

North Island 9-1-1 Corporation

Incorporated 1995

2014

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North Island 9-1-1 Corporation Financial Statements Year ended December 31, 2014

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Management's Responsibility for Financial Reporting

The financial statements have been prepared by management in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards and are outlined under Significant Accounting Policies in the notes to the financial statements. Management is responsible for the integrity and objectivity of these statements as well as the supplementary schedules.

Management maintains a system of internal controls to provide reasonable assurance that assets are safeguarded and that transactions are authorized, recorded and reported properly. Management also maintains a program of proper business compliance.

The board of directors is responsible for reviewing and approving the financial statements and for ensuring that management fulfils its responsibilities for financial reporting and internal control.

BDO Canada LLP, Chartered Accountants, the corporation's independent auditor, has conducted an examination of the financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards and have expressed their opinion in a report accompanying this statement.

E.J. Dunlop, CGA Officer responsible for Financial Administration, pursuant to Section 199 of the Local Government Act

May 8, 2015



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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Board of Directors North Island 9-1-1 Corporation

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the North Island 9-1-1 Corporation, which comprise of the Statement of Financial Position as at December 31, 2014, and the Statements of Operations, Change in Net Financial 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 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 the 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 North Island 9-1-1 Corporation as at December 31, 2014, and the results of operations, changes in net financial assets and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.

Sps Canada LLP

Chartered Accountants Vancouver, British Columbia April 24, 2015

North Island 9-1-1 Corporation Statement of Financial Position December 31, 2014

		2014		 2013	
Financial Assets					
Cash (Note	3)	\$	865,363	\$ 1,520,330	
Security dep	posits		1,000	1,000	
Receivables	s -Federal government		13,651	23,483	
	-Provincial government		-	1,500	
	-Local government		19,258	8,869	
	-Other		5,395	 1,850	
Total Financial Ass	ets		904,667	 1,557,032	
Liabilities					
Payables	-Federal government		7,060	248,060	
	-Provincial government		1,477	20,738	
	-Local government		138,324	215,314	
Trade accou	unts and accrued liabilities		138,136	118,191	
Deferred rev	venue		18,500	 17,199	
Total Liabilities			303,497	 619,502	
Net Financial Asset	S		601,170	 937,530	
Non-Financial Asse	ts				
Prepaid exp	penses		57,849	52,077	
Tangible ca	pital assets (Schedule A)		1,296,250	 1,172,048	
Total Non-Financia	I Assets		1,354,099	 1,224,125	
Accumulated Surpl	us (Note 4)	\$	1,955,269	\$ 2,161,655	

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E.J. Dunlop, CGA Corporate Financial Officer

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North Island 9-1-1 Corporation Statement of Operations Year ended December 31, 2014

	2014	2014	2013
	Budget (Note 7)	Actual	Actual
Revenue			
Funding from local governments (Schedule B)	\$ 2,119,400	\$ 2,119,400	\$ 1,988,445
Sales of service - other local governments	2,058	2,058	2,058
Sub-licence revenue	37,578	37,229	37,484
Interest	5,000	14,042	18,574
Other revenue	6,720	26,583	46,772
Total Revenue	2,170,756	2,199,312	2,093,333
Expenses			
General government services (Schedule C)	210,381	208,496	206,825
Protective services (Schedule D)	2,068,373	2,197,202	2,191,384
Total Expenses	2,278,754	2,405,698	2,398,209
Annual Deficit	(107,998)	(206,386)	(304,876)
Accumulated Surplus, beginning of year	2,161,655	2,161,655	2,466,531
Accumulated Surplus, end of year	\$ 2,053,657	\$ 1,955,269	\$ 2,161,655

North Island 9-1-1 Corporation Statement of Change in Net Financial Assets Year ended December 31, 2014

	2014			2014		2013
	Budget (Note 7)			Actual		Actual
Annual Deficit	\$	(107,998)	\$	(206,386)	\$	(304,876)
Acquisition of tangible capital assets Amortization of tangible capital assets Change in prepaid expenses		(357,000) - -		(310,059) 185,857 (5,772)		(318,161) 182,849 (41,846)
Decrease in Net Financial Assets		(464,998)		(336,360)		(482,034)
Net Financial Assets, beginning of year		937,530		937,530		1,419,564
Net Financial Assets, end of year	\$	472,532	\$	601,170	\$	937,530

North Island 9-1-1 Corporation Statement of Cash Flows Year ended December 31, 2014

