# San Jose Downtown Property Owners' Association

**Financial Statements** 

June 30, 2020



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#### INDEPENDENT ACCOUNTANT'S REVIEW REPORT

To the Board of Directors of San Jose Downtown Property Owners' Association San Jose, California

We have reviewed the accompanying financial statements of San Jose Downtown Property Owners' Association (a California nonprofit mutual benefit corporation) (the "Association"), which comprise the statement of financial position as of June 30, 2020, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements. A review includes primarily applying analytical procedures to management's financial data and making inquiries of management. A review is substantially less in scope than an audit, the objective of which is the expression of an opinion regarding the financial statements as a whole. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion.

#### 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.

#### Accountant's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to conduct the review engagement in accordance with Statements on Standards for Accounting and Review Services promulgated by the Accounting and Review Services Committee of the AICPA. Those standards require us to perform procedures to obtain limited assurance as a basis for reporting whether we are aware of any material modifications that should be made to the financial statements for them to be in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. We believe that the results of our procedures provide a reasonable basis for our conclusion.

#### **Accountant's Conclusion**

Based on our review, we are not aware of any material modifications that should be made to the accompanying financial statements in order for them to be in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

#### **Change in Accounting Principle**

As described in Note 2 to the financial statements, the Organization has adopted ASU 2018-08, *Clarifying the Scope and the Accounting Guidance for Contributions Received and Contributions Made (Topic 958)*. Our conclusion is not modified with respect to that matter.

#### **Emphasis of Matter**

As described in Note 7 of the financial statements, on March 11, 2020, the World Health Organization declared the novel strain of coronavirus (COVID-19) a global pandemic and recommended containment and mitigation measures worldwide. The ultimate financial impact and duration of these events cannot be reasonably estimated at this time. Our conclusion is not modified with respect to that matter.

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September 29, 2020



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# San Jose Downtown Property Owners' Association Statement of Financial Position June 30, 2020

# ASSETS

Current assets Cash and cash equivalents Accounts receivable Contracts receivable Prepaid expenses	
Total current assets	1,879,160
Fixed assets	
Office equipment	20,266
Accumulated depreciation	(18,927)
Total fixed assets	1,339
Total assets	<u>\$ 1,880,499</u>
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	
Current liabilities	
Accounts payable	\$ 714,681
Accrued expenses	16,800
Total current liabilities	731,481
Net assets without donor restrictions	1,149,018
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Total liabilities and net assets	<u>\$ 1,880,499</u>

See accompanying notes and independent accountant's review report.  $$\mathbf{2}$$ 

# San Jose Downtown Property Owners' Association Statement of Activities For the Year Ended June 30, 2020

Revenues, gains and other support Property owners' assessments Exempt properties assessments City of San Jose contracts - baseline services Grants Other contracts Interest income Total revenues, gains and other support	\$ 2,286,219 599,993 395,000 100,000 239,924 <u>178</u> 3,621,314
Functional expenses	
Program services	
Street Life Projects	249,531
Image Maintenance Projects	274,930
Enhanced Maintenance	31,329
Tree Maintenance	123,806
District Enhancements	457,307
Clean / Greet Teams	1,929,721
Total program services	3,066,624
Support services	<u> </u>
Management and general	397,512
Total support services	397,512
Total functional expenses	 3,464,136
Change in net assets	157,178
Net assets without donor restrictions, beginning of year	 991,840
Net assets without donor restrictions, end of year	\$ 1,149,018

# San Jose Downtown Property Owners' Association Statement of Functional Expenses For the Year Ended June 30, 2020

	Street Life Projects	Image Maintenance Projects	Enhanced Maintenance	Tree Maintenance	District Enhancements	Clean / Greet Teams	Total Program Services	Management and General	Total
Functional expenses									
Subcontractors - Groundwerx	\$ -	\$ -	\$-	\$-	\$-	\$ 1,929,721	\$ 1,929,721	\$-	\$ 1,929,721
Image enhancement	242,573	274,930	31,329	123,806	-	-	672,638	-	672,638
District enhancements	-	-	-	-	436,474	-	436,474	-	436,474
Management services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	358,510	358,510
Other supplies and materials	-	-	-	-	20,833	-	20,833	-	20,833
Professional services	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17,402	17,402
Miscellaneous	231	-	-	-	-	-	231	11,849	12,080
Travel	6,002	-	-	-	-	-	6,002	-	6,002
Insurance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,215	5,215
Office supplies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,536	4,536
Depreciation	725						725		725
	\$ 249,531	<u>\$ 274,930</u>	<u>\$ 31,329</u>	<u>\$ 123,806</u>	\$ 457,307	<u>\$ 1,929,721</u>	<u>\$ 3,066,624</u>	<u>\$ 397,512</u>	<u>\$ 3,464,136</u>

See accompanying notes and independent accountant's review report.

