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Item No. 12.3.2 Audit and Finance Standing Committee January 9, 2019

TO: Chair and Members of Audit and Finance Standing Committee

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DATE: December 18, 2018

SUBJECT: Investment Activities – Quarter ending September 30, 2018

ORIGIN

Quarterly report of investment performance and adherence to approved Investment Policy.

LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY

Section 121(1) of the HRM Charter requires that funds be invested pursuant to an Investment Policy adopted by Council and approved by the Minister of Municipal Affairs (the Minister) or invested pursuant to the Trustee Act. Where HRM has chosen to adopt an Investment Policy and the Minister has approved the Policy investment activities are governed by this Policy.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Audit and Finance Standing Committee forward this report to Halifax Regional Council as an information item.

BACKGROUND

The HRM Investment Policy calls for quarterly reporting by the Treasurer to Council and the Investment Policy Advisory Committee (the Investment Committee). The report for the quarter ending September 30, 2018 has been reviewed by the Investment Committee. A report from the Investment Committee on compliance with the HRM Investment Policy has also been sent to the Audit and Finance Standing Committee meeting of January 9, 2019.

DISCUSSION

Overall Results

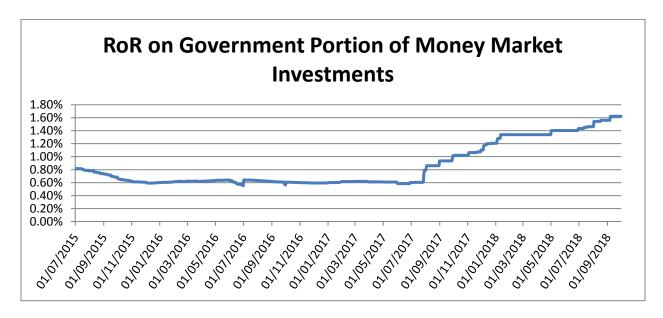
Operating fund investment income for the six months ending September 30, 2018 was \$1,692,682 versus a projection of \$1,600,000 due to higher cashflows. The actual rate of return matched the projected rate and was 0.50% for the period.

HRM Investment Activities

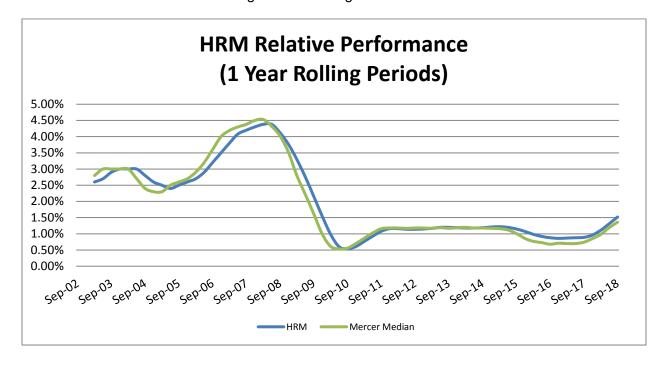
Mercer has discontinued its Investment Consulting Survey of Canadian Institutional Pooled Funds. HRM had been using this survey to compare returns with the industry. We have also been including the RBC Investor and Treasury Services Pooled Fund survey to the Investment Committee, which is very similar to the Mercer Survey. We will be using this survey going forward. Please see the table below with the results using the RBC Survey.

Money Market Funds	3 Months (to Sept 30, 2018)	1 Year (to Sept 30, 2018)
5 th Percentile	0.46%	1.64%
1st Quartile	0.43%	1.51%
Money Market Median	0.40%	1.36%
3 rd Quartile	0.38%	1.28%
95 th Percentile	0.27%	1.03%
HRM	0.50%	1.73%

Relative performance was again quite positive; the 3 month and one year returns were over the 5th percentile. These returns are before any allowance for fees that could be paid for external management. The investment bank accounts continue to be largely responsible for this relative performance.



As shown in the graph below, over the longer term HRM investment performance closely matches the median with fee savings also accruing to HRM.



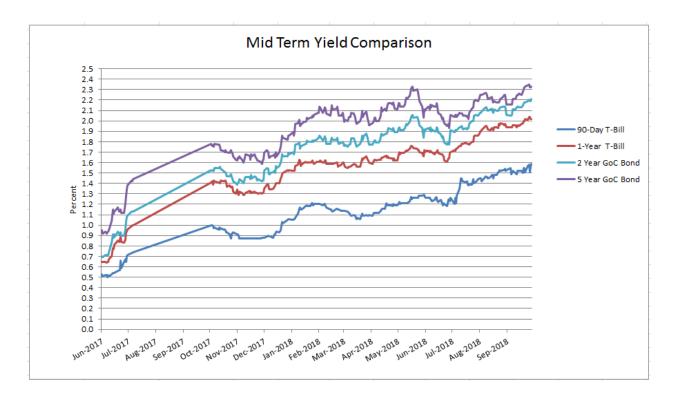
The quarter saw 2 money market investments made at a total cost of \$20,209,259 with an average term to maturity of 153 days and average individual investment cost of \$10,104,629. This compares to last year when 15 investments were made at a total cost of \$158,429,971 with an average term of 111 days and average individual investment cost of \$8,801,665. The predominant strategy is to allocate funds to the investment bank accounts and monthly rebalance the portfolio using government instruments to manage sector weights.

Funds held in the investment bank accounts, including term deposits, totaled \$241,085,450 by the end of the quarter. Incremental income over BA's and BDN's, using a rate of 1.75% as a proxy for the BA and BDN rates, was \$163,097 for the quarter.

