# MAKE-A-WISH FOUNDATION® OF NORTH DAKOTA FINANCIAL STATEMENTS YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2019

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Finance Committee Make-A-Wish Foundation® of North Dakota Fargo, North Dakota

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Make-A-Wish Foundation® of North Dakota (the Foundation), which comprise the statement of financial position as of August 31, 2019, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

# Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statement

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; this includes the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal controls relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

#### Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditors' judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements 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 entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.



# Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Make-A-Wish Foundation® of North Dakota as of August 31, 2019, and change in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

# **Emphasis of Matters**

As discussed in Note 2 to the financial statements, the Make-A-Wish Foundation® of North Dakota adopted a new accounting principle during the year ended August 31, 2019: Accounting Standards Update (ASU) 2016-14, *Not-for-Profit Entities* (Topic 958) – *Presentation of Financial Statements of Not-for-Profit Entities*. Make-A-Wish Foundation® of North Dakota also changed an accounting policy with the elimination of the pending wish liability from the Foundation's statement of financial position. Our opinion is not modified with respect to these matters.

CliftonLarsonAllen LLP

Clifton Larson Allen LLP

Minneapolis, Minnesota January 16, 2020

# MAKE-A-WISH FOUNDATION® OF NORTH DAKOTA STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AUGUST 31, 2019

# **ASSETS**

CURRENT ASSETS	
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 254,076
Investments	4,812,027
Due from Related Entities	2,212
Prepaid Expenses	87,340
Contributions Receivable, Net	58,410
Other Assets	3,769
Property and Equipment, Net	 18,770
Total Assets	\$ 5,236,604
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	
CURRENT LIABILITIES	
Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses	\$ 68,223
Due to Related Entities	3,430
Deferred Rent	 21,702
Total Liabilities	93,355
NET ASSETS	
Without Donor Restrictions	4,297,255
With Donor Restrictions	845,994
Total Net Assets	 5,143,249
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$ 5,236,604

# MAKE-A-WISH FOUNDATION® OF NORTH DAKOTA STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2019

	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Total
REVENUES, GAINS, AND OTHER SUPPORT			
Public Support:			
Contributions	\$ 1,393,487	\$ 71,379	\$ 1,464,866
Grants	49,963	74.070	49,963
Total Public Support	1,443,450	71,379	1,514,829
Internal Special Events	177,704	-	177,704
Less: Costs of Direct Benefits to Donors	(60,950)		(60,950)
Total Internal Special Events, Net	116,754	-	116,754
Investment Income, Net	143,940	19,923	163,863
Other Income	487	-	487
Net Assets Released from Restrictions	34,111	(34,111)	
Total Revenues, Gains, and Other Support	1,738,742	57,191	1,795,933
EXPENSES			
Program Services:			
Wish Granting	1,293,694	-	1,293,694
Total Program Services	1,293,694	-	1,293,694
Support Services:			
Fundraising	295,922	-	295,922
Management and General	176,258	-	176,258
Total Support Services	472,180	-	472,180
Total Expenses	1,765,874		1,765,874
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	(27,132)	57,191	30,059
Net Assets - Beginning - Before Change in			
Accounting Policy	3,866,438	788,803	4,655,241
Change in Accounting Policy	457,949		457,949
Net Assets - Beginning of Year - As Adjusted	4,324,387	788,803	5,113,190
NET ASSETS - END OF YEAR	\$ 4,297,255	\$ 845,994	\$ 5,143,249

