CANADIAN HARD OF HEARING ASSOCIATION - NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR INC. Financial Statements Year Ended March 31, 2023

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Fred Earle

Chartered Professional Accountant

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members of CANADIAN HARD OF HEARING ASSOCIATION - NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR INC.

Qualified Opinion

I have audited the financial statements of CANADIAN HARD OF HEARING ASSOCIATION - NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR INC. (the Association), which comprise the statement of financial position as at March 31, 2023, and the statements of revenues and expenses, changes in net assets and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In my opinion, except for the possible effects of the matter described in the *Basis for Qualified Opinion* section of my report, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Association as at March 31, 2023, and the results of its operations and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations (ASNPO).

Basis for Qualified Opinion

In common with many not-for-profit organizations, the Association derives revenue from donation and fundraising activities, the completeness of which is not susceptible to satisfactory audit verification. Accordingly, verification of these revenues was limited to the amounts recorded in the records of the Association. Therefore, I was not able to determine whether any adjustments might be necessary to donation and fundraising revenue, excess of revenues over expenses, and cash flows from operations for the year ended March 31, 2023, current assets and net assets as at March 31, 2023. My audit opinion on the financial statements for the year ended March 31, 2022 was modified accordingly because of the possible effects of this limitation of scope.

I conducted my audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. My responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of my report. I am independent of the Association in accordance with ethical requirements that are relevant to my audit of the financial statements in Canada, and I have fulfilled my other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. I believe that the audit evidence I have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my qualified audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with ASNPO, 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.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Association'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 Association or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

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Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of CANADIAN HARD OF HEARING ASSOCIATION - NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR INC. (continued)

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Association's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

My objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes my 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 a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, I exercise professional judgment 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 my opinion. The risk of not detecting
 a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may
 involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal
 control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures
 that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the
 effectiveness of the Association'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 Association'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 my auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Association to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

I 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 I identify during my audit.

St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador September 13, 2023

CHARTERED PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTANT

CANADIAN HARD OF HEARING ASSOCIATION - NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR INC. Statement of Financial Position March 31, 2023

		2023	 2022
ASSETS			
CURRENT Cash Term deposits Accounts receivable (Note 4) Inventory Prepaid expenses Deposit on land Deferred expenses	\$	244,521 324,656 74,656 12,197 13,339	\$ 700,276 245,395 109,200 8,017 13,496 100,000 143,018
		669,369	1,319,402
CAPITAL ASSETS (Note 3)		481,869	481,588
LONG TERM INVESTMENTS		*	 340,345
	. \$	1,151,238	\$ 2,141,335
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS			
CURRENT Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Current portion of long term debt (Note 6) Deferred revenue	\$	23,075 45,531 -	\$ 57,511 6,337 357,662
		68,606	421,510
LONG TERM DEBT (Note 6)	****	27,412	 72,811
		96,018	494,321
NET ASSETS	V eganitati	1,055,220	1,647,014
	\$	1,151,238	\$ 2,141,335

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

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Director

The notes are an integral part of these financial statements

CANADIAN HARD OF HEARING ASSOCIATION - NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR INC. Statement of Revenues and Expenses

		2023	 2022
REVENUES			
Administration (Schedule 1)	\$	41,363	\$ 100,651
Fundraising (Schedule 2)		3,397,998	2,943,078
Programs & Services (Schedule 3)		42,327	 108,788
		3,481,688	 3,152,517
EXPENSES			
Administration (Schedule 1)		399,759	401,581
Fundraising (Schedule 2)		3,337,573	2,002,024
Programs & Services (Schedule 3)	-	336,150	333,910
		4,073,482	 2,737,515
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES	\$	(591,794)	\$ 415,002

CANADIAN HARD OF HEARING ASSOCIATION - NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR INC. Statement of Changes in Net Assets Year Ended March 31, 2023

	2023	2022
NET ASSETS - BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$ 1,647,014 \$	1,232,012
EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES	(591,794)	415,002
NET ASSETS - END OF YEAR	\$ 1,055,220 \$	1,647,014

CANADIAN HARD OF HEARING ASSOCIATION - NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR INC. Statement of Cash Flows Year Ended March 31, 2023

		2023	2022
OPERATING ACTIVITIES Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenses	\$	(591,794)	\$ 415,002
Item not affecting cash: Amortization of capital assets		33,310	 32,086
		(558,484)	 447,088
Changes in non-cash working capital: Accounts receivable Inventory Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		34,544 (4,180) (34,434)	60,060 (8,017) (2,614)
Deferred revenue Prepaid expenses Deposit on land Deferred expenses		(357,662) 157 100,000 143,018	357,662 (1,713) - (143,018)
		(118,557)	 262,360
Cash flow from (used by) operating activities	Server	(677,041)	 709,448
INVESTING ACTIVITY Purchase of capital assets		(33,592)	 (14,229)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES Change in long-term investments Repayment of long term debt Forgivable portion of Canada Emergency Business Account (CEBA)		340,345 (6,206)	 (56,449) (3,372) (20,000)
Cash flow from (used by) financing activities		334,139	 (79,821)
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH FLOW		(376,494)	615,398
Cash - beginning of year		945,671	330,273
CASH - END OF YEAR	\$	569,177	\$ 945,671
CASH CONSISTS OF: Cash Term deposits	\$	244,521 324,656	\$ 700,276 245,395
	\$	569,177	\$ 945,671

