MAYERTHORPE, ALBERTA
FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2011

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Mayor and Council of the Town of Mayerthorpe Mayerthorpe, Alberta

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Town of Mayerthorpe (the "Town"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2011, and the statements 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 Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these 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 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 financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the 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 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 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 financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Town of Mayerthorpe as at December 31, 2011, and 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.

Edmonton, Alberta April 23, 2012 HAWKINGS EPP DUMONT LLP Chartered Accountants

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2011

	2011	2010
FINANCIAL ASSETS Cash and temporary investments Accounts receivable (Note 2) Land held for resale Long-term investments (Note 3)	\$ - 1,782,827 35,000 9,150	\$ 4,965,766 921,561 35,000 9,060
	1,826,977	5,931,387
LIABILITIES Bank overdraft (Note 4) Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 5) Deferred revenue (Note 6) Long-term debt (Note 7)	258,973 1,478,918 145,572 2,081,946 3,965,409	1,223,471 1,204,848 2,227,842 4,656,161
NET FINANCIAL ASSETS	(2,138,432)	1,275,226
NON-FINANCIAL ASSETS Inventory for consumption Prepaid expenses and deposits Tangible Capital Assets (Schedule 1)	180,060 15,815 21,285,938 21,481,813	167,083 19,138 13,408,202 13,594,423
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS (Note 9)	\$ <u>19,343,381</u>	\$ <u>14,869,649</u>
CONTINGENCIES (Note 12)		

ON BEHALF OF TOWN COUNCIL:

Mayor

Deputy Mayor

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

		2011 (Budget) Note 19)		2011 (Actual)		2010 (Actual)
Revenue Net taxes for general municipal purposes (Schedule 2) Sales and user charges Government transfers (Schedule 3) Franchise fees and concession contracts Return on investments Penalties and costs on taxes Fines Licenses and permits		1,250,681 748,467 451,190 42,697 42,000 30,000 30,200 11,750 2,606,985	\$	1,241,773 1,017,359 431,866 43,782 38,936 30,816 20,328 14,794 2,839,654	\$	1,187,494 638,902 397,598 40,203 86,182 27,847 25,812 11,802 2,415,840
Expenses Roads, streets, walks and lighting General administration Water supply and distribution Parks and recreation Land use planning, zoning and development Family and community support services Wastewater treatment and disposal Waste management Fire Council and other legislative Bylaws enforcement Community and agricultural services Culture: libraries, museums and halls Disaster and emergency services Seniors housing Subdivision land and development Amortization		633,819 408,894 317,288 92,164 171,835 155,906 168,894 120,330 100,218 95,805 75,432 20,831 16,038 3,685 	-	544,258 417,273 303,739 194,390 162,320 158,783 139,151 124,897 116,145 88,261 63,304 24,171 16,038 3,874 (419) 565,434 2,921,619	-	547,146 410,559 220,228 147,515 92,039 150,690 39,994 146,438 120,199 80,445 55,175 19,913 16,038 5,151 250,000 14,238 421,369
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenue over Expenses Before Other Items	_	113,596	_	(81,965)	_	(321,297)
Other Items Government transfers for capital (Schedule 3) Gain (loss) on disposal of capital assets	_	4,340,277 4,340,277	-	4,049,882 505,815 4,555,697	-	3,573,617 2,110,906 5,684,523
Excess of Revenue over Expenses		4,453,873		4,473,732		5,363,226
Accumulated Surplus, Beginning of Year				14,869,649		9,506,423
Accumulated Surplus, End of Year				19,343,381	\$_	14,869,649
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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGE IN NET FINANCIAL ASSETS

	2011	2010
Excess of Revenue over Expenses	\$ <u>4,473,732</u>	\$ <u>5,363,226</u>
Acquisition of tangible capital assets Proceeds on disposal of tangible capital assets Amortization of tangible capital assets (Gain) loss on sale of tangible capital assets	(8,443,170) 505,815 565,434 (505,815)	(6,283,978) 2,126,495 421,368 (2,110,906)
	(7,877,736)	(5,847,021)
Use (acquisition) of supplies inventories Use (acquisition) of prepaid assets	(12,977) 3,323	(80,082) (17,042)
	(9,654)	(97,124)
Increase (Decrease) In Net Financial Assets	(3,413,658)	(580,919)
Net Financial Assets (Debt), Beginning of Year	1,275,226	1,856,145
Net Financial Assets, End of Year	\$ <u>(2,138,432</u>)	\$ 1,275,226

CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

	2011	2010
Operating Activities Cash from operations		
Excess of revenue over expenditures Amortization Gain on disposal of capital assets	\$ 4,473,732 565,434 (505,815)	\$ 5,363,226 421,369 (2,110,906)
	4,533,351	3,673,689
Change in non-cash working capital balances related to operations:		
Accounts receivable	(861,266) (12,977)	(513,128) (80,085)
Inventory of supplies Prepaid expenses and deposits	3,323	(17,041)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	255,447	676,935
Deferred revenue	(1,059,276)	(834,155)
	(1,674,749)	_(767,474)
	2,858,602	2,906,215
Financing Activities		
Proceeds on long-term debt	-	844,911
Repayment of long-term debt	(145,895)	(120,793)
	(145,895)	724,118
Capital Activities		
Acquisition of tangible capital assets	(8,443,170)	(6,283,978)
Proceeds on disposal of tangible capital assets	505,815	2,126,495
	(7,937,355)	(4,157,483)
Investing Activities Decrease (increase) in long-term investments	(91)	608,817
Change in Cash and Temporary Investments for the Year	(5,224,739)	81,667
Cash and Temporary Investments, Beginning of Year	4,965,766	4,884,099
Cash and Temporary Investments, End of Year	\$ (258,973)	\$ 4,965,766

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SCHEDULE OF TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2011

2010	\$ 16,444,561	6,283,978 (69,948)	22,658,591	8,883,379	421,368 (54,358)	9,250,389	\$ 13,408,202
2011	\$ 22,658,591 \$	8,443,170 (2,313)	31,099,448	9,250,389	565,434 (2,313)	9,813,510	\$ 21,285,938 \$
Vehicles	476,386		476,386	97,383	26,543	123,926	\$ 352,460
Machinery and Equipment	\$ 695,433 \$		695,433	259,934	45,940	305,874	\$ 389,559 \$
/astewater	\$ 3,717,561	1,872,716	5,590,277	1,355,766	79,074	1,434,840	\$ 4,155,437
Engineered Structures Water N	\$ 7,354,748	2,034,485	9,389,233	2,440,743	124,746	2,565,489	\$ 6,823,744
Eng Roadways	\$ 6,337,605	139,811 (2,313)	6,475,103	4,811,098	200,297	5,009,082	\$ 1,466,021
Buildings	\$ 3,990,652	4,389,163	8,379,815	284,179	87,626	371,805	\$ 8,008,010
Land Improvements	\$ 16,357	6,995	23,352	1,286	1,208	2,494	69,849 \$ 20,858
Land	\$ 69,849		69,849				\$ 69,849
	COST: Balance, Beginning of Year	Acquisition of tangible capital assets Disposal of tangible capital assets	Balance, End of Year	ACCUMULATED AMORTIZATION: Balance, Beginning of Year	Annual amortization Accumulated amortization on disposals	Balance, End of Year	NET BOOK VALUE OF TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS

The cost of tangible capital assets included \$2,086,540 (2010 - \$5,353,349) of work in progress for which no amortization has been provided.

SCHEDULE 2

SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY TAXES LEVIED

	2011 (Budget) (Note 19)	2011 (Actual)	2010 (Actual)
Revenue: Real property taxes Power and pipeline taxes Local improvement levies Grants in lieu of taxes	\$ 1,386,243 56,553 36,728 25,311	\$ 1,380,436 52,645 36,729 26,117	\$ 1,340,729 51,850 36,729 22,407
	1,504,835	1,495,927	1,451,715
Deduct: Alberta School Foundation Fund Lac Ste. Anne Foundation	234,347 19,807	234,347 19,807	244,313 19,908
	254,154	254,154	264,221
Net Taxes for General Municipal Purposes	\$ <u>1,250,681</u>	\$ <u>1,241,773</u>	\$ <u>1,187,494</u>

