

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

SEPTEMBER 30, 2024 and 2023

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Board of Directors New York Cares, Inc.

#### **Report on the Audit of the Financial Statements**

#### **Opinion**

We have audited the financial statements of New York Cares, Inc. (the "Organization"), which comprise the statements of financial position as of September 30, 2024 and 2023, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for each of the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of New York Cares, Inc. as of September 30, 2024 and 2023, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for each of 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 ("GAAS"). 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 the Organization 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 these 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 the Organization's ability to continue as a going concern for 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 auditors' 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 GAAS 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 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 GAAS, 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 the Organization'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 the Organization'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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May 8, 2025



## **Statements of Financial Position**

	September 23,		
	2024	2023	
ASSETS			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 4,854,63	<b>7</b> \$ 4,395,952	
Pledges receivable, net	2,520,17		
Investments	5,309,00	<b>2</b> 4,644,249	
Prepaid expenses and other assets	516,43	<b>3</b> 694,255	
Right-of-use asset – operating lease	2,638,63	4 -	
Property and equipment, net	325,68	9,813	
Total assets	\$ 16,164,57	<b>0</b> \$ 12,422,660	
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS			
Liabilities:			
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$ 732,60	<b>0</b> \$ 733,171	
Refundable advances	543,44	<b>4</b> 278,395	
Lease liability	2,858,09	<u> </u>	
Total liabilities	4,134,13	<b>4</b> 1,011,566	
Lease agreements and commitments (Note L)			
Net assets:			
Without donor restrictions:			
Undesignated, available for general operations	5,140,78	<b>8</b> 5,707,258	
Board-designated endowment fund	4,942,08	<b>7</b> 4,296,153	
Total net assets without donor restrictions	10,082,87	<u>10,003,411</u>	
With donor restrictions:			
Purpose and/or time-restricted for future periods	1,947,56	<b>1</b> ,407,683	
Total net assets	12,030,43	<u>11,411,094</u>	
Total liabilities and net assets	<u>\$ 16,164,57</u>	<b>0</b> \$ 12,422,660	

## **Statements of Activities**

	Year Ended September 30,						
		2024		2023			
	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Total	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	. Total	
Public support and revenue:  Contributions and grants:  Foundations  Corporations  Government  Individuals  Special events, (net of direct benefits to donors of \$254,925 and \$197,432 in fiscal years 2024 and 2023, respectively)  Investment income, net	\$ 585,419 3,786,017 37,623 2,293,844 703,484 250,371	\$ 129,790 627,600 433,000 41,067 302,600	\$ 715,209 4,413,617 470,623 2,334,911 1,006,084 250,371	\$ 786,918 3,637,590 2,117,399 1,841,460 1,652,187 154,103	\$ 282,913 464,950 182,500 405,292 71,930	\$ 1,069,831 4,102,540 2,299,899 2,246,752 1,724,117 154,103	
Public support and revenue before donated goods and services Donated goods and services (Note E)	7,656,758 3,899,640	1,534,057	9,190,815 3,899,640	10,189,657 889,511	1,407,585 	11,597,242 889,511	
Total public support and revenue before net assets released from restriction  Net assets released from restriction	11,556,398 994,179	1,534,057 (994,179)	13,090,455 	11,079,168 1,636,994	1,407,585 (1,636,994)	12,486,753 	
Total public support and revenue	12,550,577	539,878	13,090,455	12,716,162	(229,409)	12,486,753	
Expenses: Program services General and administration Fund-raising  Total expenses	10,889,861 523,420 1,583,491 12,996,772	- - -	10,889,861 523,420 1,583,491 12,996,772	8,804,588 506,883 1,632,117 10,943,588		8,804,588 506,883 1,632,117	
Other changes:	12,990,772		12,996,772	10,943,366		10,943,366	
Net realized and unrealized gains on investments	525,659		525,659	138,246		138,246	
Change in net assets Net assets, beginning of year	79,464 10,003,411	539,878 1,407,683	619,342 11,411,094	1,910,820 8,092,591	(229,409) 1,637,092	1,681,411 9,729,683	
Net assets, end of year	\$ 10,082,875	\$ 1,947,561	\$ 12,030,436	\$ 10,003,411	\$ 1,407,683	\$ 11,411,094	

