

*Consolidated Interim Financial Statements of*

**CHARTER REAL ESTATE  
INVESTMENT TRUST**

*September 30, 2007*

*(unaudited)*

# CHARTER REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST

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# CHARTER REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST

## Consolidated Balance Sheets

(unaudited)

	As at September 30, 2007	As at December 31, 2006
<b>ASSETS</b>		
Cash	\$ 1,694,333	\$ 805,127
Restricted cash (Note 8)	525,000	-
Income producing properties (Note 4)	72,931,034	-
Deferred costs (Note 5)	212,531	-
Intangible assets (Note 6)	8,908,178	-
Accounts receivable	240,831	12,624
Other assets (Note 7)	797,882	35,243
	<b>\$ 85,309,789</b>	<b>\$ 852,994</b>
<b>LIABILITIES</b>		
Mortgage payable (Note 8)	\$ 27,360,921	\$ -
Credit facilities (Notes 9 and 17)	3,553,525	-
Intangible liabilities (Note 6)	308,704	-
Accounts payable and other liabilities	3,565,079	83,858
	<b>34,788,229</b>	<b>83,858</b>
<b>UNITHOLDERS' EQUITY</b>		
Units (2006 - common shares) (Note 10)	54,095,161	902,869
Contributed surplus	217,474	30,030
Deficit and accumulated comprehensive loss	(3,791,075)	(163,763)
	<b>50,521,560</b>	<b>769,136</b>
	<b>\$ 85,309,789</b>	<b>\$ 852,994</b>

APPROVED ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

**CHARTER REAL ESTATE INVESTMENT TRUST**  
**Consolidated Statements of Operations, Comprehensive Loss and Deficit**  
(unaudited)

	Three months ended September 30,		Nine months ended September 30,	
	2007	2006	2007	2006
REVENUE				
Revenues from rental properties	\$ 2,034,248	\$ -	\$ 3,228,359	\$ -
Interest income	13,866	4,789	34,399	12,004
	<b>2,048,114</b>	<b>4,789</b>	<b>3,262,758</b>	<b>12,004</b>
EXPENSES				
Rental property operating costs	746,235	-	1,093,444	-
Interest expense	735,180	-	1,500,577	-
Incentive unit option compensation (Note 11)	150,755	-	193,444	-
General and administrative expenses	339,477	36,488	842,535	91,558
Depreciation and amortization (Note 13)	633,548	-	1,166,012	-
Corporate transaction costs and other (Note 14)	464,733	-	1,218,800	-
	<b>3,069,928</b>	<b>36,488</b>	<b>6,014,812</b>	<b>91,558</b>
LOSS BEFORE INCOME TAXES	<b>(1,021,814)</b>	<b>(31,699)</b>	<b>(2,752,054)</b>	<b>(79,554)</b>
PROVISION FOR INCOME TAXES	-	-	-	-
NET LOSS AND COMPREHENSIVE LOSS	<b>(1,021,814)</b>	<b>(31,699)</b>	<b>(2,752,054)</b>	<b>(79,554)</b>
DISTRIBUTIONS PAID DURING THE PERIOD	<b>(875,258)</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>(875,258)</b>	<b>-</b>
DEFICIT, BEGINNING OF PERIOD	<b>(1,894,003)</b>	<b>(73,217)</b>	<b>(163,763)</b>	<b>(25,362)</b>
DEFICIT AND ACCUMULATED COMPREHENSIVE LOSS, END OF PERIOD	<b>\$ (3,791,075)</b>	<b>\$ (104,916)</b>	<b>\$ (3,791,075)</b>	<b>\$ (104,916)</b>
LOSS PER UNIT (Note 12)				
Basic	\$ (0.09)	\$ (0.08)	\$ (0.57)	\$ (0.22)
Diluted	\$ (0.09)	\$ (0.08)	\$ (0.57)	\$ (0.22)

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## Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

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	Three months ended September 30,		Nine months ended September 30,	
	2007	2006	2007	2006
OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Net loss	\$ (1,021,814)	\$ (31,699)	\$ (2,752,054)	\$ (79,554)
Adjusted for non-cash items:				
Depreciation and amortization	633,548	-	1,166,012	-
Amortization of below-market rate leases	(7,773)	-	(13,160)	-
Non cash portion of interest expense	122,331	-	180,595	-
Rent revenue recognized on a straight-line basis	(36,540)	-	(62,933)	-
Incentive unit option compensation	150,755	-	193,444	-
Leasing costs	(14,074)	-	(14,074)	-
Deferred recoverable expenditures	(165,103)	-	(165,103)	-
Net change in non-cash working capital	309,587	1,765	546,755	8,798
Net cash used in operating activities	(29,083)	(29,934)	(920,518)	(70,756)
FINANCING ACTIVITIES				
Proceeds from new mortgage financing (Note 8)	-	-	27,525,000	-
Credit facilities				
Drawdowns from facilities (Note 9)	8,000,000	-	18,500,000	-
Repayment of facilities (Note 9)	(14,500,000)	-	(14,500,000)	-
Debt issuance costs	(211,821)	-	(622,680)	-
Proceeds from issuance of units (Note 10)	50,873,396	500,000	56,874,446	500,000
Proceeds from exercise of unit options (Note 10)	-	-	30,000	-
Cost of issuance of units	(2,543,651)	(5,365)	(2,660,946)	(5,790)
Distributions to unitholders	(419,896)	-	(419,896)	-
Net cash provided by financing activities	41,198,028	494,635	84,725,924	494,210
INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
Rental properties acquired (Note 4)	(42,877,236)	-	(82,648,871)	-
Additions to building improvements	(50,586)	-	(50,586)	-
Additions to tenant improvements	(37,966)	-	(37,966)	-
Net change in working capital relating to investing activities	272,628	-	346,223	-
Net change in restricted cash (Note 8)	-	-	(525,000)	-
Net cash used in investing activities	(42,693,160)	-	(82,916,200)	-
NET (DECREASE) INCREASE IN CASH DURING THE PERIOD	(1,524,215)	464,701	889,206	423,454
CASH, BEGINNING OF PERIOD	3,218,548	371,276	805,127	412,523
CASH, END OF PERIOD	\$ 1,694,333	\$ 835,977	\$ 1,694,333	\$ 835,977

### SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE OF CASH FLOW INFORMATION:

Income taxes paid	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Interest paid	\$ 721,927	\$ -	\$ 1,155,334	\$ -

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

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### 1. ORGANIZATION

On May 10, 2007, Charter Realty Holdings Ltd. (the “Company”) completed its conversion to a trust structure under a Plan of Arrangement (the “Arrangement”). The Arrangement resulted in shareholders of the Company transferring their shares to Charter Real Estate Investment Trust (“Charter” or the “REIT”), in consideration for units of the REIT. Each 10 issued shares of the Company were transferred to the REIT in exchange for 1 unit of the REIT. The REIT was formed pursuant to a Declaration of Trust dated March 27, 2007, specifically for the purposes of the Arrangement. After the Arrangement, the Company is a wholly-owned subsidiary of the REIT.

The REIT is an unincorporated open-ended real estate investment trust.

The REIT trades under the symbol “CRH.UN”.

The REIT acquired the Company on a continuity of business basis, and therefore the REIT directly and indirectly owns all of the assets of the Company including the Rona properties and the Méga Centre. In addition, the comparative figures and note disclosures are presented as if the Company had converted to a trust structure on January 1, 2006.

### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

These interim consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles. The following is a summary of significant accounting policies that are used in the preparation of these financial statements.

#### *(a) Revenue recognition*

The REIT uses the straight-line method of recognizing rental revenue, whereby the total amount of rental revenue to be received from leases is accounted for on a straight-line basis over the terms of the respective leases. Accordingly, an accrued rent receivable/payable is recorded from the tenants for the current difference between the straight-line rent recorded as rental revenue and the rent that is contractually due from the tenants.

Revenues from rental properties also include percentage rent, realty tax and operating cost recoveries, and other incidental income which are recognized on an accrual basis.

#### *(b) Operating leases acquired in either an asset acquisition or a business combination*

In accordance with Emerging Issues Committee Abstract No. 140 “Accounting for Operating Leases Acquired in either an Asset Acquisition or a Business Combination”, the REIT allocates the purchase price for income producing properties as follows:

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### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

a. Land

Land is recorded at its estimated fair value. Land is included in income producing properties.

b. Buildings

Buildings are recorded at depreciated replacement cost based on estimates of prevailing construction costs for buildings of a similar class and age. Buildings are included in income producing properties

c. Tenant improvements

Tenant improvements are recorded at depreciated replacement cost based on estimates of prevailing construction costs, taking into account the condition of tenants' premises. Tenant improvements are included in income producing properties.

d. Above and below market in-place leases

Values ascribed to above and below market in-place leases are determined based on the present value of the difference between the rents payable under the terms of the in-place leases and estimated market rents. Above and below market in-place leases are included in intangible assets or intangible liabilities, as applicable.

e. Lease origination costs

Lease origination costs are determined based on estimates of the costs that would be required for the existing leases to be put in place under the same terms and conditions. These costs include leasing commissions, foregone rent and operating cost recoveries during an estimated lease-up period. Lease origination costs are included in intangible assets.

f. Tenant relationship values

Tenant relationship values are determined based on the net costs avoided if the tenants were to renew their leases at the end of the existing term, adjusted for the estimated probability that the tenants will renew. Tenant relationship values are included in intangible assets.

(c) *Income producing properties*

Income producing properties include land, buildings, building improvements and tenant improvements acquired in a rental property acquisition, which are carried at cost less accumulated depreciation and amortization.

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### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

(d) *Intangible assets and liabilities*

Intangible assets and liabilities include the value of above and below market in-place leases, lease origination costs and the value of tenant relationships. Intangible assets and liabilities are carried at cost less accumulated amortization.

(e) *Deferred costs*

Deferred costs include tenant improvements, tenant inducements and leasing costs incurred through leasing activities, as well as expenditures incurred on income producing properties that are recoverable from tenants. Deferred costs are carried at cost less accumulated amortization.

(f) *Impairment of Long-Lived Assets*

Long-lived assets are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying value of the asset may be impaired. If it is determined that the carrying value exceeds the total undiscounted future cash flows expected from the use and eventual disposal of the asset, the asset is written down to its fair value. Assets reviewed for impairment under this policy include income producing properties, intangible assets and deferred costs.

(g) *Depreciation and amortization*

Depreciation on buildings and improvements is provided using the straight-line method over their estimated useful lives of up to 40 years.

Tenant improvements acquired in a rental property acquisition are amortized on a straight-line basis over the useful life of the associated asset, which generally approximates the terms of the associated leases.

