CHICAGO COALITION FOR THE HOMELESS FINANCIAL STATEMENTS JUNE 30, 2013

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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT.

To the Board of Directors of CHICAGO COALITION FOR THE HOMELESS 70 East Lake Street, Suite 720 Chicago, IL 60601

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of CHICAGO COALITION FOR THE HOMELESS which comprise the statement of financial position as of June 30, 2013, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes 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.

Auditor's Responsibility

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

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the organization's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the organization's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

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

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of CHICAGO COALITION FOR THE HOMELESS as of June 30, 2013, and the changes in its net assets and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

PORTE BROWN LLC Certified Public Accountants

Elk Grove Village, Illinois October 31, 2013

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

JUNE 30, 2013

ASSETS

CURRENT ASSETS Cash and cash equivalents Certificates of deposit Receivables Prepaid expenses		\$ 1,439,567 99,701 33,794 11,562	\$	1,584,624
FIXED ASSETS Property and equipment Less: Accumulated depreciation		\$ 184,258 136,246		48,012
TOTAL ASSETS			\$	1,632,636
	TIES AND NET ASSETS			
CURRENT LIABILITIES Accounts payable			\$	25,847
NET ASSETS Unrestricted: Undesignated	\$ 892,472		Ť	-2,2
Board designated	300,000	\$ 1,192,472		
Temporarily restricted		 414,317		1,606,789
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS			\$	1,632,636

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

	Uı	nrestricted	emporarily Restricted Grants	Re	mporarily estricted holarship	Total
SUPPORT, REVENUE, AND GAINS	_		 	_	-	
Contributions						
Foundation grants	\$	506,855	\$ 153,750	\$	-	\$ 660,605
Scholarships		-	_		42,128	42,128
Corporations		20,551	-		-	20,551
Major gifts		266,212	-		-	266,212
Winter appeal		102,242	-		-	102,242
Spring appeal		26,652	-		-	26,652
Fall appeal		55,448	-		-	55,448
Justice Circle		12,405	-		-	12,405
Individual contributions		162,819	-		-	162,819
Religious contributions		1,400	_		-	1,400
Matching gifts		7,913	-		-	7,913
Special events		251,368	-		-	251,368
Membership dues		24,262	-		-	24,262
Community Shares matching		13,367	_		-	13,367
Fee for service		13,916	_		-	13,916
Investment income		3,230	-		-	3,230
Other income		140	-		-	140
Net (grant) assets released from restrictions		440,750	 (420,045)		(20,705)	
TOTAL SUPPORT AND REVENUE	\$	1,909,530	\$ (266,295)	\$	21,423	\$ 1,664,658
EXPENSES						
Program	\$	1,642,064	\$ -	\$	-	\$ 1,642,064
Management		123,463	-		-	123,463
Fundraising		238,849	 _		-	 238,849
-	\$	2,004,376	\$ 	\$		\$ 2,004,376
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	\$	(94,846)	\$ (266,295)	\$	21,423	\$ (339,718)
NET ASSETS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR		1,287,318	 618,795		40,394	 1,946,507
NET ASSETS AT END OF YEAR	\$	1,192,472	\$ 352,500	\$	61,817	\$ 1,606,789

STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES - PROGRAM SERVICES

	Housing Campaign		Statewide Network		No Youth Alone		Educational Rights/Law	Y 	outh Futures/ Law Project		Jobs Project		PART	E	Women's impowerment Project
Salaries Employee taxes & benefits	\$ 151,349 44,422	\$	78,853 21,547	\$	70,736 21,265	\$	173,158 50,062	\$	104,396 30,711	\$	31,927 10,574	\$	44,355 12,684	\$	42,008 12,935
Total salaries and related expenses	\$ 195,771	\$	100,400	\$	92,001	\$	223,220	\$	135,107	\$	42,501	\$	57,039	\$	54,943
Location costs Media, research, consultant &	11,542		4,812		5,524		12,304		7,734		2,690		4,103		3,926
professional fees	3,998		1,003		2,976		6,515		3,573		496		840		602
Office equipment and supplies Printing, postage, dues &	5,027		1,649		2,861		6,601		4,346		2,030		1,735		1,623
subscriptions	3,355		700		2,913		9,174		3,019		395		759		510
Meeting, conference, travel	6,126		6,022		3,629		5,764		2,642		3,970		6,279		3,893
Program and organizing	3,904		2,336		4,205		10,679		5,355		4,180		8,038		5,164
Fundraising - special events	-		-		-		-		-		-		-		-
Scholarships awarded	-		-		-		21,744		-		-		-		-
Other administrative costs	4,001 51,279		1,916 26,066		1,928 25,453		4,532 61,372		2,803 36,107		1,038 12,570		1,228 17,543		1,175 15,755
Administrative allocation Total expenses	 31,279	_	20,000	_	25,455	_	01,372	_	30,107	_	12,370	-	17,545		13,733
before depreciation Depreciation	\$ 285,003 1,694	\$	144,904 825	\$	141,490 814	\$	361,905 1,921	\$	200,686 1,184	\$	69,870 408	\$	97,564 519	\$	87,591 495
TOTAL PROGRAM AND SUPPORTING															
SERVICE EXPENSES	\$ 286,697	\$	145,729	\$	142,304	\$	363,826	\$	201,870	\$	70,278	\$	98,083	\$	88,086

STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES - PROGRAM SERVICES

	Re-Entry Project	 Speakers Bureau	Cr	eative Writing/ Horizons	 Total Program Services		Management		Fundraising	 Grand Total
Salaries	\$ 37,565	\$ 44,217	\$	29,393	\$ 807,957	\$	186,704	\$	155,656	\$ 1,150,317
Employee taxes & benefits Total salaries and	 11,733	 13,482		11,739	 241,154		37,712		42,789	 321,655
related expenses	\$ 49,298	\$ 57,699	\$	41,132	\$ 1,049,111	\$	224,416	\$	198,445	\$ 1,471,972
Location costs Media, research, consultant &	3,260	3,682		2,410	61,987		8,325		9,702	80,014
professional fees	545	629		441	21,618		729		27,350	49,697
Office equipment and supplies Printing, postage, dues &	1,405	1,609		1,128	30,014		7,174		6,868	44,056
subscriptions	400	909		301	22,435		1,504		57,947	81,886
Meeting, conference, travel	3,340	4,506		1,345	47,516		4,269		3,472	55,257
Program and organizing	6,082	15,449		1,289	66,681		3,915		5,402	75,998
Fundraising - special events	-	-		-	-		-		74,262	74,262
Scholarships awarded	-	-		-	21,744		-		-	21,744
Other administrative costs	1,050	1,222		876	21,769		6,762		3,791	32,322
Administrative allocation Total expenses	 14,339	 18,781		10,735	 290,000	-	(140,000)		(150,000)	
before depreciation	\$ 79,719	\$ 104,486	\$	59,657	\$ 1,632,875	\$	117,094	\$	237,239	\$ 1,987,208
Depreciation	448	 518		363	 9,189		6,369	_	1,610	 17,168
TOTAL PROGRAM AND SUPPORTING										
SERVICE EXPENSES	\$ 80,167	\$ 105,004	\$	60,020	\$ 1,642,064	\$	123,463	\$	238,849	\$ 2,004,376

STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Change in net assets	\$	(339,718)		
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets				
to net cash provided by operating activities:				
Depreciation		17,168		
Net gain on investments		(1,654)		
Changes in:				
Receivables		267,206		
Prepaid expenses		(4,904)		
Accounts payable		18,631		
Accrued expenses		(5,921)		
Net cash used by operating activities			\$	(49,192)
INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
Purchase of fixed assets	\$	(5,279)		
Purchase of certificates of deposit	Ψ	(100,000)		
Proceeds from investments		79,875		
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Net cash used by investing activities				(25,404)
NET DECREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS			\$	(74,596)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR				1,514,163
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR			<u>\$</u>	1,439,567
SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION TO CASH FLOWS Cash paid during the year for: Income taxes Interest			\$	<u>-</u>
Non-cash investing activities: Decrease in fair value of investments			\$	223

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

JUNE 30, 2013

NOTE A. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES:

NATURE OF OPERATIONS

Chicago Coalition for the Homeless (CCH) works to prevent and end homelessness in metropolitan Chicago. Founded in 1980, it was incorporated on Sept. 10, 1982, under the "General Not-for-Profit Corporation Act of Illinois." CCH offers outreach at emergency shelters, transitional housing, school and street programs across the city, and runs a legal aid clinic for students, youths, families, and adults. In pressing for access to housing, jobs, and schools, CCH mobilizes homeless people, service providers, advocates, school, and religious organizations.

<u>Housing Campaign:</u> CCH pairs advocacy with community organizing to spur development of affordable housing and shelter access. This includes "Sweet Home Chicago," a citywide campaign managed by CCH to address the needs of low wage families.

