

Financial Statements of

OVA SCOTIA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

March 31, 2009

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Statement of Financial Position

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	2009	2008
ASSETS		
Current		
Cash	\$ 31,647,231	\$ 33,334,468
Accounts receivable (Note 4)	21,762,711	14,111,746
Inventory	914,415	872,722
Prepays	1,653,902	509,529
	55,978,259	48,828,465
Capital assets (Note 5)	5,685,446	3,875,251
Foundation assets (Note 6)	4,201,588	3,643,691
Provincial Receivable - Future Health Benefits (Note 16)	20,328,071	18,357,805
	\$ 86,193,364	\$ 74,705,212
LIABILITIES		
Current		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 25,360,212	\$ 22,419,482
Deferred revenue (Note 7)	8,763,497	6,750,071
	34,123,709	29,169,553
Deferred revenue related to capital assets (Note 8)	2,420,713	2,484,307
Employee future benefit obligation (Note 16)	35,014,203	29,270,438
	71,558,625	60,924,298
Commitments (Note 14)		
NET ASSETS		
Invested in capital assets (Note 9)	3,264,733	1,390,944
Unrestricted	2,445,495	4,023,356
Restricted for Foundation purposes (Note 6)	4,201,588	3,643,691
Restricted for College development (Note 13)	4,722,923	4,722,923
	14,634,739	13,780,914
	\$ 86,193,364	\$ 74,705,212

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

..... Director

..... Director

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Statement of Cash Flows

Year ended March 31, 2009

	<u>2009</u>	<u>2008</u>
NET INFLOW (OUTFLOW) OF CASH RELATED TO THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES		
Operating		
Excess of revenue over expenditures	\$ 295,928	\$ 353,635
Items not affect cash:		
Amortization of deferred revenue related to capital assets	(1,772,863)	(1,760,407)
Amortization	2,700,118	2,240,958
Employee future benefit obligation	5,743,765	4,305,890
Long-term receivable - Province of Nova Scotia	(1,970,266)	(1,639,805)
Changes in non-cash working capital items (Note 12)	(3,882,875)	1,093,904
	<u>1,113,807</u>	<u>4,594,175</u>
Investing		
Purchase of capital assets	(4,510,313)	(1,721,399)
Financing		
Pensionable advance	-	555,557
Contributions related to capital assets	1,709,269	1,231,976
	<u>1,709,269</u>	<u>1,787,533</u>
NET CASH (OUTFLOW) INFLOW	(1,687,237)	4,660,309
CASH POSITION, BEGINNING OF YEAR	33,334,468	28,674,159
CASH POSITION, END OF YEAR	\$ 31,647,231	\$ 33,334,468

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Statement of Changes in Net Assets

Year ended March 31, 2009

	Invested in Capital Assets (Note 9)	Unrestricted	Restricted for Foundation Purposes (Note 6)	Restricted for College Development (Note 13)	2009 Total	2008 Total
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 1,390,944	\$ 4,023,356	\$ 3,643,691	\$ 4,722,923	\$ 13,780,914	\$ 12,107,308
Adoption of financial instruments accounting policy	-	-	-	-	-	(9,370)
Excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenditures	(927,255)	1,223,183	-	-	295,928	353,635
Investment in capital assets	2,801,044	(2,801,044)	-	-	-	-
Endowment contributions and interest	-	-	1,687,601	-	1,687,601	2,171,282
Endowment disbursements	-	-	(1,129,704)	-	(1,129,704)	(841,941)
Balance, end of year	\$ 3,264,733	\$ 2,445,495	\$ 4,201,588	\$ 4,722,923	\$ 14,634,739	\$ 13,780,914

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1. OVERVIEW OF OPERATIONS

The Nova Scotia Community College (the “College”) was established as a post-secondary public education corporation under the authority of the Community College Act of Nova Scotia effective April 1, 1996.

The College, with thirteen campuses across the Province of Nova Scotia (the “Province”), is responsible for enhancing the economic and social well being of Nova Scotia by meeting the occupational training requirements of the population and the labour market.

The College has entered into a consent agreement with the Province that allows the College to construct facilities on land owned by the Province pursuant to the \$123 million multi-year infrastructure investment announced by the Province on March 28, 2003. The investment will provide newer facilities, more space and revamped learning and student life areas across the Province. Ownership of the buildings, including th

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3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

<u>Assets and liabilities</u>	<u>Classification</u>	<u>Measurement</u>
Cash	Held for trading	Fair value
Provincial receivable - Future Health Benefits	Loans and receivables	Amortized cost
Accounts receivable	Loans and receivables	Amortized cost
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	Other liabilities	Amortized cost

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3. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Contributed services

The Province provides the College with buildings at

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6. FOUNDATION ASSETS (continued)

The Foundation has not been consolidated in the College's financial statements. Financial statements of the Foundation are available upon request. Financial summaries as at March 31 and for the years then ended are as follows:

Sova Scotia Community College Foundation

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8. DEFERRED REVENUE RELATED TO CAPITAL ASSETS

Deferred revenue related to capital assets represents the unamortized portion of funding received from the Province of Nova Scotia and other sources for capital asset additions. The deferred revenue is amortized into revenue at a rate corresponding with the amortization rate for the related capital asset.

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16. EMPLOYEE FUTURE BENEFIT OBLIGATION

College Service Award

An employee hired on or after August 1, 1998 who retires because of age or mental or physical incapacity shall be granted a College Service Award ("CSA") equal to 1% of the employee's annual salary for each year of continuous service to a maximum of 25 years. There are no employee contributions in respect of the plan. There is no distinct fund held in respect of the CSA benefits but sufficient cash is maintained to cover the obligation. The benefits are paid from unrestricted cash.

An actuarial valuation was completed as of March 31, 2009 and the College's obligation relating to these benefits was approximately \$6,248,000 (2008 - \$5,344,000). The benefit expense was \$1,269,056 (2008 - \$1,146,254). The benefits paid were \$39,823 (2008 - \$8,425). The next actuarial valuation is scheduled for March 31, 2010.

The significant actuarial assumptions adopted in estimating the College's obligation are as follows:

Future salary increase	6% per annum
Discount rate	0% per annum
Retirement age	20% upon attainment of age 55 and 80 points (age plus service); the remainder at 35 years of service or age 60, whichever is earlier

Non-pension Retirement Benefits - \$SGEU

In fiscal 2007/2008, the Province required the College to assume the future liability for non-pension retirement benefits for the College's non-teaching staff.

In 2008/2009, the College decided to create a separate fund that would be held in respect of the non-pension retirement benefits. This fund has sufficient cash to cover the obligations associated with this liability.

An actuarial valuation was completed as of March 31, 2009 and the College's obligation relating to these benefits was \$8,438,132 (2008 - \$5,568,633). The benefit expense was \$723,155 (2008 - \$547,828). The benefits paid were \$103,043 (2008 - \$97,022). The next actuarial valuation is scheduled for March 31, 2010.

The significant actuarial assumptions adopted in estimating the College's obligation are as follows:

Expected rate of return	0.80% per annum
Discount rate	2.00% per annum
Retirement age	20% upon attainment of age 55 and 80 points (age plus service); the remainder at 35 years of service or age 60, whichever is earlier

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16. EMPLOYEE FUTURE BENEFIT OBLIGATION (continued)

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18. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

The College's objectives when managing capital are to maintain a capital structure that provides financial flexibility in order to preserve its ability to meet financial obligations. In managing its capital structure, the College monitors performance throughout the year to ensure working capital requirements and capital expenditures are funded for