Alberta Sport, Recreation, Parks and Wildlife Foundation

Financial Statements

March 31, 2004

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Auditor's Report

To the Members of the Alberta Sport, Recreation, Parks and Wildlife Foundation

I have audited the statement of financial position of the Alberta Sport, Recreation, Parks and Wildlife Foundation as at March 31, 2004 and the statements of operations and cash flow for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Foundation's management. My responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on my audit.

I conducted my audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that I plan and perform an audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation.

In my opinion, these financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Alberta Sport, Recreation, Parks and Wildlife Foundation as at March 31, 2004 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles.

Original Signed by Fred J. Dunn, FCA Auditor General

Edmonton, Alberta May 21, 2004

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Alberta Sport, Recreation, Parks and Wildlife Foundation Statement of Operations For the year ended March 31, 2004

			2004			2003
		Operating	Restricted	Endowment	Total	Total
	Budget	Fund	Fund	Fund	Actual	Actual
	(Schedule 2)				<u></u>	
Revenues						
Internal Government Transfers	\$ 17,795,000	\$ 17,776,145	\$ -	\$-	\$ 17,776,145	\$ 15,210,000
Transfers from Government of Canada	-	200,000	-	-	200,000	-
Investment Income	295,000	123,104	64,125	-	187,229	182,114
Premiums, Fees and Licences	100,000	175,432	-	-	175,432	65,657
Other Revenue						
Donations	832,000	367,740	371,236	1,120	740,096	484,341
Percy Page Centre Sales (Note 10)	505,000	446,164	-	-	446,164	438,732
Refunds of Expenses	20,000	3,503	21,500	-	25,003	17,983
Parks and Wildlife Ventures Sales	-	-	1,494	-	1,494	3,872
Miscellaneous Revenue	70,000	53,197		-	53,197	55,002
	19,617,000	19,145,285	458,355	1,120	19,604,760	16,457,701
Expenses – Directly Incurred (Note 2(b) and Schedules 1 and 4)						
Provincial Programs	11,482,000	11,457,551	75,549	-	11,533,100	9,348,153
Alberta and Interprovincial Games	3,044,000	2,950,096	91,606	-	3,041,702	2,643,356
Municipal Recreation / Tourism Areas	1,528,000	1,489,600	-	-	1,489,600	1,498,400
Active Lifestyles	1,450,000	1,449,633	-	-	1,449,633	1,306,299
Provincial and Regional Development	700,000	660,000	40,000	-	700,000	514,443
Percy Page Centre (Note 10)	506,000	453,977	-	-	453,977	478,027
Parks and Wildlife Ventures	427,000	203,465	95,655	-	299,120	293,073
Other Initiatives	130,000	61,535	31,248	-	92,783	26,482
Administration	356,000	285,345	6,106		291,451	300,537
	19,623,000	19,011,202	340,164		19,351,366	16,408,770
Net Operating Results	\$ (6,000)	134,083	118,191	1,120	253,394	48,931
Fund Balances at Beginning of Year		239,018	3,703,862	412,745	4,355,625	4,306,694
Interfund Transfer (Note 9)		(43,825)	43,825	+12,/43	-+,555,025	4,200,094
Fund Balances at End of Year				¢ 412.065	\$4,609,019	¢ A 255 625
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The accompanying notes and schedules are part of these financial statements.

Alberta Sport, Recreation, Parks and Wildlife Foundation Statement of Financial Position As at March 31, 2004

	2004	2003
Assets		
Cash (Note 3)	\$ 2,711,093	\$ 2,692,500
Accounts Receivable (Note 4)	232,837	112,507
Prepaid Expenses and Inventory	55,460	46,836
	2,993,390	2,851,843
Tangible Capital Assets (Note 5)	2,327,917	2,155,698
	\$ 5,327,307	\$ 5,007,541
Liabilities		
Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities	\$ 718,288	\$ 644,837
Unearned Revenue	<u> </u>	7,079
	718,288	651,916
Fund Balances		
Operating	329,276	239,018
Endowment (Note 7)	413,865	412,745
Restricted (Note 8)	3,865,878	3,703,862
	4,609,019	4,355,625
	\$ 5,327,307	\$ 5,007,541

The accompanying notes and schedules are part of these financial statements.