The cumulative incremental gross investment income from the 2007 policy change that expanded the non-government sector weight was \$3,315,880 or a \$181,288 increase during the guarter.

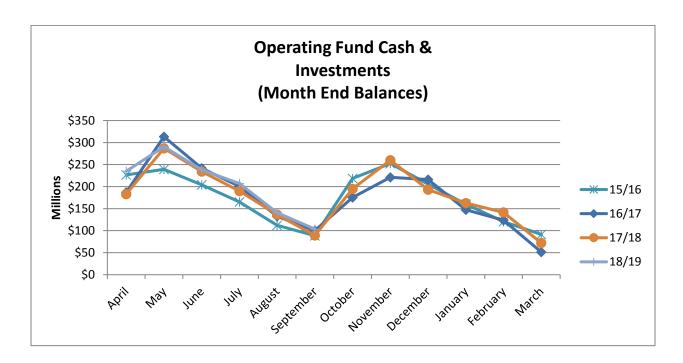
HRM Short Term Bond Pool

There were no maturities in the bond pool during the quarter. At the end of the quarter the bond pool consisted of \$2,000,000 of bonds with a simple average yield of 2.58%. The bonds mature in December 2018. Staff will continue to look for opportunities to add to the bond portfolio.



Cash Flows

Cash available for operating is \$14,000,000 higher than the previous year due mainly to the timing of funds received.



Subsequent to End of Reporting Quarter

On October 24, 2018 the Bank of Canada raised its target for the overnight rate from 1.50% to 1.75%. On November 8, 2018 the Federal Open Market Committee maintained its target range for the federal funds rate at 2.00%-2.25%. On December 5, 2018 the Bank of Canada maintained its target for the overnight rate at 1.75%.

Outlook & Strategy

The investment bank accounts, which are for the most part linked to the commercial bank prime rates, are continuing to provide better returns than are available from BA's and government instruments.

The dominant strategy will again be to maximize returns from the investment bank accounts, keeping in mind that their liquidity adds a safety factor, while looking for opportunities in the government half of the portfolio.

Policy Compliance

Objectives:

<u>Preservation of Capital</u> - There was no loss of capital during the quarter.

<u>Liquidity</u> - No overdraft charges were incurred and sufficient cash was available to meet all requirements.

<u>Competitive Return on Investments</u> - The rate of return was above the 5th percentile for the quarter ending September 30, 2018 before allowing for fees that could have been paid to an external management firm. As a result, staff maintains that the rate of return objective of the Investment Policy has been met.

Strategies:

<u>Diversification of Investment Portfolio</u> - Staff believe that diversification has been adequately maintained under the constraints of the Policy.

<u>Regular Review of Performance</u> - Performance data continues to be reported to the Investment Policy Advisory Committee.

<u>Risk Management Approach</u> – In implementing investment decisions staff seek a balance between the objectives of the Policy and the risks inherent in markets to look to achieve an optimal rate of return.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

As discussed above, operating income for the six months ending September 30, 2018 was \$1,692,682 versus a projection of \$1,600,000 due to higher cashflows. The actual rate of return matched the projected rate and was 0.50% for the period.

RISK CONSIDERATIONS

There are no significant risks associated with the recommendations in this report.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Investment activities are reported quarterly to the Investment Policy Advisory Committee. The majority of members of this Committee (4 of 6) are volunteers from the general public. The Committee reports to the Audit and Finance Committee of Council quarterly on staff's compliance with the Investment Policy. In addition, the Committee conducts an annual review of the Investment Policy and makes recommendations for any changes considered appropriate.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS

N/A

ALTERNATIVES

N/A

ATTACHMENTS

Sector Weight Schedules @ September 30, 2018 (Schedules A, B, C, D & E)

Appendix A - Economic Statistics and Central Bank Actions

Appendix B - List of Eligible Investments

Appendix C - DBRS Rating Scale

A copy of this report can be obtained online at <u>halifax.ca</u> or by contacting the Office of the Municipal Clerk at 902.490.4210.

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Appendix A

Economic Statistics	Canada			US				
	Jul	Aug	Sept	Jul	Aug	Sept		
Unemployment Rate	5.8%	6.0%	5.9%	3.9%	3.9%	3.7%		
Jobs Created / (Lost) ('000's)	54	(52)	63	165	286	118		
CPI (year over year)	3.0%	2.8%	2.2%	2.9%	2.7%	2.3%		
CPI-X (Core) (year over year)	1.6%	1.7%	1.5%	2.4%	2.2%	2.2%		
GDP (annualized)	Q3: 2.9%			Q3: 4.2%				

Date	Central Bank	Central Bank Action
Jan 17, 2018	Bank of Canada	Raised overnight rate to 1.25%.
Jan 31, 2018	U.S. Federal Open Market Committee	Maintain target range of 1.25%-1.50%.
Mar 7, 2018	Bank of Canada	Maintained overnight rate at 1.25%.
Mar 21, 2018	U.S. Federal Open Market Committee	Raised target range to 1.50%-1.75%.
Apr 18, 2018	Bank of Canada	Maintained overnight rate at 1.25%.
May 2, 2018	U.S. Federal Open Market Committee	Maintain target range of 1.50%-1.75%.
May 30, 2018	Bank of Canada	Maintained overnight rate at 1.25%.
Jun 13, 2018	U.S. Federal Open Market Committee	Raised target range to 1.75%-2.00%.
July 11, 2018	Bank of Canada	Raised overnight rate to 1.50%.
Aug 1, 2018	U.S. Federal Open Market Committee	Maintained target range at 1.75%-2.00%.
Sept 5, 2018	Bank of Canada	Maintained overnight rate at 1.50%.
Sept 26, 2018	U.S. Federal Open Market Committee	Raised target range to 2.00%-2.25%.
Oct 24, 2018	Bank of Canada	Raised overnight rate to 1.75%.
Nov 8, 2018	U.S. Federal Open Market Committee	Maintain target range of 2.00%-2.25%.
Dec 5, 2018	Bank of Canada	Maintained overnight rate at 1.75%.

