

GIRL SCOUTS OF GREATER ATLANTA, INC. MABLETON, GEORGIA AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

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# **INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT**

To the Board of Directors Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta, Inc. Mableton, Georgia

### Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta, Inc. (a nonprofit organization), which comprise the statements of financial position as of September 30, 2022 and 2021, and the related statements of activities and net assets, 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 Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta, 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 audits 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 Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta, 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 Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta, 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 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 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 Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta, 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 Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta, 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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February 9, 2023

# GIRL SCOUTS OF GREATER ATLANTA, INC. <u>STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION</u> <u>SEPTEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021</u>

#### ASSETS

	2022		 2021
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	3,640,922	\$ 3,141,818
Investment securities		1,618,942	2,032,752
Pledges receivable, net		103,039	114,688
Other receivables, net		63,738	1,297,575
Prepaid expenses and other assets		389,055	264,036
Inventory		290,567	256,546
Beneficial interests in trusts		18,485	16,595
Property and equipment, net		9,160,240	9,550,121
Deferred lease asset		51,411	-
Cash and cash equivalents - Endowment		449,597	474,285
Investment securities - Endowment		6,273,332	 8,049,002
Total assets	\$	22,059,328	\$ 25,197,418

#### LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS

	2022		2021	
LIABILITIES				
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$	928,285	\$	775,942
Deferred revenue		184,775		145,547
Paycheck Protection Program loan		-		1,726,196
Total liabilities		1,113,060		2,647,685
NET ASSETS				
Without donor restrictions				
Undesignated		13,788,236		13,755,582
Designated by the Board for an endowment		6,599,378		8,366,650
Total without donor restrictions		20,387,614		22,122,232
With donor restrictions		558,654		427,501
Total net assets		20,946,268		22,549,733
Total liabilities and net assets	\$	22,059,328	\$	25,197,418

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

# GIRL SCOUTS OF GREATER ATLANTA, INC. STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND NET ASSETS FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Total
REVENUES			
Contributions, gains and other support			
Contributions	\$ 3,759,933	\$ 615,612	\$ 4,375,545
Investment income	179,023	2,563	181,586
Net realized and unrealized loss on investments	(2,365,781)	(35,649)	(2,401,430)
Total contributions, gains and other support	1,573,175	582,526	2,155,701
Program services			
Gross product sales	15,550,309	-	15,550,309
Direct cost of product sales	(3,466,737)	-	(3,466,737)
Product sales revenue retained by troops	(2,850,566)		(2,850,566)
Net revenue from product sales	9,233,006	-	9,233,006
Retail store sales	631,377	-	631,377
Direct cost of retail store sales	(287,038)		(287,038)
Net revenue from retail store sales	344,339	-	344,339
Program fees	1,585,279	_	1,585,279
Miscellaneous income	213,999		213,999
Total program services	11,376,623		11,376,623
Total revenues	12,949,798	582,526	13,532,324
NET ASSETS RELEASED FROM RESTRICTIONS	451,373	(451,373)	-
EXPENSES	,		
Program services			
Girl Scout leadership experience	4,236,784	_	4,236,784
Outdoor programs	4,735,431	_	4,735,431
Member and volunteer services	3,981,317	-	3,981,317
Total program services expenses	12,953,532		12,953,532
Management and general	1,129,221	-	1,129,221
Fundraising	1,053,036		1,053,036
Total expenses	15,135,789		15,135,789
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	(1,734,618)	131,153	(1,603,465)
NET ASSETS AT SEPTEMBER 30, 2021	22,122,232	427,501	22,549,733
NET ASSETS AT SEPTEMBER 30, 2022	\$ 20,387,614	\$ 558,654	\$ 20,946,268

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# GIRL SCOUTS OF GREATER ATLANTA, INC. STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND NET ASSETS FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2021

