

**TB VETS CHARITABLE FOUNDATION**

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**30 SEPTEMBER 2024**

# **TB VETS CHARITABLE FOUNDATION**

## **Financial Statements**

For the Year Ended 30 September 2024

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

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To the Directors of,  
TB Vets Charitable Foundation

### Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements

#### Qualified Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of TB Vets Charitable Foundation (the “Foundation”), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 30 September 2024 and the statement of operations and changes in fund balances and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, except for the possible effects of the matter described in the Basis for Qualified Opinion section of our report, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Foundation as at 30 September 2024, and its results of operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

#### Basis for Qualified Opinion

In common with many not-for-profit organizations, the Foundation derives revenue from the general public in the form of donations, 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 Foundation. Therefore, we were not able to determine whether any adjustments might be necessary to donations revenue, excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenses, and cash flows from operations for the years ended 30 September 2024 and 2023, current assets as at 30 September 2024 and 2023, and net assets as at 1 October and 30 September for both the 2024 and 2023 years.

Our audit opinion on the financial statements for the year ended 30 September 2023 was modified accordingly because of the possible effects of this limitation in scope.

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Foundation in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our qualified audit opinion.

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## **INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT - continued**

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### **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 Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations, 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 Foundation'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 Foundation or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

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

### **Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements**

Our 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 auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect 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, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- 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 Foundation's internal control.

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT - continued

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- 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 Foundation's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditors' report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditors' report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Foundation 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.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

### **Report on Other Legal and Regulatory Requirements**

As required by the Societies Act (British Columbia), we report that, in our opinion, the accounting principles in Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations have been applied on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

*Rolfe Benson LLP*

CHARTERED PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTANTS

Vancouver, Canada  
21 January 2025

**TB VETS CHARITABLE FOUNDATION**

**Statement of Financial Position**

30 September 2024

	General Fund		Bequest Fund		Capital Fund		TB Vets Legacy Fund		Get Up and Breathe Fund		Gaming Fund		Total	
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Assets</b>														
<b>Current</b>														
Cash	163,605	91,934	2,923	-	-	-	-	-	9,915	14,505	2,945	8,180	179,388	114,619
Term deposit (Note 3)	150,000	100,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	150,000	100,000
Marketable securities (Note 4)	31,451	13,760	1,088,373	867,457	-	-	1,816,682	1,686,666	-	-	-	-	2,936,506	2,567,883
Accounts receivable (Note 11)	50,371	7,049	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50,371	7,049
GST receivable	14,193	11,781	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14,193	11,781
Prepaid expenses	58,275	11,622	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	58,275	11,622
Due (to) from fund	(787)	9,346	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,664	(3,053)	(877)	(6,293)	-	-
	<b>467,108</b>	<b>245,492</b>	<b>1,091,296</b>	<b>867,457</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>1,816,682</b>	<b>1,686,666</b>	<b>11,579</b>	<b>11,452</b>	<b>2,068</b>	<b>1,887</b>	<b>3,388,733</b>	<b>2,812,954</b>
<b>Tangible capital assets (Note 5)</b>	-	-	-	-	16,918	12,451	-	-	-	-	-	-	16,918	12,451
<b>Intangible assets (Note 6)</b>	-	-	-	-	-	2,306	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,306
	<b>467,108</b>	<b>245,492</b>	<b>1,091,296</b>	<b>867,457</b>	<b>16,918</b>	<b>14,757</b>	<b>1,816,682</b>	<b>1,686,666</b>	<b>11,579</b>	<b>11,452</b>	<b>2,068</b>	<b>1,887</b>	<b>3,405,651</b>	<b>2,827,711</b>
<b>Liabilities</b>														
<b>Current</b>														
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 7)	85,900	166,822	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	85,900	166,822
Government remittances payable	8,565	8,291	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,565	8,291
Canada Emergency Business Account (Note 8)	-	30,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30,000
	<b>94,465</b>	<b>205,113</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>94,465</b>	<b>205,113</b>
<b>Commitments (Note 9)</b>														
<b>Fund Balances</b>														
Externally restricted	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,000,000	1,000,000	4,000	4,000	-	-	1,004,000	1,004,000
Internally restricted	-	-	1,091,296	867,457	16,918	14,757	-	-	7,579	7,452	2,068	1,887	1,117,861	891,553
Unrestricted	372,643	40,379	-	-	-	-	816,682	686,666	-	-	-	-	1,189,325	727,045
	<b>372,643</b>	<b>40,379</b>	<b>1,091,296</b>	<b>867,457</b>	<b>16,918</b>	<b>14,757</b>	<b>1,816,682</b>	<b>1,686,666</b>	<b>11,579</b>	<b>11,452</b>	<b>2,068</b>	<b>1,887</b>	<b>3,311,186</b>	<b>2,622,598</b>
	<b>467,108</b>	<b>245,492</b>	<b>1,091,296</b>	<b>867,457</b>	<b>16,918</b>	<b>14,757</b>	<b>1,816,682</b>	<b>1,686,666</b>	<b>11,579</b>	<b>11,452</b>	<b>2,068</b>	<b>1,887</b>	<b>3,405,651</b>	<b>2,827,711</b>

