# PARTNERS FOR CLEAN STREAMS AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Years Ended December 31, 2021 and 2020

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Directors
Partners for Clean Streams

#### **Opinion**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Partners for Clean Streams (a nonprofit organization), which comprise the statements of financial position as of December 31, 2021 and 2020, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Partners for Clean Streams as of December 31, 2021 and 2020, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Partners for Clean Streams 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 Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, and for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

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

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

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.

Misstatements, including omissions, are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, and design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks. Such procedures include examining, on a test basis, evidence regarding the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures
  that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the
  effectiveness of Partners for Clean Streams' internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is
  expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about Partners for Clean Streams' 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 audits.

Demarco & associates CPAS, LLC

December 15, 2022 Perrysburg, Ohio

# PARTNERS FOR CLEAN STREAMS STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION December 31, 2021 and 2020

## **ASSETS**

	 2021	_	2020
Current assets		_	
Cash	\$ 110,195	\$	59,450
Receivables:			
Grants	13,088		27,427
Contributions	5,000		5,000
Total assets	\$ 128,283	\$	91,877
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS			
Current liabilities			
Accounts payable	\$ 12,254	\$	9,748
Accrued wages	2,965		3,591
Total current liabilities	15,219	-	13,339
Net assets			
Without donor restrictions	(153)		13,852
With donor restrictions	113,217		64,686
Total net assets	 113,064	-	78,538
Total liabilities and net assets	\$ 128,283	\$	91,877

# PARTNERS FOR CLEAN STREAMS STATEMENTS OF ACTIVITIES Years Ended December 31, 2021 and 2020

		Without Donor Restrictions		With Donor Restrictions		2021 Total
Support and revenue	-	Restrictions		Restrictions	-	Total
	\$	8,354	\$	181,474	\$	189,828
Donations	•	17,996	,	10,000	,	27,996
Net assets released from restrictions		142,943		(142,943)		
Total support and revenue	-	169,293	,	48,531		217,824
Functional expenses						
Program services		147,806		-		147,806
Supporting services						
Management and general		20,668		-		20,668
Fundraising	_	14,827		_		14,827
Total operating expenses	-	183,301		<u>-</u>	_	183,301
Change in operating net assets		(14,008)		48,531		34,523
Other income						
Interest income	-	3			_	3
Change in net assets		(14,005)		48,531		34,526
Net assets beginning of year	-	13,852	,	64,686	_	78,538
Net assets end of year	\$	(153)	\$	113,217	\$_	113,064

		Without Donor Restrictions					2020 Totals
Support and revenue	•		,		_		
Grants	\$	6,071	\$	125,698	\$	131,769	
Donations		26,592		2,039		28,631	
Net assets released from restrictions		115,411		(115,411)			
Total support and revenue		148,074		12,326		160,400	
Operating expenses							
Program services		143,175		-		143,175	
Supporting services							
Management and general		19,248		-		19,248	
Fundraising		13,458				13,458	
Total operating expenses		175,881			_	175,881	
Change in operating net assets		(27,807)		12,326		(15,481)	
Other income							
Interest income		4	,		_	4	
Change in net assets		(27,803)		12,326		(15,477)	
Net assets beginning of year		41,655	,	52,360	_	94,015	
Net assets end of year	\$	13,852	\$	64,686	\$_	78,538	

# PARTNERS FOR CLEAN STREAMS STATEMENTS OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES Years Ended December 31, 2021 and 2020

	Supporting Services						
		Program	]	Management			
		Expenses	_	& General	Fundraising		2021
Outside contract services	\$	24,527	\$	- \$	-	\$	24,527
Salaries and wages		87,045		15,045	12,174		114,264
Payroll taxes		7,762		1,305	1,056		10,122
Professional fees		7,279		1,176	· -		8,455
Rent		6,566		1,103	893		8,563
Supplies		5,175		870	704		6,749
Clean Your Streams expense		1,347		-	-		1,347
Liability insurance		2,975		481	-		3,456
Telephone and telecommunications		1,790		289	-		2,079
Printing and copying		2,101		339	-		2,440
Postage and mailing service		130		21	-		151
Miscellaneous		867		-	-		867
Books, subscriptions and reference		242		39	-		281
Business registration fees	_	-	_			_	
Total functional expenses	\$_	147,806	\$_	20,668 \$	14,827	\$_	183,301