	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Total
REVENUES			
Contributions, gains and other support			
Contributions	\$ 4,569,985	\$ 334,047	\$ 4,904,032
Investment income	107,134	1,484	108,618
Net realized and unrealized gain on investments	1,412,525	23,178	1,435,703
Total contributions, gains and other support	6,089,644	358,709	6,448,353
Program services			
Gross product sales	11,508,979	-	11,508,979
Direct cost of product sales	(3,021,420)	-	(3,021,420)
Product sales revenue retained by troops	(1,955,942)		(1,955,942)
Net revenue from product sales	6,531,617	-	6,531,617
Retail store sales	442,464	_	442,464
Direct cost of retail store sales	(218,611)		(218,611)
Net revenue from retail store sales	223,853	-	223,853
Program fees	1,251,318	-	1,251,318
Miscellaneous income	180,716		180,716
Total program services	8,187,504		8,187,504
Total revenues	14,277,148	358,709	14,635,857
NET ASSETS RELEASED FROM RESTRICTIONS	336,881	(336,881)	
EXPENSES			
Program services			
Girl Scout leadership experience	4,986,388	-	4,986,388
Outdoor programs	4,210,302	-	4,210,302
Member and volunteer services	3,992,630		3,992,630
Total program services expenses	13,189,320	-	13,189,320
Management and general	1,141,513	-	1,141,513
Fundraising	907,803		907,803
Total expenses	15,238,636		15,238,636
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	(624,607)	21,828	(602,779)
NET ASSETS AT SEPTEMBER 30, 2020	22,746,839	405,673	23,152,512
NET ASSETS AT SEPTEMBER 30, 2021	\$ 22,122,232	\$ 427,501	\$ 22,549,733

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## GIRL SCOUTS OF GREATER ATLANTA, INC. STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022

	<b>Girl Scout</b>		Member and	Total	Management		
	Leadership	Outdoor	Volunteer	Program	and		Total
	Experience	Programs	Services	Services	General	Fundraising	Expenses
Salaries	\$ 1,884,400	\$ 1,684,448	\$ 2,265,128	\$ 5,833,976	\$ 554,176	\$ 669,541	\$ 7,057,693
Staff health and retirement benefits	373,411	252,408	475,186	1,101,005	164,785	95,689	1,361,479
Payroll taxes	139,466	124,096	167,946	431,508	31,883	47,887	511,278
Total personnel	2,397,277	2,060,952	2,908,260	7,366,489	750,844	813,117	8,930,450
Occupancy	136,315	670,953	90,540	897,808	49,274	15,724	962,806
Supplies	171,884	480,196	169,425	821,505	12,294	23,172	856,971
Professional services and fees	159,898	171,078	141,648	472,624	148,631	49,779	671,034
Equipment, maintenance and repairs	132,014	126,137	147,776	405,927	61,513	60,011	527,451
Other expenses	257,420	64,906	49,903	372,229	7,752	11,911	391,892
Girl rewards - product sales	371,374	-	-	371,374	-	-	371,374
Insurance	43,203	190,335	53,311	286,849	30,073	9,569	326,491
Assistance and grants	161,144	74,131	55,965	291,240	-	-	291,240
Travel	89,531	102,837	66,123	258,491	3,488	6,821	268,800
Advertising, printing and promotion	104,460	34,636	103,093	242,189	3,187	9,622	254,998
Telecommunications	46,948	40,438	71,980	159,366	21,853	9,227	190,446
Postage and delivery	87,556	4,212	44,766	136,534	485	4,598	141,617
Conferences and meetings	18,364	44,924	22,632	85,920	8,297	29,454	123,671
Total expenses before depreciation	4,177,388	4,065,735	3,925,422	12,168,545	1,097,691	1,043,005	14,309,241
Depreciation	59,396	669,696	55,895	784,987	31,530	10,031	826,548
Total expenses	\$ 4,236,784	\$ 4,735,431	\$ 3,981,317	\$ 12,953,532	\$ 1,129,221	\$ 1,053,036	\$ 15,135,789

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# GIRL SCOUTS OF GREATER ATLANTA, INC. STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2021

