



**LIFE PIECES TO MASTERPIECES, INC.**  
**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**  
**AND INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT**  
**JUNE 30, 2022**

**LIFE PIECES TO MASTERPIECES, INC.**

**FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

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CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

## **Independent Auditors' Report**

To the Board of Directors  
Life Pieces to Masterpieces, Inc.  
Washington, DC

### **Opinion**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Life Pieces to Masterpieces, Inc., which comprise the statement of financial position as of June 30, 2022, and the related statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the financial statements.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Life Pieces to Masterpieces, Inc. as of June 30, 2022, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of Life Pieces to Masterpieces, Inc. and to meet our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with the relevant ethical requirements relating to our audit. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

### **Responsibility of Management for the Financial Statements**

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

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

### **Auditors' Responsibility for the Audit of the Financial Statements**

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance but is not absolute assurance and therefore is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control. Misstatements are considered material if there is a substantial likelihood that, individually or in the aggregate, they would influence the judgment made by a reasonable user based on the financial statements.



### **Independent Auditors' Report (Concluded)**

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

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

We are required to communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit, significant audit findings, and certain internal control related matters that we identified during the audit.

#### **Report on Summarized Comparative Information**

We have previously audited Life Pieces to Masterpieces, Inc.'s 2021 financial statements, and we expressed an unmodified audit opinion on those audited financial statements in our report dated January 21, 2022. In our opinion, the summarized comparative information presented herein as of and for the year ended June 30, 2022, is consistent, in all material respects, with the audited financial statements from which it has been derived.

*JONES & M'INTYRE, PLLC*

February 28, 2023

**LIFE PIECES TO MASTERPIECES, INC.**

**STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL POSITION**

**JUNE 30, 2022 AND 2021**

**ASSETS**

	2022	2021
<b>CURRENT ASSETS</b>		
Cash	\$ 411,431	\$ 491,366
Grants and accounts receivable	388,872	174,407
Inventory	3,823	986
Prepaid expenses	11,899	11,901
Total Current Assets	\$ 816,025	\$ 678,660
<b>PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT, at cost</b>		
Furniture and equipment	\$ 16,295	\$ 14,140
Automobiles	136,574	69,023
Total	\$ 152,869	\$ 83,163
Less, Accumulated depreciation	81,615	70,124
Property and Equipment, net	\$ 71,254	\$ 13,039
<b>OTHER ASSETS</b>		
Long term contributions and grants receivable, net discount of \$25,708 in 2022 and \$27 in 2021	\$ 277,292	\$ 2,973
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$ 1,164,571</b>	<b>\$ 694,672</b>

**LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS**

<b>CURRENT LIABILITIES</b>		
Line of credit	\$ -	\$ 46,000
Current portion of notes payable	9,165	5,295
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	59,772	32,052
Accrued vacation	32,879	54,546
Total Current Liabilities	\$ 101,816	\$ 137,893
<b>LONG-TERM LIABILITIES</b>		
Notes payable	\$ 25,347	\$ 1,819
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$ 127,163</b>	<b>\$ 139,712</b>
<b>NET ASSETS</b>		
Without donor restrictions	\$ 431,408	\$ 265,538
With donor restrictions	606,000	289,422
Total Net Assets	\$ 1,037,408	\$ 554,960
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS</b>	<b>\$ 1,164,571</b>	<b>\$ 694,672</b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these statements.

