



**THE NATIONAL ST. JOHN COUNCIL OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA**

Operating as

**ST. JOHN AMBULANCE (PNG)**

**Annual Report**

**For the year ended 31 December 2021**

## **ST. JOHN AMBULANCE (PNG)**

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## **ST. JOHN AMBULANCE (PNG)**

### **Council information**

The National St. John Council of Papua New Guinea is a statutory incorporation that has been operating as an association, St. John Ambulance (PNG), in Papua New Guinea since 1957, in accordance with the St. John Council Incorporation Act 1976, and the Papua New Guinea Associations Incorporation Act 1966.

Registered Office	St. John Ambulance (PNG) 702 Taurama Road 3 Mile, Port Moresby Papua New Guinea
Members	Jean L Kekedo - DBE CStJ CSM (Chairperson) Peter Lowing - CBE OStJ Ian Clough - OStJ Lutz Heim Comm. David Manning - MBE OStJ DPS QPM Dr Lynda Sirigoi Isikeli Taureka Ivan Lu - OStJ Matthew Cooper Carolyn Blacklock Des Yaninen
Chief Executive Officer	Matt Cannon OStJ
Auditors	Wau Accountants & Business Consultants PO Box 4171 Boroko
Bankers	Bank of South Pacific Limited PO Box 78 Port Moresby

## **ST. JOHN AMBULANCE (PNG)**

### **Council report**

The members of the National St John Council of Papua New Guinea (the "Council") take pleasure in presenting the annual financial report on the affairs of St. John Ambulance (PNG) ("SJA") including the financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2021 and the auditors' report thereon.

#### **Principal activities**

The principal activities of SJA during the financial year was humanitarian and health care services, including ambulance, prehospital and emergency health care. During the financial year there was no change in the principal activities or state of affairs of SJA.

#### **Operating results**

SJA reported after tax profit of K 5,693,305 (2020: K3,050,762).

#### **Council Members**

The members of the Council at any time during or since the end of the previous financial year are listed on page 1. No member had any material interest by reason of a contractual arrangement with the Council or any related entity with the directors of, or with a firm of which he or she is a member, or in which he or she has a substantial financial interest.

#### **Remuneration of Councillors and Employees**

The Council members do not receive remuneration, and key management personnel compensation has been disclosed in note 15 to the annual financial statements.

#### **Donations**

No donations were made by SJA during the financial year (2020: K Nil).

#### **Independent audit report**

The financial statements have been audited by *Wau Accountants & Business Consultants* and should be read in conjunction with the independent audit report on pages 5 and 6.

#### **Change in accounting policies**

There were no other changes in accounting policies made during the financial year.

## ST. JOHN AMBULANCE (PNG) Council report

### Going concern

The annual financial statements have been prepared on the basis of accounting policies applicable to a going concern. This basis presumes that funds will be available to finance future operations and that the realisation of assets and settlement of liabilities, contingent obligations and commitments will occur in the ordinary course of business.

SJA has traditionally encountered challenges in raising revenue to meet its humanitarian objectives and management and Council are well used to meeting these challenges. Management and Council are constantly focused on this issue and have managed to improve revenue collection sufficient to fund a substantial increase in services in recent years. Having regard to all the circumstances, including a consistent and continuous focus on expense control by SJA, the Council believes that the organisation will be able to continue as a going concern in the coming years.

### Matters or circumstances arising after the end of the reporting period

No matters or circumstances have arisen since the end of the financial year which significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of SJA, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of SJA in future financial years.

Dated at Port Moresby this 09 day of AUGUST 2022.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Council.



Jean L. Kekedo  
Council Chairperson



Council Member



**ST. JOHN AMBULANCE (PNG)**  
**Declaration by Members of the Council**

In accordance with a resolution of the National Council of St. John Papua New Guinea, the members of the Council declare that:

- (a) the financial statements and notes, set out on pages 7 to 29 are in accordance with the Papua New Guinea Companies Act 1997 including:
  - i. complying with applicable financial reporting standards and other mandatory professional reporting requirement approved for use in Papua New Guinea by the Accounting Standard Board; and
  - ii. giving a true and fair view of SJA's financial position as at 31 December 2021 and of the financial performance as represented by the results of its operations and its cash flows for the financial year ended on that date.
- (b) there are reasonable grounds to believe that SJA will be able to pay its debts as and when they become due and payable; and
- (c) the financial statements and notes set out are also in accordance with the International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") and the requirements of the Papua New Guinea Companies Act 1997.

Dated at PORT MORESBY this 09 day of AUGUST 2022.

Signed in accordance with a resolution of the Council.

  
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Jean L Kekedo  
Council Chairperson

  
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Council Member



## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members of The National St. John Council of Papua New Guinea, operating as St John Ambulance (PNG) ("SJA")

### **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of The National St. John Council of Papua New Guinea, operating as St John Ambulance (PNG) ("SJA"), which comprise the statement of financial position as at 31 December 2021, and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of 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 National St. John Council of Papua New Guinea, operating as St John Ambulance (PNG) as at 31 December 2021 and of its financial performance and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRSs).

### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (ISAs). 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 National St. John Council of Papua New Guinea, operating as St John Ambulance (PNG) ("SJA") in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Papua New Guinea, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

### **Key Audit Matters**

We have determined that there are no other key audit matters to communicate in our report.

### **Responsibilities of Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements**

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards, 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 SJA'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 management either intends to liquidate SJA or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

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

### **Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements**

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 ISAs 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.

