Half Year Report

2021





Front cover photo by Wendy Clarke of Wigram residents Grahame Wright and Lynley Clarke Artist's impression of St Johns, Auckland -



OUR RESIDENTS

Bringing the best of life to our residents every day resulting in high levels of resident satisfaction





OUR ENVIRONMENT Everyday we focus on: Minimising waste Increasing energy efficiency Being more sustainable





OUR PEOPLE

People are the heart of Summerset. Our values are: **Strong enough to care One team Strive to be the best**



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Chair and CEO's report



Mark Verbiest Chair



Scott Scoullar Chief Executive Officer

Welcome to Summerset's half year report for the period ended 30 June 2021. The last six months have seen Summerset continue to grow and mature against a backdrop still dominated by COVID-19, as we have seen over the last week with the emergence of the Delta variant in New Zealand. We have moved quickly to keep our residents and staff safe by restricting entry to our villages. Protective measures such as having care staff in masks and working in cohorts were already in place when the first new community case was announced. We have been here before, and are well placed to look after our residents' health and wellbeing once again.

This report is our first as the new Chair and Chief Executive of Summerset. However, the direction and purpose of Summerset remains the same – providing high-quality retirement living underpinned by care and respect for the people who live here.

Our performance

We are pleased to report an underlying profit of \$75.5 million for the six months ended 30 June 2021, up 68% on the same period last year when New Zealand went into a COVID-19 nationwide lockdown. Our IFRS net profit after tax was \$263.8 million for the same period.

We have had a number of achievements over the half year, particularly on the sales and construction side of the business. In the first six months of 2021 we had the highest half year of trading the company has ever seen. Sales were buoyed by our new villages in Te Awa (Napier), Bell Block (New Plymouth) and Richmond (Nelson/ Tasman) and we are continuing to see strong demand for our brand of retirement living. The inquiries database for our soon-to-open Whangārei (Northland) village has climbed to more than 700 people to date and nearly 60% of villas in developing villages nationwide are already pre-sold.

In a new record for Summerset, we built 347 new units (321 under ORA¹ and 26 care beds) in the six months to 30 June.

We welcomed more than 400 new residents into our vibrant communities around New Zealand. To meet demand, we will lift our build rate for this year from between 500-550 units under ORA to 550-600 units under ORA, plus 52 care beds. More than half our new units for sale in the second half of 2021 are serviced apartments, memory care apartments and care suites, which typically take longer to sell in comparison to villas and apartments as they are needs based.

The Board has declared an interim dividend of 9.9 cents per share payable on 20 September 2021. This reflects a 30% pay-out of underlying profit.

1 Units under ORA are retirement units, memory care apartments and care suites. An ORA is an Occupation Right Agreement, the agreement under which residents occupy their unit. We have previously only reported delivery of units under ORA. In future, we are reporting all unit deliveries, which includes units under ORA and care beds.



Our villages

Through the first half of the year we were busy completing the \$54 million 10,000m² main building at Summerset Richmond Ranges (Nelson/Tasman). The building provides more than 115 new homes to retirees in the area, including serviced apartments and a modern care centre for people requiring rest-home or hospital level care.

In addition, the main building contains a state-of-the-art specialist memory care centre for people living with dementia. As the New Zealand population ages, dementia numbers are forecast to triple by 2050.

The main building is also home to many resident facilities including a swimming pool, café, bar, and lounges. Opening day is always greeted with excitement by village residents. We look forward to opening Avonhead's main building in September.

These are investments in the wellbeing and enjoyment of retirees in New Zealand. While there has been plenty of discussion on the retirement village sector since the Retirement Commissioner's report on our governing legislation was issued in June, we will continue to focus on delivering our services well and ensuring we have clear and fair contracts with prospective and current residents. We are proud to contribute to the supply of much needed housing in New Zealand and to provide care and memory care facilities to many older New Zealanders.

In August 2021 we purchased a second site in Palmerston North, on the semi-rural edge of the

developing suburb of Kelvin Grove. This will complement our popular Summerhill village on the southern side of the city. Having purchased 12 new pieces of land in New Zealand since January 2018, we have focused on gaining resource consent and starting construction on our pipeline of sites this year. We currently have construction teams working on 13 sites, with resource consent for 56% of the units in our pipeline. We expect to deliver about 12% of our pipeline units in FY21.

Australia

In August we confirmed our fourth Melbourne property purchase, in the northern suburb of Craigieburn. Craigieburn is a high growth area of Melbourne with few high quality retirement options currently available. We had previously announced the purchase of a property in the mature suburb of Chirnside Park in Melbourne in March, adding to our sites at Cranbourne North and Torquay. We continue to look for suitable sites around Victoria to complement these four properties. Victoria's residential property values have rebounded since the initial decline from the impacts of COVID-19, and current values are now in excess of those seen prior to the COVID-19 pandemic.

We are in the final stages of obtaining the planning permit for our first Australian retirement village in Cranbourne North and are eager to get underway with construction. The delay has been longer than desired but we are still very confident of a positive outcome. We look forward to offering Australians the same continuum of care model as has proved popular in New Zealand – allowing people to live independently in our retirement villages and then move into either a serviced apartment or our care centre as their needs change.

We have watched the Australian Royal Commission into Aged Care Quality and Safety unfold over the last two years and are supportive of the final recommendations made to improve their aged care system, including new legislation, increased investment and strengthened governance.

We believe the quality of care we will provide in our Australian villages will prove a positive point of differentiation for us.

New Zealand development pipeline

In New Zealand, we received resource consent for our Prebbleton (Canterbury) site in March and have started earthworks there. We submitted a fast-tracked resource consent application for our Waikanae (Kāpiti Coast) village in May. This means an independent expert panel will determine the resource consent and conditions following discussions with interested parties. Public hearings for our proposed Parnell village finished in May. The Auckland Council's decision to grant resource consent was appealed to the Environment Court.

Earthworks have started at our longawaited Lower Hutt site, marked with a dawn blessing from local iwi Te Rūnanganui o Te Āti Awa in May. We have made good progress at our St Johns site in Auckland, finishing the first stage of civils onsite. St Johns will be our first apartmentonly village and is situated to take advantage of views out to Rangitoto.



Progress at our Whangārei village is ahead of schedule with show homes completed at the end of June.

We finished the last apartment building in our Ellerslie village and opened the first of two apartment buildings at our Kenepuru village in February.

In May, our construction design team was honoured to win gold at the NZ Commercial Project Awards for the restoration of Clark Cottage.

This historic Italianate villa is located on the grounds of Summerset at Monterey Park in Hobsonville. Clark Cottage is a beautiful facility that residents use for high tea and communal gatherings.

Our people and community

2021 has been hailed 'the year of the vaccine', and our first aged care residents received their initial dose of the COVID-19 vaccine at Summerset on the Coast in Paraparaumu in April. The District Health Board-run vaccination programme has been ably supported by our care teams in villages, and we look forward to all our residents and staff being offered immunisation by the end of the year.

To date, over 80% of both our aged care residents and care staff have been fully vaccinated, receiving both doses of the Pfizer vaccine. The flu immunisation programme started later in the year as COVID-19 vaccinations were prioritised but 75% of aged care residents had been vaccinated by mid-July.

