

An indirect subsidiary of Fortis Inc.

Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements For the quarter and nine months ended September 30, 2023 and 2022 (Unaudited)



FortisBC Inc. Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets (Unaudited) As at

(in millions of Canadian dollars)

ASSETS	September 30, 2023			
Current assets				
Cash	\$	1	\$	-
Accounts receivable and other current assets, net		62		68
Inventories		1		1
Prepaid expenses		11		3
Regulatory assets		8		8
Total current assets		83		80
Property, plant and equipment, net		1,816		1,784
Intangible assets, net		68		68
Regulatory assets		446		412
Other assets		17		16
Goodwill		235		235
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	2,665	\$	2,595
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY				
Current liabilities				
Credit facilities	\$	79	\$	65
Accounts payable and other current liabilities		96		97
Current portion of long-term debt (note 9)		-		25
Current portion of finance lease obligations		2		1
Regulatory liabilities		11		11
Total current liabilities		188		199
Long-term debt (note 9)		853		853
Finance lease obligations		342		335
Regulatory liabilities		64		55
Deferred income tax		255		240
Other liabilities		19		22
Total liabilities		1,721		1,704
Equity				
Common shares ¹		339		299
Additional paid-in capital		322		322
Retained earnings		283		270
Total equity		944		891
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	\$	2,665	\$	2,595

 $^{^{1}}$ 500 million authorized common shares with a par value of \$100 each; 3.4 million issued and outstanding at September 30, 2023 (December 31, 2022 - 3.0 million).

See accompanying notes to these Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements.



Condensed Consolidated Statements of Earnings (Unaudited) For the quarter and nine months ended September 30

(in millions of Canadian dollars)

	Quarter ended			Nine months en			nded
	2023		2022		2023		2022
Revenue (note 5)	\$ 124	\$	112	\$	371	\$	342
Expenses							
Power purchase costs	38		37		106		97
Operating costs	22		24		67		76
Property and other taxes	5		4		14		13
Depreciation and amortization	24		16		72		50
Total expenses	89		81		259		236
Operating income	35		31		112		106
Other income	1		2		3		5
Finance charges (note 6)	20		19		59		56
Earnings before income taxes	16		14		56		55
Income tax expense	1		1		5		6
Net earnings	\$ 15	\$	13	\$	51	\$	49

FortisBC Inc. Condensed Consolidated Statements of Changes in Equity (Unaudited)

For the nine months ended September 30

(in millions of Canadian dollars, except share numbers)

	Common Shares (# millions)	 mmon Shares	ı	itional Paid-in Capital	 ained nings	Total
As at December 31, 2021	3.0	\$ 299	\$	322	\$ 258	\$ 879
Net earnings	-	-		-	49	49
Dividends on common shares	-	-		-	(37)	(37)
As at September 30, 2022	3.0	\$ 299	\$	322	\$ 270	\$ 891
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As at December 31, 2022	3.0	\$ 299	\$	322	\$ 270	\$ 891
Net earnings	-	-		-	51	51
Issuance of common shares	0.4	40		-	-	40
Dividends on common shares	-	-		-	(38)	(38)
As at September 30, 2023	3.4	\$ 339	\$	322	\$ 283	\$ 944

See accompanying notes to these Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements.



Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (Unaudited) For the quarter and nine months ended September 30

(in millions of Canadian dollars)

