

Ottawa Jewish Community Foundation



FINANCIAL SUPPLEMENT

for the year ended December 31, 2008



THE OTTAWA JEWISH COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

A GIFT FOREVER

Treasurer's Report

By Allan Taylor



Dear Members of the Ottawa
Jewish Community Foundation:

2008 was a challenging year for the Foundation as the stock markets continued to under perform due to the volatility of the global economy that has touched us all. As a result of the instability of the market, the Foundation's investment return was a loss of 13.2 percent for the twelve months ending December 31, 2008.

The Board of the Foundation recognized the effect of reduced earnings on the ability to support allocations made in prior years, and made a decision to maintain these important allocations to beneficiary agencies at the same level as the previous year. Therefore, distributions from the Foundation were set at 3.5% of the average capital held by the Foundation to ensure the total amounts available to distribute to charities and community organizations in 2008 was not less than in 2007. The audited financial statements attached will show in greater detail the income and allocations made by the Foundation in 2008.

During 2008, a total of \$2,132,656 of new capital was donated to the Foundation and added to capital. This was in part due to the completion of our successful Community Endowment Campaign.

Cash grants made to charitable organizations during the year totaled \$1,822,933. A listing of these grants is included in the financial supplement. Capital funds held by the Foundation at December 31, 2008 total \$37,359,019 which includes funds managed on behalf of other charitable organizations, from which the Foundation receives a management fee.

I wish to express my gratitude to Shelley Crawford, our Chief Financial Officer, as well as the Finance and Audit Committee for their assistance during the past year.

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AUDITORS' REPORT

To the members of
The Ottawa Jewish Community Foundation.

We have audited the balance sheet of The Ottawa Jewish Community Foundation as at December 31, 2008 and the statements of financial activities 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 December 31, 2008 and the results of its operations and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles.

GINSBERG GLUZMAN FAGE & LEVITZ, LLP
Chartered Accountants, Licensed Public Accountants
Ottawa,
February 13, 2009.

THE OTTAWA JEWISH COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

BALANCE SHEET

AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2008

	Operating Fund	Capital Fund	2008 Total	2007 Total
ASSETS				
Cash	\$ 4,984	\$ 669,541	\$ 674,525	\$ 1,566,412
Investments (note 3)	-	37,329,424	37,329,424	41,962,562
Remainder trusts (note 4)	-	500,000	500,000	500,000
Accrued interest receivable	70,552	-	70,552	42,368
Sundry receivables	10,617	-	10,617	67,941
Prepaid expenses	9,558	-	9,558	10,069
Interfund advances (note 7)	160,496	(160,496)	-	-
Computers (note 5)	18,113	-	18,113	22,641
	<u>\$ 274,320</u>	<u>\$38,338,469</u>	<u>\$38,612,789</u>	<u>\$44,171,993</u>
LIABILITIES				
Accounts payable	\$ 189,983	\$ -	\$ 189,983	\$ 192,860
Allocations payable	-	979,450	979,450	1,034,015
Deferred amounts (note 6)	84,337	-	84,337	80,105
	<u>274,320</u>	<u>979,450</u>	<u>1,253,770</u>	<u>1,306,980</u>
Managed funds (notes 3 and 8)	-	6,299,768	6,299,768	7,389,683
	<u>274,320</u>	<u>7,279,218</u>	<u>7,553,538</u>	<u>8,696,663</u>
NET ASSETS				
Endowments	-	31,059,251	31,059,251	35,475,330
	<u>\$ 274,320</u>	<u>\$38,338,469</u>	<u>\$38,612,789</u>	<u>\$44,171,993</u>

Approved on behalf of the board:

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THE OTTAWA JEWISH COMMUNITY FOUNDATION
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL ACTIVITIES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

