

**The Corporation of the
Township of Laird
Consolidated Financial Statements
For the year ended December 31, 2020**

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Independent Auditors' Report

To the Mayor and Council of The Corporation of the Township of Laird:

Report on the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Opinion

I have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of The Corporation of the Township of Laird (the Township), which comprise the consolidated balance sheet as at December 31, 2020, and the consolidated statements of operations and accumulated surplus, change in net financial assets and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes, comprising a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

In my opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the consolidated financial position of The Corporation of the Township of Laird as at December 31, 2020, and the consolidated results of its operations, its' consolidated change in net financial assets and its' consolidated cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.

Basis for Opinion

I 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 Consolidated Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Township in accordance with the 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 Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these consolidated financial statements in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Township'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 Township or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so. Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Township's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statement

My objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated 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 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, I exercise

professional judgement and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. I 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.
- Obtaining 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 Township'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 Township's ability to continue as a going concern. If I conclude that a material uncertainty exists, I am required to draw attention in my auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify my opinion. My conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of the auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Township to cease 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.

I also 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.

I also provide those charged with governance with a statement that we have complied with relevant ethical requirements regarding independence, and to communicate with them all relationships and other matters that may reasonably be thought to bear on our independence, and where applicable, related safeguards.



Stefanizzi Professional Corporation
Chartered Professional Accountant, authorized to practice
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Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario
August 26, 2021

The Corporation of the Township of Laird
Consolidated Balance Sheet

As at December 31,	2020	2019
Financial Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents (note 3)	\$ 718,284	\$ 530,581
Taxes receivable	170,860	78,674
Accounts receivable	48,380	48,098
Government remittances recoverable	160,715	250,423
	<u>1,098,239</u>	<u>907,776</u>
Liabilities		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	43,061	22,496
Future employee benefits (note 5)	18,748	18,748
Landfill site closure liability (note 7)	2,402	2,402
	<u>64,212</u>	<u>43,646</u>
Net financial assets	<u>1,034,027</u>	<u>864,130</u>
Non-financial assets		
Tangible capital assets (schedule 1)	<u>5,443,392</u>	<u>5,304,880</u>
Accumulated surplus (note 8)	<u>\$ 6,477,419</u>	<u>\$ 6,169,010</u>

Approved on behalf of council:

_____ Mayor

_____ Clerk - Treasurer

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Consolidated Statement of Operations

Year ended December 31, (with comparative figures for the prior year)

	Budget 2020	Actual 2020	Actual 2019
	(unaudited, see note 10)		
Revenues			
Taxation (note 11)	\$ 1,598,615	\$ 1,597,764	\$ 1,463,049
Federal grants	-	135,729	132,145
Provincial grants	409,029	409,029	957,681
Other municipalities	5,500	13,148	8,535
Fees and user charges	44,695	78,641	99,474
Other Income	119,577	16,872	28,162
	2,177,416	2,251,183	2,689,046
Expenditures			
Current			
General government	401,864	317,353	334,174
Protection	258,704	258,758	259,095
Transportation services	545,024	679,450	760,408
Environmental services	39,500	63,148	39,492
Health Services	40,094	45,754	43,660
Social and family services	452,727	452,727	441,194
Recreation and cultural services	2,932	114,401	99,301
Planning and development	14,289	11,183	16,221
	1,755,134	1,942,774	1,993,545
Annual surplus	422,282	308,409	695,501
Annual surplus beginning of year, as previously stated	6,169,010	6,169,010	5,473,509
Accumulated surplus, end of year	\$ 6,591,292	\$ 6,477,419	\$ 6,169,010

The Corporation of the Township of Laird
Consolidated Statement of Change in Net Assets

Year ended December 31, (with comparative figures for the prior year)

	Budget (Unaudited) 2020	Actual 2020	Actual 2019
Annual surplus	\$ 422,282	\$ 308,409	\$ 695,501
Acquisition of tangible capital assets	-	(412,365)	(390,389)
Amortization of tangible capital assets	-	273,854	288,030
	<u>422,282</u>	<u>169,898</u>	<u>593,142</u>
Net change in net financial assets (debts)	422,282	169,898	593,142
Net financial assets, beginning of year	864,128	864,128	270,986
Net financial assets, end of year	<u>\$ 1,286,410</u>	<u>\$ 1,034,026</u>	<u>\$ 864,128</u>

