Willaura/Lake Bolac Financial Services Limited ABN 83 108 159 422

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Willaura/Lake Bolac Community Bank® Branch

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Chairman's report

For year ending 30 June 2011

It is my pleasure and honour to present the seventh Annual Report of the Willaura/Lake Bolac Financial Services Limited, the governing body of Willaura/Lake Bolac **Community Bank**[®] Branch.

In 2011/2012 income exceeded expenditure by \$25,045 and for the fourth year in succession our branches returned a cash surplus.

As noted in the accounts, the profit was achieved despite major outgoings, including the payment of last year's dividend, large community sponsorships and the replacement of the Manager's car.

The Board is confident that a solid level of earnings has been retained for taxation, depreciation and future growth. Our balance sheet shows steady growth, although still well below our original capital base of \$585,000.

The profit level relates to a return of 4 cents per share. The Board is pleased to announce that a 5 cent per share dividend will be paid to the shareholders who have established this very worthwhile community facility.

Last October, we introduced our new Manager, Mr. Simon Robinson. Simon has contributed to the last nine months of this report. His expertise has been reflected in all levels of service in which our Company has been involved. We are very satisfied that the level of business has been raised to \$56 million, a figure largely due to Simon's excellent management.

Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Ltd has now purchased the balance of Rural Bank. Simon has taken the opportunity to become a Rural Manager, and district farmers can now discuss all farm business locally. A quick result assists all parties, and will increase our rural portfolio.

Our Board is very proud to be able to conduct a successful business in our two towns, this result has been achieved with our local staff.

During the year Jodie Bush resigned to return to Queensland, and Simone McDonald has taken maternity leave. From November, Clare Hill has been welcomed back to join Jane Vallance and Jo Byron as our committed Customer Service Officers. We thank them all for the professional and pleasant way they go about their work, and for the variety of extra roles they take on in order to promote our branches and ensure our customers are well looked after.

We also thank the regional staff of Bendigo and Adelaide Bank Ltd for their continued support. In February, our Board met with the Bank's Executives and senior management to discuss an imbalance that has occurred in the way we share revenue as a result of the GFC. All **Community Bank**[®] Companies were established to operate on a 50/50 basis, equal reward and responsibility with the Bank. The agreement has become skewed in the **Community Bank**[®] Company's favour, and in an effort to get back to 50/50 changes have been made to margins on some products which will cost our Company \$18,000 net profit in a full year. This is a challenge, but our **Community Bank**[®] Company is working with the Bank to build a balanced banking book which delivers positive outcomes for all key stakeholders.

During the last financial year the Board, on your behalf, has provided a total of \$16,870 to the following local community organisations:

East Grampians Health Service Wickliffe/Lake Bolac 12+under Netball Team Lake Bolac Angling Club Lake Bolac Cemetery Trust Wickliffe/Lake Bolac FN Club Lake Bolac & Dist Bowling Club Wickliffe Rec Reserve Lake Bolac Eel Festival Willaura Development Group Inc. Lake Bolac Golf Club Willaura & Dist Kindergarten Lake Bolac Netball Association Willaura Golf Club Mininera & District Football League Willaura Hospital Auxiliary Mininera & District Tennis Association Willaura Primary School SMW Rovers Football-Netball Club Willaura Tennis Club Wickliffe Action Group Willaura War Memorial Hall

By using these contributions to access grants from local, state and federal governments, and other benevolent funding bodies, they will all be able to provide greater service and better facilities to our communities. In many cases our injection of cash is all that is needed to ensure an existing program continues or much needed items are purchased.

Last October, the Board conducted an Expo related to environmental savings available for our homes and businesses. The guest speaker was Genevieve Barlow; "Miranda" of "Weekly Times" fame. The day was well supported and attendees learnt a good deal about energy saving. In addition, funds were distributed to local community organisations as chosen by purchasers on the day and donated by businesses selling products there.

The Board also has two other elements that supply both community service and profit to our business. The coolroom has been used by many during the year, and the automatic teller machine has also proved a new and most beneficial service in Lake Bolac.

I thank all Board members for their input and support in 2010/11. Paul Brumby has resigned during the year, due to an employment change. Paul has made a huge contribution to our Company, and everyone appreciates his valuable assistance and wishes him well in the future.