Tenant improvements included in deferred costs are amortized on a straight-line basis over the useful life of the associated asset, which generally approximates the terms of the associated leases. Leasing costs included in deferred costs are amortized on a straight-line basis over the terms of the associated leases.

Tenant inducements included in deferred costs are amortized on a straight-line basis to revenues over the terms of the associated leases.

Recoverable expenditures are amortized on a straight-line basis over terms appropriate to the expenditure.

Above and below market in-place leases are amortized to revenues on a straight-line basis over the remaining terms of the associated leases.

Lease origination costs are amortized over the remaining terms of the associated leases.

Tenant relationship values are amortized over the expected term of the relationship.

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### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

(h) *Financing fees*

Commitment fees and other fees incurred in connection with debt financing are netted in the balance sheet against the debt to which they relate. These costs are amortized into interest expense using the effective interest method over the term of the debt.

(i) *Incentive unit options*

The REIT has an incentive unit option plan. The REIT follows the fair value method of accounting for the expense associated with the plan, whereby an estimate of the fair value of the unit options granted is measured and recorded as an expense over the vesting period or at the date of grant if options vest immediately, with the related offset recorded as contributed surplus. The effect of actual forfeitures of previously granted options is recognized as they occur. Any consideration paid to the REIT with respect to the exercise of unit options is credited to units. For the purpose of accounting for incentive unit options, trustees and officers of the REIT and consultants that provide employee-related services to the REIT are considered employees and other parties are considered non-employees.

(j) *Income taxes*

The REIT is an unincorporated open-ended investment trust and is taxed as a “Mutual Fund Trust” for income tax purposes. Pursuant to the terms of the Declaration of Trust, the REIT intends to make distributions not less than the amount necessary to ensure that the REIT will not be liable to pay income taxes.

The Company is the REIT’s wholly-owned incorporated subsidiary and subject to tax on its taxable income. Income taxes are accounted for using the liability method, whereby future income tax assets and liabilities are determined based on differences between the carrying amount of the balance sheet items and their corresponding tax values. Future income taxes are computed using substantively enacted corporate income tax rates for the years in which tax and accounting basis differences are expected to reverse.

(k) *Use of estimates*

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the balance sheet and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from these estimates. Significant estimates are required in the allocation of the purchase price of income producing properties acquired, determining future cash flows when assessing assets for impairment, determining the useful lives of assets for amortization purposes, determining the fair value of options granted and determining fair values of financial instruments.

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### 3. CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The REIT adopted the following new accounting policies, none of which had a material impact on the consolidated financial statements of the REIT. As well, there were no transitional adjustments required for the application of these standards.

(a) *Comprehensive income – CICA Section 1530*

Effective January 1, 2007, the REIT implemented CICA Handbook Section 1530, “Comprehensive Income”. As a result of adopting this standard, a Statement of Comprehensive Income (Loss) has been included in the REIT’s consolidated financial statements. Comprehensive income consists of net income (loss) and other comprehensive income (loss). Major components of other comprehensive income (loss) include unrealized gains and losses on financial assets classified as available-for-sale, unrealized foreign currency translation amounts arising from self-sustaining foreign operations, net of the impact of related hedges, and changes in fair value of the effective portion of cash flow hedging instruments. For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2007, comprehensive loss of the REIT is the same as its net loss.

(b) *Financial instruments – recognition and measurement – CICA Section 3855*

Effective January 1, 2007, the REIT implemented CICA Handbook Section 3855, “Financial Instruments – Recognition and Measurement”. Under this new standard, all financial assets will be classified as one of the following: held-to-maturity; loans and receivables; held-for-trading; or available-for-sale. Financial assets and liabilities held-for-trading are measured at fair value with gains and losses recognized in net income. Financial assets held-to-maturity, loans and receivables and financial liabilities other than those held-for-trading, will be measured at amortized cost. Available-for-sale instruments will be measured at fair value with unrealized gains and losses recognized in other comprehensive income. The standard also permits designation of any financial instrument as held-for-trading upon initial recognition. The standard also requires any fees and amounts paid and transaction costs incurred in borrowing money to be netted against the debt to which it relates and amortized generally over the expected life of the debt using an effective interest rate method.

Upon adoption of this new standard, the REIT designated its cash and restricted cash as held-for-trading; accounts receivable as loans and receivable; and mortgage payable, credit facilities, accounts payable and other liabilities as other financial liabilities.

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### 3. CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

#### (c) *Hedges – CICA Section 3865*

Effective January 1, 2007, the REIT implemented CICA issued Section 3865, “Hedges”. This new standard specifies the criteria under which hedge accounting can be applied and how hedge accounting can be executed for each of the permitted hedging strategies: fair value hedges; cash flow hedges; and hedges of a foreign currency exposure of a net investment in a self-sustaining foreign operation. In a fair value hedging relationship, the carrying value of the hedged item is adjusted by gains or losses attributable to the hedged risk and recognized in net income. This change in fair value of the hedged item, to the extent that the hedging relationship is effective, is offset by changes in the fair value of the derivative. In a cash flow hedging relationship, the effective portion of the change in the fair value of the hedging derivative will be recognized in other comprehensive income, net of tax. The ineffective portion will be recognized in net income. The amounts recognized in accumulated other comprehensive income will be reclassified to net income in the periods in which net income is affected by the variability in the cash flows of the hedged item. In hedging a foreign currency exposure of a net investment in a self-sustaining foreign operation, foreign exchange gains and losses on the hedging instruments will be recognized in other comprehensive income, net of tax. For the three and nine months ended September 30, 2007, the REIT had no hedges in place.

