

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS WITH INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022 AND 2021

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To The Board of Trustees National Guild for Community Arts Education, Inc. New York, New York

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of National Guild for Community Arts Education, Inc. (a nonprofit organization), which comprise the balance sheets as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, and the related statements of activities, cash flows, and functional expenses for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of National Guild for Community Arts Education, Inc. as of December 31, 2022 and 2021, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of National Guild for Community Arts Education, Inc. and to meet our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audits. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Responsibilities of Management for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about National Guild for Community Arts Education, Inc.'s ability to continue as a going concern within one year after the date that the financial statements are available to be issued.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements, including omissions, are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of National Guild for Community Arts Education, Inc.'s internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about National Guild for Community Arts Education, Inc.'s ability to continue as a going concern for a reasonable period of time.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control related matters that we identified during the audit.

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June 26, 2023

BALANCE SHEETS

ASSETS

	Decem	nber 31,
	2022	2021
Cash Investments Grants receivable Conference sponsorship receivable Pledges receivable Prepaid expenses and other assets Property and equipment, net	\$ 132,714 966,606 31,000 2,425 85,786 18,189 57,161	\$ 239,161 1,305,608 159,350 15,610 347,453 14,144 134,739
Total assets	\$ 1,293,881	\$ 2,216,065
Liabilities: Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$ 73,615	\$ 78,663
Deferred revenue	1,500	13,532
Total liabilities	75,115	92,195
Net assets:	0E0 E00	4 000 000
Without donor restrictions With donor restrictions	650,566 568,200	1,098,683 1,025,187
With donor restrictions		1,020,107
Total net assets	1,218,766	2,123,870
Total liabilities and net assets	\$ 1,293,881	\$ 2,216,065

STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES

	Yeare	Year ended December 31, 2022	1, 2022	Yeare	Year ended December 31, 2021	1, 2021
	Without donor restrictions	With donor restrictions	Total	Without donor restrictions	With donor restrictions	Total
Support: Public support: Contributions of cash and other financial assets	\$ 158,210	\$ 85,000	\$ 243,210	\$ 276,241	\$ 341,203	\$ 617,444
Contributions of nonfinancial assets Grants from governmental agencies		150,000	150,000	15,300	306,677	15,300 306,677
Total support	158,210	235,000	393,210	291,541	647,880	939,421
Revenues: Membership dues, net of financial aid of \$0 and \$54,130 in 2022 and 2021, respectively	160,200		160,200	195,955		195,955
Conferences and seminars, net of financial aid of \$0 and \$25,245 in 2022 and 2021, respectively Dividends and interest Miscellaneous revenue	6,077 34,088 450	10,157	6,077 44,245 450	24,785 48,215 14,655	15,494	24,785 63,709 14,655
Total revenues	200,815	10,157	210,972	283,610	15,494	299,104
Net assets released from restrictions	676,605	(676,605)		1,263,009	(1,263,009)	
Total support and revenues	1,035,630	(431,448)	604,182	1,838,160	(599,635)	1,238,525
Expenses: Program services: Training and conferences Publication and information services	476,568 413,429		476,568 413,429	613,393 518,861		613,393
Total program services	889,997		889,997	1,132,254		1,132,254
Supporting services: Management and general Fundraising	423,552 84,489		423,552 84,489	230,407 173,098		230,407
Total supporting services	508,041		508,041	403,505		403,505
Total expenses	1,398,038		1,398,038	1,535,759		1,535,759
Change in net assets from operations	(362,408)	(431,448)	(793,856)	302,401	(599,635)	(297,234)
Nonoperating activities: Realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investments	(85,709)	(25,539)	(111,248)	43,929	14,115	58,044
Total nonoperating activities	(85,709)	(25,539)	(111,248)	43,929	14,115	58,044
Change in net assets Net assets, beginning of year	(448,117) 1,098,683	(456,987) 1,025,187	(905,104) 2,123,870	346,330 752,353	(585,520) 1,610,707	(239,190) 2,363,060
Net assets, end of year	\$ 650,566	\$ 568,200	\$ 1,218,766	\$ 1,098,683	\$ 1,025,187	\$ 2,123,870

