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The Island Regulatory and Appeals Commission

Oct 11,2007

Please find enclosed a Utility Rate Application package from the Community of Tyne Valley for a Sewer Rate Increase. The Increase is needed to off set the increased cost of operating the System, due to the new Provincial Regulations.

Marie Barlow

Administrator

Community of Tyne Valley

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Re: Utility Rate Application:

A special Meeting was held on October 17, 1979 and it was a unanimous vote to have a two part Sewer system called "The Mini System". The concern of the residents was to clean up the Trout River which passes through the Village. In 1985 the project started and the residents in the core of the Village were hooked up to the 1st. Part of the system. The service provided for the Septic Tank owners is their tanks are pumped out every two years. Due to the lay-out of the Village and the cost entailed a complete Sewer System was not recommended at the time.

The Sewer charges are not added to the Provincial Land Taxes, therefore a Municipal invoice is sent out each year.

In the beginning there were 42.55 units hooked -up and 31.7 units with Septic tanks. In 2007 there are 97.8 Units hooked-up and 55.1 Septic.

Marie Barlow

Administrator

Community of Tyne Valley

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The Island Regulatory and Appeals Commission P.O. Box 577 Charlottetown, PE C1A 7L1

Oct 11th., 2007

Re: Minutes of Utility Board

At a regular meeting of the Community of Tyne Valley on July 17th., 2007 a motion was made by Kevin Kadey and seconded by Donald Milligan that the Council prepare and present an application to the Island Regulatory Appeals Commission for a sewer rate increase.

A another motion by Frank Hansen and seconded by Rodney Darrah was made to retain Arsenault and McSweeney Chartered Accountants to assist in the application.

Marie Barlow

Marie Barlow Administrator

Community of Tyne Valley

COMMUNITY OF TYNE VALLEY STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31 (WITH PROPOSED RATES)

		Actual 2005		Actual 2006	F	orecast <u>2007</u>	F	orecast 2008
Revenue								
Flat rate charges	\$	8,848	\$	8,448	\$	15,042	\$	15,042
Interest	*	260	•	137	*	450	*	450
Recovery of GST		54				-		-
		9,162		8,585		15,492		15,492
Operating Expenditures								
Repairs and maintenance		5,224		15,301		11,600		11,600
Electricity		720		520		700		700
		5,944	_	15,821		12,300		12,300
General Expenditures								
Salary and wages - Administrative employees		460		460		600		600
Office		54		353		400		400
Interest and bank charges		44		52		50		50
Dues		441		441		450		450
Bad debt expense		1977		533		-	_	
		999		1,839		1,500		1,500
Operating income		2,219		(9,075)		1,692		1,692
Non-Operating Expenditures								
Depreciation		1,258		1,409		1,409		1,409
Interest on long-term debt		441		338	_	338		338
		1,699		1,747		1,747		1,747
Excess revenue (expenditure) for the period	\$	520	\$	(10,822)	\$	(55)	\$	(55)

COMMUNITY OF TYNE VALLEY NOTES TO STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31

1 Explanation of revenue and expediture

Item

Flat rate charges Increase based on proposed rate increase

 Sewer
 97.8 units x \$120/unit
 11,736

 Septic
 55.1 units x \$60/unit
 3,306

15,042

Interest Increase due to higher amount of billings

Repairs annd maintenance See Note 4

Electricity Rates to remian constant
Salary and wages Charge for aministrative time

Office Office supplies used

Interest and bank charges Monthly bank charges - not expected to change

Dues IRAC fees - not expected to change

Bad debt expense Based on specific accounts - none expected

Depreciation See Note 3 Interest on long-term debt See Note 2

2 Interest on term debt

7.50% demand loan, Evangeline Credit Union, payments are due when new sewer hookups are collected

<u>Year</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Principal</u>	<u>Interest</u>		
2007	338	0.5	338		
2008	338	(<u>~</u>	338		

3 Depreciation and amortization

Depreciation on the sewer system is calculated using the straight-line method at the annual rate of 1.2%.

