

A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund

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Third Quarter Report to Unitholders
for the period ended
September 6, 2009

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To our Unitholders

On behalf of the Trustees of the A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund (the Fund), I am pleased to report the results of the third quarter, ended September 6, 2009.

The 685 A&W Restaurants in the Royalty Pool generated the 26th consecutive quarter of same store sales increases. This consistent long term growth, even in the face of challenging economic conditions for the foodservice industry in Canada, speaks to the strength of the brand and A&W's strategic initiatives.

The Fund, through its investment in A&W Trade Marks Inc., owns the A&W trademarks and licenses them to A&W Food Services of Canada Inc. in exchange for a royalty of 3% of sales reported by the restaurants in the Royalty Pool. The number of A&W restaurants in the Royalty Pool was increased on January 5, 2009, from 676 to 685 to include new restaurants which had opened during 2008.

Same store sales growth is one of the key measures of success for the Fund. During the third quarter, same store sales increased by 0.3%, bringing the same store sales increase for the year to 2.5%. These results were achieved on top of very strong growth in the third quarter of 2008, when same store sales grew by 6.5%. As noted, the third quarter proved to be challenging as economic conditions and soft tourism weighed on the overall Canadian foodservice sector, resulting in weak industry growth.

The same store sales growth, coupled with the increase in number of restaurants in the Royalty Pool, resulted in an increase in royalty income of 2.9% for the quarter. Year to date royalty income increased by 4.1%. Distributable cash grew by 2.1% for the quarter and 3.2% year to date.

During the third quarter an important initiative was the launch of the new Cheddar Bacon Uncle Burger. One of A&W's core strategies is to extend its reputation for having the best tasting burgers in Canada, particularly through innovation. The launch of the sirloin Uncle Burger late in 2008 was very successful, and the line extension of the Cheddar Bacon Uncle Burger has been very well received by customers, exceeding its initial sales targets. As the only major fast food chain in Canada offering a true sirloin burger, A&W is committed to redefining quality and taste in the quick service restaurant industry.

The continued focus on building a strong relationship with the baby boomer customer was also important during the quarter. A total of over 3,500 Cruisin' the Dub events were held at freestanding A&W's across Canada during the summer. Up from approximately 3,200 events in 2008, A&W customers had the opportunity

to join A&W franchisees and their staff celebrating the cars, music and good times of the fifties, sixties and seventies. This year the Cruisin' campaign culminated in a one day national "Cruisin' for a Cause" event on August 27th, when A&W's franchise system raised over \$400,000 for the Multiple Sclerosis Society of Canada.

We are also pleased that A&W has reached the 700 restaurant mark in Canada, further solidifying its position as the number 2 hamburger chain in Canada. This is an important milestone in the growth of the chain. A&W's total system sales growth is 5.3% year to date for 2009 compared to 2008 year to date which is almost double the growth of the foodservice industry in Canada.

The demonstrated track record of sustained growth over a long period is also of direct benefit to our unitholders. Based on the continued success of the Fund, the Trustees have announced the second Special Distribution of the year, in the amount of 10¢ per unit, to be paid on November 30, 2009. We very much appreciate the trust that our unitholders place in the brand and the A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund.



John R. McLernon
Chairman, A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund
On behalf of the Board of Trustees

A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund Management Discussion and Analysis

This Management Discussion and Analysis covers the period from January 1, 2009 to September 6, 2009 and is dated October 15, 2009. It should be read in conjunction with the Fund's interim unaudited financial statements for the quarter ended September 6, 2009 and annual audited financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2008. In addition, readers are directed to the interim unaudited consolidated financial statements of A&W Trade Marks Inc. (Trade Marks) for the quarter ended September 6, 2009 and the annual audited financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2008. A copy of this report and additional information about the Fund is available at www.sedar.com or www.awincomefund.ca.

Readers should be aware that 2009 results are not directly comparable to 2008 due to the increase in the number of restaurants in the Royalty Pool from 676 in 2008 to 685 in 2009. In addition, the first quarter of 2009 is not directly comparable to the first quarter of 2008 as there were 81 days in Q1 2009 compared to 83 days in Q1 2008. There were 84 days in the second and third quarters of both years. Same store sales growth is based on an equal number of days in each quarter.

OVERALL PERFORMANCE

Sales reported by restaurants in the Royalty Pool and corresponding royalty income increased by 2.9% to \$180,253,000 for the quarter and by 4.1% to \$496,824,000 year to date compared to the same period in 2008. These increases are due to same store sales growth and the increase in the number of restaurants in the Royalty Pool. Same store sales growth for the A&W restaurants in the Royalty Pool was 0.3% for the quarter and 2.5% year to date compared to 2008.

Royalty income increased to \$5,408,000 for the quarter and \$14,905,000 year to date.

Distributable cash increased by 2.1% for the quarter, and 3.2% year to date compared to last year. The increase in distributable cash was generated primarily through the growth in royalty income less an increase in general and administrative costs associated with the internal reorganization of Trade Marks which took place earlier this year.

Trade Marks' net earnings increased by \$22,000 to \$1,086,000 for the third quarter, and by \$153,000 to \$2,045,000 year to date in 2009 compared to 2008. The increase in Trade Marks' earnings is due primarily to higher royalty income, less higher general and administration expenses. The Fund's net earnings for the quarter were \$2,698,000 or 32.4¢ per unit compared to \$2,694,000 or 32.3¢ per unit for the same quarter in 2008. The Fund's year to date earnings were \$7,614,000 or 91.3¢ per unit compared to \$7,888,000 or 94.6¢ per unit for the same period in 2008. The

Fund's year to date net earnings were impacted by a non-cash dilution gain which was \$304,000 less in 2009 than the non-cash dilution gain recorded in 2008.

The Trustees of the Fund have approved the payment of a Special Distribution of 10¢ per unit. This Special Distribution will be paid on November 30, 2009 to unitholders of record on November 15, 2009.

FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS

The following table sets out selected highlights of the Fund and Trade Marks, and should be read in conjunction with the interim unaudited financial statements of the Fund and Trade Marks.

Sales Highlights (\$ in thousands)	Q3 2009	Q3 2008	YTD 2009	YTD 2008
Same store sales growth	0.3%	6.5%	2.5%	7.4%
Sales reported by the restaurants in the Royalty Pool ⁽¹⁾	\$180,253	\$175,256	\$496,824	\$477,447
Number of restaurants in the Royalty Pool	685	676	685	676

Financial Highlights (\$ in thousands except per unit amounts.)	Q3 2009	Q3 2008	YTD 2009	YTD 2008
Royalty income ⁽¹⁾	\$5,408	\$5,257	\$14,905	\$14,323
General and administrative expenses	\$57	\$34	\$480	\$325
Net third party interest expense	\$133	\$111	\$387	\$329
Recovery of current income taxes	-	-	(\$43)	-
Financing fees	-	\$1	-	\$26
Total distributable cash generated for distributions and dividends ⁽²⁾	\$5,218	\$5,111	\$14,081	\$13,643
Distributable cash ⁽²⁾ per equivalent unit (2009 – 14,266,381 units; 2008 – 13,957,962 units)	\$0.366	\$0.366	\$0.987	\$0.977
Distributions and dividends declared per equivalent unit	\$0.318	\$0.318	\$0.848	\$0.848
Special distribution per equivalent unit	-	-	\$0.100	\$0.100
Trade Marks' net earnings	\$1,086	\$1,064	\$2,045	\$1,892
The Fund's net earnings ⁽³⁾	\$2,698	\$2,694	\$7,614	\$7,888
The Fund's basic and diluted earnings per unit (8,340,000 units)	\$0.324	\$0.323	\$0.913	\$0.946

⁽¹⁾ Year to date royalty income was impacted by the shorter first quarter in 2009. Q1 2009 had 81 days of sales, compared to 83 days in Q1 2008.

⁽²⁾ Distributable cash is not an earnings measure recognized by generally accepted accounting principles ("GAAP") and therefore may not be comparable to similar measures presented by other issuers. This information is provided as it identifies the amount of actual cash available to pay distributions to unitholders and dividends to Food Services.

⁽³⁾ The Fund's year to date net earnings were impacted by a non-cash dilution gain recognized in Q1 2009 which was \$304,000 lower than the dilution gain recorded in Q1 2008. Year to date net earnings were also impacted by lower interest income for Q1 2009 which was based on 81 days compared to 83 days in Q1 2008.

OVERVIEW

The Fund

The Fund is a limited purpose trust established to invest in Trade Marks, which in 2002 acquired the A&W trade-marks used in the A&W quick service restaurant business in Canada. The trade-marks comprise some of the best-known brand names in the Canadian foodservice industry.

The Fund earns interest income on A&W notes issued by Trade Marks. The A&W notes are in the amount of \$83,399,000, bear interest at 10.75% per annum and mature on February 15, 2034. Payments of interest only are receivable from Trade Marks monthly in arrears. The Fund also earns dividends from its investment in the voting common shares of Trade Marks.

The Fund's distributions to unitholders are based on its net cash receipts, being interest on the A&W notes and dividends on voting common shares received by the Fund from Trade Marks, less minimal expenses of the Fund which are limited to bank charges.

The Fund is not currently taxed on any income that is distributed to unitholders. Income tax obligations related to the distributions by the Fund are obligations of the unitholders. In June 2007, the Federal Department of Finance enacted new tax rules for income trusts that result in the Fund becoming taxable beginning in 2011. Therefore cash available for distributions to unitholders will be reduced beginning in 2011 by the amount of income tax paid or payable by the Fund. (See Risks and Uncertainties – Federal Tax Announcement).

Trade Marks

On February 15, 2002, Trade Marks acquired the A&W trade-marks used in the A&W quick service restaurant business in Canada from Food Services for \$152,676,000, of which \$84,876,000 was paid in cash, \$27,800,000 was paid by the issuance of 2,779,975 Class A preferred shares and 2,780,000 voting common shares of Trade Marks and the balance (the Balance) of \$40,000,000 is due without interest on January 31, 2010.

Concurrent with the purchase of the A&W trade-marks, Trade Marks granted Food Services a licence to use the A&W trade-marks in Canada for a term of 99 years, for which Food Services pays Trade Marks a royalty of 3% of the sales reported to Food Services by A&W restaurants in the Royalty Pool (the Licence and Royalty Agreement). In the event that a restaurant in the Royalty Pool closes, Food Services pays the royalties that would have been paid to Trade Marks if the restaurant had not closed, until the next adjustment to the Royalty Pool.

The Royalty Pool is adjusted annually to reflect sales from new A&W restaurants added to the Royalty Pool, net of the sales of any A&W restaurants that have permanently closed. Food Services is paid for the additional royalty stream related to the sales of the net new restaurants, based on a formula set out in the Licence and Royalty Agreement. The formula provides for a payment to Food Services based on the amount of estimated sales from the net new restaurants and the current yield on the units of the Fund, discounted by 7.5%. Prior to the formation of the A&W Trade Marks Limited Partnership (TMLP) (see below), Trade Marks paid Food Services for the additional royalty stream by issuing voting common shares and Class B preferred shares of Trade Marks which are the economic equivalent of units of the Fund.

The Balance of the purchase price is reduced by all amounts Trade Marks is required to pay Food Services in respect of the annual adjustments to the Royalty Pool up to January 31, 2010. If the total annual adjustments are less than the Balance, the obligation of Trade Marks to pay the remaining Balance of the purchase price is extinguished.

On January 21, 2009, Trade Marks and Food Services entered into a limited partnership, TMLP, in which Trade Marks is the general partner with a 99.9% interest and Food Services is the limited partner with a 0.1% interest. The A&W trade-marks owned by Trade Marks were transferred to TMLP in exchange for the general partnership interest held by Trade Marks. The existing Licence and Royalty Agreement between Trade Marks and Food Services was assumed by TMLP with the result that the royalty paid by Food Services for the use of the A&W trade-marks is now paid to TMLP rather than Trade Marks. TMLP in turn pays partnership distributions to Trade Marks (99.9%) and Food Services (0.1%). The consideration for the annual adjustments to the Royalty Pool is now paid by TMLP to Food Services as an increase in the limited partnership interest of Food Services. Food Services' limited partnership interest may be exchanged for preferred and non-voting common shares of Trade Marks which are exchangeable for units of the Fund.

Trade Marks' expenses include general and administrative expenses, amortization of deferred financing fees, interest expenses on its \$10 million term loan and the A&W notes, and taxes. Also, generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) stipulate that the dividends on the Class A and Class B preferred shares be classified as interest expense by Trade Marks.

Trade Marks' general and administrative expenses include the expenses of the Fund as the Fund has entered into an administration agreement with Trade Marks whereby Trade Marks, at its expense, provides or arranges for the provision of services required in the administration of the Fund.

The Class A and Class B preferred shares of Trade Marks are owned by Food Services and comprise:

(dollars in thousands)	September 6, 2009		December 31, 2008	
	#	\$	#	\$
Class A shares - at cost	2,779,975	27,800	2,779,975	27,800
Class B shares - at cost:				
January 5, 2003 adjustment	452,469	5,108	452,469	5,108
January 5, 2004 adjustment	495,681	5,210	495,681	5,210
January 5, 2005 adjustment	511,337	6,197	511,337	6,197
January 5, 2006 adjustment	558,993	6,915	558,993	6,915
December 31, 2006 adjustment	335,456	3,989	335,456	3,989
January 5, 2008 adjustment	484,051	5,398	484,051	5,398
January 5, 2009 adjustment	308,419	2,989	-	-
	3,146,406	35,806	2,837,987	32,817
Accrued dividends		98		-
	5,926,381	63,704	5,617,962	60,617

The Class A and Class B preferred shares entitle Food Services to a fixed cumulative preferential cash dividend at a rate of \$1.075 per share per annum. The Class A and Class B preferred shares may be redeemed at the option of Food Services into A&W notes of Trade Marks on the basis of \$10 principal amount of A&W notes for one Class A or Class B preferred share and, in turn, one voting common share of Trade Marks and a \$10 A&W note are exchangeable for a unit in the Fund.

The voting common shares of Trade Marks are owned by the Fund and Food Services as follows:

(dollars in thousands)	The Fund		Food Services		Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	\$
February 15, 2002	8,340,000	75.0%	2,780,000	25.0%	11,120,000	1
January 5, 2003 adjustment		-2.9%	452,469	2.9%	452,469	-
January 5, 2004 adjustment		-3.0%	495,681	3.0%	495,681	-
January 5, 2005 adjustment		-2.8%	511,337	2.8%	511,337	-
January 5, 2006 adjustment		-2.8%	558,993	2.8%	558,993	-
December 31, 2006 adjustment		-1.6%	335,456	1.6%	335,456	1,919
January 5, 2008 adjustment		-2.1%	484,051	2.1%	484,051	1,069
January 5, 2009 adjustment		-1.3%	308,419	1.3%	308,419	524
	8,340,000	58.5%	5,926,406	41.5%	14,266,406	3,513

Summary

Trade Marks, through TMLP, earns royalty income from Food Services and distributes its available cash by way of dividends on its shares held by the Fund and Food Services, after satisfaction of its debt service and income tax obligations, provisions for administrative expenses of Trade Marks and the Fund, and retention of reasonable working capital reserves. The Fund receives interest income and dividends from Trade Marks and pays its net cash receipts to unitholders. An important aspect of the structures of the Fund and Trade Marks is that, provided Food Services holds an ownership interest in Trade Marks, Trade Marks pays interest to the Fund on the A&W notes in priority to preferred share dividends to Food Services. Trade Marks' consolidated financial statements which include its 99.9% interest in TMLP are included in this report and Food Services' consolidated financial statements are provided as a supplement to this report.

Adoption of New Accounting Standards

On January 1, 2009, the Fund and Trade Marks adopted the new accounting standard CICA Handbook Section 3064 "Goodwill and Intangible Assets" which replaces CICA Handbook Section 3062 "Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets" and establishes revised standards for the recognition, measurement, presentation and disclosure of goodwill and intangible assets. Concurrently, Emerging Issues Committee abstract 27 "Revenues and Expenses During the Pre-Operating Period" has been withdrawn which results in these costs being expensed as incurred. The adoption of this new standard had no impact on the Fund's or Trade Marks' financial results.

International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS)

In 2006, the Canadian Accounting Standards Board (AcSB) published a new strategic plan that will significantly affect financial reporting requirements for

Canadian companies. The AcSB strategic plan outlines the convergence of Canadian GAAP with IFRS over an expected five-year transitional period. In February 2008, the AcSB announced that January 1, 2011 is the transition date for publicly reported companies to adopt IFRS. The transition date of January 1, 2011 will require the restatement for comparative purposes of amounts reported by the Fund and Trade Marks for the year ended December 31, 2010.

The Fund and Trade Marks have commenced the process to transition from current Canadian GAAP to IFRS. Regular progress reporting to the audit committee on the status of the IFRS implementation project has been instituted. A third party consultant was engaged to carry out a diagnostic review which included the determination, at a high level, of the financial reporting differences under IFRS and the key areas that may be impacted. The Fund and Trade Marks are assessing the impact of the conversion on information technology and systems, financial reporting, internal controls over financial reporting and disclosure controls.

The Fund and Trade Marks anticipate that there will be changes in accounting policies and that these changes may materially impact the financial statements.

The International Accounting Standard Board currently has projects underway that are expected to result in new pronouncements and as a result, IFRS as at the transition date is expected to differ from its current form.

Basis of Consolidation

The Fund, Trade Marks, Food Services and TMLP have adopted CICA Accounting Guideline 15 “Consolidation of Variable Interest Entities” (AcG-15).