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

STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

		Year ended [Decem	ber 31,
		2022		2021
Cash flows from operating activities:				
Change in net assets Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash provided (used) by operating activities:	\$	(905,104)	\$	(239,190)
Depreciation		79,127		106,119
Unrealized and realized (gain) loss on investments Changes in operating assets and liabilities: (Increase) decrease in:		111,248		(58,044)
Grants receivable		128,350		(36,715)
Conference sponsorship receivable		13,185		3,826
Pledges receivable		261,667		302,537
Prepaid expenses and other assets Increase (decrease) in:		(4,045)		5,219
Accounts payable and accrued expenses		(5,048)		(6,926)
Deferred revenue	-	(12,032)		(3,305)
Net cash provided (used) by operating activities		(332,652)		73,521
Cash flows from investing activities:				
Purchases of equipment		(1,549)		
Purchases of investments		(44,246)		(136,481)
Proceeds from sale of investments		272,000		57,071
Net cash provided (used) by investing activities		226,205		(79,410)
Net decrease in cash		(106,447)		(5,889)
Cash, beginning of year		239,161		245,050
Cash, end of year	\$	132,714	\$	239,161

STATEMENTS OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES

Years Ended December 31, 2022 and 2021

			Progra	Program services			
	Tra and cor	Training and conferences	Public informat	Publication and information services	Total p	Total program services	
	2022	2021	2022	2021	2022		2021
Salaries Payroll taxes Employee benefits	\$ 346,279 28,866 28,711	\$ 265,060 22,662 19,282	\$ 304,292 25,969 26,836	\$ 366,618 30,028 25,431	\$ 650,571 54,835 55,547	φ	631,678 52,690 44,713
Total salaries and related expenses	403,856	307,004	357,097	422,077	760,953	1-	729,081
Consulting fees and honoraria Regranting	8,700	121,391 86,000	250	16,818	8,950	•	138,209 86,000
Travel and meetings	4,865		2,437		7,302		
Office rent and utilities	11,238	20,599	9,833	27,421	21,071		48,020
Bank charges and other fees	7,866	6,036	7,126	8,170	14,992		14,206
Office and miscellaneous expenses	1,413	3,012	1,213	3,105	2,626		6,117
Dues and subscriptions	1,435	9,880	1,256	3,240	2,691		13,120
Space rental, AV, catering	1,587	21		20	1,587		4
Printing and publication	348	634	2,806	11,850	3,154		12,484
Information technology		151	433	5,998	433		6,149
Professional fees		300					300
Depreciation	35,260	58,365	30,978	20,162	66,238		78,527
Total expenses	\$ 476,568	\$ 613,393	\$ 413,429	\$ 518,861	\$ 889,997	\$	\$ 1,132,254

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

STATEMENTS OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES

Years Ended December 31, 2022 and 2021

						Supporting services	g serv	ices								
		Management	Jemen	t						Total supporting	pporti	ing				
		and ge	and general			Fundr	Fundraising	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,		services	ices			Total expenses	penses	
		2022		2021		2022		2021		2022		2021		2022		2021
Salaries	(/	63.912	ь	33.320	s	62.704	θ	93,522	↔	126,616	G	126,842	↔	777,187	\$	758,520
Pavroll taxes	÷	5,368	+	2,828		5,206		8,001	-	10,574		10,829		65,409		63,519
Employee benefits		12,954		23,715		5,135		6,801		18,089		30,516		73,636		75,229
Total salaries and related expenses		82,234		59,863		73,045		108,324		155,279		168,187		916,232	ω	897,268
Consulting fees and honoraria		208.379		115,587				29,644		208,379		145,231		217,329	(A	283,440
Regranting		54,119		•						54,119				54,119		86,000
Travel and meetings		21,142		2,534		34				21,176		2,534		28,478		2,534
Office rent and utilities		1,969		2,585		1,880		7,256		3,849		9,841		24,920		57,861
Bank charges and other fees		7,782		423		1,477		2,118		9,259		2,541		24,251		16,747
Office and miscellaneous expenses		17,569		17,892		1,265		5,196		18,834		23,088		21,460		29,205
Dues and subscriptions		16,456		8,032		340		1,271		16,796		9,303		19,487		22,423
Space rental, AV, catering		7,334								7,334				8,921		41
Printing and publication		64				63				127				3,281		12,484
Information technology								188				188		433		6,337
Professional fees				15,000								15,000				15,300
Depreciation		6,504		8,491		6,385		19,101		12,889		27,592		79,127		106,119
Total expenses	S	423,552	မ	230,407	S	84,489	မ	173,098	S	508,041	s	403,505	\$	\$ 1,398,038	\$ 1,5	\$ 1,535,759

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

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2022 and 2021

1. <u>Nature of the Organization</u>

The National Guild for Community Arts Education, Inc. (the Organization) strives to ensure all people have opportunities to maximize their creative potential by developing leaders, strengthening organizations, and advocating for community arts education. The Organization envisions a nation where arts education is accessible and embraced as essential for human development and healthy communities.

