



CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL REPORT

JUNE 30, 2023

AMERICAN PUBLIC MEDIA GROUP AND AFFILIATES

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Board of Trustees
American Public Media Group and Affiliates
St. Paul, Minnesota

Report on the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Opinion

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of American Public Media Group and Affiliates (the Organization), which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as of June 30, 2023, the related consolidated statements of activities, functional expenses, and cash flows for the year then ended and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Organization as of June 30, 2023, and the results of its operations, changes in net assets 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 (GAAS). Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements section of our report. We are required to be independent of the Organization 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 Consolidated 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.

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

Auditors' Responsibility for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated 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 GAAS 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 consolidated financial statements.

In performing an audit in accordance with GAAS, we:

- Exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit.
- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated 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 consolidated financial statements.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Organization's internal control. Accordingly, no such opinion is expressed.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluate the overall presentation of the financial statements.
- Conclude whether, in our judgment, there are conditions or events, considered in the aggregate, that raise substantial doubt about the Organization'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 the Organizations June 30, 2022 consolidated financial statements, and we expressed an unmodified audit opinion on those audited consolidated financial statements in our report dated October 6, 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 consolidated financial statements from which it has been derived.

Other Matters

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the consolidated financial statements taken as a whole. The supplementary information by entity and by fund (Schedule of Consolidating Statement of Financial Position Information by Entity and Schedule of Operating Fund and Long-Term Activities Information by Entity) is presented for the purpose of additional analysis of the consolidated financial statements, rather than to present information regarding the financial position and the results of operations of the individual entities and funds, and is not a required part of the consolidated financial statements. Such 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 our audit of the consolidated financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such 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 information is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the consolidated financial statements taken as a whole.



CliftonLarsonAllen LLP

Minneapolis, Minnesota
October 5, 2023

AMERICAN PUBLIC MEDIA GROUP AND AFFILIATES
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
JUNE 30, 2023
(WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS AS OF JUNE 30, 2022)
(IN THOUSANDS)

ASSETS	2023	2022
CURRENT ASSETS		
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 7,610	\$ 6,794
Program Receivables, Net (Note 4)	7,931	9,671
Pledges Receivable, Net (Note 4)	1,775	2,105
Grants Receivable, Net (Note 4)	1,583	2,424
Investments (Notes 3 and 5)	24,151	27,579
Other Current Assets	2,297	2,131
Total Current Assets	45,347	50,704
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT, NET (NOTE 7)	46,082	48,157
RIGHT OF USE ASSETS, NET (NOTE 9)	38,565	38,791
OTHER ASSETS		
Investments (Notes 3 and 5)	189,628	195,163
Endowment Funds (Notes 2 and 6)	60,310	56,057
Endowment Funds Held by Others (Notes 2 and 3)	41,847	39,354
Pledges Receivable, Net (Note 4)	397	1,463
Grants Receivable, Net (Note 4)	437	184
Broadcast Licenses	20,460	20,460
Intangible Assets Subject to Amortization	663	714
Other Long-Term Assets	228	324
Total Other Assets	313,970	313,719
Total Assets	\$ 443,964	\$ 451,371
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS		
CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Accounts Payable	\$ 4,259	\$ 4,257
Current Portion of Long-Term Debt, Net (Note 8)	3,185	3,090
Line of Credit (Note 8)	-	5,500
Accrued Liabilities	11,281	12,726
Deferred Revenue	1,609	1,972
Refundable Advance	237	691
Other Current Liabilities	3,247	3,041
Total Current Liabilities	23,818	31,277
OTHER LIABILITIES		
Long-Term Debt, Less Current Portion, Net (Note 8)	11,307	14,440
Long-Term Lease Liabilities (Note 9)	35,155	35,496
Other Long-Term Liabilities	755	992
Deferred Revenue, Less Current Portion	192	211
Total Other Liabilities	47,409	51,139
Total Liabilities	71,227	82,416
NET ASSETS		
Without Donor Restrictions	260,178	256,753
With Donor Restrictions	112,559	112,202
Total Net Assets	372,737	368,955
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	\$ 443,964	\$ 451,371

