# Consolidated Financial Statements and Report of Independent Certified Public Accountants

The Philadelphia Orchestra Association

August 31, 2020 and 2019

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#### REPORT OF INDEPENDENT CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Board of Directors
The Philadelphia Orchestra Association

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of The Philadelphia Orchestra Association and its wholly-owned subsidiary The Academy of Music of Philadelphia, Inc. (collectively, the "Association"), which comprise the consolidated statements of financial position as of August 31, 2020 and 2019, and the related consolidated statements of activities and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements.

## Management's responsibility for the 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; this includes 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.

#### Auditor's responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits 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 consolidated financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the consolidated financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the consolidated 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 entity'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 consolidated 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 consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of The Philadelphia Orchestra Association and its wholly-owned subsidiary as of August 31, 2020 and 2019, and the changes in their net assets and their cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

## Supplementary information

Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the consolidated financial statements as a whole. The supplementary information contained in the schedules of changes in net assets without donor restrictions from operating activities for the years ended August 31, 2020 and 2019 and The Academy of Music of Philadelphia, Inc.'s statements of financial position and statements of activities as of and for the years ended August 31, 2020 and 2019 are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the consolidated financial statements. Such supplementary 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 audits of the consolidated financial statements and certain additional procedures. These additional procedures included comparing and reconciling the 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 supplementary information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the consolidated financial statements as a whole.

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania February 5, 2021

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## **CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION**

# August 31,

(Dollars in thousands)

	2020			2019		
ASSETS						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	18,758	\$	16,846		
Trade accounts receivable, net		475		1,007		
Prepaid expenses and other assets		1,554		2,904		
Pledges receivable, net		5,063		8,069		
Notes receivable		200		254		
Investments		175,851		158,129		
Beneficial interests in trusts		6,447		5,854		
Investment in joint venture		191		567		
Property and equipment, net		32,588		34,518		
Total assets	\$	241,127	\$	228,148		
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS						
LIABILITIES						
Accounts payable	\$	1,294	\$	669		
Accrued expenses and other liabilities		1,423		1,699		
Deferred revenue		4,143		7,191		
Annuities payable		1,820		1,572		
Accrued postretirement benefit obligation		11,999		10,596		
Total liabilities		20,679		21,727		
NET ASSETS						
Without donor restrictions		33,762		35,987		
With donor restrictions		186,686		170,434		
Total net assets		220,448		206,421		
Total liabilities and net assets	\$	241,127	\$	228,148		

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

## Year ended August 31, 2020

## (Dollars in thousands)

Performance revenue   Performance   Perfor		Without donor restrictions	With donor restrictions	Total	
Characteristance	Performance revenue				
Performance expense	Philadelphia concerts	\$ 4,933	\$ -	\$ 4,933	
Performance expense	Other concerts	1,763	-	1,763	
Performance expense	Tours	1,876	-	1,876	
Performance expense	Recording, radio and television	210		210	
Concest promotion expenses   1,587   . 1,587		8,782	-	8,782	
Concest promotion expenses   1,587   . 1,587	Performance expense				
Recording, radio and television		29,576	-	29,576	
Performance deficit         (22,824)         . (22,824)           Other operating revenue         . (22,824)           Annual public support         13,859         4,198         18,057           Volunteer project revenue         330         357         867           CARES Act related grants and other income         5,486         5,486         5,486           Spending policy chaw, designated for current operations income from beneficial interests in trusts         250         1,522         1,522           Other operating expenses         1,862         2         2,586           Cliffs in kind         2,520         2         250           Other operating expenses         1,862         2         1,862           Equity loss in joint venture         2,70         2         270           Academy Ball revenue, not         2,70         7         7           Valuescells released from restrictions         3,282         (3,92)         -           Satisfaction of program restrictions         3,282         (3,92)         -           Satisfaction of time restrictions         3,282         (3,92)         -           Satisfaction of time restrictions         2,274         2,747         -         2,747         -         2,747         -	Concert promotion expenses	1,587	-	1,587	
Performance deficit	Recording, radio and television	443		443	
Chara purplic support		31,606		31,606	
Annual public support   13,859   4,198   18,057   687   CARES Act related grants and other income   5,486   5,486   5   5,486   5,48	Performance deficit	(22,824)	-	(22,824)	
Annual public support   13,859   4,198   18,057   687   CARES Act related grants and other income   5,486   5,486   5   5,486   5,48	Other operating revenue				
Volunteer project revenue         5.486         5.5,886           CARES Act related grants and other income         5.486         5.5,886           Spending policy draw, designated for current operations income from beneficial interests in trusts         250         5.2           Income from beneficial interests in trusts         250         6.2         1.862           Other revenues         1,862         2.0         1.862           Gifts in kind         20         2.0         4.862           Equity loss in joint venture         (270)         2.0         (270)           Academy Ball are venue, net         7         7         7           Net assets released from restrictions         3.282         (3.282)         -           Satisfaction of program restrictions         3.7417         3.7         3.745           Other operating expenses           Fundraising expenses <td colsp<="" td=""><td></td><td>13,859</td><td>4,198</td><td>18,057</td></td>	<td></td> <td>13,859</td> <td>4,198</td> <td>18,057</td>		13,859	4,198	18,057
Spending policy draw, designated for current operations income from beneficial interests in trusts         10,529         . 10,529           Income from beneficial interests in trusts         250         . 250           Other revenues         1,862         . 20         . 846           Equity loss in joint venture         (270)         . (270)         . (270)           Academy Ball revenue, net					
	CARES Act related grants and other income	5,486	-	5,486	
Other revenues         1,862         -         1,862           Gifts in kind         826         20         846           Equity loss in joint venture         (270)         -         6270           Academy Ball revenue, net         7         -         7           Net assests released from restrictions         3,262         (3,262)         -           Satisfaction of program restrictions         3,747         37         3,745           Other operating revenue         37,417         37         3,745           Other operating expenses         3,747         2         2,747           Annual fundraising         2,747         2         2,747           Older operating expenses         2,48         2         2,85           Annual fundraising         2,747         2         2,747           Obtain straint we spense         3,570         2         2,748           Obtain straint we spense         10,496         3         3,570         3,570           Management and general         447         4         4         4           Administrative expense         10,496         6         0         6           Bad debt expense         60         0         0         3 <td>Spending policy draw, designated for current operations</td> <td>10,529</td> <td>-</td> <td>10,529</td>	Spending policy draw, designated for current operations	10,529	-	10,529	
Gilfs in kind         826         20         948           Equity loss in joint venture         (270)         -         (270)           Academy Ball revenue, net         7         -         77           Net assets released from restrictions         3,262         (3,262)         -           Satisfaction of time restrictions         1,276         (1,276)         -           Total other operating evenue         37,417         37         37,454           Other operating evenue           Fundraising expenses           Fundraising expenses         2,747         -         2,747           Global initiatives and government relations         575         -         575           Volunteer project         2,48         -         2,87           Management and general         4         -         4,97           Administrative expense         6         0         -         10,496           Bad debt expense         6         0         -         4,77           Total other operating expense         11,4,573         -         14,573           Change in net assets from operating activities         2         3         5           Nonoperating revenue (expense)         -         <	Income from beneficial interests in trusts	250	-	250	
Equity loss in joint venture	Other revenues	1,862	-	1,862	
Academy Ball revenue, net         7         -         7           Net assets released from restrictions         3.262         (3.262)         -           Satisfaction of program restrictions         3.262         (3.262)         -           Total other operating revenue         37.417         37         37.456           Other operating expenses           Fundraising expenses         2.747         -         2.747           Global initiatives and government relations         575         -         5.57           Volunteer project         248         -         2.48           Administrative expense         10.496         -         1.0496           Bad debt expense         60         -         1.0496           Bad debt expense         60         -         1.0496           Depreciation         447         447         447           Total other operating expense         10.496         -         10.496           Bad debt expense         60         -         -         2.025           Depreciation         447         447         447           Total other operating expense         14.573         2         2.535           Nonoperating revenue (expense)         2	Gifts in kind	826	20	846	
Net assets released from restrictions         3.262 (1.276) </td <td>Equity loss in joint venture</td> <td>(270)</td> <td>-</td> <td>(270)</td>	Equity loss in joint venture	(270)	-	(270)	
Satisfaction of program restrictions         3.262 (1.276)         3.262 (1.276)         -           Total other operating revenue         37,417         37         37,454           Other operating expenses           Fundraising expenses         8         2         7.277         1         2,747         2,747         1         2,747         1         2,747         1         2,747         1         2,747         1         2,747         1         2,747         1         2,747         1         2,747         1         2,747         1         2,747         1         2,747         2,747         1         2,747         2,747         3,570         2,748         2,44         2,44         2,48         2,44         2,44		7	-	7	
Satisfaction of time restrictions         1,276         (1,276)         -           Total other operating revenue         37,417         37         37,454           Other operating expenses           Fundraising expenses         2,747         -         2,747           Annual fundraising         2,747         -         2,747           Global initiatives and government relations         575         -         575           Volunteer project         248         -         248           3,570         -         3,570           Management and general         10,496         -         10,496           Bad debt expense         10,496         -         10,496           Bad debt expense         14,573         -         447           Total other operating expense         14,573         -         14,573           Change in net assets from operating activities         20         37         57           Nonoperating evenue (expense)         -         2,235         2,235           Investment return, net of spending policy         -         2,235         2,235           Spending policy draw, designated for Academy of Music         775         2,236         2,238           Academy of Music revenue <td>Net assets released from restrictions</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td>	Net assets released from restrictions				
Total other operating revenue	Satisfaction of program restrictions	3,262	(3,262)	-	
Other operating expenses           Fundraising expenses         2,747         .         2,747           Annual fundraising         5,755         .         5,755         .         5,755         .         5,755         .         5,755         .         2,48         .         2,48         .         2,48         .         2,48         .         2,48         .         2,48         .         2,48         .         .         2,48         .         .         2,48         .         .         2,48         .         .         2,48         .         .         2,48         .         .         2,48         .         .         2,48         .         .         2,48         .         .         2,48         .         .         2,48         .         .         2,48         .         .         2,48         .         .         2,48         .         .         2,48         .         .         2,48         .         .         2,48         .         .         2,48         .         .         2,48         .         .         .         .         .         .         .         .         .         .         .         .         .	Satisfaction of time restrictions	1,276	(1,276)		
Pundraising expenses	Total other operating revenue	37,417	37	37,454	
Pundraising expenses	Other operating expense				
Annual fundraising   2,747   - 2,747   Global initiatives and government relations   575   - 2,747   757					
Volunteer project         248         -         248           3,570         -         3,570         -         3,570           Management and general         -         10,496         -         10,496         10,496         -         60         60         -         60         -         60         -         60         -         447         -         447         -         447         -         447         -         447         -         -         14,573         -         14,573         -         14,573         -         14,573         -         14,573         -         14,573         -         14,573         -         14,573         -         14,573         -         14,573         -         14,573         -         14,573         -         14,573         -         14,573         -         14,573         -         14,573         -         14,573         -         -         2,235         -         2,235         -         2,235         -         2,235         -         2,235         -         2,235         -         2,235         -         2,235         -         2,328         -         2,328         -         2,328         -         2,328<	Annual fundraising	2,747	-	2,747	
Management and general       3,570       -       3,570         Administrative expense       10,496       -       10,496         Bad debt expense       60       -       60         Depreciation       447       -       447         Total other operating expense       11,573       -       11,573         Change in net assets from operating activities       20       37       57         Nonoperating revenue (expense)       -       2,235       2,235         Investment contributions       -       2,235       2,235         Investment return, net of spending policy       477       14,402       14,879         Spending policy draw, designated for Academy of Music       775       -       775         Academy of Music revenue       2,328       -       2,328         Academy of Music expense, including depreciation of \$2,503       (5,344)       -       (5,344)         Redesignation of net assets       292       (292)       -         Net assets released from restrictions - Academy of Music       130       (130)       -         Other changes in postretirement benefit obligation       (903)       -       (903)         Total nonoperating (expense) revenue       (2,245)       16,215       13,970 <td>Global initiatives and government relations</td> <td>575</td> <td>-</td> <td>575</td>	Global initiatives and government relations	575	-	575	
Management and general         Administrative expense       10,496       -       10,496         Bad debt expense       60       -       60         Depreciation       447       -       447         Total other operating expense       14,573       -       14,573         Change in net assets from operating activities       20       37       57         Nonoperating revenue (expense)         Endowment contributions       -       2,235       2,235         Investment return, net of spending policy       477       14,402       14,879         Spending policy draw, designated for Academy of Music       775       -       775         Academy of Music revenue       2,328       -       2,328         Academy of Music expense, including depreciation of \$2,503       (5,344)       -       (5,344)         Redesignation of net assets       292       (292)       -         Net assets released from restrictions - Academy of Music       130       (130)       -         Other changes in postretirement benefit obligation       (903)       -       (903)         Total nonoperating (expense) revenue       (2,245)       16,215       13,970         CHANGE IN NET ASSETS       (2,225)       16,2	Volunteer project	248	-	248	
Administrative expense         10,496         -         10,496           Bad debt expense         60         -         60           Depreciation         447         -         447           Total other operating expense         14,573         -         14,573           Change in net assets from operating activities         20         37         57           Nonoperating revenue (expense)         -         2,235         2,235           Investment contributions         -         2,235         2,235           Investment return, net of spending policy         477         14,402         14,879           Spending policy draw, designated for Academy of Music         775         -         775           Academy of Music expense, including depreciation of \$2,503         (5,344)         -         (5,344)           Redesignation of net assets         292         (292)         -           Net assets released from restrictions - Academy of Music         130         (130)         -           Other changes in postretirement benefit obligation         (903)         -         (903)           Total nonoperating (expense) revenue         (2,245)         16,215         13,970           CHANGE IN NET ASSETS         (2,225)         16,252         14,027		3,570		3,570	
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Redesignation of net assets         292         (292)         -           Net assets released from restrictions - Academy of Music         130         (130)         -           Other changes in postretirement benefit obligation         (903)         -         (903)           Total nonoperating (expense) revenue         (2,245)         16,215         13,970           CHANGE IN NET ASSETS         (2,225)         16,252         14,027           Net assets, beginning         35,987         170,434         206,421			-		
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Other changes in postretirement benefit obligation         (903)         -         (903)           Total nonoperating (expense) revenue         (2,245)         16,215         13,970           CHANGE IN NET ASSETS         (2,225)         16,252         14,027           Net assets, beginning         35,987         170,434         206,421				-	
Total nonoperating (expense) revenue         (2,245)         16,215         13,970           CHANGE IN NET ASSETS         (2,225)         16,252         14,027           Net assets, beginning         35,987         170,434         206,421	•		(130)	(000)	
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS         (2,225)         16,252         14,027           Net assets, beginning         35,987         170,434         206,421	Other changes in postretirement benefit obligation	(903)		(903)	
Net assets, beginning         35,987         170,434         206,421	Total nonoperating (expense) revenue	(2,245)	16,215	13,970	
	CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	(2,225)	16,252	14,027	
Net assets, ending         \$ 33,762         \$ 186,686         \$ 220,448	Net assets, beginning	35,987	170,434	206,421	
	Net assets, ending	\$ 33,762	\$ 186,686	\$ 220,448	

## CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

## Year ended August 31, 2019

## (Dollars in thousands)

	Without donor restrictions	With donor restrictions	Total
Performance revenue			
Philadelphia concerts	\$ 9,075	\$ -	\$ 9,075
Summer concerts	2,025	-	2,025
Other concerts	3,776	-	3,776
Tours	2,519	-	2,519
Recording, radio and television	220		220 17,615
	17,615	-	17,015
Performance expense			
Orchestra and concert production	34,274	-	34,274
Concert promotion expenses	2,681	=	2,681
Recording, radio and television	397 37,352		397 37,352
			37,352
Performance deficit	(19,737)	-	(19,737)
Other operating revenue			
Annual public support	16,198	5,135	21,333
Volunteer project revenue	496	573	1,069
Spending policy draw, designated for current operations	8,969	-	8,969
Income from beneficial interests in trusts	242	-	242
Other revenues Gifts in kind	2,118 36	- 11	2,118 47
Equity earnings in joint venture	105	- 11	105
Academy Ball revenue, net	84	_	84
Net assets released from restrictions	<b>.</b>		0.
Satisfaction of program restrictions	3,663	(3,663)	_
Satisfaction of time restrictions	2,313	(2,313)	
Total other operating revenue	34,224	(257)	33,967
Other operating expense			
Fundraising expenses			
Annual fundraising	2,488	-	2,488
Global initiatives and government relations	557	-	557
Volunteer project	290 3,335		3,335
			3,333
Management and general			
Administrative expense	10,629	-	10,629
Bad debt expense	108	10	118
Depreciation	399		399
Total other operating expense	14,471	10	14,481
Change in net assets from operating activities	16	(267)	(251)
Nonoperating revenue (expense)			
Endowment contributions	-	51,632	51,632
Investment return, net of spending policy	(119)	(6,561)	(6,680)
Spending policy draw, designated for Academy of Music	773	-	773
Academy of Music revenue	2,215	130	2,345
Academy of Music expense, including depreciation of \$2,476	(5,233)	-	(5,233)
Net assets released from restrictions - Academy of Music	383	(383)	-
Other changes in postretirement benefit obligation	(1,115)		(1,115)
Total nonoperating (expense) revenue	(3,096)	44,818	41,722
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	(3,080)	44,551	41,471
Net assets, beginning	39,067	125,883	164,950
Net assets, ending	\$ 35,987	\$ 170,434	\$ 206,421

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

# Years ended August 31,

(Dollars in thousands)

	2020			2019			
Cash flows from operating activities:							
Change in net assets	\$	14,027	\$	41,471			
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash (used in)							
provided by operating activities							
Depreciation		2,950		2,875			
Provision for bad debt expense		167		121			
Change in investment in joint venture		376		101			
Endowment contributions received		(2,235)		(51,632)			
Net realized and unrealized (gain) loss on investments		(20,971)		5,257			
Change in beneficial interests in trusts		(593)		63			
Other changes in postretirement benefit obligation		(903)		(1,115)			
Changes in assets and liabilities							
Trade accounts receivable		532		44			
Prepaid expenses and other assets		1,350		(218)			
Pledges receivable		2,839		3,576			
Accounts payable, accrued expenses and other liabilities		349		706			
Deferred revenue		(3,048)		329			
Annuities payable		248		(5)			
Accrued postretirement benefit obligation		2,306		2,501			
Net cash (used in) provided by operating activities		(2,606)		4,074			
Cash flows from investing activities:							
Purchases of investments		(13,574)		(168,441)			
Proceeds from sales of investments		16,823		118,645			
Purchase of property, plant and equipment		(1,020)		(2,066)			
Repayments of employee loans		54		5			
Net cash provided by (used in) investing activities		2,283		(51,857)			
Cash flows from financing activities:							
Endowment contributions received		2,235		51,632			
Net cash provided by financing activities		2,235		51,632			
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		1,912		3,849			
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year		16,846		12,997			
Cash and cash equivalents, end of year	\$	18,758	\$	16,846			
Supplemental cash flow data:							
Noncash investing activities							
Change in accrued construction expenses	\$	(305)	\$	268			

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#### **NOTE A - NATURE OF OPERATIONS**

## Organization

The Philadelphia Orchestra Association (the "Orchestra") is one of the world's preeminent orchestras. It shares the transformative power of music with the widest possible audience, and creates joy, connection and excitement through music in the Philadelphia region, across the country and around the world. Through innovative programming, robust educational initiatives and commitment to the community, the ensemble is creating an expansive future for classical music and furthering the place of the arts in an open and democratic society.

These consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Orchestra and its wholly owned subordinate entity, The Academy of Music of Philadelphia, Inc. (the "Academy") (collectively, the "Association"). All significant intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated. The Academy was organized to operate, manage and maintain the Academy of Music, a concert hall. The Association has contracted with the Kimmel Center, Inc. ("KCI"), an unaffiliated organization, to manage the operations of the Academy. In addition, the Association has invested in a nonprofit joint venture which provides ticket sales and servicing operations for events held in the Academy of Music, Kimmel Center and other venues ("Ticket Philadelphia"). This venture is accounted for as an equity investment.

## **Definition of Operating Activities**

The operations of the Orchestra, including all concerts, recording, and touring activities, are presented in the operating activities section of the consolidated statements of activities. Also included with operating activities are all Orchestra annual fundraising activities and investment income designated for operations.