2. Summary of significant accounting policies

Basis of presentation

The financial statements of the Organization have been prepared in accordance with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles (U.S. GAAP), which require the Organization to report information regarding its financial position and activities according to the following net asset classifications:

<u>Net assets without donor restrictions</u> - Net assets that are not subject to donor-imposed restrictions and may be expended for any purpose in performing the primary objectives of the Organization. These net assets may be used at the discretion of the Organization's management and the board of directors.

<u>Net assets with donor restrictions</u> - Net assets subject to stipulations imposed by donors and grantors. Some donor restrictions are temporary in nature; those restrictions will be met by actions of the Organization or by the passage of time. Other donor restrictions are perpetual in nature, whereby the donor has stipulated the funds be maintained in perpetuity.

Measure of operations

The statement of activities reports all changes in net assets, including changes in net assets from operating and nonoperating activities. Operating activities consist of those items attributable to the Organization's ongoing services and interest and dividends earned on investments. Nonoperating activities are limited to resources that generate return from investments and other activities considered to be of a more unusual or nonrecurring nature.

Estimates

The preparation of financial statements requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

<u>Cash</u>

Cash consists of demand deposit accounts with maturities of three months or less. Money market funds, held as a portion of the Organization's investment portfolio, are classified as investments and are not considered to be cash equivalents for purposes of the statement of cash flows.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2022 and 2021

2. <u>Summary of significant accounting policies</u> (continued)

Investments

Investments in marketable securities with readily determinable fair values and all investments in debt securities are valued at their fair values on the balance sheet. Investments that are donated are measured at the fair market value at the date of acquisition. Unrealized gains and losses are reported in the changes in net assets on the statement of activities based on the existence or absence of donor imposed restrictions. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term, based on the markets' fluctuations, and that such changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the Organization's financial statements.

Fair value measurement

U.S. GAAP establishes a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets and liabilities (Level 1 measurement) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements).

The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are as follows:

- Level 1 Inputs that reflect unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the Organization has the ability to access at the measurement date;
- Level 2 Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the assets or liability either directly or indirectly, including inputs that are not considered to be active;
- Level 3 Inputs that are unobservable.

Inputs are used in applying the various valuation techniques and broadly refer to the assumptions that market participants use to make valuation decisions, including assumptions about risk. Inputs may include price information, volatility statistics, specific and broad criteria data, liquidity statistics, and other factors. An investment's level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. However, the determination of what constitutes "observable" requires significant judgment by the Organization. The Organization considers observable data to be that market data which is readily available, regularly distributed or updated, reliable and verifiable, not proprietary, provided by multiple, independent sources that are actively involved in the relevant market. The categorization of an investment within the hierarchy is based upon the pricing transparency of the investment and does not necessarily correspond to the Organization's perceived risk of that investment.

Allowance for doubtful accounts

The Organization provides for losses on all receivables using the allowance method to account for uncollectible receivables. The allowance is based on experience and knowledge about the donors or service recipients. The Organization determined that no allowance for doubtful accounts was necessary at December 31, 2022 and 2021.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2022 and 2021

2. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

Property and equipment

Property and equipment are stated at cost, or for donated items, at the fair market value of the asset on the date of the gift. Depreciation is provided on the straight-line method at rates based on the following estimated useful lives:

Furniture and fixtures 3 - 7 years
Computer equipment 3 - 7 years
Website 5 years
Database software 5 years

The cost of assets sold or otherwise disposed of and the accumulated depreciation thereon are eliminated from the accounts and the resulting gain or loss is reflected in income except for assets traded where no cash is received. Expenditures for maintenance and repairs are charged to income as incurred; replacements and betterments in excess of \$2,500 that extend the useful lives are capitalized.

