



Annual Report 2014

Wantirna Community
Financial Services Limited

ABN 43 118 000 230

Wantirna **Community Bank**[®] Branch

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Chairman's report

For year ending 30 June 2014

This report covers the 2013/14 financial year. It is our ninth Annual Report.

The Bendigo Bank **Community Bank**[®] network continues to grow and has now contributed more than \$122 million to local communities.

This year Wantirna **Community Bank**[®] Branch contributed an additional \$43,500 to the local community increasing our overall contribution to over \$130,000.

A couple of examples of some of the great achievements of this year have been:

- Partnering with the Knox SES, Wantirna South Cricket Club and Bayswater Park Cricket Club in a Charity 20/20 cricket match to raise more than \$8,000 for the Leukaemia Foundation.
- Partnered with the Knox School in sponsoring a young member of our community to attend the Magic Moments Youth Leadership Summit, a week-long program designed to inspire and develop the leadership skills of the future leaders of our community.
- Supported the L2P Learner Driver Mentor Program, a community based volunteer program designed to provide driving practice for learner drivers who face significant barriers to gaining their mandatory 120 hours of driving practice.

These are only a few of the projects in which the Wantirna **Community Bank**[®] Branch has been involved. We have supported a number of fundraising events, trivia nights, sponsored sporting clubs and even provided a defibrillator to a local group to ensure the safety of our local community members.

Although we have maintained our community contributions our profitability remains challenging with a financial loss of \$48,120 compared to a loss of \$21,689 last year. This result is despite growth in book size of \$12.7%.

We continue to be effected by reduced margins and increased competition. Andrew and his team are very focussed on building the higher margin, lending side of our book and the Board are working on reducing costs.

As many of you will be aware, Sarah Thurrowgood resigned as Branch Manager end of March. We thank Sarah for her outstanding dedication and commitment to our branch and the Wantirna community. We wish her every success in her new endeavours.

At a Board level John Katselas, John Devine, Mark Yuen and Gerard Meagher resigned during the year. We also thank them for their contribution to our branch and the Wantirna community.

We have a strong, experienced Board with the addition of Jim O'Callaghan, Robin Stenzel and Cassandra Hatton as associate members. Our Board volunteer significant time and effort to the running of the business. I thank all Board members.

We thank Marisa and her team at state support for their exceptional support and assistance this year. Their involvement in the Branch Manager recruitment process has been invaluable to us. They also assisted us in ensuring our branch was adequately staffed while changes occurred.

We are well positioned to continue the growth of our book while we work towards increase community and shareholder returns.

We encourage shareholders to assist us by taking advantages of all our banking services and helping us build the Wantirna **Community Bank**[®] Branch brand in the Wantirna community.



Adam Nichol
Chairman

Manager's report

For year ending 30 June 2014

It has been a very eventful 2014 for the **Community Bank**[®] network. This year the number of **Community Bank**[®] branches increased to 305 and the amount of funds contributed back into the community exceed \$122 million which is an amazing achievement.

The Wantirna **Community Bank**[®] Branch opened its doors on 18 September 2006 and since then has undertaken many community projects and contributed over \$130,000 to the community through these projects.

I joined the Bendigo Bank Group personally at the end of May after 27 years with the big banks. I had always admired the Bendigo Bank and the **Community Bank**[®] structure from afar but never had any real appreciation for the fantastic work done by the **Community Bank**[®] network. It is impossible to fully appreciate the wonderful work done by so many wonderful people until you see it first hand and I thank the Board of the Wantirna Community Financial Services Limited for entrusting me with this great opportunity.

In addition to the change of Branch Manager Sarah Thurrowgood, Customer Relationship Officer Corey Lim and Senior Customer Service Officer Karen Williams decided to take their careers and lives in a different direction and left the branch. I would personally like to thank each of them for their great work and contribution to the community in their time here at Wantirna **Community Bank**[®] Branch.

I would like to personally thank the shareholders of this group and their continued support has made it all possible. Local people in the local community have injected the capital required to make the branch possible and the volunteer Directors continually give their time to support the projects undertaken to make sure that the community benefits as much as is possible.

As at 30 June 2014, the Wantirna **Community Bank**[®] Branch was made up of 2,167 customers (up 2.9% for the year) with total footings of \$69.965 million (up 12.7%).

My main goal for the 2015 year is to ensure the branch commences a strong growth trajectory that will build our revenue and drive profitability. The shareholders of this organisation have been a fantastic support to the local community and I aim to ensure that they are rewarded in the long term for their continued faith.

Our strategy within the branch is to increase customer numbers and increase % of wallet of each customer. To assist with bolstering our growth, I would ask that our shareholders and customers bring all of their banking needs to the Wantirna **Community Bank**[®] Branch. As a part of the Bendigo Bank group, we have at our disposal all banking products for both personal and business banking, insurances and lending. Our pricing is very competitive and the level of service you will get from our team is truly exceptional.

The Bendigo Bank has again recently been named one of Australia's Most Trusted Brands, largely due to our commitment to our communities and customers. This is on the back of three consecutive years as Money Magazine's Business 'Bank of the Year' and some well deserved recognition for the group.

The more people come to bank with us, the more they will find out what they have been missing all these years. Banking with the **Community Bank**[®] network also has the added benefit of contributing to the pool of monies that is given away every year.

I look forward to welcoming all of our existing customers and hopefully lots of new people to our family. Make sure you say 'Hi' when you next visit us, I would love to meet you.



Andrew Wawra
Branch Manager

Directors' report

For the financial year ended 30 June 2014

Your directors submit the financial statements of the company for the financial year ended 30 June 2014.

Directors

The names and details of the company's directors who held office during or since the end of the financial year:

Adam Dean Nichol

Current Chairman & Director

Managing Director

Adam is the CEO of Nichol Industries. Adam is experienced in business growth, acquisitions and business strategy and has a passion for family business. He holds professional memberships of CPA Australia and Australian Institute of Management.

Member of the Audit and Finance subcommittee.

Interest in shares: Nil

Peter Gerard Sheehy

Director & Treasurer

Accountant

Bachelor of Commerce (Melbourne University), Graduate Diploma of Taxation (Monash University), Chartered Accountant. Involved in Knox Junior Basketball for 15 years. Currently employed as a taxation advisor for Coles Supermarkets.

Chair of the Audit and Finance subcommittee.

Interest in shares: Nil

John Katselas

Director (resigned 30 September 2013)

Licensed Estate Agent

Involved in general Property Sales and Property Management with 22 years experience.

Member of the Human Resources sub committee.

Interest in shares: 1,000

Geoffrey William Purves

Director

Retired

Chairman and committee member St Josephs School Board and president and committee member 8th Knox Scout Group. President 57/60th 2nd World War Battalion. Chairman District Personnel Committee Yarra Ranges Scouts and District Executive Yarra Ranges Scouts Group rep Knox District Scouts.

Chair of the Human Resources sub committee.

