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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Members of Council, Inhabitants and Ratepayers of the Regional Municipality of Peel

Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of the Regional Municipality of Peel, which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2019, and the statements of operations, change in net financial assets, and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies (collectively referred to as the "consolidated financial statements").

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Regional Municipality of Peel as at December 31, 2019, and the results of its operations, change in net financial assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards ("Canadian GAAS"). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the consolidated financial statements section of our report. We are independent of The Regional Municipality of Peel in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated 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 consolidated financial statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated 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 consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Regional Municipality of Peel'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 Regional Municipality of Peel or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Regional Municipality of Peel's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the consolidated financial statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated 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 GAAS 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 these consolidated financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian GAAS, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated 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 Regional Municipality of Peel'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 Regional Municipality of Peel'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 consolidated 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 Regional Municipality of Peel to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the consolidated financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Obtain sufficient appropriate audit evidence regarding the financial information of the entities or business activities within the Regional Municipality of Peel to express an opinion on the consolidated financial statements. We are responsible for the direction, supervision and performance of the group audit. We remain solely responsible for our audit opinion.

We 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.

Chartered Professional Accountants Licensed Public Accountants April 16, 2020

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The Regional Municipality of Peel Consolidated Statement of Financial Position

As at December 31, 2019 (All dollars in \$000)

| (viii denaite iii quee) | 2019 | 2018 |
|---|------------------|---------------|
| FINANCIAL ASSETS | | |
| Cash and cash equivalents (Note 3) | \$ 543,539 | \$ 475,921 |
| Accounts receivable (Note 4) | 161,700 | 166,166 |
| Loans receivable (Note 5) | 13,660 | 11,886 |
| Portfolio investments (Note 3) | 1,894,325 | 1,874,678 |
| Recoverable gross long-term debt from area municipalities (Note 10) | 241,387 | 194,491 |
| | 2,854,611 | 2,723,142 |
| LIABILITIES | | |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 6) | 686,027 | 639,945 |
| Deferred revenue (Note 7) | 119,467 | 139,987 |
| Landfill closure and post-closure liability (Note 8) | 56,904 | 43,778 |
| Employee future benefits and post-employment liabilities (Note 9) | 131,212 | 121,178 |
| Other liabilities | 4,277 | 4,179 |
| Long-term debt (Note 10) | 1,389,327 | 1,402,458 |
| Mortgages payable on income-producing properties (Note 10) | 132,483 | 151,608 |
| | 2,519,697 | 2,503,133 |
| NET FINANCIAL ASSETS | 334,914 | 220,009 |
| NON-FINANCIAL ASSETS | | |
| Tangible capital assets (Note 14) | 11,627,537 | 11,298,558 |
| Prepaid expenses | 24,707 | 27,749 |
| Inventory | 5,977 | 5,590 |
| | \$ 11,658,221 | \$ 11,331,897 |
| ACCUMULATED SURPLUS (Note 11) | \$ 11,993,135 | \$ 11,551,906 |

The Regional Municipality of Peel Consolidated Statement of Operations

For the year ended December 31, 2019 (All dollars in \$000)

| (All dollars in \$000) | | | | | | |
|--|----|------------|----|------------|----|------------|
| | | 2019 | | 2019 | | 2018 |
| | | Budget | | | | |
| | | (Note 13) | | | | |
| REVENUES | | , -, | | | | |
| Levies on area municipalities | \$ | 1,082,016 | \$ | 1,083,265 | \$ | 1,043,679 |
| Direct charges on ratepayers | Ψ | 413,683 | • | 412,930 | * | 401,482 |
| Contributions – other governments | | 724,379 | | 798,861 | | 796,150 |
| Contributions – developers | | 486,832 | | 252,359 | | 257,130 |
| Contributed tangible capital assets | | - | | 105,973 | | 64,734 |
| Investment income | | 63,775 | | 78,220 | | 67,559 |
| Fees, service charges and other | | 154,692 | | 170,128 | | 174,541 |
| Total revenues | | 2,925,377 | | 2,901,736 | | 2,805,275 |
| | | | | | | |
| EXPENSES (Note 15) | | | | | | |
| General government | | 55,430 | | 56,248 | | 80,068 |
| Protection to property and persons | | 504,573 | | 502,822 | | 480,911 |
| Transportation services | | 138,696 | | 138,264 | | 149,139 |
| GO Transit | | - | | 12,301 | | 14,470 |
| Gas tax transferred to area municipalities | | 34,791 | | 69,712 | | 34,283 |
| Environmental services | | 604,171 | | 651,305 | | 585,966 |
| Health services | | 187,511 | | 184,608 | | 175,352 |
| Social and family services | | 626,044 | | 584,757 | | 605,922 |
| Social housing | | 261,847 | | 231,060 | | 190,749 |
| Planning and development | | 10,336 | | 9,999 | | 9,656 |
| Assessment/other | | 19,448 | | 19,431 | | 18,980 |
| Total expenses | | 2,442,847 | | 2,460,507 | | 2,345,496 |
| Appropriate | | 400 F20 | | 444 222 | | 450 770 |
| Annual surplus | | 482,530 | | 441,229 | | 459,779 |
| Accumulated surplus, beginning of year | | 11,551,906 | | 11,551,906 | | 11,092,127 |
| ACCUMULATED SURPLUS, END OF YEAR (Note 11) | \$ | 12,034,436 | \$ | 11,993,135 | \$ | 11,551,906 |

The Regional Municipality of Peel Consolidated Statement of Change in Net Financial Assets

For the year ended December 31, 2019 (All dollars in \$000)

| (All dollars ill \$000) | 2019 Budget (Note 13) | 2019 | 2018 |
|---|-----------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| ANNUAL SURPLUS | \$ 482,530 | \$ 441,229 | \$ 459,779 |
| Acquisition of tangible capital assets | (549,810) | (551,620) | (559,463) |
| Amortization of tangible capital assets | 265,208 | 284,890 | 279,267 |
| Contributed tangible capital assets | - | (105,971) | (64,734) |
| Write-down of tangible capital assets | - | 41,514 | - |
| Loss on sale of tangible capital assets | - | 958 | 162 |
| Proceeds on sale of tangible capital assets | - | 1,250 | 1,336 |
| | 197,928 | 112,250 | 116,347 |
| | | | |
| Acquisition of inventory | - | (11,545) | (11,850) |
| Acquisition of prepaid expenses | - | (13,238) | (5,023) |
| Consumption of inventory | - | 11,158 | 11,505 |
| Use of prepaid expenses | - | 16,280 | 4,613 |
| Change in net financial assets | \$ 197,928 | \$ 114,905 | \$ 115,592 |
| Net financial assets, beginning of year | 220,009 | 220,009 | 104,417 |
| NET FINANCIAL ASSETS, END OF YEAR | \$ 417,937 | \$ 334,914 | \$ 220,009 |

