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 Canadian public sector accounting standards, and for such 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 Town's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters relating to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Town or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance (Council) are responsible for overseeing the Town's financial reporting process.

Auditors' Responsibility 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 auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but it 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 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 Town's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies 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 Town's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditors' 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 or our auditors' report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Board to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including
 the disclosures, and whether the 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 significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

METRIX GROUP LLP

Chartered Professional Accountants

Edmonton, Alberta March 19, 2020

TOWN OF ONOWAY Statement of Financial Position As at December 31, 2019

	2019	2018
FINANCIAL ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents (Note 2)	553,351	775,608
Receivables (Note 3)	342,929	497,939
Land held for resale	203,385	203,385
	1,099,665	1,476,932
LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 4)	507,752	1,132,010
Deferred revenue (Note 6)	65,893	77,684
Long-term debt (Note 7)	1,564,691	1,642,357
	2,138,336	2,852,051
NET DEBT	(1,038,671)	(1,375,119)
NON-FINANCIAL ASSETS		
Tangible capital assets (Note 5)	11,858,913	12,046,536
Prepaid expenses	19,423	23,749
	11,878,336	12,070,285
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS (Note 9)	\$ 10,839,665	\$ 10,695,166

ON BEHALF OF THE TOWN COUNCIL:

Mayor

Councillor

TOWN OF ONOWAY Statement of Operations and Changes in Accumulated Surplus For The Year Ended December 31, 2019

	2019 (Budget) (Note 16)	2019 (Actual)	2018 (Actual)
REVENUE			
Net taxes available for municipal			
purposes (Schedule 2)	1,247,122	1,246,729	1,215,092
Sales and user charges (Schedule 4)	982,166	953,254	1,013,370
Sales to other governments	434,251	457,004	361,322
Government transfers for operating (Schedule 3)	244,058	231,403	207,603
Franchise fees (Note 14)	86,000	87,434	86,066
Rentals	36,600	36,600	36,000
Penalties and costs on taxes	34,000	25,587	36,071
Interest income	15,000	19,523	22,846
Other	14,668	13,376	35,888
Fines	11,000	4,603	8,440
Licenses and permits	6,900	4,288	7,739
	3,111,765	3,079,801	3,030,437
EXPENSES			
General administration	551,642	554,896	538,224
Water supply and distribution	494,656	472,420	541,054
Fire	346,588	356,189	330,146
Roads, streets, walks, lighting	410,052	315,901	819,814
Police	203,000	209,154	162,486
Common and equipment pool	174,757	196,868	193,158
Wastewater treatment and disposal	127,834	132,442	124,785
Parks and recreation	131,804	119,125	121,322
Waste management	109,981	109,228	86,631
Council and other legislative	120,680	106,226	114,531
Family and community support services	105,798	103,832	104,523
Land/housing/building rentals and other	100,714	81,799	57,040
Culture: libraries, museums, halls	12,040	19,105	10,286
Recreation board and other services	30,141	12,673	18,261
Other	4,170	12,499	3,873
Land use planning, zoning and development	21,170	12,409	21,460
Disaster and emergency services	9,692	6,074	4,760
Bylaws enforcement	2,775	929	12,393
Subdivision land and development	2,040	619	
Amortization	64,159	404,364	441,614
	3,023,693	3,226,752	3,706,361
ANNUAL SURPLUS (DEFICIT) BEFORE OTHER REVENUE	88,072	(146,951)	(675,924)
OTHER REVENUE			
Government transfers for capital (Schedule 3)	229,560	287,427	844,735
Gain on disposal of tangible capital assets	•	4,023	210
Other capital revenue	15,000	-	•
	244,560	291,450	844,945
ANNUAL SURPLUS	332,632	144,499	169,021
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	10,695,166	10,695,166	10,526,145
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS, END OF YEAR	\$ 11,027,798	\$ 10,839,665	\$ 10,695,166

TOWN OF ONOWAY Statement of Changes in Net Debt For The Year Ended December 31, 2019