The Corporation of the Township of Laird
Consolidated Statement of Cash Flow

For the year ended December 31,	2020	2019
Cash provided by (used for):		
Operating		
Increase in accumulated surplus	\$ 308,409	\$ 695,502
Changes in non-cash operating items:		
Decrease in taxes receivable	(92,186)	52,447
(Increase) decrease in accounts receivable	(282)	51,603
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable	20,565	(67,328)
Decrease in Government remittances recoverable	89,709	8,274
	326,215	740,498
Annual depreciation	273,854	288,030
	600,069	1,028,528
Capital transactions:		
Capital additions	(412,369)	(390,384)
Increase (decrease) in cash for the year	187,700	638,144
Cash and cash equivalents (deficiency), beginning of year	530,583	(107,561)
Cash and cash equivalents (deficiency), end of year	\$ 718,283	\$ 530,583

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Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

December 31, 2020

1. Summary of significant accounting policies

Basis of consolidation

The consolidated financial statements of The Corporation of the Township of Laird are the representation of management prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting standards for local governments as recommended by the Public Sector Accounting Board (PSAB) of the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada. Since precise determination of many assets and liabilities is dependent upon future events, the preparation of periodic financial statements necessarily involves the use of estimates and approximations.

The focus of these PSAB financial statements is on the financial position of the municipality and the changes thereto. The Consolidated Balance Sheet reports financial and non-financial assets and liabilities of the Municipality. Financial assets are those assets which could provide resources to discharge existing liabilities or finance future operations. Municipal position represents the financial position and is the difference between assets and liabilities. This provides information about the municipality's overall future revenue requirements and its ability to finance activities and meet its obligations.

Consolidated entities

These consolidated statements reflect the assets, liabilities, sources of financing and expenditures of the revenue fund, capital fund, reserve funds and reserves and include the activities of all committees of the Council.

All interfund assets and liabilities and sources of financing and expenditures have been eliminated.

Non-consolidated entities

The following local boards, joint local boards and municipal enterprises are not consolidated:

Algoma District Services Administration Board
Algoma Public Health
Algoma District Homes for the Aged

Revenue recognition

Revenues and expenditures are reported on the accrual basis of accounting. Expenditures are recognized in the period the goods or services are acquired and a legal liability is incurred or transfers are due. Revenues are recognized as follows.

- a) Tax revenue is recognized in the calendar year to which the tax assessment applies and the assessment is known.
- b) Fines and donations are recognized when collected.

Deferred revenue

Revenue restricted by legislation, regulation or agreement and not available for general municipal purposes is reported as deferred revenue on the consolidated balance sheet. The revenue is reported on the consolidated statement of financial activities in the year in which it is used for the specified purpose.

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Reserves and reserve funds

Certain amounts, as approved by council, are set aside in reserves and reserve funds for future operating and capital purposes. Transfers to and/or from reserves and reserve funds are an adjustment to the respective fund when approved.

Government transfers

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

Contributed goods and services

Goods and services contributed to the Township are recorded at their fair market value at the time of their occurrence.

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include bank deposits and short-term GICs that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and that are subject to an insignificant risk of change in value. These cash equivalents generally have a maturity of three months or less at acquisition and are held for the purpose of meeting short-term cash commitments rather than for investing.

Use of estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Estimates include allowance for doubtful accounts, inventory obsolescence, environmental liabilities, useful life of assets, and accruals. Actual results could differ from management's best estimates as additional information becomes available in the future.

Accounting for school board transactions

The taxation, other revenues, expenditures, assets and liabilities with respect to the operations of the school boards are not reflected in the municipal fund balances of these consolidated financial statements. As a result of the province wide reform of the tax system overlevies (underlevies) are reported on the consolidated balance sheet as current liabilities or current assets.

Trust funds

Trust funds and their related operations administered by the Municipality are not consolidated, but are reported separately on the Trust Funds Statement of Continuity and Balance Sheet.