Included in nonoperating revenue and expense are endowment contributions, investment income, net of spending policy and changes in postretirement benefit obligation. In addition, all activities of the Academy are included in nonoperating.

Operating results for activities such as concerts and other events that take place at the Academy of Music building under the auspices of KCI are not included in these consolidated financial statements as they are part of KCI's operations. KCI leases the property of the Academy for a dollar per year through 2031. The lease contains various options to extend at current market rates through 2090.

#### NOTE B - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### Basis of Presentation

The consolidated financial statements of the Association have been prepared in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAP"). U.S. GAAP requires that net assets and revenues, gains, expenses and losses be classified based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions as follows:

Net assets without donor restrictions - Net assets that are not subject to donor-imposed restrictions.
Net assets without donor restrictions may be designated for specific purposes by action of the Board of Directors. Approximately \$4,440,000 and \$4,107,000 of the Association's net assets without donor restrictions as of August 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively, have been designated by the Board of Directors to function as endowment.

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• Net assets with donor restrictions - Net assets whose use by the Association is subject to donor-imposed restrictions. Some donor-imposed restrictions are temporary in nature, such as those that can be met by the passage of time or programmatic purposes specified by the donor. Other donor-imposed restrictions are perpetual in nature, where the donor stipulates that resources be maintained in perpetuity or are permanently maintained in the control of third-party trustees. Net assets in this category are primarily comprised of endowment gifts and accumulated endowment gains.

Revenues are reported as increases in net assets without donor restrictions unless use of the related assets is limited by donor-imposed restrictions. Expenses are generally reported as decreases in net assets without donor restrictions. Expirations of donor-imposed restrictions that simultaneously increase one class of net assets and decrease another are reported as releases between the applicable classes of net assets.

## Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include short-term investments with original maturities of three months or less. The Association maintains cash accounts which, at times, may exceed federally insured limits. The Association has not experienced any losses from maintaining cash accounts in excess of federally insured limits. Management believes that it is not exposed to any significant credit risk on its cash accounts.

#### Trade Accounts Receivable

Trade accounts receivable are reported at their net realizable value and consist of performance-related receivables, royalties, Academy Ball program receivables and other amounts.

#### Investments

The Association records its investments at fair value. Debt securities, equity securities and mutual funds are valued at quoted market prices, except for certain alternative investments for which quoted market prices are not available. The estimated fair value of alternative investments is based upon net asset value ("NAV") as a practical expedient, which is provided by external investment managers as of August 31, 2020 and 2019. Because such investments are not readily marketable, their estimated value is subject to uncertainty and, therefore, may differ from the value that would have been used had a ready market for such investments existed.

Gains and losses are based on the trade date for investments.

The principal objective of the Association's alternative investment selection is to enhance the risk-adjusted returns of the Association's total asset portfolio. The Association manages this investment exposure through a process of careful selection of experienced external fund managers, detailed initial due diligence, continuing periodic diligence and monitoring, limitation of exposure to any investment strategy or manager, and the employment of outside experts. At August 31, 2020 and 2019, the alternative investment exposure to any product and/or manager was less than 1.0% of total long-term investments.

During the year ended August 31, 2019, the Association withdrew from the TIFF Multi-Asset Fund ("MAF") and rolled a large portion of the proceeds into the TIFF Global Equity Fund ("GEF"). Upon redemption from the MAF, the Association paid an exit fee applicable to the total MAF redemption. The ongoing management fee for the GEF will be reduced by 20% of the portion of the MAF exit fee attributable to the new GEF investment annually, until the reductions made equal the exit fee on the portion of the MAF investment that was reinvested in the GEF.

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#### Fair Value Measurements

The Association has categorized its financial instruments, based on the priority of the inputs to the valuation technique, into a three-level fair value hierarchy. 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 hierarchy are described below:

- Level 1 Financial assets and liabilities whose values are based on unadjusted quoted prices in active markets that are accessible at the measurement date for identical assets or liabilities.
- Level 2 Financial assets and liabilities whose values are based on one or more of the following:
  - Quoted prices for similar assets or liabilities in active markets;
  - Quoted prices for identical or similar assets or liabilities in non-active markets;
  - Pricing models whose inputs are observable for substantially the full term of the asset or liability; or
  - Pricing models whose inputs are derived principally from or corroborated by observable market data through correlation or other means for substantially the full term of the asset or liability.
- Level 3 Financial assets and liabilities whose values are based on prices or valuation techniques that require inputs that are both significant to the fair value measurement and unobservable. These inputs reflect management's own assumptions about the assumptions a market participant would use in pricing the asset or liability.

In certain cases, the inputs used to measure fair value may fall into different levels of the fair value hierarchy. In such cases, the level in the fair value hierarchy within which the fair value measurement in its entirety falls has been determined based on the lowest level input that is significant to the fair value measurement in its entirety. The Association's assessment of the significance of a particular input to the fair value measurement in its entirety requires judgment and considers factors specific to the asset or liability.

Both observable and unobservable inputs may be used to determine the fair value of positions that the Association has classified within the Level 3 category. As a result, the unrealized gains and losses for assets and liabilities within the Level 3 category may include changes in fair value that were attributable to both observable (e.g., changes in market interest rates) and unobservable (e.g., changes in unobservable long-dated volatilities) inputs.

A review of the fair value hierarchy classifications is conducted on an annual basis. Changes in the type of inputs may result in a reclassification for certain financial assets or liabilities.

## Allowance for Doubtful Accounts

The allowance for doubtful accounts is provided based upon management's judgment, including such factors as prior collection history and type of receivable. The Association writes off receivables when they become uncollectible, and payments subsequently received on such receivables, if any, are credited to the allowance for doubtful accounts.

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## Pledges Receivable

In June 2018, the FASB issued ASU 2018-08, *Not-for-Profit Entities: Clarifying the Scope and Accounting Guidance for Contributions Received and Contributions Made.* The amendment provides: (1) a framework for determining whether a transaction should be accounted for as a contribution or as an exchange transaction, including how to evaluate whether a resource provider is receiving commensurate value in an exchange transaction; and (2) guidance to assist entities in determining whether a contribution is either conditional or unconditional. The Association adopted the guidance during the year ended August 31, 2020 using the modified retrospective method and has determined that there is no effect on net assets in connection with the adoption of ASU 2018-08.

Contributions received, including unconditional promises to give, are recognized as revenues when the donor's commitment has been received. Unconditional promises to give are recognized at the established present value of the future cash flows, net of allowances. Contributions, which are received subject to restrictions imposed by donors, are reported as net assets with donor restrictions in the accompanying consolidated financial statements. Contributions for which the restrictions expire with the passage of time or occurrence of specific events are also classified as net assets with donor restrictions. When the restriction expires with the passage of time or upon occurrence of the specified event, the net assets are reclassified to net assets without donor restrictions and reported as net assets released from restrictions. Donor-restricted funds expended in the fiscal year in which received are recorded as net assets without donor restrictions. Conditional promises are recorded when donor conditions are substantially met.

#### Notes Receivable

The Association has granted loans to members of the Orchestra for the purpose of acquiring instruments to be used when performing with the Orchestra. The Association granted individual loans for amounts up to \$15,000, which are non-interest-bearing for a maximum term of five years. The total outstanding amount of these loans must not exceed \$125,000. The Association also makes individual loans, which bear interest at the ten-year Treasury note rate plus 1% for amounts up to \$125,000, with a maximum term of 10 years. The ten-year Treasury note rate was 0.72% and 1.50% at August 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively. The total outstanding amount of these loans must not exceed \$500,000. In addition, during the year ended August 31, 2018, the Association provided a housing relocation loan to an officer in the amount of \$250,000. The loan is secured, interest-bearing and is repayable over five years. As of August 31, 2020, and 2019, the outstanding balance on the loan was \$200,000 and \$250,000, respectively.

## Property and Equipment, Net

Property and equipment, net is recorded at cost as of the date of acquisition or fair value as of the date of receipt in the case of gifts. Depreciation is recorded as an expense using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the respective assets. The useful lives are as follows:

Office condominium, building and building improvements	30 years
Equipment and other	5 - 10 years
Office equipment	3 - 10 years

The cost and accumulated depreciation of property sold or retired is removed from the related asset, and accumulated depreciation amounts, and any resulting gain or loss, is recorded in the period of disposal.

Renewals and improvements, which extend the useful lives of assets, are capitalized at cost. Maintenance and repairs are included as expenses in the consolidated statements of activities.

Fine instruments have been recognized at their estimated fair value based upon appraisals or similar valuations at the date of acquisition or donation. Fine instruments are not depreciated. The aggregate carrying value of such assets at both August 31, 2020 and 2019 was approximately \$295,000.

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## Annuities Payable

Liabilities related to charitable gift annuities received by the Association are recorded at the present value of the future interest payments based on the donor's life expectancy. Amounts donated in excess of the liability are recorded as restricted donations in the consolidated statements of activities. The present value of the annuities, discounted at the respective rate under Internal Revenue Code ("IRC") Section 7520(a), is calculated at the time of the donation.

## Revenue Recognition

Revenues from concert, recording, touring and rental activities are recognized as earned using the accrual method of accounting. Revenue from sales of subscriptions and single tickets for the upcoming concert season is deferred until the performance of the related concerts. Revenues related to advertising for the annual Academy Ball fundraising event are deferred until earned.

## Tax Status

Under provisions of the IRC Section 501(c)(3), and the applicable income tax regulations of Pennsylvania, the Association is exempt from taxes on income other than unrelated business income.

The Association recognizes or derecognizes a tax position based on a "more likely than not" threshold. This applies to positions taken or expected to be taken in a tax return. The Association does not believe its consolidated financial statements include any material uncertain tax positions. Treasury Regulations stipulate tax years are open for three years from the date of filing and remain subject to examination.

## Use of Estimates

The preparation of the consolidated financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires management to make estimates and utilize assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, 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 period. The most significant management estimates and assumptions relate to the determination of allowances for doubtful trade accounts, pledges and notes receivable, discounts on pledges receivable and annuities, alternative investment values, useful lives of fixed assets, assumptions related to the accrued benefit obligation, assumptions related to the annuities payable, functional allocation of expenses, and the reported fair values of certain of the Association's assets and liabilities. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

## Allocation of Expenses

Certain categories of expenses are attributed to more than one program or supporting function; therefore, expenses require allocation on a reasonable basis that is consistently applied. Costs are directly applied to the related program or supporting service category when identifiable and possible. Certain operating expenses are allocated based on estimates of time and effort.

