

# **Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Ltd**

**ABN 77 128 253 065**

**Annual Report - 30 June 2023**

## **Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Ltd**

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### **General information**

The financial statements cover Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Ltd as an individual entity. The financial statements are presented in Australian dollars, which is Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Ltd's functional and presentation currency.

Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Ltd is a company limited by shares, incorporated and domiciled in Australia. Its registered office and principal place of business is:

98 Kinghorne Street, NOWRA, NSW 2541

A description of the nature of the company's operations and its principal activities are included in the directors' report, which is not part of the financial statements.

The financial statements were authorised for issue, in accordance with a resolution of directors, on 28 September 2023. The directors have the power to amend and reissue the financial statements.

**Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Ltd**  
**Directors' report**  
**30 June 2023**

The directors present their report, together with the financial statements, on the company for the year ended 30 June 2023.

**Directors**

The following persons were directors of the company during the whole of the financial year and up to the date of this report, unless otherwise stated:

Antony Morris  
Gary Tearle  
Kelvin Taylor  
Deborah Wooley  
Robert Hay  
Ann Sudmalis

**Principal activities**

The principal activity of the Company during the financial year was providing **Community Bank** services under management rights to operate a franchised branch of the Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited.

No significant change in the nature of these activities occurred during the year.

**Dividends**

There were no dividends paid, recommended or declared during the current or previous financial year.

**Review of operations**

The profit for the company after providing for income tax amounted to \$683,710 (30 June 2022: \$22,684).

**Significant changes in the state of affairs**

There were no significant changes in the state of affairs of the company during the financial year.

**Matters subsequent to the end of the financial year**

No matter or circumstance has arisen since 30 June 2023 that has significantly affected, or may significantly affect the company's operations, the results of those operations, or the company's state of affairs in future financial years.

**Likely developments and expected results of operations**

Information on likely developments in the operations of the company and the expected results of operations have not been included in this report because the directors believe it would be likely to result in unreasonable prejudice to the company.

**Environmental regulation**

The company is not subject to any significant environmental regulation under Australian Commonwealth or State law.

**Information on directors**

Name:	Antony Morris
Title:	Director
Qualifications:	Fellow Australian Institute of Company Directors, Fellow Managers and Leaders Institute, Military qualification in Strategy and Leadership
Special responsibilities:	Chairperson
Interests in shares:	Nil

**Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Ltd**  
**Directors' report**  
**30 June 2023**

Name: Gary Tearle  
Title: Director  
Qualifications: Teacher (retired)  
Special responsibilities: Finance and Audit Committee  
Interests in shares: 1,000 Ordinary shares

Name: Kelvin Taylor  
Title: Director  
Qualifications: Bachelor of Arts (Visual Communication)  
Special responsibilities: Marketing Committee  
Interests in shares: Nil

Name: Deborah Wooley  
Title: Director  
Qualifications: Bachelor of Business, Member of CA ANZ  
Special responsibilities: Finance and Audit Committee Marketing and HR committee  
Interests in shares: Nil

Name: Robert Hay  
Title: Director  
Qualifications: Associate Degree - Arts, Bachelor of Public Relations (minor in Psychology),  
Enrolled Nurse  
Interests in shares: Nil

Name: Ann Sudmalis  
Title: Director  
Qualifications: Bachelor of Science, Masters and Diploma of Education, Member of AICD  
Interests in shares: Nil

'Other current directorships' quoted above are current directorships for listed entities only and excludes directorships of all other types of entities, unless otherwise stated.

'Former directorships (last 3 years)' quoted above are directorships held in the last 3 years for listed entities only and excludes directorships of all other types of entities, unless otherwise stated.

### **Company secretary**

The company secretary is Jane Fisher. Jane was appointed to the position of secretary on 25 November 2015.

### **Meetings of directors**

The number of meetings of the company's Board of Directors ('the Board') held during the year ended 30 June 2023, and the number of meetings attended by each director were:

	Full Board Attended	Held
Antony Morris	9	9
Gary Tearle	9	4
Kelvin Taylor	9	7
Deborah Wooley	9	2
Robert Hay	9	8
Ann Sudmalis	9	9

Held: represents the number of meetings held during the time the director held office.

## Remuneration report

### Remuneration policy

There has been no remuneration policy developed as Director positions are held on a voluntary basis and Directors are not remunerated for their services.

### Additional disclosures relating to key management personnel

#### Shareholding

The number of shares in the company held during the financial year by each director and other members of key management personnel of the company, including their personally related parties, is set out below:

	Balance at the start of the year	Received as part of remuneration	Additions	Disposals/ other	Balance at the end of the year
Ordinary shares					
Gary Tearle	1,000	-	-	-	1,000
	1,000	-	-	-	1,000

### Loans to directors and executives

There were no loans to key management personnel during the current or prior reporting period.

### Indemnity and insurance of officers

The company has indemnified the directors and executives of the company for costs incurred, in their capacity as a director or executive, for which they may be held personally liable, except where there is a lack of good faith.

During the financial year, the company paid a premium in respect of a contract to insure the directors and executives of the company against a liability to the extent permitted by the Corporations Act 2001. The contract of insurance prohibits disclosure of the nature of the liability and the amount of the premium.

### Indemnity and insurance of auditor

The company has not, during or since the end of the financial year, indemnified or agreed to indemnify the auditor of the company or any related entity against a liability incurred by the auditor.

During the financial year, the company has not paid a premium in respect of a contract to insure the auditor of the company or any related entity.

### Proceedings on behalf of the company

No person has applied to the Court under section 237 of the Corporations Act 2001 for leave to bring proceedings on behalf of the company, or to intervene in any proceedings to which the company is a party for the purpose of taking responsibility on behalf of the company for all or part of those proceedings.

### Non-audit services

There were no non-audit services provided during the financial year by the auditor.

### Auditor's independence declaration

A copy of the auditor's independence declaration as required under section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001 is set out immediately after this directors' report.

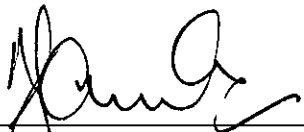
### Auditor

Daley Audit continues in office in accordance with section 327 of the Corporations Act 2001.

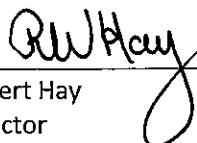
**Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Ltd**  
**Directors' report**  
**30 June 2023**

This report is made in accordance with a resolution of directors.

