COMMUNITY FUTURES WILD ROSE Financial Statements Year Ended March 31, 2015

COMMUNITY FUTURES WILD ROSE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT MARCH 31, 2015

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Shareholders of Community Futures Wild Rose

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Community Futures Wild Rose, which comprise the statement of financial position as at March 31, 2015, statement of revenues and expenditures, statement of changes in net assets, statement of cash flows, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Community Futures Wild Rose as at March 31, 2015 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

Calgary, Alberta June 24, 2015

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT ON COMPLIANCE WITH AGREEMENT

To Western Economic Diversification Canada

We have audited Community Futures Wild Rose's compliance as at March 31, 2015 with the criteria established in the Contribution Agreement between Western Economic Diversification Canada and Community Futures Wild Rose dated March 29, 2006, and the interpretation of the Agreement as set out in Note 2 of the attached financial statements.

Management's Responsibility

Management is responsible for the compliance with the criteria established by the provisions of the agreement and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial information that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on this compliance based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform an audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether Community Futures Wild Rose complied with the criteria established by the provisions of the agreement referred to above. Such an audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting compliance, evaluating the overall compliance with the agreement, and where applicable, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management.

Opinion

In our opinion, Community Futures Wild Rose is in compliance, in all material respects, with the criteria established by the contribution agreement.

Calgary, Alberta June 24, 2015

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COMMUNITY FUTURES WILD ROSE STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT MARCH 31, 2015

	2014	2,361,839 21,605	1,694 4,179 790,453	3,179,770	2,620,641	2,623,110	286,362	6,089,242	22,025	550,000	15 1,182,202 286,360	3,573,018 475,622 5.517.217	6,089,242
TOTAL	2015	929,924 \$ 32,131 1,322,472	1,354 2,961 756,624	3,045,466	2,957,956 2,588	2,960,544	269,354	6,275,364 \$	22,545 \$	550,000	15 1,182,202 269,352	3,774,674 476,576 5.702.819	6,275,364 \$
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Q	2014	1,870,988 21,605		2,683,065	2,620,641	2,622,155		5,305,220		550,000	1,182,202	3,573,018	5,305,220
RESTRICTED INVESTMENT FUND	2015	436,103 \$ 32,131	13	2,547,343	2,957,956	2,959,533	1	5,506,876 \$	6/9	550,000	1,182,202	3,774,674	5,506,876 \$
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	2014	490,851	1,675 4,179	496,705	- 955	955	286,362	784,022	22,025	1	15 - 286,360	475,622	784,022
GENERAL	2015	493,821 \$	1,341 2,961 -	498,123	- 1,011	1,011	269,354	768,488 \$	22,545 \$ 22,545	E.	15	476,576	768,488 \$
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		CURKENI ASSETS Cash (Note 3, 9) Accused interest receivable Chort earn interest receivable Chort earn interest receivable	Substitution investments (Market Value 51,535,750,760) Goods and Services Tax receivable Prepaid Expenses (Note 4) Current notion of loans receivable (Note 5)		LONG TERM INVESTMENTS Loans receivable (Notes 2, 5, and 6) Long term investments (Note 7)		CAPITAL ASSETS (Notes 2, 8)	TOTAL ASSETS	CURRENT LIABILITIES Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 10)	LONG TERM LIABLITIES Repayable contributions (Note 11)	SHARE CAPITAL (Note 12) CONTRIBUTED SURPLUS (Note 13) INVESTED IN CAPITAL ASSETS (Note 2) INTERNALLY RESPRICTED (Note 2)	EXTERNALLY RESTRICTED (Note 14) UNRESTRICTED (Note 2)	TOTAL LIABLITIES AND NET FUNDS

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statments. Dorward & Company LLP Chartered Accountants

Approved by:

ECONOMIC DEPENDANCE (Note 15)
COMMITMENTS (Note 16)

Director Director

COMMUNITY FUTURES WILD ROSE STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2015