CANADIAN HARD OF HEARING ASSOCIATION - NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR INC. Notes to Financial Statements

Year Ended March 31, 2023

PURPOSE OF THE ASSOCIATION

CANADIAN HARD OF HEARING ASSOCIATION - NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR INC. (the Association) is a not-for-profit organization incorporated provincially under the Corporations Act of Newfoundland and Labrador on March 9, 1984. As a registered charity the Association is exempt from the payment of income tax under Subsection 149(1) of the Income Tax Act.

The Association operates to provide advocacy, awareness, and accessibility programs for the hard of hearing and late deafened people of all ages and their families in Newfoundland and Labrador.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of presentation

The financial statements were prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations (ASNPO).

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash is defined as cash on hand, cash on deposit, and short-term deposits with maturity dates of less than 90 days, net of cheques issued and outstanding at the reporting dates.

Capital assets

Capital assets are stated at cost or deemed cost less accumulated amortization and are amortized over their estimated useful lives on a declining balance basis at the following rates and methods:

Building	4%	declining balance method
Computer equipment		declining balance method
Computer software		declining balance method
Furniture and equipment		declining balance method
Land		non-depreciable
Listening equipment	20%	declining balance method
Parking areas		declining balance method
Signage	20%	declining balance method

The Association regularly reviews its capital assets to eliminate obsolete items. Government grants are treated as a reduction of capital assets cost.

Capital assets acquired during the year but not placed into use are not amortized until they are placed into use.

Contributed services

The operations of the Association depend on both the contribution of time by volunteers and donated materials from various sources. The fair value of donated materials and services cannot be reasonably determined and are therefore not reflected in these financial statements.

Financial instruments

Financial instruments are recorded at fair value when acquired or issued. In subsequent periods, financial assets with actively traded markets are reported at fair value, with any unrealized gains and losses reported in income. All other financial instruments are reported at amortized cost, and tested for impairment at each reporting date. Transaction costs on the acquisition, sale, or issue of financial instruments are expensed when incurred.

Inventory

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

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CANADIAN HARD OF HEARING ASSOCIATION - NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR INC.

Notes to Financial Statements Year Ended March 31, 2023

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Measurement uncertainty

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 amount of assets and liabilities, disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the period. Such estimates, including the estimated useful lives of capital assets and provision for prepaid expenses, are periodically reviewed and any adjustments necessary are reported in earnings in the period in which they become known. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

Revenue recognition

The Association 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.
 Endowment contributions are recognized as direct increases in net assets.
- Restricted investment income is recognized as revenue in the year in which the related expenses are incurred. Unrestricted investment income is recognized as revenue when earned.
- Revenue from sales is recognized as the income is earned, specifically when the item is
 delivered to a customer, the amount to be collected can be reasonably determined and collection
 is reasonably assured

3. CAPITAL ASSETS

	_	Cost	 cumulated nortization	N	2023 et book value	2022 Net book value
Building Computer equipment Computer software Furniture and equipment Land Listening equipment Parking areas Signage	\$	679,926 58,441 28,031 205,526 50,000 62,807 14,830 33,330	\$ 333,467 55,165 2,803 178,320 - 45,284 10,014 25,969	\$	346,459 3,276 25,228 27,206 50,000 17,523 4,816 7,361	\$ 360,895 5,031 - 30,706 50,000 20,520 5,235 9,201
	<u>\$</u>	1,132,891	\$ 651,022	\$	481,869	\$ 481,588

4. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Accounts receivable consist of the following:

	 2023	 2022
Harmonized Sales Tax receivable	\$ 74,656	\$ 109,200

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CANADIAN HARD OF HEARING ASSOCIATION - NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR INC. Notes to Financial Statements

Year Ended March 31, 2023

BANK INDEBTEDNESS

The Association has a credit facility with Newfoundland and Labrador Credit Union Ltd which includes an approved operating line of credit that can be drawn upon to a maximum of \$700,000 and bears interest at prime plus 1%. The line of credit is secured by real property with a carrying value of \$396,460 (2022 - \$410,895) and specified term deposits. At March 31, 2022, the amount owing which is due on demand was \$214 (2022 - \$85).