See accompanying Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

AMERICAN PUBLIC MEDIA GROUP AND AFFILIATES
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023
(WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022)
(IN THOUSANDS)

	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Consolidated Totals	
			2023	2022
SUPPORT FROM PUBLIC				
Individual Gifts and Membership	\$ 47,071	\$ 8,403	\$ 55,474	\$ 112,433
Individual Gifts and Membership - Released from Restriction (RFR)	8,880	(8,880)	-	-
Regional Underwriting	17,576	25	17,601	18,149
Regional Underwriting - RFR	25	(25)	-	-
National Underwriting	17,395	-	17,395	25,381
Business General Support	547	954	1,501	1,303
Business General Support - RFR	670	(670)	-	-
Foundations	-	6,621	6,621	2,438
Foundations - RFR	3,698	(3,698)	-	-
Educational Sponsors	174	-	174	174
Endowment Grants	2,565	(2,565)	-	-
Other Public Support	-	-	-	-
Contributed Nonfinancial Assets	2,626	-	2,626	1,861
Campaign Support	-	3,084	3,084	6,023
Campaign Support - RFR	7,864	(7,864)	-	-
Total Support from Public	<u>109,091</u>	<u>(4,615)</u>	<u>104,476</u>	<u>167,762</u>
SUPPORT FROM GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES				
Corporation for Public Broadcasting	-	5,549	5,549	6,874
Corporation for Public Broadcasting - RFR	5,854	(5,854)	-	-
Grants from Other Governmental Agencies	-	3,212	3,212	6,455
Grants from Other Governmental Agencies - RFR	3,235	(3,235)	-	-
Total Support from Governmental Agencies	<u>9,089</u>	<u>(328)</u>	<u>8,761</u>	<u>13,329</u>
EARNED REVENUE				
Revenue from Operating Activities	15,800	-	15,800	15,281
Royalties and Licensing Fees	76	-	76	183
Investment Return, Net (Note 5)	20,328	5,300	25,628	(17,692)
Product Sales and Other Earned Revenue	11,501	-	11,501	11,281
Total Earned Revenue	<u>47,705</u>	<u>5,300</u>	<u>53,005</u>	<u>9,053</u>
Total Support and Earned Revenue	165,885	357	166,242	190,144
EXPENSES AND LOSSES				
Operations	123,054	-	123,054	112,721
Administrative	12,035	-	12,035	14,008
Fundraising	27,371	-	27,371	24,131
Total Expenses	<u>162,460</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>162,460</u>	<u>150,860</u>
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS				
	3,425	357	3,782	39,284
Net Assets - Beginning of Year	<u>256,753</u>	<u>112,202</u>	<u>368,955</u>	<u>329,671</u>
NET ASSETS - END OF YEAR	<u>\$ 260,178</u>	<u>\$ 112,559</u>	<u>\$ 372,737</u>	<u>\$ 368,955</u>

See accompanying Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

AMERICAN PUBLIC MEDIA GROUP AND AFFILIATES
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FUNCTIONAL EXPENSES
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023
(WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022)
(IN THOUSANDS)

EXPENSES	Operations	Administrative	Fundraising	Consolidated Totals	
				2023	2022
Salaries and Wages	\$ 59,749	\$ 4,679	\$ 11,824	\$ 76,252	\$ 71,560
Employee Benefits and Payroll Taxes	12,865	836	2,464	16,165	15,428
Professional Fees and Marketing	16,120	2,556	9,036	27,712	23,429
Production and Acquisition	19,121	15	27	19,163	18,125
Office and Occupancy	9,507	657	1,579	11,743	11,730
Travel and Training	782	692	241	1,715	817
Interest	209	468	31	708	655
Depreciation and Amortization	3,394	617	454	4,465	4,533
Financial	380	137	1,302	1,819	1,547
Other Expenses	927	1,378	413	2,718	3,036
Total	\$ 123,054	\$ 12,035	\$ 27,371	\$ 162,460	\$ 150,860