SCHEDULE 3

SCHEDULE OF GOVERNMENT TRANSFERS

	2011 (Budget) (Note 19)	<u>2011</u> (Actual)	<u>2010</u> (Actual)
Federal Transfers Capital	\$ <u>1,283,286</u>	\$ 634,408	\$ 626,107
Provincial Transfers			
Operating Capital	327,666 2,710,841	320,600 3,069,324	269,933 2,872,510
	3,038,507	3,389,924	3,142,443
Local Government Transfers			
Operating Capital	123,524 <u>346,150</u>	111,266 346,150	127,665 75,000
	469,674	457,416	202,665
	\$ <u>4,791,467</u>	\$ 4,481,748	\$ <u>3,971,215</u>
Operating Government Transfers Capital Government Transfers	\$ 451,190 4,340,277	\$ 431,866 4,049,882	\$ 397,598 3,573,617
Total Government Transfers	\$ 4,791,467	\$ <u>4,481,748</u>	\$ 3,971,215

CONSOLIDATED SCHEDULE OF SEGMENTED INFORMATION

Total	\$ 1,241,773 1,017,359 431,866 148,656	2,839,654	892,659 663,035 286,642	215,804 197,869 100,176	2,356,185	483,469	565,434	\$ (81,965)
Other	\$ 445,587 72,136 100,324 33,697	651,744	199,610 158,250 31,239	35,506 7,872 5,867	438,344	213,400		\$ 213,400
Parks and Recreation	\$ 132,775 316,885 34,962	484,622	24,013 9,708	171,372	205,262	279,360	79,680	\$ 199,680
Utilities	\$ 553,014 5,481	558,495	102,831 194,660	5,241 5,241 61,539 69,252	567,786	(9,291)	208,267	\$ (217,558)
Roads, streets walks, lighting	\$ 525,761 11,266 7,176	544,203	215,486 138,738 57,219	107,989	544,203	٠	234,962	\$ (234,962)
Protective Services	\$ 88,104 52,612 20,240 22,367	183,323	78,457 94,502 4 013	3,685	183,323		29,994	\$ (29,994)
General Administration	\$ 49,546 11,446 263,683 92,592	417,267	272,262 67,177 59 908	17,634 286	417,267		12,531	\$ (12,531)
	Revenue Net taxes for general municipal purposes \$ Sales and user charges Government transfers Other		Expenditures Salaries, wages and benefits Materials, goods and supplies Contracted and general services	Other Utilities and telephone Interest and bank charges		Excess (Deficiency) of Revenue over Expenses Before Amortization	Amortization	Excess (Deficiency) of Revenue over Expenses

CONSOLIDATED SCHEDULE OF SEGMENTED INFORMATION

Total	1,187,494 638,901 397,598 191,847	2,415,840	852,557	615,496	250,000	166,773	72,735	70,685	2,315,768	100,072	421,369	(321,297)
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Other	436,889 74,794 97,996 30,121	639,800	223,682	89,751	250,000	5,693	7,576	30,715	630,287	9,513		9,513
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Parks and Recreation	95,264 24,531 27,720	147,515	19,847	102,459	,	209	•	25,000	147,515		4,599	(4,599)
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Utilities	483,334 13,886	497,220	986'986	88,326	12,135	51,652	36,485	413	406,661	90,559	145,690	(55,131)
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Roads, streets walks, lighting	523,616 5,317 11,286	540,219	207,414	166,093	5,	87,976	27,405		540,219		230,796	(230,796)
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Protective Services	93,663 34,248 25,366 27,249	180,526	58,058	112,889	2,73	3,184		3,685	180,526	•	28,970	(28,970)
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General Administration	38,062 16,677 221,344 134,477	410,560	256,570	55,978	10,10	18,059	1,269	10,872	410,560		11,314	(11,314)
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	Revenue Net taxes for general municipal purposes Sales and user charges Government transfers Other		Expenditures Salaries, wages and benefits	Materials, goods and supplies	Seniors housing	Utilities and telephone	Interest and bank charges	Other		Excess (Deficiency) of Revenue over Expenses Before Amortization	Amortization	Excess (Deficiency) of Revenue over Expenses

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

DECEMBER 31, 2011

1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The consolidated financial statements of the Town are the representations of management prepared in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles. Significant aspects of the accounting policies adopted by the Town are as follows:

(a) Reporting Entity

The consolidated financial statements reflect the assets, liabilities, revenues, and expenditures, and changes in equity balances and cash flows of the Town.