TOTAL

RESTRICTED INVESTMENT FUND

GENERAL

DEVENITE		2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014
NEVELVOE Government operations funding	₩	294,963 \$	294,976 \$	i	•	S 294.963 \$	294 976
Interest from operations		5,261	5,482	290,882	268,362	296,143	273,844
Other operating revenue		5,643	9,225	•	1	5,643	9,225
TOTAL REVENUE		305,867	309,683	290,882	268,362	596,749	578,045
PROGRAM SPENDING		7,595	6,340	ı	•	7,595	6,340
GROSS EXCESS		298,272	303,343	290,882	268,362	589,154	571,705
ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES							
Salaries and wages		216,793	215,287	•		216.793	215 287
Provision for doubtful loans			ı	691'62	52,834	79,169	52.834
Utilities and property taxes		22,197	26,349	•	, 1	22,197	26,349
Employee benefits		19,404	21,602	•	,	19,404	21.602
Amortization		17,009	18,583	1	•	17,009	18.583
Professional fees		9,398	7,352	540	5,154	9.938	12.506
Advertising and promotions		9,318	2,088	ı	•	9,318	5.088
Office expenses		691'6	8,597	12	19	9,181	8,616
Travel, meetings and conferences		5,358	9,835	•	•	5,358	9,835
Repairs and maintenance		4,810	5,321	•		4,810	5,321
Insurance		3,561	4,152	1	•	3,561	4,152
Supplies		3,137	2,498	•	1.	3,137	2,498
Memberships & conferences		2,714	3,072	1	•	2,714	3,072
Training		1,734	3,438	•		1,734	3.438
Loss on disposal of capital assets		1	639			. •	639
Interest and bank charges		224	195	909	009	829	795
Loan impairment recovery		•	1	(1,600)	(1,100)	(1,600)	(1,100)
TOTAL ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES		324,826	332,008	78,726	57,507	403,552	389,515
EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENSES	€>	(26,554) \$	(28,665) \$	212.156 \$	210.855	3 185,602 \$	182 190
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COMMUNITY FUTURES WILD ROSE STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2015

	INV	INVESTED IN CAPITAL ASSETS	GENERAL OPERATING FUND UNRESTRICTED	ED ED	INTERNALLY RESTRICTED	RE INVES	RESTRICTED INVESTMENT FUND		TOTAL	
									2015	2014
FUND BALANCES Beginning of year	69	286,360	\$ 475	475,622 \$	•	\$	3,573,018	₩	4,335,000 \$	4,152,810
EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENSES		ı	(56	(26,554)	ı		212,156		185,602	182,190
TRANSFER OF FUNDS (Note 2) Amortization		(17,008)	77	17,008	1		r		ı	
TRANSFER OF FUNDS TO INTERNALLY RESTRICTED From internally restricted (Note 2)			=	10,500	•		(10,500)		ı	,
FUND BALANCES, end of year	\$	269,352	\$ 47	476,576 \$	1	69	3,774,674	\$	4,520,602 \$	4.335.000

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COMMUNITY FUTURES WILD ROSE STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN FINANCIAL POSITION FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2015

	55	GENERAL	RESINA	RESTRICTED INVESTMENT FUND		TOTAL	
		2015		2015		2015	2014
CASH PROVIDED BY OPERATING ACTIVITIES							
Excess of revenue over expenses	6/2	(26,554)	67	212,156	69	185,602 \$	182,190
Items not requiring an outlay of cash:			•				
Amortization		17,009		,		17,009	18,583
Interfund transfer		10,500		(10,500)		ı	•
Loss on disposal of capital assets		ı		•		_	638
		955		201,656		202,611	201,411
Changes in non-cash working capital				i			
Accrued payable and accrued liabilities		520		•		520	(2,643)
Accounts receivable		1		(10,526)		(10,526)	21,253
Goods and Services Tax receivable		334		19		353	81
Prepaid expenses		1,217		-		1,217	(2,186)
•		2,071		(10,507)		(8,436)	16,505
FINANCING ACTIVITIES		1		*		ı	
		I				•	1
INVESTING ACTIVITIES	İ	Ī					
Additions to capital assets		1		1		•	(7,450)
Decrease (increase) in short term investments				(1,322,472)		(1,322,472)	1
Decrease (increase) in long term investments		(95)		(9 <i>L</i>)		(132)	(119)
Decrease (increase) in loans receivable		-		(303,486)		(303,486)	217,465
		(95)		(1,626,034)		(1,626,090)	209,896
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH		2,970		(1,434,885)		(1,431,915)	427,812
CASH, beginning of year		490,851		1,870,988		2,361,839	1,934,027
CASH, end of year	6/3	493,821	69	436,103	6/3	929,924 \$	2,361,839