Paul's departure prompted the Board to seek additional members, and we are very happy to welcome David Hucker from Wickliffe, and Colleen White from Ararat to serve with us. Both bring a wealth of experience in finance and community involvement and we look forward to their contribution.

Chairman's report continued

Scott Price has relinquished the Treasurer's role which he has held since the Company was formed, but he remains on the Board. Thank you for your extraordinary contribution Scott, which began when the Steering Committee was first established in 2003. We also thank Geoff Pritchard for his dedication in his role as Board Secretary.

The **Community Bank**[®] model suits this district well, especially now that Rural Bank has been added. Once again I urge all shareholders, businesses and residents to consider our branches when banking options arise. This will achieve maximum support for the future of all in the district.

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Colin McKenzie Chairman

Manager's report

For year ending 30 June 2011

As outlined in Colin's Chairman's report our **Community Bank**[®] branch is going from strength to strength. In this regard thank you to our existing customers who continue to support your banking service.

This year for the first time we asked for applications for community investment and it was pleasing to see the response. From this request we were able to put back \$10,000 from this solely and a further \$6,000 through both sponsorship and donations throughout the year.

Moving forward we can now cater for all agribusiness and business lending needs locally. This takes away the need for the request to be sent outside the district and gives customers the benefit of discussing their requirement locally with myself.

To this extent I ask you to consider our **Community Bank**[®] branch for any finance requirements as can be seen from above, your support enables us to put profits back into our communities.

On a personal note I would like to thank Clare, Jane, Jo and Simone for their support and assistance in my first 12 months and further to that Colin and the Board for their support in enabling the business to grow.

We again look forward to the ongoing support of our local communities and continue growing relationships with all our existing and potential customers to ensure our communities prosper and become more sustainable.

Local banking, local people, local benefits.

Simon Robinson Branch Manager

Directors' report

For the financial year ended 30 June 2011

Your directors submit the financial statements of the company for the financial year ended 30 June 2011.

Directors

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

Colin Robert McKenzie	Geoff Raymond Pritchard
Director	Director
Age: 69	Age 64
Occupation: Farmer	Occupation: Farmer
Experience and expertise: Business operator,	Experience and expertise: Semi retired farm
councillor for Ararat Rural City Council, involved in	business operator. Involvement in numerous local
various sporting and cultural organisations.	organisations including: Lake Bolac Bush Nursing
Special responsibilities: Chairman	centre, Scot UC, Lake Bolac Parish. VFF and the
Interests in shares: 15,001 Ordinary Shares	CFA.
	Special responsibilities: Company Secretary

Special responsibilities: Company Secretary Interests in shares: 6,000 Ordinary Shares

Robert Angus Fraser

Scott Hedley Price

Director Age: 40 Occupation: Farmer Experience and expertise: Holds Ass Dip of Resource Management, current member of the CFA (Captain), current Treasurer of Moyson Willaura Football Club and President of Willaura Recreation Reserve. Special responsibilities: Nil

Interests in shares: 3,101 Ordinary Shares

Lynette Joy Webster

Director Age: 50 Occupation: Manager Experience and expertise: Dip of Business (Accounting) and Marketing Manager (Telecommunications). Special responsibilities: Development Committee Interests in shares: Nil Director Age: 65 Occupation: Farmer Experience and expertise: Business operator, past President of Carranballac Progress Association, Shire of Ripon, Lake Bolac Young Farmers Club, Mid Mt Emu Creek Landcare Group and CFA member. Special responsibilities: Nil Interests in shares: 15,001 Ordinary Shares

Colleen Anne Peacock Director Age: 59 Occupation: Hairdresser/Business operator Experience and expertise: Business operator Special responsibilities: Marketing and Development Committee Interests in shares: 2,001 Ordinary Shares

Heather Mary Fleming

Director Age: 53 Occupation: Farmer Experience and expertise: Retired secondary school teacher with numerous involvements with local community groups, current Board member of East Grampians Health Services. Special responsibilities: Marketing Committee Interests in shares: 1,001 Ordinary Shares

Rowland Woolcock Paterson Director Age: 56 Occupation: Primary Producer Experience and expertise: Involvement in local organisations and current Chairman of Ace Radio Broadcaster. Holds diploma of Farm Business Management and is a member of the Mininera CFA. Special responsibilities: Nil Interests in shares: 5,000 Ordinary Shares

Paul David Brumby

Director (Resigned 21 April 2011) Age: 47 Occupation: General Manager Corporate Services Experience and expertise: Holds a Bachelor of Business and is currently employed as a financial manager. Special responsibilities: Nil Interests in shares: 5,351 Ordinary Shares

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

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

Company Secretary

The company secretary is Geoff Pritchard. Geoff was appointed to the position of company secretary on the 18 June 2009.