	2008 Budget				
	(Unaudited)	Operating	Capital	Total	Total
	(Note 10)	Fund	Fund	2008	2007
(Loss) income					
Investment		\$ (4,378,004)	\$ -	\$ (4,378,004)	\$ (854,423)
Endowments and bequests		-	2,132,656	2,132,656	2,902,264
		<u>(4,378,004)</u>	<u>2,132,656</u>	<u>(2,245,348)</u>	<u>2,047,841</u>
Expenses					
Amortization of Community Endowment Campaign	\$ 70,074	7,930	-	7,930	66,840
Amortization of computer system	5,000	4,528	-	4,528	-
Bank, administrative and credit card charges	12,000	12,103	-	12,103	10,344
Computer costs and web design	2,500	827	-	827	4,043
Fundraising events and programs	18,000	-	-	-	1,114
Insurance	5,800	5,986	-	5,986	5,518
Insurance subsidy program (note 9)	13,700	10,297	-	10,297	12,964
Occupancy costs	8,240	8,186	-	8,186	7,960
Postage	8,500	5,598	-	5,598	4,652
Printing, stationery and office	7,500	6,303	-	6,303	6,344
Professional fees	19,500	14,864	-	14,864	12,992
Promotion and public relations	38,500	40,370	-	40,370	31,921
Salaries and benefits	287,170	228,971	-	228,971	252,793
Telephone	1,600	1,519	-	1,519	1,588
Travel	<u>250</u>	<u>316</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>316</u>	<u>30</u>
Total expenses	<u>\$ 498,334</u>	<u>347,798</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>347,798</u>	<u>419,103</u>
Net (losses) earnings		(4,725,802)	2,132,656	(2,593,146)	1,628,738
Allocation commitments		-	1,822,933	1,822,933	2,084,200
Net result for the year		(4,725,802)	309,723	(4,416,079)	(455,462)
Net assets, beginning of year		-	35,475,330	35,475,330	35,930,792
Interfund transfer (note 2)		<u>4,725,802</u>	<u>(4,725,802)</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
Net assets, end of year		<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$31,059,251</u>	<u>\$31,059,251</u>	<u>\$35,475,330</u>

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STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2008

	2008	2007
CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN)		
Operating activities		
Net result for the year	\$ (4,416,079)	\$ (455,462)
Amortization of computers	4,528	-
Amortization of Community Endowment Campaign costs	7,930	66,840
Realized and unrealized loss on investments	6,910,493	3,107,744
Changes in operating net assets		
Accrued interest receivable	(28,185)	114,481
Sundry receivables	57,324	(48,832)
Prepaid expenses	511	(1,620)
Deferred amounts	(3,699)	71,738
Accounts payable	(2,877)	97,434
Allocations payable	(54,565)	1,002,025
Decrease in managed funds	(1,089,915)	(220,567)
	<u>1,385,466</u>	<u>3,733,781</u>
Investing activities		
Additions to investments	(2,277,353)	(3,657,954)
Purchase of computer software	-	(22,641)
	<u>(2,277,353)</u>	<u>(3,680,595)</u>
(Decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents	(891,887)	53,186
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year	<u>1,566,412</u>	<u>1,513,226</u>
Cash and cash equivalents, end of year	<u>\$ 674,525</u>	<u>\$ 1,566,412</u>

THE OTTAWA JEWISH COMMUNITY FOUNDATION
NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
DECEMBER 31, 2008

1. Purpose of organization

The Ottawa Jewish Community Foundation (The Foundation) is a public foundation. Its purpose is to receive legacies, gifts, grants, bequests, endowments, and donations in kind and to apply from time to time all or part thereof and the income therefrom for religious, educational and other charitable purposes.

2. Significant accounting policies

Fund accounting

The Operating Fund reports revenues and expenses related to program delivery and administrative activities.

The Capital Fund reports endowment contributions and bequests.

Unrestricted investment income earned on Capital Fund resources is recognized as revenue of the Operating Fund.

Revenue recognition

Endowments, bequests and donations are recorded upon receipt of the gift.

Income from investments are included in the Operating Fund as amounts made available for allocation, at the discretion of the board and are recognized in accordance with the financial instruments note below.

Financial instruments

Where not disclosed, the carrying amount of the organization's financial instruments approximates their fair value, except where fair values are not readily obtainable. Unless otherwise noted, it is management's opinion that the organization is not exposed to significant interest rate, currency or credit risks arising from its financial instruments.

Investments held by the organization are classified as held for trading and are recorded at fair value. Realized investment income and unrealized gains and losses from the change in fair value are recorded on the income statement. Fair value is determined at quoted market prices.