AcG-15 expands upon the accounting guidance in CICA Handbook Section 1590 (CICA 1590) that addresses when an enterprise should consolidate another entity in its financial statements. Under CICA 1590, an enterprise generally consolidates another entity when it controls the entity through a majority voting interest. AcG-15 clarifies this guidance when the entity being consolidated is a “Variable Interest Entity” (VIE) which is defined to be an entity that, by design, does not have sufficient equity at risk to finance its activities without additional subordinated financial support. If the entity being consolidated is a VIE, under AcG-15 the “primary beneficiary” of that entity should consolidate the VIE and not necessarily the shareholder with the majority voting interest.

The Fund and Food Services have determined that Trade Marks is a VIE and that Food Services is the “primary beneficiary” of Trade Marks. As a result, the Fund does not consolidate Trade Marks, but instead accounts for its investment in Trade Marks using the equity method. Food Services’ consolidated financial statements include the accounts of Trade Marks and TMLP. Consolidated financial statements of Trade Marks which include Trade Marks’ 99.9% ownership interest in TMLP are presented for information purposes to the unitholders of the Fund.

EXPANSION OF THE ROYALTY POOL

On January 5, 2009, the number of A&W restaurants in the Royalty Pool was increased by 17 new restaurants less 8 restaurants which permanently closed during 2008. The estimated annual sales of the 17 new A&W restaurants are \$19,664,000 and annual sales for the 8 permanently closed restaurants were \$4,415,000. The net sales of \$15,249,000 translate into estimated additional annual royalty payments to Trade Marks of \$457,000 on the basis of the royalty of 3% of sales. The royalty revenue for the purposes of calculating the additional shares is \$423,000 or 92.5%. The initial consideration paid by Trade Marks to Food Services for this estimated additional royalty stream was \$3,513,000, by issuance of 308,419 Class B shares valued at \$2,989,000 and 308,419 voting common shares of Trade Marks valued at \$524,000. After this adjustment to the Royalty Pool, the remaining Balance of the purchase price is \$682,000.

A final adjustment to the share consideration will be made in December 2009 based upon the actual annual sales reported by the new restaurants. Until then, 20% of the shares will be held in escrow.

OWNERSHIP OF THE FUND

The ownership of the Fund, on a fully-diluted basis, is as follows:

	September 6, 2009 ⁽¹⁾		December 31, 2008	
	#	%	#	%
Fund units held by public unitholders	8,340,000	58.5	8,340,000	59.8
Trade Marks' Class A and Class B preferred shares held by Food Services: ⁽²⁾				
Class A ⁽³⁾	2,779,975	19.5	2,779,975	19.9
Class B ⁽⁴⁾	3,146,406	22.0	2,837,987	20.3
	5,926,381	41.5	5,617,962	40.2
Total equivalent units	14,266,381	100.0	13,957,962	100.0

(1) Information is current as at October 15, 2009.

(2) May be redeemed into A&W notes of Trade Marks on the basis of \$10 principal amount of A&W notes for one Class A or Class B preferred share and, in turn, one voting common share of Trade Marks and a \$10 A&W note are exchangeable for a unit in the Fund.

(3) Represents Food Services' initial 25% equivalent ownership of the Fund, prior to the issuance of the Class B preferred shares.

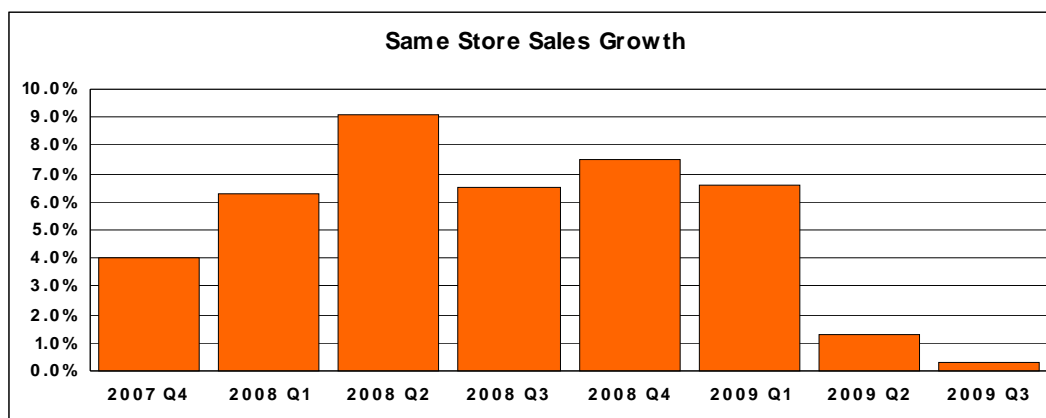
(4) Represents Class B preferred shares issued to Food Services as consideration for annual adjustments to the Royalty Pool.

SAME STORE SALES GROWTH

The source of revenue for Trade Marks is royalty income from Food Services. Royalty income is equal to 3% of sales of the A&W restaurants in the Royalty Pool. Therefore, same store sales growth by A&W restaurants is a key performance indicator for Trade Marks and the Fund.

Same store sales growth was 0.3% for the third quarter of 2009 compared to the same quarter of 2008, and 2.5% year to date compared to 2008. Same store sales growth has now been positive for 26 consecutive quarters.

The following chart shows the percentage change in same store sales by A&W restaurants for the eight most recently completed quarters:



RESULTS OF OPERATIONS

INCOME

During the third quarter, the Fund earned interest income from Trade Marks on the A&W notes of \$2,063,000, an increase of \$6,000 from the same quarter in 2008 which was a leap year. The Fund's year to date interest income was \$6,116,000, a decrease of \$33,000 from 2008 as there were two fewer days in the first quarter of 2009 compared to the first quarter of 2008.

The Fund's share of Trade Marks' earnings was \$635,000 for the quarter, a decrease of \$2,000 from the same quarter last year, and \$1,196,000 year to date, an increase of \$63,000 from 2008. While Trade Marks' earnings increased in the quarter and year to date compared to 2008, the Fund's ownership interest in Trade Marks decreased to 58.5% in 2009 from 59.8% in 2008. Trade Marks' income and expenses are discussed in detail below.

In accordance with GAAP, a non-cash dilution gain of \$302,000 was recognized in the first quarter of 2009 due to the value ascribed to the 308,419 voting common shares issued by Trade Marks to Food Services as initial consideration for the seventh Royalty Pool adjustment on January 5, 2009. The dilution gain recognized in the same quarter last year was \$606,000 due to the value ascribed to the 450,460 voting common shares issued by Trade Marks to Food Services as initial consideration for the sixth Royalty Pool adjustment on January 5, 2008.

Royalty income earned by Trade Marks in the third quarter was \$5,408,000 based on sales of \$180,253,000 reported by the A&W restaurants in the Royalty Pool. This was an increase of 2.9% over royalty income of \$5,257,000 and sales of \$175,256,000 during the same quarter of 2008. Year to date royalty income was \$14,905,000 based on sales of \$496,824,000 reported by the A&W restaurants in the Royalty Pool. This was an increase of 4.1% over royalty income of \$14,323,000 and sales of \$477,447,000 during 2008 year to date. These increases are due to the combined impact of the additional net nine restaurants in the Royalty Pool and the same store sales increase of 0.3% for the quarter and 2.5% year to date.

EXPENSES AND TAXES

The Fund had no direct expenses while Trade Marks' expenses were as follows:

(dollars in thousands)	Q3 2009	Q3 2008	YTD 2009	YTD 2008
General and administrative	\$57	\$34	\$480	\$325
Amortization of deferred financing fees	2	3	6	9
Interest on term loan	134	134	397	400
Interest income	(1)	(23)	(10)	(71)
Interest on A&W notes	2,063	2,057	6,116	6,149
Dividends on Class A&B preferred shares ⁽¹⁾	1,466	1,378	4,346	4,117
Recovery of current income taxes	-	-	(43)	-
Provision for future income taxes	595	610	1,554	1,502

(1) As required by GAAP, the dividends are classified as interest expense and accrued accordingly.

General and administrative expenses in the third quarter, including expenses for the Fund under the administration agreement between Trade Marks and the Fund, increased by \$23,000 to \$57,000, compared to \$34,000 in the third quarter of 2008. Year to date expenses increased by \$155,000 to \$480,000, compared to \$325,000 for the same period in 2008. The increased expenses resulted from professional services associated with the internal reorganization of Trade Marks involving the creation of TMLP.

Trade Marks' interest expense on its term loan was \$134,000 for the third quarter of 2009, the same as the third quarter of 2008. Year to date interest expense on the term loan decreased from \$400,000 in 2008 to \$397,000 in 2009. Interest on the A&W notes for the quarter increased from \$2,057,000 last year to \$2,063,000 this year, and decreased year to date from \$6,149,000 in 2008 to \$6,116,000 in 2009. The decrease in year to date interest expense was due to two fewer days in the first quarter this year compared to last year. Interest income for the quarter decreased from \$23,000 last year to \$1,000 this year, and year to date from \$71,000 in 2008 to \$10,000 in 2009, due to lower interest rates and two fewer days this year compared to last year.

The Class A and Class B preferred shares entitle Food Services to a fixed cumulative preferential cash dividend at a rate of \$1.075 per share per annum. In accordance with GAAP, the cumulative dividends are treated for accounting purposes by Trade Marks as interest expense and, as such, are accrued and deducted to arrive at net earnings. Class A and Class B preferred share dividends accrued in the quarter increased by \$88,000, from \$1,378,000 in the third quarter of 2008 to \$1,466,000 in 2009, and dividends accrued year to date increased by \$229,000, from \$4,117,000 in 2008 to \$4,346,000 in 2009. The increase is due to the additional Class B shares issued on January 5, 2009, less the impact of two fewer days in the first quarter this year.

Trade Marks' provision for current and future income taxes decreased from \$610,000 for the third quarter of 2008 to \$595,000 for the same quarter of 2009, and increased from \$1,502,000 year to date 2008 to \$1,511,000 year to date 2009, due to the increase in earnings before taxes.

NET EARNINGS AND COMPREHENSIVE EARNINGS

The Fund's net earnings for the third quarter were \$2,698,000 or 32.4¢ per unit compared to \$2,694,000 or 32.3¢ per unit for the same quarter in 2008. Year to date earnings were \$7,614,000 or 91.3¢ per unit in 2009 compared to \$7,888,000 or 94.6¢ per unit in 2008. The decrease in the Fund's year to date net earnings is due to the lower non-cash dilution gain compared to the prior year and decrease in interest income because of the shorter first quarter.

Trade Marks' net earnings for the third quarter were \$1,086,000 compared to \$1,064,000 for the same quarter of 2008. Year to date net earnings were \$2,045,000 in 2009 compared to \$1,892,000 in 2008. The increase in net earnings was due primarily to higher royalty income, offset by higher general and administration expenses.

In accordance with CICA Handbook Section 3865 "Hedges", Trade Marks recorded other comprehensive income of \$45,000 in the quarter compared to other comprehensive losses of \$137,000 in the same quarter last year, to reflect the change in the fair value of the interest rate swap agreement, net of tax. Year to date, Trade Marks recorded other comprehensive income of \$150,000 in 2009 compared to a loss of \$252,000 in 2008. Trade Marks' comprehensive earnings for the quarter were \$1,131,000, compared to \$927,000 for the same quarter of 2008, and year to date comprehensive earnings were \$2,195,000 for 2009 compared to \$1,640,000 for 2008. Accumulated other comprehensive losses as at September 6, 2009 were \$416,000 compared to \$566,000 at the end of 2008.

The Fund's share of Trade Marks' other comprehensive income was \$27,000 for the quarter compared to other comprehensive losses of \$82,000 in the same quarter last year. Year to date, the Fund recorded other comprehensive income of \$95,000 for 2009 compared to a loss of \$151,000 for 2008. The Fund's comprehensive earnings for the quarter were \$2,725,000 compared to \$2,612,000 for the same quarter of 2008 and year to date comprehensive earnings were \$7,709,000 for 2009 compared to \$7,737,000 for 2008. Accumulated other comprehensive losses as at September 6, 2009 were \$243,000 compared to \$338,000 at the end of 2008.

DISTRIBUTABLE CASH

The distributable cash measure is provided as it identifies the amount of actual cash available to pay distributions to unitholders and dividends to Food Services. Distributable cash is not an earnings measure recognized by GAAP and therefore may not be comparable to similar measures presented by other issuers.

Total distributable cash generated in the quarter to pay distributions to unitholders and dividends to Food Services increased to \$5,218,000 in 2009 compared to \$5,111,000 in 2008. Year to date distributable cash increased to \$14,081,000 in 2009 compared to \$13,643,000 in 2008. The increase for the quarter and year to date was due to the increase in royalty income less an increase in general and administrative expenses and net third party interest expense.

The chart below reconciles distributable cash to the most directly comparable measure calculated in accordance with GAAP, cash flows from operating activities including changes in non-cash working capital balances.

Distributable cash is calculated as the combined operating cash flows of the Fund and Trade Marks, adjusted for the dividends on Trade Marks' Class A and Class B preferred shares, financing fees and changes in non-cash working capital. Dividends on Trade Marks' Class A and Class B preferred shares are added back in order to show the total distributable cash available to pay distributions to unitholders and dividends to Food Services on a fully-diluted basis. Changes in non-cash working capital are excluded as Trade Marks' and the Fund's working capital requirements are not permanent and are primarily due to the timing of payments between related parties. No deduction is made for capital expenditures as neither the Fund nor Trade Marks have capital expenditures. There are no restrictions on distributions arising from compliance with financial covenants.

With respect to the guidance issued by CICA on the measurement and disclosure of distributable cash in income trusts and other flow-through entities, the Fund and Trade Marks believe that this Management Discussion and Analysis provides appropriate disclosure to unitholders.

(dollars in thousands except per unit amounts)	Q3 2009	Q3 2008	YTD 2009	YTD 2008
Trade Marks' cash flow from operating activities	\$1,241	\$1,248	\$3,701	\$3,550
Add: Changes in accrued dividends	127	123	(98)	(115)
Dividends on Class A & Class B preferred shares	1,466	1,378	4,346	4,117
Changes in non-cash working capital	321	306	16	(32)
Financing fees	-	(1)	-	(26)
Distributable cash – Trade Marks	3,155	3,054	7,965	7,494
The Fund's cash flow from operating activities	2,259	2,254	5,996	5,995
Add: Changes in non-cash working capital	(196)	(197)	120	154
Distributable cash – the Fund	2,063	2,057	6,116	6,149
Total distributable cash	\$5,218	\$5,111	\$14,081	\$13,643
Cumulative surplus – beginning of period	3,060	3,176	3,828	4,117
Distributable cash for unitholders at current annual distribution rate (2009 - \$1.272 per unit, 2008 - \$1.272 per unit)	(2,441)	(2,435)	(7,237)	(7,275)
Distributable cash for Food Services at current annual distribution rate (2009 - \$1.272 per share, 2008 - \$1.272 per share)	(1,735)	(1,630)	(5,143)	(4,871)
Special distribution paid to unitholders (\$0.10 per unit)	-	-	(834)	(834)
Equivalent special dividend paid to Food Services (\$0.10 per share)	-	-	(593)	(558)
Cumulative surplus – end of period	\$4,102	\$4,222	\$4,102	\$4,222
Distributable cash per equivalent unit	\$0.366	\$0.366	\$0.987	\$0.977
Number of equivalent units	14,266,381	13,957,962	14,266,381	13,957,962
Monthly distributions declared per unit (8,340,000 units)	\$0.318	\$0.318	\$0.848	\$0.848
Special distributions declared per unit (8,340,000 units)	-	-	\$0.100	\$0.100
Payout ratio (excluding special distribution)	86.9%	86.9%	85.9%	86.8%
Payout ratio (including special distribution)	86.9%	86.9%	96.0%	97.0%

Distributable cash for unitholders for the quarter increased by \$6,000 to \$2,441,000 for 2009 compared to 2008 which was a leap year. Year to date distributable cash for unitholders decreased by \$38,000 to \$7,237,000 compared to \$7,275,000 for 2008 due to the fewer days in the first quarter of 2009.

Distributable cash for dividends to Food Services increased by \$105,000 to \$1,735,000 for the third quarter in 2009 and by \$272,000 to \$5,143,000 year to date. The increase is due to the additional voting common and Class B preferred shares issued to Food Services on January 5, 2009 for the adjustment to the Royalty Pool, less the impact of two fewer days in the first quarter this year.

The amount of cash distributed in the quarter to unitholders and Food Services in monthly distributions and dividends was 31.8¢ per equivalent unit compared to distributable cash generated of 36.6¢. Year to date monthly distributions and dividends were 84.8¢ per equivalent unit compared to distributable cash generated of 98.7¢. In addition, in May 2009 a Special Distribution of \$834,000 or 10.0¢ per unit was paid to unitholders and an equivalent special dividend of \$593,000 or 10.0¢ per common share was paid to Food Services, bringing the total amount of distributed cash year to date to 94.8¢ per equivalent unit.

At the end of the quarter there was a cumulative surplus of distributable cash of \$4,102,000 compared to a cumulative surplus of \$4,222,000 at the end of the third quarter of 2008 and a cumulative surplus of \$3,828,000 at the end of 2008.

The Trustees of the Fund have approved the payment of a Special Distribution to unitholders of 10.0¢ per unit. This Special Distribution will be paid on November 30, 2009 to unitholders of record on November 15, 2009. An equivalent special dividend of 10.0¢ per voting common share will be paid to Food Services.

DISTRIBUTIONS TO UNITHOLDERS

The date and amounts of distributions to unitholders are as follows:

(dollars in thousands except per unit amounts)	Declaration date	Payment date	Amount	Per unit
January 2009	February 2, 2009	February 27, 2009	\$ 884	\$0.106
February 2009	March 3, 2009	March 31, 2009	884	0.106
March 2009	April 1, 2009	April 30, 2009	884	0.106
Special Distribution	April 28, 2009	May 29, 2009	834	0.100
April 2009	May 4, 2009	May 29, 2009	884	0.106
May 2009	June 2, 2009	June 30, 2009	884	0.106
June 2009	July 3, 2009	July 31, 2009	884	0.106
July 2009	August 5, 2009	August 31, 2009	884	0.106
August 2009	September 2, 2009	September 30, 2009	884	0.106
			\$7,906	\$0.948

The December 2008 distribution of \$884,000 which was declared on December 12, 2008 and paid on January 30, 2009 was declared and recorded for income tax purposes in 2008, the period in which it was earned. Therefore, only two monthly distributions were declared during the first quarter of 2009.