Interest in shares: 5000 (Joint)

John Francis Devine

Director (resigned 30 September 2013)

CEO Not for Profit

Originally trained as a youth worker John has more than 30 years experience in the community services sector working predominantly with young people and families. John has been CEO at Anchor for five years and has held senior management and CEO positions in four organisations over the last twenty years. John also has qualifications in counselling and management.

Member of the Finance and Audit subcommittee.

Interest in shares: Nil

Directors' report (continued)

Directors (continued)

Gerard Meagher

Director (resigned 30 June 2014)

Logistics Manager

Holds a Bachelor of Engineering (Chemical), Diploma of Logistics, Certificate in Executive Coaching and Master in Business Administration. Gerard has extensive experience in Senior Management and Leadership roles across manufacturing and logistics industries. He has run 3rd party logistic businesses (P&L and Customer Responsibilities) and has undertaken contracting and consulting roles including executive coaching. In the community he has been chairman of St Luke's, Wantirna Primary Schools Advisory Board (3 years) and committee member and coach of local Boronia Domestic Basketball Club (Saints).

Member of the Human Resources sub committee.

Interest in shares: Nil

Matthias Muehlbauer

Director

Accountant

Currently completing a Graduate Diploma in Chartered Accounting. Completed a Masters of Professional Accounting at Monash University. Holds a Bachelor of Arts majoring in Economics and Psychology at the University of Melbourne. Worked abroad at CESVI, an NGO based in Italy, working to raise capital for employment and health programs in developing countries. Currently employed as an auditor at accounting firm PricewaterhouseCoopers.

Member of the Marketing & Sponsorship subcommittee.

Interest in shares: Nil

Mark Yuen

Director (resigned 15 March 2014)

Commerce Undergraduate

Previously a Finance Director for a start-up company and has had regulatory experience in the military. Mark holds a Certificate IV in Financial Services and is undertaking a Diploma in Financial Planning. He is highly keen on entrepreneurship and wealth management.

Member of the Audit and Finance subcommittee.

Interest in shares: Nil

Wes Gleeson

Director

General Manager - Operations & Service Delivery

Wes has over 9 years of senior management experience in the information management industry, including both operational line management and general management. He also brings 22 years of experience in the financial services sector, including senior roles in areas such as risk management and compliance, corporate services, funding and business development, operations management, as well as projects and change management. With his broad experience and qualification in Business & Strategy, Wes demonstrates extensive capabilities in business leadership operational management, service delivery, and client account management. He is an ISO 9002 trained quality auditor and a member of the Records and Information Management Professionals of Australasia. As a Wantirna local, Wes has been active in his community for over 12 years through his work with the Lions Club and Knox Community Forum.

Chair of the Marketing & Sponsorship subcommittee.

Interest in shares: Nil

Directors were in office for this entire year unless otherwise stated.

No directors have material interests in contracts or proposed contracts with the company.

Directors' report (continued)

Company Secretary

The company secretary is Chelsea Fletcher. Chelsea was appointed to the position of Secretary on 25 June 2013. Chelsea has 11 years experience in the printing/manufacturing industry. She was previously employed as a Supervisor and Graphic/Prepress Operator before welcoming her daughter, Amber, into the world in 2009. For the last four years she has volunteered on committees. She was Newsletter and Social Networking Officer on the Knox Toy Library committee and Treasurer and Newsletter Secretary on her daughter's Kinder Committee.

Principal Activities

The principal activities of the company during the course of the financial year were in facilitating **Community Bank**[®] services under management rights to operate a franchised branch of Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited.

There have been no significant changes in the nature of these activities during the year.

Operating Results

Operations have continued to perform in line with expectations. The (loss) of the company for the financial year after provision for income tax was:

Year ended 30 June 2014 \$	Year ended 30 June 2013 \$
(48,120)	(21,689)

Remuneration Report

(a) Remuneration of Directors

No Director receives remuneration for services as a Company Director or Committee Member.

Wantirna Community Financial Services Limited has accepted the **Community Bank**[®] Directors' Privileges package. The package is available to all directors who can elect to avail themselves of the benefits based on their personal banking with the Wantirna **Community Bank**[®] Branch. There is no requirement to own Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited shares and there is no qualification period to qualify to utilise the benefits. The package mirrors the benefits currently available to Bendigo and Adelaide Bank shareholders. The Directors have estimated the total benefits received from the Directors' Privilege Package to be \$200 for the year ended 2014.

For the year ended 30 June 2014, the directors received total benefits of:

	\$
Adam Dean Nichol	-
Mark Yuen	-
John Katselas	-
Geoffrey William Purves	-
John Francis Devine	-
Gerard Meagher	-
Matthias Muehlbauer	-
Peter Gerard Sheehy	-
Wes Gleeson	200
Total	200

Directors' report (continued)

Remuneration Report (continued)

(b) Remuneration of Area and Branch Managers

The board is responsible for the determination of remuneration packages and policies applicable to the branch manager and all the staff. The branch manager is invited to the board meetings as required to discuss performance and remuneration packages.

The board's policy in respect of the branch manager is to maintain remuneration at parity within the **Community Bank**[®] network and local market rates for comparable roles.

There are no executives who are directly accountable and responsible for the strategic direction and operational management of the entity. This is wholly a board role. There are therefore no specified executives.

Significant Changes in the State of Affairs

In the opinion of the directors there were no significant changes in the state of affairs of the company that occurred during the financial year under review not otherwise disclosed in this report or the financial statements.

Events Since the End of the Financial Year

There are no matters or circumstances that have arisen since the end of the financial year that have significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of the company, the results of those operations or the state of affairs of the company, in future years.

Likely Developments

The company will continue its policy of facilitating banking services to the community.

Environmental Regulation

The company is not subject to any significant environmental regulation.

Directors' Benefits

No director has received or become entitled to receive, during or since the financial year, a benefit because of a contract made by the company, controlled entity or related body corporate with a director, a firm which a director is a member or an entity in which a director has a substantial financial interest except as disclosed in note 19 to the financial statements. This statement excludes a benefit included in the aggregate amount of emoluments received or due and receivable by directors shown in the company's accounts, or the fixed salary of a full-time employee of the company, controlled entity or related body corporate.

Indemnification and Insurance of Directors and Officers

The company has indemnified all directors and the manager in respect of liabilities to other persons (other than the company or related body corporate) that may arise from their position as directors or manager of the company except where the liability arises out of conduct involving the lack of good faith.

Disclosure of the nature of the liability and the amount of the premium is prohibited by the confidentiality clause of the contract of insurance. The company has not provided any insurance for an auditor of the company or a related body corporate.