### **Wau Accountants & Business Consultants**



**John Wau**

Registered under the Accountants Act 1996  
Partner, Chartered Accountants

Port Moresby, dated this 9<sup>th</sup> day of August 2022.



**ST. JOHN AMBULANCE (PNG)****Statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income  
For the year ended 31 December 2021**

	Note	2021 K	2020 K
<b>Revenue</b>			
Grants and Donations		24,247,375	11,259,152
Commercial services income		3,888,020	2,730,457
	5	<u>28,135,395</u>	<u>13,989,609</u>
<b>Other income</b>			
Gain on disposal of assets		-	(17,000)
Other income		110,447	32,607
	6	<u>110,447</u>	<u>15,607</u>
<b>Expenditure</b>			
Employee cost	7	(7,875,382)	(5,720,314)
Administrative and Operating expenses	8	(13,070,818)	(4,342,808)
Depreciation expense	9	(1,599,072)	(891,331)
Loss on disposal of assets		(7,264)	-
		<u>(22,552,536)</u>	<u>(10,954,453)</u>
<b>Profit for the year</b>		<u>5,693,305</u>	<u>3,050,762</u>
<b>Total comprehensive income for the year</b>		<u><u>5,693,305</u></u>	<u><u>3,050,762</u></u>

The notes on pages 11 to 29 are an integral part of these financial statements.

**ST. JOHN AMBULANCE (PNG)**  
**Statement of financial position**  
**as at 31 December 2021**

	Note	2021 K	2020 K
<b>Assets</b>			
<b>Current assets</b>			
Cash and cash equivalents	10	6,518,319	5,481,086
Trade and other receivables	11	6,558,162	1,467,623
<b>Total current assets</b>		<u>13,076,481</u>	<u>6,948,709</u>
<b>Non-current assets</b>			
Property, plant and equipment	9	18,124,729	13,272,024
<b>Total non-current assets</b>		<u>18,124,729</u>	<u>13,272,024</u>
<b>Total assets</b>		<u>31,201,210</u>	<u>20,220,733</u>
<b>Current liabilities</b>			
Trade and other payables	12	8,438,207	3,093,774
Employee benefits obligation	13	197,325	287,472
<b>Total current liabilities</b>		<u>8,635,532</u>	<u>3,381,247</u>
<b>Non-current liabilities</b>			
Employee benefits obligation	13	621,565	588,678
<b>Total non-current liabilities</b>		<u>621,565</u>	<u>588,678</u>
<b>Total liabilities</b>		<u>9,257,097</u>	<u>3,969,925</u>
<b>Net assets</b>		<u>21,944,113</u>	<u>16,250,807</u>
<b>Equity</b>			
Asset revaluation reserve	14	8,045,382	8,045,382
Retained earnings		13,898,731	8,205,425
<b>Total shareholders' equity</b>		<u>21,944,113</u>	<u>16,250,807</u>

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**ST. JOHN AMBULANCE (PNG)**  
**Statement of changes in equity**  
**For the year ended 31 December 2021**

	Note	Asset Revaluation Reserve K	Retained earnings K	Total K
Balance as at 1 January 2020		8,045,382	5,154,663	13,200,046
Total comprehensive income for the year		-	<u>3,050,762.040</u>	<u>3,050,762</u>
Balance as at 31 December 2020		8,045,382	8,205,425.22	16,250,808
Total comprehensive income for the year		-	5,693,305	5,693,305
Balance as at 31 December 2021		<u>8,045,382</u>	<u>13,898,731</u>	<u>21,944,113</u>

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**ST. JOHN AMBULANCE (PNG)**  
**Statement of cash flows**  
**For the year ended 31 December 2021**

	Note	2021 K	2020 K
<b>Cash flows from operating activities</b>			
Profit for the year		5,693,305	3,050,762
Depreciation		1,599,072	891,331
Gain on disposal of assets		-	17,000
Loss on disposal of assets		7,264	-
Net movement in provisions		(57,261)	245,235
Net movement in trade and other receivables		(5,090,539)	373,797
Net movement in trade and other payables		5,344,433	(133,746)
<b>Net cash from operating activities</b>		<u>7,496,274</u>	<u>4,444,379</u>
<b>Cash flows from investing activities</b>			
Payment for property, plant and equipment	9	(6,482,678)	(1,996,814)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment		23,636	16,000
<b>Net cash used in investing activities</b>		<u>(6,459,042)</u>	<u>(1,980,814)</u>
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		1,037,233	2,463,566
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the year		<u>5,481,086</u>	<u>3,017,520</u>
<b>Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the year</b>	10	<u><u>6,518,319</u></u>	<u><u>5,481,086</u></u>

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**ST. JOHN AMBULANCE (PNG)**  
**Notes to the financial statements**  
**For the year ended 31 December 2021**

**1. General information**

The National St. John Council of Papua New Guinea (the "Council" or "SJA") is an association incorporated and domiciled in Papua New Guinea. The address of the Council's registered office is 702 Taurama Road, 3 Mile, Port Moresby, PNG. SJA primarily is involved in the provision of humanitarian and health care services, including ambulance, prehospital and emergency health care.

**(a) Statement of compliance**

The financial statements of SJA have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) as adopted by the Accounting Standards Board of Papua New Guinea (ASB) and the requirements of the Papua New Guinea Companies Act 1997.

**(b) Basis of accounting**

The financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis, except for the revaluation of land and buildings. Historical cost is generally based on the fair value of the consideration given in exchange for goods and services.