	<b>Girl Scout</b>		Member and	Total	Management		
	Leadership	Outdoor	Volunteer	Program	and		Total
	Experience	Programs	Services	Services	General	Fundraising	Expenses
Salaries	\$ 1,923,091	\$ 1,456,348	\$ 2,399,993	\$ 5,779,432	\$ 604,568	\$ 608,001	\$ 6,992,001
Staff health and retirement benefits	400,735	238,652	540,800	1,180,187	188,361	99,987	1,468,535
Payroll taxes	139,127	104,105	174,432	417,664	35,158	42,843	495,665
Total personnel	2,462,953	1,799,105	3,115,225	7,377,283	828,087	750,831	8,956,201
Occupancy	139,339	682,751	65,637	887,727	41,104	9,974	938,805
Supplies	115,594	367,783	122,898	606,275	5,062	15,467	626,804
Professional services and fees	86,164	60,695	84,926	231,785	94,082	35,290	361,157
Equipment, maintenance and repairs	118,020	122,964	136,430	377,414	64,894	52,001	494,309
Other expenses	282,148	38,596	27,011	347,755	73	1,231	349,059
Girl rewards - product sales	429,184	-	-	429,184	-	-	429,184
Insurance	43,638	181,790	48,844	274,272	31,310	7,514	313,096
Assistance and grants	109,738	70,518	18,350	198,606	-	-	198,606
Travel	61,233	71,972	54,309	187,514	881	576	188,971
Advertising, printing and promotion	92,325	60,687	150,593	303,605	4,223	7,057	314,885
Telecommunications	51,384	35,537	77,636	164,557	26,732	8,868	200,157
Postage and delivery	98,697	1,691	12,583	112,971	427	3,960	117,358
Conferences and meetings	20,077	40,886	22,692	83,655	9,064	6,496	99,215
Donated cookies	812,256	-	-	812,256	-	-	812,256
Interest expense	228	125	287	640	184	44	868
Total expenses before depreciation	4,922,978	3,535,100	3,937,421	12,395,499	1,106,123	899,309	14,400,931
Depreciation	63,410	675,202	55,209	793,821	35,390	8,494	837,705
Total expenses	\$ 4,986,388	\$ 4,210,302	\$ 3,992,630	\$ 13,189,320	\$ 1,141,513	\$ 907,803	\$ 15,238,636

The accompanying notes to financial statements are

an integral part of this statement.

# GIRL SCOUTS OF GREATER ATLANTA, INC. STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

	2022	2021
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Change in net assets	\$ (1,603,465)	\$ (602,779)
ADJUSTMENTS TO RECONCILE CHANGE IN NET		
ASSETS TO NET CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		
PROVIDED BY (USED IN) OPERATING ACTIVITIES:		
Depreciation	826,548	837,705
Net realized and unrealized loss (gain) on investments	2,401,430	(1,435,703)
Paycheck Protection Program loan forgiveness	(1,726,196)	(1,819,000)
In-kind donated equipment	(22,209)	(93,160)
Gain on disposal of property and equipment	(640)	(5,492)
Change in pledges receivable, net	11,649	(16,427)
Change in other receivables, net	1,233,837	(1,225,326)
Change in prepaid expenses and other assets	(125,019)	36,984
Change in inventory	(34,021)	103,622
Change in beneficial interests in trusts	(1,890)	-
Change in deferred lease asset	(51,411)	-
Change in accounts payable and accrued liabilities	152,343	(69,585)
Change in deferred revenue	39,228	40,324
Total adjustments	2,703,649	(3,646,058)
Net cash and cash equivalents provided by		
(used in) operating activities	1,100,184	(4,248,837)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from sale of investments	3,830,309	3,788,115
Purchases of investments	(4,042,259)	(3,780,895)
Proceeds from sale of property and equipment	640	5,492
Purchases of property and equipment	(414,458)	(96,683)
Net cash and cash equivalents used in		
investing activities	(625,768)	(83,971)

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

# GIRL SCOUTS OF GREATER ATLANTA, INC. STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS FOR THE YEARS ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2022 AND 2021