Directors' report (continued)

Directors' Meetings

The number of directors' meetings attended by each of the directors of the company during the year were:

	Board Meetings Attended	
	Eligible	Attended
Adam Dean Nichol	12	11
Geoffrey William Purves	12	5
Matthias Muehlbauer	12	9
Peter Gerard Sheehy	12	12
Wes Gleeson	12	10
John Katselas (resigned 30 September 2013)	3	1
John Francis Devine (resigned 30 September 2013)	3	1
Mark Yuen (resigned 15 March 2014)	8	3
Gerard Meagher (resigned 30 June 2014)	12	11

The number of Committee meetings attended by each of the directors of the company during the year were:

	Committee Meetings Attended					
	Audit & Finance		Marketing		Human Resources	
	Eligible	Attended	Eligible	Attended	Eligible	Attended
Adam Dean Nichol	9	5	3	3	-	-
Geoffrey William Purves	-	-	-	-	10	10
Matthias Muehlbauer	-	-	13	10	-	-
Peter Gerard Sheehy	9	9	-	-	-	-
Wes Gleeson	-	-	13	12	-	-
John Katselas (resigned 30 September 2013)	-	-	-	-	3	0
John Francis Devine (resigned 30 September 2013)	3	3	-	-	-	-
Mark Yuen (resigned 15 March 2014)	6	2	-	-	-	-
Gerard Meagher (resigned 30 June 2014)	-	-	-	-	10	10

Non Audit Services

The company may decide to employ the auditor on assignments additional to their statutory duties where the auditor's expertise and experience with the company are important. Details of the amounts paid or payable to the auditor (Andrew Frewin & Stewart) for audit and non audit services provided during the year are set out in the notes to the accounts.

Directors' report (continued)

Non Audit Services (continued)

The board of directors has considered the position, in accordance with the advice received from the audit and finance committee and is satisfied that the provision of the non-audit services is compatible with the general standard of independence for auditors imposed by the Corporations Act 2001.

The directors are satisfied that the provision of non-audit services by the auditor, as set out in the notes did not compromise the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 for the following reasons:

- all non-audit services have been reviewed by the audit and finance committee to ensure they do not impact on the impartiality and objectivity of the auditor;
- none of the services undermine the general principles relating to auditor independence as set out in APES 110 Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants, including reviewing or auditing the auditor's own work, acting in a management or a decision-making capacity for the company, acting as advocate for the company or jointly sharing economic risk and rewards.

Auditors' Independence Declaration

A copy of the auditors' independence declaration as required under section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001 is set out on page 10.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the board of directors at Wantirna, Victoria on 12th September 2014.



**Adam Dean Nichol,
Chairman**

Auditor's independence declaration



Lead auditor's independence declaration under section 307C of the *Corporations Act 2001* to the directors of Wantirna Community Financial Services Limited

I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, during the year ended 30 June 2014 there have been no contraventions of:

- the auditor independence requirements as set out in the *Corporations Act 2001* in relation to the review
- any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the review.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Graeme Stewart', is written over a faint, light-colored signature line.

Graeme Stewart
Andrew Frewin Stewart
61 Bull Street, Bendigo Vic 3550

Dated: 12 September 2014

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Financial statements

Statement of Comprehensive Income for the year ended 30 June 2014

	Note	2014 \$	2013 \$
Revenues from ordinary activities	4	469,506	503,253
Employee benefits expense		(290,163)	(294,346)
Charitable donations, sponsorship, advertising and promotion		(43,485)	(45,378)
Occupancy and associated costs		(58,983)	(60,159)
Systems costs		(16,569)	(16,808)
Depreciation and amortisation expense	5	(24,988)	(28,137)
Finance costs	5	(2)	(14)
General administration expenses		(83,301)	(80,932)
(Loss) before income tax expense		(47,985)	(22,521)
Income tax (expense)/credit	6	(135)	832
(Loss) after income tax expense/credit		(48,120)	(21,689)
Total comprehensive income for the year		(48,120)	(21,689)
Earnings per share (cents per share)		c	c
- basic for profit for the year	21	(5.22)	(2.35)

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

Financial statements (continued)

Balance Sheet as at 30 June 2014

	Note	2014 \$	2013 \$
ASSETS			
Current Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	7	230,755	271,705
Trade and other receivables	8	43,940	41,159
Total Current Assets		274,695	312,864
Non-Current Assets			
Property, plant and equipment	9	186,842	196,848
Intangible assets	10	53,040	66,904
Deferred tax assets	11	111,427	111,562
Total Non-Current Assets		351,309	375,314
Total Assets		626,004	688,178
LIABILITIES			
Current Liabilities			
Trade and other payables	12	24,856	33,782
Provisions	13	8,510	14,554
Total Current Liabilities		33,366	48,336
Non-Current Liabilities			
Provisions	13	13,528	12,612
Total Non-Current Liabilities		13,528	12,612
Total Liabilities		46,894	60,948
Net Assets		579,110	627,230
Equity			
Issued capital	14	891,225	891,225
Accumulated losses	15	(312,115)	(263,995)
Total Equity		579,110	627,230

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

Financial statements (continued)

Statement of Changes in Equity for the year ended 30 June 2014

	Issued capital \$	Accumulated losses \$	Total equity \$
Balance at 1 July 2012	891,225	(242,306)	648,919
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	(21,689)	(21,689)
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners:			
Shares issued during period	-	-	-
Costs of issuing shares	-	-	-
Dividends provided for or paid	-	-	-
Balance at 30 June 2013	891,225	(263,995)	627,230
Balance at 1 July 2013	891,225	(263,995)	627,230
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	(48,120)	(48,120)
Transactions with owners in their capacity as owners:			
Shares issued during period	-	-	-
Costs of issuing shares	-	-	-
Dividends provided for or paid	-	-	-
Balance at 30 June 2014	891,225	(312,115)	579,110

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

Financial statements (continued)

Statement of Cash Flows for the year ended 30 June 2014

	Note	2014 \$	2013 \$
Cash Flows From Operating Activities			
Receipts from customers		458,552	541,592
Payments to suppliers and employees		(506,282)	(544,111)
Interest received		7,900	9,813
Interest paid		(2)	(14)
Income taxes paid		-	(19,746)
Net cash (used in) operating activities	16	(39,832)	(12,466)
Cash Flows From Investing Activities			
Payments for property, plant and equipment		(1,118)	(7,794)
Payments for intangible assets		-	(36,724)
Net cash used in investing activities		(1,118)	(44,518)
Net increase/(decrease) in cash held		(40,950)	(56,984)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the financial year		271,705	328,689
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the financial year	7(a)	230,755	271,705

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

Notes to the financial statements

For year ended 30 June 2014

Note 1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

a) Basis of Preparation

These general purpose financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations issued by the Australian Accounting Standard Boards and the Corporations Act 2001. The company is a for-profit entity for the purpose of preparing the financial statements.

Compliance with IFRS

These financial statements and notes comply with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB).

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. These areas involving a higher degree of judgement or complexities, or areas where assumptions and estimates are significant to the financial statements are disclosed in note 3.

Historical cost convention

The financial statements have been prepared under the historical cost convention on an accruals basis as modified by the revaluation of financial assets and liabilities at fair value through profit or loss and where stated, current valuations of non-current assets. Cost is based on the fair values of the consideration given in exchange for assets.