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Notes to Financial Statements Year Ended March 31, 2015

1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS

Community Futures Wild Rose (the "Corporation") is a community based not-for-profit organization that provides loans and financial services to small businesses that are otherwise unable to obtain financing. The corporation also works to support the community's plans for the generation of additional private sector support. It was incorporated under the Business Corporations Act of Alberta.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Accounting

Community Futures Wild Rose follows the restricted fund method of accounting for contributions.

The General Fund accounts for the corporation's program delivery and administrative activities, as well as the purchase of capital assets. This fund reports unrestricted resources and restricted operating funds.

The Restricted Investment Fund reports the assets, liabilities, revenues and expenditures related to the loan portfolio. This fund reports restricted resources that are to be used for assistance to small businesses and entrepreneurs in the form of loans, loan guarantees or equity participation. Loans from the Western Youth Entrepreneur Investment Fund and the Disabled Entrepreneurs Investment Fund are limited to businesses owned and operated by youth and disabled entrepreneurs respectively. The corporation is restricted in the types of loans that can be made according to its agreement with the federal government.

Loans Receivable

The loan portfolio and accrued interest receivable on the loans are stated net of provisions for impaired loans and unearned interest.

Interest income is recorded on an accrual basis unless the loan is classified as an impaired loan. Loans are considered to be impaired when, in management's opinion, there is a reasonable doubt as to the ultimate collectibility of some portion of the principal or interest.

When a loan is classified as impaired, recognition of interest in accordance with the original loan agreement ceases. Subsequent payments of interest or principal received on an impaired loan are recorded as a reduction of the recorded investment in the loan. Interest is recognized only when all allowances for loan impairment have been reversed, or the loan is restructured.

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Notes to Financial Statements Year Ended March 31, 2015

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Capital assets

Capital assets are stated at cost, net of government assistance. Contributed capital assets are recorded at fair market value on the date of contribution. Capital assets are amortized over their estimated useful lives on a declining balance basis at the following rates and methods:

Buildings	4%	declining balance method
Building improvements	4%	declining balance method
Furniture and fixtures	20%	declining balance method
Computer equipment	55%	declining balance method
Computer software	100%	declining balance method

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

Capital assets acquired during the year but not placed into use are not amortized until they are placed into use.

Revenue recognition

Community Futures Wild Rose follows the deferral method of accounting for contributions.

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

Restricted investment income is recognized as revenue in the year in which the related expenses are incurred. Unrestricted investment income is recognized as revenue when earned.

Seminar fees are recognized as revenue when the seminars are held.

Income taxes

Community Futures Wild Rose is a registered not-for-profit corporation and is exempt from income taxes under paragraph 149(1)(1) of the Income Tax Act.

Government Assistance

Funding to finance operating expenses is provided by the Office of Western Economic Diversification and Alberta Employment and Immigration. The funding is recorded as revenue when earned in the Statement of Operations.

Funding to finance capital expenditures is provided by the Office of Western Economic Diversification. This funding is applied against the cost of the capital assets purchased, reducing their cost for accounting purposes.

Non-repayable funding received to finance investment loans has been recorded as contributed surplus on the Statement of Financial Position.

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Notes to Financial Statements Year Ended March 31, 2015

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

Invested in Capital Assets

This balance represents the corporation's net investment in capital assets after deducting any applicable loans related to these assets. It is the original cost of the assets, less accumulated amortization and any deferred contributions related to the assets as well as any outstanding loans.