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 has 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 profit of the company for the financial year after provision for income tax was:

Year ended 30 June 2011 \$	Year ended 30 June 2010 \$
23,536	43,738

	Year Ended	30 June 2011
Dividends	Cents	\$
Dividends paid in the year:	5.00	29,146

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.

Matters Subsequent to 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.

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 Meetings

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

Board Meetings Attended	
Eligible	Attended
11	11
11	7
11	8
11	7
11	10
11	10
11	9
11	8
9	7
	Eligible 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11

The Board has 2 sub-committees, Business Development and Marketing. Both sub-committees have elected Directors who meet on a regular, or as needs, basis and present reports/recommendations to the monthly Board meetings where required.

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.

The board of directors has considered the position, in accordance with the advice received from the audit 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 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.

Directors' report continued

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 Willaura, Victoria on 16 September 2011.

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Colin Robert McKenzie, Chairman

Auditor's independence declaration



Lead Auditor's Independence Declaration under section 307C of the Corporations Act 2001 to the directors of Willaura/Lake Bolac Financial Services Limited

I declare, that to the best of my knowledge and belief, in relation to the audit for the financial year ended 30 June 2011 there have been:

- no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001 in relation to the review; and
- > no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

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16 September 2011

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Financial statements

Statement of Comprehensive Income for the Year Ended 30 June 2011

	Note	2011 \$	2010 \$
Revenues from ordinary activities	4	404,033	385,888
Employee benefits expense		(175,393)	(167,659)
Charitable donations, sponsorship, advertising and promo	tion	(20,172)	(5,869)
Occupancy and associated costs		(21,781)	(23,121)
Systems costs		(36,046)	(38,002)
Depreciation and amortisation expense	5	(30,692)	(28,350)
Finance costs	5	-	(1,001)
General administration expenses		(80,561)	(55,714)
Profit before income tax expense		39,388	66,172
Income tax expense	6	(15,852)	(22,434)
Profit after income tax expense		23,536	43,738
Total comprehensive income for the year		23,536	43,738
Earnings per share (cents per share)		c	С
- basic for profit for the year	23	4.04	7.50

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

Balance Sheet as at 30 June 2011

	Note	2011 \$	2010 \$
ASSETS			
Current Assets			
Cash and cash equivalents	7	201,346	207,819
Trade and other receivables	8	36,178	34,577
Total Current Assets		237,524	242,396
Non-Current Assets			
Property, plant and equipment	9	117,343	123,744
Intangible assets	10	45,798	59,251
Deferred tax assets	11	44,708	60,560
Total Non-Current Assets		207,849	243,555
Total Assets		445,373	485,951
LIABILITIES			
Current Liabilities			
Trade and other payables	12	48,487	32,957
Borrowings	13	-	6,727
Provisions	14	9,129	13,053
Total Current Liabilities		57,616	52,737
Non-Current Liabilities			
Trade and other payables	12	15,505	46,514
Borrowings	13	-	2,724
Provisions	14	4,276	10,390
Total Non-Current Liabilities		19,781	59,628
Total Liabilities		77,397	112,365
Net Assets		367,976	373,586
Equity			
Issued capital	15	565,866	565,866
Accumulated losses	16	(197,890)	(192,280)
Total Equity		367,976	373,586

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

Statement of Changes in Equity for the Year Ended 30 June 2011

	Issued Capital \$	Retained Earnings S	Total Equity S
Balance at 1 July 2009	565,866	(236,018)	329,848
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	43,738	43,738
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 2010	565,866	(192,280)	373,586
Balance at 1 July 2010	565,866	(192,280)	373,586
Total comprehensive income for the year	-	23,536	23,536
Transactions with owners in their capacity			
as owners:			
Shares issued during period	-	-	-
Costs of issuing shares	-	-	-
Dividends provided for or paid		(29,146)	(29,146)
Balance at 30 June 2011	565,866	(197,890)	367,976