# MAKE-A-WISH FOUNDATION® OF NORTH DAKOTA STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2019

	Progi	ram Services										
	Wish Granting		Fundraising		Management and General		Total Support Services		Direct Donor Benefits			
											Total	
Direct Costs of Wishes	\$	732,874	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	732,874
Salaries, Taxes, and Benefits		292,149		120,648		85,751		206,399		-		498,548
Printing, Subscriptions, and Publications		5,856		6,328		488		6,816		-		12,672
Professional Fees		2,613		3,349		30,597		33,946		-		36,559
Rent and Utilities		41,987		17,639		12,624		30,263		-		72,250
Postage and Delivery		3,012		1,796		743		2,539		-		5,551
Travel		11,397		5,474		6,117		11,591		-		22,988
Meetings and Conferences		10,240		6,223		3,156		9,379		-		19,619
Office Supplies		9,282		497		977		1,474		-		10,756
Communications		4,694		1,938		1,378		3,316		-		8,010
Advertising and Media (Cash)		427		4,348		-		4,348		-		4,775
Advertising and Media (In-Kind)		114,397		110,652		22,472		133,124		-		247,521
Repairs and Maintenance		1,065		440		312		752		-		1,817
Membership Dues		1,435		1,499		421		1,920		-		3,355
National Partnership Dues		50,141		6,347		6,982		13,329		-		63,470
Miscellaneous		3,155		5,040		1,607		6,647		-		9,802
Depreciation and Amortization		8,970		3,704		2,633		6,337		-		15,307
Special Event - Direct Donor Benefits		-		-		-		-		60,950		60,950
Total		1,293,694		295,922		176,258		472,180		60,950		1,826,824
Less: Expenses Netted Against Revenues on the Statement of Activities:  Special Event Expenses		_		· -		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		_		(60,950)		(60,950)
opodial Event Expenses										(00,330)		(00,330)
Total Expenses Included in the Expense Section of the Statement	•				•		•		•		•	
of Activities	\$	1,293,694	\$	295,922	\$	176,258	\$	472,180	\$		\$	1,765,874

# MAKE-A-WISH FOUNDATION® OF NORTH DAKOTA STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 2019

CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES	
Change in Net Assets	\$ 30,059
Adjustments to Reconcile Change in Net Assets to Net Cash	
Used by Operating Activities:	
Depreciation and Amortization	15,307
Contributions Restricted for Long-Term Investment	(13,000)
Net Realized and Unrealized Gains on Investments	(86,528)
(Increase) Decrease in Assets:	
Contributions Receivable	5,222
Due from Related Entities	9,821
Prepaid Expenses	(71,399)
Other Assets	5,013
Increase (Decrease) in Liabilities:	
Accounts Payable and Accrued Expenses	3,861
Due to Related Entities	(5,643)
Deferred Rent	 (4)
Net Cash Used by Operating Activities	(107,291)
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES	
Purchases of Investments	(1,204,644)
Proceeds from Sales of Investments	718,885
Purchases of Property and Equipment	(1,845)
Net Cash Used by Investing Activities	(487,604)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES	
Contributions Restricted for Long-Term Investment	13,000
Net Cash Provided by Financing Activities	 13,000
NET DECREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	(581,895)
Cash and Cash Equivalents - Beginning of Year	835,971
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - END OF YEAR	\$ 254,076

#### NOTE 1 ORGANIZATION

Make-A-Wish Foundation® of North Dakota (the Foundation) is a North Dakota nonprofit corporation, organized for the purpose of creating life-changing wishes for children with critical illnesses. The Foundation is an independently operating chapter of Make-A-Wish Foundation® of America (National Organization), which operates to develop and implement national programs in public relations and fundraising for the benefit of all local chapters. In addition, the local chapter is obligated to comply with a chapter agreement with the National Organization and such guidelines, resolutions, and policies as may be adopted by the National Organization's board of directors.

# NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **Basis of Presentation**

The financial statement of the Foundation are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) applicable to nonprofit entities.

#### **Cash and Cash Equivalents**

The Foundation considers all highly liquid investments with an original maturity of three months or less when purchased to be cash equivalents.

#### **Investments**

Investments are recorded at fair value. Investment income, including gains and losses on investments, is recorded as increases or decreases in net assets without donor restrictions unless its use is limited by donor-imposed restrictions or law.

# **Contributions Receivable**

Contributions receivable are unconditional promises to give. Such promises that are expected to be collected within one year are recorded at expected net realizable value when the promise is received. Unconditional promises to give that are expected to be collected in future years are recorded at the present value of estimated future cash flows. Contributions receivable are discounted using fair value rates and contributions are written off when deemed uncollectible.