	2022	2021
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from Paycheck Protection Program loan		1,726,196
Net cash and cash equivalents provided by		
financing activities		1,726,196
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH		
AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	474,416	(2,606,612)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		
BEGINNING OF YEAR	3,616,103	6,222,715
END OF YEAR	\$ 4,090,519	\$ 3,616,103
SUPPLEMENTAL CASH FLOW DISCLOSURES		
Interest paid	\$ -	\$ 868
<b>RECONCILIATION OF END OF YEAR CASH AND</b>		
CASH EQUIVALENTS TO THE AMOUNTS REPORTED		
IN THE STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 3,640,922	\$ 3,141,818
Cash and cash equivalents - Endowment	449,597	474,285
Cash and cash equivalents, end of year	\$ 4,090,519	\$ 3,616,103

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

#### 1. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

A. Description of Council

Girl Scouts of the USA ("USA") is the largest all-female serving volunteer organization in the world. Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta, Inc. (the "Council") is one of the largest Girl Scout councils in the United States. The Council's mission statement is: Girl Scouting builds girls of courage, confidence, and character, who make the world a better place.

B. Basis of Presentation of Financial Statements

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.

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

<u>Net assets without donor restrictions</u> - Net assets available for use in general operations and not subject to donor or grantor restrictions. The governing Board has designated, from net assets without donor restrictions, net assets for a Board-designated endowment.

<u>Net assets with donor restrictions</u> - Net assets that are subject to donor-imposed restrictions. Some donor-imposed restrictions are temporary in nature; for example, restrictions that may or will be met by the passage of time or other events specified by the donor. Other donorimposed restrictions are perpetual in nature; for example, stipulating that resources be maintained in perpetuity. The donors of these assets permit the Council to use all of the income earned on related investments for general or specific purposes. More specifically, items included in net assets with donor restrictions are gifts for which restrictions have not been met.

When restrictions expire (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 and Net Assets as "net assets released from restrictions."

#### C. Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reported period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### D. Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash equivalents at September 30, 2022 and 2021 consist primarily of money market funds held in investment accounts. The Council considers all short-term, interest-bearing deposits with maturities of three months or less to be cash equivalents.

The Council maintains cash balances at a financial institution which may, at times, exceed the federally insured limits. Management periodically reviews the financial viability of the financial institution and does not anticipate any credit risk related losses.

#### E. Subordinate Unit Bank Accounts

Girl Scout troops and groups establish bank accounts under the Council's tax identification number. All group funds are maintained for the benefit of the girls within the respective group. These funds are not under the financial control of the Council and have not been included in these financial statements.

#### F. Pledges Receivable

The Council records unconditional pledges at fair value in the period made by donors net of allowances for amounts estimated as uncollectible. Conditional promises to give are not included as support until the conditions are substantially met. Unconditional promises with payments due in future years, which are not otherwise restricted, are deemed to have an implied restriction to be used in the year the payment is due and, therefore, are reported as restricted until the payment is due, unless the contribution is clearly intended to support activities of the current year or is received with permanent restrictions. All contributions are available for unrestricted purposes unless specifically restricted by the donor.

Pledges receivable are shown net of an allowance for doubtful accounts of \$2,100 as of both years ended September 30, 2022 and 2021.

#### G. Other Receivables

Other receivables, net of allowances for uncollectible accounts, are recorded at the amounts of cash estimated as realizable. The Council provides reserves for uncollectible accounts when specific accounts are deemed uncollectible. Other receivable balances are considered delinquent based on age and how recently payments have been received. Other receivables as of September 30, 2022 and 2021 are shown net of an allowance for doubtful accounts of \$220 and \$234, respectively.

#### H. Inventory

Inventory consists of uniforms, books, badges and other scouting related items and is reported at cost.

#### I. Investment Securities

Investments are reported at fair value. 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.

#### J. Depreciation

Property and equipment are recorded at cost, if the cost of the individual item is more than \$5,000 and are being depreciated on a straight-line basis over their estimated useful lives, which range from three to thirty years.

#### K. Revenue

The majority of the Council's revenues are from product sales, contributions and program fees. Product sales revenue is recorded as revenue when the sales take place or an order is shipped to the customer. Contributions are recognized as revenue when cash, securities or other assets, or an unconditional promise to give is received. Program fees are accounted for as exchange transactions and are recognized as revenue when a program or event takes place. Amounts received prior to the program or event are recorded as deferred revenue in the Statements of Financial Position.