		Supporting Services						
	_	Program Services		Management & General	_	Fundraising		2020
Outside contract services	\$	30,480	\$	-	\$	-	\$	30,480
Salaries and wages		81,726		14,126		11,430		107,281
Payroll taxes		6,405		1,076		870		8,352
Professional fees		8,910		1,439		-		10,349
Rent		5,483		921		746		7,150
Supplies		3,027		509		412		3,948
Clean Your Streams expense		-		-		-		-
Liability insurance		2,898		468		-		3,366
Telephone and telecommunications		1,859		300		-		2,159
Printing and copying		1,651		266		-		1,917
Postage and mailing service		139		22		-		161
Miscellaneous		464		-		-		464
Books, subscriptions and reference		133		21		-		154
Business registration fees	_	-		100	_	-	_	100
Total functional expenses	\$	143,175	\$_	19,248	\$_	13,458	\$	175,881

# PARTNERS FOR CLEAN STREAMS STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS Years Ended December 31, 2021 and 2020

	2021			2020
Cash flows from operating activities				
Change in net assets	\$	34,526	\$	(15,477)
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net				
cash provided by (used in) operating activities:				
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:				
(Increase) Decrease in:				
Grants receivable		14,339		(17,037)
Contributions receivable		-		(4,750)
(Decrease) Increase in:				
Accounts payable		2,506		7,380
Accrued wages		(626)		1,231
Net cash provided by (used in) operating activities		50,745		(28,653)
Net change in cash		50,745		(28,653)
Cash at beginning of year		59,450		88,103
Cash at end of year	\$	110,195	\$	59,450

### PARTNERS FOR CLEAN STREAMS NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS December 31, 2021 and 2020

#### Note A - Significant accounting policies

### Nature of operations

Partners for Clean Streams (the "Organization") strives for abundant open space and a high quality natural environment, adequate food water storage capacities and flourishing wildlife, stakeholders who take local ownership in their resources, and rivers, streams and lakes that are clean, clear and safe.

#### Basis of presentation

The Organization's financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting. Under this method of accounting, revenues and expenses are identified with a specific period of time and are recorded as incurred without regard to the date of receipt or the payment of cash.

#### Use of estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include currency on hand, demand deposits with banks, and investment instruments with initial maturities of three months or less. Cash balances are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation up to \$250,000. At December 31, 2021 and 2020, the Organization did not have any uninsured cash balances.

#### Net asset categories

A description of the Organization's net asset categories is as follows:

<u>Net assets without donor restrictions</u> – net assets without donor restrictions are those that are not subject to donor restrictions as to use or timing.

Net assets with donor restrictions – net assets with donor restrictions are subject to stipulations imposed by donors or grantors. Some donor restrictions are temporary in nature; those restrictions will be met by actions of the Organization or by the passage of time. Other donor restrictions are perpetual in nature, whereby the donor has stipulated the funds be maintained in perpetuity. Donor restricted contributions are reported as increases in net assets with donor restrictions. When a restriction expires, net assets are reclassified from net assets with donor restrictions to net assets without donor restrictions in the statements of changes in net assets.

#### Income and other taxes

The Internal Revenue Service has determined that the Organization is qualified as a charity exempt under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and has also determined that the Organization is publicly supported. As a result, no provision for federal or state income taxes has been made.

FASB ASC 740, *Income Taxes*, requires entities to disclose in their financial statements the nature of any uncertainties in their tax position. Tax years including the year ended December 31, 2018 and later are subject to examination by tax authorities. Areas that IRS and state tax authorities consider when examining tax returns of a charity include, but may not be limited to, tax-exempt statutes and the existence and amount of unrelated business income. The Organization does not believe that it has any uncertain tax positions with respect to these or other matters and has not recorded any unrecognized tax benefits or liability for penalties or interest.

# PARTNERS FOR CLEAN STREAMS NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2021 and 2020

#### **Note A - Significant accounting policies (continued)**

# New accounting pronouncement

In February 2016, the FASB issued ASU 2016-02, *Leases* (Topic 842). This update requires that a lessee recognize assets and liabilities on the balance sheet for all leases with a lease term of more than twelve months, with the result being the recognition of a right to use asset and a lease liability. Recognition and presentation of expenses will depend on the classification of the lease as either finance or operating. For lessors, the guidance requires the separation of lease and non-lease components for certain contracts and redefines the scope of non-lease components to include maintenance services. When separated, non-lease components will be accounted for in accordance with revenue recognition guidance (ASC 606). ASU 2016-02 will also require quantitative and qualitative disclosures to supplement the amounts recorded in the financial statements to enable a better understanding of the Company's leasing activities. ASU 2016-02 is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2019 and is to be applied retrospectively. As a result of the global pandemic, In May 2020, the FASB voted to defer the effective date for this ASU for private companies and non-profit organizations. The guidance will now be effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2021. The Company is still evaluating the impact this update will have on its financial position and results of operations and related disclosures.

#### Functional allocation of expenses

The Organization allocates its expenses on a functional basis amongst its various programs and other activities. All of the Organization's allocated expenditures have been summarized on a functional basis in the statements of changes in net assets and in the statement of functional expenses. Directly identifiable expenses related to the mission of the Organization are charged to program expenses. Management and general expenses include those expenses that are not directly identifiable with any other specific function but provide for the overall support and direction of the Organization and include those costs related to the internal management and accounting for program services.

#### Subsequent events

Subsequent events were evaluated through December 15, 2022, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.

#### Note B – Liquidity and availability of resources

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

		2021		2020
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	110,195	\$	59,450
Grants receivable		13,088		27,427
Accounts receivable		5,000		5,000
	\$	128,283	\$	91,877
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As part of the Organization's liquidity management, if operating cash shortfalls occur, funds can be withdrawn from the savings account. The Organization does not have an available line of credit for such instances. Due to the nature of the Organization's cash flows, generally, reimbursements follow the cash outlay by the Organization, not leaving surplus funds.

# PARTNERS FOR CLEAN STREAMS NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2021 and 2020

#### **Note C - Grants receivable**

The grants receivable balance at December 31, 2021 represents funds receivable from Ohio Environmental Protection Agency and the U.S. Department of Commerce. Grants receivable at December 31, 2020 represents funds receivable from Ohio Environmental Protection Agency, Lucas County and The Nature Conservancy.

#### Note D – Lease commitments

The Organization rents its premises in Perrysburg, Ohio from an unrelated party under an operating lease agreement that expired in February 2018 and was renewed on a month-to-month basis through December 31, 2020. Rent expense was \$650 per month. In January, 2021, the Organization entered into a two year lease agreement for an office for which rent was \$330 per month plus an allocated share of utilities. Rent expense under both leases for the fiscal years ended December 31, 2021 and 2020 was \$8,563 and \$7,150, respectively. Future commitments on operating leases as of December 31, 2021 was as follows:

December 31,	Amount					
2022	\$	3,960				
	\$	3,960				

#### Note E – Net assets with donor restrictions

Net assets with donor restrictions at December 31, 2021 and 2020 consisted of the following:

	2021	2020
Clean Your Streams	\$ 38,852	\$ 25,412
Environmental Protection Agency	4,365	-
The Nature Conservancy	-	4,274
Stranahan Foundation	35,000	35,000
Lake Erie Protection Fund	35,000	 -
Total	\$ 113,217	\$ 64,686

#### Note F – Concentrations

During the years ending December 31, 2021 and 2020, one agency accounted for approximately 39% and 61% of revenues, respectively.