Appendix B

<u>List of Eligible Investments</u>

The Government of Canada & Its Guarantees:

Federal Government

Business Development Bank

Canada Mortgage & Housing Corporation

Canadian Wheat Board

Export Development Canada

Farm Credit Corporation

Provincial Governments & Their Guarantees:

The Province of Alberta & Its Guarantees

The Province of British Columbia & Its Guarantees

The Province of Manitoba & Its Guarantees

The Province of New Brunswick & Its Guarantees

The Province of Ontario & Its Guarantees

The Province of Quebec & Its Guarantees

The Province of Saskatchewan & Its Guarantees

The Province of Nova Scotia

Municipal Governments & Their Guarantees:

The Municipality of Calgary & Its Guarantees

Financial Institutions & Their Guarantees (Tier 1):

The Bank of Montreal & Its Guarantees

The Bank of Nova Scotia & Its Guarantees

Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce & Its Guarantees

Royal Bank of Canada & Its Guarantees

Toronto Dominion Bank & Its Guarantees

Financial Institutions & Corporations (Tier 2):

Desjardins Group
Caisse Centrale Desjardins
CDP Financial Inc.
National Bank of Canada
OMERS Finance Trust

Dominion Bond Rating Service (DBRS) Rating Scale

R-1 (high)

Short-term debt rated R-1 (high) is of the highest credit quality, and indicates an entity possessing unquestioned ability to repay current liabilities as they fall due. Entities rated in this category normally maintain strong liquidity positions, conservative debt levels, and profitability that is both stable and above average. Companies achieving an R-1 (high) rating are normally leaders in structurally sound industry segments with proven track records, sustainable positive future results, and no substantial qualifying negative factors. Given the extremely tough definition DBRS has established for an R-1 (high), few entities are strong enough to achieve this rating.

R-1 (middle)

Short-term debt rated R-1 (middle) is of superior credit quality and, in most cases, ratings in this category differ from R-1 (high) credits by only a small degree. Given the extremely tough definition DBRS has established for the R-1 (high) category, entities rated R-1 (middle) are also considered strong credits, and typically exemplify above average strength in key areas of consideration for the timely repayment of short-term liabilities.

R-1 (low)

Short-term debt rated R-1 (low) is of satisfactory credit quality. The overall strength and outlook for key liquidity, debt, and profitability ratios is not normally as favourable as with higher rating categories, but these considerations are still respectable. Any qualifying negative factors that exist are considered manageable, and the entity is normally of sufficient size to have some influence in its industry.