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### 4. INCOME PRODUCING PROPERTIES

	September 30, 2007			December 31, 2006
	Gross Book Value	Accumulated Depreciation/Amortization	Net Book Value	Net Book Value
Land	\$ 11,338,548	\$ -	\$ 11,338,548	\$ -
Buildings	57,896,474	430,780	57,465,694	-
Building improvements	50,586	912	49,674	-
Tenant improvements acquired in a rental property acquisition	4,344,639	267,521	4,077,118	-
	<b>\$ 73,630,247</b>	<b>\$ 699,213</b>	<b>\$ 72,931,034</b>	<b>\$ -</b>

#### 2007 acquisitions

##### (a) Rona properties

On February 23, 2007, the REIT completed the acquisition of three free-standing, single-use retail facilities leased to Rona Ontario Inc. for an aggregate cash purchase price of \$2,065,000 (before closing costs). The properties are located in Exeter, Seaforth and Zurich, Ontario and comprise approximately 34,000 square feet of leasable retail space and an additional 52,000 square feet of enclosed warehouse space.

##### (b) Méga Centre

On March 30, 2007, the REIT completed the acquisition of the Méga Centre, a shopping centre located in St. Laurent, Quebec for \$36,700,000 (before closing costs). The Méga Centre comprises approximately 277,000 square feet of rentable retail space and an additional 36,000 square feet of warehouse space. The warehouse space remains vacant. The Méga Centre acquisition was financed with a standard first mortgage loan and advances under two credit facilities (see Notes 8 and 9). The vendor had guaranteed 4.5 months of rent of a tenant that leases 6.5% of the retail area in the shopping centre.

##### (c) Cornwall Square Shopping Centre

On August 9, 2007, the REIT completed the acquisition of Cornwall Square Shopping Centre, for an aggregate cash purchase price of \$41,700,000 (before closing costs). Cornwall Square is a two-level enclosed shopping centre located in Cornwall, Ontario and comprises 250,503 square feet of commercial retail space and 1,470 square feet of rentable storage space and administration offices. The Cornwall Square acquisition was financed with the proceeds of the public offering completed on August 9, 2007 (see Note 10).

Concurrent with the closing of the Cornwall Square acquisition, the REIT obtained a \$32.3 million revolving operating and acquisition facility from a Canadian chartered bank for a term of 364 days. The facility is secured by Cornwall Square Shopping Centre (see Note 9 (b)).

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### 4. INCOME PRODUCING PROPERTIES (continued)

The allocation of the total cost of the acquisitions and consideration given are as follows:

	Rona Properties	Mega Centre	Cornwall Square	Total
Land	\$ 595,651	\$ 8,190,506	\$ 2,552,391	\$ 11,338,548
Building	1,179,841	21,194,789	35,521,844	57,896,474
Tenant improvements	-	3,237,222	1,107,417	4,344,639
Intangible assets				
Lease origination costs	299,302	3,446,587	1,712,322	5,458,211
Tenant relationships	206,853	1,630,115	2,075,186	3,912,154
Intangible liabilities				
Below market in-place leases	(122,709)	-	(199,155)	(321,864)
	2,158,938	37,699,219	42,770,005	82,628,162
Working capital acquired, net	(7,325)	(54,197)	82,231	20,709
Total purchase price including closing costs	\$ 2,151,613	\$ 37,645,022	\$ 42,852,236	\$ 82,648,871

The acquisitions were funded as follows:

Proceeds from first mortgage, net of reserve fund in restricted cash	\$ -	\$ 27,000,000	\$ -	\$ 27,000,000
Credit facilities	-	10,500,000	-	10,500,000
Cash	2,151,613	145,022	42,852,236	45,148,871
Net outlay for acquisitions	\$ 2,151,613	\$ 37,645,022	\$ 42,852,236	\$ 82,648,871

### 5. DEFERRED COSTS

	September 30, 2007			December 31, 2006
	Gross Book Value	Accumulated Amortization	Net Book Value	Net Book Value
Leasing costs	\$ 14,074	\$ 180	\$ 13,894	\$ -
Tenant improvements	37,966	582	37,384	-
Deferred recoverable expenditures	165,103	3,850	161,253	-
	\$ 217,143	\$ 4,612	\$ 212,531	\$ -

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### 6. INTANGIBLE ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

	September 30, 2007			December 31, 2006
	Gross Book Value	Accumulated Amortization	Net Book Value	Net Book Value
Intangible assets				
Lease origination costs	\$ 5,458,211	\$ 342,712	\$ 5,115,499	\$ -
Tenant relationships	3,912,154	119,475	3,792,679	-
	<u>\$ 9,370,365</u>	<u>\$ 462,187</u>	<u>\$ 8,908,178</u>	<u>\$ -</u>
Intangible liabilities				
Below market in-place leases	\$ 321,864	\$ 13,160	\$ 308,704	\$ -

### 7. OTHER ASSETS

	September 30, 2007	December 31, 2006
Costs incurred on equity offerings	\$ -	\$ 20,000
Deposits and costs on properties under option	100,000	14,122
Prepaid expenses and other assets	697,882	1,121
	<u>\$ 797,882</u>	<u>\$ 35,243</u>