Basis of accounting

The accrual basis of accounting recognizes revenues as they become available and measurable; expenditures are recognized as they are incurred and measurable as a result of receipt of goods or services and the creation of a legal obligation to pay.

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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 ordinary course of operations. The change in non-financial assets during the year, together with the excess of revenue over expenses, provides the change in net financial assets for the year.

(a) Capital assets

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

	Useful Life - Years
Buildings	40
Roads	10 - 50
Sidewalks	30
Bridge structure	30
Water infrastructure	50
Sewer infrastructure	50
Fleet	8-20

In the year of acquisition, capital assets are amortized at one-half the above rates.

(b) Contribution of tangible capital assets

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

(c) Interest capitalization

Interest is capitalized whenever external debt is issued to finance the construction of tangible capital assets.

(d) Leases

Leases are classified as capital or operating leases. Leases which transfer substantially all of the benefits and risks incidental to ownership of property are accounted for as capital leases. All other leases are accounted for as operating leases and the related lease payments are charged to expenses as incurred.

Amounts to be recovered

Amounts to be recovered are reported in the municipal position on the consolidated balance sheet. The balance represents future expenditures not yet levied on the ratepayers.

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Budget figures

Budget figures have been reclassified for the purposes of these financial statements to comply with PSAB reporting requirements. The approved operating budget and capital budgets are reflected on the Consolidated Statement of Operations and are unaudited. The budgets established for capital investment in tangible capital assets are on a project-oriented basis, the costs of which may be carried out over one or more years and, therefore, may not be comparable with current year's actual expenditure amounts. As well, the Town does not budget activity within Reserves and Reserve Funds, with the exception being those transactions, which affect either operations or capital investments.

Future Employee Benefits

The Municipality participates in a pension plan for employees. The Municipality is an employer member of the Ontario Municipal Employees Retirement System (OMERS), which is a multi-employer, defined benefit pension plan. The Board of Trustees, representing plan members and employers, is responsible for overseeing the management of the pension plan, including investment of the assets and administration of benefits. The Municipality has adopted defined contribution plan accounting principles for this plan because insufficient information is available to apply defined benefit plan accounting principles. The Municipality records as pension expense the current service cost, amortization of past service costs and interest costs related to the future employer contributions to the plan for past employee service, where applicable.

2. Financial instruments

The Township's financial instruments consist of cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, accounts payable and accrued liabilities, landfill site closure liability, deferred revenue and municipal long-term debt. Unless otherwise noted, it is management's opinion that the Township is not exposed to significant interest, currency or credit risks arising from these financial instruments. The fair value of these financial instruments approximate their carrying value.

3. Cash and cash equivalents (deficiency)

	2020	2019
Unrestricted cash	\$ 610,883	\$ 161,124
Temporary investments	107,401	369,457
	<u>\$ 718,284</u>	<u>\$ 530,581</u>

Interest rates on the temporary investments range between 0.35% and 2.20%

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4. **Bank indebtedness**

The bank indebtedness includes an authorized overdraft limit of \$100,000 at a rate of bank prime plus 0.5% per annum. The overdraft is secured by a pledge agreement covering taxes receivable of the Township.

5. **Future employee benefits**

The Township entered into a contractual agreement on October 3, 2007 with its' full-time employees in the Administration and Road Department. The agreement calls for the retention of sick leave credits built up by any full-time employees hired prior to July 1, 2001. The liability is estimated and is based upon the hourly rate of pay for the individual as of the end of each year, as part of amounts to be recovered from future years taxation.

6. **Deferred revenue**

A requirement of the public sector accounting principles of the Canadian Institute of Chartered Professional Accountants is that obligatory reserve funds be reported as deferred revenue. This requirement is in place as a provincial and municipal legislation restricts how these funds may be used. The balances in the obligatory reserve funds of the Township are NIL for the past two years.