Total Portfolio
Sector Weights @ September 30, 2018 SCHEDULE A

Cumulative Amount Invested

@ Book Value Category Status Portfolio Guideline Limit \$ Limit \$ Available Guideline Limit % **CASH & EQUIVALENTS** Federal Government & its Guarantees Federal Government Business Development Bank Open Open 0% 0% 0% 0% 344,224,388 100% 344,224,388 100% Open Open 0 Canada Mortgage & Housing Corp. Canadian Wheat Board . Open 0% Export Development Canada Farm Credit Corp 0 0% Provincial Governments & their Guarantees 344,224,388 100% R-1 Mid or Greater 64,902,210 279,322,178 81% 19% Total Alberta (R-1 High) Alberta (R-1 High) Open 45,052,009 13% 100,000,000 54,947,991 45.052.009 Alberta (R-1 High)
Alberta Treasury Branches (R-1 High)
Alberta Treasury Branches (R-1 High)
British Columbia (R-1 High)
Manitoba (R-1 Mid) 100,000,000 100,000,000 Open 0 0% 0% 0% 0% 0% 6% Open 100,000,000 100,000,000 New Brunswick (R-1 Mid)
Nova Scotia (R-1 Mid)
Ontario (R-1 Mid)
Quebec (R-1 Mid) Open 0 100.000.000 100.000.000 Open Open Open 0 100.000.000 100.000.000 100,000,000 Quebec 19,850,200 Financement Quebec 0 Hydro Quebec Saskatchewan (R-1 High) 0 Open 0% 100,000,000 100.000.000 R-1 Mid or Greater 0 inicipal Governments & their Guarantees Calgary (R-1 High) Open 34,422,439 10% 34,422,439 10% Financial Institutions & their Guarantees /Corporations 277.257.908 81% 172.112.194 50% -105.145.714 -31% BA's Schedule A Canadian Banks R-1 Tier 1 - Financial Institutions & their Guarantees 172,112,194 50% 232,166,794 -60,054,600 -17% 11% Bank of Montreal (R-1 High) Open 39,532,235 75,000,000 35,467,765 BMO - Instruments BMO - Institution is BMO - Account
Bank of Nova Scotia (R-1 High)
Bank of Nova Scotia Effective Cash
Bank of Nova Scotia - Notice Account 39 532 235 46,172,458 36,172,458 Open 75,000,000 28,827,542 10,000,000 Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce (R-1 High)
CIBC - Instuments
CIBC - Account
Royal Bank (R-1 High) Open 53.317.753 15% 75.000.000 21.682.247 53,317,753 45,144,348 Open 13% 75,000,000 29,855,652 RBC - Instuments RBC - Account 45,144,348 Toronto Dominion (R-1 High) Open 48,000,000 14% 75.000.000 27.000.000 48,000,000 Tier 2 - Financial Institutions & Corporations R-1 Mid/High* 45,091,114 86,056,097 25% 40,964,983 12% 13% 13% 0% 0% 0% National Bank of Canada (R-1 Mid) Open 45.091.114 50.000.000 4.908.886 OMERS Realty Corporation (R-1 High)
CDP Financial Inc (R-1 High)
Desjardins Total Desjardins Group (R-1 High)
Caisse Centale Desjardins (R-1 High) Open Open 0 342,160,118 Total Cash and Equivalents Federal Government & its Guarantees Money Market
Reserves - Bond Pool
Canada Mortgage & Housing Corp. 0 0% 35.381.220 20% 35.381.220 20% 0% 0% 163,944,195 163,944,195 0 163 944 195 100% 100% 163,944,195 **Provincial Government & their Guarantees** 2,057,860 1% 1% 35,381,220 33,323,360 19% 3% Money Market Alberta 35,381,220 20% 4.650.241 0% 17,690,610 10% 17,690,610 10% Alberta Alberta Capital Finance Authority Alberta Treasury Branches British Columbia 0 1% 17.690.610 10% 15,632,750 9% 0% 0% 0% 0% 10% 10% 10% 10% Manitoba 17.690.610 10% 17.690.610 New Brunswick Nova Scotia 10% 10% 10% 10% 10% 17,690,610 17,690,610 17,690,610 17 690 610 0 0 0 0% 17,690,610 Quebec 17,690,610 10% Quebec 0 Financement Quebec Hydro Quebec Saskatewan 0 17,690,610 17,690,610 0% 10% 10% Bond Pool 2,057,860 30,730,979 32,788,839 20% 19% 1% Alberta 0% 16.394.420 10% 16.394.420 10% Alberta 0 Alberta Capital Finance Authority Alberta Treasury Branches British Columbia 2,057,860 16,394,420 10% 14,336,559 Manitoba 0 0% 16.394.420 10% 16.394.420 10% New Brunswick 0 0% 16.394.420 10% 16.394.420 10% Nova Scotia Ontario 0 0 0 0% 0% 0% 10% 10% 10% 10% 16 394 420 16,394,420 16,394,420 16,394,420 16,394,420 16,394,420 16,394,420 Quebec 10% 10% Quebec 0% 0% 0% 1% Financement Quebec 0 16,394,420 10% 10% 16,394,420 10% 16 394 420 Hydro Queb 16 394 420 10% 16,394,420 16,394,420 **32,788,839** 10% 10% **20%** 16 304 420 2,057,860 Equities Bank of Montreal 6.410 6,410 344,224,388 29,000,000 Interest Bearing Bank Accounts - O/S Cheque Coverage Total Investments and O/S Cheques Coverage 373,224,388

