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## **Financial Statements**

For the Year Ended 31 December 2023

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# Auditor's Independence Declaration to the Responsible Persons of GEORGES RIVER COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH

I declare that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, during the year ended 31 December 2023, there have been:

(i) no contraventions of the auditor independence requirements as set out in section 60-40 of the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012* in relation to the audit; and

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(ii) no contraventions of any applicable code of professional conduct in relation to the audit.

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A F Gilbert, CA Director

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## Statement of Profit or Loss and Other Comprehensive Income For the Year Ended 31 December 2023

		2023	2022
	Note	\$	\$
Interest income		13,523	3,312
Revenue	3	1,201,743	1,194,092
Employee benefits expense		(891,385)	(828,494)
Depreciation		(39,250)	(39,250)
Other expenses	4	(334,870)	(316,937)
Surplus/(deficit) before income tax Income tax expense	_	(50,239) -	12,723
Total surplus/(deficit) for the year	_	(50,239)	12,723

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

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## **Statement of Financial Position**

As At 31 December 2023

		2023	2022
	Note	\$	\$
ASSETS			
CURRENT ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	5	594,349	632,462
Trade and other receivables	6	11,393	4,700
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	_	605,742	637,162
NON-CURRENT ASSETS			
Property, plant and equipment	7	7,364,500	6,863,750
TOTAL NON-CURRENT ASSETS		7,364,500	6,863,750
TOTAL ASSETS	_	7,970,242	7,500,912
LIABILITIES CURRENT LIABILITIES			
Trade and other payables	8	58,766	77,581
Provisions	9	115,144	116,760
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		173,910	194,341
NON-CURRENT LIABILITIES			
TOTAL LIABILITIES		173,910	194,341
NET ASSETS		7,796,332	7,306,571
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EQUITY			
Reserves		3,100,000	2,560,000
Retained earnings	_	4,696,332	4,746,571
TOTAL EQUITY	=	7,796,332	7,306,571

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## Statement of Changes in Equity

For the Year Ended 31 December 2023

## 2023

	Retained Earnings	Asset Revaluation Surplus	Total
	\$	\$	\$
Balance at 1 January 2023	4,746,571	2,560,000	7,306,571
Profit for the year	(50,239)	-	(50,239)
Revaluation increment	-	540,000	540,000
Balance at 31 December 2023	4,696,332	3,100,000	7,796,332

2022

	Retained Earnings	Asset Revaluation Surplus	Total
	\$	\$	\$
Balance at 1 January 2022	4,733,848	1,610,000	6,343,848
Profit for the year	12,723	-	12,723
Revaluation increment	-	950,000	950,000
Balance at 31 December 2022	4,746,571	2,560,000	7,306,571

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## **Statement of Cash Flows**

## For the Year Ended 31 December 2023

		2023	2022
	Note	\$	\$
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:			
Receipts		1,195,050	1,201,521
Payments to suppliers and employees		(1,246,686)	(1,135,091)
Interest received	_	13,523	3,312
Net cash provided by/(used in) operating activities	11	(38,113)	69,742
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## CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES:

Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash			
equivalents held		(38,113)	69,742
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of year		632,462	562,720
Cash and cash equivalents at end of financial year	5	594,349	632,462

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## Notes to the Financial Statements

## For the Year Ended 31 December 2023

The financial report covers GEORGES RIVER COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH as an individual entity. GEORGES RIVER COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH is a not-for-profit unincorporated Association, registered and domiciled in Australia.

The principal activities of the Association for the year ended 31 December 2023 were activities of a christian church.

The functional and presentation currency of GEORGES RIVER COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH is Australian dollars.

Comparatives are consistent with prior years, unless otherwise stated.

#### 1 Basis of Preparation

In the opinion of those charged with Governance the Association is not a reporting entity since there are unlikely to exist users of the financial statements who are not able to command the preparation of reports tailored so as to satisfy specifically all of their information needs. These special purpose financial statements have been prepared to meet the reporting requirements of the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012*.

The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with the recognition and measurement requirements of the Australian Accounting Standards and Accounting Interpretations, and the disclosure requirements of AASB 101 *Presentation of Financial Statements*, AASB 107 *Statement of Cash Flows*, AASB 108 *Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors* and AASB 1054 *Australian Additional Disclosures*.