Performance in our care business continued to track well, with occupancy for the first six months of the year at 97% in our developed villages. We welcomed our new Chief Financial Officer, Will Wright, to Summerset in July from Fletcher Building where he was the Chief Financial Officer of their Building Products division and prior to that, Chief Financial Officer of their residential and land development section.

We have started trialling new technology with our residents to allow them to video-chat, message, book activities and see village news on a Summerset-provided tablet.

This new technology has been of huge benefit during the current lockdown with residents in the trial enjoying a piano concert in their home via the tablet. Looking after our residents' wellbeing in lockdown is a vital part of our service to them.

Our falls prevention accredited fitness programme has been introduced to a further three villages, with regular positive feedback from residents. The fitness programme was specifically designed for Summerset by an experienced personal trainer to increase strength and stability for older people. All classes are run by registered fitness professionals.

We also launched new dance therapy classes in four villages. Hosted by dance students they provide physical and mental health benefits for residents.

We are busy bringing the best of life to our residents whether that's welcoming their pets to livein, supporting the installation of vegetable beds and beehives, or introducing new classes to keep residents energised and entertained.

We have also been working on recognising and promoting diversity and inclusion across our business, surveying and interviewing staff about their views to feed into our first diversity and inclusion strategy, due out later in 2021.

We have recently put our support behind a colourful fundraiser for Auckland's Hauraki Gulf marine life, signing up to sponsor a whale tail sculpture, which will be sited outside our Hobsonville villages as part of the Whale Tales 2022 public art trail. Our sponsorship will also provide our residents with a smaller tail to paint with help from a professional artist.

We renewed our sponsorship of Bowls New Zealand for a further three years, playing our part in supporting a sport many of our residents enjoy.

Summerset supports more than 100 community groups in regions where we have retirement villages.

These range from sports groups to health-related charities or amenities used by our residents A total of 1,368 staff received free Summerset shares this year, and about 650 staff now own shares outright following a threeyear vesting period. The annual staff share scheme is offered to all permanent staff. We have been delighted that staff who have been in the scheme since it began in 2016 now own shares valued at over \$5,500. This year we increased the value of shares issued to each participant from \$800 to \$1,000. It is another way we say thank you to our hard-working staff.

Our commitment to sustainability

As the need to decarbonise our world increases, so have Summerset's ambitions for the sustainability of our business.

We remain carbonzero certified, recording a 31% reduction in carbon emissions intensity since 2017.

As a member of the Climate Leaders Coalition, a group of New Zealand's largest businesses working towards carbon neutrality, we have introduced a sciencealigned target this year to reduce our carbon emission intensity by 62% across our portfolio by 2032. This presents us with an ambitious challenge to work towards on several fronts.

It will mean changing our building design and materials; our heating and insulation solutions, the disposal of our construction waste, how we work with suppliers; and introducing more renewable energy. We are currently reviewing the design standards for our main buildings to reduce embodied emissions through smarter design techniques and new building materials.

Construction waste to landfill is decreasing year on year, most notably in metropolitan areas which have more recycling and diversion facilities. We have set a 2021 target to increase validated construction waste diverted from landfill to 75% – a target which will grow each year.

After careful research, we have a replacement for gas, given a Climate Change Commission recommendation that new gas connections be discontinued from 2025. An environmentally friendly wood pellet boiler will be used to heat our St Johns village main building once it opens in 2026.

Taking a stand against modern slavery practices is another area we have progressed in the past six months. We have reviewed our key supply chains for risks around modern slavery and issued a comprehensive statement on antimodern slavery measures, available on our website. A new supplier code of conduct is due out in the second half of the year which sets out the standards for companies we engage with.

We are New Zealand's first retirement village operator to link sustainability to our funding agreements, incorporating a Sustainability Linked Lending arrangement as part of our bank refinancing. This sustainabilitylinked lending arrangement will support growth in the operations and development side of the business over the next five years, and underpins our commitment to achieving our sustainability objectives. St Johns village, Auckland

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CHAIR AND CEO'S REPORT



Looking ahead

We are optimistic about growth this year and beyond. The core reasons behind why people enter our villages remain unaffected by COVID-19 and in many respects have only strengthened through the pandemic.

The COVID-19 situation arising just as this report was released is a reminder that the pandemic is not over yet.

We have continually made best practice enhancements to our infection prevention controls and will do everything we can to keep our residents safe from COVID-19. Retirees are looking for support and security to continue to live their lives.

Thank you to our investors whose investment in Summerset allows us to continue to bring companionship, security, and comfort to our residents.

And a huge thanks to our residents, their families, and our passionate staff for everything they contribute towards making Summerset a wonderful place to live and work.



Mark Verbiest Chair

Scott Scoullar Chief Executive Officer

Who we are and what we deliver

Our people

Our care

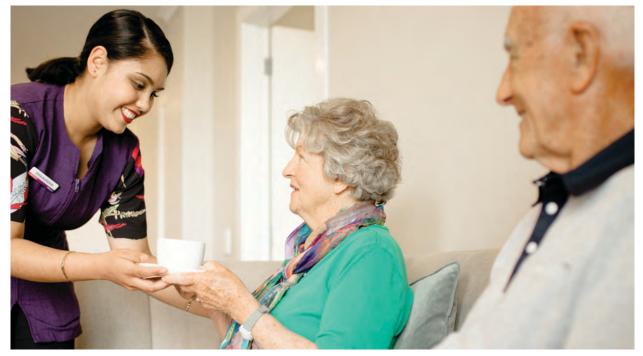
6,600+ Residents

1,900+ Staff members **1,035** Care units¹ in portfolio

1,053 Care units¹ in land bank² Our performance

\$75.5m 1H21 underlying profit

\$263.8m 1H21 net profit after tax



- 1 Care units include memory care apartments, care suites and care beds.
- 2 As at 30 June 2021, excludes Kelvin Grove and Craigieburn.

Our portfolio

4,669 Retirement units in portfolio

5,070 Retirement units in land bank² **33** Villages completed or under development

10 Greenfield sites² **575** Sales of occupation rights

\$4.4b Total assets



Half Year Financial Highlights

	1H2O21	1H2O2O	% Change	FY2020
Net profit/(loss) before tax (NZ IFRS) (\$000)	265,612	(2,707)	-9912%	221,735
Net profit after tax (NZ IFRS) (\$000)	263,803	988	26601%	230,776
Underlying profit (\$000) ¹	75,517	45,078	67.5%	98,304
Total assets (\$000)	4,375,175	3,432,776	27.5%	3,893,191
Net tangible assets (cents per share)	707.28	491.29	44.0%	594.14
Net operating cash flow (\$000)	229,721	92,777	147.6%	266,847

1 Underlying profit differs from NZ IFRS profit for the period

	1H2O21	1H2O2O	% Change	FY2020
New sales of occupation rights	302	128	135.9%	404
Resales of occupation rights	243	136	78.7%	381
Realised development margin (\$000)	40,677	17,429	133.4%	48,208
Realised gains on resales (\$000)	29,404	15,699	87.3%	46,072
New units delivered	347	182	90.7%	435

Non-GAAP Underlying Profit

1H2O21	1H2O2O	% Change	FY2020
263,803	988	26601%	230,776
(260,176)	14,657	-1875%	(221,142)
-	-	-	3,431
29,404	15,699	87.3%	46,072
40,677	17,429	133.4%	48,208
1,809	(3,695)	-149.0%	(9,041)
75,517	45,078	67.5%	98,304
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1 Figure has been extracted from the financial statements

Underlying profit is a non-GAAP measure and differs from NZ IFRS profit for the period. Refer to Note 2 of the financial statements for definitions of the components of underlying profit.

