VILLAGE OF DELIA	
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS	
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012	
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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

#### To the Members of Council:

Report on the Consolidated Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of the Village of Delia, which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2012 and the statement of operations, change in net financial assets (debt) and cash flows for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

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

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian auditing standards. Those standards require that we 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 judgment, 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.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Village of Delia as at December 31, 2012, the results of its operations, change in its net financial assets (debt) and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.

HANNA, ALBERTA **APRIL 8, 2013** 

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# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

# AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2012

	2012	2011 (Restated)
FINANCIAL ASSETS		
Cash and temporary investments (Note 2) Receivables Taxes and grants in place of taxes (Note 3) Trade and other receivables	7,140 27,868	\$ 375,557 13,076 22,720
Receivables from other governments  Land inventory held for resale  Investments (Note 4)	21,925 57,401 1,616 820,836	160,345 57,401 <u>1,569</u> 630,668
LIABILITIES	020,000	
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Deposit liabilities (Note 5) Deferred revenue (Note 6)	50,525 3,651 <u>440,049</u> <u>494,225</u>	24,510 3,474 <u>266,513</u> <u>294,497</u>
NET FINANCIAL ASSETS (DEBT)	326,611	336,171
NON-FINANCIAL ASSETS		
Tangible capital assets Inventory for consumption (Note 8) Prepaid expenses	2,368,537 7,837 2,376,374	2,385,958 320 12,005 2,398,283
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS	\$ <u>2.702.985</u> COMMITMENT CONTINGENCIE	\$ <u>2,734,454</u> S (SEE NOTE 13) S (SEE NOTE 14)

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

# FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012

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		Budget (Unaudited)		2012	2011 (Restated)
REVENUE					
Net municipal taxes (Schedule 2) User fees and sale of goods Government transfers for operating (Schedule 3) Investment income Penalties and costs on taxes Licenses and permits Franchise and concession contracts Gain on disposal of capital assets Other	\$	218,208 150,107 128,963 10,500 7,800 1,175 20,100	\$	218,234 \$ 159,453 122,748 2,501 5,511 1,475 18,714 9,114 17,170	150,492 77,760 3,399 6,711 1,203 17,379
Total Revenue		<u>536,853</u>	-	554,920	489,822
EXPENSES					
Legislative Administration Protective services Transportation Water supply and distribution Wastewater treatment and disposal Waste management Public health and welfare Subdivision land and development Parks and recreation Culture  Total Expenses		19,600 169,026 30,635 164,494 114,286 15,918 18,668 4,400 2,800 27,950 2,945	-	14,154 156,704 33,408 160,142 97,218 54,722 24,488 2,037 1,894 37,887 3,737	16,026 148,570 40,391 134,336 88,983 38,817 21,132 5,322 9,349 19,945 3,511 526,382
EXCESS (SHORTFALL) OF REVENUE OVER EXPENSES - BEFORE OTHER  Government transfers for capital (Schedule 3)		33,869		(31,471)	(36,560) 616,323
Interest income	-		-		33,045
EXCESS (SHORTFALL) OF REVENUE OVER EXPENSES		33,869		(31,471)	612,808
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	-	2,7 <u>34,456</u>		2,734,456	<u>2,121,648</u>
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS, END OF YEAR	\$_	2,700,587	\$	2,702,985	\$ <u>2,734.456</u>

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET FINANCIAL ASSETS (DEBT) FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012

	Budget (Unaudited)	2012	2011 (Restated)
EXCESS (SHORTFALL) OF REVENUE OVER EXPENSES	\$ <u>33,869</u> \$_	(31,471) \$	612,808
Acquisition of tangible capital assets Proceeds on sale of tangible capital assets Amortization of tangible capital assets Gain(loss) on sale of tangible capital assets		(120,206) 32,571 114,170 (9,114)	(749,136) 91,981 3,892
Change in inventory		<u>17,421</u> 320	(653,263) (320)
Change in prepaid expenses		<u>4,168</u> <u>4,488</u>	(534) (854)
(INCREASE) DECREASE IN NET DEBT	33,869	(9,562)	(41,309)
NET FINANCIAL ASSETS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	<u>336,173</u> _ \$ 302,304 \$_	336,173	377,482 336,173
NET FINANCIAL ASSETS, END OF YEAR	Ψ <u>υσε,σστ</u> Ψ=		

