

Quarter 3 2019 Report



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Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements

CANLAN ICE SPORTS CORP.

For period ended September 30, 2019

(Unaudited)

Notice of no auditor review of condensed consolidated interim financial statements

The accompanying condensed consolidated interim financial statements of the Company, as at and for the period ended September 30, 2019 have been prepared by and are the responsibility of the Company's management. The Company's independent auditor has not performed a review of these financial statements in accordance with standards established by the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants for a review of interim financial statements by the entity's auditor.

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Condensed Consolidated Statements of Financial Positions
(Expressed in thousands)

	September 30, 2019 (unaudited)	December 31, 2018 (audited)
Assets		
Current assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents (note 4)	\$ 14,681	\$ 19,845
Accounts receivable	2,720	3,361
Loan receivable - current (note 5)	70	-
Inventory	962	1,099
Prepaid and other expenses	2,093	1,101
	<u>20,526</u>	<u>25,406</u>
Non-current assets:		
Property, plant and equipment (note 6 and 7)	105,201	99,582
Assets held-for-sale (note 8)	6,405	596
Interest rate swap	397	1,077
Loan receivable - non-current (note 5)	2,507	-
Deferred tax assets (note 14)	3,562	1,694
Other assets	970	580
	<u>119,042</u>	<u>103,529</u>
	<u>\$ 139,568</u>	<u>\$ 128,935</u>
Liabilities and Shareholders' Equity		
Current liabilities:		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 10,106	\$ 12,567
Deferred revenue and customer deposits	11,715	12,881
Current portion of:		
Lease payable - right-of-use assets (note 7)	1,366	777
Debt (note 9)	3,830	3,195
	<u>27,017</u>	<u>29,420</u>
Non-current liabilities:		
Lease payable - right-of-use assets (note 7)	6,061	937
Debt (note 9)	55,365	47,616
Deferred tax liabilities (note 14)	2,447	1,138
	<u>63,873</u>	<u>49,691</u>
Total liabilities	90,890	79,111
Shareholders' equity:		
Share capital (note 10)	63,109	63,109
Contributed surplus	543	543
Foreign currency translation reserve	2,988	3,775
Deficit	(17,962)	(17,603)
	<u>48,678</u>	<u>49,824</u>
	<u>\$ 139,568</u>	<u>\$ 128,935</u>

Commitments and contingencies (note 13)

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

Approved on behalf of the Board:

/s/ W. Grant Ballantyne

/s/ Joey St-Aubin

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Condensed Consolidated Statements of Earnings and Comprehensive Income (Unaudited)

(Expressed in thousands, except for share and per share amounts)

	Three months ended September 30, 2019		Nine months ended September 30, 2018	
	2019	2018	2019	2018
Revenue:				
Ice rink and recreational facilities (note 18)	\$ 18,600	\$ 18,272	\$ 64,384	\$ 62,839
Expenses (note 20):				
Ice rink and recreational facilities:				
Salaries, wages and benefits	7,856	7,903	24,748	24,452
Selling and customer service	3,118	2,656	9,896	8,507
Utilities	1,709	1,729	5,090	5,223
Cost of goods sold	1,031	1,082	4,047	4,060
Repairs and maintenance	2,104	1,328	4,886	3,641
Property tax	916	846	2,839	2,581
Facility lease (note 3a)	-	290	-	1,048
	16,734	15,834	51,506	49,512
Earnings from ice rink and recreational facilities before the undernoted	1,866	2,438	12,878	13,327
General and administration expenses (notes 12 and 20)	1,183	1,332	4,134	4,190
Earnings before the undernoted	683	1,106	8,744	9,137
Other expenses (income) (note 20):				
Depreciation	1,942	1,703	5,966	5,153
Gain on sale of assets (note 8)	(1,201)	(1)	(1,601)	(5)
Foreign exchange (gain) loss	(12)	18	30	(27)
	729	1,720	4,395	5,121
Finance income (costs):				
Finance income	64	64	230	177
Finance costs	(747)	(590)	(2,173)	(1,721)
Gain (loss) on interest rate swap (note 15a)	26	228	(680)	361
	(657)	(298)	(2,623)	(1,183)
Earnings (loss) before income taxes	(703)	(912)	1,726	2,833
Income tax expense (recovery) (note 14)				
Current	(377)	(214)	268	553
Deferred	(79)	26	(200)	61
	(456)	(188)	68	614
Net earnings (loss)	(247)	(724)	1,658	2,219
Other comprehensive income (loss):				
<i>Items that may be reclassified subsequently to net earnings:</i>				
Foreign currency translation differences	422	(364)	(787)	274
Total comprehensive income (loss)	175	(1,088)	871	2,493
Basic and fully diluted earnings (loss) per share	\$ (0.02)	\$ (0.05)	\$ 0.12	\$ 0.17
Weighted average common shares issued for basic and diluted earnings per share calculations	13,337,448	13,337,448	13,337,448	13,337,448

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

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Condensed Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity
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(Expressed in thousands)

	Share capital	Contributed surplus	Foreign currency translation reserve	Deficit	Total
Balance at December 31, 2017	\$ 63,109	\$ 543	\$ 2,365	\$ (20,819)	\$ 45,198
Net earnings	-	-	-	2,219	2,219
Other comprehensive income	-	-	274	-	274
Dividends to common shareholders	-	-	-	(934)	(934)
Balance at September 30, 2018	\$ 63,109	\$ 543	\$ 2,639	\$ (19,534)	\$ 46,757
Net earnings	-	-	-	2,264	2,264
Other comprehensive income	-	-	1,136	-	1,136
Dividends to common shareholders	-	-	-	(333)	(333)
Balance at December 31, 2018	\$ 63,109	\$ 543	\$ 3,775	\$ (17,603)	\$ 49,824
Balance at January 1, 2019, as previously reported	\$ 63,109	\$ 543	\$ 3,775	\$ (17,603)	\$ 49,824
Impact of change in accounting policy (note 3)				\$ (983)	(983)
Adjusted balance at January 1, 2019	\$ 63,109	\$ 543	\$ 3,775	\$ (18,586)	\$ 48,841
Net earnings	-	-	-	1,658	1,658
Other comprehensive loss	-	-	(787)	-	(787)
Dividends to common shareholders	-	-	-	(1,034)	(1,034)
Balance at September 30, 2019	\$ 63,109	\$ 543	\$ 2,988	\$ (17,962)	\$ 48,678

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Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows
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(Expressed in thousands)
For nine months ended September 30

	2019	2018
Cash provided by (used in):		
Operations:		
Net earnings	\$ 1,658	\$ 2,219
Adjustments for:		
Depreciation	5,966	5,153
Gain on sale of assets	(1,601)	(5)
Net finance costs	2,623	1,183
Deferred income taxes	(200)	61
Foreign exchange (gain) loss	(120)	15
Net change in non-cash working capital (note 19)	(3,755)	(1,170)
Interest paid	(2,111)	(1,799)
Interest received	230	177
	<u>2,690</u>	<u>5,834</u>
Financing:		
Principal repayments of debt	(2,678)	(9,470)
Increase in principal of debt	11,000	7,100
Principal repayments on obligations under lease	(1,234)	(728)
Payment of dividends on common shares	(1,000)	(867)
	<u>6,088</u>	<u>(3,965)</u>
Investments:		
Net proceeds on sale of assets	8,656	5
Increase in loan receivable on sale of assets (note 5)	(2,589)	-
Principal payments received on loan receivable	6	-
Purchase of ice rink property (note 6)	(13,302)	-
Expenditures on ice rink and recreational facilities	(6,089)	(4,460)
Expenditures on other assets	(504)	(173)
	<u>(13,822)</u>	<u>(4,628)</u>
Effect of changes in foreign currency rates on cash and cash equivalents	(120)	91
Decrease in cash and cash equivalents	(5,164)	(2,668)
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year	19,845	18,629
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	<u>\$ 14,681</u>	<u>\$ 15,961</u>

Supplemental cash flow information (note 19)

The accompanying notes form an integral parts of these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

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1. Reporting entity:

Canlan Ice Sports Corp. and its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as the “Company”) focus on the development, lease, acquisition and operation of multi-purpose recreation and entertainment facilities in North America. Canlan Ice Sports Corp. is a company incorporated in Canada, whose shares are publicly traded on the Toronto Stock Exchange. The Company’s head office is located at 6501 Sprott Street, Burnaby, British Columbia, Canada.

2. Basis of preparation:

(a) Statement of compliance:

The condensed consolidated interim financial statements of the Company were prepared using the same accounting policies and methods as those used in the Company’s consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2018, except as described in note 3. These condensed consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Accounting Standard 34 (“IAS 34”), Interim Financial Reporting. Accordingly, certain information and footnote disclosure normally included in annual consolidated financial statements prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (“IFRS”), as issued by the International Accounting Standards Board (“IASB”), have been omitted or condensed.

The consolidated financial statements were authorized for issue by the Board of Directors on November 13, 2019.

(b) Basis of measurement:

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared on the historical cost basis, except for liabilities for cash-settled stock-based payment arrangements and derivative financial instruments which are measured at fair value.

(c) Basis of presentation:

The notes presented in these interim financial statements include only significant changes and transactions that have occurred since the last fiscal year end.

(d) Functional and presentation currency:

The Company’s presentation currency is the Canadian dollar. The functional currency of the Company’s Canadian entities is the Canadian dollar and for the United States (U.S.) subsidiaries is the U.S. dollar. Accordingly, the financial statements of the Company’s U.S. subsidiaries have been translated into Canadian dollars as follows:

- i) Asset and liability amounts are translated at the exchange rate at the end of each reporting period;
- ii) Amounts included in the determination of earnings are translated at the respective monthly average exchange rates; and

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- iii) Any gains or losses from the translation of amounts determined in (i) and (ii) above are recognized in other comprehensive income and accumulated in the foreign currency translation reserve, which is a separate component of shareholders' equity.

Transactions in currencies other than the Company's functional currency, and not related to the Company's U.S. subsidiaries, are translated at the rates of exchange prevailing at the dates of the transactions. At the end of each reporting period, monetary items denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the rates prevailing at that date. Non-monetary items that are measured in terms of historical cost in a foreign currency are translated using the exchange rate at the date of the transaction. Foreign currency differences arising on the retranslation are recognized in net earnings.