Operating Funds Sector Weights @ September 30, 2018

		Cumulative		Cuidalina Linait			
	Category Status	Amount Invested @ Book Value	%	Guideline Limit (%)	%	Limit Available	%
CASH & EQUIVALENTS							
Federal Government & its Guarantees Federal Government	Open Open	0 0	0% 0%	141,511,296	100%	141,511,296	100%
Business Development Bank	Open	0	0%				
Canada Mortgage & Housing Corp. Canadian Wheat Board	Open	0	0% 0%				
Export Development Canada	Open Open	0	0%				
Farm Credit Corp	Open	0	0%				
Provincial Governments & their Guarantees	R-1 Mid or Greater	26,842,391	19%	141,511,296	100%	114,668,905	81%
Total Alberta (R-1 High) Alberta (R-1 High)	Open Open	18,632,704 18,632,704	13%	35,377,824	25%	16,745,120	12%
Alberta Capital Finance Authority (R-1 High)	Open	0	0%				
Alberta Treasury Branches (R-1 High) British Columbia (R-1 High)	Open Open	0	0% 0%	35,377,824	25%	35,377,824	25%
Manitoba (R-1 Mid)	Open	0	0%	35,377,824	25%	35,377,824	25%
New Brunswick (R-1 Mid)	Open	0	0%	35,377,824	25%	35,377,824	25% 25%
Nova Scotia (R-1 Mid) Ontario (R-1 Mid)	Open Open	0	0% 0%	35,377,824 35,377,824	25% 25%	35,377,824 35,377,824	25% 25%
Quebec (R-1 Mid) Quebec	Open	8,209,687 8,209,687	6%	35,377,824	25%	27,168,137	19%
Financement Quebec		0,209,667					
Hydro Quebec Saskatchewan (R-1 High)	Open	0	0%	35,377,824	25%	35,377,824	25%
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Municipal Governments & their Guarantees* Calgary (R-1 High)	R-1 Mid or Greater Open	0		35,377,824 14,151,130	25% 10%	35,377,824 14,151,130	25% 10%
Financial Institutions & their Guarantees /Corpora	tions	114,668,905	81%	70,755,648	50%	-43,913,257	-31%
	BA's Schedule A	,000,000	3170	. 5,1 55,540	-0/0	.0,010,201	2170
Tier 1 - Financial Institutions & their Guarantees	Canadian Banks R-1 Mid	96,020,028	68%	70,755,648	50%	-25,264,380	-18%
Bank of Montreal (R-1 High)	Open	16,349,825	12%	14,151,130	10%	-2,198,695	-2%
BMO - Instruments BMO - Account		0 16,349,825					
Bank of Nova Scotia (R-1 High)	Open	19,096,102	13%	14,151,130	10%	-4,944,972	-3%
Bank of Nova Scotia Effective Cash Bank of Nova Scotia - Notice Account		14,960,281 4,135,821					
Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce (R-1 High)	Open	22,051,267	16%	14,151,130	10%	-7,900,138	-6%
CIBC - Instuments CIBC - Account		0 22,051,267					
Royal Bank (R-1 High)	Open	18,670,894	13%	14,151,130	10%	-4,519,764	-3%
RBC - Instuments RBC - Account		0 18,670,894					
Toronto Dominion (R-1 High)	Open	19,851,940	14%	14,151,130	10%	-5,700,811	-4%
TD - Instuments TD - Account		0 19,851,940					
Tion 2 Financial Institutions 8 Cornerations	D 4 Mid/Linh***	40 640 077	120/	25 277 924	250/	16 720 047	100/
Tier 2 - Financial Institutions & Corporations National Bank of Canada (R-1 Mid)	R-1 Mid/High*** Open	18,648,877 18,648,877	13% 13%	35,377,824 7,075,565	25% 5%	16,728,947 -11,573,312	12% -8%
OMERS Realty Corporation (R-1 High)	Open	0	0%	7,075,565	5%	7,075,565	5%
CDP Financial Inc (R-1 High) Desjardins Total	Open	0	0% 0%	7,075,565 7,075,565	5% 5%	7,075,565 7,075,565	5% 5%
Desjardins Group (R-1 High)	Open	0					
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Total Investments		141,511,296	100%				
Federal Government & its Guarantees		0	00/	20 202 250	200/	20 202 250	200/
Money Market Reserves - Bond Pool		0	0% 0%	28,302,259 28,302,259	20% 100%	28,302,259 28,302,259	20% 20%
Canada Mortgage & Housing Corp.		0					
Provincial Government & their Guarantees		0	0%	28,302,259	20%	28,302,259	20%
Money Market Alberta		0	0%	28,302,259	20% 10%	28,302,259	20% 10%
Alberta		0	0%	14,151,130	10%	14,151,130	10%
Alberta Capital Finance Authority Alberta Treasury Branches		0					
British Columbia		0	0%	14,151,130	10%	14,151,130	10%
Manitoba New Bruswick		0	0% 0%	14,151,130 14,151,130	10% 10%	14,151,130 14,151,130	10% 10%
Nova Scotia		0	0%	14,151,130	10%	14,151,130	10%
Ontario Quebec		0	0% 0%	14,151,130 14,151,130	10% 10%	14,151,130 14,151,130	10% 10%
Quebec		0	0 /6	14,131,130	10 /6	14,131,130	10 /0
Financement Quebec Hydro Quebec		0					
Saskatewan		0	0%	14,151,130	10%	14,151,130	10%
Bond Pool		0	0%	28,302,259	20%	28,302,259	20%
Alberta		0	0%	14,151,130	10%	14,151,130	10%
Alberta Alberta Capital Finance Authority		0					
Alberta Treasury Branches		0					
British Columbia Manitoba		0	0% 0%	14,151,130 14,151,130	10% 10%	14,151,130 14,151,130	10% 10%
New Bruswick		0	0%	14,151,130	10%	14,151,130	10%
Nova Scotia Ontario		0	0% 0%	14,151,130 14,151,130	10% 10%	14,151,130 14,151,130	10% 10%
Quebec		0	0%	14,151,130	10%	14,151,130	10%
Quebec Financement Quebec		0					
Hydro Quebec							
Saskatewan Total Fixed		0	0% 0%	14,151,130 28,302,259	10% 20%	14,151,130 28,302,259	10% 20%
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Total Investments		141,511,296					
Interest Bearing Bank Accounts - O/S Cheque Cover	age	29,000,000	*				

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Total Investments and O/S Cheques Coverage