	Cost	Rate	<u>Depreciation</u>		
Sewer system and lagoon	251,808	1.20%	3,022		

Government grants related to acquisition of capital assets are amortized to income on the same basis as the related asset is depreciated

Sewer system and lagoon	134,481	1.20%	1,613		

1,409

4 Repairs and maintenance

	<u>2007</u>	2008
Licensed maintenance person	6,000	6,000
Pumping	1,600	1,600
Maintenance - sewer lines	4,000	4,000
	11,600	11,600

Municip	ality of Tyne Valley	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	nd/or Water Capital and Loan Fund s of Sewer System				(1 + 2 -3)		(4 x 5)	Depreciation	Deductions	(6 + 7 - 8) Depreciation	(4 - 9) Undepreciated
Schedul	le of Depreciation	Cost			Cost	Depreciation		Reserve	to	Reserve	Cost
Year En	ded December 31	January 1	Additions	Deductions	December 31	Rate	Depreciation	January 1	Reserve	December 31	December 31
Collectio	on Plant				,	%					
353	Land and Land Rights	\$	\$	\$	s		s	\$	\$	\$	\$
354	Structures and Improvements	156549			156549	1.2%	1879	35612		37491	119058
360	Collection Sewers, Force, Gravity										
	and Special										
389	Other Miscellaneous Equipment	10000			10000	5.0%	0	10000	V.	10000	0
	Other (Specify)										
System	Pumping Plant										
353	Land and Land Rights	2471			2471	0.0%	0			0	2471
354	Structures and Improvements	95259			95259	1.2%	1143	18182		19325	75934
371	Pumping Equipment										
~	Other Miscellaneous Equipment										
	Other (Specify)										
Treatme	ent and Disposal Plant									· ·	
	Treatment and Disposal Equipment										
2	Plant Sewers										
2	Outfall Sewer Lines						1				
1	Other Miscellaneous Equipment										
1 3 303	Other (Specify)										
General											
				T			T -		-		
	Office Furniture and Equipment	-		 							
	Transportation Equipment			+	-						
	Stores Equipment			 	+						
393	Tools, Shop and Garage Equipment										
	Other (Specify)			 			 				
Totals		\$ 264,279	\$	\$ -	\$ 264,279	-	3,022	\$ 63,794	\$ -	\$ 66,816	\$ 197,463
					on - Contributions in						
				(raken from Coll	ımn 6 of Schedule 9	D - Sewel)	1,595	9			
				Net Depreciation		Line 903	\$ 1.427				

COMMUNITY OF TYNE VALLEY CUSTOMERS AND PROPORTIONATE UNITS

Current	# of Customers	Equivalent unit		
Sewer	36	97.8		
Septic	56	55.1		

Forecast number of units for 2007 and 2008 No change from above

COMMUNITY OF TYNE VALLEY PROPOSED RATE STRUCTURE

Sewer

\$120.00 per unit

Septic

\$60.00 per unit

The effective dates of the proposed rates would be July 1, 2007



Monday, September 10, 2007

Approved: PUC Order No. S-850307

Effective: January 1, 1988

SITE MENU

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APPEALS

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RENTAL

Residential Rental Property COMMUNITY OF TYNE VALLEY

SANITARY SEWERAGE UTILITY

TARIFF

THIS TARIFF SPECIFIES THE RATES AND CHARGES
APPLICABLE TO SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE
COMMUNITY OF TYNE VALLEY SANITARY SEWERAGE UTILITY

EFFECTIVE: JANUARY 1, 1988

SCHEDULE OF RATES AND REGULATIONS

SANITARY SEWERAGE SERVICE RATES AND CHARGES

APPLICATION:

The following schedule of rates and charges shall apply to all premises served by the sanitary sewerage utility of the Community of Tyne Valley and to all properties located within the municipality capable of being served by the existing system of the said utility.

http://www.irac.pe.ca/document.asp?file=utilities/tariffs/tyne_valley.html

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RATES:

All charges for sanitary sewerage service on the partial system are based on a single-family dwelling unit charge of \$60.00 per annum.

All charges for sanitary sewerage service on the septic system are based on a single-family dwelling unit charge of \$50.00 per annum.

Relative unit costs for other services are based on the approved schedule of proportionate charges, which is combined with the schedule of rates entitled "Community of Tyne Valley Proportionate Sewerage Charges" appended hereto.

PROPORTIONATE SEWERAGE CHARGE

TYPE OF CUSTOMER	UNIT VALUE	SEWERAGE RATE (PER YEAR)		RATE		UNIT RATE TYPE O		TYPE OF CUSTOMER		RATE TYPE OF CUSTOMER		. RA	RAGE TE YEAR)
			SEPTIC SYSTEM				SEPTIC SYSTEM						
SINGLE-FAMILY DWELLING	1.00	\$60.00	\$50.00	DOCTORS' & DENTISTS' OFFICES AND BEAUTY & BARBER SHOPS With Separate Service	1.00	\$60.00	\$50.00						
INDIVIDUAL APARTMENT	0.80	\$48.00	\$40.00	Combined With Other Service	0.50	\$30.00	\$25.00						
MOBILE HOME	0.70	\$42.00	\$35.00	LAUNDROMAT WITH MACHINES USING OVER 30 GALLONS PER WASH For First Machine	3.00	\$180.00	\$150.00						
SENIOR CITIZENS HOME,	0.60	\$36.00	\$30.00	For Second Machine	2.00	\$120.00	\$100.00						
Per Unit				For Each Additional Machine	1.00	\$60.00	\$50.00						
ROOMING HOUSE, BOARDING HOUSE, CONVENT, INSTITUTIONAL DORMITORY FOR Up to Five	1.00	\$60.00	\$50.00	LAUNDROMAT WITH MACHINES									
Persons For Each Additional				USING 30 OR FEWER GALLONS PER WASH									
Person	0.20	\$12.00	\$10.00	For First Machine	2.00	\$120.00	\$100.00						
				For Second Machine	1.50	\$90.00	\$75.00						
MOTELS AND TOURIST COTTAGES With Housekeeping				For Each Additional Machine	0.75	\$45.00	\$37.50						
Facilities, Each Unit	0.50	\$30.00	\$25.00										
With Bathroom Facilities Only,				SERVICE STATION Without Carwash	1.00	\$60.00	\$50.00						
Each Unit	0.30	\$18.00	\$15.00	With Carwash	2.00	\$120.00	\$100.00						
TOURIST HOME For First Bathroom For Each Additional	1.00	\$60.00	\$50.00	RESTAURANTS AND SNACK BARS For Each Ten Seats, an	1.00	\$60.00	\$50.00						
Bathroom or Washroom	0.30	\$18.00	\$15.00	Additional Amount of	0.25	\$15.00	\$12.50						
HOSPITAL Without Laundry				PREMISES LICENSED BY THE P.E.I.									

Facilities, Per Bed	0.50	\$30.00	\$25.00	LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION:			
With Laundry Facilities, Per Bed	0.75	\$45.00	\$37.50	Restaurant, Lounge, Dining Room or Club SEAT CHARGE: Calculate	1.00	\$60.00	\$50.00
SCHOOLS, Per Classroom	1.00	\$60.00	\$50.00	75% of Fire Marshal's rating OR the actual seat count, then charge, for each five seats, an additional amount of	0.25	\$15.00	\$12.50
STORES, BANKS, CLUBS, CHURCHES, HALLS,				DRIVE-IN RESTAURANT OR THEATRE With Canteen For First Washroom and	1.00	\$60.00	\$50.00
RECREATIONAL FACILITIES AND PLACES OF BUSINESS For First Washroom				Toilet Facility For Each Additional	1.00	\$60.00	\$50.00
Facility	1.00	\$60.00	\$50.00	Washroom and Toilet Facility	0.50	\$30.00	\$25.00
For Each Additional Toilet or Urinal	0.50	\$30.00	\$25.00	Se disease in exercise abendos es 555 SE 655 SSE.			

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
FOR THE YEAR ENDED
DECEMBER 31, 2006

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ARSENAULT & MCSWEENEY CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

15 Water Street Summerside, P.E.I. C1N 1A3 Telephone (902) 436-3547 Fax Number (902) 436-0705

AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members of the Community Council of Tyne Valley

We have audited the revenue and capital fund balance sheets of the General and Sewer Utility Funds of the Community of Tyne Valley as at December 31, 2006 and the statements of revenue, expenditure and surplus for the year then ended. These financial statements are the responsibility of the community's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform an audit to obtain reasonable assurance whether the financial statements are free of material misstatements. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation.

In our opinion, these financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the community as as December 31, 2006 and the results of its operations for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles.

Summerside, P.E.I.

March 3, 2007

CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

asserault & M. Sweeney

COMMUNITY OF TYNE VALLEY GENERAL REVENUE FUND BALANCE SHEET

DECEMBER 31, 2006

	2006		2005	
ASSETS				
Current Cash and term deposits Accounts receivable (Note 2) Prepaid insurance	\$	78,948 12,191 2,224 93,363	\$	63,428 9,682 2,004 75,114
Restricted cash (Note 3)		18,000		(2 %)
Due from Sewer Utility Revenue Fund	2	1,276	-	991
	\$	112,639	\$	76,105
LIABILITIES AND EQUI	ITY			
Current Accounts payable	\$	62,681	\$	2,386
Deferred revenue (Note 3)	·	18,000	-	12,000
	_	80,681	-	14,386
Equity Surplus Balance, beginning of year Excess expenditure village operation		61,719 (14,632)		65,031 (6,243)
Excess revenue (expenditure) liquor store operation	-	(15,129)	-	2,931
Balance, end of year	•	31,958	<u> </u>	61,719
	\$	112,639	Φ	76,105

On behalf of the Council	
	Chairpersor
	Councillor

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements

COMMUNITY OF TYNE VALLEY GENERAL REVENUE FUND STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE - VILLAGE

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

D		2006		2005
Revenue				
Taxation	\$	30,361	\$	28,962
Equalization grants		7,989		7,989
Arena grant		10,000		10,000
Grants in lieu		5,000		5,000
Rental income		10,900		10,720
Interest		178		196
Recovery of GST		2,422	,,,,	1,950
		66,850		64,817
Expenditure				
Administration salaries		1,500		1,500
Advertising, donations and dues		1,864		1,938
Bank charges and interest		61		112
Office and telephone		1,599		1,211
Capital expenditures		15,037		5,087
Electricity and heat		7,001		7,499
Maintenance and renovations		3,174		7,621
Taxes and insurance		3,846		3,652
Britannia Hall (Note 4)		4,867		3,359
Fire dues		6,212		6,212
Professional fees		2,841		2,193
Street lights	-	8,480	10	5,676
		56,482		46,060
Non-operating expenditure				
Community Sports Centre grant		15,000		15,000
Streetscape Improvement Plan (Note 5)	· ·	10,000		10,000
Total expenditure		81,482	1	71,060
Excess expenditure	\$	(14,632)	\$	(6,243)

COMMUNITY OF TYNE VALLEY GENERAL REVENUE FUND STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE - LIQUOR STORE FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

	2006		2005
Revenue			
Rentals	\$ 28,560	\$	28,560
Interest	1,063	-	650
	29,623	_	29,210
Expenditure			
Electricity	345		311
Interest and service charges	31		31
Maintenance	5,575		1,446
Taxes and insurance	2,649		2,449
Professional fees	750		750
Capital expenditures	17,569		12 0
Debt retirement - principal	12,949		15,726
- interest	4,884		5,566
	44,752	_	26,279
Excess revenue (expenditure)	\$ (15,129	\$	2,931

COMMUNITY OF TYNE VALLEY GENERAL CAPITAL FUND BALANCE SHEET

DECEMBER 31, 2006

		2006		2005
AS	SSETS			
Land and building Furniture and equipment Parking area - office Parking area - dam Liquor store - property Land - parkland Sidewalk	\$	104,171 37,470 6,802 15,758 293,840 10,000 8,748	\$	104,171 22,432 6,802 15,758 235,530 10,000 8,748
	\$	476,789	\$	403,441
LIABILITIES	S AND EQUITY			
Current Current portion of long-term debt	\$	12,594	\$	15,445
Long-term debt (Note 6)	_	102,129	_	71,485
Familia		114,723		86,930
Equity Investment in capital assets (Note 7)	·	362,066		316,511
	\$	476,789	\$	403,441

On behalf of the Council	
	Chairperson
	Councillor

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements

COMMUNITY OF TYNE VALLEY GENERAL FUNDS NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2006

1. Significant Accounting Policies

(a) Revenue recognition

Major sources of revenue are recorded on an accrual basis.

(b) Expenditure recognition

Expenditures are recorded on the accrual basis except interest on long-term debt which is recorded as an expenditure when paid.

Principal payments of long-term debt are recorded as an expenditure when paid.

(c) General Capital Fund

Capital assets are recorded at cost. The Community does not record depreciation on its assets.

Capital assets purchased out of current revenue are shown as expenditures in the current year.

(d) Financial instruments

The community's financial instruments consist of cash, accounts receivable, accounts payable and long-term debt. Unless otherwise noted, the fair values of these financial instruments approximate their carrying value.

It is management's opinion that the community is not exposed to significant interest, currency or credit risks arising from these financial instruments.

(e) Use of estimates:

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that effect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements, and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from management's best estimates as additional information becomes available in the future.

COMMUNITY OF TYNE VALLEY GENERAL FUNDS NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

DECEMBER 31, 2006

2. Accounts Receivable

	<u>2006</u>		2005	
Grants in leau	\$ -	\$	5,000	
GST	8,403	3	1,762	
Rent	3,39	2	2,889	
Other	396	<u> </u>	31	
	\$ <u>12,19</u>	<u> \$</u>	9,682	

3. Deferred Revenue

The Community is entitled to receive \$100,000 from the Government of Canada under the New Deal for Cities and Communities program. The Community has received \$18,000 to date. These funds are to be used for environmentally sustainable infrastructure projects. The Community is required to holds the unused portion of the funds in a separate bank account or term deposit and accumulate any interest earned. During 2006 no funds were spent on qualifying projects and no interest has accumulated. The amount recorded in deferred revenue of \$18,000 will be recognized as revenue as qualifying projects are completed.

4. Britannia Hall

	<u>2006</u>	2005		
Insurance	\$ -	\$	1,125	
Property taxes	678		665	
Sewer	50		50	
Utilities and telephone	4,139	-	1,519	
	\$4,867	\$	3,359	

5. Streetscape Improvement Plan

During the past two years the Community has been contributing to the Tyne Valley Streetscape Improvement Plan. The other funding partners included HRSDC, PEI Department of Transportation and Public Works, ACOA and Resources West. The project's expenditures exceeded \$600,000 and included improvements to the streetscape and property of the Community. The Community's commitment to the project was \$10,000 paid in 2005 and \$10,000 paid in 2006.

COMMUNITY OF TYNE VALLEY GENERAL FUNDS NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2006

6. Long-term Debt - General Capital Fund

, ,		2006		2005
Evangeline Credit Union mortgage, refinanced in 2006, due in 2011, repayable in monthly installments of \$1,531 including principal and interest at prime plus 0.5%, secured by a collateral charge on the Liquor Store	\$	114,723	\$	82,215
Evangeline Credit Union loan, due in 2006, repaid during the year				4,715
during the year	-		-	4,715
		114,723		86,930
Less: current portion	14-	12,594	-	15,445
	\$	102,129	\$_	71,485

The aggregate amount of principal payments required to meet retirement provisions for the next five years is as follows: 2007 - \$12,594, 2008 - \$12,087, 2009 - \$12,897, 2010 - \$13,760, 2011 - \$63,685.

7. Investment in Capital Assets

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Balance, beginning of year	\$	316,511	\$	295,698
Additions from current revenue Repayment of loans		12,949		15,726
Capital expenditure - Village Capital expenditure - Liquor Store	-	15,037 17,569	_	5,087
Balance, end of year	\$	362,066	\$_	316,511

8. Contingent Liability

The Community is contingently liable for a guarantee of \$150,000 to the Evangeline Credit Union on behalf of the Tyne Valley Community Sports Centre and \$50,000 to the Evangeline Credit Union on behalf of the Tyne Valley Firemen's Club Inc.