#### **Property and Equipment, Net**

Property and equipment having a unit cost greater than \$500 and a useful life of more than one year are capitalized at cost when purchased. Donated assets are capitalized at the estimated fair value at the date of receipt and restrictions are released once the asset has been placed into service. Depreciation on property and equipment is provided on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives of the assets, generally three to five years. The costs of normal maintenance and repairs that do not add to the value of the asset or materially extend its life are expensed as incurred.

# NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

## **Property and Equipment, Net (Continued)**

Long-lived assets, such as property and equipment, are reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the carrying amount of an asset may not be recoverable. If circumstances indicate a long-lived asset may be impaired, the asset value will be reduced to fair value. Fair value is determined through various valuation techniques including quoted market values and third-party independent appraisals, as considered necessary.

#### **Fair Value Measurements**

Fair value measurements of financial assets and financial liabilities and fair value measurements of nonfinancial items are recognized or disclosed at fair value in the financial statements on a recurring basis. 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.

The Foundation utilizes valuation techniques that maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs to the extent possible. The Foundation determines fair value based on assumptions that market participants would use in pricing an asset or liability in the principal or most advantageous market. When considering market participant assumptions in fair value measurements, the following fair value hierarchy distinguishes between observable and unobservable inputs, which are categorized in one of the following levels:

Level 1 – Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets (or liabilities) that the reporting entity has the ability to access at the measurement date.

Level 2 – Prices for a similar asset (or liability), other than quoted prices included in Level 1 inputs, that are observable for the asset (or liability), either directly or indirectly. If the asset (or liability) has a specified term, a Level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset (or liability).

Level 3 – Unobservable inputs for the asset (or liability) used to measure fair value to the extent that observable inputs are not available, thereby allowing for situations in which there is little, if any, market activity for the asset (or liability) at measurement date.

## NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

#### **Net Assets**

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 certain grantor) restrictions.

Net Assets With Donor Restrictions – Net assets subject to donor (or certain grantor) imposed restrictions. Some donor-imposed restrictions are temporary in nature, such as those that will be met by the passage of time or other events specified by the donor. Other donor-imposed restrictions are perpetual in nature, where the donor stipulates that resources be maintained in perpetuity. Gifts of long-lived assets and gifts of cash restricted for the acquisition of long-lived assets are recognized as restricted revenue when received and released from restrictions when the assets are placed in service. Donor-imposed restrictions are released when a restriction expires, that is, when the stipulated time has elapsed, when the stipulated purpose for which the resource was restricted has been fulfilled, or both.

Contributions restricted by donors are reported as increases in net assets without donor restrictions if the restrictions expire (that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished) in the reporting period in which the revenue is recognized. All other donor-restricted contributions are reported as increases in net assets with donor restrictions, depending on the nature of the restrictions. When a restriction expires, net assets with donor restrictions are reclassified to net assets without donor restrictions and reported in the statement of activities as Net Assets Released from Restrictions.

#### **Revenue Recognition**

Unconditional promises to give are recognized initially at fair value as contributions revenue in the period such promises are made by donors. Fair value is estimated giving consideration to anticipated future cash receipts (after allowance is made for uncollectible contributions) and discounting such amounts at a risk-adjusted rate commensurate with the duration of the donor's payment plan. Amortization of the discounts is recorded as additional contributions revenue. Conditional promises are recorded as revenue once the conditions are substantially met. Contributions of assets other than cash are recorded at their estimated fair value. Contributions of services are recognized if the services received (a) create or enhance nonfinancial assets or (b) require specialized skills, are provided by individuals possessing those skills, and would typically need to be purchased if not provided by donation.

# NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

# **Revenue Recognition (Continued)**

The Foundation received in-kind contributions of assets, services, and materials that are included in the statement of activities as follows:

	Programs		Management Fundraising and General			Total		
Wish Related	\$	390,226	\$	-	\$	-	\$	390,226
Professional Services		102		45		3		150
Rent		176		373		352		901
Advertising and Media		114,397		110,652		22,472		247,521
Other		2,719		1,312		705		4,736
	\$	507,620	\$	112,382	\$	23,532		643,534
Special Events								16,702
Total							\$	660,236

An internal special event is a fundraising event coordinated and staffed by Foundation personnel rather than a third-party support group or organization. It is designed to attract people for the purpose of raising mission awareness, for increasing funding from existing donors, and the cultivation of future donors. Internal special event in-kind amounts are donated items recorded at fair value that are used in facilitating the event. Examples of such donated items are generally food, beverage, facility costs, and auction items.

Advertising and media is used to help the Foundation communicate its message or mission and includes fundraising materials, informational material, or advertising, and may be in the form of an audio or video tape of a public service announcement, a layout for a newspaper, media time or space for public service announcements, or other purposes.

Donated advertising and media is reported as contribution revenue and wish granting, management and general and fundraising based on the nature of the advertising when received and the reporting of such contributions is unaffected by whether the Foundation could afford to purchase or would have purchased the assets at their fair value.

# **Income Taxes**

The Foundation is a nonprofit organization exempt from federal income and North Dakota taxes under the provisions of Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3). However, the Foundation remains subject to income taxes on any net income that is derived from a trade or business, regularly carried on and not in furtherance of the purpose for which it was granted exemption. No income tax provision has been recorded as the net income, if any, from any unrelated trade or business, in the opinion of management, is not material to the financial statements taken as a whole.

## NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

# **Income Taxes (Continued)**

Management believes that no uncertain tax positions exist for the Foundation at August 31, 2019. The Foundation files income tax returns in the U.S. federal jurisdiction and applicable state jurisdictions.

# **Functional Expenses**

The Foundation performs three functions: wish granting, fundraising, and management and general. Definitions of these functions are as follows:

#### Wish Granting

Activities performed by the Foundation in granting wishes to children with critical illnesses.

# **Fundraising**

Activities performed by the Foundation to generate funds and/or resources to support its programs and operations.

#### Management and General

All costs not identifiable with a single program or fundraising activity, but indispensable to the conduct of such programs and activities and to the Foundation's existence, are included as management and general expenses. This includes expenses for the overall direction of the Foundation, business management, general record keeping, budgeting, financial reporting, and activities relating to these functions such as salaries, rent, supplies, equipment, and other expenses.

Expenses that benefit more than one function of the Foundation are allocated among the functions based generally on the amount of time spent by employees on each function.

# **Deferred Rent**

The Foundation accounts for rent expense evenly over the term of the lease using the straight-line method. Unamortized deferred rent was \$21,702 at August 31, 2019.

#### **Management Estimates**

The preparation of financial statement in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make a number of 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 statement and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

## NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

# Change in Accounting Principle – Adoption of ASU 2016-14

On August 18, 2016, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued Accounting Standards Update (ASU) 2016-14, Not-for-Profit Entities (Topic 958) – Presentation of Financial Statement of Not-for-Profit Entities. The update addresses the complexity and understandability of net asset classification, deficiencies in information about liquidity and availability of resources, and the lack of consistency in the type of information provided about expenses and investment return. The Foundation has implemented ASU 2016-14 and has adjusted the presentation in these financial statements accordingly. The adoption of this standard did not impact the Foundation's net assets as of September 1, 2018.

# Change in Accounting Policy - Pending Wish Liability

Through the fiscal year ending August 31, 2018, the Foundation accrued for estimated costs of reportable pending wishes when five certain, measurable wish criteria were met. This accrual did not represent a legally binding liability but was considered a moral obligation to the child by the Foundation arising when the five criteria are met legal obligation was incurred. Given the changes to the wish granting environment that have occurred in recent years, the Foundation determined that the calculation was no longer representative of the future obligations. The Foundation remains committed to its mission. Please see the commitment footnote for details about future wish granting obligations. As a result of this change in accounting policy, net assets without donor restrictions as of September 1, 2018 have increased by \$457,949.

