Financial Statements of

# ST. BONIFACE HOSPITAL FOUNDATION INC.

And Independent Auditor's Report thereon

Year ended December 31, 2023



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### **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT**

To the Member of St. Boniface Hospital Foundation Inc.

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of St. Boniface Hospital Foundation Inc. (the "Entity"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2023, the statements of operations and changes in fund balances and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies (hereinafter referred to as the "financial statements").

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Entity as at December 31, 2023, 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 Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the "Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements" section of our auditor's report.

We are independent of the Entity 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 opinion.

# 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 Entity'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 Entity or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

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



#### Auditor's 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 auditor's 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 the 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 Entity's internal control.
- 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 Entity's ability to continue as a going concern.
  If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's
  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 auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Entity 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.



• 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.

KPMG LLP

**Chartered Professional Accountants** 

Winnipeg, Canada April 9, 2024

Statement of Financial Position

December 31, 2023, with comparative information for 2022

	2023	2022
Assets		
Cash	\$ 10,994,698	\$ 15,815,194
Accounts receivable (notes 7 and 10)	55,337	80,756
Prepaid expenses	106,445	142,131
Investments (note 3)	96,199,666	70,800,306
Cash surrender value of life insurance (note 4)	389,820	375,737
Capital assets (note 5)	183,343	274,763
	\$ 107,929,309	\$ 87,488,887
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (note 10) Grants payable (note 10)	\$ 521,887 10,801,189	\$ 405,289 8,716,640
	11,323,076	9,121,929
Fund balances:		
Unrestricted (notes 8 and 12)	4,297,885	3,279,657
Endowment (note 7)	52,522,600	47,878,394
Operating Reserve (notes 2[a] and 7)	5,806,114	5,339,731
Innovation (notes 2[a], 7 and 8)	11,207,637	12,281,600
Capital Reserve (notes 2[a], 7 and 8)	5,213,364	-
Restricted Designated (note 12)	17,558,633	9,587,576
	96,606,233	78,366,958
Commitments (note 12)		

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

Approved on behalf of the Board of Directors:

Jonathan Letkemann Director Andean Director

Director

Statement of Operations and Changes in Fund Balances

Year ended December 31, 2023, with comparative information for 2022

	Unrestricted Fund	Endowment Fund	Operating Reserve Fund	Innovation Fund	Restricted Designated Fund	Capital Reserve Fund	2023 Total	2022 Total
Revenue:								
Contributions:								
Major gifts	\$ 171,211	+ )	\$ –	\$ –	\$ 2,636,061	\$ –	\$ 3,200,260	\$ 2,622,344
Developments	1,925,607	13,844	-	_	11,016,843	-	12,956,294	3,034,920
Investments (note 6)	1,467,731	(429,706)	(63,041)		2,118,403	(28,841)	3,812,337	3,467,017
Unrealized changes in fair value of investments	309,300	4,664,467	529,424	1,079,667	_	242,205	6,825,063	(9,702,973)
	3,873,849	4,641,593	466,383	1,827,458	15,771,307	213,364	26,793,954	(578,692)
Lotteries:								
Lottery revenue	\$14,423,713	\$ –	\$ –	\$ –	\$ -	\$ –	\$14,423,713	
Cost of lotteries	10,965,542	_	_	_	_	_	10,965,542	11,036,172
	3,458,171	-	-	-	-	-	3,458,171	4,090,753
	7,332,020	4,641,593	466,383	1,827,458	15,771,307	213,364	30,252,125	3,512,061
Expenses:								
Administration	\$ 762,614	\$ –	\$ –	\$ –	\$ –	\$ –	\$ 762,614	\$ 747,387
Major gifts	1,045,785	_	_	_	_	_	1,045,785	983,534
Development	990,736	_	_	_	_	_	990,736	1,008,180
	2,799,135	-	-	-	-	-	2,799,135	2,739,101
Excess of revenue over expenses before grants	4,532,885	4,641,593	466,383	1,827,458	15,771,307	213,364	27,452,990	772,960
Grants (note 10)	1,132,621	_	-	_	8,081,094	_	9,213,715	11,070,422
Excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses	3,400,264	4,641,593	466,383	1,827,458	7,690,213	213,364	18,239,275	(10,297,462)
Fund balances, beginning of year	3,279,657	47,878,394	5,339,731	12,281,600	9,587,576	_	78,366,958	88,664,420
Inter-fund transfers for designated donations	_	2,613	-	789,823	(792,436)	_	-	_
Inter-fund transfers per Foundation's policies (note 8)	(2,382,036)	_	-	(3,691,244)	1,073,280	5,000,000	-	_
Fund balances, end of year	\$ 4,297.885	\$ 52,522,600	\$ 5,806,114	\$ 11,207,637	\$ 17,558,633	\$ 5,213,364	\$ 96,606,233	\$78,366,958

