VILLAGE OF VILNA

CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED

DECEMBER 31, 2009

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

B.N. 135822831

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AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Mayor and Council Village of Vilna

We have audited the consolidated statement of financial position of the Village of Vilna as at December 31, 2009 and the consolidated statement of operations, the consolidated statement of change in net financial debt and the consolidated statement of cash flows for the year then ended. These consolidated financial statements are the responsibility of the municipal administration. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform an audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by administration, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation.

In our opinion, these consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Village of Vilna as at December 31, 2009 and the results of its operations, the change in net financial debt and its cash flows the year then ended in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles.

ST. PAUL, ALBERTA June 1, 2010

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VILLAGE OF VILNA CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2009

| | 2009 | 2008 (restated) |
|---|---------------------|---------------------|
| Financial assets | | |
| Cash | \$ 6,578 | \$ 19,053 |
| Taxes and grants in place receivable (note 2) | 96,631 | 77,132 |
| Receivable from other governments | 63,509 | 115,150 |
| Trade and other receivables | 34,329 | 43,100 |
| Loans receivable (note 3) | . 454 | |
| Land inventory held for resale | 12,000 | 12,000 |
| Share in Alberta Capital Finance Authority | 30 | 30 |
| | 213,077 | 266,465 |
| Liabilities | | |
| Bank indebtedness | ## \ | 295,789 |
| Temporary loan (note 4) | 45,000 | · |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities | 81,870 | 95,972 |
| Deposit liabilities and tax sale surplus | 16,848 | 16,048 |
| Funds held in trust (note 5) | 974 | 77 |
| Deferred revenue (note 6) | 104,830 | 147,014 |
| Long-term and callable debt (note 7) | <u>666,854</u> | 402,669 |
| | 916,376 | <u>957,569</u> |
| Net financial debt | (703,299) | (691,104) |
| Non-financial assets | | |
| Tangible capital assets (schedule 1) | 2,809,451 | 2,401,498 |
| Prepaid expenses | 2,160 | 800 |
| | <u>2,811,611</u> | 2,402,298 |
| Accumulated surplus (note 9) | \$ <u>2,108,312</u> | \$ <u>1,711,194</u> |

Contingent liabilities (note 11)

APPROVED BY:

Mayor

Administrator

VILLAGE OF VILNA CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2009

| | (| Budget unaudited) | | 2009 | | 2008 (restated) |
|---|-------------|----------------------|--------------|-----------------|------|--------------------|
| Revenue | | | | | _ | |
| Net municipal taxes (schedule 2) | \$ | 217,010 | \$ | 240,760 | \$ | 219,701 |
| User fees and sales of goods | | 169,097 | | 165,833 | | 169,199 |
| Government transfers for operating | | am om take. | | 40.140 | | 10.0000 |
| (schedule 3) | | 40,946 | | 49,160 | | 135,868 |
| Franchise fees | | 6,500 | | 7,594 | | 6,598 |
| Investment income | | 15 000 | | 16 247 | | 1271010.1 |
| Penalties and costs on taxes | | 15,000 | | 16,247 | | 17,331 833 |
| Licenses and permits | | 1,100 | | 13,851 | | ** |
| Local improvement charges | | 15,982 | | 14,346 | | 14,914 1,097 |
| Rentals | | 1,000 | | 1,007 18,830 | | 8,633 |
| Other | • | 18,270 | - | 10,030 | | 0,022 |
| The second second | | 484,905 | _ | 527,634 | | 574,174 |
| Expenses | | 25,000 | | 21,360 | | 24,043 |
| Legislative Administration | | 102,877 | | 116,138 | | 108,833 |
| Protective services | | 16,858 | | 24,815 | | 35,493 |
| Roads, streets, walks, lighting | | 60,070 | | 154,067 | | 159,078 |
| Water supply and distribution | | 88,374 | | 121,446 | | 138,501 |
| Wastewater treatment and disposal | | 27,745 | | 54,749 | | 68,399 |
| Waste management | | 56,256 | | 44,710 | | 49,287 |
| Family and community support | | 10,433 | | 7,262 | | 5,060 |
| Planning and development | | 3,250 | | 16,402 | | 5,689 |
| Parks and recreation | | 41,253 | | 33,462 | | 30,347 |
| Culture | - | 10,794 | . | 15,573 | | 10,374 |
| | *** | 442,910 | · | 609,984 | _ | 635,104 |
| Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expens | es · | | | | | |
| before other | | 41,995 | | (82,350) | | (60,930) |
| Other | | | | | | |
| Government transfers for capital (schedule | 3) | d im | | 479,468 | | 29,950 |
| Gain on disposal of tangible capital assets | : •• | . | ٠. | | - | 500 |
| Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expens | es | 41,995 | | 397,118 | | (30,480) |
| Accumulated surplus, beginning of year | 1 | <u>,711,194</u> | 1 | <u>,711,194</u> |] | ,741,674 |
| Accumulated surplus, end of year | \$ <u>1</u> | <u>,753,189</u> | \$ <u>2</u> | ,108,312 | \$] | <u>,711,194</u> |

