



# FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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# **Independent Auditor's Report**

#### To the Board of Directors of The Mohawk College Foundation

# **Qualified Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of The Mohawk College Foundation (the "Foundation"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at March 31, 2024, the statement of operations and changes in fund balances, and the statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, except for the possible effects of the matters described in the Basis for Qualified Opinion paragraph, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of The Mohawk College Foundation as at March 31, 2024, and its results of operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

## **Basis for Qualified Opinion**

In common with many charitable organizations, The Mohawk College Foundation derives revenue from donations and fundraising activities, the completeness of which is not susceptible to satisfactory audit verification. Accordingly, our verification of these revenues was limited to the amounts recorded in the records of The Mohawk College Foundation. Therefore, we were unable to determine whether any adjustments might be necessary to fundraising revenues, deficiency of revenues over expenditures and cash flows from operations for the year ended March 31, 2024, assets as at March 31, 2024 and fund balances as at April 1, 2023 and March 31, 2024.

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Foundation in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our qualified audit opinion.

# Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance 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.

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

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



# **Independent Auditor's Report (Continued)**

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

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

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to
  fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit
  evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting
  a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud
  may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal
  control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures
  that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the
  effectiveness of the Foundation'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 Foundation's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Foundation to cease to continue as a going concern.

Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

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.

BDO Canada LLP

Chartered Professional Accountants, Licensed Public Accountants

Oakville, Ontario June 26, 2024

	 General Fund		Restricted Funds						Total 2023
ASSETS									
CURRENT									
Investments	\$ 2,270,678	\$	210,719	\$	2,481,397	\$	2,346,916		
Accounts receivable	3,783		-		3,783		2,013		
Due from Mohawk College (note 2)	-		6,111		6,111		-		
Prepaid expenses	26,260		-		26,260		17,697		
Donated artwork	 1		-		1		1		
	\$ 2,300,722	\$	216,830	\$	2,517,552	\$	2,366,627		
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS									
CURRENT									
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (note 3)	\$ 236,667	\$	-	\$	236,667	\$	176,200		
Due to Mohawk College (note 2)	503,410		-		503,410		126,853		
Deferred revenue	 -		-		-		810		
	 740,077		-		740,077		303,863		
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Unrestricted	1,560,645		216,830		1,560,645 216,830		1,852,045 210,719		
Restricted (note 4)	 1,560,645		216,830		1,777,475		2,062,764		
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	\$ 2,300,722	\$	216,830	\$	2,517,552	\$	2,366,627		

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

SIGNED ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

Bob Savage, Board Chair

June 25, 2024

Ron McKerlie, President

June 25, 2024

# THE MOHAWK COLLEGE FOUNDATION Statement of Operations and Changes in Fund Balances For the year ended March 31, 2024, with comparative information for 2023

	General Fund	Restricted Funds	Total 2024	Total 2023
REVENUE				
Cash donations	\$ 3,211,426	\$ -	\$ 3,211,426	\$ 1,923,454
Donations from Mohawk College	1,464,258	-	1,464,258	1,370,321
Donations of other assets (note 5)	306,514	-	306,514	81,651
Investment income (loss) (note 6)	237,589	31,394	268,983	(73,699)
Other revenue	306,815	-	306,815	295,390
	5,526,602	31,394	5,557,996	3,597,117
EXPENDITURES  Donations of cash to Mohawk College Donations of other assets (note 5) Salaries and benefits Contract services and professional fees Supplies and other expenses Promotion and public relations Travel and professional development	3,344,913 306,514 1,615,428 298,036 170,384 74,440 8,287 5,818,002	24,445 - - 838 - - - 25,283	3,369,358 306,514 1,615,428 298,874 170,384 74,440 8,287 5,843,285	1,989,679 81,651 1,294,713 302,140 128,925 67,358 6,960 3,871,426
(Deficiency) excess of revenue over expenditures	(291,400)	6,111	(285,289)	(274,309)
Fund balances, beginning of year	1,852,045	210,719	2,062,764	2,337,073
Fund balances, end of year	\$ 1,560,645	\$ 216,830	\$ 1,777,475	\$ 2,062,764

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

# THE MOHAWK COLLEGE FOUNDATION Statement of Cash Flows For the year ended March 31, 2024, with comparative information for 2023

	General Fund	Restricted Funds	Total 2024	Total 2023
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
(Deficiency) excess of revenue over expenditures Items not involving cash:	\$ (291,400)	\$ 6,111 \$	(285,289) \$	(274,309)
Unrealized (gain) loss on investment (note 6)	(137,869)	(19,601)	(157,470)	183,417
	(429,269)	(13,490)	(442,759)	(90,892)
Changes in non-cash working capital items:				
Accounts receivable	(1,770)	-	(1,770)	(517)
Prepaid expenses	(8,563)	-	(8,563)	5,919
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	60,467	-	60,467	61,870
Deferred revenue	 (810)	-	(810)	(760)
	(379,945)	(13,490)	(393,435)	(24,380)
CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
(Purchase) sale of investments, net	(142,324)	7,843	(134,481)	309,271
CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITES				
Advances from (to) Mohawk College	522,269	5,647	527,916	(284,891)
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH	 -	-	-	
CASH, BEGINNING AND END OF YEAR	\$ - 9	\$ - \$	- \$	

See accompanying notes to financial statements.