Alberta Sport, Recreation, Parks and Wildlife Foundation Statement of Cash Flow For the year ended March 31, 2004

	2004	2003
Operating Transactions		
Net Operating Results	\$ 253,394	\$ 48,931
Non-cash Items included in Net Operating Results		, -,
Amortization of Tangible Capital Assets	6,106	6,106
	259,500	55,037
Decrease (Increase) in Accounts Receivable	(120,330)	93,050
Increase in Prepaid Expenses and Inventory	(8,624)	(12,244)
Increase (Decrease) in Accounts Payable and Accrued Liabilities	73,451	(222,530)
Increase (Decrease) in Unearned Revenue	(7,079)	7,079
Cash Provided by (Applied to) Operating Transactions	196,918	(79,608)
Capital Transactions		
Purchase of Tangible Capital Assets	(140,325)	_
Donation of Tangible Capital Assets	(38,000)	
Cash Applied to Capital Transactions	(178,325)	
Increase (Decrease) in Cash	18,593	(79,608)
Cash, Beginning of Year	2,692,500	2,772,108
Cash, End of Year	\$ 2,711,093	\$ 2,692,500

The accompanying notes and schedules are part of these financial statements.

Note 1 Authority and Purpose

The Alberta Sport, Recreation, Parks and Wildlife Foundation (Foundation) operates under the authority of the *Alberta Sport, Recreation, Parks and Wildlife Foundation Act*, Chapter A-34, Revised Statutes of Alberta 2000.

The purpose of the Foundation is to support enhancement of sport, recreation, parks and wildlife programs for all Albertans.

The Foundation is a Crown corporation of the Government of Alberta and as such has a tax-exempt status.

Note 2 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies and Reporting Practices

The recommendations of the Public Sector Accounting Board of the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants are the primary source for the disclosed basis of accounting. Recommendations of the Accounting Standards Board of the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants, other authoritative pronouncements, accounting literature, and published financial statements relating to either the public sector or analogous situations in the private sector are used to supplement the recommendations of the Public Sector Accounting Board where it is considered appropriate. These financial statements are prepared in accordance with the following accounting policies that have been established by government for all departments.

(a) Reporting Entity

The reporting entity is the Alberta Sport, Recreation, Parks and Wildlife Foundation, which is part of the Ministry of Community Development (Ministry) and for which the Minister of Community Development (Minister) is accountable. The Ministry Annual Report provides a more comprehensive accounting of the financial position and results of the Ministry's operations for which the Minister is accountable.

(b) Basis of Financial Reporting

Fund Accounting

Transactions are grouped, for accounting and reporting purposes, into funds in accordance with specified activities or objectives. These funds are described as follows:

- The operating fund accounts for revenues and expenses associated with the primary activities of the Foundation;
- The restricted fund accounts for non-government contributions received for which donors have specified the purpose, restricted interest earned, related expenses incurred, and funds restricted by the Board of Directors; and

Note 2 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies and Reporting Practices (continued)

(b) Basis of Financial Reporting (continued)

Fund Accounting (continued)

• The endowment fund accounts for contributions received under various agreements with sponsors and matching funds provided by the Foundation. Interest earned on the existing endowment funds can only be used to fund various sport programs, and are therefore recorded as part of the restricted fund. The principal must remain intact.

Revenues

All revenues are reported on the accrual basis of accounting.

Cash donations are reported when received. Donations of materials and services that would otherwise have been purchased are recorded at fair value at the date of donation when fair value can reasonably be determined.

Internal Government Transfers

Internal government transfers are transfers between entities within the government reporting entity where the entity making the transfer does not receive any goods or services directly in return.

Expenses

Directly Incurred

Directly incurred expenses are those costs the Foundation has primary responsibility and accountability for, as reflected in the Government's budget documents.

Directly incurred expenses include amortization of tangible capital assets.

Grants are recorded as expenses when authorized and when all eligibility criteria have been satisfied.