### L. In-kind Contributions

The Council records donated services as contribution revenue and expense if the services create or enhance a non-financial asset, or the services would (1) need to be purchased by the Council if not provided by contribution, (2) require specialized skills, and (3) are provided by individuals with those skills. Donated materials and services are reflected as contributions in the accompanying financial statements at their estimated value at date of receipt. During the years ended September 30, 2022 and 2021, the Council recorded donated materials and services totaling approximately \$95,000 and \$169,000, respectively.

### M. Functional Allocation of Expenses

The financial statements report certain categories of expenses that are attributable to more than one program or supporting function. Therefore, these expenses require allocation on a reasonable basis that is consistently applied. The expenses that are allocated include depreciation and general office and occupancy, which are allocated on a square-footage basis, as well as salaries and benefits, which are allocated on the basis of estimated time and effort.

N. Federal and State Income Taxes

The Council is exempt from federal and state income taxes under Section 501(a) as an organization described in Section 501(c)(3) of the United States Internal Revenue Code of 1986,

as amended (the "Code"). As such, only unrelated business taxable income, as defined by Section 512(a)(1) of the Code, is subject to tax. The amount of the Council's unrelated business taxable income is immaterial to the financial statements. The Council had no unrelated business income tax liability for the years ended September 30, 2022 and 2021 due to the availability of net operating loss carryforwards.

At September 30, 2022, the Council has net operating loss carryforwards of approximately \$1,125,000 which could result in a tax benefit of up to \$304,000. This potential benefit has been fully offset by a valuation reserve. The loss carryforwards will expire between tax years 2022 and 2027.

The Council has taken into account the impact of ASC 740 regarding uncertain tax positions on the financial statements. The Council had no material uncertain tax positions for the years ended September 30, 2022 and 2021.

#### O. Subsequent Events

Subsequent events have been evaluated by management through February 9, 2023, the date these financial statements were available to be issued.

#### 2. LIQUIDITY

Financial assets available for general expenditure, that is, without donor or other restrictions limiting their use, within one year of the Statement of Financial Position date, comprise the following as of September 30:

		2022		2021
Financial assets:				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	4,090,519	\$	3,616,103
Investment securities		7,892,274		10,081,754
Pledges and other receivables, net		166,777		1,412,263
Total financial assets, at year end		12,149,570		15,110,120
Less amounts unavailable for general expenditure:				
Donor restrictions for perpetual purposes		(123,551)		(156,637)
Designated by the Board for an endowment		(6,599,378)		(8,366,650)
Total financial assets available for	¢		¢	
general expenditure	\$	5,426,641	\$	6,586,833

The Council has a policy to structure its financial assets to be available as its general expenditures, liabilities, and other obligations come due. The Council has a Board-designated endowment of \$6,599,378 and \$8,366,650 as of September 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively, which is subject to an annual spending policy as described in Note 10. Although the Council does not intend to spend from this Board-designated endowment (other than amounts appropriated for general expenditure as part of the Board's annual budget approval and appropriation), these amounts could be made available if necessary.

### 3. FAIR VALUE OF INVESTMENT SECURITIES

U.S. generally accepted accounting principles establish a framework for measuring fair value. That framework provides for a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to the unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3 measurements). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are described below:

<u>Level 1</u>: Inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the Council has the ability to access.

<u>Level 2</u>: Inputs to the valuation methodology include quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets; quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets; inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability; and, inputs that are derived principally from, or corroborated by, observable market data by correlation or other means. If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the Level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

<u>Level 3</u>: Inputs to the valuation methodology are unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement.

The asset's or liability's fair value measurement level within the fair value hierarchy is based on the lowest level of any input that is significant to the fair value measurement. Valuation techniques used need to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs.

As of September 30, 2022 and 2021, the only assets or liabilities that are measured at fair value on a recurring basis are investment securities. Common stocks and mutual funds are valued at the closing price reported on the active market on which the individual securities are traded. U.S. Treasury notes, U.S. government bonds and corporate bonds are valued based on quoted market prices for similar assets. Such investments are classified within Level 1 or Level 2 of the valuation hierarchy.