**LIFE PIECES TO MASTERPIECES, INC.**

**STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES**

**FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022**

**(WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021)**

	<u>2022</u>			<u>2021</u>
	<u>Without Donor Restrictions</u>	<u>With Donor Restrictions</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Total</u>
<b>SUPPORT AND REVENUE</b>				
Grants and contributions	\$ 1,545,992	\$ 824,159	\$ 2,370,151	\$ 1,821,105
Contributions of nonfinancial assets	36,000	-	36,000	36,000
Workshops	35,200	-	35,200	5,840
Art and merchandise sales	4,146	-	4,146	10,594
Interest income	104	-	104	275
Other income	3,682	-	3,682	136
Net assets released from restrictions	507,581	(507,581)	-	-
<b>Total Support and Revenue</b>	<b>\$ 2,132,705</b>	<b>\$ 316,578</b>	<b>\$ 2,449,283</b>	<b>\$ 1,873,950</b>
<b>EXPENSES</b>				
Program services	\$ 1,518,728	\$ -	\$ 1,518,728	\$ 1,222,827
Management and general	212,673	-	212,673	180,898
Fundraising	235,434	-	235,434	267,628
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$ 1,966,835</b>	<b>\$ -</b>	<b>\$ 1,966,835</b>	<b>\$ 1,671,353</b>
<b>CHANGE IN NET ASSETS</b>	<b>\$ 165,870</b>	<b>\$ 316,578</b>	<b>\$ 482,448</b>	<b>\$ 202,597</b>
<b>NET ASSETS, BEGINNING OF YEAR</b>	<b>265,538</b>	<b>289,422</b>	<b>554,960</b>	<b>352,363</b>
<b>NET ASSETS, END OF YEAR</b>	<b>\$ 431,408</b>	<b>\$ 606,000</b>	<b>\$ 1,037,408</b>	<b>\$ 554,960</b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.



LIFE PIECES TO MASTERPIECES, INC.

STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES

FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022

(WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2021)

	Program Services	Supporting Services		Total Expenses	
		Management & General	Fundraising	2022	2021
Salaries & wages	\$ 679,421	\$ 98,955	\$ 121,877	\$ 900,253	\$ 784,673
Payroll taxes	69,763	10,809	12,682	93,254	80,547
Employee benefits	52,342	35,073	8,997	96,412	63,486
Total personnel	\$ 801,526	\$ 144,837	\$ 143,556	\$ 1,089,919	\$ 928,706
Program contractors	251,817	-	152	251,969	189,953
Professionals & consultants	59,802	38,132	79,217	177,151	265,989
Business & organizational	32,932	10,916	3,413	47,261	35,710
Meetings & conferences	76,126	2,674	310	79,110	-
Participant meals, activities & support	90,743	20	290	91,053	114,805
Transportation	60,683	95	785	61,563	15,657
Occupancy	42,536	375	-	42,911	18,697
Occupancy - in kind	30,000	3,000	3,000	36,000	36,000
Office	19,922	7,453	4,204	31,579	24,409
Maintenance and repairs	23,329	3,056	-	26,385	8,276
Supplies	17,198	86	10	17,294	16,964
Depreciation	10,670	324	497	11,491	11,076
Interest	1,444	1,705	-	3,149	2,611
Bad debts	-	-	-	-	2,500
Total Functional Expenses	\$ 1,518,728	\$ 212,673	\$ 235,434	\$ 1,966,835	\$ 1,671,353

The accompanying notes are an integral part of this statement.

**LIFE PIECES TO MASTERPIECES, INC.**

**STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS**

**FOR THE YEARS ENDED JUNE 30, 2022 AND 2021**

	2022	2021
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Change in net assets	\$ 482,448	\$ 202,597
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash from operating activities:		
Depreciation	11,491	11,076
PPP loan forgiveness	-	(93,042)
Decrease (increase) in grants and accounts receivable	(488,784)	(121,811)
Decrease (increase) in inventory	(2,837)	32
Decrease (increase) in prepaid expenses	2	(3,338)
Increase (decrease) in accounts payable	27,720	10,515
Increase (decrease) in accrued vacation	(21,667)	15,623
Net Cash From Operating Activities	\$ 8,373	\$ 21,652
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Purchase of equipment	\$ (69,706)	\$ (9,880)
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES</b>		
Proceeds from line of credit	\$ 100,000	\$ -
Proceeds from note payable	47,551	-
Payments on line of credit	(146,000)	(29,000)
Payments on notes payable	(20,153)	(5,188)
Net Cash From Financing Activities	\$ (18,602)	\$ (34,188)
<b>NET DECREASE IN CASH</b>	\$ (79,935)	\$ (22,416)
<b>CASH, BEGINNING OF YEAR</b>	491,366	513,782
<b>CASH, END OF YEAR</b>	\$ 411,431	\$ 491,366
<b>SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE:</b>		
Interest Paid	\$ 3,149	\$ 2,611

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these statements.