VILLAGE OF VILNA CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGE IN NET FINANCIAL DEBT FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2009

| | <u>Budget</u> (unaudited) | 2009 | <u>2008</u> (restated) |
|--|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenses | \$ <u>41,995</u> | \$ 397,118 | \$ <u>(30,480)</u> |
| Acquisition of tangible capital assets Amortization of tangible capital assets Proceeds on disposal of tangible capital assets Gain on disposal of tangible capital assets | (10,607) (10,607) | (512,895) 104,942 (407,953) | (51,723) 96,085 500 (500) 44,362 |
| (Acquisition) use of prepaid expenses | | (1,360) | (575) |
| Increase (decrease) in net financial debt | 31,388 | (12,195) | 13,307 |
| Net financial debt, beginning of year | (<u>691,104</u>) | (<u>691,104</u>) | (704,411) |
| Net financial debt, end of year | \$ (<u>659,716</u>) | \$ (<u>703,299</u>) | \$ (<u>691,104</u>) |

VILLAGE OF VILNA CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2009

| | 2009 | <u>2008</u> (restated) |
|--|--|---------------------------|
| Net inflow of cash related to the | | |
| following activities: | | |
| Operating | in and a second sec | A 788 1885 |
| Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenses Non-cash items included in shortfall of revenues over expenses: | \$ 397,118 | \$ (30,480) |
| Amortization of tangible capital assets | 104,942 | 96,085 |
| Gain on disposal of tangible capital assets | | (500) |
| | 502,060 | 65,105 |
| Decrease (increase) in: | | |
| Taxes and grants in place receivable | (19,499) | |
| Receivable from other governments Trade and other receivables | 51,641 8,771 | (80,536) 20,108 |
| Prepaid expenses | (1,360) | (575) |
| • • | (1,500) | (275) |
| Increase (decrease) in: Temporary loan | 45,000 | |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities | (14,102) | (17,142) |
| Deposit liabilities and tax sale surplus | 800 | (162) |
| Funds held in trust | 897 | (25,811) |
| Deferred revenue | (42,184) | 42,969 |
| | <u>532,024</u> | (8,331) |
| Capital | (610.00E) | (£1 (732) |
| Acquisition of tangible capital assets Proceeds on disposal of tangible capital assets | (512,895) | (51,723) 500 |
| 110000ds on disposar of tangento capital assets | | |
| Financing | (<u>512,895</u>) | <u>(51,223</u>) |
| Debt advanced | 300,000 | |
| Debt repaid | (35,815) | (30,116) |
| | <u> 264,185</u> | (30,116) |
| Change in cash during the year | 283,314 | (89,670) |
| Cash (indebtedness), beginning of year | (276,736) | (187,066) |
| Cash (indebtedness), end of year | \$ <u>6,578</u> | \$ (<u>276,736)</u> |
| Cash (indebtedness) consists of: | | |
| Cash | \$ 6,578 | \$ 19,053 |
| Bank indebtedness | | (<u>295,789</u>) |
| | \$ <u>6,578</u> | \$ (<u>276,736</u>) |

