Financial Statements August 31, 2009



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Auditors' Report

To the Directors of North York Harvest Food Bank

We have audited the balance sheet of **North York Harvest Food Bank** (NYHFB) as at August 31, 2009 and the statements of revenues and expenditures, changes in net assets and cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of NYHFB's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

Except as explained in the following paragraph, we conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform an audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation.

In common with many charitable organizations, NYHFB derives part of its revenues in the form of donations and special events, which are not susceptible to complete audit verification. Accordingly, our verification of these revenues was limited to the amounts recorded in the records of NYHFB and we were not able to determine whether any adjustments might be necessary to revenues, excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures for the year, assets and net assets.

In our opinion, except for the effects of adjustments, if any, which we might have determined to be necessary had we been able to satisfy ourselves concerning the completeness of donations and special events referred to in the preceding paragraph, these financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of NYHFB as at August 31, 2009 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles.

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	2009 \$	2008 \$
Assets		
Current assets Cash Short-term investment Prepaid expenses and sundry receivables	198,110 32,732	47,573 100,000 7,235
	230,842	154,808
Property and equipment (note 3)	161,124	213,737
	391,966	368,545
Liabilities		
Current liabilities Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Deferred grants	25,535 23,567	13,984 15,033
	49,102	29,017
Deferred contributions related to property and equipment (note 4)	135,323	178,151
	184,425	207,168
Net Assets		
Unrestricted	207,541	161,377
	391,966	368,545

Approved by the Board of Directors

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Statement of Revenues and Expenditures

	Year ended August 31, 2009 \$ (note 8)	Eight-month period ended August 31, 2008 \$ (note 8)
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Revenues	710 146	207 202
Donations	712,146	207,203
Foundations and grants	117,954	38,200
Special events	49,970	22,214
Amortization of deferred contributions related to property and equipment (note 4)	45,088	32,914
Government grants	28,907	30,067
Interest and other	14,180	4,704
	14,100	4,704
	968,245	335,302
Expenditures		
Wages and benefits	610,950	354,772
Office and general	70,942	42,757
Fundraising and promotion	57,623	11,430
Amortization	55,410	39,412
Occupancy costs	48,013	32,009
Food purchases	41,096	23,378
Warehouse and trucking	25,097	17,793
Insurance	6,602	5,442
Volunteers	6,348	4,613
	922,081	531,606
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures for the period	46,164	(196,304)

Statement of Changes in Net Assets

	Year ended August 31, 2009 \$ (note 8)	Eight-month period ended August 31, 2008 \$ (note 8)
Balance - Beginning of period	161,377	357,681
Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures for the period	46,164	(196,304)
Balance - End of period	207,541	161,377

Statement of Cash Flows

	Year ended August 31, 2009 \$ (note 8)	Eight-month period ended August 31, 2008 \$ (note 8)
Cash provided by (used in)		
Operating activities Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures for the period Items not affecting cash	46,164	(196,304)
Amortization of property and equipment	55,410	39,412
Amortization of deferred contributions related to property and equipment	(45,088)	(32,914)
	56,486	(189,806)
Change in non-cash working capital		
Prepaid expenses and sundry receivables	(25,497)	1,191
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Deferred grants	11,551 8,534	(8,935) 15,033
	(5,412)	7,289
	51,074	(182,517)
Investing activities		
Short-term investment Purchase of property and equipment	100,000 (2,797)	(13,202)
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Financing activities		
Deferred contributions related to property and equipment	2,260	
Increase (decrease) in cash during the period	150,537	(195,719)
Cash - Beginning of period	47,573	243,292
Cash - End of period	198,110	47,573

1 Organization

North York Harvest Food Bank (NYHFB) is a not-for-profit organization whose primary purpose is to distribute food to those in need. It is a registered charity under Section 149 of the Income Tax Act, Canada and, accordingly, is exempt from income tax under Section 149(1)(f).

2 Summary of significant accounting policies

Basis of presentation

These financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations published by The Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants (CICA), using the deferral method for reporting contributions.

Revenue recognition

Revenues and expenditures are accounted for on an accrual basis with the exception of donations, which are recorded when received. Expenditures are recorded net of goods and services tax rebates.

Donated goods and services

Goods and services that have been donated are recorded in the financial statements at their fair market value when a fair market value can be reasonably estimated and the goods and services would be paid for if not donated. Where an estimate of fair market value cannot reasonably be made, such donations would not be recorded. No value is placed on food donations received and disbursed.

Short-term investment

The short-term investment consists of a one-year term guaranteed investment certificate, with interest paid monthly.

Property and equipment

Property and equipment are recorded at cost if purchased, or recorded at fair market value if donated. Amortization is calculated on the straight-line method as follows:

Trucks	10 years
Computer equipment and software	5 years
Equipment	5 years
Leasehold improvements	term of lease plus first renewal period

NYHFB reviews long-lived assets for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate the carrying amount of the asset may not be recoverable and exceeds its fair value. The impairment loss, if any, is the excess of carrying value over fair value.

Property and equipment with a value less than \$1,000 are expensed as acquired.

Deferred grants and contributions

Deferred grants are recorded as revenue over the term specified by the grant.