### 8. MORTGAGE PAYABLE

Mortgage payable consists of the following:

	September 30, 2007		
	Interest Rate	Term to Maturity	Total
Fixed rate mortgage	5.32%	10 years	\$ 27,525,000

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### 8. MORTGAGE PAYABLE (continued)

The principal repayments are as follows:

	<b>Principal Instalment Payments</b>	<b>Balance Maturing</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>Interest Rate on Debt Maturing</b>
2007	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	
2008	-	-	-	
2009	276,007	-	276,007	
2010	385,549	-	385,549	
2011	406,596	-	406,596	
Thereafter	2,528,228	23,928,620	26,456,848	5.32%
	<b>\$ 3,596,380</b>	<b>\$ 23,928,620</b>	<b>\$ 27,525,000</b>	

On the acquisition of the Méga Centre, a standard first mortgage loan was obtained from a Canadian chartered bank in the amount of \$27,525,000, secured by the property. The loan is for a 10-year term and is interest only for the first two years. Thereafter, the loan will be amortized over a 30-year term. The loan bears interest at 5.32%. The terms of the first mortgage financing required that \$525,000 be deposited with the first mortgage lender to cover future capital expenditures on the property. Subsequent to quarter end, \$55,995 has been released and reimbursed back to the REIT as a result of the REIT completing some of the required capital expenditures.

Commitment and other fees of \$171,421 were incurred on the mortgage payable. At September 30, 2007, the unamortized balance of these fees is \$164,079.

The mortgage payable has been reduced by the unamortized balance of the commitment and other fees incurred.

### 9. CREDIT FACILITIES

#### (a) Bridge Financing

KingSett Capital and C.A. Bancorp Inc. (the REIT's majority unitholder) (see Note 16) have each provided the REIT with acquisition facilities, for total facilities available of \$24,000,000. Of the \$24,000,000 available, a total of \$10,500,000 was drawn in order to finance the Méga Centre acquisition, with \$6,000,000 being drawn under the KingSett Capital facility and \$4,500,000 being drawn under the C.A. Bancorp Inc. facility. Both facilities were repaid during the quarter ended September 30, 2007. The facilities can be used to fund future acquisitions subject to lender approval of the particular acquisition and other restrictions.

The KingSett Capital facility is a \$10,000,000 facility, bears interest at an annual rate of 12% and expires on April 1, 2008. Any principal drawn is repayable without penalty, subject to a minimum 4-month interest payment. The facility is secured by a first mortgage on the Rona properties and a general security agreement with the REIT.

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### 9. CREDIT FACILITIES (continued)

The C.A. Bancorp Inc. facility was initially a \$10,000,000 facility and was increased by \$4,000,000 in June 2007 for a total facility of \$14,000,000. The facility bears interest at an annual rate of 12% and expires on April 1, 2009. Any principal drawn is repayable without penalty. The facility is secured by a general security agreement with the REIT, which is subordinate to the security held by other lenders.

Commitment fees and other fees of \$326,789 were incurred on these facilities. At September 30, 2007, the unamortized balance of these fees is \$194,911.

#### (b) *Acquisition Facility*

Concurrent with the closing of the Cornwall Square acquisition, the REIT obtained a \$32.3 million revolving operating and acquisition facility (the "Acquisition Facility") from a Canadian chartered bank for a term of 364 days. The Acquisition Facility is secured by Cornwall Square Shopping Centre. Pursuant to the terms of the Acquisition Facility, the REIT will not be permitted to draw down more than the \$32.3 million and from time to time, the amount permitted to be drawn under the Acquisition Facility may be adjusted based on certain financial tests.

Amounts drawn down under the Acquisition Facility will bear interest at a rate equal to the Bank's prime rate plus 0.75% per annum and Banker's Acceptances will bear interest at a rate equal to the Bank's Acceptance stamping fee plus 1.75% per annum. The Acquisition Facility contains financial covenants with respect to maintaining agreed upon debt-to-gross book value ratios and other tests customary for this type of facility.

During the three months ended September 30, 2007, a total of \$8,000,000 was drawn under the Acquisition Facility, of which \$4,000,000 was repaid during the period.

Financing fees of \$292,939 were incurred on the Acquisition Facility. At September 30, 2007 the unamortized balance of these financing fees is \$251,564.

The credit facilities have been reduced by the unamortized balance of the financing and other fees incurred on the bridge financing and the Acquisition Facility.

### 10. UNITHOLDERS' EQUITY

The REIT is authorized to issue an unlimited number of units and special voting units. Each unit represents a single vote at any meeting of unitholders and entitles the unitholder to receive a pro rata share of all distributions. Units are redeemable at any time on demand for a price per unit (the "Redemption Price") as determined by a market formula. The Redemption Price will be paid in accordance with the conditions provided for in the Declaration of Trust.

Special voting units may only be issued in connection with or in relation to securities exchangeable, directly or indirectly, for units, in each case for the purpose of providing voting rights with respect to the REIT to the holders of such securities. Each special voting unit will entitle the holder thereof to that number of votes at any meeting of unitholders that is equal to the number of units that may be obtained upon the exchange of the exchangeable security to which it is attached. No special voting units are currently issued and outstanding.

