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Fiscal Year Ended: 12-31-2023

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Submission Checklist

Financial Information Act - Statement of Financial Information

Library Name:	Burns Lake Public Library
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a)	\boxtimes	Approval of Statement of Financial Information
b)	\boxtimes	A Management Report signed and dated by the Library Board and Library
		Director
		An operational statement including:
<i>c</i>)	\boxtimes	i) Statement of Income
c)	\boxtimes	ii) Statement of Changes in Financial Position, or, if omitted, an explanation
		in the Notes to the Financial Statements (audited ¹ financial statements)
d)	\boxtimes	Statement of assets and liabilities (audited ¹ financial statements)
		Schedule of debts (audited ¹ financial statements) If there is no debt, or if the
e)	\boxtimes	information is found elsewhere in the SOFI, an explanation must be provided
		in the Schedule.
		Schedule of guarantee and indemnity agreements including the names of the
f)	\boxtimes	entities involved and the amount of money involved. If no agreements, or if
1)		the information is found elsewhere in the SOFI, an explanation must be
		provided in the Schedule.
		Schedule of Remuneration and Expenses, including:
		i) An alphabetical list of employees (first and last names) earning over
		\$75,000
	\boxtimes	ii) Total amount of expenses paid to or on behalf of each employee under
		75,000
g)	П	iii) If the total wages and expenses differs from the audited financial
	ш	statements, an explanation is required
	\boxtimes	iv) A list, by name and position, of Library Board Members with the amount
of any remuneration paid to or on behalf of the member.		of any remuneration paid to or on behalf of the member.
		v) The number of severance agreements started during the fiscal year and
		the range of months` pay covered by the agreement, in respect of

¹ Municipal Libraries and Regional Library Districts must provide audited financial statements as per the *Libraries Act* section 11(2) and 26(2) (a). Audited statements are not required for the SOFI but if available, please include them.

As per the Libraries Act section 40(3)(a) Public Library Associations must prepare annual financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. This also applies to Library Federations.

	excluded employees. If there are no agreements to report, an
	explanation is required.
	Schedule of Payments for the Provision of Goods and Services including:
	i) An alphabetical list of suppliers receiving over \$25,000 and a
h) 🛚	consolidated total for those suppliers receiving less than \$25,000. If the
	total differs from the Audited Financial Statements, an explanation is
	required.

Board Approval Form

Financial Information Act - Statement of Financial Information

NAME OF LIBRARY		FISCAL YEAR END (YYYY)
Burns Lake Public Librai	ry	2023
LIBRARY ADDRESS		TELEPHONE NUMBER
Po Box 449 585 Govern	ment Street	250-692-3192
CITY	PROVINCE	POSTAL CODE
Burns Lake	British Columbia	VOJ 1E0
NAME OF THE CHAIRPE	RSON OF THE LIBRARY BOARD	TELEPHONE NUMBER
Ellie Jones		250-251-7424
NAME OF THE LIBRARY	DIRECTOR	TELEPHONE NUMBER
Monika Willner		250-692-3192
DECLARATION AND SI	GNATURES	
We, the undersigned, ce	ertify that the attached is a correct and true	copy of the Statement of Financial
Information of the year	ended 2023 for Burns Lake Public Library a	s required under Section 2 of the Financial
Information Act.		
SIGNATURE OF THE CHA	AIRPERSON OF THE LIBRARY BOARD*	DATE SIGNED (DD-MM-YYYY)
EllieJones		08-05-2024
SIGNATURE OF THE LIBRARY DIRECTOR DATE SIGNED (DD-MM-Y)		DATE SIGNED (DD-MM-YYYY)
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Management Report

<u>Financial Information Act - Statement of Financial Information</u>

Library Name: Burns Lake Public Library
Fiscal Year Ended: 12-31-2023

MANAGEMENT REPORT

The Financial Statements contained in this Statement of Financial Information under the *Financial Information Act* have been prepared by management in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles and the integrity and objectivity of these statements are management's responsibility.

Management is also responsible for all other schedules of financial information and for ensuring this information is consistent, where appropriate, with the information contained in the financial statements and for implementing and maintaining a system of internal controls to provide reasonable assurance that reliable financial information is produced.