(e) Use of estimates and judgments:

The preparation of the condensed consolidated interim financial statements in conformity with IAS 34 requires management to make judgments, estimates, and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income, and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

Estimates and judgments are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognized in the period in which the estimates are revised and in any future periods affected.

Key sources of estimation uncertainty are the areas where assumptions and estimates have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amount of assets and liabilities. These are:

- *Accounts receivable* - in determining the valuation of accounts receivable and the allowance for doubtful accounts, the Company relies on current customer information, payment history, and trends.
- *Accounting for stock-based compensation* - the fair value of the Company's stock appreciation rights ("SARs") is based on certain estimates used in applying the Black-Scholes pricing model. The rights are cash-settled and are classified as a liability and re-measured to fair value at each reporting date by recognizing compensation cost over the life of the SARs based on the vesting terms of each tranche.
- *Revenue recognition* - revenue from recreational facility operations is recognized as the product or service is supplied. Deferred revenue relates to amounts received in advance for the Company's sports leagues, programs, and rentals; revenue is recognized over time as games and lessons are played, and as ice or field times are used. A certain amount of judgment is required in the determination of revenue recognition based on the Company's estimates. Any differences are recognized upon completion of the season.
- *Deferred income tax* - deferred income tax assets and liabilities are calculated by assessing temporary differences resulting from differing treatment of items for tax and accounting purposes and net operating losses carried forward. The valuation of deferred tax assets are measured based on management's estimates of future taxable income and expected timing of reversals of temporary differences.

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Critical judgments that have a higher degree of judgment and the most significant effect on the Company's financial reporting, apart from those involving estimates (discussed above), include:

- *Recoverability of property, plant, and equipment* - the recoverability of the Company's recreational properties is based on future discounted cash flows expected to be generated from such assets. These cash flows are based on management's approved budgets and projections. When appropriate, third-party appraisals will also be used to assess the recoverability of recreational properties.
- *Useful lives of property, plant, and equipment* - property, plant, and equipment are depreciated on a straight-line basis over their estimated useful life. Approximately 75% of the Company's total assets are comprised of recreational properties. The selection method of depreciation and length of the depreciation period could have a material impact on depreciation expense and the net book value of the Company's assets. Assets may become obsolete or require replacement before the end of their estimated useful lives, in which case any remaining unamortized costs would be written off.

3. Significant accounting policies:

- (a) Effective January 1, 2019, the Company has adopted IFRS 16 *Leases*, which was issued in January 2016 and sets out a new model for lease accounting, replacing IAS 17 – *Leases*. Changes to the Company's accounting policies, which are also expected to be reflected in the Company's annual consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ending December 31, 2019, are described below.

The Company adopted IFRS 16 using the modified retrospective approach. Therefore, the comparative information has not been restated and continues to be reported under IAS 17 and IFRIC 4. The Company has identified lease contracts related to property leases, for which recognition will change under IFRS 16. The recognition of leased assets and their related liabilities will increase earnings from ice rinks and recreational facilities before depreciation and amortization, with a corresponding combined increase in depreciation, amortization and financial costs.

Based on management's assessment, as at January 1, 2019, property, plant and equipment increased by approximately \$5,295,000, total liabilities increased by approximately \$6,637,000, net deferred tax assets increased by approximately \$359,000 and deficit increased by \$983,000. If the Company had applied IFRS 16 effective January 1, 2018, property, plant and equipment would have increased by approximately \$6,043,000, total liabilities, by approximately \$7,544,000, net deferred tax assets, by approximately \$401,000 and deficit would have been increased by \$1,100,000.

Lease policy applicable from January 1, 2019:

At inception of a contract, the Company assesses whether a contract is, or contains, a lease. A contract is, or contains, a lease if the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration. To assess whether a contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset, the Company assesses whether:

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- the contract involves the use of an identified asset;
- the Company has the right to obtain substantially all of the economic benefits from use of the asset throughout the period of use; and
- the Company has the right to direct the use of the asset.

At inception or on reassessment of a contract that contains a lease component, the Company allocates the consideration in the contract to each lease component on the basis of their relative stand alone-prices.

The Company recognizes a right-of-use asset and lease liability at the lease commencement date. The right-of-use asset is initially measured at cost, which comprises the initial amount of the lease liability adjusted for any lease payments made at or before the commencement date, plus any initial direct costs incurred and an estimate of costs to dismantle and remove the underlying asset or to restore the underlying asset or the site on which it is located, less any lease incentives received.

The right-of-use asset is subsequently depreciated using the straight-line method from the commencement date to the earlier of the end of the useful life of the right-of-use asset or the end of the lease term. The estimated useful lives of right-of-use asset is periodically reduced by impairment losses.

The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of future lease payments discounted using an implicit interest rate or, if that rate cannot be readily determined, the Company's incremental borrowing rate. Generally, the Company uses its incremental borrowing rate as the discount rate.

The lease liability is measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method. It is remeasured when there is a change in future lease payments arising from a change in an index or rate, if there is a change in the Company's estimate of the amount expected to be payable under a residual value guarantee, or if the Company changes its assessment of whether it will exercise a purchase, extension or termination option.

When the lease liability is remeasured in this way, a corresponding adjustment is made to the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset, or is recorded in profit or loss if the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset has been reduced to zero.

Short-term leases and leases of low-value assets:

The Company has elected not to recognize right-of-use assets and lease liabilities for short-term leases of machinery that have a lease term of 12 months or less and leases of low-value assets, including IT equipment. The Company recognizes the lease payments associated with these leases in net earnings on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

Lease policy applicable before January 1, 2019 is disclosed in note 3 of the Company's consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2018.

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(b) IFRS 3 amendments – *Clarifying What is a Business* was issued in October 2018 and effective as of January 2020. This amendment provides guidance to assist entities to determine whether a transaction should be accounted for as a business combination or an asset acquisition. The amendments include an election to use a concentration test which is a simplified assessment that results in an asset acquisition if substantially all of the fair value of the gross assets is concentrated in a single identifiable asset or a group of similar identifiable assets.

The Company has early-adopted these amendments on January 1, 2019. As a result of this adoption, the Company has elected to use the concentration test to determine the type of acquisition of a property purchased on March 19, 2019 (note 6).

4. Restricted cash

Cash and cash equivalents include \$880,000 (2018 – \$880,000) of restricted cash representing funds held in trust in accordance with the terms of an operating agreement related to a recreation facility operated by the Company on behalf of a third party and a lease agreement with a third party. These funds are maintained as operating and capital expenditure reserves and the balance will change as reserve requirements are adjusted.

5. Loan Receivable

On August 20, 2019, the Company completed the sale of a recreation facility in Fort Wayne, Indiana for proceeds of US\$5,950,000. A combination of cash and a promissory note of US\$1,950,000 were received in consideration of the proceeds of disposition. This financial instrument is amortized over 20 years, matures on August 20, 2024, and bears interest at 5.97% per annum payable monthly. In accordance with IFRS 9 - *Financial Instruments*, it is classified and accounted for at amortized cost and is categorized as Level 2 within the fair value hierarchy (note 15a). At inception, the loan receivable was measured at its fair value of \$2,589,000 (US\$1,950,000) at 5.97%, a rate based on the credit risk of the borrower. At September 30, 2019, the current portion of the loan receivable outstanding was \$70,000, and the non-current portion was \$2,507,000.

This loan receivable is secured by a second mortgage on the property sold.

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6. Property, plant and equipment:

September 30, 2019	Cost	Accumulated amortization	Net book value
Land	\$ 20,490	\$ 1,370	\$ 19,120
Buildings and building improvements	118,674	57,790	60,884
Leasehold improvements	2,486	1,404	1,082
Rink board systems	4,821	2,743	2,078
Refrigeration equipment	20,149	9,052	11,097
Machinery and equipment	16,830	10,247	6,583
Computers, furniture and fixtures	10,275	8,824	1,451
Ice resurfacing equipment	5,869	4,673	1,196
Work in progress	1,710	-	1,710
	\$ 201,304	\$ 96,103	\$ 105,201

December 31, 2018	Cost	Accumulated amortization	Net book value
Land	\$ 16,898	-	\$ 16,898
Buildings and building improvements	119,474	59,619	59,855
Leasehold improvements	2,274	1,263	1,011
Rink board systems	5,424	2,844	2,580
Refrigeration equipment	21,261	9,309	11,952
Machinery and equipment	16,226	11,478	4,748
Computers, furniture and fixtures	11,357	10,125	1,232
Ice resurfacing equipment	5,656	4,780	876
Work in process	430	-	430
	\$ 199,000	\$ 99,418	\$ 99,582

Property, plant and equipment comprise owned and leased assets as follow:

	September 30, 2019
Property, plant and equipment owned	\$ 97,608
Right-of-use property, plant and equipment leased (note 7)	7,593
	\$ 105,201

On March 19, 2019, the Company completed the purchase of an ice rink facility in Chicago, Illinois for US\$10,000,000. The purchase was financed with a combination of cash reserves and a capital expenditure credit facility (note 9). The Company has early-adopted the amendments to IFRS 3 – *Business Combinations* and used the concentration test to account for this transaction. Accordingly, this acquisition does not constitute a business combination and has been accounted for as a purchase of assets since substantially all the fair value of the assets acquired is concentrated in a single identifiable group of assets.

During the period ended September 30, 2019, two of the Company's recreation properties with net book value totaling \$12,757,000 were reclassified from property, plant and equipment and presented as assets held-for-sale in accordance with presentation provisions of IFRS 5 – *Non-current Assets Held for Sale and Discontinued Operations*. One of these recreation properties was sold on August 20, 2019 (note 8).

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For the nine months ended September 30, 2019 and 2018, no impairment losses were recognized in property, plant and equipment.

7. Right-of-use assets:

(a) The Company has the following right-of-use assets:

	Equipment	Land	Building	Total
January 1, 2019	\$ 2,857	\$ 2,688	\$ 2,607	\$ 8,152
Addition	291			291
Depreciation	(288)	(78)	(484)	(850)
September 30, 2019	\$ 2,860	\$ 2,610	\$ 2,123	\$ 7,593

(b) Right-of-use assets are financed with the following leases payable:

	September 30, 2019
Maturity analysis – contractual undiscounted cash flows	
Less than one year	\$ 1,778
One to five years	3,956
More than five years	6,046
Total undiscounted lease liabilities	\$ 11,780
Lease liability included in the statements of financial position	\$ 7,427
Current	\$ 1,366
Non-current	\$ 6,061

(c) The following reconciliation to the opening balance for lease liabilities as at January 1, 2019 is based upon the operating lease commitments as at December 31, 2018:

Operating lease commitments at December 31, 2018	\$ 11,099
Discounted using implicit/incremental borrowing rates	3% - 7%
Finance lease liabilities recognized as at December 31, 2018	\$ 6,657
Previously recognized finance lease	1,714
Lease liabilities as at January 1, 2019	\$ 8,371

During the period ended September 30, 2019, interest expense related to lease liability – right-of-use asset was \$341,000.