VILLAGE OF VILNA SCHEDULE OF TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2009 SCHEDULE 1

| Cost: | Land | Cultural Structures | Land Improvements | Buildings | Engineered Structures | Machinery ar Equipment | id Vehicles | 2009 | 2008 (restated) |
|--|-------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Balance, beginning of year Acquisition of tangible capital assets Disposal of tangible capital assets | \$ 126,273 | \$ 27,887 | \$ 32,262 22,320 ——— | \$ 511,934 29,309 | \$ 2,751,821 456,000 | | \$ 34,008 | \$ 3,678,836 512,895 | \$ 3,660,498 51,723 (33,385) |
| Balance, end of year | 126,273 | 27,887 | <u>54,582</u> | 541,243 | 3,207,821 | <u>199,917</u> | 34,008 | 4,191,731 | 3,678,836 |
| Accumulated amortization: Balance, beginning of year Annual amortization Accumulated amortization on disposa | ls | | 18,762 2,116 | 220,615 10,532 | 872,518 87,154 | | 34,008 | 1,277,338 104,942 | 1,214,638 96,085 (33,385) |
| Balance, end of year | | | 20,878 | 231,147 | 959,672 | <u>136,575</u> | 34,008 | 1,382,280 | 1,277,338 |
| Net book value of tangible capital assets | \$ <u>126,273</u> | \$ <u>27,887</u> | \$ 33,704 | \$ <u>310,096</u> | \$ <u>2,248,149</u> | \$ <u>63,342</u> | \$ | \$ <u>2,809,451</u> | \$ <u>2,401,498</u> |
| 2008 Net book value of tangible capital assets (restated) | \$ <u>126,273</u> | \$ <u>27,887</u> | \$ <u>13,500</u> | \$ <u>291,319</u> | \$ <u>1,879,303</u> | \$ <u>63,216</u> | \$ | \$ <u>2,401,498</u> | |

VILLAGE OF VILNA SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY TAXES LEVIED FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2009 SCHEDULE 2

| | | 2009 | 2008 |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| | Budget | Actual | <u>Actual</u> |
| | (unaudited) | | (restated) |
| Levies | | | |
| Residential land and improvements | \$ 187,361 | \$ 209,006 | \$ 172,068 |
| Non-residential land and improvements | 43,337 | 45,442 | 54,240 |
| Linear property | 25,386 | 25,386 | 28,390 |
| Farm land | <u>81</u> | 81 | 98 |
| | <u>256,165</u> | <u>279,915</u> | <u>254,796</u> |
| Requisitions | | | |
| Alberta School Foundation Fund | 32,179 | 32,179 | 30,955 |
| Smoky Lake Foundation | <u>6,976</u> | <u>6,976</u> | 4,140 |
| | 39,155 | 39,155 | <u>35,095</u> |
| Net taxes for general municipal purposes | \$ <u>217,010</u> | \$ <u>240,760</u> | \$ <u>219,701</u> |
| SCHEDULE OF GOVER | | NSFERS | |
| Transfers for operating | | | |
| Provincial government | \$ 24,446 | \$ 36,026 | \$ 121,257 |
| Other local governments | <u>16,500</u> | <u>13,134</u> | <u> 14,611</u> |
| | 40,946 | 49,160 | 135,868 |
| Transfers for capital | | | |
| Provincial government | ii. | <u>479,468</u> | <u>29,950</u> |
| Total government transfers | \$ <u>40,946</u> | \$ <u>528,628</u> | \$ <u>165,818</u> |
| SCHEDULE OF EXPEN | | ТҮРЕ | |
| SCHEDI | ULE 4 | | |
| Expenditures | 0.404.000 | # 1<0.001 | # 155 501 |
| Salaries and benefits | \$ 194,932 | \$ 168,291 | \$ 177,791 |
| Contracted and general services Purchases from other governments | 88,400 17,250 | 91,931 37,954 | 86,246 36,225 |
| Materials, goods, supplies and utilities | 122,152 | 167,552 | 181,772 |
| Transfers to local boards and agencies | 1,794 | 12,333 | 15,974 |
| Transfers to individuals and organizations | 5,181 | 700 | 3,094 |
| Provision for allowances | | 4,131 | |
| Amortization | == . | 104,942 | 96,085 |
| Bank charges and short-term interest | 5,100 | 7,215 | 12,562 |
| Interest on debt | 8,101 | 14,935 | 21,288 |
| Other expenditures | - | | 4,067 |
| Total expenditures by type | \$ <u>442,910</u> | \$ <u>609,984</u> | \$ <u>635,104</u> |