# NOTE 3 LIQUIDITY AND AVAILABILITY

The Foundation monitors liquidity regularly through the monthly financial package provided to the board and through the enterprise-wide benchmarks of excellence. Holding 6 months to 24 months of liquidity is considered excellent based off the enterprise-wide published scale.

Total Financial Assets	\$ 5,126,725
Donor Imposed Restrictions:	
Restricted Funds	(379,427)
Endowments	 (466,567)
Financial Assets Available to Meet Cash Needs	
for General Expenditures Within One Year	\$ 4,280,731

Our endowment funds consist of two donor-restricted endowments. Income from donor-restricted endowments is restricted for specific purposes, with the exception of the amounts available for general use. Donor-restricted endowment funds are not available for general expenditure.

As part of our liquidity management plan, we invest cash in excess of daily requirements in short-term investments, CDs, and money market funds.

#### NOTE 4 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

#### **Fair Value of Financial Instruments**

Fair value is defined as the amount 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.

The fair values of the financial instruments shown in the following table as of August 31, 2019 represent the amounts that would be received to sell those assets or that would be paid to transfer those liabilities in an orderly transaction between market participants at that date. Those fair value measurements maximize the use of observable inputs. However, in situations where there is little, if any, market activity for the asset or liability at the measurement date, the fair value measurement reflects the Foundation's own judgments about the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the asset or liability. Those judgments are developed by the Foundation based on the best information available in the circumstances, including expected cash flows and appropriately risk-adjusted discount rates, and available observable and unobservable inputs.

#### **Investments**

# Overall Investment Objective

The overall investment objective of the Foundation is to invest its assets in a prudent manner that will achieve a long-term rate of return sufficient to fund a portion of its annual operating activities and increase investment value after inflation. The Foundation diversifies its investments among various asset classes incorporating multiple strategies and managers. Major investment decisions are authorized by the Board's finance committee, which oversees the Foundation's investment program in accordance with established guidelines.

#### Fair Value Hierarchy

The following table presents the fair value hierarchy of assets that are measured at fair value on a recurring basis at August 31, 2019:

	Qu	oted Prices					
		in Active	Sig	nificant			
	N	/larkets or	C	ther	Signi	ficant	
		Identical	Obs	ervable	Unobse	ervable	
		Assets	In	puts	Inp	uts	
	(Level 1)		(Level 2)		(Level 3)		 Total
Investments:		_					 
Mutual Funds	\$	273,261	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 273,261
Exchange-Traded Funds		2,229,981		-		-	2,229,981
Debt Securities		-	1	,872,738		-	1,872,738
Cash and Cash Equivalents		<u>-</u>					 436,047
Total	\$	2,503,242	\$ 1	,872,738	\$	-	\$ 4,812,027

## NOTE 4 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (CONTINUED)

## **Fair Value Hierarchy (Continued)**

For the valuation of debt securities at August 31, 2019, the Foundation used significant other observable inputs, particularly dealer market prices for comparable investments as of the valuation date (Level 2).

## NOTE 5 CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVABLE

The Foundation's contributions receivable as of August 31, 2019 was \$58,410, which is due from one donor. All contributions receivable are due within the next 12 months. Management determined that all contributions receivable are fully collectible; therefore, no allowance for uncollectible accounts is considered necessary at August 31, 2019.

#### NOTE 6 TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED ENTITIES

The National Organization conducts national fundraising efforts for which cash and in-kind donations are received and shared with the Foundation. These funds represent revenues associated with: distributions from national partners, individual donation amounts collected via online and white mail donations, amounts for internal grants, travel, and training scholarships, amounts to fund the Adopt-A-Wish® program, and other miscellaneous revenues. During the year ended August 31, 2019, the Foundation received \$119,522 from these national revenue streams.

Conversely, the Foundation pays amounts to the National Organization for chapter dues, insurance, and other miscellaneous ancillary expenses that Make-A-Wish Foundation of America pays on behalf of the Foundation and for services provided by the National Organization. Amount totaling \$97,290 was paid from the Foundation to the National Organization during the year ended August 31, 2019.