On behalf of the directors



Antony Morris  
Chairperson



Robert Hay  
Director

28 September 2023

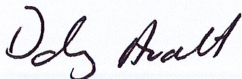


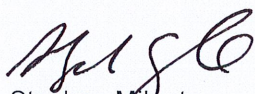


**Auditor's Independence Declaration under Section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001  
To the Directors of Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Limited**

I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, during the year ended 30 June 2023, there have been:

- i) no contraventions of the independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* in relation to the audit; and
- ii) no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

  
Daley Audit

  
Stephen Milgate  
Partner

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28 September 2023

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**Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Ltd**  
**Statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income**  
**For the year ended 30 June 2023**

	<b>Note</b>	<b>2023</b> <b>\$</b>	<b>2022</b> <b>\$</b>
<b>Revenue</b>	3	1,095,418	544,064
<b>Expenses</b>			
Employee benefits expense		(360,958)	(335,157)
Depreciation and amortisation expense		(49,385)	(50,587)
Administration expenses		(74,128)	(76,718)
Information technology expenses		(16,788)	(19,167)
Occupancy expenses		(14,258)	(14,012)
Other expenses		(9,336)	(8,177)
Finance costs		<u>(17,635)</u>	<u>(17,562)</u>
<b>Profit before income tax benefit</b>		552,930	22,684
Income tax benefit	4	<u>130,780</u>	<u>-</u>
<b>Profit after income tax benefit for the year attributable to the owners of Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Ltd</b>	19	683,710	22,684
Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax		<u>-</u>	<u>-</u>
<b>Total comprehensive income for the year attributable to the owners of Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Ltd</b>		<u>683,710</u>	<u>22,684</u>
		<b>Cents</b>	<b>Cents</b>
Basic earnings per share	28	80.97	2.69
Diluted earnings per share	28	80.97	2.69

*The above statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes*



**Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Ltd**  
**Statement of financial position**  
**As at 30 June 2023**

	<b>Note</b>	<b>2023</b> \$	<b>2022</b> \$
<b>Assets</b>			
<b>Current assets</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents	5	291,401	30,449
Trade and other receivables	6	93,040	41,353
Other	8	20,038	7,523
Total current assets		<u>404,479</u>	<u>79,325</u>
<b>Non-current assets</b>			
Property, plant and equipment	9	60,574	34,007
Right-of-use assets	7	129,902	166,027
Intangibles	10	76,669	13,223
Deferred tax	11	130,780	-
Total non-current assets		<u>397,925</u>	<u>213,257</u>
<b>Total assets</b>		<u>802,404</u>	<u>292,582</u>
<b>Liabilities</b>			
<b>Current liabilities</b>			
Trade and other payables	12	83,447	63,069
Borrowings	13	-	212,912
Lease liabilities	14	25,588	28,200
Employee benefits	15	19,663	30,663
Other	17	15,334	-
Total current liabilities		<u>144,032</u>	<u>334,844</u>
<b>Non-current liabilities</b>			
Lease liabilities	14	118,471	149,146
Employee benefits	15	720	550
Provisions	16	20,101	18,673
Other	17	46,001	-
Total non-current liabilities		<u>185,293</u>	<u>168,369</u>
<b>Total liabilities</b>		<u>329,325</u>	<u>503,213</u>
<b>Net assets/(liabilities)</b>		<u>473,079</u>	<u>(210,631)</u>
<b>Equity</b>			
Issued capital	18	844,400	844,400
Accumulated losses	19	<u>(371,321)</u>	<u>(1,055,031)</u>
<b>Total equity/(deficiency)</b>		<u>473,079</u>	<u>(210,631)</u>

*The above statement of financial position should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes*

**Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Ltd**  
**Statement of changes in equity**  
**For the year ended 30 June 2023**

	<b>Issued capital \$</b>	<b>Retained profits \$</b>	<b>Total deficiency in equity \$</b>
Balance at 1 July 2021	844,400	(1,077,715)	(233,315)
Profit after income tax expense for the year	-	22,684	22,684
Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	22,684	22,684
Balance at 30 June 2022	<u>844,400</u>	<u>(1,055,031)</u>	<u>(210,631)</u>
	<b>Issued capital \$</b>	<b>Retained profits \$</b>	<b>Total equity \$</b>
Balance at 1 July 2022	844,400	(1,055,031)	(210,631)
Profit after income tax benefit for the year	-	683,710	683,710
Other comprehensive income for the year, net of tax	-	-	-
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	683,710	683,710
Balance at 30 June 2023	<u>844,400</u>	<u>(371,321)</u>	<u>473,079</u>

*The above statement of changes in equity should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes*

**Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Ltd**  
**Statement of cash flows**  
**For the year ended 30 June 2023**

	<b>Note</b>	<b>2023</b> \$	<b>2022</b> \$
<b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>			
Receipts from customers (inclusive of GST)		1,147,798	579,888
Payments to suppliers and employees (inclusive of GST)		<u>(605,903)</u>	<u>(480,696)</u>
		541,895	99,192
Interest and other finance costs paid		<u>(17,635)</u>	<u>(17,562)</u>
Net cash from operating activities	27	<u>524,260</u>	<u>81,630</u>
<b>Cash flows from investing activities</b>			
Payments for property, plant and equipment	9	(1,775)	(4,406)
Payments for intangibles	10	<u>(15,334)</u>	<u>-</u>
Net cash used in investing activities		<u>(17,109)</u>	<u>(4,406)</u>
<b>Cash flows from financing activities</b>			
Proceeds/(repayment) of leases		<u>(33,287)</u>	<u>(37,728)</u>
Net cash used in financing activities		<u>(33,287)</u>	<u>(37,728)</u>
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		473,864	39,496
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the financial year		<u>(182,463)</u>	<u>(221,959)</u>
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the financial year	5	<u><u>291,401</u></u>	<u><u>(182,463)</u></u>

*The above statement of cash flows should be read in conjunction with the accompanying notes*

## **Note 1. Significant accounting policies**

The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of the financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

### **New or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations adopted**

The company has adopted all of the new or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board ('AASB') that are mandatory for the current reporting period.

Any new or amended Accounting Standards or Interpretations that are not yet mandatory have not been early adopted.

### **Basis of preparation**

These general purpose financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standards Board ('AASB') and the Corporations Act 2001, as appropriate for for-profit oriented entities. These financial statements also comply with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ('IASB').

### *Historical cost convention*

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention.

### *Critical accounting estimates*

The preparation of the financial statements requires the use of certain critical accounting estimates. It also requires management to exercise its judgement in the process of applying the company's accounting policies. The areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexity, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements, are disclosed in note 2.

### **Revenue recognition**

The company recognises revenue as follows:

#### *Revenue from contracts with customers*

Revenue is recognised at an amount that reflects the consideration to which the company is expected to be entitled in exchange for transferring goods or services to a customer. For each contract with a customer, the company: identifies the contract with a customer; identifies the performance obligations in the contract; determines the transaction price which takes into account estimates of variable consideration and the time value of money; allocates the transaction price to the separate performance obligations on the basis of the relative stand-alone selling price of each distinct good or service to be delivered; and recognises revenue when or as each performance obligation is satisfied in a manner that depicts the transfer to the customer of the goods or services promised.