Capital Funds Sector Weights @ September 30, 2018

		Cumulative Amount Invested					
	Category Status	@ Book Value	%	Guideline Limit	%	Limit Available	%
CASH & EQUIVALENTS							
Federal Government & its Guarantees Federal Government	Open Open	0 0	0% 0%	0	100%	0	0%
Business Development Bank	Open	0	0%				
Canada Mortgage & Housing Corp. Canadian Wheat Board	Open Open	0	0% 0%				
Export Development Canada	Open						
Farm Credit Corp	Open	0	0%				
Provincial Governments & their Guarantees	R-1 Mid or Greater	0	0%	0	100%	0	0%
Total Alberta (R-1 High) Alberta (R-1 High)	Open Open	0	0%	0	25%	0	0%
Alberta Capital Finance Authority (R-1 High)	Open	0 0					
Alberta Treasury Branches (R-1 High) British Columbia (R-1 High)	Open Open	0	0%	0	25%	0	0%
Manitoba (R-1 Mid)	Open	0 0	0% 0%	0	25% 25%	0	0% 0%
New Brunswick (R-1 Mid) Nova Scotia (R-1 Mid)	Open Open	U	0%	0	25% 25%	0	0%
Ontario (R-1 Mid) Quebec (R-1 Mid)	Open Open	0	0% 0%	0	25% 25%	0	0% 0%
Quebec	Орен	O .	070	0	2070	O	0 70
Financement Quebec Hydro Quebec							
Saskatchewan (R-1 High)	Open		0%	0	25%	0	0%
Municipal Governments & their Guarantees*	R-1 Mid or Greater	0		0	25%	0	0%
Calgary (R-1 High)	Open			0	10%	0	0%
Financial Institutions & their Guarantees /Corpora		0	0%	0	50%	0	0%
	BA's Schedule A Canadian Banks R-1						
Tier 1 - Financial Institutions & their Guarantees	Mid	0	0%	0	50%	0	0%
Bank of Montreal (R-1 High) BMO - Instruments	Open	0 0	0%	0	10%	0	0%
BMO - Account Bank of Nova Scotia (R-1 High)	Onen	0 0	0%	0	10%	0	0%
Bank of Nova Scotia (R-1 riigh)	Open	0	0%	U	10%	U	0%
Bank of Nova Scotia - Notice Account Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce (R-1 High)	Open	0	0%	0	10%	0	0%
CIBC - Instuments	Орон	0	070	0	1070	Ū	070
CIBC - Account Royal Bank (R-1 High)	Open	0	0%	0	10%	0	0%
RBC - Instuments		0					
RBC - Account Toronto Dominion (R-1 High)	Open	0 0	0%	0	10%	0	0%
TD - Instuments	•	0 0					
TD - Account		U					
Tier 2 - Financial Institutions & Corporations National Bank of Canada (R-1 Mid)	R-1 Mid/High*** Open	0 0	0% 0%	0 0	25% 5%	0 0	0% 0%
OMERS Realty Corporation (R-1 High)	Open	0	0%	0	5%	0	0%
CDP Financial Inc (R-1 High) Desjardins Total	Open	0 0	0% 0%	0	5% 5%	0	0% 0%
Desjardins Group (R-1 High)	Open	0					
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Total Investments		0	0%				
Federal Government & its Guarantees							
Money Market Reserves - Bond Pool		0 0	0 0%	0	20% 100%	0	20% 0%
Canada Mortgage & Housing Corp.		0	0,0	v	100%	· ·	070
Provincial Government & their Guarantees		0	0%	0	20%	0	0%
Money Market Alberta		0 0	0% 0%	0 0	20% 10%	0 0	0% 0%
Alberta			0 /6	U	10 /6	U	0 /6
Alberta Capital Finance Authority Alberta Treasury Branches		0					
British Columbia		0	0%	0	10%	0	0%
Manitoba New Bruswick		0 0	0% 0%	0	10% 10%	0	0% 0%
Nova Scotia		0	00/	0	400/	0	00/
Ontario Quebec		0 0	0% 0%	0 0	10% 10%	0	0% 0%
Quebec Financement Quebec		0					
Hydro Quebec							
Saskatewan		0	0%	0	10%	0	0%
Bond Pool Alberta		0 0	0% 0%	0 0	20% 10%	0 0	0% 0%
Alberta		0	0%	U	10%	U	U%
Alberta Capital Finance Authority Alberta Treasury Branches		0 0					
British Columbia		0	0%	0	10%	0	0%
Manitoba New Bruswick		0	0% 0%	0	10% 10%	0	0% 0%
Nova Scotia							
Ontario Quebec		0 0	0% 0%	0 0	10% 10%	0	0% 0%
Quebec Financement Quebec		0 0					
Hydro Quebec							
Saskatewan Total Fixed		<u>0</u>	0% 0%	0 0	10% 20%	0	0% 0%
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Total Investments		0					
Interest Bearing Bank Accounts - O/S Cheque Cover	age	0	*				
Total Investments and O/S Cheques Coverage		0					