Amounts due from and to related entities at August 31, 2019 are as follows:

Due from National Organization	_\$	2,212
Total Due from Related Entities	\$	2,212
Due to National Organization Due to Other Chapters	\$	2,400 1,030
Total Due to Related Entities	\$	3,430

## NOTE 6 TRANSACTIONS WITH RELATED ENTITIES (CONTINUED)

Amounts due from the National Organization represent contributions remitted to the National Organization that are identified for the Foundation's use but were not yet transferred to the Foundation as of year-end. Amounts due from other chapters represent amounts paid in assisting other chapters with their wish granting. Amounts due to other chapters represent amounts owed to other chapters who have assisted in the granting of wishes for the Foundation. Amounts due to the National Organization generally represent unpaid chapter dues and services.

During 2019, the Foundation received contributions, both cash and in-kind, from board members totaling \$23,462.

#### NOTE 7 PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT, NET

Property and equipment as of August 31, 2019 consists of the following:

Computer Equipment and Software	\$ 24,829
Office Furniture and Equipment	65,259
Leasehold Improvements	768
	90,856
Less: Accumulated Depreciation and Amortization	(72,086)
Property and Equipment, Net	\$ 18,770

Depreciation and amortization expense totaled \$15,307 for the year ended August 31, 2019.

#### NOTE 8 LEASES

The Foundation is obligated under one operating lease for its office space, which expires September 30, 2025. Total rent expense for the year ended August 31, 2019 totaled \$68,286.

Future minimum lease payments under the operating lease are as follows:

Year Ending August 31,	Amount		
2020	\$	69,156	
2021		70,166	
2022		71,206	
2023		72,245	
2024		73,285	
Thereafter		86,741	
Total Minimum Lease Payments	\$	442,799	

#### NOTE 9 ENDOWMENTS

The Foundation is subject to the enacted version of the Uniform Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act of 2006 (UPMIFA) and is required to make disclosures about endowment funds, both donor-restricted endowment funds and board-designated endowment funds.

The Foundation's endowment consists of two donor-restricted endowment funds. Net assets associated with endowment funds, including funds designated by the board of directors to function as endowments, are classified and reported based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions. Endowment assets are reflected as investments held for long-term purposes on the statements of financial position.

# Interpretation of Relevant Law

The board of directors of the Foundation has interpreted the North Dakota UPMIFA as requiring 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 Foundation classifies as donor restricted net assets: (a) the original value of gifts donated to the donor-restricted endowment, (b) the original value of subsequent gifts to the donor-restricted endowment, and (c) accumulated earnings on the donor-restricted endowment funds. The accumulated earnings on the endowment funds remain treated as donor restricted net assets until those amounts are appropriated for expenditure by the Foundation in a manner consistent with the standard of prudence prescribed by UPMIFA.

In accordance with UPMIFA, the Foundation 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 Foundation 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 Foundation
- 7. The investment policies of the Foundation

Endowment fund composition by type of fund as of August 31, 2019 is as follows:

	Withou	Without Donor With Donor					
	Restri	RestrictionsRestrictio		strictions	Total		
Donor-Restricted Endowment Funds	\$	-	\$	466,567	\$	466,567	
Total Funds	\$	-	\$	466,567	\$	466,567	

# NOTE 9 ENDOWMENTS (CONTINUED)

## **Interpretation of Relevant Law (Continued)**

Changes in endowment funds for the year ended August 31, 2019 are as follows:

	Without Donor Restrictions		With Donor Restrictions		Total	
Endowment Funds - Beginning of Year	\$	-	\$	446,658	\$	446,658
Investment Return: Investment Income Net Appreciation (Realized and Unrealized) Total Investment Return		-		7,139 7,270 14,409		7,139 7,270 14,409
Contributions Appropriation of Endowment Assets for Expenditure		- -		13,000 (7,500)		13,000 (7,500)
Endowment Funds - End of Year	\$	-	\$	466,567	\$	466,567

## **Fund Deficiencies**

From time-to-time, the fair value of assets associated with individual donor-restricted endowment funds may fall below the level that the donor or UPMIFA requires the Foundation to retain as a fund of perpetual duration. There are no fund deficiencies as of August 31, 2019.

