# THE NEW BRUNSWICK COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOUNDATION 

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
MARCH 31, 2008

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## AUDITORS' REPORT

## To the Board of Trustees of The New Brunswick Community College Foundation

We have audited the statement of financial position of The New Brunswick Community College Foundation as at March 31, 2008 and the statements of operations and changes in net assets and cash flows for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Foundation's management. 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 plan and perform an audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation.

In our opinion, these financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Foundation as at March 31, 2008 and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles.

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## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION - MARCH 31, 2008

| Endowment | Scholarship | Operating | 2008 | 2007 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Fund | Fund | $\underline{\text { Fund }}$ | Total | Total |

ASSETS

| Current: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cash <br> Accounts receivable (note 4) Interfund amounts | \$ | 37,367 | \$ | \$ 488 | \$ |  | \$ | \$ 38,794 | \$ 65,682 |  |
|  |  | 250,000 |  | 73,112 |  | $2,419$ |  | 325,531 |  | 271,773 |
|  |  | $(72,949)$ |  | 72,547 |  | 402 |  | - |  | - |
|  |  | 214,418 |  | 146,147 |  | 3,760 |  | 364,325 |  | 337,455 |
| Investment (note 5) |  | 2,219,549 |  | - |  | - |  | ,219,549 |  | ,213,728 |
|  |  | 2,433,967 |  | 146,147 | \$ | 3,760 |  | ,583,874 |  | ,551,183 |

## LIABILITIES

Current:
Accrued liabilities

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\$ \quad-\$ \quad-
$$

$\$ \quad 3,700$
$\$ \quad 3,700$
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## NET ASSETS

| Endowment Fund | $2,433,967$ | - |  | - | $2,433,967$ | $1,529,553$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Scholarship Fund |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Operating Fund | - | 146,147 | - | 146,147 | 17,930 |  |
|  | - | - | -60 | 60 | - |  |
|  | $\underline{2,433,967}$ | $\underline{146,147}$ |  | 60 | $\underline{2,580,174}$ | $\underline{1,547,483}$ |
|  | $\underline{\$ 2,433,967}$ | $\underline{\$ 146,147}$ | $\underline{\$ 10,760}$ | $\underline{\$ 2,583,874}$ | $\underline{\$ 1,551,183}$ |  |

Approved by the Board:

| Endowment | Scholarship | Operating | 2008 | 2007 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Fund | Fund | Fund | $\underline{\text { Total }}$ | Total |

Revenue:

| Endowment contributions | $\$$ | 654,414 | $\$$ | - | $\$$ | - | $\$ 654,414$ | $\$ 917,381$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Other donations | - | 113,600 | 25,000 | 138,600 | - |  |  |  |
| Investment income | - | 85,617 |  | - | 85,617 | 17,930 |  |  |
| $\quad$Contributions - New Brunswick |  |  | - |  | - | 250,000 | 570,349 |  |
| $\quad$ Opportunities Fund (note 3) | 250,000 | - | - | $\underline{13,213}$ | $\underline{13,213}$ | $\underline{3,843}$ |  |  |
| Administration recoveries | - | - |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\underline{904,414}$ | $\underline{199,217}$ | $\underline{38,213}$ | $\underline{1,141,844}$ | $\underline{1,509,503}$ |  |  |  |

## Expenses:

Scholarships
Advertising and promotion
Travel and meetings
Professional services
Bank charges

Excess of revenue over expenses for the year

Net assets, beginning of year
Net assets, end of year

| $\square$ |
| :--- |

- 71,000

| - | 71,000 | - |
| ---: | ---: | ---: |
| 32,693 | 32,693 | - |
| 554 | 554 | - |
| 3,842 | 3,842 | 3,700 |
| 1,064 | 1,064 | 121 |
| 38,153 | 109,153 | 3,821 |
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |
|  | $1,032,691$ | $1,505,682$ |

1.529.553 $\quad 17.930$

|  | - | $1,547,483$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |

## FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2008

|  | $\underline{2008}$ | $\underline{2007}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CASH GENERATED FROM (USED IN): |  |  |
| OPERATING ACTIVITIES: |  |  |
| Excess of revenue over expenses for the year Net change in current assets and liabilities other than cash (note 6) | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 1,032,691 \\ \quad(53,758) \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 1,505,682 \\ (254,132) \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |
|  | 978,933 | 1,251,550 |
| INVESTING ACTIVITIES |  |  |
| Increase in investments | (1,005,821) | (1,213,728) |
| INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH, in the year | $(26,888)$ | 37,822 |
| CASH, beginning of year | 65,682 | 27,860 |
| CASH, end of year | \$ 38,794 | \$ 65,682 |

## NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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## 1. The Foundation:

The New Brunswick Community College Foundation was established under the Province of New Brunswick Higher Education Foundation Act December 28, 2005. The Foundation became a public charitable foundation effective January 24, 2006 under the Income Tax Act. The Foundation's activities include receiving contributions, investing and administering the contributions received, and to make grants for scholarship programs after sufficient contributions have been received.