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012

. 3	 2012	2011 (Restated)
NET INFLOW(OUTFLOWS) OF CASH RELATED TO THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES:		
OPERATING Excess (shortfall) of revenues over expenses Non-cash items included in excess(shortfall) of revenues over expenses:	\$ (31,471) \$	612,808
Amortization on tangible capital assets Gain(loss) on sale of tangible capital assets	 114,170 <u>(9,114</u> ) 73,585	91,981 3,892 708,681
Changes in net financial asset(debt) items:  Decrease(increase) in taxes and grants in place of taxes receivable Decrease(increase) in trade and other receivables Decrease(increase) in receivables from other governments Decrease(increase) in land held for resale Decrease(increase) in investments Decrease(increase) in prepaid expenses Decrease(increase) in inventory Increase(decrease) in accounts payable and accrued liabilities Increase(decrease) in deposit liabilities Increase(decrease) in deferred revenue	5,936 (5,148) 138,420 (47) 4,168 320 26,016 177 173,537	6,956 (1,966) (22,266) 2,479 189 (534) (320) (19,577) 1,309 (469,470)
Cash provided by (applied to) operating transactions  CAPITAL  Acquisition of tangible capital assets  Proceeds on sale of tangible capital assets	 (120,206) 32,571	(749,136)
Cash provided by (applied to) capital transactions	 (87,635)	(749,136)
FINANCING  Long term debt repaid	 	(7,880)
CHANGE IN CASH AND EQUIVALENTS DURING THE YEAR	329,329	(551,535)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	 <u> 375,557</u>	927,092
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF YEAR	\$ <u>704,886</u> \$_	375,557
Cash and cash equivalents is made up of:		
Cash and temporary investments (Note 2)	\$ <u>704,886</u> \$	<u>375,557</u>

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	••	SCHEDULE OF TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS	TANGIBLE CA	PITAL ASSETS	<b>(</b> 0			n
	_	FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012	ENDED DECE	MBER 31, 201	2			
			Schedule 1					
	Land	Land Improvements	Buildings	Engineered Structures	Machinery & Equipment	Vehicles	2012	2011 (Restated)
COST: BALANCE, BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$ 13,550	\$ 53,683	\$ 259,123	\$ 2,619,721	\$ 150,118	\$ 497,090	\$ 3,593,285	\$ 2,863,341
Acquisition of tangible capital assets Construction-in-progress Disposal of tangible capital assets	3,070		3,283	82,509	12,878	(12,000)	98,670 21,536 (35,810)	749,136 (1 <u>9,192)</u>
BALANCE, END OF YEAR	10,480	53,683	241,666	2,723,766	162,996	485,090	3,677,681	3,593,285
ACCUMULATED AMORTIZATION: BALANCE, BEGINNING OF YEAR Annual amortization Accumulated amortization on disposals		35,707	100,165 3,955 (2,624)	951,325	34,815	85,315 19,789 (9,729)	1,207,327 114,169 (12,353)	1,130,644 91,982 (15,299)
BALANCE, END OF YEAR		38,177	101,496	1,026,705	47,390	95,375	1,309,143	1,207,327
NET BOOK VALUE OF TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS	\$ 10,480	\$ 15,506	\$ 140,170	\$ 1,697,061	\$ 115,606	\$ 389,715	\$ 2,368,538	\$ 2,385,958
2011 NET BOOK VALUE OF TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS	\$ 13,550	\$ 17.976	\$ 158,958	\$ 1,668,396	\$ 115,303	\$ 411,775	\$ 2,385,958	
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# SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY AND OTHER TAXES