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

Statement of Cashflows for the Year Ended 30 June 2011

	Note	2011 \$	2010 \$
Cash Flows From Operating Activities			
Receipts from customers		398,284	388,156
Payments to suppliers and employees		(351,626)	(293,398)
Interest received		6,058	5,990
Interest paid		-	(1,001)
Net cash provided by operating activities	17	52,716	99,747
Cash Flows From Investing Activities			
Payments for property, plant and equipment		(20,592)	(1,272)
Payments for intangible assets		-	(13,454)
Net cash used in investing activities		(20,592)	(14,726)
Cash Flows From Financing Activities			
Repayment of borrowings		(9,451)	(5,726)
Dividends paid		(29,146)	-
Net cash used in financing activities		(38,597)	(5,726)
Net increase/(decrease) in cash held		(6,473)	79,295
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the			
financial year		207,819	128,524
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the	- / \		
financial year	7(a)	201,346	207,819

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

Notes to the financial statements

For year ended 30 June 2011

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, other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standard Boards and the Corporations Act 2001.

Compliance with IFRS

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

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.

Financial statement presentation

The company has applied revised AASB 101 Presentation of Financial Statements which became effective on 1 January 2009. The company has elected to present all items of income and expense recognised in the period in a single statement of comprehensive income.

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 revised Accounting Standards

During the current year the entity has adopted all of the new and revised Australian Accounting Standards and Interpretations applicable to its operations which became mandatory.

The adoption of these standards has impacted the recognition, measurement and disclosure of certain transactions. The following is an explanation of the impact the adoption of these standards and interpretations has had on the financial statements of the company.

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a) Basis of Preparation (continued)

Adoption of new and revised Accounting Standards (continued)

AASB 101 Presentation of Financial Statements

In September 2007 the Australian Accounting Standards Board revised AASB 101, and as a result there have been changes to the presentation and disclosure of certain information within the financial statements. Below is an overview of the key changes and the impact on the company's financial statements.

• Disclosure impact

Terminology changes – The revised version of AASB 101 contains a number of terminology changes, including the amendment of the names of the primary financial statements.

Reporting changes in equity – The revised AASB 101 requires all changes in equity arising from transactions with owners in their capacity as owners to be presented separately from non-owner changes in equity. Owner changes in equity are to be presented in the statement of changes in equity, with non-owner changes in equity presented in the statement of comprehensive income. The previous version of AASB 101 required that owner changes in equity and other comprehensive income be presented in the statement of changes in equity.

Statement of comprehensive income – The revised AASB 101 requires all income and expenses to be presented in either one statement, the statement of comprehensive income, or two statements, a separate income statement and a statement of comprehensive income. The previous version of AASB 101 required only the presentation of a single income statement.

The company's financial statements contain a single statement of comprehensive income.

Other comprehensive income – The revised version of AASB 101 introduces the concept of "other comprehensive income" which comprises of income and expense that are not recognised in profit or loss as required by other Australian Accounting Standards. Items of other comprehensive income are to be disclosed in the statement of comprehensive income. Entities are required to disclose the income tax relating to each component of other comprehensive income. The previous version of AASB 101 did not contain an equivalent concept.

New Accounting Standards for application in future periods

The AASB has issued new and amended accounting standards and interpretations that have mandatory application dates for future reporting periods, as follows:

- AASB 9: Financial Instruments and AASB 2009-11: Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards arising from AASB 9 [AASB 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 101, 102, 108, 112, 118, 121, 127, 128, 131, 132, 136, 139, 1023 & 1038 and Interpretations 10 & 12] (applicable for annual reporting periods commencing on or after 1 January 2013)
- AASB 2009-12: Amendments to Australian Accounting Standards [AASBs 5, 8, 108, 110, 112, 119, 133, 137, 139, 1023 & 1031 and Interpretations 2, 4, 16, 1039 & 1052] (applicable for annual reporting periods commencing on or after 1 January 2011)

These standards are applicable retrospectively and amend the classification and measurement of financial assets. The company has determined these amendments will have no impact on the preparation of the financial statements and therefore they have not been applied.

a) Basis of Preparation (continued)

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 Willaura and Lake Bolac districts in 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**[®] branches 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.