Financial statements

Income Statement

For the six months ended 30 June 2021

	6 MONTHS JUN 2021 UNAUDITED	6 MONTHS JUN 2020 UNAUDITED	12 MONTHS DEC 2020 AUDITED
NOTE	\$000	\$000	\$000
Care fees and village services	59,498	53,287	111,619
Deferred management fees	35,369	28,730	60,752
Other income	17	22	51
Total revenue	94,884	82,039	172,422
Fair value movement of investment property 5	260,176	(14,657)	221,142
Total income	355,060	67,382	393,564
Operating expenses 3	(78,954)	(57,844)	(146,805)
Depreciation and amortisation expense	(5,160)	(3,927)	(8,097)
Impairment of property, plant and equipment	-	-	(3,431)
Total expenses	(84,114)	(61,771)	(158,333)
Operating profit before financing costs	270,946	5,611	235,231
Finance costs	(5,334)	(8,318)	(13,496)
Profit/(loss) before income tax	265,612	(2,707)	221,735
Income tax (expense)/credit 4	(1,809)	3,695	9,041
Profit for the period	263,803	988	230,776
Basic earnings per share (cents) 9	115.91	0.44	102.30
Diluted earnings per share (cents) 9	115.13	0.43	101.23
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Statement of Comprehensive Income

For the six months ended 30 June 2021

	6 MONTHS JUN 2021 UNAUDITED	6 MONTHS JUN 2020 UNAUDITED	12 MONTHS DEC 2020 AUDITED
	\$000	\$000	\$000
Profit for the period	263,803	988	230,776
Fair value movement of interest rate swaps	9,754	(12,310)	(7,075)
Tax on items of other comprehensive income	(2,731)	3,447	1,981
Gain/(loss) on translation of foreign currency operations	6	(454)	(491)
Other comprehensive income that will be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss for the period net of tax	7,029	(9,317)	(5,585)
Net revaluation of property, plant and equipment	-	-	12,712
Tax on items of other comprehensive income	-	-	(3,145)
Other comprehensive income that will not be reclassified subsequently to profit or loss for the period net of tax		-	9,567
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period	270,832	(8,329)	234,758
The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.			

Statement of Changes in Equity

For the six months ended 30 June 2021

	SHARE CAPITAL	HEDGING RESERVE	REVALUATION RESERVE	RETAINED EARNINGS	FOREIGN CURRENCY TRANSLATION RESERVE	TOTAL EQUITY
	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000
As at 1 January 2020	284,074	(15,173)	24,941	837,771	271	1,131,884
Profit for the period	-	-	-	988	-	988
Other comprehensive loss for the period	-	(8,863)	-	-	(454)	(9,317)
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period	-	(8,863)	-	988	(454)	(8,329)
Dividends paid	-	-	-	(17,342)	-	(17,342)
Shares issued	6,375	-	-	-	-	6,375
Employee share plan option cost	770	-	-	-	-	770
As at 30 June 2020 (unaudited)	291,219	(24,036)	24,941	821,417	(183)	1,113,358
Profit for the period	-		-	229,788	-	229,788
Other comprehensive income/(loss) for the period	-	3,769	9,567	-	(37)	13,299
Total comprehensive income/(loss) for the period	-	3,769	9,567	229,788	(37)	243,087
Dividends paid	-	-	-	(13,880)	-	(13,880)
Shares issued	10,020	-	-	-	-	10,020
Employee share plan option cost	2,260	-	-	-	-	2,260
As at 31 December 2020 (audited)	303,499	(20,267)	34,508	1,037,325	(220)	1,354,845
Profit for the period	-	-	-	263,803	-	263,803
Other comprehensive income for the period	-	7,023	-	-	6	7,029
Total comprehensive income for the period	-	7,023	-	263,803	6	270,832
Dividends paid	-	-	-	(16,032)	-	(16,032)
Shares issued	7,855	-	-	-	-	7,855
Employee share plan option cost	433	-	-	-	-	433
As at 30 June 2021 (unaudited)	311,787	(13,244)	34,508	1,285,096	(214)	1,617,933

Statement of Financial Position

As at 30 June 2021

		6 MONTHS JUN 2021 UNAUDITED	6 MONTHS JUN 2020 UNAUDITED	12 MONTHS DEC 2020 AUDITED
	NOTE	\$000	\$000	\$000
Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents		19,362	12,976	15,817
Trade and other receivables		42,512	24,675	33,395
Interest rate swaps		11,577	22,091	18,412
Property, plant and equipment		230,542	161,542	181,098
Intangible assets		5,349	5,774	5,709
Investment property	5	4,065,833	3,205,718	3,638,760
Total assets		4,375,175	3,432,776	3,893,191
Liabilities				
Trade and other payables		195,074	138,583	158,610
Employee benefits		14,716	11,455	15,438
Revenue received in advance		129,860	99,584	114,737
Interest rate swaps		18,396	33,385	28,150
Residents' loans	6	1,707,871	1,365,251	1,520,298
Interest-bearing loans and borrowings	7	670,825	654,846	687,099
Lease liability		13,144	10,937	11,184
Deferred tax liability	4	7,356	5,377	2,830
Total liabilities		2,757,242	2,319,418	2,538,346
Net assets		1,617,933	1,113,358	1,354,845
Equity				
Share capital		311,787	291,219	303,499
Reserves		21,050	722	14,021
Retained earnings		1,285,096	821,417	1,037,325
Total equity attributable to shareholders		1,617,933	1,113,358	1,354,845

The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements.

Authorised for issue on 23 August 2021 on behalf of the Board

Mark Verbiest Director and Chair of the Board

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James Ogden Director and Chair of the Audit Committee

Statement of Cash Flows

For the six months ended 30 June 2021

	6 MONTHS JUN 2021 UNAUDITED	6 MONTHS JUN 2020 UNAUDITED	12 MONTHS DEC 2020 AUDITED
NOT	E \$000	\$000	\$000
Cash flows from operating activities			
Receipts from residents for care fees and village services	60,501	52,904	110,719
Interest received	17	22	51
Payments to suppliers and employees	(69,745)	(55,847)	(142,205)
Receipts for residents' loans - new occupation right agreements	187,205	76,306	237,000
Net receipts for residents' loans - resales of occupation right agreements	51,743	19,392	61,282
Net cash flow from operating activities	229,721	92,777	266,847
Cash flows to investing activities			
Sale of investment property	-	-	1,154
Payments for investment property:			
- land	(23,788)	(10,873)	(44,386)
- construction of retirement units and village facilities	(133,598)	(95,239)	(229,205)
- refurbishment of retirement units and village facilities	(4,136)	(3,329)	(8,244)
Payments for property, plant and equipment:			
- construction of care centres	(15,482)	(5,688)	(16,651)
- refurbishment of care centres		(585)	(1,107)
- other	(5,425)	(2,478)	(7,760)
Payments for intangible assets	(196)	(184)	(668)
Capitalised interest paid	(9,760)	(5,085)	(11,910)
Net cash flow to investing activities	(192,385)	(123,461)	(318,777)
Cash flows from financing activities			
Net (repayments of)/proceeds from borrowings	(20,096)	41,592	(71,542)
Proceeds from issue of retail bonds	-	-	150,000
Proceeds from issue of shares	1,578	165	4,201
Interest paid on borrowings	(4,654)	(7,682)	(15,436)
Payments in relation to lease liabilities	(838)	(733)	(1,549)
Dividends paid 1	0 (9,781)	(11,144)	(19,389)
Net cash flow (to)/from financing activities	(33,791)	22,198	46,285
Net increase/(decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	3,545	(8,486)	(5,645)
Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	15,817	21,462	21,462
Cash and cash equivalents at end of period			