The Board of the Library is responsible for ensuring that management fulfils its responsibilities for financial reporting and internal control and for approving the financial information included in the Statement of Financial Information.

On behalf of [Library name]

Name. Chairperson of			
the Library Board [Print]	Ellie Jones		
Signature,		Date	
Chairperson of the	Q 1 1 - 0	(MM-DD-	
Library Board	allee Jones	YYYY)	05-08-2024
			1000 1000
Name,			
Library Director [Print]	Monika Willner		
		Date	
Signature,	10 010	(MM-DD-	
Library Director	Pleede onlew	YYYY)	05-08-2024

Financial Statements
December 31, 2023

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2023

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Directors of Burns Lake Public Library Association

Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Burns Lake Public Library Association (the Entity), which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2023, and the statements of operations and change in net assets and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Entity as at December 31, 2023, and the results of its operations and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian Accounting Standards for Non-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 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 Non-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.



CHARTERED PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTANTS

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 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.

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.



Beswick Hildebrandt Lund

Chartered Professional Accountants

Prince George, British Columbia February 28, 2024

STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS AND CHANGE IN NET ASSETS

For the year ended December 31, 2023

Reginal District of Bulkley-Nechalko \$ 277,000 \$ \$ \$ \$ 77,000 \$ \$ \$ 78,715 \$ \$ 78,765 \$.		Operating	Operating Reserve	Contingency Reserve	Total 2023	Total 2022
New Content Note	REVENUE					
Donations	Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako	\$ 277,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 277,000	\$ 260,000
Fundraising activities 6,935	Other grants (Note 7)	87,915	-	-	87,915	97,664
Fees for services including fines	Donations	10,068	-	-	10,068	17,336
Renta	Fundraising activities	6,935	-	-	6,935	7,815
Book revenue	Fees for services including fines	5,843	-	-	•	5,600
Interest 2,997 8 68 3,073 147	Rental income	4,886	-	-		4,577
SAPENSES	Book revenue		-	-		
EXPENSES	Interest	2,997	8	68	3,073	147_
Salaries and Benefils 271,932 - 271,932 25,089 Acquisition of books and periodicals 30,988 - 30,988 27,813 Professional fees 16,723 - 16,723 16,390 Enhancement grant expenses 15,168 - 9,669 9,669 9,669 9,669 9,669 9,669 1,7928 1,7928 1,7928 5,228 5,228 5,228 5,228 5,228 5,228 5,228 5,228 5,228 5,228 5,228 5,228 5,228 5,228 5,228 5,228 5,228 6,739 1,353 3,353 3,353 3,353 3,353 3,353 3,353 3,353 3,217 0,360 6,869 5,869 5,869 5,217 0,360 6,862 2,2170 0,418 4,483 4,483 4,483 4,483 4,483 4,483 4,483 4,483 4,483 4,483 4,483 4,483 4,483 4,483 4,483 4,483 4,483 4,483 4,483	EVDENCES	399,978	8	68	400,054	395,710
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Utilities			_	-	•	10,390
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ψ (120,000) ψ 210,202 ψ 124,002 ψ 100,183	NET ASSETS END OF THE YEAR	\$ (123,686)	\$ 30,006	\$ 218,282	\$ 124,602	\$ 136,193

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

December 31, 2023

ASSETS

	2023	2022
CURRENT ASSETS Cash Prepaid expenses Accounts receivable (Note 3) Short term investments (Note 4 - Contingency Reserve)	\$ 41,354 1,210 2,794 159,000 204,358	\$ 32,006 1,963 3,140 94,728 131,837
CASH - RESTRICTED (OPERATING RESERVE)	30,006	30,013
CASH - RESTRICTED (CONTINGENCY RESERVE)	59,282	
	\$ 293,646	\$ 161,850
LIABILITIES CURRENT LIABILITIES Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (Note 5) Deferred revenue (Note 6)	\$ 12,191 156,853 169,044	\$ 12,348 13,309 25,657
NET ASSETS	(422.000)	44.450
UNRESTRICTED	(123,686)	11,452
OPERATING RESERVE	30,006	30,013
CONTINGENCY RESERVE	218,282	94,728
	124,602	136,193
	\$ 293,646	\$ 161,850