#### 2 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

#### (a) Income Tax

The Association is exempt from income tax under Division 50 of the Income Tax Assessment Act 1997.

#### (b) Revenue and other income

Revenue is recognised when the amount of the revenue can be measured reliably, it is probable that economic benefits associated with the transaction will flow to the Association and specific criteria relating to the type of revenue as noted below, has been satisfied.

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable and is presented net of returns, discounts and rebates.

#### Interest income

Interest is recognised using the effective interest method.

#### **Rental income**

Investment property revenue is recognised on a straight-line basis over a period of the lease term so as to reflect a constant periodic rate of return on the net investment.

#### Other income

Other income is recognised on an accruals basis when the Association is entitled to it.

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#### 2 Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

### (c) Goods and services tax (GST)

Revenue, expenses and assets are recognised net of the amount of goods and services tax (GST), except where the amount of GST incurred is not recoverable from the Australian Taxation Office (ATO).

Receivables and payables are stated inclusive of GST.

Cash flows in the statement of cash flows are included on a gross basis and the GST component of cash flows arising from investing and financing activities which is recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is classified as operating cash flows.

#### (d) Property, plant and equipment

Each class of property, plant and equipment is carried at cost or fair value less, where applicable, any accumulated depreciation and impairment.

Items of property, plant and equipment acquired for nil or nominal consideration have been recorded at the acquisition date fair value.

Assets measured using the revaluation model are carried at fair value at the revaluation date less any subsequent accumulated depreciation and impairment losses. Revaluations are performed whenever there is a material movement in the value of an asset under the revaluation model.

#### Land and buildings

Land and buildings are measured using the revaluation model.

#### Depreciation

Property, plant and equipment, excluding freehold land, is depreciated on a straight-line basis over the assets useful life to the Association, commencing this financial year.

The useful life of the building is determined to be 40 years.

#### (e) Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents comprises cash on hand, demand deposits and short-term investments which are readily convertible to known amounts of cash and which are subject to an insignificant risk of change in value.

Bank overdrafts also form part of cash equivalents for the purpose of the statement of cash flows and are presented within current liabilities on the statement of financial position.

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## Notes to the Financial Statements

## For the Year Ended 31 December 2023

#### 3 **Revenue and Other Income**

	2023	2022
	\$	\$
Revenue		
- Tithes and offerings	752,324	771,694
- Rental income	209,403	184,564
- Engage income	38,643	550
- Congregation income	8,700	2,024
- Embrace income	122,960	123,007
- Empower income	9,713	12,253
- Grants	60,000	100,000
	1,201,743	1,194,092

#### 4 Other Expenses

The result for the year includes the following specific expenses:

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	Other Expenses		
	- Audit fees	6,300	6,663
	- Advertising	146	547
	- Bank charges	4,999	4,180
	- Catering expenses	4,991	3,969
	- Cleaning	2,814	2,458
	- Electricity and water	8,148	8,989
	- Insurance	35,169	31,261
	- Office equipment	16,888	27,952
	- Training & development		
	expenses	10,531	-
	- Projects expenses	38,770	33,473
	- Other expenses	28,564	26,674
	- Telephone and fax	1,898	1,968
	- State association dues	20,000	20,000
	- Mission distributions	122,960	123,007
	- Property & building maintenance	32,692	25,798
		334,870	316,939
5	Cash and Cash Equivalents		
	Cash at bank and in hand	292,756	332,298
	Short-term deposits	301,593	300,164
		594,349	632,462
6	Trade and Other Receivables		
	CURRENT		
	Trade receivables	11,393	4,700
		11,393	4,700

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## For the Year Ended 31 December 2023

#### 7 Property, plant and equipment

	2023 \$	2022 \$
LAND AND BUILDINGS		
Land at valuation	6,030,000	5,490,000
Total land	6,030,000	5,490,000
Building at valuation	1,570,000	1,570,000
Accumulated depreciation	(235,500)	(196,250)
Total buildings	1,334,500	1,373,750
Total land and buildings	7,364,500	6,863,750

The land was measured at NSW Valuer General's valuation dated 1 July 2023.