Comparative figures

Where required by Australian Accounting Standards comparative figures have been adjusted to conform with changes in presentation for the current financial year.

Adoption of new and amended Accounting Standards

The company adopted the following standards and amendments, mandatory for the first time for the annual reporting period commencing 1 July 2013:

- AASB 2011-4 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards to Remove Individual Key Management Personnel Disclosure Requirements.
- AASB 10 Consolidated Financial Statements, AASB 11 Joint Arrangements, AASB 12 Disclosure of Interests in Other Entities, AASB 128 Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures, AASB 127 Separate Financial Statements and AASB 2011-7 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from the Consolidation and Joint Arrangements Standards.
- AASB 2012-9 Amendment to AASB 1048 arising from the Withdrawal of Australian Interpretation 1039.
- AASB 2012-10 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards – Transition Guidance and other Amendments which provides an exemption from the requirement to disclose the impact of the change in accounting policy on the current period.
- AASB 13 Fair Value Measurement and AASB 2011-8 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB 13.

Notes to the financial statements (continued)

Note 1. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

a) Basis of preparation (continued)

Adoption of new and amended accounting standards (continued)

- AASB 119 Employee Benefits (September 2011) and AASB 2011-10 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB 119 (September 2011).
- AASB 2012-5 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from Annual Improvements 2009-2011 Cycle.
- AASB 2012-2 Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards – Disclosures – Offsetting Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities.

AASB 2011-4 removes the individual key management personnel disclosure requirements in AASB 124 Related Party Disclosures. As a result the company now only discloses the key management personnel compensation in total and for each of the categories required in AASB 124. Detailed key management personnel compensation is outlined in the remuneration report, included as part of the directors report.

The adoption of revised standard AASB 119 has resulted in a change to the accounting for the company's annual leave obligations. As the entity does not expect all annual leave to be taken within 12 months of the respective service being provided, annual leave obligations are now classified as long-term employee benefits in their entirety. This changes the measurement of these obligations, as the entire obligation is now measured on a discounted basis and no longer split into a short-term and a long-term portion. However, the impact of this change is considered immaterial on the financial statements overall as the majority of the annual leave is still expected to be taken within 12 months after the end of the reporting period.

None of the remaining new standards and amendments to standards that are mandatory for the first time for the financial year beginning 1 July 2013 affected any of the amounts recognised in the current period or any prior period and are not likely to affect future periods.

The company has not elected to apply any pronouncements before their mandatory operative date in the annual reporting period beginning 1 July 2013.

Economic dependency - Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited

The company has entered into a franchise agreement with Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited that governs the management of the **Community Bank**[®] branch at Wantirna, Victoria.

The branch operates as a franchise of Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited, using the name "Bendigo Bank" and the logo and system of operations 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 are 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 are products of Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited, with the company facilitating the provision of those products. All loans, leases or hire purchase transactions, issues of new credit or debit cards, temporary or bridging finance and any other transaction that involves creating a 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.

Notes to the financial statements (continued)

Note 1. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

a) Basis of preparation (continued)

Economic dependency - Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited (continued)

Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited provides significant assistance in establishing and maintaining the **Community Bank**[®] branch franchise operations. It also continues to provide ongoing management and operational support, and other assistance and guidance in relation to all aspects of the franchise operation, including advice in relation to:

- advice and assistance in relation to the design, layout and fit out of the **Community Bank**[®] branch;
- training for the branch manager and other employees in banking, management systems and interface protocol;
- methods and procedures for the sale of products and provision of services;
- security and cash logistic controls;
- calculation of company revenue and payment of many operating and administrative expenses;
- the formulation and implementation of advertising and promotional programs; and
- sales techniques and proper customer relations.

The following is a summary of the material accounting policies adopted by the company in the preparation of the financial statements. The accounting policies have been consistently applied, unless otherwise stated.

b) Revenue

Revenue is recognised when the amount of revenue can be reliably measured, it is probable that future economic benefit will flow to the company and any specific criteria have been met. Interest and fee revenue is recognised when earned. The gain or loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment is recognised on a net basis and is classified as income rather than revenue. All revenue is stated net of the amount of Goods and Services Tax (GST).

Revenue calculation

The franchise agreement with Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited provides for three types of revenue earned by the company. First, the company is entitled to 50% of the monthly gross margin earned by Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited on products and services provided through the company that are regarded as “day to day” banking business (ie ‘margin business’). This arrangement also means that if the gross margin reflects a loss (that is, the gross margin is a negative amount), the company effectively incurs, and must bear, 50% of that loss.

The second source of revenue is commission paid by Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited on the other products and services provided through the company (i.e. ‘commission business’). The commission is currently payable on various specified products and services, including insurance, financial planning, common fund, Sandhurst Select, superannuation, commercial loan referrals, products referred by Rural Bank, leasing referrals, fixed loans and certain term deposits (>90 days). The amount of commission payable can be varied in accordance with the Franchise Agreement (which, in some cases, permits commissions to be varied at the discretion of Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited). This discretion has been exercised on several occasions previously. For example in February 2011 and February 2013 Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited reduced commissions on two core banking products to ensure a more even distribution of income between Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited and its **Community Bank**[®] partners. The revenue share model is subject to regular review to ensure that the interests of Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited and **Community Bank**[®] companies remain balanced.

The third source of revenue is a proportion of the fees and charges (ie, what are commonly referred to as ‘bank fees and charges’) charged to customers. This proportion, determined by Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited, may vary between products and services and may be amended by Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited from time to time.

Notes to the financial statements (continued)

Note 1. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

c) Income Tax

Current tax

Current tax is calculated by reference to the amount of income taxes payable or recoverable in respect of the taxable profit or loss for the period. It is calculated using tax rates and tax laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted by reporting date. Current tax for current and prior periods is recognised as a liability (or asset) to the extent that it is unpaid (or refundable).

Deferred tax

Deferred tax is accounted for using the balance sheet liability method on temporary differences arising from differences between the carrying amount of assets and liabilities in the financial statements and the corresponding tax base of those items.

In principle, deferred tax liabilities are recognised for all taxable temporary differences. Deferred tax assets are recognised to the extent that it is probable that sufficient taxable amounts will be available against which deductible temporary differences or unused tax losses and tax offsets can be utilised. However, deferred tax assets and liabilities are not recognised if the temporary differences giving rise to them arise from the initial recognition of assets and liabilities (other than as a result of a business combination) which affects neither taxable income nor accounting profit. Furthermore, a deferred tax liability is not recognised in relation to taxable temporary differences arising from goodwill.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply to the period(s) when the asset and liability giving rise to them are realised or settled, based on tax rates (and tax laws) that have been enacted or substantively enacted by reporting date. The measurement of deferred tax liabilities reflects the tax consequences that would follow from the manner in which the consolidated entity expects, at the reporting date, to recover or settle the carrying amount of its assets and liabilities.

Deferred tax assets and liabilities are offset when there is a legally enforceable right to offset current tax and when the balances relate to taxes levied by the same taxation authority and the company entity intends to settle its tax assets and liabilities on a net basis.