## Recently Issued Accounting Pronouncements

In May 2014, the FASB issued Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") 2014-09, *Revenue from Contracts with Customers*, to clarify the principles for recognizing revenue and to improve financial reporting by creating common revenue recognition guidance. The core principle of the new guidance is that an entity should recognize revenue to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for these goods and services. ASU 2014-09, as amended, is effective for annual reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2019. Due to the nature of its revenue sources, the Association believes that the standard will have minimal impact on its consolidated financial statements, but continues to evaluate the impact of ASU 2014-09.

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In February 2016, the FASB issued ASU 2016-02, *Leases*, which requires that most leased assets be recognized on the balance sheet as assets and liabilities for the rights and obligations created by these leases. ASU 2016-02, as amended, is effective for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2021. The Association does not anticipate that the adoption of ASU 2016-02 will have a significant effect on the consolidated financial statements.

## Impact of COVID-19

In March 2020, the World Health Organization declared the outbreak of a novel coronavirus ("COVID-19") as a pandemic, which continues to spread throughout the United States. The spread of COVID-19 has caused significant volatility in the U.S. and international markets. There is significant uncertainty around the breadth and duration of business disruptions related to COVID-19, as well as its impact on the U.S. and international economies. The Association cannot reasonably estimate the length or severity of this pandemic, but currently anticipates a material impact on its financial position, results of operations and cash flows for the year ending August 31, 2021. The pandemic may continue to adversely affect operations and financial condition, including but not limited to the ability of the Association to remain open to the public, state and local support, and financial markets impacting investment valuations and interest rates.

The Orchestra received a Paycheck Protection Program ("PPP") loan of \$4,937,000 granted by the Small Business Administration under the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act ("CARES Act"), which is reflected in CARES Act related grants and other income in the statement of activities as of August 31, 2020. PPP loans are considered conditional contributions, with a right-of return in the form of an obligation to be repaid if a barrier to entitlement is not met. The barrier is that PPP loan funds must be used to maintain compensation costs and employee headcount, and other qualifying expenses (mortgage interest, rent and utilities) incurred following receipt of the funds. The Orchestra recognized the amount received as grant revenue as qualified expenses occurred and barriers to entitlement were met. Application for forgiveness of the loan was made on October 15, 2020, with inclusion of compliance substantiation and certification therein. However, at the time of issuance of the financial statements, notice of forgiveness had not been received from the lender. All documentation supporting program compliance has been made available for the financial statement audit. All indications are that the loan will be forgiven. However, if a portion of the loan must be repaid, the terms (1% per annum, repayable over a maximum of five years with a six-month deferral period) are such that the Orchestra has sufficient liquidity to repay the unforgiven portion.

The Families First Coronavirus Response Act ("FFCRA") requires certain employers to provide their employees with paid sick leave or expanded family and medical leave for specified reasons related to COVID-19, including the inability of an employee to work due to being quarantined pursuant to a Federal, State, or local government order. Covered employers qualify for a reimbursement through tax credits for qualifying wages. For the year ended August 31, 2020, the Orchestra claimed credits for two weeks of qualified wages in the amount of \$549,000 which is reflected in CARES Act related grants and other income in the statement of activities.

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# **NOTE C - PLEDGES RECEIVABLE**

Pledges receivable at August 31, 2020 and 2019 were expected to be collected as follows (in thousands):

		perating fund	ademy Music	En	dowment fund	 Total
Due within One year Two to five years After five years	\$	2,939 1,190	\$ 58 - -	\$	323 340 372	\$ 3,320 1,530 372
Total pledges receivable		4,129	58		1,035	5,222
Less allowance for uncollectible pledges		(50)	 (10)		(9)	 (69)
Subtotal		4,079	48		1,026	5,153
Less unamortized discount		(20)	 		(70)	 (90)
Net present value of pledges receivable	\$	4,059	\$ 48	\$	956	\$ 5,063
Activity during year Balance, beginning of year Cash received New pledges received Bad debt expense Amortization of discount	\$	5,947 (8,325) 6,505 (84) 16	\$ 231 (670) 550 (63)	\$	1,891 (1,260) 278 - 47	\$ 8,069 (10,255) 7,333 (147) 63
Balance, end of year	\$	4,059	\$ 48	\$	956	\$ 5,063

# NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - CONTINUED

# August 31, 2020 and 2019

	2019								
		perating fund		ademy Music	En	dowment fund		Total	
Due within One year Two to five years After five years	\$	4,533 1,489	\$	231 - -	\$	633 990 395	\$	5,397 2,479 395	
Total pledges receivable		6,022		231		2,018		8,271	
Less allowance for uncollectible pledges		(39)				(10)		(49)	
Subtotal		5,983		231		2,008		8,222	
Less unamortized discount		(36)	-			(117)		(153)	
Net present value of pledges receivable	\$	5,947	\$	231	\$	1,891	\$	8,069	
Activity during year Balance, beginning of year Cash received New pledges received Bad debt (expense) recovery Amortization of discount	\$	9,876 (10,744) 6,812 (107) 110	\$	252 (540) 518 1	\$	1,638 (1,207) 1,510 (10) (40)	\$	11,766 (12,491) 8,840 (116) 70	
Balance, end of year	\$	5,947	\$	231	\$	1,891	\$	8,069	

The Association used fair value rates ranging from 1% - 5% to discount pledges receivable for the years ended August 31, 2020 and 2019.

## **NOTE D - INVESTMENTS**

At August 31, 2020 and 2019, the fair value of investments was as follows (in thousands):

		20	20		2019				
	F	air value		Cost	F	air value		Cost	
Cash and cash equivalents Mutual funds - fixed income Mutual funds - inflation hedges Mutual funds - equities Limited partnership - real estate Limited partnership - global equity Private equity Multi-strategy	\$	316 29,308 42 79,634 315 64,668 1,559	\$	316 28,175 41 66,938 3,203 54,000 1,578 1	\$	2,166 35,537 45 64,519 451 54,657 742 12	\$	2,166 34,894 44 62,210 3,197 54,000 729 1	
Total fair value of investments	\$	175,851	\$	154,252	\$	158,129	\$	157,241	

The above amounts include approximately \$21,926,000 and \$20,012,000 of endowment funds for the benefit of the Academy of Music at August 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively.

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The accompanying consolidated financial statements also include assets held in trust that are under the control of outside trustees. The fair value of the investments held in the trusts was approximately \$6,447,000 and \$5,854,000 on August 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively.

Certain of the Orchestra's investments are valued using NAV (or its equivalent unit) as a practical expedient of fair value. This applies to investments (i) which do not have a readily determinable fair value, and (ii) the financial statements of which were prepared by the respective investment managers in a manner consistent with the measurement principles applied in the preparation of the financial statements of the investment company. Investments that are valued using NAV per share (or its equivalent unit) are not required to be categorized within the fair value hierarchy.

The following tables present information about the Association's assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis, as described in Note B, as of August 31, 2020 and 2019, and indicate the fair value hierarchy of the valuation techniques utilized by the Association to determine such fair value (in thousands):

	Assets at Fair Value at August 31, 2020									
		Quoted	Sigr	nificant						
	ŗ	orices in		ther		Significant				
		active markets Level 1)	in	ervable puts vel 2)	un	observable inputs (Level 3)		estments alued at NAV		Total
		201011)	(20	VOI 2)		(2070, 0)		147.17	_	Total
Investments										
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	316	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	\$	316
Mutual funds - fixed income		29,308		-		-		-		29,308
Mutual funds - inflation hedges		42		-		-		-		42
Mutual funds - equities		79,634		-		-		-		79,634
Limited partnership - real estate		-		-		-		315		315
Limited partnership - global equity		-		-		-		64,668		64,668
Private equity		-		-		-		1,559		1,559
Multi-strategy						<u>-</u>		9		9
Total investments		109,300		-		-		66,551		175,851
Beneficial interests in trusts						6,447				6,447
Total recurring financial assets	\$	109,300	\$	_	\$	6,447	\$	66,551	\$	182.298

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			Ass	ets at Fa	air Valu	e at Augus	t 31,	2019	
	p r	Quoted prices in active markets Level 1)	otl obsei inp	ficant ner vable outs rel 2)	unob ir	nificant eservable evel 3)		estments alued at NAV	Total
Investments									
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	2,166	\$	-	\$	_	\$	-	\$ 2,166
Mutual funds - fixed income		35,537		-		-		-	35,537
Mutual funds - inflation hedges		45		-		_		_	45
Mutual funds - equities		64,519		-		-		-	64,519
Limited partnership - real estate		-		-		-		451	451
Limited partnership - global equity		-		-		_		54,657	54,657
Private equity		-		-		-		742	742
Multi-strategy								12	 12
Total investments		102,267		-		-		55,862	158,129
Beneficial interests in trusts				<u>-</u>		5,854			 5,854
Total recurring financial assets	\$	102,267	\$	_	\$	5,854	\$	55,862	\$ 163,983

The following table presents additional information about assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis and for which the Association has utilized Level 3 inputs to determine fair value for the years ended August 31, 2020 and 2019 (in thousands):

	Be	Beneficial interests in						
		2020		2019				
Balance, beginning of year Unrealized gains (losses)	\$	5,854 593	\$	5,917 (63)				
Balance, end of year	\$	6,447	\$	5,854				

In reference to the investments and other financial instruments held by the Association, the following provides a brief description of the types of financial instruments, the methodology for estimating fair value, and the level within the hierarchy of the estimate.

#### Investments

<u>Cash and Cash Equivalents</u>: Cash and cash equivalents include short-term, highly liquid investments with a maturity of three months or less at the time of purchase. Cash and cash equivalents are reported using a market approach and are considered Level 1 inputs.

<u>Mutual Funds - Fixed Income</u>: Mutual funds investing in high yielding, non-investment grade publicly traded fixed income securities with quoted prices in active markets. Fixed income mutual funds are valued using a market approach and considered Level 1 inputs.

<u>Mutual Funds - Inflation Hedges</u>: Mutual funds investing in a combination of commodity-linked derivative instruments (such as commodity-linked notes) and fixed income securities, index funds which measure the performance of inflation-protected public obligations of the U.S. Treasury, otherwise known as "TIPS," and in funds that invest at least 80% of their assets in inflation-indexed bonds issued by the U.S. Government, its agencies and instrumentalities, and corporations. These financial instruments, valued using the market approach, are considered Level 1 inputs.