Incurred by Others

Services contributed by other entities in support of the Foundation's operations are disclosed in Schedule 4.

Note 2 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies and Reporting Practices (continued)

(b) Basis of Financial Reporting (continued)

Assets

Financial assets of the Foundation are limited to financial claims, such as advances to and receivables from other organizations and individuals as well as inventories held for resale.

Tangible capital assets of the Foundation are recorded at historical cost and amortized on a straight-line basis over the useful lives of the assets. The threshold for capitalizing assets is \$5,000. All land is capitalized.

Donated tangible capital assets are recorded at their fair value at the time of contribution.

Artworks are not recorded as assets. Purchases of artworks are expensed in the period in which the items are acquired. Donations of artworks and collection items are reported as revenue and expenses at their fair value when fair value can be determined. When fair value cannot be reasonably determined, these donations are recorded at nominal value.

Liabilities

Liabilities represent all financial claims payable by the Foundation at fiscal year end.

Valuation of Financial Assets and Liabilities

Fair value is the amount of consideration agreed upon in an arm's length transaction between knowledgeable, willing parties who are under no compulsion to act.

The fair values of cash, accounts receivable, and accounts payable and accrued liabilities are estimated to approximate their carrying values because of the short term nature of these instruments.

Note 3 Cash

Cash consists of deposits in the Consolidated Cash Investment Trust Fund (CCITF) of the Province of Alberta. CCITF is managed by Alberta Finance with the objective of providing competitive interest income to depositors while maintaining maximum security and liquidity of depositor's capital. The portfolio is comprised of high-quality short-term and mid-term fixed income securities with a maximum term to maturity of three years. Interest is earned on the Foundation's daily cash balance at the average rate of the CCITF's earnings, which varies depending on prevailing market interest rates.

Due to the short-term nature of these deposits, the carrying value approximates fair value.

Cash in the amount of \$1,818,104 has been externally restricted and \$315,022 has been internally restricted and is therefore not available to pay for operating expenses of the Foundation. (Note 7 and 8)

Note 4 Accounts Receivable

		2003		
		Allowance for Net		
		Doubtful	Realizable	Realizable
	Gross Amount	Accounts	Value	Value
Accounts Receivable	\$ 120,394	\$-	\$ 120,394	\$ 107,651
Other	6,298	-	6,298	4,856
Refunds of Expenses	106,145		106,145	
	\$ 232,837	\$ -	\$ 232,837	\$ 112,507

Accounts receivable are unsecured and non-interest bearing.

Note 5 Tangible Capital Assets

			2004		2003
	Estimated		Accumulated	Net Book	Net Book
	Useful Life	Cost	Amortization	Value	Value
Land, Unrestricted	N/A	\$ 181,300	\$-	\$ 181,300	\$ 181,300
Land, Use Restricted by Donors ^(a)	N/A	1,932,699	-	1,932,699	1,765,199
Buildings, Use Restricted by					
Donors ^(a)	40 years	255,059	(41,141)	213,918	209,199
		\$ 2,369,058	\$ (41,141)	\$ 2,327,917	\$ 2,155,698

^(a) Restricted for use in the Parks and Wildlife Ventures program.

Note 6 Artworks

The Foundation has a collection of artworks consisting of 22 (2003 - 23) prints of the Waterfowl of North America Collection #1250 with an approximate value of \$6,290 (2003 - \$6,558). During the year, there was 1 (2003 - 2) disposition. The proceeds received of \$140 were donated to the Alberta Sports Hall of Fame and Museum for charitable purposes.

Note 7 Endowment Fund

The endowment fund balance comprises:

	2004	2003
Externally Restricted Contributions Internally Restricted Matching Funds	\$ 215,955 197,910	\$ 214,835 197,910
	\$ 413,865	\$ 412,745

Note 8 Restricted Fund

The restricted fund balance comprises:

2004	2003
\$ 2,146,617 1,602,149	\$ 1,974,398 1,616,631 112,833
\$ 3,865,878	\$ 3,703,862
	\$ 2,146,617 1,602,149 117,112

^(a) The land and buildings are governed by restrictions that require the Foundation to use these assets for its programs.

