Treasurer's Report on 2024 Financial Results

The Association's operations consist of three broad categories of expenses:

- > Association expenses
- > Pavilion expenses
- > Major repairs on maintenance of the Pavilion

On an annual basis, Association expenses are typically in the range of \$10,000-\$15,000, and Pavilion expenses are about \$20,000. These costs are typically funded through Membership revenues in the range of \$30,000 and Events & Activities net revenues in the area of \$10,000. In 2024, we successfully increased our Memberships to yield membership revenues of \$33,500 (before cc fees) and dramatically improved the net proceeds from Events & Activities to \$25,000.

In 2024, we also completed \$40,000 of major repairs on the Pavilion (see note 7). These expenditures were funded by specific fundraising activities from the Raise the Roof Gala consisting of \$17,000 in donations and event sales which netted about \$13,000 - for a total of \$30,000 from that evening. The balance of the Major Repairs were funded from net general revenues.

Notwithstanding our dramatically increased expenditures in 2024, we ended the year with a net excess of revenues over expenses of \$20,000, which has been added to the General Fund reserves. This was made possible, in part, via the vote at the AGM to remove the requirement for a Review from an accounting firm, to prepare our financials statements in-house and to put in place an audit committee thus saving the organization over \$6,000 per year in fees. We also increased Craft Festival revenue with a fee increasein 2024 and a new Bistro, made a profit on the Bulletin advertising and improved interest income on our investments.

In aggregate, we have cash reserves of \$123,000 (represented by cash and cash equivalents), and \$31,000 of equity in the property---totalling \$154,000.

Kimberley Brownlee, CPA, CA, MBA
USLA Treasurer

Upper Stoney Lake Association Statement of Financial Position As at December 31, 2024

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		2024	2023
	ASSETS		
CURRENT			
Cash	\$	47,935	\$ 35,974
Short Term Investments (note 3)		75,400	71,297
		123,336	107,271
PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT (note 4)		30,732	31,179
	\$	154,068	\$ 138,450
	LIABILITIES		
CURRENT			
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$	803	\$ 5,925
Unearned revenue (note 2)		200	-
		1,003	5,925
FU	ND BALANCES		
GENERAL FUND		126,246	105,706
PAVILION RESERVE FUND - INTERNALLY RESTRICTED		26,819	26,819
	_	153,065	132,525
	\$	154,068	\$ 138,450

Approved on Behalf of the Board of Directors:

President

Upper Stoney Lake Association Fund Balances For the year ended December 31, 2023 (unaudited)

	2024	2023
General Fund Excess/(Deficiency) of Revenues over Expenses for the Year Balance - Beginning of Year	\$ 20,540 105,706	\$ (3,149) 108,855
Balance - End of Year	\$ 126,246	\$ 105,706
Pavilion Reserve Fund - internally restricted		
Contributions to the pavilion reserve Balance - Beginning of Year	\$ - 26,819	\$ 5,000 21,819
Balance - End of Year	\$ 26,819	\$ 26,819

Upper Stoney Lake Association Statement of Operations For the year ended December 31, 2024 (unaudited)

		2024	2023
DEVENUE			
REVENUE Membership revenue (note 2)	\$	32,853	\$ 28,052
Events and activities, net (note 5)	Ų	25,021	10,358
Donations and Miscellaneous		23,021	5,385
Bulletin, net (note 6)		5,148	-
Rental		767	1,000
Interest income		4,103	874
Restricted donations		-	-
		91,022	45,669
Less: Transfer to the pavilion reserve fund		-	(5,000)
	\$	91,022	40,669
EXPENSE Association symposes			
Association expenses	\$	4 172	3,129
Membership expenses Professional fees	Ş	4,173 1,090	6,656
FOCA Dues		1,520	1,588
Interest and bank charges		397	331
Rocks and Shoals		1,603	183
Nocks and Shouls		8,783	11,887
Pavilion expenses		2.546	4.000
Pavilion and property maintenance (note 8) Utilities		3,516	4,999 6,301
Insurance		4,914 7,016	6,301 5,429
Property taxes		4,262	4,139
Security		592	1,120
Manager		274	500
Amortization		447	466
		21,020	22,954
Major Repairs (note 7)		40,153	8,477
		69,957	43,318
Other		55,551	40,010
Gordon Barry bursary expense		525	500
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EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES	\$	20,540	\$ (3,149)