Variable consideration within the transaction price, if any, reflects concessions provided to the customer such as discounts, rebates and refunds, any potential bonuses receivable from the customer and any other contingent events. Such estimates are determined using either the 'expected value' or 'most likely amount' method. The measurement of variable consideration is subject to a constraining principle whereby revenue will only be recognised to the extent that it is highly probable that a significant reversal in the amount of cumulative revenue recognised will not occur. The measurement constraint continues until the uncertainty associated with the variable consideration is subsequently resolved. Amounts received that are subject to the constraining principle are recognised as a refund liability.

#### *Specific revenue stream*

The Company recognises revenue from the following major source providing Community Bank branch services under management rights to operate a franchised branch of Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited.

## **Note 1. Significant accounting policies (continued)**

### *Provision of branch services*

Revenue from the provision of branch services is recognised over the period in which the services are rendered. The contract for branch services are subject to a formal franchise agreement.

The agreement includes an enforceable right for the Company to receive payment for work performed to date based on the services provided based upon observable data and therefore the criteria for recognition of revenue over time is met.

The Company's payment terms are 30 days from the end of the month and accordingly there is no financing element to the services provided.

At the end of each month, the Company recognises a receivable as this represents the point in time at which the Company's right to consideration becomes unconditional as a Recipient Created Tax invoice (or equivalent) accompanies the services provided, as only the passage of time is required before payment is due.

### *Interest*

Interest revenue is recognised as interest accrues using the effective interest method. This is a method of calculating the amortised cost of a financial asset and allocating the interest income over the relevant period using the effective interest rate, which is the rate that exactly discounts estimated future cash receipts through the expected life of the financial asset to the net carrying amount of the financial asset.

### *Other revenue*

Other revenue is recognised when it is received or when the right to receive payment is established.

## **Income tax**

The income tax expense or benefit for the period is the tax payable on that period's taxable income based on the applicable income tax rate for each jurisdiction, adjusted by the changes in deferred tax assets and liabilities attributable to temporary differences, unused tax losses and the adjustment recognised for prior periods, where applicable.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognised for temporary differences at the tax rates expected to be applied when the assets are recovered or liabilities are settled, based on those tax rates that are enacted or substantively enacted, except for:

- When the deferred income tax asset or liability arises from the initial recognition of goodwill or an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and that, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting nor taxable profits; or
- When the taxable temporary difference is associated with interests in subsidiaries, associates or joint ventures, and the timing of the reversal can be controlled and it is probable that the temporary difference will not reverse in the foreseeable future.

Deferred tax assets are recognised for deductible temporary differences and unused tax losses only if it is probable that future taxable amounts will be available to utilise those temporary differences and losses.

The carrying amount of recognised and unrecognised deferred tax assets are reviewed at each reporting date. Deferred tax assets recognised are reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that future taxable profits will be available for the carrying amount to be recovered. Previously unrecognised deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that there are future taxable profits available to recover the asset.

## **Note 1. Significant accounting policies (continued)**

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset only where there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax assets against current tax liabilities and deferred tax assets against deferred tax liabilities; and they relate to the same taxable authority on either the same taxable entity or different taxable entities which intend to settle simultaneously.

### **Current and non-current classification**

Assets and liabilities are presented in the statement of financial position based on current and non-current classification.

An asset is classified as current when: it is either expected to be realised or intended to be sold or consumed in the company's normal operating cycle; it is held primarily for the purpose of trading; it is expected to be realised within 12 months after the reporting period; or the asset is cash or cash equivalent unless restricted from being exchanged or used to settle a liability for at least 12 months after the reporting period. All other assets are classified as non-current.

A liability is classified as current when: it is either expected to be settled in the company's normal operating cycle; it is held primarily for the purpose of trading; it is due to be settled within 12 months after the reporting period; or there is no unconditional right to defer the settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the reporting period. All other liabilities are classified as non-current.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are always classified as non-current.

### **Cash and cash equivalents**

Cash and cash equivalents includes cash on hand, deposits held at call with financial institutions, other short-term, highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less that are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value. For the statement of cash flows presentation purposes, cash and cash equivalents also includes bank overdrafts, which are shown within borrowings in current liabilities on the statement of financial position.

### **Trade and other receivables**

Trade receivables are initially recognised at fair value and subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method, less any allowance for expected credit losses. Trade receivables are generally due for settlement within 30 days.

The company has applied the simplified approach to measuring expected credit losses, which uses a lifetime expected loss allowance. To measure the expected credit losses, trade receivables have been grouped based on days overdue.

### **Property, plant and equipment**

Plant and equipment is stated at historical cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment. Historical cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the items.

Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis to write off the net cost of each item of property, plant and equipment (excluding land) over their expected useful lives as follows:

Leasehold improvements	3-10 years
Plant and equipment	3-7 years
Computer equipment	2-3 years



## **Note 1. Significant accounting policies (continued)**

The residual values, useful lives and depreciation methods are reviewed, and adjusted if appropriate, at each reporting date.

Leasehold improvements are depreciated over the unexpired period of the lease or the estimated useful life of the assets, whichever is shorter.

An item of property, plant and equipment is derecognised upon disposal or when there is no future economic benefit to the company. Gains and losses between the carrying amount and the disposal proceeds are taken to profit or loss.

### **Right-of-use assets**

A right-of-use asset is recognised at the commencement date of a lease. The right-of-use asset is measured at cost, which comprises the initial amount of the lease liability, adjusted for, as applicable, any lease payments made at or before the commencement date net of any lease incentives received, any initial direct costs incurred, and, except where included in the cost of inventories, an estimate of costs expected to be incurred for dismantling and removing the underlying asset, and restoring the site or asset.

Right-of-use assets are depreciated on a straight-line basis over the unexpired period of the lease or the estimated useful life of the asset, whichever is the shorter. Where the company expects to obtain ownership of the leased asset at the end of the lease term, the depreciation is over its estimated useful life. Right-of use assets are subject to impairment or adjusted for any remeasurement of lease liabilities.

The company has elected not to recognise a right-of-use asset and corresponding lease liability for short-term leases with terms of 12 months or less and leases of low-value assets. Lease payments on these assets are expensed to profit or loss as incurred.

### **Impairment of non-financial assets**

Non-financial assets are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount may not be recoverable. An impairment loss is recognised for the amount by which the asset's carrying amount exceeds its recoverable amount.

Recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's fair value less costs of disposal and value-in-use. The value-in-use is the present value of the estimated future cash flows relating to the asset using a pre-tax discount rate specific to the asset or cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs. Assets that do not have independent cash flows are grouped together to form a cash-generating unit.

### **Trade and other payables**

These amounts represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the company prior to the end of the financial year and which are unpaid. Due to their short-term nature they are measured at amortised cost and are not discounted. The amounts are unsecured and are usually paid within 30 days of recognition.

### **Borrowings**

Loans and borrowings are initially recognised at the fair value of the consideration received, net of transaction costs. They are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method.

## **Note 1. Significant accounting policies (continued)**

### **Lease liabilities**

A lease liability is recognised at the commencement date of a lease. The lease liability is initially recognised at the present value of the lease payments to be made over the term of the lease, discounted using the interest rate implicit in the lease or, if that rate cannot be readily determined, the company's incremental borrowing rate. Lease payments comprise of fixed payments less any lease incentives receivable, variable lease payments that depend on an index or a rate, amounts expected to be paid under residual value guarantees, exercise price of a purchase option when the exercise of the option is reasonably certain to occur, and any anticipated termination penalties. The variable lease payments that do not depend on an index or a rate are expensed in the period in which they are incurred.

Lease liabilities are measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. The carrying amounts are remeasured if there is a change in the following: future lease payments arising from a change in an index or a rate used; residual guarantee; lease term; certainty of a purchase option and termination penalties. When a lease liability is remeasured, an adjustment is made to the corresponding right-of use asset, or to profit or loss if the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset is fully written down.

### **Finance costs**

Finance costs attributable to qualifying assets are capitalised as part of the asset. All other finance costs are expensed in the period in which they are incurred.

### **Provisions**

Provisions are recognised when the company has a present (legal or constructive) obligation as a result of a past event, it is probable the company will be required to settle the obligation, and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. The amount recognised as a provision is the best estimate of the consideration required to settle the present obligation at the reporting date, taking into account the risks and uncertainties surrounding the obligation. If the time value of money is material, provisions are discounted using a current pre-tax rate specific to the liability. The increase in the provision resulting from the passage of time is recognised as a finance cost.

### **Employee benefits**

#### *Short-term employee benefits*

Liabilities for wages and salaries, including non-monetary benefits, annual leave and long service leave expected to be settled wholly within 12 months of the reporting date are measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liabilities are settled.

#### *Other long-term employee benefits*

The liability for annual leave and long service leave not expected to be settled within 12 months of the reporting date are measured at the present value of expected future payments to be made in respect of services provided by employees up to the reporting date using the projected unit credit method. Consideration is given to expected future wage and salary levels, experience of employee departures and periods of service. Expected future payments are discounted using market yields at the reporting date on high quality corporate bonds with terms to maturity and currency that match, as closely as possible, the estimated future cash outflows.

### **Fair value measurement**

When an asset or liability, financial or non-financial, is measured at fair value for recognition or disclosure purposes, the fair value is based on the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date; and assumes that the transaction will take place either: in the principal market; or in the absence of a principal market, in the most advantageous market.

## **Note 1. Significant accounting policies (continued)**

Fair value is measured using the assumptions that market participants would use when pricing the asset or liability, assuming they act in their economic best interests. For non-financial assets, the fair value measurement is based on its highest and best use. Valuation techniques that are appropriate in the circumstances and for which sufficient data are available to measure fair value, are used, maximising the use of relevant observable inputs and minimising the use of unobservable inputs.

### **Issued capital**

Ordinary shares are classified as equity.

Incremental costs directly attributable to the issue of new shares or options are shown in equity as a deduction, net of tax, from the proceeds.

### **Earnings per share**

#### *Basic earnings per share*

Basic earnings per share is calculated by dividing the profit attributable to the owners of Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Ltd, excluding any costs of servicing equity other than ordinary shares, by the weighted average number of ordinary shares outstanding during the financial year, adjusted for bonus elements in ordinary shares issued during the financial year.

#### *Diluted earnings per share*

Diluted earnings per share adjusts the figures used in the determination of basic earnings per share to take into account the after income tax effect of interest and other financing costs associated with dilutive potential ordinary shares and the weighted average number of shares assumed to have been issued for no consideration in relation to dilutive potential ordinary shares.

### **Goods and Services Tax ('GST') and other similar taxes**

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of associated GST, unless the GST incurred is not recoverable from the tax authority. In this case it is recognised as part of the cost of the acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense.

Receivables and payables are stated inclusive of the amount of GST receivable or payable. The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the tax authority is included in other receivables or other payables in the statement of financial position.

Cash flows are presented on a gross basis. The GST components of cash flows arising from investing or financing activities which are recoverable from, or payable to the tax authority, are presented as operating cash flows.

Commitments and contingencies are disclosed net of the amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the tax authority.

### **New Accounting Standards and Interpretations not yet mandatory or early adopted**

Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations that have recently been issued or amended but are not yet mandatory, have not been early adopted by the company for the annual reporting period ended 30 June 2023. The company has not yet assessed the impact of these new or amended Accounting Standards and Interpretations.

## Note 2. Critical accounting judgements, estimates and assumptions

The preparation of the financial statements requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts in the financial statements. Management continually evaluates its judgements and estimates in relation to assets, liabilities, contingent liabilities, revenue and expenses. Management bases its judgements, estimates and assumptions on historical experience and on other various factors, including expectations of future events, management believes to be reasonable under the circumstances. The resulting accounting judgements and estimates will seldom equal the related actual results. The judgements, estimates and assumptions that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities (refer to the respective notes) within the next financial year are discussed below.

### *Allowance for expected credit losses*

The allowance for expected credit losses assessment requires a degree of estimation and judgement. It is based on the lifetime expected credit loss, grouped based on days overdue, and makes assumptions to allocate an overall expected credit loss rate for each group. These assumptions include recent sales experience and historical collection rates.

### *Fair value measurement hierarchy*

The company is required to classify all assets and liabilities, measured at fair value, using a three level hierarchy, based on the lowest level of input that is significant to the entire fair value measurement, being: Level 1: Quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the entity can access at the measurement date; Level 2: Inputs other than quoted prices included within Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly; and Level 3: Unobservable inputs for the asset or liability. Considerable judgement is required to determine what is significant to fair value and therefore which category the asset or liability is placed in can be subjective.

The fair value of assets and liabilities classified as level 3 is determined by the use of valuation models. These include discounted cash flow analysis or the use of observable inputs that require significant adjustments based on unobservable inputs.