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<u>Mutual Funds - Equities</u>: Mutual funds investing in domestic and/or foreign equity securities with quoted prices in active markets. Equity mutual funds are valued using a market approach and are considered Level 1 inputs.

<u>Limited Partnerships</u>: As a "fund-of-funds," the partnership's investments consist of underlying funds that invest in office, apartment, retail, industrial or other commercial real estate, or in real estate-related securities within the U.S., Europe, and Asia. These partnerships are valued using NAV per share (or its equivalent unit) as determined by the fund managers.

<u>Private Equity</u>: The fund invests in a diversified portfolio of sub-private equity funds managed by private equity managers that have historically provided risk-adjusted returns within their strategy, while at the same time seeking to dampen overall portfolio volatility. The primary investment objective is to generate attractive risk-adjusted returns through the careful selection of broad and varied private equity portfolios that provide access to attractive markets traditionally only available to the largest institutional investors at a significantly lower cost than otherwise possible. The fund is valued using NAV per share (or its equivalent unit) as determined by the fund managers.

#### Beneficial Interests in Trusts

The underlying investments of the trusts include money market funds, equity securities, fixed income securities, and mortgage securities. The interests in the trusts are valued using a market approach. These financial instruments are Level 3 in the fair value hierarchy.

## Fair Value Measurements of Investments That Calculate NAV per Share

Fair value measurements of investments in certain entities that calculate NAV per share as of August 31, 2020 and 2019 are as follows (in thousands):

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	Fair \	Value		Ur	nfunded	Redemption	notice
	2020		2019	commitments		frequency	period
Limited partnerships (a) Private equity (b)	\$ 64,983 1,559	\$	55,108 742	\$	301 5,422	(a) (b)	(a) (b)
Multi-strategy	 9		12			-	-
	\$ 66,551	\$	55,862	\$	5,723		

- (a) Limited Partnerships GEF of TIFF was formed on May 10, 2017. GEF is a Delaware limited partnership employing a multi-manager, specialized strategy with exposure to primarily marketable global equity-oriented investments whose objective is to achieve a total return net of fees and expenses that exceeds the MSCI All Country World Index. The GEF invests globally, primarily via a carefully selected group of external managers to take advantage of the Fund's broad latitude opportunistically allocating assets to investments appropriate for non-profits. The GEF expects to make cash distributions, which will be made quarterly or annually at the election of each limited partner. A limited partner generally has the right to withdraw, all or any portion of a capital contribution, as adjusted for net capital appreciation and net capital depreciation on such amount, upon providing the general partner at least 65 days prior written notice.
- (b) Private equity Millcreek Private Equity Fund V, L.P. ("MCPEF V") was formed on December 4, 2017. MCPEF V is a Delaware limited partnership formed as a fund of funds to provide an opportunity for qualified individuals and institutional investors to invest in a diversified portfolio of sub funds. The Fund's primary investment objective is to generate attractive risk-adjusted returns through the careful selection of broad and varied private equity portfolios. The Fund endeavors to maintain adequate levels of portfolio diversification by seeking to build a portfolio of approximately five to twenty investments and intending to limit allocation to one sub fund investment manager to 20% of the NAV of the Fund. An investor in the fund has no redemption rights and should anticipate holding its investment over the entire life of the fund. The general partner may, at any time, in its sole discretion, redeem all or any portion of an investor's interests on 30 business days prior written notice.

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## **NOTE E - ENDOWMENTS**

As required by U.S. GAAP, net assets associated with endowment funds, including funds designated by the Board of Trustees to function as endowments, are classified and reported based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions.

The Association's endowment consists of a portfolio of actively managed funds established to provide both a source of operating funds as well as long-term financial stability. The endowment includes donor-restricted endowment funds and endowment funds designated by the Board of Trustees to function as quasi-endowments, held in investments, plus the following where the assets have been designated for endowment: pledges receivable, split-interest agreements, and other net assets.

## Interpretation of Relevant Law

The Board of Trustees of the Association follows the interpretation of Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Act 141 ("PA Act 141") as requiring the preservation of the original gift as a fund of permanent duration as of the gift date of the donor-restricted endowment funds absent explicit donor stipulations to the contrary, except as described below. As a result of this interpretation, the Association classifies as net assets with donor restrictions (a) the original value of gifts donated to the permanent endowment, (b) the original value of subsequent gifts to the permanent endowment, and (c) accumulations to the permanent endowment made in accordance with the direction of the applicable donor gift instrument at the time the accumulation is added to the fund. The remaining portion of the donor-restricted endowment fund is regarded as "net appreciation" and is classified as net assets with donor restrictions until those amounts are appropriated for expenditure by the Association in a manner consistent with the Association's spending policy.

#### Funds with Deficiencies

From time to time, the fair value of assets associated with individual donor-designated endowment funds may fall below the "historic dollar value." As of August 31, 2020, there were no funds with deficiencies. As of August 31, 2019, there were twenty-five funds, which together had an original gift value of \$57,689,000, a current fair value of \$54,590,000 and a deficiency of \$3,099,000. These deficiencies may result from unfavorable market fluctuations that occur shortly after the investment of new donor-restricted contributions. Over time, these may reverse due to appreciation of the underlying investments. The funds affected include those designated for artistic or education purposes, such as endowed musician chairs and education concerts.

#### **Endowment Investment Guidelines**

The Association's Investment Guidelines are to invest the Association's endowment assets in a generally accepted prudential manner and produce an average annual total return on investments over a five-year period of at least the sum of the spending formula distribution rate plus the direct cost of investing these funds (investment advisor, brokerage, investment manager, custodial fees, etc.) plus the current rate of inflation as measured by the U.S. Department of Labor's Consumer Price Index. The Investment and Endowment Committee of the Board of Trustees is responsible for the oversight of the Association's endowment and pension assets.

The intent of the guidelines is to provide a predictable stream of funding to the Association's programs from its endowment while seeking to maintain the purchasing power of the endowment assets. Endowment assets include those assets of donor-restricted funds that the Association must hold in perpetuity, board-designated funds, plus the following assets which have been designated for endowment: pledges receivable, split-interest agreements, and other assets.

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## **Endowment Spending Policy**

The Association determines its spending policy on an annual basis. As approved by the Investment and Endowment Committee and in accordance with PA Act 141, the amount is calculated based on the average of the preceding thirteen quarter unit values for each endowment pool multiplied by the average number of units for the preceding twelve months. The approved spending percentage is applied to each pool and, pursuant to PA Act 141, shall not be less than 2.0% or more than 10.0%. The Board has approved a spending percentage of 5.5% for both 2020 and 2019. This policy is applied to all endowments absent donor stipulations to the contrary.

The Association has an endowment agreement with the Annenberg Foundation (the "Foundation") for capital improvements to the Academy of Music, which caps the spending rate at 5.5% annually.

The Association has a separate endowment agreement with the Foundation for Orchestra activities, which also caps the spending rate at 5.5% after June 30, 2008. The Association applied a 5.5% spending rate in both 2020 and 2019 to these and all other endowment pools.

## Strategies Employed for Achieving Objectives

To satisfy its long-term rate-of-return objectives, the Association relies on a total-return strategy in which investment returns are achieved through both capital appreciation (realized and unrealized) and current yield (interest and dividends). Management of the investments is provided on a fully discretionary basis by competent external money management firms selected by the Investment and Endowment Committee with the guidance of third-party investment advisors. Different investment managers have been employed over the years and have included a wide range of investments, including alternative strategies. The rationale for including alternative strategy managers for the Association's portfolio is to reduce some volatility, consistent with a goal of generating absolute return.

The Association has adopted an endowment spending policy which designates a portion of the cumulative investment return for support of current operations. The remainder is retained to support operations of future years and to offset potential market declines and is classified within net assets with donor restrictions. This policy provides for spending a percentage of the average market value of the funds (as of August 31) for the prior thirteen quarters immediately preceding the fiscal year. Commonwealth of Pennsylvania law permits organizations to allocate to income each year a portion of donor-restricted investment net gains under a total return spending rate policy. The Association authorized a spending rate of 5.5% for both 2020 and 2019 for both its Board-designated and donor-restricted endowment investments unless the donor agreement differs.

The spending amount calculated on the Academy's endowment that is transferred to the Orchestra is capped at 12.4% of the value of the rent agreement with KCI, which amounted to approximately \$154,000 and \$209,000 at August 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively.

To the extent that actual income from donor-restricted investments is less than the predetermined amount, accumulated gains are made available for operations to fund the difference. For financial statement purposes, any excess accumulated gains or accumulated losses are recorded as net assets with donor restrictions. When accumulated gains are less than the calculated spending rate, funds are made available from net assets with donor restrictions. Investment return in excess of or less than the spending distribution is reported as a component of nonoperating revenue.

For Board-designated endowment, investment return in excess of or less than the spending distribution is reported as a component of nonoperating revenue.

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# **Endowment Fund Activity**

Donor-restricted endowment funds

Board-designated funds

	(	lithout donor trictions	restrictions		nor With donor		 Total
September 1, 2019			(111	uiousarius)			
Net assets, beginning of year	\$	4,107	\$	159,934	\$ 164,041		
Investment return							
Investment income		55		2,307	2,362		
Net realized gains		4		282	286		
Net unrealized gains		536		20,740	 21,276		
Net investment return		595		23,329	23,924		
Contributions		-		2,235	2,235		
Appropriation of endowment assets for operations		(118)		(8,578)	(8,696)		
Other changes							
Redesignation of net assets		(144)		449	305		
Change in estimate for annuities payable				(350)	 (350)		
Total other changes		(144)		99	 (45)		
Net assets, end of year	\$	4,440	\$	177,019	\$ 181,459		
Endowment net asset composition by type of fund as of	Augus	t 31, 2020	is as	follows:			
	Without donor With donor restrictions restriction (in thousan			 Total			

\$

\$

4,440

4,440

177,019

177,019

\$

177,019

181,459

4,440

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	Without donor restrictions		With donor restrictions			Total
				thousands)	-	
<u>September 1, 2018</u>			(			
Net assets, beginning of year	\$	4,225	\$	114,873	\$	119,098
Investment return Investment income Net realized losses Net unrealized gains		215 (400) 212		5,683 (6,193) 1,062		5,898 (6,593) 1,274
Net investment return		27		552		579
Contributions		-		51,632		51,632
Appropriation of endowment assets for operations		(145)		(7,031)		(7,176)
Other changes Change in estimate for annuities payable Provision for bad debt on contributions receivable		<u> </u>		(82) (10)		(82) (10)
Total other changes				(92)		(92)
Net assets, end of year	\$	4,107	\$	159,934	\$	164,041

Endowment net asset composition by type of fund as of August 31, 2019 is as follows:

	Without donor restrictions		re	/ith donor estrictions thousands)	Total		
Donor-restricted endowment funds Board-designated funds	\$	- 4,107	\$	159,934 <u>-</u>	\$	159,934 4,107	
	\$	4,107	\$	159,934	\$	164,041	

## **NOTE F - ENDOWMENT ASSETS HELD BY OTHERS**

The Association is the beneficiary of a number of irrevocable perpetual trusts held by third parties. The Association records the fair value of its interest in these trusts at approximately \$6,447,000 and \$5,854,000 at August 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively, in the accompanying consolidated statements of financial position. Distributions received from these trusts (approximately \$250,000 and \$242,000 in 2020 and 2019, respectively) are reported in the consolidated statements of activities. Changes in fair value of the trusts are reported as increases or decreases in net assets with donor restrictions.