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### 10. UNITHOLDERS' EQUITY (continued)

Provided that C.A. Bancorp Inc. and its affiliates beneficially owns at least 10% of the issued and outstanding units, the Trustees shall not issue or offer or agree to issue, any units to any person, unless they first make an offer to C.A. Bancorp Inc. to sell to them that number of units as would be required to ensure that C.A. Bancorp Inc. would maintain their pro rata ownership level.

The REIT's Trustees have discretion in declaring distributions, provided that the aggregate amount of distributions made in respect of a calendar year shall not be less than the amount necessary to ensure that the REIT will not be liable to pay income tax under Part I of the Tax Act for such year.

In August 2007, following the completion of the public offering, the REIT commenced monthly cash distributions to unitholders in an amount of \$0.02587 per unit, representing an annualized distribution of \$0.3104 per unit. Distributions will be paid on or about the 15<sup>th</sup> day following the end of each monthly distribution period.

Issued:

<b>Units</b>	<b>Number of Units *</b>	<b>Gross Proceeds</b>	<b>Issue Costs</b>	<b>Net Proceeds</b>
Balance, December 31, 2005	3,500,000	\$ 500,000	\$ (91,341)	\$ 408,659
September 14, 2006	2,500,000	500,000	(5,790)	494,210
Balance, September 30, 2006	6,000,000	\$ 1,000,000	\$ (97,131)	\$ 902,869
Balance, December 31, 2006	6,000,000	\$ 1,000,000	\$ (97,131)	\$ 902,869
February 23, 2007	15,000,000	3,000,000	(100,865)	2,899,135
March 22, 2007	-	400	-	400
March 22, 2007	10,000	2,000	-	2,000
April 27, 2007	140,000	28,000	-	28,000
April 27, 2007	-	5,600	-	5,600
Balance, May 10, 2007	21,150,000	4,036,000	(197,996)	3,838,004
May 10, 2007 - 10 for 1 consolidation	2,115,000	4,036,000	(197,996)	3,838,004
June 21, 2007	741,000	3,001,050	(25,000)	2,976,050
August 9, 2007	13,375,000	46,143,750	(3,308,510)	42,835,240
September 7, 2007	1,370,912	4,729,646	(283,779)	4,445,867
<b>Balance, September 30, 2007</b>	<b>17,601,912</b>	<b>\$ 57,910,446</b>	<b>\$ (3,815,285)</b>	<b>\$ 54,095,161</b>

\* Amounts to May 10, 2007, represent number of common shares of Charter Realty Holdings Ltd. prior to its conversion to a real estate investment trust as described below.

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### 10. UNITHOLDERS' EQUITY (continued)

On February 23, 2007, the Company completed a private placement of 15,000,000 shares at \$0.20 per share for gross proceeds of \$3,000,000.

On March 22, 2007, 10,000 agent's options were exercised at \$0.20 per share. The fair value of the options exercised of \$400 previously booked to contributed surplus was released from contributed surplus and booked to units.

On April 27, 2007, the balance of the 140,000 agent's options were exercised at the exercise price of \$0.20 per share. The fair value of the options exercised of \$5,600 previously booked to contributed surplus was released from contributed surplus and booked to units.

On May 10, 2007, the Company completed its conversion to a trust structure under the Arrangement. The Arrangement resulted in shareholders of the Company transferring their shares to the REIT, in consideration for units of the REIT. Each 10 issued shares of the Company were transferred to the REIT in exchange for 1 unit of the REIT.

On June 21, 2007, the REIT completed a private placement of 741,000 units at \$4.05 per unit for gross proceeds of \$3,001,050.

On August 9, 2007, the REIT completed a public offering of 13,375,000 units at a price of \$3.45 per unit for gross proceeds of \$46,143,750. The underwriters received a fee of \$1,868,625 for the offering.

On September 5, 2007, the underwriters of the August 9, 2007 public offering exercised their over-allotment option to purchase an additional 1,370,912 units at a price of \$3.45 per unit for gross proceeds of \$4,729,646. The closing of the additional units occurred on September 7, 2007. The underwriters received a fee of \$283,779 with respect to the exercise of the over-allotment option.

### 11. INCENTIVE UNIT OPTIONS

On February 26, 2007, the Company granted, to certain of its Directors and Officers, an aggregate of 1,000,000 options to purchase shares at a price of \$0.20 per share for a period of five years from the date of grant. The options vest in equal proportions on each of the following three dates: February 26, 2007, February 26, 2008 and February 26, 2009. The estimated fair value of these options on the date of grant was \$64,180 and the amortization of this fair value for the nine months ended September 30, 2007 was \$40,470 and was charged to incentive unit option compensation on the consolidated statement of operations.

On February 28, 2007 the Company granted to certain of its Officers, an aggregate of 150,000 options to purchase shares at a price of \$0.20 per share for a period of five years from the date of grant. The options vest in equal proportions on each of the following three dates: February 28, 2007, February 28, 2008 and February 28, 2009. The estimated fair value of these options on the date of grant was \$9,599 and the amortization of this fair value was \$6,026 for the nine months ended September 30, 2007 and was charged to incentive unit option compensation on the consolidated statement of operations.

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### 11. INCENTIVE UNIT OPTIONS (continued)

On May 10, 2007 as part of the Arrangement, REIT unit options were issued with similar terms to replace the stock options issued by the Company, except that each 10 stock options of the Company were exchanged for 1 unit option at 10 times the applicable exercise price.

