

Financial Reporting of

**NIPISSING FIRST NATION**  
**COVID-19 Funding**

And Independent Auditors' Report thereon Year ended  
March 31, 2021

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Chief and Council of the Nipissing First Nation

### ***Opinion***

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In our opinion, the accompanying schedule for the year ended March 31, 2021 of the Entity is prepared, in all material respects, in accordance with the relevant funding agreements with Indigenous Services Canada for 2020-21 as described in the note to the schedule.

### ***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 "***Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Schedule***" section of our auditors' report.

We are independent of the Entity in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the schedule 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.

### ***Emphasis of Matter – Financial Reporting Framework***

We draw attention to the note in the schedule, which describes the applicable financial reporting framework and the purpose of the schedule.

As a result, the schedule may not be suitable for another purpose.

Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

### ***Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Schedule***

Management is responsible for the preparation of the schedule in accordance with the relevant funding agreements with Indigenous Services Canada as described in note 1 to the schedule; this includes determining that the applicable financial reporting framework is an acceptable basis for the preparation of the schedule in the circumstances, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of a schedule that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.



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### ***Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Schedule***

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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 schedule.

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

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- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the schedule, 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.

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November 18, 2021



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Note to Schedule

Year ended March 31, 2021

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Note:

The schedule is prepared in accordance with the relevant fixed and flexible funding agreements and amendments with Indigenous Services Canada in effect for the period ending March 31, 2021.

The funding agreements and amendments require the schedule to apply the following principles:

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## Schedule of COVID-19 Revenue and Expenditures

Year ended March 31, 2021

Budget Line Items	Total	Ministry of Aboriginal Affairs		
		Surge & Capacity	Emergency Response	
Revenue:				
Deferred revenue, beginning of year	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
Ministry of Aboriginal Affairs	212,673	123,214	89,459	
Deferred revenue, end of year	(43,920)	(43,920)	-	
	168,753	79,294	89,459	
Expenditures:				
Community related (Food, household items, health, medical)	68,162	22,721	45,441	
Transportation	3,787	3,787	-	
Other related costs (Support required for capacity)	42,646	7,574	35,072	
Administration costs	12,733	3,787	8,946	
Vaccine rollout support costs	41,425	41,425	-	
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Surplus for year	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	



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Budget Line Items	Total	Anishinabek Nation		
		MCSS COVID Response	Emergency Response for Indigenous Children & Families	Family Wellbeing
Revenue:				
Deferred revenue, beginning of year	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Union of Ontario Indians	66,345	-	58,845	7,500
Ministry of Community and Social Services	57,975	57,975	-	-
Deferred revenue, end of year	(7,500)	-	-	(7,500)
	116,820	57,975	58,845	-
Expenditures:				
Community related (Food, household items, health, medical)	116,820	57,975	58,845	-
Surplus for year	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

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Year ended March 31, 2021

Budget Line Items	Total	Kinoomaadziwin Education Body		
		Post Secondary	JK-12 - NEC	JK-12 Bus Lines
Revenue:				
Deferred revenue, beginning of year	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Kinoomaadziwin Education Body	702,718	616,670	66,048	20,000
Deferred revenue, end of year	(702,718)	(616,670)	(66,048)	(20,000)
	-	-	-	-
Expenditures:				
	-	-	-	-
Surplus for year	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -



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