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The Association also is the beneficiary of a grant from the Foundation contributed in 2003. This grant is restricted to establish funds for Education, Touring, Media & Technology and Artistic Endeavors. During 2012, the Foundation and the Association collaborated on a new trust agreement to redefine the parameters and reiterate the restrictions on those endowment funds, which provided for the transfer of these grant assets to The Northern Trust Company, as trustee, for the continued use and benefit of the Association, on terms and conditions set forth in the Trust Agreement. The Trust Agreement contains conditional terms that preclude the Association from recording these assets on the consolidated statements of financial position as either investments or beneficial interest in trust. A spending rate of 5.5% was applied for both the years ended August 31, 2020 and 2019. This draw from the Annenberg Endowment funds amounted to approximately \$2,610,000 for 2020 and \$2,572,000 for 2019 and is included in spending policy draw, designated for current operations in the consolidated statements of activities. The fair value of the Foundation assets held by The Northern Trust Company was approximately \$48,881,000 for August 31, 2020 and \$47,835,000 for August 31, 2019.

## **NOTE G - PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT**

The components of property and equipment at August 31, 2020 and 2019 were as follows (in thousands):

	2020		2019	
Philadelphia Orchestra Office condominium Building improvements Equipment and other Fine instruments	\$	1,711 591 8,593 295	\$	1,698 591 8,048 295
Total		11,190		10,632
Less accumulated depreciation		(7,202)		(6,755)
Total Philadelphia Orchestra	_	3,988	_	3,877
Academy of Music Land Building and building improvements Office equipment		630 83,817 995		630 83,355 995
Total		85,442		84,980
Less accumulated depreciation		(56,842)		(54,339)
Total Academy of Music		28,600		30,641
Total property and equipment, net	\$	32,588	\$	34,518

Depreciation expense related to the Orchestra was approximately \$447,000 and \$399,000 for the years ended August 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively. Depreciation expense related to the Academy is reflected in the Academy of Music expense on the consolidated statements of activities in the amount of approximately \$2,503,000 and \$2,476,000 for the years ended August 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively.

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## **NOTE H - POSTRETIREMENT BENEFIT OBLIGATION**

The Association provides its employees with postretirement health care and, for former employees of the Academy who were union members, severance pay based on the number of years of employment.

Postretirement health insurance is provided to the Association's musician employees who retire generally with 10 years of service after age 50. Postretirement health insurance is provided to former Academy employees who are members of the International Association of Theatrical Stage Employees Union, generally for employees who retire after age 62 and with 30 years of service. Premiums to be paid by the Association for these benefits are generally limited to \$2,000 per year for musicians and \$1,600 per year for all others.

The Academy also provides a severance benefit based on years of employment to retiring unionized box office employees, ranging up to 15 or 20 years of service. The total severance pay benefit obligation was approximately \$66,000 at both August 31, 2020 and 2019.

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The Association's actuary has performed the computations for the postretirement health care obligation as of August 31, 2020 and 2019. Other changes recognized in other comprehensive income shown in the following tables is presented on the consolidated statements of activities in nonoperating revenue (expense) as other changes in postretirement benefit obligation. The calculation is as follows (in thousands):

	2020							
	С	rchestra	Adm	inistrative	Ac	ademy		Total
Change in benefit obligation Benefit obligation at beginning of year Service cost Interest cost Actuarial loss	\$	10,140 220 317 1,113	\$	388 - 12 38	\$	68 - 2 7	\$	10,596 220 331 1,158
Benefits paid		(257)		(41)		(8)		(306)
Benefit obligation at end of year		11,533		397		69		11,999
Change in plan assets Fair value of plan assets at beginning of year Contributions by the Association Benefits paid		- 257 (257)		41 (41)		- 8 (8)		306 (306)
Fair value of plan assets at end of year						-		
Funded status at year end	\$	(11,533)	\$	(397)	\$	(69)	\$	(11,999)
Net amounts recognized in the consolidated statement of financial position consist of:								
Accrued postretirement benefit obligation	\$	(11,533)	\$	(397)	\$	(69)	\$	(11,999)
Amounts recognized in net assets but not yet recognized in net periodic benefit costs consist of:  Accumulated (loss) gain  Cumulative employer contributions in excess	\$	(3,197)	\$	93	\$	9	\$	(3,095)
of net periodic benefit cost		(8,336)		(490)		(78)		(8,904)
	\$	(11,533)	\$	(397)	\$	(69)	\$	11,999
Components of net periodic benefit cost Service cost Interest cost Actuarial loss (gain)	\$	220 317 264	\$	12 (9)	\$	- 2 -	\$	220 331 255
Net periodic benefit cost	\$	801	\$	3	\$	2	\$	806
Other changes recognized in other comprehensive income  Net loss arising during period  Actuarial gain (loss)	\$	1,113 (264)	\$	38 9	\$	7	\$	1,158 (255)
Total recognized in other comprehensive income	\$	849	\$	47	\$	7	\$	903

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	2019							
	C	Orchestra	Adm	inistrative	Ac	ademy		Total
Change in benefit obligation								
Benefit obligation at beginning of year	\$	8,752	\$	388	\$	70	\$	9,210
Service cost		173		-		-		173
Interest cost		342		15		3		360
Actuarial loss		1,091		21		3		1,115
Benefits paid		(218)		(36)		(8)		(262)
Benefit obligation at end of year		10,140		388		68		10,596
Change in plan assets								
Fair value of plan assets at beginning of year		-		-		-		-
Contributions by the Association		218		36		8		262
Benefits paid		(218)		(36)		(8)		(262)
Fair value of plan assets at end of year								
Funded status at year end	\$	(10,140)	\$	(388)	\$	(68)	\$	(10,596)
Net amounts recognized in the consolidated statement of financial position consist of:								
Accrued postretirement benefit obligation	\$	(10,140)	\$	(388)	\$	(68)	\$	(10,596)
Amounts recognized in net assets but not yet recognized in net periodic benefit costs consist of:								
Accumulated (loss) gain	\$	(2,349)	\$	142	\$	15	\$	(2,192)
Cumulative employer contributions in excess of net periodic benefit cost		(7,791)		(529)		(84)		(8,404)
	\$	(10,140)	\$	(387)	\$	(69)	\$	(10,596)
Components of net periodic benefit cost								
Service cost	\$	173	\$	_	\$	_	\$	173
Interest cost		342		15		3		360
Net periodic benefit cost	\$	515	\$	15	\$	3	\$	533
Other changes recognized in other comprehensive income								
Net loss arising during period	\$	1,091	\$	21	\$	3	\$	1,115
Total recognized in other comprehensive income	\$	1,091	\$	21	\$	3	\$	1,115

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	2020					
	Orchestra	Administrative	Academy			
Weighted-average assumptions used to determine net periodic benefit cost were:  Discount rate	3.02%	3.02%	3.02%			
Weighted-average assumptions used to determine benefit obligations were:						
Discount rate	2.56%	2.56%	2.56%			
Measurement date	8/31/20	8/31/20	8/31/20			
		2019				
	Orchestra	Administrative	Academy			
Weighted-average assumptions used to determine net periodic benefit cost were:  Discount rate	4.16%	4.16%	4.16%			
Weighted-average assumptions used to determine benefit obligations were: Discount rate Measurement date	3.02% 8/31/19	3.02% 8/31/19	3.02% 8/31/19			

A one-percentage point change in amended healthcare cost trend rates would have the following effects for 2020 and 2019 (in thousands):

	2020						
Effect on total service cost and interest cost Effect on benefit obligation		-point rease	1%-point decrease				
	\$	114 2,086	\$	(91) (1,703)			
	2019						
		%-point crease		%-point ecrease			
Effect on total service cost and interest cost Effect on benefit obligation	\$	104 1,863	\$	(83) (1,516)			

The following amounts will be amortized from accumulated other comprehensive income (which is part of accrued postretirement benefit obligation on the consolidated statements of financial position) into net periodic benefit cost over the next fiscal year:

Actuarial loss \$ 324,000

For measurement purposes, a 6.34% and 6.77% annual rate of increase in the per capita cost of covered health care benefits was assumed for 2020 and 2019, respectively. The rate was assumed to decrease to a rate of 4.50% in 2038 by various percentage points annually.

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Estimated future benefit payments for years ending after August 31, 2020 are as follows (in thousands):

#### **Postretirement**

Year ending August 31,	<u>Orchestra</u>		Admir	nistrative	Academy		
2021	\$	333	\$	49	\$	9	
2022	*	345	*	51	•	10	
2023		357		53		10	
2024		376		55		10	
2025		393		58		11	
Next 5 years		2,420		356		67	

#### **Contributions**

For postretirement plans, the expected contributions for the next fiscal year are as follows:

Year ending August 31,	Orchestra		Administrative		Academy		
2021	\$	289	\$	43	\$	8	

#### NOTE I - DEFINED CONTRIBUTION RETIREMENT SAVINGS PLAN

The Association has a retirement savings plan (the "Retirement Plan") which was established in 2011 under the provisions of IRC Section 403(b) and which is subject to the provisions of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 ("ERISA"), as amended. The Retirement Plan is a non-contributory, defined contribution pension plan covering all staff and musicians of the Association, the Plan Sponsor. All staff and musicians are eligible to participate in the Retirement Plan upon hire. The Association contributes 8% of compensation each pay period to employees classified as staff. Musicians receive Association contributions of 8 - 10.5% depending on their age on December 1, 2011. Participants direct the investment of their contributions into various investment options offered by the Retirement Plan. A staff participant is 100% vested after one year of service, if hired on or after November 1, 2011. A staff participant hired before November 1, 2011 and musicians are 100% vested at all times. The Association's contributions to the Retirement Plan for the years ended August 31, 2020 and 2019 was approximately \$1,616,000 and \$1,696,000, respectively.