**(c) Functional and presentation currency**

These financial statements are presented in Papua New Guinea Kina which is the Council's functional and presentation currency. All amounts have been rounded to the nearest Kina, unless otherwise indicated.

**(d) Going concern**

The annual financial statements have been prepared on the basis of accounting policies applicable to a going concern. This basis presumes that funds will be available to finance future operations and that the realisation of assets and settlement of liabilities, contingent obligations and commitments will occur in the ordinary course of business.

SJA has traditionally encountered challenges in raising revenue to meet its humanitarian objectives and management and Council are well used to meeting these challenges. Management and Council are constantly focused on this issue and have managed to improve revenue collection sufficient to fund a substantial increase in services in recent years. Having regard to all the circumstances, including a consistent and continuous focus on expense control by SJA, the Council believes that the organisation will be able to continue as a going concern in the coming years.

**ST. JOHN AMBULANCE (PNG)**  
**Notes to the financial statements**  
**For the year ended 31 December 2021**

**1. General information (continued)**

**(e) Use of estimates and judgements**

The preparation of a financial report in conformity with IFRS requires management to make judgements, estimates and assumptions that affect the application of policies and reported amounts of assets and liabilities, income and expenses. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

The estimates and underlying assumptions are reviewed on an ongoing basis. Revisions to accounting estimates are recognised in the period in which the estimate is revised and in future periods if affected. The significant estimates and judgements applied in the preparation of these financial statements include:

- revenue recognition - revenue is recognised on a receivable basis where the amount is reliably measurable and there is adequate probability of receipt;
- depreciation of property, plant and equipment - the charge for depreciation is derived after determining estimates of assets' expected useful lives. The estimated useful lives are based on historical experience with similar assets as well as anticipation of future events which may impact their lives. Useful lives are determined when assets are acquired and reviewed annually for appropriateness;
- valuation of land and buildings - refer to note 9;
- accruals and provisions - expenditure incurred in the reporting period where there is uncertainty as to the final amount to be paid, is accounted for on the basis of an estimated value where this treatment is viewed as appropriate. An accrual is recognised when it is probable that an obligation exists for which a reliable estimate can be made. The amount may change in the future due to new developments or as additional information becomes available;
- employee benefit obligations - the *Annual Leave provision* is based on the total employees as per the employees listing, the leave accruals calculated as at year-end, and the daily rate per employee, while the *Long Service Leave obligation is estimated* based on the total employees as per the current employees listing, their years in service and their pay rate;
- provision for doubtful debts - a provision is made where information indicates that a debt is unlikely to be paid by a customer.

**ST. JOHN AMBULANCE (PNG)**  
**Notes to the financial statements**  
**For the year ended 31 December 2021**

**2. Summary of significant accounting policies**

The principal accounting policies adopted in the preparation of these financial statements are set out below. These policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

**(a) Revenue**

Revenue is measured at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable. Revenue is reduced for estimated customer returns, rebates and other similar allowances.

All revenue is stated net of the amount of Goods and Services Tax (GST).

**Grants and Donations**

Income from grants and donations are recognised when the funds are received or receivable; for example, where the control of the future economic benefits have been obtained and agreement is enforceable. This would arise for:

- non-conditional grants and donations, when the funds are received or when the grant agreement becomes enforceable; for example, formal notification that the grant application has been approved or the contract or agreement is executed.
- conditional grants, when the enforceable conditions are met.
- Revenue realised in the current year was higher than last year due to Covid 19 capital expenditure grants. The grants under special operations (19,2 million) were restricted by the donors to Covid 19 emergency response. These grants increased the asset base, and the remaining funds continue to be identified as restricted net assets at the current reporting date. This means they must be expended for the specific purposes approved by the donor and cannot otherwise be utilised to fund SJA annual operating costs

**Commercial services income**

***Rendering of services***

Revenue relating to the provision of services is determined with reference to the stage of completion of the transaction at reporting date and where the outcome of the contract can be estimated reliably. Stage of completion is determined with reference to the services performed to date as a percentage of total anticipated services to be performed. Where the outcome cannot be estimated reliably, revenue is recognised only to the extent that related expenditure is recoverable.

***Sale of goods***

Revenue is recognised when persuasive evidence exists, usually in the form of an executed sales agreement, that the significant risks and rewards of ownership have been transferred to the buyer, recovery of the consideration is probable, the associated costs and possible return of goods can be estimated reliably, there is no continuing management involvement with the goods, and the amount of revenue can be measured reliably.

**Other income**

Gains from the disposal of assets are included in profit and loss as part of *Other income*.  
Donated assets are recognised when acquired at their estimated fair value and are included in profit and loss and other comprehensive income as part of *Other income*.

**ST. JOHN AMBULANCE (PNG)**  
**Notes to the financial statements**  
**For the year ended 31 December 2021**

**2. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)**

**(b) Income tax**

SJA is exempt from Corporate Tax. Goods and Services Tax (GST) is paid and can be claimed when GST returns are lodged (monthly). Salaries and Wages Tax is applicable.

**(c) Cash and cash equivalents**

Cash comprises cash on hand, at bank and term deposits with an original term of 3 months or less. For the purposes of the cash flow statement, cash includes cash on hand and in banks, net of outstanding bank overdrafts.

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

**(i) Recognition and measurement**

Items of property, plant and equipment are measured at cost less accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses, except for land and buildings, which are measured at fair value, less subsequent accumulated depreciation and accumulated impairment losses.