Current and deferred tax for the period

Current and deferred tax is recognised as an expense or income in the statement of comprehensive income, except when it relates to items credited or debited to equity, in which case the deferred tax is also recognised directly in equity, or where it arises from initial accounting for a business combination, in which case it is taken into account in the determination of goodwill or excess.

d) Employee Entitlements

Provision is made for the company's liability for employee benefits arising from services rendered by employees to balance date. Employee benefits that are expected to be settled within one year have been measured at the amounts expected to be paid when the liability is settled, plus related on-costs. Employee benefits payable later than one year have been measured at the present value of the estimated future cash outflows to be made for those benefits.

The company contributes to a defined contribution plan. Contributions to employee superannuation funds are charged against income as incurred.

Notes to the financial statements (continued)

Note 1. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

e) Cash and Cash Equivalents

For the purposes of the statement of cash flows, cash includes cash on hand and in banks and investments in money market instruments, net of outstanding bank overdrafts. Bank overdrafts are shown within borrowings in current liabilities on the balance sheet.

f) Trade Receivables and Payables

Receivables are carried at their amounts due. The collectability of debts is assessed at balance date and specific provision is made for any doubtful accounts. Liabilities for trade creditors and other amounts are carried at cost that is the fair value of the consideration to be paid in the future for goods and services received, whether or not billed to the company.

g) Property, Plant and Equipment

Plant and equipment, leasehold improvements and equipment under finance lease are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and impairment. Cost includes expenditure that is directly attributable to the acquisition of the item. In the event that settlement of all or part of the purchase consideration is deferred, cost is determined by discounting the amounts payable in the future to their present value as at the date of acquisition.

Depreciation is provided on property, plant and equipment, including freehold buildings but excluding land. Depreciation is calculated on a straight line basis so as to write off the net cost of each asset over its expected useful life to its estimated residual value. Leasehold improvements are depreciated at the rate equivalent to the available building allowance, as determined by the Australian Taxation Office, using the straight line method. The estimated useful lives, residual values and depreciation method is reviewed at the end of each annual reporting period.

The following estimated useful lives are used in the calculation of depreciation:

- leasehold improvements	40 years
- plant and equipment	2.5 - 40 years
- furniture and fittings	4 - 40 years

h) Intangibles

The franchise fee paid to Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited has been recorded at cost and is amortised on a straight line basis over the life of the franchise agreement.

i) Payment Terms

Receivables and payables are non interest bearing and generally have payment terms of between 30 and 90 days.

j) Borrowings

All loans are initially measured at the principal amount. Interest is recognised as an expense as it accrues.

k) Financial Instruments

Recognition and initial measurement

Financial instruments, incorporating financial assets and financial liabilities, are recognised when the entity becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Notes to the financial statements (continued)

Note 1. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

k) Financial Instruments (continued)

Recognition and initial measurement (continued)

Financial instruments are initially measured at fair value plus transaction costs. Financial instruments are classified and measured as set out below.

Derecognition

Financial assets are derecognised where the contractual rights to receipt of cash flows expires or the asset is transferred to another party whereby the entity no longer has any significant continuing involvement in the risks and benefits associated with the asset.

Classification and subsequent measurement

(i) Loans and receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market and are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method.

(ii) Held-to-maturity investments

Held-to-maturity investments are non-derivative financial assets that have fixed maturities and fixed or determinable payments, and it is the entity's intention to hold these investments to maturity. They are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method.

(iii) Financial liabilities

Non-derivative financial liabilities (excluding financial guarantees) are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest rate method.

Impairment

At each reporting date, the entity assesses whether there is objective evidence that a financial instrument has been impaired. Impairment losses are recognised in the statement of comprehensive income.

l) Leases

Leases of fixed assets where substantially all the risks and benefits incidental to the ownership of the asset, but not the legal ownership are transferred to the company are classified as finance leases. Finance leases are capitalised by recording an asset and a liability at the lower of the amounts equal to the fair value of the leased property or the present value of the minimum lease payments, including any guaranteed residual values. Lease payments are allocated between the reduction of the lease liability and the lease interest expense for the period.

Leased assets are depreciated on a straight-line basis over the shorter of their estimated useful lives or the lease term. Lease payments for operating leases, where substantially all the risks and benefits remain with the lessor, are charged as expenses in the periods in which they are incurred. Lease incentives under operating leases are recognised as a liability and amortised on a straight-line basis over the life of the lease term.

m) Provisions

Provisions are recognised when the economic entity has a legal, equitable or constructive obligation to make a future sacrifice of economic benefits to other entities as a result of past transactions or other past events, it is probable that a future sacrifice of economic benefits will be required and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation.

Notes to the financial statements (continued)

Note 1. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

m) Provisions (continued)

A provision for dividends is not recognised as a liability unless the dividends are declared, determined or publicly recommended on or before the reporting date.

n) Contributed Equity

Ordinary shares are recognised at the fair value of the consideration received by the company. Any transaction costs arising on the issue of ordinary shares are recognised directly in equity as a reduction of the share proceeds received.

o) Earnings Per Share

Basic earnings per share is calculated by dividing the profit attributable to equity holders of the company, 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 year.

p) Goods and Services Tax

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of Goods and Services Tax (GST), except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the taxation authority. In these circumstances, the GST is recognised as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense.

Receivables and payables are stated with the amount of GST included. The net amount of GST recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is included as part of receivables or payables in the balance sheet. Cash flows are included in the statement of cash flows on a gross basis.

The GST components of cash flows arising from investing and financing activities which are recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority are classified as operating cash flows.

Note 2. Financial Risk Management

The company's activities expose it to a limited variety of financial risks: market risk (including currency risk, fair value interest risk and price risk), credit risk, liquidity risk and cash flow interest rate 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 entity. The entity does not use derivative instruments.

Risk management is carried out directly by the board of directors.

(i) Market risk

The company has no exposure to any transactions denominated in a currency other than Australian dollars.

(ii) Price risk

The company is not exposed to equity securities price risk as it does not hold investments for sale or at fair value. The company is not exposed to commodity price risk.

(iii) Credit risk

The company has no significant concentrations of credit risk. It has policies in place to ensure that customers have an appropriate credit history. The company's franchise agreement limits the company's credit exposure to one financial institution, being Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited.

Notes to the financial statements (continued)

Note 2. Financial Risk Management (continued)

(iv) Liquidity risk

Prudent liquidity management implies maintaining sufficient cash and marketable securities and the availability of funding from credit facilities. The company believes that its sound relationship with Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited mitigates this risk significantly.

(v) Cash flow and fair value interest rate risk

Interest-bearing assets are held with Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited and subject to movements in market interest. Interest-rate risk could also arise from long-term borrowings. Borrowings issued at variable rates expose the company to cash flow interest-rate risk. The company believes that its sound relationship with Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited mitigates this risk significantly.

