

## Financial Statements

# The Municipality of North Perth Cemetery Trust Funds

December 31, 2014

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# Independent auditor's report

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To the Chair and Members of Council Inhabitants and Ratepayers of the Municipality of North Perth

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Municipality of North Perth Cemetery Trust Funds which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2014, and the statement of operations 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 our 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 Municipality of North Perth Cemetery Trust Funds as at December 31, 2014, and the results of its operations for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.

Grant Thornton LLP

Burlington, Canada May 25, 2015

Chartered Accountants Licensed Public Accountants

Statement of Financial Position		
Years Ended December 31	2014	2013
Financial assets		
Cash	\$ 278,489	\$ 243,535
Loan receivable (Note 2)	241,205	254,174
Due from the Municipality of North Perth	62,001	34,954
Net financial assets and		
accumulated surplus	\$ 581,695	\$ 532,663

## The Municipality of North Perth Cemetery Trust Funds Statement of Financial Position

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Years Ended December 31	2014	2013
Revenue Plot sales/monuments transferred from		
Cemetery Board Interest	\$ 49,032 <u></u> 21,306	\$ 23,611 <u>19,415</u>
Function	<u>    70,338</u>	43,026
Expenses Interest transferred to Cemetery Board	<u>    21,306</u>	19,415
Annual surplus	49,032	23,611
Accumulated surplus Beginning of the year	532,663	509,052
End of year	\$ 581,695	\$ 532,663

## The Municipality of North Perth Cemetery Trust Funds Statement of Operations

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

## The Municipality of North Perth Cemetery Trust Funds Notes to the Financial Statements

December 31, 2014

### 1. Summary of significant accounting policies

### Management responsibility

The financial statements are the responsibility of and prepared by management in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards. The preparation of financial statements necessarily involves the use of estimates based on management's judgment, particularly when transactions affecting the current accounting period cannot be finalized with certainty until future periods.

The significant accounting policies used are as follows:

### Basis of accounting

Sources of revenue and expenses are reported on the accrual basis of accounting. The accrual basis of accounting recognizes revenues as they become available and measurable; expenses are recognized as they are incurred and measurable as a result of receipt of goods or services and the creation of legal obligation to pay.

### Use of estimates

The preparation of the Trust Fund's 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 year. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

### Statement of cash flows

The statement of cash flows has not been included in these financial statements as it would not provide any additional useful information in understanding the cash flows for the year. The sources and uses of cash are readily apparent from the information included in the financial statements.

### 2. Loan receivable

The loan to the Municipality of North Perth is receivable in annual instalments of \$25,678 including interest at 5% and is due December 2027.