7. **Landfill site closure liability**

Effective January 1, 2001 the Township adopted accounting recommendations of the Public Sector Accounting Board of the Canadian Institute of Chartered Professional Accountants with respect to landfill site closing and post-closing costs. As a result, the consolidated balance sheet now reflects a liability for anticipated future costs related to the closing and monitoring of the existing landfill site. The waste site closure and post closure cost liability has been estimated at \$2,402. This liability represents the estimated total expenditures required for closure and post closure care. This estimated liability was generated from external consultants who have experience with landfill construction and closure work. For purposes of the above calculation, the landfill has an estimated remaining life of 32 years. Once closed, this landfill site will be monitored for an estimated period of 25 years. A discount rate has been used that is equal to the rate available to the government long term borrowing rate. As at December 31, 2020, the landfill closure and post closure costs have not been fully financed and are reflected in the amounts to be recovered.

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8. Accumulated surplus

The accumulated surplus is comprised of the following:

	2020	2019
Fund balances set aside for specific purposes by Council		
- to be applied to the operation of local boards	\$ 65,176	\$ 50,441
Reserves set aside for specific purposes by Council:		
- for general and administrative use	155,836	415,733
- land acquisition	21,424	21,003
- Administration	212,909	7,194
- Church	1,603	1,571
- Heritage	8,241	139,019
- Policing general	26,415	25,896
- WDS closing	155,069	77,773
- MNR	82,393	106,139
- NSAS	990	970
- SAH MMH	2,575	2,524
- Fire department capital	38,220	37,468
- Cannabis	15,019	-
- COVID-19 relief	32,306	-
- Modernization	79,903	-
- Road equipment	157,550	-
	990,453	835,290
Total operating, reserves and reserve funds	1,055,629	885,731
Invested in tangible capital assets	5,443,392	5,304,881
Funds to be provided from future revenues (note 9)	(21,602)	(21,602)
Accumulated surplus	\$ 6,477,419	\$ 6,169,010

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9. Amounts to be recovered

The total balance of amounts to be recovered of \$21,602 (2019 - \$21,602) is comprised of the following:

	2020	2019
Municipal debt:		
Landfill site closure liability	\$ 2,402	\$ 2,402
Sick leave benefits	19,200	19,200
	\$ 21,602	\$ 21,602

10. Budget reconciliation

The authority of Council is required before monies can be spent by the Township. Approvals are given in the form of an annually approved budget. The budget approved by Council differs from the budget in the Consolidated Statement of Operations as a result of numerous factors and material changes due to PSAB reporting requirements.

	(Unaudited)	
	Revenue	Expenses
Council approved budget		
Operating fund	\$ 2,177,416	\$ 1,755,134
Reserves and reserve funds	-	422,282
	2,177,416	2,177,416
Capital budget	-	-
Total approved by council	2,177,416	2,177,416
Less tangible capital assets capitalized	-	-
Budget per consolidated statement of operations	\$ 2,177,416	\$ 2,177,416

11. Taxation

	2020	2019
Taxation revenue	\$ 1,819,374	\$ 1,685,404
Less: Amount levied and remitted to school boards	221,610	222,355
	\$ 1,597,764	\$ 1,463,049

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12. Expenditures by object

	2020	2019
Salaries, wages and employee benefits	\$ 528,788	\$ 506,177
Materials	540,675	616,359
Amortization	273,853	288,035
Contracted and general services	599,458	582,974
	\$ 1,942,774	\$ 1,993,545

13. Pension agreements

OMERS provides pension services to municipal employees in Ontario. Each year an independent actuary determines the funding status of OMERS Primary Pension Plan (the plan) by comparing the actuarial value of invested assets to the estimated present value of all pension benefits that members have earned to date. Because OMERS is a multi-employer plan, any pension plan surplus or deficit are a joint responsibility of Ontario municipal organizations and their employees. As a result, the Municipality does not recognize any share of the OMERS pension surplus or deficit. The Municipality contributes to OMERS on behalf of its employees.

Contributions made in 2020 were in the amount of \$20,909 (2019 - \$25,487).

14. Public Sector Salary Disclosure Act

No employee was paid an annual salary of \$100,000 or more as defined by the Public Sector Salary Disclosure Act, 1996.

15. Contributions to unconsolidated joint boards

The following contributions were made by the Township to these boards:

	2020	2019
Algoma District Service Administration Board	\$ 450,727	\$ 439,194
Algoma Public Health	38,094	35,391
Algoma District Homes for the Aged	2,000	-
	\$ 490,821	\$ 474,585

The Town is contingently liable for its share of any accumulated deficits of the above boards as well as long term liabilities issued by other Municipalities for these boards.

