FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

December 31, 2023 and 2022



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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Directors of Lung Cancer Foundation of America

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Lung Cancer Foundation of America (a nonprofit organization), which comprise the statements of financial position as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, and the related statements of activities and changes in net assets, 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 Lung Cancer Foundation of America (the Foundation) as of December 31, 2023 and 2022, 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 Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Foundation 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 opinion.

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 the Foundation's ability to continue as a going concern within one year after the date that the financial statements are available to be issued.

Auditors' 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 auditors' 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 the Foundation'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 financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Foundation'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.

Long Beach, California

Windes, Inc.

June 5, 2024

STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION

ASSETS

		December 31,		
		2023		2022
CURRENT ASSETS				_
Cash	\$	1,355,994	\$	941,073
Certificate of deposit		100,000		-
Prepaid expenses		-		1,389
Pledges receivable, net		92,040		238,284
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	1,548,034	\$	1,180,746
LIABILITIES AND NE	ET ASSETS			
LIABILITIES				
Accounts payable	\$	79,723	\$	48,900
Grants payable		200,000		275,000
		279,723		323,900
NET ASSETS				
Without donor restrictions		1,064,005		51,648
With donor restrictions		204,306		805,198
	_	1,268,311		856,846
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$	1,548,034	\$	1,180,746

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023

	į	Without		With		
		Donor		Donor		
	Re	estrictions	Re	strictions		Total
SUPPORT AND REVENUE						
Contributions	\$	2,218,823	\$	30,000	\$	2,248,823
Interest and investment income		16,814		-		16,814
Net assets released from restrictions		630,892		(630,892)		
Total Support and Revenue		2,866,529		(600,892)		2,265,637
EXPENSES						
Program services		1,658,387		_		1,658,387
Management and general		61,391		-		61,391
Fundraising		134,394		_		134,394
Total Expenses		1,854,172				1,854,172
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS		1,012,357		(600,892)		411,465
NET ASSETS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR		51,648	_	805,198	_	856,846
NET ASSETS AT END OF YEAR	\$	1,064,005	\$	204,306	\$	1,268,311

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

	Without Donor strictions	Re	With Donor strictions		Total
SUPPORT AND REVENUE					
Contributions	\$ 772,878	\$	758,000	\$	1,530,878
Special events, net of direct expenses					
of \$54,178 - 2022	8,455		-		8,455
Interest and investment income	6,648		-		6,648
Net assets released from restrictions	 582,533		(582,533)		<u> </u>
Total Support and Revenue	 1,370,514		175,467	_	1,545,981
EXPENSES					
Program services	1,412,495		-		1,412,495
General and administrative	49,290		-		49,290
Fundraising	 86,797		_		86,797
Total Expenses	 1,548,582			_	1,548,582
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	(178,068)		175,467		(2,601)
NET ASSETS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	 229,716		629,731		859,447
NET ASSETS AT END OF YEAR	\$ 51,648	\$	805,198	\$	856,846

STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2023

	Program Services	Management and General	Fundraising	 Total
Grants	\$ 200,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 200,000
Salaries	426,959	25,115	50,230	502,304
Employee benefits	15,369	904	1,808	18,081
Payroll taxes	31,702	1,865	3,730	37,297
Fundraising fees	5,644	-	22,976	28,620
Accounting fees	17,383	5,147	13,907	36,437
Advertising	1,006	-	-	1,006
Professional fees	37,952	9,005	30,657	77,614
Education awareness	643,467	-	-	643,467
Patient education	94,542	-	-	94,542
Speakers bureau	111,912	-	-	111,912
Postage	-	373	4,815	5,188
Printing and copying	-	-	6,271	6,271
Rent	-	2,849	-	2,849
Travel	55,426	-	-	55,426
Conference, convention,				
and meeting	15,391	-	-	15,391
Insurance	-	7,182	-	7,182
Other expenses	 1,634	8,951		 10,585
Total	\$ 1,658,387	\$ 61,391	\$ 134,394	\$ 1,854,172

STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2022

	Program Services	Management and General	<u>Fundraising</u>	 Total
Grants	\$ 400,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 400,000
Salaries	325,281	19,135	38,268	382,684
Employee benefits	22,751	1,338	2,677	26,766
Payroll taxes	25,096	1,476	2,953	29,525
Fundraising fees	5,192	211	22,307	27,710
Accounting fees	15,369	6,636	12,296	34,301
Advertising	-	-	1,792	1,792
Professional fees	-	-	3,600	3,600
Education awareness	472,860	1,000	1,241	475,101
Patient education	16,250	-	-	16,250
Speakers bureau	58,916	-	-	58,916
Postage	-	4,578	-	4,578
Printing and copying	5,641	-	-	5,641
Rent	-	2,514	-	2,514
Travel	27,324	85	-	27,409
Conference, convention,				
and meeting	37,518	-	-	37,518
Insurance	-	5,120	-	5,120
Other expenses	 297	7,197	1,663	 9,157
Total	\$ 1,412,495	\$ 49,290	\$ 86,797	\$ 1,548,582

STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

	For the Year Ended December 31,			
		2023		2022
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES				
Change in net assets	\$	411,465	\$	(2,601)
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets				
to net cash from operating activities:				
Contributions of investments		(26,293)		-
Realized gain on investments		(11,139)		-
Change in operating assets and liabilities:				
Pledges receivable		146,244		205,848
Prepaid expenses		1,389		3,333
Accounts payable		30,823		4,554
Grants payable		(75,000)		(125,000)
Net Cash Provided By Operating Activities		477,489		86,134
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES				
Purchase of certificate of deposit		(100,000)		-
Proceeds from sale of investments		37,432		_
Net Cash Used In Investing Activities		(62,568)		
NET CHANGE IN CASH		414,921		86,134
CASH AT BEGINNING OF YEAR		941,073		854,939
CASH AT END OF YEAR	\$	1,355,994	\$	941,073

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

NOTE 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Nature of the Foundation

Lung Cancer Foundation of America (the Foundation) was established in 2007 as a Minnesota nonprofit corporation. The purpose of the Foundation is to dramatically improve the survivorship of lung cancer patients through the funding of transformative science, with the ultimate goal of curing the disease. To accomplish this, the Foundation works to raise both the funds and the national profile of lung cancer in order to substantially increase support of innovative and groundbreaking research efforts.

Recently Adopted Accounting Standard

Beginning January 1, 2023, the Foundation adopted Accounting Standards Update (ASU) No. 2016-13, *Financial Instruments – Credit Losses (Topic 326): Measurement of Credit Losses on Financial Instruments* and its related amendments, which replaces the incurred loss methodology with an expected loss methodology referred to as the current expected credit loss (CECL) methodology. This ASU requires the measurement of all expected credit losses for financial assets held at the reporting date based on historical experience, current conditions, and reasonable and supportable forecasts. This ASU also requires the Foundation to use forward-looking information to better formulate its credit loss estimates.

The ASU permits the use of either a prospective transition method or a modified-retrospective transition method with the cumulative-effect adjustment to the opening balance of net assets. The Foundation has elected the use of the modified-retrospective transition method. The transition method selected resulted in no adjustment to the opening balance of net assets. After a thorough evaluation, management has determined that the impact of adopting the CECL standard on the financial statements is immaterial.

Financial Statement Presentation

The financial statements of the Foundation have been prepared under the accrual basis of accounting. The accompanying financial statements include statements of financial position that present the amounts for each of two classes of net assets — net assets without donor restrictions and net assets with donor restrictions based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions. They also include statements of activities and changes in net assets that reflect the changes in those categories of net assets, and statements of functional expenses that associate expenses with service efforts.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

NOTE 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Financial Statement Presentation (Continued)

Net assets without donor restrictions include those net assets that may be used by the Foundation for any of its programs or administrative support. Net assets with donor restrictions include those net assets whose use by the Foundation has been limited by donors to specified purposes or time restrictions, including those that would restrict the net assets into perpetuity. However, donor-imposed stipulations on contributions who's stipulations are met in the same reporting period are recorded as net assets without donor restrictions.

Use of Estimates and Assumptions

Management uses estimates and assumptions in preparing financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Those estimates and assumptions affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities, and the reported revenue and expenses. Actual results could vary from the estimates that were assumed in preparing the financial statements.

Cash

For purposes of the accompanying statements of cash flows, the Foundation considers all demand deposits, money market funds, and unrestricted highly liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less to be cash.

Certificates of Deposit

Certificates of deposit are reported at the original amount deposited plus accrued interest, which approximates fair value because of the short-term nature of these deposits (nine months). Realized and unrealized gains and losses are included in interest and investment income, along with interest and dividends and investment fees, in the statements of activities and changes in net assets.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

NOTE 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Pledges Receivable

Unconditional promises to give (pledges) are recorded as receivables and contributions, distinguishing between contributions received for each net asset class in accordance with donor-imposed restrictions. Conditional pledges are recorded when such conditions have been satisfied. An allowance for uncollectible pledges receivable is provided, based on management's judgment, including such factors as prior collection history, type of donation, nature of fundraising activity, and when time requirements are expected to be met. Management believes the remaining outstanding pledges receivable as of December 31, 2023 and 2022 are collectible in full and, accordingly, no allowance for uncollectible pledges receivable has been provided. Pledges receivable expected to be collected in more than 12 months are recorded at the net present value of the estimated future cash flows, when such discount is determined to be material.