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

Statement of Cash Flows

Year ended December 31, 2023, with comparative information for 2022

	2023	2022
Cash provided by (used in):		
Operating activities:		
Excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses	\$ 18,239,275	\$ (10,297,462)
Items not involving cash:		
Unrealized changes in fair value of investments	(6,825,063)	9,702,973
Amortization	112,625	76,155
Cash surrender value of life insurance	(14,083)	(7,828)
Change in non-cash operating working capital:		
Accounts receivable	25,419	7,212
Prepaid expenses	35,686	(17,818)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	116,598	(8,241)
Grants payable	2,084,549	873,903
	13,775,006	328,894
Investing activities:		
Capital assets acquired	(21,205)	(152,288)
Increase in investments, net	(18,574,297)	(2,608,356)
	(18,595,502)	(2,760,644)
Decrease in cash	(4,820,496)	(2,431,750)
Cash, beginning of year	15,815,194	18,246,944
Cash, end of year	\$ 10,994,698	\$ 15,815,194

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

Notes to Financial Statements

Year ended December 31, 2023

#### 1. Purpose of the organization:

The St. Boniface Hospital Foundation Inc. (the "Foundation") is a self-funded organization, which raises funds to provide quality health care research as well as programs for improved quality of life and respect for individuals. As the primary fundraising organization for St. Boniface Hospital Inc., the Foundation is an integral part of the continuing threefold objective of providing excellence in patient care, education and research.

The Foundation was incorporated in the Province of Manitoba as a not-for-profit organization and is a registered charity under the *Income Tax Act*.

#### 2. Significant accounting policies:

The financial statements have been prepared by management in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations in Part III of the CPA Canada Handbook.

(a) Fund accounting:

The Foundation follows the restricted fund method of accounting for contributions.

The Unrestricted Fund consists of contributions for which donors have not designated a specific purpose and revenue related to general fundraising. Amortization of capital assets and unrestricted investment income are recognized in this Fund.

Endowment funds are contributions designated by donors to remain in perpetuity. The investment income earned by these funds is either restricted by the donor for specific use, or for the general use of the Foundation. Investment income is allocated to each endowment fund annually. A portion of the investment income is often redirected to build the principal balance while the remaining amount is granted as directed by the donor.

The Foundation established an Innovation Fund (formerly the Sustaining Fund) in 2018. Investment income earned on the Innovation Fund is used to support the development and growth of the Foundation as well as special projects at St. Boniface Hospital Inc. and Research Centre.

The Foundation established an Operating Reserve Fund through a transfer of \$5,000,000 from the Innovation Fund in 2018. Investment income earned on this fund is used to support the long-term viability of the Foundation's operations. Utilization of the funds within the Operating Reserve Fund and Innovation Fund is at the discretion of the Board of Directors of the Foundation.

The Foundation established a Capital Reserve Fund for St. Boniface Hospital Research Centre through a transfer of \$5,000,000 from the Innovation Fund in 2023. This fund will provide a portion of the funding required to address infrastructure issues on an ongoing basis.

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

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#### 2. Significant accounting policies (continued):

Utilization of the funds within the Capital Reserve Fund for St. Boniface Hospital Research is at the discretion of the Board of Directors of the Foundation.

The Restricted Designated Fund consists of restricted contributions related to specific areas of excellence in patient care, education and research, including funds for the capital and development costs of the Clinical Research and Cardiac Centres of St. Boniface Hospital Inc.

(b) Revenue recognition:

Externally restricted contributions are recognized as revenue when received or receivable in the Restricted Designated Fund, if the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured. Unrestricted contributions are recognized as revenue when received or receivable in the Unrestricted Fund, if the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured. Special events revenue is recognized on completion of the event. Endowment contributions are recognized as revenue when received in the Endowment Fund.

Unrestricted investment income is recognized in the Unrestricted Fund. Restricted investment income is allocated to the appropriate Endowment, Operating Reserve, Capital Reserve, Innovation or Restricted Fund. All other fundraising proceeds and donations are recorded in the Unrestricted Fund.

Pledges made to the Foundation are recorded in the year in which the funds are received.