The schedule of taxes levied includes requisitions for education and housing that are not part of the municipal reporting entity.

(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 and 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 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 service 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 management 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 a 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.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONT'D)

DECEMBER 31, 2011

1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

(e) Land Held for Resale

Land held for resale is recorded at the lower of cost or net realizable value. Cost includes costs for land acquisition and improvements required to prepare the land for servicing such as clearing, stripping and leveling charges. Related development costs incurred to provide infrastructure such as water and wastewater services, roads, sidewalks and street lighting are recorded as physical assets under their respective function.

(f) Prepaid Local Improvement Charges

Construction and borrowing costs associated with local improvement projects are recovered through annual special property assessments during the period of the related borrowing. These levies are collectible 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 a liability. The liability is amortized to revenue on a straight-line basis over the remaining term of the related borrowing.

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

(g) Government Transfers

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

(h) Requisition of Over-Levies and Under-Levies

Over-levies and under-levies arise from the difference between the actual 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. In situations where the actual levy is less than the requisition amount, the under levy is accrued as a receivable and as property taxes.

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

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONT'D)

DECEMBER 31, 2011

1. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONT'D)

(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:

Land improvements	15 years
Buildings	25-50 years
Engineered structures	
Roadways	5-40 years
Water system	45-75 years
Wastewater and storm system	45-75 years
Machinery and equipment	5-25 years
Vehicles	10-25 years

One-half of the annual amortization is charged in the year of acquisition and in the year of disposal. 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.

iv) Inventories

Inventories held for consumption are recorded at the lower of cost or net realizable value with cost determined by the average cost method.

2. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

	<u>2011</u>	20	010
Government Property taxes Trade	\$ 1,500,003 161,750 	1	04,430 15,811 01,320
	\$ 1,782,827	\$ 98	21,561

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONT'D)

DECEMBER 31, 2011

3. LONG-TERM INVESTMENTS

		2011		2010
United Farmers of Alberta Co-operative Limited, patronage equity.	\$	2,650	\$	2,650
Alberta Association of Municipal Districts and Counties, held in reserve.		426		426
Servus Credit Union Ltd. term deposit bearing interest at 2.00%, redeemable only on annual anniversary date, maturing December 24, 2014.	,	6,074	_	5,984
	\$	9,150	\$_	9,060

4. BANK OVERDRAFT

The bank overdraft is payable on demand with interest payable monthly at prime minus 0.25%. The Town has an authorized credit limit of \$800,000 at December 31, 2011.

5. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES

	<u>2011</u>	2010
Trade Vacation and banked time	\$ 1,408,372 40,911	\$ 1,158,244 32,506
Accrued interest on long-term debt Deposits	16,407 13,228	19,074 13,647
	\$ <u>1,478,918</u>	\$ 1,223,471

6. DEFERRED REVENUE

Deferred revenue consists of the following amounts, which have been restricted by third parties for a specified purpose. These amounts are recognized as revenue in the period in which the related expenditures are incurred.

	á	2011		2010
Provincial government conditional grants Prepaid local improvement charges Restricted donations	\$	119,086 26,486	12.11	908,599 29,187 267,062
	\$	145,572	\$_1	,204,848

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONT'D)

