

BATTLE RIVER WATERSHED ALLIANCE SOCIETY
Financial Statements
Year Ended March 31, 2026

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INDEPENDENT PRACTITIONER'S REVIEW ENGAGEMENT REPORT

To the Members of Battle River Watershed Alliance Society

We have reviewed the accompanying financial statements of Battle River Watershed Alliance Society (the Society) that comprise the statement of financial position as at March 31, 2026, and the statements of revenues and expenditures, changes in net assets 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 accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations (ASNPO), 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.

Practitioner's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the accompanying financial statements based on our review. We conducted our review in accordance with Canadian generally accepted standards for review engagements, which require us to comply with relevant ethical requirements.

A review of financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted standards for review engagements is a limited assurance engagement. The practitioner performs procedures, primarily consisting of making inquiries of management and others within the entity, as appropriate, and applying analytical procedures, and evaluates the evidence obtained.

The procedures performed in a review are substantially less in extent than, and vary in nature from, those performed in an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion on these financial statements.

Conclusion

Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the financial statements do not present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Battle River Watershed Alliance Society as at March 31, 2026, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with ASNPO.

Hall & Company LLP

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Chartered Professional Accountants

Wainwright, Alberta
June 18, 2026

BATTLE RIVER WATERSHED ALLIANCE SOCIETY**Statement of Financial Position****March 31, 2026**

	2026	2025
ASSETS		
CURRENT		
Cash and cash equivalents <i>(Note 4)</i>	\$ 430,608	\$ 114,898
Short term investments <i>(Note 5)</i>	366,795	465,951
Accounts receivable	50,000	57,130
Interest receivable	3,081	4,668
Goods and services tax recoverable	6,147	4,118
Prepaid expenses	3,539	2,928
	860,170	649,693
LONG TERM INVESTMENTS <i>(Note 6)</i>	12,421	5,729
CAPITAL ASSETS <i>(Note 7)</i>	33,062	42,613
	\$ 905,653	\$ 698,035
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
CURRENT		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 4,692	\$ 4,498
Wages payable	19,361	17,701
Deferred contributions <i>(Note 8)</i>	276,626	98,453
	300,679	120,652
NET ASSETS		
Unrestricted net assets	411,912	374,771
Internally restricted reserve fund <i>(Note 9)</i>	160,000	160,000
Equity in capital assets	33,062	42,612
	604,974	577,383
	\$ 905,653	\$ 698,035

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

Director

Director

BATTLE RIVER WATERSHED ALLIANCE SOCIETY**Statement of Revenues and Expenditures****Year Ended March 31, 2026**

	2026	2025
REVENUES		
Corporate funding	\$ 137,946	\$ 110,700
Donations and sponsorships	32,644	2,059
Fee for service	-	114,646
Grants - Federal	9,448	9,431
Grants - Municipal	31,586	33,693
Grants - Other	5,120	7,850
Grants - Provincial	361,820	479,017
	<u>578,564</u>	<u>757,396</u>
EXPENSES		
Advertising and promotion	22,506	28,004
Amortization of capital assets	13,163	17,972
Memberships	795	503
Employee benefits	26,263	23,753
Insurance	2,967	4,443
Interest and bank charges	171	889
Office	25,313	23,401
Meetings expense	11,714	16,417
Training	2,503	3,349
Project supplies	4,957	98,569
Professional fees	13,285	87,972
Rental	26,800	29,469
Salaries and wages	407,964	397,772
Telephone	1,879	2,463
Travel	12,281	14,072
Vehicle	2,783	3,246
	<u>575,344</u>	<u>752,294</u>
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES FROM OPERATIONS	3,220	5,102
OTHER INCOME		
Interest income	<u>24,371</u>	<u>20,852</u>
EXCESS OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES	\$ 27,591	\$ 25,954

BATTLE RIVER WATERSHED ALLIANCE SOCIETY**Statement of Changes in Net Assets****Year Ended March 31, 2026**

	Unrestricted net assets	Internally restricted reserve fund	Equity in capital assets	2026	2025
NET ASSETS - BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$ 374,771	\$ 160,000	\$ 42,612	\$ 577,383	\$ 521,427
Excess of revenues over expenses	40,754	-	(13,163)	27,591	25,954
Invested in capital assets	(3,613)	-	3,613	-	-
NET ASSETS - END OF YEAR	\$ 411,912	\$ 160,000	\$ 33,062	\$ 604,974	\$ 547,381

BATTLE RIVER WATERSHED ALLIANCE SOCIETY**Statement of Cash Flows****Year Ended March 31, 2026**

