**Financial Statements** 

March 31, 2018



September 27, 2018

## **INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT**

#### To the Members of Manitoba Food Charter Inc.

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Manitoba Food Charter Inc., which comprise the statement of financial position as at March 31, 2018, and the statements of operations, changes in net assets and cash flows for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

#### Management's Responsibility 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.

#### Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involved performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditors consider internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements 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. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statement.

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

#### Basis for Qualified Opinion

In common with many not-for-profit organizations, this Organization derives revenue from donations, the completeness of which is not susceptible of satisfactory audit verification. Accordingly, our verification of these revenues was limited to the amounts recorded in the records of the Organization and, therefore, we were not able to determine whether any adjustments might be necessary to donations, excess of revenues over expenses, assets and net assets.

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Qualified Opinion

In our opinion, except for the possible effects of the matter described in the Basis for Qualified Opinion paragraph, the financial statements present fairly in all material respects of the financial position of the Manitoba Food Charter Inc. as at March 31, 2018 and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian Accounting Standards for Not-for-Profit Organizations.

Craig & Ross

**Chartered Professional Accountants** 

## **Statement of Financial Position**

# March 31, 2018

|                                          |       | 2018       | 2017      |
|------------------------------------------|-------|------------|-----------|
| ASSETS                                   |       |            |           |
| CURRENT                                  |       |            |           |
| Cash                                     | \$    | 177,002 🖇  | 343,703   |
| Accounts receivable                      |       | 64,077     | 191,335   |
| Goods and services tax recoverable       |       | 3,657      | 5,817     |
| Prepaid expenses (Note 5)                |       | 4,147      | 25,509    |
|                                          |       | 248,883    | 566,364   |
| EQUIPMENT (Note 3)                       |       | 8,825      | -         |
|                                          | \$    | 257,708    | 5 566,364 |
| LIABILITIES<br>CURRENT                   |       |            |           |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities | \$    | 34,760 \$  | 5 17,269  |
| Deferred contributions (Note 4)          | ¥<br> | 56,958     | 222,814   |
|                                          |       | 91,718     | 240,083   |
| NET ASSETS                               |       | 165,990    | 326,281   |
|                                          | \$    | 257,708 \$ | 566,364   |

APPROVED BY THE BOARD:

Director

Director

# **Statement of Operations**

# Year Ended March 31, 2018

|                                               | 2018               | 2017      |
|-----------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|
| REVENUES                                      |                    |           |
| Grants                                        | \$<br>1,151,287 \$ | 785,567   |
| Other income                                  | 75,172             | 333,589   |
| Event income                                  | 1,025              | 5,601     |
| Donations                                     | <br>35,883         | 35,285    |
|                                               | <br>1,263,367      | 1,160,042 |
| EXPENSES                                      |                    |           |
| Amortization                                  | 1,580              | -         |
| Personnel and contracts                       | 890,118            | 665,141   |
| Other program expenses                        | 157,988            | 156,728   |
| Materials & supplies                          | 183,415            | 158,685   |
| Travel, meals, accommodations                 | 103,802            | 94,616    |
| Meetings & workshops                          | 14,760             | 23,792    |
| Office expenses                               | 56,536             | 53,704    |
| Training                                      | <br>15,459         | 4,425     |
|                                               | <br>1,423,658      | 1,157,091 |
| EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES | \$<br>(160,291) \$ | 2,951     |

# Statement of Changes in Net Assets

| Year Ended March 31, 2018                        |    |            |    |              |            |         |
|--------------------------------------------------|----|------------|----|--------------|------------|---------|
|                                                  |    | Internally |    |              |            |         |
|                                                  |    | Restricted | l  | Unrestricted | 2018       | 2017    |
| NET ASSETS - BEGINNING<br>OF YEAR                | \$ | 290,000    | \$ | 33,330 \$    | 326,281 \$ | 323,330 |
| EXCESS (DEFICIENCY) OF<br>REVENUES OVER EXPENSES |    | -          |    | (160,291)    | (160,291)  | 2,951   |
| TRANSFER (Note 6)                                |    | (160,000)  |    | 160,000      | -          | -       |
| NET ASSETS - END OF YEAR                         | \$ | 130,000    | \$ | 33,039 \$    | 165,990 \$ | 326,281 |

