Financial Statements of

# ST. BONIFACE HOSPITAL FOUNDATION INC.

And Independent Auditor's Report thereon

Year ended December 31, 2024



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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Member of St. Boniface Hospital Foundation Inc.

#### **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of St. Boniface Hospital Foundation Inc. (the "Entity"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2024, the statements of operations and changes in fund balances and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies (hereinafter referred to as the "financial statements").

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

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

We are independent of the Entity in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements.

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

# Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

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



In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Entity's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Entity or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

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

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

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion.

Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists.

Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial statements.

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

#### We also:

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



- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.
- Communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

**Chartered Professional Accountants** 

KPMG LLP

Winnipeg, Canada April 25, 2025

Statement of Financial Position

December 31, 2024, with comparative information for 2023

	2024	2023
Assets		
Cash	\$ 12,498,948	\$ 10,994,698
Accounts receivable	54,049	55,337
Prepaid expenses	151,229	106,445
Investments (note 3)	103,418,180	96,199,666
Cash surrender value of life insurance (note 4)	395,981	389,820
Capital assets (note 5)	98,297	183,343
	\$ 116,616,684	\$ 107,929,309
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (note 9) Grants payable (note 9)	\$ 452,032 12,790,202	\$ 521,887 10,801,189
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Grants payable (note 9)  Fund balances:	12,790,202 13,242,234	10,801,189 11,323,076
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements.

Approved on behalf of the Board of Directors:

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Statement of Operations and Changes in Fund Balances

Year ended December 31, 2024, with comparative information for 2023

	Unrestricted Fund	l	Endowment Fund		Operating Reserve Fund		Innovation Fund		Restricted Designated Fund		Capital Reserve Fund	2024 Total	2023 Total
Revenue:													
Contributions:													
Major gift\$	\$ 222,941	\$	248,060	\$	_	\$	_	\$	2,020,626	\$	_	\$ 2,491,627	\$ 3,200,260
Developments	1,590,075		16,884		_		_		697,386		_	2,304,345	12,956,294
Investments (note 6)	1,763,242		83,775		(5,870)		735,767		2,172,584		223,656	4,973,154	3,812,337
Unrealized changes in fair value of investments	319,896		4,352,178		489,819		945,506		_		439,813	6,547,212	6,825,063
	3,896,154		4,700,897		483,949		1,681,273		4,890,596		663,469	16,316,338	26,793,954
Lotteries:													
Lottery revenue	\$ 14,153,153	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$ 14,153,153	\$ 14,423,713
Cost of lotteries	10,775,912	•	_	*	_	*	_	_	_	,	_	10,775,912	10,965,542
	3,377,241		_		-		-		-		-	3,377,241	3,458,171
	7,273,395		4,700,897		483,949		1,681,273		4,890,596		663,469	19,693,579	30,252,125
Expenses:													
Administration	\$ 778,917	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$	_	\$ 778,917	\$ 762,614
Major gifts	979,103		_		_		_		_		_	979,103	1,045,785
Development	1,015,631		_		_		_		_		_	1,015,631	990,736
	2,773,651		_		-		_		_		_	2,773,651	2,799,135
Excess of revenue over expenses before grants	4,499,744		4,700,897		483,949		1,681,273		4,890,596		663,469	16,919,928	27,452,990
Grants (note 9)	4,844,315		_		_		-		5,307,396		_	10,151,711	9,213,715
Excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses	(344,571)		4,700,897		483,949		1,681,273		(416,800)		663,469	6,768,217	18,239,275
Fund balances, beginning of year	4,297,885		52,522,600		5,806,114		11,207,637		17,558,633		5,213,364	96,606,233	78,366,958
Inter-fund transfers for designated donations	_		(2,829)		_		_		2,829		-	_	_
Fund balances, end of year	\$ 3,953,314	\$	57,220,668	\$	6,290,063	\$	12,888,910	\$	17,144,662	\$	5,876,833	\$103,374,450	\$ 96,606,233

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

Statement of Cash Flows

Year ended December 31, 2024, with comparative information for 2023

	2024	2023
Cash provided by (used in):		
Operating activities:		
Excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses	\$ 6,768,217	\$ 18,239,275
Items not involving cash:		
Unrealized changes in fair value of investments	(6,547,212)	(6,825,063)
Amortization	109,271	112,625
Cash surrender value of life insurance	(6,161)	(14,083)
Change in non-cash operating working capital:	, ,	, ,
Accounts receivable	1,288	25,419
Prepaid expenses	(44,784)	35,686
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(69,855)	116,598
Grants payable	1,989,013	2,084,549
	2,199,777	13,775,006
Investing activities:		
Capital assets acquired	(24,225)	(21,205)
Increase in investments, net	(671,302)	(18,574,297)
	(695,527)	(18,595,502)
Increase (decrease) in cash	1,504,250	(4,820,496)
Cash, beginning of year	10,994,698	15,815,194
Cash, end of year	\$ 12,498,948	\$ 10,994,698

