FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

${\bf SHIAWASSEE}\ {\bf COMMUNITY}\ {\bf FOUNDATION, INC.}$

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Directors Shiawassee Community Foundation, Inc. Owosso, Michigan 48867

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Shiawassee Community Foundation, Inc. (a nonprofit corporation), which comprise the statements of financial position as of September 30, 2022 and 2021, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses and cash flows 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 Shiawassee Community Foundation, Inc. as of September 30, 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 audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Shiawassee Community Foundation, Inc. and to meet our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the relevant ethical requirement relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis of 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 statement, management is required to evaluate whether there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Shiawassee Community Foundation, Inc.'s ability to continue as a going concern within one year after the date that the financial statements are available to be issued.

Auditor's Responsibility 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 Shiawassee Community Foundation, 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 presentations of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial
 doubt about Shiawassee Community Foundation, 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.

CHBW & Co., P.C.

Certified Public Accountants

STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION

SEPTEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

A	SSETS 2	022	2021
ASSETS			
Cash and equivalents Accounts receivable	\$	170,772	87,886 14,527
Investments Prepaid expense	9	,642,488	11,910,234 9,969
Office equipment Accumulated depreciation		5,283 (3,550)	3,283 (3,283)
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 9	9,814,993	12,022,616
LIABILITIES	AND NET ASSETS		
LIABILITIES			
Payroll-related liabilities Assets held for others (agency)	\$	5,900 \$ 455,536	5,367 362,790
TOTAL LIABILITIES		461,436	368,157
NET ASSETS			
Without donor restrictions	3	,563,568	4,408,746
With donor restrictions	5	5,789,989	7,245,713
TOTAL NET ASSETS	9	0,353,557	11,654,459
	\$ 9	,814,993 \$	12,022,616

STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES

YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

		2022			2021		
	WITHOUT DONOR RESTRICTIONS	WITH DONOR RESTRICTIONS	TOTAL	WITHOUT DONOR RESTRICTIONS	WITH DONOR RESTRICTIONS)OI	TOTAL
OTHER SUPPORT Contributions & grants Gifts-in-kind Net investment returns (losses) Agency fees	\$ 97,496 2,600 (707,332) 1,480	\$ 16,968	\$ 114,464 2,600 (1,836,611) 1,480	\$ 223,235 746,876 4,283	\$ 5,640	•	228,875 2,023,403 4,283
TOTAL REVENUES, GAINS (LOSSES) AND OTHER SUPPORT	(605,756)	(1,112,311)	(1,718,067)	974,394	1,282,167	7	2,256,561
NET ASSETS RELEASED FROM RESTRICTIONS Restrictions satisfied by payments for purpose	343,413	(343,413)		319,753	(319,753)		
EXPENSES Program Services: Grants and scholarships Other	388,620 90,810		388,620 90,810	320,075 81,571			320,075 81,571
Supporting Services. Management & general Fundraising	60,347 43,058		60,347 43,058	57,186 33,249			57,186 33,249
TOTAL EXPENSES	582,835		582,835	492,081			492,081
CHANGES IN NET ASSETS	(845,178)	(1,455,724)	(2,300,902)	802,066	962,414	-	1,764,480
NET ASSETS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	4,408,746	7,245,713	11,654,459	3,606,680	6,283,299	5	6,889,979
NET ASSETS, END OF YEAR	\$ 3,563,568	\$ 5,789,989	\$ 9,353,557	\$ 4,408,746	\$ 7,245,713	\$ 11	11,654,459