(c) Financial instruments:

Financial instruments are recorded at fair value on initial recognition. Freestanding derivative instruments that are not in a qualifying hedging relationship and equity instruments that are quoted in an active market are subsequently measured at fair value. All other financial instruments are subsequently recorded at cost or amortized cost, unless management has elected to carry the instruments at fair value. The Foundation has not elected to carry any such financial instruments at fair value.

Transaction costs incurred on the acquisition of financial instruments measured subsequently at fair value are expensed as incurred. All other financial instruments are adjusted by transaction costs incurred on acquisition and financing costs, which are amortized using the straight-line method.

Fixed income, international equity and Canadian equity fund units are recorded at fair values established by the respective fund manager.

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

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#### 2. Significant accounting policies (continued):

(d) Contributed services:

Volunteers are an integral part of carrying out the activities of the Foundation. Contributed services are not recognized in the financial statements because of the difficulty in determining their fair market value.

(e) Grants:

Grants are expensed in the fiscal year for which they are approved.

(f) Cash surrender value of life insurance:

Life insurance policies that have been assigned irrevocably by donors are valued at their current cash surrender value.

(g) Capital assets:

Purchased capital assets are recorded at cost. Contributed capital assets are recorded at fair value on the date of contribution. Capital assets are amortized on a straight-line basis over their estimated useful lives. Any gain or loss on disposal of these assets is recorded in the statement of operations in the year of disposal. The estimated useful lives of capital assets are as follows:

Asset	Years
Leasehold improvements	10
Furniture and equipment	5
Computer equipment	3 - 10

Capital assets are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value of an asset may not be recoverable. When circumstances indicate that a capital asset is impaired, the net carrying amount of the capital asset is written down to the asset's fair value or replacement cost. The write-down of the asset is charged to income during the year. An impairment loss is not reversed if the fair value of the related asset subsequently increases.

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#### 2. Significant accounting policies (continued):

(h) Government assistance:

The Foundation makes periodic applications for financial assistance under available government incentive programs. Government assistance is included in the determination of income for the period as revenue. A liability to repay government assistance, if any, is recorded in the periods in which the conditions arise that cause the assistance to become repayable.

#### (i) Use of estimates:

The preparation of the financial statements requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the year. Significant items subject to such estimates and assumptions include the carrying amount of capital assets and investments. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### 3. Investments:

	2023	2022
International equity funds	\$ 32,294,301	\$ 31,049,824
Fixed income funds	25,998,424	23,036,410
Guaranteed investment certificates	16,311,319	_
Canadian equity funds	14,853,122	16,714,072
Real estate and infrastructure	6,742,500	_
	\$ 96,199,666	\$ 70,800,306

The Guaranteed investment certificates have maturity dates ranging from July 2024 to November 2025 and earn interest at 4.61 percent to 5.82 percent.

#### 4. Cash surrender value of life insurance:

	2023	2022
Balance, beginning of year Increase during the year, net of amounts received	\$ 375,737 14,083	\$ 367,909 7,828
Balance, end of year	\$ 389,820	\$ 375,737

The Foundation is the designated beneficiary of five (2022 - five) life insurance policies. Proceeds receivable on the demise of the donors will be approximately \$715,000 (2022 - \$718,000).

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

Year ended December 31, 2023

#### 5. Capital assets:

			2023	2022
	Cost	 ccumulated mortization	Net book value	Net book value
Leasehold improvements Furniture and equipment Computer equipment	\$ 690,131 203,626 859,048	\$ 679,495 195,049 694,918	\$ 10,636 8,577 164,130	\$ 8,106 11,730 254,927
	\$ 1,752,805	\$ 1,569,462	\$ 183,343	\$ 274,763

#### 6. Investment revenue:

	2023	2022
International equity funds	\$ 1,282,113	\$ 1,463,149
Canadian equity funds	590,938	823,653
Fixed income funds	1,120,271	1,072,166
Guaranteed investment certificates	336,957	_
Bank interest	769,073	425,959
Other	(404)	(26,982)
Investment management fees	(286,611)	(290,928)
	\$ 3,812,337	\$ 3,467,017

#### 7. Endowment, Operating Reserve, Capital Reserve and Innovation Funds:

Investment income allocation:

The calculation and allocation of investment income earned by the Endowment, Operating Reserve, Capital Reserve and Innovation Funds is performed on December 31 each year. The investment income available for granting is calculated at 5.0 percent (2022 - 5.0 percent) of the Endowment, Operating Reserve, Capital Reserve and Innovation Funds' average market value over the three preceding years less an administration fee of 0.5 percent of the current market value of the Endowment, Operating Reserve, Capital Reserve, Capital Reserve and Innovation Funds' Average market value of the Endowment, Operating Reserve, Capital Reserve, Capital Reserve and Innovation Funds. All investment income calculated above allocated to the Operating Reserve, Capital Reserve and Innovation Funds is put back into the funds for future use.