(vi) Capital management

The board's policy is to maintain a strong capital base so as to sustain future development of the company. The board of directors monitor the return on capital and the level of dividends to shareholders. Capital is represented by total equity as recorded in the balance sheet.

In accordance with the franchise agreement, in any 12 month period, the funds distributed to shareholders shall not exceed the distribution limit.

(i) the distribution limit is the greater of:

- (a) 20% of the profit or funds of the franchisee otherwise available for distribution to shareholders in that 12 month period; and
- (b) subject to the availability of distributable profits, the relevant rate of return multiplied by the average level of share capital of the franchisee over that 12 month period; and

(ii) the relevant rate of return is equal to the weighted average interest rate on 90 day bank bills over that 12 month period plus 5%.

The board is managing the growth of the business in line with this requirement. There are no other externally imposed capital requirements, although the nature of the company is such that amounts will be paid in the form of charitable donations and sponsorship. Charitable donations and sponsorship paid for the year ended 30 June 2014 can be seen in the statement of comprehensive income.

There were no changes in the company's approach to capital management during the year.

Note 3. Critical Accounting Estimates and Judgements

Estimates and judgements are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors, including expectations of future events that may have a financial impact on the entity and that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances.

The company makes estimates and assumptions concerning the future. The resulting accounting estimates will, by definition, seldom equal the related actual results.

Management has identified the following critical accounting policies for which significant judgements, estimates and assumptions are made. Actual results may differ from these estimates under different assumptions and conditions and may materially affect financial results or the financial position reported in future periods.

Further details of the nature of these assumptions and conditions may be found in the relevant notes to the financial statements.

Notes to the financial statements (continued)

Note 3. Critical Accounting Estimates and Judgements (continued)

Taxation

Judgement is required in assessing whether deferred tax assets and certain tax liabilities are recognised on the balance sheet. Deferred tax assets, including those arising from un-recouped tax losses, capital losses and temporary differences, are recognised only where it is considered more likely than not that they will be recovered, which is dependent on the generation of sufficient future taxable profits.

Assumptions about the generation of future taxable profits depend on management's estimates of future cash flows. These depend on estimates of future sales volumes, operating costs, capital expenditure, dividends and other capital management transactions. Judgements are also required about the application of income tax legislation.

These judgements and assumptions are subject to risk and uncertainty, hence there is a possibility that changes in circumstances will alter expectations, which may impact the amount of deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities recognised on the balance sheet and the amount of other tax losses and temporary differences not yet recognised. In such circumstances, some or all of the carrying amount of recognised deferred tax assets and liabilities may require adjustment, resulting in corresponding credit or charge to the statement of comprehensive income.

Estimation of useful lives of assets

The estimation of the useful lives of assets has been based on historical experience and the condition of the asset is assessed at least once per year and considered against the remaining useful life. Adjustments to useful lives are made when considered necessary.

Goodwill

Goodwill represents the excess of the cost of an acquisition over the fair value of the company's share of the net identifiable assets of the acquired branch/agency at the date of acquisition. Goodwill on acquisition is included in intangible assets. Goodwill is not amortised. Instead, goodwill is tested for impairment annually, or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that it might be impaired, and is carried at cost less accumulated impairment losses.

The calculations require the use of assumptions.

Impairment of assets

At each reporting date, the company reviews the carrying amounts of its tangible and intangible assets that have an indefinite useful life to determine whether there is any indication that those assets have suffered an impairment loss. If any such indication exists, the recoverable amount of the asset is estimated in order to determine the extent of the impairment loss (if any). Where the asset does not generate cash flows that are independent from other assets, the consolidated entity estimates the recoverable amount of the cash-generating unit to which the asset belongs.

Recoverable amount is the higher of fair value less costs to sell and value in use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset for which the estimates of future cash flows have not been adjusted.

If the recoverable amount of an asset (or cash-generating unit) is estimated to be less than its carrying amount, the carrying amount of the asset (cash-generating unit) is reduced to its recoverable amount. An impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss immediately, unless the relevant asset is carried at fair value, in which case the impairment loss is treated as a revaluation decrease.

Notes to the financial statements (continued)

Note 3. Critical Accounting Estimates and Judgements (continued)

Impairment of assets (continued)

Where an impairment loss subsequently reverses, the carrying amount of the asset (cash-generating unit) is increased to the revised estimate of its recoverable amount, but only to the extent that the increased carrying amount does not exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined had no impairment loss been recognised for the asset (cash-generating unit) in prior years. A reversal of an impairment loss is recognised in profit or loss immediately, unless the relevant asset is carried at fair value, in which case the reversal of the impairment loss is treated as a revaluation increase.

	2014	2013
	\$	\$

Note 4. Revenue from Ordinary Activities

Operating activities:

- services commissions	412,094	443,973
- market development fund	50,000	50,000
Total revenue from operating activities	462,094	493,973

Non-operating activities:

- interest received	7,412	9,280
Total revenue from non-operating activities	7,412	9,280
Total revenues from ordinary activities	469,506	503,253

Note 5. Expenses

Depreciation of non-current assets:

- plant and equipment	4,691	5,323
- leasehold improvements	6,433	8,949

Amortisation of non-current assets:

- franchise agreement	2,311	2,311
- franchise renewal fee	11,553	11,554
	24,988	28,137

Finance costs:

- interest paid	2	14
Bad debts	414	368

Notes to the financial statements (continued)

	2014 \$	2013 \$
Note 6. Income Tax Credit		
The components of tax credit comprise:		
- Movement in deferred tax	(1,115)	(863)
- Recoup of prior year tax loss	(12,572)	(5,893)
- Franking deficit tax offset reduction	13,822	5,924
	135	(832)

The prima facie tax on (loss) from ordinary activities before income tax is reconciled to the income tax expense/(credit) as follows:

Operating (loss)	(47,985)	(22,521)
Prima facie tax on (loss) from ordinary activities at 30%	(14,396)	(6,756)
Add tax effect of:		
- non-deductible expenses	708	-
- timing difference expenses	1,115	863
	(12,573)	(5,893)
Movement in deferred tax	(1,115)	(863)
Recoupment of prior year losses	-	-
Franking deficit tax offset reduction	13,822	5,924
	135	(832)

Note 7. Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash at bank and on hand	30,541	49,382
Term deposits	200,214	222,323
	230,755	271,705

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

Note 7.(a) Reconciliation of cash

Cash at bank and on hand	30,541	49,382
Term deposits	200,214	222,323
	230,755	271,705

Notes to the financial statements (continued)

	2014 \$	2013 \$
Note 8. Trade and Other Receivables		
Trade receivables	36,642	33,096
Other receivables and accruals	1,678	2,168
Prepayments	5,620	5,895
	43,940	41,159

Note 9. Property, Plant and Equipment

Plant and equipment

At cost	101,625	100,507
Less accumulated depreciation	(54,715)	(50,024)
	46,910	50,483

Leasehold improvements

At cost	208,661	208,661
Less accumulated depreciation	(68,729)	(62,296)
	139,932	146,365