The August 2009 distribution of \$884,000 which was declared on September 2, 2009 and paid on September 30, 2009 is reported as a current liability at September 6, 2009.

On October 1, 2009, the Fund declared the September 2009 monthly distribution to unitholders at 10.6¢ per unit or \$884,000, payable on October 30, 2009.

TAX TREATMENT OF DISTRIBUTIONS

Of the \$0.948 per unit in distributions declared year to date, \$0.717 per unit or 75.6% will be taxable to unitholders as other investment income and \$0.231 per unit or 24.4% will be designated as non-eligible dividends.

DIVIDENDS ON TRADE MARKS' COMMON SHARES

During the year to date, Trade Marks declared dividends on its voting common shares totalling \$3,300,000 or \$0.231 per share, of which \$1,930,000 was earned by the Fund and \$1,370,000 was earned by Food Services. The August 2009 dividend of \$234,000 which was declared on September 2, 2009 and paid on September 30, 2009 is reported as a current liability of Trade Marks at September 6, 2009. The Fund's share of \$137,000 is reported as a receivable by the Fund at September 6, 2009. During the quarter, Trade Marks declared common share dividends totaling \$703,000.

On October 1, 2009, Trade Marks declared a dividend on voting common shares of \$234,000 or \$0.0164 per share, payable to Food Services and the Fund on October 30, 2009.

DIVIDENDS ON TRADE MARKS' CLASS A AND CLASS B PREFERRED SHARES

During the year to date, Trade Marks declared dividends on its Class A and Class B preferred shares of \$4,248,000 or \$0.717 per share. The August 2009 dividends of \$531,000 which were declared on September 2, 2009 and paid to Food Services on September 30, 2009 are reported as a current liability of Trade Marks at September 6, 2009. During the quarter, Trade Marks declared dividends on its Class A and Class B preferred shares of \$1,593,000.

On October 1, 2009, Trade Marks declared dividends on Class A and Class B preferred shares of \$531,000 or \$0.0896 per share, payable to Food Services on October 30, 2009.

SEASONALITY

Sales in the quick service restaurant industry fluctuate seasonally. In freestanding restaurants, weather impacts sales. In shopping centres, sales fluctuate due to higher traffic during the back-to-school and Christmas shopping seasons.

SUMMARY OF QUARTERLY RESULTS

The following selected quarterly results, other than “Distributable cash” and “Distributable cash per equivalent unit”, have been prepared in accordance with GAAP and all dollar amounts are reported in Canadian currency.

(dollars in thousands except per unit amounts)	Q3 2009	Q2 2009	Q1 2009	Q4 2008
Number of restaurants in the Royalty Pool	685	685	685	676
Royalty income	\$5,408	\$5,115	\$4,382	\$6,991
The Fund's interest income	\$2,063	\$2,063	\$1,990	\$2,817
The Fund's net earnings	\$2,698	\$2,546	\$2,370	\$3,981
Basic and diluted earnings per unit	\$0.324	\$0.305	\$0.284	\$0.477
Distributable cash ⁽¹⁾	\$5,218	\$4,899	\$3,964	\$6,614
Number of equivalent units	14,266,381	14,266,381	14,266,381	13,957,962
Distributable cash per equivalent unit ⁽¹⁾	\$0.366	\$0.343	\$0.278	\$0.474
Distributions declared	\$2,652	\$3,486	\$1,768	\$4,370
Monthly distributions declared per unit (8,340,000 units) ⁽²⁾	\$0.318	\$0.318	\$0.212	\$0.424
Special distribution declared per unit	-	\$0.100	-	\$0.100
Number of days in the quarter	84	84	81	115

(dollars in thousands except per unit amounts)	Q3 2008	Q2 2008	Q1 2008	Q4 2007
Number of restaurants in the Royalty Pool	676	676	676	660
Royalty income	\$5,257	\$4,910	\$4,156	\$6,194
The Fund's interest income	\$2,057	\$2,059	\$2,033	\$2,775
The Fund's net earnings	\$2,694	\$2,521	\$2,673	\$3,792
Basic and diluted earnings per unit	\$0.323	\$0.302	\$0.321	\$0.455
Distributable cash ⁽¹⁾	\$5,111	\$4,747	\$3,785	\$5,928
Number of equivalent units	13,957,962	13,957,962	13,957,962	13,473,911
Distributable cash per equivalent unit ⁽¹⁾	\$0.366	\$0.340	\$0.271	\$0.440
Distributions declared	\$2,652	\$2,652	\$2,602	\$3,511
Monthly distributions declared per unit (8,340,000 units) ⁽²⁾	\$0.318	\$0.318	\$0.212	\$0.421
Special distribution declared per unit	-	-	\$0.100	-
Number of days in the quarter	84	84	83	113

(1) Distributable cash is not an earnings measure recognized by GAAP and therefore may not be comparable to similar measures presented by other issuers. This information is provided as it identifies the amount of actual cash available to pay distributions to unitholders and dividends to Food Services. See “Distributable Cash”.

(2) The distribution for December of each year, which is paid on January 31 of the following year, is declared and recorded in the year in which it is earned. Therefore, four monthly distributions are declared in the fourth quarter of each year, and two monthly distributions are declared in the first quarter of each year.

LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

The Fund expects to have sufficient financial resources to pay ongoing future distributions as it receives income by way of interest on the A&W notes and dividends on its voting common shares of Trade Marks.

Trade Marks expects to have sufficient financial resources to fund its working capital requirements and to meet its cash flow needs including ongoing common share dividends. Trade Marks has a demand operating loan facility with HSBC

Bank Canada (the Bank) of up to \$2,000,000 which bears interest at bank prime rate plus 0.5% and is repayable on demand. As at September 6, 2009, the full amount of the facility was available.

Trade Marks has a term loan with the Bank in the amount of \$10,000,000. The term loan bears interest at bank prime rate plus between 0.0% and 0.5% depending on specified financial ratios and is repayable on February 18, 2011. Interest only is payable monthly, provided that 12 month trailing earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA) at any time are not less than \$10,000,000. In the event that EBITDA is less than \$10,000,000, the term loan will be fully amortized over the remaining term and repayment will be by way of blended monthly instalments of principal and interest. Trailing EBITDA as at September 6, 2009 was \$21,237,000.

Trade Marks uses an interest rate swap agreement to manage risks from fluctuations in interest rates. As a result, the term loan bears interest at 5.82% per annum, of which 4.42% per annum is fixed under an interest rate swap agreement that matures February 18, 2011 and 1.40% per annum is subject to annual review by the Bank. The interest rate swap agreement is considered to be a cash flow hedge and in accordance with CICA Handbook Section 3865 “Hedges”, qualifies for hedge accounting. Changes in the fair value of the interest rate swap agreement, to the extent it is an effective hedge, are recorded in other comprehensive income (loss) and are only recognized in earnings when the hedged item is realized. Any ineffectiveness in the hedging relationship is recognized in earnings immediately.

The fair value of the interest rate swap as at September 6, 2009 is \$513,000 unfavourable and the change in fair value is recorded in other comprehensive income, net of tax.

A general security agreement over the assets of Trade Marks was provided as collateral for the demand operating loan facility and term loan. TMLP has provided its guarantee in favour of the Bank of all of the indebtedness, covenants and obligations of Trade Marks to the Bank.

Payments due by period (dollars in thousands)	Total	Less than 1 year	1 – 3 years	4 – 5 years	After 5 years
Term loan	\$10,000	\$0	\$10,000	\$0	\$0

The A&W notes, issued by Trade Marks and held by the Fund, amount to \$83,399,000, bear interest at a fixed rate of 10.75% per annum and mature on February 15, 2034. Interest only is payable monthly in arrears.

The Fund and Trade Marks have no other contractual or purchase obligations except as described under the section Related Party Transactions and Balances. The Fund and Trade Marks do not have any capital expenditures; their operating and administrative expenses are expected to be stable and reasonably predictable and are considered to be in the ordinary course of business.

OFF-BALANCE SHEET ARRANGEMENTS

The Fund and Trade Marks have no off-balance sheet arrangements.

RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES

Trade Marks' interest expense and the Fund's interest income on the A&W notes for the year to date was \$6,116,000 (2008 - \$6,149,000), of which \$909,000 (December 31, 2008 - \$759,000) is receivable by the Fund from Trade Marks at September 6, 2009. Interest expense on the A&W notes for the quarter was \$2,063,000 (2008 - \$2,057,000).

During the year to date, royalty income of \$14,905,000 (2008 - \$14,323,000) was earned by Trade Marks from Food Services, of which \$1,821,000 (December 31, 2008 - \$1,890,000) is receivable by Trade Marks at September 6, 2009. Royalty income earned during the quarter was \$5,408,000 (2008 - \$5,257,000).

As at September 6, 2009, \$66,000 (December 31, 2008 - \$36,000) is due to Trade Marks by the Fund, without interest and on demand.

The Fund has entered into an administration agreement with Trade Marks whereby Trade Marks, at its expense, provides or arranges for the provision of services required in the administration of the Fund. In turn, Trade Marks has arranged for certain of these services to be provided by Food Services at no cost until 2011.

During the year to date, TMLP declared and paid distributions of \$12,000 on Food Services' limited partnership interest. Distributions paid during the quarter were \$6,000.

As at September 6, 2009, \$43,000 is due to Food Services by TMLP without interest and on demand.

Other related party transactions and balances are referred to elsewhere in this Management Discussion and Analysis.

CRITICAL ACCOUNTING ESTIMATES

Trade Marks' intangible assets consist of the A&W trade-marks and are recorded at cost. Management tests the intangible assets annually for impairment or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that the assets might be impaired. The impairment test compares the carrying amount of the intangible asset with its fair value, and an impairment loss is recognized in income for the excess, if any. Management believes that there has been no impairment of the intangible assets during the period ended September 6, 2009.

INTERNAL CONTROL OVER FINANCIAL REPORTING

The CEO and the CFO have designed, or caused to be designed under their supervision, internal controls over financial reporting to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of the Fund's and Trade Marks' financial reporting and the preparation of its financial statements for external purposes in

accordance with GAAP. The control framework used to design the internal controls over financial reporting is “Internal Control – Integrated Framework” issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission. There have been no changes to the internal controls during the period covered by this Management Discussion and Analysis that have materially affected or are reasonably likely to materially affect the Fund’s and Trade Marks’ internal control over financial reporting.

RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES

Federal Tax Announcement

In 2007, the federal government imposed a new tax on certain flow-through entities, referred to as “specified investment flow-through entities” (SIFTS), which includes income trusts. The new income tax rules for SIFTS mean that income earned by the Fund will become taxable in a manner similar to income earned by a corporation.

The application of these rules is delayed to the 2011 taxation year for trusts that were publicly traded prior to November 1, 2006. Provided the Fund is not considered to have undergone an “undue expansion” during the interim period, the Fund will be subject to taxation beginning January 1, 2011 and cash available for distributions to unitholders will be reduced by the amount of income tax paid or payable by the Fund. Financial statement earnings will also be significantly affected.

Effective June 12, 2007, income trusts and SIFTS are required to recognize future income taxes based on temporary differences that are expected to reverse after 2011. The Fund’s and Trade Marks’ structure means that Trade Marks has already been accounting for future income taxes, and there is no impact on the Fund’s financial statements.

The Restaurant Industry

The net earnings and distributable cash generated by the Fund is directly dependent upon the interest income and dividends it receives from Trade Marks, and the amount of its income tax obligations. The net earnings and distributable cash generated by Trade Marks is entirely dependent on the royalty it receives from Food Services, its operating costs, and Trade Marks’ income tax obligations. The amount of the royalty is dependent upon the sales of the A&W restaurants in the Royalty Pool.

Sales are subject to a number of factors that affect the restaurant industry generally and the quick service segment of this industry in particular, including the highly competitive nature of the industry, traffic patterns, demographic considerations and the type, number and proximity of competing quick service restaurants. Any significant event that adversely affects consumption of hamburgers, chicken, fries and soft drinks, such as, increased food and labour costs, changing tastes or health concerns, publicity from any food borne illness, the availability of experienced management and hourly employees, and government regulations concerning smoking bans, menu labelling or disclosure and drive-thru restrictions, could adversely impact the sales of A&W restaurants and consequently, the amount of the

royalty payable to Trade Marks. Economic conditions, unemployment, changes in disposable consumer income, and an H1N1 influenza outbreak, could adversely impact consumer visits to restaurants and consequently, sales in A&W restaurants and royalty income for Trade Marks. The announcement of harmonization of GST with provincial sales taxes in British Columbia and Ontario in 2010 will effectively add a new tax on restaurant meals in those provinces. While not announced, the potential future harmonization in Saskatchewan would also effectively add a new tax on restaurant meals in Saskatchewan. These harmonizations of GST and PST are expected to adversely affect sales in the restaurant industry in general and sales in A&W restaurants and the amount of the royalty payable to Trade Marks.

Food Services competes with other companies, including other well-capitalized franchisors with extensive financial, technological, marketing and personnel resources and high brand name recognition and awareness. There can be no assurance that Food Services will be able to respond to various competitive factors affecting the franchise operations of Food Services in the quick service restaurant industry.

The growth of the royalty is dependent upon the ability of Food Services to (i) grow same store sales, (ii) maintain and grow the current system of franchises, (iii) locate new retail sites in prime locations and (iv) obtain qualified operators to become A&W franchisees. Food Services faces competition for retail locations and franchisees from its competitors and from franchisors of other businesses. Food Services' inability to successfully obtain qualified franchisees could adversely affect its business development. The opening and success of franchised restaurants is dependent on a number of factors, including availability of suitable sites, negotiations of acceptable lease or purchase terms for new locations, permits and government regulatory compliance, availability of financing and the ability to meet construction schedules. A&W franchisees may not have all these business abilities or access to financial resources necessary to open an A&W restaurant or to successfully develop or operate an A&W restaurant in their franchise areas in a manner consistent with Food Services' standards.

Food Services and A&W franchisees may be the subject of complaints or litigation from guests alleging food-related illnesses, injuries suffered on the premises or other food quality, health or operational concerns. Adverse publicity resulting from such allegations may materially affect the sales of A&W restaurants, regardless of whether such allegations are true or whether Food Services or an A&W franchisee is ultimately held liable.

OUTLOOK

The current slowing of the foodservice industry sales continues to affect sales in A&W restaurants. This is expected to continue until the overall economy and in particular, employment recovers. A&W is responding tactically to market conditions, as well as continuing to focus on building the A&W brand through successful advertising and marketing campaigns, menu innovation, facilities design and expanding to serve customers in new markets. A&W is a strategy driven company whose mission is “to make A&W the number one national burger choice

for baby boomers and the fastest growing and most successful burger businesses in Canada.”

During the third quarter, the launch of the Cheddar Bacon Uncle Burger along with a new advertising campaign extended A&W’s reputation as having the best tasting hamburgers in Canada. The Uncle Burger is a unique product featuring real sirloin.

The Cruisin’ the Dub program was a great success again in the summer of 2009, with over 3,500 events held at A&W restaurants across Canada. On August 27th, 2009, A&W held its first national Cruisin’ for a Cause Day to benefit the Multiple Sclerosis Society of Canada (MS). Cruisin’ for a Cause is affiliated with A&W’s Cruisin’ the Dub program and it created an opportunity for Canadian baby boomers who grew up enjoying warm summer evenings in their cars at A&W drive-ins – often with the radio blaring and trays of Teen Burgers, onion rings and icy cold A&W Root Beer delivered by car hops – to revisit those fond memories and support MS. One dollar from every Teen Burger sold across the country went to MS and the total amount raised was over \$400,000.

Another strategic initiative underway is A&W’s “next generation” re-image program, to modernize and enhance the appeal of our restaurants. This program will begin roll-out later this year.

A&W opened seven new restaurants in the third quarter and will continue to focus on expanding the brand to more Canadians by building new restaurants across Canada, with a special emphasis on Ontario.

FORWARD LOOKING INFORMATION

Certain statements in this Management Discussion and Analysis contain forward-looking information within the meaning of applicable securities laws in Canada (forward-looking information). The words “anticipates”, “believes”, “budgets”, “could”, “estimates”, “expects”, “forecasts”, “intends”, “may”, “might”, “plans”, “projects”, “schedule”, “should”, “will”, “would” and similar expressions are often intended to identify forward-looking information, although not all forward-looking information contains these identifying words.

The forward-looking information in this Management Discussion and Analysis includes, but is not limited to: Food Services’ Mission “to make A&W the number one national burger choice for baby boomers and the fastest growing and most successful burger businesses in Canada”; the Fund expects to have sufficient financial resources to pay ongoing future distributions; Trade Marks expects to have sufficient financial resources to fund its working capital requirements and to meet its cash flow needs including ongoing common share dividends; and, the operating and administrative expenses of the Fund and Trade Marks are expected to be stable and reasonably predictable.