See accompanying Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

AMERICAN PUBLIC MEDIA GROUP AND AFFILIATES
CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023
(WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022)
(IN THOUSANDS)

	2023	2022
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Change in Net Assets	\$ 3,782	\$ 39,284
Adjustments to Reconcile Change in Net Assets to Net Cash		
Provided by Operating Activities:		
Depreciation and Amortization	4,465	4,533
Realized and Unrealized Loss (Gain) on Investments, Charitable		
Gift Annuity and Interest Rate Swap (Note 5)	(8,560)	25,692
Change in Value of Endowment Funds Held by Others	(3,837)	3,524
(Gain) Loss on Disposal of Property and Equipment	25	(28)
Contributions and Grants Restricted for Capital Projects and		
Perpetual Endowments	(3,845)	(56,324)
Forgiveness of Paycheck Protection Program Loan	-	(4,661)
Decrease (Increase) in Assets:		
Program and Pledges Receivable, Net	3,128	2,264
Grants Receivable, Net	588	(560)
Prepaid Expenses, Inventory and Other Assets	(62)	(418)
Increase (Decrease) in Liabilities:		
Accounts Payables and Accrued Liabilities	(1,688)	355
Deferred Revenue	(382)	874
Other Liabilities	(454)	174
Total Adjustments	(10,622)	(24,575)
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Operating Activities	(6,840)	14,709
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Purchase of Property and Equipment	(1,810)	(1,791)
Purchases of Investments	(81,771)	(68,703)
Proceeds from Sales and Maturities of Investments	95,054	4,087
Proceeds from Sale of Fixed Asset	-	183
Purchase of Intangible Asset	-	(650)
Additions to Endowment Funds Held by Others	(147)	(233)
Distributions from Endowment Funds Held by Others	1,491	1,738
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Investing Activities	12,817	(65,369)
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Principal Payments on Long-Term Obligations	(3,090)	(2,995)
Payments on Other Long-Term Obligations	(416)	(1,422)
Net Payments on Line of Credit	(5,500)	(200)
Receipts of Contributions and Grants Restricted for Capital		
Projects and Perpetual Endowments	3,845	56,324
Net Cash Provided (Used) by Financing Activities	(5,161)	51,707
NET CHANGE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	816	1,047
Cash and Cash Equivalents - Beginning of Year	6,794	5,747
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - END OF YEAR	\$ 7,610	\$ 6,794

See accompanying Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

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CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS (CONTINUED)
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023
(WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022)
(IN THOUSANDS)

	2022	2021
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURE OF CASH FLOW INFORMATION		
Cash Paid During the Year for Interest	\$ 734	\$ 527
SUPPLEMENTAL DISCLOSURES OF NONCASH OPERATING AND INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Additions to Property, Plant, and Equipment Funded through Accounts Payable	\$ 32	\$ 23
Noncash Addition of Property and Equipment	\$ 1,271	\$ -

See accompanying Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements.

AMERICAN PUBLIC MEDIA GROUP AND AFFILIATES
NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
JUNE 30, 2023

NOTE 1 NATURE OF BUSINESS AND ORGANIZATION

Organization and Description of Business

American Public Media Group (APMG) is a nonprofit parent support organization whose primary purpose is to provide financial and management support services to its affiliated organizations, including Minnesota Public Radio and subsidiary (MPR), Southern California Public Radio (SCPR), Clearspring Holdings Inc. and affiliate (Clearspring) (together, the APM Group). APMG and its affiliates (the Organization) are engaged in various public radio, digital media, events, and other ancillary activities. APMG also operates an ecommerce website “Public Media Market,” by which APMG sells program-related and psychographically related goods to consumers.

APMG has the ability to elect or approve the election of a majority of the MPR board trustees and all of the SCPR board trustees. MPR operates its regional program production and broadcasting activities under the name “Minnesota Public Radio” and its national program production and distribution activities under the name “American Public Media.” SCPR conducts its public media operations under the brand name “LAist” and produces podcasts and on-demand audio news, information, and storytelling through its division LAist Studios.