This method may produce a fair value calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair values. Furthermore, while the Council believes its valuation method is appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine the fair value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

		2022	
	Level 1	Level 2	Total
Common stocks	\$ 5,390,823	\$ -	\$ 5,390,823
Mutual funds	2,010,251	-	2,010,251
U.S. Treasury notes	126,604	-	126,604
Corporate bonds	-	170,253	170,253
U.S. government bonds		194,343	194,343
Total investment securities	\$ 7,527,678	\$ 364,596	\$ 7,892,274
		2021	
	Level 1	Level 2	Total
Common stocks	\$ 6,922,332	\$ -	\$ 6,922,332
Mutual funds	2,456,485	-	2,456,485
U.S. Treasury notes	377,918	-	377,918
Corporate bonds	-	225,312	225,312
U.S. government bonds		99,707	99,707

Investment securities, stated at fair value, are as follows at September 30:

Investment income consists of the following for the years ended September 30:

	2022		2021		
Interest and dividend income Investment fees and taxes	\$	244,036 (62,450)	\$	171,964 (63,346)	
Total investment income	\$	181,586	\$	108,618	

### 4. PLEDGES RECEIVABLE

Pledges receivable, net at September 30, 2022 and 2021 are summarized as follows:

		2022	2021		
Corporations, foundations and individuals United Way	\$	87,039 16,000	\$	76,771 37,917	
Total pledges receivable, net	\$	103,039	\$	114,688	

Total contribution income consists of the following for the years ended September 30:

	 2022	 2021
Corporations, foundations and individuals	\$ 2,302,574	\$ 1,637,569
Government grants	1,759,777	3,044,142
United Way	313,194	 222,321
Total contribution income	\$ 4,375,545	\$ 4,904,032

The Council qualified for approximately \$1,250,000 of Employee Retention Credit to offset certain payroll taxes for qualifying wages paid as provided for in the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act. The Council recorded the amount as contribution revenue for the year ended September 30, 2021.

### 5. PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

Property and equipment consist of the following at September 30:

	2022	2021
Land	\$ 1,970,974	\$ 1,970,974
Land improvements	3,773,679	3,609,278
Buildings and improvements	22,038,486	21,892,187
Vehicles	468,174	435,420
Furniture and equipment	2,982,828	2,929,285
Total Less accumulated depreciation	31,234,141 22,073,901	30,837,144 21,287,023
Property and equipment, net	\$ 9,160,240	\$ 9,550,121

#### 6. LOAN ACCOUNTS

The Council has a line of credit ("LOC") with a financial institution that may be used to manage short-term cash flow needs throughout the year. The LOC, which allows for maximum borrowings of \$4,715,000 and \$6,600,000 at September 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively, is collateralized by all of the Council investment accounts. Amounts outstanding under the LOC accrue interest at LIBOR plus 2.00% per annum. The Council did not draw on the LOC during the years ended September 30, 2022 and 2021, and there was no outstanding borrowing at year end.

#### 7. PAYCHECK PROTECTION PROGRAM LOAN

During the year ended September 30, 2021, the Council received a Paycheck Protection Program ("PPP") loan in the amount of \$1,726,196 from the Small Business Administration. The loan accrued interest at 1.0% per annum, with no required payments for ten months after funding of the loan. The Council was eligible for loan forgiveness of up to 100% of the loan proceeds upon meeting certain requirements. The PPP loan was forgiven in the year ended September 30, 2022, and the full amount was reported in contributions in the Statements of Activities and Net Assets.

#### 8. PENSION PLANS

#### A. Defined Contribution

The Council implemented a defined contribution pension plan as of July 1, 1996 that covers substantially all employees. Contributions to this plan for the years ended September 30, 2022 and 2021 were \$106,046 and \$104,941, respectively.

#### B. Defined Benefit

The Council participates in the National Girl Scout Council Retirement Plan (the "Plan"), a noncontributory defined benefit pension plan sponsored by USA (EIN 13-1624016; PN 002). The National Board of Girl Scouts of the USA voted to freeze the Plan to new entrants and to freeze future benefit accruals for all current participants under the Plan effective July 31, 2010. The Plan covers substantially all of the employees of various Girl Scout councils who were eligible to participate in the Plan prior to the Plan freeze. Accrued and vested benefits prior to July 31, 2010 are based on years of service and salary levels.