APPROVED BY THE DIRECTORS:

\_\_\_\_\_ Director

\_\_\_\_\_ Director

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

**TB VETS CHARITABLE FOUNDATION**  
**Statement of Operations and Changes in Fund Balances**  
For the Year Ended 30 September 2024

	General Fund		Bequest Fund		Appropriated Awards Fund		Capital Fund		TB Vets Legacy Fund		Get Up and Breathe Fund		Gaming Fund		Total	
	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023	2024	2023
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Revenues</b>																
Donations	1,659,547	1,592,424	63,130	29,244	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,000	-	-	-	1,727,677	1,621,668
50/50 Raffle	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	73,140	75,940	73,140	75,940
	<b>1,659,547</b>	<b>1,592,424</b>	<b>63,130</b>	<b>29,244</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5,000</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>73,140</b>	<b>75,940</b>	<b>1,800,817</b>	<b>1,697,608</b>
<b>Operating expenses</b>																
Campaign costs	363,715	414,302	115,258	48,068	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52,957	60,187	531,930	522,557
Payroll	147,764	129,076	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	147,764	129,076
Program costs	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,873	6,923	-	-	4,873	6,923
	<b>511,479</b>	<b>543,378</b>	<b>115,258</b>	<b>48,068</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>4,873</b>	<b>6,923</b>	<b>52,957</b>	<b>60,187</b>	<b>684,567</b>	<b>658,556</b>
<b>Excess (deficiency) of revenues over operating expenses</b>	<b>1,148,068</b>	<b>1,049,046</b>	<b>(52,128)</b>	<b>(18,824)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>(6,923)</b>	<b>20,183</b>	<b>15,753</b>	<b>1,116,250</b>	<b>1,039,052</b>
<b>Other revenue</b>																
Investment income (Note 10)	457,244	202,199	220,916	90,960	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	678,160	293,159
<b>Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenses before general and administrative expenses</b>	<b>1,605,312</b>	<b>1,251,245</b>	<b>168,788</b>	<b>72,136</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>(6,923)</b>	<b>20,183</b>	<b>15,753</b>	<b>1,794,410</b>	<b>1,332,211</b>
<b>General and administrative expenses</b>																
Payroll	176,082	180,002	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	176,082	180,002
Professional fees	137,138	112,147	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	137,138	112,147
Building and maintenance	97,599	94,771	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	97,599	94,771
Office	60,229	50,194	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	60,229	50,194
Insurance	8,602	8,370	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,602	8,370
Interest and bank charges	1,270	1,111	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	148	1,272	1,259
Marketing	696	1,979	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	696	1,979
Expense recoveries (Note 11)	(20,706)	(19,945)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(20,706)	(19,945)
Amortization	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,499	7,725	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,499	7,725
	<b>460,910</b>	<b>428,629</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>5,499</b>	<b>7,725</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>466,411</b>	<b>436,502</b>
<b>Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenses</b>	<b>1,144,402</b>	<b>822,616</b>	<b>168,788</b>	<b>72,136</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(5,499)</b>	<b>(7,725)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>(6,923)</b>	<b>20,181</b>	<b>15,605</b>	<b>1,327,999</b>	<b>895,709</b>
<b>Grants awarded</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(639,411)</b>	<b>(807,792)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(639,411)</b>	<b>(807,792)</b>
<b>Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenses and grants</b>	<b>1,144,402</b>	<b>822,616</b>	<b>168,788</b>	<b>72,136</b>	<b>(639,411)</b>	<b>(807,792)</b>	<b>(5,499)</b>	<b>(7,725)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>(6,923)</b>	<b>20,181</b>	<b>15,605</b>	<b>688,588</b>	<b>87,917</b>
<b>Fund balances - beginning of year</b>	<b>40,379</b>	<b>206,189</b>	<b>867,457</b>	<b>776,497</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>14,757</b>	<b>22,482</b>	<b>1,686,666</b>	<b>1,509,856</b>	<b>11,452</b>	<b>18,375</b>	<b>1,887</b>	<b>1,282</b>	<b>2,622,598</b>	<b>2,534,681</b>
<b>Interfund transfers</b>	<b>(812,138)</b>	<b>(988,426)</b>	<b>55,051</b>	<b>18,824</b>	<b>639,411</b>	<b>807,792</b>	<b>7,660</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>130,016</b>	<b>176,810</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(20,000)</b>	<b>(15,000)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Fund balances - end of year</b>	<b>372,643</b>	<b>40,379</b>	<b>1,091,296</b>	<b>867,457</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>16,918</b>	<b>14,757</b>	<b>1,816,682</b>	<b>1,686,666</b>	<b>11,579</b>	<b>11,452</b>	<b>2,068</b>	<b>1,887</b>	<b>3,311,186</b>	<b>2,622,598</b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