**LIFE PIECES TO MASTERPIECES, INC.**

**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**JUNE 30, 2022**

**Note 1. Organization and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies**

Organization and Programs

Life Pieces To Masterpieces, Inc. (LPTM) provides a home away from home to African American young men and boys growing up in Washington, DC's most poverty-stricken and volatile neighborhoods. LPTM's programs teach integrity, character development and leadership skills. Our after school and summer programs for 3-14 year olds provide apprentices with daily homework assistance, meals, arts, athletics, leadership development and mediation. Our Saturday Academy program for 14-18 year olds provides college and career preparation. Since 1996 LPTM has served more than 2,000 boys and young men and created more than 1,500 masterpieces.

Basis of Accounting

The accompanying financial statements have been prepared on the accrual basis of accounting. Consequently, revenue, other than contributions, is recognized when earned and expenses when obligations are incurred.

Income Taxes

LPTM is exempt from the payment of income taxes on its exempt activities under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and has been classified by the Internal Revenue Service as a publicly supported charity within the meaning of Section 509(a)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code.

LPTM believes that it has appropriate support for any income tax positions taken and, as such, does not have any uncertain income tax positions that are material to the financial statements.

Use of Estimates

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

Financial Statement Presentation

The financial statements include certain prior-year summarized comparative information in total but not by net asset class. Such information does not include sufficient detail to constitute a presentation in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles. Accordingly, such information should be read in conjunction with LPTM's financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2022.

Program Service Revenue Recognition

Workshop fees and sales of apprentice art pieces are recognized as revenue in the period the workshop is given or the sale occurs. Program service revenue is recognized on point-in-time basis.

**LIFE PIECES TO MASTERPIECES, INC.**

**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)**

**JUNE 30, 2022**

**Note 1. Organization and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)**

Contributions and Grants

Contributions are recorded as net assets with donor restrictions or net assets without donor restrictions, depending on the existence and/or nature of any donor restrictions. Donor-restricted support is reported as an increase in net assets with donor restrictions. When a restriction expires (that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished), net assets with donor restrictions are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the statement of activities as net assets released from restrictions.

Contributed materials and services represent the estimated fair market value of material and services provided. Contributed services that create or enhance non-financial assets, or require specialized skills that are provided by individuals possessing those skills and would typically need to be purchased if not provided by donation, are reflected in the financial statements at the estimated fair market value of services received.

Property and Equipment

Furniture and equipment are recorded at cost and are depreciated using the straight line method over the estimated useful lives of the respective assets, typically 3-7 years. LPTM capitalizes property and equipment purchases with a unit cost greater than \$1,000.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

For financial statement purposes, LPTM considers cash in the bank, money market funds and liquid investments with original maturities of three months or less to be cash and cash equivalents.

Grants and Contributions Receivable

Grants and contributions receivable are stated at net realizable value. Management periodically reviews the status of all grant and contributions receivable balances. Management believes that grants and contributions receivable were fully collectible at June 30, 2022 and 2021, and that an allowance for doubtful accounts was not necessary.

LPTM discounts pledges that are not fully collectible within one year to their net present value; these discounts are ratably amortized over the life of the pledge and are recorded as contributions in the statement of activities.

Functional Allocation of Expenses

LPTM allocates its expenses on a functional basis among its various programs and support services. Expenses that can be identified with a specific program service, management and general service, or fundraising activity are allocated directly according to their natural expenditure classification. Salaries, benefits and indirect costs are allocated to the various programs and supporting services based upon the estimated amount of time worked in each area.



**LIFE PIECES TO MASTERPIECES, INC.**

**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)**

**JUNE 30, 2022**

**Note 1. Organization and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies (Concluded)**

Reclassifications

Certain amounts have been reclassified in the 2021 financial statements to conform to the 2022 presentation.

**Note 2. Lease Agreement/Use of Facilities**

LPTM operates its programs in a DC public school building. The use of the facilities is recorded as an in-kind donation and expense at the estimated amount of \$36,000 for the year ended June 30, 2022.

**Note 3. Restrictions on Net Assets**

As described in Note 1, net assets with donor restrictions are released from donor restrictions by incurring expenses satisfying the restricted purposes or by time elapsing on the restrictions.

