THE FRIENDS OF PRESQU'ILE PARK

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2023



INDEPENDENT PRACTITIONER'S REVIEW ENGAGEMENT REPORT

To the Directors of THE FRIENDS OF PRESOU'ILE PARK

We have reviewed the accompanying financial statements of **THE FRIENDS OF PRESQU'ILE PARK** which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2023, and the statements of operations and changes in net assets 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 accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations, 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.

Practitioner's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the accompanying financial statements based on our review. We conducted our review in accordance with Canadian generally accepted standards for review engagements, which require us 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, we do not express an audit opinion on these financial statements.

Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the financial statements do not present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of **THE FRIENDS OF PRESQU'ILE PARK** as at December 31, 2023, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

Trenton, Ontario June 8, 2024

CHARTERED PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTANTS LICENSED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Welch UP

THE FRIENDS OF PRESQU'ILE PARK

(Incorporated without share capital under the laws of Ontario)

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION DECEMBER 31, 2023

ASSETS

		2023		2022
CURRENT ASSETS				
Cash	S	47,505	S	34,746
Accounts receivable		1,760		-
Government remittances recoverable		-		208
Inventory		4,987		9,094
Prepaid expenses		3,147		3,096
	_	57,399		47,144
INVESTMENTS - note 4	_	213,020	_	207,607
	<u>\$_</u>	270,419	<u>\$_</u>	254,751
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS				
CURRENT LIABILITIES				
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$	7,366	S	4,916
Government remittances payable		2,146		-
Deferred contributions - note 5		52,957		53,163
		62,469		58,079
NET ASSETS	_			
Internally restricted - note 6		132,000		134,000
Unrestricted		75,950		62,672
	-	207,950	_	196,672
	_	401,730	_	170,072
	S	270,419	S	254,751

Approved by the Board:

Director

Director

THE FRIENDS OF PRESQU'ILE PARK STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023

	2023	2022
REVENUES Fundraising Events and Operations - gross profit - Schedule A Donations Memberships Investment Dividend on economical insurance demutualization	\$ 16,024 22,301 2,156 10,443 3,753	\$ 6,847 18,052 2,160 9,177
Total Revenues	54,677	36,236
PROGRAM EXPENSES - net - Schedule B Education Programs Park Improvements Environmental Initiatives Subtotal Program Expenses	7,145 1,710 8,381 17,236	8,118 3,784 6,625 18,527
OPERATING EXPENSES Promotion Bank charges and credit card costs Equipment Insurance Meetings Miscellaneous Office Professional fees Subtotal Operating Expenses Total Expenses	2,570 1,973 3,078 3,550 684 100 4,035 6,250 22,240	546 1,180 - 3,372 1,424 254 6,376 3,000 16,152 34,679
Excess of revenue over expenses before item below	15,201	1,557
Adjustment to fair market value of investments	(3,923)	(13,365)
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUE OVER EXPENSES	11,278	(11,808)
NET ASSETS, beginning of year	196,672	208,480
NET ASSETS, end of year	\$ 207,950	\$ 196,672



THE FRIENDS OF PRESQU'ILE PARK

SCHEDULE OF FUND RAISING EVENTS AND OPERATIONS - GROSS PROFIT YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023

	<u>2023</u>	SCHEDULE A 2022
Lighthouse Gift Shop		<u> ZOLL</u>
Lighthouse Gift Shop sales	\$ 42,303	\$ 10,222
Cost of sales	(32,543)	(7,397)
Gross profit	\$ 9,760	\$ 2,825
Cost of Sales		
Inventory at beginning of year	\$ 9,094	\$ 15,699
Purchases	28,436	792
Inventory at end of year	(4,987)	(9,094)
	\$ 32,543	\$ 7,397
BBQs		
Sales	\$ 8,330	\$ 9,471
Supplies purchases	(5,313)	(5,476)
Gross profit	\$ 3,017	\$ 3,995
Raffles and Other Events		
Sales	\$ 5,903	\$ 27
Supplies purchases	(2,656)	-
Gross profit	\$ 3,247	\$ 27
Total Fundraisers Gross Profit	\$ 16,024	\$ 6,847