APMG owns all of the stock of Clearspring, a for-profit holding company.

Collectively, MPR, SCPR, and Clearspring are referred to as the affiliated organizations or affiliates.

NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Basis of Financial Statement Presentation

These consolidated financial statements include the accounts of the Organization. All intercompany accounts and transactions have been eliminated upon consolidation.

Net assets, support, and certain gains and losses are classified based on donor-imposed restrictions. Accordingly, net assets of the Organization and changes therein are classified and reported as follows:

Without Donor Restrictions

This classification contains net assets that are not subject to donor-imposed restrictions and are available for general support of the Organization. APMG and its nonprofit affiliates maintain the following net assets without donor restrictions:

Operating Fund: To account for general-purpose contributions, grants, and other revenues and to account for revenues and expenses associated with the day-to-day operations of the Organization.

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NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Basis of Financial Statement Presentation (Continued)

Without Donor Restrictions (Continued)

Property Fund: To acquire and account for all land, buildings, building improvements, equipment, and broadcast licenses and certain other intangibles owned by the Organization.

Designated Fund: To account for funds intended to ensure the long-term financial health of the Organization. This includes the Earned Endowment for MPR (a quasi-endowment fund) and funds for future investments. Certain financial assets in the Designated Fund are available to the Operating Fund for temporary cash flow needs.

With Donor Restrictions

This classification includes net assets subject to donor-imposed restrictions. Donor-restricted net assets are subject to purpose or time restrictions. When a donor restriction expires (that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished), net assets with donor restrictions are reclassified to net assets without donor restrictions and reported in the consolidated statement of activities as support released from restriction (e.g., Individual Gifts and Membership-Released from Restriction (RFR)). For example: when a donor specifies their contribution is to support the Organization for a three-year period, the Organization recognizes all the future support as net assets with donor restrictions in the year the contribution is first made; the Organization then reclassifies (releases from net assets with donor restrictions) the contribution as net assets without donor restrictions over each of the three years specified by the donor.

Certain net assets with donor restrictions stipulate the resources to be maintained in perpetuity but permit the Organization to use or expend the income received from the donated assets for operating purposes.

Net assets with donor restrictions at June 30, 2023 were subject to the following purpose or time restrictions:

Time Restricted	\$ 12,090,000
Purpose Restricted	24,087,000
Funds Held For Perpetuity	76,382,000
Total Net Assets With Donor Restrictions	<u>\$ 112,559,000</u>

Basis of Accounting

The consolidated financial statements of the Organization are prepared on the accrual basis of accounting.

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JUNE 30, 2023**

NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Treasury Management and Liquidity

To maximize economies of scale and investment returns on its treasury assets, APMG administrates a centralized treasury management system for the nonprofit affiliates. Special purpose funds and cash not needed to satisfy immediate obligations are also centrally managed by APMG in an investment pool. Certain funds within the investment pool are available to meet the Organizations cyclical demands for working capital.

To the extent current cash and investments are less than the amount of assets with donor-imposed restrictions and certain assets designated by management and the board of trustees, APMG has a revolving line of credit, with up to \$35,000,000 available; terms and activity of the line of credit are described in Note 8. The Organization also has \$216,420,000 of financial assets designated for specific purposes by management and its board of trustees; any different use of these financial assets, such as for temporary cash flow or general use, would require specific action by management and/or the board of trustees.

The Organization's financial assets available within one year of the statement of financial position for general expenditures are as follows:

Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 7,610,000
Program Receivables, Net	7,931,000
Pledges Receivable, Net	2,172,000
Grants Receivable, Net	2,020,000
Investments	213,779,000
Endowment Funds	60,310,000
Endowment Funds Held by Others	41,847,000
Total Financial Assets	<u>335,669,000</u>
Less: Those Unavailable for General Expenditures within One Year, Due to:	
Receivables to be Collected Beyond One Year	(834,000)
Restricted by Donor to Time or Purpose	(1,276,000)
Restricted by Donor in Perpetuity	(76,382,000)
Funds with Management or Board Designations	(216,420,000)
Illiquid and Other Long-Term Investments	<u>(3,631,000)</u>
Total	(298,543,000)
Amounts that have been Appropriated for the Next 12 Months Without Purpose Restrictions	<u>13,452,000</u>
Financial Assets Available to Meet Cash Needs for General Expenditure within One Year	<u><u>\$ 50,578,000</u></u>