	2014			2013	
Operating Transactions					
Annual Deficit	\$	(206,386)	\$	(304,876)	
Changes in non-cash operating balances					
Receivables		(2,602)		15,099	
Payables and accrued liabilities		(317,306)		443,250	
Prepaid expenses		(5,772)		(41,846)	
Deferred revenue		1,301		94	
Items not utilizing cash					
Amortization of tangible capital assets		185,857		182,849	
Cash Provided by (Used in) Operating Transactions		(344,908)		294,570	
Capital Transactions					
Acquisition of tangible capital assets		(310,059)	,	(318,161)	
Cash Applied to Capital Transactions		(310,059)		(318,161)	
Net change in Cash		(654,967)		(23,591)	
Cash, beginning of year		1,520,330		1,543,921	
Cash, end of year	\$	865,363	\$	1,520,330	

1. Purpose

The North Island 9-1-1 Corporation (the corporation) was incorporated in 1995 for the purpose of providing emergency 9-1-1 telephone service to Vancouver Island and the surrounding coastal area from Nanaimo north. The corporation is exempt from taxation.

2. Significant Accounting Policies

a) General

As the North Island 9-1-1 Corporation shares are 100% owned by British Columbia regional districts (Note 5), the corporation follows recommendations and guidance with respect to matters of accounting and auditing in the public sector as issued by the Public Sector Accounting Board (PSAB) of the Chartered Professional Accountants Canada.

b) Financial Instruments

The corporation's financial instruments consist of cash in Canadian and United States dollars, receivables, payables and trade accounts and accrued liabilities. Unless otherwise noted, it is management's opinion that the corporation is not exposed to significant interest rate, currency or credit risks arising from these financial instruments.

c) 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 ordinary course of business.

d) Tangible Capital Assets

Tangible capital assets are a special class of non-financial assets and are recorded at cost, net of disposals, write-downs and amortization and includes all amounts that are directly attributable to acquisition, construction, development or betterment of the asset. Amortization is recorded on a straight line basis over the estimated life of the tangible capital asset. Assets under construction are not amortized until the asset is put into use. Estimated useful lives are as follows:

Office furniture and equipment	10 years
Vehicles	6 years
Information technology infrastructure	5 years
Communication infrastructure	
Radio and satellite systems and components	7-10 years
Communication towers and equipment shelters	30-40 years

e) Revenue Recognition

The corporation recognizes revenue based on assessments issued to the regional districts in its service area. These assessments are issued on an annual basis to meet the expenditures of the corporation. Interest revenue is recorded when earned. Deferred revenue consists of sub-license revenue received during the year that relates to future periods. Sub-licence revenue is recorded when earned.

f) Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with Canadian public sector accounting standards requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period.

Significant areas requiring management estimates are the determination of amortization of tangible capital assets, the useful lives of these assets and provisions for contingencies. Actual results may vary from the estimates and any adjustments will be reported and reflected in operations as they become known.

3. Cash

Cash includes \$1,017 in US funds which has been translated to \$1,180 Canadian at the December 31, 2014 exchange rate (2013 - \$1,017 USD translated to \$1,082 CAD). Transactions in US foreign currency during the year resulted in a gain on foreign currency transactions of \$98 (2013 – loss of \$236).

4. Accumulated Surplus

	2014	2013
Equity in tangible capital assets	\$1,296,250	\$1,172,048
Operating surplus	72,469	107,999
General operating contingency reserve	-	-
Future expenditure reserve	536,162	831,220
Insurance reserve	50,367	50,367
Share capital (Note 5)	21	21
	\$1,955,269	\$2,161,655

The reserve for future expenditures was established to provide for expenditure for capital works, machinery and equipment and the replacement of equipment and communication infrastructure made inefficient through amortization and obsolescence.

The insurance reserve represents self-insurance to assist with any deductible arising from insurance claims.

5. Share Capital

Authorized: 10,000 Class "A" common voting shares without par value

Issued: 21 Class "A" shares, as follows:	2014	2013
Comox Valley Regional District	\$6	\$6
Regional District of Nanaimo	5	5
Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District	3	3
Regional District of Mount Waddington	1	1
Powell River Regional District	2	2
Strathcona Regional District	4	4
	\$ 21	\$ 21

North Island 9-1-1 Corporation Notes to the Financial Statements Year ended December 31, 2014

6. Related Party Transactions

During the year, one of the shareholders, the Comox Valley Regional District, provided support services, including the services of a mapping coordinator, in the amount of \$208,496 (2013 - \$206,825) to the corporation as detailed on Schedule C.

Payables to local governments at year end include \$11,629 (2013 - \$14,256) due to the Comox Valley Regional District.

7. Restatement of 2014 Budget

The budget amounts presented throughout these financial statements represent the budget approved by the corporation's board on March 7, 2014.

The budget anticipated use of surpluses and reserves accumulated in previous years to balance against current year expenditures in excess of current year revenues. Another significant variance is that the budget anticipated capital expenditures rather than amortization expense.

The summary below reconciles the 2014 approved budget to the Statement of Operations.