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

December 31, 2023

		2023	 2022
OPERATING ACTIVITIES Excess expenses for the year Add: Item not involving cash Unrealized (gain) loss on investments	\$	(11,591) <u>-</u>	\$ (722)
		(11,591)	(722)
Changes in non-cash working capital items: Accounts receivable Prepaid expenses Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Deferred revenue		346 753 (157) 143,544 144,486	(257) (1,963) (7,541) 12,296 2,535
Cash from (to) operations		132,895	 1,813
INVESTING ACTIVITIES Disposal of short term investments Acquisition of short term investments		94,728 (159,000)	- (94,728)
Cash from (to) investing		(64,272)	(94,728)
INCREASE(DECREASE) IN CASH DURING THE YEAR		68,623	(92,915)
CASH AT BEGINNING OF THE YEAR		62,019	 154,934
CASH AT END OF THE YEAR		130,642	\$ 62,019
Cash consists of: Operating Operating Reserve Contingency Reserve		41,354 30,006 59,282	32,006 30,013 -
	<u>\$</u>	130,642	\$ 62,019

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

For the year ended December 31, 2023

1. PURPOSE

The Burns Lake Public Library Association (the "Library" is a registered under the Library Act of British Columbia. The Library is a registered charity and is exempted from income tax. The Library was registered on January 1, 1975 and provides library service to the community of the Village of Burns Lake and the Regional District of Bulkey-Nechako area B and E. The Library services includes lending books, DVD's, CD's, Audio books, periodicals, and reference books. It also provides literacy programs for adults, children, and youth and continuing education programs for youth, adults, and seniors.

2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Presentation

These financial statements are prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations and include the following accounting policies:

Cash

Cash includes cash on hand, cash on deposit net of cheques issued and outstanding at the reporting date, and short-term deposits with maturity dates of less than 3 months.

Fund Accounting

The Library classifies revenues and expenses for accounting and reporting purposes into funds according to the activity or objective specified using the deferral method of accounting.

The Operating fund accounts for the Library's program delivery and administration activities.

The Operating Reserve fund accounts for revenue and expenses set aside to sustain operations through delays in payments of committed funds.

The Contingency Reserve Fund accounts for revenue and expenses of funds set aside for onetime, non-recurring expenses that will use the funds effectively for the benefit of meeting the goals of the Strategic Plan.

Revenue recognition

The Library uses the deferral method of accounting for contributions whereby restricted contributions are recognized as revenue of the appropriate fund in the years in which the related expenses are incurred. Restricted contributions related to expenses of future periods are deferred and recognized as revenue in the period in which the related expenses occur.

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.

Capital Assets

Capital assets are expensed in the year of purchase. These assets include leasehold improvements, computer equipment, office equipment and furniture and collection purchases. The amount of capital assets expensed during the period is \$17,430 (2022 - \$34,744).

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2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES, continued

Measurement Uncertainty

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 year. Actual results could differ from management's best estimates as additional information becomes available in the future. Significant estimates include deferred revenue.

Financial Instruments

Measurement of financial instruments

The Library initially measures its financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value. The entity subsequently measures all its financial assets and financial liabilities at amortized cost.

Financial assets measured at amortized cost include cash, short term investments and accounts receivable.

Financial liabilities measured at amortized cost include accounts payable and accrued liabilities and deferred revenue.

Impairment

Financial assets measured at amortized cost are tested for impairment when there are indicators of impairment. The amount of the write-down is recognized in net income. The previously recognized impairment loss may be reversed to the extent of the improvement, directly or by adjusting the allowance account, provided it is no greater than the amount that would have been reported at the date of the reversal had the impairment not been recognized previously. The amount of the reversal is recognized in net income.

Transaction costs

The entity recognizes its transaction costs in net income in the period incurred. However, the carrying amount of the financial instruments that will not be subsequently measured at fair value reflects the transaction costs that are directly attributable to their origination, issuance or assumption.

Contributed Material and Services

Contributions of materials and services by donors and volunteers are not recorded in these financial statements due to the difficulty of determining their fair market value.

3. ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

	 2023	2022
Public service bodies rebate Accrued interest receivable	\$ 2,794	\$ 2,990 150
	\$ 2,794	\$ 3,140

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4.	SHORT	TERM INVESTMENTS	
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AED Grant

Covid Relief and Recovery Grant

4. SHORT TERMINVESTMENTS	2023	2022
5.20% BVCU Non-Redeemable long -2023 FALL TERN SPECIAL 1 year term deposit maturing in November 2024.	M \$ 130,000	\$ -
4.20% BVCU Redeemable long -2023 FALL SPECIALI 1 yeaterm deposit maturing in November 2024.	ar 29,000	-
3.05% BVCU Redeemable long -2022 FALL SPECIAL 1 yeaterm deposit maturing in November 2023.	ar -	30,000
3.05% BVCU Redeemable long -2022 FALL SPECIALI 1 yeaterm deposit maturing in November 2023.	ar 	64,728
	\$ 159,000	\$ 94,728
5. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES		
	2023	2022
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Payroll payable WCB payable	\$ 9,000 2,649 542	\$ 9,399 2,437 512
	\$ 12,191	\$ 12,348
6. DEFERRED REVENUE		
	2023	2022
Balance at beginning of year Additional contributions received Amounts recognized as revenue	\$ 13,309 176,608 (33,064)	\$ 1,013 33,682 (21,386)
	\$ 156,853	\$ 13,309
Deferred contributions related to operating funding represent for a specific purpose that were not expended by the end of		n funding agencies
	2023	2022
BC Enhancement Grant	\$ 153,835	\$ -

2,000

11,309

13,309

3,018

\$

156,853

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7. OTHER GRANTS

		2023		2022
Operating(per capita) BC Enhancement Grant BC One Card Covid 19 Relief and Recovery Grant BC Interlibrary Loan	\$	22,150 20,910 10,250 8,291 7,116	\$	22,150 - 10,250 20,373 7,923
BC Literacy Equity AED		6,000 3,863		5,793 -
Northern Central Library Foundation Canada Summer Job Lake Animal Friendship Grant		2,265 2,212 1,400		2,344 4,161 -
LD Literacy Tax Clinic BC Courthouse		1,350 1,095 1,000		1,350 - 1,500
Canada Helps Burns Lake Community Forest Grant Bulkley Valley Credit Union		13 - -		109 9,786 5,000
Burns Lake and District Community Foundation Grant Rotary Club		-		4,000 1,013
Grant in Aid Northern BC Infant Development	_	<u>.</u>	_	1,000 912
	<u>\$</u>	87,915	\$	97,664

8. INSURANCE

Insurance coverage for the building and its contents is carried on behalf of the Library by the Village of Burns Lake. Insurance for general accidents and liability is held by the Library.

9. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Risks and Concentrations

The Library is exposed to various risks through its financial instruments, without being exposed to concentrations of risk. The following analysis provides a measure of the Library's risk exposure as at December 31, 2023:

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 Library's main credit risks relates to its accounts receivable. The Library rarely provides credit to its clients in the normal course of its operations and the majority of its receivables are from government agencies. Management considers credit risk to be minimal.

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9. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS, continued

Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that an entity will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities. The Library is exposed to this risk mainly in respect of its accounts payable and accrued liabilities and deferred revenue. Management considers liquidity risk to be minimal.

Market risk

Market risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk comprises three types of risk: currency risk, interest rate risk and other price risk. The Library is mainly exposed to interest rate risk.

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 Library is exposed to interest rate risk relating to its short-term investments. Interest rate risk is minimal.

10. ECONOMIC DEPENDENCE

A substantial portion, \$277,000 (2022 - \$260,000), of the Library's funding is derived from the Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako. Any disruption of this funding would have a significant impact on the Library's operations.

Schedule of Debt

<u>Financial Information Act - Statement of Financial Information</u>

Library Name: Burns Lake Public Library

Fiscal Year Ended: 12-31-2023

The **Burns Lake Public Library** has no long term debt.