Reconciliation of Operating Results and Operating Cash Flows

For the six months ended 30 June 2021

	6 MONTHS JUN 2021 UNAUDITED	6 MONTHS JUN 2020 UNAUDITED	12 MONTHS DEC 2020 AUDITED
	\$000	\$000	\$000
Profit for the period	263,803	988	230,776
Adjustments for:			
Depreciation and amortisation expense	5,160	3,927	8,097
Impairment on plant and equipment	-	-	3,431
Fair value movement of investment property	(260,176)	14,657	(221,142)
Finance costs paid	5,334	8,318	13,496
Income tax (expense)/credit	1,809	(3,695)	(9,041)
Deferred management fee amortisation	(35,369)	(28,730)	(60,752)
Employee share plan option cost	444	781	1,576
Other non-cash items	(197)	(497)	90
	(282,995)	(5,239)	(264,245)
Movements in working capital			
(Increase)/decrease in trade and other receivables	(816)	640	1,632
(Decrease)/increase in employee benefits	(722)	179	4,004
Increase in trade and other payables	12,234	4,827	903
Increase in residents' loans net of non-cash amortisation	238,217	91,382	293,777
	248,913	97,028	300,316
Net cash flow from operating activities	229,721	92,777	266,847
The accompanying notes form part of these financial statements			

Notes to the financial statements

For the six months ended 30 June 2021

1. Summary of accounting policies

The consolidated interim financial statements presented for the six months ended 30 June 2021 are for Summerset Group Holdings Limited (the "Company") and its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as the "Group"). The Group develops, owns and operates integrated retirement villages in New Zealand, including independent living, care centres with rest home and hospital-level care and memory care centres. The Group also owns land for development of retirement villages in Australia.

Summerset Group Holdings Limited is registered in New Zealand under the Companies Act 1993 and is an FMC Reporting Entity for the purposes of the Financial Markets Conduct Act 2013. The Company is listed on the New Zealand Stock Exchange (NZX), being the Company's primary exchange, and is listed on the Australian Securities Exchange (ASX) as a foreign exempt listing.

The consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting practice in New Zealand (NZ GAAP), except for Note 2: Non-GAAP underlying profit, which is presented in addition to NZ GAAP compliant information. NZ GAAP in this instance being New Zealand Equivalents to International Financial Reporting Standards (NZ IFRS) as appropriate for profit-oriented entities. These consolidated interim financial statements also comply with NZ IAS 34 – *Interim Financial Reporting*, and are prepared in accordance with the Financial Markets Conduct Act 2013..

The consolidated interim financial statements for the six months ended 30 June 2021 are unaudited and have been the subject of review by the auditor, pursuant to NZ SRE 2410 (Revised) *Review of Financial Statements Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity*, issued by the External Reporting Board. They are presented in New Zealand dollars, which is the Company's and its New Zealand subsidiaries' functional currency. The functional currency of the Company's Australian subsidiaries is Australian dollars. All financial information has been rounded to the nearest thousand, unless otherwise stated.

These consolidated interim financial statements have been prepared using the same accounting policies as, and should be read in conjunction with, the Group's financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2020, except as follows.

Implementation of the April 2021 IFRIC agenda decision in relation to software-as-a-service arrangements

During the period, the Group reviewed its accounting policy in relation to upfront configuration and customisation costs incurred in implementing software-as-a-service arrangements in response to the IFRIC agenda decision clarifying its interpretation of how current accounting standards apply to these types of arrangements. The Group is still evaluating the impact of this interpretation on its financial statements, but it is not expected to be significant.

Segment reporting

The Group operates in one industry, being the provision of integrated retirement villages. The services provided across all of the Group's villages are similar, as are the type of customer and the regulatory environment. The chief operating decision makers, the Chief Executive Officer and the Board of Directors, review the operating results of the Group as a whole on a regular basis. On this basis, the Group has one reportable segment, and the Group results are the same as the results of the reportable segment. All resource allocation decisions across the Group are made to optimise the consolidated Group's result.

The Group continues to proceed with its expansion into Australia. Two Australian sites were purchased in 2019 and a third site was purchased in March 2021. It is intended that these sites will be developed into retirement villages. To date the expenditure incurred and assets acquired in Australia have been immaterial to the Group and so are not reported as a separate operating segment as at 30 June 2021.

The Ministry of Health is a significant customer of the Group, as the Group derives care fee revenue in respect of eligible government subsidised aged care residents. Fees earned from the Ministry of Health for the period ended 30 June 2021 amounted to \$16.2 million (Jun 2020: \$17.1 million, Dec 2020: \$36.2 million). No other customers individually contribute a significant proportion of the Group revenue. All revenue is earned in New Zealand.

Comparative information

No comparatives have been restated in the current period.

2. Non-GAAP underlying profit

		6 MONTHS JUN 2021 UNAUDITED	6 MONTHS JUN 2020 UNAUDITED	12 MONTHS DEC 2020 AUDITED
	Ref	\$000	\$000	\$000
Profit for the period		263,803	988	230,776
(Less)/add fair value movement of investment property	a)	(260,176)	14,657	(221,142)
Add impairment of assets	b)	-	-	3,431
Add realised gain on resales	c)	29,404	15,699	46,072
Add realised development margin	d)	40,677	17,429	48,208
Add/(less) deferred tax expense/(credit)	e)	1,809	(3,695)	(9,041)
Underlying profit		75,517	45,078	98,304

Underlying profit is a non-GAAP measure and differs from NZ IFRS profit for the period. Underlying profit does not have a standardised meaning prescribed by GAAP and therefore may not be comparable to similar financial information presented by other entities. The Directors have provided an underlying profit measure in addition to IFRS profit to assist readers in determining the realised and unrealised components of fair value movement of investment property, impairment and tax expense in the Group's income statement. The measure is used internally in conjunction with other measures to monitor performance and make investment decisions. Underlying profit is a measure that the Group uses consistently across reporting periods. Underlying profit is used to determine the dividend pay-out to shareholders.

This statement presented is for the Group, prepared in accordance with the Basis of preparation: underlying profit described below.