Total written down amount

186,842 **196,848**

Movements in carrying amounts:

Plant and equipment

Carrying amount at beginning	50,483	52,644
Additions	1,118	3,162
Disposals	-	-
Less: depreciation expense	(4,691)	(5,323)
Carrying amount at end	46,910	50,483

Leasehold improvements

Carrying amount at beginning	146,365	150,682
Additions	-	4,632
Disposals	-	-
Less: depreciation expense	(6,433)	(8,949)
Carrying amount at end	139,932	146,365

Total written down amount

186,842 **196,848**

Notes to the financial statements (continued)

	2014 \$	2013 \$
Note 10. Intangible Assets		
Franchise fee		
At cost	21,554	21,554
Less: accumulated amortisation	(16,547)	(14,236)
	5,007	7,318
Renewal processing fee		
At cost	57,768	57,768
Less: accumulated amortisation	(32,735)	(21,182)
	25,033	36,586
Goodwill	23,000	23,000
Total written down amount	53,040	66,904

Note 11. Tax

Deferred tax assets

- accruals	3,232	725
- employee provisions	6,611	8,149
- tax losses carried forward	102,088	89,516
- franking deficit tax	-	13,822
	111,931	112,212

Deferred tax liability

- accruals	504	650
Net deferred tax asset	111,427	111,562
Movement in deferred tax charged to statement of comprehensive income	(1,115)	863

Note 12. Trade and Other Payables

Trade creditors	3,330	10,589
Other creditors and accruals	21,526	23,193
	24,856	33,782

Notes to the financial statements (continued)

	2014 \$	2013 \$
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Note 13. Provisions

Current:

Provision for annual leave	8,510	14,554
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Non-Current:

Provision for long service leave	13,528	12,612
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Note 14. Contributed Equity

921,509 Ordinary shares fully paid (2013: 921,509)	921,509	921,509
Less: equity raising expenses	(30,284)	(30,284)
	891,225	891,225

Rights attached to shares

(a) Voting rights

Subject to some limited exceptions, each member has the right to vote at a general meeting.

On a show of hands or a poll, each member attending the meeting (whether they are attending the meeting in person or by attorney, corporate representative or proxy) has one vote, regardless of the number of shares held. However, where a person attends a meeting in person and is entitled to vote in more than one capacity (for example, the person is a member and has also been appointed as proxy for another member) that person may only exercise one vote on a show of hands. On a poll, that person may exercise one vote as a member and one vote for each other member that person represents as duly appointed attorney, corporate representative or proxy.

The purpose of giving each member only one vote, regardless of the number of shares held, is to reflect the nature of the company as a community based company, by providing that all members of the community who have contributed to the establishment and ongoing operation of the **Community Bank®** have the same ability to influence the operation of the company.

(b) Dividends

Generally, dividends are payable to members in proportion to the amount of the share capital paid up on the shares held by them, subject to any special rights and restrictions for the time being attaching to shares. The franchise agreement with Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited contains a limit on the level of profits or funds that may be distributed to shareholders. There is also a restriction on the payment of dividends to certain shareholders if they have a prohibited shareholding interest (see below).

(c) Transfer

Generally, ordinary shares are freely transferable. However, the directors have a discretion to refuse to register a transfer of shares.

Subject to the foregoing, shareholders may transfer shares by a proper transfer effected in accordance with the company's constitution and the Corporations Act.

Notes to the financial statements (continued)

Note 14. Contributed Equity (continued)

Prohibited shareholding interest

A person must not have a prohibited shareholding interest in the company.

In summary, a person has a prohibited shareholding interest if any of the following applies:

- They control or own 10% or more of the shares in the company (the “10% limit”).
- In the opinion of the board they do not have a close connection to the community or communities in which the company predominantly carries on business (the “close connection test”).
- Where the person is a shareholder, after the transfer of shares in the company to that person the number of shareholders in the company is (or would be) lower than the base number (the “base number test”). The base number is 294. As at the date of this report, the company had 311 shareholders.

As with voting rights, the purpose of this prohibited shareholding provision is to reflect the community-based nature of the company.

Where a person has a prohibited shareholding interest, the voting and dividend rights attaching to the shares in which the person (and his or her associates) have a prohibited shareholding interest, are suspended.

The board has the power to request information from a person who has (or is suspected by the board of having) a legal or beneficial interest in any shares in the company or any voting power in the company, for the purpose of determining whether a person has a prohibited shareholding interest. If the board becomes aware that a member has a prohibited shareholding interest, it must serve a notice requiring the member (or the member's associate) to dispose of the number of shares the board considers necessary to remedy the breach. If a person fails to comply with such a notice within a specified period (that must be between three and six months), the board is authorised to sell the specified shares on behalf of that person. The holder will be entitled to the consideration from the sale of the shares, less any expenses incurred by the board in selling or otherwise dealing with those shares.

In the constitution, members acknowledge and recognise that the exercise of the powers given to the board may cause considerable disadvantage to individual members, but that such a result may be necessary to enforce the prohibition.

	2014	2013
	\$	\$
Note 15. Accumulated Losses		
Balance at the beginning of the financial year	(263,995)	(242,306)
Net (loss) from ordinary activities after income tax	(48,120)	(21,689)
Dividends paid or provided for	-	-
Balance at the end of the financial year	(312,115)	(263,995)

Notes to the financial statements (continued)

	2014 \$	2013 \$
Note 16. Statement of Cashflows		
Reconciliation of (loss) from ordinary activities after tax to net cash (used in) in operating activities		
(Loss) from ordinary activities after income tax	(48,120)	(21,689)
Non cash items:		
- depreciation	11,124	14,272
- amortisation	13,864	13,865
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
- (increase)/decrease in receivables	(2,781)	3,368
- (increase)/decrease in other assets	135	(26,502)
- increase/(decrease) in payables	(8,926)	4,290
- increase/(decrease) in provisions	(5,128)	(70)
Net cashflows provided by/(used in) operating activities	(39,832)	(12,466)

Note 17. Leases

Operating lease commitments

Non-cancellable operating leases contracted for but not capitalised in the financial statements

Payable - minimum lease payments

- not later than 12 months	38,711	37,402
- between 12 months and 5 years	48,388	84,154
- greater than 5 years	-	-
	87,099	121,556

The rental lease agreement on the branch premises is a non-cancellable lease with a five year term, with rent payable monthly in advance. The current lease expires on 18 September 2016, with options for two further terms of five years each available to be exercised. The second term of the lease has been exercised

	2014 \$	2013 \$
Note 18. Auditor's Remuneration		
Amounts received or due and receivable by the auditor of the company for:		
- audit and review services	5,600	4,700
- share registry services	1,500	1,550
- non audit services	1,744	2,342
	8,844	8,592

Notes to the financial statements (continued)

Note 19. Director and Related Party Disclosures

The names of directors who have held office during the financial year are:

Adam Dean Nichol
Geoffrey William Purves
Matthias Muehlbauer
Peter Gerard Sheehy
Wes Gleeson
John Katselas (resigned 30 September 2013)
John Francis Devine (resigned 30 September 2013)
Mark Yuen (resigned 15 March 2014)
Gerard Meagher (resigned 30 June 2014)

No other director or related entity has entered into a material contract with the company. No director's fees have been paid as the positions are held on a voluntary basis.