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

STATEMENTS OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES

YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

		20	2022			20	2021	**************************************
	PROGRAM SERVICES	SUPPORTING SERVICES MANAGEMENT & GENERAL FUNDRAIS	G SERVICES FUNDRAISING	TOTAL	PROGRAM SERVICES	SUPPORTIN MANAGEMENT & GENERAL	SUPPORTING SERVICES AGEMENT SENERAL FUNDRAISING	TOTAL
GRANTS & SCHOLARSHIPS	\$ 388,620	↔	65	\$ 388,620	\$ 320,075	69	6 9	\$ 320,075
PAYROLL Salaries Payroll taxes	56,601	25,728	20,582	102,911	50,577	22,989	18,391	91,957
TOTAL PAYROLL	60,873	27,670	22,135	110,678	54,571	24,804	19,843	99,218
OFFICE-RELATED EXPENSES Equip rental & maintenance	686	317	249	1.247	833	179	303	 616.
Rent	2.541	1.155	924	4,620	2.541	1.155	924	4,620
Utilities	886	449	360	1,797	1,047	476	381	1,904
Telephone	829	377	301	1,507	1,175	534	427	2,136
Internet	341	155	124	620	359	163	131	653
Website	530	241	192	696	499	722	182	806
Software platform fees	12,503	5,684	4,547	22,734	10,189	4,631	3,705	18,525
Technology	969	316	253	1,265				
Insurance	2,602	1,183	946	4,731	1,052	478	382	1,912
Postage	724	329	263	1,316	594	270	216	1,080
Office supplies	2,780	1,263	1,011	5,054	4,024	1,829	1,464	7,317
TOTAL OFFICE-RELATED EXPENSES	25,220	11,464	9,170	45,854	22,313	10,142	8,115	40,570
OTHER EXPENSES								
Printing	663	301	241	1,205	1,170	532	426	2,128
Appeals and brochures			2,120	2,120			1,737	1,737
Travel & mileage	171	7.8	62	311	147	29	53	267
Meetings, conferences & training	1,077	490	391	1,958	707	321	257	1,285
Consulting		4,107		4,107		2,580		2,580
Professional fees		11,452		11,452		13,596		13,596
Payroll service fee		3,035		3,035		3,350		3,350
Special project events			7,919	616,7			1,850	1,850
Dues & membership	2,806	1,275	1,020	5,101	2,663	1,210	896	4,841
Depreciation		/97		/97		*04		702
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TOTAL OTHER EXPENSES	4,717	21,213	11,753	37,683	4,687	22,240	5,291	32,218

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements

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TOTAL EXPENSES

STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

	2022	2021
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Changes in net assets	\$ (2,300,902)	\$ 1,764,480
Adjustment to reconcile the change in net assets	, (, , ,	7 2,101,100
to net cash provided by (used in) operating activities:		
Net unrealized (gains) losses on investments	2,726,949	(1,482,100)
Net realized (gains) losses on sale of investments	(167,504)	(197,043)
(Increase) decrease in current assets		
Accounts receivable	14,527	(14,527)
Prepaid expense	9,969	(1,477)
Increase (decrease) in current liabilities		
Accounts payable		(2,285)
Grants payable		(1,000)
Payroll-related liabilities	533	67
Due to other agencies	92,746	80,293
NET CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN)		
OPERATING ACTIVITIES	376,318	146,408
CASH FLOW FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Net purchases and proceeds of investments	(299,654)	(76,479)
Principal collections on land contract receivable	6,222	5,802
NET CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN)		
INVESTING ACTIVITIES	(293,432)	(70,677)
CASH FLOW FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Note proceeds - Payroll Protection Program Loan		18,225
Repayment - Payroll Protection Program Loan		(5,500)
Forgiveness - Payroll Protection Program Loan		(34,604)
NET CASH PROVIDED BY (USED IN)		
FINANCING ACTIVITIES		(21,879)
NET CHANGE IN CASH AND EQUIVALENTS	82,886	53,852
CASH AND EQUIVALENTS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	87,886	34,034
CASH AND EQUIVALENTS, END OF YEAR	\$ 170,772	\$ 87,886

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

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

NOTE 1: NATURE OF OPERATIONS AND SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Organization Activities

The Shiawassee Community Foundation (the "Foundation") was incorporated in 1995 as a nonprofit corporation to fulfill its mission to solicit, collect, receive and administer funds exclusively for such religious, charitable, literary and educational purposes, as permitted for organizations defined in section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Service, as will best promote and enhance the well-being of Michigan residents. The Foundation is primarily supported by contributions and investment earnings.

Basis of Accounting

The financial statements of the Foundation have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. Under this basis revenue/gains and expenses/losses are recognized in the period when earned or incurred, respectively.

To ensure observance of limitations and restrictions placed on the use of available resources, for internal accounting and stewardship purposes, the accounts of the Foundation are maintained in accordance with the principles of fund accounting. This is the procedure by which resources for various purposes are classified for accounting and internal reporting into funds established according to their nature and purpose.