### *Estimation of useful lives of assets*

The company determines the estimated useful lives and related depreciation and amortisation charges for its property, plant and equipment and finite life intangible assets. The useful lives could change significantly as a result of technical innovations or some other event. The depreciation and amortisation charge will increase where the useful lives are less than previously estimated lives, or technically obsolete or non-strategic assets that have been abandoned or sold will be written off or written down.

### *Impairment of non-financial assets other than goodwill and other indefinite life intangible assets*

The company assesses impairment of non-financial assets other than goodwill and other indefinite life intangible assets at each reporting date by evaluating conditions specific to the company and to the particular asset that may lead to impairment. If an impairment trigger exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is determined. This involves fair value less costs of disposal or value-in-use calculations, which incorporate a number of key estimates and assumptions.

### *Income tax*

The company is subject to income taxes in the jurisdictions in which it operates. Significant judgement is required in determining the provision for income tax. There are many transactions and calculations undertaken during the ordinary course of business for which the ultimate tax determination is uncertain. The company recognises liabilities for anticipated tax audit issues based on the company's current understanding of the tax law. Where the final tax outcome of these matters is different from the carrying amounts, such differences will impact the current and deferred tax provisions in the period in which such determination is made.

## **Note 2. Critical accounting judgements, estimates and assumptions (continued)**

### *Recovery of deferred tax assets*

Deferred tax assets are recognised for deductible temporary differences only if the company considers it is probable that future taxable amounts will be available to utilise those temporary differences and losses.

### *Lease term*

The lease term is a significant component in the measurement of both the right-of-use asset and lease liability. Judgement is exercised in determining whether there is reasonable certainty that an option to extend the lease or purchase the underlying asset will be exercised, or an option to terminate the lease will not be exercised, when ascertaining the periods to be included in the lease term. In determining the lease term, all facts and circumstances that create an economical incentive to exercise an extension option, or not to exercise a termination option, are considered at the lease commencement date. Factors considered may include the importance of the asset to the company's operations; comparison of terms and conditions to prevailing market rates; incurrence of significant penalties; existence of significant leasehold improvements; and the costs and disruption to replace the asset. The company reassesses whether it is reasonably certain to exercise an extension option, or not exercise a termination option, if there is a significant event or significant change in circumstances.

### *Incremental borrowing rate*

Where the interest rate implicit in a lease cannot be readily determined, an incremental borrowing rate is estimated to discount future lease payments to measure the present value of the lease liability at the lease commencement date. Such a rate is based on what the company estimates it would have to pay a third party to borrow the funds necessary to obtain an asset of a similar value to the right-of-use asset, with similar terms, security and economic environment.

### *Employee benefits provision*

As discussed in note 1, the liability for employee benefits expected to be settled more than 12 months from the reporting date are recognised and measured at the present value of the estimated future cash flows to be made in respect of all employees at the reporting date. In determining the present value of the liability, estimates of attrition rates and pay increases through promotion and inflation have been taken into account.

### *Lease make good provision*

A provision has been made for the present value of anticipated costs for future restoration of leased premises. The provision includes future cost estimates associated with closure of the premises. The calculation of this provision requires assumptions such as application of closure dates and cost estimates. The provision recognised for each site is periodically reviewed and updated based on the facts and circumstances available at the time. Changes to the estimated future costs for sites are recognised in the statement of financial position by adjusting the asset and the provision. Reductions in the provision that exceed the carrying amount of the asset will be recognised in profit or loss.

### Note 3. Revenue

	2023 \$	2022 \$
<i>Revenue from contracts with customers</i>		
Margin income	980,787	422,898
Commission Income	61,296	66,346
Fee income	43,335	39,745
Market development fund	10,000	13,750
	<u>1,095,418</u>	<u>542,739</u>
<i>Other revenue</i>		
Rent	-	1,250
Other revenue	-	75
	<u>-</u>	<u>1,325</u>
Revenue	<u>1,095,418</u>	<u>544,064</u>

#### *Disaggregation of revenue*

The disaggregation of revenue from contracts with customers is as follows:

	2023 \$	2022 \$
<i>Timing of revenue recognition</i>		
at a point in time	1,050,243	492,348
over time	45,175	50,391
	<u>1,095,418</u>	<u>542,739</u>



**Note 4. Income tax benefit**

	<b>2023</b> \$	<b>2022</b> \$
<i>Prima-facie reconciliation of income tax expense and tax at the statutory rate</i>		
Profit before income tax benefit	552,930	22,684
Tax at the statutory tax rate of 25%	138,233	5,671
Tax effect amounts which are not deductible/(taxable) in calculating taxable income:		
Amortisation of intangibles	3,306	-
Entertainment expenses	72	-
Non deductible donations	1,000	-
Non deductible interest	2,925	-
Other allowable deductions	(13,265)	-
	132,271	5,671
Prior year tax losses not recognised now recouped	(255,407)	(5,671)
Current year temporary differences	(7,644)	-
Income tax benefit	(130,780)	-
	<b>2023</b> \$	<b>2022</b> \$
<i>Deferred tax assets not recognised</i>		
Deferred tax assets not recognised comprises temporary differences attributable to:		
Employee benefits	-	7,803
Provision for lease make good	-	4,668
Accrued expenses	-	3,720
Plant and equipment	-	(8,502)
Tax losses carried forward	-	258,714
Total deferred tax assets not recognised	-	266,403

The above potential tax benefit, which includes tax losses, for deductible temporary differences has not been recognised in the statement of financial position as the recovery of this benefit is uncertain.

## Note 5. Cash and cash equivalents

	2023 \$	2022 \$
<i>Current assets</i>		
Cash at bank	<u>291,401</u>	<u>30,449</u>

### *Reconciliation to cash and cash equivalents at the end of the financial year*

The above figures are reconciled to cash and cash equivalents at the end of the financial year as shown in the statement of cash flows as follows:

Balances as above	291,401	30,449
Bank overdraft (note 13)	-	(212,912)
Balance as per statement of cash flows	<u>291,401</u>	<u>(182,463)</u>

## Note 6. Trade and other receivables

	2023 \$	2022 \$
<i>Current assets</i>		
Trade receivables	<u>93,040</u>	<u>41,353</u>

## Note 7. Right-of-use assets

	2023 \$	2022 \$
<i>Non-current assets</i>		
Leased building - right-of-use	295,970	303,229
Less: Accumulated depreciation	<u>(166,068)</u>	<u>(137,202)</u>
	<u>129,902</u>	<u>166,027</u>

## Note 7. Right-of-use assets (continued)

### Reconciliations

Reconciliations of the written down values at the beginning and end of the current and previous financial year are set out below:

	Kinghorne Street	Total
	\$	\$
Balance at 1 July 2021	198,740	198,740
Revaluation decrements	(2,530)	(2,530)
Depreciation expense	(30,183)	(30,183)
Balance at 30 June 2022	166,027	166,027
Revaluation decrements	(7,259)	(7,259)
Depreciation expense	(28,866)	(28,866)
Balance at 30 June 2023	129,902	129,902

## Note 8. Other

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Current assets		
Prepayments	20,038	7,523

## Note 9. Property, plant and equipment

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Non-current assets		
Leasehold improvements - at cost	322,242	290,154
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(268,849)	(263,653)
	53,393	26,501
Plant and equipment - at cost	29,701	27,926
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(23,626)	(21,890)
	6,075	6,036
Computer equipment - at cost	20,174	20,174
Less: Accumulated depreciation	(19,068)	(18,704)
	1,106	1,470
	60,574	34,007

## Note 9. Property, plant and equipment (continued)

### Reconciliations

Reconciliations of the written down values at the beginning and end of the current and previous financial year are set out below:

	Plant & equipment \$	Computer equipment \$	Leasehold improvements \$	Total \$
Balance at 1 July 2021	4,753	332	31,698	36,783
Additions	2,586	1,820	-	4,406
Depreciation expense	(1,303)	(682)	(5,197)	(7,182)
Balance at 30 June 2022	6,036	1,470	26,501	34,007
Additions	1,775	-	32,088	33,863
Depreciation expense	(1,736)	(364)	(5,196)	(7,296)
Balance at 30 June 2023	6,075	1,106	53,393	60,574

## Note 10. Intangibles

	2023 \$	2022 \$
<i>Non-current assets</i>		
Other intangible assets - at cost	76,669	13,223

### Reconciliations

Reconciliations of the written down values at the beginning and end of the current and previous financial year are set out below:

	Franchise fee \$	Total \$
Balance at 1 July 2021	26,445	26,445
Amortisation expense	(13,222)	(13,222)
Balance at 30 June 2022	13,223	13,223
Additions	76,669	76,669
Amortisation expense	(13,223)	(13,223)
Balance at 30 June 2023	76,669	76,669

## Note 11. Deferred tax

	2023 \$	2022 \$
<i>Non-current assets</i>		
Deferred tax asset comprises temporary differences attributable to:		
Amounts recognised in profit or loss:		
Tax losses	121,126	-
Prepayments	(5,011)	-
Property, plant and equipment	(2,613)	-
Employee benefits	5,096	-
Rights of use assets	(32,476)	-
Leases	36,015	-
Provision for lease make good	5,025	-
Accrued expenses	3,618	-
Deferred tax asset	<u>130,780</u>	<u>-</u>

## Note 12. Trade and other payables

	2023 \$	2022 \$
<i>Current liabilities</i>		
Trade and other payables	<u>83,447</u>	<u>63,069</u>

Refer to note 21 for further information on financial instruments.

## Note 13. Borrowings

	2023 \$	2022 \$
<i>Current liabilities</i>		
Bank overdraft	<u>-</u>	<u>212,912</u>

Refer to note 21 for further information on financial instruments.

### Security details

The overdraft facility is supplied by the Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Ltd. The facility has an approved limit of \$100,000 with a floating interest rate of 5.715% at 30 June 2023. Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Ltd have a Registered First Company Debenture charge from the Company.

#### Note 14. Lease liabilities

	2023 \$	2022 \$
<i>Current liabilities</i>		
Lease liability - Rights-of-use	25,588	28,200
<i>Non-current liabilities</i>		
Lease liability - Rights-of-use	118,471	149,146
	<u>144,059</u>	<u>177,346</u>

#### Statement of Profit of Loss and other Comprehensive Income

	2023 \$	2022 \$
<i>The amounts recognised in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income relating to leases where the Company is a lessee are shown below:</i>		
Interest expense on lease liabilities	11,699	11,895
Depreciation charge related to right-of-use asset	28,866	30,576
	<u>40,565</u>	<u>42,471</u>

#### Statement of cash flows

	2023	2022
Total cash outflows for leases	<u>37,728</u>	<u>37,728</u>

#### Note 15. Employee benefits

	2023 \$	2022 \$
<i>Current liabilities</i>		
Annual leave	7,962	19,645
Long service leave	11,701	11,018
	<u>19,663</u>	<u>30,663</u>
<i>Non-current liabilities</i>		
Long service leave	720	550
	<u>20,383</u>	<u>31,213</u>



## Note 16. Provisions

	2023 \$	2022 \$
<i>Non-current liabilities</i>		
Lease make good	20,101	18,673

## Note 17. Other

	2023 \$	2022 \$
<i>Current liabilities</i>		
Accrued expenses - franchise fees	15,334	-
<i>Non-current liabilities</i>		
Accrued expenses - franchise fees	46,001	-
	61,335	-

## Note 18. Issued capital

	2023 Shares	2022 Shares	2023 \$	2022 \$
Ordinary shares - fully paid	844,400	844,400	844,400	844,400

### Ordinary shares

Ordinary shares entitle the holder to participate in dividends and the proceeds on the winding up of the company in proportion to the number of and amounts paid on the shares held. The fully paid ordinary shares have no par value and the company does not have a limited amount of authorised capital.

On a show of hands every member present at a meeting in person or by proxy shall have one vote and upon a poll each share shall have one vote.

### Share buy-back

There is no current on-market share buy-back.

### Capital risk management

The company's objectives when managing capital is to safeguard its ability to continue as a going concern, so that it can provide returns for shareholders and benefits for other stakeholders and to maintain an optimum capital structure to reduce the cost of capital.

Capital is regarded as total equity, as recognised in the statement of financial position, plus net debt. Net debt is calculated as total borrowings less cash and cash equivalents.

In order to maintain or adjust the capital structure, the company may adjust the amount of dividends paid to shareholders, return capital to shareholders, issue new shares or sell assets to reduce debt.

## Note 18. Issued capital (continued)

The company would look to raise capital when an opportunity to invest in a business or company was seen as value adding relative to the current company's share price at the time of the investment. The company is not actively pursuing additional investments in the short term as it continues to integrate and grow its existing businesses in order to maximise synergies.

The company is subject to certain financing arrangements covenants and meeting these is given priority in all capital risk management decisions. There have been no events of default on the financing arrangements during the financial year.

The capital risk management policy remains unchanged from the 30 June 2022 Annual Report.