		2019 2019 (Budget) (Actual) (Note 16)			2018 (Actual)	
ANNUAL SURPLUS	<u>\$</u>	332,632	\$	144,499	\$	169,021
Purchase of tangible capital assets Proceeds on disposal of tangible capital assets Amortization of tangible capital assets Loss (gain) on disposal of tangible capital assets	_	(200,000) - 64,159		(216,741) 4,023 404,364 (4,023)	(1,408,951) 210 441,614 (210)
	_	(135,841)		187,623		(967,337)
Acquisition (use) of prepaid expenses	_	_		4,326		(3,833)
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN NET DEBT		196,791		336,448		(802,149)
NET DEBT, BEGINNING OF YEAR	_	1,375,119)		(1,375,119)		(572,970)
NET DEBT, END OF YEAR	<u>\$(</u>	1,178,328)	\$(1,038,671)	\$(1,375,119)

TOWN OF ONOWAY Statement of Cash Flows For The Year Ended December 31, 2019

		2019		2018
OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Cash from operations Annual surplus	\$	144,499	\$	169,021
Non-cash items included in excess of revenues over expenses:	•	111,100	•	100,021
Amortization		404,364		441,614
Gain (loss) on disposal of tangible capital assets		(4,023)		(210)
		544,840		610,425
Change in non-cash working capital		J-1-,010		010,425
balances related to operations:				
Prepaid expenses		4,326		(3,833)
Receivables		155,010		(48,735)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Land held for resale		(624,258)		792,045
Deferred revenue		- (11,791)		(1) (279,713)
5001104 10701140		(11,101)		(210,110)
		68,127		1,070,188
FINANCING ACTIVITIES				
Repayment of long-term debt		(77,666)		(74,159)
		(11,000)		(7.131007
CAPITAL ACTIVITIES				
Proceeds on disposal of tangible capital assets		4,023	,	210
Purchase of tangible capital assets	_	(216,741)	(1,408,951)
		(212,718)	(1,408,741)
CHANGE IN CASH CASH EQUIVALENTS DURING THE YEAR		(222,257)		(412,712)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF YEAR		775,608		1,188,320
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF YEAR	\$	553,351	\$	775,608

TOWN OF ONOWAY Schedule of Equity in Tangible Capital Assets For The Year Ended December 31, 2019

	2019	2018
BALANCE, BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$ 10,404,179	\$ 9,362,683
Purchase of Tangible Capital Assets Amortization of Tangible Capital Assets Net Book Value of Tangible Capital Assets Disposed of Repayment of Capital Long-Term Debt	216,741 (404,364) - 77,666	1,408,951 (441,614) - 74,159
BALANCE, END OF YEAR	\$ 10,294,222	\$ 10,404,179
Equity in Tangible Capital Assets is Comprised of the Following:		
Tangible Capital Assets (Note 5) Long-term Debt (Note 7)	\$ 11,858,913 (1,564,691)	\$ 12,046,536 (1,642,357)
	\$ 10,294,222	\$ 10,404,179

TOWN OF ONOWAY Schedule of Property Taxes Levied For The Year Ended December 31, 2019

	2019 (Budget) (Note 16)	2019 (Actual)	2018 (Actual)
TAXATION	, ,		
Real property taxes	\$ 1,556,795	\$ 1,537,277	\$ 1,527,660
Linear property taxes	63,856	63,856	62,383
	1,620,651	1,601,133	1,590,043
REQUISITIONS			
Alberta School Foundation Fund	348,945	329,820	348,945
Lac Ste. Anne Foundation	24,584	24,584	26,006
	373,529	354,404	374,951
NET MUNICIPAL TAXES	\$ 1,247,122	\$ 1,246,729	\$ 1,215,092

TOWN OF ONOWAY Schedule of Government Transfers For The Year Ended December 31, 2019

	2019 (Budget) <i>(Note 16)</i>	2019 (Actual)	2018 (Actual)
TRANSFERS FOR OPERATING			
Provincial government	174,713	162,058	138,258
Local governments	69,345	69,345	69,345
	244,058	231,403	207,603
TRANSFERS FOR CAPITAL			
Provincial government	229,560	287,427	744,735
Local governments		<u> </u>	100,000
TOTAL GOVERNMENT TRANSFERS	\$ 473,618	\$ 518,830	\$ 1,052,338

TOWN OF ONOWAY Schedule of Segmented Information For The Year Ended December 31, 2019

	Cananal	Destantiva	Dublic	Roads		All	
	General Administration	Protective Services	Public Works	Streets, Walks and Lighting	Utilities	All Other	Total
REVENUE							
Taxation	470,041	36,299	196,870	411,220	-	132,299	1,246,729
Sales and user charges	1,676	41,856	-	-	903,991	5,731	953,254
Other	36,415	476,730	-	4,680	-	130,591	648,416
Government transfers	46,764	<u>-</u>		<u>-</u>	<u> </u>	184,638	231,402
	554,896	554,885	196,870	415,900	903,991	453,259	3,079,80
EXPENSES							
Contracted and general services	249,277	459,439	59,537	20,555	381,787	66,426	1,237,02
Salaries, wages, and benefits	247,285	86,556	65,743	197,273	80,572	159,334	836,76
Materials, goods, and supplies	16,501	4,205	57,283	36,982	137,308	136,527	388,800
Utilities	17,325	2,933	8,335	60,117	21,545	4,228	114,48
Interest on long-term debt	-	-	-	-	74,835	-	74,83
Insurance	24,508	1,752	5,972	973	18,043	1,469	52,71
Other	-	-	-	-	-	117,763	117,76
	554,896	554,885	196,870	315,900	714,090	485,747	2,822,388
NET REVENUE BEFORE AMORTIZATIO	N -	-	-	100,000	189,901	(32,488)	257,41
Amortization	21,201	10,299	67,553	106,478	219,280	(20,447)	404,36
NET REVENUE (DEFICIT)	\$ (21,201)	\$ (10,299) \$	(67,553)) \$ (6,478) \$	(29,379) \$	(12,041) \$	(146,95

TOWN OF ONOWAY Schedule of Segmented Information For The Year Ended December 31, 2018

	General Administration	Protective Services	Public Works	Roads Streets, Walks and Lighting	Utilities	All Other	Total
REVENUE					*		5. 55. 50
Taxation	440,019	68,796	193,158	414,927		98,192	1,215,09
Sales and user charges	1,642	51,691	-		953,514	6,523	1,013,37
Other	48,349	389,298	_	4,887	200,017	151,838	594,37
Government transfers	48,214	-	-	-	-	159,389	207,60
	538,224	509,785	193,158	419,814	953,514	415,942	3,030,43
EXPENSES							
Contracted and general services	255,262	411,634	61,118	20,967	367,924	57,401	1,174,30
Salaries, wages, and benefits	224,600	53,490	47,627	190,185	95,001	174,760	785,66
Transfers to other governments	-	· -		500,000	-	-	500,00
Materials, goods, and supplies	21,635	41,604	66,195	49,096	176,103	138,046	492,67
Utilities	16,129	2,350	8,323	56,625	18,991	3,918	106,33
Interest on long-term debt	-	-	-	-	78,391	-	78,39
Insurance	20,598	707	9,895	2,941	16,061	2,661	52,86
Other	-	-	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>	74,509	74,50
	538,224	509,785	193,158	819,814	752,471	451,295	3,264,74
NET REVENUE BEFORE AMORTIZATIO	N -	-		(400,000)	201,043	(35,353)	(234,31
Amortization	29,012	10,299	69,924	86,035	212,115	34,229	441,61
NET REVENUE (DEFICIT)	\$ (29,012)	\$ (10,299) \$	(69,924)	\$ (486,035)	\$ (11,072) \$	(69,582) \$	(675,924

1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of the Town are the representations of management prepared in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards. Significant aspects of the accounting policies adopted by the Town are as follows:

(a) Reporting Entity

The financial statements reflect assets, liabilities, revenue and expenses and changes in fund balances and changes in financial position of the Town. This is comprised of the municipal operations plus all of the organizations that are owned or accountable to the Town Council for the administration of their financial affairs and resources.

The schedule of taxes levied also includes requisitions for education, health, social and other external organizations that are not part of the municipal reporting entity.

The statements exclude trust assets that are administered for the benefit of external parties.

(b) Basis of Accounting

Revenues are accounted for in the period in which the transactions or events occurred that gave rise to the revenues.

Funds from external parties and earnings thereon restricted by agreement or legislation are accounted for as deferred revenue until used for the purpose specified.

Government transfers are recognized in the financial statements as revenue in the period that the events giving rise to the transfer occurred, providing the transfers are authorized, any eligibility criteria have been met by the municipality, and reasonable estimates of the amounts can be made.

Expenses are recognized in the period the goods and services are acquired and a liability is incurred or transfers are due.

(c) Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include items that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash, are subject to an insignificant risk of change in value, and have a maturity of one year or less at acquisition.

(d) Land Held for Resale

Land held for resale is recorded at the lower of cost or net realizable value. Cost includes costs for land acquisition and improvements required to prepare the land for servicing such as clearing, stripping, and levelling charges. Related development costs incurred to provide infrastructure such as water and wastewater services, roads, sidewalks, and street lighting are recorded as physical assets under their respective function.

(e) Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with the accounting principles for local governments established by the Public Sector Accounting Board 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 amounts of revenue and expenditures during the period. Where measurement uncertainty exists, the financial statements have been prepared within reasonable limits of materiality. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

(f) Tax Revenue

Property taxes are recognized as revenue in the year they are levied.

Construction and borrowing costs associated with local improvement projects are recovered through annual special assessments during the period of the related borrowing. These levies are collectable from property owners for work performed by the Town and are recognized as revenue in the year the tax is levied.

(g) Tangible Capital Assets

Tangible capital assets are recorded at cost which includes all amounts that are directly attributable to acquisition, construction, development or betterment of the asset. The cost, less residual value, of the tangible capital assets is amortized on a straight-line basis over their estimated useful lives as follows:

Engineered structures	
Water systems	45 - 75 years
Wastewater systems	75 years
Roadways	10 - 20 years
Storm systems	75 years
Buildings	25 & 50 years
Machinery and equipment	5 - 33 years
Vehicles	10 years

Tangible capital assets received as contributions are recorded at fair value at the date of receipt and also are recorded as revenue.

Works of art for display are not recorded as tangible capital assets but are disclosed.

(h) Contaminated Sites

Contaminated sites are defined as the result of contamination being introduced in air, soil, water or sediment of a chemical, organic, or radioactive material or live organism that exceeds an environmental standard. A liability for remediation on contaminated sites is recognized, net of any recoveries, when an environmental standard exists, contamination exceeds the environmental standard, the Town is directly responsible for or accepts responsibility for the liability, future economic benefits will be given up, and a reasonable estimate of the liability can be made.

(i) Under-Levies and Over-Levies

Under-levies and over-levies arise from the difference between the actual levy made to cover each requisition and the actual amount requisitioned.

In situations where the actual levy is less than the requisition amount, the under-levy is accrued as a receivable and reflected as property taxes. If the actual levy exceeds the requisition, the over-levy is accrued as a liability and property tax revenue is reduced.

Requisition tax rates in the subsequent year are adjusted for any under-levies or over-levies of the prior year.

(j) New Accounting Standards not yet Adopted

Effective for fiscal years beginning on or after April 1, 2021, *PS 3280 Asset Retirement Obligations* provides guidance on how to account for and report liabilities for retirement of tangible capital assets.

Effective for fiscal years beginning on or after April 1, 2022, *PS 3400 Revenue* provides guidance on how to account for and report revenue, and specifically, it addresses revenue arising from exchange transactions and unilateral transactions.

2. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		
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Deposit account with financial institution Cash on hand	\$ 552,751 600	\$ 775,008 600
	\$ 553,351	\$ 775,608
3. RECEIVABLES	2019	2018
Taxes and grants in place of taxes Trade and other Utilities Goods and Services Tax Government transfers	\$ 134,830 107,162 85,493 37,185	\$ 169,761 168,762 90,520 19,830 59,066
Less: Allowance for doubtful accounts	 364,670 (21,741) 342,929	\$ 507,939 (10,000) 497,939
Taxes and grants in place of taxes include arrears taxes in the amou		
4. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES		
	 2019	 2018
Lac Ste. Anne County Trade payables Accrued interest on long-term debt	\$ 300,000 186,304 21,448	\$ 500,000 609,497 22,513

During 2018, the Town entered into a cost participation agreement with Lac Ste. Anne County for improvements to Township Road 544 from RR 11 east to RR 21 and RR 21 from Township Road 544 north to Township Road 545. Under the terms of the agreement, the Town agreed to reimburse the County for \$500,000 of the total costs of the project repayable in annual instalments of \$100,000 from 2018 - 2022.

\$ 1,132,010

507,752

				2019	2018
Facing and -4					
Engineered structures Water systems				4,258,946	4,360,5
Wastewater systems				4,215,459	4,228,5
Roadways				1,583,322	1,541,1
Storm systems				599,542	608,4
				10,657,269	10,738,6
Machinery, equipment, a	nd furnishings			600,191	661,2
Buildings				321,645	339,5
Land Vehicles				183,672 96,136	183,6 123,3
Vernoles					
				\$ 11,858,913	\$ 12,046,5
	Cost				Cost
	Beginning of Year	Additions	Dienesele	Milita dauma	End of
	Teal	Additions	Disposals	Write-downs	Year
Engineered structures					
Roadways	3,574,154	139,711	•	•	3,713,8
Water systems Wastewater systems	6,996,823 5,006,454	21,985 55,045	-	•	7,018,8 5,061,4
Storm systems	671,119	-	-	•	671,
	16,248,550	216,741	-		16,465,2
Land	183,672		-	-	183,6
Buildings Machinery, equipment,	1,280,827	-	•	•	1,280,8
and furnishings	1,329,453	•	•	-	1,329,4
Vehicles	364,398	-	(28,500)	-	335,8
	\$ 19,406,900	\$ 216,741	\$ (28,500)	\$	\$ 19,595, ⁻
	Accumulated				Accumulate
	Amortization	O			Amortizatio
	Beginning of Year	Current Amortization	Disposals	Write-downs	End of Year
					1001
Engineered structures	0.000.040	07.500			0.400.4
Roadways Water systems	2,033,013 2,636,315	97,530 123,547	•	-	2,130,9 2,75 9 ,8
Wastewater systems	777,913	68,127	-	-	846,0
Storm systems	62,629	8,948	•	<u>-</u>	71,
	5,509,870	298,152	-	-	5,808,0
Buildings Machinery, equipment,	941,239	17,943	-		959, ·
and furnishings	668,233	61,029		_	729,2
Vehicles	241,022	27,240	(28,500)	•	239,7
	\$ 7,360,364	\$ 404,364	\$ (28,500)\$		\$ 7,736,2

6. DEFERRED REVENUE

Deferred revenue consists of externally restricted unspent funds received which relate to costs of future periods.

		2018	_	Receipts		Revenue		2019
Municipal Sustainability Initiative Other Federal Gas Tax	36,239 60,000 (18,555)			239,122 2,823		(212,036) - (41,700)		63,325 62,823 (60,255)
	\$	77,684	\$	241,945	\$	(253,736)	\$	65,893

7. LONG-TERM DEBT

2019 2018

Alberta Capital Finance Authority debenture, repayable in bi-annual instalments of \$76,783 including interest at a fixed rate of 4.676%, due September 15, 2033. Debenture debt is issued on the credit and security of Town at large.

\$ 1,564,691 \$ 1,642,357

Principal and interest payments are as follows:

19	_ Principal	Interest	Total	
2020	\$ 81,340	\$ 72,225	\$ 153,565	
2021	85,189	68,377	153,566	
2022	89,219	64,347	153,566	
2023	93,439	59,126	152,565	
2024	97,859	55,706	153,565	
Thereafter	1,117,645	264,448	1,382,093	
	\$ 1,564,691	\$ 584,229	\$ 2,148,920	

The Town's cash payments for interest in 2019 were \$75,899 (2018 - \$79,407).

8. DEBT LIMITS

Section 276(2) of the *Municipal Government Act* requires that debt and debt limits, as defined by Alberta Regulation 255/00, for the Town be disclosed as follows:

	2019	2018
Total debt limit Total debt	\$ 4,619,702 (1,564,691)	\$ 4,545,656 (1,642,357)
Amount of debt limit unused	\$ 3,055,011	\$ 2,903,299
Service on debt limit Service on debt	\$ 769,950 (153,565)	\$ 757,609 (153,566)
Amount of debt servicing limit unused	\$ 616,385	\$ 604,043

9. ACCUMULATED SURPLUS	2012	0040
	2019	2018
Unrestricted surplus (deficit) Restricted surplus	(405,306)	(545,635
Operating reserves (Note 10)	575,568	505,864
Capital reserves (Note 10)	375,181	330,758
Equity in tangible capital assets (Schedule 1)	10,294,222	10,404,179
	\$ 10,839,665	\$ 10,695,166
10. RESERVES	<u></u>	,
	2019	2018
Operating Reserves		
Future development	188,395	188,395
Roads and streets	179,716	177,574
Lagoon	123,641	57,974
Water upgrades	34,840	34,840
Tax stabilization	30,857	28,962
Special projects	16,000	16,000
Recreation	1,104	1,104
Election	1,015	1,015
	\$ 575,568	\$ 505,864
Capital Reserves		
Utilities	129,950	101,387
Recreation venue / opportunity	60,000	60,000
Machinery and equipment	69,025	59,844
Parks, recreation and playgrounds	32,195	32,195
Building - administration	29,750	25,670
Parks improvements - Fortis	28,711	15,366
Vehicle - public works Building - public works	11,870 8,028	11,870 6,396
Parks beautification	4,130	4,130
Culture and hall	4,920	3,900
Fire	(3,398)	10,000
	\$ 375,181	\$ 330,758

11. TRUST FUNDS

The Town administers the following trusts on behalf of third parties. As related trust assets are not owned by the Town, the trusts have been excluded from the financial statements. The following table provides a summary of the transactions within these trusts during the year:

	Opening	Receipts	Disbursements	Ending
Collaboration Program Grants	235,287	-	(81,199)	154,088
Tax sale property funds	72,367	29	-	72,396
Syrian refugee donations	17,261	•	-	17,261
Seniors Housing	1,000	-	•	1,000
	\$ 325,915	\$ 29	\$ (81,199)	244,745

12. SALARIES AND BENEFITS DISCLOSURE

Disclosure of salaries and benefits for municipal officials, the chief administrative officers, and designated officers as required by Alberta Regulation 313/2000 is as follows:

		2019 Benefits and			2018			
	_	Salary		lowances	Total		Total	
Town Council								
Tracy (Mayor)		14,125		5,850	19,975		14,258	
St. Hilaire		9,925		2,329	12,254		13,427	
Tonita		12,225		5,753	17,978		12,760	
Neilson		6,575		1,861	8,436		9,795	
Mickle	_	3,075		4,901	7,976		5,425	
	\$	45,925	\$	20,694	\$ 66,619	\$	55,665	
Chief Administrative Officer								
Wildman	\$	135,883	\$	-	\$ 135,883	\$	130,116	
Designated Officers	\$	11,224	\$	•	\$ 11,224	\$	10,440	

Salary includes regular base pay, lump sum payments, gross honoraria and any other direct cash remuneration.

Benefits and allowances include the employer's share of all employee benefits and contributions or payments made on behalf of employees, and the employer's share of the costs of any additional taxable benefits.

13. CONTRACTUAL OBLIGATIONS

The Town has entered into an agreement for the provision of emergency first response, fire suppression, and emergency rescue services for the period January 1, 2016 - December 31, 2020. The basic annual fee for these services is approximately \$45,000 annually.

14. UTILITY FRANCHISE AGREEMENTS

Disclosure of utility franchise agreement annual revenues as required by Alberta Regulation 313/2000 is as follows:

	 2019		2018
Fortis Alberta Inc. Atco Gas	\$ 61,704 25,730	\$	61,414 24,652
	\$ 87,434	\$	86,066

15. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Town's financial instruments consist of cash and cash equivalents, receivables, accounts payable and accrued liabilities, and long-term debt. It is management's opinion that the Town is not exposed to significant interest, currency or credit risk arising from these financial instruments. Unless otherwise noted, the fair values of these financial instruments approximate their carrying values.

The Town is exposed to credit risk with respect to receivables. Credit risk arises from the possibility that customers may experience financial difficulty and be unable to fulfill their obligations. The large number and diversity of customers minimizes the Town's credit risk.

16. BUDGET

The 2019 budget data presented in these financial statements is based on the operating and capital budgets approved by Council on May 2, 2019. The chart below reconciles the approved financial plan to the figures reported in these financial statements.

	 2019 (Budget)	2019 (Actual)
Annual surplus	332,632	144,499
Add back: Amortization expense Net transfers from (to) reserves	(54,965)	404,364 (114,127)
Deduct: Proceeds on disposal of tangible capital assets Principal debt repayments Purchase of tangible capital assets	 (77,667) (200,000)	(4,023) (77,667) (216,741)
Result of Operations	\$ -	\$ 136,305

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17. SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

On March 11, 2020, the COVID-19 outbreak was declared a global pandemic by the World Health Organization and on March 17, 2020 the Province of Alberta declared a public health emergency. Many businesses and individuals in a vast array of sectors may experience an economic loss due to COVID-19 which may have a financial effect on the Town. An estimate of the potential financial impact cannot be made at this time.

18. APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

These financial statements were approved by Council and administration.