#### **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 programs supported by its endowment fund(s) while seeking to maintain the purchasing power of the endowment assets. Endowment assets include those assets of donor-restricted funds that the Foundation must hold in perpetuity or for a donor-specified period. 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 the price and yield results of the S&P 500 index while assuming a moderate level of investment risk. The Foundation expects its endowment funds, over time, to provide an average rate of return of approximately 3% annually. 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 targets a diversified asset allocation that places a greater emphasis on equity-based investments to achieve its long-term return objectives within prudent constraints.

# NOTE 9 ENDOWMENTS (CONTINUED)

# Spending Policy and How the Investment Objectives Relate to Spending Policy

The Foundation has a policy of appropriating for distribution each year any earnings over the permanently restricted amount over the prior 12 quarters through the calendar year-end preceding the fiscal year in which the distribution is planned. In establishing this policy, the Foundation considered the long-term expected return on its endowment. Accordingly, over the long-term, the Foundation expects the current spending policy to allow its endowment to grow at an average of 3% annually. This is consistent with the Foundation's objective to maintain the purchasing power of the endowment assets held in perpetuity or for a specified term, as well as to provide additional real growth through new gifts and investment return.

#### NOTE 10 NET ASSETS

#### **Net Assets With Donor Restrictions**

Net assets with donor restrictions are available for the following purposes or periods as of August 31, 2019:

Subject to Expenditure for Specified Purpose: Wish Granting Permanent Improvements Medical Outreach and Capacity Total	\$ 58,378 320,235 814 379,427
Endowments: Subject to Endowment Spending Policy and Appropriation:	
Earnings on Endowment Funds Original Donor-Restricted Gift Amount to be Maintained in Perpetuity:	92,389
Endowment	374,178
Total	466,567
Total Donor Restricted Net Assets	\$ 845,994

#### NOTE 11 RETIREMENT PLAN

The Foundation has a defined contribution retirement plan (the Plan). Employees are eligible for participation in the Plan after reaching 21 years of age and upon completion of one year of service. Under the provisions of the Plan, eligible employees may elect to defer a percentage of their salary subject to certain IRC limitations. The Foundation matches employee contributions up to 3% of the employee's salary. Foundation contributions to the Plan for the year ended August 31, 2019 were \$7,669.

#### NOTE 12 CONCENTRATION OF CREDIT RISK

Financial instruments that potentially subject the Foundation to concentration of credit risk consist principally of cash, cash equivalents, and investments. The Foundation places its cash and investments with high credit quality financial institutions and generally limits the amount of credit exposure not to exceed the FDIC insurance coverage limit of \$250,000. From time-to-time throughout the year, the Foundation's cash balances may exceed the amount of the FDIC insurance coverage.

In-kind contributions totaling \$413,534 were received from two donors for the year ended August 31, 2019 which represents 27% of total public support. A contribution totaling \$178,275 was received from a single donor for the year ended August 31, 2019 which represents 12% of public support. Should these contribution levels decrease, the Foundation may be adversely affected.

#### NOTE 13 COMMITMENTS

The goal of the Foundation is to grant the wish of every eligible child. During the fiscal year ending August 31, 2019, the Foundation granted 51 wishes. As of the end of the year, there were approximately 40 wish children who are eligible for a wish. The average cost of a wish for the fiscal year was \$8,606 in cash and \$7,046 in in-kind for a total cost of \$15,652.

# **NOTE 14 LITIGATION AND CLAIMS**

The Foundation is periodically involved in litigation and claims arising in the ordinary course of business. In the opinion of management, the ultimate disposition of these matters will not have a material adverse effect on the Foundation's financial position, change in net assets, or liquidity.

# NOTE 15 SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Foundation has evaluated subsequent events from the statement of financial position date through January 16, 2020, the date at which the financial statements were available to be issued.