



## Dear Castle Keep Residents,

Please join us for the AGM, to be held virtually via Zoom, on Thursday, November 20, 2025, at 7:00 PM. The meeting details are below. Included is the AGM package containing the agenda, 2024 draft AGM minutes, audited financials, and proxy form. This package can also be found on the Castle Keep Residents' Association website at <a href="https://www.mycastlekeep.ca/updates.html">www.mycastlekeep.ca/updates.html</a>

Please join the meeting at 6:45 PM to register for the meeting and to address any technical issues prior to the meeting start time. Please include your full legal name (as noted on CKRA correspondence); this is important for the purpose of documenting the meeting attendees. In order to streamline the meeting, it will be audio only, no video.

If you are unable to attend the meeting, please complete the attached proxy form and return to BPM no later than noon on the day before the meeting by email to <a href="mailto:support@mycastlekeep.ca">support@mycastlekeep.ca</a> or fax to 403-984-2451. You are welcome to name one of the Board members or BPM for the purpose of meeting quorum for the AGM.

Please refer to the tips and instructions provided online for joining the Zoom meeting and see the meeting details below:

## Via computer or the Zoom app on your smartphone:

Online: Click here to join

Meeting Number: 884 5562 3166

Password: 023396

## Via telephone:

Call: 1-780-666-0144

Meeting Number: 884 5562 3166

Password: 023396

On behalf of your Board of Directors, Blackstone Property Management Inc.







## NOTICE OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING CASTLE KEEP RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION

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DATE: Thursday, November 20, 2025

TIME: 7:00 PM

#### AGENDA

- 1. If the President or Vice-President of the Board shall be absent or elects to vacate the chair or refuses to act, the election of the Chairperson of the meeting;
- 2. Establish Quorum (certifying of proxies);
- 3. Proof of Notice of Meeting or Waiver of Notice;
- 4. Reading and Disposal of any Unapproved Minutes of General Meetings;
- 5. Reports of Officers & Committees;
- 6. Financial Report;
- 7. Appointment of Auditors;
- 8. Resignation of Board of Directors;
- 9. Election of Board of Directors;
- 10. New Business;
- 11. Adjournment.

## CASTLE KEEP RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION

By its Managing Agent: Blackstone Property Management Inc.



## **PROXY**

## **ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

## **Castle Keep Residents' Association**

| I hereby make, constitute and appoint   |   |
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| (name of individ  | dual who will attend the meeting and represent you on your behalf) $^{st}$  |
| powers of substitution and revocation for me a<br>Meeting of Castle Keep Residents' Association<br>at any and all adjournments thereof, and I her | othority to cast my vote by proxy and with severall and in my place and stead, at the Annual General to be held on Thursday, November 20, 2025 and reby ratify and confirm all that my said attorney eby revokes any proxy previously given in favour |
| DATED ATTHIS DAY  | OF, 2025.   |
| TIME:   |   |
| Castle Keep Address:  |   |
|   |   |
| UNIT OWNER NAME (please print)  | UNIT OWNER (signature)  |
|   |   |
| UNIT OWNER NAME (please print)  | UNIT OWNER (signature)  |

Proxy may be completed and returned <u>prior</u> to noon, Wednesday, November 19, 2025:

- Given to your proxy or another owner to return prior to the meeting
- Or returned to Blackstone Property Management Inc.:
  - Via email to <a href="mailto:support@mycastlekeep.ca">support@mycastlekeep.ca</a>
  - Via fax to 403-984-2451

<sup>\*</sup>Note: the management company may only be named for the purpose of establishing quorum for the meeting.





## Castle Keep Residents' Association Annual General Meeting Minutes Meeting Held Virtually Thursday, November 21, 2024 7:00 PM

## 1. Call Meeting to Order

Josh Lau deferred the meeting chair to Ty Corbiell of Blackstone Property Management Inc. (BPM). The meeting was called to order at 7:05 PM.

BPM introduced the current Board members: Josh Lau, Krishnan Mani, and Nareeman Al-Haffar (absent).