Recently adopted accounting standards - Leases

In 2022, the Organization adopted Accounting Standards Update (ASU) No. 2016-02, *Leases*, which requires lessees to recognize material leases on the balance sheet and disclose key information about leasing arrangements. The Organization elected not to restate the comparative period (2021). It also elected not to reassess at adoption; (i) expired or existing contracts to determine whether they are or contain a lease, (ii) the lease classification of any existing leases, or (iii) initial direct costs for existing leases. As a result of implementing ASU No. 2016-02, the Organization evaluated its leases and concluded that there are no material leases, which would require a right-of-use assets and related lease liabilities to be recorded (See Note 9).

The Organization determines if an arrangement is or contains a lease at inception. Material leases are included in right-of-use (ROU) assets and lease liabilities in the balance sheet. ROU assets and lease liabilities reflect the present value of the future minimum lease payments over the lease term, and ROU assets also include prepaid or accrued rent. Operating lease expense would be recognized on a straight-line basis over the lease term. The Organization does not report ROU assets and lease liabilities for its short-term leases (leases with a term of 12 months or less) and leases below the ROU assets capitalization policy of \$50,000. Instead, the lease payments of those leases are reported as lease expense on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2022 and 2021

2. <u>Summary of significant accounting policies</u> (continued)

Revenue and revenue recognition

The Organization recognizes contributions when cash, securities or other assets; an unconditional promise to give; or a notification of a beneficial interest is received. Contributions received are recorded as net assets without donor restrictions or net assets with donor restrictions, depending on the existence and/or nature of any donor-imposed restrictions. When a restriction expires (that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished), net assets with donor restrictions are reclassified to net assets without donor restrictions and reported in the statements of activities as net assets released from restrictions. Conditional promises to give; that is, those with a measurable performance or other barrier and a right of return; are not recognized until the conditions on which they depend have been met.

Contributions of nonfinancial assets are reflected as contributions at their fair value at the date of donation and are reported as support without donor restrictions unless explicit donor stipulations specify how donated assets must be used (see Note 13).

Contributed property and equipment are recorded at fair value at the date of donation. Contributions with donor-imposed stipulations regarding how long the contributed assets must be used are recorded as net assets with donor restrictions; otherwise, the contributions are recorded as net assets without donor restrictions.

The Organization recognizes revenue from conference and seminar events when the events take place. Amounts received prior to the commencement of the conference and seminar events, including deposits, are deferred to the applicable period. Financial aid is provided to certain attendees and is recorded as a reduction to fees at the time revenue is recognized.

A portion of the Organization's revenue is derived from cost-reimbursable federal and state contracts and grants, which are conditioned upon certain performance requirements and/or the incurrence of allowable qualifying expenses. Amounts received are recognized as revenue when the Organization has incurred expenditures in compliance with specific contract or grant provisions. Amounts received on cost reimbursement grants, prior to incurring qualifying expenditures, are reported as refundable advances in the balance sheet. Under the terms of funding agreements with various governmental agencies, all reported expenditures are subject to audit and acceptance by the funding agencies. In the opinion of management, adjustments, if any, resulting from future audits, should not have a material effect on the Organization's financial position or changes in its net assets.

On January 29, 2021, the Organization was granted and received a loan in the amount of \$175,327 pursuant to the Paycheck Protection Program (the PPP). The PPP, established as part of the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act ("CARES Act"), provides for loans to qualifying businesses for amounts up to 2.5 times of the average monthly payroll expenses of the qualifying business. The EIDL loan was originally established as a loan to be repaid and has subsequently been allowed to be forgiven as part of the PPP loan. The loans and related interest are forgivable as long as the borrower uses the loan proceeds for eligible purposes, including payroll, benefits, rent and utilities, and maintains its payroll levels.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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2. Summary of significant accounting policies (continued)

Revenue and revenue recognition (continued)

The Organization has determined the PPP to be a forgivable grant, as such, it has recorded the proceeds of the loan as grant income and has included it in revenues as of December 31, 2021. This was based on a review of the PPP requirements and expectation that the Organization has met all conditions for forgiveness by the Small Business Administration (SBA). The application for forgiveness was approved by the SBA in April 2022.

Membership dues, which are nonrefundable, are comprised of an exchange element based on the value of benefits provided, and a contribution element for the difference between the total dues paid and the exchange element. The Organization recognizes the exchange portion of membership dues over the membership period and the contribution portion immediately.