No Youth Alone is a statewide campaign that advocates for resources to serve the growing number of unaccompanied teens. Staffed by the policy and legal staffs, it is supported by the CCH Youth Committee (1983), an active group of 30 youth providers from across Illinois.

Four community organizers offer outreach at 30 shelters in metropolitan Chicago and downstate. This includes <u>Horizons</u> (2007), a creative writing program that runs outreach to family and youth shelters. <u>The Re-Entry Project</u> (2006) is guided by a steering committee of ex-offenders, advocates and academics, who advocate to end the housing barriers faced by ex-offenders. A <u>Speakers Bureau</u> (2007) staffed by homeless leaders reached an audience of 4,115 people at 85 community venues, organizing an outside base of volunteers at these school and religious groups. The <u>Statewide Network</u> (2012) mobilizes service providers from nine suburban and downstate communities to advocate on shared issues.

Ongoing initiatives include the <u>Women's Empowerment Project</u> (1991), which runs outreach at family shelters and women's facilities. Its advocacy focuses on housing and education issues. The <u>Law Project</u> (1997) protects the legal rights of people who are homeless, with two-thirds of casework focused on children and teens struggling to attend public school. The <u>Youth Futures</u> attorney (2004) runs a mobile legal aid clinic that helps homeless youth via school and street outreach programs. The <u>Jobs Project</u> (1999) advocates improved wages for low-wage workers, including a higher minimum wage. Prostitution Alternatives Round Table, or <u>PART</u>, (2001) networks prostitution survivors with advocates as they pursue access to housing and rehabilitative services.

To ensure its independent voice, CCH does not accept government grants. Individual donations, foundation grants, some corporate sponsorship, and special events sustain CCH, including the Hopefest benefit concert and an August golf outing.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

JUNE 30, 2013

NOTE A. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES: (Continued)

SUBSEQUENT EVENTS

The Organization has evaluated subsequent events through October 31, 2013, the date which the financial statements were available to be issued.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT PRESENTATION

In accordance with FASB ASC 958-205, "Not-for-Profit Entities Presentation of Financial Statements," the Organization reports information regarding its financial position and activities according to three classes of net assets: unrestricted net assets, temporarily restricted net assets, and permanently restricted net assets.

USE OF ESTIMATES

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

REVENUE RECOGNITION

In accordance with FASB ASC 958-605-25 "Not-for-Profit Entities Revenue Recognition," contributions received, including unconditional promises to give, are recognized as revenues in the period received at their fair market values. Conditional promises to give, whether received or made, are recognized when they become unconditional, that is, when the conditions are substantially met. In addition, FASB ASC 958-605 requires not-for-profit organizations to distinguish between contributions received that increase unrestricted, temporarily restricted, and permanently restricted net assets. It also requires recognition of the expiration of donor-imposed restrictions in the period in which the restrictions expire.

DONOR - IMPOSED RESTRICTIONS

All contributions are considered to be available for unrestricted use unless specifically restricted by the donor. Amounts received that are designated for future periods or restricted by the donor for specific purposes are reported as temporarily restricted or permanently restricted support that increases those net asset classes. However, if a restriction is fulfilled in the same time period in which the contribution is received, the Organization reports the support as unrestricted.

Temporarily restricted net assets at June 30, 2013, are available for the following purposes:

Time restricted grants	\$ 352,500
Scholarship	61,817
Total	\$ 414,317

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

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NOTE A. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES: (Continued)

DONOR - IMPOSED RESTRICTIONS: (Continued)

Net assets released from restriction during FYE June 30, 2013:

CONTRIBUTED SERVICES

During the current period, the value of contributed services meeting the requirements for recognition in the financial statements was not material and has not been recorded.

FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES

The Organization allocates its expenses on a functional basis among its various programs and supporting activities. Expenses that can be identified with a specific program or supporting activity are allocated directly according to their natural expenditure classification.

CASH EQUIVALENTS

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

The Organization has cash and cash equivalents in excess of the temporary federally insured limits of \$250,000 at one banking institution. These amounts potentially subject the Organization to credit risk if the banking institution fails. The Organization's non-interest bearing accounts were insured in full until December 31, 2012 as part of the FDIC's Transaction Liquidity Guarantee Program.