6.	LONG TERM DEBT		
		 2023	 2022
	Metro Business Opportunities Corporation - Social Enterprise unsecured loan bearing interest at prime, repayable in monthly blended payments of \$523.	\$ 32,943	\$ 39,148
	Canada Emergency Business Account (CEBA) interest-free loan until December 31, 2023, net of \$20,000 forgivable portion recognized as income in the prior year. If not repaid by December 31, 2023, the loan is converted to a two-year term loan at an interest rate of 5% per annum, with interest-only payments required until the principal balance is due on or		
	before December 31, 2025.	40,000	 40,000
		72,943	79,148
	Amounts payable within one year	 (45,531)	 (6,337)
		\$ 27,412	\$ 72,811
	Principal repayment terms are approximately:		
	2024 2025 2026 2027 2028 Thereafter	\$ 45,531 5,668 5,809 5,953 6,100 3,882	
		\$ 72,943	

7. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

As part of its regular operations, the Association carries a number of financial instruments. The following analysis provides information about the Association's risk exposure and concentration as of March 31, 2022.

Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that an entity will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities. The Association is exposed to this risk mainly in respect of its receipt of funds from its fundraising activities and other related sources, long-term debt, obligations under capital leases, contributions to the pension plan, and accounts payable.

Interest rate risk

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CANADIAN HARD OF HEARING ASSOCIATION - NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR INC. Notes to Financial Statements Year Ended March 31, 2023

7. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

Interest rate risk is the risk that the value of a financial instrument might be adversely affected by a change in the interest rates. In seeking to minimize the risks from interest rate fluctuations, the Association manages exposure through its normal operating and financing activities. The Association is exposed to interest rate risk primarily through its floating interest rate bank indebtedness and credit facilities.

Unless otherwise noted, it is management's opinion that the Association is not exposed to significant other price risks arising from these financial instruments.

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CANADIAN HARD OF HEARING ASSOCIATION - NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR INC.

Administration

(Schedule 1)

		2023		2022
REVENUES				
Government assistance	\$	27,504	\$	42,410
Donations	•	7,130	•	8,997
Interest		6,729		6,956
Canada Emergency Business Account (CEBA) Ioan forgiveness		-		20,000
Canada Emergency Wage Subsidy (CEWS)		-		22,288
	-	41,363		100,651
EXPENSES				
Salaries and wages		169,157		176,692
Repairs and maintenance		46,168		42,610
Office and other		43,627		39,665
Professional fees		39,328		37,987
Amortization		33,310		32,086
Insurance		19,880		14,423
Memberships, licenses, and fees		11,665		12,870
Telephone		8,521		7,268
Utilities		8,051		7,599
Interest and bank charges		6,734		3,598
Property taxes		6,668		14,095
Travel and accommodations		2,712		-
Donations, scholarships, and bursaries		2,000		11,437
Advertising and promotion		1,468		-
Consulting fees		470		-
Captioning fees		-		1,251
		399,759		401,581
EFICIENCY OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES	\$	(358,396)	\$	(300,930)

CANADIAN HARD OF HEARING ASSOCIATION - NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR INC. (Schedule 2)

Fundraising

	2023	2022
REVENUES		
Ultimate Dream Home Lottery	\$ 1,445,803	\$ 1,656,725
Ultimate Dream Home Lottery - 50/50	928,435	1,037,035
Million Dollar Lottery	902,867	-
Lottery management systems	120,518	134,620
Interest	375	-
Canada Emergency Wage Subsidy (CEWS)	-	43,488
Spring Lottery - 50/50		71,210
	3,397,998_	2,943,078
EXPENSES		
Million Dollar Lottery - prizes	1,075,000	-
Ultimate Dream Home - prizes	738,023	729,694
Ultimate Dream Home - 50/50	464,218	554,123
Advertising and promotion	381,238	177,659
Salaries and wages	238,732	215,388
Interest and bank charges	123,731	91,218
Consulting fees	107,178	55,363
IT and website	74,692	58,977
Telephone	52,138	39,955
Printing costs	35,932	24,427
Memberships, licenses, and fees	24,249	25,051
Office and other	13,686	12,513
Travel and accommodations	7,685	7,235
Professional fees	633	•
Courier and postage	330	8,613
Repairs and maintenance	108	62
Professional development		1,746
	3,337,573	2,002,024
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES	\$ 60,425	\$ 941,054

CANADIAN HARD OF HEARING ASSOCIATION - NEWFOUNDLAND AND LABRADOR INC. Programs & Services (Schedule 3)

		2023		2022
REVENUES				
Program sales	\$	26,817	\$	40,590
Projects and grants		10,825	•	14,118
Other wage subsidies		4,250		9,505
Donations		435		-
Canada Emergency Wage Subsidy (CEWS)	·	-		44,575
		42,327		108,788
EXPENSES				
Salaries and wages		271,528		255,035
Devices and services		19,469		28,501
Advertising and promotion		14,007		20,892
Office and other		12,569		12,811
Donations, scholarships, and bursaries		5,000		1,041
Telephone		3,148		364
IT and website		2,834		6,298
Professional development		2,445		3,209
Interest and bank charges		2,242		889
Courier and postage		1,967		2,834
Consulting fees		484		1,200
Speaker fees		457		781
Repairs and maintenance	·	-		55
		336,150		333,910
EFICIENCY OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES	\$	(293,823)	\$	(225,122)