Basis of preparation: underlying profit

Underlying profit is determined by taking profit for the period determined under NZ IFRS, adjusted for the impact of the following:

- a) (Less)/add fair value movement of investment property: reversal of investment property valuation changes recorded in NZ IFRS profit for the period, which comprise both realised and non-realised valuation movements. This is reversed and replaced with realised development margin and realised resale gains during the period, effectively removing the unrealised component of the fair value movement of investment property.
- b) Add impairment of assets: remove the impact of non-cash care centre valuation changes recorded in NZ IFRS profit for the period. Effective 1 January 2021, care centres are valued annually (previously every three years, with the most recent valuation as at 31 December 2020), with fair value gains flowing through to the revaluation reserve unless the gain offsets a previous impairment to fair value that was recorded in NZ IFRS profit for the period. Where there is any impairment of a care centre, or reversal of a previous impairment that impacts NZ IFRS profit for the period, this is eliminated for the purposes of determining underlying profit.
- c) Add realised gain on resales: add the realised gains across all resales of occupation rights during the period. The realised gain for each resale is determined to be the difference between the licence price for the previous occupation right for a unit and the occupation right resold for that same unit during the period. Realised resale gains are a measure of the cash generated from increases in selling prices of occupation rights to incoming residents, less cash amounts repaid to vacated residents for the repayment of the price of their refundable occupation right purchased in an earlier period, with the recognition point being the cash settlement. Realised resale gains exclude deferred management fees and refurbishment costs.
- d) Add realised development margin: add realised development margin across all new sales of occupation rights during the period, with the recognition point being the cash settlement. Realised development margin is the margin earned on the first time sale of an occupation right following the development of a unit. The margin for each new sale is determined to be the licence price for the occupation right, less the cost of developing that unit.

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Components of the cost of developing units include directly attributable construction costs and a proportionate share of the following costs:

- Infrastructure costs
- Land cost on the basis of the purchase price of the land
- Interest during the build period
- · Head office costs directly related to the construction of units

All costs above include non-recoverable GST.

Development margin excludes the costs of developing common areas within the retirement village (including a share of the proportionate costs listed above). This is because these areas are assets that support the sale of occupation rights for not just the new sale, but for all subsequent resales. It also excludes the costs of developing care centres, which are treated as property, plant and equipment for accounting purposes.

Where costs are apportioned across more than one asset, the apportionment methodology is determined by considering the nature of the cost.

e) Add/(less) deferred tax expense/(credit): reversal of the impact of deferred taxation.

Underlying profit does not include any adjustments for abnormal items or fair value movements on financial instruments that are included in NZ IFRS profit for the period.

3. Operating expenses

	6 MONTHS JUN 2021 UNAUDITED	6 MONTHS JUN 2020 UNAUDITED	12 MONTHS DEC 2020 AUDITED
	\$000	\$000	\$000
Employee expenses	46,852	33,660	90,691
Property-related expenses	8,329	7,513	16,187
Repairs and maintenance expenses	3,337	2,409	5,824
Other operating expenses	20,436	14,262	34,103
Total operating expenses	78,954	57,844	146,805

In April 2020, the Group received a \$8.6 million one-off government wage subsidy in relation to COVID-19. The subsidy related to a 12-week period between March and June 2020. A portion of the subsidy was capitalised, and the remaining balance of \$7.9 million was recorded as a deduction to employee expenses in the period to 30 June 2020. Although the Group was entitled to receive the wage subsidy, the Directors subsequently determined that it was appropriate to return the subsidy to the Government and the full \$8.6 million was repaid on 23 December 2020. This resulted in a net nil impact to operating expenses for the year ended 31 December 2020.

4. Income tax

a) Income tax recognised in the income statement

	6 MONTHS JUN 2021 UNAUDITED	6 MONTHS JUN 2020 UNAUDITED	12 MONTHS DEC 2020 AUDITED
	\$000	\$000	\$000
Tax expense comprises:			
Deferred tax relating to the origination and reversal of temporary differences	1,809	(3,695)	(9,041)
Total tax expense/(credit) reported in income statement	1,809	(3,695)	(9,041)

The prima facie income tax expense on pre-tax accounting profit from operations reconciles to the income tax expense in the financial statements as follows:

	6 MONTHS 6 MON JUN 2021 JUN 2 UNAUDITED UNAUD		020	12 MON DEC 20 AUDIT	020	
	\$000	%	\$000	%	\$000	%
Profit/(loss) before income tax	265,612		(2,707)		221,735	
Income tax using the corporate tax rate	74,371	28.0%	(758)	28.0%	62,086	28.0%
Capitalised interest	(2,175)	(0.8%)	(1,503)	55.5%	(3,450)	(1.6%)
Non-deductible expenses	95	0.0%	234	(8.6%)	208	0.1%
Non-assessable investment property revaluations	(72,849)	(27.4%)	4,104	(151.6%)	(62,501)	(28.2%)
Reinstatement of tax depreciation on non- residential buildings	-	0.0%	(6,008)	221.9%	(6,008)	(2.7%)
Transfer of investment property to property, plant and equipment	2,472	0.9%	-	0.0%	-	0.0%
Other	(105)	(0.0%)	236	(8.7%)	180	0.1%
Prior period adjustments	-	0.0%	-	0.0%	444	0.2%
Total income tax expense/(credit)	1,809	0.7%	(3,695)	136.5%	(9,041)	(4.1%)

Total Group tax losses available amount to \$292.3 million at 30 June 2021 (\$82.0 million tax effected) (Jun 2020: \$208.3 million (\$58.5 million tax effected), Dec 2020: \$250.5 million (\$70.3 million tax effected)). There are no unrecognised tax losses for the Group at 30 June 2021 (Jun 2020 and Dec 2020: nil).

(b) Amounts charged or credited to other comprehensive income

	6 MONTHS JUN 2021 UNAUDITED	6 MONTHS JUN 2020 UNAUDITED	12 MONTHS DEC 2020 AUDITED
	\$000	\$000	\$000
Tax expense comprises:			
Net gain on revaluation of property, plant and equipment	-	-	3,145
Fair value movement of interest rate swaps	2,731	(3,447)	(1,981)
Total tax expense/(credit) reported in statement of comprehensive income	2,731	(3,447)	1,164

(c) Amounts charged or credited directly to equity

	6 MONTHS JUN 2021 UNAUDITED	6 MONTHS JUN 2020 UNAUDITED	12 MONTHS DEC 2020 AUDITED
	\$000	\$000	\$000
Tax expense comprises:			
Deferred tax relating to employee share option plans	(14)	-	(1,812)
Total tax credit reported directly in equity	(14)	-	(1,812)

(d) Imputation credit account

There were no imputation credits received or paid during the half year and the balance at 30 June 2021 is nil (Jun 2020 and Dec 2020: nil).