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16. Trust funds

Trust funds administrated by the Township amounting to \$32,873 (2019 - \$31,700) have not been included in the "Consolidated Balance Sheet" nor have their operations been included in the "Consolidated Statement of Financial Activities".

17. Segmented information

The municipality is a diversified local government institution that provides a wide range of services to its citizens. For management reporting purposes, municipal operations and activities are organized and reported by Fund. Funds were created for the purpose of recording specific activities to attain certain objectives in accordance with special regulations, restrictions or limitations.

Municipal services are provided by departments and their activities are reported in these funds. Certain departments that have been separately disclosed in the segmented information, along with the services they provide, are as follows:

General government

The administration department oversees the delivery of all government services. The department is responsible for ensuring that there are adequate policies and procedures in place to safeguard assets and to properly report financial activities. In addition, this department includes the governance activities of council.

Protection

Protection is comprised of the police, fire/emergency, by-law enforcement and building inspections departments. The mandate of the police is to ensure the safety of the lives and property of citizens; preserve peace and good order; prevent crimes from occurring; detect offenders; and enforce the law. The fire/emergency department is responsible to provide fire suppression service; fire prevention programs; training and education related to prevention, detection or extinguishments of fires. The by-law enforcement and building inspection department ensures properties are in compliance with applicable legislation, by-laws, building standards and construction codes.

Transportation

The transportation department is responsible for the delivery of municipal public works services related to the planning, development and maintenance of roadway systems, winter control and street lighting.

Environmental

The environmental department provides garbage collection and waste minimization programs and facilities for solid waste disposal.

Health

Through the Algoma Health Unit, the municipality contributes to public health services and education and through the Algoma District Services Administration Board, to ambulance services. In addition, this department oversees the care and maintenance of municipal cemeteries.

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17. **Segmented information continued**

Social and family

Through the Algoma District Services Administration Board, the municipality contributes to social assistance payments, child care services and social housing.

Recreation and cultural

The recreation and cultural department provides public services that contribute to neighbourhood development and sustainability through the provision of recreation and leisure services such as parks, arena, fitness and sports programs. It provides public services that contribute to healthy communities through partnerships, promotion, prevention, protection and enforcement. The department also contributes towards the information needs of the municipality's citizens through the provision of library services.

Planning

The planning department provides a diverse bundle of services. It manages development for business interests, environmental concerns, heritage matters and neighbourhoods through planning and community development activities. It facilitates economic development by providing services for the approval of all land development plans.

For each reported segment, revenues and expenses include both amounts that are directly attributable to the segment and amounts that are allocated on a reasonable basis. Therefore, certain allocation methodologies are employed in the preparation of segmented financial information.

The Corporation of the Township of Laird
Schedule of Tangible Capital Assets

Schedule 1

Year ended December 31, 2020

	Cost				Accumulated Amortization				2020	2019
	2020 Opening Balance	Additions and Betterments	Disposals/ Transfers	2020 Closing Balance	2020 Opening Balance	2020 Amortization Expense	Accumulated Amortization on Disposals	2020 Ending Balance	Net Book Value	Net Book Value
Land	\$ 123,159	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 123,159	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 123,159	\$ 123,159
Land improvements	9,830	-	-	9,830	9,830	-	-	9,830	-	-
Buildings	759,406	-	-	759,406	337,112	13,682	-	350,794	408,612	422,294
Roads	6,768,380	180,877	-	6,949,257	4,770,160	133,320	-	4,903,480	2,045,777	1,998,220
Equipment	53,067	153,097	-	206,164	30,066	19,555	-	49,621	156,543	23,001
Bridge structure	2,624,083	32,767	-	2,656,850	355,912	74,638	-	430,550	2,226,300	2,268,171
Automotive	1,029,356	45,624	-	1,074,980	571,120	32,659	-	603,779	471,201	458,236
Waste management land	11,800	-	-	11,800	-	-	-	-	11,800	11,800
	\$11,379,081	\$ 412,365	\$ -	\$11,791,446	\$ 6,074,200	\$ 273,854	\$ -	\$ 6,348,054	\$ 5,443,392	\$ 5,304,881