	Quarter ended			Nin	e mon	nths ended		
	2023 2022			2022	2023		2022	
Operating activities								
Net earnings	\$	15	\$	13	\$	51	\$	49
Adjustments to reconcile net earnings to cash from operating activities:								
Depreciation and amortization		24		16		72		50
Equity component of allowance for funds used during construction		_		-		-		(1)
Accrued employee future benefits		(1)		(1)		(3)		(3)
Change in regulatory assets and liabilities		(9)		8		(24)		12
Change in working capital (note 8)		27		(1)		8		(12)
Cash from operating activities		56		35		104		95
Investing activities								
Property, plant and equipment additions (note 8)		(29)		(30)		(88)		(87)
Intangible asset additions		(1)		(1)		(4)		(4)
Contributions in aid of construction		2		2		6		7
Change in other assets and other liabilities		(3)		(2)		(7)		(6)
Cash used in investing activities		(31)		(31)		(93)		(90)
Financing activities								
Net proceeds from (repayment of) credit facility		12		17		14		(56)
(Repayment of) proceeds from issuance of long-term debt		(25)		-		(25)		100
Debt issuance costs		-		-		-		(1)
Repayment of finance lease obligations		-		-		(1)		-
Issuance of common shares		-		-		40		-
Dividends on common shares		(12)		(12)		(38)		(37)
Cash (used in) from financing activities		(25)		5		(10)		6
Net change in cash		-		9		1		11
Cash at beginning of period		1		2		-		-
Cash at end of period	\$	1	\$	11	\$	1	\$	11

Supplementary Information to Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (note 8).

See accompanying notes to these Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements.



Notes to the Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements (Unaudited)
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1. DESCRIPTION OF THE BUSINESS

FortisBC Inc. ("FBC" or the "Corporation") is a wholly-owned subsidiary of FortisBC Pacific Holdings Inc. ("FortisBC Pacific"), which is an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of Fortis Inc. ("Fortis"). Fortis shares are listed on both the Toronto Stock Exchange and the New York Stock Exchange.

FBC is an integrated, regulated electric utility operating in the southern interior of British Columbia ("BC"), serving approximately 189,400 customers directly and indirectly. The Corporation's business includes four hydroelectric generating plants, and approximately 7,300 kilometers of transmission and distribution power lines, and a historical peak demand of 835 megawatts, which occurred during the fourth quarter of 2022.

2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Presentation

These Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements have been prepared by management in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("US GAAP") for Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements and are presented in Canadian dollars unless otherwise specified. As a result, these Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements do not include all the information and disclosures required in the Annual Consolidated Financial Statements and should be read in conjunction with the Corporation's 2022 Annual Audited Consolidated Financial Statements. In management's opinion, the Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements include all adjustments that are necessary to present fairly the consolidated financial position of the Corporation.

The accounting policies and methods of application used in the preparation of these Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements are consistent with the accounting policies used in FBC's Annual Audited Consolidated Financial Statements as at December 31, 2022.

The Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements include the accounts of the Corporation and its subsidiaries. All intercompany transactions and balances have been eliminated upon consolidation.

An evaluation of subsequent events through October 26, 2023, the date these Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements were issued, was completed to determine whether any circumstances warranted recognition or disclosure of events or transactions in the Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements as at September 30, 2023. No subsequent events have been identified for disclosure in these Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements.

New Accounting Policies

FBC considers the applicability and impact of all Accounting Standards Updates ("ASUs") issued by the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB"). During the nine months ended September 30, 2023, there were no ASUs issued by FASB that have a material impact on these Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements.

Future Accounting Pronouncements

Any ASUs issued by FASB that are not included in these Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements were assessed and determined to be either not applicable to the Corporation or not expected to have a material impact on these Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements.



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3. REGULATORY MATTERS

Allowed Return on Equity and Capital Structure

In January 2021, the BCUC announced that a Generic Cost of Capital ("GCOC") Proceeding was being initiated, including a review of the deemed common equity component of total capital structure and the allowed Return on Equity ("ROE") on common equity for regulated utilities in BC. The BCUC determined the GCOC Proceeding would move forward in stages. The first stage addressed the allowed ROE and deemed equity component of capital structure for FBC and FEI and the effective date for any change, whether re-establishment of a formulaic ROE automatic adjustment mechanism is warranted and if so, what it would look like and when it would take effect, and the criteria or other triggers for a future cost of capital proceeding. Other utilities will be reviewed in Stage 2. The BCUC has also determined it will address deferral account financing costs after the completion of both Stages 1 and 2.