Basis of Presentation

Net assets, revenues, gains, and losses are classified on the existence or absence of donor or grantor imposed restrictions. Accordingly, net assets and changes therein are classified and reported as follows:

Net assets without donor restrictions — Net assets not subject to donor-imposed restrictions comprised of resources that are available for general operations and fulfilling the purpose of donor established funds subject to agreements that grant variance power to the Foundation. Furthermore, the governing board has designated resources from these net assets establishing a board-designated (quasi) endowment.

Net assets with donor restrictions – Net assets subject to donor-imposed restrictions that are temporary in nature will be satisfied by the passage of time or other events specified by the donor. These net assets also comprise resources subject to donor-imposed restrictions that require the original gift be maintained in perpetuity and are not subject to variance power.

Cash and Equivalents

Cash and equivalents consist of deposits in checking, savings and money market funds. From time to time during the year, deposits may exceed the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation insured limits. However, all deposits were under the insured limit of \$250,000 at September 30, 2022 and 2021.

Investments

Investments in mutual and managed funds, unit investment trusts and bonds are carried at quoted market value as determined by quoted market prices. Investment returns are comprised of interest, dividends, realized and unrealized gains that are netted against investment fees. Investment earnings available for distribution are recorded in net assets without donor restrictions. Investment earnings with donor restrictions are recorded in net assets with donor restrictions. Investment in a land contract is accounted for based on amortized cost, which approximates fair value.

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Risks and Uncertainties

The Foundation invests in various investment securities that are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, market, and credit risks. 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 financial statements.

Office Equipment

Office equipment with a cost of \$1,000 or more and having a useful life of greater than one year is capitalized. Donated office equipment is recorded at fair market value on the date of donation. Depreciation is computed using the straight-line method over the useful lives of the assets which range from 3 to 5 years. Costs of repairs and maintenance that do not add value or extend the useful life of assets are expensed when incurred.

Funds Held in Agency

The Foundation has adopted guidance to record transfers of assets to a not-for-profit organization that holds contributions for others. Accounting standards specifically require transactions in which a community foundation accepts a contribution from a donor and agrees to transfer those assets, the return on investment of those assets, or both to the donor or another entity that is specified by the donor. The standard specifically requires that if a not-for-profit organization (NPO) establishes a fund at a community foundation with its own funds and specifies itself as the beneficiary of that fund, the community foundation must account for the transfer of such assets as a liability.

Revenue Recognition

Contributions are recognized when cash, securities, other assets, unconditional promises to give, and notification of beneficial interest is received, measured at fair value. Conditional promises to give are not recognized until the conditions on which they depend have been substantially met. Contributions without donor-imposed restrictions and contributions with donor-imposed time or purpose restrictions that are met in the same period are reported as unrestricted support in net assets without donor restrictions, whereas restricted gifts for which restrictions are not met are reported in net assets with donor restrictions.

Functional Allocation of Expenses

Total expenses are comprised of program services, management and general, and fundraising. Costs are allocated between program and supporting services on an actual basis, where available, or based upon reasonable methods. Although methods of allocation used are considered appropriate, other methods could be used that would produce different amounts.

Grants and Scholarships Payable

Grants and scholarships authorized (by the Board of Trustees) and agreements signed by a recipient that are unpaid at year-end are charged to the respective donor fund as an expense and are reported as liabilities.

Fundraising Expense

Administrative expense includes costs related to fundraising in addition to fund event expense that is incurred by funds primarily to promote growth in their endowments.

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Administrative Fees

The Foundation's administrative operating fund charges a management fee to each donor fund to support the cost of its administrative operating budget. This fee is 1.50% of the average fund balance, with the exception of scholarship funds that are charged 2.0% and designated/agency funds that are charged 1.25%. For the years ended September 30, 2022 and 2021, the Foundation generated \$176,054 and \$181,357 in administrative fees, respectively.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Income Tax Status

The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) has ruled that the Foundation is a public charity as described in Sections 509(a)(1) and 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) of the Internal Revenue Code. Consequently, the Foundation is exempt from federal income taxes and qualifies as a charitable foundation under Section 501(c)(3). The Foundation is required to operate in conformity with the IRC to maintain its charitable status. The Foundation is not aware of any course of action or series of events that have occurred that might adversely affect its charitable status. Additionally, tax years that remain subject to tax examination by the IRS and the State of Michigan are 2018-2020. The Foundation may be subject to routine audits by taxing jurisdictions; however, currently there are no audits for any tax periods that have been initiated or that are in progress.