## **Statement of Cash Flows**

# Year Ended March 31, 2018

|                                               | 2018               | 2017      |
|-----------------------------------------------|--------------------|-----------|
| OPERATING ACTIVITIES                          |                    |           |
| Excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenses | \$<br>(160,291) \$ | 2,951     |
| Items not affecting cash                      |                    |           |
| Amortization                                  | <br>1,580          | -         |
|                                               | (158,711)          | 2,951     |
| Changes in working capital accounts           |                    |           |
| Accounts receivable                           | 127,258            | (134,357) |
| Goods and services tax recoverable            | 2,160              | 674       |
| Prepaid expenses                              | 21,362             | (20,917)  |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities      | 17,492             | (16,946)  |
| Deferred contributions                        | <br>(165,856)      | (46,174)  |
|                                               | <br>2,416          | (217,720) |
| Cash flow used by operating activities        | <br>(156,295)      | (214,769) |
| INVESTING ACTIVITY                            |                    |           |
| Purchase of equipment                         | <br>(10,406)       | -         |
| DECREASE IN CASH                              | (166,701)          | (214,769) |
| CASH - BEGINNING OF YEAR                      | <br>343,703        | 558,472   |
| CASH - END OF YEAR                            | \$<br>177,002 \$   | 343,703   |

### **Notes to Financial Statements**

### As at March 31, 2018

#### 1. DESCRIPTION OF THE ORGANIZATION

Manitoba Food Charter Inc. (operating as Food Matters Manitoba) is a registered charity that incorporated on April 1, 2008, and which works on over 35 projects helping newcomers, northerners, farmers and families to grow, share and prepare good food. It engages Manitobans toward healthy, fair, sustainable food for all, values healthy communities, access to nutritious food for all and values an economically viable, diverse and ecologically sustainable food system.

Some of its goals are to educate Manitobans about food security and the sustainability of food systems in Manitoba, provide a common focus for action for food system stakeholders through the Manitoba Food Charter, raise public awareness about food and food systems, strengthen networks and partnerships to work together to address local food security issues, strengthen the capacity of our organization and to advance food security work across Manitoba.

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Basis of presentation

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for notfor-profit organizations (ASNPO) and include the following significant accounting policies:

#### Equipment

Equipment is stated at cost less accumulated amortization. Equipment is amortized over the estimated useful life at the following rates and methods:

| Computer equipment     | 55% | declining balance method |
|------------------------|-----|--------------------------|
| Furniture and fixtures | 20% | declining balance method |

The Organization regularly reviews its equipment to eliminate obsolete items.

#### Contributed services

Manitoba Food Charter Inc. acknowledges the substantial services provided by volunteers in assisting the organization in carrying out its activities. Due to the difficulty in determining their value, these services are not reported in the financial statements.

#### Revenue recognition

Manitoba Food Charter Inc. follows the deferral method of accounting for contributions. Restricted contributions are recognized as revenues in the year in which the related expenses are incurred. Unrestricted contributions are recognized as revenue when received if the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection can be reasonably assured.

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### **Notes to Financial Statements**

### As at March 31, 2018

### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### **Financial instruments**

Financial instruments are recorded at fair value when acquired or issued. In subsequent periods, all financial instruments are reported at amortized cost and tested for impairment at each reporting date. Transaction costs on the acquisition, sale or issue of financial instruments are expensed when incurred.

Unless otherwise noted, it is management's opinion that the Organization is not exposed to any significant credit, interest or currency risks arising from their financial instruments.

The fair value of the Organization's financial instruments approximates carrying value due to the short-term maturity of these instruments.

#### Measurement uncertainty

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations 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 amounts of revenues and expenses during the period. Such estimates are periodically reviewed and any adjustments necessary are reported in earnings in the period in which they become known. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

#### 3. EQUIPMENT

|                                              |                      | 2018            |            |         | 2017 |                        |
|----------------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------|------------|---------|------|------------------------|
|                                              | Cost                 | Accum<br>amorti |            | Cost    |      | umulated<br>ortization |
| Computer equipment<br>Furniture and fixtures | \$<br>3,083<br>7,323 | \$              | 732<br>849 | \$<br>- | \$   | -                      |
|                                              | \$<br>10,406         | \$              | 1,581      | \$<br>- | \$   | -                      |
| Net book value                               | <br>\$               | 8,825           |            | \$      | -    |                        |