	2026	2025
OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Excess of revenues over expenses	\$ 27,591	\$ 25,954
Items not affecting cash:		
Amortization of capital assets	13,163	17,972
Interest income reinvested	(23,769)	(10,890)
	<u>16,985</u>	<u>33,036</u>
Changes in non-cash working capital:		
Accounts receivable	7,130	(49,480)
Interest receivable	1,587	2,400
Goods and services tax recoverable	(2,029)	1,113
Prepaid expenses	(611)	843
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	195	(2,555)
Wages payable	1,660	(2,752)
Deferred contributions	178,173	(170,452)
	<u>186,105</u>	<u>(220,883)</u>
Cash flow from (used by) operating activities	<u>203,090</u>	<u>(187,847)</u>
INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Purchase of capital assets	(3,613)	-
Purchase of short term investments	(316,800)	-
Withdrawal of short term investments	433,033	-
	<u>112,620</u>	<u>-</u>
Cash flow from investing activities	<u>112,620</u>	<u>-</u>
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH FLOW	315,710	(187,847)
Cash and cash equivalents - beginning of year	<u>114,898</u>	<u>302,745</u>
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - END OF YEAR	\$ 430,608	\$ 114,898
CASH FLOWS SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION		
Interest received	\$ 25,958	\$ 23,252
Interest paid	\$ 171	\$ 889

BATTLE RIVER WATERSHED ALLIANCE SOCIETY

Notes to Financial Statements

Year Ended March 31, 2026

1. PURPOSE OF THE SOCIETY

Battle River Watershed Alliance Society (the "Society") is a not-for-profit organization incorporated provincially under the Companies Act of Alberta. Management has determined that they are exempt from payment of income tax under Section 149(1) of the Income Tax Act.

The principal purpose of the Society is to guide, support, and deliver actions to sustain or improve the health of the Battle River watershed through knowledgeable community participation and an adaptive approach.

2. BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The financial statements were prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations (ASNPO).

3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash includes cash and cash equivalents. Cash equivalents are investments in term deposits that have maturities at the date of purchase of less than ninety days.

Capital assets

Capital assets are stated at cost or deemed cost less accumulated amortization and are amortized over their estimated useful lives at the following rates and methods:

Equipment	20% declining balance method
Motor vehicles	30% declining balance method
Computer equipment	30% declining balance method
Computer software	5 years straight-line method

The Society regularly reviews its capital assets to eliminate obsolete items. Government grants are treated as a reduction of capital assets cost.

Revenue recognition

The Society follows the deferral method of accounting for contributions.

Donations and sponsorships, grants and corporate funding are recognized as revenue when received or receivable if the amount can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

Fees for service revenue is recognized when the service is provided.

Interest income is recognized as revenue when earned.

Restricted contributions are recognized as revenue in the year in which the related expenses are incurred. Unrestricted contributions are recognized as revenue when received or receivable if the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

Leases

Leases are classified as either capital or operating leases. At the time the Society enters into a capital lease, an asset is recorded with its related long-term obligation to reflect the acquisition and financing. Rental payments under operating leases are expensed as incurred.

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3. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES *(continued)*

Financial instruments

Financial instruments are recorded at fair value when acquired or issued. In subsequent periods, financial assets with actively traded markets are reported at fair value, with any unrealized gains and losses reported in income. All other financial instruments are reported at amortized cost, and tested for impairment at each reporting date. Transaction costs on the acquisition, sale, or issue of financial instruments are expensed when incurred.

Measurement uncertainty

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities, disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the period. Such estimates are periodically reviewed and any adjustments necessary are reported in earnings in the period in which they become known. Actual results could differ from these estimates. The Society's significant estimate pertains to providing for amortization of capital assets.

Contributed services

The operations of the organization depend on both the contribution of time by volunteers and donated materials from various sources. The fair value of donated materials and services cannot be reasonably determined and are therefore not reflected in these financial statements.

4. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

	2026	2025
Cash in bank accounts	\$ 65,958	\$ 114,898
Vision Credit Union 30 day term deposit maturing April 27, 2026 and bearing interest at 1.75% per annum	160,690	-
Vision Credit Union 30 day term deposit maturing April 5, 2026 and bearing interest at 1.75% per annum	111,509	-
Vision Credit Union 30 day term deposit maturing April 9, 2026 and bearing interest at 1.75% per annum	92,451	-
	<u>\$ 430,608</u>	<u>\$ 114,898</u>

5. SHORT TERM INVESTMENTS

	2026	2025
	\$ -	\$ -
Vision Credit Union term deposit maturing November 12, 2026 and bearing interest at 2.00% per annum	366,795	-
Vision Credit Union term deposit maturing May 16, 2025 and bearing interest at 2.50% per annum	-	257,390
Vision Credit Union term deposit maturing April 8, 2025 and bearing interest at 2.00% per annum	-	107,079
Vision Credit Union term deposit maturing July 4, 2025 and bearing interest at 2.25% per annum	-	101,482
	<u>\$ 366,795</u>	<u>\$ 465,951</u>

BATTLE RIVER WATERSHED ALLIANCE SOCIETY**Notes to Financial Statements****Year Ended March 31, 2026****6. LONG TERM INVESTMENTS**

Long term investments consist of Vision Credit Union common shares.