## 2. Quorum

BPM reviewed the quorum requirement, which requires 1/3 or 84 persons. Roll was taken of owners in attendance which showed 8 owners present and 2 proxies received for a total of 10 owners represented. As the quorum requirement was not satisfied, those in attendance agreed to forego the adjournment of the meeting to the same day and time the following week and proceed with the meeting.

## 3. Notice of Annual General Meeting

Notice of the Annual General Meeting to be held November 21, 2024, was emailed on October 24, 2024, to all owners who had provided an email address, and a notice was physically mailed to owners who had not provided an email address. The notice was also posted on the CKRA website. Notice of meeting confirmed.

## 4. Approval of Prior Year AGM Minutes

A member on behalf of 153 Ascot Point SW made a motion to accept the previous year's AGM minutes as circulated in the AGM package.

- Motion seconded by a member on behalf of 142 Ascot Point SW.
- All attendees were in favour. None opposed. Carried.

## 5. Reports of Officers

None to report from the officers.

## 6. Financial Report

BPM provided a detailed overview of the audited financial statements that were distributed with the AGM package and posted on the CKRA website. The revenue and expense accounts on the income statement were reviewed along with the cash position.





## 7. Appointment of Auditor

A member on behalf of 130 Ascot Scresent SW made a motion to leave the appointment of the auditors to the incoming Board.

- Motion seconded by a member on behalf of 153 Ascot Point SW.
- All attendees were in favor. None opposed. Carried.

## 8. Board of Directors - Expiring Terms

BPM thanked all Board members for their contribution over the past year. It was explained that Board members are elected for a two-year term and then the terms of current Board members were reviewed. Krishnan Mani and Nareeman Al-Haffar have one year left in their term. Josh Lau has served his second year of the two-year term with the term ending at the end of the meeting.

## 9. Election of the President and the New Board of Directors

BPM explained that the President position was an elected position. Attendees were asked to put their names forward or to nominate someone else for the position of President. Josh Lau offered to put his name forward. No other nominations were received. Josh Lau was acclaimed as President.

Attendees were asked to put their names forward or to nominate someone else to the Board of Directors. Nominations were received for Dwayne Cooper & Sara Haberlin. No vote was required and so all were acclaimed.

The Board members for the upcoming year are Josh Lau, Krishnan Mani, Nareeman Al-Haffar, Sara Haberlin, and Dwyane Cooper.

#### 10. New Business

BPM provided a summary of past projects completed which included:

- Additional winter arrangements were added to the planters based on feedback received at last year's AGM. The decision was made to continue with the increased number of winter displays for this upcoming winter season based on the positive feedback that was received from community members.
- A comprehensive guide to frequently asked questions was created and added to the website.
- An initiative was undertaken in the fall at the main park to restore the stone pathway which had become overgrown.

BPM provided a summary of upcoming projects which will be completed or are under consideration:

- In 2025 all wood & metal assets will be stained/painted. This includes the timber bridge and all features at the main entrance park (knight statue, bench, and wood door on the decorative wall).
- An initiative is being considered to revitalize the HOA's website which is quite dated.

A member inquired about which areas the CKRA is responsible for snow removal and landscaping. The community snow removal and landscaping map was shared and the various locations were discussed.





A member advised speeding and littering in the community have been problematic at times and inquired about whether it would be worth sending a communication to all residents. BPM advised that verbiage could be added to one of the HOA's communications in the future as a reminder to residents.

A member advised she was quite happy with this past summer's landscaping, flowers, and containers.

A member inquired about whether the seasonal Christmas lights would be going up this year. A member advised the contractor installed them earlier today.

A member advised that she was happy with the look of the stone pathway at the park following the renewal work.

## 11. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 7:48 PM.

# CASTLE KEEP RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION Financial Statements Year Ended May 31, 2025

## CASTLE KEEP RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members of Castle Keep Residents' Association

## Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of Castle Keep Residents' Association (the Association), which comprise the statement of financial position as at May 31, 2025, and the statements of revenues and expenditures and changes in net assets and cash flows for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Association as at May 31, 2025, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations.

#### Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Association in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with those requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Other Matter

We were engaged to conduct an audit, in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, on the financial statements prepared by the Association's management in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations. We were not engaged to, nor do we, provide any assurance as to whether the Association is in compliance with all aspects of The Societies Act.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations, 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.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Association's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters relating to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Association or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Association's financial reporting process.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

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Independent Auditor's Report to the Members of Castle Keep Residents' Association (continued)

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are 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 Canadian generally accepted 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 these financial statements. As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit 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 Association's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Association's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Association to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

Calgary, Alberta September 3, 2025 **C&E LLP Chartered Professional Accountants** 

Hans Cremers

# CASTLE KEEP RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION Statement of Financial Position May 31, 2025

|   | 2025                                     | 2024                               |
|---|--|------------------------------------|
| ASSETS CURRENT Cash Accounts receivable Goods and services tax recoverable Prepaid expenses | \$<br>108,689<br>2,301<br>2,939<br>1,858 | \$<br>102,353<br>998<br>-<br>1,992 |
| TOTAL ASSETS  | \$<br>115,787                            | \$<br>105,343                      |
| LIABILITIES CURRENT Accounts payable Prepaid HOA fees                                       | \$<br>16,893<br>35,291                   | \$<br>10,122<br>29,211             |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES  NET ASSETS (Note 2)  | <br>52,184<br>63,603                     | 39,333<br>66,010                   |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS  | \$<br>115,787                            | \$<br>105,343                      |

## ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

|            | Director |
|------------|----------|
| Joshua Lau | Director |

# CASTLE KEEP RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION Statement of Revenues and Expenditures and Changes in Net Assets Year Ended May 31, 2025

|  | Budget<br>2025   | 2025   | Total<br>2024  |
|--|--|--|--|
| REVENUES   |  |  |  |
| HOA fees<br>Interest and other income  | \$<br>57,730<br>1,000  | \$<br>57,730<br>5,344  | \$<br>49,949<br>5,117  |
|  | <br>58,730   | 63,074   | 55,066   |
| EXPENSES Landscaping and snow removal Management fees Office and bank charges Insurance Repairs and maintenance Audit and legal fees Utilities Seasonal lighting | <br>34,805<br>12,600<br>2,575<br>2,000<br>2,000<br>1,650<br>2,000<br>1,100<br>58,730 | 35,712<br>12,250<br>3,426<br>1,845<br>7,886<br>2,194<br>1,188<br>980 | 33,120<br>12,600<br>2,246<br>1,823<br>1,670<br>1,495<br>1,567<br>1,028 |
| NET (DEFICIENCY) OF REVENUES OVER EXPENSES   | -  | (2,407)  | (483)  |
| NET ASSETS - BEGINNING OF YEAR   | <br>-  | 66,010   | 66,493   |
| NET ASSETS - END OF YEAR   | \$<br>-  | \$<br>63,603   | \$<br>66,010   |

# CASTLE KEEP RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION Statement of Cash Flows Year Ended May 31, 2025

|  | 2025  |    | 2024                                 |  |
|--|---|----|--------------------------------------|--|
| FUND ACTIVITIES (Deficiency) of revenues over expenses   | \$<br>(2,407)                               | \$ | (483)                                |  |
| Changes in non-cash working capital: Accounts receivable Accounts payable Prepaid expenses Goods and services tax payable Prepaid HOA fees | (1,303)<br>6,771<br>134<br>(2,939)<br>6,080 |    | (284)<br>5,227<br>(22)<br>-<br>4,492 |  |
|  | <br>8,743                                   |    | 9,413                                |  |
| INCREASE IN CASH FLOW  | 6,336                                       |    | 8,930                                |  |
| Cash - beginning of year   | <br>102,353                                 |    | 93,423                               |  |
| CASH - END OF YEAR   | \$<br>108,689                               | \$ | 102,353                              |  |

## **CASTLE KEEP RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION**

## Notes to Financial Statements Year Ended May 31, 2025

#### BASIS OF PRESENTATION

The financial statements were prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations (ASNPO).

## 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The Association is a non-profit organization and the common area assets of the Association are owned proportionately by the owners of the units and as such are not reflected as assets in these financial statements. The purpose of the Association is to manage the common area assets and to maintain and provide services with respect to the day to day operations of the Association.