Schedule of Guarantee and Indemnity

Financial Information Act - Statement of Financial Information

Library Name: Burns Lake Public Library

Fiscal Year Ended: 12-31-2023

Burns Lake Public Library has not given any guarantee or indemnity under the Guarantees and Indemnities Regulation.

Schedule 8 - Remuneration and Expenses

Financial Information Act - Statement of Financial Information

Please enter data only in white fields - leave grey fields untouched.

Library Name:	Burns Lake Public Library	
Fiscal Year Ended:	31-Dec-23	

Note: Total Remuneration and Total Expenses columns MUST REMAIN SEPARATE throughout the form.

Table 1: Total Renumeration and Expenses - Board and Employees

Board Members	Total Remuneration (Wages/Salaries)	Total Expenses (Reimbursement for Conferences/Mileage etc.)
Board of Trustees		
Chair - Mikel Platt		\$309.55
Total Board Members	\$0.00	\$309.55

Detailed Employees Exceeding \$75,000	Total Remuneration (Wages/Salaries)	Total Expenses (Reimbursement for Conferences/Mileage etc.)
		40.00
Total Employees Exceeding \$75,000	\$0.00	\$0.00

Total Employees Equal to or Less Than \$75,000	(Wages/Salaries)	Total Expenses (Reimbursement for Conferences/Mileage etc.)
DO NOT USE - list totals only	\$243,366.41	\$644.14

Consolidated Total	Total Remuneration (Wages/Salaries)	Total Expenses (Reimbursement for Conferences/Mileage etc.)
DO NOT USE - list totals only	\$243,366.41	\$953.69

Table 2: Total Employer Premium to Receiver General for Canada

Total Employer Premium for Canada Pension Plan and Employment Insurance (Component of Receiver General for Canada Supplier Payment)	\$18,062.47	

Table 3: Reconciliation of Remuneration and Expenses

	Amount
Total Remuneration	\$243,366.41

Reconciling Items	Amount
CPP, Employers Contribution	\$18,062.47
Benefits Employers Portion	\$9,961.79
WCB	\$541.74
Total Reconciling Items	\$28,566.00

	Amount
Total Per Statement of Revenue & Expenditure	\$271,932.41

	Amount
Variance	\$0.00

Variance explanation (if required):		

Statement of Severance Agreements

<u>Financial Information Act - Statement of Financial Information</u>

Library Name: Burns Lake Public Library

Fiscal Year Ended: 12-31-2023

There were no severance agreements made between Burns Lake Public Library and its non-unionized employees during fiscal year 2023.

Schedule of Changes in Financial Position

<u>Financial Information Act - Statement of Financial Information</u>

Library Name: Burns Lake Public Library

Fiscal Year Ended: 12-31-2023

A Statement of Changes in Financial Position has not been prepared because this information is provided in the Financial Statements.

Schedule 11 - Provision of Goods and Services

Financial Information Act - Statement of Financial Information

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Library Name:	Burns Lake Public Library
Fiscal Year Ended:	2023

Table 1: Suppliers of Goods and Services

Name of Individual, Firm or Corporation	Total Amount Paid During Fiscal Year
	\$0.00
	¢0.00
	\$0.00 \$0.00
	\$0.00
	\$0.00
	\$0.00
	\$0.00
	\$0.00
Total of all according according 605,000	\$0.00
Total of all suppliers exceeding \$25,000	\$0.00

Totals	Amount
Total (Suppliers with payments exceeding \$25,000 (total from above)	\$0.00
Total (Suppliers with payments less than or equal to \$25,000)	\$139,712.81
Consolidated Total	\$139,712.81

Table 2: Reconcillation of Goods and Services

Reconciliation of Goods and Services	Amount
Total of Aggregate Payments Exceeding \$25,000 Paid to Suppliers	\$0.00
Consolidated total of suppliers with payments less than or equal to \$25,000	\$139,712.81

Reconciling Items	Amount
Salaries and Benefits	\$271,932.41
	\$0.00
	\$0.00
	\$0.00
Total Reconciling Items	\$271,932.41

Reconciliation	Amount
Total Per Statement of Revenue and Expenditure	\$411,645.22
Variance	\$0.00

Variance explanation (if required):		