The forecasts and projections that make up the forward-looking information are based on assumptions which include, but are not limited to: the general risks that affect the restaurant industry will not arise; no changes in competition; no increases in food and labour costs; no changes in consumer taste or health concerns; no publicity from any food borne illness; no changes in economic conditions; no changes in availability of experienced management and hourly employees; no changes in government regulations concerning smoking bans, menu labelling and disclosure, drive-thru restrictions and elimination of trans fats; no harmonization of GST with provincial sales taxes; the continued availability of quality raw materials;

continued additional franchise sales and maintenance of franchise operations; no closures of A&W restaurants that materially affect the amount of the Royalty; franchisees duly pay franchise fees and other amounts; no new or increased or harmonization of sales taxes; continued availability of key personnel; continued ability to preserve intellectual property; Food Services is able to grow same store sales; Food Services is able to maintain and grow the current system of franchises; Food Services is able to locate new retail sites in prime locations; Food Services is able to obtain qualified operators to become A&W franchisees; no litigation from guests alleging food-related illness, injuries suffered on the premises or other food quality, health or operations concerns or other complaints; Food Services continues to pay the Royalty; Trade Marks continues to pay its obligations under the A&W Notes and pay dividends on the common shares; Trade Marks can continue to comply with its obligations under its credit arrangements; and, Trade Marks' performance does not fluctuate such that cash distributions are affected.

The forward-looking information is subject to risks, uncertainties and other factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from the results anticipated by the forward-looking information. The factors which could cause results to differ from current expectations include, but are not limited to: general risks that affect the restaurant industry; competition; changes in consumer taste; increases in food and labour costs; changes in consumer taste or health concerns; publicity from any food-borne illness; changes in economic conditions; changes in availability of experienced management and hourly employees; changes in government regulations concerning smoking bans, menu labelling and disclosure, drive-thru restrictions and elimination of trans fats; harmonization of GST with provincial sales taxes; availability and quality of raw materials; dependence on additional franchise sales and franchise operations; the closure of A&W restaurants may affect the amount of the Royalty; dependence on A&W franchisees' ability to pay franchise fees and other amounts; the impact of new or increased or harmonization of sales taxes upon gross sales; dependence on key personnel; dependence on intellectual property; Food Services' ability to grow same store sales; Food Services' ability to maintain and grow the current system of franchises; Food Services' ability to locate new retail sites in prime locations; Food Services' ability to obtain qualified operators to become A&W franchisees; litigation from guests alleging food-related illness, injuries suffered on the premises or other food quality, health or operations concerns or other complaints; dependence of the Fund on Trade Marks and Food Services; dependence of Trade Marks on Food Services; risks related to leverage and restrictive covenants; the risk that cash distributions are not guaranteed and will fluctuate with Trade Marks' performance; risks relating to the nature of units; risks relating to the distribution of securities on redemption or termination of the Fund; the Fund may issue additional Units diluting existing unitholders' interests; changes in investment eligibility and penalties for foreign property; and proposed changes to the Canadian federal income tax treatment of publicly listed trusts and other income tax matters, all as more particularly described in this Management Discussion and Analysis under the heading "Risks and Uncertainties" and in the Fund's Annual Information Form under the heading "Risk Factors".

All forward-looking information in this Management Discussion and Analysis is qualified in its entirety by this cautionary statement and, except as required by law, the Fund undertakes no obligation to revise or update any forward-looking information as a result of new information, future events or otherwise after the date hereof.

A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund

Financial Statements

For the third quarter ended September 6, 2009

Balance Sheets

Unaudited
(in thousands of dollars)

	September 6 2009	December 31 2008
Assets		
Current assets		
Cash	\$ 25	\$ 142
Due from A&W Trade Marks Inc. (note 4)	1,046	759
	1,071	901
Investment in A&W Trade Marks Inc. (note 2)	75,736	76,073
	\$ 76,807	\$ 76,974
Liabilities		
Current liabilities		
Distribution payable to Unitholders (note 3)	\$ 884	\$ 884
Due to A&W Trade Marks Inc. (note 4)	66	36
	950	920
Unitholders' Equity		
Capital contributions	77,115	77,115
Accumulated earnings	74,547	66,933
Accumulated distributions (note 3)	(75,562)	(67,656)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(243)	(338)
	75,857	76,054
	\$ 76,807	\$ 76,974

Subsequent event (note 5)

See accompanying notes to these financial statements.

A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund

Statements of Earnings and Accumulated Earnings

Unaudited

(in thousands of dollars, except per Unit amounts)

	12 week period ended Sep 6, 2009	12 week period ended Sep 7, 2008	Period from Jan 1, 2009 to Sep 6, 2009	Period from Jan 1, 2008 to Sep 7, 2008
Interest income	\$ 2,063	\$ 2,057	\$ 6,116	\$ 6,149
Equity in earnings of A&W Trade Marks Inc.	635	637	1,196	1,133
Dilution gain	-	-	302	606
Net earnings for the period	2,698	2,694	7,614	7,888
Accumulated earnings - beginning of period	71,849	60,258	66,933	55,064
Accumulated earnings - end of period	\$ 74,547	\$ 62,952	\$ 74,547	\$ 62,952
Basic and diluted earnings per Unit (8,340,000 Units)	\$ 0.324	\$ 0.323	\$ 0.913	\$ 0.946

See accompanying notes to these financial statements.

A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund

Statements of Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss

Unaudited

(in thousands of dollars)

	12 week period ended Sep 6, 2009	12 week period ended Sep 7, 2008	Period from Jan 1, 2009 to Sep 6, 2009	Period from Jan 1, 2008 to Sep 7, 2008
Accumulated other comprehensive loss - beginning of period	\$ (270)	\$ (69)	\$ (338)	\$ -
Other comprehensive income (loss)				
Equity in change in fair value of A&W Trade Marks Inc.'s interest rate swap	27	(82)	95	(151)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss - end of period	\$ (243)	\$ (151)	\$ (243)	\$ (151)

Statements of Comprehensive Earnings

Unaudited

(in thousands of dollars)

	12 week period ended Sep 6, 2009	12 week period ended Sep 7, 2008	Period from Jan 1, 2009 to Sep 6, 2009	Period from Jan 1, 2008 to Sep 7, 2008
Net earnings for the period	\$ 2,698	\$ 2,694	\$ 7,614	\$ 7,888
Equity in change in fair value of A&W Trade Marks Inc.'s interest rate swap	27	(82)	95	(151)
Comprehensive earnings for the period	\$ 2,725	\$ 2,612	\$ 7,709	\$ 7,737

See accompanying notes to these financial statements.

A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund

Statements of Cash Flows

Unaudited

(in thousands of dollars)

	12 week period ended Sep 6, 2009	12 week period ended Sep 7, 2008	Period from Jan 1, 2009 to Sep 6, 2009	Period from Jan 1, 2008 to Sep 7, 2008
Cash flows from operating activities				
Net earnings for the period	\$ 2,698	\$ 2,694	\$ 7,614	\$ 7,888
Items not affecting cash				
Equity in earnings of A&W Trade Marks Inc.	(635)	(637)	(1,196)	(1,133)
Dilution gain	-	-	(302)	(606)
	2,063	2,057	6,116	6,149
Net changes in non-cash working capital	196	197	(120)	(154)
	2,259	2,254	5,996	5,995
Cash flows from investing activities				
Dividends received from A&W Trade Marks Inc.	411	410	1,793	1,928
Cash flows from financing activities				
Distributions paid to Unitholders	(2,652)	(2,652)	(7,906)	(7,906)
(Decrease) increase in cash for the period	18	12	(117)	17
Cash - beginning of period	7	8	142	3
Cash - end of period	\$ 25	\$ 20	\$ 25	\$ 20
Supplementary cash flow information				
Interest received	\$ 2,259	\$ 2,254	\$ 5,966	\$ 5,980

See accompanying notes to these financial statements.

A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund

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Unaudited

(figures in tables are expressed in thousands of dollars, except per Unit amounts)

1. Nature of business and basis of presentation

Organization and nature of business

A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund (the Fund) is a limited purpose trust established with an unlimited number of Trust Units (Units) under the laws of the Province of British Columbia pursuant to the Declaration of Trust on December 18, 2001. The Fund was established to invest in A&W Trade Marks Inc. (Trade Marks), which through its ownership interest in A&W Trade Marks Limited Partnership (TMLP) owns the A&W trade-marks used in the A&W quick service restaurant business in Canada.

Basis of presentation

The Fund prepares its interim unaudited financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) and has applied the accounting policies described in its annual audited financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2008 except as noted below. These interim unaudited financial statements do not include all of the disclosure requirements of GAAP for annual financial statements.

These interim unaudited financial statements should be read in conjunction with the annual audited financial statements of the Fund for the year ended December 31, 2008, the annual audited financial statements of Trade Marks for the year ended December 31, 2008, and the interim unaudited consolidated financial statements of Trade Marks for the quarter ended September 6, 2009.

Fiscal year

The Fund uses a fiscal year ending December 31. A&W Food Services of Canada Inc. (Food Services) uses a fiscal year comprising a 52 or 53 week period ending on the Sunday nearest December 31, therefore Food Services' 2008 fiscal year ended December 28, 2008 (2007 – December 30, 2007). To align its financial reporting with that of Food Services, the Fund's third quarter of 2009 ended September 6, 2009 (2008 – September 7, 2008), 36 weeks after Food Services' fiscal year end.

Adoption of new accounting standards

On January 1, 2009, the Fund adopted the new accounting standard CICA Handbook Section 3064 "Goodwill and Intangible Assets" which replaces CICA Handbook Section 3062 "Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets" and establishes revised standards for the recognition, measurement, presentation and disclosure of goodwill and intangible assets. Concurrently, Emerging Issues Committee abstract 27 "Revenues and Expenses During the Pre-

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1. *Nature of business and basis of presentation (con'd)*

Operating Period” has been withdrawn which results in these costs being expensed as incurred. The adoption of this new standard had no impact on the Fund’s financial results.

International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS)

In 2006, the Canadian Accounting Standards Board (AcSB) published a new strategic plan that will significantly affect financial reporting requirements for Canadian companies. The AcSB strategic plan outlines the convergence of Canadian GAAP with IFRS over an expected five-year transitional period. In February 2008, the AcSB announced that January 1, 2011 is the transition date for publicly reported companies to adopt IFRS. The transition date of January 1, 2011 will require the restatement for comparative purposes of amounts reported by the Fund for the year ended December 31, 2010.

The Fund has commenced the process to transition from current Canadian GAAP to IFRS. Regular progress reporting to the audit committee on the status of the IFRS implementation project has been instituted. A third party consultant was engaged to carry out a diagnostic review which included the determination, at a high level, of the financial reporting differences under IFRS and the key areas that may be impacted. The Fund is assessing the impact of the conversion on information technology and systems, financial reporting, internal controls over financial reporting and disclosure controls.

The Fund anticipates that there will be changes in accounting policies and that these changes may materially impact the financial statements.

The International Accounting Standard Board currently has projects underway that are expected to result in new pronouncements and as a result, IFRS as at the transition date is expected to differ from its current form.

2. Investment in A&W Trade Marks Inc.

The Fund’s investment in Trade Marks is as follows:

	September 6, 2009	December 31, 2008
Voting common shares	\$1	\$1
A&W notes receivable	83,399	83,399
Cumulative equity in loss	(1,818)	(3,014)
Cumulative dividends	(7,969)	(6,039)
Cumulative dilution gain	2,366	2,064
Cumulative equity in other comprehensive loss	(243)	(338)
	\$75,736	\$76,073

The Fund’s 58.5% (December 31, 2008 – 59.8%) investment in the voting common shares of Trade Marks is recorded using the equity method. Trade Marks, through its 99.9% interest in TMLP, owns the A&W trade-marks used

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2. *Investment in A&W Trade Marks Inc. (con'd)*

in the A&W quick service restaurant business in Canada. In return for licensing Food Services to use its trade-marks, Trade Marks (through TMLP) receives a royalty of three per cent of the sales reported to Food Services by A&W restaurants in the Royalty Pool. The Royalty Pool is adjusted annually to include new restaurants, less any restaurants that permanently closed. Prior to the creation of TMLP in January 2009, Trade Marks paid Food Services for the additional royalty stream from the net new restaurants by issuing additional voting common shares and Class B preferred shares. The consideration for future adjustments to the Royalty Pool will be paid by TMLP by increasing the limited partnership interest of Food Services. Food Services' limited partnership interest may be exchanged for preferred and non-voting common shares of Trade Marks. The Fund's equity interest in Trade Marks is diluted as annual adjustments to the Royalty Pool take place.

The issued and outstanding voting common shares of Trade Marks are as follows:

	The Fund		Food Services		Total
	#	%	#	%	#
February 15, 2002	8,340,000	75.0%	2,780,000	25.0%	11,120,000
Annual adjustments:					
January 5, 2003		-2.9%	452,469	2.9%	452,469
January 5, 2004		-3.0%	495,681	3.0%	495,681
January 5, 2005		-2.8%	511,337	2.8%	511,337
January 5, 2006		-2.8%	558,993	2.8%	558,993
December 31, 2006		-1.6%	335,456	1.6%	335,456
January 5, 2008		-2.1%	484,051	2.1%	484,051
January 5, 2009		-1.3%	308,419	1.3%	308,419
	8,340,000	58.5%	5,926,406	41.5%	14,266,406

The A&W notes, issued by Trade Marks, amount to \$83,399,000, bear interest at 10.75% per annum and mature on February 15, 2034. Interest only payments are receivable monthly in arrears. The A&W notes are unsecured debt obligations of Trade Marks and are subordinated to all other indebtedness and liabilities of Trade Marks.

3. Distributions

During the year to date ended September 6, 2009, the Fund declared distributions to Unitholders totaling \$7,906,000 or \$0.948 per Unit. The dates and amounts of these distributions are as follows:

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3. *Distributions (con'd)*

Month	Declaration date	Payment date	Amount	Per Unit
January 2009	February 2, 2009	February 27, 2009	\$ 884	\$ 0.106
February 2009	March 3, 2009	March 31, 2009	884	0.106
March 2009	April 1, 2009	April 30, 2009	884	0.106
Special Distribution	April 28, 2009	May 29, 2009	834	0.100
April 2009	May 4, 2009	May 29, 2009	884	0.106
May 2009	June 2, 2009	June 30, 2009	884	0.106
June 2009	July 3, 2009	July 31, 2009	884	0.106
July 2009	August 5, 2009	August 31, 2009	884	0.106
August 2009	September 2, 2009	September 30, 2009	884	0.106
			7,906	\$ 0.948
Accumulated distributions - beginning of period			67,656	
Accumulated distributions - end of period			\$ 75,562	

The August 2009 distribution of \$884,000 which was declared on September 2, 2009 and paid on September 30, 2009 is reported as a current liability at September 6, 2009.

4. Related party transactions and balances

During the year to date, interest income of \$6,116,000 (2008 - \$6,149,000) was earned from Trade Marks on the A&W notes receivable, of which \$909,000 (December 31, 2008 - \$759,000) is receivable at September 6, 2009. Interest income for the quarter was \$2,063,000 (2008 - \$2,057,000).

Dividends of \$1,930,000 (2008 - \$1,929,000) were earned from Trade Marks during the year to date, of which \$137,000 (December 31, 2008 - \$nil) is receivable at September 6, 2009. Dividends earned in the quarter were \$411,000 (2008 - \$410,000).

The Fund has entered into an administration agreement with Trade Marks whereby Trade Marks, at its expense, provides or arranges for the provision of services required in the administration of the Fund.

Included in current liabilities is \$66,000 (December 31, 2008 - \$36,000) due to Trade Marks without interest and on demand.

5. Subsequent event

On October 1, 2009, the Fund declared a distribution to Unitholders of \$0.106 per Unit or \$884,000, payable on October 30, 2009 to Unitholders of record as at October 15, 2009.

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Consolidated Financial Statements

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Consolidated Balance Sheets

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(in thousands of dollars)

	September 6 2009	December 31 2008
Assets		
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 4,028	\$ 3,405
Accounts receivable (note 8)	1,887	1,926
Prepaid interest	17	48
Income taxes recoverable	56	-
	5,988	5,379
Intangible assets (note 2)	160,074	156,561
	\$ 166,062	\$ 161,940
Liabilities		
Current liabilities		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (note 8)	\$ 936	\$ 951
Dividends payable (notes 6 and 7)	765	503
Income taxes payable	-	43
Future income taxes	1,007	-
	2,708	1,497
Net liabilities due to A&W Food Services of Canada Inc. (note 3)	45	-
Term loan (note 4)	10,500	10,684
Future income taxes	14,346	13,767
A&W notes payable (note 5)	83,399	83,399
Class A and Class B preferred shares (note 6)	63,704	60,617
	174,702	169,964
Shareholders' deficiency		
Common shares (note 7)	3,513	2,989
Deficit	(11,737)	(10,447)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(416)	(566)
	(8,640)	(8,024)
	\$ 166,062	\$ 161,940

Subsequent events (note 11)

These unaudited interim consolidated financial statements of the company have been prepared by and are the responsibility of the company's management. As the company is a private entity, the company's auditor has not performed a review of these financial statements.

See accompanying notes to these financial statements.

A&W Trade Marks Inc.

Consolidated Statements of Earnings and Deficit

Unaudited

(in thousands of dollars)

	12 week period ended Sep 6, 2009	12 week period ended Sep 7, 2008	Period from Jan 1, 2009 to Sep 6, 2009	Period from Jan 1, 2008 to Sep 7, 2008
Gross sales reported by A&W restaurants in the Royalty Pool	\$ 180,253	\$ 175,256	\$ 496,824	\$ 477,447
Royalty income	\$ 5,408	\$ 5,257	\$ 14,905	\$ 14,323
Expenses				
General and administrative	57	34	480	325
Interest expense				
- term loan and other (note 10)	135	114	393	338
- A&W notes payable	2,063	2,057	6,116	6,149
- Class A and B preferred share dividends	1,466	1,378	4,346	4,117
	3,721	3,583	11,335	10,929
Earnings before income taxes	1,687	1,674	3,570	3,394
Provision for (recovery of) income taxes				
Current	-	-	(43)	-
Future	595	610	1,554	1,502
	595	610	1,511	1,502
Earnings before non-controlling interests	1,092	1,064	2,059	1,892
A&W Food Services of Canada Inc.'s non-controlling interest				
in earnings of A&W Trade Marks Limited Partnership	(6)	-	(14)	-
Net earnings for the period	1,086	1,064	2,045	1,892
Deficit - beginning of period	(12,120)	(10,386)	(10,447)	(8,679)
Adjustment on entering A&W Trade Marks Limited Partnership				
	-	-	(35)	-
Dividends declared on voting common shares	(703)	(686)	(3,300)	(3,221)
Deficit - end of period	\$ (11,737)	\$ (10,008)	\$ (11,737)	\$ (10,008)

See accompanying notes to these financial statements.