Notes to Financial Statements For the year ended March 31, 2024

#### 1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES:

#### (a) Operations

The Mohawk College Foundation (the "Foundation") was incorporated without share capital under the laws of Ontario to solicit donations and to operate a series of funds to be used exclusively for the advancement of learning and dissemination of knowledge at The Mohawk College of Applied Arts and Technology ("Mohawk College"). The Foundation is a registered charity exempt from income taxes under the Canadian Income Tax Act.

#### (b) Basis of accounting

These financial statements have been prepared using Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

## (c) Fund accounting

The Foundation follows the deferral method of accounting for contributions.

Revenue and expenses related to fundraising and administrative activities are reported in the General Fund.

Revenue and expenses related to established affiliates are reported in the Restricted Fund.

# (d) Financial instruments

Financial instruments are recorded at fair value based upon quoted market prices in active markets when acquired or issued. In subsequent periods, pooled funds traded in an active market are reported at fair value, with any unrealized gains and losses reported in operations. All other financial instruments are reported at cost or amortized cost less impairment, if applicable. Financial assets are tested for impairment when changes in circumstances indicate the asset could be impaired. Transaction costs on the acquisition, sale or issue of financial instruments are expensed for those items remeasured at fair value at each statement of financial position date and charged to the financial instrument for those measured at amortized cost.

#### (e) Revenue recognition

Restricted contributions related to general operations are recognized as revenue of the General Fund in the year in which the related expenses are incurred. All other restricted contributions are recognized as revenue of the Restricted Fund.

Unrestricted contributions are recognized as revenue of the General Fund in the year received.

Other revenue is recognized when the services are provided. Other revenue received in advance is recorded as deferred revenue.

Interest income is recognized when earned.

# (f) Donated artwork

Donated artwork is recorded at nominal value as the fair market value is not readily determinable.

# (g) Contributed assets and services

Contributed assets are recorded at fair market value, if determinable, at the date of receipt. Contributed services are not recorded because the fair market value is not readily determinable.

# (h) Use of estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from management's best estimates as additional information becomes available in the future.

Notes to Financial Statements For the year ended March 31, 2024

#### 2. DUE FROM AND DUE TO MOHAWK COLLEGE:

The amounts due from and due to Mohawk College are interest free, unsecured, and due within the next fiscal year.

## 3. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES:

Included in accounts payable and accrued liabilities are government remittances payable of \$14,044 (2023 - \$9,352).

#### 4. RESTRICTED FUNDS:

Restricted funds are designated for established affiliates. The fund balance represents the Centre for Insurance and Financial Planning fund.

#### 5. DONATIONS OF OTHER ASSETS:

Donations of other assets to Mohawk College for the year end include the following:

	2024	2023
Apprenticeship & Skilled Trades	\$ 102,465	\$ 61,062
Engineering Equipment	95,558	1,550
Media & Entertainment	57,219	-
Health Sciences	41,495	1,039
Other	9,776	-
Justice Studies	-	14,000
Research	-	4,000
	\$ 306,514	\$ 81,651

# 6. INVESTMENT INCOME (LOSS):

Investment income (loss) for the year end includes the following:

	General Fund	Restricted Fund	Total 2024	Total 2023
Dividend income	\$ 84,108	\$ 11,958	\$ 96,066	\$ 101,383
Realized gain on disposal of investment	13,525	1,923	15,448	8,335
Unrealized gain (loss) on investment	137,869	19,601	157,470	(183,417)
	\$ 235,502	\$ 33,482	\$ 268,984	\$ (73,699)

# 7. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS:

## (a) Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Foundation is exposed to interest rate risk arising from the possibility that changes in interest rates will affect the value of pooled funds.

Notes to Financial Statements For the year ended March 31, 2024

## 7. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued):

#### (b) Credit risk

Credit risk is the risk that one party to a financial instrument will cause a financial loss for the other party by failing to discharge an obligation. The Foundation is exposed to credit risk arising from its accounts receivable. The Foundation assesses, on a continuous basis, accounts receivable on the basis of amounts it is virtually certain to receive.

## (c) Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Foundation encounters difficulty in meeting its obligations associated with financial liabilities. Liquidity risk includes the risk that, as a result of operational liquidity requirements, the Foundation will not have sufficient funds to settle a transaction on the due date; will be forced to sell financial assets at a value, which is less than what they are worth; or may be unable to settle or recover a financial asset. Liquidity risk arises from accounts payable and accrued liabilities.

# (d) Market risk

The Foundation is exposed to fluctuations in equity markets on its investments.

There have been no changes to the Foundation's financial instrument risk exposures from the prior year.