In-kind contributions and contributed services

In-kind contributions are reflected as contributions at their fair value at the date of donation and are reported as without donor restrictions support unless explicit donor stipulations specify how donated assets must be used. Donated specialized services have been recognized in the accompanying financial statements. These donated services require professional skills, and would typically be purchased if not provided by donation. The Organization recognizes the fair value of contributed services received if such services a) create or enhance nonfinancial assets, or, b) require specialized skills that are provided by individuals possessing those skills. The Organization benefited from donated legal and other consulting services, which were valued at \$0 and \$15,300 during the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively. This amount has been reported as both in-kind contribution support and expenses on the statement of activities.

Functional allocation of expenses

The costs of providing various programs and support services have been summarized on a functional basis in the statement of activities and in the statement of functional expenses. Accordingly, natural expenses attributable to more than one functional expense category are allocated using a variety of cost allocation techniques such as time and effort, and square footage.

Income taxes

The Organization is a tax-exempt organization as defined by Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, though it is subject to tax on income unrelated to its exempt purpose, unless that income is otherwise excluded by the Code. The Organization has processes presently in place to ensure the maintenance of its tax-exempt status; to identify and report unrelated income; to determine its filing and tax obligations in jurisdictions for which it has nexus; and to identify and evaluate other matters that may be considered tax positions. The Organization has determined that there are no material uncertain tax positions that require recognition or disclosure in the financial statements.

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3. Risks and uncertainties

Financial instruments that potentially subject the Organization to concentrations of credit risk consist of cash, investments, pledges, grants, and conference sponsorship receivable. The Organization maintains its cash in bank deposit accounts, the balances of which, at times, may exceed federally insured limits. Investments are maintained at brokerage institutions. Exposure to credit risk is reduced by placing such deposits in high quality financial institutions and insured brokerage houses. Concentrations of credit risk with respect to pledges and grants receivable are limited due to the fact that they are from substantial contributors and established foundations and have short payment periods. Credit risk from conference sponsorship receivable is limited due to the fact that the receivables are from members and are based on a fee-for-service arrangement. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of investment securities will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the statement of financial position.

The Organization has reviewed its operations in light of the COVID-19 pandemic in order to determine the impact on its operations and finances. Due to the effect of COVID-19, membership dues and program fees have decreased since 2019 as the Organization offered to members a reduced option to "pay what you can". The Organization also canceled its annual conference for 2022 and 2021, as well as having canceled this conference initially in 2020 resulting from the COVID pandemic. The Organization has plans to resume a conference program in the upcoming year. The Organization believes that the pandemic may continue to have a limited effect on its operations and finances, but the full impact cannot be determined or quantified at this time. In addition, the Federal and State responses to the pandemic could change the analysis done by the Organization, and that change could be material.

4. Availability and liquidity

The following represents the Organization's financial assets at December 31, 2022, which is available for operations within one year:

Financial assets at year end:

Cash Investments Grant receivable Conference sponsorship receivable Pledges receivables, due in one year Subsequent year's endowment payout Total financial assets	\$ 132,714 966,606 31,000 2,425 85,786 14,226 1,232,757
Less amounts not available to be used within one year:	
Net assets with donor restrictions Less net assets with purpose restrictions to be met	568,200
in less than a year	 (486,000)
Financial assets available to meet cash needs for	 82,200
operating expenditures within one year	\$ 1,150,557

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

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4. Availability and liquidity (continued)

The Organization's goal is generally to maintain financial assets to meet 90 days of operating expenses, net of in-kind (approximately \$350,000). As part of its liquidity plan, excess cash is invested in short-term investments, including money market accounts. In addition to these available financial assets, a significant portion of the Organization's annual expenditures will be funded by current year operating revenues including grants, membership dues, and contributions.

The governing board has also designated a reserve fund that may be drawn upon in the event of financial distress or an immediate liquidity need resulting from events outside the typical life cycle of converting financial assets to cash or settling financial liabilities.

5. <u>Pledges receivable</u>

Pledges receivable that are expected to be collected within one year are recorded at their net realizable value. Pledges receivable that are expected to be collected in future years are recorded at the present value of their estimated future cash flows. Discount was computed using the risk-free interest of approximately 1.0% for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021. Pledges receivable are due as follows at December 31:

	2022	2021
One year or less Two to five years	\$ 85,786	327,786 20,000
Less discount	85,786	347,786
	\$ 85,786	\$ 347,453

The difference between the amounts pledged and collected has historically been insignificant. Accordingly, no provision has been made for uncollectible amounts.