## **Statements of Functional Expenses**

Year	Ended	Septem	ber 30,
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•			2024					2023		
	Program Services	Suj	pporting Services	s		Program Services	Sup	porting Service	es.	
	Volunteer Program	General and Administration	Fund- raising	Total Supporting Services	Total	Volunteer Program	General and Administration	Fund- raising	Total Supporting Activities	Total
Project expenses	\$ 2,529,047	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 2,529,047	\$ 2,241,063	\$ - 9	-	\$ -	\$ 2,241,063
Salaries	3,746,048	293,718	610,347	904,065	4,650,113	3,837,354	338,649	715,433	1,054,082	4,891,436
Payroll taxes and employee benefits	882,898	58,461	129,943	188,404	1,071,302	830,207	59,393	144,204	203,597	1,033,804
Rent and related expenses	259,286	15,422	35,904	51,326	310,612	386,068	17,549	35,097	52,646	438,714
Technology and telecommunications	418,451	35,812	60,451	96,263	514,714	552,194	7,166	83,342	90,508	642,702
Printing and reproduction	35,196	957	5,277	6,234	41,430	25,956	843	5,830	6,673	32,629
Professional fees	291,385	95,639	64,511	160,150	451,535	375,484	73,145	62,015	135,160	510,644
Outreach/advertising (including in-kind advertising of \$2,389,983 and \$307,723 in fiscal years 2024 and 2023, respectively)	2,537,718	-	7,776	7,776	2,545,494	371.147	-	12,522	12,522	383,669
Fund-raising fees (telemarketing)	-	-	91,039	91,039	91,039	-	-	110,045	110,045	110,045
Postage and shipping	5,245	312	726	1,038	6,283	6,682	382	1,043	1,425	8,107
Office expenses	85,917	17,230	10,777	28,007	113,924	84,710	4,460	11,778	16,238	100,948
Bad debt	· -	-	393,159	393,159	393,159	-	-	332,587	332,587	332,587
Catering and event planning	-	-	414,842	414,842	414,842	-	-	301,047	301,047	301,047
Insurance	72,515	4,313	10,042	14,355	86,870	75,384	4,306	11,763	16,069	91,453
Total expenses before depreciation and amortization Depreciation and amortization	10,863,706 26,155	521,864 1,556	1,834,794 3,622	2,356,658 5,178	13,220,364 31,333	8,786,249 18,339	505,893 990	1,826,706 2,843	2,332,599 3,833	11,118,848 22,172
Total expenses	10,889,861	523,420	1,838,416	2,361,836	13,251,697	8,804,588	506,883	1,829,549	2,336,432	11,141,020
Less: direct benefits to donors		<u>-</u>	(254,925)	(254,925)	(254,925)			(197,432)	(197,432)	(197,432)
Total expenses per statements of activities	\$ 10,889,861	\$ 523,420	\$ 1,583,491	\$ 2,106,911	\$ 12,996,772	\$ 8,804,588	\$ 506,883	1,632,117	\$ 2,139,000	\$ 10,943,588