Subsequent Events

Management has evaluated subsequent events through the auditor's report date, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

NOTE 2: LIQUIDITY AND AVAILABILITY

Financial assets available for general expenditures, that is, without donor or other restrictions limiting their use, within one year of the statement of financial position, comprise the following:

	 2022		2021
Cash and equivalents Accounts receivable	\$ 70,772	\$	87,886 14,527
Investments	 9,642,488		11,910,234
Total financial assets – end of year	\$ 9,813,260	\$	12,012,627
Less: Financial assets unavailable for general expenditures			
Donor-endowed assets	(8,755,880)	(10,944,127)
Board-designated endowments	(157,740)		(227,723)
Assets held for others (agency)	(455,536)		(362,790)
Other donor-imposed restricted assets	(5,561)		(6,816)
Add: Estimated spendable	 587,691		730,994
Financial assets available to meet cash needs for general			
expenditures within one year	\$ 1,026,234	\$_	1,202,165

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Historically the Foundation has maintained approximately three to four months of liquid assets to support general operating expenditures that average \$15,000 per month, and periodically liquidates investments to support payout of grants and scholarships based on the Foundation's spendable policy during those cycles that occur primarily during the months of November and May through July. Donor contributions are collected sporadically throughout the year and are not relied upon to support operations, but rather increase the value of the Foundation's endowment to the extent such monies are directed to endowed funds.

The Foundation's investment policy provides for a target of 60% allocation to equities with a range between 30% minimum and 70% maximum. As such there is a minimum of 30% of investments that have same-day liquidity, if needed. However, the Board of Directors would have to approve any expenditures in excess of the approved operating budget and spendable amounts allotted to endowed funds pursuant to the spendable policy.

NOTE 3: CONTRIBUTED SERVICES

During the years ended September 30, 2022 and 2021, the Foundation benefited from approximately 30 volunteers contributing services to its mission. The number of hours contributed was not quantified and reflected in the financial statements because the services did not meet the criteria of accounting standards, which only permits recognition for specialized skills.

NOTE 4: FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

FASB ASC 820, Fair Value Measurements, establishes a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques. Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. A fair value measurement assumes that the transaction to sell the asset or transfer the liability occurs in the principal market for the asset or liability or, in the absence of a principal market, the most advantageous market. Valuation techniques that are consistent with the market, income or cost approach are used to measure fair value. The fair value hierarchy prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value into three broad levels.

- Level 1 Unadjusted quoted market prices for identical assets or liabilities in an active market that the Foundation has the ability to access.
- Level 2 Inputs other than quoted prices in active markets that are observable for the asset or liability, either directly or indirectly.
- Level 3 Unobservable inputs for the asset or liability and that rely on management's own assumptions about the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability (the unobservable inputs should be developed based on the best information available in the circumstances and may include the Foundation's own data).

Following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis at September 30, 2022 and 2021:

- Mutual Funds, Managed Futures Hedge Funds, Unit Investment Trusts, and Corporate Bonds: Valued by broker program, management's estimates based on book values.
- Land contract: Valued at amortized cost, which approximates fair value.

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The following table sets forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Foundation's assets at fair value:

	September 30, 2022							
		Level 1		Level 2		Level 3		Total
Investments:								
Mutual funds	\$	7,491,683	\$		\$		\$	7,491,683
Stocks		350,026						350,026
Bonds		714,103						714,103
Managed future hedge funds						260,098		260,098
Unit investment trusts		653,154						653,154
Land contract						173,424		173,424
	\$	9,208,966	\$		\$	433,522	\$	9,642,488

		Septe	mber 30), 2021	
	 Level 1	Level 2		Level 3	Total
Investments:					
Mutual funds	\$ 9,223,733	\$	\$		\$ 9,223,733
Stocks	487,550				487,550
Bonds	1,074,519				1,074,519
Managed future hedge funds				201,899	201,899
Unit investment trusts	742,887			ŕ	742,887
Land contract				179,646	179,645
	\$ 11,408,212	\$	\$	381,545	\$ 11,910,234

Level 3 Gains and Losses

The following table sets forth a summary of changes in the fair value of the level 3 investments:

	 2022		
Balance at beginning of year	\$ 381,545	\$	365,223
Change in value	58,199		22,124
Principal collections reinvested	 (6,222)		(5,802)
Balance at end of year	 433,522	\$	381,545

Managed Futures Hedge Funds

Campbell Strategic Allocation Fund LP - (2022) \$176,289 / (2021) \$120,478

Capital is potentially allocated across 100 different markets around the world, which have been carefully selected based on objectives as follows: reduce overall portfolio volatility and enhance returns by adding non-correlated assets; provide global diversification within a single investment; provide the potential to profit regardless of the economic environment; generate returns independent of the stock and bond markets; achieve capital appreciation over the medium to long-term. These objectives are driven by a diversified portfolio comprised of commodities, equities, domestic and foreign treasury obligations.

Global Macro Trust - (2022) \$83,809 / (2021) \$81,421

The trust is organized to seek profit opportunities on trading of futures, forwards, and option contracts in global fixed-income instruments, currencies, stock indices and commodities.

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Unit Investment Trusts

First Trust Inflation Hedge Ser #1 invests in common stocks of metals and mining companies and exchange-traded funds which are designed to track gold, silver, copper, or U.S. Treasury securities.

Land Contract

Investment in a land contract received from an estate is collectible in monthly installments of \$1,550, which includes interest at 7%, maturing November 1, 2022, with a balloon payment due on outstanding balance.

Investment Earnings

Following are the components of investment earnings for the years ended September 30, 2022 and 2021:

	2022	 2021
Equity and Debt Securities		
Interest and dividends	\$ 642,817	\$ 369,626
Net realized gains (losses)	87,913	197,043
Unrealized gains (losses)	(2,553,208)	1,482,100
Investment advisory fees	(26,511)	(38,163)
Land contract interest	12,378	 12,797
	\$ (1,836,611)	 2,023,403

NOTE 5: ASSETS HELD FOR OTHERS (AGENCY)

In accordance with accounting standards, a liability has been established for a portion of the fair value of the funds, which is generally equivalent to the present value of future payments which may be made to NPOs.

At September 30, 2022 and 2021, the Foundation holds five agency endowment funds with a fair value totaling \$455,536 and \$362,790, respectively. The following table summarizes fund activity during the year:

			2021	
Agency Endowment Fund balances at October 1	\$	362,790	\$	282,497
Contributions / interfund gifts		173,044		25,895
Investment income / loss		(75,974)		62,468
Grants		(1,942)		(2,602)
Operating and investment fees		(2,382)	,	(5,468)
Agency Endowment Fund balances at September 30		455,536	\$	362,790

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NOTE 6: ENDOWMENT

FASB ASC 958-205-50 provides guidance on net asset classification of donor-restricted endowment funds subject to the Uniform Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act (UPMIFA). The Foundation's Board of Trustees has adopted State of Michigan's enacted UPMIFA as policy governing the accumulation and appropriation of endowment gifts. UPMIFA provides organizations the ability to distribute corpus of any trust or separate gift, devise, bequest, or fund as the Board in its sole discretion shall determine.

In accordance with UPMIFA, the Foundation considers the following factors in making a determination to accumulate or appropriate endowment funds:

- (1) The duration and preservation of the fund
- (2) The purposes of the Foundation, the nature of the endowment funds, and donor restrictions
- (3) General economic conditions
- (4) The possible effect of inflation and deflation
- (5) The expected total return from income and the appreciation of investments
- (6) Other resources of the organization
- (7) The investment policies of the organization

Furthermore, the majority of the Foundation's agreements with donors include a variance provision, giving the Board of Trustees the power to vary the use of endowed funds if a restriction becomes, in effect, unnecessary, incapable of fulfillment or inconsistent with the charitable needs of the area served by the Foundation. Based on these provisions, most contributions received by the Foundation are reported as unrestricted support. Any gift instrument received that is not established in accordance with the aforementioned that limits the Board's authority to accumulate or appropriate for expenditures, explicitly, is classified as either temporarily or permanently restricted net assets pursuant to the provisions of UPMIFA.

Investment Policy

Return Objectives and Risk Parameters – The Foundation has adopted investment and spending policies for endowment assets that attempt to provide a predictable stream of funding to programs supported by its endowment while seeking to maintain the purchasing power of the endowment assets; the Foundation's spending and investment policies work together to achieve this objective. The investment policy establishes an achievable return objective through diversification of endowment assets. The current long-term objective is to return 7.85%, net of investment fees. Actual returns in any given year may vary from this amount.