# San Jose Downtown Property Owners' Association Statement of Cash Flows For the Year Ended June 30, 2020

Cash flows from operating activities		
Change in net assets	\$	157,178
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash		
provided by operating activities		
Depreciation		725
Changes in operating assets and liabilities		
Accounts receivable		(110)
Contracts receivable		(51,682)
Prepaid expenses		(4,036)
Accounts payable		401,922
Accrued expenses		1,150
Net cash provided by operating activities		505,147
Cash flows from investing activities		
Purchase of fixed assets		(1,339)
Net cash used in investing activities		(1,339)
		(1,35)
Net increase in cash and cash equivalents		503,808
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Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year		1,234,871
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Cash and cash equivalents, end of year	φ	1,/30,0/9

# 1. NATURE OF OPERATIONS

The San Jose Downtown Property Owners' Association (the "Association") is a corporation organized under the California Nonprofit Mutual Benefit Corporation Law. The Association is exempt from federal income tax under Section 501(c)(6) of the Internal Revenue Code. The Association's operation commenced on January 28, 2008. The purpose of the Association is to improve downtown San Jose, California with enhanced services including:

(a) Clean teams that will sweep, scrub, power wash sidewalks, remove litter and graffiti, and increase the frequency of trash removal and maintenance of public spaces within downtown.

(b) Information and safety ambassadors to provide information on downtown activities and establishments, prevent crime and work productively with social service providers.

(c) Image enhancement and cosmetic improvements to visually improve downtown.

(d) Tree maintenance to maintain the street trees and palms within the downtown San Jose Property-based Business Improvement District ("PBID") boundary.

(e) Enhanced security services to provide a visible uniformed presence at the properties and parcels within the downtown San Jose PBID boundary.

(f) Business development program designed to keep and attract jobs, investment and new businesses to downtown San Jose.

# 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

## Basis of presentation

In accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the Association reports its financial position and operating activities in two classes of net assets: net assets without donor restrictions and net assets with donor restrictions. There are currently no net assets with donor restrictions.

## Change in accounting policy

In June 2018, the FASB issued ASU 2018-08, *Clarifying the Scope and the Accounting Guidance for Contributions Received and Contributions Made (Topic 958)*, which clarifies the criteria for evaluating whether a transaction is a contribution or an exchange transaction and whether a contribution is conditional or unconditional. The Association adopted ASU 2018-08 with a date of the initial application of July 1, 2019, using the modified prospective method.

The adoption of ASU 2018-08 did not have a significant impact on Association's financial position, result of operations, or cash flows. The Association has evaluated contributions received and has determined that there is no change as a result of the adoption of the standard.

# 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

## Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include highly liquid investments and investments with an original maturity of three months or less, and exclude donor restricted receipts and amounts designated for long-term purposes. The Association maintains its cash in bank deposit accounts which, at times, may exceed federally insured limits. The Association has not experienced any losses in such accounts. Management believes it is not exposed to any significant risk on cash accounts.

#### Receivables

Receivables represent amount due from grants, contracts and fees that are carried at the original invoice amount less an estimate made for doubtful accounts based on a review of all outstanding amounts. Receivables are written off when deemed uncollectible and recoveries of receivables previously written off are recorded when received. No allowance for uncollectible receivables has been presented since all amounts are deemed to be collectible.

#### Prepaid expenses

Prepaid expenses result from advances or deposits on goods or services that will be received in the following year. Direct event expenses are recorded in the year the event takes place.

## Property and equipment

The Association's policy is to capitalize property and equipment purchases in excess of \$500. Any furniture, equipment or other assets purchased under a grant or a service contract are considered the property of the granting agency and will not be capitalized. Depreciation is computed using straight-line depreciation methods over the asset's estimated useful lives. Depreciation expense for the year ended June 30, 2020 was \$725.

## Deferred revenue

Deferred revenue results from assessments, contract or sponsorship revenue received for a specific event scheduled in the following year. Revenue is recognized in the period that the related expenses are incurred.

#### Revenue recognition

The Association recognizes revenue and support on the accrual basis of accounting. Revenue from grants which have been classified as "exchange transactions" and program fees are recognized as revenue in the period in which the service is provided.

#### Advertising costs

The Association's policy is to expense advertising costs as the costs are incurred.

# 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (continued)

## Functional expenses

Costs of providing the Association's activities have been allocated between programs, management and general based upon estimates of time and costs incurred by the Association.

#### Income tax status

San Jose Downtown Property Owners' Association is exempt from federal income taxes under Section 501(c)(6) of the Internal Revenue Code and state income taxes under Section 23701(d) of the California Taxation Code. Accordingly, no provision for income taxes has been made in the accompanying statements.