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Total borrowings, trade and other payables	288,842	453,327
Less cash on hand	(291,401)	(30,449)
	<u>(2,559)</u>	<u>422,878</u>
Total capital	<u>844,400</u>	<u>844,400</u>
Gearing ratio	-	56.7%

## Note 19. Accumulated losses

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Accumulated losses at the beginning of the financial year	(1,055,031)	(1,077,715)
Profit after income tax benefit for the year	<u>683,710</u>	<u>22,684</u>
Accumulated losses at the end of the financial year	<u><u>(371,321)</u></u>	<u><u>(1,055,031)</u></u>

## Note 20. Dividends

There were no dividends paid, recommended or declared during the current or previous financial year.

## Note 21. Financial instruments

### Financial risk management objectives

The company's activities expose it to a variety of financial risks: market risk (including interest rate risk), credit risk and liquidity risk. The company's overall risk management program focuses on the unpredictability of financial markets and seeks to minimise potential adverse effects on the financial performance of the company. The company uses different methods to measure different types of risk to which it is exposed. These methods include sensitivity analysis in the case of interest rate, and ageing analysis for credit risk.

## Note 21. Financial instruments (continued)

Risk management is carried out by the Board ('the Board') under policies approved. These policies include identification and analysis of the risk exposure of the company and appropriate procedures, controls and risk limits. Finance identifies, evaluates and hedges financial risks within the company's operating units. Finance reports to the Board on a monthly basis.

The totals for each category of financial instruments, measured in accordance with AASB 9: *Financial Instruments* as detailed in the accounting policies to these financial statements, are as follows:

	2023 \$	2022 \$
<b>Financial assets</b>		
- cash and cash equivalents	291,401	30,449
- accounts receivable and other debtors	93,040	41,353
Total financial assets	<u>384,441</u>	<u>71,802</u>
<b>Financial liabilities</b>		
- accounts and other payables	144,783	63,069
- borrowings	-	212,912
- lease liabilities	144,059	177,346
	<u>288,842</u>	<u>453,327</u>

### Market risk

#### Price risk

The company is not exposed to any significant price risk.

#### Interest rate risk

The company's main interest rate risk arises from long-term borrowings. Borrowings obtained at variable rates expose the company to interest rate risk. Borrowings obtained at fixed rates expose the company to fair value interest rate risk.

As at the reporting date, the company had the following variable rate borrowings and interest rate swap contracts outstanding:

	2023		2022	
	Weighted average interest rate %	Balance \$	Weighted average interest rate %	Balance \$
Bank overdraft and bank loans	-	<u>-</u>	2.00%	<u>212,912</u>
Net exposure to cash flow interest rate risk		<u>-</u>		<u>212,912</u>

An analysis by remaining contractual maturities is shown in 'liquidity and interest rate risk management' below.

**Note 21. Financial instruments (continued)**

		Average interest rate increase		Average interest rate decrease	
		Effect on profit before tax	Effect on equity	Effect on profit before tax	Effect on equity
2023	%			%	
Overdraft	1	-	-	1	-
		Average interest rate increase		Average interest rate decrease	
		Effect on profit before tax	Effect on equity	Effect on profit before tax	Effect on equity
2022	%			%	
Overdraft	1	(2,129)	(2,129)	1	2,129

**Credit risk**

Credit risk refers to the risk that a counterparty will default on its contractual obligations resulting in financial loss to the company. The company has a strict code of credit, including obtaining agency credit information, confirming references and setting appropriate credit limits. The company obtains guarantees where appropriate to mitigate credit risk. The maximum exposure to credit risk at the reporting date to recognised financial assets is the carrying amount, net of any provisions for impairment of those assets, as disclosed in the statement of financial position and notes to the financial statements. The company does not hold any collateral.

The company has adopted a lifetime expected loss allowance in estimating expected credit losses to trade receivables through the use of a provisions matrix using fixed rates of credit loss provisioning. These provisions are considered representative across all customers of the company based on recent sales experience, historical collection rates and forward-looking information that is available.

Generally, trade receivables are written off when there is no reasonable expectation of recovery. Indicators of this include the failure of a debtor to engage in a repayment plan, no active enforcement activity and a failure to make contractual payments for a period greater than 1 year.

**Allowance for expected credit losses**

The ageing of the receivables and allowance for expected credit losses provided for above are as follows:

	Expected credit loss rate		Carrying amount		Allowance for expected credit losses	
	2023	2022	2023	2022	2023	2022
	%	%	\$	\$	\$	\$
Not overdue	-	-	91,960	40,273	-	-

**Liquidity risk**

Vigilant liquidity risk management requires the company to maintain sufficient liquid assets (mainly cash and cash equivalents) and available borrowing facilities to be able to pay debts as and when they become due and payable.

The company manages liquidity risk by maintaining adequate cash reserves and available borrowing facilities by continuously monitoring actual and forecast cash flows and matching the maturity profiles of financial assets and liabilities.

## Note 21. Financial instruments (continued)

### Remaining contractual maturities

The following tables detail the company's remaining contractual maturity for its financial instrument liabilities. The tables have been drawn up based on the undiscounted cash flows of financial liabilities based on the earliest date on which the financial liabilities are required to be paid. The tables include both interest and principal cash flows disclosed as remaining contractual maturities and therefore these totals may differ from their carrying amount in the statement of financial position.

	Weighted average interest rate	1 year or less	Between 1 and 2 years	Between 2 and 5 years	Over 5 years	Remaining contractual maturities
2023	%	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Non-derivatives</b>						
<i>Non-interest bearing</i>						
Trade payables	-	98,782	15,335	30,666	-	144,783
<i>Interest-bearing - variable</i>						
Lease liability	7.39%	25,588	30,161	88,310	-	144,059
Total non-derivatives		124,370	45,496	118,976	-	288,842

	Weighted average interest rate	1 year or less	Between 1 and 2 years	Between 2 and 5 years	Over 5 years	Remaining contractual maturities
2022	%	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>Non-derivatives</b>						
<i>Non-interest bearing</i>						
Trade payables	-	63,069	-	-	-	63,069
<i>Interest-bearing - variable</i>						
Lease liability	5.79%	28,200	29,877	119,269	-	177,346
<i>Interest-bearing - fixed rate</i>						
Bank overdraft	2.00%	212,912	-	-	-	212,912
Total non-derivatives		304,181	29,877	119,269	-	453,327

The cash flows in the maturity analysis above are not expected to occur significantly earlier than contractually disclosed above.

### Fair value of financial instruments

Unless otherwise stated, the carrying amounts of financial instruments reflect their fair value.

## Note 22. Key management personnel disclosures

### *Directors*

The following persons were directors of Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Ltd during the financial year:

Antony Morris  
Gary Tearle  
Kelvin Taylor  
Deborah Wooley  
Robert Hay  
Ann Sudmalis

## Note 23. Remuneration of auditors

During the financial year the following fees were paid or payable for services provided by Daley Audit , the auditor of the company:

	2023 \$	2022 \$
<i>Audit services -</i>		
Audit or review of the financial statements	12,070	11,650

## Note 24. Related party transactions

### *Key management personnel*

Disclosures relating to key management personnel are set out in note 22 and the remuneration report included in the directors' report.