On September 5, 2007, the REIT granted to certain of its Trustees, Officers and consultants, an aggregate of 1,200,000 options to purchase units at a price of \$3.45 per unit for a period of five years from the date of grant. The options vest in equal proportions on each of the following three dates: September 5, 2007, September 5, 2008 and September 5, 2009. The estimated fair value of these options on the date of grant was \$375,839 and the amortization of this fair value for the nine months ended September 30, 2007 was \$138,667 and was charged to incentive unit option compensation on the consolidated statement of operations.

The amortization of the fair value of previously granted options amounted to \$8,281 for the nine months ended September 30, 2007 and was charged to incentive unit option compensation on the consolidated statement of operations.

The fair value of the incentive unit options granted during the year was estimated on the date of grant using a Black-Scholes option pricing model. In determining the fair value of options, management is required to make assumptions that could have a material impact on the valuation. The following are the assumptions: dividend yield to July 31, 2007 of 0%; dividend yield for September 5, 2007 grant of 9.46%; expected volatility of 25% to 30%; risk-free interest rate of approximately 4.0%; and expected life of five years.

A summary of the status of the unit options as of September 30, 2007 and change during the period is presented below:

#### *Employees incentive unit options*

	<b>Number of Units</b>	<b>Exercise Price</b>
Outstanding, as at December 31, 2005	215,000	
Outstanding, as at September 30, 2006	215,000	
Outstanding, as at December 31, 2006	550,000	
Granted February 26, 2007	1,000,000	\$ 0.20
Granted February 28, 2007	150,000	\$ 0.20
Ten-for-one stock consolidation - May 10, 2007	(1,530,000)	
Granted September 5, 2007	1,200,000	\$ 3.45
<b>Outstanding, as at September 30, 2007</b>	<b>1,370,000</b>	

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### 11. INCENTIVE UNIT OPTIONS (continued)

*Non-employees incentive unit options*

	<b>Number of Units</b>	<b>Exercise Price</b>
Outstanding, as at December 31, 2005	150,000	
Outstanding, as at September 30, 2006	150,000	
Outstanding, as at December 31, 2006	150,000	
Exercised March 22, 2007	(10,000)	\$ 0.20
Exercised April 27, 2007	(140,000)	\$ 0.20
<b>Outstanding, as at September 30, 2007</b>	<b>-</b>	

The following table summarizes the information about the unit options outstanding as of September 30, 2007.

<b>Outstanding Number of Units</b>	<b>Expiry Date</b>	<b>Exercisable Number of Units</b>	<b>Exercise Price</b>
21,500	September 15, 2010	21,500	\$ 2.00
33,500	October 19, 2011	11,167	\$ 2.40
100,000	February 26, 2012	33,333	\$ 2.00
15,000	February 28, 2012	5,000	\$ 2.00
1,200,000	September 5, 2012	400,000	\$ 3.45

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### 12. PER UNIT CALCULATIONS

The weighted average numbers of units outstanding and loss per unit were as follows:

	Three Months Ended Sept. 30, 2007		Nine Months Ended Sept. 30, 2007	
	Weighted Average Number of Units	Loss per Unit	Weighted Average Number of Units	Loss per Unit
Basic	10,918,792	\$(0.09)	4,811,538	\$(0.57)
Diluted*	10,918,792	\$(0.09)	4,811,538	\$(0.57)

	Three Months Ended Sept. 30, 2006		Nine Months Ended Sept. 30, 2006	
	Weighted Average Number of Units	Loss per Unit	Weighted Average Number of Units	Loss per Unit
Basic	388,044	\$(0.08)	359,589	\$(0.22)
Diluted*	388,044	\$(0.08)	359,589	\$(0.22)

\* The incentive unit options were excluded from the calculations of diluted loss per unit because they were anti-dilutive.

### 13. DEPRECIATION AND AMORTIZATION

	Three Months Ended September 30,		Nine Months Ended September 30,	
	2007	2006	2007	2006
Income producing properties	\$ 510,039	\$ -	\$ 699,213	\$ -
Deferred costs	4,612		4,612	
Intangible assets	118,897		462,187	
	\$ 633,548	\$ -	\$ 1,166,012	\$ -

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### 14. CORPORATE TRANSACTION COSTS AND OTHER

Corporate transaction costs and other include:

- (a) legal, audit, printing and other costs associated with the conversion to a real estate investment trust and amounted to \$790,038 for the nine months ended September 30, 2007 (\$35,971 for the three months ended September 30, 2007); and
- (b) due diligence costs of \$428,762 incurred during the three months ended September 30, 2007, on a proposed acquisition of a portfolio of Western properties. The REIT was not satisfied with certain aspects of the deal and could not come to agreeable revised terms with the vendor and as a result decided not to complete the acquisition.

### 15. INCOME TAXES

On June 22, 2007, Bill C-52, *The Budget Implementation Act 2007* ("Bill C-52"), received Royal Assent for the federal income taxation of certain publicly listed or traded trusts, other than real estate investment trusts (the "SIFT legislation"). Publicly traded trusts formed after October 31, 2006, must comply with the SIFT legislation for the 2007 taxation year.

As currently structured, management believes that the REIT qualifies as a real estate investment trust under the SIFT legislation and therefore will not be subject to tax under the SIFT legislation. Should it be found that the REIT fails to qualify as a real estate investment trust or undertakes subsequent activities that cause it to fail to qualify, the SIFT legislation would allow the failure to be remedied within the taxation year so that the REIT will not be subject to tax in the following taxation year.