Note 9 Interfund Transfer

The Board of Directors approved an interfund transfer of \$43,825 from the operating fund to the restricted fund.

Note 10 Percy Page Centre

The Foundation operates the Percy Page Centre, Edmonton, to provide accommodation and office services to non-profit organizations. These organizations are charged for their use of office equipment, supplies and print shop facilities.

Note 11 Honoraria

			20	004				2003
	Hor	Benefits and HonorariaTotal				Total		
Board ^(c) Chair Other Members (9)	\$	1,225 12,122	\$	-	\$	1,225 12,122	\$	1,066 17,835
	\$	13,347	\$	-	\$	13,347	\$	18,901

(a) The Foundation has no employees. Staff of the Department of Community Development administer the Foundation. Disclosure of information on their salaries and benefits, a requirement under Treasury Board Directive 12/98, is included in the financial statements of the Department of Community Development.

- ^(b) No benefits were provided to board members.
- ^(c) Members appointed to the Foundation are paid honoraria for attending Foundation meetings at rates set by Ministerial Order. They are also paid for sub-committee meetings, to attend out-of-town meetings and for attending to other Foundation duties.

Note 12 Commitments

At March 31, 2004, the Foundation has the following commitments:

	2004	2003
Grant Agreements Long-term Leases ^(a) Service Contracts	\$ 737,925 430,117 51,770	\$ 1,960,900 513,009 264,075
	\$ 1,219,812	\$ 2,737,984

^(a) The Percy Page Centre leases photocopiers, fax machines and other office equipment.

Note 12 Commitments (continued)

The aggregate amounts payable for these leases are as follows:

	2004
2004-2005	\$ 86,677
2005-2006	88,959
2006-2007	79,974
2007-2008	60,648
2008-2009	58,062
Thereafter	55,797
	\$ 430,117

Note 13 Comparative Figures

Certain 2003 figures have been reclassified to conform to the 2004 presentation.

Note 14 Approval of Financial Statements

The financial statements were approved by the Board of Directors.

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Alberta Sport, Recreation, Parks and Wildlife Foundation Expenses – Directly Incurred Detailed By Object For the year ended March 31, 2004

	20	2003	
	Budget	Actual	Actual
Grants	\$ 15,974,000	\$ 15,331,653	\$ 12,795,227
Supplies and Services	2,143,299	2,361,280	2,167,536
Supplies and Services from Support Service			
Arrangements with Related Parties ^(a)	1,488,201	1,638,980	1,421,000
Honoraria (Note 11)	11,500	13,347	18,901
Amortization of Tangible Capital Assets	6,000	6,106	6,106
	\$ 19,623,000	\$ 19,351,366	\$ 16,408,770

^(a) The Foundation receives administrative services for various recreational, park, and wildlife facilities as well as other general financial and administrative services from the Department of Community Development.

Schedule 2

Alberta Sport, Recreation, Parks and Wildlife Foundation Budget For the year ended March 31, 2004

	2003-2004 Budget	Treasury Board Approval	2003-2004 Authorized Budget
Revenues			
Internal Government Transfers			
Department of Community Development	\$ 17,670,000	\$ -	\$ 17,670,000
Alberta Foundation for the Arts	125,000	-	125,000
Investment Income	295,000	-	295,000
Premiums, Fees and Licences	100,000	-	100,000
Other Revenue			
Donations	832,000	-	832,000
Percy Page Centre Sales	505,000	-	505,000
Refunds of Expenses	20,000	-	20,000
Miscellaneous Revenue	70,000	-	70,000
	\$ 19,617,000	\$	\$ 19,617,000
Expenses – Directly Incurred			
Provincial Programs	11,482,000	-	11,482,000
Alberta and Interprovincial Games	3,044,000	-	3,044,000
Municipal Recreation / Tourism Areas	1,528,000	-	1,528,000
Active Lifestyles	1,450,000	-	1,450,000
Provincial and Regional Development	700,000	-	700,000
Percy Page Centre	506,000	-	506,000
Parks and Wildlife Ventures	427,000	-	427,000
Other Initiatives	130,000	_	130,000
Administration	356,000		356,000
	19,623,000		19,623,000
Net Operating Results	\$ (6,000)	\$	\$ (6,000)
Capital Investment	\$	<u> </u>	\$ -

Schedule 3

Alberta Sport, Recreation, Parks and Wildlife Foundation Related Party Transactions For the year ended March 31, 2004

Related parties are those entities consolidated or accounted for on the modified equity basis in the Province of Alberta's financial statements.