Revenue and Support

Contributions, including pledges, whether with or without donor restrictions, are recognized as support in the period received or pledged. Amounts received or promised that are designated for future periods or restricted by the donor for specific purposes are reported as restricted support that increases those net asset classes. When a restriction expires, net assets with donor restrictions are reclassified to net assets without donor restrictions and reported in the statements of activities and changes in net assets as net assets released from restrictions.

Special event revenue is recognized in the period earned.

Donated Goods and Services

A substantial number of volunteers make significant contributions of their time in the furtherance of the Foundation's purpose. For those services that do not require special expertise, the estimated value of such donated services has not been recorded in the financial statements. In-kind donations and services for which fair value can be validated and requiring specific expertise have been reflected in the financial statements at their estimated fair value. During the years ended December 31, 2023 and 2022, the Foundation recorded no donated goods or services within contributions or special event revenue or expenses.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

NOTE 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Grants Payable

The Board of Directors approved the awarding of multi-year lung cancer research grants. These grants called for the awarding of \$600,000 in 2020. The Foundation paid \$125,000, \$275,000, and \$175,000 of the award during the years ended December 31, 2020, 2021, and 2022, respectively. The remaining \$25,000 was paid during the year ended December 31, 2023.

The Board of Directors approved the awarding of multi-year lung cancer research grants. These grants called for the awarding of \$200,000 in 2021. The Foundation paid \$100,000 and \$100,000 of the award during the years ended December 31, 2021 and 2022, respectively.

The Board of Directors approved the awarding of multi-year lung cancer research grants. These grants called for the awarding of \$400,000 in 2022. The Foundation paid \$150,000 and \$200,000 of the award during the years ended December 31, 2022 and 2023, respectively. The remaining \$50,000 will be paid out in the year ended December 31, 2024.

During 2023, the Board of Directors approved the awarding of a multi-year lung cancer research grant. This grant called for the awarding of \$200,000 in 2023. The Foundation paid \$50,000 of the award during the year ended December 31, 2023. The remaining \$150,000 will be paid out in the year ended December 31, 2024.

Income Taxes

The Foundation has received tax-exempt status from the Internal Revenue Service under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.

The Foundation recognizes the financial statement benefit of tax positions, such as its position of being tax exempt, only after determining that the relevant tax authority would more likely than not sustain the position following an audit. The Foundation is subject to potential income tax audits on open tax years by any taxing jurisdiction in which it operates. The statute of limitations for federal and state purposes is generally three and four years, respectively.

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

NOTE 1 – Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Concentrations of Risk

During the year ended December 31, 2023, four donors represented 72% of the Foundation's revenue. During the year ended December 31, 2022, three donors represented 60% of the Foundation's revenue. As of December 31, 2023 and 2022, there were no outstanding pledges receivable from these donors.

The Foundation had one vendor in 2023, which represented 22% of the Foundation's expenses for the year then ended. The Foundation had one vendor in 2022, which represented 22% of the Foundation's expenses for the year then ended.

Subsequent Events

The Foundation's management has evaluated subsequent events from the statements of financial position date through June 5, 2024, the date the financial statements were available to be issued for the year ended December 31, 2023, and except for the subsequent event described in Note 5, management has determined that there were no items to disclose.

NOTE 2 – 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 statements of financial position date, comprise the following:

	December 31,			
	2023			2022
Cash	\$	1,355,994	\$	941,073
Certificate of deposit		100,000		-
Contributions receivable		76,679		194,500
		1,532,673		1,135,573
Less amounts unavailable for general expenditure within one year due to:				
Donor imposed purpose or time restrictions		(204,306)		(805,198)
	\$	1,328,367	\$	330,375

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

NOTE 2 – Liquidity and Availability of Resources (Continued)

The Foundation maintains a policy of structuring its financial assets to be available as its general expenditures, liabilities, and other obligations come due.

NOTE 3 – Pledges Receivable

Pledges receivable are expected to be collected as follows:

	December 31,				
		2023		2022	
Amounts due in:					
One year	\$	76,679	\$	224,500	
Two to five years		25,000		25,000	
		101,679		249,500	
Present value discount		(9,639)		(11,216)	
Pledges receivable, net	\$	92,040	\$	238,284	

NOTE 4 - Net Assets With Donor Restrictions

At December 31, 2023 and 2022, net assets with donor restrictions consists of the following:

	December 31,				
		2023		2022	
Satellite TV, Radio Media, and Podcast	\$	204,306	\$	775,198	
Speaker Bureau Workshop				30,000	
	\$	204,306	\$	805,198	

NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND 2022

NOTE 5 – Subsequent Events

Subsequent to the year ending December 31, 2023, the Board of Directors approved the awarding of two multi-year lung cancer research grants. The grants call for the awarding of \$200,000 each in 2024. The grants will be paid out in the years ending December 31, 2024 and 2025.