### 16. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

(a) *Fair value*

The REIT's cash, restricted cash, accounts receivable and accounts payable and other liabilities are carried at cost which approximates fair value due to their short-term nature. The fair value of the REIT's other financial instruments are based on discounted future cash flows, using discount rates that reflect current market conditions for instruments of similar term and risk. The fair value of the REIT's mortgage payable is approximately \$26.7 million at September 30, 2007. The fair value of the REIT's other financial instruments approximates their recorded values.

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### 16. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)

#### (b) *Risk management*

In the normal course of business, the REIT is exposed to a number of risks that can affect its operating performance.

##### Interest rate risk

Floating rate debt is restricted to the REIT's Acquisition Facility. The REIT will structure its fixed rate financing so as to stagger the maturities of its mortgages, thereby minimizing exposure to future interest rate fluctuations.

##### Credit risk

Credit risk arises from the possibility that tenants may experience financial difficulty and be unable to fulfill their lease commitments. The REIT attempts to mitigate this risk by conducting credit assessments on new lessees, by ensuring that its tenant mix is diversified and by limiting its exposure to any one tenant.

### 17. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

#### (a) *C.A. Bancorp facility*

In connection with the C.A. Bancorp Inc. facility as described in Note 9, interest payable to C.A. Bancorp Inc. for the quarter ended September 30, 2007 amounted to \$59,178 and for the nine months ended September 30, 2007 amounted to \$204,986. As well, in connection with that facility, total commitment fees of \$70,000 were paid to C.A. Bancorp Inc.

#### (b) *Management agreement*

On March 27, 2007, the REIT formalized management arrangements with C.A. Realty Management Inc. (the "Manager"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of C.A. Bancorp Inc. Pursuant to a management agreement, the Manager will provide the REIT with strategic, advisory, asset management and administrative services in exchange for an annual management fee equal to 0.30% of the "adjusted book value" of the REIT's assets, paid quarterly in arrears, and an acquisition fee equal to 0.50% of the "property cost" of each property acquired by the REIT.

The initial term of the management agreement is five years. Upon expiry of the initial term, the management agreement will renew automatically for successive three year terms. The management agreement provides each party with termination rights, the exercise of which may, in certain situations, require the REIT to pay a termination fee equal to three times the annual management fee paid in respect of the last full calendar year prior to the date of termination.

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### 17. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS (continued)

The Manager has agreed to pay all expenses of the employees providing services under the management agreement and the Manager's overhead incurred in connection with the performance of its duties under the management agreement, excluding any expenses related to securities compensation options granted by the REIT.

Under the terms of the management agreement, the REIT has incurred an acquisition fee in the amount of \$183,500 for the acquisition of the Méga Centre, and \$208,500 for the acquisition of Cornwall Square. The acquisition fees have been capitalized to the purchase of the properties.

Management fees of \$64,152 were incurred for the quarter ended September 30, 2007 and \$130,958 for the nine months ended September 30, 2007.

In connection with entering into the management agreement, the Manager and C.A. Bancorp Inc. (collectively referred to as the "Restricted Parties") entered into a non-competition agreement with the REIT. Pursuant to the non-competition agreement, each of the Restricted Parties agreed that it will not, and will cause its affiliates not to, directly or indirectly, (i) create, manage or provide strategic, advisory and asset management services to another person who carries on the primary business of the acquisition, development and/or management of "retail properties" or "mixed-use retail properties" (the retail properties and mixed-use retail properties collectively are referred to as the "Restricted Real Estate Assets"); (ii) purchase any Restricted Real Estate Asset or develop any property that, on completion of development, will be a Restricted Real Estate Asset; or (iii) provide strategic, advisory and asset management services for any Restricted Real Estate Asset. Exceptions from the foregoing include the purchase of properties or the making of investments that have been first offered to the REIT and which the REIT notified the Restricted Party that it was not interested in pursuing.

The non-competition agreement remains in effect until the earlier of (i) one year after the termination of the management agreement; and (ii) the date of termination of the management agreement by Charter or the Manager under specific situations.

These transactions are in the normal course of operations and are measured at the exchange amount, which is the amount of consideration established and agreed to by the related parties.

### 18. SEGMENT DISCLOSURE

Substantially all of the REIT's assets are in, and its revenues are derived from the Canadian commercial retail real estate industry segment. No single tenant accounts for more than 10% of the REIT's minimum rent.

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### **19. SUBSEQUENT EVENT**

On November 8, 2007, the REIT agreed to acquire a shopping centre located in Châteauguay (Montreal), Quebec, for an aggregate purchase price of \$14.2 million (before closing costs). The property is a two storey, 115,758 square foot mixed use retail property. The property is currently 100% leased with a total of 69,137 square feet of ground level space leased to retail tenants, while the remaining 46,621 square feet is leased to primarily government tenants on the second floor. The acquisition is expected to be completed on or about November 30, 2007. The REIT has received a commitment letter from a Canadian chartered bank to obtain a standard first mortgage loan in the amount of \$9 million, secured by the property. The loan is for a 5 year term with a 25 year amortization period. The loan will bear interest at a rate of 140 basis points over the 5 year Government of Canada bond rate. The remainder of the acquisition will be financed by the REIT drawing down on its Acquisition Facility (see Note 9 (b)).