Strategies Employed for Achieving Objectives – To satisfy its long-term rate-of-return objectives, the Foundation relies on a total return strategy in which investment returns are achieved through both capital appreciation (realized and unrealized) and current yield (interest and dividends). The Foundation has developed a diversified asset allocation to achieve its long-term objectives within prudent risk parameters.

Spending Policy

The spending policy calculates the amount of money annually distributed from the Foundation's various endowment funds, for grant making, scholarships and administration. The current spending policy is based on the previous twenty-eight quarters' moving average balance of the market value of the endowment ending September 30th, with an average 4.5% payout amount (agency funds 4.75% and all other funds 4.25%) for granting and an average administrative fee of 1.50%. Accordingly, over the long-term, the Foundation expects the current spending policy to allow its endowment assets to grow at an average rate of approximately 1.64% annually. This is consistent with the Foundation's objective to maintain the purchasing power of endowment assets as well as to provide additional real growth through new gifts and investment returns. The Foundation's Board reviews and modifies the spending policy annually based on economic conditions.

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Changes in endowment for the year ended September 30, 2022:

	Without Donor	With Donor	
	Restriction	Restriction	Total
Beginning of Year	\$ 3,705,230	\$ 7,238,897	\$10,944,127
Contributions	\$ 62,383	\$ 16,968	\$ 79,351
Net investment returns	(607,273)	(1,128,156)	(1,735,429)
Amounts appropriated for expenditure	(188,888)	(343,281)	(532,169)
Change in Endowment	\$ (733,778)	\$ (1,454,469)	\$ (2,188,247)
End of Year	\$ 2,971,452	\$ 5,784,428	\$ 8,755,880
Endowment composition by type of fund as of			
	Without Donor	With Donor	T . t
Endowment Funds:	Restriction	Restriction	Total
Scholarships	\$ 1,463,290	\$ 1,430,474	\$ 2,893,764
Designated	893,286	2,394,714	3,288,000
Field of interest	136,406	1,920,850	2,057,256
Multi-purpose	478,470	1,520,050	478,470
Donor-advised	., 0, ., 0	38,390	38,390
End of Year	\$ 2,971,452	\$ 5,784,428	\$ 8,755,880
Total net asset composition at September 30, 2			
	Without Donor	With Donor	
	Restriction	Restriction	Total
Endowment funds	\$ 2,971,452	\$ 5,784,428	\$ 8,755,880
Board designated - quasi endowment	157,740		157,740
Non-endowment funds	434,376	5,561	439,937
Total Net Assets, End of Year	\$ 3,563,568	\$ 5,789,989	\$ 9,353,557

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Changes in endowment for the year ended September 30, 2021:

	Without Donor With Donor			
	Restriction	Restriction	Total	
Beginning of Year	\$ 3,097,850	\$6,277,552	\$ 9,375,402	
Contributions	\$ 120,097	\$ 5,640	\$ 125,737	
Net investment returns	650,801	1,275,328	1,926,129	
Amounts appropriated for expenditure	(163,518)	(319,623)	(483,141)	
Change in Endowment	\$ 607,380	\$ 961,345	\$ 1,568,725	
End of Year	\$ 3,705,230	\$ 7,238,897	\$10,944,127	
Endowment composition by type of fund as of September 30, 2021:				
	Without Donor	With Donor		
	Restriction	Restriction	Total	
Endowment Funds:				
Scholarships	\$ 1,821,783	\$1,828,209	\$ 3,649,992	
Designated	1,111,711	2,953,645	4,065,356	
Field of interest	164,978	2,419,434	2,584,412	
Multi-purpose	606,758		606,758	
Donor-advised		37,609	37,609	
End of Year	\$ 3,705,230	\$ 7,238,897	\$10,944,127	
Total net asset composition at September 30, 2				
	Without Donor	With Donor		
	Restriction	Restriction	Total	
Endowment funds	\$ 3,705,230	\$ 7,238,897	\$10,944,127	
Board designated - quasi endowment	227,723		227,723	
Non-endowment funds	475,793	6,816	482,609	
Total Net Assets, End of Year	\$ 4,408,746	\$7,245,713	\$11,654,459	