7. CAPITAL ASSETS

	Cost	Accumulated amortization	2026 Net book value	2025 Net book value
Equipment	\$ 16,639	\$ 15,336	\$ 1,303	\$ 1,629
Motor vehicles	55,499	32,384	23,115	33,022
Computer equipment	64,899	56,255	8,644	7,962
Computer software	17,133	17,133	-	-
	<u>\$ 154,170</u>	<u>\$ 121,108</u>	<u>\$ 33,062</u>	<u>\$ 42,613</u>

8. DEFERRED CONTRIBUTIONS

Deferred contributions represent externally restricted contributions and grants that were unspent at year end.

	2026	2025
<u>Alberta Watershed Resiliency and Restoration Program</u>		
Beginning balance	\$ -	\$ -
Grants received in the year	242,800	-
Amount recognized as revenue in the year	(41,819)	-
	<u>200,981</u>	<u>-</u>
<u>CAF America & Cargill Cares</u>		
Beginning balance	24,369	48,747
Industry funding received in the year	68,305	-
Amount recognized as revenue in the year	(60,645)	(24,378)
	<u>32,029</u>	<u>24,369</u>
<u>Caring For Our Watersheds</u>		
Beginning balance	-	-
Grants received in the year	45,000	-
Amount recognized as revenue in the year	(31,253)	-
	<u>13,747</u>	<u>-</u>
<u>Water Smart (North Saskatchewan Watershed Alliance)</u>		
Beginning balance	25,000	-
Donations received in the year	-	25,000
Amount recognized as revenue in the year	(16,830)	-
	<u>8,170</u>	<u>25,000</u>

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Beginning balance	14,877	-
Industry funding received in the year	7,500	20,000
Amount recognized as revenue in the year	(14,877)	(5,123)
	<u>7,500</u>	<u>14,877</u>

Battle River Community Foundation - ACP Grant Support

Beginning balance	5,120	5,350
Grants received in the year	5,575	5,120
Amount recognized as revenue in the year	(5,120)	(5,350)
	<u>5,575</u>	<u>5,120</u>

Battle Lake Preservation Society

Beginning balance	10,522	-
Donations received in the year	-	10,522
Amount recognized as revenue in the year	(4,999)	-
	<u>5,523</u>	<u>10,522</u>

Camrose Energy

Beginning balance	10,316	3,000
Grants received in the year	-	9,000
Amount recognized as revenue in the year	(7,215)	(1,684)
	<u>3,101</u>	<u>10,316</u>

Heartland - Education Program Habitat Tour

Beginning balance	5,549	10,000
Industry funding received in the year	-	-
Amount recognized as revenue in the year	(5,549)	(4,451)
	<u>-</u>	<u>5,549</u>

Vern Malone Fund

Beginning balance	2,700	-
Donations received in the year	-	2,700
Amount recognized as revenue in the year	(2,700)	-
	<u>-</u>	<u>2,700</u>

<u>\$</u>	<u>276,626</u>	<u>\$</u>	<u>98,453</u>
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9. INTERNALLY RESTRICTED RESERVES

The Society has established reserve funds for operations and capital in the event that subsequent years funding may be reduced.

	2026	2025
Capital reserve	\$ 30,000	\$ 30,000
Operations Continuity Reserve	130,000	130,000
	<u>\$ 160,000</u>	<u>\$ 160,000</u>

10. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Society is exposed to various risks through its financial instruments and has a comprehensive risk management framework to monitor, evaluate and manage these risks. The following analysis provides information about the Society's risk exposure and concentration as of March 31, 2026.

Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that an entity will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities. The Society is exposed to this risk mainly in respect of its receipt of funds from its customers and other related sources, accounts payable and accrued liabilities and wages payable.

Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the value of a financial instrument might be adversely affected by a change in the interest rates. In seeking to minimize the risks from interest rate fluctuations, the Society manages exposure through its normal operating and financing activities by investing in fixed rate term deposits.

Unless otherwise noted, it is management's opinion that the Society is not exposed to significant other price risks arising from these financial instruments.

11. ECONOMIC DEPENDENCE

During the year, the Society received 75% (2025 - 62%) of its total funding through grants from the Alberta Ministry of Environment and Protected Areas. The future ability of the Society to fulfil its purpose is dependant upon the continued funding from these two sources.

12. CONTRACTUAL OBLIGATIONS

The Society entered into a two year lease agreement in April 2026 relating to its premises. The minimum annual payments are as follows, with the option for the lessor to increase the rate by 5% in January 2027 and January 2028:

Contractual obligation repayment schedule:

2027	\$ 26,575
2028	26,575
	<u>\$ 53,150</u>