# YUULU?IL?ATH SETTLEMENT TRUST

## FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# December 31, 2012

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members of Yuulu?il?ath Settlement Trust

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Yuulu?il?ath Settlement Trust, which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2012, and the statements of operations, changes in net assets, and cash flows for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

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

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#### **Opinion**

In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Yuulu?il?ath Settlement Trust as at December 31, 2012, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles.

Parksville, B.C. March 12, 2013

Sabo, Jang & Co. Ltd. Certified General Accountants

## YUULU?IL?ATH SETTLEMENT TRUST STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS For the year ended December 31, 2012

	<u>2012</u>	<u>2011</u>
REVENUE	\$ <u>192,153</u>	<b>\$</b> 103,345
EXPENSES		
Accounting and support fees	2,155	1,473
Administration fees	9,533	6,265
Audit fees	4,460	4,500
Insurance	1,090	
Interest and bank charges	90	202
Investment management fees	24,544	9,704
Supplies	520	2.11
Trustee honoraria	2,550	3,500
Trustee travel	1,015	574
	45,957	26,429
EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENSES	146,196	76,916
OTHER		
Gain (loss) on sale of investments	829	3,232
	829	3,232
EXCESS OF REVENUE OVER EXPENSES	<b>\$147,025</b>	\$80,148

## YUULU?IL?ATH SETTLEMENT TRUST STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION December 31, 2012

ASSETS		
CURRENT Cash	\$ 3,075	2011 \$ 212.754
Prepaid expenses	1.526	\$ 212,754
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS	4,601	212,754
INVESTMENTS (Note 5)	6,034,006	3,060,950
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ <u>6,038,607</u>	\$ <u>3,273,704</u>
LIABILITIES		
CURRENT Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ <u>11.215</u>	\$ <u>10,172</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES	11,215	10,172
Net Assets (Page 6)		3.263.532
TOTAL LIABILITIES & NET ASSETS	\$ <u>6,038,607</u>	\$ <u>3,273,704</u>
Approved by the Trustees:		
Chothwell, Trustee	Acces to	, Trustee
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## YUULU?IL?ATH SETTLEMENT TRUST STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS For the year ended December 31, 2012

NET ASSETS	Total 2012	Total <u>2011</u>
Net assets, beginning of year:		
Net assets before unrealized gains and losses	\$ 3,409,455	\$ -
Accumulated unrealized gains (losses)	(145,923)	and a constitution of the
Balance, beginning of year	\$ 3,263,532	\$ -
Excess of revenues over expenses	147,025	80,148
Contributions	3,279,642	3,839,482
Distributions	(938,327)	(510,175)
	<u>5,751,872</u>	3,409,455
Unrealized gains and losses (Note 5):		
Unrealized gains (losses) for the year	<u>275,520</u>	(145,923)
Change in accumulated unrealized gains (losses)	<u>275,520</u>	(145,923)
Balance, end of year	\$ <u>6,027,392</u>	\$3,263,532
Net assets, end of year:		
Net assets before unrealized gains and losses	\$ 5,897,795	\$ 3,409,455
Accumulated unrealized gains (losses)	129,597	(145,923)
Balance, end of year	\$ <u>6,027,392</u>	\$ 3,263,532

## YUULU?IL?ATH SETTLEMENT TRUST CASH FLOW STATEMENT For the year ended December 31, 2012

		<u> 2012</u>		<u>2011</u>
OPERATING ACTIVITIES	42		φ.	00.110
Excess of revenue over expenses	\$	147,025	\$	80,148
Add (deduct):				
Net change in non-cash working capital				
balances related to operations		(1.50.6)		
Prepaid expenses		(1,526)		10 177
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	-	1,042		10,173
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FINANCING ACTIVITIES				
Contributions		3,279,642		3,839,482
Distributions	evenument)	<u>(938,327)</u>	- Landerson Control	(510,175)
		2,341,315	Walterstown	3,329,307
INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
Purchase of investments	_(	2,697,535)		3,206,874)
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(DECREASE) INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	3	(209,679)		212,754
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, beginning of year		212,754	CARCINICACIO	
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS, end of year	\$	3,075	\$	212,754

## YUULU?IL?ATH SETTLEMENT TRUST NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2012

#### 1. NATURE OF ORGANIZATION

The Yuulu?il?ath First Nation established the Yuulu?il?ath Settlement Trust to hold, protect and nurture capital transfers and resource revenues derived from the Maa-nulth Final Agreement for the benefit of the Beneficiaries.