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**TB VETS CHARITABLE FOUNDATION****Statement of Cash Flows**

For the Year Ended 30 September 2024

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	2024	2023
<b>Cash provided by (used in):</b>		
<b>Operating activities</b>		
Excess of revenues over expenses and grants	\$ 688,588	\$ 87,917
Items not involving cash		
Adjustment to market value of marketable securities	(516,745)	(227,760)
Amortization	5,499	7,725
	<u>177,342</u>	<u>(132,118)</u>
Changes in non-cash working capital balances		
Accounts receivable	(43,322)	3,624
GST receivable	(2,412)	(1,190)
Prepaid expenses	(46,653)	(40)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(80,922)	(753,963)
Government remittances payable	274	(952)
	<u>4,307</u>	<u>(884,639)</u>
<b>Investing activities</b>		
Repayment of Canadian Emergency Business Account	(30,000)	-
Redemption (purchase) of marketable securities - net	148,122	(46,011)
(Purchase) redemption of term deposit	(50,000)	200,000
Purchase of tangible capital assets	(7,660)	-
	<u>60,462</u>	<u>153,989</u>
<b>Net increase (decrease) in cash</b>	<b>64,769</b>	<b>(730,650)</b>
<b>Cash - beginning of year</b>	<b>114,619</b>	<b>845,269</b>
<b>Cash - end of year</b>	<b>\$ 179,388</b>	<b>\$ 114,619</b>

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**TB VETS CHARITABLE FOUNDATION**  
**Notes to the Financial Statements**  
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**1. Organization**

TB Vets Charitable Foundation (the “Foundation”) was incorporated under the Societies Act of British Columbia as a registered charitable public foundation on 26 February 1997. The Foundation, as a charitable public foundation, is exempt from income tax, providing certain requirements are met.

The Foundation raises funds to support respiratory wellness throughout British Columbia. Annual grants are authorized for such things as (but not limited to): life-saving respiratory equipment for hospitals and health centres; scientific respiratory research; bursaries for respiratory therapist education; search and rescue respiratory equipment; asthma youth day camps; and recreational therapy programs for respiratory patients in long term isolated care. There is an established annual grant submission program which is overseen by health professionals who make recommendations to the Foundation’s Board of Directors.

The following is a brief description of the Foundation's funds and their sources of revenues:

**General Fund**

The General Fund reports donation revenue and expenses related to the keytag program and administration.