Valuations are performed whenever management believes there has been a material movement in the value of the assets.

When parts of an item of property, plant and equipment have different useful lives, they are accounted for as separate items (major components) of property, plant and equipment.

Gains and losses on disposal of an item of property, plant and equipment are determined by comparing the proceeds from disposal with the carrying amount of property, plant and equipment, and are recognised net within other income or other expenses in the statement of profit or loss and other comprehensive income.

Minor additions to assets, defined as those costing less than K2,000 each, are expensed (fully depreciated) in the year in which the cost is incurred.

Donated assets are recognised at their estimated fair value at the time of acquisition.

**(ii) Subsequent costs**

The cost of replacing a part of an item of property, plant and equipment is recognised in the carrying amount of the item if it is probable that the future economic benefits embodied within the part will flow to SJA, and its cost can be measured reliably. The carrying amount of the replaced part is derecognised. The costs of the day-to-day servicing of property, plant and equipment are recognised in profit or loss as incurred.



**ST. JOHN AMBULANCE (PNG)**  
**Notes to the financial statements**  
**For the year ended 31 December 2021**

**2. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)**

**(d) Property, plant and equipment (continued)**

**(iii) Depreciation**

Depreciation is calculated over the depreciable amount, which is the cost of an asset, or other amount substituted for cost, less its residual value. Depreciation is recognised in profit or loss on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of each item of property, plant and equipment, since this most closely reflects the expected pattern of consumption of the future economic benefits embodied in the asset. Land is not depreciated. An assessment is made at each financial year-end to determine whether the depreciation method, useful lives and residual values are still appropriate.

The straight line method of depreciation is used and the rates of depreciation are:

Buildings	5%
Motor vehicles	10% - 33.3%
Plant and equipment	10%
Office equipment	15%
Office furniture and fittings	7.50%

**(e) Trade and other payables**

Trade and other payables are stated at amortised cost. These amounts represent liabilities for goods and services provided to the Council prior to the end of the financial year and which are unpaid.

**(f) Lease payments**

Payments made under operating leases are recognised in profit or loss on a straight-line basis over the term of the lease. Lease incentives received are recognised as an integral part of the total lease expense, over the term of the lease.

**(g) Financial instruments**

SJA only has financial assets and financial liabilities of a kind that qualify as basic financial instruments. Basic financial instruments are initially recognised at transaction value and subsequently measured at their settlement value, representing amortised cost, as follows:

<i>Cash and cash equivalents</i>	Cash held (at bank and on hand)
<i>Trade payables and trade receivables</i>	Settlement amount after any trade discounts
<i>Short term deposits</i>	Monies placed on deposit with a maturity date of more than three months are treated as current asset investments. Where the maturity date is three months or less, the deposit is recognised within cash or cash equivalents. In each case, the deposit is convertible to cash at its carrying amount.

**ST. JOHN AMBULANCE (PNG)**  
**Notes to the financial statements**  
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**2. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)**

**(g) Financial instruments (continued)**

**(i) Recognition and measurement**

Trade receivables are initially recognised when they are originated. All other financial assets and financial liabilities are initially recognised when the Council becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument.

Financial assets and financial liabilities are initially measured at fair value. Transaction costs that are directly attributable to the acquisition or issue of financial assets and financial liabilities (other than financial assets and financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss) are added to or deducted from the fair value of the financial assets or financial liabilities, as appropriate, on initial recognition. Transaction costs directly attributable to the acquisition of financial assets or financial liabilities at fair value through profit or loss are recognised immediately in profit or loss.

**(ii) Classification and measurement**

On initial recognition, a financial asset is classified as measured at amortised cost, at fair value through other comprehensive income (FVOCI) or at fair value through profit or loss (FVTPL).

Financial assets are not reclassified subsequent to their initial recognition unless the Council changes its business model for managing financial assets, in which case all affected financial assets are reclassified on the first day of the first reporting period following the change in the business model.

A financial asset is measured at amortised cost if it meets both of the following conditions and is not designated as at FVTPL:

- it is held within a business model whose objective is to hold assets to collect contractual cash flows; and
- its contractual terms give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal amount outstanding.

SJA accounted for its financial assets at amortised cost as at 31 December 2020.

All financial assets not classified as measured at amortised cost as described above are measured at FVTPL. On initial recognition, SJA may irrevocably designate a financial asset that otherwise meets the requirements to be measured at amortised cost as at FVTPL if doing so eliminates or significantly reduces an accounting mismatch that would otherwise arise.

*Financial assets: Subsequent measurement and gains and losses*

Financial assets that are measured at amortised costs are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. The amortised cost is reduced by impairment losses. Interest income, foreign exchange gains and losses and impairment are recognised in profit or loss. Any gain or loss on derecognition is recognised in profit or loss.

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**Notes to the financial statements**  
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**(ii) Classification and measurement (continued)**

**(g) Financial instruments (continued)**

The amortised cost of a financial asset is the amount at which the financial asset is measured at initial recognition minus the principal repayments, plus the cumulative amortisation using the effective interest method of any difference between that initial amount and the maturity amount, adjusted for any loss allowance.

*Financial liabilities: Classification, subsequent measurement and gains and losses*

Financial liabilities are classified and measured at amortised cost or at FVTPL. A financial liability is classified at FVTPL if it is classified as held-for trading, it is a derivative or it is designated as such on initial recognition. Financial liabilities at FVTPL are measured at fair value and net gains and losses including any interest expense, are recognised in profit or loss. Other financial liabilities are subsequently measured at amortised cost using the effective interest method. Interest expense and foreign exchange gains and losses are recognised in profit and loss. Any gains or loss on derecognition is also recognised in profit or loss.