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012

#### Schedule 2

	(	Budget Unaudited)	 2012		2011
TAXATION					
Real property taxes Linear property taxes Government grants in place of property taxes Special assessments and local improvement taxes	\$ 	246,643 11,000 1,208 258,851	\$ 243,202 12,670 1,381 1,625 258,878	\$ 	237,762 14,108 1,293 <u>1,625</u> 254,788
REQUISITIONS					
Alberta School Foundation Fund Seniors requisition	_	36,100 4,543 40,643	 36,101 4,543 40,644		33,024 4,038 37,062
NET MUNICIPAL TAXES	\$	218,208	\$ 218,234	\$_	217,726
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		Budget (Unaudited)	 2012		2011 (Restated)
TRANSFERS FOR OPERATING					
Provincial government Federal government Local government	\$	118,663 10,300 128,963	\$  109,329 1,596 11.823 122,748	\$ 	67,408 10,352 77,760
TRANSFERS FOR CAPITAL					
Provincial government	_			_	616,323
TOTAL GOVERNMENT TRANSFERS	\$	128,963	\$ 122,748	\$_	694,083

# SCHEDULE OF CONSOLIDATED EXPENSES BY OBJECT FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012

#### Schedule 4

		Budget (Unaudited)	<u>s</u> ,	2012	2011
CONSOLIDATED EXPENSES BY OBJECT					
Salaries, wages and benefits Contracted and general services Materials, goods, supplies and utilities Provision for allowances	\$	208,475 158,761 194,421	\$	200,815 147,077 112,952	\$ 184,746 129,144 99,779 1,457
Transfers to individuals and organizations Interest on long term debt		8,065		9,231	5,157 270
Amortization of tangible capital assets Loss on disposal of tangible capital assets				114,170	91,981 3,892
Other	\$ <u></u>	1,000 570,722	\$	2,146 586,391	\$ 9,9 <u>56</u> 52 <u>6,382</u>

	2011 (Restated)	\$ 2,121,648	612,808	612,808	\$ 2,734,456
	2012		(31,471)	(31,471)	\$ 2,702,985
	Equity in Tangible Capital Assets	\$\$	120,206 (23,457) (114,170)	(17,421)	\$ 2,368,538
Schedule 5	Restricted Surplus	\$ 153,822	14,379 (32,171)	(17,792)	\$ 136,030
й	Unrestricted Surplus	\$ 194,675	(31,471) (14,379) 32,171 (120,206) 23,457 114,170	3,742	\$ 198,417
		BALANCE, BEGINNING OF YEAR	Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenses Unrestricted funds designated for future use Restricted funds used for operations Current year funds used for tangible capital assets Disposal of tangible capital assets Annual amortization expense	Change in accumulated surplus	BALANCE, END OF YEAR

SCHEDULE OF CHANGES IN ACCUMULATED SURPLUS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012

VILLAGE OF DELIA

# VILLAGE OF DELIA NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### **DECEMBER 31, 2012**

#### 1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The consolidated financial statements of the Village of Delia are the representations of management prepared in accordance with 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 polices 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, health, social 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 expenditure 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.

#### d) Investments

Investments are recorded at amortized cost. Investment premiums and discounts are amortized on the net present value basis over the term of the respective investments. When there has been a loss in value that is other than a temporary decline, the respective investment is written down to recognize the loss.

#### 1.. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

### e) 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.

#### f) Inventories 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 levelling charges. Related development costs incurred to provide infrastructure such as water and wastewater services, roads, sidewalks and street lighting are recorded as tangible capital assets under the respective function.

### g) Prepaid Local Improvement Charges

Construction and borrowing costs associated with local improvement projects are recovered through annual special assessments during the period of the related borrowings. These levies are collectable from property owners for work performed by the municipality.

Where a taxpayer has elected to prepay the outstanding local improvement charges, such amounts are recorded as deferred revenue. Deferred revenue is amortized to revenue on a straight line basis over the remaining term of the related borrowings.

In the event that the prepaid amounts are applied against the related borrowings, the deferred revenue is amortized to revenue by an amount equal to the debt repayment.

#### h) 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.

## NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### **DECEMBER 31, 2012**

#### i) 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 Assets (Debt) for the year.

#### 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 cost, less residual value, of the tangible capital assets is amortized on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life as follows: **YEARS** 

Land improvements	10-45 25-50
Buildings	20-00
Engineering structures Water system Wastewater system Other engineered structures Machinery and equipment Vehicles	45-75 45-75 5-75 5-40 10-40

In the year of acquisition of a tangible capital asset, annual amortization is charged based on the number of months owned and in the year of disposal no amortization is charged. 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.

