

# RECEIVE 35% IN TAX CREDITS



### Invest in Saskatchewan

✓ The strength of Saskatchewan's diverse economy sets it apart across the nation.

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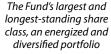
- 100% of your money is invested in Saskatchewan
- Receive tax savings Invest up to \$5,000 in Golden Opportunities Fund and receive 35% in tax credits in addition to regular RRSP benefits!
- A leader in Fund Management



Ranked as **Top 12 Most Active Private Equity Investors in Canada in 2015!**<sup>2</sup>

## **Choose Your**







Innovation portfolio: all of the upside growth plus loss protection<sup>3</sup>



100% Resource focused portfolio

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Canadian Venture Capital & Private Equity Association's 2015 Canadian Private Equity Market Overview.

# Record Year of Activity

#### **Proven Performance**

#### **TOP PERFORMING**

Saskatchewan Retail Venture Capital Fund share class!\*

Diversifie d SHARE As at April 30, 2016*	1 YEAR 0.67%	3 YEAR 3.16%	5 YEAR 0.82%	10 YEAR 0.58%
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#### Your Money Working For You!

- Capital Raised
  - More than 28,000 shareholders are now invested in the Fund!
- Capital Invested
  - Invested approximately \$340 million in 129 Companies since inception!

### **Investment:**



Golden Opportunities Fund offers three share classes.

Receive a **35% Tax Credit** on your investment in the A-share, i-share, R-share, or a combination!

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> See Prospectus under "Investment Objectives" for more important information.

<sup>\*</sup> Class A-share, based on 3 year returns as at April 30, 2016, as per Globefund.com See disclaimer on back cover for more important information on returns.

# Add a TAX CREDIT

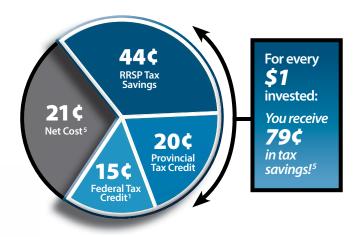
### to your RRSP Savings!

Saskatchewan residents who purchase Golden Opportunities Fund shares receive a **15% Federal** tax credit<sup>1</sup>, a **20% Provincial** tax credit, PLUS regular RRSP Savings.

# Calculate your tax savings.<sup>2</sup>

_	Your Sample Taxable Income (Before RRSP Deduction)	Marginal Tax Rate	35 % Tax Credit <sup>1,3</sup>	
vesi 00	\$25,000	26%	\$1,225	+
u In \$3,5	\$55,000	35%	\$1,225	+
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#### Did You Know?

You can receive tax credits on any amount, up to \$5000 invested annually.

RRSP Tax Savings <sup>4</sup>		Your Total Tax Credits & Savings	Your Cost
\$910	=	\$2,135	\$1,365
\$1,225	=	\$2,450	\$1,050
\$1,365	=	\$2,590	\$910
\$1,540	=	\$2,765	\$735
\$1,300	=	\$3,050	\$1,950
\$1,750	=	\$3,500	\$1,500
\$1,950	=	\$3,700	\$1,300
\$2,200	=	\$3,950	\$1,050

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<sup>2</sup> Investments of \$3,500 and \$5,000 are used for examples only. Investors may invest up to \$5000 a year for maximum tax credits.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Tax credits equal to 35% of the amount of your investment are available whether or not you hold your investment in an RRSP

Estimated tax reduction from a contribution to an RRSP for individuals with different levels of taxable income, as shown. RRSP tax savings are not unique to this investment.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Example assumes a marginal tax bracket of 44%, a minimum taxable income of \$138,587 and a \$5,000 RRSP investment. 35% tax credit available on investments up to \$5000 annually.



### Strength in our diversified portfolio

#### **Management Buyouts (MBOs)**

In the next decade, approximately 75% of small and medium-sized business owners will be ready to sell their business.1

Golden Opportunities' MBO investments are alongside strong management teams in stable companies with proven cash flows and significant growth potential, such as:















Established in 1983, a well-known industry leader providing quality meat products with over 130 employees offering 1,700 products and services through its processing, wholesale and retail facilities.

#### Oil & Gas

Saskatchewan ranks 1st in Canada for petroleum exploration and development investment potential.2









Sampling of oil and gas investments made in fiscal 2015 and subsequent

#### **Healthcare**

The number of people aged 65 and older in Saskatchewan continues to rise growing to almost 25% of the population over the next two decades.3

Golden Opportunities is invested in the largest private provider of long-term care homes in Saskatchewan with 8 locations that are operating and under construction.

GOLDEN HEALTH CARE INC.

Changing the way healthcare is provided to our Saskatchewan seniors with an Aging-in-Place model focused on each resident's unique and changing needs.

#### Mature Innovation Portfolio

#### Saskatchewan has emerged as a world leader in biotechnology and life sciences.4

Golden Opportunities invests in companies pioneering Saskatchewan innovations, garnering global attention and positioning for opportunities to realize value such as:





<sup>\*</sup> In fiscal 2015, see 2015 Annual Report "Statements of Financial Position" for more important information.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Canadian Federation of Independent Business

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>The Fraser Institute's annual Global Petroleum Survey, December 2015

<sup>3</sup> Statistics Canada

<sup>4</sup> Government of Saskatchewan

# A portfolio strategically focused across four key pillars for growth, stability and value.

Tracing its roots back to 1947, DynaVenture is comprised of four diverse, industry-leading companies that combined employ roughly 150 people and generate approximately \$35 million in annual sales.