Budgeted Annual Deficit, as restated	\$ (107,998)
Transfers from previous years' surplus	(107,998)
Transfers from reserves	(357,000)
Less:	
Capital acquisitions	357,000
Add:	
Budgeted surplus, as approved March 7, 2014	\$ -

8. Commitment

In April 2013, the corporation entered into a five year agreement with the City of Campbell River for fire dispatch services. The remaining commitment under the agreement, which expires March 31, 2018, is approximately \$4,695,571 and is based on the five year financial plan provided by the City.

During 2014, the corporation researched options for a call answer service provider for the public safety call answer point (PSAP). In October 2014, a five year agreement, with an approximate value of \$2,003,510, was awarded to E-Comm Emergency Communications for Southwest British Columbia Incorporated for call answer services.

North Island 9-1-1 Corporation Schedule of Tangible Capital Assets Year Ended December 31, 2014

Schedule A

	Office Furniture & Equipment	Vehicles	IT Infrastructure	Communication Infrastructure	Work in Progress	December 31, 2014	December 31 2013,
Cost							
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 58,233	\$ 53,534	\$ 507,289	\$ 1,443,673	\$ 255,730	\$ 2,318,457	\$ 2,000,296
Add: Additions Less:	-	-	34,421	-	275,638	310,059	318,161
Work in progress capitalized		-		524,105	(524,105)	-	
Balance, end of year	58,233	53,534	541,710	1,967,778	7,262	2,628,516	2,318,457
Accumulated Amortization							
Balance, beginning of year	41,546	22,306	182,843	899,714		1,146,409	963,560
Add: Amortization	3,034	8,922	94,621	79,281		185,857	182,849
Balance, end of year	44,580	31,228	277,463	978,995		1,332,266	1,146,409
Net Book Value of Tangible Capital Assets	\$ 13,653	\$ 22,306	\$ 264,247	\$ 988,783	\$ 7,262	\$ 1,296,250	\$ 1,172,048

North Island 9-1-1 Corporation Schedule of Funding from Local Governments Year ended December 31, 2014

Schedule B

	2014			2013		
Regional District Participants						
Comox Valley	31.70%	\$	671,796	31.22%	\$	620,760
Nanaimo	26.76%		567,172	27.07%		538,255
Strathcona	17.22%		364,941	17.12%		340,439
Alberni-Clayoquot	12.86%		272,503	12.92%		256,848
Powell River	8.23%		174,438	8.42%		167,470
Mount Waddington	3.23%		68,550	3.25%		64,673
	100.00%	\$	2,119,400	100.00%	\$	1,988,445

Shareholders' Contribution Percentage

Section 4.4 of Schedule A, Bylaw 1711, cited as "Comox-Strathcona North Island 9-1-1

Corporation By-law, 1994" reads as follows:

"Each Shareholders' respective contribution percentage of funds required from time to time by the Company shall be reassessed by the Company annually, on the basis of net taxable value of land and improvements assessed for hospital purposes, within the Shareholders' jurisdiction, commencing from the date of this Agreement, and upon the withdrawal or addition of a Shareholder, any such change to be determined as if a Major Decision of the Board."

North Island 9-1-1 Corporation Schedule of General Government Services Expenses Year ended December 31, 2014

	2014 Budget (Note 7)		2014 Actual		 2013 Actual
Comox Valley Regional District Support Services Administrative support services Mapping co-ordinator support services	\$	130,000 80,381	\$	130,000 78,496	\$ 130,000 76,825
	\$	210,381	\$	208,496	\$ 206,825

Schedule of Protective Services Expenses Year ended December 31, 2014

Schedule D

Schedule C

	2014 Budget (Note 7)		2014 Actual		2013 Actual	
Advertising	\$	2,500	\$	363	\$	856
Amortization of tangible capital assets (Schedule A)		-		185,857		182,849
Bank charges and interest		1,000		278		610
Contract services - City of Campbell River fire dispatch		1,040,451		1,039,987		1,111,985
Contract services - RCMP PSAP call answer services		477,324		405,385		462,162
Contract services - E-Comm PSAP call answer services		-		89,630		-
Insurance		30,875		28,856		28,857
Licences and permits		61,638		78,799		26,819
Minor capital		46,500		27,688		24,351
Office supplies and other		6,000		4,860		4,293
Professional fees		61,000		26,501		68,508
Rental/lease - land/machine and equipment		33,911		31,198		25,753
Repairs and maintenance		65,000		48,999		34,029
Telephone		119,924		111,485		112,403
Training and development		6,000		675		1,273
Travel		7,000		9,393		5,190
Vehicle insurance		2,500		1,737		2,125
Wages and employee benefits		106,750		105,511		99,321
	\$	2,068,373	\$	2,197,202	\$	2,191,384