#### iii. 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.

Cash Temporary investments \$ 704,886 \$ 243, 131.  \$ 704,886 \$ 375.  The village received certain Alberta Government grants that are restricted in their use and are tutilized as funding for certain projects. Since certain projects have not been completed for which restricted funding has been received, \$440,049 (2011 - \$266,513) of the cash and tempor investments on hand are not available for general use by the Village (Note 6).  TAXES AND GRANTS IN PLACE OF TAXES RECEIVABLE	.766 .557
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\$ <u>7,140</u> \$ <u>13</u>	3 <u>.076</u>
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WAINCE	/alue
Other institutional and private corporation bonds \$ 1,616 \$ 1,616 \$ 1,569 \$ 1	aiue

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### **DECEMBER 31, 2012**

#### 6. DEFERRED REVENUE

Alberta Municipal Sustainability Initiative Program - Capital Alberta Municipal Sustainability Initiative Program - Operating Alberta Basic Municipal Transportation Grant Federal Gas Tax Fund Prepaid Local Improvement Charges	\$ 290,22 25,63 30,14 92,79 1,25	3 \$ 1 3	2011 152,684 55,501 14,899 41,759 1,670
	\$ <u>440.04</u>	<u>9</u> \$	266,513

## Alberta Municipal Sustainability Initiative Program - Capital

Provincial government funding was received in the current year to undertake certain eligible infrastructure expenditures within the village that have not yet been expended.

## Alberta Municipal Sustainability Initiative Program - Operating

Provincial government funding was received in the current year to undertake certain eligible expenditures within the village that have not yet been expended.

#### Alberta Basic Municipal Transportation Grant

Provincial government funding was received in the current year to undertake certain eligible street improvement infrastructure expenditures within the village that have not yet been expended.

#### Federal Gas Tax Fund

Federal and provincial government funding was received in the current year to undertake certain eligible environmentally sustainable projects within the village that has not yet been expended.

#### **Prepaid Local Improvement Charges**

Prepaid local improvement charges are being amortized to revenue at a rate of \$417 per year over 10 years.

#### 7. 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 Delia be disclosed as follows:

	2012	2011
Total debt limit Total debt	\$ 818,709	\$ 734,733
Amount of debit limit unused	\$ <u>818,709</u>	\$ <u>734,733</u>
Debt servicing limit Debt servicing	\$ 136,452	\$ 122,456 8,150
Amount of debt servicing limit unused	\$ <u>136,452</u>	\$ <u>114,306</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.

8. INVENTORY FOR CONSUMPTION	20122011
Wastewater inventory	\$\$ <u>320</u>
9. EQUITY IN TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS	20122011
Tangible capital assets Accumulated amortization	\$ 3,677,681 \$ 3,593,285 (1,309,143) (1,207,327) \$ 2,368,538 \$ 2,385,958

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### **DECEMBER 31, 2012**

#### 10.ACCUMULATED SURPLUS

J.AOOOMODATED GGTW 100	 2012	<u>-</u>	2011 (Restated)
Unrestricted surplus	\$ 198,417	\$	194,674
Restricted surplus: Operating contingency Emergency fund Transportation Wastewater treatment and disposal	3,508 31,777 88,419 12,326		3,508 21,443 88,419 32,171 8,281
Vehicle replacement fund Equity in tangible capital assets	\$ 2,368,538 2,702,985	- \$_	2,385,958 2,734,454

#### 11. SALARY AND BENEFITS

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

	2012			2011		
		Salary		Benefits & allowances	 Total	 Total
Councillors: John Rogers Gordon Issac Jeff Collins Dennis Thordarson	\$	3,225 1,500 6,225 465	\$	152	\$ 3,225 1,500 6,377 465	\$ 2,675 3,052 8,406
Chief Administrative Officer		56,806		9,205	66,011	59,837

- 1. Salary includes regular base pay, bonuses, overtime, lump sum payments, gross honoraria and any other direct cash remuneration.
- 2. Employer's share of all employee benefits and contributions or payments made on behalf of employees including pension, health care, dental coverage, vision coverage, group life insurance, accidental disability and dismemberment insurance, long and short-term disability plans, professional memberships and tuition.