**(iii) Derecognition**

Financial assets

The Council derecognises a financial asset when the contractual rights to the cash flows from the financial asset expire, or it transfers the rights to receive the contractual cash flows in a transaction in which substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership of the financial asset are transferred or in which the Council neither transfers nor retains substantially all of the risks and rewards of ownership and it does not retain control of the financial asset.

Financial liabilities

The Council derecognises a financial liability when its contractual obligations are discharged or cancelled, or expire. The Council also derecognises a financial liability when its terms are modified and the cash flows of the modified liability are substantially different, in which case a new financial liability based on the modified terms is recognised at fair value.

On derecognition of a financial liability, the difference between the carrying amount extinguished and the consideration paid (including any non-cash assets transferred or liabilities assumed) is recognised in profit or loss.

**(iv) Offsetting**

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset and the net amount presented in the statement of financial position when, and only when, the Council currently has a legally enforceable right to set off the amounts and it intends either to settle them on a net basis or to realise the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.

**ST. JOHN AMBULANCE (PNG)**  
**Notes to the financial statements**  
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**2. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)**

**(h) Impairment**

**(i) *Non-derivative financial assets***

*Financial instruments*

The Council recognises loss allowances for expected credit losses on financial assets measured at amortised cost.

The Council measures loss allowances at an amount equal to *lifetime expected credit losses*, except cash and cash equivalents which are measured as *12-month expected credit losses* as credit risk (i.e. the risk of default occurring over the expected life of the financial instrument) has not increased significantly since initial recognition.

Loss allowances for trade receivables are always measured at an amount equal to lifetime expected credit losses.

When determining whether the credit risk of a financial asset has increased significantly since initial recognition and when estimating expected credit losses, the Council considers reasonable and supportable information that is relevant and available without undue cost or effort. This includes both quantitative and qualitative information and analysis, based on the Council's historical experience and informed credit assessment and including forward-looking information.

The Council assumes that the credit risk on a financial asset has increased significantly if it is more than 30 days past due.

The Council considers a financial asset to be in default when:

- the borrower is unlikely to pay its credit obligations to the Council in full, without recourse by the Council to actions such as realising security (if any is held); or
- the financial asset is more than 90 days past due.

*Lifetime expected credit losses* are the expected credit losses that result from all possible default events over the expected life of a financial instrument.

*12-month expected credit losses* are the portion of expected credit losses that result from default events that are possible within the 12 months after the reporting date (or a shorter period if the expected life of the instrument is less than 12 months).

The maximum period considered when estimating expected credit losses is the maximum contractual period over which the Council is exposed to credit risk.

**ST. JOHN AMBULANCE (PNG)**  
**Notes to the financial statements**  
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**2. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)**

**(h) Impairment (continued)**

**(i) Non-derivative financial assets (continued)**

*Measurement of ECLs*

Expected credit losses are a probability-weighted estimate of credit losses. Credit losses are measured as the present value of all cash shortfalls (i.e. the difference between the cash flow due to the entity in accordance with the contract and the cash flows that the Council expects to receive).

ECLs are discounted at the effective interest rate of the financial asset.

At each reporting date, the Council assesses whether financial assets carried at amortised cost and debt securities at FVOCI are credit-impaired. A financial asset is 'credit-impaired' when one or more events that have a detrimental impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset have occurred.

*Credit-impaired financial assets*

Evidence that a financial asset is credit-impaired includes the following observable data:

- significant financial difficulty of the borrower or issuer;
- a breach of contract such as a default or being more than 90 days past due;
- the restructuring of a loan or advance by the Council on terms that the Council would not consider otherwise;
- it is probable that the borrower will enter bankruptcy or other financial reorganisation;
- the disappearance of an active market for a security because of financial difficulties.

*Presentation of allowance for ECL in the statement of financial position*

Loss allowances for financial assets measured at amortised cost are deducted from the gross carrying amount of the assets.

*Write-off*

The gross carrying amount of a financial asset is written off (either partially or in full) to the extent that there is no realistic prospect of recovery. This is generally the case when the Council determines that the debtor does not have assets or sources of income that could generate sufficient cash flows to repay the amounts subject to the write-off. However, financial assets that are written off could still be subject to enforcement activities in order to comply with the Council's procedures for recovery of amounts due.

**(ii) Non-financial assets**

The carrying amounts of the Council's non-financial assets are reviewed at each reporting date to determine whether there is any indication of impairment. If any such indication exists, then the asset's recoverable amount is estimated.

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**2. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)**

**(h) Impairment (continued)**

**(ii) Non-financial assets (continued)**

For the purpose of impairment testing, assets that cannot be tested individually are grouped together into the smallest group of assets that generates cash inflows from continuing use that are largely independent of the cash inflows of other assets or groups of assets (the "cash-generating unit", or "CGU").

The recoverable amount of an asset or cash-generating unit is the greater of its value in use and its fair value less costs to sell. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset or cash-generating unit.

An impairment loss is recognised if the carrying amount of an asset or its CGU exceeds its estimated recoverable amount. Impairment losses are recognised in profit or loss.

**3. Standards issued but not yet effective**

A number of new standards and amendments to standards are effective for annual periods beginning after 1 January 2020 and earlier application is permitted; however, the Council has not applied or early adopted the following new or amended standards in preparing these financial statements.