THE FRIENDS OF PRESQU'ILE PARK SCHEDULE OF CHARITABLE PROGRAMS - GROSS EXPENSES YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023

Discovery Education Program		<u>2023</u>		SCHEDULE B 2022
Wages Bursaries	\$	10,456 4,000	\$	12,286 4,000
Gross Expenses	_	14,456	-	16,286
Employment Grant	_	(7,311)	_	(8,168)
EDUCATION PROGRAMS	\$	7,145	\$	8,118
PARK IMPROVEMENTS				
Marsh Boardwalk repairs	\$	1,423	\$	10,415
Marsh Boardwalk Contributions		-		(8,124)
Nature Centre Improvements		101		496
Trail Improvements		186	_	997
TOTAL PARK IMPROVEMENTS	\$	1,710	\$	3,784
ENVIRONMENTAL INITIATIVES				
Invasive Species - Park Expenses	\$	6,738	\$	5,344
Tern Research Study		3,833		3,056
Birding Program - Seed and Banding expenses		691		145
Tree planting		-	_	862
		11,262		9,407
25th Anniversary Base Contributions		(2,881)		(2,782)
Grants/Gifts in kind				-
TOTAL ENVIRONMENTAL INITIATIVES	\$	8,381	\$	6,625
Total Funded Program Expenses	\$	17,236	\$	18,527

THE FRIENDS OF PRESQU'ILE PARK STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023

	_	2023	_	2022
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses	\$	11,278	\$	(11,808)
Adjustment to fair market value of investments		3,923		13,365
		15,201		1,557
Change in non-cash working capital components:		ŕ		,
Accounts receivable		(1,760)		2,594
Government remittances		2,354		(1,665)
Inventory		4,107		6,605
Prepaid expenses		(51)		(170)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		2,450		695
Deferred contributions	_	(206)		(8,552)
		22,095		1,064
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITY				
Purchases of investments	_	(9,336)	_	(8,401)
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH		12,759		(7,337)
CASH, beginning of year	_	34,746		42,083
CASH, end of year	<u>\$</u>	47,505	\$	34,746



1. PURPOSE OF ORGANIZATION

The Friends of Presqu'ile Park is an incorporated organization whose purpose is to encourage and support interpretive, educational, scientific, historical, protection and preservation programs related to the natural and historical resources of Presqu'ile Provincial Park. The Friends of Presqu'ile Park is a charitable organization and as such is exempt from income taxes.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

Revenue Recognition

The Corporation follows the deferral method of accounting for contributions. 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 to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

Revenue is recognized at the time goods are shipped or services are supplied to customers. Provision is made for expected collection losses based on the Corporation's past experience.

Contributed Materials and Services

Contributed materials are recorded at the fair market value of the items contributed on the date of contribution. Due to the difficulty in determining the fair value of volunteer services, contributed services are not recognized in the financial statements. The Corporation has recognized contributed materials of \$3,320 during the year (2022 - \$65).

Inventory

The inventory is valued at the lower of cost and net realizable value with cost being determined on a first-in, first-out basis.

Financial Instruments

The Corporation's cash and investments are initially recognized and subsequently measured at fair market value. All other financial instruments are subsequently measured at amortized cost.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Tangible Capital Assets

The Corporation is considered to be a "small organization" for the purposes of the accounting recommendations of the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada applicable to not-for-profit organizations. Accordingly, tangible capital assets are expensed at the time of purchase. Proceeds of disposition are shown as revenue when an item is sold. During the year, the Corporation expensed \$3,078 for equipment acquired (2022 - \$730). The amount expensed in the year includes \$2,299 of donated equipment.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Management makes accounting estimates when recording inventory and accrued liabilities. By their nature, these estimates are subject to measurement uncertainty and the effect on the financial statements for changes in these estimates in future periods could be material.

3. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Credit Risk

The Corporation is exposed to credit risk resulting from the possibility that parties may default on their financial obligations. The Corporation's maximum exposure to credit risk represents the sum of the carrying value of its cash and amounts receivable. The Corporation's cash is on deposit with a chartered bank and as a result management believes the risk of loss to be remote. Management believes that all amounts receivable at year-end will be collected and has not deemed it necessary to establish an allowance for doubtful accounts.

Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Corporation cannot meet its commitments when they become due. The Corporation manages this risk by reviewing future cash flow requirements, anticipating investing and financing activities and holding assets that can be readily converted into cash.

Market Risk

Market risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk is comprised of currency risk, interest rate risk and other price risk.

3. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

Currency Risk

Currency risk refers to the risk that the fair value of instruments or future cash flows associated with the instruments will fluctuate relative to the Canadian dollar due to changes in foreign exchange rates.

Substantially all of the Corporation's transactions are in Canadian dollars and as a result the Corporation is not subject to significant currency risk.

Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk refers to the risk that the fair value of financial instruments or future cash flows associated with the instruments will fluctuate due to changes in market interest rates. At the year-end, the Corporation is not exposed to interest rate risk.

Other Price Risk

Other price risk refers to the risk that the fair value of financial instruments or future cash flows associated with the instruments will fluctuate because of changes in market prices (other than those arising from currency risk or interest rate risk), whether those changes are caused by factors specific to the individual instrument or its issuer or factors affecting all similar instruments traded in the market.

The Corporation is exposed to other price risk on its equity investments.

Change in Risk

There have been no significant changes in the Corporation's risk exposures from the prior year.

4. INVESTMENTS

Investments consist of the following:

	2023		2022			
	Market Value	Cost	Market Value	Cost		
Canadian Equities	\$ 213,020	<u>\$ 174,280</u>	\$ 207,607	\$ 164,944		



5. **DEFERRED CONTRIBUTIONS**

Deferred contributions consist of amounts received from donors which were designated for specific projects. During 2023, changes were as follows:

		2023		2022
25th Anniversary Environmental Fund				
Balance, beginning of year	\$	53,163	\$	53,591
Receipts		2,675		2,354
Recognized as revenue	_	(2,881)	_	(2,782)
Balance, end of year	_	52,957	_	53,163
Marsh Boardwalk Fund				
Balance, beginning of year		-		8,124
Recognized as revenue	_		_	(8,124)
Balance, end of year	_		_	
Total deferred contributions	\$	52,957	\$	53,163

The Organization must use these funds for their designated purposes.

6. NET ASSETS - INTERNALLY RESTRICTED

Internally restricted net assets consist of:

		23 –	2022
25th Anniversary Environmental Fund Contingency Reserve	·	2,000 \$ 0,000	34,000 100,000
	<u>\$ 132</u>	2,000 \$	134,000

Expenses totalling \$2,000 were charged to the 25th Anniversary Environmental Fund during the year.

6. NET ASSETS - INTERNALLY RESTRICTED (continued)

The 25th Anniversary Environmental Fund transactions are as follows:

	2023	2022
Invasive Species - Park Expenses Tern Research Study Birding Program - Seed and Banding Expenses Tree planting	\$ 6,738 3,833 691	\$ 5,344 3,056 145 862
Total Environmental Initiatives	11,262	9,407
Base Contributions Internally Restricted Funds Allocation Fund Income Allocation	(2,881) (2,000) (3,353)	(2,782) (2,000) (3,474)
Total 25th Anniversary Environmental Fund Funding	(8,234)	(8,256)
Net	\$ 3,028	\$ 1,151
GROSS REVENUE		
Gross revenue consists of:		
	2023	2022
Sales Fundraising and programs Other	\$ 42,303 24,425 38,653	\$ 10,222 28,572 29,389
	<u>\$ 105,381</u>	\$ 68,183

8. COMPARATIVE FIGURES

7.

Comparative figures have been reclassified, where applicable, to reflect the presentation adopted in the current year. The changes do not affect prior year earnings.