1. Significant Accounting Policies

The consolidated financial statements of the Village of Vilna are the representations of management prepared in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles for local governments established by the Public Sector Accounting Board of the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants. Significant aspects of the accounting policies adopted by the village are as follows:

(a) Reporting Entity

The consolidated financial statements reflect the assets, liabilities, revenues and expenditures, changes in fund balances and change in financial position of the reporting entity. This entity is comprised of the municipal operations plus all of the organizations that are owned or controlled by the village and are, therefore, accountable to the village council for the administration of their financial affairs and resources.

The schedule of taxes levied also includes requisitions for education 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. Interdepartmental and organizational transactions and balances are eliminated.

(b) Basis of Accounting

The financial statements are prepared using the accrual basis of accounting. The accrual basis of accounting records revenue as it is earned and measurable. Expenses are recognized as they are incurred and measurable based upon receipt of goods or services and/or the legal obligation to pay.

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, contributions and other amounts are received from third parties pursuant to legislation, regulation or agreement and may only be used for certain programs, in the completion of specific work, or for the purchase of tangible capital assets. In addition, certain user charges and fees are collected for which the related services have yet to be performed. Revenue is recognized in the period when the related expenses are incurred, services performed or the tangible capital assets are acquired.

(c) Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles 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 - continued

(d) Land Inventory 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 leveling 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) Government Transfers

Government transfers are the transfer of assets from senior levels of government that are not the result of an exchange transaction, are not expected to be repaid in the future, or the result of a direct financial return.

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

(f) Requisition Over-levy and Under-levy

Over-levies and under-levies arise from the difference between the actual property tax levy made to cover each requisition and the actual amount requisitioned.

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

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

(g) Non-Financial Assets

Non-financial assets are not available to discharge existing liabilities and are held for use in the provision of services. They have useful lives extending beyond the current year and are not intended for sale in the normal course of operations. The change in non-financial assets during the year, together with the excess of revenues over expenses, provides the consolidated Change in Net Financial Debt for the year.

1. Significant Accounting Policies - continued

(g) Non-Financial Assets (continued)

(i) 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 costs, less residual value, of the tangible capital assets are amortized on a straight-line basis over their estimated useful lives as follows:

| | <u>Years</u> |
|-------------------------|--------------|
| Land improvements | 10-20 |
| Buildings | 50 |
| Engineered structures | |
| Roadway system | 10-30 |
| Water system | 40-75 |
| Wastewater system | 35-75 |
| Machinery and equipment | 10-15 |
| Vehicles | 10-25 |

One-half of the annual amortization is charged in the year of acquisition. Assets under construction are not amortized until the asset is available for productive use.

(ii) Contributions of Tangible Capital Assets

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

| 2. | Taxes and Grants In Place Receivable | <u>2009</u> | <u>2008</u> |
|----|---|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | Current Arrears | \$ 50,958 49,402 | \$ 46,772 34.089 |
| | Less: allowance for doubtful accounts | 100,360 _(3,729) | 80,861 <u>(3,729</u>) |
| | | \$ <u>96,631</u> | \$ <u>77,132</u> |
| 3. | Loans Receivable | 2009 | 2008 |
| | Non-interest bearing loan receivable from Vilna Main Street Project with no specific terms of repayment. | \$ 15,466 | \$ 14,270 |
| | Non-interest bearing loan receivable from Vilna Housing Development Corporation with no specific | | |
| | terms of repayment. | 44,000 | <u>44,000</u> |
| | Less: allowance for doubtful amount | 59,466 (<u>59,466</u>) | 58,270 (<u>58,270</u>) |
| | | \$ | \$ |

4. Temporary Loan

The temporary loan was an advance from the Vilna Main Street Project to help the village meet its obligations until the 2010 property taxes can be collected. The loan is unsecured, non-interest bearing with no fixed terms of repayment.