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

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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).

b) Revenue (continued)

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 (ie '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 be exercised on several occasions previously. For example in February 2011 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.

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.

c) Income Tax (continued)

Deferred tax (continued)

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.

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.

g) Property, Plant and Equipment (continued)

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 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.

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.

k) Financial Instruments (continued)

Classification and subsequent measurement (continued)

(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.

I) 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 of 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.

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

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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.

(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.

Note 2. Financial Risk Management (continued)

(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 2011 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.

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.

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Note 3. Critical Accounting Estimates and Judgements (continued)

Impairment of assets (continued)

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.

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.

2011	2010	
\$	\$	

Note 4. Revenue from Ordinary Activities

Operating activities:

Total revenues from ordinary activities	404,033	385,888
Total revenue from non-operating activities	6,058	5,990
- interest received	6,058	5,990
Non-operating activities:		
Total revenue from operating activities	397,975	379,898
- other revenue	2,294	8,234
- services commissions	395,681	371,664

Note 5. Expenses

Depreciation of non-current assets:

	30,692	28,350
franchise renewal fee	11,211	6,681
- franchise agreement	2,243	5,336
Amortisation of non-current assets:		
- motor vehicle	3,546	3,041
- leasehold improvements	5,164	4,764
- plant and equipment	8,528	8,528

	Note	2011 \$	2010 \$
Note 5. Expenses (continued)			
Finance costs:			
- interest paid		-	1,001
Bad debts		260	57
Loss on motor vehicle disposal		9,754	-
Note 6. Income Tax Expense			
The components of tax expense comprise:			
- Current tax		-	-
- Future income tax benefit attributed to losses		-	-
- Movement in deferred tax		2,051	(655)
- Recoup of prior year tax loss		13,801	23,089
		15,852	22,434
The prima facie tax on profit from ordinary activities before i	income		
tax is reconciled to the income tax expense as follows:			
Operating profit		39,388	66,172
Prima facie tax on profit from ordinary activities at 30%		11,817	19,851
Add tax effect of:			
- non-deductible expenses		4,036	3,605
- timing difference expenses		(2,051)	655
- other deductible expenses		-	(1,023)
		13,802	23,088
Movement in deferred tax	11	15,852	22,434
Recoupment of prior year tax losses		(13,802)	(23,088)
		15,852	22,434

Note 7. Cash and Cash Equivalents

	201,346	207,819
Term deposits	104,985	121,179
Cash at bank and on hand	96,361	86,640

	2011 \$	2010 \$
Note 7. Cash and Cash Equivalents (continued)		
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	96,361	86,640
Term deposits	104,985	121,179
	201,346	207,819
Note 8. Trade and Other Receivables		
Trade receivables	33,232	28,057
Other receivables and accruals	1,103	3,412
Prepayments	1,843	3,108
Prepayments Note 9. Property, Plant and Equipment	1,843 36,178	3,108 34,577
Note 9. Property, Plant and Equipment Plant and equipment	36,178	34,577
Note 9. Property, Plant and Equipment Plant and equipment At cost	36,178 64,106	34,577 64,106
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Note 9. Property, Plant and Equipment Plant and equipment At cost Less accumulated depreciation Leasehold improvements At cost Less accumulated depreciation Motor Vehicle	36,178 64,106 (53,677) 10,429 113,178 (29,212)	34,577 64,106 (45,149) 18,957 112,774 (24,048)
Note 9. Property, Plant and Equipment Plant and equipment At cost Less accumulated depreciation Leasehold improvements At cost Less accumulated depreciation	36,178 64,106 (53,677) 10,429 113,178 (29,212) 83,966	34,577 64,106 (45,149) 18,957 112,774 (24,048) 88,726
Note 9. Property, Plant and Equipment Plant and equipment At cost Less accumulated depreciation Leasehold improvements At cost Less accumulated depreciation Motor Vehicle At cost	36,178 64,106 (53,677) 10,429 113,178 (29,212) 83,966 24,278	34,577 64,106 (45,149) 18,957 112,774 (24,048) 88,726 24,328