## **Statements of Cash Flows**

	Year Ended September 30,			
		2024		2023
Cash flows from operating activities: Change in net assets	\$	619,342	\$	1,681,411
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash provided by operating activities:				
Depreciation and amortization		31,333		22,172
Bad debt expense		393,159		332,587
Noncash lease amortization		138,277		-
Net realized and unrealized gains on investments Changes in:		(525,659)		(138,246)
Pledges receivable, net		(234,943)		(688,708)
Prepaid expenses and other assets		177,823		(58,189)
Accounts payable and accrued expenses		(49,068)		28,978
Refundable advances		265,049		71,872
Lease liability		81,179		-
Deferred rent obligation				(86,840)
Net cash provided by operating activities		896,492		1,165,037
Cash flows from investing activities:				
Purchases of investments		(413,385)		(124,142)
Proceeds from sales of investments		274,290		28,014
Purchases of property and equipment		(298,712)		(9,813)
Net cash used in investing activities		(437,807)		(105,941)
Increase in cash and cash equivalents		458,685		1,059,096
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year		4,395,952		3,336,856
Cash and cash equivalents, end of year	<u>\$</u>	4,854,637	\$	4,395,952
Supplemental disclosure of cash flow information:				
Noncash donations of goods and services	<u>\$</u>	<u>3,899,640                                    </u>	\$	889,511
Purchases of property and equipment included in accounts payable	\$	<u>48,497</u>	\$	
Noncash lease liability arising from obtaining right-of-use asset	\$	2,776,911	\$	<u>-</u>

Notes to Financial Statements September 30, 2024 and 2023

#### NOTE A - ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

## [1] The Organization:

New York Cares, Inc. (the "Organization") is a not-for-profit organization incorporated under the laws of the State of New York. Founded in 1987, the Organization meets pressing community needs by mobilizing thousands of caring New Yorkers in service each year on (i) a wide variety of hands-on, year-round volunteer projects, (ii) corporate-sponsored employee engagement opportunities, and (iii) signature events (such as the New York Cares Coat Drive, Winter Wishes, and Stand with Students). The Organization partners with nonprofits, schools, and disaster-relief organizations ("Community Partners") to address their ongoing volunteer recruitment needs and manages tens of thousands of projects annually that scale impact to serve communities across NYC. The Organization's volunteers address city-wide inequities, including education, hunger, social isolation, and the ongoing maintenance of schools, parks, and gardens. Programs provide tutoring, social-emotional learning, workforce development, socialization with seniors, meal distribution, environmental stewardship, and more.

The Organization is exempt from federal income taxes under Section 501(c)(3) of the U.S. Internal Revenue Code, and from state and local taxes under comparable laws.

#### [2] Basis of accounting:

The financial statements of the Organization have been prepared using the accrual basis of accounting and conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAP"), as applicable to not-for-profit entities.

#### [3] Use of estimates:

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets, liabilities, public support and revenue, and expenses, as well as the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

#### [4] Cash and cash equivalents:

The Organization considers all highly liquid investments, with a maturity of three months or less when purchased, to be cash equivalents, with the exception of money-market funds, which are held as part of the investment portfolio.

## [5] Investments:

The Organization's investments in equity and fixed income mutual funds are reported at their fair values in the statements of financial position based on quoted market prices as of each fiscal year-end. Cash and cash equivalents held as part of the investment portfolio are also included in the balances reported as investments. The Organization's investments, in general, are subject to various risks, such as interest-rate, market, and credit risks. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment vehicles, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the values of those securities could occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the financial statements.

Investment transactions are recorded on a trade-date basis. Realized gains and losses on investments sold, and unrealized appreciation or depreciation on investments held, are reported in the statements of activities as increases or decreases in net assets without donor restrictions, unless their use is restricted through donor stipulation. Realized gains and losses on investments are determined by comparison of the cost at acquisition to the proceeds at the time of disposition. Unrealized gains and losses on investments are determined by comparing the investments' cost to the fair values at the end of each fiscal year. The earnings from dividends and interest are recognized when earned.

Notes to Financial Statements September 30, 2024 and 2023

## NOTE A - ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### [5] Investments: (continued)

The Organization's policy is to sell the donated securities immediately and, accordingly, for purposes of the statements of cash flows, donated securities and the proceeds generated from their sale are included within operating activities.

Investment expenses include the services of the investment manager. The balances of investment management fees disclosed in Note C are those specific fees charged by the Organization's investment manager in each fiscal year; however, they do not include those fees that are embedded in investment transactions.