## **NOTE J - LINE OF CREDIT**

The Association has available a \$3,100,000 revolving credit facility. Under the agreement with the bank, the interest rate is 4.25% and 5.00% for 2020 and 2019, respectively. The facility is available for working capital and general operating and capital expenditures in the ordinary course of business. This agreement also requires the Association to maintain \$350,000 in a deposit account with the lender, and among other things, limits additional indebtedness and the disposition of certain property. This line of credit expired on October 31, 2020 and was extended through October 31, 2021. The Association had no borrowings during the year and no amounts outstanding on this line of credit at August 31, 2020 and 2019 and through the date of financial statement issuance.

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#### **NOTE K - NET ASSETS WITH DONOR RESTRICTIONS**

Net assets with donor restrictions are available for the following purposes or periods at August 31, 2020 and 2019 (in thousands):

	 2020	 2019
Program expenditure for a specific time or purpose	\$ 9,667	\$ 9,776
Endowment funds subject to appropriation and spending	11,606	819
Endowment funds to be held in perpetuity	158,010	152,094
Beneficial interests in trusts	6,447	5,854
Pledges related to endowment	 956	 1,891
	\$ 186,686	\$ 170,434

## **NOTE L - JOINT VENTURE**

On July 1, 2001, the Association invested \$70,000 in a nonprofit joint venture. The joint venture ("Ticket Philadelphia") was entered into along with KCI to handle all aspects of the ticketing function for all events held at the Academy of Music, Kimmel Center, and other venues in the Philadelphia area. This venture replaced the Association's ticketing operations. Operating results are to be shared in accordance with a formula agreed to by the parties. The Association is using the equity method of accounting to account for its share of the joint venture's activity. At August 31, 2020 and 2019, the Association's interest in the net assets of the joint venture was approximately \$191,000 and \$567,000, respectively. During the years ended August 31, 2020 and 2019, the Association recorded a (loss) and revenue of approximately \$(270,000) and \$105,000, respectively, from Ticket Philadelphia for its share of losses and profits from Ticket Philadelphia's operations.

## **NOTE M - CONTINGENCIES**

The Association is subject to various claims and legal proceedings arising out of the ordinary course of business. Management believes the resolution of claims and pending litigation will not have a material effect, individually or in the aggregate, on the consolidated financial position of the Association.

In March 2020, in response to the outbreak of COVID-19, the City of Philadelphia issued executive orders that there be no gatherings of over 250 people and subsequently ordered the closure of all non-essential businesses. In response to these executive orders, The Kimmel Center closed Verizon Hall. As is more fully described in Note N below, the Orchestra is party to a Sublease which governs the Orchestra's use of Verizon Hall. Upon the closing of Verizon Hall in March 2020, the Orchestra notified the Kimmel Center that pursuant to certain subsections of the Sublease, rent would be abated for that period in which Verizon Hall was unavailable. For the year ended August 31, 2020, the total abated rent amounted to \$355,000 and the Orchestra and the Kimmel Center continue to negotiate the exact amount of rent that will be due during the period in which Verizon Hall was unavailable for the year ended August 31, 2020.

## **NOTE N - COMMITMENTS**

The Orchestra and the Academy are parties to a Master Lease between the Academy and Regional Performing Arts Center, Inc. (now KCI) and a Sublease dated as of February 11, 2001 between Regional Performing Arts Center, Inc. and the Orchestra, which govern the Orchestra's use of Verizon Hall at the Kimmel Center and KCI's use of the Academy of Music. The Orchestra, the Academy and KCI (collectively, the "Parties") executed an Agreement and Modification of Sublease on May 21, 2012 and a Memorandum of Understanding on January 26, 2016 (collectively, the "Lease Modifications"), which are designed to improve and make more efficient the working relationship between the Parties and resolve certain claims that had arisen among them as a result of the Orchestra's bankruptcy in 2011.

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Commencing with the 2013 Orchestra Season through and including the 2027 Orchestra Season, Annual Rent under the Sublease as modified by the Lease Modifications shall be as follows:

- a. Fixed Component For Orchestra Seasons 2013 through 2017, inclusive, the Annual Rent before any stagehand credit shall be \$1,580,000, \$1,620,000, \$1,660,000, \$1,700,000 and \$1,740,000, respectively. Commencing with the 2018 Orchestra Season and annually thereafter through and including the 2027 Orchestra Season, Annual Rent (in the amount of \$1,740,000) shall increase or decrease by an amount equal to the increase or decrease in the Consumer Price Index.
- b. Revenue Sharing Commencing with the 2018 Orchestra Season and annually thereafter through and including the 2027 Orchestra Season, Annual Rent shall be the greater of: (i) the Annual Rent then in effect or (ii) 16% of the Orchestra's ticket revenue from Verizon Hall concerts and Perelman Theater concerts.

For the year ended August 31, 2020, Annual Rent expense before stagehand credit was \$1,501,000. Due to the impact of COVID-19 and related concert cancellations and the inability to utilize the hall, rent was reduced for the remainder of the season and a fixed component was paid.

The Lease Modifications also call for certain additional performance fees to be paid by the Orchestra under the Sublease and provide for modification to the scheduling protocol of the Sublease.

The Association has several commitments under contract for renovations of the Academy of Music. Portions of these contracts not completed at year end are not reflected in the consolidated financial statements. These unrecorded commitments totaled approximately \$1,255,000 at August 31, 2020.

On December 26, 2012, the Association entered into an Office Lease (the "Lease") with Broad One, L.P. (the "Prime Landlord") for 16,139 square feet of administrative office space on the 14<sup>th</sup> floor of One South Broad Street in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (the "Premises").

The term of the Sublease commenced on December 1, 2012 (the "Commencement Date") and terminated on March 31, 2014.

The term of the Lease (the "Lease Term") commenced on April 1, 2014 and shall continue until March 31, 2023.

The minimum remaining rent per annum under the Lease shall be as follows:

Fiscal year	nimum rent er annum
2021 2022 2023	\$ 390,698 398,768 235,360

Minimum rent shall be payable in equal monthly installments commencing on the first day of each month during the Lease Term without demand deduction or set-off, provided that the Association is not in default of its obligations under the Lease Term.

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## **NOTE O - RELATED PARTIES**

The Orchestra and the Kimmel Center, in an effort to leverage economies of scale to capitalize on the strength inherent in a larger information technology service model, have entered into an agreement whereby a single information technology staff provides technology services to each organization according to their respective business needs. Allocable costs are charged to the Kimmel Center by the Orchestra pursuant to the aforementioned agreement.

For the years ended August 31, 2020 and 2019, the Orchestra received payments from the Kimmel Center and Ticket Philadelphia totaling approximately \$1,256,000 and \$1,366,000, respectively, for these services, which are recorded in the consolidated statements of activities.

From time to time, the Orchestra may purchase services from organizations that members of the Board of Directors have an ownership interest in or are employed by. There were no services purchased from organizations that Board members have an ownership interest in for the years ended August 31, 2020 and 2019.

Contribution revenue recorded from members of the Association's Board of Directors was approximately \$5,382,000 and \$7,175,000 for the years ended August 31, 2020 and 2019, respectively.

## **NOTE P - COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENTS**

The Orchestra had 168 full-time employees as of August 31, 2020, 97 of which were musicians and three of which were stagehands. One hundred percent (100%) of the musicians and stagehands were represented by the American Federation of Musicians, Local 77 ("AFM") and the International Alliance of Theatrical Stage Employees, Local 8 ("IATSE"), respectively. The current collective bargaining agreement with the AFM was renewed in 2019 and covers the period September 2019 through September 2023. The collective bargaining agreement with IATSE expired in September 2019 and automatically renews from year to year thereafter unless either party gives written notice of its desire to terminate or amend the agreement. No other full-time employees of the Orchestra are represented by a union.

In April 2020, in response to the outbreak of COVID-19 and its negative impact on the Orchestra's earned revenue, the members of the AFM entered into a Memorandum of Agreement (the "April 2020 MOA"). The April 2020 MOA was effective March 30, 2020 through September 13, 2020 and reduced the compensation of the members pursuant to certain terms and conditions. In October 2020, the AFM entered into an additional COVID-19 related Memorandum of Agreement (the "October 2020 MOA") that amends the collective bargaining agreement between the Orchestra and AFM, which originally covered the period September 2019 through September 2023 (the "2019-2023 Trade Agreement"). The changes made to the 2019-2023 Trade Agreement in the October 2020 MOA are effective from September 14, 2020 through September 12, 2021 and modify certain terms and conditions related to the employment of personnel, compensation, and service/work rules.

The aforementioned collective bargaining agreement with the AFM provides for the continuation of a Musicians' Appreciation Fund (the "Fund"), originally established in the prior AFM collective bargaining agreement, to which certain amounts may be credited by the Association to demonstrate its intention to commit to the future success of the Orchestra. During the term of the agreement, the Association will annually allocate a portion of the positive Change in Net Assets Without Donor Restrictions from Operating Activities in each fiscal year, as presented in the consolidated statement of activities of the Association's audited consolidated financial statements (the "Base"), to the Fund. The allocation to the Fund for a fiscal year shall be equal to (i) 50% of the Base for such fiscal year or (ii) \$500,000. In fiscal years 2020 and 2019, 50% of the Base amounted to approximately \$10,000 and \$8,000, respectively, which has been recorded as an expense in the consolidated statements of activities.