Net Plan assets grew during the year and are greater than the actuarial present value of accumulated Plan benefits as of January 1, 2022. On April 8, 2014, H.R. 4275 was signed into law, which gave the Plan the flexibility to adopt the Pension Protection Act ("PPA") funding requirements immediately or not at all. The Plan has elected to adopt this relief and not be

subject to PPA. In September 2020, the National Board of Girl Scouts of the USA approved lowering the contributions from \$30 million to \$26 million starting in calendar year 2023 until the Plan is fully funded on a market basis. Aggregate annual contributions made in the year ended September 30, 2022 and 2021 were \$32.2 million and \$32.7 million, respectively. Aggregate contributions to be made in the year ending September 30, 2023 are expected to be \$27.55 million.

The Council made contributions into the Plan of \$631,392 during each of the years ended September 30, 2022 and 2021. These contributions represented approximately 1.9% of total contributions to the Plan for the years ended September 30, 2022 and 2021.

### 9. NET ASSETS WITH DONOR RESTRICTIONS

Net assets with donor restrictions are as follows at September 30:

	2022			2021
Subject to expenditure for specified purpose:				
Camperships	\$	67,827	\$	55,501
Gold award projects	Ψ	3,374	Ψ	2,331
Outreach		150,000		-,001
		221,201		57,832
Subject to the passage of time:				
Promises to give that are not restricted by				
donors but which are unavailable for				
expenditures until collection		129,416		158,244
United Way allocation		66,001		38,193
Beneficial interests in trusts		18,485		16,595
		213,902		213,032
Subject to the Council's endowment				
spending policy and appropriation:				
Endowment		123,551		156,637
Total net assets with donor restrictions	\$	558,654	\$	427,501
rotar net assets with donor restrictions	Ψ	550,054	Ψ	+27,301

Net assets released from donor restrictions are as follows for the year ended September 30:

	2022		 2021
Subject to expenditure for specified purpose:			
Camperships	\$	71,368	\$ 69,618
Gold award		12,093	-
Financial assistance		-	833
Outreach		10,000	-
		93,461	70,451
Subject to the passage of time: Promises to give that are not restricted by donors but which are unavailable for			
expenditures until collection		319,720	134,653
United Way allocation		38,192	 131,777
		357,912	 266,430
Total net assets released from donor restrictions	\$	451,373	\$ 336,881

#### **10. ENDOWMENT**

The Council's endowment includes both a donor-restricted endowment fund, which the Council must hold in perpetuity for the donor-specified purpose, and funds designated by the Board of Directors to function as an endowment. The classification of the net assets of these funds is based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions.

The Board of Directors of the Council has interpreted the Georgia Uniform Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act of 2006 ("UPMIFA") 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 Council classifies as net assets with restrictions the original value of gifts donated to the permanent endowment and the original value of subsequent gifts to the permanent endowment. The remaining portion of the donor-restricted endowment fund that is not classified as perpetual in nature is restricted until those amounts are appropriated for expenditure by the Council in a manner consistent with the standard of prudence prescribed by UPMIFA. The Board of Directors will appropriate funds from the endowment funds based on specific needs and budgeting requirements from year to year. In accordance with UPMIFA, the Council considers the following factors in making a determination to appropriate or accumulate donor-restricted endowment funds:

(1) The duration and preservation of the fund;

- (2) The purposes of the Council and the donor-restricted endowment fund;
- (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 Council; and,
- (7) The investment policies of the Council.

The Council has adopted investment and spending policies that attempt to preserve endowment assets by using funding only when the Council determines it is prudent, such as when operating cash is insufficient. The current spending policy is to distribute an amount of earnings from investments not to exceed 4.5% of the three-year rolling average market value of the endowment's corpus annually. Accordingly, over the long term, the Council expects the current spending policy to allow the endowment assets to grow and improve the Council's overall financial strength. Under this policy, as approved by the Board of Directors, the endowment assets are invested in a manner that is intended to produce results that exceed common benchmarks for a balanced portfolio, while assuming a moderate level of risk.