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8. Assets held-for-sale:

	Cost	Accumulated amortization	Carrying amount
December 31, 2018	\$ 596	\$ -	\$ 596
Effect of movements in exchange rate	189	100	89
Reclassified from property, plant and equipment - facilities	28,087	15,327	12,760
Disposals	(14,079)	(7,039)	\$ (7,040)
September 30, 2019	\$ 14,793	\$ 8,388	\$ 6,405

The Company's assets held-for-sale consist of land parcels and a recreation property that were held-for-sale as at September 30, 2019 and are expected to be sold within twelve months. During the period ended September 30, 2019, two of the Company's recreation properties were reclassified from property, plant and equipment and presented as assets held-for-sale in accordance with presentation provisions of IFRS 5 – *Non-current Assets Held for Sale and Discontinued Operations*. During the period, two land parcels were sold for total cash consideration of \$697,000. In addition, the Company completed the sale of one recreation property located in Fort Wayne, Indiana, for proceeds of \$7,908,000 (US\$5,950,000) (note 5). Included in other income in the statement of earnings and comprehensive income was a gain on sale of assets of \$1,601,000, of which, \$1,526,000 related to the gain on sale of assets held-for-sale. The Company's assets held-for-sale are measured at the lower of their carrying amount and fair value less costs to sell and are categorized as Level 2 within the fair value hierarchy. No impairment loss was recognized on the initial classifications as held-for-sale.

9. Debt:

	Maturity dates	Interest rates	September 30, 2019	December 31, 2018
Fixed rate	2023	3.52%	\$ 31,795	\$ 33,408
Variable rate	2023	Prime + 0.50%	8,403	8,744
	2023	Prime + 0.50%	2,006	2,080
	2023	BA + 2.10%	10,705	-
	2023	CDOR + 2.10%	6,587	6,942
			59,496	51,174
Deferred financing costs			(301)	(363)
			59,195	50,811
Current portion			3,830	3,195
Non-current portion			\$ 55,365	\$ 47,616

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As at September 30, 2019, debt consists of five credit facilities, four of which have been drawn, as follows:

- \$38,500,000 loan amortized over 15 years, maturing on May 25, 2023, interest at BA rate plus 2.10% per annum payable monthly. The Company entered into an interest rate swap contract (note 15a), maturing on May 25, 2023, to fix the interest rate at 3.52% per annum payable monthly. At September 30, 2019, the balance outstanding was \$31,795,000;
- \$10,000,000 loan amortized over 15 years, maturing on May 25, 2023, interest at Prime rate plus 0.50% per annum payable monthly. At September 30, 2019, the balance outstanding was \$8,403,000;
- \$20,000,000 revolving capital expenditure loan amortized over 15 years, maturing on May 25, 2023. At September 30, 2019, there was a balance outstanding of \$12,711,000. Of this balance, \$2,006,000 accrues interest at Prime rate plus 0.50% per annum, and \$10,705,000 accrues interest at BA rate plus 2.10% per annum. During the nine months ended September 30, 2019, the Company drew \$11,000,000 to finance the acquisition of an ice rink property (note 6);
- \$7,100,000 loan amortized over 15 years, maturing on September 30, 2023, interest at CDOR plus 2.1% per annum payable monthly. At September 30, 2019, the balance outstanding was \$6,587,000; and
- \$745,000 demand revolving operating loan, interest at Prime rate plus 0.50% per annum. No amounts have been drawn on this loan to date.

These credit facilities are secured by first mortgages, demand debentures, general security agreements, general assignments of book debts, assignments of rents and insurance, and specific pledging of title to, and interest in the respective land and buildings.

Amortization of deferred financing costs related to these facilities totaling \$62,000 (2018 - \$80,000) was recorded in finance costs.

10. Share capital:

The common shares of the Company are listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange.

	Number of Shares	Amount
(a) Authorized:		
500,000,000 common shares of no par value		
(b) Issued and outstanding:		
September 30, 2019 and December 31, 2018	13,337,448	\$ 63,109

On August 13, 2019, the Company declared a quarterly dividend of \$0.0275 per share which was paid on October 15, 2019. In addition, the Company paid quarterly dividends of \$0.025 per share on April 16, 2019 and July 16, 2019.

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11. Stock-based compensation:

In 2005, the Company established a Stock Appreciation Rights plan (the SARs Plan) subject to terms and conditions of the Canlan Ice Sports Corp. Director and Employee Stock Appreciation Rights Plan (2016). The SARs Plan provides eligible directors and employees of the Company with the right to receive cash equal to the appreciation of the Company's common shares subsequent to the date of grant upon the exercise of rights.

The table below summarizes the change in the number of SARs:

	Number of SARs	Weighted average exercise price
Number of SARs outstanding, December 31, 2018	566,585	\$3.62
Exercised	(38,667)	3.53
Balance, September 30, 2019	527,918	\$3.63
Exercisable, December 31, 2018	215,585	\$3.42
Exercisable, September 30, 2019	241,168	\$3.58

The following table summarizes information about the stock appreciation rights outstanding at September 30, 2019:

Exercise price	Rights outstanding			Rights exercisable	
	Number outstanding	Weighted average remaining contractual life	Weighted average exercise price	Number exercisable	Weighted average exercise price
\$ 3.34	323,502	2 months	\$ 3.34	153,585	\$ 3.34
\$ 3.85	35,000	7 months	\$ 3.85	23,333	\$ 3.85
\$ 3.74	58,333	9 months	\$ 3.74	35,000	\$ 3.74
\$ 3.96	23,333	14 months	\$ 3.96	-	\$ 3.96
\$ 3.95	35,000	18 months	\$ 3.95	11,667	\$ 3.95
\$ 4.76	52,750	23 months	\$ 4.76	17,583	\$ 4.76

During the nine months ended September 30, 2019, the Company recognized compensation expense of \$150,000 (2018 – \$364,000) in respect of the SARs Plan. This amount was calculated in accordance with the fair value method of accounting. At September 30, 2019, the SARs liability included within accounts payable and accrued liabilities was \$560,000 (December 31, 2018 - \$468,000).

The fair value of SARs was estimated using the Black-Scholes pricing model with the following assumptions:

	September 30, 2019	September 30, 2018
Risk free interest rate	1.46%	2.29%
Expected dividend yield	2.08%	1.96%
Expected lives of rights	2 to 23 months	14 to 35 months
Expected volatility	7% - 20%	12% - 16%

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Risk free interest rate is the Government of Canada long-term bond rate. Expected dividend yield assumes a continuation of the most recent dividend payment for the quarterly dividends. Expected lives of rights is based on historical experience of rights being exercised. Expected volatility is based on the historical share price volatility over the past 2 months to 23 months.

12. General and administration expenses:

General and administration expenses consist of the following:

	Nine months ended September 30,	
	2019	2018
Salaries, wages and benefits	\$ 2,911	\$ 2,962
Office	444	308
Professional and regulatory fees	326	360
Travel	192	98
Stock appreciation rights	150	364
Other	111	98
	<u>\$ 4,134</u>	<u>\$ 4,190</u>

13. Commitments and contingencies:

- (a) Due to the nature of the sports and recreation business, various lawsuits involving the Company are pending. The financial impact of these lawsuits is not determinable, but management believes, based on legal counsels' opinions, that the outcome will not materially affect the Company's financial position.
- (b) At September 30, 2019, the Company has letters of guarantee outstanding with various vendors in the amount of \$1,105,000 (December 31, 2018 - \$1,105,000).

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14. Income taxes:

The tax effects of timing differences that give rise to deferred tax assets and liabilities are presented below.

	September 30, 2019	As reported December 31, 2018	IFRS 16 Adoption (note 3)	January 1, 2019
Deferred income tax assets:				
Unused tax losses	\$ 617	\$ 438	\$ -	\$ 438
Deferred revenue	-	70	-	70
Properties	2,489	656	1,775	2,431
Financing fees	127	225	-	225
Other	329	305	-	305
	3,562	1,694	1,775	3,469
Deferred income tax liability:				
Deferred revenue	\$ (27)	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Properties	(2,224)	(760)	(1,416)	(2,176)
Other	(196)	(378)	-	(378)
	(2,447)	(1,138)	(1,416)	(2,554)
Net deferred income tax assets	\$ 1,115	\$ 556	\$ 359	\$ 915

15. Financial instruments:

(a) Fair value:

The Company has the following financial instruments:

	Accounting classification	Fair value level
Financial assets not measured at fair value:		
Cash and cash equivalents (i)	Amortized cost	2
Accounts and loan receivable (i)	Amortized cost	2
Financial assets measured at fair value:		
Interest rate swap (iii)	Financial assets at FVTPL	2
Financial liabilities not measured at fair value:		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (i)	Amortized cost	2
Debt (ii)	Amortized cost	2

(i) The carrying values of cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, and accounts payable and accrued liabilities are considered by management to approximate their fair values due to their short-term nature.

In August 2019, the Company issued a promissory note as part of the proceeds of disposition of a recreation facility in Fort Wayne, Indiana (notes 5 and 8). The loan is classified as amortized cost presented as current and non-current loan receivable on the statement of financial position. At September 30, 2019, the loan receivable balance outstanding was \$2,577,000 (US\$1,946,000).

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- (ii) Debt is of a long-term nature and may be impacted by changes in market yields, which can result in differences between their carrying values and their fair values. Management estimates that these differences are not material to the financial statements as at September 30, 2019.
 - (iii) In June 2016, the Company entered into an interest rate swap agreement (seven-year term) to fix the interest rate on a portion of its debt (note 9). The fair value of this derivative instrument has been presented as interest rate swap on the statement of financial position. Changes in fair value of the instrument are recognized in net earnings. For the period ended September 30, 2019, a loss of \$680,000 (gain of \$361,000 in 2018) was recognized.
- (b) Financial risk management:
- (i) Interest rate risk:

The terms of the Company's outstanding debt are described in note 9. As certain of the Company's debt instruments bear interest at floating rates and are not economically hedged by interest rate swaps, fluctuations in these rates will impact the cost of financing incurred in future periods. A change in the base market rates upon which these loans accrue interest by 1% will increase or decrease interest expense by approximately \$277,000 (December 31, 2018 - \$178,000) per annum.
 - (ii) Liquidity risk:

Liquidity risk is the risk from the Company's potential inability to meet its financial obligations. The Company constantly monitors its cash flows and operations to ensure current and long-term obligations can be met. The Company's capital resources are comprised of cash and cash equivalents and cash flow from operating activities. Cash and cash equivalents is comprised of cash balances and deposits with financial institutions and other short-term, highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less when acquired, that are readily convertible to cash. Due to the seasonality of the business, the Company finances a portion of its assets through customer deposits received in advance of the services being provided. At September 30, 2019, the Company has a working capital deficiency of \$6,491,000 (December 31, 2018 - \$4,014,000). During the off-peak season, the Company has an available demand revolving operating loan to provide working capital, if necessary (note 9).
 - (iii) Credit risk:

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the Company if a counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations, and arises principally from the Company's accounts and loans receivable. Effective collection management procedures and monitoring of credit risk of amounts receivable are core control procedures of the Company. In addition, a subordinated charge on real property has been obtained as security related to a loan receivable from a third party. Appropriate provisions, if required, are recorded for impaired accounts. Historically, the Company has not experienced significant losses related to trade accounts receivable from individual customers. The Company does not face any material concentrations of credit risk. The Company's credit risk on cash and cash equivalents is limited as it maintains its holdings with large highly rated financial institutions.

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(iv) Currency risk:

The Company is exposed to currency risk on sales, purchases, and amounts receivable that are denominated in a currency other than the respective functional currency of the Company, the Canadian dollar. The currency in which these transactions primarily are denominated is the U.S. dollar. The Company is exposed to the risk of loss depending on the relative movement of this currency against the Canadian dollar. The Company has not entered into forward contracts to mitigate this risk; however, cash generated from U.S. business activities is used to service working capital needs of U.S. operations. As at September 30, 2019, the Company has a loan receivable denominated in U.S. dollars (note 5).

16. Capital risk management:

The Company defines capital that it manages as the sum of cash and cash equivalents, long-term borrowings, and shareholders' equity.

The Company's objectives when managing its capital are:

- (a) To safeguard the Company's ability to continue as a going concern so that it can provide services to its customers and continue to reduce debt;
- (b) To comply with debt covenants;
- (c) To maintain a financial position suitable for supporting the Company's growth strategies and provide an adequate return to shareholders; and
- (d) To return excess cash to shareholders through payment of dividends.

The Company executes a planning and budgeting process to determine the funds required to ensure the Company has appropriate liquidity to meet its operating and growth objectives. The Company ensures that there are sufficient credit facilities to meet its current and future business requirements, taking into account its anticipated cash flows from operations and its holding of cash and cash equivalents. The Company is required to comply with covenant criteria established by its lenders. These include tangible net worth and debt coverage ratio measurements. As at September 30, 2019 and December 31, 2018, the Company was in compliance with these covenants. The Company is not subject to any statutory capital requirements, and has not made any changes with respect to its overall capital management strategy during the nine months ended September 30, 2019.

17. Related party transactions:

- (a) During the nine months ended September 30, 2019, the Company expensed \$169,000 (2018 - \$155,000) in directors' fees.
- (b) The Company's majority shareholder is Bartrac Investments Ltd. ("Bartrac"). One of the Company's Directors is also a Director of Bartrac. During the nine months ended September 30, 2019 and 2018, there were no related party transactions between the Company and Bartrac.

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- (c) The Company's key management personnel include the Directors of the Company and executive officers. Key management personnel compensation comprised the following:

	Nine months ended September 30,	
	2019	2018
Short-term employee benefits	\$ 1,422	\$ 1,293
Stock appreciation rights	150	364
Post employment benefits	50	49
	<u>\$ 1,622</u>	<u>\$ 1,706</u>

- (d) Directors and executive officers participate in the Company's stock appreciation rights program (note 11). During the nine months ended September 30, 2019, the Company paid \$58,000 (2018 - \$67,000) related to stock appreciation rights exercised.

18. Segmented information:

The Company's operations consist of full service ice rink and recreational facilities which constitute a single operating segment.

- (a) Ice rink and recreational facilities revenue:

	Nine months ended September 30,	
	2019	2018
Ice and field sales	\$ 51,062	\$ 49,479
Food and beverage	9,315	9,429
Sports store	1,106	1,266
Sponsorship	1,083	972
Space rental	1,170	1,046
Management and consulting fees	199	198
Other	449	449
	<u>\$ 64,384</u>	<u>\$ 62,839</u>

There is no single customer who accounts for 10% or more of the Company's revenue.

- (b) Geographic

	Nine months ended September 30, 2019			2018		
	Canada	USA	Total	Canada	USA	Total
Revenue	\$ 55,485	\$ 8,899	\$ 64,384	\$ 55,575	\$ 7,264	\$ 62,839

	September 30, 2019			December 31, 2018		
	Canada	USA	Total	Canada	USA	Total
Non-current assets	\$ 90,572	\$ 28,470	\$ 119,042	\$ 82,842	\$ 20,687	\$ 103,529
Total assets	\$ 101,188	\$ 38,380	\$ 139,568	\$ 104,262	\$ 24,673	\$ 128,935

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19. Supplemental cash flow information:

	Nine months ended September 30,	
	2019	2018
(a) Net changes in non-cash working capital:		
Accounts receivable	\$ 641	\$ 249
Inventory	137	4
Prepaid and other expenses	(992)	(756)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(2,495)	745
Deferred revenue and customer deposits	(1,166)	(1,321)
Effect of change in foreign currency	120	(91)
	<u>\$ (3,755)</u>	<u>\$ (1,170)</u>

(b) Non-cash transactions:		
Finance lease obligations	\$ 291	\$ 324

(c) Changes in liabilities arising from financing activities:

	December 31, 2018	Cash flow changes	Non-cash changes	September 30, 2019
Debt	\$ 50,811	\$ 8,322	\$ 62	\$ 59,195
Lease payable - right-of-use assets (note 7c)	8,371	(944)	-	7,427
Dividends payable	333	34	-	367
	<u>\$ 59,515</u>	<u>\$ 7,412</u>	<u>\$ 62</u>	<u>\$ 66,989</u>

20. Expenses by function:

The Company's consolidated statement of earnings and comprehensive income presents expenses on a mixed basis. IFRS requires a Company to present expenses according to its nature or function. The following information has been provided to disclose the Company's expenses by function:

	Nine months ended September 30,	
	2019	2018
Ice rink and recreational facilities expense	\$ 57,373	\$ 54,586
General and administrative expenses	4,233	4,269
Other income	(1,571)	(32)

The changes in the above table, as compared to the consolidated statement of earnings and comprehensive income, relate to depreciation of \$5,966,000 (2018 - \$5,153,000) being allocated from other expenses to ice rink and recreational facilities in the amount of \$5,867,000 (2018 - \$5,074,000), and to general and administrative expenses in the amount of \$99,000 (2018 - \$79,000).



**Management's Discussion and Analysis of
Financial Condition and Results of Operation**

**For the Nine Months Ended September 30, 2019
As of November 13, 2019**

Canlan Ice Sports Corp. Management's Discussion and Analysis

The following management's discussion and analysis (MD&A) summarizes significant factors affecting the financial condition of Canlan Ice Sports Corp. ("Canlan", the "Company", "we" "our" or "us") as at September 30, 2019 and the consolidated operating results for the nine months ended September 30, 2019 compared to the nine months ended September 30, 2018. This document should be read in conjunction with our unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements for the period ended September 30, 2019, the accompanying notes, and our audited consolidated financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017. All dollar amounts included in this MD&A are in Canadian dollars.

We have prepared these condensed consolidated interim financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS").

In the following discussion, EBITDA (earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization) is often used as a measure of financial performance. However, EBITDA is not a term that has specific meaning in accordance with IFRS and may be calculated differently by other companies. EBITDA is reconciled to net earnings in this MD&A.

Additional information relating to our Company, including quarterly reports and our annual information form, is filed on SEDAR and can be viewed at www.sedar.com.

The date of this MD&A is November 13, 2019.

Forward Looking Statements

Certain statements in this MD&A may constitute "forward looking" statements which involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors which may cause the actual results, performance or achievements of the Company to be materially different from any future results, performance or achievements expressed or implied by such forward looking statements. When used in this MD&A, such statements may use such words as "may", "will", "expect", "believe", "plan" and other similar terminology. These statements reflect management's current expectations regarding future events and operating performance and speak only as of the date of this MD&A. These forward-looking statements involve a number of risks and uncertainties. Some of the factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from those expressed in or underlying such forward-looking statements are the effects of, as well as changes in: international, national and local business and economic conditions; political or economic instability in the Company's markets; competition; legislation and governmental regulation; and accounting policies and practices. The foregoing list of factors is not exhaustive. Except as required by law, the Company disclaims any intention or obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statements.

Same Store Analysis and Adoption of IFRS 16

On March 19, 2019, Canlan completed the purchase of an ice rink facility in Chicago, Illinois. The facility, called Ice Sports West Dundee, commenced operations as a Canlan facility in March 2019 (See “**Review of Assets**” below). On May 5, 2019, the Company’s recreation facility located in Montreal, Quebec was closed and marketed for sale. This MD&A will refer to “same store” results, which excludes the results of these two facilities.

On January 1, 2019, the Company adopted IFRS 16 – **Leases** using the modified retrospective approach (see “**Accounting Standards**” below). Therefore, the comparative information has not been restated and continues to be reported under IAS 17 and IFRIC 4. As a result, facility lease payments were presented as part of “Facility Expenses” in 2018 but not in 2019. In addition, interest costs implicit in these leases was included in finance costs in 2019. This MD&A will refer to changes of “adoption of IFRS 16”, which excludes the effects of the change in presentation.

Overview – Three Months Ended September 30, 2019

- Same store revenue of \$17.9 million increased by \$0.6 million or 3.7% compared to 2018;
- Same store EBITDA of \$0.8 million decreased by \$0.5 million compared to prior year after excluding the effects of presentation changes related to adoption of IFRS 16;
- On August 20, 2019, the Company sold one recreation property located in Fort Wayne, Indiana, for proceeds of US\$6.0 million and a gain of US\$0.8 million; and
- Post-acquisition capital projects of \$2.1 million to upgrade equipment, locker rooms, and offices were substantially completed at Ice Sports West Dundee and the facility was ready to begin the fall/winter minor and adult rec hockey season under the Canlan banner in September 2019.

Overview of the Company

Canlan Ice Sports Corp. is a leading operator of ice rink and multi-purpose recreational facilities. The Company’s head office is located in its Burnaby, B.C. sports complex and it maintains a second corporate office at its Ice Sports York location in Toronto, Ontario. We currently have approximately 1,100 full time and part time employees working in our facilities.

As at the date of this MD&A the Company owns, leases or manages a network of 20 facilities in Canada and the United States containing playing surfaces as outlined below. The Company owns 12 of these facilities containing 1.4 million square feet of space situated on 159 acres of land. One facility is operated under a long-term land lease arrangement, two facilities under operating agreements with municipalities and a further three facilities under operating leases. We also currently manage two facilities on behalf of municipalities.

We operate primarily in the sports and recreation industry, with a focus on ice, turf and court sports. Our largest single revenue source within this segment is adult hockey, catering to both men and women operating under the Adult Safe Hockey League (ASHL) brand.

Facility Portfolio:

The geographic locations of our owned, leased and managed properties are as follows:

<u>Canada:</u>	Facilities	Ice Surfaces	Indoor Turf Fields	Courts ^a	Total Playing surfaces
British Columbia	5	14	1	-	15
Alberta	1	2	-	-	2
Saskatchewan	2	6	-	-	6
Manitoba	1	3	1	-	4
Ontario	7	22	2	11	35
Quebec	1 ^c	-	-	-	-
	17	47	4	11	62
<u>USA:</u>					
Illinois	3	6	1 ^b	4	11
	20	53	5	15	73

Note

- a) Includes 3 indoor volleyball courts, 6 outdoor beach volleyball courts, 4 basketball courts and 2 sport courts
- b) This is a FIFA regulation field (divisible into multiple fields)
- c) This facility was closed as of May 2019 in preparation for an intended sale. Assets related to this facility were reclassified to asset held-for-sale.

Canlan is a publicly traded Canadian Company with its shares listed on the Toronto Stock Exchange (TSX) using the trading symbol **ICE**. Canlan's shares were first listed for trading on March 1, 1990.

There are approximately 13.3 million shares outstanding and have traded in the \$4.32 to \$5.34 range during the nine-month period. The Company has not issued any shares since November 2004.

The Company derives revenue from six primary sources:

- Ice and field sales
- Food and beverage
- Sports stores
- Space rental
- Management and consulting
- Sponsorship

Selected Financial Information

The following selected consolidated financial information is for the nine months ended and as at September 30, 2019, 2018 and 2017. This data should be read together with the unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements for the periods ended September 30, 2019, 2018, and 2017.

Our condensed consolidated interim financial statements are prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards and are stated in Canadian dollars.

in thousands, except earnings per share (unaudited)

As at and for the nine months ended September 30,	2019	2018	2017
Statement of Operations Data:			
Total revenue ⁽¹⁾	\$ 64,384	\$ 62,839	\$ 61,133
Direct expenses ⁽²⁾	(51,506)	(49,512)	(49,999)
General & administration expenses	(4,134)	(4,190)	(3,845)
EBITDA	8,744	9,137	7,289
Other expenses:			
Depreciation	(5,966)	(5,153)	(5,245)
Finance costs	(1,943)	(1,544)	(1,606)
Foreign exchange gain (loss)	(30)	27	(27)
Gain (loss) on interest rate swap	(680)	361	942
Gain on sale of assets	1,601	5	7
Income tax expense	(68)	(614)	(237)
Net earnings	\$ 1,658	\$ 2,219	\$ 1,123
Other comprehensive income (loss)	(787)	274	(894)
Total comprehensive income	\$ 871	\$ 2,493	\$ 229
Basic and fully diluted earnings per share	\$ 0.12	\$ 0.17	\$ 0.08
Balance Sheet Data:			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 14,681	\$ 15,961	\$ 14,090
Current assets (excluding cash and loan receivable)	5,775	5,245	5,939
Loan receivable	2,577	-	-
Capital assets	105,201	99,425	99,199
Assets held-for-sale	6,405	-	-
Other assets	4,929	3,778	2,334
Total assets	\$ 139,568	\$ 124,409	\$ 121,562
Current liabilities, excluding debt	\$ 21,821	\$ 22,804	\$ 20,229
Mortgage debt	59,195	51,575	54,435
Leases - right-of-use assets	7,427	1,937	2,578
Deferred tax liabilities	2,447	1,336	1,326
Total liabilities	90,890	77,652	78,568
Shareholders's equity	48,678	46,757	42,994
	\$ 139,568	\$ 124,409	\$ 121,562
Dividends declared	\$ 1,034	\$ 934	\$ 800

(1) Total revenue is comprised of all revenue sources – See page 3.

(2) Direct expenses include all operating costs related to the operation of our facilities, excluding depreciation.

Review of Operations – Three months ended September 30, 2019

Comparative Results

Total revenue of \$18.6 million increased by \$0.3 million or 1.8% compared to 2018; same store revenue increased by \$0.6 million or 3.7%.

Contributing to sales growth were Canlan's tournament division (CCT), adult hockey league registrations, and third-party surface rentals. CCT experienced strong revenue growth in Canlan's branded hockey tournaments and new programs that increased participation numbers from a year ago. Increased adult hockey league registrations was due to focused marketing efforts in certain regions while third-party rentals increased from more groups booking ice and dry-floor time to operate summer training sessions and tournament events.

Same store food and beverage revenue of \$2.4 million increased moderately by 2.5% mainly through pricing while other revenue of \$1.2 million from sports store sales, sponsorship, space rental, vending, and management fees remained consistent with prior year.

Facility expenses include all costs directly related to the operations of our recreation properties. Total direct operating costs of \$16.7 million increased by \$0.9 million or 5.7% compared to 2018. Excluding the effects of the adoption of IFRS 16, same store facility expenses increased by \$1.3 million or 8.8% from prior year. The increase in facility expenses is mainly due to higher repair and maintenance expense related to roof remediation projects, and costs to service increased volumes, in particular with CCT. The Company's multi-year roof remediation program that began in 2018 continued in 2019 to strengthen structure, improve insulation, and mitigate water penetration. During the quarter, approximately \$0.8 million in roof remediation costs were incurred compared to \$0.2 million in the prior year. Approximately \$1.0 million will be incurred for the remainder of this year to complete the roof work scheduled for 2019.

Corporate general and administration (G&A) expenses of \$1.2 million decreased by \$0.1 million or 11.2% compared to prior year principally due to reduced stock-based compensation expense. Included in corporate G&A are costs related to management support services provided to all facilities (including accounting, marketing, operations, IT and human resources).

EBITDA of \$0.7 million decreased by \$0.4 million or 38% compared to prior year. After excluding the effects of presentation changes related to adoption of IFRS 16, same store EBITDA of \$0.8 million decreased by \$0.5 million compared to prior year primarily due to additional roof remediation expenses.

Total interest expense of \$0.7 million related to our debt and finance leases increased by \$0.2 million compared to 2018 mainly due to interest paid on a new acquisition loan drawn during first quarter of 2019 and the effects of the adoption of IFRS 16. Canlan has fixed the interest rate on a portion of its term debt with an interest rate swap contract. The quarterly mark-to-market gain on this financial instrument in 2019 was negligible compared to a gain of \$0.2 million in 2018.

In addition to the above items, a gain of \$1.2 million on the sale of assets has also been recorded in the statement of earnings and comprehensive income for the three months

ended September 30, 2019. This gain arose from the sale of a parcel of excess land located in Alberta, Canada, Texas, U.S., and a recreation facility located in Fort Wayne, Indiana (see “**Review of Assets**” below). These divestitures are part of the Company’s asset optimization program to generate cash for reinvestment in higher yielding assets.

After recording depreciation of \$2.0 million and an income tax recovery of \$0.5 million, net loss for the quarter was \$0.2 million or \$0.02 per share compared to a net loss of \$0.7 million or \$0.05 per share a year ago.

Review of Operations – Nine months ended September 30, 2019

Comparative Results

Total revenue of \$64.4 million increased by \$1.5 million or 2.5% compared to 2018; same store revenue increased by \$1.6 million or 2.8%. Same store revenue growth resulted mainly from increased registrations in summer adult hockey leagues, the youth soccer league at Lake Barrington, and strong participation in new events organized by CCT. In addition, sponsorship revenue grew from focused efforts to renew and add sponsor campaigns.

Revenue by business segment:

in thousands

Nine months ended September 30	2019	2018
Ice and field sales	\$ 51,062	\$ 49,479
Food and beverage	9,315	9,429
Sports store	1,106	1,266
Sponsorship	1,083	972
Space rental	1,170	1,046
Management and consulting fees	199	198
Other	449	449
Total revenue	\$ 64,384	\$ 62,839

Same store other revenue from sports store sales, space rental, vending, and management fees remained relatively steady compared to 2018.

Facility expenses include all costs directly related to the operations of our recreation properties. Total direct operating costs of \$51.5 million increased by \$2.0 million or 4.0% compared to 2018. Excluding the effects of the adoption of IFRS 16, same store facility expenses increased by \$2.7 million or 5.9%. During the first three quarters of 2019, the Company incurred \$1.1 million compared to \$0.2 million last year to continue roof remediation projects that began in 2018. The Company’s multi-year roof remediation program will continue through the remainder of this fiscal year. Added costs to market product lines and service higher customer volumes was also a contributor to the increase of facility expense.

Corporate general and administration (G&A) costs of \$4.1 million decreased by \$0.1 million or 1.3% compared to prior year due to reduced stock-based compensation

expense in 2019. Included in corporate general and administration are costs related to management support services provided to all facilities (including accounting, marketing, operations, IT support, and human resources).

EBITDA of \$8.7 million decreased by \$0.4 million or 4.3% compared to 2018. After excluding the effects of presentation changes related to adoption of IFRS 16, same store EBITDA decreased by \$0.9 million or 9.7% compared to prior year primarily due to additional roof remediation expenses.

Total interest expense of \$2.2 million relating to debt and leases increased by \$0.5 million compared to 2018. The increase was mainly due to interest paid on a new acquisition loan drawn during Q1 2019 to purchase Ice Sports West Dundee, and additional interest expense recognized as a result from adoption of IFRS 16. Canlan has fixed the interest rate at 3.52% on 53% of its term debt with an interest rate swap contract. The unrealized mark-to-market loss on the swap contract was \$0.7 million for 2019 compared to a gain of \$0.4 million in 2018.

In addition to the above items, a gain of \$1.6 million on the sale of assets has also been recorded in the statement of earnings and comprehensive income. This gain principally arose from the sale of three parcels of excess land located in Ontario and Alberta, Canada, and Texas, U.S., and a recreation facility located in Fort Wayne, Indiana (see "**Review of Assets**" below). These divestitures are part of the Company's asset optimization program to generate cash for reinvestment in higher yielding assets.

After recording depreciation of \$6.0 million and income tax expense of \$0.1 million, net earnings was \$1.7 million or \$0.12 per share compared to \$2.2 million or \$0.17 per share a year ago.

Earnings by Quarter

The Company's quarterly results for the last 8 quarters are as follows:

in thousands, except earnings (loss) per share (unaudited)

	2019			2018			2017	
	Q3	Q2	Q1	Q4	Q3	Q2	Q1	Q4
Gross revenue	\$ 18,600	\$ 19,798	\$ 25,986	\$ 24,799	\$ 18,272	\$ 18,943	\$ 25,624	\$ 24,278
Operating costs	(16,734)	(17,791)	(16,981)	(17,689)	(15,834)	(17,119)	(16,559)	(16,702)
	1,866	2,007	9,005	7,110	2,438	1,824	9,065	7,576
General & administration	(1,183)	(1,564)	(1,387)	(1,577)	(1,332)	(1,375)	(1,483)	(2,074)
EBITDA	683	443	7,618	5,533	1,106	449	7,582	5,502
Depreciation	(1,942)	(2,033)	(1,991)	(1,776)	(1,703)	(1,725)	(1,725)	(1,706)
Finance costs	(683)	(677)	(583)	(495)	(526)	(502)	(516)	(511)
Foreign exchange gain (loss)	12	(21)	(21)	64	(18)	35	10	3
Gain (loss) on interest rate swap	26	(219)	(487)	(570)	228	8	125	85
Gain (loss) on sale of assets	1,201	(8)	408	5	1	-	4	-
Net earnings (loss) before taxes	(703)	(2,515)	4,944	2,761	(912)	(1,735)	5,480	3,373
Income tax recovery (expense)	456	657	(1,181)	(497)	188	458	(1,260)	(939)
Net earnings (loss) Earnings (loss) per share	\$ (247)	\$ (1,858)	\$ 3,763	\$ 2,264	\$ (724)	\$ (1,277)	\$ 4,220	\$ 2,434
	\$ (0.02)	\$ (0.14)	\$ 0.28	\$ 0.17	\$ (0.05)	\$ (0.10)	\$ 0.32	\$ 0.18

Review of Assets

The table below summarizes the Company's asset base:

<i>in thousands</i>	September 30, 2019	December 31, 2018 (as reported)
Properties	\$ 105,201	\$ 99,582
Cash	14,681	19,845
Assets held-for-sale	6,405	596
Prepaid expenses and other assets	3,063	1,681
Accounts receivable	2,720	3,361
Loan receivable	2,577	-
Inventory	962	1,099
Interest rate swap	397	1,077
Deferred income taxes	3,562	1,694
	\$ 139,568	\$ 128,935

During the nine months ended September 30, 2019, the Company invested \$6.1 million (2018 - \$4.5 million) on capital expenditures principally related to refrigeration equipment, energy efficient lighting, plant automation/optimization software, and ice resurfacing equipment.

In addition, on March 19, 2019, the Company completed the purchase of a three-ice-sheet, 106,000 square-foot facility situated on 8 acres of land, in a suburb of Chicago, Illinois called Ice Sports West Dundee for \$13.3 million (US\$10.0 million). In addition to three NHL-sized rinks with spectator seating, amenities include training facilities, well-appointed locker rooms, a proshop, equipment rental, offices, meeting space, and a full-service restaurant. The purchase was financed with a combination of cash reserves and a draw of \$11.0 million on a capital expenditure credit facility. Since purchase, Ice Sports West Dundee has generated positive EBITDA and at September 30, 2019, the Company completed substantial building and ice plant capital improvements in preparation for the start of the fall/winter season.

Along with capital investments, some asset disposals were also completed. During the period, three excess land parcels (located in Ontario and Alberta, Canada, and Texas, U.S.) were sold for total cash consideration of \$0.8 million. In addition, the Company completed the sale of an ice-rink facility located in Fort Wayne, Indiana, for \$7.9 million (US\$6.0 million). A combination of cash and a loan receivable of \$2.6 million (US\$2.0 million) was received in consideration of the sale proceeds. This loan matures on August 20, 2024 and is amortized over a 20-year period bearing interest at 5.97%. Principal and interest is paid monthly.

The total gain on sale of assets recognized during the nine months ended September 30, 2019 was \$1.6 million.

The increase in properties was also due to the adoption of IFRS 16 – **Leases** (see “**Accounting Standards**” below). As a result, properties increased by \$5.3 million and deferred tax asset, by \$1.8 million as at January 1, 2019. Refer to notes 3, 6, 7 and 14 of the condensed consolidated interim financial statements for the period ended September 30, 2019.

Review of Liabilities

The table below summarizes the Company’s capital structure:

<i>in thousands</i>	September 30, 2019	December 31, 2018 (as reported)
Debt	\$ 59,195	\$ 50,811
Accounts payable	10,106	12,567
Deferred revenue and customer deposits	11,715	12,881
Leases - right-of-use assets	7,427	1,714
Deferred income taxes	2,447	1,138
	90,890	79,111
Shareholders' equity	48,678	49,824
	\$ 139,568	\$ 128,935

Interest bearing liabilities, which include debt and leases, totaled \$66.6 million as at September 30, 2019, compared to \$52.5 million as at December 31, 2018. The increase of \$14.1 million was mainly due to a draw of \$11.0 million on the Company’s capital expenditure loan for the purchase of Ice Sports West Dundee (see “**Review of Assets**” above) partially offset by scheduled debt and lease repayments.

In addition, the adoption of IFRS 16 – **Leases** also contributed to the increase in lease liabilities (see “**Accounting Standards**” below). As a result of the adoption, “leases –

right-of-use assets” increased by \$6.6 million and deferred tax liabilities increased by \$1.4 million as at January 1, 2019. Refer to notes 3, 6, 7 and 14 of the condensed consolidated interim financial statements for the period ended September 30, 2019.

Deferred revenue and customer deposits represent customer registration and rental fees received in advance of when ice and field times are used, and tenant deposits.

At September 30, 2019, the working capital deficit was \$6.5 million compared to \$4.0 million at December 31, 2018 as cash reserves were utilized to help finance the purchase of Ice Sports West Dundee and complete incremental capital and maintenance projects at existing facilities.

Debt

As at September 30, 2019, debt consists of five credit facilities, four of which have been drawn, as follows:

- 1) \$38.5 million loan amortized over 15 years, maturing on May 25, 2023, interest at BA rate plus 2.10% per annum payable monthly. The Company entered into an interest rate swap contract, maturing on May 25, 2023, to fix the interest rate at 3.52% per annum payable monthly. At September 30, 2019, the balance outstanding was \$31.8 million;
- 2) \$10.0 million loan amortized over 15 years, maturing on May 25, 2023, interest at Prime rate plus 0.50% per annum payable monthly. At September 30, 2019, the balance outstanding was \$8.4 million;
- 3) \$20.0 million revolving capital expenditure loan amortized over 15 years, maturing on May 25, 2023. At September 30, 2019, there was a balance outstanding of \$12.7 million, \$11 million of which was used to finance the acquisition of an ice rink property. Of the total outstanding, \$2.0 million accrues interest at Prime rate plus 0.50% per annum, and \$10.7 million accrues interest at BA rate plus 2.10% per annum;
- 4) \$7.1 million loan amortized over 15 years, maturing on September 30, 2023, interest at CDOR plus 2.1% per annum payable monthly. At September 30, 2019, the balance outstanding was \$6.6 million; and
- 5) \$0.7 million demand revolving operating loan, interest at Prime rate plus 0.50% per annum. No amounts have been drawn on this loan to date.

The Company was in compliance with all debt covenants as at September 30, 2019 and we expect to continue to be in compliance during the remainder of 2019.

Liquidity and Capital Resources

The Company's debt to equity ratio was 1.37:1 at the end of the third quarter, compared to 1.05:1 at December 31, 2018. The increase was mainly due to higher debt and leases payable as a result of financing the acquisition of Ice Sports West Dundee and the adoption of IFRS 16 – *Leases* (see “**Accounting Standards**” below).

During the first nine months of the year, cash generated from operations was \$2.7 million compared to \$5.8 million a year ago. The decrease was principally due to decreased operating earnings and a reduction of vendor accounts payable.

The following table provides a reconciliation of EBITDA to cash flow from operations:

in thousands

Nine months ended September 30	2019	2018
EBITDA	\$ 8,744	\$ 9,137
Changes in working capital items	(3,755)	(1,170)
Net interest expense	(1,881)	(1,622)
Income tax effect included in changes in working capital	(268)	(553)
Unrealized foreign currency loss	(150)	42
Cash flow from operations	<u>\$ 2,690</u>	<u>\$ 5,834</u>

During the nine months ended September 30, 2019, the Company utilized \$3.9 million to make scheduled debt and lease repayments, drew \$11.0 million from a capital expenditure credit facility to help finance the purchase Ice Sports West Dundee, issued a loan receivable of \$2.6 million on the sale of a recreation property (see “**Review of Assets**” above), invested \$6.1 million in capital expenditures, and paid dividends of \$1.0 million. A quarterly dividend of \$0.4 million was also announced to shareholders of record on September 30, 2019 that was paid on October 15, 2019.

The Company’s cash position at September 30, 2019 was \$14.7 million, a decrease of \$5.2 million from December 31, 2018.

in thousands

Nine months ended September 30	2019	2018
Cash provided by (used in):		
Operations	\$ 2,690	\$ 5,834
Financing	7,088	(3,098)
Investing	(13,822)	(4,628)
Foreign currency change	(120)	91
Dividends paid	(1,000)	(867)
Net cash flow	<u>\$ (5,164)</u>	<u>\$ (2,668)</u>

Share Capital

The total and weighted average number of shares issued and outstanding at September 30, 2019 and December 31, 2018 was 13,337,448.

The Company did not issue any shares during the period and does not have a stock option plan.

The Company established a stock appreciation rights (SARs) plan in 2005 and it was renewed in 2016. The SARs plan provides eligible employees and directors with the right to receive cash equal to the appreciation of the Company’s common shares subsequent to the grant date, upon the exercise of rights. The granted SARs vest in equal installments over a three-year period and expire in three years from the grant date.

During the period, 38,667 SARs were exercised with a weighted average exercise price of \$3.53.

As at September 30, 2019, 527,918 stock appreciation rights were outstanding with a weighted average exercise price of \$3.63. Of these rights, 241,168 rights are vested and exercisable with a weighted average exercise price of \$3.58 as at September 30, 2019.

During the nine months ended September 30, 2019, stock-based compensation expense of \$0.2 million (2018 – \$0.4 million) related to the SARs plan was recorded.

Transactions with Related Parties

Canlan's controlling shareholder, Bartrac Investments Ltd., owns approximately 10.1 million shares of the Company, or 75.5% of the outstanding shares. Bartrac's ownership position in TSX: ICE has remained unchanged since November 2004.

The Company did not record any related party transactions with Bartrac during the period.

Financial Instruments

The Company has the following financial instruments:

	Accounting classification	Fair value level
Financial assets not measured at fair value:		
Cash and cash equivalents (i)	Amortized cost	2
Accounts and loan receivable (i)	Amortized cost	2
Financial assets measured at fair value:		
Interest rate swap (iii)	Financial assets at FVTPL	2
Financial liabilities not measured at fair value:		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (i)	Amortized cost	2
Debt (ii)	Amortized cost	2

- (i) The carrying values of cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, and accounts payable and accrued liabilities are considered by management to approximate their fair values due to their short-term nature.

In August 2019, the Company received a promissory note as part of the proceeds of disposition of a recreation facility in Fort Wayne, Indiana (see "**Review of Assets**" above). The loan is classified as amortized cost presented as current and non-current loan receivable on the statement of financial position. At September 30, 2019, the loan receivable balance outstanding was \$2.6 million (US\$1.9 million).

- (ii) Debt is of a long-term nature and may be impacted by changes in market yields, which can result in differences between their carrying values and their fair values. Management estimates that these differences are not material to the financial statements as at September 30, 2019.

- (iii) In June 2016, the Company entered into an interest rate swap agreement (seven-year term) to fix the interest rate on a portion of its debt. The fair value of

this derivative instrument has been presented as an interest rate swap on the statement of financial position. For the nine months ended September 30, 2019, the decrease in its fair value resulted in a loss of \$0.7 million being recognized in the statement of earnings (2018 – gain of \$0.4 million).

The Company does not have held-to-maturity investments at September 30, 2019. The Company had no “other comprehensive income or loss” transactions related to financial instruments during the nine months ended September 30, 2019 and no opening or closing balances for accumulated other comprehensive income or loss related to financial instruments.

Critical Accounting Policies and Estimates

Canlan’s significant accounting policies are described in Note 3 to our audited consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2018 and December 31, 2017, and Note 3 to our condensed consolidated interim financial statements for the period ended September 30, 2019. The preparation of the consolidated financial statements in conformity with IFRS requires us to make judgments, estimates, and assumptions that affect the application of accounting policies and the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, income, and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

Estimates and judgments are continually evaluated and are based on historical experience and other factors including expectations of future events that are believed to be reasonable under the circumstances. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognized in the period in which the estimates are revised and in any future periods affected.

Key sources of estimation uncertainty are the areas where assumptions and estimates have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amount of assets and liabilities. These are:

Revenue Recognition

Revenue from sport surface rental contracts, programs and leagues is recognized over time as games and lessons are played. Deferred revenue relates to amounts received in advance for the Company’s adult recreational leagues. A certain amount of judgment is required in the determination of revenue recognition based on the Company’s estimates. Any differences are recognized upon completion of the season.

Accounts Receivable

In determining the valuation of accounts receivable and the allowance for doubtful accounts, the Company relies on current customer information, payment history, and trends.

Impairment and Recoverability of Property Plant and Equipment

When impairment indicators exist, the recoverability of the Company’s recreational properties is based on future discounted cash flows expected to be generated from such assets. These cash flows are based on management’s approved budgets and projections. When appropriate, third-party appraisals will also be used to assess the

recoverability of recreational properties. Judgments are required in assessing impairment indicators.

Useful Lives of Property Plant and Equipment

Property, plant, and equipment are depreciated on a straight-line basis over their estimated useful life. The selection method of depreciation and length of the depreciation period could have a material impact on depreciation expense and the net book value of the Company's assets. Assets may become obsolete or require replacement before the end of their estimated useful lives, in which case any remaining unamortized costs would be written off.

Accounting for Stock-based Compensation

The fair value of the Company's stock appreciation rights ("SARs") is based on certain estimates used in applying the Black-Scholes pricing model. The rights are cash-settled and are classified as a liability and re-measured to fair value at each reporting date by recognizing compensation cost over the life of the SARs based on the vesting terms of each tranche.

Deferred Income Tax

Deferred income tax assets and liabilities are calculated by assessing temporary differences resulting from differing treatment of items for tax and accounting purposes and net operating losses carried forward. The valuation of deferred tax assets is measured based on management's estimates of future taxable income and expected timing of reversals of temporary differences.

Disclosure Controls and Procedures

We have established and maintain disclosure controls and procedures designed to provide reasonable assurance that material information relating to the Company is made known to the appropriate level of management in a timely manner.

Based on current securities legislation in Canada, our Chief Executive Officer (CEO) and Chief Financial Officer (CFO) are required to certify that they have assessed the effectiveness of our disclosure controls and procedures as at September 30, 2019.

Our management has evaluated, under the supervision and with the participation of our CEO and CFO, the design and effectiveness of the Company's disclosure controls and procedures as at the period ended September 30, 2019. Management has concluded that these disclosure controls and procedures, as defined in National Instrument 52-109 – Certification of Disclosure in Issuers Annual and Interim Filings (NI 52-109), are adequate and effective and that material information relating to the Company was made known to them and reported within the time periods specified under applicable securities legislation.

Our management, under the supervision of our CEO and CFO, has also designed and evaluated the effectiveness of the Company's internal controls over financial reporting (ICFR) using the Internal Control – Integrated Framework as published by the Committee of Sponsoring Organization of the Treadway Commission (2013 Framework) (COSO) Framework. Based on our evaluation, management has concluded that ICFR,

as defined in NI 52-109 and using the COSO integrated framework are effective as of September 30, 2019.

Risk Factors

Canlan is engaged primarily in the operation of multi-pad recreation facilities throughout North America and is exposed to a number of risks and uncertainties that can affect operating performance and profitability. Our past performance is no guarantee of our performance in future periods.

Some of the risks and uncertainties we are exposed to, together with a description of management's action to minimize our exposure, are summarized below.

Leverage and Ability to Service Indebtedness

The Company's level of debt and the limitations imposed on it by its debt agreements could have important consequences, including the following:

- the Company will have to use a significant portion of its cash flow from operations for debt service, rather than for operations.
- the Company may not be able to obtain additional debt financing for future working capital, capital expenditures or other corporate purposes.
- the Company could be more vulnerable to economic downturns and less able to take advantage of significant business opportunities or to react to changes in market or industry conditions.
- the Company's less leveraged competitors could have a competitive advantage.

The Company's ability to pay the principal and interest on debt obligations will depend on its future performance. To a significant extent, our performance will be subject to general economic, financial and competitive factors. We can provide no assurances that its business will generate cash flow from operations sufficient to pay the Company's indebtedness, fund other liquidity needs or permit the Company to refinance its indebtedness. The Company can provide no assurances that it can secure any further credit facilities or that the terms of any such credit facilities will be favourable.

If the Company has difficulty servicing its debt, the Company may be forced to adjust capital expenditures, seek additional financing, sell assets, restructure or refinance the Company's debt, adjust dividends, or seek equity capital. The Company might not be able to implement any of these strategies on satisfactory terms, if at all. The Company's inability to generate sufficient cash flow or refinance its indebtedness would have a material adverse effect on the Company's financial condition, results of operations and ability to satisfy the Company's obligations.

Mitigating factors and strategies:

- The Company manages its capital with the objectives of maintaining a financial position suitable for servicing debt in accordance with repayment schedules, complying with debt covenants, and supporting our growth strategies.
- The Company maintains good relationships with its lenders through regular communications and reporting.

Infrastructure Expenditures

The Company's recreation facilities consist of plant and equipment that have useful lives estimated by management. Assets may become obsolete and may require replacement before the end of their estimated useful lives, which will necessitate significant capital expenditure.

Mitigating factors and strategies:

- The Company has implemented formal standard operating procedures and operational support visits to help protect our assets.
- The Company has a stringent asset repair and maintenance program.
- The Company has a long-term capital project program that plans capital expenditures in accordance with priorities and estimated useful lives.

Incurrence of Debt and the Granting of Security Interests

From time to time, the Company may enter into transactions and these transactions may be financed partially or wholly with short or long term debt, which may increase the Company's debt levels above industry standards and may require the Company to grant security interests in favour of third parties. Neither the Company's articles nor notice of articles limit the amount of indebtedness that the Company may incur or its ability to grant security interests. Should the Company default on any of its obligations under any secured credit facility, this could result in seizure of the Company's assets. The level of the Company's indebtedness from time to time could impair our ability to obtain additional financing in the future on a timely basis to take advantage of business opportunities that may arise.

Mitigating factors and strategies:

- The Company manages its capital with the objectives of maintaining a financial position suitable for servicing debt in accordance with repayment schedules, complying with debt covenants, and supporting our growth strategies.

Insurance

The Company develops and organizes sports leagues to play at the facilities it owns and operates. Due to the nature of the sport, incidents can occur. We purchase liability and accident insurance, the cost of which is dependent upon the history of the number of injury claims and the quantum of such claims. There is always a risk that the cost of acquiring sufficient insurance to cover any such injury claims will become prohibitive or that such insurance will become unavailable. The Company has obtained insurance coverage that it believes would ordinarily be maintained by an operator of facilities similar to that of the Company. The Company's insurance is subject to various limits and exclusions. Damage or destruction to any of our facilities or lawsuits arising from use of such facilities could result in claims that are excluded by, or exceed the limits of, the Company's insurance coverage.