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Consolidated Statements of Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss

Unaudited

(in thousands of dollars)

	12 week period ended Sep 6, 2009	12 week period ended Sep 7, 2008	Period from Jan 1, 2009 to Sep 6, 2009	Period from Jan 1, 2008 to Sep 7, 2008
Accumulated other comprehensive loss - beginning of period	\$ (461)	\$ (115)	\$ (566)	\$ -
Other comprehensive income (loss)				
Change in fair value of the interest rate swap, net of income taxes	45	(137)	150	(252)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss - end of period	\$ (416)	\$ (252)	\$ (416)	\$ (252)

Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Earnings

Unaudited

(in thousands of dollars)

	12 week period ended Sep 6, 2009	12 week period ended Sep 7, 2008	Period from Jan 1, 2009 to Sep 6, 2009	Period from Jan 1, 2008 to Sep 7, 2008
Net earnings for the period	\$ 1,086	\$ 1,064	\$ 2,045	\$ 1,892
Other comprehensive income (loss)				
Change in fair value of the interest rate swap, net of income taxes	45	(137)	150	(252)
Comprehensive earnings for the period	\$ 1,131	\$ 927	\$ 2,195	\$ 1,640

See accompanying notes to these financial statements.

A&W Trade Marks Inc.

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

Unaudited

(in thousands of dollars)

	12 week period ended Sep 6, 2009	12 week period ended Sep 7, 2008	Period from Jan 1, 2009 to Sep 6, 2009	Period from Jan 1, 2008 to Sep 7, 2008
Cash flows from operating activities				
Net earnings for the period	\$ 1,086	\$ 1,064	\$ 2,045	\$ 1,892
Items not affecting cash				
Amortization of deferred financing fees	2	3	6	9
Provision for future income taxes	595	610	1,554	1,502
Change in accrued dividends	(127)	(123)	98	115
A&W Food Services of Canada Inc.'s non- controlling interest in earnings of A&W Trade Marks Limited Partnership	6	-	14	-
	1,562	1,554	3,717	3,518
Changes in non-cash working capital	(321)	(306)	(16)	32
	1,241	1,248	3,701	3,550
Cash flows from financing activities				
Financing fees paid	-	(1)	-	(26)
Dividends paid on voting common shares	(703)	(686)	(3,066)	(3,212)
Partnership distribution paid to A&W Food Services of Canada Inc.	(6)	-	(12)	-
	(709)	(687)	(3,078)	(3,238)
Increase in cash for the period	532	561	623	312
Cash - beginning of period	3,496	3,790	3,405	4,039
Cash - end of period	\$ 4,028	\$ 4,351	\$ 4,028	\$ 4,351
Supplementary cash flow information				
Income taxes paid	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (56)	\$ -
Interest paid on term loan and A&W notes payable	\$ (2,404)	\$ (2,379)	\$ (6,338)	\$ (6,293)
Dividends paid on Class A and B preferred shares	\$ (1,593)	\$ (1,501)	\$ (4,220)	\$ (3,962)
Non-cash financing activities				
Issuance of Class B preferred and voting common shares	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,513	\$ 6,467
Adjustment on entering A&W Trade Marks Limited Partnership	\$ -	\$ -	\$ (35)	\$ -

See accompanying notes to these financial statements.

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(figures in tables are expressed in thousands of dollars)

1. Nature of operations and basis of presentation

Nature of operations

The business of A&W Trade Marks Inc. (the company or Trade Marks) is the ownership of the A&W trade-marks through its ownership interest in A&W Trade Marks Limited Partnership (TMLP). The business of TMLP, through a Licence and Royalty Agreement with A&W Food Services of Canada Inc. (Food Services), is the exploitation of the A&W trade-marks including the development of new A&W restaurants by Food Services, and the collection of the royalty payable under the Licence and Royalty Agreement. Food Services is a leading franchisor of hamburger quick service restaurants in Canada.

The voting common shares of Trade Marks are owned by A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund (the Fund) (58.5%) and Food Services (41.5%).

Basis of presentation

Trade Marks prepares its interim unaudited consolidated financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) and has applied the accounting policies described in its annual audited financial statements for the year ended December 31, 2008 except as noted below. These interim unaudited consolidated financial statements do not include all of the disclosure requirements of GAAP for annual financial statements.

These interim unaudited consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the annual audited financial statements of Trade Marks for the year ended December 31, 2008, the annual audited financial statements of the Fund for the year ended December 31, 2008, and the interim unaudited financial statements of the Fund for the quarter ended September 6, 2009.

Basis of consolidation

These consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the company and its 99.9% ownership interest in TMLP. The non-controlling interest comprises the 0.1% equity interest of TMLP held by Food Services.

Fiscal year

Trade Marks uses a fiscal year ending December 31. Food Services uses a fiscal year comprising a 52 or 53 week period ending on the Sunday nearest December 31, therefore Food Services' 2008 fiscal year ended December 28,

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1. Nature of operations and basis of presentation (con'd)

2008 (2007 – December 30, 2007). To align its financial reporting with that of Food Services, Trade Marks' third quarter of 2009 ended September 6, 2009 (2008 – September 7, 2008), 36 weeks after Food Services' fiscal year end.

Adoption of new accounting standards

On January 1, 2009, Trade Marks adopted the new accounting standard CICA Handbook Section 3064 "Goodwill and Intangible Assets" which replaces CICA Handbook Section 3062 "Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets" and establishes revised standards for the recognition, measurement, presentation and disclosure of goodwill and intangible assets. Concurrently, Emerging Issues Committee abstract 27 "Revenues and Expenses During the Pre-Operating Period" has been withdrawn which results in these costs being expensed as incurred. The adoption of this new standard had no impact on Trade Marks' financial results.

International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS)

In 2006, the Canadian Accounting Standards Board (AcSB) published a new strategic plan that will significantly affect financial reporting requirements for Canadian companies. The AcSB strategic plan outlines the convergence of Canadian GAAP with IFRS over an expected five-year transitional period. In February 2008, the AcSB announced that January 1, 2011 is the transition date for publicly reported companies to adopt IFRS. The transition date of January 1, 2011 will require the restatement for comparative purposes of amounts reported by Trade Marks for the year ended December 31, 2010.

Trade Marks has commenced the process to transition from current Canadian GAAP to IFRS. Regular progress reporting to the audit committee on the status of the IFRS implementation project has been instituted. A third party consultant was engaged to carry out a diagnostic review which included the determination, at a high level, of the financial reporting differences under IFRS and the key areas that may be impacted. Trade Marks is assessing the impact of the conversion on information technology and systems, financial reporting, internal controls over financial reporting and disclosure controls.

Trade Marks anticipates that there will be changes in accounting policies and that these changes may materially impact the consolidated financial statements.

The International Accounting Standard Board currently has projects underway that are expected to result in new pronouncements and as a result, IFRS as at the transition date is expected to differ from its current form.

2. Intangible assets

On February 15, 2002, Trade Marks acquired the A&W trade-marks used in the A&W quick service restaurant business in Canada for \$152,676,000, of which \$84,876,000 was paid in cash, \$27,800,000 was paid by the issuance of

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2. Intangible assets (con'd)

2,779,975 Class A preferred shares and 2,780,000 voting common shares of Trade Marks, and the balance of the purchase price (the Balance) of \$40,000,000 is due, without interest, on January 31, 2010.

Concurrent with the purchase of the A&W trade-marks, Trade Marks granted Food Services a licence to use the A&W trade-marks in Canada for a term of 99 years, for which Food Services pays Trade Marks a royalty of three per cent of the sales reported to Food Services by A&W restaurants in the Royalty Pool (the Licence and Royalty Agreement).

The Royalty Pool is adjusted annually to reflect sales from new A&W restaurants, net of the sales of any A&W restaurants that have permanently closed. Food Services is paid for the additional royalty stream related to the sales of the net new restaurants, based on a formula set out in the Licence and Royalty Agreement. The formula provides for a payment to Food Services based on the amount of estimated sales from the net new restaurants and the current yield on the units of the Fund, discounted by 7.5%. Prior to the formation of TMLP (see below), Trade Marks paid Food Services for the additional royalty stream by issuing voting common shares and Class B preferred shares of Trade Marks which are the economic equivalent of Units of the Fund.

The Balance of the purchase price is reduced by all amounts Trade Marks is required to pay Food Services in respect of the annual adjustments to the Royalty Pool up to January 31, 2010. If the total annual adjustments are less than the Balance, the obligation of Trade Marks to pay the remaining Balance of the purchase price is extinguished.

On January 5, 2009, the number of A&W restaurants for which royalties are paid to Trade Marks was increased by 17 new restaurants, less 8 restaurants that permanently closed during 2008. Trade Marks paid Food Services \$3,513,000, by issuance of 308,419 Class B preferred shares valued at \$2,989,000 and 308,419 voting common shares valued at \$524,000, as initial consideration for the estimated royalty stream from the 9 net restaurants added to the Royalty Pool. After this adjustment to the Royalty Pool, the remaining Balance of the purchase price is \$682,000.

A final adjustment to the share consideration will be made in December 2009 based upon the actual annual sales reported by the new restaurants. Until then, 20% of the shares will be held in escrow.

On January 21, 2009, Trade Marks and Food Services entered into a limited partnership, TMLP in which Trade Marks is the general partner with a 99.9% interest and Food Services is the limited partner with a 0.1% interest. The A&W trade-marks owned by Trade Marks were transferred to TMLP in

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2. *Intangible assets (con'd)*

exchange for the general partnership interest held by Trade Marks. The existing Licence and Royalty Agreement between Trade Marks and Food Services was assumed by TMLP with the result that the royalty paid by Food Services for the use of the A&W trade-marks is now paid to TMLP rather than Trade Marks. TMLP in turn pays partnership distributions to Trade Marks (99.9%) and Food Services (0.1%). The consideration for the annual adjustments to the Royalty Pool is now paid by TMLP to Food Services by increasing the limited partnership interest of Food Services. Food Services' limited partnership interest may be exchanged for preferred and non-voting common shares of Trade Marks which are exchangeable for Units of the Fund. For accounting purposes, the Balance and related intangible assets are recognized in the periods such adjustments become payable. The annual adjustments to the Royalty Pool are as follows:

	New restaurants	Closed restaurants	Royalty Pool	Share consideration			Amount \$
				Voting common shares	Class A shares	Class B shares	
Initial consideration							
Cash	585	-	585	-	-	-	84,876
Shares	-	-	-	2,780,000	2,779,975	-	27,800
Future income taxes	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,080
	585	-	585	2,780,000	2,779,975	-	120,756
Adjustments:							
January 5, 2003	27	(8)	19	452,469	-	452,469	5,108
January 5, 2004	28	(12)	16	495,681	-	495,681	5,210
January 5, 2005	27	(9)	18	511,337	-	511,337	6,197
January 5, 2006	27	(11)	16	558,993	-	558,993	6,915
December 31, 2006	19	(13)	6	335,456	-	335,456	5,908
January 5, 2008	23	(7)	16	484,051	-	484,051	6,467
January 5, 2009	17	(8)	9	308,419	-	308,419	3,513
	753	(68)	685	5,926,406	2,779,975	3,146,406	160,074

3. Net liabilities due to A&W Food Services of Canada Inc.

The net liabilities due to Food Services by TMLP are comprised of:

	September 6, 2009	December 31, 2008
	\$	\$
Intercompany advance (note 8)	43	-
Food Services' equity interest in TMLP	2	-
	45	-

4. Term loan and operating bank line of credit

Trade Marks has a demand operating loan facility with HSBC Bank Canada (the Bank) of \$2,000,000 to fund working capital requirements and for general corporate purposes. The operating loan bears interest at the bank prime rate plus 0.5% and is repayable on demand. As at September 6, 2009, the full amount of the facility was available.

Trade Marks has a term loan in the amount of \$10,000,000 with the Bank. The term loan is repayable on February 18, 2011 and bears interest at bank prime rate plus between 0% and 0.5% depending on specified financial ratios.

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4. Term loan and operating bank line of credit (con'd)

Interest only is payable monthly, providing that 12 month trailing earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA) at any time are not less than \$10,000,000. In the event that EBITDA is less than \$10,000,000, the term loan will be fully amortized over the remaining term and repayment will be by way of blended monthly instalments of principal and interest.

Trade Marks uses an interest rate swap agreement to manage risks from fluctuations in interest rates. As a result, the term loan bears interest at 5.82% per annum, of which 4.42% per annum is fixed under an interest rate swap agreement that matures February 18, 2011, and 1.40% per annum is subject to annual review by the Bank. The interest rate swap agreement is considered to be a cash flow hedge; as a result, changes in the fair value, to the extent it is an effective hedge, are recorded in other comprehensive income (loss) and are only recognized in earnings when the hedged item is realized. Any ineffectiveness in the hedging relationship is recognized in earnings immediately.

The fair value of the interest rate swap as at September 6, 2009 is \$513,000 unfavourable, and the change in fair value is recorded in other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax.

A general security agreement over the assets of Trade Marks has been provided as security for the demand operating facility and term loan. TMLP has provided its guarantee in favour of the Bank of all of the indebtedness, covenants and obligations of Trade Marks to the Bank.

Trade Marks' term loan is comprised of:

	September 6, 2009	December 31, 2008
	\$	\$
Term loan	10,000	10,000
Deferred financing fees	(13)	(19)
Fair value of the interest rate swap	513	703
	10,500	10,684

5. A&W notes payable

The A&W notes, held by the Fund, amount to \$83,399,000, bear interest at 10.75% per annum and mature on February 15, 2034. Interest only is payable monthly in arrears.

The A&W notes are unsecured debt obligations of Trade Marks and are subordinated to all other indebtedness and liabilities of Trade Marks.

6. Class A and Class B preferred shares

The preferred shares are owned by Food Services and comprise:

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6. *Class A and Class B preferred shares (con'd)*

	September 6, 2009		December 31, 2008	
	#	\$	#	\$
Class A shares - at cost	2,779,975	27,800	2,779,975	27,800
Class B shares - at cost:				
January 5, 2003 adjustment	452,469	5,108	452,469	5,108
January 5, 2004 adjustment	495,681	5,210	495,681	5,210
January 5, 2005 adjustment	511,337	6,197	511,337	6,197
January 5, 2006 adjustment	558,993	6,915	558,993	6,915
December 31, 2006 adjustment	335,456	3,989	335,456	3,989
January 5, 2008 adjustment	484,051	5,398	484,051	5,398
January 5, 2009 adjustment	308,419	2,989	-	-
	3,146,406	35,806	2,837,987	32,817
Accrued dividends		98	-	-
	5,926,381	63,704	5,617,962	60,617

The Class A and Class B shares entitle Food Services to a fixed cumulative preferential cash dividend at a rate of \$1.075 per share per annum. The Class A and Class B shares may be redeemed at the option of Food Services into A&W notes of Trade Marks on the basis of \$10 principal amount of A&W notes for one Class A or Class B share and, in turn, one voting common share of Trade Marks and a \$10 A&W note are exchangeable for a Unit in the Fund. The Class A and Class B shares are classified as liabilities of Trade Marks and the cumulative dividends are classified as interest expense in the consolidated statement of earnings.

During the year to date, Trade Marks declared dividends on its Class A and Class B preferred shares totaling \$4,248,000 or \$0.717 per share. The August dividends of \$531,000 which were declared on September 2, 2009 and paid to Food Services on September 30, 2009 are reported as a current liability at September 6, 2009. During the quarter, Trade Marks declared dividends on its Class A and Class B preferred shares of \$1,593,000.

7. Common shares

Authorized

Unlimited number of voting common shares

Unlimited number of non-voting common shares

Issued

The voting common shares are owned by the Fund and Food Services as follows:

	The Fund		Food Services		Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	\$
February 15, 2002	8,340,000	75.0%	2,780,000	25.0%	11,120,000	1
January 5, 2003 adjustment		-2.9%	452,469	2.9%	452,469	-
January 5, 2004 adjustment		-3.0%	495,681	3.0%	495,681	-
January 5, 2005 adjustment		-2.8%	511,337	2.8%	511,337	-
January 5, 2006 adjustment		-2.8%	558,993	2.8%	558,993	-
December 31, 2006 adjustment		-1.6%	335,456	1.6%	335,456	1,919
January 5, 2008 adjustment		-2.1%	484,051	2.1%	484,051	1,069
January 5, 2009 adjustment		-1.3%	308,419	1.3%	308,419	524
	8,340,000	58.5%	5,926,406	41.5%	14,266,406	3,513

7. Common shares (con'd)

During the year to date, Trade Marks declared dividends on its voting common shares totaling \$3,300,000 or \$.231 per share. The August 2009 dividend of \$234,000 which was declared on September 2, 2009 and paid to Food Services and the Fund on September 30, 2009 is reported as a current liability as at September 6, 2009. During the quarter, Trade Marks declared common share dividends totaling \$703,000.

8. Related party transactions and balances

During the year to date, royalty income of \$14,905,000 (2008 - \$14,323,000) was earned from Food Services, of which \$1,821,000 (December 31, 2008 - \$1,890,000) is receivable at September 6, 2009. Royalty income earned during the quarter was \$5,408,000 (2008 - \$5,257,000).

Trade Marks has entered into an administration agreement with the Fund whereby Trade Marks, at its expense, provides or arranges for the provision of services required in the administration of the Fund. In turn, Trade Marks has arranged for certain of these services to be provided by Food Services at no cost until 2011.

Interest expense on the A&W notes for the year to date was \$6,116,000 (2008 – \$6,149,000), of which \$909,000 (December 31, 2008 - \$759,000) is payable to the Fund at September 6, 2009. Interest expense on the A&W notes for the quarter was \$2,063,000 (2008 - \$2,057,000).

Included in accounts receivable is \$66,000 (December 31, 2008 – \$36,000) due from the Fund without interest and on demand.

During the year to date, TMLP declared and paid distributions of \$12,000 on Food Services' limited partnership interest. Distributions paid during the quarter were \$6,000.

As at September 6, 2009, \$43,000 is due to Food Services by TMLP without interest and on demand.

9. Seasonality

Trade Marks' revenue is subject to variances due to the seasonality of sales in the quick service restaurant industry. In freestanding restaurants, weather impacts sales. In shopping centres, sales fluctuate due to higher traffic during back to school and Christmas shopping seasons.

10. Term loan and other interest

	12 week period ended Sep 6, 2009	12 week period ended Sep 7, 2008	Period from Jan 1, 2009 to Sep 6, 2009	Period from Jan 1, 2008 to Sep 7, 2008
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Interest expense	134	134	397	400
Interest income	(1)	(23)	(10)	(71)
Amortization of deferred financing fees	2	3	6	9
	135	114	393	338

11. Subsequent events

On October 1, 2009, Trade Marks declared dividends on its Class A and Class B preferred shares of \$531,000 or \$0.0896 per share, payable to Food Services on October 30, 2009. On October 1, 2009, Trade Marks declared a dividend on its voting common shares of \$234,000 or \$0.0164 per share, payable to Food Services and the Fund on October 30, 2009.

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Q3/2009

**Consolidated Financial
Statements**

For the third quarter ended
September 6, 2009

Provided as a supplement to the
financial statements of A&W
Revenue Royalties Income Fund



A&W Food Services of Canada Inc.

Report to Unitholders of A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund December 29, 2008 to September 6, 2009

This report and the unaudited interim consolidated financial statements of A&W Food Services of Canada Inc. are provided as a supplement to the quarterly report of the A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund for the quarter ended September 6, 2009. This report is dated October 15, 2009 and should be read in conjunction with the interim unaudited consolidated financial statements for A&W Food Services of Canada Inc. for the quarter ended September 6, 2009 and the audited annual consolidated financial statements for A&W Food Services of Canada Inc. for the year ended December 28, 2008. A copy of this report and additional information about the Fund and Food Services is available at www.sedar.com or www.awincomefund.ca.

Glossary

Consolidated Financial Statements	Consolidated financial statements which include the accounts of A&W Food Services of Canada Inc., its 60% owned subsidiary, A&W Root Beer Beverages of Canada Inc., its 41.5% ownership interest in A&W Trade Marks Inc., a “variable interest entity” in which Food Services is the “primary beneficiary” as these terms are defined in the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants (CICA) Accounting Guideline 15 “Consolidation of Variable Interest Entities”, and A&W Trade Marks Limited Partnership, a 99.9% subsidiary of A&W Trade Marks Inc.
Food Services	Financial results of A&W Food Services of Canada Inc. and A&W Root Beer Beverages of Canada Inc.
The Fund	A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund
Trade Marks	Consolidated financial results of A&W Trade Marks Inc. and its 99.9% interest in A&W Trade Marks Limited Partnership
TMLP	A&W Trade Marks Limited Partnership
Beverages	A&W Root Beer Beverages of Canada Inc.

To align its financial reporting with the business cycle of its operations, Food Services uses a fiscal year comprising a 52 or 53 week period ending on the Sunday nearest December 31. Food Services' third quarter ends 36 weeks after its fiscal year which was December 28, 2008 (2007 – December 30, 2007).

Same Store Sales

Same store sales at A&W restaurants grew by 0.3% in the third quarter of 2009. This marks the 26th consecutive quarter of positive same store sales growth. Year to date same store sales grew by 2.5%.

System Sales

For the 12 weeks ended September 6, 2009, total system sales for all A&W restaurants in Canada were \$185,722,000, an increase of \$6,191,000 or 3.4% from the same period in 2008. Year to date system sales were \$516,204,000, an increase of \$25,898,000 or 5.3% from the prior year. This increase was due to the increase in the number of restaurants from 688 to 700 and the 2.5% year to date same store sales growth.

New Restaurant Development and Restaurant Closures

Food Services opened seven new A&W restaurants in the third quarter of 2009, compared to five new restaurants opened in the third quarter of 2008. Twelve new restaurants have opened in 2009 year to date, compared to nine in 2008. Five restaurants were closed in the third quarter compared to three closures in the third quarter of 2008. Year to date seven restaurants have closed compared to four in the same period in 2008. As at September 6, 2009, there were 700 A&W restaurants in Canada, of which 690 were operated by franchisees, nine were corporately owned and operated in the Ottawa region, and one was operated corporately while being held for refranchising.

Consolidated Financial Highlights

(dollars in thousands)	Q3 2009	Q3 2008	YTD 2009	YTD 2008
System sales	\$185,722	\$179,531	\$516,204	\$490,306
System sales growth	3.4%	9.3%	5.3%	9.9%
Same store sales growth	0.3%	6.5%	2.5%	7.4%
New restaurants opened	7	5	12	9
Restaurants closed	5	3	7	4
Number of restaurants	700	688	700	688
Franchising & corporate restaurant revenue	\$18,944	\$16,934	\$49,774	\$45,502
Direct costs and administrative expenses	\$11,443	\$9,874	\$32,106	\$29,021
Earnings before interest, amortization, taxes and non-controlling interests	\$7,501	\$7,060	\$17,668	\$16,481
Net earnings	\$3,175	\$2,847	\$6,735	\$5,879

Overview

Food Services is the franchisor of the A&W restaurant chain in Canada and derives revenues from franchise fees, sales in corporately operated restaurants, sales of

goods and services to franchisees and distributors, initial and regrant franchise fees, lease guarantee fees and other fees. Food Services also receives revenue from its subsidiary's sales of flavour concentrate to licensed bottlers who produce and distribute A&W Root Beer for sale in retail grocery stores.

Food Services' direct costs and administrative expenses include the cost of materials and supplies and equipment sold either directly to franchisees or to distributors that service the restaurants or that are sold to the licenced bottlers. In addition, direct costs include the expenses and costs of the restaurants operated corporately by Food Services and salaries and general and administrative costs associated with providing services to the franchised A&W restaurants and establishing new A&W restaurants.

Also included in direct costs and administrative expenses in the Consolidated Financial Statements are Trade Marks' general and administrative expenses. Trade Marks' general and administrative expenses include the expenses of the Fund under an administration agreement between Trade Marks and the Fund. Under this agreement, Trade Marks, at its expense, provides or arranges for the provision of services required in the administration of the Fund.

Sale of A&W Trade-marks and Licence and Royalty Agreement

On February 15, 2002, Food Services sold the A&W trade-marks used in the A&W quick service restaurant business in Canada to Trade Marks for \$152,676,000, of which \$84,876,000 was paid in cash, \$27,800,000 was paid by the issuance of 2,779,975 Class A preferred shares and 2,780,000 voting common shares of Trade Marks and the balance (the Balance) of \$40,000,000 is due without interest on January 31, 2010.

Concurrent with the purchase of the trade-marks, Trade Marks granted Food Services a licence to use the A&W trade-marks in Canada for a term of 99 years, for which Food Services pays Trade Marks a royalty of 3% of the sales reported to Food Services by A&W restaurants in the Royalty Pool (the Licence and Royalty Agreement). In the event a restaurant in the Royalty Pool closes, Food Services pays the royalties that would have been paid to Trade Marks if the restaurant had not closed, until the next adjustment to the Royalty Pool.

The Balance of the purchase price is reduced by all amounts Trade Marks is required to pay Food Services in respect of the annual adjustments to the Royalty Pool up to January 31, 2010. If the total annual adjustments are less than the Balance, the obligation of Trade Marks to pay the remaining Balance is extinguished.

The Royalty Pool is adjusted annually to reflect sales from new A&W restaurants added to the Royalty Pool, net of the sales of any A&W restaurants that have permanently closed. Food Services is paid for the additional royalty stream related to the sales of the net new restaurants, based on a formula set out in the Licence and Royalty Agreement. The formula provides for a payment to Food Services based on the amount of estimated sales from the net new restaurants and the current yield on the units of the Fund, discounted by 7.5%. Prior to the formation of TMLP, Trade Marks paid Food Services for the additional royalty stream by issuing voting

common shares and Class B preferred shares of Trade Marks which are the economic equivalent of units of the Fund.

On January 21, 2009, Trade Marks and Food Services entered into a limited partnership, TMLP, in which Trade Marks is the general partner with a 99.9% interest and Food Services is the limited partner with a 0.1% interest. The A&W trade-marks owned by Trade Marks were transferred to TMLP in exchange for the general partnership interest held by Trade Marks. The existing Licence and Royalty Agreement between Trade Marks and Food Services was assumed by TMLP with the result that the royalty paid by Food Services for the use of the A&W trade-marks is now paid to TMLP rather than Trade Marks. TMLP in turn pays partnership distributions to Trade Marks (99.9%) and Food Services (0.1%). The consideration for the annual adjustments to the Royalty Pool is now paid by TMLP as an increase in the limited partnership interest of Food Services. Food Services' limited partnership interest may be exchanged for preferred and non-voting common shares of Trade Marks which are exchangeable for units of the Fund.

Expansion of the Royalty Pool

On January 5, 2009, the number of A&W restaurants in the Royalty Pool was increased by 17 new restaurants less 8 restaurants which permanently closed during 2008. The estimated annual sales of the 17 new A&W restaurants are \$19,664,000 and annual sales for the 8 permanently closed restaurants were \$4,415,000. The net sales of \$15,249,000 translate into estimated additional annual royalty payments of \$457,000 on the basis of the royalty of 3% of sales. The royalty revenue for the purposes of calculating the additional shares is \$423,000 or 92.5%. The initial consideration paid by Trade Marks to Food Services for this estimated additional royalty stream was \$3,513,000, by issuance of 308,419 Class B shares valued at \$2,989,000 and 308,419 voting common shares of Trade Marks valued at \$524,000. A final adjustment to the share consideration will be made in December 2009 based upon the actual annual sales reported by the new restaurants. Until then, 20% of the shares will be held in escrow.

After the January 5, 2009 expansion of the Royalty Pool, there are 685 A&W restaurants in the Royalty Pool and the remaining Balance of the purchase price is \$682,000. Food Services owns 41.5% of the voting common shares of Trade Marks with the majority interest held by the Fund as follows:

(dollars in thousands)	The Fund		Food Services		Total	
	#	%	#	%	#	\$
February 15, 2002	8,340,000	75.0%	2,780,000	25.0%	11,120,000	1
January 5, 2003 adjustment		-2.9%	452,469	2.9%	452,469	-
January 5, 2004 adjustment		-3.0%	495,681	3.0%	495,681	-
January 5, 2005 adjustment		-2.8%	511,337	2.8%	511,337	-
January 5, 2006 adjustment		-2.8%	558,993	2.8%	558,993	
December 31, 2006 adjustment		-1.6%	335,456	1.6%	335,456	1,919
January 5, 2008 adjustment		-2.1%	484,051	2.1%	484,051	1,069
January 5, 2009 adjustment		-1.3%	308,419	1.3%	308,419	524
	8,340,000	58.5%	5,926,406	41.5%	14,266,406	3,513

Trade Marks' Class A and Class B preferred shares are owned by Food Services as follows:

(dollars in thousands)	September 6, 2009		December 28, 2008	
	#	\$	#	\$
Class A shares - at cost	2,779,975	27,800	2,779,975	27,800
Class B shares - at cost:				
January 5, 2003 adjustment	452,469	5,108	452,469	5,108
January 5, 2004 adjustment	495,681	5,210	495,681	5,210
January 5, 2005 adjustment	511,337	6,197	511,337	6,197
January 5, 2006 adjustment	558,993	6,915	558,993	6,915
December 31, 2006 adjustment	335,456	3,989	335,456	3,989
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January 5, 2009 adjustment	308,419	2,989	-	-
	3,146,406	35,806	2,837,987	32,817
Accrued dividends		98		-
	5,926,381	63,704	5,617,962	60,617

The Class A and Class B preferred shares entitle Food Services to a fixed cumulative preferential cash dividend at a rate of \$1.075 per share per annum. The Class A and Class B preferred shares may be redeemed at the option of Food Services into A&W notes of Trade Marks on the basis of \$10 principal amount of A&W notes for one Class A or Class B preferred share and, in turn, a \$10 A&W note plus one voting common share of Trade Marks are exchangeable for a unit in the Fund. Therefore Food Services, through its investment in Trade Marks, owns the equivalent of 41.5% of the units of the Fund.

Basis of Consolidation

Food Services, the Fund, Trade Marks and TMLP have adopted CICA Accounting Guideline 15 “Consolidation of Variable Interest Entities” (AcG-15).

AcG-15 expands upon the accounting guidance in CICA Handbook Section 1590 (CICA 1590) that addresses when an enterprise should consolidate another entity in its financial statements. Under CICA 1590, an enterprise generally consolidates another entity when it controls the entity through a majority voting interest. AcG-15 clarifies this guidance when the entity being consolidated is a “Variable Interest Entity” (VIE) which is defined to be an entity that, by design, does not have sufficient equity at risk to finance its activities without additional subordinated financial support. If the entity being consolidated is a VIE, under AcG-15 the “primary beneficiary” of that entity should consolidate the VIE and not necessarily the shareholder with the majority voting interest.

The Fund and Food Services have determined that Trade Marks is a VIE and that Food Services is the “primary beneficiary” of Trade Marks. As a result, Food Services consolidates Trade Marks (which includes the accounts of TMLP), and the Fund accounts for its investment in Trade Marks using the equity method.

As a result of AcG-15, all intercompany accounts and transactions between Food Services, Trade Marks and TMLP are eliminated in the Consolidated Financial Statements. The trade-marks are recorded on the consolidated balance sheet at their historical book value. Food Services’ investments in Trade Marks and TMLP, its deferred gain on the sale of the trade-marks, and Trade Marks’ intangible assets and Class A and Class B preferred shares held by Food Services are eliminated upon consolidation.

The adoption of AcG-15 does not change the contractual obligations nor the cash flows between Food Services, TMLP and Trade Marks. It is important to note that TMLP legally owns the A&W trade-marks, receives royalty income from Food

Services and pays distributions to Trade Marks and Food Services. Trade Marks in turn pays dividends to Food Services, and interest on the A&W notes and dividends to the Fund. The liabilities of Trade Marks, comprising the A&W notes payable to the Fund and the term loan, are obligations of Trade Marks, not Food Services. For further information on the financial results of the Fund and Trade Marks, readers are referred to the Fund's quarterly report for the quarter ended September 6, 2009, (which includes the interim unaudited consolidated financial statements of Trade Marks) which is available at www.sedar.com or on the Fund's website at www.awincomefund.ca.

Adoption of New Accounting Standards

On December 29, 2008, Food Services adopted the new accounting standard CICA Handbook Section 3064 "Goodwill and Intangible Assets" which replaces CICA Handbook Section 3062 "Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets" and establishes revised standards for the recognition, measurement, presentation and disclosure of goodwill and intangible assets. Concurrently, Emerging Issues Committee abstract 27 "Revenues and Expenses During the Pre-Operating Period" has been withdrawn which results in these costs being expensed as incurred. The adoption of this new standard had no impact on Food Services' financial results.

International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS)

In 2006, the Canadian Accounting Standards Board (AcSB) published a new strategic plan that will significantly affect financial reporting requirements for Canadian companies. The AcSB strategic plan outlines the convergence of Canadian GAAP with IFRS over an expected five-year transitional period. In February 2008, the AcSB announced that January 1, 2011 is the transition date for publicly reported companies to adopt IFRS. The transition date of January 1, 2011 will require the restatement for comparative purposes of amounts reported by Food Services for its year ended January 2, 2011.

Food Services has commenced the process to transition from current Canadian GAAP to IFRS. A third party consultant was engaged to carry out a diagnostic review which included the determination, at a high level, of the financial reporting differences under IFRS and the key areas that may be impacted. Food Services is assessing the impact of the conversion on information technology and systems, financial reporting, internal controls over financial reporting and disclosure controls.

Food Services anticipates that there will be changes in accounting policies and that these changes may materially impact the consolidated financial statements.

The International Accounting Standard Board currently has projects underway that are expected to result in new pronouncements and as a result, IFRS as at the transition date is expected to differ from its current form.

2009 Operating Results

Revenue

Food Services' total revenue for the third quarter of 2009 was \$18,944,000, compared to \$16,934,000 for the third quarter of 2008. Year to date revenue was \$49,774,000 for 2009 compared to \$45,502,000 for 2008.

Franchising revenue increased by \$1,917,000 to \$16,447,000 for the third quarter of 2009 from \$14,530,000 for the third quarter of 2008. Year to date franchising revenue increased by \$4,498,000 to \$42,600,000 for 2009 from \$38,102,000 for 2008. The increase in revenue resulted from higher franchise fees and sales of goods and services to franchisees and distributors due to the system sales growth, and higher sales of equipment to franchisees due to more new restaurants and relocations of existing restaurants.