The Corporation of the Township of Laird
Segment Disclosures - Service Bundle

Schedule 2

Year ended December 31, 2020

	General Government	Protection services	Transportation services	Environmental services	Health services	Social and family services	Recreation and cultural services	Planning and development	Total
Expenditures									
Salaries and wages	\$ 217,893	\$ 22,391	\$ 174,039	\$ -	\$ 5,660	\$ -	\$ 108,805	\$ -	\$ 528,788
Materials, good and supplies	46,832	235,388	247,271	-	-	-	-	11,184	540,675
Contracted & general services	47,118	-	-	59,519	40,094	452,727	-	-	599,458
Amortization expenses	5,508	979	258,140	3,629	-	-	5,597	-	273,853
Allocations	(244,247)	38,883	102,099	9,489	6,876	68,030	17,191	1,679	-
	73,104	297,641	781,549	72,637	52,630	520,757	131,593	12,863	1,942,774
Revenues									
Taxation	60,122	244,784	642,757	59,738	43,284	428,278	108,223	10,579	1,597,765
User charges	2,959	12,048	31,636	2,940	2,130	21,079	5,327	521	78,640
External non-tax revenues	21,628	88,058	231,225	21,490	15,570	154,068	38,932	3,806	574,777
	84,709	344,890	905,618	84,168	60,984	603,425	152,482	14,906	2,251,182
Annual Surplus	\$ 11,605	\$ 47,249	\$ 124,069	\$ 11,531	\$ 8,354	\$ 82,668	\$ 20,889	\$ 2,043	\$ 308,408

The Corporation of the Township of Laird
Segment Disclosures - Service Bundle

Schedule 3

Year ended December 31, 2019

	General Government	Protection services	Transportation services	Environmental services	Health services	Social and family services	Recreation and cultural services	Planning and development	Total
Expenditures									
Salaries and wages	\$ 206,393	\$ 23,658	\$ 181,751	\$ -	\$ 6,269	\$ -	\$ 86,978	\$ 1,128	\$ 506,177
Materials, good and supplies	55,365	234,242	311,657	-	-	-	-	15,095	616,359
Contracted & general services	67,297	22	-	37,070	37,391	441,194	-	-	582,974
Amortization expenses	5,120	1,173	266,999	2,419	-	-	12,324	-	288,035
Allocations	(147,825)	22,626	65,807	3,760	3,720	40,803	10,474	635	-
	186,350	281,721	826,214	43,249	47,380	481,997	109,776	16,858	1,993,545
Revenues									
Taxation	136,761	206,753	606,353	31,740	34,772	353,734	80,564	12,372	1,463,049
User charges	9,299	14,057	41,226	2,158	2,364	24,051	5,478	840	99,473
External non-tax revenues	105,304	159,196	466,881	24,439	26,774	272,369	62,033	9,526	1,126,522
	251,364	380,006	1,114,460	58,337	63,910	650,154	148,075	22,738	2,689,044
Annual Surplus	\$ 65,014	\$ 98,285	\$ 288,246	\$ 15,088	\$ 16,530	\$ 168,157	\$ 38,299	\$ 5,880	\$ 695,499

Independent Auditors' Report

To the Mayor and Council of The Corporation of the Township of Laird:

Report on the consolidated Financial Statements

I have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of the Trust Funds of The Corporation of the Township of Laird, which comprise the balance sheet as at December 31, 2020 and the statement of continuity of trust funds for the year then ended.

Management's Responsibility for the consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these consolidated financial statements in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

My responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on my audit. I conducted my audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that I comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements 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 entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

Opinion

In my opinion, the consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the balance sheet of the Trust Funds of The Corporation of the Township of Laird as at December 31, 2020 and the results of its activities for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.