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

Notes to Financial Statements

Year ended December 31, 2024

#### 1. Purpose of the organization:

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

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

#### 2. Significant accounting policies:

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

#### (a) Fund accounting:

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

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

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

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

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

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

Year ended December 31, 2024

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

#### (a) Fund accounting (continued):

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

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

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

#### (b) Revenue recognition:

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

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

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

#### (c) Financial instruments:

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

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

Year ended December 31, 2024

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

#### (c) Financial instruments (continued):

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

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

#### (d) Contributed services:

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

#### (e) Grants:

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

#### (f) Cash surrender value of life insurance:

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

#### (g) Capital assets:

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

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

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

Year ended December 31, 2024

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

#### (g) Capital assets (continued):

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

#### (h) Government assistance:

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

#### (i) Use of estimates:

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

#### 3. Investments:

	2024	2023
International equity funds Fixed income funds Canadian equity funds Guaranteed investment certificates Real estate and infrastructure	\$ 37,451,984 28,184,851 15,292,246 14,922,300 7,566,799	\$ 32,294,301 25,998,424 14,853,122 16,311,319 6,742,500
	\$103,418,180	\$ 96,199,666

The Guaranteed investment certificates have maturity dates ranging from January 2025 to October 2026 and earn interest at 4.61 percent to 5.66 percent (2023 - 4.61 percent to 5.82 percent).

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

Year ended December 31, 2024

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

	2024	2023
Balance, beginning of year Increase during the year, net of amounts received	\$ 389,820 6,161	\$ 375,737 14,083
Balance, end of year	\$ 395,981	\$ 389,820

The Foundation is the designated beneficiary of five (2023 - five) life insurance policies. Proceeds receivable on the demise of the donors will be approximately \$713,000 (2023 - \$715,000).

#### 5. Capital assets:

				2024	2023
		Ac	cumulated	Net book	Net book
	Cost	amortization		value	value
Leasehold improvements Furniture and equipment Computer equipment	\$ 690,131 208,619 878,281	\$	681,982 198,262 798,490	\$ 8,149 10,357 79,791	\$ 10,636 8,577 164,130
	\$ 1,777,031	\$	1,678,734	\$ 98,297	\$ 183,343

#### 6. Investment revenue:

	2024		2023
\$	1,787,762 725,839 1,297,564 807,905 631,470 51,917	\$	1,282,113 590,938 1,120,271 336,957 769,073 (404)
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	\$	\$ 1,787,762 725,839 1,297,564 807,905 631,470 51,917 (329,303)	\$ 1,787,762 \$ 725,839 1,297,564 807,905 631,470 51,917 (329,303)

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

Year ended December 31, 2024

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

Investment income allocation:

The calculation and allocation of investment income earned by the Endowment, Operating Reserve, Capital Reserve and Innovation Funds is performed on December 31 each year. The investment income available for granting is calculated at 5.0 percent (2023 - 5.0 percent) of the Endowment, Operating Reserve, Capital Reserve and Innovation Funds' average market value over the three preceding years less an administration fee of 0.5 percent of the current market value of the Endowment, Operating Reserve, Capital Reserve and Innovation Funds. All investment income calculated above allocated to the Operating Reserve, Capital Reserve and Innovation Funds is put back into the funds for future use.

#### 8. Pledges:

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

	Unrestric	ted Fund	Endowm	ent Fund	Desig	Restricted Inated Fund
2025 2026 2027	\$	1,025 _ _	\$	5,000 - -	\$	708,066 409,263 76,000
	\$	1,025	\$	5,000	\$	1,193,329

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

Year ended December 31, 2024

#### 9. Related parties:

During the year, the Foundation had transactions with the following related party. This entity is without share capital and is related due to common control.

		2024	2023
Amounts due to St. Boniface Hospital Inc. Included in the following accounts: Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Grants payable	\$ 12	2,733 2,790,202	\$ 2,245 10,801,189
Expenses: Grants to St. Boniface Hospital Inc.	\$ 10	),151,711	\$ 9,213,715

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

#### 10. Pension plan:

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

During the year, the Foundation contributed \$137,550 (2023 - \$139,103) on behalf of its employees. The most recent funding actuarial valuation of the plan as of December 31, 2023, reported the plan had a surplus of actuarial value of net assets over actuarial value of pension obligations and a solvency deficiency. Based on a solvency exemption granted to HEPP, the plan is not required to fund on a solvency basis but is required to fund on a going concern basis, where required. Any going concern deficiency will be funded by special payments out of current contributions. Any contribution deficiencies in the plan would be addressed through pension benefit reductions or contribution rate increases from the participating members.

The Foundation's contribution rate is 8.9 percent (2023 - 8.9 percent) of pensionable earnings up to the year's maximum pensionable earnings (YMPE) and 10.5 percent (2023 - 10.5 percent) on earnings in excess of YMPE.

Notes to Financial Statements (continued)

Year ended December 31, 2024

#### 11. Commitments:

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

	Unrestricted Fund	0	Total
2025 2026 2027	\$ 3,853,314 - -	\$ 6,260,373 8,384,289 2,500,000	\$ 10,113,687 8,384,289 2,500,000
	\$ 3,853,314	\$ 17,144,662	\$ 20,997,976

#### 12. Financial risks:

#### (a) Investment risk:

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

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

The Foundation's fixed income investments are exposed to the risk that the value of interest-bearing investments will fluctuate due to changes in the level of market interest rates. To properly manage the Foundation's interest rate risk, appropriate guidelines on the weighting and duration for fixed income investments are set and monitored. There has been no change to the risk exposure from 2023.

#### (b) Liquidity risk:

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Foundation will be unable to fulfill its obligations on a timely basis or at a reasonable cost. The Foundation manages its liquidity risk by monitoring its operating requirements. The Foundation prepares budget and cash forecasts to ensure it has sufficient funds to fulfill its obligations. There has been no change to the risk exposures from 2023.