To satisfy its long-term rate-of-return objectives, the Council 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 Council targets a diversified asset allocation that places a greater emphasis on equity-based investments to achieve its long-term return objectives within prudent risk constraints.

Activity in the endowment investment accounts was as follows:

	Board- Designated ndowment	rpetual in Nature	 Total
Balance at September 30, 2021	\$ 8,366,650	\$ 156,637	\$ 8,523,287
Interest and dividends	187,197	3,505	190,702
Fees and taxes	(50,294)	(942)	(51,236)
Realized/unrealized loss	 (1,904,175)	 (35,649)	 (1,939,824)
Balance at September 30, 2022	\$ 6,599,378	\$ 123,551	\$ 6,722,929

	Board- Designated ndowment	rpetual in Nature	 Total
Balance at September 30, 2020	\$ 7,049,352	\$ 131,975	\$ 7,181,327
Interest and dividends	130,088	2,436	132,524
Fees and taxes	(50,831)	(952)	(51,783)
Realized/unrealized gain	 1,238,041	 23,178	 1,261,219
Balance at September 30, 2021	\$ 8,366,650	\$ 156,637	\$ 8,523,287

#### **11. PRODUCT PROGRAMS**

Annually, the Council conducts entrepreneurship programs through which its girl members sell cookies and other products while learning business and life skills. Net revenue from product programs represents approximately 68% and 45% of total Council revenue for the years ended September 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively. Following is a detail of net revenue from product programs for the years ended September 30:

	2022	2021
Gross product sales:		
Cookies	\$ 14,773,846	\$ 10,848,115
Chocolate, nuts and magazines	776,463	660,864
Total gross product sales	15,550,309	11,508,979
Direct cost of sales and other direct deductions:		
Cookies	3,196,758	2,785,619
Chocolate, nuts and magazines	269,979	235,801
Product sales revenue retained by troops	2,850,566	1,955,942
Total direct cost of sales and other deductions	6,317,303	4,977,362
Net revenue from product sales	\$ 9,233,006	\$ 6,531,617

The product programs were materially affected by supply chain issues during the year ended September 30, 2022. Little Brownie Bakers ("LBB") did not timely deliver the Council's full order of cookies, with shortages of over 11,000 cases, in breach of the Council's agreement with LBB. Shortages directly impacted the troops' ability to sell and deliver cookies and caused

reputational harm to the Council. The Council is in negotiations with LBB and estimates its direct financial losses from the shortages at between \$617,000 and \$1,207,000.

The product programs were materially affected by the pandemic during the year ended September 30, 2021. Fewer Girl Scouts participated and in-person point of sales were severely limited due to social distancing guidelines. As a result, product programs sales declined by approximately 36.8% year over year. The decrease in sales also contributed to an excess inventory of approximately \$800,000. The inventory was donated to local food banks and military bases throughout the Southeast United States in the year ended September 30, 2021.

### **12. OPERATING LEASES**

The Council leases office equipment and retail space under operating leases with lease terms of 24 to 64 months. Rental expense for the operating leases was approximately \$45,000 and \$86,000 for the years ended September 30, 2022 and 2021, respectively. Future minimum payments required under the operating leases are approximately \$42,000 for the year ended September 30, 2023.

On May 3, 2022, the Council entered into an agreement to lease certain property and improvements located at Camp Timber Ridge to a charter school under a noncancelable operating lease with a five-year term. The agreement provides for monthly base rental payments plus the difference between the base rent and six percent of the school's net public revenue received from the Georgia State Charter School Commission. The agreement, which expires in June 2027, includes an option for the school to enter into six consecutive five-year lease terms, subject to the terms and conditions of the lease. Rental income, which is included in miscellaneous income in the Statements of Activities and Net Assets, totaled \$82,661 for the year ended September 30, 2022.

Year Ending September 30,	Amount		
2023	\$	131,250	
2024		168,750	
2025		231,250	
2026		256,250	
2027		206,250	
Total	\$	993,750	

Future minimum base rental payments to be received under the lease are as follows: