Consolidated Financial Statements

with Supplementary Information in Accordance with Governmental Auditing Standards, the Uniform Guidance and Other Matters

United Way of Central Ohio, Inc. and Subsidiary

March 31, 2023 and 2022



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To the Board of Trustees United Way of Central Ohio, Inc. Columbus, Ohio

Independent Auditor's Report

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of United Way of Central Ohio, Inc. and Subsidiary (United Way), which comprise the consolidated statements of financial position as of March 31, 2023 and 2022, and the related consolidated statements of activities and changes in net assets, functional expenses and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements.

In our opinion, the accompanying consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of United Way as of March 31, 2023 and 2022, and the changes in its net assets and cash flows for the years then ended in conformity 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 and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of United Way 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 opinions.

Responsibilities of Management for the Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these consolidated 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 consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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

Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated 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 GAAS and *Government 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 consolidated financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards and *Government Auditing Standards*, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated 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 consolidated 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 United Way'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 consolidated financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about United Way'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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Supplementary Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the consolidated financial statements as a whole. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal awards, as required by Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 200, Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the consolidated financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the consolidated financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements or to the consolidated financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the consolidated financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report, dated June 29, 2022 on our consideration of United Way's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of United Way's internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering United Way's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

GBQ Partners LLC

Columbus, Ohio June 30, 2023

Consolidated Statements of Financial Position March 31, 2023 and 2022

	2023	2022
ASSETS		
Assets Cash and cash equivalents Contributions receivable, net Employee retention tax credits receivable Investments Other assets Beneficial interest in assets held by foundation Right-of-use asset - operating lease Property and equipment, net Property and equipment held for sale	\$ 12,669,632 11,566,951 619,732 2,430,745 1,256,012 4,384,582 1,100,556 18,910 807,266	\$ 15,260,875 11,380,228 619,732 2,895,629 1,138,452 1,465,790 - 83,732 807,266
TOTAL ASSETS LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$ 34,854,386	\$ 33,651,704
Liabilities Accounts payable and other miscellaneous liabilities Grants payable for initiative programs Funded agency allocations payable Donor designations payable to agencies Accrued payroll and related liabilities Operating lease liability Capital lease obligations Funds held for others Total liabilities	\$ 769,751 675,144 1,850,493 3,659,692 541,246 1,134,690 - 1,671,249 10,302,265	\$ 748,747 872,406 1,989,181 4,260,319 267,357 - 10,318 644,977 8,793,305
Net Assets Without donor restrictions With donor restrictions Total net assets	22,930,788 1,621,333 24,552,121	24,456,814 401,585 24,858,399
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	<u>\$ 34,854,386</u>	\$ 33,651,704

Consolidated Statements of Activities and Changes in Net Assets For the Year Ended March 31, 2023

Without Donor With Donor Restrictions Restrictions Total Revenues Campaign revenues: Campaign contributions, current period 11,528,364 6,379,565 17,907,929 4,475,902 Grants for initiatives received through the campaign 4,475,902 Other campaign contributions 309,125 309,125 Campaign resources raised in the current year - gross 11,837,489 10,855,467 22,692,956 Less: donor designations, funded agencies and initiatives 2,152,035) 2,152,035) Less: donor designations, other agencies 4,955,478) 4,955,478) Less: estimated uncollectible pledges 538,885) 538,885) Campaign revenues - net 11,298,604 3,747,954 15,046,558 Other revenues: Special initiative program funding 714,674 714,674 Contributions from other United Ways 30,789 30,789 Interest and investment gain 404,037 404,037 558,384 Donor designation processing fee 558,384 Sponsorships and other 462,968 462,968 Total other revenues 1,456,178 714,674 2,170,852 Total revenues before releases from restriction 12,754,782 4,462,628 17,217,410 Net assets released from restriction 3,242,880 3,242,880) Total revenues 15,997,662 1,219,748 17,217,410 **Expenses** 13,760,875 Grants and allocations 13,760,875 Less: allocations funded through designations 6,454,242) 6,454,242) Net grants and allocations 7,306,633 7,306,633 Support services: Management and general 2,323,382 2,323,382 Resource development and fundraising 1,793,759 1,793,759 Program services: Community impact 1,171,515 1,171,515 4,928,399 Initiative program services 4,928,399 Total functional expenses 10,217,055 10,217,055 Total expenses 17,523,688 17,523,688 **Change in Net Assets** 1,526,026) 1,219,748 (306,278) **Net Assets - Beginning of Year** 24,456,814 401,585 24,858,399 **Net Assets - End of Year** 22,930,788 1,621,333 24,552,121

Consolidated Statements of Activities and Changes in Net Assets For the Year Ended March 31, 2022

Without Donor With Donor Restrictions Restrictions Total Revenues Campaign revenues: Campaign contributions, current period 12,794,209 7,074,240 19,868,449 3,707,467 Grants for initiatives received through the campaign 3,707,467 Other campaign contributions 580,267 580,267 Campaign resources raised in the current year - gross 10,781,707 24,156,183 13,374,476 Less: donor designations, funded agencies and initiatives 2,496,438) 2,496,438) Less: donor designations, other agencies 5,490,302) 5,490,302) Less: estimated uncollectible pledges 687,778) 687,778) Campaign revenues - net 12,686,698 2,794,967 15,481,665 Other revenues: Special initiative program funding 750,930 750,930 Contributions from other United Ways 48,016 48,016 Interest and investment gain 290,107 290,107 638,163 Donor designation processing fee 638,163 Sponsorships and other 1,117,557 1,117,557 Total other revenues 2,093,843 750,930 2,844,773 Total revenues before releases from restriction 14,780,541 3,545,897 18,326,438 Net assets released from restriction 3,144,312 3,144,312) Total revenues 17,924,853 401,585 18,326,438 **Expenses** 15,501,524 15,501,524 Grants and allocations Less: allocations funded through designations 7,227,041) 7,227,041) Net grants and allocations 8,274,483 8,274,483 Support services: Management and general 2,272,704 2,272,704 Resource development and fundraising 2,000,928 2,000,928 Program services: Community impact 935,516 935,516 102,460 102,460 Community services Initiative program services 4,281,925 4,281,925 Total functional expenses 9,593,533 9,593,533 Total expenses 17,868,016 17,868,016 **Employee Retention Tax Credits** 619,732 619,732 Gain on Forgiveness of PPP Loan 1,022,617 1,022,617 **Change in Net Assets** 1,699,186 401,585 2,100,771 Net Assets - Beginning of Year 22,757,628 22,757,628 **Net Assets - End of Year** 24,456,814 401,585 24,858,399

Consolidated Statements of Functional Expenses For the Year Ended March 31, 2023

	Support Services Program Services		Services		
	Management and General	Resource Development and Fundraising	Community Impact	Initiative Program Services (a)	Total
Salaries and Related Expenses Salaries Employee benefits and related taxes	\$ 1,201,607 349,668 1,551,275	\$ 1,219,051 256,664 1,475,715	\$ 767,347 165,424 932,771	\$ 688,027 131,291 819,318	\$ 3,876,032 903,047 4,779,079
Professional fees Program grants and contracted agencies Advertising and marketing Office supplies, printing and postage Occupancy, insurance and telephone Special events Travel and conferences Miscellaneous	441,710 - 77,932 30,568 99,266 730 22,999 13,555 686,760	50,153 - 1,078 44,602 89,169 739 13,797 53,742 253,280	99,420 - 5,247 25,713 58,310 - 4,322 2,993 196,005	102,148 3,737,163 - 68,275 38,126 4,470 26,772 3,710 3,980,664	693,431 3,737,163 84,257 169,158 284,871 5,939 67,890 74,000
Total Expenses before Depreciation and Amortization and Dues to United Way Worldwide	2,238,035	1,728,995	1,128,776	4,799,982	9,895,788
Depreciation and Amortization	21,763	16,433	9,970	32,997	81,163
Dues to United Way Worldwide	63,584	48,331	32,769	95,420	240,104
Total Functional Expenses	2,323,382	1,793,759	1,171,515	4,928,399	10,217,055
Net Grants and Allocations Expenses	-	-	-	7,306,633	7,306,633
Total Expenses	\$ 2,323,382	\$ 1,793,759	\$ 1,171,515	\$ 12,235,032	\$ 17,523,688

⁽a) Initiative Program Services includes Success by Third Grade, Tax Time, Stable Families, Volunteerism, African American Leadership Academy and Project Diversity/Pride Leadership.

Consolidated Statements of Functional Expenses For the Year Ended March 31, 2022

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	Support	Services	Program Services			
	Management and General	Resource Development and Fundraising	Community Impact	Community Services	Initiative Program Services (a)	Total
Salaries and Related Expenses Salaries Employee benefits and related taxes	\$ 1,086,952 313,976 1,400,928	\$ 1,194,224 254,399 1,448,623	\$ 586,369 170,459 756,828	\$ 70,670 15,805 86,475	\$ 395,912 87,049 482,961	\$ 3,334,127 841,688 4,175,815
Expenses Professional fees Program grants and contracted agencies Advertising and marketing Office supplies, printing and postage Occupancy, insurance and telephone Special events Travel and conferences Miscellaneous	466,789 - 46,577 10,589 160,650 305 8,267 32,197 725,374	278,035 - 12,695 38,252 75,479 1,179 4,343 13,638 423,621	74,068 - 60 627 33,697 - 842 9,163 118,457	3,168 - - 563 5,657 - - - - 9,388	63,694 3,478,840 8,536 15,925 29,087 14,281 3,416 5,644 3,619,423	885,754 3,478,840 67,868 65,956 304,570 15,765 16,868 60,642 4,896,263
Total Expenses before Depreciation and Amortization and Dues to United Way Worldwide	2,126,302	1,872,244	875,285	95,863	4,102,384	9,072,078
Depreciation and Amortization	36,099	31,677	14,910	1,633	43,577	127,896
Dues to United Way Worldwide	110,303	97,007	45,321	4,964	135,964	393,559
Total Functional Expenses	2,272,704	2,000,928	935,516	102,460	4,281,925	9,593,533
Net Grants and Allocations Expenses	-	_	-		8,274,483	8,274,483
Total Expenses	\$ 2,272,704	\$ 2,000,928	\$ 935,516	\$ 102,460	\$ 12,556,408	\$ 17,868,016

⁽a) Initiative Program Services includes Success by Third Grade, Tax Time, Stable Families, Volunteerism, African American Leadership Academy and Project Diversity/Pride Leadership.

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows For the Years Ended March 31, 2023 and 2022

2022

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3,529,459

3,270 1,700)

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3,489,469

11,771,406 15,260,875

		2023	
Cash Flows from Operating Activities			
Change in net assets	\$(306,278)	\$
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash and			
cash equivalents (used in) provided by operating activities:			
Uncollectible pledge expense		538,885	
Depreciation and amortization		81,163	
Net investment gain on funds held by foundation		81,208	(
Gain on short-term investments	(35,116)	•
Gain on forgiveness of PPP loans	•		(
(Increase) decrease in assets:			•
Contributions receivable	(725,608)	
Employee retention tax credits receivable	•	-	(
Other assets	(117,560)	į
Operating lease right-of-use asset	į	1,100,556)	•
(Decrease) increase in liabilities:	•		
Accounts payable and other miscellaneous liabilities		21,004	
Grants payable for initiative programs	(197,262)	
Funded agency allocations payable	ĺ	138,688)	
Donor designations payable to agencies	į	600,627)	(
Accrued payroll and related liabilities	•	273,889	•
Funds held for others		1,026,272	(
Operating lease liability		1,134,690	
Total adjustments		241,694	
Net cash and cash equivalents (used in) provided by			
operating activities	(64,584)	
Cash Flows from Investing Activities			
Investment into funds held by foundation	(3,000,000)	
Maturities of short-term investments		500,000	
Payments for the purchase of property and equipment	(16,341)	(
Net cash and cash equivalents (used in) provided by			
investing activities	(2,516,341)	
Cash Flows from Financing Activities			
Net payments on capital lease obligations	(10,318)	(
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(Decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents	(2,591,243)	
Cook and Cook Equivalents - Designing of Very		45 260 075	
Cash and Cash Equivalents – Beginning of Year		15,260,875	
Cash and Cash Equivalents - End of Year	\$	12,669,632	\$

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements
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Nature and Scope of Business

United Way of Central Ohio, Inc. (United Way or the Organization) is a not-for-profit, federated fund-raising organization, exempt from federal income taxes under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Effective January 1, 2021, United Way assumed the services of United Way of Union County, Inc. to expand the service area of United Way of Central Ohio, Inc. and to increase the capacity of United Way of Union County, Inc. to raise funds and meet philanthropic challenges.

United Way's mission statement is to improve lives of others by mobilizing the caring power of our community. United Way is dedicated to providing opportunities for people to succeed by acting as a catalyst for lasting improvements and by mobilizing our community to give and volunteer. United Way raises funds and invests in a wide network of funded partners who are working with families every day to provide food, stable housing, high-quality education and safe neighborhoods. United Way brings together more than 40,000 donors and volunteers to improve the policies and systems that directly affect thousands of lives, and develops and implements innovative and integrated ways to reduce poverty. United Way works intensively in priority neighborhoods to create broad positive changes by empowering neighborhood leaders and residents to change the places they live. United Way is dedicated to making the principles of diversity and inclusion a foundation for this work because the best decisions are made when all voices are heard and respected.

United Way is a volunteer-driven organization, governed by a volunteer Board of Trustees. United Way's fundraising efforts are conducted in Franklin County, Ohio and Union County, Ohio, however services are provided in the broader Central Ohio region.

Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Principles of Consolidation

The consolidated financial statements include the financial statements of United Way of Central Ohio, Inc. and its wholly owned subsidiary United Way of Union County, Inc. All significant intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

Use of Estimates

The preparation of consolidated financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (U.S. GAAP) 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 consolidated financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting periods. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

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Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

<u>Financial Statement Presentation</u>

United Way reports information regarding its financial position and activities according to two classes of net assets as follows:

- <u>Net Assets without Donor Restrictions</u> Net assets that are not subject to donorimposed restrictions and are available for use in United Way's ongoing operations, including funds designated by the Board of Trustees.
- <u>Net Assets with Donor Restrictions</u> Net assets subject to donor-imposed restrictions that either expire by passage of time, can be fulfilled and removed by action of United Way pursuant to those restrictions, and/or upon receipt of funding or passage of date upon which funds were due.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

For the purpose of reporting cash flows, cash and cash equivalents consist of cash on hand, cash maintained in interest bearing and non-interest bearing checking accounts, money market funds and certificates of deposit with original maturities of three months or less.

Contributions Receivable and Revenues

Contributions receivable are promises to give from various donors that are considered unconditional. Contributions receivable primarily consist of pledges made during annual giving campaign appeals, and are presented net of the allowance for doubtful accounts. Unconditional promises to give that are expected to be collected within one year are recorded at their net realizable value. 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 considered past due when the pledge payment period has passed. An allowance is recorded for each campaign year based on management's evaluation of outstanding pledges. This estimation takes into consideration current economic factors applied to the gross campaign, historical trends and past history with specific funding sources. Actual results could vary from the estimate. Once the likelihood of collecting receivables is determined to be remote, management writes off the specific account balance and relieves any related allowance.

Unconditional contributions are recognized as revenue in the year the commitment or payment is first received. Conditional promises to give – that is, those with a measurable performance or other barrier and a right of return – not recognized until the conditions on which they depend have been met. At March 31, 2023, contributions approximating \$1,013,000 have not been recognized in the accompanying consolidated statement of activities and changes in net assets because of the condition(s) on which they depend has not been met. The \$1,013,000 remaining conditional contributions are conditioned on qualifying expenditures being incurred on cost-reimbursement grants.

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Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Contributions Receivable and Revenues (continued)

Contributions of assets other than cash are recorded at estimated fair value at the date of receipt.

Significant revenue funding is reported on the statements of activities as follows:

Campaign Contributions, Current Period

Campaign contributions include the annual campaign directed at corporations, individuals, employers/employees of for-profit, non-profit and governmental entities, as well as public and private foundations.

The core campaign is conducted each fall, and a majority of the pledges are received prior to December 31. All payments are typically expected by December 31 of the following year. Designations to specific not-for-profit organizations other than United Way are deducted from campaign resources raised during the current year campaign. Similarly, the grant and allocation expense is reduced by donor designations. Processing fees to record and distribute designations are recorded in unrestricted other revenues.

For the remaining campaign pledges and other donor designations, there are various payment options but payment generally occurs on a monthly or quarterly basis during the calendar year.

Grants for Initiatives Received Through the Campaign

Grants include specially promoted initiatives developed by United Way for which specific targeted donor solicitation occurs during the annual campaign period. Grants are funded by corporations, governmental agencies and foundations.

Grant funding is originally recorded as donor restricted contribution revenue in the month that the promise to give is received, provided that the contribution is unconditional. Management then monitors the progress of the grant related project to ensure that the identified initiatives are completely performed pursuant to the terms of the grant, as well as to ensure that direct, and in certain cases, applicable indirect allocated costs are incurred. To the extent that the applicable performance and incurred costs are fulfilled, management releases the contribution revenue from net assets with donor restrictions to net assets without donor restrictions.

Other Campaign Contributions

Other campaign contributions include collections in excess of the original uncollectible allowance estimate from prior campaigns.

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Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Contributions Receivable and Revenues (continued)

Special Initiative Program Funding

Funding includes other United Way initiatives and programs for which funding is solicited as part of the annual campaign process where donors have specifically designated their contribution for the initiative. United Way records the revenue initially through campaign contributions, records a contra-revenue to donor designations – affiliate agencies and initiatives, and then re-records the revenue to special initiative program funding.

This initiative funding is originally recorded as donor restricted contribution revenue in the month that the promise to give is received. Management then monitors the progress of the related initiative to ensure that applicable direct and allocated indirect costs are incurred. Management releases the contribution revenue from donor restricted net assets to net assets without donor restrictions in the month that sufficient costs are incurred. As of March 31 of each fiscal year end, typically 100% of the initiative funding is released from net assets with donor restrictions. This accounting occurs regardless of whether the donor is making payments over a period of time extending into the subsequent fiscal year, as management believes that the donor intended the funding to be applicable for the same fiscal year in which the promise to give is made.

Donor Designation Processing Fee

Donor designation processing fee includes public sector campaign administrative fees associated with United Way's role as the campaign coordinating organization and cost recovery fees assessed on private sector campaign donor designated pledges for fundraising and management and general expenses, based on actual historical costs, in accordance with United Way Worldwide Membership Requirements. The current total cost recovery fee is ten percent.

Sponsorships and Other Revenue

Sponsorships and other revenue typically include general unrestricted contributions, gifts and bequests, sponsorship funding and attendance fees for special events, as well as funding from endowments established at The Columbus Foundation for which the United Way does not have variance power.

Fair Value Measurements

U.S. GAAP established a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to measure the fair value of the assets or liabilities being measured. Fair value is defined as the exchange value that would be received on the measurement date to sell an asset or to value the amount paid to transfer a liability in the principal or most advantageous market available to the entity in an orderly transaction between market participants. The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are as follows:

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Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

<u>Fair Value Measurements</u> (continued)

- Level 1 Inputs are unadjusted quoted market prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities that the entity has the ability to access at the measurement date. Level 1 inputs provide the most reliable measure of fair value as of the measurement date.
- Level 2 Inputs are based on significant observable inputs, including unadjusted quoted market prices for similar assets and liabilities in active markets, unadjusted quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in markets that are not active or inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability.
- Level 3 Inputs are significant unobservable inputs for the asset or liability.

The level of the fair value hierarchy within which a fair value measurement in its entirety falls is based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement in its entirety.

Short-Term Investments

Certificates of deposit are valued at cost plus accrued interest. US Treasury Bills are valued using quoted market prices for identical investments in active markets. Bankers' acceptances and other short-term investments are valued on an amortized cost basis.

Realized and unrealized gains and losses are included in the change in net assets without donor restrictions in the accompanying statements of activities and changes in net assets unless the donor has restricted earnings. If restricted earnings have restrictions met in the same year, those earnings are released from restrictions. Investments are exposed to various risks such as interest rate, market and credit risks. Accordingly, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in the value of investments may occur in the near term, which could be material.

Property and Equipment

Property and equipment are recorded at cost, less accumulated depreciation or amortization. Depreciation or amortization is computed using the straight-line method over the assets' estimated useful lives of 3 to 40 years. Major improvements and betterments are capitalized and depreciated or amortized. Maintenance and repairs that do not improve or extend the estimated useful lives of the respective assets are charged to expense as incurred. The carrying amounts of assets sold, retired or otherwise disposed and the related accumulated depreciation or amortization are eliminated from the accounts and any resulting gain or loss is included in the statements of activities. Property and equipment is classified as held for sale in the period in which all of the held for sale criteria are met Property and equipment listed as held for sale is recorded at the lower of carrying value or fair value less costs to sell and is not depreciated.

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements March 31, 2023 and 2022

Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Impairment of Assets

The carrying value of long-lived assets is reviewed for impairment at least annually, or whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate the amount of the assets may not be recoverable. When an indication of impairment is present and the undiscounted cash flows estimated to be generated by the related assets are less than the assets' carrying amount, an impairment loss will be recorded based on the difference between the carrying amount of the assets and their estimated fair value. Management determined that no impairment existed as of March 31, 2023 or 2022.

Donated Services

In-kind contributions of materials, property or equipment are recorded as contributions at the estimated fair value on the date of receipt. Contributions of services that enhance non-financial assets or require specialized skills, and are provided by individuals possessing those skills, are recorded as contributions at the estimated fair value of the service received. United Way makes extensive use of volunteers in conducting its campaign and various program activities. Such services are not reflected in the consolidated financial statements, as those services do not meet this definition.

United Way Worldwide (UWW) maintains relationships with the National Football League (NFL), the Ad Council, and other organizations on behalf of local United Ways. UWW underwrites the cost to produce Public Service Announcements (PSAs) that promote education, financial stability, and healthy living that features individuals who are involved in various local United Way community volunteer activities. The NFL, the Ad Council, and other organizations furnish the media space (television and radio airtime, newspaper and magazine print space, billboards, etc.) throughout the year at no cost to United Way. Management has elected to disclose an allocation of airtime based upon a multiplication factor of annual dues. This factor is provided to local United Ways by UWW before March 31st of each year, for application to the prior year's accounting. The allocated value of the donated media was estimated to be approximately \$39,000 and \$145,000 for the calendar years ended December 31, 2022 and 2021, respectively. United Way of Central Ohio has not reflected this in-kind donation in the consolidated financial statements because Columbus does not have a local NFL team.

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Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Agency Transactions

United Way receives resources in certain transactions where it is acting as an intermediary for the resource providers. The resources are then delivered to third-party recipients and service providers. Accordingly, these transactions are recognized as changes in assets and liabilities and do not affect the consolidated statement of activities and changes in net assets. Agency liabilities are classified on the consolidated statement of financial position as "funds held for others." United Way had agency relationships with the following:

- Racial Equity Partnership
- Justice Vault
- George Meany Banquet
- LBrands Volunteer Account
- Give Back Hack
- OCRC Hall of Fame
- Innovation Catalyst
- Stuff the Backpack
- Boys and Young Men of Color
- SASA Enterprises
- Columbus Urban Public Policy Academy
- Rise Together

Functional Expenses

The consolidated financial statements report certain categories of expenses that are attributable to one or more programs or supporting functions of United Way. Those expenses include employee salaries and benefits and facility expenditures. Salaries and benefits are allocated based on estimates of time and effort utilized. Facility expenditures are allocated based on full-time equivalency (FTE) assigned to each function.

COVID-19 Government Assistance Accounting Policies

Currently, there is no authoritative quidance under U.S. GAAP that addresses accounting and reporting for forgivable debt or assistance not in the form of an income tax credit from a government entity. Accordingly, management has elected to recognize forgivable debt received from a government entity (Paycheck Protection Program Loan) as debt until debt extinguishment occurs when the Organization is legally released from being the obligor. Upon legal release as obligor, the Organization recognized the forgiven amount as income in the statements of activities and changes in net assets. As it relates to certain payroll-related tax credits (Employee Retention Credits), management has elected to analogize to International Accounting Standards 20, Accounting for Government Grants and Disclosure of Government Assistance, which states that such credits are treated as a government grant when there is reasonable assurance that the entity will meet the terms of the credits and such credits will be received. Accordingly, the Organization presents assistance from government entities in the form of such tax credits within employee retention tax credits receivable in the accompanying balance sheet and within other income in the statement of activities and changes in net assets when it is probable that the Organization has complied with all the conditions to receive the credit.

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Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

<u>Leases</u>

Pursuant to U.S. GAAP, a contract contains a lease if it conveys the right to control the use of an identified asset for a period of time in exchange for consideration. Control is defined as having both the right to obtain substantially all of the economic benefits from use of the asset and the right to direct the use of the asset. Management only reassesses its determination if the terms and conditions of the contract are changed. Leases with an initial term of 12 months or less are not recorded within the accompanying consolidated statements of financial position.

Operating leases are included in operating lease right-of-use assets and operating lease liabilities within the Organization's accompanying consolidated statements of financial position.

ROU assets represent the Organization's right to use an underlying asset for the lease term, and lease liabilities represent the Organization's obligation to make lease payments. Operating lease ROU assets and liabilities are recognized at the lease commencement date based on the present value of lease payments over the lease term. The Organization uses the implicit rate when it is readily determinable. If the Organization's leases do not provide an implicit rate, the Organization elected the practical expedient to utilize the risk-free rate to determine the present value of lease payments. Operating lease ROU assets also includes any lease payments made and excludes any lease incentives. Lease expense for lease payments is recognized on a straight-line basis over the lease term. The Organization's lease terms may include options to extend or terminate the lease when it is reasonably certain that the Organization will exercise the option.

The Organization has lease agreements with lease and non-lease components, however the Organization has elected the practical expedient to account for the lease and non-lease components as a single lease.

<u>Advertising</u>

Advertising costs are expensed as incurred. Advertising expense was approximately \$51,000 and \$52,000 for the years ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively.

Income Taxes

United Way is a tax-exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. Accordingly, no provisions for federal, state or local taxes are included in the consolidated financial statements. United Way is also exempt from real estate taxes.

United Way performs an annual assessment for any uncertainty in income tax positions which includes an analysis of whether there are any tax positions taken with regard to unrelated business income, related deductions applied, or other activities that may jeopardize their tax exempt status and thus would meet the definition of an uncertain tax position. No tax liability accrual was recorded as of the years ended March 31, 2023 or 2022 relating to material uncertain positions taken, as management believes there are none.

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Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (continued)

Cost Deduction Standards

The United Way Worldwide Membership Requirement M – Cost Deduction Requirements ("Requirement M") sets forth uniform standards for local United Ways to calculate the maximum amount of fundraising and management and general expenses to deduct from donor pledges. United Way complies with the guidelines as outlined in Requirement M.

Recent Accounting Pronouncements

Effective April 1, 2022, the Organization adopted the provisions and disclosure requirements described in ASC Topic 842, Leases. ASC 842 requires the recognition of lease assets and lease liabilities by lessees for most leases, unless the lease has a term of 12 months or less. ASC 842 also changed certain guidance of lessee accounting, lessor accounting, leveraged leases, sale and leaseback transactions and required disclosures.

The Organization adopted the standard using the modified retrospective method. Accordingly, the reporting periods beginning after March 31, 2022 are presented under ASC 842, while prior period amounts are not adjusted and continue to be reported under the accounting standards in effect during those periods.

In connection with the adoption of ASC 842, the Organization elected transition-related practical expedients as accounting policies which allowed it to not reassess, as of the adoption date, (1) whether any expired or existing contracts are or contain leases, (2) the classification of any expired or existing leases, and (3) if previously capitalized initial direct costs qualify for capitalization under ASC 842.

In June 2016, the FASB issued Accounting Standards Update (ASU) No. 2016-13, Financial Instruments – Credit Losses (Topic 326): Measurement of Credit Losses on Financial Instruments. This standard sets forth a current expected credit loss (CECL) model, which requires the Organization to measure all expected credit losses for financial assets (or a group of financial assets) held at the reporting date based on historical experience, current conditions, and reasonable supportable forecasts. The standard replaces the existing incurred loss model and is applicable to the measurement of credit losses on financial assets measured at amortized cost, such as accounts receivable and related reserves. The new standard is effective for annual periods beginning after December 15, 2022. Management is currently evaluating the potential impact of the new pronouncement on the Organization's consolidated financial statements.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

United Way maintains its cash and cash equivalents in financial institutions, which at times may exceed federally insured limits.

Cash held for agency contracts includes \$148,216 and \$398,725 for funds required to be maintained in separate bank accounts for the State of Ohio Combined Charitable Campaign as of March 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively.

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Contributions Receivable

Contributions receivable consist of the following at March 31:

Gross contributions receivable - 2023 campaign Allowance for estimated uncollectible accounts Net 2023 campaign contributions receivable
Gross contributions receivable - 2022 campaign Allowance for estimated uncollectible accounts Net 2022 campaign contributions receivable
Gross contributions receivable - 2021 campaign Allowance for estimated uncollectible accounts Net 2021 campaign contributions receivable
Gross contributions receivable - 2020 campaign Allowance for estimated uncollectible accounts Net 2020 campaign contributions receivable
Total net contributions receivable

	2023		2022
\$	187,052	\$	-
	-		-
	187,052		-
	12,084,980		-
(761,287)		-
	11,323,693		-
	56,206		12,299,515
	50,200	(956,354)
	56,206		11,343,161
	-		780,102
	-	(743,035)
			37,067
\$	11,566,951	\$	11,380,228

The contributions receivable are due primarily within one year.

Employee Retention Tax Credits

The CARES Act allows for a refundable Employee Retention Credit (ERC) to eligible employers equal to 50% of qualified wages paid to employees from March 13, 2020 to December 31, 2020, capped at \$10,000 per employee. Subsequently, the Consolidated Appropriations Act of 2021 (CAA), the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA) and the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act of 2021 were passed, which expanded the ERC by increasing the credit to 70% of qualified wages paid from January 1, 2021 through September 30, 2021, capped at \$10,000 per employee per quarter. For the fiscal year ended March 31, 2022, the Company recognized \$619,732 in ERC, which is presented within other income in the accompanying statement of activities and changes in net assets. As of March 31, 2023 and 2022, \$619,732 had not been received and is presented within employee retention tax credits receivable in the accompanying statements of financial position. No ERC amounts were recognized during the year ended March 31, 2023.

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Short-Term Investments

The following is a summary of investments as of March 31:

	2023	2022
Government bonds	\$ 1,308,720	\$ -
Certificates of deposit	-	1,296,785
Bankers acceptances	787,157	804,762
Commercial paper	-	498,578
US Treasury Bills	259,094	255,672
Other	75,774	39,832
Total brokerage funds	\$ 2,430,745	\$ 2,895,629

United Way has certificates of deposit, bankers' acceptances and commercial paper with initial maturities greater than three months. These investments are readily convertible to cash, but may be subject to a penalty upon conversion and are valued at amortized cost. US Treasury Bills are valued using quoted prices for identical investments in active markets and are considered to be level 1 investments. Government bonds are valued using a discounted cash flow approach and are considered to be level 2 investments.

The preceding methods described may produce a calculation that may not be indicative of net realizable value or reflective of future fair value. Furthermore, although United Way believes its valuation methods are appropriate and consistent with other market participants, the use of different methodologies or assumptions to determine the value of certain financial instruments could result in a different fair value measurement at the reporting date.

Life Insurance Investment/Supplemental Executive Retirement Plan

United Way is the sole beneficiary of a life insurance policy on the life of the former CEO that is being utilized as an investment vehicle. The policy has a face value of \$1,462,500 and premium payments are no longer required. The accumulated cash surrender value is approximately \$1,068,000 and \$1,030,000 as of March 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively, and is included in other assets on the statements of financial position.

Beneficial Interest in Assets Held by Foundation

In 2002, United Way established an account at The Columbus Foundation for quasi-endowment purposes and designated itself the beneficiary. Accordingly, the fair value of the fund is recorded as the asset "Beneficial Interest in Assets Held by Foundation" on the statements of financial position. The fair value was \$4,204,768 and \$1,276,224 as of March 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively. Investment income is distributed to United Way semi-annually and was approximately \$63,000 and \$66,000 for the years ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively. Investment (loss) income, including realized and unrealized gains and losses net of fees, was approximately a loss of \$8,000 and gain of \$81,000 for the years ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively.

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Beneficial Interest in Assets Held by Foundation (continued)

In addition, several endowment funds are maintained at The Columbus Foundation for the benefit of United Way. These funds represent endowment funds of The Columbus Foundation established by third-party donors. They are subject to the variance power of the Columbus Foundation's governing body and are therefore excluded from United Way's consolidated financial statements. United Way's interest in the fair value of these funds was approximately \$6,756,000 and \$7,460,000 at March 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively. Investment income is distributed to the United Way semi-annually and was approximately \$177,000 and \$166,000 for the years ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively.

United Way of Union County, Inc. has also established an account for their benefit at The Union County Foundation for quasi-endowment purposes and designated itself the beneficiary. Accordingly, the fair value of the fund is recorded as the asset "Beneficial Interest in Assets Held by Foundation" on the statements of financial position. The fair value was \$179,814 and \$189,566 as of March 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively.

The fair value of the beneficial interests is based on units of the master investment pool applicable to United Way's pro-rata portion and represented to be based on quoted active market prices; however, funds held by a community foundation under the arrangement described above are all considered to be within Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy.

Property and Equipment

The following is a summary of property and equipment, at cost, as of March 31:

		2023		2022
Furniture and equipment Computer software	\$	99,263 10,400	\$	404,434 10,400
		109,663		414,834
Total cost		109,663		414,834
Less: accumulated depreciation and amortization	(90,753)	(331,102)
Property and equipment, net	\$	18,910	\$	83,732

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Leases

The Organization has an operating lease for its corporate office which is leased from an unrelated party. This lease commenced January 1, 2023 and requires monthly payments of rent through the maturity date in December 2032 and allows for two five-year renewal periods at the option of the Organization. Additionally, the lease included a rent holiday where no rental payments are due from the commencement date through June 30, 2023. Total operating lease expense was \$34,134 for the year ended March 31, 2023. There was no operating lease expense during the year ended March 31, 2022.

The maturities of lease liabilities as of March 31, 2023 were as follows:

2024	\$	103,134
2025		138,772
2026		140,159
2027		141,561
2028		142,977
Thereafter		698,769
Total undiscounted cash flows		1,365,372
Less: present value discount	(230,682)
Total lease liabilities	\$	1,134,690

The following summarizes additional information related to leases for the year ended March 31, 2023:

Cash paid for amounts included in the measurement of lease liabilities
Operating cash flows from operating leases
ROU assets obtained in exchange for new operating lease liabilities
Weighted-average remaining lease term in years for operating leases
Weighted-average discount rate for operating leases

\$ -
1,124,006
9.75
3 70%

Property Held for Sale

In October 2021, the Board of Directors of United Way approved a plan to sell the land and building owned by the Organization. The sale of this property is intended to provide additional operating funds that would be used to generate future income to the Organization and help facilitate the funding of current initiatives. The land and building is expected to be sold during the year ended March 31, 2024 and the total proceeds from sale are expected to be greater than the carrying value of \$807,266 as of March 31, 2023 and 2022. As a result, no impairment losses were recorded at the time this property met the held-for-sale designation.

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Note Payable - Line of Credit

United Way has an unsecured revolving line of credit agreement with a bank in the amount of \$1,000,000. This line matures in September 2023. Interest is payable monthly at the bank's prime commercial rate (8.00% and 3.50% at March 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively), with all principal due at maturity. There was no outstanding balance on this obligation as of March 31, 2023 or 2022. No draws were made on the line since inception, and accordingly no interest has been incurred.

Paycheck Protection Program Loans

In December 2020, the Economic Aid to Hard-Hit Small Businesses, Nonprofits and Venues Act (Economic Aid Act) was signed into law, which allows for a second draw of loans under the Paycheck Protection Program. In February 2021, the Organization was approved for a term note in the amount of \$997,317. The term note charged interest at a fixed rate of 1% with monthly payments of \$21,204, inclusive of interest, beginning in December 2021 through February 2026. Under the terms of the loan, up to 100% of the loan (and related interest) may be forgiven if the proceeds are used for covered expenses and certain other requirements are met.

The Organization has applied for forgiveness and received notification of formal forgiveness in December 2021. The forgiveness income has been recorded as other income in the accompanying consolidated statement of activities and changes in net assets and total \$997,317 for the year ended March 31, 2022.

The U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) may undertake a review of a loan of any size during the six-year period following forgiveness or repayment of the loan. The review may include the loan forgiveness application, as well as whether the Organization met the eligibility requirements of the program and received the proper loan amount. The timing and outcome of any SBA review is not known.

Funded Agency Allocations Payable

Funded agency allocations payable represents program funding amounts due to United Way funded agencies as approved and committed, but not yet paid, as of March 31. Funded agencies receiving program funding from United Way undergo intensive staff and volunteer pre-screening before being awarded funding. Available funds for funded agency and initiative program funding are determined by the amount of designated gifts and the allocation of undesignated contributions after allowing for anticipated uncollectible pledges and operating costs.

Donor Designations Payable to Agencies

Donor designations payable to agencies represents donor contributions directed to agencies and other United Ways accrued, but not yet paid, as of March 31. Donor designations payable to agencies are recorded net of associated cost recovery fees.

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Capital Lease Obligations

United Way previously had various equipment leases accounted for as capital leases. Monthly payments totaled \$3,731 plus quarterly payments of \$1,064. Interest rates ranged from 5.94% to 7.13% for the leases. The lease terms ended during the year ended March 31, 2023 and the associated equipment was disposed of.

Following is a summary of property held under capital lease and included in property and equipment as of March 31, 2022:

Equipment Less: accumulated depreciation	\$ 178,475 133,610)
	\$ 44,865

Depreciation expense on equipment held under capital lease is included in depreciation and amortization expense on the consolidated statements of functional expenses.

Net Assets without Donor Restrictions

The Board of Trustees designated certain funds to be used for programs that are designed to promote the mission of United Way which are included in net assets without donor restrictions.

Net assets without donor restrictions designated by the Board of Trustees for special purposes are as follows as of March 31:

	2023	2022
Board designated funds:		
Impact council and strategic initiatives	\$ 1,267,501	\$ 1,798,653
Operating reserve	4,025,328	4,025,328
Quasi endowment with Columbus Foundation	4,204,768	1,276,224
United Way of Union County net assets	1,032,905	851,575
Subtotal of Board designated funds	10,530,502	7,951,780
Undesignated net assets	12,400,286	16,505,034
Total net assets without donor restrictions	\$ 22,930,788	\$ 24,456,814

Funds designated for impact council and strategic initiatives include planned future spending for initiative programs including Stable Families, Tax Time, African American Leadership Academy and Project Diversity/Pride Leadership as well as funds allocated for future community outreach and flexible response needs.

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Net Assets without Donor Restrictions

The operating reserve is established under a Board-approved policy to be separately invested in short-term investments, with a target of 3-6 months of internal operating expenses, so as to be available to meet unfunded and unexpected organizational needs, or to provide funds for emergency and emerging needs of the community. Any decision regarding use of the operating reserve funds requires Executive Committee or full Board approval.

In 2002, United Way established an account at The Columbus Foundation, with an initial deposit of approximately \$200,000, for quasi-endowment purposes and designated itself the beneficiary. An additional \$3,000,000 was contributed by United Way into the quasi-endowment during the year ended March 31, 2023. The quasi-endowment fund principal balance is intended to secure United Way's long-term financial viability and to provide interest earnings to offset internal staff costs for leadership and planned giving resource development. Any funds received from donor bequests realized are deposited to the endowment fund to grow the principal balance.

The undesignated net assets without donor restrictions are anticipated to be used for future agency program funding not yet formally committed by the Board, future programs and initiatives funding and other planned community impact investments.

Net Assets with Donor Restrictions

Net assets with donor restrictions consist of grants to initiatives and programs, which are either time or purpose restricted. At March 31, 2023, \$1,434,281 in net assets were purpose restricted to the Success by Third Grade initiative and \$187,052 in net assets were time restricted to future campaign years.

Net assets with donor restrictions are held in cash and cash equivalents and/or contributions receivable as of March 31, 2023 and 2022.

Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements March 31, 2023 and 2022

Liquidity and Availability of Resources

United Way's financial assets available within one year of the statements of financial position date for general expenditure are as follows:

		2023		2022
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	12,669,632	\$	15,260,875
Contributions receivable, net		11,566,951		11,380,228
Employee retention tax credits receivable		619,732		619,732
Short-term investments		2,430,745		2,895,629
Other assets		1,256,012		1,138,452
Beneficial interest in assets held by foundation		4,384,582		1,465,790
Total financial assets available within				
one year		32,927,654		32,760,706
Less:				
Amounts unavailable to management without				
Board approval	(10,530,502)	(7,951,780)
Designated and/or approved for allocation				
to agencies	(5,510,185)	(6,249,500)
Grants payable for initiative programs	(675,144)	(872,406)
Assets with purpose restrictions	(1,434,281)	(401,585)
Funds held for others	(1,671,249)	(644,977)
Total amounts unavailable for general				
expenditure within one year	(19,821,361)	(16,120,248)
Total financial assets available within one year	\$	13,106,293	\$	16,640,458

As part of United Way of Central Ohio's liquidity management, it has a policy to structure its financial assets to be available as its general expenditures, liabilities, future planned program funding allocations and other obligations come due. To help manage unanticipated liquidity needs, the Organization has a committed line of credit of \$1,000,000, which it could draw upon. Additionally, the Organization has Board Designated net assets without donor restrictions that, while the Organization does not intend to spend for these purposes other than those identified, the amounts could be made available for current operations, if necessary.

Concentrations

Two donor organizations accounted for approximately 27% and 22% of total annual campaign results for the years ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively. Two donor organizations accounted for approximately 39% and 33% of current campaign year net contributions receivable as of March 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively.

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Retirement Plans

United Way maintains a defined contribution 401(k) plan, which covers substantially all employees who have completed one month of service and are at least 21 years old. Participants may contribute a percentage of their compensation on a pre-tax basis, up to the maximum allowed under federal guidelines.

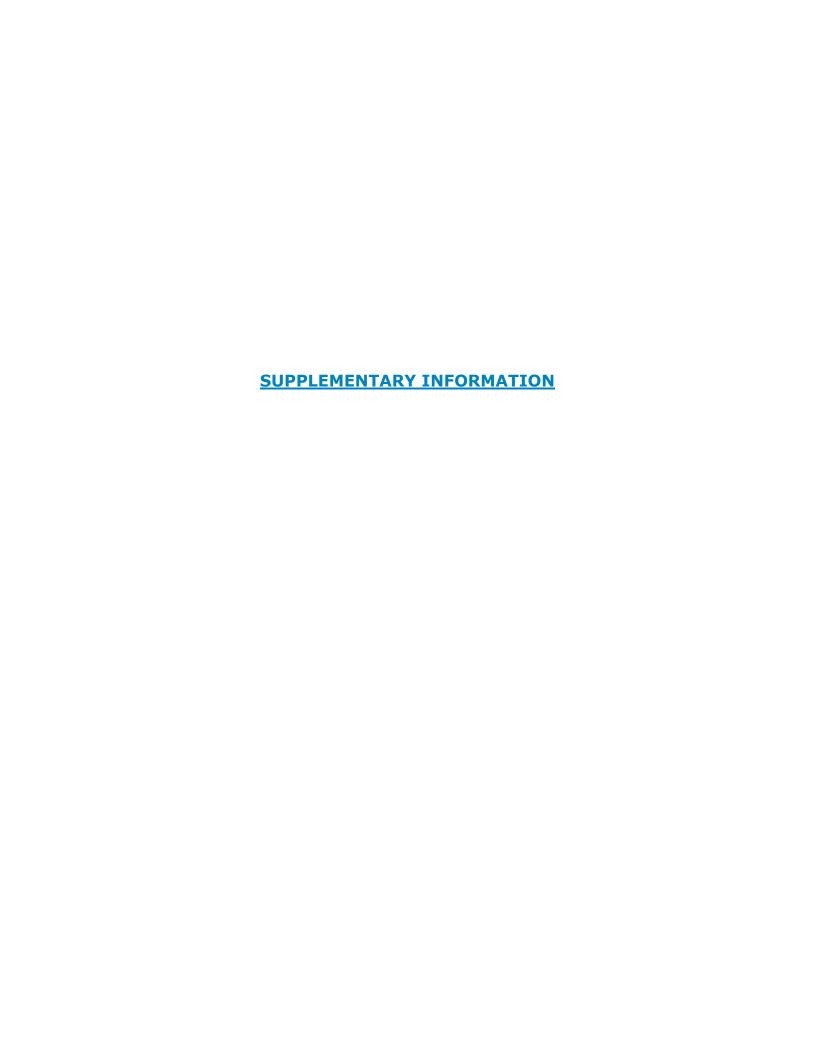
The 401(k) plan allows for a 3% safe harbor contribution for each eligible employee with at least one year of service, regardless of whether the employee is contributing to the 401(k) plan. The total safe harbor contribution to the 401(k) plan during the years ended March 31, 2023 and 2022 was approximately \$85,000 and \$71,000, respectively.

United Way provides a matching contribution of up to 3% of the participants' eligible compensation for individuals participating in the 401(k) plan who have completed at least one year of service. The matching contribution to this Plan for the years ended March 31, 2023 and 2022 was approximately \$63,000 and \$62,000, respectively.

United Way established a 457(b) Deferred Compensation Plan, effective as of January 1, 2018. The Plan is maintained primarily for the purpose of providing deferred compensation for the President & CEO, SVP Finance & CFO and the SVP of Community Impact who are covered under the Plan. The Plan document is intended to constitute a "top hat" plan under Sections 201(2), 301(a)(3) and 401(a)(1) of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended, and to constitute an eligible deferred compensation plan within the meaning of Section 457 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. Deferrals consist only of employer contributions. The employer contribution was approximately \$61,500 and \$58,500 for the years ended March 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively.

Subsequent Events – Date of Management Evaluation

Management evaluated subsequent events through the date of the Independent Auditor's Report, which is the date the consolidated financial statements were available to be issued.





To the Board of Trustees United Way of Central Ohio, Inc. Columbus, Ohio

Independent Auditor's Report on Supplementary Information

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of United Way of Central Ohio, Inc. and Subsidiary for the years ended March 31, 2023, and our report thereon dated June 30, 2023, which expressed an unmodified opinion on those consolidated financial statements, appears on Pages 3 through 5. Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the consolidated financial statements taken as a whole. The Consolidating Balance Sheets as of March 31, 2023 and 2022 are presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the consolidated financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the consolidated financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the consolidated financial statements or to the consolidated financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the consolidated financial statements as a whole.

GBQ Partners LLC

Columbus, Ohio June 30, 2023

UNITED WAY OF CENTRAL OHIO, INC. AND SUBSIDIARY Consolidating Statements of Financial Position

March 31, 2023

	United Way of Central Ohio	United Way of Union County	Total
ASSETS			
Assets Cash and cash equivalents Contributions receivable, net Employee retention tax credits receivable Short-term investments Other assets Beneficial interest in assets held by foundation Right-of-use asset - operating lease Property and equipment, net Property and equipment held for sale	\$ 11,894,269 11,259,884 619,732 2,430,745 1,256,012 4,204,768 1,100,556 17,588 807,266	\$ 775,363 307,067 - - 179,814 1,322	\$ 12,669,632 11,566,951 619,732 2,430,745 1,256,012 4,384,582 1,100,556 18,910 807,266
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 33,590,820	\$ 1,263,566	\$ 34,854,386
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS			
Liabilities Accounts payable and other miscellaneous liabilities Grants payable for initiative programs Funded agency allocations payable Donor designations payable to agencies Accrued payroll and related liabilities Operating lease liability Funds held for others Total liabilities	\$ 752,880 659,608 1,791,618 3,644,377 517,182 1,134,690 1,671,249 10,171,604	\$ 16,871 15,536 58,875 15,315 24,064	\$ 769,751 675,144 1,850,493 3,659,692 541,246 1,134,690 1,671,249 10,302,265
Net Assets Without donor restrictions With donor restrictions Total net assets	21,897,883 1,521,333 23,419,216	1,032,905 100,000 1,132,905	22,930,788 1,621,333 24,552,121
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$ 33,590,820	\$ 1,263,566	<u>\$ 34,854,386</u>

Consolidating Statements of Activities and Changes in Net Assets For the Year Ended March 31, 2023

United Way of United Way of Central Ohio **Union County** Total Revenues Campaign revenues: 17,907,929 Campaign contributions, current period 17,314,249 593,680 4,475,902 Grants for initiatives received through the campaign 4,475,902 Other campaign contributions 295,875 13,250 309,125 22,692,956 Campaign resources raised in the current year - gross 606,930 22,086,026 Less: donor designations, funded agencies and initiatives 2,152,035) 2,152,035) Less: donor designations, other agencies 4,955,478) 4,955,478) Less: estimated uncollectible pledges 514,121) 24,764) 538,885) Campaign revenues - net 14,464,392 582,166 15,046,558 Other revenues: Special initiative program funding 714,674 714,674 Contributions from other United Ways 30,789 30,789 Interest and investment gain 412,379 8,342) 404,037 Donor designation processing fee 558,384 558,384 Sponsorships and other 462,266 702 462,968 Total other revenues 2,178,492 7,640) 2,170,852 Total revenues 16,642,884 574,526 17,217,410 **Expenses** Grants and allocations 13,639,313 121,562 13,760,875 Less: allocations funded through designations 6,454,242) 6,454,242) Net grants and allocations 7,185,071 121,562 7,306,633 Support services: Management and general 2,303,570 19,812 2,323,382 Resource development and fundraising 1,768,994 24,765 1,793,759 Program services: Community impact 1,171,515 1,171,515 Initiative program services 4,807,874 120,525 4,928,399 Total functional expenses 10,051,953 165,102 10,217,055 Total expenses 17,237,024 286,664 17,523,688 **Change in Net Assets** 594,140) 287,862 306,278) **Net Assets - Beginning of Year** 24,006,826 851,573 24,858,399 Net Assets - End of Year 23,412,686 1,139,435 24,552,121

Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards
For the Year Ended March 31, 2023

	Assistance Listing Number	Grantor Contract Number	Total Expenditures
Federal Grantor/Pass Through Grantor/Program Title			
U.S. Department of Treasury; Internal Revenue Service; IRS VITA Program	21.009		\$ 108,774
U.S. Department of Education; City of Columbus; Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Funds	21.027		334,747
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; Ohio Department of Job and Familiy Services; Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Program	93.558	G-2021-17-0444	1,137,405
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards	33.333	3 2321 17 3111	\$ 1,580,926

Federal Grantor/Pass Through Grantor/Program Title	Assistance Listing Number	Amounts to Subrecipients
U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; Ohio Department of Job and Familiy Services; Temporary Assistance	02.550	1 025 066
for Needy Families Program	93.558	\$ 1,025,066

Notes to Schedule Expenditures of Federal Awards For the Year Ended March 31, 2023

1. The purpose of the Schedule of Expenditures of Federal Awards is to present a summary of the activities of United Way for the year ended March 31, 2023, which were funded by the U.S. Government.

Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the activities of United Way, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, results of operations or changes in net assets of United Way. The information in this schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations (CFR)* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards*. Therefore, some amounts presented in the schedule above may differ from amounts presented in, or used in the preparation of, the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

The Schedule is prepared on the accrual basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in Title 2 U.S. CFR Part 230, Cost Principles for Non-Profit Organizations, wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowed or are limited as to reimbursement. United Way has elected to use the 10 percent de minimus indirect cost rate as allowed under Uniform Guidance.





To the Board of Trustees United Way of Central Ohio, Inc. Columbus, Ohio

Independent Auditor's Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters

Based on an Audit of Consolidated Financial Statements Performed in Accordance with Government Auditing Standards

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the consolidated financial statements of United Way of Central Ohio, Inc. and Subsidiary (United Way), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as of March 31, 2023, and the related consolidated statements of activities and changes in net assets, cash flows and functional expenses for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements, and have issued our report thereon dated June 30, 2023.

Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting

In planning and performing our audit of the consolidated financial statements, we considered United Way's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) to determine the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the consolidated financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of United Way's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of United Way's internal control.

A deficiency in internal control exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A material weakness is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of United Way's consolidated financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control that is less severe than a material weakness, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

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Report on Compliance and Other Matters

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether United Way's consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the determination of consolidated financial statement amounts. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Purpose of this Report

The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of United Way's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering United Way's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

GBQ Partners LLC

Columbus, Ohio June 30, 2023



To the Board of Trustees United Way of Central Ohio, Inc. Columbus, Ohio

Independent Auditor's Report on Compliance for each Major Program and on Internal Control over Compliance Required by the Uniform Guidance

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program

We have audited United Way of Central Ohio, Inc. and Subsidiary's (United Way) compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB Compliance Supplement* that could have a direct and material effect on United Way's major federal programs for the year ended March 31, 2023. United Way's major federal programs are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

In our opinion, United Way complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs for the year ended March 31, 2023.

Basis for Opinion on Each Major Federal Program

We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; and the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. *Code of Federal Regulations* Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance). Our responsibilities under those standards and the Uniform Guidance are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section of our report.

We are required to be independent of United Way and to meet our other ethical responsibilities, in accordance with relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program. Our audit does not provide a legal determination of United Way's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above.

Responsibilities of Management for Compliance

Management is responsible for compliance with the requirements referred to above and for the design, implementation and maintenance of effective internal control over compliance with the requirements of laws, statutes, regulations, rules and provisions of contracts or grant agreements applicable to United Way's federal programs.

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Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether material noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above occurred, whether due to fraud or error, and express an opinion on United Way's compliance based on our audit. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, *Government Auditing Standards* and the Uniform Guidance with always detect material noncompliance when it exists. The risk not detecting material noncompliance resulting from fraud is higher than for that resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Noncompliance with the compliance requirements referred to above is considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, it would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user of the report on compliance about United Way's compliance with the requirements of each major federal program as a whole.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, *Government Auditing Standards* and the Uniform Guidance, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material noncompliance, 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 United
 Way's compliance with the compliance requirements referred to above and
 performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the
 circumstances.
- Obtain an understanding of United Way's internal control over compliance relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of United Way's internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and any significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in internal control over compliance that we identified during the audit.

To the Board of Trustees United Way of Central Ohio, Inc. Page 3

Report on Internal Control over Compliance

A deficiency in internal control over compliance exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program on a timely basis. A material weakness in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A significant deficiency in internal control over compliance is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of Compliance section above and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses, as described above. However, material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control over compliance may exist that were not identified.

Our audit was not designed for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

GBQ Partners LLC

Columbus, Ohio June 30, 2023

Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs For the Year Ended March 31, 2023

Section 1	[- Summar	y of Auditor's	Results
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Section I - Summary of Auditor's Results			
Financial Statements			
Type of auditor's report issued - unmodified.			
Internal control over financial reporting: • Material weakness(es) identified?	YesX No		
• Significant deficiency(ies) identified?	Yes X None Reported		
Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?	YesX No		
Federal Awards			
Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for	or major programs - unmodified.		
Internal control over major programs:Material weakness(es) identified?	YesXNo		
• Significant deficiency(ies) identified?	YesX None Reported		
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with 2 CFR Section 200.516 of the Uniform Guidance?	Yes <u>X</u> No		
Identification of Major Programs:			
Assistance Listing Number	Name of Federal Program		

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Assistance Listing Number	Name of Federal Program
93.558	U.S. Department of Health and Human Services; Ohio Department of Job and Familiy Services; Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Program
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Type A and Type B programs	\$ 750,000
Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee?	X YesNo

Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs (continued)
For the Year Ended March 31, 2023

Section II – Consolidated Financial Statements Findings

There were no findings required to be reported in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*.

Section III - Federal Award Findings and Questioned Costs

There were no findings or questioned costs for federal awards for the year ended March 31, 2023.

Section IV - Summary Schedule of Prior Year Audit Findings

There were no prior year audit findings.