5. Funds Held in Trust

The village has collected donations on behalf of the senior's lodge. These funds are held in a separate bank account in trust. The bank balance is included in the village's total cash balance.

| 6. | Deferred Revenue | <u>2009</u> | <u>2008</u> |
|----|---|-------------------|-------------------|
| | New deal for cities and communities | \$ | \$ 21,375 |
| | Municipal Sustainability Initiative - capital | 10,567 | 66,832 |
| | Municipal Sustainability Initiative - operating | 66,986 | 40,700 |
| | Deferred permits income | 23,875 | · |
| | FCSS | 3,402 | |
| | Fire department advance | · | 7,500 |
| | Riverland Trail Society | | 10,607 |
| | | \$ <u>104,830</u> | \$ <u>147,014</u> |

Funding in the amount of \$104,830 was received in the current and previous years from various grant programs, organizations and individuals. The use of these funds is restricted to eligible operating and capital projects as approved under the funding agreements or as indicated by the donors. Most of the projects are scheduled for completion in 2010.

| 7. | Long-Term and Callable debt | <u>2009</u> | <u>2008</u> |
|----|---------------------------------------|----------------|-------------|
| | Tax supported debentures | \$ 151,645 | \$ 168,919 |
| | Tax supported callable capital loan | 220,000 | 233,750 |
| | Tax supported callable operating loan | <u>295,209</u> | |
| | | \$ 666.854 | \$ 402,669 |

Principal and interest repayments for each of the next five years and to maturity are as follows:

| | <u>Principal</u> | Interest | <u>Total</u> |
|------------|------------------|------------|-------------------|
| 2010 | \$ 59,220 | \$ 19,602 | \$ 78,822 |
| 2011 | 55,290 | 17,693 | 72,983 |
| 2012 | 56,635 | 16,072 | 72,707 |
| 2013 | 58,034 | 14,399 | 72,433 |
| 2014 | 59,489 | 12,669 | 72,158 |
| Thereafter | <u>378,186</u> | 46,784 | 424,970 |
| | \$ 666,854 | \$ 127,219 | \$ <u>794,073</u> |

7. Long-Term and Callable debt (continued)

Debenture debt is repayable to Alberta Capital Finance Authority and bears interest at rates ranging from 4.038% to 6.5% per annum, and matures in periods 2010 through 2021. The average annual interest rate is 5.69% for 2009 (5.68% for 2008). Debenture debt is issued on the credit and security of the Village of Vilna at large.

The callable loans are repayable to ATB Financial and bear a floating rate of interest of bank prime less 0.25% (capital loan) and bank prime (operating loan). Interest is accrued monthly and the loans are callable at the option of the lender. The callable debt is issued on the credit and security of the village at large and by a \$275,000 land mortgage.

The village's total cash payments for interest in 2009 were \$15,957 (2008 - \$25,969).

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 Village of Vilna be disclosed as follows:

| | 2009 | <u>2008</u> |
|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Total debt limit Total debt | \$ 791,451 711,854 | \$ 862,011 698,458 |
| Amount of debt limit unused | \$ <u>79,597</u> | \$ <u>163,553</u> |
| Debt servicing limit Debt servicing | \$ 131,909 123,822 | \$ 143,669 350,361 |
| Amount of debt servicing limit unused (exceeded) | \$ <u>8,087</u> | \$ (<u>206,692</u>) |

The debt limit is calculated at 1.5 times revenue of the municipality (as defined in Alberta Regulation 255/00) and the debt service limit is calculated at 0.25 times such revenue. Incurring debt beyond these limitations requires approval by the Minister of Municipal Affairs. These thresholds are guidelines used by Alberta Municipal Affairs to identify municipalities that could be at financial risk if further debt is acquired. The calculation taken alone does not represent the financial stability of the municipality. Rather, the financial statements must be interpreted as a whole.

9. Accumulated Surplus

Accumulated surplus consists of an accumulated operating deficit and equity in tangible capital assets as follows:

| | <u>2009</u> | 2008 (restated) |
|---|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Accumulated operating deficit Equity in tangible capital assets | \$ (329,494) 2,437,806 | \$ (287,635) 1,998,829 |
| | \$ <u>2,108,312</u> | \$ <u>1,711,194</u> |

10. Commitment

The Village currently leases a photocopier. The future lease payments under this operating lease are as follows:

| 2010 | \$ 1,184 |
|------|----------|
| 2011 | 1,184 |
| 2012 | 1,184 |
| 2013 | 888 |

11. Contingent Liabilities

The Village of Vilna is a member of the Alberta Municipal Insurance Exchange (MUNIX). Under the terms of the membership, the Village of Vilna could become liable for its proportionate share of any claim losses in excess of the funds held by the exchange. Any liability incurred would be accounted for as a current transaction in the year the losses are determined.