Golden Opportunities' oil and gas companies are led by experienced management teams and operators in a dynamic industry with a strong focus on light oil opportunities.



Last year, Golden Health Care's Swift Current location, Cypress House, opened and was fully occupied in only 9 short months!



Developer of unique software to improve electronic chip manufacturing and design, in 2015 Solido:

- Experienced revenue growth of 60% over the previous year!
  - Doubled its office space!



Solido continues to expand its proprietary chip design software into worldwide markets including devices such as the new Apple Watch!



#### **Innovation Portfolio**

A diversified portfolio that provides all of the upside growth from investments in innovation companies plus loss protection.

For every one dollar that the i-share invests, the Government of Canada (Western Economic Diversification Canada) has placed fifty cents in a loss protection pool to protect your investment.

#### PROTECTING YOUR i-SHARE

with up to 80% in loss support.1

Up to 80% loss protection provided to a maximum of \$3.3 million.



Western Economic Diversification Canada Diversification de l'économie de l'Ouest Canada



Provides unique software solutions to chip manufacturers worldwide, including the United States, Japan, Korea, Taiwan and Europe, to optimize the design of electronic chips used in devices such as the new Apple Watch, Apple iPhone 6 and Samsung Galaxy S6.



Pioneer in manufacturing pharmaceuticals in biosecure production facilities. Awarded the first licenses by Health Canada to distribute medicinal marijuana directly to patients and physicians under the CanniMed brand.



Innovator for directional drillers enhancing oil and gas recovery to help maximize potential of Saskatchewan and Manitoba's untapped oil reserves.



Manufacturer of innovative agricultural and road maintenance equipment exporting its technology around the world for more than 40 years.

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Designs, manufactures and repairs heavy industrial equipment/ components primarily used by customers in the steel/pipe mill, mining and oil and gas industries.



Specializes in professional crane services including design, manufacturing, installation, maintenance and operator training.



Engineers and manufactures specific anti-friction bearing solutions utilizing advanced calculations and analysis tools.



Supplies separation technologies and custom process filtration systems focused on the mid-stream oil and gas sector.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Government of Saskatchewan



#### **Resource Portfolio**

A resource-focused portfolio that is designed for investors seeking higher exposure to Saskatchewan resource companies. The R-share leverages strategic partnerships to benefit from the skills and knowledge of successful management teams operating in our energy-rich province.





# **Field** Exploration





# Saskatchewan's vast resources make it a great investment opportunity!

With only 3% of the Canadian population, Saskatchewan accounts for over 35% of Canada's primary energy production.<sup>1</sup>

> For more information on the Fund's investments visit goldenopportunities.ca

 $<sup>\</sup>hbox{* In fiscal 2015, see 2015 Annual Report "Statements of Financial Position" for more important information.}$ 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Government of Saskatchewan

## **Invest Your Way**

- **1. With no new money invested** you can earn a 35% tax credit! Transfer money from an existing RRSP, non-RRSP or locked in assets and receive \$1,750 back in tax credits.
- **2. Invest outside your RRSP** and still receive 35% in tax credits! For example, if you have reached your RRSP contribution limit or if you no longer contribute to an RRSP.
- **3. Make investing easy** Pay yourself first through regular, automatic contributions.
  - Payroll Plan Contributions: deducted from your paycheque and reduces your income tax at source on every paycheque.
  - Pre-authorized Contributions (PACs): deducted from your chequing account. You choose the frequency and contribution amount.

# Invest \$5,000 annually through regular pre-authorized contributions and receive \$3,950 in total tax savings!<sup>1,2</sup>

(deducted directly from your bank account every two weeks)	\$192	Turn a \$192 biweekly contribution into a \$5,000 annual investment
Total Annual Investment:	\$5,000	
79% Tax Savings:1,2	\$3,9501,2	Receive Tax Savings: Receive up to \$3,950
<b>Actual Biweekly Net Cost:</b> (after tax savings)	\$401,2	(\$1,750 in tax credits plus \$2,200 in RRSP savings), reducing your biweekly net cost to \$401.2 after tax savings

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Assumes a regular biweekly investment of \$192, 26 contributions per year, marginal tax rate of 44% (minimum taxable income of \$138,587) and a combination of the provincial and federal tax credits and the RSP tax savings attached to the Fund. Amount will vary according to tax bracket.

# 4. Save when you repay Home Buyers' Plan

withdrawals. Home buyers that have withdrawn from their RRSP to buy their first house can save from tax credits on every dollar repaid to the Plan by investing in Golden Opportunities Fund.

#### 5. Rollovers

#### Receive two tax credits for the price of one!

Your investment in Golden Opportunities Fund will mature 8 years after you purchase. You can Rollover this mature investment to receive additional tax credits with no new money invested!



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For more information on Golden Opportunities Fund Inc., please contact your Financial Advisor.

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Fund Codes: GOF501 (Class A SK), GOF502 (Class A MB), GOF503 (Class i SK), GOF504 (Class i MB), GOF505 (Class R SK), GOF507 (Class A-F SK), GOF508 (Class A-F MB), GOF509 (Class i-F SK), GOF510 (Class i-F MB), GOF511 (Class R-F SK)