Allocations

The Foundation recognized 3.5% (2007 - 3.5%) of the monthly average endowment fund balances as available for distribution for those funds that made grants in the year. Allocations made in excess of income earned per endowment fund is charged to the Capital Fund whereas income earned in excess of allocations is recapitalized to the Capital Fund.

Interfund transfers

It is the Foundation's policy to transfer any net result for the year from the Operating Fund to the Capital Fund.

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2. **Significant accounting policies** (continued)

Capital assets

Capital asset acquisitions in excess of \$5,000 are capitalized and amortized over their useful lives. Capital asset acquisitions under \$5,000 are expensed as incurred. Capital assets are recorded at cost. Amortization will commence when the asset is ready for use. Amortization has been provided at the following rate:

Computer system 5 years straight line

Use of estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities and 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, as adjustments become necessary, they are reported in earnings in the period in which they become known.

3. **Investments**

Investments of the Capital Fund are comprised as follows:

	2008	2007
Cash and Equivalents	\$ 3,746,403	\$ 3,740,282
NHA mortgage-backed securities	113,033	167,843
State of Israel Bonds	1,652,798	1,636,614
Promissory Note	854,100	879,100
Government Bonds	9,210,374	9,293,118
Corporate Bonds	4,082,178	3,589,767
Canadian Equities	4,613,584	5,731,871
U.S. Equities	3,997,944	3,489,986
Global Equities	9,059,010	13,433,981
	\$ 37,329,424	\$ 41,962,562

The Promissory Note bears interest at 6.75% per annum and is due December 31, 2019. Principal repayments will be repaid at a minimum of \$25,000 per annum from 2006 through 2019.

The investments of the Capital Fund include \$6,299,768 (2007 - \$7,389,683) of assets managed on behalf other organizations (note 8).

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3. **Investments** (continued)

Investment in financial instruments renders the Foundation subject to investment risks. These include the risks arising from changes in interest rates, in rates of exchange for foreign currency, and in market values of domestic and foreign equity investments. They also include the risks arising from the failure of a party to a financial instrument to discharge an obligation when it is due.

Concentration risk exists when a significant proportion of the portfolio is invested in securities with similar characteristics or subject to similar economic, political or other conditions. Management believes that the concentrations described above do not represent excessive risk.

Foreign currency exposure arises from the Foundation's holdings of non-Canadian bonds and equities. As at December 31, 2008 the Foundation held 35.4% (2007 - 30.4%) of its investments in securities subject to foreign currency exposure.

Interest rate price risk arises from the Foundation's holding fixed income investments where the interest rates can fluctuate. By using a laddered portfolio with varying terms to maturity it has reduced its sensitivity to interest rate fluctuations.

The Foundation has adopted investment policies, standards and procedures to control the amount of risk to which it is exposed.

4. **Remainder trusts**

The Foundation is the named beneficiary of two charitable remainder trusts. The initial gifts to settle the trusts were \$100,000 and \$400,000. The trusts operate as follows:

- a) during the lifetime of the Life Tenant Beneficiaries, they are to be paid the annual net income of the trusts;
- b) upon the death of the Life Tenant Beneficiaries, the capital of the trusts is to be paid to the Foundation.

5. **Capital assets**

	Cost	2008 Accumulated Amortization	Net Book Value
Computer system	\$ 22,641	\$ 4,528	\$ 18,113

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6. Deferred campaign costs - net

In the summer of 2004, the Foundation launched a new capital endowment campaign called the Community Endowment Campaign. The budgeted costs for the campaign are \$454,365, of which \$327,773 have been incurred to date. The Jewish Federation of Ottawa has paid \$229,657 of these expenses incurred for the campaign by way of an allocation. To date \$163,887 has been expensed in the accounts. The excess net allocation of \$65,771 has been included in deferred amounts.

7. Interfund advances

As at December 31, 2008, the Operating Fund has advanced \$160,496 to the Capital Fund.

8. Managed funds

The Foundation manages funds on behalf of other organizations for which it receives management fees.

9. Insurance subsidy programs

The Foundation has established three insurance programs, the Foundation insurance program, the Gilbert Greenberg Education Fund insurance program and the Perpetual Annual Campaign Endowed insurance program.