In September 2023, the BCUC issued its decision on Stage 1 of the GCOC Proceeding ("GCOC Stage 1 Decision") for FBC and FEI. In its decision, the BCUC determined that FBC's deemed equity component of capital structure and allowed ROE will change from 40 per cent and 9.15 per cent to 41 per cent and 9.65 per cent, respectively, effective January 1, 2023. The year-to-date net impact of the change in cost of capital has been recognized in the third quarter. The BCUC also determined that neither a formulaic ROE automatic adjustment mechanism nor specific criteria or other triggers for future cost of capital proceedings are warranted, and instead will remain in effect until otherwise determined by the BCUC.

Multi-Year Rate Plan ("MRP") for 2020 to 2024

In June 2020, the British Columbia Utilities Commission ("BCUC") issued its decision on FBC's MRP application for the years 2020 to 2024 ("MRP Decision"). The approved MRP includes, amongst other items, a level of operation and maintenance expense per customer indexed for inflation less a fixed productivity adjustment factor, a forecast approach to the growth and sustainment capital, a number of service quality indicators designed to ensure the Corporation maintains service levels, and a 50/50 sharing between customers and the Corporation of variances from the allowed Return on Equity ("ROE").

Variances from the allowed ROE subject to sharing include other revenue and certain components of operating and maintenance costs, as well as variances in the utility's regulated rate base amounts, while variances associated with revenues and other expenses, including those that are not controllable or associated with clean growth capital expenditures, are subject to flow-through treatment and refunded to or recovered from customers.

In December 2022, the BCUC approved permanent rates to be effective January 1, 2023. As part of the approval, FBC was directed to remove certain expenditures from rate base and to establish a rate base deferral account to capture any variances in the approved rate increase resulting from final determinations on Stage 1 of the BCUC's current Generic Cost of Capital Proceeding (the "GCOC Proceeding"). FBC had requested an interim rate increase of 3.98 per cent over 2022 rates and a 2023 forecast average rate base of approximately \$1,676 million. In January 2023, FBC filed an application to reconsider the BCUC's decision to reduce its rate base by \$28 million, and to request that the BCUC maintain FBC's 2023 rates as interim pending the outcome of Stage 1 of the GCOC Proceeding. The application was approved by the BCUC in April 2023.

As part of the GCOC Decision, FBC was directed to file a Compliance Filing for permanent 2023 rates within thirty days. In late September 2023, FBC filed the Compliance Filing which included a deferral of the 2023 revenue deficiency resulting from the GCOC Stage 1 Decision, and a request for approval to make 2023 interim rates permanent. As part of the Compliance Filing, FBC has also proposed to refinance the capital structure in either the fourth quarter of 2023 or first quarter of 2024. The BCUC approved the Compliance Filing in October 2023. The Compliance Filing included a 2023 forecast average rate base of \$1,676 million.



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4. SEASONALITY OF OPERATIONS

Interim results fluctuate due to the seasonal demands for electricity, the timing of incurring costs, the movements of electricity prices, and the timing and recognition of regulatory decisions. FBC's operations generally produce higher net earnings in the first and fourth quarters due to variances in customer consumption as a result of cooler weather, higher net earnings in the second quarter due to the timing of power purchases, and lower net earnings in the third quarter. Certain expenses such as depreciation, interest and operating expenses remain more evenly distributed throughout the fiscal year. As a result of the seasonality, interim net earnings are not indicative of net earnings on an annual basis.

5. REVENUE

Disaggregation of Revenue

The following table presents the disaggregation of the Corporation's revenue by type of customer:

	•	r ended nber 30	Nine months ended September 30		
(\$ millions)	2023	2022	2023	2022	
Residential	49	50	164	151	
Commercial	33	28	94	85	
Wholesale	14	12	43	39	
Industrial	12	11	39	35	
Total electricity revenue	108	101	340	310	
Other contract revenue ¹	16	20	33	46	
Total revenue from contracts with customers	124	121	373	356	
Alternative revenue ²	(4)	(8)	(10)	(22)	
Other revenue ³	4	(1)	8	8	
Total revenue	124	112	371	342	

Other contract revenue includes utility customer connection fees, surplus power sales, revenue from third party contract work and pole attachments, and revenue from the sale of carbon credits.