COMMUNITY OF TYNE VALLEY SEWER UTILITY REVENUE FUND BALANCE SHEET

DECEMBER 31, 2006

		2006	2005	
ASSETS				
Current Bank Accounts receivable	\$	237 5,900	\$	1,336 11,264
		6,137		12,600
Due from Sewer Utility Capital Fund	-	91,812	-	95,916
	\$	97,949	\$	108,516
LIABILITIES AND E	QUITY			
Current Accounts payable	\$	42	\$	72
Due to General Revenue Fund	_	1,276	_	991
Equity		1,318		1,063
Surplus	<u> </u>	96,631	_	107,453
	\$	97,949	\$	108,516

On behalf of the Council	
	Chairperson
	Councillor

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements

COMMUNITY OF TYNE VALLEY SEWER UTILITY REVENUE FUND STATEMENT OF REVENUE, EXPENDITURE AND SURPLUS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2006

	2006			2005	
Revenue					
Flat rate charges	\$	8,448	\$	8,848	
Interest		137		260	
Recovery of GST			_	54	
	22	8,585		9,162	
Expenditure					
Bad debt		533		o =	
Depreciation		1,409		1,258	
Dues		441		441	
Electricity		520		720	
Office		353		54	
Pumping		1,550		1,550	
Maintenance		13,751		3,674	
Salary		460		460	
Interest & Bank Charges	0	52	1	44	
		19,069		8,201	
Debt charges		155.550		278 27	
Interest on long-term debt	_	338		_441	
	71	19,407	1/2	8,642	
Excess revenue (expenditures)		(10,822)		520	
Surplus, beginning of year	[V	107,453	8	106,933	
Surplus, end of year	\$	96,631	\$	107,453	

COMMUNITY OF TYNE VALLEY SEWER UTILITY CAPITAL FUND BALANCE SHEET

DECEMBER 31, 2006

	<u>2006</u>		2005	
ASSETS				
Bank - reserve	\$	173	\$	2,868
Receivables - hookups		1,560		14,100
Sewer system and equipment (Note 2)		197,463	-	200,485
	\$	199,196	\$	217,453

LIABILITIES AND CONTRIBUTIONS IN AID OF CONSTRUCTION

Current Bank advances (Note 3)	\$	4,402	\$	4,402
Due to Sewer Utility Revenue Fund		91,812		95,916
		96,214		100,318
Contributions in aid of construction	2	102,982	::	117,135
	\$	199,196	\$	217,453

On behalf of the Council	
	Chairpersor
3	Councillor

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COMMUNITY OF TYNE VALLEY SEWER UTILITY FUNDS NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

DECEMBER 31, 2006

1. Significant Accounting Policies

- (a) Revenue recognition

 Major sources of revenue are recorded on the accrual basis.
- (b) Expenditure recognition Expenditures are recorded on an accrual basis except interest on long-term debt which is recorded as an expenditure when paid.
- (c) Sewer Capital Fund Capital assets are recorded at cost.

Depreciation on the sewer system and sewer equipment is calculated using the straight-line method at the annual rates of 1.2% and 5% respectively.

Government grants related to the acquisition of capital assets are recorded as contributions in aid of construction and amortized to income on the same basis as the related asset is depreciated

2. Sewer System and Equipment

		2006			2005			
	Accumulated Cost Depreciation		Net Book <u>Value</u>		Net Book <u>Value</u>			
Land	\$	2,471	\$	38	\$	2,471	\$	2,471
Sewer system and		8				16)		
lagoon		251,808		56,816		194,992		198,014
Sewer equipment	_	10,000	===	10,000	_		-	
	\$_	264,279	\$	66,816	\$	197,463	\$_	200,485
3. Long-term Debt - Se	wer U	tility Fund				2006		2005
						<u>2006</u>		2005
7.25% demand loan, are due when new					\$	4,402	\$_	4,402