12. Salary and Benefits Disclosure

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

| | 2009 | | | 2008 |
|--|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| | Salary | Benefits & Allow. | Total | Total |
| Mayor – Trider Deputy mayor – English Councillor – Barry | (1) \$ 6,255 2,813 2,835 | (2) \$ 1,241 509 1,321 | \$ 7,496 3,322 4,156 | \$ 8,442 4,888 4,933 |
| Chief Administrative Officer – Bauman | 18,480 | 1,864 | 20,344 | 17,022 |

⁽¹⁾ Salary includes regular base pay, bonuses, overtime, lump sum payments, gross honoraria, and any other direct cash remuneration.

13. Financial Instruments

The village's financial instruments consist of cash, receivables, temporary loan, accounts payable and accrued liabilities and long-term and callable debt. It is management's opinion that the village is not exposed to significant interest or currency risks arising from these financial instruments.

The village is subject to credit risk with respect to taxes and grants in place receivable and trade and other receivables. Credit risk arises from the possibility that taxpayers and entities to which the village provides services may experience financial difficulty and be unable to fulfill their obligations. The large number and diversity of taxpayers and customers minimizes the credit risk.

Unless otherwise noted, the carrying value of the financial instruments approximates fair value.

14. Other Credit Facilities

The village has an Alberta Treasury Branch MasterCard with a limit of \$10,000. Interest is calculated on principal owing beyond one month at the Alberta Treasury Branch prime rate plus 2%. The MasterCard had a balance owing of \$680 at December 31, 2009.

⁽²⁾ Employer's share of all employee benefits and contributions or payments made on behalf of employees including Canada Pension Plan, Employment Insurance, health care, dental coverage and group life insurance.

15. Prior Period Adjustments

The village has restated its financial statements to comply with the provisions of Section 3150 of the Public Sector Accounting Board Handbook, which requires governments to record and amortize their tangible capital assets on their financial statements. In addition, revenue from contributed assets and government grants and transfers relating to capital acquisitions has been included in income. These adjustments are as follows:

| | <u>2008</u> |
|---|---------------------|
| Adjustments to opening accumulated surplus | |
| As previously reported | \$ 3,228,467 |
| Adjustment to net book value of tangible capital assets | (1,486,793) |
| As restated | \$ <u>1,741,674</u> |
| Adjustments to excess (shortfall) of revenues over expenses | |
| As previously reported | \$ 13,882 |
| Tangible capital assets recorded but previously expensed | 51,723 |
| Proceeds on disposals previously in revenue | (500) |
| Gain on disposal of tangible capital assets | 500 |
| Annual amortization expense | (96,085) |
| As restated | \$ <u>(30,480)</u> |
| Adjustments to tangible capital assets: | |
| As previously reported | \$ 3,950,991 |
| Adjustment to historical cost of tangible capital assets | (272,155) |
| Accumulated amortization recorded | (1,277,338) |
| As restated | \$ <u>2,401,498</u> |

Certain comparative figures have been restated to conform to the current year's presentation.

16. Going Concern

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles that are applicable to a going concern, meaning that the village will be able to realize its assets and discharge its liabilities in the normal course of operations. However, the use of generally accepted accounting principles that are applicable to a going concern is potentially inappropriate because there is significant doubt about the appropriateness of the going concern assumption. Given the deficits in the last five years and the accumulated operating deficit. The village's ability to realize its assets and discharge its liabilities depends on increasing support from taxpayers and other funding sources. The financial statements do not reflect adjustments that would be necessary if the going concern assumption were not appropriate, because management feels support from taxpayers and other funding sources will mitigate the effect of the conditions and facts that raise doubt about the appropriateness of this assumption.

17. Approval of Financial Statements

Council and Management have approved these financial statements.