**Bequest Fund**

Income generated by the Bequest Fund investments is pledged, on behalf of the benefactors of the bequests, as annual grants and bursaries for certain organizations. The excess portion of the investment income earned is retained in the account.

**Appropriated Awards Fund**

The Foundation is approached by various organizations requesting grants that are in general agreement with the aims and objectives of the Foundation. The requests received are evaluated by a sub-committee of the Board of Directors who provide recommendations to the Board.

**Capital Fund**

The Capital Fund reports amortization and other changes in tangible capital and intangible assets.

**TB Vets Legacy Fund**

The Tuberculous and Chest Disabled Veterans’ Association transferred \$1 million to the Foundation for the purpose of establishing the TB Vets Legacy Fund, an externally restricted permanent endowment fund which is being held in marketable securities. The Foundation will be responsible for managing the Fund and disbursing the income of the Fund in accordance with its objectives. Investment income and changes in the fair market value of the investments are unrestricted and recognized in the general fund.

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**1. Organization - continued**

Get Up and Breathe Fund

During the 2020 year, the Foundation established the Get Up and Breathe Fund, the purpose of which is to report the activities of the Get Up and Breathe Program which promotes exercise and respiratory wellness. The fund was established via a fund transfer of \$20,000 from the General Fund. This fund reports the revenues and expenses related to the Get Up and Breathe Program.

Gaming Fund

During the 2021 year, the Foundation established the Gaming Fund, the purpose of which is to report activities from the 50/50 raffle, the net proceeds of which are internally restricted to fund grants which are reported in the Appropriated Awards Funds. This fund reports the revenues and expenses related to the 50/50 raffle.

**2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

These financial statements are prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations. The significant policies are detailed as follows:

(a) Basis of Accounting

The General Fund is unrestricted and records all operational activities of the Foundation. The Appropriated Awards Fund is externally restricted under the requirements of the Foundation's charitable registration. The original endowment funding of the TB Vets Legacy Fund is externally restricted as described in Note 1. The Bequest Fund, the Capital Fund, the Get Up and Breathe Fund and the Gaming Fund are internally restricted.

(b) Financial Instruments

i. Measurement of Financial Instruments

The Foundation initially measures its financial assets and liabilities at fair value, except for certain non-arm's length transactions.

The Foundation subsequently measures all of its financial assets and financial liabilities at amortized cost, except for investments in equity instruments that are quoted in an active market and fixed income securities other than term deposits, which are measured at fair value. Changes in fair value are recognized in the statement of operations.

Financial assets measured at amortized cost include cash, term deposits, and accounts receivable. Financial assets measured at fair value include marketable securities.

Financial liabilities measured at amortized cost include accounts payable and accrued liabilities.

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**2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies - continued**

(b) Financial Instruments (continued)

ii. Impairment

Financial assets measured at cost are tested for impairment when there are indicators of impairment. The amount of the write-down is recognized in the statement of operations. The previously recognized impairment loss may be reversed to the extent of the improvement, directly or by adjusting the allowance account, provided it is no greater than the amount that would have been reported at the date of the reversal had the impairment not been recognized previously. The amount of the reversal is recognized in the statement of operations.

iii. Transaction Costs

The Foundation recognizes its transaction costs in the statement of operations in the period incurred. However, financial instruments that will not be subsequently measured at fair value are adjusted by the transaction costs that are directly attributable to their origination, issuance or assumption.

(c) Revenue Recognition

The Foundation follows the restricted fund method of accounting for contributions. Restricted and unrestricted contributions are recognized as revenue of the appropriate fund in the year received or receivable if the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

Investment income includes interest income, dividend income, and realized and unrealized investment gains and losses. Unrealized gains and losses on temporary investments are included in investment income and recognized as revenue in the statement of operations. Investment income is recognized as revenue when earned.