The financial statements include only assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses relating to the operations of Castle Keep Residents Association. The statements do not include the cost of land or buildings and the outstanding principal balances owing on mortgages, which are the responsibility of the owners.

The Association is a tax exempt organization for income tax purposes and has therefore made no provisions for income taxes on these financial statements.

## Measurement uncertainty

When preparing financial statements according to Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations, management makes estimates and assumptions relating to:

- · reported amounts of revenues and expenses
- reported amounts of assets and liabilities
- · disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities.

Estimates are based on a number of factors including historical experience, current events and actions that the Association may undertake in the future, and other assumptions that management believes are reasonable under the circumstances. By their nature, these estimates are subject to measurement uncertainty and actual results could differ. In particular, estimates are used in accounting for certain items such as revenues, allowance for doubtful accounts and useful lives of capital assets.

## Cash and Cash Equivalents on the Statement of Cash Flows

Cash and cash equivalents include bank balances and cash held. Short term money market funds are not included as these are considered to be investments.

## Fund Accounting

The Association follows the restricted method of accounting for contributions.

The operating fund accounts for the association's operating and administrative activities.

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## **CASTLE KEEP RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION**

## Notes to Financial Statements Year Ended May 31, 2025

## 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

## Revenue Recognition

The Association recognizes association fee assessments related to general operations as revenue of the operating fund as billed to the owners. Billings for the association fees consist of charges based on approved budgets. All expenses are recognized as they are incurred.

## Contributed Services and Materials

Volunteer services and materials contributed on behalf of the Association in carrying out its operating activities are not recognized in these financial statements due to the difficulty of determining their fair value.

#### Financial Instruments

Financial instruments are recorded at fair value when acquired or issued, with the exception of any related party transactions that are measured at the carrying amount or exchange amount, as appropriate. In subsequent periods, financial assets with actively traded markets are reported at fair value, with any unrealized gains and losses reported in income of the appropriate fund. All other financial instruments are reported as amortized cost, and tested for impairment at each reporting date. Transaction costs are recognized as an expense in the period incurred for all financial instruments subsequently measured at fair value. Financial instruments that are subsequently measured at amortized cost are adjusted by the transaction costs and financing fees that are directly attributed to their organization, issuance or assumption.

All financial assets and financial liabilities are measured at amortized cost, unless noted.

### Budget

The budget figures that appear on the statement of operating income are those approved by the Board of Directors and are presented for comparison purposes only. They have not been audited or reviewed but they have been reclassified to conform to the presentation in these financial statements.

#### Capital assets

Capital assets are recorded as expenses in the year they are acquired.

#### 3. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Association is exposed to various risks through its financial instruments and has a comprehensive risk management framework to monitor, evaluate and manage these risks. The following analysis provides information about the Association's risk exposure and concentration as of May 31, 2025.

## Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that an entity will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities. The Association is exposed to this risk mainly in respect of its accounts payable. The Association manages liquidity risk by preparing an annual budget in consideration of the results of its reserve fund study, and may increase association fees and assess special levies to ensure it has sufficient funds.

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## CASTLE KEEP RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION Notes to Financial Statements Year Ended May 31, 2025

## 3. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

#### Market risk

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 rate risk, interest rate risk and other price risk. The Association is mainly exposed to interest rate risk.

## Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the value of a financial instrument might be adversely affected by a change in the interest rates. In seeking to minimize the risks from interest rate fluctuations, the Association manages exposure through its normal operating and financing activities. The Association is exposed to interest rate risk primarily through its reserve fund investments.

## Risk Management

The Association manages its credit, liquidity and cash flow risk by restricting investments to a diverse range of government and corporate fixed income securities, and corporate shares. As it is the Association's expectation to hold it's investments to maturity, it's cash flows are exposed to minimal interest rate and liquidity risk. The Association has the power to place caveats on titles which significantly mitigates credit risk.

## 4. COMPARATIVE FIGURES

Some of the comparative figures have been reclassified to conform to the current year's presentation. The changes do not affect prior year excess (deficiency) of revenues over expenditures.