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(e) Deferred tax

Movement in the deferred tax balance comprises:

	BALANCE 1 JAN 2021	RECOGNISED IN INCOME	RECOGNISED DIRECTLY IN EQUITY	RECOGNISED IN OCI*	BALANCE 30 JUN 2021 UNAUDITED
	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000
Property, plant and equipment	14,171	3,316	-	-	17,487
Investment property	35,231	3,178	-	-	38,409
Revenue in advance	35,159	6,903	-	-	42,062
Interest rate swaps	(7,882)	-	-	2,731	(5,151)
Income tax losses not yet utilised	(70,309)	(11,679)	-	-	(81,988)
Other items	(3,540)	91	(14)	-	(3,463)
Net deferred tax liability	2,830	1,809	(14)	2,731	7,356

	BALANCE 1 JAN 2020	RECOGNISED IN INCOME	RECOGNISED DIRECTLY IN EQUITY	RECOGNISED IN OCI*	BALANCE 30 JUN 2020 UNAUDITED
	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000
Property, plant and equipment	17,607	(5,775)	-	-	11,832
Investment property	29,188	3,210	-	-	32,398
Revenue in advance	23,479	5,740	-	-	29,219
Interest rate swaps	(5,901)	-	-	(3,447)	(9,348)
Income tax losses not yet utilised	(51,631)	(6,827)	-	-	(58,458)
Other items	(223)	(43)	-	-	(266)
Net deferred tax liability	12,519	(3,695)	-	(3,447)	5,377

	BALANCE 1 JAN 2020	RECOGNISED IN INCOME	RECOGNISED DIRECTLY IN EQUITY	RECOGNISED IN OCI*	BALANCE 31 DEC 2020 AUDITED
	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000	\$000
Property, plant and equipment	17,607	(6,581)	-	3,145	14,171
Investment property	29,188	6,043	-	-	35,231
Revenue in advance	23,479	11,680	-	-	35,159
Interest rate swaps	(5,901)	-	-	(1,981)	(7,882)
Income tax losses not yet utilised	(51,631)	(18,678)	-	-	(70,309)
Other items	(223)	(1,505)	(1,812)	-	(3,540)
Net deferred tax liability	12,519	(9,041)	(1,812)	1,164	2,830

* Other comprehensive income

5. Investment property

	6 MONTHS JUN 2021 UNAUDITED	6 MONTHS JUN 2020 UNAUDITED	12 MONTHS DEC 2020 AUDITED
	\$000	\$000	\$000
Balance at beginning of period	3,638,760	3,107,014	3,107,014
Additions	190,220	113,361	309,024
Transfer (to)/from property, plant and equipment	(23,993)	-	2,500
Disposals	-	-	(920)
Fair value movement	260,176	(14,657)	221,142
Foreign exchange movement	670	-	-
Total investment property	4,065,833	3,205,718	3,638,760

	6 MONTHS JUN 2021 UNAUDITED	6 MONTHS JUN 2020 UNAUDITED	12 MONTHS DEC 2020 AUDITED
	\$000	\$000	\$000
Development land measured at fair value ¹	397,203	301,170	335,694
Retirement villages measured at fair value	3,377,719	2,629,485	2,973,040
Retirement villages under development measured at cost	290,911	275,063	330,026
Total investment property	4,065,833	3,205,718	3,638,760

1 Included in development land is land that was acquired close to balance date and as such was excluded from the valuation of investment property. This land has been accounted for at cost, which has been determined to be fair value due to the proximity of the transaction to balance date. At 30 June 2021 the land at cost was \$64.0 million (Jun 2020; \$7.3 million, Dec 2020; \$9.9 million).

	6 MONTHS JUN 2021 UNAUDITED	6 MONTHS JUN 2020 UNAUDITED	12 MONTHS DEC 2020 AUDITED
	\$000	\$000	\$000
Manager's net interest	2,238,086	1,740,883	2,003,725
Plus: revenue received in advance relating to investment property	129,129	99,584	114,737
Plus: liability for residents' loans relating to investment property	1,698,618	1,365,251	1,520,298
Total investment property	4,065,833	3,205,718	3,638,760

The Group is unable to reliably determine the fair value of the non-land portion of retirement villages under development at 30 June 2021 and therefore these are carried at cost. This equates to \$290.9 million of investment property (Jun 2020: \$275.1 million, Dec 2020: \$330.0 million).

The fair value of investment property as at 30 June 2021 was determined by independent registered valuers CBRE Limited ("CBRE NZ") and Jones Lang LaSalle Limited ("JLL") for villages and land in New Zealand and CBRE Valuations Pty Limited ("CBRE AU") for land in Australia. The fair value of the Group's investment property is determined on a semi-annual basis, based on market values, being the estimated amount for which a property could be exchanged on the date of the valuation between a willing buyer and a willing seller in an arm's length transaction after proper marketing wherein the parties had each acted knowledgeably, prudently and without compulsion.

As required by NZ IAS 40 - *Investment Property*, the fair value as determined by the independent registered valuer is adjusted for assets and liabilities already recognised on the balance sheet which are also reflected in the discounted cash flow analysis.

To assess the fair value of the Group's interest in each New Zealand village, CBRE NZ and JLL have undertaken a discounted cash flow analysis to derive a net present value. The Group's development land has been valued by CBRE NZ using the direct comparison approach. A desktop valuation was completed as at 30 June 2021.

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Each valuer continues to review market conditions in relation to the COVID-19 global pandemic. The valuers' view is that the longer-term economic impact as a result of COVID-19 on the New Zealand aged care sector still remains largely unknown with comparable transactions and market evidence since the outbreak limited. Therefore they advise that a degree of caution should be exercised when relying upon the valuation.

Significant assumptions used by CBRE NZ and JLL in relation to the New Zealand investment property include a discount rate of between 13.5% and 16.5% (Jun 2020 and Dec 2020: 13.5% to 16.5%), and a long-term nominal house price inflation rate (growth rate) of between 0% and 3.5% (Jun 2020: -2.0% and 3.5%, Dec 2020: 0% to 3.5%). Other assumptions used include the average entry age of residents of between 73 years and 89 years (Jun 2020 and Dec 2020: 72 years and 90 years), and the stabilised departing occupancy periods of units of between 3.8 years and 8.9 years (Jun 2020: 3.7 years and 8.9 years, Dec 2020: 3.7 years and 9.0 years).

Two sites under development in Australia have been valued separately by CBRE AU and the third site is held at cost. The Cranbourne North land was valued under the same methodology as development land in New Zealand. The Torquay land was valued under a modified direct comparison approach which takes into account the gross realisation of the proposed units 'as if complete'. Chirnside Park is held at cost due to the proximity of the purchase to balance date.

As the fair value of investment property is determined using inputs that are significant and unobservable, the Group has categorised investment property as Level 3 under the fair value hierarchy in accordance with NZ IFRS 13 – *Fair Value Measurement*.

Transfer to property, plant and equipment

Each period, the Group assesses the significance of ancillary services provided in its units sold under occupation right agreement. As a result, memory care apartments and care suites have been reclassified from investment property to property, plant and equipment effective 1 January 2021. The Group's memory care apartments and care suites were transferred to property, plant and equipment at fair value as at transfer date which totalled \$24.0 million.

Sensitivity analysis to significant changes in unobservable inputs within Level 3 of the hierarchy

To assess the market value of the Group's interest in a retirement village, CBRE NZ and JLL have undertaken a discounted cash flow analysis to derive a net present value.