DECEMBER 31, 2011

7. LONG-TERM DEBT	<u>2011</u>	2010
Debenture debt held by Alberta Capital Finance Authority, repayable in annual installments of \$22,637 including interest at 5.75%; due October 1, 2018; issued on the credit and security of the municipality at large. Relates to 46th Avenue and Agriculture Resource Road (52nd Avenue) paving project.	\$ 127,500	\$ 141,974
Debenture debt held by Alberta Capital Finance Authority, repayable in annual installments of \$35,451 including interest at 5.75%; due April 2, 2016; issued on the credit and security of the municipality at large. Relates to west water line project.	150,352	175,700
Debenture debt held by Alberta Capital Finance Authority, repayable in annual installments of \$19,855 including interest at 5.125%; due October 1, 2012; issued on the credit and security of the municipality at large. Relates to grader purchase.	18,887	36,853
Debenture debt held by Alberta Capital Finance Authority, repayable in semi-annual installments of \$19,077 including interest at 4.264%; due March 16, 2015; issued on the credit and security of the municipality at large. Relates to extension of utilities across Highway 43.	122,843	154,735
Debenture debt held by Alberta Capital Finance Authority, repayable in semi-annual installments of \$10,469 including interest at 4.699%; due September 15, 2026; issued on the credit and security of the municipality at large. Relates to 2006 paving project.	223,591	233,667
Debenture debt held by Alberta Capital Finance Authority, repayable in semi-annual installments of \$4,900 including interest at 4.057%; due September 15, 2018; issued on the credit and security of the	40.700	FF 000

municipality at large. Relates to 2008 paving project. 49,799 55,838

Mayerthorpe Fire Department loan retired during the year. - 7,065

Debenture debt held by Alberta Capital Finance
Authority, repayable in semi-annual installments of
\$1,428 including interest at 4.589%; due December 15,
2034; issued on the credit and security of the
municipality at large. Relates to 2009 paving project.
40,330

41,303

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONT'D)

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7. LONG-TERM DEBT (CONT'D)		2011	2010
Debenture debt held by Alberta Capital Finance Authority, repayable in semi-annual installments of \$18,531 including interest at 4.589%; due December 15, 2034; issued on the credit and security of the municipality at large. Relates to water treatment plant upgrade.		523,179	535,796
Debenture debt held by Alberta Capital Finance Authority, repayable in semi-annual installments of \$27,651 including interest at 4.2681%; due December 15, 2035; issued on the credit and security of the municipality at large. Relates to wastewater lagoon.		<u>825,465</u>	844,911
		2,081,946	2,227,842
Less: Current portion		(145,612)	(145,895)
		\$ <u>1,936,334</u>	\$ <u>2,081,947</u>
Repayments of principal and interest over the next five y	ears are as fo	llows:	
	Principal	Interest	Total
2012 2013 2014 2015 2016 Thereafter	\$ 145,612 132,875 139,328 127,023 113,825 1,423,283	\$ 95,258 88,092 81,588 74,762 68,829 617,300	\$ 240,870 220,967 220,916 201,785 182,654 2,040,583

\$<u>2,081,946</u> \$<u>1,025,829</u> \$<u>3,107,775</u>

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONT'D)

DECEMBER 31, 2011

8. EQUITY IN TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS		
	2011	2010
Tangible capital assets (Schedule 1) Accumulated amortization (Schedule 1) Long-term debt (Note 7)	\$ 31,099,448 (9,813,510) (2,081,946)	
	\$ <u>19,203,992</u>	\$ 11,180,360
9. ACCUMULATED SURPLUS	2011	2010
Unrestricted surplus	\$ <u>17,179</u>	\$ <u>3,258,547</u>
Restricted surplus Water capital Economic Development West end bus Bylaws enforcement Fire Administrative equipment Cemetery Street construction and improvement Mural ERC building maintenance Sewer infrastructure Subdivision land development Water infrastructure Parks and recreation development Public works equipment Infrastructure program	34,158 20,121 20,000 20,000 12,000 12,000 10,000 9,520 6,000 5,355 4,778 3,266 3,166 3,005 2,250 1,102	34,158 2,825 17,500 17,500 9,500 12,000 10,000 9,520 6,000 12,705 - 3,266 - 29,445 2,500 6,102
Land sales Operating contingency	(44,511)	112,250 145,471
	122,210	430,742
Equity in tangible capital assets	19,203,992	11,180,360
	\$19,343,381	\$ <u>14,869,649</u>

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONT'D)

DECEMBER 31, 2011

10. SALARIES AND BENEFITS DISCLOSURE

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:

	S	alary (1)	<u>Be</u>	nefits (2)		2011 Total		2010 Total
Mayor - Kim Connell Mayor - Douglas McDermid	\$	13,740	\$	280	\$	14,020	\$	3,520 9,590
Councilors								
Glen Wilcox		9,600		-		9,600		10,700
Kate Patrick		9,360		-		9,360		9,740
Russell Claybrook		8,100		94		8,194		2,290
Dave Hutchison		8,070		93		8,163		2,110
Dan Richard		7,740		82		7,822		7,200
James Mason		7,680		80		7,760		2,020
Patricia Oliver		-		-		-		5,950
Kim Connell		-		-		-		6,810
Jack Evarts	_		_		-		_	5,630
	\$_	64,290	\$_	629	\$_	64,919	\$_	65,560
Chief Administrative Officer	\$	111,232	\$_	22,147	\$_	133,379	\$_	122,478

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

⁽²⁾ Benefits and allowances include the employer's share of the employee benefits and contributions 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.