The Regional Municipality of Peel Consolidated Statement of Cash Flows

For the year ended December 31, 2019 (All dollars in \$000)

| (All dollars in \$000) | 2019 | | 2018 |
|--|---------------|----|-------------|
| OPERATING ACTIVITIES | | | |
| Annual surplus | \$ 441,229 | \$ | 459,779 |
| Items not involving cash | | | |
| Amortization of tangible capital assets | 284,890 | | 279,267 |
| Loss on sale of tangible capital assets | 958 | | 162 |
| Contributed tangible capital assets | (105,971) | | (64,734) |
| Write-down of tangible capital assets | 41,514 | | - |
| Change in non-cash assets and liabilities | | | |
| Accounts receivable | 4,466 | | (8,179) |
| Recoverable gross long-term debt from area municipalities | 9 | | 9 |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities | 46,082 | | 46,793 |
| Deferred revenue | (20,520) | | 21,882 |
| Change in landfill closure and post-closure liability | 13,126 | | 5,966 |
| Change in employee future benefits and post-employment liabilities | 10,034 | | 9,940 |
| Other liabilities | 98 | | (304) |
| Prepaid expenses | 3,042 | | (410) |
| Inventory | (387) | | (345) |
| Net change in cash and cash equivalents from operating activities | 718,570 | | 749,826 |
| CAPITAL ACTIVITIES | | | |
| Proceeds on sale of tangible capital assets | 1,250 | | 1,336 |
| Cash used to acquire tangible capital assets | (551,620) | | (559,463) |
| Net change in cash and cash equivalents from capital activities | (550,370) | | (558,127) |
| INVESTING ACTIVITIES | | | |
| Proceeds from disposals and redemptions of investments | 369,376 | | 763,305 |
| Acquisition of investments | (389,023) | | (1,217,260) |
| (Increase) in loans receivable | (1,774) | | (601) |
| Net change in cash and cash equivalents from investing activities | (21,421) | | (454,556) |
| FINANCING ACTIVITIES | | | |
| Repayment of long-term debt | (4,168) | | (4,051) |
| Accrual for interest payments | 671 | | 671 |
| Contributions to sinking fund | (46,688) | | (46,683) |
| Investment income earned on sinking fund | (9,851) | | (7,788) |
| Repayment of mortgages payable | (19,125) | | (22,113) |
| Net change in cash and cash equivalents from financing activities | (79,161) | | (79,964) |
| Net change in cash and cash equivalents | 67,618 | | (342,821) |
| Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year | 475,921 | | 818,742 |
| CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, END OF YEAR | \$ 543,539 | \$ | 475,921 |
| Cash paid for interest | \$ 68,335 | \$ | 81,024 |
| Cash received from interest | 60,410 | • | 68,191 |

THE REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY OF PEEL

Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements

For the year ended December 31, 2019 (All dollars in \$000)

The Regional Municipality of Peel ("Region") is an upper-tier municipality in the Province of Ontario ("Province"), Canada. The provisions of provincial statutes such as the *Municipal Act, Municipal Affairs Act* and related legislation guide its operations.

1. Significant Accounting Policies

The consolidated financial statements ("financial statements") of the Region are the representation of management and are prepared in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards ("PSAS"), as recommended by the Public Sector Accounting Board ("PSAB") of the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada ("CPA Canada").

The focus of these financial statements is on the financial position of the Region and the changes thereto. The consolidated statement of financial position includes all the financial assets and liabilities of the Region as well as non-financial assets. Financial assets are those assets that could provide resources to discharge existing liabilities or finance future operations. Net financial assets form a part of the financial position and are the difference between financial assets and liabilities. This provides information about the Region's overall future revenue requirements and its ability to finance activities and meet its obligations. Non-financial assets are normally used to deliver services. Their value lies with their service potential rather than their ability to generate future cash inflows. They form part of the financial position, as they provide resources that the Region can employ in the future to meet its objectives. The accumulated surplus is made up of the combination of net financial assets and non-financial assets.

Significant aspects of the accounting policies adopted by the Region are as follows:

a) Basis of Presentation

The financial statements reflect the financial activities of all entities that are accountable to and controlled by the Region, which include:

- Peel Police Services Board ("Peel Police")
- Peel Housing Corporation ("PHC")

All inter-departmental and inter-organizational transactions are eliminated on consolidation. Also included are the Regional contributions to the local conservation authorities, and the funding thereof. The Region is required, by legislation, to reimburse the Municipal Property Assessment Corporation for the cost of Assessment Services that are not administered or controlled by the Region.

Funds held in trust by the Region for residents of Peel Manor and Sheridan Villa Senior Citizens' Residences, the Tall Pines and Malton Village Long-Term Care Centres, and the Vera M. Davis Community Care Centre in the amount of \$213 (2018 – \$218), are not

included in the financial statements. The financial activity and position of the trust funds are reported separately in the trust funds financial statements.

The Region maintains separate funds for the purpose of providing for periodic repayments on debt to be retired by means of sinking funds. The financial activity and position of this fund are disclosed separately in the debt retirement funds and the sinking funds financial statements.

b) Basis of Accounting

i) Accrual Method of Accounting

The Region follows the accrual method of accounting. The accrual basis of accounting recognizes revenue in the period in which the transactions or events occurred that gave rise to the revenues. Expenses are the cost of goods or services acquired in the period, whether or not payment has been made or invoices received.

ii) Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include short-term, highly liquid investments with a term to maturity of 90 days or less as at December 31.

iii) Investment Income

Investment income earned on surplus current fund, capital fund, reserves and reserve funds (other than obligatory reserve funds) are reported as revenue in the period earned. Investment income on unspent obligatory reserve funds is added to obligatory reserve fund balances.

Temporary investments are carried at the lower of cost and market value. Portfolio investments are carried at cost, unless there are impairments in value, at which time they are written down to recognize the loss in value. Discounts or premiums are amortized using the effective interest method.

iv) Loans Receivable

Loans receivable are valued at cost. Recoverability is reviewed annually and a valuation allowance is recorded when recoverability is impaired. A loan receivable is written off when it is no longer recoverable. Recoveries of loans receivable previously written off are recognized in the year received. Interest revenue is recognized as it is earned.

v) 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 operations.

a. Tangible Capital Assets

Tangible capital assets are recorded at cost, which includes amounts that are directly attributable to acquisition, construction, development or betterment of the asset. The Region does not have any tangible capital assets recognized at nominal value. The cost, less residual value, of tangible capital assets, excluding land and landfill sites, are amortized on a straight-line basis over their estimated useful lives as follows:

| Assets | Useful life – years |
|---------------------------|---------------------|
| Land improvements | 5 – 99 |
| Buildings | 20 – 100 |
| Building improvements | 8 – 100 |
| Leasehold improvements | 2 – 40 |
| Equipment and furnishings | 3 – 80 |
| Linear | 15 – 90 |
| Linear improvements | 50 |
| Structures | 20 – 60 |
| Vehicles | 3 |

Annual amortization is charged in the year of acquisition and in the year of disposal. Assets under construction are not amortized until the asset is in service.

b. Contributions of Tangible Capital Assets

Tangible capital assets received as contributions are recorded at their fair value at the date of receipt and are also recorded as revenue.

c. Interest Capitalization

The Region capitalizes interest costs associated with the acquisition or construction of a tangible capital asset relating to certain projects.

d. Natural Resources

Natural resources that have not been purchased are not recognized as assets in the financial statements.

vi) Deferred Revenue – Development Charges

Development charges, collected under the authority of Sections 33 to 35 of the *Development Charges Act*, 1997, are reported as deferred revenue in the consolidated statement of financial position in accordance with PSAS. Amounts applied to qualifying capital projects are recorded as revenue in the fiscal period in which the funds are expended on qualifying capital projects. Development charges will also be applied to cover costs for servicing debt including interest on borrowings and contributions to sinking funds to retire debt.

vii) Tax Revenue

Property tax revenue is recognized on an accrual basis when the tax is authorized by the passing of the tax levy by-law. Taxes are levied on properties listed on the assessment roll at the time the by-law is passed based on the approved budget and tax rates. Supplementary taxation is recognized as additional billings issued to properties that are added to the assessment roll during the year.