Mitigating factors and strategies:

- Company maintains its facilities to high standards and continually monitors league activities and enforces a strict set of rules.
- Company has developed risk management procedures and emergency preparedness guides at all of its locations.
- Management works closely with insurance providers.

U.S. Operations

The Company's expansion strategies include certain markets in the U.S. As such, the Company faces the risks of operating in new markets where the demographics, consumer preferences, and economic conditions can be very different from Canadian markets in which the Company primarily operates. Should market conditions of new U.S. locations vary significantly from what was anticipated, the Company's financial results could be adversely affected.

In addition, the Company is exposed to currency risk on sales and purchases that are denominated in a currency other than the functional currency of the Company, the Canadian dollar. The currency in which these transactions are denominated is the U.S. dollar. Should the financial results of the Company's U.S. subsidiaries significantly fall short of targets, the Company could be exposed to the risk of loss depending on the relative movement of this currency against the Canadian dollar. The Company does not currently enter into forward contracts to mitigate this risk. However, management currently expects that earnings from U.S. business activities are adequate to service the working capital needs of U.S. operations.

Mitigating factors and strategies:

- The Company performs due diligence to evaluate the structural condition of facilities, and conditions that support supply and demand in the marketplace.
- Management closely monitors the Canadian-U.S. foreign exchange rate and could utilize hedging instruments if necessary. In addition, a reasonable amount of U.S. currency is maintained on hand to meet operating needs.

Seasonality of Operations

The Company's business cycle is highly seasonal with 57% of total revenues and virtually all of the operating profit being generated in the first and last quarters. This seasonality of operations impacts reported quarterly earnings. The operating results for any particular quarter is not necessarily a good indicator of operating results for the other fiscal quarters or the entire fiscal year. As a result of the seasonality, the highest cash flow period for the Company is in the fourth quarter when customer deposits for future ice contracts are received, and the lowest cash flow is in the summer months, when traffic is reduced.

Mitigating factors and strategies:

- Various programs are developed to increase traffic during the summer period.
- Variable operating costs are reduced during the summer period.
- Management ensures cash reserves are adequate to finance working capital throughout the off-peak seasons.

Competition

The recreation industry is highly competitive and Canlan competes with other private and municipal operators in various major markets. Other private operators may have more resources and less debt than Canlan, and municipal operators can operate at a loss for an indefinite period without the same negative consequences such losses would have on private companies.

Mitigating factors and strategies:

- Canlan has developed customer loyalty by providing superior customer service and facilities.
- The ice rink industry is capital intensive with high start-up expenses; therefore barriers to enter the business exist.
- We have developed expertise in all aspects of the ice rink development and multi-sport complex operations.

Employee and Union Relations

The Company has unionized employees at four of its facilities. The presence of a unionized work force increases the possibility that a labour dispute will affect operations at a facility. The Company may not be able to negotiate a new contract on favorable terms, which could result in increased operating costs as a result of higher wages or benefits paid to its unionized workers. If unionized workers engage in a strike or other work stoppage, the Company could experience a significant disruption in its operations or higher ongoing labour costs, which could have material adverse effects on the business, financial condition, results of operations and cash flows.

Mitigating factors and strategies:

- The Company maintains positive relationships with the unions and management and union representatives have bargained in good faith.
- The Company garners assistance and guidance from professional labour consultants where needed.

Key Personnel

The Company's future success depends, to a large extent, on the efforts and abilities of its executive officers and other key personnel. As the Company's ability to retain these key personnel and executive officers is important to its success and growth, the loss of such personnel could adversely affect the Company's business, financial condition, cash flows and results of operations.

Mitigating factors and strategies:

- The Company has established compensation policies for its executive officers that are commensurate with their responsibilities and with market conditions.
- The Company maintains an open and candid working environment where executive officers can offer input into business strategies and decisions.

Utility Costs

Electricity, natural gas and water are significant components of operating costs of our facilities and the Company is susceptible to fluctuations in the market price of energy and related regulatory charges. In addition, the Company may experience power fluctuations or outages or cannot maintain adequate sources of natural gas and water. These factors may have a material adverse effect on the Company's business, financial conditions, results of operations and cash flows.

Mitigating factors and strategies:

- If deemed appropriate, the Company enters into medium-term energy contracts to mitigate the price fluctuations of gas and electricity.
- The Company carefully manages utility consumption through standard operating procedures and capital asset program.

- The Company has implemented an equipment replacement program, which utilizes newer technology and reduces energy consumption.
- The Company employs a full-time subject matter expert in energy management.

Privacy and Security of Information

In the ordinary course of our business we receive, process and store information from our guests and others, including personal information of our guests and employees often through online operations that depend upon the secure communication of information over public networks and in reliance on third party service providers. The secure operation of the networks and systems on which this information is stored, processed and maintained is critical to our business operations and strategy. Although we maintain systems to protect this information and rely on systems security of third-party software service providers, these systems must be continuously monitored and updated and could be compromised, in which case our guest information could become subject to intrusion, tampering or theft. Any compromise of our data security systems or the security systems of our third-party service providers could have an adverse impact on our reputation, be costly to remediate and could have a material adverse effect on our business.

Mitigating factors and strategies:

- The Company has deployed network security measures and performs periodic security compliance audits.
- Information security has been made a part of the Company's Enterprise Risk Management Strategy to provide oversight over this particular risk.

Interest Rate Risk

Mortgage debt of \$27.7 million, is subject to variable interest rates. For every 1% change in base market rates, interest expense will change by \$0.3 million per annum.

Mitigating factors and strategies:

- The Company has fixed the interest rate on \$31.8 million or 53% of its loans.

Control by Principal Shareholder and Liquidity of Common Shares

The principal shareholder, Bartrac Investments Ltd. holds 10,075,947 Common Shares and controls approximately 75.5% of the aggregate voting power of the Corporation, which will allow it to control substantially all the actions taken by the shareholders of the Company, including the election of the directors. In addition, at the date of this MD&A, a Trust in the U.S. holds 2,297,000 Common shares, which represents 17.2% of total outstanding Common Shares. Such concentration of ownership could also have the effect of delaying, deterring, or preventing a change of control of the Company that might otherwise be beneficial to its shareholders and may also discourage acquisition bids for the Company and limit the amount certain investors may be willing to pay for the Common Shares.

Accounting Standards

Accounting Standards adopted in 2019

- (a) Effective January 1, 2019, the Company has adopted IFRS 16 *Leases*, which was issued in January 2016 and sets out a new model for lease accounting, replacing IAS 17 – *Leases*. Changes to the Company's accounting policies, which are also expected to be reflected in the Company's annual consolidated financial statements as at and for the year ending December 31, 2019, are described below.

The Company adopted IFRS 16 using the modified retrospective approach. Therefore, the comparative information has not been restated and continues to be reported under IAS 17 and IFRIC 4. The Company has identified lease contracts related to property leases, for which recognition will change under IFRS 16. The recognition of leased assets and their related liabilities will increase earnings from ice rinks and recreational facilities before depreciation and amortization, with a corresponding combined increase in depreciation and amortization and financial costs.

Based on management's assessment, as at January 1, 2019, property, plant and equipment increased by approximately \$5.3 million, total liabilities increased by approximately \$6.6 million, net deferred tax assets increased by approximately \$0.3 million and deficit increased by \$1.0 million. If the Company had applied IFRS 16 effective January 1, 2018, property, plant and equipment would have increased by approximately \$6.0 million, total liabilities, by approximately \$7.5 million, net deferred tax assets, by approximately \$0.4 million and deficit would have been increased by \$1.1 million.

Lease policy applicable from January 1, 2019:

At inception of a contract, the Company assesses whether a contract is, or contains, a lease. A contract is, or contains, a lease if the contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration. To assess whether a contract conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset, the Company assesses whether:

- the contract involves the use of an identified asset;
- the Company has the right to obtain substantially all of the economic benefits from use of the asset throughout the period of use; and
- the Company has the right to direct the use of the asset.

At inception or on reassessment of a contract that contains a lease component, the Company allocates the consideration in the contract to each lease component on the bases of their relative stand-alone prices.

The Company recognizes a right-of-use asset and lease liability at the lease commencement date. The right-of-use asset is initially measured at cost, which comprises the initial amount of the lease liability adjusted for any lease payments made at or before the commencement date, plus any initial direct costs incurred and an estimate of costs to dismantle and remove the underlying asset or to restore the underlying asset or the site on which it is located, less any lease incentives received.

The right-of-use asset is subsequently depreciated using the straight-line method from the commencement date to the earlier of the end of the useful life of the right-of-use asset or the end of the lease term. The estimated useful lives of right-of-use asset is periodically reduced by impairment losses.

The lease liability is initially measured at the present value of future lease payments discounted using an implicit interest rate or, if that rate cannot be readily determined, the Company's incremental borrowing rate. Generally, the Company uses its incremental borrowing rate as the discount rate.

The lease liability is measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method. It is remeasured when there is a change in future lease payments arising from a change in an index or rate, if there is a change in the Company's estimate of the amount expected to be payable under a residual value guarantee, or if the Company changes its assessment of whether it will exercise a purchase, extension or termination option.

When the lease liability is remeasured in this way, a corresponding adjustment is made to the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset, or is recorded in profit or loss if the carrying amount of the right-of-use asset has been reduced to zero.

Short-term leases and leases of low-value assets:

The Company has elected not to recognize right-of-use assets and lease liabilities for short-term leases of machinery that have a lease term of 12 months or less and leases of low-value assets, including IT equipment. The Company recognizes the lease payments associated with these leases in net earnings on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

Lease policy applicable before January 1, 2019 is disclosed in note 3 of the Company's consolidated financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2018.

- (b) IFRS 3 amendments – *Clarifying What is a Business* was issued in October 2018 and effective as of January 2020. This amendment provides guidance to assist entities to determine whether a transaction should be accounted for as a business combination or an asset acquisition. The amendments include an election to use a concentration test which is a simplified assessment that results in an asset acquisition if substantially all of the fair value of the gross assets is concentrated in a single identifiable asset or a group of similar identifiable assets.

In relation to the purchase of Ice Sports West Dundee, the Company has early adopted these amendments on January 1, 2019. As a result of this adoption, the purchase of the facility on March 19, 2019 constitutes the purchase of assets rather than a business combination as the Company has elected to use the concentration test to determine the type of acquisition of a property purchased on March 19, 2019. See "**Review of Assets**" above.

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