6. Investments

Investment securities are carried at fair value and consist of the following at December 31:

	20	22		20	21	
	 Cost	F	air value	 Cost	F	air value
Cash	\$ 48,685	\$	48,685	\$ 312,016	\$	312,016
Stock funds	493,981		538,129	469,194		570,455
Bond funds	331,588		298,506	320,791		315,351
Stocks	 93,443		81,286	 94,426		107,786
	\$ 967,697	\$	966,606	\$ 1,196,427	\$	1,305,608

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2022 and 2021

6. <u>Investments</u> (continued)

The following schedule summarizes the investment return for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021. The classification of the investment return is reported on the statement of activities.

	 2022	-	2021
Dividend and interest income Realized and unrealized gain (loss) on investments	\$ 44,245 (111,248)	\$	63,709 58,044
Investment income	\$ (67,003)	\$	121,753

Consistent with the Organization's spending policy, \$14,605 and \$13,978 of the endowment assets were appropriated and spent for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively (see Note 12).

7. Fair value measurement

The classification of the Organization's investment securities at fair value are as follows at December 31:

		2	2022		
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3		Total
Cash Stock funds Bond funds Stocks	\$ 48,685 538,129 298,506 81,286) 5	\$	\$	48,685 538,129 298,506 81,286
	\$ 966,606	\$	\$	\$	966,606
		2	2021		
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3		Total
Cash Stock funds Bond funds Stocks	\$ 312,016 570,455 315,35 107,786	5 I	\$	\$	312,016 570,455 315,351 107,786
	\$ 1,305,608	3 \$	\$	<u>\$</u>	1,305,608

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8. Property and equipment

Property and equipment consist of the following at December 31:

	 2022	 2021
Furniture and fixtures Computer equipment Website Database software	\$ 15,092 37,693 751,285 178,283	\$ 15,092 36,144 751,285 178,283
Less accumulated depreciation	 982,353 925,192 57,161	\$ 980,804 846,065 134,739

Depreciation expense was \$79,127 and \$106,119 for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

9. Leases - commitment and contingencies

The Organization had leased its offices under a sublease with an initial expiration date of November 30, 2019. In December of 2019, this lease was initially renewed until November 30, 2022. The base rent was \$4,818 per month and includes an escalation clause of 3.5% per year on a compounded basis. On August 25, 2020, the Organization signed an addendum agreement to this lease. As a result of the signed addendum, the Organization was not liable for monthly rent from July 1, 2020 – December 31, 2020. On December 29, 2020, the Organization signed an additional addendum agreement, which delayed the originally scheduled 3.5% rent increase from December 1, 2020 to July 1, 2021. The termination date of this original lease was changed from November 30, 2022 to July 31, 2021, ending this lease entirely.

On July 26, 2021, the Organization signed a new sublease agreement with a different landlord for twelve months. Monthly rent under this new sublease is \$2,200 from August 1, 2021 to July 31, 2022. Under the new sublease, the Organization is no longer responsible for a proportionate share of the building's real estate costs and common area maintenance expenses. Future minimum commitments on the remaining sublease are scheduled below.

Rent expense was \$24,920 and \$57,861 for the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

The minimum annual rental payments under these leases for future years are \$0.

10. Major sources of support

For the year ended December 31, 2022, two donors accounted for approximately 39% of total support and revenues. For the year ended December 31, 2021, two donors accounted for approximately 35% of total support and revenues.

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11. Net assets

Net assets were available as follows at December 31, 2022 and 2021:

	2022					2021				
		Without donor strictions	re	With donor estrictions		Total	Without donor restrictions	With donor restrictions	Total	
Undesignated	\$	584,066	\$		\$	584,066	\$1,032,183	\$	\$1,032,183	
Board designated reserve fund		66,500				66,500	66,500		66,500	
Specific purpose: CAELI Creative Aging Distance Learning Equity, Inclusion, and Diversity (EID) capacity building project Leadership Campaign				25,000 35,000 60,000		25,000 35,000 60,000		25,000 87,500 50,000	25,000 87,500 50,000	
Passage of time: For periods after December 31				178,466		178,466		462,966	462,966	
Endowment fund				269,734		269,734		299,721	299,721	
Total net assets	\$	650,566	\$	568,200	<u>\$</u>	1,218,766	\$1,098,683	\$1,025,187	\$2,123,870	