At year-end, the Region evaluates the likelihood of having to repay taxes as a result of tax appeals or other changes and recognizes a liability if the amount can be reasonably estimated.

viii) Government Transfers

Government transfers are recognized in the financial statements in the period in which the events giving rise to the transfer occur, providing the transfers are authorized, any eligibility criteria have been met, and reasonable estimates of the amounts can be made, and there are no stipulations that give rise to a liability.

ix) Employee Future Benefits and Post-Employment Liabilities

The Region accounts for its participation in the Ontario Municipal Employee Retirement System ("OMERS"), a multi-employer public sector pension fund, as a defined contribution plan.

Vacation entitlements are accrued for as entitlements are earned.

Other post-employment benefits and compensated absences are accrued in accordance with the projected benefit method, pro-rated on service and management's best estimate of salary escalation and retirement ages of employees. Actuarial valuations, where necessary for accounting purposes, are generally performed triennially. The discount rate used to determine the accrued benefit obligation was determined by reference to the Region's short and long-term rate of borrowing. Unamortized actuarial gains/losses are amortized on a straight-line basis over the expected average remaining service life of the related employee groups. Unamortized actuarial gains/losses for event-triggered liabilities, such as those determined as claims related to Workplace Safety and Insurance Board ("WSIB"), are recorded when determined.

Costs related to prior-period employee services arising out of plan amendments are recognized in the period in which the plan is amended.

Where applicable, the Region has set aside Reserves intended to fund these obligations, either in full or in part. These Reserves were created under municipal bylaw and do not meet the definition of a plan asset under *PSAS* 3250 *Retirement Benefits*. Therefore, for the purposes of these financial statements, the plans are considered unfunded.

x) Landfill Liability

The costs to close an existing landfill site and to maintain closed landfill sites are based on the future estimated expenditures required over a twenty-five year period, discounted using the Region's long-term borrowing rate. These costs are reported as a liability on the consolidated statement of financial position. Landfill sites are amortized using the units of production method based upon capacity used during the year.

xi) Liability for Contaminated Sites

A liability for the remediation of a contaminated site is recognized as the best estimate of the amount required to remediate the contaminated site when the following specified criteria are present:

- Contamination exceeding an environmental standard exists,
- The Region is either directly responsible or accepts responsibility,
- It is expected that the future economic benefit will be given up, and
- A reasonable estimate of the amount is determinable.

If the likelihood of the Region's obligation to incur these costs is either not determinable, or if an amount cannot be reasonably estimated, the costs are disclosed as contingent liabilities in the Notes to the financial statements.

xii) Foreign Currency Translation

Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are translated at the prevailing rates of exchange at the year-end date. Revenue and expenses are translated at the exchange rate prevailing on the transaction date. Realized and unrealized exchange gains and losses are included in the consolidated statement of operations.

xiii) Use of Estimates

The preparation of these financial statements in conformity with PSAS 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 consolidated financial statements and the reported amount of revenues and expenses during the period. Significant estimates relate to accounts receivable, accrued liabilities, landfill closure and post-closure liability, liabilities for contaminated sites, employee future benefits and post-employment liabilities and expenses. Due to the inherent uncertainty in making estimates, actual results could differ from those estimates.

2. Adoption of Accounting Policies

Effective January 1, 2019, the Region adopted a new Canadian public sector accounting standard PS 3430 Restructuring Transactions on a prospective basis. The new standard provides guidance on accounting for, and reporting assets and liabilities transferred in restructuring transactions by both transferors and recipients. The adoption of this new standard has not had a material impact on these financial statements.

3. Cash and Cash Equivalents and Portfolio Investments

Cash and cash equivalents and portfolio investments reported on the consolidated statement of financial position have cost and market values as follows:

2019

| | Cost | Market Value |
|---------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| Cash | \$ 537,816 | \$ 537,816 |
| Cash equivalents | 5,723 | 5,734 |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ 543,539 | \$ 543,550 |
| | | |
| Portfolio investments | \$1,894,325 | \$1,941,361 |

2018

| | Cost | Market Value |
|---------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| Cash | \$ 448,933 | \$ 485,645 |
| Cash equivalents | 26,988 | 27,198 |
| Cash and cash equivalents | \$ 475,921 | \$ 512,843 |
| | | |
| Portfolio investments | \$1,874,678 | \$1,897,374 |

Included in the Region's investment portfolio are Region of Peel debentures at coupon rates that vary from 1.96 to 4.53 per cent (2018 - 1.57 to 6.70 per cent) with a carrying value \$3,037 (2018 - \$7,934).

4. Accounts Receivable

The balance for accounts receivable is comprised of the following:

| | 2019 | 2018 |
|------------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Federal and provincial governments | \$ 33,441 | \$ 45,573 |
| Other municipalities | 20,638 | 20,518 |
| Wastewater and water billings | 66,815 | 61,305 |
| Accrued interest | 9,249 | 7,394 |
| Sundry | 31,557 | 31,376 |
| Total | \$ 161,700 | \$ 166,166 |

5. Loans Receivable

The balance for loans receivable includes the following:

- a) A 30-year memorandum of understanding at 5.196 per cent with Credit Valley Conservation ("CVC") to be used to finance the renovation of their head office facility.
- b) A 20-year loan agreement at 5.12 per cent with Abbeyfield Houses of Caledon to be used to finance the construction of affordable housing for senior citizens.
- c) A loan to Shalimar International Housing Corporation; interest to be charged based on the prevailing capital market rate beginning September 1st, 2031; all principal and interest owing to be repaid by September 2nd, 2046.
- d) A loan to Ahneen Co-operative Homes; interest to be charged based on the prevailing capital market rate beginning February 1st, 2027; all principal and interest owing to be repaid by February 2nd, 2042.
- e) A loan to Forum Italia Non-Profit Housing Corporation; interest to be charged based on the prevailing capital market rate beginning July 2nd, 2025; all principal and interest owing to be repaid by July 2nd, 2040.
- f) A loan to Grace Retirement and Community Enterprises Inc.; interest to be charged based on the prevailing capital market rate beginning August 2nd, 2018; all principal and interest owing to be repaid by August 2nd, 2033.
- g) A loan to Chegoggin Co-operative Homes; interest to be charged based on the prevailing capital market rate beginning December 2nd, 2027; all principal and interest owing to be repaid by December 2nd, 2042.
- h) A loan to Indo-Canadian Non-Profit Housing; interest to be charged based on the prevailing capital market rate beginning September 2nd, 2026; all principal and interest owing to be repaid by September 2nd, 2041.
- i) An interest-free subsidy agreement with Erin Court Co-operative Homes; repayable through future operational surpluses.

| | 2019 | 2018 |
|---|-----------|-----------|
| CVC – memorandum of understanding | \$ 5,695 | \$ 5,831 |
| Abbeyfield Houses of Caledon – loan agreement | 192 | 206 |
| Shalimar International Housing – loan agreement | 767 | 767 |
| Ahneen Co-operative Homes – loan agreement | 671 | 671 |
| Forum Italia Non-Profit Housing – loan agreement | 1,500 | 1,449 |
| Grace Retirement and Community Enterprises Inc. – | | |
| loan agreement | 2,471 | 2,518 |
| Chegoggin Co-operative Homes – loan agreement | 1,647 | - |
| Indo-Canadian Non-Profit Housing – loan agreement | 296 | - |
| Erin Court Co-operative Homes – subsidy agreement | 421 | 444 |
| Total | \$ 13,660 | \$ 11,886 |

j) Future Repayments Estimated future receipts of loans receivable are as follows:

| | Tota | i l |
|--------------------|-----------|------------|
| 2020 | \$ 156 | 3 |
| 2021 | 163 | 3 |
| 2022 | 174 | 4 |
| 2023 | 182 | 2 |
| 2024 | 192 | 2 |
| Subsequent to 2024 | 12,793 | 3 |
| Total | \$ 13,660 |) |

6. Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities

The balance for accounts payable and accrued liabilities is comprised of the following:

| | 2019 | 2018 |
|------------------------|------------|------------|
| Trade accounts payable | \$ 429,906 | \$ 386,758 |
| Provincial government | 236,754 | 236,554 |
| Other municipalities | 19,367 | 16,633 |
| Total | \$ 686,027 | \$ 639,945 |

7. Deferred Revenue

Deferred revenues set aside for specific purposes by legislation, regulation or agreement as at December 31, are composed of the following:

| | Balance at December 31, 2018 | Inflows | Revenue Earned | Development Charge Remittances | Balance at December 31, 2019 |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|------------|-------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Development | | | | | |
| Charges | \$ - | \$ 307,367 | \$ 252,359 | \$ 55,008 | \$ - |
| Federal Gas Tax | 31,597 | 85,158 | 89,893 | - | 26,862 |
| Provincial Gas Tax | 82 | 777 | 775 | - | 84 |
| General – Region | 73,720 | 75,511 | 86,528 | - | 62,703 |
| General – PHC | 4,408 | 170 | - | - | 4,578 |
| | 109,807 | 161,616 | 177,196 | - | 94,227 |
| York/Peel Water | • | · | • | | • |
| Supply Agreement | 30,180 | 510 | 5,450 | - | 25,240 |
| Total | \$ 139,987 | \$469,493 | \$435,005 | \$ 55,008 | \$119,467 |

In 2019, the Region received a decision from the Local Planning Appeal Tribunal regarding an amendment to the Region's Development Charges By-law No. 46-2015 to reduce development charges collected for certain services. The Tribunal's Decision requires the Region to remit a portion of previously collected development charges retroactive to the date the By-law was originally enacted. The amount owing in development charge remittances of \$55,008 as of December 31, 2019 has been reflected in Contributions – developers in the consolidated statement of operations and included in Accounts payable and accrued liabilities in the consolidated statement of financial position as at December 31, 2019.

In 2001, the Region entered into a Long-Term Water Supply Agreement ("Agreement") with the Region of York ("York") to supply potable water. The Agreement stipulates a maximum day water demand in each year to be supplied to York. New infrastructure, constructed and used jointly by both Regions since the inception of the Agreement, has been funded through agreed cost-sharing based on allocating the flow capacity available to the Region and York on a project-by-project basis.

In 2013, negotiations with York on the cost-share split for the Hanlan Feedermain resulted in a reduction to the maximum day water demand supplied to York. The reduction in flow requirement impacts the majority of infrastructure which forms part of this agreement. As such, a credit for the investment made by York to-date for this jointly used infrastructure was warranted. The credit in the amount of \$25,240 (2018 – \$30,180) will be used to fund York's share of the construction costs of jointly used infrastructure in the future. In 2017, it was agreed that the remaining balance of the credit will be paid to York upon completion of the Hanlan Feedermain project.

8. Landfill Closure and Post-Closure Liability

The Environmental Protection Act sets out regulatory requirements to properly close and maintain all active and inactive landfill sites. Under environmental law, there is a requirement for closure and post-closure care of solid waste landfill sites.

Landfill closure and post-closure care are activities for landfill sites that are expected to occur in perpetuity and requirements have been defined in accordance with industry standards and include final covering and landscaping of the landfill, pumping of groundwater and leachates from the site, and ongoing environmental monitoring, site inspection and maintenance

The Region has twenty landfill sites, nineteen of which are closed. The Caledon site has capacity but is not currently accepting waste. To fill the remaining unused 5 per cent capacity would result in an estimated remaining life of one year. For the Caledon site and the closed sites, the estimated liability for these expenditures is calculated for a twenty-five year period.

The estimated liability of \$56,904 (2018 - \$43,778) included in the financial statements represents the sum of the discounted future cash flows for closure and post-closure care activities discounted at the Region's long-term borrowing rate of 4.00 per cent (2018 - 4.00 per cent).

As at December 31, the Region maintained a reserve of \$15,297 (2018 – \$16,172), which will be used to fund expected future costs.

9. Employee Future Benefits and Post-Employment Liabilities

Employee future benefits and post-employment liabilities reported on the consolidated statement of financial position consist of the following:

| | 2019 | 2018 |
|--------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|
| Retirement benefits: | | |
| - Peel Police | \$ 77,675 | \$ 72,936 |
| - Peel Police (LTD recipients) | 3,808 | 4,036 |
| - Peel Region | 10,149 | 9,427 |
| - Peel Region (LTD recipients) | 3,865 | 4,004 |
| | 95,497 | 90,403 |
| Workplace Safety and Insurance Board | 35,715 | 30,775 |
| Total | \$131,212 | \$121,178 |

a) Retirement Benefits

The liability for retirement benefits is for the Region's and the Peel Police's share of costs associated with extending the coverage for health, dental, and life insurance benefits to qualifying employees. Benefit coverage, except for life insurance coverage, and health care spending account for Peel Police, ceases at the age of 65. The valuation treats enrolled members in receipt of long-term disability for two years or less, or WSIB benefits, as continuing to receive active service benefits.

The liability is based on the actuarial valuations as at December 31, 2017, with estimates to December 31, 2019.

The following significant actuarial assumptions adopted in the valuations were based on management's best estimates.

| • | Future discount rates | 3.65 per cent per year for Peel Police |
|---|-----------------------|--|
| | | 4 0 |

4.0 per cent per year for Peel Region

Future inflation rate
 1.75 per cent per year

• Future salaries Escalate at 2.75 per cent per year

• Future dental premium rates:

- Peel Police Escalate at 2.75 per cent per annum

- Peel Region Escalate at 3.75 per cent per annum

• Future health care premium rates:

- Peel Police Initial rate of 6.0 per cent decreasing

by 0.25 per cent per year to the ultimate

rate of 4.0 per cent

- Peel Region Initial rate of 6.75 per cent decreasing by

0.33 per cent per year to the ultimate rate of

3.75 per cent

The following are the actuarial results for the accrued benefit liability reported on the consolidated statement of financial position:

Retirement Benefits Liability

| | 2019 | 2018 |
|---|------------|-----------|
| Accrued benefit obligation at January 1 | \$ 100,147 | \$ 95,757 |
| Add: benefit service cost | 4,827 | 4,650 |
| Add: interest accrued | 3,789 | 3,627 |
| Deduct: benefit payments | (4,190) | (3,887) |
| Accrued benefit obligation at December 31 | 104,573 | 100,147 |
| Deduct: unamortized actuarial loss | (9,076) | (9,744) |
| Liability at December 31 | \$ 95,497 | \$ 90,403 |

Retirement Benefits Expense

| | 2019 | 2018 |
|--|----------|----------|
| Current period benefit cost | \$ 4,827 | \$ 4,650 |
| Interest on accrued benefit obligation | 3,789 | 3,627 |
| Amortization of actuarial losses | 668 | 668 |
| Total | \$ 9,284 | \$ 8,945 |

The actuarial loss is the result of assumptions used in the above noted valuations that varied from assumptions used in prior valuations. These assumptions pertained to the

distribution of covered employees, discount rate, escalation of health care rates, projected mortality rates, and benefit coverage. The actuarial loss will be amortized over the expected average remaining service life of employees.

b) Workplace Safety and Insurance Board

The Region is a Schedule II employer under the *Workplace Safety and Insurance Act*, and, therefore, self-insures the entire risk of their own WSIB claims and is responsible for reimbursing the WSIB for all costs relating to its workers' claims.

The liability reported in the consolidated statement of financial position is based on the actuarial valuation as at December 31, 2017, with estimates to December 31, 2019, that estimated potential liabilities of the Region under the provisions of the *Workplace Safety* and *Insurance Act*.