	2011 \$	2010 \$
Note 9. Property, Plant and Equipment (continued)		
Movements in carrying amounts:		
Plant and equipment		
Carrying amount at beginning	18,957	27,485
Additions	-	-
Disposals	-	-
Less: depreciation expense	(8,528)	(8,528)
Carrying amount at end	10,429	18,957
Leasehold improvements		
Carrying amount at beginning	88,726	92,218
Additions	404	1,272
Disposals	-	-
Less: depreciation expense	(5,164)	(4,764)
Carrying amount at end	83,966	88,726
Motor Vehicle		
Carrying amount at beginning	16,061	19,102
Additions	24,278	-
Disposals	(13,845)	-
Less: depreciation expense	(3,546)	(3,041)
Carrying amount at end	22,948	16,061
Total written down amount	117,343	123,744

Note 10. Intangible Assets

Franchise fee

	7,633	9,875	
Less: accumulated amortisation	(63,578)	(61,336)	
At cost	71,211	71,211	

	2011 \$	2010 \$
Note 10. Intangible Assets (continued)		
Renewal processing fee		
At cost	56,057	56,057
Less: accumulated amortisation	(17,892)	(6,681)
	38,165	49,376
Total written down amount	45,798	59,251
Note 11. Tax		
Non-Current:		
Deferred tax assets		
- accruals	-	41
- employee provisions	4,022	7,033
- tax losses carried forward	41,017	54,818
	45,039	61,892
Deferred tax liability		
- accruals	331	1,024
- deductible prepayments	-	308
	331	1,332
Net deferred tax asset	44,708	60,560
Movement in deferred tax charged to statement of comprehensive income	(15,852)	(22,434)
Note 12. Trade and Other Payables		
Trade creditors	45,768	30,757
Other creditors and accruals	2,719	2,200
	48,487	32,957
Non-Current:		
Trade creditors	15,505	46,514
	15,505	46,514

	Note	2011 \$	2010 \$
Note 13. Borrowings			
Current:			
Lease liability	18	-	6,727
		-	6,727
Non-Current:			
Lease liability	18	-	2,724
		-	2,724
Note 14. Provisions Current: Provision for annual leave		9,129	13,053
Non-Current:			
Provision for long service leave		4,276	10,390
Number of employees at year end		3	8
Note 15. Contributed Equity			
582,912 Ordinary shares fully paid (2009: 582,912)		582,912	582,912
Less: equity raising expenses		(17,046)	(17,046)

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.

Note 15. Contributed Equity (continued)

Rights attached to shares (continued)

(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

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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.

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 they control or own 10% or more of the shares in the company (the "10% limit").

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.

	2011 \$	2010 \$
Note 16. Accumulated Losses		
Balance at the beginning of the financial year	(192,280)	(236,018)
Net profit from ordinary activities after income tax	23,536	43,738
Dividends paid or provided for	(29,146)	-
Balance at the end of the financial year	(197,890)	(192,280)

Note 17. Statement of Cashflows

Reconciliation of profit from ordinary activities after tax to net cash

- increase(decrease) in provisions	(10,038)	3,272
- increase(decrease) in payables	(15,479)	5,544
- decrease in other assets	15,852	22,434
- increase in receivables	(1,601)	(3,591)
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
- Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	9,754	-
- amortisation	13,454	12,017
- depreciation	17,238	16,333
Non cash items:		
Profit from ordinary activities after income tax	23,536	43,738

Note 18. Leases

Finance lease commitments

Payable - minimum lease payments		
- not later than 12 months	-	9,682
between 12 months and 5 years	-	-
greater than 5 years	-	-
Minimum lease payments	-	9,682
Less future finance charges	-	(231)
Present value of minimum lease payments	-	9,451

	2011 \$	2010 \$
Note 18. Leases (continued)		
The finance lease of the Ford Focus, which commenced in October 2007 and was fully paid in October 2010. Interest is recognised at an average rate of 7.9487% (2010: 7.9487%). 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	9,343	9,343
- between 12 months and 5 years	22,579	31,874
- greater than 5 years	-	-
	31,922	41,217

The business premises and ATM leases are non-cancellable leases with

five-year terms, with rent payable monthly in advance, the option to renew

the leases for a second five year term was exercised in 2010.