#### 2. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

These financial statements were prepared in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles and include the following significant accounting policies:

- a) Financial assets and liabilities are measured initially at fair value, except for certain nonarm's length transactions. Subsequent measurement is at amortized cost, except for investments in equity instruments that are quoted in an active market, which are measured at fair value. Changes in fair value are recognized in net income.
- b) Cash and cash equivalents include amounts on deposit with financial institutions. Cash and cash equivalents exclude cash equivalents that are invested in money market funds with Leith Wheeler.
- c) The Trust reports its investments at their fair value, and reports unrealized gains and losses on those investments in the Statement of Changes in Net Assets.
- d) The Trust does not record in its books of account the value of contributed materials and services.

### YUULU?IL?ATH SETTLEMENT TRUST NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2012

#### 3. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Trust is exposed to various risks through its financial instruments. The following describes the exposures to those risks, how they arise, any changes in risk exposures from the previous period and any concentrations of risk.

Currency risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates. The Trust has significant investments in U.S. and international equities.

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Trust has significant investments which are tied to prevailing interest rates.

Market risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices. Market risk comprises three types of risk: currency risk, interest rate risk and other price risk. The Trust is exposed to all three risks, as described.

Other price risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices (other than those arising from interest rate risk or currency risk), whether those changes are caused by factors specific to the individual financial instrument, its issuer or factors affecting all similar financial instruments traded in the market. The Trust is exposed to this risk through its investment in publicly-traded shares.

#### 4. INCOME TAXES

The Yuulu?il?ath First Nation is party to the Maa-nulth First Nations Tax Treatment Agreement between the Maa-nulth First Nations, Canada and British Columbia. The Yuulu?il?ath Settlement Trust has been designated by the Minister of National Revenue as a Maa-nulth First Nation Settlement Trust. In accordance with that agreement, the Trust is not subject to income taxes.

## YUULU?IL?ATH SETTLEMENT TRUST NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2012

#### 5. INVESTMENTS

•	Cost		2012 Reported		Cost		2011 Reported
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LW Canadian Equity Fund Series A\$	1,936,215	\$	1,947,816	\$	1,113,124	\$	977,963
LW US Equity Fund Series A	916,542		950,182		505,757		501,489
LW International Fund Series A	906,639		929,552		486,331		435,557
LW Wheeler Money Market Fund	130,625		130,625		81,327		81,327
LW Fixed Income Fund Series A	2.014,388		2,075,831	***	1,020,335	41000	1.064,614
\$	5,904,409	\$	6,034,006	\$	3,206,874	\$	3,060,950
Current unrealized gains/(losses)		\$_	275,521			\$_	(145,924)
Accumulated unrealized gains/(losses	)	\$_	129.597			\$_	(145,924)

All investments are managed by Leith Wheeler (LW) and are reported at fair value. Equity investments recorded at fair value are those with prices that are readily and regularly available from an exchange, dealer, broker, industry group, pricing service or regulatory agency, and those prices reflect actual and regularly occurring market transactions on an arm's length basis. Debt instruments have been recorded at fair value in accordance with an irrevocable election made under section 3856 of the CICA handbook.

#### 6. CONTRIBUTIONS AND DISTRIBUTIONS

The Trust received funds from and distributed funds to the Yuulu?il?ath First Nation. The funds received by the Trust may only be used in accordance with the terms of the Yuulu?il?ath Settlement Trust Agreement.

Net Contributions		<u>2012</u>	<u> 2011</u>
Beginning balance Received from Yuulu?il?ath First Nation Funds distributed to Yuulu?il?ath First Nation	\$	3,329,307 3,279,642 (938,327)	\$ 3,839,482 (510,175)
Ending balance	\$_	5,670,622	\$ 3,329,307

#### 7. RESTRICTIONS ON NET ASSETS

Net assets are unrestricted subject to the provisions laid out in the Yuulu?il?ath Settlement Trust Agreement.