The sensitivities of the significant assumptions are shown in the table below:

	Adopted value ¹	Discount rate +50 bp	Discount rate -50 bp	Growth rates +50bp	Growth rates -50bp
30 June 2021					
Valuation (\$000)	1,341,450				
Difference (\$000)		(47,210)	50,345	80,460	(73,920)
Difference (%)		(3.5%)	3.8%	6.0%	(5.5%)
30 June 2020					
Valuation (\$000)	945,650				
Difference (\$000)		(34,080)	36,330	59,576	(52,956)
Difference (%)		(3.6%)	3.8%	6.3%	(5.6%)
31 December 2020					
Valuation (\$000)	1,142,825				
Difference (\$000)		(40,635)	43,395	53,550	(70,865)
Difference (%)		(3.6%)	3.8%	4.7%	(6.2%)

1 Completed units excluding unsold stock.

Other key components in determining the fair value of investment property are the average entry age of residents and the average occupancy of units. A significant decrease (increase) in the occupancy period of units would result in a significantly higher (lower) fair value measurement, and a significant increase (decrease) in the average entry age of residents would result in a significantly higher (lower) fair (lower) fair value measurement.

Security

At 30 June 2021, all investment property relating to registered retirement villages under the Retirement Villages Act 2003 are subject to a registered first mortgage in favour of the Statutory Supervisor to secure the Group's obligations to the occupation right agreement holders.

6. Residents' loans

	6 MONTHS JUN 2021 UNAUDITED	6 MONTHS JUN 2020 UNAUDITED	12 MONTHS DEC 2020 AUDITED
	\$000	\$000	\$000
Balance at beginning of period	1,872,736	1,599,854	1,599,854
Net receipts for residents' loans - resales of occupation right agreements	35,911	5,290	27,830
Receipts for residents' loans - new occupation right agreements	188,099	78,029	245,052
Total gross residents' loans	2,096,746	1,683,173	1,872,736
Deferred management fees and other receivables	(388,875)	(317,922)	(352,438)
Total residents' loans	1,707,871	1,365,251	1,520,298

The fair value of residents' loans at 30 June 2021 is \$1,206.1 million (Jun 2020: \$995.6 million; Dec 2020: \$1,082.9 million). The method of determining fair value is disclosed in Note 18 of the Group's financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2020. As the fair value of residents' loans is determined using inputs that are unobservable, the Group has categorised residents' loans as Level 3 under the fair value hierarchy in accordance with NZ IFRS 13 – *Fair Value Measurement*.

7. Interest-bearing loans and borrowings

		6 MONTHS JUN 2021 UNAUDITED	6 MONTHS JUN 2020 UNAUDITED	12 MONTHS DEC 2020 AUDITED
		\$000	\$000	\$000
Repayable within 12 months				
Secured bank loans	Floating	225,000	-	-
Repayable after 12 months				
Secured bank loans	Floating	62,701	409,912	297,576
Retail bond - SUM010	4.78%	100,000	100,000	100,000
Retail bond - SUM020	4.20%	125,000	125,000	125,000
Retail bond - SUM030	2.30%	150,000	-	150,000
Total loans and borrowings at face value		662,701	634,912	672,576
Issue costs for retail bonds capitalised				
Opening balance		(3,888)	(2,688)	(2,688)
Capitalised during the period		-	-	(1,876)
Amortised during the period		435	301	676
Closing balance		(3,453)	(2,387)	(3,888)
Total loans and borrowings at amortised cost		659,248	632,525	668,688
Fair value adjustment on hedged borrowings		11,577	22,321	18,411
Carrying value of interest-bearing loans and borrowings		670,825	654,846	687,099

The weighted average interest rate for the six months to 30 June 2021 was 3.05% (Jun 2020: 3.30%, Dec 2020: 3.15%). This includes the impact of interest rate swaps . Approximately 47.5% of the floating rate debt principal outstanding is hedged with interest rate swaps at 30 June 2021 (Jun 2020: 50.7%, Dec 2020: 45.0%).

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The secured bank loan facility at 30 June 2021 has a limit of approximately NZD\$750.0 million (Jun 2020 and Dec 2020: \$750.0 million). Lending of NZ\$315.0 million expires in March 2022, AU\$120.0 million expires in November 2023 and NZ\$310.0 million expires in November 2024.

The Group has issued three retail bonds. The first retail bond was issued for \$100.0 million in July 2017 and has a maturity date of 11 July 2023. This retail bond is listed on the NZX Debt Market (NZDX) with the ID SUM010. The second retail bond was issued for \$125.0 million in September 2018 and has a maturity date of 24 September 2025. This retail bond is listed on the NZDX with the ID SUM020. The third retail bond was issued for \$150.0 million in September 2027. This retail bond is listed on the NZDX with the ID SUM020. The third retail bond was issued for \$150.0 million in September 2020 and has a maturity date of 21 September 2027. This retail bond is listed on the NZDX with the ID SUM030.

Security

The banks loans and retail bonds rank equally with the Group's other unsubordinated obligations and are secured by the following securities held by a security trustee:

- a first-ranking registered mortgage over all land and permanent buildings owned (or leased under a registered lease) by each New Zealand-incorporated guaranteeing Group member that is not a registered retirement village under the Retirement Villages Act 2003;
- a second-ranking registered mortgage over the land and permanent buildings owned (or leased under a registered lease) by each New Zealand-incorporated guaranteeing Group member that is a registered retirement village under the Retirement Villages Act 2003 (behind a first-ranking registered mortgage in favour of the Statutory Supervisor);
- a first-ranking registered mortgage over all land and permanent buildings owned (or leased under a registered lease) by each Australian-incorporated guaranteeing Group member;
- a General Security Deed, which secures all assets of the New Zealand- incorporated guaranteeing Group members, but in respect
 of which the Statutory Supervisor has first rights to the proceeds of security enforcement against all assets of the registered
 retirement villages to which the security trustee is entitled;
- a General Security Deed, which secures all assets of the Australian-incorporated guaranteeing Group members; and
- a Specific Security Deed in respect of each marketable security of Summerset Holdings (Australia) Pty Limited, held by
 Summerset Holdings Limited.

8. Financial Instruments

Exposure to credit, market and liquidity risk arises in the normal course of the Group's business. The Board reviews and agrees on policies for managing each of these risks and there has been no change to the policies presented in the Group's financial statements for the six months ended 30 June 2021. The Group has seen no material change in its exposure to credit, market and liquidity risk as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic, but will continue to monitor the situation.

Fair values

The fair value of retail bonds is based on the price traded at on the NZX market as at balance date. The fair value of the retail bonds is categorised as Level 1 under the fair value hierarchy in accordance with NZ IFRS 13 – *Fair Value Measurement*.

The fair value of interest rate swaps is determined using inputs from third parties that are observable, either directly (i.e. as prices) or indirectly (i.e. derived from prices). Based on this, the Company and Group have categorised these financial instruments as Level 2 under the fair value hierarchy in accordance with NZ IFRS 13 – *Fair Value Measurement*.