The Association files information returns in the U.S. federal jurisdiction and state of California. The Association's federal returns for the years ended June 30, 2017 and beyond remain subject to possible examination by the Internal Revenue Service. The Association's California returns for the years ended June 30, 2016 and beyond remain subject to possible examination by the Franchise Tax Board.

## 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 the reported amounts of assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the period. Accordingly, actual results could differ from those estimates.

#### Subsequent events

Management of the Association has evaluated events and transactions subsequent to June 30, 2020 for potential recognition or disclosure in the financial statements. The Association did not have subsequent events that required recognition or disclosure in the financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2020. Subsequent events have been evaluated through the date the financial statements became available to be issued, September 29, 2020.

## 3. PROPERTY-BASED IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT

In August 7, 2007, City of San Jose City Resolution No. 73937 established and defined the San Jose Downtown Property-Based Improvement District ("PBID" or "District"). The PBID is funded by an assessment levied on the property owners located within the District and approved through a petition and mail-ballot process. The PBID was scheduled to terminate on December 31, 2012, however, the PBID was renewed for an additional ten years through December 31, 2022.

# 3. PROPERTY-BASED IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT (continued)

The Association was incorporated as a California Nonprofit Mutual Benefit Corporation to provide oversight of the District, to contract on behalf of the District, and to review and provide leadership and guidance to the members of the District.

# 4. SAN JOSE DOWNTOWN ASSOCIATION

On January 28, 2008, the Association entered into an agreement with San Jose Downtown Association ("SJDA") to receive management services. The agreement has been extended several times and continues through January 31, 2022. The entities have separate boards of directors and operate as separate entities. As a fee for the management services, SJDA will receive up to and not to exceed 9.9% of the total revenue received by the Association. The fee is payable semi-annually. For the year ended June 30, 2020, the Association incurred expenses from this agreement totaling \$358,510.

The Association also has an arrangement with SJDA in which salaries for two SJDA employees who work on the PBID projects are paid through SJDA and reimbursed by the Association. For the year ended June 30, 2020, the Association paid a total of \$241,000 towards salaries of a Business Development Program Manager and Street Life Program Project Manager under this arrangement.

Further, the Association has an arrangement with SJDA in which grant money received by SJDA is paid to PBID for programs specified in the grant via an exchange transaction. During the year ended June 30, 2020, \$98,000 was received by the Association under this arrangement. Revenue recognized related to this arrangement totaled \$100,000 for the year ended June 30, 2020.

On January 15, 2013, SJDA on behalf of the Association entered into an Environmental and Maintenance and Supplemental Security Services agreement with Block by Block. The original agreement was for a period of three years and expired on January 14, 2016. The agreement has been amended and renewed and will expire on January 14, 2022.

## 5. ASSESSMENTS ON SARA PARCELS

There are certain parcels of Federal and State SARA (Successor Agency to the Redevelopment Agency of the City of San Jose) properties where assessments continue to be made on an annual basis although management of the Association believes collectability to be uncertain. Assessments are recognized in revenue upon the sale of each parcel. There were no SARA parcels sold during the year ended June 30, 2020. There are other assessments related to SARA transfers to the City of San Jose that have not been included in accounts receivable or recognized in revenue, and collectability is entirely dependent on sufficient proceeds being available at the time of any potential sale of each parcel.

## 6. LIQUIDITY

The following is a quantitative disclosure describing financial assets that are available within one year of June 30, 2020 to fund general expenditures and other obligations when they become due:

Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 1,738,679
Accounts receivable	4,909
Contracts receivable	128,572
	\$ 1,872,160

The Association had \$1,872,160 of financial assets available at June 30, 2020 to meet the needs for general expenditures in the next 12 months and none of them are subject to donor or other contractual restrictions. The Association manages its liquidity by developing and adopting annual operating budgets that provide sufficient funds for general expenditures in meeting its liabilities and other obligations as they become due.

As part of the Association's liquidity management it has a policy to structure its financial assets to be available as its general expenditures, liabilities, and other obligations come due.

The Association expects that receivables from program and contracts will be collected and available within 60 days of the fiscal year end.

## 7. CONTINGENCIES AND RISKS

On March 11, 2020, the World Health Organization declared the novel strain of coronavirus ("COVID-19") a global pandemic and recommended containment and mitigation measures worldwide. The COVID-19 outbreak in the United States has caused business disruption through mandated and voluntary closings of businesses and shelter in place orders. In response, the U.S. Government enacted the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security ("CARES") Act, which includes significant provisions to provide relief and assistance to affected organizations.

COVID-19 could adversely affect the economies and financial markets of many countries, namely the United States, resulting in an economic downturn that could affect the Association in a variety of ways. The Association cannot anticipate all of the ways in which COVID-19 could adversely impact its operations. Although the Association is continuing to monitor impact of the COVID-19 outbreak, the CARES Act and other governmental initiatives is highly uncertain and subject to change.