(d) Tangible Capital Assets

Tangible capital assets are recorded at cost and amortized over their estimated useful lives at the following annual rates:

Computer equipment	20%	declining balance
Office equipment	20%	declining balance

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**2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies - continued**

(e) Intangible Assets

Intangible assets are recorded at cost and amortized over their estimated useful lives at the following annual rate:

Website	5 year straight line
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(f) Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses and disclosure of contingencies at the date of the statement of financial position. Accounts subject to estimates include amortization on tangible capital assets and intangible assets, and accrued liabilities. Management believes that the estimates utilized in preparing the financial statements are reasonable, however, actual results could differ from those estimates.

(g) Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Foundation's policy is to disclose bank balances under cash and cash equivalents, including bank overdrafts with balances that fluctuate frequently from being positive to overdrawn and term deposits with a maturity of three months or less from the date of acquisition.

(h) Foreign Currency Transactions

Transactions denominated in foreign currencies are recorded in Canadian dollars at the exchange rate prevailing at the time of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are converted to Canadian dollars at the exchange rate prevailing at the statement of financial position date. Exchange gains or losses are recorded in the statement of operations.

(i) Impairment of Long-lived Assets

The Foundation tests long-lived assets for impairment when events or changes in circumstances indicate that their carrying value may not be recovered. When a tangible capital asset or intangible asset no longer contributes to the services provided by the Foundation its carrying value amount is written down to its residual value. No impairment losses were determined by management to be necessary for the year.

**3. Term Deposit**

The Foundation currently holds one (2023 - one) term deposit which bears interest at 5.50% (2023 - 4.00%) and is due to mature on 10 November 2024 (2023 - 11 January 2024).

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**4. Marketable Securities**

	2024		2023	
	Cost	Market Value	Cost	Market Value
TB Vets Legacy Fund	\$ 1,307,350	\$ 1,816,682	\$ 1,481,884	\$ 1,686,666
Bequest Fund	761,288	1,088,373	748,183	867,457
General Fund	27,332	31,451	16,328	13,760
	<b>\$ 2,095,970</b>	<b>\$ 2,936,506</b>	<b>\$ 2,246,395</b>	<b>\$ 2,567,883</b>

**5. Tangible Capital Assets**

	Cost	Accumulated Amortization	Net Book Value	
			2024	2023
Office equipment	\$ 33,649	\$ 31,865	\$ 1,784	\$ 2,230
Computer equipment	64,988	49,854	15,134	10,221
	<b>\$ 98,637</b>	<b>\$ 81,719</b>	<b>\$ 16,918</b>	<b>\$ 12,451</b>

**6. Intangible Assets**

	Cost	Accumulated Amortization	Net Book Value	
			2024	2023
Website	\$ 23,063	\$ 23,063	\$ -	\$ 2,306

**7. Accounts Payable and accrued liabilities**

	2024	2023
Payroll liabilities	\$ 11,511	\$ 11,821
Trade accounts payable and accrued liabilities	33,289	29,781
Grants payable	41,100	125,220
	<b>\$ 85,900</b>	<b>\$ 166,822</b>

The Directors of the Foundation approve grants annually to recipient organizations for the purchase of respiratory equipment or to fund research, training and/or programs that support respiratory causes. Grants payable at 30 September 2024 and 2023 represent grant awards that have been approved by the Board of Directors during the year where the cheques to the recipient organizations were prepared and dated prior to year end, however, the signature and release of these cheques to the recipients occurred after the year end. As such these have been presented as grants payable on the statement of financial position.

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**8. Canada Emergency Business Account**

In response to the COVID-19 crisis, the Government of Canada has partnered with Canadian banks to provide government guaranteed, unsecured loans to eligible entities under the Canada Emergency Business Account (CEBA) program. The loan was interest-free through 18 January 2024 and was required to be used for non-deferrable expenses that occurred in the 2020 and 2021 calendar years.

During 2020, the Foundation received \$40,000 under this program. \$10,000 of the loan was eligible for forgiveness provided the Foundation fully repays the remaining \$30,000 on or before 18 January 2024. During the year, the Foundation fully repaid the loan.

**9. Commitments**

- (a) The Foundation and the Tuberculous and Chest Disabled Veterans' Association (the "Association") hold a joint lease agreement for the Vancouver premises which was most recently extended for a five year term commencing on 1 October 2021. The Foundation sub-leases a portion of this office space to the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 44 and utilizes 100% of the remaining space. The related rent expense is recorded in these financial statements accordingly.