9. Earnings per share and net tangible assets

Basic earnings per share

	6 MONTHS JUN 2021 UNAUDITED	6 MONTHS JUN 2020 UNAUDITED	12 MONTHS DEC 2020 AUDITED
Earnings (\$000)	263,803	988	230,776
Weighted average number of ordinary shares for the purpose of earnings per share (in thousands)	227,599	224,907	225,591
Basic earnings per share (cents per share)	115.91	0.44	102.30

Diluted earnings per share

	6 MONTHS JUN 2021 UNAUDITED	6 MONTHS JUN 2020 UNAUDITED	12 MONTHS DEC 2020 AUDITED
Earnings (\$000)	263,803	988	230,776
Weighted average number of ordinary shares for the purpose of earnings per share (diluted) (in thousands)	229,141	227,462	227,979
Diluted earnings per share (cents per share)	115.13	0.43	101.23

Number of shares (in thousands)

	6 MONTHS JUN 2021 UNAUDITED	6 MONTHS JUN 2020 UNAUDITED	12 MONTHS DEC 2020 AUDITED
Weighted average number of ordinary shares for the purpose of earnings per share (basic)	227,599	224,907	225,591
Weighted average number of ordinary shares issued under employee share plans	1,542	2,555	2,388
Weighted average number of ordinary shares for the purpose of earnings per share (diluted)	229,141	227,462	227,979

At 30 June 2021, there were a total of 1,403,150 shares issued under employee share plans held by Summerset LTI Trustee Limited (Jun 2020: 2,540,811, Dec 2020: 1,712,181 shares).

Net tangible assets per share

	6 MONTHS JUN 2021 UNAUDITED	6 MONTHS JUN 2020 UNAUDITED	12 MONTHS DEC 2020 AUDITED
Net tangible assets (\$000)	1,612,584	1,107,584	1,349,136
Shares on issue at end of period (basic and in thousands)	227,998	225,442	227,073
Net tangible assets per share (cents per share)	707.28	491.29	594.14

Net tangible assets are calculated as the total assets of the Group less intangible assets and less total liabilities. This measure is provided as it is commonly used for comparison between entities.

10. Dividends

On 22 March 2021, a dividend of 7.0 cents per ordinary share was paid to shareholders (2020: on 23 March 2020 a dividend of 7.7 cents per ordinary share was paid to shareholders and on 11 September 2020 a dividend of 6.0 cents per ordinary share was paid to shareholders).

A dividend reinvestment plan applied to the dividend paid on 22 March 2021 and 493,015 ordinary shares were issued in relation to the plan (2020: 1,155,370 ordinary shares were issued in relation to the plan for the 23 March 2020 dividend and 665,095 ordinary shares were issued in relation to the plan for the 11 September 2020 dividend).

11. Commitments and contingencies

Guarantees

As at 30 June 2021, NZX Limited held a guarantee in respect of the Group, as required by the NZX Listing Rules, for \$75,000 (Jun 2020 and Dec 2020: \$75,000).

Summerset Retention Trustee Limited holds guarantees in relation to retentions on construction contracts on behalf of the Group. As at 30 June 2021, \$10.0 million was held for the benefit of the retentions beneficiaries (Jun 2020: \$8.0 million, Dec 2020: \$10.0 million).

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Capital commitments

At 30 June 2021, the Group had \$188.9 million of capital commitments in relation to construction contracts (Jun 2020 \$145.9 million, Dec 2020: \$139.7 million).

Contingent liabilities

There were no known material contingent liabilities at 30 June 2021 (Jun 2020 and Dec 2020: nil).

12. Subsequent events

On 19 July 2021, 99,864 shares were issued to participating employees under Summerset's all staff employee share scheme. The shares are held by Summerset LTI Trustee Limited and vest to participating employees after a three-year period, subject to meeting the criteria of the plan.

On 17 August 2021 the New Zealand Government announced that the Delta variant of COVID-19 had been found in the community and that the country would be re-entering a lockdown period. No adjustments are considered necessary, or have been made, to the financial statements as a result of this development.

The Group completed a sustainability linked syndicated loan facility refinance on 23 August 2021 for approximately \$700 million which has an effective date of 1 October 2021. This includes the refinance of the \$315 million facility due to mature on 31 March 2022 with additional funding of approximately \$385 million which is primarily in Australian dollars. The facility has a mix of four and five year tenures. The loan facility comprises ANZ Bank New Zealand/Australia and New Zealand Banking Group Limited, Bank of New Zealand/National Australia Bank Limited, Commonwealth Bank of Australia, Industrial and Commercial Bank of China Limited, Westpac New Zealand Limited/Westpac Banking Corporation and Bank of China (New Zealand) Limited.

On 23 August 2021, the Directors approved an interim dividend of \$22.7 million, being 9.9 cents per share. The dividend record date is 7 September 2021 with a payment date of 20 September 2021.

There have been no other events subsequent to 30 June 2021 that materially impact on the results reported.



Independent Auditor's Review Report

To the Shareholders of Summerset Group Holdings Limited ("the company") and its subsidiaries (together "the group")

Conclusion

We have reviewed the interim financial statements of the group on pages 13 to 30 which comprise the statement of financial position of the group as at 30 June 2021, and the statement of comprehensive income, statement of changes in equity and statement of cash flows of the group for the six month period ended on that date, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information. Based on our review, nothing has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the accompanying interim financial statements on pages 13 to 30 of the group do not present fairly, in all material respects the financial position of the group as at 30 June 2021, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the six month period ended on that date, in accordance with New Zealand Equivalent to International Accounting Standard 34: *Interim Financial Reporting*.

This report is made solely to the company's shareholders, as a body. Our review has been undertaken so that we might state to the company's shareholders those matters we are required to state to them in a review report and for no other purpose. To the fullest extent permitted by law, we do not accept or assume responsibility to anyone other than the company and the company's shareholders as a body, for our review procedures, for this report, or for the conclusion we have formed.

Basis for Conclusion

We conducted our review in accordance with NZ SRE 2410 (Revised) *Review of Financial Statements Performed by the Independent Auditor of the Entity.* Our responsibilities are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Review of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the group in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements in New Zealand relating to the audit of the annual financial statements, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these ethical requirements.

Ernst & Young provides other assurance related and remuneration advisory services to the group. Partners and employees of our firm may deal with the group on normal terms within the ordinary course of trading activities of the business of the group. We have no other relationship with, or interest in, the group.

Directors' Responsibility for the Interim Financial Statements

The directors are responsible, on behalf of the entity, for the preparation and fair presentation of the interim financial statements in accordance with New Zealand Equivalent to International Accounting Standard 34: *Interim Financial Reporting* and for such internal control as the directors determine is necessary to enable the preparation and fair presentation of the interim financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Review of the Interim Financial Statements

Our responsibility is to express a conclusion on the interim financial statements based on our review. NZ SRE 2410 (Revised) requires us to conclude whether anything has come to our attention that causes us to believe that the interim financial statements, taken as a whole, are not prepared in all material respects, in accordance with New Zealand Equivalent to International Accounting Standard 34: *Interim Financial Reporting*.

A review of interim financial statements in accordance with NZ SRE 2410 (Revised) is a limited assurance engagement. We perform procedures, consisting of making enquiries, primarily of persons responsible for financial and accounting matters, and applying analytical and other review procedures. The procedures performed in a review are substantially less than those performed in an audit conducted in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (New Zealand) and consequently do not enable us to obtain assurance that we would become aware of all significant matters that might be identified in an audit. Accordingly, we do not express an audit opinion on those interim financial statements.

The engagement partner on the review resulting in this independent auditor's review report is Grant Taylor.

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