6. FINANCE CHARGES

		ended ber 30	Nine months ended September 30		
(\$ millions)	2023	2022	2023	2022	
Interest on long-term debt	11	10	32	31	
Interest on short-term debt	1	2	3	2	
Debt component of allowance for funds used during construction	-	(1)	-	(1)	
Net interest on debt	12	11	35	32	
Interest on finance leases	8	8	24	24	
Total finance charges	20	19	59	56	

² Alternative revenue includes the Earnings Sharing Mechanism, which recognizes the 50/50 sharing of variances from the allowed ROE, and flow-through variances related to tariff-based revenue.

Other revenue is primarily comprised of other flow-through and regulatory deferral adjustments, including other revenue recognized resulting from the GCOC Stage 1 Decision, resulting from cost recovery variances in regulated forecasts used to set rates for electricity revenue.



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7. EMPLOYEE FUTURE BENEFITS

The Corporation is a sponsor of pension plans for eligible employees. The plans include registered defined benefit pension plans, the supplemental unfunded arrangements, and defined contribution plans. In addition to pensions, the Corporation provides other post-employment benefits ("OPEB") for certain of its retired employees. The net benefit cost for the Corporation's defined benefit pension and supplemental plans and OPEB plans were as follows:

	Qua	rter ended	Septembe	r 30
	Defined Pension Suppleme	n and	ОРЕВ	Plans
(\$ millions)	2023 2022		2023	2022
Components of net benefit cost				
Service costs	1	1	1	-
Interest costs	2	3	1	-
Expected return on plan assets	(4)	(4)	-	-
Amortization of actuarial gain	-	-	(1)	-
Amortization of past service costs	(1)	-	-	-
Regulatory adjustment	1	-	-	-
Net benefit cost	(1)	-	1	-

	Nine	months end	ed Septem	ber 30	
	Pens	Defined Benefit Pension and Supplemental Plans			
(\$ millions)	2023	2022	2023	2022	
Components of net benefit cost					
Service costs	2	4	1	1	
Interest costs	8	7	1	-	
Expected return on plan assets	(11)	(11)	-	-	
Amortization of actuarial gain	-	-	(1)	-	
Amortization of past service costs	(1)	-	-	-	
Regulatory adjustment	1	-	-	-	
Net benefit cost	(1)	-	1	1	

The Corporation's estimated 2023 contributions are \$3 million (2022 - \$4 million) for defined benefit pension plans and \$1 million (2022 - \$1 million) for OPEB plans.



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8. SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION TO CONDENSED CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

	•	r ended 1ber 30	Nine months ended September 30		
(\$ millions)	2023	2022	2023	2022	
Change in working capital					
Accounts receivable and other current assets, net	(8)	(12)	6	(10)	
Prepaid expenses	-	(9)	(8)	(9)	
Accounts payable and other current liabilities	35	20	10	7	
Total change in working capital	27	(1)	8	(12)	
Non-Cash Investing Activities					
(\$ millions)			2023	2022	
As at September 30					

9. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

Accrued capital expenditures

Financial Instruments Not Carried at Fair Value

The following table presents the carrying value, excluding unamortized debt issuance costs and includes both current and long-term portion, and estimated fair value of the Corporation's long-term debt.

			As at					
		Se	eptembe	er 30, 2023	Decembe	r 31, 2022		
	Fair Value	Ca	arrying	Estimated	Carrying	Estimated		
(\$ millions)	Hierarchy		Value	Fair Value	Value	Fair Value		
Long-term debt	Level 2		860	752	885	813		

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