## [6] Property and equipment:

Property and equipment are stated at their original costs at the dates of acquisition, or, if contributed, at their fair values at the dates of donation, net of accumulated depreciation and amortization. The Organization capitalizes items of property and equipment that have a cost of \$1,000 or more and useful lives greater than one year, whereas minor costs of repairs and maintenance are expensed as incurred. Depreciation is provided using the straight-line method over a period of 7 years for computers, furniture, and equipment. Amortization of leasehold improvements is provided using the straight-line method over the terms of the lease, or the useful lives of the improvements, whichever is shorter.

Management evaluates the recoverability of the investment in long-lived assets on an ongoing basis and when triggering events indicate that the fair value of the long-lived assets may be less than the carrying value, recognizes any impairment in the year of determination. There were no triggering events occurring which would impact property and equipment requiring management to test for, or adjust for, impairment losses during fiscal year 2024 or 2023. However, it is reasonably possible that relevant conditions could change in the near term and necessitate a change in management's estimate of the recoverability of these assets.

#### [7] Accrued vacation:

Accrued vacation represents the Organization's obligation for the cost of unused employee vacation time payable in the event that all employees left the Organization. As of September 30, 2024 and 2023, the accrued vacation obligation was approximately \$167,000 and \$89,000, respectively, and has included within accounts payable and accrued expenses in the statements of financial position.

## [8] Net assets:

The net assets of the Organization and changes therein are classified and reported as follows:

#### (i) Net assets without donor restrictions:

Net assets without donor restrictions represent those resources for which there are no restrictions by donors as to their use and are categorized as follows:

- Undesignated, available for general operations undesignated and available for the ongoing activities and working capital needs of the Organization.
- Board-designated endowment fund designated by the Board of Directors to function as an endowment.

Notes to Financial Statements September 30, 2024 and 2023

## NOTE A - ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### [8] Net assets: (continued)

#### (ii) Net assets with donor restrictions:

Net assets with donor restrictions, represent those resources the use of which has been restricted by donors to specific purposes and/or a specific period of time. Net assets released from restrictions, which are reclassified as net assets without donor restrictions and reported in the statements of activities as net assets released from restrictions, represent one of the following: (i) the satisfaction of the restricted purposes specified by the donors; or (ii) the passage of time.

## [9] Revenue recognition:

#### (i) Contributions, grants and pledges:

Contributions and grants received in support of current operations are reported as "without donor restrictions" in the statements of activities. Contributions which support future operations or contain donor-restricted purposes are reported as "with donor restrictions". Contributions to the Organization are recognized as revenue upon the receipt of cash, other assets, or of unconditional pledges. Contributions to be received after one year are discounted at an appropriate interest rate, commensurate with the risk involved.

## (ii) Special events:

The Organization conducts special events for which the food and beverages may be donated. A portion of the gross proceeds paid by the attendees represents payment for the direct cost of the benefits received by the attendees at the event. Such special-event income is reported net of the direct costs of the event that are attributable to the benefits that the donors receive.

#### (iii) Donated goods and services (contribution of nonfinancial assets):

From time-to-time, the Organization receives various forms of gifts-in-kind, which are contributions of nonfinancial assets, including donated merchandise, advertisements, and legal services. These types of contributions are reported at their estimated fair value on the date of receipt and reported as expenses when utilized. Donated goods are valued based upon estimates of fair value that would be received for selling the goods in their principal marketplace considering their condition and utility for use at the time the goods are contributed by the donor. It is the Organization's policy that contributions of nonfinancial assets are only utilized within operations to support the Organization's mission and not monetized.

For recognition of donated services, such services must: (i) create or enhance nonfinancial assets; (ii) typically need to be acquired, if not provided by donation; (iii) require a specialized skill; and (iv) be provided by individuals possessing these skills.

Unpaid volunteers have made significant contributions of their time to assist the Organization in carrying out its mission. However, these contributed services have not been recognized in the accompanying financial statements because they do not meet the criteria for recognition under U.S. GAAP.