### 8 Trade and Other Payables

	58,766	77,580
Payroll payables	29,346	34,284
Exempt benefits payable	19,296	29,422
GST payable	3,733	2,228
Deposits	9,433	9,433
Trade payables	(3,042)	2,213
Current		

Trade and other payables are unsecured, non-interest bearing and are normally settled within 30 days. The carrying value of trade and other payables is considered a reasonable approximation of fair value due to the short-term nature of the balances.

### 9 Provisions

CURRENT Employee leave provisions	101,763	87,547
Other provisions	13,381	29,213
	115,144	116,760

### 10 Contingencies

In the opinion of those charged with governance, the Association did not have any contingencies at 31 December 2023 (31 December 2022:None).

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### 11 Cash Flow Information

### (a) Reconciliation of result for the year to cashflows from operating activities

Reconciliation of net income to net cash provided by operating activities:

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(Deficit)/Surplus for the year	(50,239)	12,723
Cash flows excluded from profit attributable to operating activities		
Non-cash flows in profit:		
- depreciation	39,250	39,250
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
- (increase)/decrease in trade and other receivables	(6,693)	7,429
- increase/(decrease) in trade and other payables	(18,815)	1,464
- increase/(decrease) in provisions	(1,616)	8,876
Cashflows from operations	(38,113)	69,742

### 12 Statutory Information

The registered office and principal place of business of the association is: GEORGES RIVER COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH 23 Stanley Street, Peakhurst NSW 2210

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## **Responsible Persons' Declaration**

The responsible persons declare that in the responsible persons' opinion:

- there are reasonable grounds to believe that the registered entity is able to pay all of its debts, as and when they become due and payable; and
- the financial statements and notes satisfy the requirements of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012.

Signed in accordance with subsection 60.15(2) of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profit Commission Regulation 2013.

Responsible person Magavet thompson

Dated



## Independent Audit Report to the members of GEORGES RIVER COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH

#### Report on the Audit of the Financial Report

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial report of GEORGES RIVER COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH, which comprises the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2023, the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income, the statement of changes in equity and the statement of cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies, and the responsible persons' declaration.

In our opinion the financial report of GEORGES RIVER COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH has been prepared in accordance with Division 60 of the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012*, including:

- (i) giving a true and fair view of the Registered Entity's financial position as at 31 December 2023 and of its financial performance for the year ended; and
- (ii) complying with Australian Accounting Standards to the extent described in Note 1, and Division 60 of the Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Regulation 2013.

#### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report* section of our report. We are independent of the Registered Entity in accordance with the auditor independence requirements of the *Australian Charities and Not-for-profits Commission Act 2012* (ACNC Act) and the ethical requirements of the Accounting Professional and Ethical Standards Board's APES 110 *Code of Ethics for Professional Accountants* (the Code) that are relevant to our audit of the financial report in Australia. We have also fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the Code.

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

#### **Emphasis of Matter - Basis of Accounting**

We draw attention to Note 1 to the financial report, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial report has been prepared for the purpose of fulfilling the Registered Entity's financial reporting responsibilities under the ACNC Act. As a result, the financial report may not be suitable for another purpose. Our opinion is not modified in respect of this matter.

#### Responsibilities of Responsible Entities for the Financial Report

The responsible entities of the Registered Entity are responsible for the preparation of the financial report that gives a true and fair view and have determined that the basis of preparation described in Note 1 to the financial report is appropriate to meet the requirements of the ACNC Act and the needs of the members. The responsible entities' responsibility also includes such internal control as the responsible entities determine is necessary to enable the preparation of a financial report that gives a true and fair view and is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial report, the responsible entities are responsible for assessing the Registered Entity's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless the responsible entities either intend to liquidate the Registered Entity or to cease operations, or have no realistic alternative but to do so.



## Independent Audit Report to the members of GEORGES RIVER COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Report

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial report as a whole is free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Australian Auditing Standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of the financial report.

WSC Group - Audit Pty Ltd

A F Gilbert. CA HAND Director 21st day of August 2023 2024