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## **NOTE Q - FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES**

Expenses by functional and natural classification for the years ended August 31, 2020 and 2019 are as follows (in thousands):

					2020						
	-	Orchestra			Orchestra Academy						
	Orchestra activities	Management and general	Fundraising	Total Orchestra	Academy concert and ball	Management and general	Fundraising	Total Academy	Total expenses		
Salaries and wages Benefits and taxes Performing artists Facilities and office	\$ 17,228 5,046 2,887	\$ 4,578 1,431 -	\$ 1,587 522	\$ 23,393 6,999 2,887	\$ 124 84 321	\$ 291 2	\$ 200 28	\$ 615 114 321	\$ 24,008 7,113 3,208		
expenses Cultivation and special	1,533	1,089	209	2,831	99	-	18	117	2,948		
events	-	-	552	552	490	-	44	534	1,086		
Professional fees	249	218	4	471	-	41	-	41	512		
Other fees for service Production and education	-	658	624	1,282	184	66	88	338	1,620		
program	1,055	-	-	1,055	158	-	-	158	1,213		
Travel	1,950	79	20	2,049	11	-	1	12	2,061		
Advertising and promotion	1,408	174	1	1,583	-	-	-	-	1,583		
Information technology	-	1,014	-	1,014	-	-	-	-	1,014		
Insurance	143	175	-	318	-	2	-	2	320		
Other expenses	101	250	51	402	47	8	32	87	489		
Bad debt expense	-	60	-	60	97	10	-	107	167		
Gift in kind expense	6	830	-	836	388		-	388	1,224		
Depreciation		447		447		2,503		2,503	2,950		
	\$ 31,606	\$ 11,003	\$ 3,570	\$ 46,179	\$ 2,003	\$ 2,923	\$ 411	\$ 5,337	\$ 51,516		
					2019						
		Orch	estra			Acade	emy				
	Orchestra activities	Management and general	Fundraising	Total Orchestra	Academy concert and ball	Management and general	Fundraising	Total Academy	Total expenses		
Salaries and wages	\$ 18,880	\$ 4,836	\$ 1,456	\$ 25,172	\$ 168	\$ 291	\$ 116	\$ 575	\$ 25,747		
Benefits and taxes	4,988	1,433	490	6,911	59	3	20	82	6,993		
Performing artists Facilities and office	4,238	-	-	4,238	325	-	-	325	4,563		
expenses Cultivation and special	1,957	1,227	182	3,366	96	-	27	123	3,489		
events	-	-	556	556	477	-	43	520	1,076		
Professional fees	48	263	9	320		40	-	40	360		
Other fees for service Production and education	-	986	555	1,541	199	63	25	287	1,828		
_program	1,744	-	-	1,744	135	-	-	135	1,879		
Travel	2,870	150	47	3,067	15	-	-	15	3,082		
Advertising and promotion	2,396	273	1	2,670	3	-	-	3	2,673		
Information technology	- 440	924	-	924	21	-	-	21	945		
Insurance Other expenses	149 80	177 309	39	326 428	112	1 13	- 6	1	327 559		
Other expenses			39			13	1	131 4			
Bad debt expense Gift in kind expense	2	118 51	_	118 53	3 411	-	1	4 411	122 464		
Depreciation		399		399	411	2,476		2,476	2,875		
	\$ 37,352	\$ 11,146	\$ 3,335	\$ 51,833	\$ 2,024	\$ 2,887	\$ 238	\$ 5,149	\$ 56,982		

## NOTES TO THE CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS - CONTINUED

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## **NOTE R - LIQUIDITY AND FUNDS AVAILABLE**

As of August 31, 2020, financial assets and liquidity resources available within one year for general expenditure were as follows (in thousands):

	Orchestra		Academy		Total	
Financial assets		,				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	16,506	\$	1,884	\$	18,390
Notes and accounts receivable, net		386		139		525
Pledge payments available for operations		2,855		48		2,903
Board designations						
Funds functioning as endowment available for						
operations		803		3,543		4,346
Estimated endowment payout within one year		7,838		751		8,589
Estimated third party trust payments within one year		2,920				2,920
Total financial assets available within one year		31,308		6,365		37,623
Liquidity resources						
Bank line of credit		3,100				3,100
Total financial assets and liquidity resources available within one year	\$	34,408	\$	6,365	\$	40,773

As of August 31, 2019, financial assets and liquidity resources available within one year for general expenditure were as follows (in thousands):

	Orchestra		Academy		Total	
Financial assets						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	14,420	\$	2,066	\$	16,486
Notes and accounts receivable, net		947		110		1,057
Pledge payments available for operations		4,463	231			4,694
Board designations						
Funds functioning as endowment available for						
operations		735		3,179		3,914
Estimated endowment payout within one year		5,158		780		5,938
Estimated third party trust payments within one year		2,841				2,841
Total financial assets available within one year		28,564		6,366		34,930
Liquidity resources						
Bank line of credit		3,100		-		3,100
Total financial assets and liquidity resources available within one year	\$	31,664	\$	6,366	\$	38,030

## **NOTE S - SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

The Association evaluated its August 31, 2020 consolidated financial statements for subsequent events through February 5, 2021, the date the consolidated financial statements were available to be issued. Except as disclosed within Note J, the Association is not aware of any subsequent events which would require recognition or disclosure in the accompanying consolidated financial statements.



# SCHEDULES OF CHANGES IN NET ASSETS WITHOUT DONOR RESTRICTIONS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES

# Years ended August 31,

	2020	2019		
Performance revenue				
Philadelphia concerts	\$ 4,933	\$ 9,075		
Summer concerts	-	2,025		
Other concerts	1,763	3,776		
Tours	1,876	2,519		
Recording, radio and television	210	220		
	8,782	17,615		
Performance expense				
Orchestra and concert production	29,576	34,274		
Concert promotion expenses	1,587	2,681		
Recording, radio and television	443	397		
	31,606	37,352		
Performance deficit	(22,824)	(19,737)		
Other operating revenue				
Annual public support	13,859	16,198		
Volunteer project revenue	330	496		
CARES Act related grants and other income	5,486	-		
Spending policy draw, designated for current operations	10,529	8,969		
Income from beneficial interests in trusts	250	242		
Other revenues	1,862	2,118		
Gifts in kind	826	36		
Equity (loss) earnings in joint venture	(270)	105		
Academy Ball revenue, net	7	84		
Net assets released from restrictions	4,538	5,976		
Total other operating revenue	37,417	34,224		
Other operating expense				
Fundraising expenses				
Annual fundraising	2,747	2,488		
Global initiatives and government relations	575	557		
Volunteer project	248	290		
	3,570	3,335		
Management and general				
Administrative expense	10,496	10,629		
Bad debt expense	60	108		
Depreciation	447_	399		
Total other operating expense	14,573	14,471		
Change in net assets from operating activities	\$ 20	\$ 16		

# The Academy of Music of Philadelphia, Inc.

## STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION

# August 31,

	2020			2019		
ASSETS						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	1,884	\$	2,066		
Trade accounts receivable		139		110		
Due from The Philadelphia Orchestra Association		82		-		
Pledges receivable, net		48		231		
Prepaid expenses and other assets		1		321		
Investments		21,926		20,012		
Property and equipment, net		28,601		30,641		
Total assets	\$	52,681	\$	53,381		
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS						
LIABILITIES						
Accounts payable	\$	7	\$	173		
Accrued expenses		43		222		
Due to The Philadelphia Orchestra Association		-		66		
Deferred revenue		-		41		
Accrued postretirement benefit obligation		70		69		
Total liabilities		120		571		
NET ASSETS						
Without donor restrictions		34,134		35,948		
With donor restrictions		18,427		16,862		
Total net assets		52,561		52,810		
Total liabilities and net assets	\$	52,681	\$	53,381		

# The Academy of Music of Philadelphia, Inc.

# **STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES**

# Year ended August 31, 2020

	Without donor restrictions				 Total	
Revenue						
Academy Concert and Ball revenue	\$	1,891	\$	_	\$ 1,891	
Academy Concert and Ball expense		(2,003)		-	(2,003)	
Transfer of Academy Concert and Ball proceeds to		( , ,			,	
The Philadelphia Orchestra Association		(7)		-	(7)	
Net assets released for the Academy Concert and Ball		126		(126)	 	
Academy Concert and Ball revenue (expense), net		7		(126)	(119)	
Annual public support		438		-	438	
Spending policy draw		929		-	929	
Net assets released from restrictions		4	-	(4)	 	
Total other revenue		1,371		(4)	 1,367	
Expenses						
Administrative expenses		420		-	420	
Fundraising expenses		411	-		 411	
Total expenses		831			831	
Change in net assets from operations		547		(130)	417	
Nonoperating (expense) revenue						
Depreciation		(2,503)		-	(2,503)	
Investment return, net of spending policy		402		1,588	1,990	
Transfer of endowment earnings to The Philadelphia						
Orchestra Association for Academy of Music						
base rent		(154)		-	(154)	
Redesignation of net assets		(107)		107	-	
Other changes in postretirement benefit obligation	-	1			1	
		(2,361)		1,695	 (666)	
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS		(1,814)		1,565	(249)	
Net assets, beginning of year		35,948		16,862	 52,810	
Net assets, end of year	\$	34,134	\$	18,427	\$ 52,561	

# The Academy of Music of Philadelphia, Inc.

# **STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES**

# Year ended August 31, 2019

	Without donor restrictions	With donor restrictions	Total
Revenue			
Academy Concert and Ball revenue	\$ 1,847	\$ 126	\$ 1,973
Academy Concert and Ball expense	(2,024)	-	(2,024)
Transfer of Academy Concert and Ball proceeds to			
The Philadelphia Orchestra Association	(84)	-	(84)
Net assets released for the Academy Concert and Ball	345	(345)	<del>-</del>
Academy Concert and Ball revenue, net	84	(219)	(135)
Annual public support	367	4	371
Spending policy draw	983	-	983
Net assets released from restrictions	38	(38)	
Total other revenue	1,388	(34)	1,354
Expenses			
Administrative expenses	411	-	411
Fundraising expenses	238		238
Total expenses	649		649
Change in net assets from operations	823	(253)	570
Nonoperating (expense) revenue			
Depreciation	(2,476)	-	(2,476)
Investment return, net of spending policy	(76)	(957)	(1,033)
Transfer of endowment earnings to The Philadelphia			
Orchestra Association for Academy of Music			
base rent	(209)	-	(209)
Other changes in postretirement benefit obligation	4		4
	(2,757)	(957)	(3,714)
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	(1,934)	(1,210)	(3,144)
Net assets, beginning of year	37,882	18,072	55,954
Net assets, end of year	\$ 35,948	\$ 16,862	\$ 52,810