#### 12.LOCAL AUTHORITIES PENSION PLAN

Employees of the village participate in the Local Authorities Pension Plan (LAPP), which is one of the plans covered by the Alberta Public Sector Pension Plans Act. The LAPP serves about 133,000 people and 389 employers. The LAPP is financed by employer and employee contributions and by investment earnings of the LAPP Fund.

Contributions for current service are recorded as expenditures in the year in which they become due.

The village is required to make current service contributions to the LAPP of 9.91% (2011 - 9.49%) of pensionable earnings up to the year's maximum pensionable earnings under the Canada Pension Plan and 13.74% (2011 - 13.13%) on pensionable earnings above this amount. Employees of the village are required to make current service contributions of 8.91% (2011 - 8.49%) of pensionable salary up to the year's maximum pensionable salary and 12.74% (2011 - 12.13%) on pensionable salary above this amount.

Total current service contributions by the village to the LAPP in 2012 were \$10,835 (2011 - \$12,903). Total current service contributions by the employees of the village to the Local Authorities Pension Plan in 2012 were \$9,767 (2011 - \$11,839).

At December 31, 2011 the LAPP disclosed an actuarial deficiency of \$4.634 billion.

#### 13.COMMITMENTS

The village is committed under an agreement with the Marigold Library System to funding certain library initiatives annually based on a per capita formula. The village provided funding of \$1,014 in 2012 (2011 - \$973). It is the understanding of the village that it can withdraw from the agreement at anytime by giving a one-year notice period.

The village is committed under an agreement with the Drumheller & District Solid Waste Management Association to contribute annually, based on an annual budget of expenditures for the management, operation and maintenance of the solid waste management facilities. The requisition for 2012 was \$4,111 (2011 - \$4,204). The agreement allows for the village to terminate the agreement by giving notice in writing to all of the other participating municipalities of its intention to withdraw from the agreement at least one year in advance of the effective withdrawal date.

The village is committed under an agreement with the Drumheller and District Seniors Foundation and under a Ministerial Order from the Government of Alberta, Department of Seniors, the village is committed to contributing annually 0.79% of an annual budget of net expenditures of the housing foundation. The requisition for 2012 was \$4,523 (2011 - \$4,038).

On January 24, 2007 the village became a shareholder of Palliser Regional Municipal Services Company Limited, a Part IX company under The Companies Act of Alberta. The company provides municipal planning services to its members. This investment commits the village to funding the annual operational and special needs of the company. Annually the village is requisitioned as a shareholder determined by the Board, in the ordinary course of business, and based on the population and the tax assessment as determined by the village who is a the shareholder. The requisition for 2012 was \$1,776 (2011 - \$1,476). The village has the right to cease being a shareholder by giving 600 days notice.

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#### **DECEMBER 31, 2012**

#### 14.CONTINGENCIES

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

The village has discovered certain properties that contain high levels of hydrocarbon contaminants that pose a significant environmental liability. Studies and processes have been started on the two locations that contain these contaminations and costs have been incurred to help remediate to date. It is undetermined as to the costs that the village will suffer in the process to clean up the properties, and as such have not been reported on the financial statements. The village has entered into a conditional grant funding agreement with the provincial government which will provide funding to assist in the total cost of the remediation.

#### 15.FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The village's financial instruments consist of cash and temporary investments, accounts receivable, investments, accounts payable and accrued liabilities, deposit liabilities, and deferred revenue. 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 of taxes receivables 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 instrument approximates fair value.

#### 16.PRIOR PERIOD ADJUSTMENTS

The village has restated its financial statements to agree to the Statement of Funding and Expenditures for Municipal Sustainability Initiative operating which has been amended from original submission to the Alberta government. As a result of this adjustment, deferred revenue has increased by \$18,052 and government transfers for operating has been restated decreased by \$18,052.

#### 17.APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Council and management have approved these financial statements.