Reserve Funds Sector Weights @ September 30, 2018

Sec	tor weights @ September 30	, 2016					
		Cumulative					
		Amount Invested					
	Category Status	@ Book Value	%	Guideline Limit	%	Limit Available	%
CASH & EQUIVALENTS							
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Federal Government & its Guarantees	Open	0	0%	199,126,098	100%	199,126,098	100%
Federal Government	Open	0	0%				
Business Development Bank	Open	0	0%				
Canada Mortgage & Housing Corp.	Open	0	0%				
Canadian Wheat Board Export Development Canada	Open	0	0%				
Farm Credit Corp	Open Open	0	0%				
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Provincial Governments & their Guarantees	R-1 Mid or Greater	37,380,640	19%	199,126,098	100%	161,745,459	81%
Total Alberta (R-1 High)	Open	25,947,852	13%	49,781,525	25%	23,833,673	12%
Alberta (R-1 High)	Open	25,947,852					
Alberta Capital Finance Authority (R-1 High)	Open	0					
Alberta Treasury Branches (R-1 High)	Open	0 0	0%	40 704 EDE	250/	47 702 664	249/
British Columbia (R-1 High) Manitoba (R-1 Mid)	Open Open	0	0% 0%	49,781,525 49,781,525	25% 25%	47,723,664 49,781,525	24% 25%
New Brunswick (R-1 Mid)	Open	0	0%	49,781,525	25%	49,781,525	25%
Nova Scotia (R-1 Mid)	Open	0	070	49,781,525	25%	49,781,525	25%
Ontario (R-1 Mid)	Open	0	0%	49,781,525	25%	49,781,524	25%
Quebec (R-1 Mid)	Open	11,432,788	6%	49,781,525	25%	38,348,737	19%
Quebec		11,432,788					
Financement Quebec		0					
Hydro Quebec		0	00/	40 704 505	050/	10 704 505	050/
Saskatchewan (R-1 High)	Open	0	0%	49,781,525	25%	49,781,525	25%
Municipal Governments & their Guarantees*	R-1 Mid or Greater	0		49,781,525	25%	49,781,525	25%
Calgary (R-1 High)	Open	-		19,912,610	10%	19,912,610	10%
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Financial Institutions & their Guarantees /Corpora	tions	159,687,599	80%	99,563,049	50%	-60,124,549	-30%
	BA's Schedule A						
Tier 1 - Financial Institutions & their Guarantees	Canadian Banks R-1 Mid	133,717,224	67%	99,563,049	50%	-34,154,175	-17%
Bank of Montreal (R-1 High)	Open	22,768,720	11%	19,912,610	10%	-2,856,110	-1%
BMO - Instruments	-1	0		- /- /		,,	
BMO - Account		22,768,720					
Bank of Nova Scotia (R-1 High)	Open	26,593,178	13%	19,912,610	10%	-6,680,568	-3%
Bank of Nova Scotia Effective Cash		20,833,645					
Bank of Nova Scotia - Notice Account	_	5,759,533					
Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce (R-1 High)	Open	30,708,534	15%	19,912,610	10%	-10,795,924	-5%
CIBC - Instuments		0					
CIBC - Account Royal Bank (R-1 High)	Open	30,708,534 26,001,035	13%	19,912,610	10%	-6,088,425	-3%
RBC - Instuments	Ореп	20,001,033	1370	13,312,010	10 /0	-0,000,423	-370
RBC - Account		26,001,035					
Toronto Dominion (R-1 High)	Open	27,645,757	14%	19,912,610	10%	-7,733,147	-4%
TD - Instuments	·	0					
TD - Account		27,645,757					
Tier 2 - Financial Institutions & Corporations	R-1 Mid/High***	25 070 274	13%	40 704 F0F	25%	23,811,150	12%
National Bank of Canada (R-1 Mid)	Open	25,970,374 25,970,374	13%	49,781,525 9,956,305	5%	-16,014,070	-8%
OMERS Realty Corporation (R-1 High)	Open	25,570,574	0%	9,956,305	5%	9,956,305	5%
CDP Financial Inc (R-1 High)	Open	0	0%	9,956,305	5%	9,956,305	5%
Desjardins Total	-1	0	0%	9,956,305	5%	9,956,305	5%
Desjardins Group (R-1 High)	Open	0					
Caisse Centale Desjardins (R-1 High)	Open	0					
Total Cook and Equivalents	=	197,068,238	99%				
Total Cash and Equivalents		197,000,230	33 /0				
Federal Government & its Guarantees							
Money Market		0	0%	0	20%	0	0%
Reserves - Bond Pool		0	0%	199,126,098	100%	199,126,098	100%
Canada Mortgage & Housing Corp.		0					
Provincial Government & their Guarantees		2,057,860	1%	99,563,049	50%	97,505,189	49%
Money Market		0	1%	99,563,049	50%	97,505,189	49%
Alberta		0	0%	19,912,610	10%	19,912,610	10%
Alberta		0					
Alberta Capital Finance Authority		0					
Alberta Treasury Branches							
British Columbia		0	1%	19,912,610	10%	17,854,750	9%
Manitoba New Bruswick		0 0	0% 0%	19,912,610 19,912,610	10% 10%	19,912,610 19,912,610	10% 10%
Nova Scotia		0	0% 0%	19,912,610	10%	19,912,610	10%
Ontario		0	0%	19,912,610	10%	19,912,610	10%
Quebec		0	0%	19,912,610	10%	19,912,610	10%
Quebec		0					
Financement Quebec		0					
Hydro Quebec		2	00/	40.040.040	400/	40.040.040	400/
Saskatewan		0	0%	19,912,610	10%	19,912,610	10%
Bond Pool		2,057,860	1%	99,563,049	50%	97,505,189	49%
Alberta		0	0%	19,912,610	10%	19,912,610	10%
Alberta		0					
Alberta Capital Finance Authority		0					
Alberta Treasury Branches		0	40/	40.040.040	4007	47.054.750	001
British Columbia		2,057,860	1% 0%	19,912,610 19,912,610	10%	17,854,750 19,912,610	9% 10%
Manitoba New Bruswick		0	0% 0%	19,912,610	10% 10%	19,912,610	10% 10%
Nova Scotia		0	0%	19,912,610	10%	19,912,610	10%
Ontario		0	0%	19,912,610	10%	19,912,610	10%
Quebec		0	0%	19,912,610	10%	19,912,610	10%
Quebec		0					
Financement Quebec		0					
Hydro Quebec		•	001	40.040.040	4007	40.040.040	400/
Saskatewan Total Fixed	-	2,057,860	0% 1%	19,912,610 199,126,098	10% 100%	19,912,610 197,068,238	10% 99%
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Total Investments		199,126,098					