Corporate restaurant sales increased by \$93,000 to \$2,497,000 for the third quarter of 2009 from \$2,404,000 for the third quarter of 2008. Year to date corporate restaurant sales decreased by \$226,000 to \$7,174,000 in 2009 from \$7,400,000 in 2008. Sales growth for the quarter and year to date in the Ottawa region was offset by a decrease in sales from restaurants being operated corporately while held for refranchising. During 2008, two restaurants were being operated corporately while held for refranchising; one of these restaurants was refranchised during the second quarter of 2008.

Expenses and Operating Contribution Margin

Direct costs and administrative expenses increased by \$1,569,000 to \$11,443,000 for the third quarter of 2009 from \$9,874,000 for the third quarter of 2008. Year to date direct costs and administrative expenses increased by \$3,085,000 to \$32,106,000 for 2009 from \$29,021,000 for 2008. The year to date operating contribution margin was 35.5% for 2009 compared to 36.2% for 2008. The year to date increase in expenses was due primarily to higher costs of goods and services sold to franchisees and distributors resulting from the system sales growth and higher equipment sales.

Earnings before interest, amortization, taxes and non-controlling interests increased by \$441,000 to \$7,501,000 for the third quarter of 2009 from \$7,060,000 for the same quarter in 2008. Year to date earnings before interest, amortization, taxes and non-controlling interests increased by \$1,187,000 to \$17,668,000 for 2009 from \$16,481,000 for 2008.

Interest Expense

Interest expense is comprised primarily of Trade Marks' interest expense on its term loan and the A&W notes payable.

	Q3 2009	Q3 2008	YTD 2009	YTD 2008
Interest				
Interest expense (income)	\$ 1	\$ (56)	\$ (6)	\$ (166)
Term loan	134	134	397	400
A&W notes payable	2,063	2,057	6,116	6,149
Amortization of deferred financing fees	2	3	6	9
	\$ 2,200	\$ 2,138	\$ 6,513	\$ 6,392

The year to date decrease in interest expense on Trade Marks' term loan and A&W notes resulted from there being two fewer days in Trade Marks' first quarter in 2009 compared to 2008. Interest income is lower in 2009 compared to 2008 due to lower interest rates.

Income Taxes

Income tax expense increased by \$103,000 for the quarter and \$169,000 year to date due to the higher earnings before taxes.

Non-controlling Interests

The non-controlling interest in Beverages represents the 40% interest of Beverages owned by Unilever Canada.

The Fund's interest in Trade Marks' earnings represents the common equity of Trade Marks held by the Fund. The Fund's share of Trade Marks' earnings was \$635,000 for the quarter compared to \$637,000 for 2008, and \$1,196,000 year to date compared to \$1,133,000 for 2008. While Trade Marks' earnings increased in the quarter and year to date compared to 2008, primarily due to higher royalty income less higher general and administrative expenses, the Fund's ownership interest in Trade Marks decreased to 58.5% in 2009 from 59.8% in 2008.

Net Earnings and Comprehensive Earnings

Net earnings for the quarter increased by \$328,000, to \$3,175,000 in 2009 from \$2,847,000 in 2008. Year to date net earnings increased by \$856,000, to \$6,735,000 in 2009 from \$5,879,000 in 2008.

In accordance with CICA Handbook Section 3865 "Hedges", other comprehensive income of \$18,000 was recorded in the quarter and \$55,000 year to date in 2009, compared to other comprehensive losses of \$55,000 in the quarter and \$101,000 year to date in 2008. Other comprehensive income and losses for both years reflect the change in the fair value of Trade Marks' interest rate swap agreement, net of tax and the Fund's equity interest. Comprehensive earnings for the quarter were \$3,193,000, compared to comprehensive earnings of \$2,792,000 for the same quarter of 2008. Year to date comprehensive earnings were \$6,790,000 for 2009 compared to \$5,778,000 for 2008. Accumulated other comprehensive losses as at September 6, 2009 were \$173,000 compared to \$228,000 at the end of 2008.

Liquidity and Capital Resources

Food Services is primarily a franchise business with 690 of its 700 restaurants franchised. Food Services has minimal capital requirements related to its corporate restaurants and head office, and future restaurant growth will continue to be funded by franchisees although Food Services may from time to time choose to open new corporate restaurants in the Ottawa market and is currently carrying out renovations of its head office. Food Services expects to have sufficient capital resources to fund the expansion of corporate restaurants and has no long term debt obligations. Food Services expects to have sufficient cash on hand to meet its obligations and has a demand operating loan facility with HSBC Bank Canada (the Bank) of up to \$5,000,000 to fund its working capital requirements and for general corporate purposes. Food Services has provided its Class A preferred shares and 2,780,000 voting common shares of Trade Marks as collateral. As at September 6, 2009, the full amount of the facility was available.

Trade Marks expects to have sufficient financial resources to fund its working capital requirements and to meet its cash flow needs including ongoing common share dividends. Trade Marks has a demand operating loan facility with the Bank

of up to \$2,000,000 which bears interest at bank prime rate plus 0.5% and is repayable on demand. As at September 6, 2009, the full amount of the facility was available.

Trade Marks has a term loan with the Bank in the amount of \$10,000,000. The term loan bears interest at bank prime rate plus between 0.0% and 0.5% depending on specified financial ratios and is repayable on February 18, 2011. Interest only is payable monthly, provided that 12 month trailing earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA) at any time are not less than \$10,000,000. In the event that EBITDA is less than \$10,000,000, the term loan will be fully amortized over the remaining term and repayment will be by way of blended monthly instalments of principal and interest. Trailing EBITDA as at September 6, 2009 was \$21,237,000.

Trade Marks uses an interest rate swap agreement to manage risks from fluctuations in interest rates. As a result, the term loan bears interest at 5.82% per annum, of which 4.42% is fixed under an interest rate swap agreement that matures February 18, 2011 and 1.40% is subject to annual review by the Bank. The interest rate swap agreement is considered to be a cash flow hedge and in accordance with CICA Handbook Section 3865 "Hedges", qualifies for hedge accounting. Changes in the fair value of the interest rate swap agreement, to the extent it is an effective hedge, are recorded in other comprehensive earnings (loss) and are only recognized in earnings when the hedged item is realized. Any ineffectiveness in the hedging relationship is recognized in earnings immediately.

The fair value of the interest rate swap as at September 6, 2009 is \$513,000 unfavourable and the change in fair value is recorded in other comprehensive earnings (loss), net of tax and the Fund's equity interest.

A general security agreement over the assets of Trade Marks was provided as security for the demand operating loan facility and term loan. TMLP has provided its guarantee in favour of the Bank of all of the indebtedness, covenants and obligations of Trade Marks to the Bank.

The A&W notes, issued by Trade Marks and held by the Fund, amount to \$83,399,000, bear interest at 10.75% per annum and mature on February 15, 2034. Interest only is payable monthly in arrears.

The liabilities of Trade Marks, including the A&W notes payable to the Fund, the operating facility and the term loan, are obligations of Trade Marks, not Food Services.

Trade Marks has no other contractual or purchase obligations except as described under the section Related Party Transactions and Balances. Trade Marks does not have any capital expenditures; its operating and administrative expenses are expected to be stable and reasonably predictable and are considered to be in the ordinary course of business.

Payments due by period (dollars in thousands)	Total	Less than 1 year	1 – 3 years	4 – 5 years	After 5 years
Term loan	\$10,000	\$0	\$10,000	\$0	\$0
A&W notes payable	\$83,399	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$83,399

Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements

Food Services and Trade Marks have no off-balance sheet arrangements.

Related Party Transactions and Balances

Trade Marks' interest expense on the A&W notes for the year to date was \$6,116,000 (2008 - \$6,149,000), of which \$909,000 (December 28, 2008 - \$759,000) is payable to the Fund by Trade Marks at September 6, 2009 and is included in accounts payable and accrued liabilities. Interest expense on the A&W notes for the quarter was \$2,063,000 (2008 - \$2,057,000).

Included in accounts receivable is \$66,000 (December 28, 2008 - \$36,000) due to Trade Marks by the Fund without interest and on demand.

Trade Marks has entered into an administration agreement with the Fund whereby Trade Marks, at its expense, will provide or arrange for the provision of services required in the administration of the Fund. Trade Marks has arranged for management, administrative and accounting services to be provided by Food Services at no cost until 2011.

During the year to date, Food Services contracted with Air 700 Ltd. for rental of a private plane and crew for business travel. A shareholder, director and officer of Food Services who is also a director of Trade Marks, and a director of Trade Marks are shareholders of Air 700 Ltd. The cost of the services provided under the contract during the year to date totalled \$126,000 (2008 - \$156,000) and was negotiated on normal commercial terms. At September 6, 2009, \$nil (December 28, 2008 - \$nil) is payable to Air 700 Ltd. by Food Services. The cost of services provided during the quarter was \$46,000 (2008 - \$nil).

During the year to date, Trade Marks declared dividends on its voting common shares of \$3,300,000 (2008 - \$3,221,000), of which \$1,930,000 (2008 - \$1,929,000) was earned by the Fund and \$1,370,000 (2008 - \$1,292,000) was earned by Food Services. The August 2009 dividend of \$234,000 was declared on September 2, 2009 and paid on September 30, 2009, and the Fund's share of \$137,000 (December 28, 2008 - \$nil) is reported as a current liability at September 6, 2009. During the quarter, Trade Marks declared common share dividends totaling \$703,000 (2008 - \$686,000).

Other related party transactions and balances are referred to elsewhere in this report. Related party transactions and balances that were eliminated upon the consolidation of Food Services and Trade Marks are as follows:

- during the year to date, royalty income of \$14,905,000 (2008 - \$14,323,000) was earned by Trade Marks from Food Services, of which \$1,821,000 (December 28, 2008 - \$1,890,000) is payable by Food Services to Trade Marks at September 6, 2009. Royalty income earned during the quarter was \$5,408,000 (2008 - \$5,257,000).
- during the year to date, dividends of \$4,346,000 (2008 - \$4,117,000) were accrued by Trade Marks on its Class A and Class B preferred shares held by Food Services, of which \$4,248,000 (2008 - \$4,002,000) was declared payable by Trade Marks to Food Services. The August 2009 dividends of \$531,000 which were declared on September 2, 2009 and paid to Food Services on

September 30, 2009 are a current liability of Food Services as at September 6, 2009 (December 28, 2008 - \$503,000). Dividends accrued but not yet declared total \$98,000 (December 28, 2008 - \$nil). Dividends accrued during the quarter were \$1,466,000 (2008 - \$1,378,000) and dividends declared during the quarter were \$1,593,000 (2008 - \$1,501,000).

- during the year to date, partnership distributions of \$11,810,000 were declared and paid to Trade Marks and Food Services by TMLP. Partnership distributions declared and paid during the quarter totalled \$5,296,000.
- as at September 6, 2009, \$43,000 (December 28, 2008 - \$43,000) is due to Food Services by TMLP without interest and on demand.
- during the year to date, Trade Marks issued to Food Services 308,419 Class B shares valued at \$2,989,000 and 308,419 voting common shares valued at \$524,000 as initial consideration for the January 5, 2009 expansion of the Royalty Pool.

Critical Accounting Estimates

The intangible assets consist of the A&W trade-marks and are recorded at their historical book value. Management tests the intangible assets annually for impairment or more frequently if events or changes in circumstances indicate that the assets might be impaired. The impairment test compares the carrying amount of the intangible asset with its fair value, and an impairment loss is recognized in income for the excess, if any. Management believes that there has been no impairment of the intangible assets during the period ended September 6, 2009.

Risks and Uncertainties

The success of Food Services is dependent on the ability of Food Services to (i) grow same store sales, (ii) maintain and grow the current system of franchises, (iii) locate new retail sites in prime locations and (iv) obtain qualified operators to become A&W franchisees. Sales are subject to a number of factors that affect the restaurant industry generally and the quick service segment of this industry in particular, including the highly competitive nature of the industry, traffic patterns, demographic considerations, and the type, number and proximity of competing quick service restaurants. Any significant event that adversely affects consumption of hamburgers, chicken, fries and soft drinks, such as increased food and labour costs, changing tastes or health concerns, publicity from any food borne illness, the availability of experienced management and hourly employees, and government regulations concerning smoking bans, menu labelling, drive-thru restrictions and elimination of trans fats, could adversely impact the sales of A&W restaurants. Economic conditions, unemployment, changes in disposable consumer income, and an H1N1 influenza outbreak, could adversely impact consumer visits to restaurants, and consequently, sales in A&W restaurants. The announcement of harmonization of GST with provincial sales taxes in British Columbia and Ontario in 2010 will effectively add a new tax on restaurant meals in those provinces and, while not announced, the potential future harmonization in Saskatchewan would also effectively add a new tax on restaurant meals in Saskatchewan. These harmonizations of GST and PST are expected to adversely affect sales in the restaurant industry in general and the sales in A&W restaurants.

Food Services competes with other companies, including other well-capitalized

franchisors with extensive financial, technological, marketing and personnel resources and high brand name recognition and awareness. There can be no assurance that Food Services will be able to respond to various competitive factors affecting the franchise operations of Food Services in the quick service restaurant industry.

Food Services faces competition for retail locations and franchisees from its competitors and from franchisors of other businesses. Food Services' inability to successfully obtain qualified franchisees could adversely affect its business development. The opening and success of franchised restaurants is dependent on a number of factors, including availability of suitable sites, negotiations of acceptable lease or purchase terms for new locations, permits and government regulatory compliance, availability of financing and the ability to meet construction schedules. A&W franchisees may not have all these business abilities or access to financial resources necessary to open an A&W restaurant or to successfully develop or operate an A&W restaurant in their franchise areas in a manner consistent with Food Services' standards.

Food Services and A&W franchisees may be the subject of complaints or litigation from guests alleging food-related illnesses, injuries suffered on the premises or other food quality, health or operational concerns. Adverse publicity resulting from such allegations may materially affect the sales of A&W restaurants, regardless of whether such allegations are true or whether Food Services or an A&W franchisee is ultimately held liable.

Outlook

A&W's strategy is focused on its mission to "together make A&W the number one national burger choice for baby boomers and the fastest growing and most successful burger businesses in Canada". A&W's strategic initiatives include differentiating the A&W brand through successful advertising and marketing campaigns, menu innovation, facilities design and expanding to serve customers in new markets. Further information on these initiatives is contained in the Fund's Management Discussion and Analysis for the quarter ended September 6, 2009.

Subsequent Events

On October 1, 2009, Trade Marks declared dividends on its Class A and Class B preferred shares of \$531,000 payable to Food Services on October 30, 2009 and a dividend on voting common shares of \$234,000, payable to Food Services and the Fund on October 30, 2009.

FORWARD LOOKING INFORMATION

Certain statements in this report contain forward-looking information within the meaning of applicable securities laws in Canada (forward-looking information). The words "anticipates", "believes", "budgets", "could", "estimates", "expects", "forecasts", "intends", "may", "might", "plans", "projects", "schedule", "should", "will", "would" and similar expressions are often intended to identify forward-looking information, although not all forward-looking information contains these identifying words.

The forward-looking information in this report includes, but is not limited to: Food Services' Mission and strategy to focus on becoming "the number one national burger choice for baby boomers and the fastest growing and most successful burger businesses in Canada", Food Services expects to have sufficient capital resources to fund the expansion of corporate restaurants; Trade Marks expects to have

sufficient financial resources to fund its working capital requirements and to meet its cash flow needs including ongoing common share dividends; Food Services' plans to differentiate the A&W brand through advertising and marketing campaigns, menu innovation, facilities design and expanding to serve customers in new markets; and Food Services' plans to pursue new restaurant development in 2009.

The forecasts and projections that make up the forward-looking information are based on assumptions which include, but are not limited to: the general risks that affect the restaurant industry will not arise; no changes in competition; no increases in food and labour costs; no changes in consumer taste or health concerns; no publicity from any food borne illness; no changes in economic conditions; no changes in availability of experienced management and hourly employees; no changes in government regulations concerning smoking bans, menu labeling and disclosure, drive-thru restrictions and elimination of trans fats; the continued availability of quality raw materials; continued additional franchise sales and maintenance of franchise operations; no closures of A&W restaurants that materially affect the amount of the Royalty; franchisees duly pay franchise fees and other amounts; no new or increased or harmonization of sales taxes; continued availability of key personnel; continued ability to preserve intellectual property; Food Services is able to grow same store sales; Food Services is able to maintain and grow the current system of franchises; Food Services is able to locate new retail sites in prime locations; Food Services is able to obtain qualified operators to become A&W franchisees; no litigation alleging food-related illness, injuries suffered on the premises or other food quality, health or operations concerns or other complaints; Food Services continues to pay the Royalty; Trade Marks continues to pay its obligations under the A&W Notes and pay dividends on the common shares; Trade Marks can continue to comply with its obligations under its credit arrangements; and, Trade Marks' performance does not fluctuate such that cash distributions are affected.

The forward-looking information is subject to risks, uncertainties and other factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from the results anticipated by the forward-looking information. The factors which could cause results to differ from current expectations include, but are not limited to: general risks that affect the restaurant industry; competition; increases in food and labour costs; changes in consumer taste or health concerns; publicity from any food-borne illness; changes in economic conditions; changes in availability of experienced management and hourly employees; changes in government regulations concerning smoking bans, menu labeling and disclosure, drive-thru restrictions and elimination of trans fats; availability and quality of raw materials; dependence on additional franchise sales and franchise operations; the closure of A&W restaurants may affect the amount of the Royalty; dependence on A&W franchisees' ability to pay franchise fees and other amounts; the impact of new or increased or harmonization of sales taxes upon gross sales; dependence on key personnel; dependence on intellectual property; Food Services' ability to grow same store sales; Food Services' ability to maintain and grow the current system of franchises; Food Services' ability to locate new retail sites in prime locations; Food Services' ability to obtain qualified operators to become A&W franchisees; litigation alleging food-related illness, injuries suffered on the premises or other food quality, health or operations concerns or other complaints; dependence of the Fund on Trade Marks and Food Services; dependence of Trade Marks on Food Services; risks related to leverage and restrictive covenants; the risk that cash distributions are not guaranteed and will fluctuate with Trade Marks' performance; risks relating to the nature of units; risks relating to the distribution of securities on redemption or termination of the Fund; the Fund may issue additional units diluting existing unitholders' interests; changes in investment eligibility and penalties for foreign property; and proposed changes to the Canadian federal income tax treatment of publicly listed trusts and other income tax matters, all as more particularly described in this report under the heading "Risks and Uncertainties".