### *Shares held by key management personnel*

The number of ordinary shares in the Company during the 2023 reporting period held by each of the Company's Key Management Personnel, including their related parties , is set out below:

	2023 \$	2022 \$
<b>Director shareholdings</b>		
Gary Tearle	1,000	1,000

### *Receivable from and payable to related parties*

There were no trade receivables from or trade payables to related parties at the current and previous reporting date.

### *Loans to/from related parties*

There were no loans to or from related parties at the current and previous reporting date.

### *Terms and conditions*

All transactions were made on normal commercial terms and conditions and at market rates.



## **Note 25. Economic dependency**

The company has entered into a franchise agreement with Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited that governs the management of the Community Bank branch at Nowra.

The branch operates as a franchise of Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited, using the name "Bendigo Bank" the logo and systems of operation of Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited. The Company manages the Community Bank branch on behalf of Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited, however all transactions with customers conducted through the Community Bank branch is effectively conducted between the customers and Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited.

All deposits are made with Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited, and all personal and investment products of Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited, with the Company facilitating the provision of those products. All loans, leases or hire purchase transaction, issues of new credit or debit cards, temporary or bridging finance and any other transaction that involves creating new debt, or increasing or changing the terms of an existing debt owed to Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited, must be approved by Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited. All credit transactions are made with Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited and all credit products are products of Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited.

## **Note 26. Events after the reporting period**

No matter or circumstance has arisen since 30 June 2023 that has significantly affected, or may significantly affect the company's operations, the results of those operations, or the company's state of affairs in future financial years.

## **Note 27. Reconciliation of profit after income tax to net cash from operating activities**

	<b>2023</b>	<b>2022</b>
	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>
Profit after income tax benefit for the year	683,710	22,684
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation and amortisation	56,642	50,587
Change in operating assets and liabilities:		
Increase in trade and other receivables	(51,687)	(12,596)
Increase in deferred tax assets	(130,780)	-
Increase in prepayments	(12,515)	-
Decrease in other operating assets	-	2,530
Increase/(decrease) in trade and other payables	(73,043)	21,569
Decrease in employee benefits	(10,830)	(4,192)
Increase in other provisions	1,428	1,048
Increase in other operating liabilities	61,335	-
Net cash from operating activities	<u>524,260</u>	<u>81,630</u>

**Note 28. Earnings per share**

	<b>2023</b>	<b>2022</b>
	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>
Profit after income tax attributable to the owners of Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Ltd	<u>683,710</u>	<u>22,684</u>
	<b>Number</b>	<b>Number</b>
Weighted average number of ordinary shares used in calculating basic earnings per share	<u>844,400</u>	<u>844,400</u>
Weighted average number of ordinary shares used in calculating diluted earnings per share	<u>844,400</u>	<u>844,400</u>
	<b>Cents</b>	<b>Cents</b>
Basic earnings per share	80.97	2.69
Diluted earnings per share	80.97	2.69

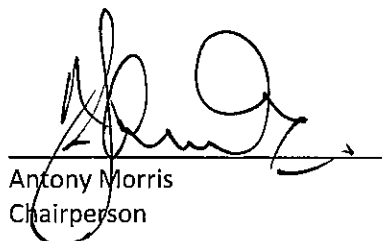
**Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Ltd**  
**Directors' declaration**  
**30 June 2023**

In the directors' opinion:

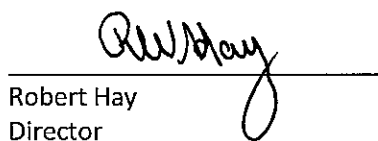
- the attached financial statements and notes comply with the Corporations Act 2001, the Accounting Standards, the Corporations Regulations 2001 and other mandatory professional reporting requirements;
- the attached financial statements and notes comply with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board as described in note 1 to the financial statements;
- the attached financial statements and notes give a true and fair view of the company's financial position as at 30 June 2023 and of its performance for the financial year ended on that date; and
- there are reasonable grounds to believe that the company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of directors.

On behalf of the directors



Antony Morris  
Chairperson



Robert Hay  
Director

28 September 2023





**Independent Audit Report  
to the members of Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Limited**

**Report on the Audit of the Financial Report**

**Opinion**

We have audited the financial report of Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Limited ("the Company") which comprises the statement of financial position as at 30 June 2023, the statement of profit and loss and other comprehensive income, the statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements including a summary of significant accounting policies and the directors' declaration.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial report of the Company is in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001*, including:

- (i) giving a true and fair view of the Company's financial position as at 30 June 2023 and of its financial performance for the year ended; and
- (ii) complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Regulations 2001*.

**Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report* section of our report. We are independent of the Company in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001* and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants* (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

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

**Information Other than the Financial Report and Auditor's Report**

The directors are responsible for the other information. The other information obtained at the date of this auditor's report is included in the Directors' report for the year ended 30 June 2023, but does not include the financial report and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial report does not cover the other information and accordingly we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

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In connection with our audit of the financial report, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial report or our knowledge obtained in the audit or otherwise appears to be materially misstated.

If, based on the work we have performed on the other information obtained prior to the date of this auditor's report, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact. We have nothing to report in this regard.

### **Responsibilities of Directors for the Financial Report**

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Act 2001* and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the directors are responsible for assessing the Company's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the directors either intend to liquidate the Company or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.

### **Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. 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 financial report.

A further description of our responsibilities for the audit of the financial report is located at the Auditing and Assurance Standards Board website at: [https://www.auasb.gov.au/auditors\\_responsibilities/ar4.pdf](https://www.auasb.gov.au/auditors_responsibilities/ar4.pdf). This description forms part of our auditor's report.



## Report on the Remuneration Report

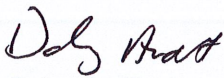
### *Opinion on the Remuneration Report*

We have audited the Remuneration Report included on page 4 of the directors' report for the year ended 30 June 2023.

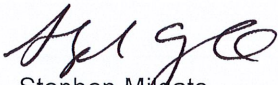
In our opinion, the Remuneration Report of Shoalhaven Community Financial Services Limited, for the year ended 30 June 2023, complies with section 300A of the *Corporations Act 2001*.

### *Responsibilities*

The directors of the Company are responsible for the preparation and presentation of the Remuneration Report in accordance with section 300A of the *Corporations Act 2001*. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the Remuneration Report, based on our audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards.



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Stephen Milgate  
Partner

Wollongong

28 September 2023

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