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NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Summarized Financial Information for the Year Ended June 30, 2022

The consolidated financial statements include certain prior-year summarized comparative information in total. Such information does not include sufficient detail to constitute a presentation in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Accordingly, such information should be read in conjunction with the Organization's consolidated financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2022, from which the summarized information was derived. The Organization's consolidated financial statements for the prior year are available on its website at americanpublicmediagroup.org.

Revenue Recognition

Support from Public and Governmental Agencies

The Organization receives unconditional promises and gifts of cash and other assets (support) from the public, including individuals, members, businesses, foundations, educational sponsors and others; and from governmental agencies (donors). Support is reported at fair value on the date it is received. To the extent support includes a donor-imposed restriction, the support is reported as an increase in net assets with donor restrictions, as described earlier in Note 2. When the donor restriction expires (that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished), net assets with donor restrictions are reclassified to net assets without donor restrictions and reported in the consolidated statement of activities as support released from restriction. Conditional promises to give are not included as support until such time as the conditions are substantially met.

The Organization receives conditional support from the underwriters of its programming (underwriting), who are thanked with on-air and web messages (spots). Donor restricted underwriting support is related to membership challenges and released from restriction when the membership challenge has been met. Underwriting is generally recognized as net assets without restrictions as the spots are run. The Organization may receive contributed nonfinancial support including goods and services (barter assets) from its underwriters; such barter expense is recorded when the goods are used or the services are received. For the year ended June 30, 2023, barter support of \$2,418,000 barter expense of \$2,389,000 are reflected in the consolidated statement of activities. To the extent cash or barter assets (support) are received before the spots are run, the support is reported as deferred revenue in the consolidated statement of financial position.

Earned Operating Activities

The Organization recognizes earned operating revenue largely from the distribution of its content (distribution) and ticket sales. Distribution revenue is recognized in the fiscal year as content is available to subscribing broadcasters. Revenue from ticket sales is recognized at the point in time when the live event occurs.

Royalties and Licensing Fees

The Organization recognizes revenue from royalties and licensing fees for the use of its intellectual property. Revenue is recognized as earned based on contractual agreements or when its intellectual property is made available for use.

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NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Revenue Recognition (Continued)

Investment Return

Interest and dividend income is recorded when earned. Realized gains and losses are recorded when the investments are sold. Unrealized gains and losses represent the change in fair value between reporting periods.

Product Sales and Other Earned Revenue

The Organization recognizes revenue from product sales, rental income, and other service fees when the service is performed or when the product is provided.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents represent cash on hand and cash invested in short-term instruments with original maturities of three months or less. The Organization maintains its cash in bank deposit accounts and money market funds that may at times exceed federally insured limits. The Organization has not experienced any losses on such accounts.

Property and Equipment

Property and equipment with a cost basis of \$5,000 or greater are recorded at cost, and depreciation is computed on the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of the related assets, as follows:

Building	32 to 45 Years
Equipment	5 to 37 Years

Leasehold improvements are amortized over the shorter of the lease term or useful life.

Investments

Investments are stated at fair value. As defined in the Financial Accounting Standards Board *Accounting Standards Codification* (ASC) Topic 820, *Fair Value Measurements and Disclosures*, fair value is the price that would be received to sell the asset or paid to transfer the liability (an exit price). Money market funds and cash that the Organization intends to utilize for long-term projects are recorded as long-term investments.

Endowment Funds

MPR maintains a separate endowment fund (Note 6) and distributions are restricted to classical music and new media technologies.