Deferred contributions are comprised of donations received for the purchase of property and equipment and will be amortized to revenue at the same rate as the related property and equipment purchased.

Financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are initially recognized at fair value and their subsequent measurement is dependent on their classification as described below. The classification depends on the purpose for which the financial instruments were acquired or issued, their characteristics and NYHFB's designation of such instruments. The following is a summary of the classifications NYHFB has elected to apply to each of its significant categories of financial instruments.

Assets/liabilities	Category	Measurement
Cash	held-for-trading	fair value
Short-term investment	held-for-trading	fair value
Sundry receivables	loans and receivables	amortized cost
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	other liabilities	amortized cost

Interest earned or accrued, gains and losses realized on disposal and unrealized gains and losses for changes in fair value are included in interest and other revenues. Transaction costs are expensed as incurred.

NYHFB has chosen to apply CICA Handbook Section 3861, Financial Instruments - Disclosure and Presentation, in place of CICA Handbook Section 3862, Financial Instruments - Disclosures, and CICA Handbook Section 3863, Financial Instruments - Presentation.

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 amounts of assets and liabilities and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenditures during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates as additional information becomes available in the future.

Changes in accounting policies

• Capital disclosures

Effective September 1, 2008, NYHFB adopted CICA Handbook Section 1535, Capital Disclosures, which requires the disclosure of qualitative and quantitative information that enables users of the financial statements to evaluate NYHFB's objectives, policies and processes for managing capital, including disclosure of any externally imposed capital requirements and the consequences of non-compliance. The adoption of these recommendations only required additional disclosures, which are provided in note 6.

Financial statement presentation by not-for-profit organizations

Effective September 1, 2008, NYHFB adopted retroactively the changes to the recommendations in CICA Handbook Section 4400, Financial Statement Presentation by Not-for-Profit Organizations, that eliminate the requirement to separately disclose the amount of net assets invested in property and equipment. NYHFB has therefore eliminated from the financial statements details about the amount of net assets invested in property and equipment and the calculation of this amount. As a result, NYHFB has reclassified the prior period financial statements such that the amount of net assets invested in property and equipment has been included in net assets.

Recent Canadian accounting pronouncements issued but not yet adopted

• Financial statement presentation by not-for-profit organizations

Recent amendments to CICA Handbook Section 4400, Financial Statement Presentation by Not-for-Profit Organizations, will modify the requirements with respect to various elements of financial statement presentation. These amendments include:

- reporting certain revenues gross in the statement of revenues and expenditures; and
- when a not-for-profit organization classifies its expenses by function and allocates some of its fundraising and general support costs to another function, disclosing the policy adopted for expenses and amounts allocated from each of these functions to other functions.

The new standard applies to financial statements relating to fiscal years beginning on or after January 1, 2009, specifically September 1, 2009 for NYHFB. Management is assessing the impact of this standard but does not expect it to have any impact on NYHFB's disclosures or results of operations or financial position.

Financial statement concepts

In February 2008, the Accounting Standards Board amended CICA Handbook Section 1000, Financial Statement Concepts, to clarify that assets not meeting the definition of an asset or the recognition criteria are not permitted to be recognized on the balance sheet. The amendments are effective for financial statements for fiscal years beginning on or after October 1, 2008. NYHFB is examining its current approach to recognizing costs as assets and will implement these standards effective September 1, 2009 retroactively with restatement of the prior year. Management is assessing the impact of this standard, but does not expect it to have any impact on NYHFB's disclosures or results of operations or financial position.

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3 Property and equipment

			2009
	Cost \$	Accumulated amortization \$	Net \$
Trucks	166,252	90,524	75,728
Computer equipment and software	107,439	87,778	19,661
Equipment	49,214	38,727	10,487
Leasehold improvements	174,093	118,845	55,248
	496,998	335,874	161,124
			2008
	Cost \$	Accumulated amortization \$	Net \$
Trucks	166,252	73,899	92,353
Computer equipment and software	107,439	78,054	29,385
Equipment	46,417	29,164	17,253
Leasehold improvements	174,093	99,347	74,746
	494,201	280,464	213,737

4 Deferred contributions related to property and equipment

	2009 \$	2008 \$
Balance - Beginning of period Amounts received during the period Amortization	178,151 2,260 (45,088)	211,065 (32,914)
Balance - End of period	135,323	178,151

5 Commitments

NYHFB has entered into a lease agreement with Bathurst Heights Secondary School requiring the following payments:

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2010 2011 2012	48,400 48,400 40,333
	137,133

6 Capital management

NYHFB defines its capital as the amounts included in its net assets balance.

NYHFB's objective when managing its capital is to safeguard its ability to continue as a going concern so that it can continue to provide services to those in need.

7 Comparative figures

Certain of the prior period's figures have been reclassified to conform to the current year's presentation.

8 Change of year-end

During the period ended August 31, 2008, NYHFB changed its fiscal year-end from December 31 to August 31. This adjustment meant the year-end no longer fell immediately after the period when the food and cash inventory were at seasonally high levels. The change enabled NYHFB to better evaluate fundraising and program delivery efforts early in the fiscal year. Accordingly, the financial statements presented for 2009 are for twelve months while the comparative figures are for eight months.