Releases from net assets with donor restrictions as follows during the year ended December 31:

	2022		 2021	
Satisfaction of purpose restrictions: To support personnel expenses in response to and recovery				
from COVID-19 Creative Aging PPP and EIDL Loan - payroll and operational expenditures	\$	150,000 87,500	\$ 405,208 175,327	
Distance Learning Creative Youth Development		50,000	100,150 50,000	
Leadership Campaign Equity, Inclusion, and Diversity (EID) capacity building project		50,000 40,000	50,000	
Purchase of Equipment and Furnishings Creative Aging Institutes		,	6,500 5,000	
Passage of time:				
For periods after December 31 Appropriation of endowment assets for expenditure		284,500 14,605	 456,846 13,978	
	\$	676,605	\$ 1,263,009	

As of December 31, 2022 and 2021, the Board of Directors has designated \$66,500 for both years, of net assets without donor restrictions, as a board reserve fund to allow flexibility for project support or opportunity. Since that amount resulted from an internal designation and is not donor restricted, it is classified as net assets without donor restrictions.

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12. Endowment funds

The Organization's endowments consist of donor-restricted endowment funds. Net assets associated with endowment funds are classified and reported based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions.

The Board of Trustees of the Organization is responsible for the long-term investment policies for donor-restricted endowment funds. The Board of Trustees has established a policy whereby 5% of the three-year rolling average of the year-end value or the fund balance may be draw down, if needed. No such distribution shall be made to the extent it would reduce the value below the endowed corpus.

The Organization interprets the UPMIFA of the State of New York as requiring the preservation of the fair value of the original gift as of the gift date of the donor-restricted endowment funds, absent explicit donor stipulations to the contrary. As a result of this interpretation, the Organization classifies as net assets with donor restrictions (a) the original value of gifts donated to the permanent endowment, (b) the original value of subsequent gifts to the permanent endowment, and (c) accumulations to the permanent endowment made in accordance with the direction of the applicable donor gift instrument at the time the accumulation is added to the fund.

Changes in endowment net assets were as follows for the year ended December 31, 2022:

	Appreciation	Historical gift value	Total	
Endowment net assets, January 1, 2022	\$ 151,206	\$ 148,515	\$ 299,721	
Investment return: Dividend and interest income Net depreciation in fair value	10,157 (25,539)		10,157 (25,539)	
Total investment return	(15,382)		(15,382)	
Appropriation of endowment assets for expenditure	(14,605)		(14,605)	
Endowment net assets, December 31, 2022	\$ 121,219	\$ 148,515	\$ 269,734	

Changes in endowment net assets were as follows for the year ended December 31, 2021:

	Appreciation		Historical gift value		 Total	
Endowment net assets, January 1, 2021	\$ 13	35,574_	\$	148,515	\$ 284,089	
Investment return: Dividend and interest income Net appreciation in fair value		15,494 14,116			 15,494 14,116	
Total investment return		29,610_			 29,610	
Appropriation of endowment assets for expenditure	(13,978)			 (13,978)	
Endowment net assets, December 31, 2021	\$ 1	51,206	\$	148,515	\$ 299,721	

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Contributed nonfinancial assets

Donated legal services have been recognized as support and revenue; and, related expense on the accompanying financial statements. Donated services require professional skills, and would typically be purchased if not provided by donation and are valued based on current rates for similar services. The Foundation received contributed legal services from an attorney which were valued based on current rates for similar legal services during the year ended December 31, 2021. These are reported as part of in-kind professional services in the statement of functional expenses.

The Organization did not receive donated services for the year ended December 31, 2022.

		2021						
	Program services		Management and general		Fundraising		Total	
Consulting fees and honoraria	\$	15,300	\$	-	\$	_	\$	15,300

14. Retirement plans

The Organization offers a SIMPLE IRA plan to eligible employees with an employer match of up to 3% of eligible compensation. Matching contributions amounted to \$12,719 and \$13,309 during the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

The Organization also established a 457(b) plan for certain employees. Contributions towards this plan are discretionary and are determined by the Board. The Organization contributed \$0 and \$8,000 to this plan during the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

15. Subsequent events

Subsequent events have been evaluated through June 26, 2023, which is the date the financial statements were available to be issued. The Organization is not aware of any material subsequent events.