The result of the actuarial valuation is as follows:

WSIB Liability

| | 2019 | 2018 |
|--|-----------|-----------|
| Accrued benefit obligation at January 1 | \$ 47,975 | \$ 45,031 |
| Add: estimated cost of claims (service cost) | 6,881 | 6,683 |
| Add: interest accrued | 1,821 | 1,712 |
| Deduct: expected benefits paid | (5,700) | (5,451) |
| Accrued benefit obligation at December 31 | 50,977 | 47,975 |
| Deduct: unamortized actuarial loss | (15,262) | (17,200) |
| Liability at December 31 | \$ 35,715 | \$ 30,775 |

WSIB Benefits Expense

| | 2019 | 2018 |
|--|-----------|-----------|
| Current period benefit cost | \$ 6,881 | \$ 6,684 |
| Interest on accrued benefit obligation | 1,821 | 1,712 |
| Amortization of actuarial losses | 1,938 | 1,938 |
| Total | \$ 10,640 | \$ 10,334 |

10. Long-Term Debt

Under the terms of the *Municipal Act, 2001*, Regional Council has approved the issuing of debentures to finance its own capital expenses and tangible capital assets, and those of the area municipalities within the annual debt repayment limit prescribed by the Ministry of Municipal Affairs. Debentures issued for such purposes are direct, joint and several obligations of the Region and local municipalities.

In 2019, the Region issued \$74,760 (2018 - \$53,270) in debenture debt, of which \$48,150 (2018 - \$46,270) was on behalf of the City of Mississauga, \$23,000 (2018 - \$Nil) was on behalf of the City of Brampton, and \$3,610 (2018 - \$7,000) was on behalf of the Town of Caledon.

a) Net Long-Term Debt

The total for long-term liabilities reported in the consolidated statement of financial position consists of the following:

| | 2019 | 2018 |
|---|-------------|-------------|
| Total long-term liabilities incurred by the Region including amounts incurred on behalf of area | | |
| municipalities | \$1,715,821 | \$1,672,413 |
| Less: Total value of Region's sinking fund deposits Less: Value of Town of Caledon sinking fund | (325,452) | (269,046) |
| assumed by the Region | (1,042) | (909) |
| Total long-term liabilities | 1,389,327 | 1,402,458 |
| Mortgages payable by Peel Housing Corporation | 132,483 | 151,608 |
| Total mortgages payable on income-producing | | |
| properties | 132,483 | 151,608 |
| Recoverable from lower-tiers | | |
| City of Mississauga | 205,193 | 181,491 |
| City of Brampton | 23,004 | - |
| Town of Caledon | 18,138 | 17,948 |
| Less: Town of Caledon debt assumed by Region | (4,948) | (4,948) |
| Total recoverable gross long-term debt from | | |
| area municipalities | 241,387 | 194,491 |
| Net Long-Term Debt at December 31 | \$1,280,423 | \$1,359,575 |

Serial debt and sinking fund debentures issued by the Region mature between December 2020 and June 2053 and have interest rates ranging between 1.45 per cent and 5.10 per cent.

Mortgages of \$132,483 (2018 - \$151,608) on PHC properties are secured by a first charge on specific assets of PHC with amortization periods ranging from five to fifty years and interest rates ranging from 1.04 per cent to 6.75 per cent.

Sinking funds were established to provide for the orderly retirement of sinking fund debentures issued by the Region totaling \$1,433,000 (2018 – \$1,433,000). These debentures mature between December 2021 and June 2053.

b) Future Principal Repayments

Estimated future principal repayments for the Region, including sinking fund contributions and PHC, are as follows:

| | Peel Housing | Region of | |
|---------------------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| | Corporation | Peel | Total |
| 2020 | \$ 18,176 | \$ 50,950 | \$ 69,126 |
| 2021 | 18,362 | 161,264 | 179,626 |
| 2022 | 18,286 | 42,403 | 60,689 |
| 2023 | 17,648 | 42,539 | 60,187 |
| 2024 | 16,466 | 42,681 | 59,147 |
| Subsequent to 2024 | 43,545 | 415,836 | 459,381 |
| Net sinking fund debt repayable | - | 392,267 | 392,267 |
| Total | \$ 132,483 | \$1,147,940 | \$ 1,280,423 |

Total interest charges in the amount of \$66,724 (2018 – \$68,002) are reported in the consolidated statement of operations. The charges consist of \$4,707 (2018 – \$5,810) for interest on PHC mortgages and \$62,018 (2018 – \$62,192) for debenture debt.

11. Accumulated Surplus

The accumulated surplus consists of the following balances:

| | 2019 | 2018 |
|--|---------------|---------------|
| Investment in tangible capital assets and social | | |
| housing | \$ 11,486,601 | \$ 11,141,972 |
| Reserves and reserve funds | 2,130,555 | 1,952,537 |
| Capital fund | (1,547,397) | (1,471,423) |
| Current fund | 37,022 | 27,064 |
| Less: unfunded liabilities | | |
| Retiree benefits: | | |
| Peel Police | (38,110) | (35,932) |
| Peel Region | (5,843) | (5,843) |
| Workplace Safety and Insurance Board | (8,512) | (8,512) |
| Landfill closure and post-closure costs | (56,904) | (43,778) |
| Other | (4,277) | (4,179) |
| Total Accumulated Surplus | \$ 11,993,135 | \$ 11,551,906 |

a) Surplus Management Strategy

The Region has a surplus management strategy that permits year-end transfers to and from reserves to manage the level of surplus carried forward into the next fiscal year. Such transfers are made to ensure that future commitments of the Region can be met, and are based on management's planning of infrastructure replacement, property tax rate and user rate stabilization, potential exposure to program funding shortfalls and contingent liabilities. The allocation of these transfers and their purpose is disclosed annually to Regional Council following completion of the year-end audit. The financial statements include the transfers made to reserves under the surplus management strategy.

b) Reserves and Reserve Funds

Reserves and reserve funds are established by Regional Council as appropriate, and are included in the accumulated surplus position of the Region.

12. Pension Agreements

The Region makes contributions to OMERS on behalf of approximately 8,400 eligible employees. OMERS is a defined benefit pension plan, fully funded by equal contributions from participating employers and employees, and by the investment earnings of the OMERS Fund. OMERS pensions are calculated using a defined benefit formula, taking into account length of service and average annual wage (based upon the highest 60 consecutive months of earnings), that is designed to integrate with the pension payable from the Canada Pension Plan.

During the year, the Region's contribution to OMERS for current service was \$71,499 (2018 – \$69,386). The Region's contributions are reported in the consolidated statement of operations. Employee contributions also amount to \$71,499 (2018 – \$69,386).

For the December 31, 2019 year end, the funded portion of the OMERS pension plan increased to 97 per cent (2018 – 96 per cent). Pension plan assets increased to \$109,000,000 (2018 – \$97,000,000) primarily due to strong investment returns.