Transfer of Funds to Capital Assets

This account represents the cash investment required to purchase new capital assets, and the expenditure recognized regarding amortization of capital assets.

Unrestricted Funds

These amounts are not restricted by the Board and are available for any purpose approved by the Members of the Board.

Measurement uncertainty

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations. The precise value of many assets and liabilities is dependent on future events. As a result, the preparation of financial statements for a period involves the use of approximations, which have been made using careful judgment by management. Actual results could differ from those approximations.

The provision for loan impairment is subject to a significant degree of uncertainty. A deterioration in general economic conditions may result in a much higher rate than is currently anticipated. However, the amount is not expected to vary significantly in the next year.

3. CASH

The corporation holds cash which is restricted to specific program expenditures and types of investments as follows:

	 General	It	rvestment Fund	2015	 2014
Unrestricted cash Restricted cash	\$ 493,821	\$	436,103	\$ 493,821 436,103	\$ 1,870,988 490,851
	\$ 493,821	\$	436,103	\$ 929,924	\$ 2,361,839

Restricted cash represents funds externally restricted for specific lending programs.

Notes to Financial Statements Year Ended March 31, 2015

4. PREPAID EXPENSES	2015	2014
Insurance Maintenance contracts		724 \$ 2,629 237 1,550
	\$ 2,5	61 \$ 4,179

5. LOANS RECEIVABLE

The Community Futures Wild Rose loan portfolio consists of 105 loans at interest rates ranging from 5.00% to 10.00% per annum. Repayment agreements most commonly require monthly or semi-monthly blended principal and interest payments and occassionally involve interest only periods. Security is taken on the loans as appropriate to the situation and may include personal guarantees, general security agreements covering business assets, mortgages on equipment, land and buildings, or assignment of accounts receivable. The loans are amortized over periods not extending twenty years, with an original term not exceeding five years.

The loan portfolio is composed of widely diversified business ventures located over a broad geographical area. An allowance for losses on investment loans is made based on review of the loans portfolio, as determined by management.

Net investment in the loan portfolio is summarized as follows:

	2015	2014
Performing loans to small businesses	\$ 3,561,252	\$ 3,326,729
Net impaired loans (Note 6)	153,328	84,365
	3,714,580	3,411,094
Amounts receivable within one year	(756,624)	(790,453)
	\$ 2,957,956	\$ 2,620,641

At March 31, 2015, the corporation had approved additional loans in the amount of \$85,000 to be disbursed upon fulfillment of certain conditions by the clients.

Notes to Financial Statements Year Ended March 31, 2015

6. IMPAIRED LOANS

A specific allowance for loan impairment has been established with respect to four loans, with a reported net investment included in loans receivable, as follows:

		2015	 2014
Impaired loans to small businesses Recovery (provision) for doubtful loans	\$	232,497 (79,169)	\$ 137,199 (52,834)
Net impaired loans	<u>\$</u>	153,328	\$ 84,365

These transactions are in the normal course of operations and are measured at the exchange amount, which is the amount of consideration established and agreed to by the related parties.

7. LONG TERM INVESTMENTS

	_ <u>_</u> G	eneral	Į1	nvestment Fund	 2015	2014
Chinook Credit Union equity	<u>\$</u>	1,011	\$	1,577	\$ 2,588	\$ 2,469
	\$	1,011	\$	1,577	\$ 2,588	\$ 2,469

8. CAPITAL ASSETS

	 Cost	cumulated ortization	N	2015 let book value	et book value
Buildings Building improvements Furniture and fixtures Computer equipment Computer software	\$ 276,450 108,460 119,938 7,116 19,121	\$ 88,828 34,563 112,543 6,676 19,121	\$	187,622 73,897 7,395 440	\$ 195,440 76,976 9,243 978 3,725
	\$ 531,085	\$ 261,731	\$	269,354	\$ 286,362

2014

9. BANK OVERDRAFT

The bank overdraft is secured by the loans receivable. The corporation has an authorized line of credit of \$50,000 at the Chinook Credit Union Ltd., at a rate of prime plus 1%. The unused portion at year end is \$50,000 (2014 - \$50,000).