The Foundation paid or collected certain taxes and fees set by regulation for permits, licences, and other charges. These amounts were incurred in the normal course of business, reflect charges applicable to all users, and have been excluded from this Schedule.

The Foundation had the following transactions with related parties recorded on the Statement of Operations and the Statement of Financial Position at the amount of consideration agreed upon between the related parties:

	Entities in	the Ministry	Other]	Entities
	2004	2003	2004	2003
Revenues Internal Government Transfers Department of Community Development Alberta Foundation for the Arts	\$ 17,670,000 106,145	\$ 15,085,000 125,000	\$ -	\$ - -
	\$ 17,776,145	\$ 15,210,000	<u>\$</u>	\$
Expenses – Directly Incurred Other services	<u>\$ </u>	<u>\$</u> -	\$ 80,614	\$ 67,196
Accounts Receivable	\$ 106,145	<u>\$ -</u>	\$	<u>\$</u>
Accounts Payable	\$ 40,216	\$ 18,574	\$	\$ 1,881

The above transactions do not include support service arrangement transactions disclosed in Schedule 1.

The Foundation also had the following transactions with related parties for which no consideration was exchanged. The amounts for these related party transactions are estimated based on the costs incurred by the service provider to provide the service. These amounts are not recorded in the financial statements but are disclosed in Schedule 4.

]	Entities in t	he N	linistry	Other I	Enti	ties
		2004		2003	 2004		2003
Expenses – Incurred by Others							
Accommodation	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 752,758	\$	731,744
Legal Services		-		2,074	10,959		27,528
Other Services		266,888		264,600	 -		-
	\$	266,888	\$	266,674	\$ 763,717	\$	759,272

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	Alberta Sport, Recreation, Parks and Wildlife Foundation Allocated Costs For the year ended March 31, 2004	ort, Recreation, Parks and Wildlife Allocated Costs For the year ended March 31, 2004	Vildlife Found: 31, 2004	ation		
			2004			2003
		Expen	Expenses – Incurred by Others	y Others	1	
Program	Expenses ^(a)	Accommodation Costs ^(b)	Legal Services ^(c)	Other Services ^(d)	Total Expenses	Total Expenses
Provincial Programs	\$ 11,533,100	\$ 5,700	۰ ۲	\$ 85,404	\$ 11,624,204	\$ 9,439,413
Alberta and Interprovincial Games	3,041,702	58,385	ı	96,080	3,196,167	2,819,568
Municipal Recreation / Tourism Areas	1,489,600	932	I	13,344	1,503,876	1,512,804
Active Lifestyles	1,449,633	1,035	ı	10,676	1,461,344	1,318,187
Provincial and Regional Development	700,000	52	ı	2,669	702,721	517,154
Percy Page Centre (Note 10)	453,977	683,600	ı	10,676	1,148,253	1,126,420
Parks and Wildlife Ventures	299,120	880	10,959	16,013	326,972	310,058
Other Initiatives	92,783	52	·	2,669	95,504	58,795
Administration	291,451	2,122	I	29,357	322,930	332,317
	\$ 19,351,366	\$ 752,758	\$ 10,959	\$ 266,888	\$ 20,381,971	\$ 17,434,716
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Schedule 4

Expenses - Directly Incurred as per Statement of Operations.

Costs shown for Accommodation (includes grants in lieu of taxes) on Schedule 3, allocated by square footage. (c) (c) (a)

Costs shown for Legal Services on Schedule 3, allocated by estimated costs incurred by each program. Costs shown for Other Services on Schedule 3, allocated by estimated costs incurred by each program.

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