## 2. Significant accounting policies:

## (a) Fund accounting:

The Foundation follows the restricted fund method of accounting for operations and net assets.
(i) The Endowment Fund includes all private endowment donation contributions and the corresponding 50\% matching contributions received from NBOF.
(ii) The Scholarship Fund includes all investment income earned by the Foundation investments, all private non-endowment donation contributions restricted for payment of scholarships and all scholarship program disbursements.
(iii) The Operations Fund includes all private unrestricted non-endowment donation contributions, administration revenue and administration expense amounts.
(b) Revenue recognition:

Endowment contributions are recognized as revenue when the amount can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured. Pledged amounts are not recorded until received.

Non-endowment contributions and administration recoveries revenue are recognized as revenue when the amount can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

NBOF contributions are recognized as revenue when the corresponding matched endowment contributions have been received, to a maximum of $\$ 250,000$ of the following years NBOF allocation (see note 3).
(c) Donated services:

The value of donated services provided to the organization such as volunteer work is not recorded in the accounts.
(d) Use of estimates:

In preparing the Foundation's financial statements, management is required to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the period. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

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## 3. New Brunswick Opportunities Fund (NBOF):

For private donation contributions received, the New Brunswick Opportunities Fund (NBOF) will match funding at a rate of $50 \%$ under the terms of an agreement between the Foundation and NBOF.

NBOF will match contributions received to a maximum of $\$ 250,000$ per fiscal year ( $50 \%$ of $\$ 500,000$ contributions) and currently allows the Foundation to carry over excess unmatched contributions to the following fiscal year of NBOF for matching.

NBOF also paid some additional amounts to the Foundation in the year ended March 31, 2007 with respect to the matching of additional non-Foundation contributions received by the Province of New Brunswick and the New Brunswick Community College.
4. Accounts receivable:

|  | $\underline{\mathbf{2 0 0 8}}$ | $\underline{\mathbf{2 0 0 7}}$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  |  |  |
| New Brunswick Opportunities Fund | $\$ 250,000$ | $\$ 250,000$ |
| Accrued interest receivable - Investment | 73,112 | 17,930 |
| Accrued administration recoveries | - | 3,843 |
| HST receivable | 2,419 | - |
|  | $\underline{\$ 325,531}$ | $\$ 271,773$ |

The New Brunswick Opportunities Fund amount of $\$ 250,000$ represents the $2008-09$ NBOF $50 \%$ allocation as matched to $\$ 500,000$ of endowment contributions received prior to March 31, 2008. An additional $\$ 343,804$ of endowment contributions received prior to March 31, 2008 may be available for NBOF matching in 2009-10.
5. Investment:
4.37\% Term deposit, Caisse Populaire Beausejour Ltee, maturing June 14, 2008
\$2,219,549
6. Net change in current assets and liabilities other than cash:

| (Increase) in accounts receivable | \$ | $(53,758)$ | \$ | $(257,832)$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Increase in accrued liabilities |  | - |  | 3,700 |
|  | \$ | $(53,758)$ | \$ | $(254,132)$ |

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## 7. Financial instruments:

The Foundation's financial instruments consist of cash, accounts receivable, investment and accrued liabilities. Unless otherwise noted, it is management's opinion that the Foundation is not exposed to significant interest, currency or credit risks arising from these financial instruments. The fair value of these financial instruments approximates their carrying values, unless otherwise noted.

## 8. Restricted amounts:

Non-endowment donation contributions totaling \$113,600 were received in 2007-08 (and externally restricted for payment of scholarships). $\$ 41,000$ of the amount was disbursed as scholarships in 2007-08. The remaining $\$ 72,600$ represents the externally restricted portion of the $\$ 146,147$ net assets of the Scholarship Fund as at March 31, 2008.