Foundation insurance program

The Foundation is named the beneficiary of 45 life insurance policies (2007 - 45) having a face value of \$13,665,235 plus an additional amount of \$1,081,140 provided by dividend options on three policies. The activities of the insurance program are not included in these financial statements except for one specific policy, wherein the income earned from the specific fund is used to fund the policy premium. The activities of this program for the year are as follows:

	2008	2007
Premiums due on policies	\$ 61,226	\$ 60,219
Funds received from life insured	52,471	48,766
Income appropriated from net earnings of a segregated fund	8,755	11,453
	8,755	8,755
Net expense to the Foundation	\$ -	\$ 2,698

The net expense to the Foundation represents a policy premium for which there is no reimbursement from the life insured.

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9. **Insurance subsidy programs** (continued)

Gilbert Greenberg Education Fund insurance program

The Foundation is the named beneficiary of 35 life insurance policies (2007 - 35) having a face value of \$3,697,000. The Foundation subsidizes the annual premium on these policies to a maximum amount of \$300 per policy per year. The activities of this program for the year are as follows:

	2008	2007
Premiums due on policies	\$ 12,488	\$ 12,407
Funds received from life insured	<u>2,191</u>	<u>2,141</u>
Net expense to the Foundation	<u>\$ 10,297</u>	<u>\$ 10,266</u>

The net expense to the Foundation represents the subsidies provided by the Foundation from the Operating Fund.

Perpetual Annual Campaign Endowed insurance program

The Foundation is the named beneficiary of 30 life insurance policies (2007 - 29) having a face value of \$3,944,513. An endowment fund subsidizes the annual premium on these policies to a maximum amount of \$500 per policy per year with the additional amount being paid by the insured. The activities of this program for the year are as follows:

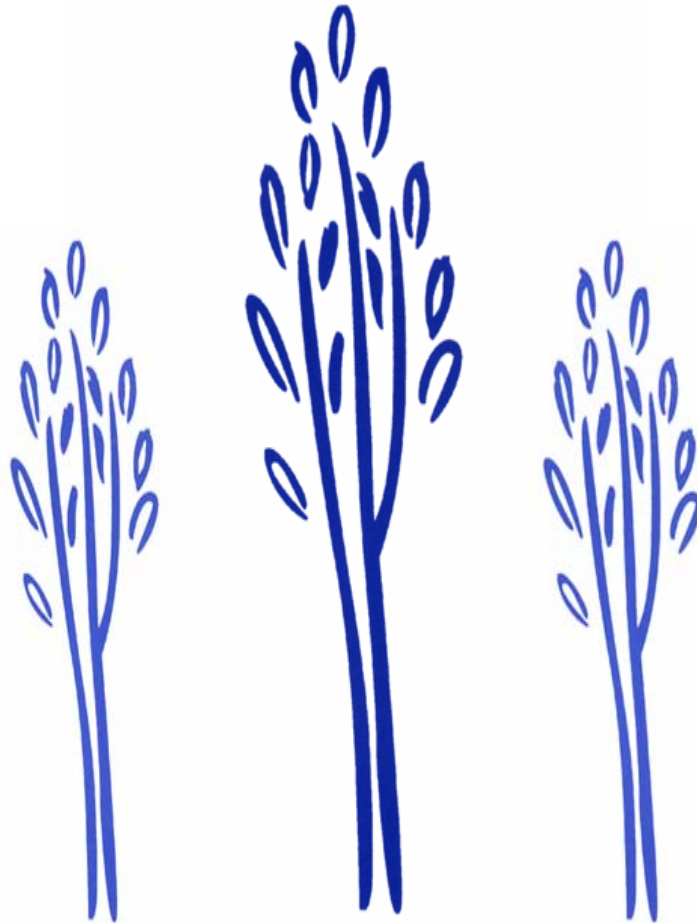
	2008	2007
Premiums due on policies	\$ 21,993	\$ 18,856
Funds received from life insured	<u>6,552</u>	<u>4,386</u>
	15,441	14,470
Funds received from one specific endowment fund	<u>15,441</u>	<u>14,470</u>
Net expense to the Foundation	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

10. **Budget figures**

The budget figures are presented for comparative purposes and are unaudited.

11. **Comparative figures**

Certain 2007 comparative figures have been reclassified to conform with 2008 presentation.



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