13. Budget Data

The budget amounts presented in the consolidated financial statements are based on the 2019 operating and capital budgets approved by Regional Council on January 31, 2019. The following reconciles the approved budget to the budget amounts presented in the consolidated financial statements using the accrual basis of accounting, in accordance with PSAS. Budgets established for tangible capital asset acquisitions are on a project-oriented basis, the costs of which may be carried over one or more fiscal years. Where amounts were budgeted for on a project-oriented basis, the budget amounts used are based on actual projects that took place during the year to reflect the same basis of accounting that was used to report the actual results.

| | Revenues | Expenses |
|---|-----------------|-----------------|
| Operating Budget | | |
| Council Approved Budget | \$ 2,496,064 | \$ 2,496,064 |
| In-year budget adjustments | 900 | 900 |
| Board Approved Peel Housing Corporation | 135,684 | 135,684 |
| Adjustment for intercompany transactions | (86,704) | (86,704) |
| PSAB Adjustments | | |
| Contributions to reserves/reserve funds | - | (462,495) |
| Contributions from reserves/reserve funds | (56,983) | - |
| Payment to sinking fund for debt retirement | - | (46,683) |
| Other liabilities | - | (13,126) |
| Other adjustments | (14,141) | (14,141) |
| Adjusted Operating Budget | 2,474,820 | 2,009,499 |
| Capital Budget | | |
| Council Approved Budget | 1,270,891 | 1,270,891 |
| Timing difference between budget and spending | (597,991) | (597,991) |
| Board Approved Peel Housing Corporation | 45,050 | 45,050 |
| PSAB Adjustments | | |
| Contributions from reserves/reserve funds | (327,848) | - |
| Acquisition of tangible capital assets | - - | (549,810) |
| Amortization | - | 265,208 |
| Adjusted Capital Budget | 390,102 | 433,348 |
| Other | | |
| Reserve fund interest and other revenue | 60,455 | - |
| Budget as presented in Financial Statements | \$ 2,925,377 | \$ 2,442,847 |

14. Tangible Capital Assets

2019

| (All dollars in \$000) | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|------|---------------|----------------|----|-------------|------|---------------|
| | | Balance at | | | Disposals & | | Balance at |
| Cost | Dece | mber 31, 2018 | Additions Writ | | /rite-downs | Dece | mber 31, 2019 |
| Land | \$ | 1,198,182 | \$ 23,329 | \$ | - | \$ | 1,221,511 |
| Land improvements | | 41,387 | - | | - | | 41,387 |
| Buildings and building improvements | | 2,432,436 | 75,595 | | (3,633) | | 2,504,398 |
| Leasehold improvements | | 28,117 | 1,581 | | - | | 29,698 |
| Linear and linear improvements | | 8,173,877 | 438,361 | | (99,507) | | 8,512,731 |
| Structures | | 237,931 | - | | - | | 237,931 |
| Vehicles | | 93,860 | 18,284 | | (9,391) | | 102,753 |
| Equipment and furnishings | | 2,095,723 | 68,178 | | (30,001) | | 2,133,900 |
| Construction work in progress | | 1,190,334 | 32,263 | | - | | 1,222,597 |
| Total cost | \$ | 15,491,847 | \$ 657,591 | \$ | (142,532) | \$ | 16,006,906 |

| Accumulated Amortization | Balance at December 31, 2018 | | Disposals | | osals Amortization | | Balance at December 31, 2019 | |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------|-----------|----------|--------------------|---------|---------------------------------|-----------|
| Land improvements | \$ | 17,830 | \$ | - | \$ | 1,273 | \$ | 19,103 |
| Buildings and building improvements | | 722,872 | | (1,943) | | 47,126 | | 768,055 |
| Leasehold improvements | | 13,348 | | - | | 1,093 | | 14,441 |
| Linear and linear improvements | | 2,422,168 | | (59,683) | | 142,348 | | 2,504,833 |
| Structures | | 106,933 | | - | | 5,691 | | 112,624 |
| Vehicles | | 50,669 | | (8,022) | | 10,248 | | 52,895 |
| Equipment and furnishings | | 859,469 | | (29,162) | | 77,111 | | 907,418 |
| Total accumulated amortization | \$ | 4,193,289 | \$ | (98,810) | \$ | 284,890 | \$ | 4,379,369 |

| | Balance | at |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|----|
| Net Book Value | December 31, 20° | 19 |
| Land | \$ 1,221,5 ⁻ | 11 |
| Land improvements | 22,28 | 34 |
| Buildings and building improvements | 1,736,34 | 43 |
| Leasehold improvements | 15,25 | 57 |
| Linear and linear improvements | 6,007,89 | 98 |
| Structures | 125,30 | 07 |
| Vehicles | 49,88 | 58 |
| Equipment and furnishings | 1,226,48 | 82 |
| Construction work in progress | 1,222,50 | 97 |
| Total net book value | \$ 11,627,5 | 37 |

14. Tangible Capital Assets (Continued)

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|----|----|---|
| | | |

| (All dollars in \$000) | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|------|---------------|---------------|------------|------------|-------------------|------------|
| | | Balance at | | isposals & | Balance at | | |
| Cost | Dece | mber 31, 2017 | Additions | W | rite-downs | December 31, 2018 | |
| | | | | | | | |
| Land | \$ | 1,171,054 | \$ 27,512 | \$ | (384) | \$ | 1,198,182 |
| Land improvements | | 41,387 | - | | - | | 41,387 |
| Buildings and building improvements | | 2,387,055 | 45,381 | | - | | 2,432,436 |
| Leasehold improvements | | 25,650 | 2,467 | | - | | 28,117 |
| Linear and linear improvements | | 7,933,055 | 240,822 | | - | | 8,173,877 |
| Structures | | 231,884 | 6,047 | | - | | 237,931 |
| Vehicles | | 87,920 | 12,725 | | (6,785) | | 93,860 |
| Equipment and furnishings | | 2,049,402 | 51,154 | | (4,833) | | 2,095,723 |
| Construction work in progress | | 952,245 | 238,089 | | - | | 1,190,334 |
| Total cost | \$ | 14,879,652 | \$ 624,197 | \$ | (12,002) | \$ | 15,491,847 |
| | | · | | | · | | |

| Accumulated Amortization | Balance at December 31, 2017 Disposals | | | | | ortization | Decer | Balance at mber 31, 2018 |
|---|---|-------------------|----|----------|----|-----------------|-------|-----------------------------|
| Land improvements Buildings and building improvements | \$ | 16,550 677,176 | \$ | - | \$ | 1,280 45,696 | \$ | 17,830 722,872 |
| Leasehold improvements | | 12,270 | | - | | 1,078 | | 13,348 |
| Linear and linear improvements | | 2,282,147 | | - | | 140,021 | | 2,422,168 |
| Structures | | 101,276 | | - | | 5,657 | | 106,933 |
| Vehicles | | 47,555 | | (5,674) | | 8,788 | | 50,669 |
| Equipment and furnishings | | 787,552 | | (4,830) | | 76,747 | | 859,469 |
| Total accumulated amortization | \$ | 3,924,526 | \$ | (10,504) | \$ | 279,267 | \$ | 4,193,289 |

| | | Balance at | | | |
|--|-------------------|------------|--|--|--|
| Net Book Value | December 31, 2018 | | | | |
| | | | | | |
| Land | \$ | 1,198,182 | | | |
| Land improvements Buildings and building | | 23,557 | | | |
| improvements | | 1,709,564 | | | |
| Leasehold improvements | | 14,769 | | | |
| Linear and linear improvements | | 5,751,709 | | | |
| Structures | | 130,998 | | | |
| Vehicles | | 43,191 | | | |
| Equipment and furnishings | | 1,236,254 | | | |
| Construction work in progress | | 1,190,334 | | | |
| Total net book value | \$ | 11,298,558 | | | |

a) Construction in Progress

Assets under construction having a value of 1,222,597 (2018 – 1,190,334) have not been amortized. Amortization of these assets will commence when the asset is put into service.

b) Contributed Tangible Capital Assets

Contributed tangible capital assets transferred to the Region in 2019 amounted to \$105,971 (2018 – \$64,734). The majority of tangible capital assets transferred were from developers, and included water and wastewater local mains as well as land.

c) Works of Art and Cultural Assets

The Region manages and controls various works of art and non-operational historical cultural assets including buildings, artifacts, paintings and sculptures located at Region sites and public display areas. These assets are not recorded as tangible capital assets and are not amortized

d) Write-Downs

The write-down of tangible capital assets during the year was \$41,514 (2018 – \$Nil). The write-downs related to water and wastewater linear assets disposals that were not previously recorded and the reduction in the useful life of a building owned by PHC.

e) Interest Capitalization

In 2019, the Region capitalized \$183 (2018 – \$151) of interest cost.