1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS

Upper Stoney Lake Association (USLA) was incorporated under the laws of the Province of Ontario as a not-for-profit organization without share capital in 1979, and is a non-profit organization under the Income Tax Act and is thus exempt from income taxes.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND GENERAL INFORMATION

Accrual basis of accounting

Revenue and expenditures are recorded on the accrual basis of accounting under which they are recorded in the financial statements in the period they are earned or incurred respectively, whether or not such transactions have been settled by the receipt or payment of money.

Fund accounting deferred

The USLA follows the deferral method of accounting for contributions which includes membership revenue, interest income and special events revenue and other.

Restricted contributions are recognized as revenue in the year in which the related expenses are made. 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.

Revenue recognition

Revenue from membership dues is recognized when the service is rendered. All other revenues are recorded when amounts are known and collectible. Revenue from credit card payment are net of credit card fees incurred.

Cash

Cash consists of balances with financial institutions.

Accounting Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for private enterprises requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities, disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amount of revenues and expenses during the reported period. These estimates are reviewed periodically and are reported in earnings in the period in which they become known. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

Property, plant and equipment

Property, plant and equipment are recorded at cost and are being amortized over their estimated useful lives. The annual amortization rates are as follows:

Building 4% Furniture and Fixtures 30%

Contributed services

Directors, committee members and members volunteer their time to assist in the Association's activities. While these services benefit the Association considerably, a reasonable estimate of their amount and fair value cannot be made and, accordingly, these contributed services are not recognized in the financial statements.

The USLA subsequently measures all of its financial assets and liabilities at amortized cost.

3. SHORT TERM INVESTMENTS

Investments consists of GIC's that mature on March 2025, July 2025 and September 2025 and have interest rates between 4.00% and 5.30%.

4. PROPERTY, PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

			2024	2023
		Accumulated		
	 Cost	Amortization	Net	Net
Land	\$ 20,000 \$	- \$	20,000 \$	20,000
Building	76,130	65,398	10,732	11,179
Furniture and fixtures	 5,397	5,397	-	
	\$ 101,527 \$	70,795 \$	30,732 \$	31,179

5. EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

Events and activities consists of the following:

		2024		2023
	Revenues	Expenses	Net	Net
Regatta \$	11,941	(6,985)	4,957	4,247
Craft Show	7,542	(1,448)	6,093	3,031
Dances	4,622	(4,847)	(225)	1,813
Corn Roast	3,397	(2,792)	605	2,374
Fundraiser	32,093	(19,519)	12,574	-
Other	6,182	(5,164)	1,018	(1,107)
Events and activities Total \$	65,775	(40,755) \$	25,021	10,358

6. BULLETIN

Consists of the following:

	 2024	2023
Ad revenue	\$ 10,390 \$	-
Compensation, printing and shipping expenses	(5,242)	-
	\$ 5,148 \$	-

7. MAJOR REPAIRS

Major Pavilion Repairs consists of the following:

	2024	2023
Pavilion Painting	\$ 10,453 \$	-
Pavilion Fascia and Eavestroughs	8,369	-
Pavilion Storage Shed Painting/Roof	2,430	-
Pavilion Front Porch Rebuild	4,040	-
Pavilion Landscaping & Tree/Stump Removal	3,277	8,477
Pavilion Back Deck	11,586	-
	\$ 40,153 \$	8,477

The extensive major repairs in 2024 were substantially funded by a specific fundraising campaign which raised \$17,130 in donations (pass the hat initiative) and the net proceeds of the Raise the Roof event, which netted \$12,574. There were also significant donations made later in the summer - \$5000 and \$1000.

8. COMPARATIVE AMOUNTS

Certain 2023 comparative amounts have been reclassified to conform with the financial statement presentation adopted for 2024. This includes moving tree removal expenses in 2023 out of Repairs and Maintenance and into Major Repairs.