Changes in net assets with donor restrictions are as follows:

	June 30, 2021	Additions	Transfers/ Releases	June 30, 2022
Timing restrictions	\$ 254,422	\$ 570,729	\$ 349,151	\$ 476,000
Purpose restrictions	<u>35,000</u>	<u>253,430</u>	<u>158,430</u>	<u>130,000</u>
Total	<u>\$ 289,422</u>	<u>\$ 824,159</u>	<u>\$ 507,581</u>	<u>\$ 606,000</u>

**Note 4. Grants and Contributions Receivable**

As of June 30, 2022 grants and contributions receivable are as follows:

Receivables in less than one year	\$ 388,872
Receivables in one to five years	<u>303,000</u>
	\$ 691,872
Less: Discount to net present value	<u>(25,708)</u>
Contributions receivable, net	<u>\$ 666,164</u>

**Note 5. Line of Credit**

LPTM has a revolving line of credit with M&T Bank in the amount of \$200,000 which is payable on demand. The line is secured by all assets of LPTM. Interest is at 3.5 percentage points above the LIBOR rate. At June 30, 2022 and 2021, LPTM had \$0 and \$46,000 respectively outstanding under this arrangement.



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**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONTINUED)**

**JUNE 30, 2022**

**Note 6. Liquidity and Availability of Financial Assets:**

The following reflects LPTM's financial assets as of the statement of financial position date, reduced by amounts not available for general use because of contractual or donor-imposed restrictions within one year of the statement of financial position date.

Financial assets at year-end	\$	800,303
Donor restricted		<u>(606,000)</u>
Financial assets available to meet cash needs for general expenditures within one year		<u>\$ 194,303</u>

LPTM has a policy to structure its financial assets to be available throughout the year as general expenditures become due.

**Note 7. Long-Term Debt:**

During 2015, LPTM obtained a note payable secured by a vehicle, payable in monthly installments of \$461 including interest at 4.95%, due September 2022. During fiscal year 2022, LPTM paid the loan in full and obtained a new note payable secured by a vehicle, payable in monthly installments of \$980 including interest at 8.54%, due November 2025. At June 30, 2022, LPTM had \$34,512 outstanding under this arrangement. Maturities of long-term debt at June 30 are as follows:

2023	\$	9,165
2024		9,979
2025		10,865
2026		<u>4,503</u>
Total		<u>\$ 34,512</u>

On April 27, 2020, LPTM received loan proceeds of \$93,042 under the Paycheck Protection Program (PPP). During fiscal year 2021, LPTM obtained forgiveness of the entire loan amount.

**Note 8. Contributions of Nonfinancial Assets:**

LPTM received the following contributed nonfinancial assets during the years ended June 30, 2022 and 2021:

DC Public Schools – program & office space	\$	<u>36,000</u>
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**Note 9. Corporate Credit Cards:**

LPTM has corporate credit cards with an overall credit limit of \$42,000. The outstanding credit card balances are included in accounts payable in the statements of financial position. Available credit at June 30, 2022 was \$14,319.

**LIFE PIECES TO MASTERPIECES, INC.**

**NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS (CONCLUDED)**

**JUNE 30, 2022**

**Note 10. COVID-19 Impact and Considerations**

In March 2020 the World Health Organization declared the outbreak of the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) a global pandemic. The nature of the pandemic resulted in mandates from federal, state and local authorities requiring forced closures of businesses and schools. While the closures and limitations on movement are expected to be temporary, the full extent of the related financial impact cannot be estimated at this time.

**Note 11. Newly Adopted Accounting Pronouncements:**

In May 2014, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued Accounting Standards Update (ASU) No. 2014-9, *Revenue from Contracts with Customers (Topic 606)*, which requires entities to recognize revenue when control of the promised goods or services is transferred to customers at an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled to in exchange for those goods or services. LPTM adopted this standard on July 1, 2020 using the modified retrospective approach. Due to the short-term nature of the activities and services within LPTM's revenue streams, the adoption of this standard did not have a material impact on the amount and timing of revenue recognition. The adoption of this standard did not materially affect changes in net assets, financial position, or cash flows.

**Note 12. Subsequent Events**

In July 2022, LPTM contracted with a consulting firm to begin the process of acquiring property to build a new facility for its programs. LPTM will launch a capital campaign to fund the project.

Management has evaluated subsequent events through February 28, 2023, the date the financial statements were available to be issued.