Directors' Shareholdings

	2014 \$	2013 \$
Adam Dean Nichol	-	-
Geoffrey William Purves	5,000	5,000
Matthias Muehlbauer	-	-
Peter Gerard Sheehy	-	-
Wes Gleeson	-	-
John Katselas (resigned 30 September 2013)	1,000	1,000
John Francis Devine (resigned 30 September 2013)	-	-
Mark Yuen (resigned 15 March 2014)	-	-
Gerard Meagher (resigned 30 June 2014)	-	-

	2014 \$	2013 \$
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Note 20. Dividends Paid or Provided

a. Dividends paid during the year

No dividends have been declared or paid	-	-
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The tax rate at which dividends have been franked is 30% (2013: 30%).

Notes to the financial statements (continued)

	2014 \$	2013 \$
Note 20. Dividends Paid or Provided (continued)		
b. Franking account balance		
Franking credits available for subsequent reporting periods are:		
- franking account balance as at the end of the financial year	-	(19,747)
- franking credits that will arise from payment of income tax payable as at the end of the financial year	-	19,747
- franking debits that will arise from the payment of dividends recognised as a liability at the end of the financial year	-	-
Franking credits available for future financial reporting periods:	-	-
- franking debits that will arise from payment of dividends proposed or declared before the financial report was authorised for use but not recognised as a distribution to equity holders during the period	-	-
Net franking credits available	-	-

Note 21. Key Management Personnel Disclosures

No director of the company receives remuneration for services as a company director or committee member.

There are no executives within the company whose remuneration is required to be disclosed.

Note 22. Earnings Per Share

		2014 \$	2013 \$
(a)	(Loss) attributable to the ordinary equity holders of the company used in calculating earnings per share	(48,120)	(21,689)
		Number	Number
(b)	Weighted average number of ordinary shares used as the denominator in calculating basic earnings per share	921,509	921,509

Note 23. Events Occurring After the Balance Sheet Date

There have been no events after the end of the financial year that would materially affect the financial statements.

Note 24. Contingent Liabilities

There were no contingent liabilities at the date of this report to affect the financial statements.

Notes to the financial statements (continued)

Note 25. Segment Reporting

The economic entity operates in the service sector where it facilitates **Community Bank**[®] services in Victoria pursuant to a franchise agreement with Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Limited.

Note 26. Registered Office/Principal Place of Business

The registered office and principal place of business is:

Registered Office	Principal Place of Business
Shop 5 Wantirna Mall 348 Mountain Highway Wantirna VIC 3152	Shop 5 Wantirna Mall 348 Mountain Highway Wantirna VIC 3152

Note 27. Financial Instruments

Net Fair Values

The net fair values of financial assets and liabilities approximate the carrying values as disclosed in the balance sheet. The company does not have any unrecognised financial instruments at the year end.

Credit Risk

The maximum exposure to credit risk at balance date to recognised financial assets is the carrying amount of those assets as disclosed in the balance sheet and notes to the financial statements.

There are no material credit risk exposures to any single debtor or group of debtors under financial instruments entered into by the economic entity.

Interest Rate Risk

Financial instrument	Floating interest		Fixed interest rate maturing in						Non interest bearing		Weighted average effective interest rate	
			1 year or less		Over 1 to 5 years		Over 5 years					
			2014	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013				
	2014	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013	2014	2013
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	%	%
Financial assets												
Cash and cash equivalents	230,755	271,705	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.95	3.20
Receivables	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36,642	33,097	N/A	N/A
Financial liabilities												
Payables	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3,330	10,589	N/A	N/A

Directors' declaration

In accordance with a resolution of the directors of Wantirna Community Financial Services Limited, we state that:

In the opinion of the directors:

- (a) the financial statements and notes of the company are 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 2014 and of its performance for the financial year ended on that date; and
 - (ii) complying with Accounting Standards, the Corporations Regulations 2001 and other mandatory professional reporting requirements; and
- (b) there are reasonable grounds to believe that the company will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable.
- (c) the audited remuneration disclosures set out in the remuneration report section of the directors' report comply with Accounting Standard AASB124 Related Party Disclosures and the Corporations Regulations 2001.

This declaration is made in accordance with a resolution of the board of directors.



Adam Dean Nichol,
Chairman

Signed on the 12th of September 2014.

Independent audit report



Independent auditor's report to the members of Wantirna Community Financial Services Limited

Report on the financial report

I have audited the accompanying financial report of Wantirna Community Financial Services Limited, which comprises the balance sheet as at 30 June 2014, statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and cash flow statement for the year then ended, a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory notes and the directors' declaration.

Directors' responsibility for the financial report

The directors of the company are responsible for the preparation and presentation of the financial report in accordance with Australian Accounting Standards and the *Corporations Act 2001*. This responsibility includes establishing and maintaining internal controls relevant to the preparation and presentation of the financial report that is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error; selecting and applying appropriate accounting policies; and making fair accounting estimates that are reasonable in the circumstances. In note 1, the directors also state in accordance with the Accounting Standard AASB 101 Presentation of Financial Statements that the financial statements comply with International Financial Reporting Standards.

Auditor's responsibility

My responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on the audit. I conducted the audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. These auditing standards require that I comply with relevant ethical requirements relating to audit engagements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial report is free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial report. The procedures selected depend on my judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial report, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, I consider internal controls relevant to the entity's preparation and presentation of the financial report in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by the directors, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial report.

The audit did not involve an analysis of the prudence of business decisions made by directors or management.

I performed the procedures to assess whether in all material respects the financial report presents fairly, in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* and Australian Accounting Standards, a true and fair view which is consistent with my understanding of the company's financial position and of its performance.

I believe that the audit evidence obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for my audit opinion.

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Independence

In conducting the audit I have complied with the independence requirements of the *Corporations Act 2001*. I have given to the directors of the company a written auditor's independence declaration, a copy of which is included in the directors' report.

Auditor's opinion on the financial report

In my opinion:

1. The financial report of Wantirna Community Financial Services Limited is in accordance with the *Corporations Act 2001* including giving a true and fair view of the company's financial position as at 30 June 2014 and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended and complying with Australian Accounting Standards and the Corporations Regulations 2001.
2. The financial report also complies with International Financial Reporting Standards as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board.

Report on the remuneration report

I have audited the remuneration report included in the directors' report for the year ended 30 June 2014. 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*. My responsibility is to express an opinion on the remuneration report, based on the audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards.

Auditor's opinion on the remuneration report

In my opinion, the remuneration report of Wantirna Community Financial Services Limited for the year ended 30 June 2014, complies with section 300A of the *Corporations Act 2001*.



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Dated: 12 September 2014



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