*Onerous contract - Cost of fulfilling a contract*

Amendment to IAS 37, effective beginning on or after 1 January 2022

*Annual improvements to IFRS Standards 2018-2020*

Effective on or after 1 January 2022

*Property, plant and equipment: Proceeds before intended use*

Effective on or after 1 January 2022

*Reference to the conceptual framework*

Amendments to IFRS 3, effective on or after 1 January 2022

*Classification of liabilities as current or non-current*

Amendments to IAS 1, effective on or after 1 January 2023

*IFRS 17 Insurance Contracts*

Insurance Contracts, effective on or after 1 January 2023

The Council does not expect that the adoption of standards listed above will have a material impact on the financial statements of St. John in future periods.

**4. Correction of prior period errors and comparative amounts**

Where necessary, comparative figures have been adjusted to present the effect of correcting prior period errors. This has not resulted in adjustment to retained earnings of prior periods. Financial statements have not been restated in the current year.

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	2021 K	2020 K
<b>5. Revenue</b>		
Grants and donations	24,247,375	11,259,152
Commercial services income		
<i>Covid tests</i>	1,246,429	3,650
<i>Clinical Service-Airport</i>	18,164	35,550
<i>Commercial Training</i>	690,311	695,090
<i>Ambulance Membership</i>	240,550	159,195
<i>Event Health Services (First Aid Services)</i>	136,979	104,783
<i>First Aid Kit Sales</i>	565,291	746,679
<i>NCD Ambulance Fees</i>	347,045	394,523
<i>Medical Health Clinic</i>	1,800	-
<i>Medical Supplies Sales</i>	21,640	-
<i>Private Air Ambulance Fees</i>	600,411	590,988
<i>Public Air Ambulance Fees</i>	19,400	-
	<u>28,135,395</u>	<u>13,989,609</u>
<b>6. Other income</b>		
Gain on disposal of assets	-	(17,000)
Other income		
<i>Other Revenue</i>	110,447	32,607
	<u>110,447</u>	<u>15,607</u>
<b>7. Employee cost</b>		
Salaries, wages and allowances	6,792,733	4,589,910
Employee benefits	793,602	734,528
Other employee costs	289,047	395,877
	<u>7,875,382</u>	<u>5,720,314</u>
<b>8. Administrative and Operating expenses</b>		
Administrative consultancy fees	507,763	728,257
Materials and supplies	1,630,562	1,168,766
Membership fees, subscriptions and contribution	182,368	66,277
Minor equipment, furniture and fittings	296,520	137,463
Other operating expenses	8,488,987	558,390
Overseas travel	7,933	24,889
Routine maintenance	198,218	108,917
Training	92,407	107,337
Transport and fuel	1,081,702	825,196
Travel and subsistence	107,014	118,486
Utilities	477,346	498,829
	<u>13,070,818</u>	<u>4,342,808</u>

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9. Property, plant and equipment

	Land		Buildings and improvements		Furniture, plant and equipment		Motor vehicles		Capital Work-in-Progress		Total
	At Fair Value	At Fair Value	At Fair Value	At Cost	At Cost	At Cost	At Cost	At Cost			
<b>Cost / Fair Value</b>											
Balance at 1 January 2020	6,000,000	2,962,562	1,733,490	2,999,808	189,639	13,885,501					
Additions	-	1,160,550	230,815	200,895	404,554	1,996,814					
Disposals	-	-	-	(60,000)	-	(60,000)					
Balance at 31 December 2020	6,000,000	4,123,112	1,964,305	3,140,703	594,193	15,822,315					
Additions	-	388,261	4,095,197	1,989,221	-	6,482,678					
Disposals	-	-	-	(84,273)	-	(84,273)					
Balance at 31 December 2021	6,000,000	4,521,373	6,059,502	5,045,652	594,193	22,220,720					
<b>Accumulated Depreciation</b>											
Balance at 1 January 2020	-	(362,562)	(401,908)	(921,488)	-	(1,685,958)					
Depreciation for the year	-	(174,468)	(227,946)	(488,917)	-	(891,331)					
Disposals	-	-	-	27,000	-	27,000					
Balance at 31 December 2020	-	(537,030)	(629,854)	(1,383,405)	-	(2,550,290)					
Depreciation for the year	-	(215,844)	(656,250)	(726,978)	-	(1,599,072)					
Disposals	-	-	-	53,373	-	53,373					
Balance at 31 December 2021	-	(752,874)	(1,286,104)	(2,057,010)	-	(4,096,990)					
<b>Net book value</b>											
At 31 December 2020	6,000,000	3,586,082	1,334,451	1,757,298	594,193	13,272,024					
At 31 December 2021	6,000,000	3,768,499	4,773,398	2,988,641	594,193	18,124,730					

Land and buildings were revalued on 2 June 2020 by Mariano E. Lakae, and independent professional valuer, with reference to an active market. The valuation was performed using the summation approach.

The carrying amount that would have been recognised, had the assets been carried under the cost model, is not available and therefore not disclosed.



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**10. Cash and cash equivalents**

	2021 K	2020 K
Cash at bank	6,518,319	5,481,086
	<u>6,518,319</u>	<u>5,481,086</u>

For the purpose of the Statement of Cash Flows, cash includes cash at bank and term deposits at call net of outstanding bank overdrafts.