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11. DEBT LIMITS

Section 276(2) of the *Municipal Government Act* requires that debt and debt limits as defined by Alberta Regulation 255/2000 for the Town be disclosed as follows:

	2011	2010
Total debt limit Total debt	\$ 4,259,481 (2,081,946)	\$ 3,623,760 (2,227,842)
Amount of total debt limit unused	\$ <u>2,177,535</u>	\$ <u>1,395,918</u>
Debt servicing limit Debt servicing	\$ 709,914 (240,870)	\$ 603,960 (247,980)
Amount of debt servicing limit unused	\$ 469,044	\$ 355,980

The debt limit is calculated at 1.50 times revenue of the Town (as defined in the Alberta Regulation 255/2000) and the debt service limit is calculated as 0.25 times such revenue. Incurring debt beyond these limitations requires approval by the Minister of Municipal Affairs. These thresholds are a conservative guideline used by Alberta Municipal Affairs to identify municipalities that could be at a financial risk if further debt is acquired. The calculation taken alone does not represent the financial stability of the Town. Rather, the financial statements must be interpreted as a whole.

12. CONTINGENCIES

(a) Insurance Agreement

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

(b) Legal Claims

As at December 31, 2011, the Town was involved with various legal disputes. These disputes include a Statement of Claim against the Town based upon a claim of breach of contract. While it is not possible to estimate the outcome of these disputes it is believed that there will be no adverse effect on the financial position of the Town.

13. COMMITMENTS

As at December 31, 2011, the Town has spent \$1,366,225 and expects to spend an additional amount of approximately \$435,000 with respect to the construction of the outdoor swimming pool facility.

As at December 31, 2011, the Town has spent \$2,825,352 and expects to spend an additional amount of approximately \$227,000 with respect to the construction of a water treatment facility.

As at December 31, 2011, the Town has spent \$691,766 and expects to spend an additional amount of approximately \$121,000 with respect to the construction of a raw water supply line.

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14. LOCAL AUTHORITIES PENSION PLAN

Employees of the Town participate in the Local Authorities Pension Plan (LAPP), which is covered by the *Public Sector Pension Plans Act*. LAPP is financed by employer and employee contributions and investment earnings of the LAPP Fund.

The Town is required to make current service contributions to the Plan of 9.49% of pensionable earnings up to the Canada Pension Plan year's maximum pensionable earnings and 13.13% for the excess. Employees of the Town are required to make current service contributions of 8.49% of pensionable earnings up to the year's maximum pensionable earnings and 12.13% on pensionable earnings above this amount.

Total current and past service contributions made by the Town to the LAPP in 2011 were \$52,911 (2010 - \$46,803). Total current and past service contributions made by the employees of the Town to the LAPP in 2011 were \$47,821 (2010 - \$42,004).

At December 31, 2010, the LAPP disclosed an actuarial deficit of \$4.6 billion (2009 - \$4.0 billion).

15. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

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

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

16. SEGMENTED INFORMATION

The Town provides a range of services to its residents. For each reported segment, revenues and expenses represent both amounts that are directly attributable to the segment and amounts that are allocated on a reasonable basis. The accounting policies used in these segments are consistent with those followed in the preparation of the consolidated financial statements as disclosed in Note 1. For additional information see the Consolidated Schedule of Segment Disclosure (Schedule 4).

17. COMPARATIVE FIGURES

Certain comparative figures have been reclassified to conform with the current year's financial statement presentation.

18. APPROVAL OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

These financial statements were approved by Council and Management.

19. BUDGET

The budget figures are provided for information purposes only, and have not been audited.