The gross future minimum operating lease payments for the Vancouver office including estimated operating costs, equipment and software are as follows:

2025	98,755
2026	70,191
2027	<u>1,827</u>
	<u>\$ 170,773</u>

- (b) The Foundation has committed to providing future grants to certain non-profit organizations in accordance with its objectives as described in Note 1. The Foundation's fixed funding commitments as of 30 September 2024 are as follows:

2025	\$ 175,600
2026	<u>80,600</u>
	<u>\$ 256,200</u>

**10. Investment Income (Loss)**

	2024	2023
Unrealized gain on market value of marketable securities	\$ 516,745	\$ 227,760
Realized gain on sale of marketable securities	99,897	
Investment income	41,252	40,641
Interest income	<u>20,266</u>	<u>24,758</u>
	<u>\$ 678,160</u>	<u>\$ 293,159</u>

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**11. Related Party**

The Foundation's by-laws require that all members of the Foundation's board of directors also be members of the Royal Canadian Legion T.V.S. Branch 44 ("Branch 44") and that the president or delegate of Branch 44 also holds the position of vice-president of the Foundation's board of directors. In addition, the members of the Foundation and of Branch 44 are all in common and certain members of the Branch 44 executive committee are also members of the Foundation's board of directors. Due to the Foundation's by-laws and the crossover in both organizations' memberships and members of the board of directors, the Foundation and Branch 44 are considered related parties.

The Foundation rents a portion of its office space to Branch 44 and during the year, \$20,706 (2023 - \$19,945) of rent was charged. These transactions were in the normal course of operations and were measured at the exchange value established and agreed by the related parties.

At 30 September 2024 included in accounts receivable is \$1,841 (2023 - \$1,831) from Branch 44.

**12. Societies Act (British Columbia)**

The Societies Act (British Columbia) requires a society (other than a society designated as a member-funded society) to include, in its financial statements, the disclosure of any remuneration paid to its directors, and remuneration paid to employees and contractors earning more than \$75,000 during the fiscal year. For the fiscal year ended 30 September 2024, included in wages and salaries are two employees (2023 - two) with remuneration over \$75,000. The total paid to these employees was \$204,518 (2023 - \$192,502). No remuneration was paid to members of the Board of Directors for the 2024 fiscal year.

**13. Financial Instruments**

The Foundation is exposed to various risks through its financial instruments. The following analysis provides a measure of the Foundation's risk exposure and concentrations at the statement of financial position date, 30 September 2024.

(a) Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that an entity will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities. The Foundation is exposed to this risk mainly in respect of its accounts payable and accrued liabilities and government remittances payable. The Foundation manages liquidity risk by maintaining adequate cash and highly liquid investments. There has been no change in the risk exposure from the prior year.

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**13. Financial Instruments - continued**

(b) Credit Risk

Credit risk is the risk that one party to a financial instrument will cause a financial loss for the other party by failing to discharge an obligation. The Foundation's main credit risks relate to its cash, term deposits and accounts receivable. Cash and term deposits are in place with a major financial institution. Accounts receivable balances are monitored regularly by management to mitigate the risk of a financial loss. There has been no change in the risk exposure from the prior year.

(c) Market Risk

Market risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk is comprised of currency risk, interest rate risk and other price risk.

(d) Currency Risk

Currency risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates. The Foundation has investments denominated in U.S. dollars. As such, these investments are exposed to foreign exchange fluctuations. There has been no change in the risk exposure from the prior year.

(e) Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Foundation is exposed to interest rate risk on its fixed and floating interest rate financial instruments. Fixed-rate instruments subject the Foundation to a fair value risk while the floating-rate instruments subject it to a cash flow risk. There has been no change in the risk exposure from the prior year.

(f) Other Price Risk

Other price risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices (other than those arising from interest rate risk or currency risk), whether those changes are caused by factors specific to the individual financial instrument or its issuer, or factors affecting all similar financial instruments traded in the market. The Foundation is exposed to other price risk through its marketable securities. There has been no change in the risk exposure from the prior year.