Notes to Financial Statements September 30, 2024 and 2023

## NOTE A - ORGANIZATION AND SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### [10] Leases:

The Organization determines if an arrangement is a lease at inception. For the Organization's operating lease, a right-of-use ("ROU") asset represents the Organization's right to use an underlying asset for the lease term and an operating lease liability represents an obligation to make lease payments arising from the lease. The ROU asset and lease liability are recognized at the lease commencement date based on the present value of lease payments over the lease term. Since the Organization's lease agreement does not provide an implicit interest rate, the Organization uses a risk-free rate based on the information available at the commencement date in determining the present value of the lease payments. Operating lease expense is recognized on a straight-line basis over the lease term, subject to any changes in the lease or expectations regarding the terms. There are no variable lease costs.

#### [11] Functional allocation of expenses:

The Organization's financial statements report certain categories of expenses that are attributable to program and supporting services of the Organization. These costs have been summarized on a functional basis in the accompanying statements of activities. The statements of functional expenses present expenses by function and natural classification. Accordingly, certain costs that are directly attributable to a specific functional area of the Organization are reported as expenses of those functional areas. Within program expenses are project expenses that relate to the cost of supplies for the various volunteer projects. The expenses that are allocated include rent and related expenses and insurance, all of which have been allocated on a square-footage basis. Technology and telecommunications, printing and reproduction, and supplies and office expenses have been allocated on the basis of utilization of resources by department, whereas salaries, benefits, and taxes have been allocated on the basis of estimates of time and effort.

#### [12] Income taxes:

The Organization is subject to the provisions of the Financial Accounting Standards Board's (the "FASB") Accounting Standards Codification ("ASC") Topic 740, *Income Taxes*, as it relates to accounting and reporting for uncertainty in income taxes. Because of the Organization's general tax-exempt status, management believes ASC Topic 740 has not had, and is not anticipated to have, a material impact on the Organization's financial statements.

#### [13] Reclassification:

Certain information in the prior year's financial statements was reclassified to conform to the current year's presentation. These changes had no effect on the net assets reported in the prior year's financial statements.

#### [14] Subsequent events:

The Organization evaluated subsequent events through May 8, 2025, the date on which the financial statements were available to be issued.

Notes to Financial Statements September 30, 2024 and 2023

## NOTE B - PLEDGES RECEIVABLE

At each fiscal year-end, pledges receivable consisted of the following:

	September 30,			
	_	2024		2023
Less than one year	\$	2,899,466	\$	2,060,552
One to five years	_	15,000		963,000
		2,914,466		3,023,552
Less: discount to present value of 4%		(1,132)		(12,574)
Less: allowance for uncollectible amounts		(393,159)		(332,587)
	<u>\$</u>	2,520,175	\$	2,678,391

An allowance for uncollectible pledges receivable is provided, using management's judgment of potential defaults, which considers factors such as the prior-collection history, the type of contribution, and the nature of fund-raising activity.

## **NOTE C - INVESTMENTS**

At each fiscal year-end, investments consisted of the following:

	September 30,								
		20	24			20	23	23	
	F	air Value		Cost	F	air Value		Cost	
Money-market funds Mutual funds:	\$	366,915	\$	366,915	\$	348,096	\$	348,096	
Bond funds		3,917,322		4,069,382		3,339,841		3,721,434	
Stock fund		1,024,765		440,240		956,312		538,649	
	\$	5,309,002	\$	4,876,537	\$	4,644,249	\$	4,608,179	

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#### NOTE C - INVESTMENTS (CONTINUED)

During each fiscal year, investment earnings consisted of the following:

		Year Ended September 30,				
		2024	2023			
Interest and dividends Investment fees	\$	280,371 (30,000)	\$	184,103 (30,000)		
Net investment income		250,371		154,103		
Unrealized gains Realized gains (losses)	_	396,395 129,264		140,232 (1,986)		
Total unrealized and realized gains (losses)		525,659		138,246		
Total investment return	\$	776,030	\$	292,349		

The FASB's ASC Topic 820, *Fair Value Measurements*, establishes a three-level valuation hierarchy of fair-value measurements. These valuation techniques are based upon observable and unobservable inputs. Observable inputs reflect market data obtained from independent sources, while unobservable inputs reflect market assumptions. These two types of inputs create the following fair-value hierarchy:

- Level 1: Valuations are based on observable inputs that reflect quoted market prices in active markets for identical investments at the reporting date.
- Level 2: Valuations are based on: (i) quoted prices for similar investments in active markets; or (ii) quoted prices for those investments, or similar investments, in markets that are not active; or (iii) pricing inputs other than quoted prices that are directly or indirectly observable at the reporting date.
- Level 3: Valuations are based on pricing inputs that are unobservable and includes situations where: (i) there is little, if any, market activity for the investments; or (ii) the investments cannot be independently valued.

The availability of market data is monitored by the Organization to assess the appropriate classification of financial instruments within the fair-value hierarchy. Changes in economic conditions or valuation techniques may require the transfer of financial instruments from one level to another. In such instances, the transfer is reported at the beginning of the reporting period.

The Organization's investments were valued entirely as Level 1 of the fair-value hierarchy for both fiscal years 2024 and 2023.

Notes to Financial Statements September 30, 2024 and 2023

#### **NOTE D - PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT**

At each fiscal year-end, property and equipment consisted of the following:

	September 30,			
		2024		2023
Furniture and equipment Leasehold improvements	\$	179,434 177,588	\$	9,813
Less: accumulated depreciation and amortization	_	357,022 (31,333)		9,813 <u>-</u>
	\$	325,689	\$	9,813

As of June 30, 2023, the Organization disposed of fully depreciated leasehold improvements, computers, and furniture and equipment related to the previous office space that were no longer in use in the amount of \$898,202. There were no disposals during fiscal year 2024.

#### **NOTE E - DONATED GOODS AND SERVICES**

The tables below disclose the in-kind donations received in each fiscal year, as well as the valuation techniques and inputs, the existence of donor restrictions, and the utilization in accordance with Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") 2020-07:

		Year Ended September 30, 2024						
	Revenue Recognized	Utilization in Programs/Activities	Donor Restrictions	Valuation Techniques and Inputs				
Donated coats	\$ 1,294,063	Coats for homeless program	None	Valued using published indices for similar donated apparel.				
Donated advertising/ PSAs	\$ 2,389,983	Communications	None	Valued using published indices for similarly placed ads.				
Donated legal services	\$ 132,261	Various administrative matters	N/A	Contributed services are considered to reflect fair market rates for services performed in the New York marketplace.				
Donated usage of warehouse space	\$ 83,333	Coats for homeless program	None	In valuing the contributed warehouse space located in Manhattan, the Organization estimated the fair value on the basis of comparable rent prices in Manhattan.				
Total	\$ 3,899,640							

Notes to Financial Statements September 30, 2024 and 2023

NOTE E - DONATED GOODS AND SERVICES (CONTINUED)

	Year Ended September 30, 2023							
	Revenue Recognized	Utilization in Programs/Activities	Donor Restrictions	Valuation Techniques and Inputs				
Donated coats	\$ 318,820	Coats program for homeless	None	Valued using published indices for similar donated apparel.				
Donated advertising/ PSAs	\$ 307,723	Communications	None	Valued using published indices for similarly placed ads.				
Donated legal services	\$ 179,635	Various administrative matters	N/A	Contributed services are considered to reflect fair market rates for services performed in the New York marketplace.				
Donated usage of warehouse space	\$ 83,333	Coats program for homeless	None	In valuing the contributed warehouse space located in Manhattan, the Organization estimated the fair value on the basis of comparable rent prices in Manhattan.				
Total	\$ 889,511							

#### NOTE F - DAYS OF SERVICE

During fiscal-years 2024 and 2023, corporate sponsors funded approximately \$837,000 and \$637,000 in program-related supplies and expenses that benefit the Organization's community partners, respectively. The Organization requires the funding for these supplies and expenses to be received from corporate sponsors in advance of the projects for which they are incurred. However, in rare cases, the Organization may incur expenses related to a project prior to receiving this funding. When this occurs, the Organization creates a receivable position and works with the sponsor to ensure that these funds are collected before additional projects can be planned and executed. These projects were planned and managed by the Organization's staff members through the Organization's customized corporate-service programs. As the program-related supplies and expenses are incurred, the Organization recognizes both revenue and expenses of the same amount. As of September 30, 2024 and 2023, \$543,444 and \$278,395, respectively, was recognized as refundable advances on the statements of financial position for projects that had not yet taken place.