Notes to Financial Statements Year Ended March 31, 2015

10. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES	

	 2015	 2014
Accrued vacation pay Accrued liabilities Accounts payable	\$ 13,948 7,560 1,037	\$ 13,948 7,245 812
	\$ 22,545	\$ 22,005

11. REPAYABLE CONTRIBUTIONS

The corporation has received repayable contributions from Her Majesty the Queen, Minister of Western Economic Diversification (Canada) totaling \$550,000, of which \$200,000 is reserved for loans made to the Disabled Entrepreneur Investment Fund, The remaining \$350,000 is available for the Regular Investment Fund loans.

A revised agreement was entered into, commencing April 1, 2006, with regards to these funds, which no longer required repayment of the funds, unless conditions relating to the agreement are violated. As of March 31, 2015, this agreement is still in place and has been extended indefinitely.

12. SHARE CAPITAL

2015 2014

Issued:

15 Class "A" common voting shares

<u>\$ 15 \$ 15</u>

13. CONTRIBUTED SURPLUS

Since the commencement of operations, government assistance in the amount of \$1,182,202 has been received to finance loans. The funding agreement in effect through the 2015 fiscal year requires the corporation to maintain its not-for-profit status and meet the goals set out in Note 2. The corporation is in compliance with the agreement requirements as at March 31, 2015. The contributed surplus represents externally restricted funds.

Notes to Financial Statements Year Ended March 31, 2015

14. EXTERNALLY RESTRICTED ASSETS

Loan Investment Funds restricted to loans and equity investment to entrepreneurs:

2015 2014

3,573,018

3,774,674

Externally restricted

The Community Futures Wild Rose Investment Fund assets are restricted by agreements with Her Majesty the Queen in respect of Canada, to provide loan funding for businesses that have otherwise exhausted the normal financing possibilities available to them. Additional restrictions exist on some of the cash assets, as detailed in Note 2.

During a previous year, the Department of Western Economic Diversification amended the terms and conditions of its contribution agreement with the corporation. Under the revised terms and conditions, the Conditionally Repayable Loan Funds, are repayable if any of the following conditions occur:

- 1. The Conditionally Repayable Investment Fund is not administered according to the terms and conditions specified in this Agreement; or
- 2. Based on reviews and evaluations of the operations and the Conditionally Repayable Investment Fund of the corporation, the Conditionally Repayable Investment Fund is not providing a satisfactory level of benefits in terms of employment creation, the development of the Community-owned or controlled businesses, and strengthening of the western Canadian economy; or
- 3. In the opinion of the Minister, the Conditionally Repayable Investment Fund is no longer necessary or relevant to the development of the western Canadian economy; or
- 4. The Agreement is terminated as described in Section 16 of the Agreement; or
- 5. An event of default occurs, as described in Section 17 of the Agreement.

As of March 31, 2015, none of the above mentioned conditions has occurred. The Minister has approved the terms and conditions to extend the project indefinitely.

15. ECONOMIC DEPENDENCE

The corporation is dependent on contracts with the Federal Government to continue operations. Contracts have terms from two to five years, as detailed in note 16.

Notes to Financial Statements Year Ended March 31, 2015

16. COMMITMENTS

The corporation has entered into agreements with Her Majesty the Queen with respect to Canada and Alberta to provide various programs as follows:

The Community Futures Program amendment is the core funding provided by the Office of Western Economic Diversification, and is intended to to offset the costs of operations. The amended contribution agreement dated April 1, 2015, provides a maximum of \$884,889 delivered over three years commencing April 1, 2015, with cash payments for the program years to be distributed to the corporation as per the schedule below.

The agreement expires on March 31, 2018. Any surplus realized from this funding is repayable at the government's discretion.

2016 2017 2018	\$ 294,963 294,963 294,963
	\$ 884,889

17. COMPARATIVE FIGURES

Some of the comparative figures have been reclassified to conform to the current year's presentation.