### **Notes to Financial Statements**

### As at March 31, 2018

### 4. DEFERRED CONTRIBUTIONS

|                                               | <br>2018     | 2017          |
|-----------------------------------------------|--------------|---------------|
| Aboriginal and Northern Affairs – Shamattawa  | \$<br>-      | \$<br>13,541  |
| Aboriginal and Northern Affairs – Grow North  | 15,804       | 18,789        |
| Anonymous Donor                               | -            | 45,469        |
| Community Tables                              | 3,915        | 100           |
| CSA Funds (through Heifer project)            | 1,488        | 1,488         |
| Donations for Northern Programming (NHFI)     | 2,450        | 5,009         |
| Food Policy Council                           | -            | 6,612         |
| Government of Canada – PHAC (Note 5)          | -            | 23,166        |
| NECRC                                         | 854          | 111           |
| Newcomer Programming Donations                | 601          | 870           |
| Northern Social Enterprise Profit from Market | 450          | -             |
| Province of Manitoba – ANA                    | 475          | 24,822        |
| Province of Manitoba – ANA Food Policy        | -            | 35,000        |
| Province of Manitoba – ANA Insurance          | -            | 4,000         |
| Province of Manitoba – Health                 | -            | 1,295         |
| Province of Manitoba – WRAPP                  | -            | 6,790         |
| Province of Manitoba – WRHA                   | -            | 2,700         |
| TD Friends of the Environment                 | 2,038        | 3,340         |
| TIDES – Bunibonibee Freezer Project           | 6,500        | -             |
| TIDES – Brochet                               | 3,271        | 10,000        |
| TIDES – Cross Lake Cooking                    | 1,942        | 5,000         |
| TIDES – Mooselake Garden                      | 5,000        | -             |
| TIDES – Northern Ice Fishing                  | -            | 518           |
| TIDES – Pukatawagan Chickens                  | -            | 5,000         |
| Thomas Sill Foundation                        | 9,895        | -             |
| Whole Kids Foundation                         | 2,275        | 2,616         |
| Winnipeg Foundation – Growing Roots           | <br>-        | 6,578         |
|                                               | \$<br>56,958 | \$<br>222,814 |

#### 5. GOVERNMENT OF CANADA - PUBLIC HEALTH AGENCY OF CANADA PROGRAM

As at March 31, 2017, the Organization had received the full amount of funding for this program in the amount of \$321,123, however, certain program costs, while paid at March 31, 2017, relate to the March 31, 2018 year-end. Therefore, these costs were classified as a prepaid expense and the corresponding portion of funding was classified as a deferred contribution in the prior year.

#### 6. TRANSFER

During the year, the Board of Directors approved a transfer of \$160,000 from the internally restricted net assets into the unrestricted net assets to cover the current year operating deficit.

Schedule 1

### FUNDING SOURCES March 31, 2018

|                                           | \$          |
|-------------------------------------------|-------------|
|                                           | (Unaudited) |
| GRANTS                                    |             |
| Province of Manitoba                      |             |
| Aboriginal & Northern Affairs             | 195,578     |
| Neighborhoods Alive!                      | 1,166       |
| WRAPP                                     | 8,600       |
| Government of Canada                      |             |
| Human Resources Development Canada        | 140,241     |
| Public Health Agency of Canada            | 485,000     |
| Other                                     |             |
| Programming Deferred Revenue              | 142,541     |
| Anonymous Donor                           | 58,000      |
| LUSH                                      | 4,971       |
| Manitoba Community Service Council        | 2,000       |
| McConnell                                 | 10,800      |
| Thomas Sill                               | 2,105       |
| TIDES                                     | 82,908      |
| Whole Kids Foundation                     | 340         |
| Winnipeg Foundation                       | 13,596      |
| Winnipeg Jewish Foundation                | 3,441       |
|                                           | 1,151,287   |
| OTHER INCOME, EVENT INCOME, AND DONATIONS |             |
| Event and sponsorship revenue             | 70          |
| Recovery of overhead costs                | 59,538      |
| Charitable donations                      | 27,970      |
| Other donations & gifts & small grants    | 8,986       |
| Rental                                    | 1,750       |
| Interest                                  | 4,186       |
| Sales/fees for services                   | 9,580       |
|                                           | 112,080     |
| Total                                     | 1,263,367   |
|                                           |             |