#### **NOTE G - NET ASSETS WITH DONOR RESTRICTIONS**

At each fiscal year-end, net assets with donor restrictions consisted of the following:

		September 30,			
	2024		2023		
Subject to the passage of time:					
Pledges	\$	1,786,645	\$	1,265,303	
December coat drive		60,700		45,000	
Winter benefit		100,000		71,930	
Subject to purpose restrictions:					
Cash for coats		216		25,450	
	<u>\$</u>	1,947,561	\$	1,407,683	

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## NOTE G - NET ASSETS WITH DONOR RESTRICTIONS (CONTINUED)

During each fiscal year, net assets with donor restrictions released from restriction were for the following:

	 September 30,			
	 2024		2023	
Expiration of time restrictions:				
Pledges	\$ 851,799	\$	878,197	
December coat drive	45,000		56,818	
NYC Marathon	-		98	
Winter benefit	71,930		512,881	
Satisfaction of purpose restrictions:				
Cash for coats	25,450		150,000	
Winter wishes	 <u>-</u>		39,000	
	\$ 994,179	\$	1,636,994	

#### NOTE H - ACCOUNTING AND REPORTING FOR THE ENDOWMENT

## [1] Net assets without donor restrictions (Board-designated endowment fund):

The Organization's endowment consists solely of a Board-designated fund. The Board-designated endowment fund is comprised of resources designated by the Board of Directors to be used for growth and sustainability of the Organization.

## [2] Interpretation of relevant law:

The Organization adheres to the provisions of the New York Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act ("NYPMIFA") that are applicable to assets held for endowment.

## [3] Changes in endowment net assets during each fiscal year:

	Without Donor Restrictions			
	September 30,			
	2024			2023
Board-designated fund, beginning of year	\$	4,296,153	\$	4,077,112
Investment return:				
Dividend income, net		120,275		80,795
Net realized and unrealized appreciation		525,659		138,246
Total investment return		645,934		219,041
Board-designated fund, end of year	\$	4,942,087	\$	4,296,153

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#### NOTE H - ACCOUNTING AND REPORTING FOR THE ENDOWMENT (CONTINUED)

#### [4] Return objectives and strategies employed for achieving objectives:

The Organization has adopted an investment policy for its endowment assets that attempts to provide a predictable stream of funding for the future needs and goals of the Organization. Endowment assets are invested in a diversified manner, so that up to 50% is invested in equities and the balance is invested in high-quality bonds and other fixed-income securities, to maximize return with a low risk.

## [5] Spending policy:

The Executive Committee of the Board of Directors of the Organization has a policy of appropriating for distribution each year up to 5% of the total value of the funds, averaged over the year. If the total return in a single year is less than or equal to 5% of the corpus, and is greater than zero, the Executive Committee of the Board of Directors may decide to transfer an amount up to the total return for the year. The Executive Committee elected not to appropriate the Organization's endowment fund during either fiscal year.

## NOTE I - LIQUIDITY AND AVAILABILITY OF RESOURCES

The following reflects the Organization's financial assets as of September 30, 2024 and 2023, reduced by amounts not available for general use within one year due to donor-imposed restrictions or internal designations. Amounts not available include amounts set aside by the Board of Directors for growth and sustainability of the Organization that could be drawn upon if the Board of Directors approves the action.