**11. Trade and other receivables**

Trade receivables	5,102,158	939,672
Prepayments	1,411,984	519,585
Other receivables	44,020	8,366
	<u>6,558,162</u>	<u>1,467,623</u>

**12. Trade and other payables**

Trade payables	3,154,757	2,941,603
Deferred Revenue	5,058,313	-
Accruals and other payables	225,137	152,171
	<u>8,438,207</u>	<u>3,093,774</u>

**13. Employee benefits obligation**

<i>Current liability</i>		
Annual leave	<u>197,325</u>	<u>287,472</u>
<i>Non current liability</i>		
Long service leave	<u>621,565</u>	<u>588,678</u>

The average number of employees during the year was 332 (2020: 187).

**14. Asset revaluation reserve**

Balance at 1 January	<u>8,045,382</u>	<u>8,045,382</u>
Balance at 31 December	<u>8,045,382</u>	<u>8,045,382</u>

The asset revaluation reserve arose on the revaluation of land and buildings. Upon recognition, the property value was credited to the asset revaluation reserve.

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**15. Related parties**

St John is associated with "St John International" which is the Most Venerable Order of the Hospital of St John of Jerusalem.

Apart from the disclosure in this note, no Council member, key management personnel or their related parties has entered into a material contract with SJA during the reporting period and there were no material contracts involving councillors, key management personnel or their related parties existing at the end of the annual reporting period.

**Related party transactions**

Legal services were provided by the firm *Leahy, Lewin, Lowing, Sullivan Lawyers*, in which council member Peter Lowing is a Partner.

	Net transaction value	Net transaction value
	2021	2020
	K	K
Legal services	13,146	6,862

**Loans to Council members**

There were no loans to members of the Council during the year (2020: K Nil).

**Key management personnel compensation**

Key management personnel are defined as the Council members of St John Ambulance and the executive management team. Council members receive no remuneration except for expenses necessarily incurred during the performance of their duties.

In addition to staff salaries, SJA contributes to a superannuation fund on their behalf.

	Net transaction value	Net transaction
	2021	2020
	K	K
Short term employee benefits	1,310,802	1,025,558

Short term benefits include salaries and wages and all benefits provided including bonus. Long term benefits are only in respect of long service leave.

**16. Contingent liabilities**

Contingent liabilities not otherwise provided for in the financial statements amounted to K Nil (2020: K Nil).

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**17. Financial commitments**

Capital commitments at reporting date was K Nil (2020: K Nil).

**18. Financial instruments**

SJA has exposure to the following risks from its use of financial instruments:

- a) Credit risk
- b) Liquidity risk
- c) Market risk
- d) Operational risk

This note presents information about the SJA's exposure to each of the above risks, the Council's objectives, policies and processes for measuring and managing risk, and the Council's management of capital. Further quantitative disclosures are included throughout these financial statements.

The Council has overall responsibility for the establishment and oversight of a risk management framework. Management has developed policies and procedures for activities that carry operational risk.

Risk management policies and systems are reviewed regularly to reflect changes in market conditions and the Council's activities. SJA, through its training and management standards and procedures, aims to develop a disciplined and constructive control environment in which all employees understand their roles and obligations.

**a) Credit risk**

Credit risk is the risk of financial loss to the Council if a customer or counterparty to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations, and arises principally from the SJA's receivables from customers and investment securities.

**Trade and other receivables**

SJA's exposure to credit risk is influenced mainly by the individual characteristics of each customer. However, management also considers the demographics of SJA's customer base, including the default risk of the industry and country in which customers operate, as these factors may have an influence on credit risk, particularly in the current economic circumstances. SJA's revenue is not attributable to transactions with any particular single customer. Geographical concentration of credit risk is within Papua New Guinea only.

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**18. Financial instruments (continued)**

**(a) Credit risk (continued)**

**Cash and cash equivalents**

SJA limits its exposure to credit risk by investing its cash and cash equivalents with reputable banks and other institutions.

In the normal course of its business SJA incurs credit risk from customers. There are no significant concentrations of credit risk. The Council has a credit policy to manage exposure to credit risk. As part of this policy, limits on exposures have been set and are monitored on a regular basis.

The carrying amount of financial assets represents the maximum credit exposure. The maximum exposure to credit risk at the reporting date was:

	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	<b>K</b>	<b>K</b>
Trade receivable (net of provision for impairment)	5,102,158	939,672
Other debtors and prepayments	1,456,003	527,950
Cash and cash equivalents	6,518,319	5,481,086
	<u>13,076,481</u>	<u>6,948,709</u>

The maximum exposure to credit risk for trade receivables (net) at the reporting date was:

	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	<b>K</b>	<b>K</b>
Trade receivables	<u>5,102,158</u>	<u>939,672</u>

**Impairment loss**

The aging of trade receivable (net) at the reporting date was:

	<b>2021</b>	<b>2020</b>
	<b>K</b>	<b>K</b>
Not past due	1,253,381	60,807
Past due 1 - 30 days	2,918,387	89,672
Past due 31 - 90 days	63,750	361,084
More than 91 days	866,640	428,109
	<u>5,102,158</u>	<u>939,672</u>

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**18. Financial instruments (continued)**

**(a) Credit risk (continued)**

Expected credit losses assessment for trade receivables at 1 January and 31 December 2021.

SJA reviews the trade receivables from individual customers at the end of the annual reporting period, to determine whether or not to recognise an allowance for impairment of trade receivables. Where an allowance is required, an amount equivalent to the impaired trade receivable amount is recognised as an impairment loss. No impairment was recorded as at 1 January 2021 and 31 December 2021.