15. Expenses by Object

The consolidated statement of operations reports expenses for the Region by functions or by business programs. The following is a summary of expenses by object.

| | | 2019 | 2018 |
|------------------------------|------|-----------|-----------------|
| Salary and wages | \$ | 882,412 | \$ 850,232 |
| Services and rents | | 391,886 | 371,743 |
| Materials and supplies | | 85,633 | 88,592 |
| Grants and transfer payments | | 601,144 | 594,364 |
| Debt charges | | 66,724 | 68,002 |
| Intra-government transfers | | (44,995) | (42,571) |
| Amortization | | 284,890 | 279,267 |
| Other operational expenses | | 192,813 | 135,867 |
| Total | \$: | 2,460,507 | \$ 2,345,496 |

16. Contractual Obligations and Contingent Liabilities

a) As at December 31, 2019 outstanding contractual obligations for capital works amounted to approximately \$533,832 (2018 – \$557,399). Regional Council has authorized the financing of these obligations.

- b) As at December 31, 2019 the Region has been named as defendant or co-defendant in a number of outstanding legal actions. No provision has been made for any claims that are expected to be covered by insurance or where the consequences are undeterminable. A provision of \$8,642 (2018 \$8,997) has been made for those claims not expected to be covered by insurance.
- c) Under the terms of various operating lease agreements, future minimum payments are as follows:

| 2020 | \$ 2,347 |
|--------------------|----------|
| 2021 | 1,252 |
| 2022 | 767 |
| 2023 | 664 |
| 2024 | 332 |
| Subsequent to 2024 | 2,257 |
| Total | \$ 7,619 |

- d) Under a 10-year service agreement, effective January 1, 2010, the Region has contracted the operations of the South Peel wastewater and water treatment systems to the Ontario Clean Water Agency ("OCWA").
 - Included in the consolidated statement of operations are the 2019 charges from OCWA totaling \$40,300 (2018 \$38,495). The consolidated statement of financial position reflects only the capital assets of the wastewater and water treatment facilities and the service charges due to or from OCWA.
- e) The Peel Regional Police provide policing services to the Greater Toronto Airports Authority ("GTAA"). Under a service agreement, the GTAA provides funding to fully offset any costs incurred by the Peel Regional Police. In 2019, the Peel Regional Police received \$17,035 (2018 \$16,561) from the GTAA.
- f) Under contracts approved by the Region in 2005 with amendments in 2012 and 2016, Waste Management of Canada Corporation ("WMCC") will provide waste disposal capacity at current market rates (additional 23 years until December 31, 2042) in addition WMCC and another private third party corporation will provide waste transfer services to the Region. The 2019 annual cost is \$16,600.
- g) Under separate contracts approved by the Region in 2014, two private waste management companies provide services including, but not limited to: bi-weekly, alternating garbage cart and recycling cart collection, bi-weekly bulky item collection, weekly organics cart collection, seasonal yard waste collection, garbage exemption collection periods, and manual (bag based) garbage, recycling and organics bin collection at specified locations. Each contract term is for an eight-year-plus-nine-month period which began on January 2016, with two additional, separate twelve-month period extension options, based on satisfactory service, performance and pricing. The 2019 annual cost for the two contracts is \$42,900.

- h) The Region has issued letters of credit for \$24,931 (2018 \$13,685) in order to meet the credit requirements and conditions of certain agreements related to capital projects.
- i) The Region has identified a contaminated site on a piece of land downloaded from the federal government. The Region is currently working with the federal government to determine who accepts responsibility for the remediation of this site and has, therefore, not recognized a liability for this site in the consolidated statement of financial position.

17. Liability for Contaminated Sites

As at December 31, 2019, management has not identified any contaminated sites that meet the specified criteria and no liability (2018 – \$Nil) for contaminated sites has been recorded in these consolidated financial statements.

18. Municipal Act, 2001

Since the introduction of Current Value Assessment ("CVA") taxation in 1998, provincial legislation mandates a limit to assessment-related tax increases for the commercial, industrial and multi-residential classes. The purpose of this limit is to ensure that the impact of CVA reform is manageable for taxpayers in these three property classes. These assessment-related tax adjustments are capped using a number of Council-adopted parameters which include the optional capping tools and capping program enhancements. Adoption of the capping parameters is designed to maximize the number of properties moving to full CVA-based taxation with the capping enhancements providing a four-year phase-out and/or immediate exit from the capping program for an eligible municipality. In 2018, the Province provided municipalities with additional flexibility such as the option to limit the capping protection to reassessment-related changes prior to 2018, and exclusion of vacant land from the four-year phase-out eligibility criteria providing that the remaining properties are within 50 per cent of CVA level taxes. The Region's 2018 Tax Capping Policy – Selection of Options staff report presented to Regional Council on May 10, 2018 details the capping options selected for implementation in the 2018 taxation year. The legislation permits the costs of capping to be funded by limiting the property tax decreases within the subject property class.

While the local municipalities have the jurisdiction responsibility for managing the tax collection system, the Region is responsible for acting as the "banker" in order to balance out the overall impact of the capping initiative on a broader Regional basis. Implementation may cause some year-to-year variances. Such post-billing capping variances are written-off at the local municipal level and funded between the Region, the local municipality and the school board based on the tax rate prorated shares of the write-offs.

19. Segmented Information

The Region of Peel is a diversified municipal government institution providing a wide range of services to its residents that include: general government, protection to property and persons, transportation, environmental, health and social and family services. The Region also controls and administers Peel Housing Corporation, a non-profit housing organization.

For management reporting purposes, the Region's operations and activities are reported by Program Services. Program Services were created for the purpose of recording specific activities to attain certain objectives in accordance with regulations, restrictions or limitations. Regional services are provided by divisions and their activities are reported in Program Services.

Divisions disclosed in the Segmented Information, along with the services they provide, are as follows:

General Government

General government comprises divisions under Finance, Corporate Services and the Executive Office, Council and Digital & Information Services. The divisions provide direct support to the various citizen-facing Regional services, as well as Council and Committee. These divisions also supply financial and administrative leadership for the Regional Corporation.

Also included are corporate expenses and revenues that are not directly attributable to any individual service, but do impact the overall tax requirement.

Protection to Property and Persons

Protection to property and persons consists of Police Services and the conservation authorities. Police Services partners with the community to maintain social order and contribute to a safe environment in which to live, work and visit. Funding is provided to support the operating costs, special projects and land purchases for three conservation authorities in the Region.

Transportation Services

Transportation services is responsible for Roads and TransHelp services. The mandate of the Roads division is to provide safe, reliable and secure roads while respecting the environment. TransHelp provides transit services to Peel residents unable to utilize conventional modes of public transportation.

GO Transit

GO Transit includes the Region's apportionment of capital costs billed by GO Transit.

Gas Tax Transferred to Local Municipalities

This segment includes the Federal Gas Tax revenue that is transferred to local municipalities.

Environmental Services

Environmental services is responsible for Water, Wastewater and Waste Management Services. The Water Program sustainably delivers high quality drinking water, and the related support services, in an efficient and reliable manner. The mandate of Wastewater is to manage, collect and treat municipal wastewater. Waste Management provides

environmentally sustainable waste management services to residents and small businesses while maximizing recovery of valuable resources.