Stefanizzi Professional Corporation
Chartered Professional Accountant, authorized to practice
public accounting by Chartered Professional Accountants of Ontario
Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario
August 26, 2021

The Corporation of the Township of Laird
Trust Funds
Balance Sheet

As at December 31,

	Actual 2020	Actual 2019
Assets		
Cash	\$ 7,375	\$ 7,048
Term deposits	25,498	24,652
	<hr/> 32,873	<hr/> 31,700
Fund Balance	\$ 32,873	\$ 31,700

The Corporation of the Township of Laird
Trust Funds
Statement of Continuity

Year ended December 31, (with comparative figures for the prior year)

	Actual 2020	Actual 2019
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 31,700	\$ 31,894
Revenues		
Miscellaneous	1,173	(194)
Balance, end of year	\$ 32,873	\$ 31,700

The Corporation of the Township of Laird
Trust Funds
Notes to Trust Funds Auditors' Report

December 31, 2020

1. Summary of significant accounting policies

Management responsibility

The consolidated financial statements of The Corporation of the Township of Laird Trust Funds are the representation of management prepared in accordance with local government accounting standards established by the Public Sector Accounting and Auditing Board of the Canadian Institute of Chartered Professional Accountants. Since precise determination of many assets and liabilities is dependent upon future events, the preparation of periodic financial statements necessarily involves the use of estimates and approximations.

Basis of accounting

Revenue and expenditures are reported on the accrual basis of accounting. The accrual basis of accounting recognizes revenues as they become available and measurable; expenditures are recognized as they are incurred and measurable as a result of receipt of goods or services and the creation of a legal obligation to pay.

Independent Auditors' Report

To the Mayor and Council of The Corporation of the Township of Laird:

Report on the consolidated Financial Statements

I have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of the Laird Township Cemetery Board as at December 31, 2020 which comprise the statement of financial activities and fund balances for the year then ended.

Management's Responsibility for the consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these consolidated financial statements in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

My responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on my audit. I conducted my audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that I comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated financial statements 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 entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the consolidated financial statements.

I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

Opinion

In my opinion, the consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial activities of the Laird Township Cemetery Board as at December 31, 2020 and the results of its operations and fund balances for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.



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August 26, 2021

The Laird Township Cemetery Board
Balance Sheet

As at December 31,	2020	2019
Assets		
Cash	\$ 26,167	\$ 25,690
Capital asset - Land and fence	18,644	18,644
	\$ 44,811	\$ 44,334
Liabilities and Fund Balances		
Fund Balance		
General operating surplus	\$ 26,167	\$ 25,690
Capital surplus	18,644	18,644
	\$ 44,811	\$ 44,334

The Laird Township Cemetery Board
Statement of Financial Activities and Fund Balances

Year ended December 31, (with comparative figures for the prior year)

	2020	2019
Revenues		
Municipal contribution	\$ 8,000	\$ 9,000
Sale of plots, markers and burial fees	760	1,323
Interest income	2	3
	8,762	10,326
Expenditures		
Maintenance	6,001	6,755
Other	2,284	2,531
	8,285	9,286
Net revenues for the year	477	1,040
Fund Balance, beginning of year	25,690	24,650
Fund Balance, end of year	\$ 26,167	\$ 25,690

The Laird Township Cemetery Board

Notes to Cemetery Board Auditors' Report

December 31, 2020

1. Summary of significant accounting policies

Management responsibility

The financial statements of The Laird Township Cemetery Board are the representation of management prepared in accordance with local government accounting standards established by the Public Sector Accounting and Auditing Board of the Canadian Institute of Chartered Professional Accountants. Since precise determination of many assets and liabilities is dependent upon future events, the preparation of periodic financial statements necessarily involves the use of estimates and approximations.

Basis of consolidation

These statements reflect the assets, liabilities, sources of financing and expenditures of the revenue fund and capital fund. All interfund assets and liabilities and sources of financing and expenditures have been eliminated.

Basis of accounting

Sources of financing and expenditures are reported on the accrual basis of accounting. The accrual basis of accounting recognizes revenues as they become available and measurable; expenditures are recognized as they are incurred and measurable as a result of receipt of goods or services and the creation of a legal obligation to pay. The historical cost and accumulated amortization for capital assets are not recorded for municipal purposes. Capital assets are reported as an expenditure on the statement of financial activities and fund balances in the year of acquisition.

Fund balance

The fund balance represents the accumulated excess of revenue over expenditures. The amount forms a portion of the Township's fund balance and is to be used to offset charges in the future.