Trust Funds Sector Weights @ September 30, 2018

		Cumulative					
	Category Status	Amount Invested @ Book Value	%	Guideline Limit	%	Limit Available	%
CASH & EQUIVALENTS							
Federal Government & its Guarantees	Open	0	0%	3,586,993	100%	3,586,993	100%
Federal Government	Open	0	0%				
Business Development Bank Canada Mortgage & Housing Corp.	Open Open	0	0% 0%				
Canadian Wheat Board	Open	0	0%				
Export Development Canada Farm Credit Corp	Open Open	0	0%				
			0		4000/		0.407
Provincial Governments & their Guarantees Total Alberta (R-1 High)	R-1 Mid or Greater Open	679,178 471,453	19% 13%	3,586,993 896,748	100% 25%	2,907,815 425,295	81% 12%
Alberta (R-1 High)	Open	471,453		,		,	
Alberta Capital Finance Authority (R-1 High) Alberta Treasury Branches (R-1 High)	Open Open	0	0%				
British Columbia (R-1 High)	Open	0	0%	896,748	25%	896,748	25%
Manitoba (R-1 Mid) New Brunswick (R-1 Mid)	Open Open	0	0% 0%	896,748 896,748	25% 25%	896,748 896,748	25% 25%
Nova Scotia (R-1 Mid)	Open	0	0%	896,748	25%	896,748	25%
Ontario (R-1 Mid) Quebec (R-1 Mid)	Open Open	0 207,725	0% 6%	896,748 896,748	25% 25%	896,748 689,023	25% 19%
Quebec (K-1 Mid)	Ореп	201,125	0 //	090,740	25/6	009,023	1970
Financement Quebec Hydro Quebec							
Saskatchewan (R-1 High)	Open	0	0%	896,748	25%	896,748	25%
Municipal Governments & their Guarantees*	R-1 Mid or Greater	0		896,748	25%	896,748	25%
Calgary (R-1 High)	Open	Ü		358,699	10%	358,699	10%
Financial Institutions & their Guarantees /Corpora		2,901,405	81%	1,793,497	50%	-1,107,908	-31%
	BA's Schedule A						
Tier 1 - Financial Institutions & their Guarantees	Canadian Banks R-1 Mid	2,429,543	68%	1,793,497	50%	-636,046	-18%
Bank of Montreal (R-1 High)	Open	413,691	12%	358,699	10%	-54,991	-2%
BMO - Instruments BMO - Account		0 413,691					
Bank of Nova Scotia (R-1 High)	Open	483,178	13%	358,699	10%	-124,479	-3%
Bank of Nova Scotia Effective Cash Bank of Nova Scotia - Notice Account		378,532 104,646					
Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce (R-1 High)	Open	557,951	16%	358,699	10%	-199,252	-6%
CIBC - Instuments CIBC - Account		0 557,951					
Royal Bank (R-1 High)	Open	472,419	13%	358,699	10%	-113,720	-3%
RBC - Instuments RBC - Account		0 472,419					
Toronto Dominion (R-1 High)	Open	502,303	14%	358,699	10%	-143,604	-4%
TD - Instuments TD - Account		0 502,303					
		302,000					
Tier 2 - Financial Institutions & Corporations National Bank of Canada (R-1 Mid)	R-1 Mid/High*** Open	471,862 471,862	13% 13%	896,748 179,350	25% 5%	424,886 -292,513	12% -8%
OMERS Realty Corporation (R-1 High)	Open	0	0%	179,350	5%	179,350	5%
CDP Financial Inc (R-1 High) Desjardins Total	Open	0 0	0% 0%	179,350 179,350	5% 5%	179,350 179,350	5% 5%
Desjardins Group (R-1 High)	Open	0	0 78	179,550	370	179,550	378
Caisse Centale Desjardins (R-1 High)	Open	0					
Total Cash and Equivalents		3,580,583	100%				
Federal Government & its Guarantees							
Money Market Reserves - Bond Pool		0	0% 0%	0 3,586,993	20%	0 3,586,993	0% 100%
Canada Mortgage & Housing Corp.		0	0 76	3,360,993	100 /6	3,360,993	100%
Provincial Government & their Guarantees		0	0%	3,586,993	100%	3,586,993	100%
Money Market		0	100%	3,586,993		3,586,993	100%
Alberta Alberta		0	0%	358,699	10%	358,699	10%
Alberta Capital Finance Authority		0					
Alberta Treasury Branches British Columbia		0	0%	259 600	100/	259 600	10%
Manitoba		0	0%	358,699 358,699	10% 10%	358,699 358,699	10%
New Bruswick		0	0%	358,699	10%	358,699	10%
Nova Scotia Ontario		0	0% 0%	358,699 358,699	10% 10%	358,699 358,699	10% 10%
Quebec		0	0%	358,699	10%	358,699	10%
Quebec Financement Quebec		0 0					
Hydro Quebec Saskatewan		0	00/	359 600	10%	359 600	10%
Saskatewari		U	0%	358,699	10 /6	358,699	10 /6
Bond Pool		0	0%	3,586,993	100%	3,586,993	100%
Alberta Alberta		0 0	0%	358,699	10%	358,699	10%
Alberta Capital Finance Authority		0					
Alberta Treasury Branches British Columbia		0 0	0%	358,699	10%	358,699	10%
Manitoba		0	0%	358,699	10%	358,699	10%
New Bruswick Nova Scotia		0 0	0% 0%	358,699 358,699	10% 10%	358,699 358,699	10% 10%
Ontario		0	0%	358,699	10%	358,699	10%
Quebec Quebec		0 0	0%	358,699	10%	358,699	10%
Financement Quebec		0					
Hydro Quebec Saskatewan		0	0%	358,699	10%	358,699	10%
Total Fixed		0	- · ·	,		,	
Equities							
Bank of Montreal Total Equities		6,410 6,410					
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Total Investments