Health Services

Health services includes Public Health and Paramedic Services. Public Health is mandated by the *Ontario Health Protection and Promotion Act* and other legislation. Public Health provides programs and services in six key areas: communicable disease control and prevention; clinical services; enforcement; youth and adult illness prevention; early childhood development; and health surveillance. The mandate of Paramedic Services is to decrease suffering and improve and promote community safety.

Social and Family Services

Children's services plans, manages and coordinates a Region-wide early learning and child care system. Long-Term Care operates five long-term care facilities for seniors. Ontario Works delivers a range of programs providing employment and financial assistance to residents in need.

Social Housing

Social housing is responsible for administering social housing providers, the rent supplement programs, and managing a social housing waiting list.

Peel Housing Corporation is a non-profit housing company providing over 16,000 residents with affordable rental units.

Planning and Development

Regional planning provides planning policy and research and development planning services that respond to the growth and change experienced in Peel.

Assessment Services

Assessment Services is the funding to the Municipal Property Assessment Corporation, which administers province-wide property assessment services for municipalities.

Segmented Information

For the year ended December 31, 2019 (All dollars in \$000)

| | General Government | | Protection to Property & Persons | | Transportation Services | | Go Transit | | Gas Tax Transferred To Area Municipalities | | Environmental Services | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------|----------|------------|----------|--|--------|---------------------------|---------|
| | 2019 | 2018 | 2019 | 2018 | 2019 | 2018 | 2019 | 2018 | 2019 | 2018 | 2019 | 2018 |
| Operations Revenue | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Levies on area municpalities | 1,083,265 | 1,043,679 | - | - | - | - | _ | - | - | - | - | - |
| Direct charges on ratepayers | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 412,930 | 401,482 |
| Contributions - other governments | 17,946 | 16,529 | 17,439 | 18,935 | 28,745 | 22,518 | - | - | 69,712 | 34,283 | 39,116 | 72,048 |
| Contributions - developers | 516 | 450 | 1,182 | 2,672 | 30,570 | 49,594 | - | 1,500 | - | - | 206,207 | 189,219 |
| Contributed capital assets | - | - | - | - | 4,114 | 2,956 | - | - | - | - | 99,048 | 61,778 |
| Investment income | 15,611 | 16,225 | 6,689 | 5,561 | 6,823 | 5,696 | - | - | - | - | 33,410 | 26,757 |
| Fees and service charges | 15,705 | 29,656 | 29,025 | 27,736 | 5,069 | 7,434 | - | - | - | - | 17,167 | 25,815 |
| | 1,133,043 | 1,106,539 | 54,335 | 54,904 | 75,321 | 88,198 | - | 1,500 | 69,712 | 34,283 | 807,878 | 777,099 |
| Expenses | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Salaries and wages | 68,051 | 72,682 | 396,140 | 386,122 | 46,115 | 44,392 | - | - | - | - | 65,258 | 60,252 |
| Services and rents | 30,308 | 26,421 | 32,735 | 30,698 | 35,040 | 31,985 | - | - | - | - | 182,139 | 173,269 |
| Materials and supplies | 2,738 | 3,348 | 13,217 | 12,181 | 8,662 | 9,157 | - | - | - | - | 45,876 | 48,849 |
| Grants and transfer payments | 32,397 | 30,430 | 48,271 | 47,596 | 16 | 48 | - | - | 69,712 | 34,283 | - | - |
| Debt charges | 2,330 | 2,966 | - | - | 566 | 586 | - | - | - | - | 57,783 | 57,882 |
| Intra-government transfers | (100,853) | (88,558) | (15,453) | (16,968) | (27,352) | (26,890) | - | - | - | - | 54,224 | 50,704 |
| Amortization | 9,444 | 10,368 | 13,533 | 12,614 | 53,946 | 54,291 | - | - | - | - | 181,116 | 176,715 |
| Other operating expenses | 11,833 | 22,411 | 14,379 | 8,668 | 21,271 | 35,570 | 12,301 | 14,470 | - | - | 64,909 | 18,295 |
| | 56,248 | 80,068 | 502,822 | 480,911 | 138,264 | 149,139 | 12,301 | 14,470 | 69,712 | 34,283 | 651,305 | 585,966 |
| Annual Surplus (Deficit) | 1,076,795 | 1,026,471 | (448,487) | (426,007) | (62,943) | (60,941) | (12,301) | (12,970) | - | - | 156,573 | 191,133 |

Segmented Information

For the year ended December 31, 2019 (All dollars in \$000)

| | Heal Servi | | Social & Servi | • | Soc Hous | | Plannir Develop | • | Asses: Serv | | Tota | ı |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|----------|-------------------|----------|-------------|----------|--------------------|---------|----------------|----------|-----------|-----------|
| | 2019 | 2018 | 2019 | 2018 | 2019 | 2018 | 2019 | 2018 | 2019 | 2018 | 2019 | 2018 |
| Operations Revenue | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Levies on area municpalities | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1,083,265 | 1,043,679 |
| Direct charges on ratepayers | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 412,930 | 401,482 |
| Contributions - other governments | 96,995 | 95,703 | 462,319 | 486,325 | 66,589 | 49,809 | - | - | - | - | 798,861 | 796,150 |
| Contributions - developers | 483 | 625 | 168 | 52 | 13,233 | 13,018 | - | - | - | - | 252,359 | 257,130 |
| Contributed capital assets | - | - | - | - | 2,811 | - | - | - | - | - | 105,973 | 64,734 |
| Investment income | 1,692 | 1,713 | 3,559 | 3,093 | 10,125 | 8,256 | - | - | 311 | 258 | 78,220 | 67,559 |
| Fees and service charges | 1,145 | 1,323 | 20,419 | 18,612 | 78,919 | 60,797 | 2,679 | 3,168 | - | - | 170,128 | 174,541 |
| | 100,315 | 99,364 | 486,465 | 508,082 | 171,677 | 131,880 | 2,679 | 3,168 | 311 | 258 | 2,901,736 | 2,805,275 |
| Expenses | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Salaries and wages | 138,191 | 130,322 | 138,035 | 136,501 | 21,320 | 10,328 | 9,302 | 9,633 | - | - | 882,412 | 850,232 |
| Services and rents | 10,349 | 11,725 | 14,082 | 13,084 | 67,480 | 65,105 | 322 | 476 | 19,431 | 18,980 | 391,886 | 371,743 |
| Materials and supplies | 6,375 | 7,595 | 7,815 | 7,379 | 921 | 50 | 29 | 33 | - | - | 85,633 | 88,592 |
| Grants and transfer payments | 2,360 | 664 | 394,359 | 423,067 | 53,999 | 58,246 | 30 | 30 | - | - | 601,144 | 594,364 |
| Debt charges | - | - | - | 0 | 6,045 | 6,568 | - | - | - | - | 66,724 | 68,002 |
| Intra-government transfers | 18,398 | 16,994 | 19,456 | 16,872 | 6,879 | 6,303 | (294) | (1,028) | - | - | (44,995) | (42,571) |
| Amortization | 7,999 | 6,585 | 3,620 | 3,645 | 15,214 | 15,031 | 18 | 18 | - | - | 284,890 | 279,267 |
| Other operating expenses | 936 | 1,467 | 7,390 | 5,374 | 59,202 | 29,118 | 592 | 494 | - | - | 192,813 | 135,867 |
| | 184,608 | 175,352 | 584,757 | 605,922 | 231,060 | 190,749 | 9,999 | 9,656 | 19,431 | 18,980 | 2,460,507 | 2,345,496 |
| Annual Surplus (Deficit) | (84,293) | (75,988) | (98,292) | (97,840) | (59,383) | (58,869) | (7,320) | (6,488) | (19,120) | (18,722) | 441,229 | 459,779 |