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

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#### 8. Inter-fund transfers:

During the year ended December 31, 2023, the Board approved the transfer of \$2,382,036 in excess unrestricted funds to the Innovation Fund related to the year ended December 31, 2022. During the year ended December 31, 2023, the Board also approved the transfer of \$5,000,000 to the Capital Reserve Fund for St. Boniface Hospital Research Centre from the Innovation Fund.

#### 9. Pledges:

Pledges made to the Foundation, but not recorded in the financial statements, are as follows:

	Unrestric	Unrestricted Fund		ent Fund	Desig	Restricted Inated Fund
2024	\$	32,000	\$	5,000	\$	<b>651,75</b> 9
2025		1,000		5,000		<b>437,70</b> 0
2026		-		-		<b>388,03</b> 3
2027		-		-		<b>76,00</b> 0
	\$	33,000	\$	10,000	\$	1,553,492

#### 10. Related parties:

During the year, the Foundation had transactions with the following related parties. These entities are without share capital and are related due to common control.

		2023		2022
Amounts due from St. Boniface Hospital Inc. Included in the following accounts: Accounts receivable	\$	_	\$	18,198
Amounts due to St. Boniface Hospital Inc. are included in the following accounts: Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Grants payable	10,8	2,245 01,189	8	3,372 3,716,640

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

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#### 10. Related parties (continued):

	2023	2022
Expenses: Grants to St. Boniface Hospital Inc.	\$ 9,213,715	\$ 11,070,422

The above transactions occurred in the ordinary course of business and are measured at the exchange amount, which is the amount of consideration established and agreed to by the related parties.

#### 11. Pension plan:

All eligible employees of the Foundation are members of the Healthcare Employees' Pension Plan - Manitoba (HEPP), a multi-employer defined benefit pension plan.

During the year, the Foundation contributed \$139,103 (2022 - \$147,578) on behalf of its employees. The most recent funding actuarial valuation of the plan as of December 31, 2022, reported the plan had a surplus of actuarial value of net assets over actuarial value of pension obligations and a solvency deficiency. Based on a solvency exemption granted to HEPP, the plan is not required to fund on a solvency basis but is required to fund on a going concern basis, where required. Any going concern deficiency will be funded by special payments out of current contributions. Any contribution deficiencies in the plan would be addressed through pension benefit reductions or contribution rate increases from the participating members.

The Foundation's contribution rate is 8.9 percent (2022 - 8.9 percent) of pensionable earnings up to the year's maximum pensionable earnings (YMPE) and 10.5 percent (2022 - 10.5 percent) on earnings in excess of YMPE.

#### 12. Commitments:

The Foundation has committed to grants in future years from the Unrestricted Fund and has estimated timing of commitments from the Restricted Designated Fund as follows:

	Unrestricted Fund	Restricted Designated Fund	Total
2024 2025	\$ 4,297,885 –	\$ 6,137,034 1,200,515	\$ 10,434,919 1,200,515
2026	\$ 4,297,885	\$ 10,221,084	\$ 10,221,084

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

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#### 13. Financial risks:

(a) Investment risk:

The Foundation's investments in equities are sensitive to market fluctuations. To properly manage the Foundation's other price risk, appropriate guidelines on asset diversification to address specific security, geographic, sector and investment manager risks are set and monitored.

The Foundation is exposed to financial risks as a result of exchange rate fluctuations on certain of its investments and the volatility of these rates. In the normal course of business, the Foundation holds investments denominated in U.S. dollars. The Foundation does not currently enter into forward contracts to mitigate this risk.

The Foundation's fixed income investments are exposed to the risk that the value of interestbearing investments will fluctuate due to changes in the level of market interest rates. To properly manage the Foundation's interest rate risk, appropriate guidelines on the weighting and duration for fixed income investments are set and monitored. There has been no change to the risk exposure from 2022.

(b) Liquidity risk:

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Foundation will be unable to fulfill its obligations on a timely basis or at a reasonable cost. The Foundation manages its liquidity risk by monitoring its operating requirements. The Foundation prepares budget and cash forecasts to ensure it has sufficient funds to fulfill its obligations. There has been no change to the risk exposures from 2022.