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NOTE 7: DEBT

Paycheck Protection Program Loan – On April 23, 2020 and February 22, 2021, the Foundation received loan proceeds in the amount of \$21,879 and \$18,225, respectively, under the Paycheck Protection Program ("PPP") through the Small Business Administration. 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 loans and accrued interest are forgivable after eight weeks as long as the borrower uses the loan proceeds for eligible purposes, including payroll, benefits, rent and utilities, and maintains its payroll levels. The amount of loan forgiveness will be reduced if the borrower terminates employees or reduces salaries during the eight-week period. The unforgiven portion of the PPP loan is payable over two years at an interest rate of 1%, with a deferral of payments for the first six months.

Upon expending the PPP monies pursuant to established guidelines the Foundation applied for forgiveness of payment for both loans. In response to the Foundation's submission the Small Business Administration issued a Notice of Forgiveness in the amount of \$16,380 and \$18,225, with payment due of \$5,500 on the first round of PPP loan monies that were not fully expended. The total amount forgiven in 2021 is recognized as revenue under contributions and grants.

NOTE 8: BOARD-DESIGNATED ENDOWMENT FUNDS

The Foundation's net assets without donor restrictions include amounts that have been designated by the Board of Directors as endowment funds. These endowments totaling \$157,740 and \$227,723 for years ended September 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively, are available for disbursement at the discretion of the Board and are subject to the Foundation's spending policy. Disbursements generally made are philanthropic grants that support the key objectives of the Foundation's mission.

NOTE 9: RESTRICTED NET ASSETS

Restricted net assets are available for the following purposes:

	2022		2021	
Temporarily Restricted				
Scholarships	\$	1,352,213	\$	1,749,948
Environmental education		1,434,872		1,756,757
Education		83,094		104,535
Arts, culture and humanities		70,241		77,199
Animal-related activities		942,379		1,175,161
Youth development		661,174		845,512
Health		1,162,457		1,451,880
Recreation	***************************************	5,298		6,460
	\$	5,711,728	\$	7,167,452
Permanently Restricted				
Scholarships		78,261	\$	78,261

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NOTE 10: NET ASSETS RELEASED FROM DONOR RESTRICTIONS

Net assets were released from donor restrictions by incurring expense satisfying restricted purposes specified by the donors as follows for the years ended September 30, 2022 and 2021:

	2022	2021
Scholarships	\$ 107,98	80 \$ 99,022
Environmental education	81,38	34 79,362
Education	4,67	73 6,742
Arts, culture and humanities	3,64	4 3,231
Animal-related activities	43,18	36,453
Youth development	48,80)7 41,529
Health	53,64	18 53,321
Recreation		94 93
	\$ 343,41	\$ 319,753

NOTE 11: OPERATING LEASES & SUBSCRIPTIONS

Operating Leases

Occupancy – The Foundation leases its office in monthly installments of \$385, and incurred lease expense totaling \$4,620 for the years ended September 30, 2022 and 2021. The lease is renewable annually.

Photo Copiers – The Foundation leases a photocopier, over thirty-six months requiring monthly installments of \$125 plus a per print rate through November 2023. During the years ended September 30, 2022 and 2021, the Foundation incurred lease expense of \$1,500.

Subscriptions

The Foundation subscription agreements for cloud-based software for accounting/donor data base and online scholarship applications are as follows:

The accounting/donor data base subscription was effective 1/1/20, payable in annual installments of \$8,500 for three years. The Foundation discontinued the subscription in 2021. Online scholarship applications subscription was effective 10/1/19, payable in annual installments of \$5,200 for five years through September 2023. Expense incurred totaled \$6,700 and \$15,200 for years ended September 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively.

Following are the future minimum subscription payments:

Year	Sub	scriptions	Photocopier		Total	
2023	\$	5,200	\$	1,500	\$	6,700
2024				1,500		1,500
	\$	5,200	\$	3,000	\$	8,200

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NOTE 12: GIFTS-IN-KIND

During the year the Foundation received the following gifts-in-kind without restrictions for use in operations. The gifts are valued based on replacement cost.

Conference room table and chairs	\$ 2,000
Flat screen television	 600
	\$ 2,600

NOTE 13: RESTATEMENT

Certain prior year notes disclosures throughout have been reclassified to conform with current year presentation.