The Organization's financial assets available within one year of the statements of financial position dates for general expenditure are as follows:

	September 30			
		2024		2023
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	4,854,637	\$	4,395,952
Pledges receivable, net		2,520,175	•	2,678,391
Investments		5,309,002		4,644,248
Total financial assets available within one year		12,683,814		11,718,591
Less: amounts unavailable for general expenditures within one year, due to: Restrictions by donors for:				
Purpose and/or time restrictions		(1,947,561)		(1,407,683)
Amounts unavailable to management without the Board's approval:  Board-designated endowment fund		(4,942,087)	_	(4,296,153)
Total financial assets available to meet cash needs				
for general expenditures within one year	\$	5,794,166	\$	6,014,755

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#### NOTE I - LIQUIDITY AND AVAILABILITY OF RESOURCES (CONTINUED)

## Liquidity policy:

The Organization maintains a sufficient level of operating cash and short-term investments to be available as its general expenditures, liabilities, and other obligations come due as part of the Organization's liquidity management. Additionally, the Organization has a Board-designated endowment fund, whereby amounts could be made available for current operations, if necessary, however the Organization does not intend to spend this fund for purposes other than those identified.

#### NOTE J - EMPLOYEE-BENEFIT PLAN

The Organization maintains a Section 403(b) tax-deferred annuity plan for the benefit of its employees. All employees are eligible to participate, and employee contributions are based upon Internal Revenue Service and U.S. Department of Labor guidelines. Each plan year, the Board of Directors determines the amount of matching contributions, if any, for all eligible participants. The match contributed by the Organization in fiscal-years 2024 and 2023 was \$41,115 and \$44,101, respectively.

## NOTE K - CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

The Organization maintains its cash and cash equivalents in high-credit-quality financial institutions in amounts which, at times, may exceed federally insured limits. The Organization has not experienced any losses in such accounts, and management monitors the risk associated with concentrations on an ongoing basis.

#### NOTE L - LEASE AGREEMENTS AND COMMITMENTS

#### [1] Office Leases:

The Organization's existing office lease at 65 Broadway in New York City terminated on June 30, 2023, and this lease required a \$214,968 security deposit. The Organization entered into an eleven-year lease agreement for new space at 39 Broadway on June 22, 2023 with a commencement date of January 8, 2024. This lease agreement required that a security deposit of \$110,400 be paid in June 2023, and, as such, it is included in prepaid expenses in the statements of financial position along with the 65 Broadway security deposit, for a total of \$325,368 as of September 30, 2023. During fiscal year 2024, \$19,373 of the 65 Broadway lease's security deposit was used to cover moving costs including rubbish removal and water and electrical disconnection. Accordingly, as of September 30, 2024, security deposits included in prepaid expenses totaled \$305,995. In November 2024, the remaining security deposit for 65 Broadway of \$195,595 was returned to the Organization.

From July 1, 2023 through January 31, 2024, the Organization utilized temporary space within the same building at 39 Broadway, rented on a month-to-month basis for approximately \$10,000 per month.

Rental expense was approximately \$279,755 and \$414,000 in fiscal-years 2024 and 2023, respectively. The eleven-year lease agreement at 39 Broadway includes twelve months of free rent from the commencement date, which is amortized over the life of the lease under U.S. GAAP.

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## NOTE L - LEASE AGREEMENTS AND COMMITMENTS (CONTINUED)

## [1] Office Leases: (continued)

The future minimum lease payments on the above lease agreements are as follows:

Year Ending September 30,	2024		2023		
2024	•		ф	60,200	
2024	\$	-	\$	60,299	
2025		209,760		209,760	
2026		318,835		318,835	
2027		325,212		325,212	
2028		331,716		331,716	
2029		338,350		338,350	
Thereafter		2,097,152		2,097,152	
Total minimum lease payments	\$	3,621,025	\$	3,681,324	
Less amount representing interest	_	(762,935)			
Amount reported on the statements of financial position	\$	2,858,090			

The information presented below represents additional details related to the Organization's lease for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2024:

## Weighted average remaining lease term:

Operating lease - 11 years

## Weighted average discount rate:

Operating lease - 4.33%

## [2] Other contracts:

In the normal course of business, the Organization enters into various contracts for professional and other services, all of which are typically renewable on a year-to-year basis.