Cash and cash equivalents

SJA held cash at bank of K6,518,319 (2019: K5,481,086).

The Council considers its cash at bank has a low credit risk based on external credit ratings of the counterparties.

Due to short term maturities and low credit risk, SJA did not recognise an impairment allowance against cash and cash equivalents as at 1 January 2021 and 31 December 2021.

**(b) Liquidity risk**

Liquidity risk is the risk that SJA will encounter difficulty in meeting the obligations associated with its financial liabilities that are settled by delivering cash or another financial asset. SJA's approach to managing liquidity is to ensure, as far as possible, that it will always have sufficient liquidity to meet its liabilities when due, under both normal and stressed conditions, without incurring unacceptable losses or risking damage to the Council's reputation.

SJA ensures that it has sufficient cash on demand to meet expected operational expenses for a period of 60 days, including the servicing of financial obligations; this excludes the potential impact of extreme circumstances that cannot reasonably be predicted, such as natural disasters.

The following are the contractual maturities of financial liabilities:

	<b>Carrying amount</b>	<b>Contracted cash flows</b>	<b>Less than 1 year</b>	<b>More than 1 year</b>
<b>Amount at 31 December 2021:</b>				
<i>Non-derivative financial liabilities:</i>				
Trade and other payables	8,438,207	8,438,207	8,339,315	98,892
<b>Amount at 31 December 2020:</b>				
<i>Non-derivative financial liabilities:</i>				
Trade and other payables	3,093,774	3,093,774	2,990,999	102,775

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**18. Financial instruments (continued)**

**Capital management**

The Council monitors the management of capital necessary to sustain future operations. Due to the high level of dependence on government grants and other donations, and the erratic nature of grants awarded, management and the Council continuously seeks alternative ways of contributing to income to replace funds not granted or donated. There were no changes in the Council's approach to capital management during the year. SJA is not subject to any externally-imposed capital requirements.

The Council has established the Finance Committee, responsible for providing financial analysis, advice, and oversight of the budget. Their sole responsibility is to ensure the organisation is operating with the financial resources it needs to provide programs and services to the community. The committee reports regularly to the Council on its activities.

**(c) Market risk**

Market risk is the risk that changes in market prices, such as foreign exchange rates and interest rates will affect SJA's income or the value of its holdings of financial instruments. The objective of market risk management is to manage and control market risk exposures within acceptable parameters.

**(i) Foreign exchange risk**

SJA is not exposed to foreign currency risk as inventory, assets and technical support from Australia is obtained by way of grants and donations.

**(ii) Interest rate risk**

There were no term deposits at year end with maturities greater than 3 months bearing interest rates (2020: Nil).

SJA does not account for any fixed rate financial assets at fair value through profit or loss, and SJA does not designate derivatives as hedging instruments under a fair value hedge accounting model. Therefore a change in interest rates at the reporting date would not affect

**(iii) Fair values versus carrying values**

The fair values of financial assets and liabilities, together with the carrying amounts shown in the statement of financial position are as follows:

	Fair values		Carrying values	
	2021	2020	2021	2020
	K	K	K	K
Cash and cash equivalents	6,518,319	5,481,086	6,518,319	5,481,086
Trade and other receivables	6,558,162	1,467,623	6,558,162	1,467,623
Trade and other payables	(8,438,207)	(3,093,774)	(8,438,207)	(3,093,774)
	<u>4,638,274</u>	<u>3,854,934</u>	<u>4,638,274</u>	<u>3,854,934</u>

The carrying amount of cash and cash equivalent, trade and other receivables and trade and other payables approximate their fair values due to the relatively short-term nature of these financial instruments.

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**18. Financial instruments (continued)**

**(c) Market risk (continued)**

For financial reporting purposes, fair value measurements are categorised into Level 1, 2 or 3 based on the degree to which the inputs to the fair value measurements are observable and the significance of the inputs to the fair value measurement in its entirety, which are described as follows:

- Level 1 inputs are quoted prices (unadjusted) in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the entity can access at the measurement date;
- Level 2 inputs are inputs, other than quoted prices included within Level 1, that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly; and
- Level 3 inputs are unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
<b>31 December 2021</b>				
Cash and cash equivalents	6,518,319	-	-	6,518,319
Trade and other receivables	-	-	6,558,162	6,558,162
Trade and other payables	-	-	(8,438,207)	(8,438,207)
	<u>6,518,319</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(1,880,045)</u>	<u>4,638,274</u>
<b>31 December 2020</b>				
Cash and cash equivalents	5,481,086	-	-	5,481,086
Trade and other receivables	-	-	1,467,623	1,467,623
Trade and other payables	-	-	(3,093,774)	(3,093,774)
	<u>5,481,086</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>(1,626,152)</u>	<u>3,854,934</u>

**(d) Operational risk**

Operational risk is the risk of direct or indirect loss arising from a wide variety of causes associated with SJA's processes, personnel, technology and infrastructure, and from external factors other than credit, market and liquidity risks such as those arising from legal and regulatory requirements and generally accepted standards of corporate behaviour. Operational risks arise from all of SJA's operations. SJA's objective is to manage operational risk so as to balance the avoidance of financial losses and damage to SJA's reputation with overall cost effectiveness and to avoid control procedures that restrict initiative and creativity.

**19. Subsequent events**

No matters or circumstances have arisen since the end of the financial year which significantly affected or may significantly affect the operations of SJA, the results of those operations, or the state of affairs of SJA in future financial years.