PREPAID EXPENSES

Prepaid expenses consist of:

Insurance \$ 5,528 Other \$ 6,034 \$ 11,562

RECEIVABLES

Receivables consist of grant payments due from various Corporations and Foundations. The Organization considers grants receivable to be fully collectible. The grants receivable are valued at management's estimate of the amount that will ultimately be collected.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

JUNE 30, 2013

NOTE A. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES: (Continued)

INVESTMENTS

Investment securities are stated at fair value based on quoted market prices or market prices for similar securities. Unrealized gains and losses are recognized based on the change in fair value and are reported as a component of investment income. Realized gains and losses are recognized using the average cost method and are reported as a component of investment income.

Investments at June 30, 2013, are as follows:

	Fair Value	Cost	Unrealized <u>Loss</u>
Certificates of Deposit	\$ 99,701	\$ 100,000	\$ (299)

Investment income includes the following for the year ended June 30, 2013:

Interest and dividends	\$ 1,576
Realized gain on investments	1,877
Unrealized loss on investments	 (223)
Total Investment Return	\$ 3,230

FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

FASB ASC 820, Fair Value Measurements, establishes a framework for measuring fair value. That framework provides a fair value hierarchy that prioritizes the inputs to valuation techniques used to measure fair value. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (level 1 measurements) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (level 3 measurements). The three levels of the fair value hierarchy under FASB ASC 820 are described as follows:

Level 1 Inputs to the valuation methodology are unadjusted quoted prices for identical assets or liabilities in active markets that the Plan has the ability to access.

Level 2 Inputs to the valuation methodology include

- Quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets:
- Quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in inactive markets;
- Inputs other than quoted prices that are observable for the asset or liability;
- Inputs that are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data by correlation or other means.

If the asset or liability has a specified (contractual) term, the level 2 input must be observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.

Level 3 Inputs to the valuation methodology are unobservable and significant to the fair value measurement.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

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NOTE A. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES: (Continued)

FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS: (Continued)

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

Following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for assets measured at fair value. There have been no changes in methodologies used at June 30, 2013.

Certificate of deposits and money markets: Valued at fair value based on similar instruments with comparable durations and considering the credit-worthiness of the issuer.

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

The following tables set forth by level, within the fair value hierarchy, the Plan's assets at fair value as of June 30, 2013:

Assets, at Fair Value, as of June 30, 2013

	Leve	<u>el 1</u>	Level 2	<u>Lev</u>	<u>el 3</u>	<u>Total</u>
Certificates of deposit Money market accounts	\$	- 	\$ 99,701 _509,990	\$	- 	\$ 99,701 _509,990
Total assets, at fair value	\$	<u> </u>	<u>\$609,691</u>	\$		<u>\$609,691</u>

FIXED ASSETS AND DEPRECIATION

Fixed assets are stated at cost. Depreciation is calculated on a straight-line basis over the estimated lives of the related assets. The Organization capitalizes all assets with a cost basis of greater than \$1,000 and a useful life of more than 2 years.

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

JUNE 30, 2013

NOTE A. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES: (Continued)

FIXED ASSETS AND DEPRECIATION: (Continued)

Major classifications of property and equipment and their respective lives are summarized below:

		Depreciable
		Lives
<u>Type</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>in Years</u>
Leasehold improvements	\$ 6,300	7
Furniture and office equipment	110,136	5-7
Transportation	67,822	3-7
	\$ 184,258	
Accumulated depreciation	(136,246)	
Net Book Value	<u>\$ 48,012</u>	

INCOME TAXES

There is no provision for federal and state income taxes because the entity is a tax-exempt organization, under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

The Organization has adopted the provisions of ASC Topic 740, Income Taxes, relating to the accounting for uncertainty in income taxes. The Organization files income tax returns in the U.S. federal jurisdiction and the State of Illinois. With few exceptions, the Organization is no longer subject to U.S. federal, state and local income tax examinations by tax authorities for years before 2009.

NOTE B. RETIREMENT PLANS

The Organization maintains a qualified pension plan that covers all eligible employees. Contributions to the plan are equal to 5% of the eligible employee's annual salary. Pension expense for the current period amounted to \$58,132.

NOTE C. LEASE COMMITMENTS

The Organization has entered into a lease commitment on the building used for its activities. The terms of the lease provide for an annual rent of approximately \$65,700, increasing periodically to approximately \$74,000. The expiration date is April 30, 2017.

Future minimum lease payments for above operating lease is as follows:

Year ending June 30,	
2014	\$ 68,052
2015	70,094
2016	72,196
2017	61,660
Total	<u>\$ 272,002</u>

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)

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NOTE D. FUNDRAISING EXPENSES

In addition to various special events and fund raisers, Chicago Coalition for the Homeless conducts numerous appeals during the year and significant direct mail solicitation.