HOPE BUSINESS AND DEVELOPMENT SOCIETY UNAUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2020





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INDEPENDENT PRACTIONER'S REVIEW ENGAGEMENT REPORT

To the Members of Hope Business & Development Society

I have reviewed the accompanying financial statements of **Hope Business & Development Society** that comprise the statement of financial position as at **December 31, 2020**, and the statements of financial activities and change in net assets, cash flows for the year then ended, and a summary of significant 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 accounting standards for non-profit entities, 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.

Practitioner's Responsibility

My responsibility is to express a conclusion on the accompanying financial statements based on my review. I conducted my review in accordance with Canadian generally accepted standards for review engagements which require me to comply with relevant ethical requirements.

A review of financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted standards for review engagements is a limited assurance engagement. The practitioner performs procedures, primarily consisting of making inquiries of management and others within the entity, as appropriate, and applying analytical procedures, and evaluates the evidence obtained.

The procedures performed in a review are substantially less in extent than, and vary in nature from, those performed in an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Accordingly, I do not express an audit opinion on these financial statements.

Conclusion

Based on my review, nothing has come to my attention that causes me to believe that the financial statements do not present fairly, in all respects, the financial position of **Hope Business & Development Society** as at **December 31, 2020**, the results of its financial activities and change in net assets, and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for non-profit entities.

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CHARTERED PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTANT

April 9, 2021 Hope, BC Canada

HOPE BUSINESS AND DEVELOPMENT SOCIETY (operating as ADVANTAGE HOPE) UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2020

ASSETS		_	2020		2019
Current Assets Cash Accounts receivable Prepaid items Inventory for resale		\$	274,958 10,103 5,925 15,776	\$	66,285 23,679 4,000 17,627
Total Current Assets		\$	306,762	\$	111,591
Intangible Assets	(Note 2)	-	8,028	<u></u>	8,028
Total Assets		\$	314,790	\$	119,619
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Accounts payable and accrue Government remittances Unearned revenue	ed liabilities (Note 3)	\$	24,179 10,632 0	\$	8,215 1,735 0
Total Current Liabilities		\$	34,811	\$	9,950
Deferred Contributions	(Note 4)	_	69,991	_	0
Total Liabilities	(Contingency Note 7)	\$	104,802	\$	9,950
Total Members' Net Assets (Debt)			209,988		109,669
Total Liabilities and Net A	ssets (Debt)	\$	314,790	\$	119,619
Approved on behalf of the So	ciety:				
Director					
Director)				

HOPE BUSINESS AND DEVELOPMENT SOCIETY (operating as ADVANTAGE HOPE)

UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES & CHANGE IN NET ASSETS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

		2020		2019	
REVENUE					
Grant Revenue					
District of Hope	\$	320,000	\$	302,917	
Province of BC		141,588		380,517	
Government of Canada		2,531		10,365	
Other		9,622		20,293	
Retail sales		8,398		61,863	
Advertising and sponsorships		0		1,395	
Donations and sundry	_	4	_	1,081	
Total Receipts	\$	482,143	\$	778,431	
DISBURSEMENTS					
Advertising and promotions	\$	74,320	\$	55,934	
Bank charges		2,325		1,824	
Cost of retail sales		2,289		30,419	
Insurance, licenses and dues		6,325		6,365	
Office, postage and sundry		2,239		3,673	
Project expenses		72,268		351,650	
Professional fees		7,565		10,644	
Subcontracted services		0		92,620	
Supplies		7,931		4,302	
Telephone and utilities		5,607		6,016	
Wages and benefits		200,955		125,280	
Total Disbursements	\$	381,824	\$	688,727	
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) FOR THE YEAR	\$	100,319	\$	89,704	
NET ASSETS, beginning of year	_	109,669	(19,965	
NET ASSETS, end of year	\$	209,988	\$	109,669	

HOPE BUSINESS AND DEVELOPMENT SOCIETY (operating as ADVANTAGE HOPE) UNAUDITED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

	2020		_	2019	
OPERATING ACTIVITIES					
Excess (Deficiency) for the year Changes to operations not involving cash:	\$	100,319	\$	89,704	
Deferred contributions		69,991		52,918	
Accounts receivable		13,576		81,622	
Prepaid expenses		(1,925)		(1,853)	
Inventory		1,851		4,764	
Accounts payable and accruals		15,964		(6,000)	
Government remittances		8,897		(5,479)	
Unearned revenue		0	_	(314,619)	
Total from operating activities	\$	208,673	\$	(98,943)	
INVESTING ACTIVITIES					
Invcrease (decrease) in restricted cash	\$	0	\$	(52,918)	
Total from investing activities	\$	0	\$	(52,918)	
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH DURING THE YEAR	\$	208,673	\$	(151,861)	
CASH, beginning of year	_	66,285		218,146	
CASH, end of year	\$	274,958	\$	66,285	
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HOPE BUSINESS AND DEVELOPMENT SOCIETY (operating as ADVANTAGE HOPE) UNAUDITED NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

Note 1: ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND SIGNIFICANT INFORMATION

The Hope Business & Development Society (the Society), operating as Advantage Hope, was incorporated under the Society Act of British Columbia to serve the needs of area residents and business by promoting the community, creating a receptive environment for business development, advocating for new and improved local infrastructure and establishing programs and partnerships that contribute to a sustainable and diversified economy.

These financial statements have been prepared by management in accordance with Canadian Accounting Standards for Not-For-Profit Organizations in Part III of the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada handbook and include the following accounting policies.

The Society is exempt from income taxes pursuant to subsection 149(1)(I) of the Income Tax Act of Canada.

a) Basis of accounting

The Society receives funding from the local municipality, the District of Hope, as well as other governments and their agencies. The Society does not believe there is any reason the funding will not continue into the forseeable future and as such, have presented the financial statements on a going concern basis.

b) Revenue Recognition

Revenue is recognized using the deferral method. Restricted contributions are recognized as revenue in the year in which the related expenses are incurred. Unrestricted contributions are recognized as revenue when received or receivable if the amount can be reasonably estimated and collection can be reasonably assured.

Retail revenue is recognized, net of trade discounts and allowances, on a point of sale basis when the goods or services are provided.

c) Inventory

Inventory is carried at the lower of cost or net realizable value. Cost is calculated using the specific cost inventory method applied on a periodic basis.

d) Financial Instruments

The Society recognizes its financial instruments when the Society becomes party to the contractual provisions of the financial instrument. All financial instruments are initially recorded at their fair value, including financial assets and liabilities originated and issued in a related party transaction with management. Financial assets and liabilities originated and issued in all other related party transactions are initially measured at their carrying or exchange amount in accordance with CPA Canada Handbook Section 3840 - Related Party Transactions.

It is management's opinion that the Society is not exposed to significant interest, currency, credit, or other risks arising from financial instruments.

e) Measurement Uncertainty (use of estimates)

In preparing these financial statements in conformity to Canadian Accounting Standards for Not-For-Profit Organizations management has made estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses. These estimates are reviewed periodically and as adjustments become necessary they are reported in revenues and expenses in the periods in which they become known.

Note 1: ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND SIGNIFICANT INFORMATION (continued)

f) Intangible asset

Specified intangible assets are recognized and reported apart from goodwill.

When an intangible asset no longer contributes to the Society's ability to provide services, its carrying amount is written down to residual value, if any.

Note 2:	INTANGIBLE ASSET		2020		2019	
	Intangible asset with indefinite life					
	Internet domain name	\$	8,028	\$	8,028	
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Note 3: UNEARNED REVENUE

Unearned revenue consists of payments received from various funding partners in relation to contractual agreements and project grants.

Changes in unearned revenue are as follows:

	2020		2019	
Balance, beginning of year	\$	0	\$	314,619
Add: Amounts received during the year		0		0
Less: Amounts recognized as revenue during the year		0	(314,619)	
Balance, end of year (Statement A)	\$	0	\$	0

Note 4: **DEFERRED CONTRIBUTIONS**

Deferred contributions consist of unspent contributions externally restricted for specified operating purposes. Recognition of these amounts as revenue is deferred to periods when the specified expenditures are made. During the current calendar year the District of Hope, together with electoral areas A, B and D and Manning Park Resort was established as participating area for the Municipal and Regional District Tax (MRDT). The MRDT will be provided to Advantage Hope to spend on tourism marketing, programs or projects to increase local tourism, visitation and economic benefits.

Changes in deferred contributions are as follows:	2020			2019		
Balance, beginning of year	\$	0	\$	52,918		
Add: Amounts received during the year	169,010			623		
Less: Amounts recognized as revenue during the year	(99,019)			(53,541)		
Balance, end of year (Statement A)	\$	69,991	\$	0		

Note 5: **EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR COMPENSATION**

Executive Director fees	2020			2019		
Contracted Employment Agreement	\$	0 75,529	\$	38,000		
Total for the year	\$	75,529	\$	38,000		

Note 6: **ECONOMIC DEPENDENCE**

The Society's primary source of funding is from the District of Hope. This funding can be cancelled if the Society does not adhere to certain established guidelines. The Society's ability to continue viable operations is dependent on adherence to these guidelines. As at the date of these financial statements the Society believes it is in compliance with the guidelines.

Note 7: CONTINGENT LIABILITY

The Society is a defendant in litigation in the Supreme Court of British Columbia. The Society's insurance provider has taken responsibility for defending the Society in this litigation. No outcame can be determined at this time.

ADVANTAGE HOPE SCHEDULE OF PROGRAM FUNDING AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2020

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