Note 19. Auditors' Remuneration

Amounts received or due and receivable by the auditor of the company for:

	5,283	4,830
- non audit services	1,883	1,430
- audit and review services	3,400	3,400

Note 20. Director and Related Party Disclosures

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

Colin Robert McKenzie Geoff Raymond Pritchard Scott Hedley Price Robert Angus Fraser Lynette Joy Webster Colleen Anne Peacock Heather Mary Fleming Rowland Woolcock Paterson Paul David Brumby (Resigned 21 April 2011)

Note 20. Director and Related Party Disclosures (continued)

No 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	2011	2010
Colin Robert McKenzie	15,001	15,001
Geoff Raymond Pritchard	6,000	3,001
Scott Hedley Price	3,101	3,101
Robert Angus Fraser	15,001	15,001
Lynette Joy Webster	-	-
Colleen Anne Peacock	2,001	3,001
Heather Mary Fleming	1,001	2,001
Rowland Woolcock Paterson	5,000	5,000
Paul David Brumby (Resigned 21 April 2011)	5,351	5,351

2011	2010	
\$	\$	

Note 21. Dividends Paid or Provided

Dividends paid during the year		
Unfranked dividend - 5 cents (2010: Nil cents) per share	29,146	-

Note 22. 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.

	2011 \$	2010 \$
Note 23. Earnings Per Share		
(a) Profit attributable to the ordinary equity holders of the company used in calculating earnings per share	23,536	43,738
	Number	Number
(b) Weighted average number of ordinary shares used as the denominator in calculating basic earnings per share	582,912	582,912

Note 24. 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 25. Contingent Liabilities

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

Note 26. Segment Reporting

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

Note 27. Registered Office/Principal Place of Business

The registered office and principal place of business is:

Registered Office	Principal Place of Business
70 Main Street	70 Main Street
WILLAURA VIC 3379	WILLAURA VIC 3379

Note 28. 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

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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.

Note 28. Financial Instruments (continued)

Interest Rate Risk

				Fixed	l interest r	ate maturin	g in				Weig	
Financial instrument	Floating interest rate		1 year or less		Over 1 to 5 years		Over 5 years	Non interest bearing		average effective interest rate		
	2011 \$	2010 \$	2011 \$	2010 \$	2011 \$	2010 \$	2011 \$	2010 \$	2011 \$	2010 \$	2011 %	2010 %
Financial Assets												
Cash and cash equivalents	96,361	86,640	104,985	121,179	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.10	3.30
Receivables	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	33,232	28,057	N/A	N/A
Financial Liabilities												
Interest bearing liabilities	-	-	-	6,726	-	2,242	-	-	-	-	N/A	7.95
Payables	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	61,273	77,272	N/A	N/A

Directors' declaration

In accordance with a resolution of the directors of Willaura/Lake Bolac 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 2011 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.

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Colin Robert McKenzie, Chairman

Signed on the 16th of September 2011.

Independent audit report



Independent Auditor's Report To The Members Of Willaura/Lake Bolac Financial Services Limited

Report on the Financial Report

We have audited the accompanying financial report of Willaura/Lake Bolac Financial Services Limited, which comprises the balance sheet as at 30 June 2011, 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

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on the financial report based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. These auditing standards require that we 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 our 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, we 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.

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

We 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 our understanding of the company's financial position and of its performance.

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

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Independent audit report continued

Independence

In conducting our audit we have complied with the independence requirements of the Corporations Act 2001. We have given to the directors of the company a written Auditor's Independence Declaration, a copy of which is included in the Directors' Report. In addition to our audit of the financial report and the remuneration disclosures, we were engaged to undertake the services disclosed in the notes to the financial statements. The provision of these services has not impaired our independence.

Auditor's Opinion on the Financial Report

In our opinion:

- 1) The financial report of Willaura/Lake Bolac 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 2011 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

We have audited the Remuneration Report included in the Directors' Report for the year ended 30 June 2011. 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.

Auditor's Opinion

In our opinion, the Remuneration Report of Willaura/Lake Bolac Financial Services Limited for the year ended 30 June 2011, complies with section 300A of the Corporations Act 2001.



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