All forward-looking information in this report is qualified in its entirety by this cautionary statement and, except as required by law, Food Services undertakes no obligation to revise or update any forward-looking information as a result of new information, future events or otherwise after the date hereof.

A&W Food Services of Canada Inc. Consolidated Financial Statements

For the third quarter ended September 6, 2009

Consolidated Balance Sheets

Unaudited
(in thousands of dollars)

	September 6 2009	December 28 2008
Assets		
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 13,791	\$ 9,183
Accounts receivable	8,717	12,514
Inventories	743	1,246
Prepaid expenses	229	103
Future income taxes	-	372
	23,480	23,418
Intangible assets	83,181	82,826
Future income taxes	521	1,148
Property, plant and equipment	4,717	3,097
Notes receivable	119	130
	\$ 112,018	\$ 110,619
Liabilities		
Current liabilities		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 14,080	\$ 17,394
Deposits on franchise and equipment sales	1,903	1,011
Income taxes payable	211	245
Future income taxes	675	-
	16,869	18,650
Net liabilities due to A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund (note 3)	75,736	76,073
Term loan (note 4)	10,500	10,684
Long-term liabilities	7,442	7,228
Obligations under capital leases	420	567
Non-controlling interest	435	91
	111,402	113,293
Shareholders' Equity		
Capital stock	10,500	10,500
Deficit	(9,711)	(12,946)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss	(173)	(228)
	616	(2,674)
	\$ 112,018	\$ 110,619

Subsequent event (note 7)

These unaudited interim consolidated financial statements of the company have been prepared by and are the responsibility of the company's management. As the company is a private entity, the company's auditor has not performed a review of these financial statements.

See accompanying notes to these financial statements.

Consolidated Statements of Earnings and Deficit

Unaudited

(in thousands of dollars)

	12 Week Period Ended Sep 6, 2009	12 Week Period Ended Sep 7, 2008	36 Week Period Ended Sep 6, 2009	36 Week Period Ended Sep 7, 2008
Revenue				
Franchising	\$ 16,447	\$ 14,530	\$ 42,600	\$ 38,102
Corporate restaurants	2,497	2,404	7,174	7,400
	18,944	16,934	49,774	45,502
Direct costs and administrative expenses	11,443	9,874	32,106	29,021
Earnings before the following:	7,501	7,060	17,668	16,481
Interest expense (note 6)	2,200	2,138	6,513	6,392
Amortization of property, plant and equipment	159	185	493	482
Earnings before income taxes and non-controlling interests	5,142	4,737	10,662	9,607
Provision for income taxes				
Current	581	475	806	733
Future income taxes	629	632	1,581	1,485
	1,210	1,107	2,387	2,218
Earnings for the period before non-controlling interests	3,932	3,630	8,275	7,389
Non-controlling interest in A&W Root Beer Beverages of Canada Inc.	(122)	(146)	(344)	(377)
A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund's interest in earnings of A&W Trade Marks Inc.	(635)	(637)	(1,196)	(1,133)
Net earnings for the period	3,175	2,847	6,735	5,879
Deficit - beginning of period	(12,886)	(14,743)	(12,946)	(14,775)
Dividends declared	-	-	(3,500)	(3,000)
Deficit - end of period	\$ (9,711)	\$ (11,896)	\$ (9,711)	\$ (11,896)

See accompanying notes to these financial statements.

Consolidated Statements of Accumulated Other Comprehensive Loss

Unaudited
(in thousands of dollars)

	12 Week Period Ended Sep 6, 2009	12 Week Period Ended Sep 7, 2008	36 Week Period Ended Sep 6, 2009	36 Week Period Ended Sep 7, 2008
Accumulated other comprehensive loss - beginning of period	\$ (191)	\$ (46)	\$ (228)	\$ -
Other comprehensive income (loss)				
Change in fair value of the interest rate swap, net of income taxes	45	(137)	150	(252)
A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund's interest in other comprehensive (income) loss of A&W Trade Marks Inc.	(27)	82	(95)	151
	18	(55)	55	(101)
Accumulated other comprehensive loss - end of period	\$ (173)	\$ (101)	\$ (173)	\$ (101)

Consolidated Statements of Comprehensive Earnings

Unaudited
(in thousands of dollars)

	12 Week Period Ended Sep 6, 2009	12 Week Period Ended Sep 7, 2008	36 Week Period Ended Sep 6, 2009	36 Week Period Ended Sep 7, 2008
Net earnings for the period	\$ 3,175	\$ 2,847	\$ 6,735	\$ 5,879
Change in fair value of the interest rate swap, net of income taxes	45	(137)	150	(252)
A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund's interest in other comprehensive (income) loss of A&W Trade Marks Inc.	(27)	82	(95)	151
	18	(55)	55	(101)
Comprehensive earnings for the period	\$ 3,193	\$ 2,792	\$ 6,790	\$ 5,778

See accompanying notes to these financial statements.

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows

Unaudited

(in thousands of dollars)

	12 Week Period Ended Sep 6, 2009	12 Week Period Ended Sep 7, 2008	36 Week Period Ended Sep 6, 2009	36 Week Period Ended Sep 7, 2008
Cash flows from operating activities				
Net earnings for the period	\$ 3,175	\$ 2,847	\$ 6,735	\$ 5,879
Items not affecting cash				
Amortization of deferred financing fees	2	3	6	9
Amortization of property, plant and equipment	159	185	493	482
Future income taxes	629	632	1,581	1,485
Gain on disposal of property, plant and equipment	-	(3)	(1)	(9)
Increase (decrease) in long-term liabilities	49	(40)	214	169
Decrease in obligation under capital lease	(52)	(66)	(169)	(85)
Non-controlling interest in A&W Root Beer Beverages of Canada Inc.	122	146	344	377
A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund's interest in earnings of A&W Trade Marks Inc.	635	637	1,196	1,133
	4,719	4,341	10,399	9,440
Net changes in non-cash working capital	2,186	1,894	1,573	(1,565)
	6,905	6,235	11,972	7,875
Cash flows from investing activities				
Decrease in notes receivable	7	8	11	34
Purchase of property, plant and equipment	(740)	(68)	(2,085)	(224)
Proceeds from disposal of property, plant and equipment	-	3	3	9
	(733)	(57)	(2,071)	(181)
Cash flows from financing activities				
Dividends paid to shareholder	-	(3,000)	(3,500)	(3,000)
Dividends paid to A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund	(411)	(410)	(1,793)	(1,928)
Financing fees paid	-	(1)	-	(26)
	(411)	(3,411)	(5,293)	(4,954)
Increase in cash and cash equivalents	5,761	2,767	4,608	2,740
Cash and cash equivalents - beginning of period	8,030	7,304	9,183	7,331
Cash and cash equivalents - end of period	\$ 13,791	\$ 10,071	\$ 13,791	\$ 10,071
Supplementary cash flow information				
Net interest paid	\$ (2,398)	\$ (2,350)	\$ (6,304)	\$ (6,182)
Net income taxes paid	\$ (214)	\$ 420	\$ (840)	\$ (42)
Non-cash investing activities				
Non-cash acquisition of assets through capital leases	\$ -	\$ (563)	\$ (30)	\$ (765)

See accompanying notes to these financial statements.

A&W Food Services of Canada Inc.

Notes to the Interim Consolidated Financial Statements

For the third quarter ended September 6, 2009

Unaudited

(figures in tables are expressed in thousands of dollars)

1. Nature of operations and basis of presentation

Nature of operations

A&W Food Services of Canada Inc. (Food Services) is in the business of developing and franchising quick service restaurants in Canada.

Basis of presentation

Food Services prepares its interim unaudited consolidated financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles (GAAP) and has applied the accounting policies described in its annual audited consolidated financial statements except as noted below. These interim unaudited consolidated financial statements do not include all of the disclosure requirements of GAAP for annual financial statements.

These interim unaudited consolidated financial statements include the accounts of Food Services, its 60% owned subsidiary, A&W Root Beer Beverages of Canada Inc. (Beverages) and its 41.5% ownership interest in A&W Trade Marks Inc. (Trade Marks), a “variable interest entity” in which Food Services is the “primary beneficiary” as these terms are defined in the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants’ Accounting Guideline AcG-15 “Consolidation of Variable Interest Entities”. Additionally, these interim unaudited consolidated financial statements include the accounts of Trade Marks’ subsidiary A&W Trade Marks Limited Partnership (TMLP). The non-controlling interests comprise the common equity of Beverages held by Unilever Canada Inc. and the common equity of Trade Marks held by the A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund (the Fund).

These interim unaudited consolidated financial statements should be read in conjunction with the annual audited consolidated financial statements of Food Services for the year ended December 28, 2008.

Fiscal year

Food Services uses a fiscal year comprising a 52 or 53 week period ending on the Sunday nearest December 31, therefore Food Services’ 2008 fiscal year ended December 28, 2008 (2007 – December 30, 2007). Food Services’ third quarter ends 36 weeks after its fiscal year end.

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1. Nature of operations and basis of presentation (con'd)

Adoption of new accounting standards

On December 29, 2008, Food Services adopted CICA Handbook Section 3064 “Goodwill and Intangible Assets” which replaces CICA Handbook Section 3062 “Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets” and establishes revised standards for the recognition, measurement, presentation and disclosure of goodwill and intangible assets. Concurrently, Emerging Issues Committee abstract 27 “Revenues and Expenses During the Pre-Operating Period” has been withdrawn which results in these costs being expensed as incurred. The adoption of this new standard had no impact on Food Services’ financial results.

International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS)

In 2006, the Canadian Accounting Standards Board (AcSB) published a new strategic plan that will significantly affect financial reporting requirements for Canadian companies. The AcSB strategic plan outlines the convergence of Canadian GAAP with IFRS over an expected five-year transitional period. In February 2008, the AcSB announced that January 1, 2011 is the transition date for publicly reported companies to adopt IFRS. The transition date of January 1, 2011 will require the restatement for comparative purposes of amounts reported by Food Services for its year ended January 2, 2011.

Food Services has commenced the process to transition from current Canadian GAAP to IFRS. A third party consultant was engaged to carry out a diagnostic review which included the determination, at a high level, of the financial reporting differences under IFRS and the key areas that may be impacted. Food Services is assessing the impact of the conversion on information technology and systems, financial reporting, internal controls over financial reporting and disclosure controls.

Food Services anticipates that there will be changes in accounting policies and that these changes may materially impact the financial statements.

The International Accounting Standard Board currently has projects underway that are expected to result in new pronouncements and as a result, IFRS as at the transition date is expected to differ from its current form.

2. Seasonality

Food Services’ revenue is subject to variances due to the seasonality of sales in the quick service restaurant industry. In freestanding restaurants, weather impacts sales. In shopping centres, sales fluctuate due to higher traffic during back to school and Christmas shopping seasons.

3. Net liabilities due to A&W Revenue Royalties Income Fund

The Class A and Class B preferred shares of Trade Marks are owned by Food Services and the voting common shares of Trade Marks are owned by Food Services and the Fund. As a result, the Fund has an equity interest in Trade Marks. The issued and outstanding voting common shares of Trade Marks are as follows:

	The Fund		Food Services		Total
	#	%	#	%	#
February 15, 2002	8,340,000	75.0%	2,780,000	25.0%	11,120,000
Adjustments:					
January 5, 2003		-2.9%	452,469	2.9%	452,469
January 5, 2004		-3.0%	495,681	3.0%	495,681
January 5, 2005		-2.8%	511,337	2.8%	511,337
January 5, 2006		-2.8%	558,993	2.8%	558,993
December 31, 2006		-1.6%	335,456	1.6%	335,456
January 5, 2008		-2.1%	484,051	2.1%	484,051
January 5, 2009		-1.3%	308,419	1.3%	308,419
	8,340,000	58.5%	5,926,406	41.5%	14,266,406

The net liabilities due to the Fund by Trade Marks are comprised of:

	September 6, 2009	December 28, 2008
A&W notes payable	\$83,399	\$83,399
The Fund's equity interest in A&W Trade Marks Inc.	(7,663)	(7,326)
	\$75,736	\$76,073

The A&W notes, issued by Trade Marks and held by the Fund, amount to \$83,399,000, bear interest at 10.75% per annum and mature on February 15, 2034. Interest only is payable monthly in arrears.

The A&W notes are unsecured debt obligations of Trade Marks and are subordinated to all other indebtedness and liabilities of Trade Marks.

4. Term loan and operating bank line of credit

Food Services has a demand operating facility with HSBC Bank Canada (the Bank) of up to \$5,000,000 to fund working capital requirements and for general corporate purposes. The operating loan bears interest at the bank prime rate plus 0.5% and is repayable on demand. As at September 6, 2009, the full amount of the facility was available. Food Services' operating facility is secured by the Class A shares and 2,780,000 voting common shares of Trade Marks owned by Food Services.

Trade Marks has a demand operating loan facility with the Bank of up to \$2,000,000 to fund working capital requirements and for general corporate purposes. The operating loan bears interest at the bank prime rate plus 0.5%

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4. Term loan and operating bank line of credit (con'd)

and is repayable on demand. As at September 6, 2009, the full amount of the facility was available.

Trade Marks has a term loan in the amount of \$10,000,000 with the Bank. The term loan is repayable on February 18, 2011 and bears interest at bank prime rate plus between 0% and 0.5% depending on specified financial ratios of Trade Marks. Interest only is payable monthly, provided that 12 month trailing earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA) at any time are not less than \$10,000,000. In the event that EBITDA is less than \$10,000,000, the term loan will be fully amortized over the remaining term and repayment will be by way of blended monthly instalments of principal and interest.

Trade Marks uses an interest rate swap agreement to manage risks from fluctuations in interest rates. As a result, the term loan bears interest at 5.82% per annum, of which 4.42% is fixed under an interest rate swap agreement which matures February 18, 2011, and 1.40% is subject to annual review by the Bank. The interest rate swap agreement is considered to be a cash flow hedge; as a result, changes in the fair value, to the extent it is an effective hedge, are recorded in other comprehensive income (loss) and are only recognized in earnings when the hedged item is realized. Any ineffectiveness in the hedging relationship is recognized in earnings immediately.

The fair value of the interest rate swap as at September 6, 2009 is \$513,000 unfavourable, and the change in fair value is recorded in other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax and the Fund's equity interest.

Trade Marks' term loan is comprised of:

	September 6, 2009	December 28, 2008
Term loan	\$10,000	\$10,000
Deferred financing fees	(13)	(19)
Fair value of the interest rate swap	513	703
	<u>\$10,500</u>	<u>\$10,684</u>

A general security agreement over the assets of Trade Marks and a guarantee from TMLP have been provided as security for Trade Marks' demand operating loan facility and term loan.

5. Related party transactions and balances

Trade Marks' interest expense on the A&W notes for the year to date was \$6,116,000 (2008 - \$6,149,000), of which \$909,000 (December 28, 2008 - \$759,000) is payable to the Fund at September 6, 2009 and is included in

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5. *Related party transactions and balances (con'd)*

accounts payable and accrued liabilities. Interest expense on the A&W notes for the quarter was \$2,063,000 (2008 - \$2,057,000).

Included in accounts receivable is \$66,000 (December 28, 2008 - \$36,000) due from the Fund without interest and due on demand.

Trade Marks has entered into an administration agreement with the Fund whereby Trade Marks, at its expense, provides or arranges for the provision of services required in the administration of the Fund. In turn, Trade Marks has arranged for certain of these services to be provided by Food Services at no cost until 2011.

During the year to date, Food Services contracted with Air 700 Ltd. for rental of a private plane and crew for business travel. A shareholder, director and officer of Food Services who is also a director of Trade Marks, and a director of Trade Marks are shareholders of Air 700 Ltd. The cost of the services provided under the contract during the year to date totalled \$126,000 (2008 - \$156,000) and was negotiated on normal commercial terms. At September 6, 2009, \$nil (December 28, 2008 - \$nil) is payable to Air 700 Ltd. by Food Services. The cost of services provided during the quarter was \$46,000 (2008 - \$nil).

During the year to date, Trade Marks declared dividends on its voting common shares totaling \$3,300,000 (2008 - \$3,221,000) of which \$1,930,000 (2008 - \$1,929,000) was earned by the Fund and \$1,370,000 (2008 - \$1,292,000) was earned by Food Services. The August 2009 dividend of \$234,000 was paid on September 30, 2009, and the Fund's share of \$137,000 is reported as a current liability at September 6, 2009. During the quarter, Trade Marks declared common share dividends totaling \$703,000 (2008 - \$686,000).

6. Interest expense

	12 Week Period Ended Sep 6, 2009	12 Week Period Ended Sep 7, 2008	36 Week Period Ended Sep 6, 2009	36 Week Period Ended Sep 7, 2008
Interest				
Interest expense (income)	\$ 1	\$ (56)	\$ (6)	\$ (166)
Term loan	134	134	397	400
A&W notes payable	2,063	2,057	6,116	6,149
Amortization of deferred financing fees	2	3	6	9
	\$ 2,200	\$ 2,138	\$ 6,513	\$ 6,392

7. Subsequent event

On October 1, 2009, Trade Marks declared a dividend on its voting common shares of \$234,000, payable to Food Services and the Fund on October 30, 2009.





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