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NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Endowment Funds Held by Others

MPR has board-designated and donor-restricted endowment funds (the Fund) invested at the Saint Paul and Minnesota Foundation (SPMF). Under the terms of the agreement establishing the Fund, for the year ended June 30, 2023 the Organization received a minimum annual distribution of 5% of the 20-quarter moving average market value of the Fund's assets through the calendar year-end preceding the fiscal year in which the distribution is planned. The Fund is managed at the discretion of SPMF, except that MPR may direct SPMF to replace any investment manager if the Fund does not produce a reasonable return. Distributions do not have donor restrictions and are reported as decreases to net assets with donor restrictions and increases to net assets without donor restrictions, within the investment return, net, in the consolidated statement of activities.

SCPR has endowment funds at the California Community Foundation (the Endowment). These include contributions subject to donor-imposed restrictions that stipulate the resources be maintained permanently, and contributions without donor restrictions that have been designated to the Endowment by the SCPR board of trustees (board-designated funds). SCPR currently does not receive a draw from the Endowment fund; rather, SCPR has elected to reinvest all investment returns. SCPR may from time to time draw on board-designated funds by special action by the SCPR board of trustees. Distributions are reported within the investment return, net, in the consolidated statement of activities. Endowment funds held by others are stated at fair value.

Leases

The Organization determines if an arrangement is a lease at inception. Both classifications of leases, operating and financing, are reported together in the statement of financial position as right-of-use (ROU) assets and lease liabilities.

The Organization leases automobiles, equipment, office and studio space, and broadcast transmission sites (Towers). ROU assets represent the Organization's right to use an underlying asset for the lease term and lease liabilities represent the Organization's obligation to make lease payments arising from the lease. ROU assets and lease liabilities are recognized at commencement date based on the present value of lease payments over the lease term. Lease terms include options to extend or terminate the lease when it is reasonably certain that the Organization will exercise that option. The Organization has determined that available lease term extensions are reasonably certain to be exercised for Towers, but not other ROU assets. Lease expense for operating lease payments is recognized on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

The Organization has elected to recognize payments for certain leases as expense when incurred including short-term leases with a lease term of 12 months or less and leases with future lease payments less than the Organization's capitalization threshold of \$5,000. These leases are not included as lease liabilities or right of use assets on the statement of financial position. Information about these leases is reported in Note 9.

The Organization has elected to adopt the practical expedient under ASC Topic 842 to not separate lease and nonlease components from all classes of ROU assets.

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NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Impairment Analysis of Broadcast Licenses Not Subject to Amortization

Broadcast licenses are considered indefinite-lived intangibles and are tested annually on June 30 for impairment, or more frequently if an event occurs or circumstances change that would indicate an impairment in accordance with ASC Topic 350, *Intangibles – Goodwill and Other*.

The unit of accounting used to test broadcast licenses includes all licenses owned and operated within an individual market, as such licenses are used together, are complementary to each other, and are representative of the best use of those assets.

The Organization tests broadcast licenses for impairment by first assessing qualitative factors to determine if the existence of events and circumstances may indicate it is more likely than not that the indefinite-lived intangible assets could be impaired. If, after assessing the totality of events and circumstances, the Organization concludes that it is not more likely than not that the indefinite-lived intangible assets are impaired, then no further action is taken. However, if the Organization concludes otherwise, it determines the fair value of the indefinite-lived intangible assets using a quantitative impairment test.

At June 30, 2023, the Organization determined no quantitative testing of broadcast licenses was necessary, and no impairment was recorded.

Impairment Analysis of Intangible Assets Subject to Amortization and Other Long-Lived Assets

Other long-lived assets, such as property and equipment and finite-life intangible assets, are evaluated for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate the carrying value of an asset group may not be recoverable. In evaluating recoverability, the following factors, among others, are considered: a significant change in the circumstances used to determine the amortization period, an adverse change in legal factors or in the business climate, a transition to a new product or service strategy, a significant change in customer base, and a realization of failed marketing efforts. The recoverability of an asset group is measured by a comparison of the carrying amount of the asset group to future undiscounted cash flows.

If the carrying amount was estimated to be unrecoverable, the Organization would recognize an impairment charge necessary to reduce the carrying amount to fair value. The amount of such impairment would be charged to operations in the current period. The Organization concluded its other long-lived assets were not impaired, and no impairment was recorded for the year ended June 30, 2023.

Other Assets

Other assets include barter assets and prepaid expenses. Barter assets are initially recorded at fair market value and expensed as goods and services are used or received.

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NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Allocation of Expenses

The Organization's costs of providing its various services have been classified on a functional basis in the consolidated statement of activities. Accordingly, certain costs have been allocated among operations; administrative; and fundraising functions. Expenses are charged directly to these functional areas where possible. Expenses which are not directly identifiable to a functional area are allocated based on head count that directly relates to the expense.

Income Tax Status

APMG, MPR and SCPR are organized under Chapter 317 of Minnesota Statutes as nonprofit organizations. The Internal Revenue Service (IRS) has determined that APMG is a tax-exempt organization under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (the Code) and is not a private foundation, as it qualifies under Section 509(a)(3) of the Code. The IRS has determined that MPR and SCPR are tax-exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Code and are not private foundations, as they qualify under Section 509(a)(1) as organizations defined under Section 170(b)(1)(A)(vi) of the Code. The Minnesota Department of Revenue has determined that APMG, MPR, and SCPR are exempt from Minnesota income taxes under Section 290.05 Subdivision 9 of Minnesota Statutes. The State of California Franchise Tax Board has determined that SCPR is exempt from California franchise or income taxes under Section 2370(1)(d) of the California Code. Clearspring is a wholly owned, taxable, for-profit subsidiary of APMG. APMG and its nonprofit affiliates are engaged in certain activities that result in taxable unrelated business income. APMG and its nonprofit affiliates are engaged in certain activities that result in taxable unrelated business income. APMG and its affiliates recorded a tax benefit of \$3,000 for the year ended June 30, 2023, which is included in administrative expenses on the consolidated statement of activities.

The provision for income taxes was determined using the asset and liability approach of accounting for income taxes. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are recognized using enacted tax rates for expected future tax consequences of events recognized in the financial statements or tax returns. The provision for income taxes represents income taxes paid or payable for the current year plus the change in deferred taxes during the year.

Valuation allowances are recorded to reduce deferred tax assets when it is more likely than not that a tax benefit will not be realized. The allowance at June 30, 2023 was approximately \$1,361,000 which equals the deferred tax assets.

The Organization and its affiliates have adopted certain provisions of ASC Topic 740, *Income Taxes*. The provisions clarify the accounting for uncertainty in income taxes recognized in an organization's financial statements and prescribe a recognition threshold and measurement standard for the financial statement recognition and measurement of an income tax position taken or expected to be taken in a tax return. The Organization has reviewed its tax position for all open tax years and has concluded that there are no uncertain tax positions that require recognition.

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NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Interest Rate Swap

During the year, APMG made use of interest rate swap to manage their overall interest rate exposure. Other than the interest rate swap, the Organization has no other freestanding or embedded derivatives.

In February 2015, APMG entered into a forward swap agreement with US Bank National Association. On February 1, 2022, the swap agreement was amended, with the restated aggregate notional amount of \$8,165,000 that expires on February 1, 2029. Under the agreement, APMG is the fixed-rate payor on the swap, and US Bank National Association is the floating-rate payor. The fixed rate of interest is 1.735% and the fixed-rate day count fraction is 30/360. The floating rate is .7392% of the one day SOFR and the floating-rate day count is actual/360. APMG will pay or receive a monthly settlement based on the difference between the fixed rate and the floating rate. During the year ended June 30, 2023, APMG paid interest expense of \$3,000 and received interest of \$104,000. As of June 30, 2023, the outstanding fair value of the agreement was \$477,000, reported as a long-term investment. The change in the fair value of the agreement is included in investment return, net, on the consolidated statement of activities.

Use of Estimates

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

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NOTE 2 SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

Contributed Nonfinancial Assets

Contributed nonfinancial assets included in the statement of activities are comprised of the following as of June 30, 2023:

	<u>Revenue Recognized</u>	<u>Utilization in Programs/Activities</u>	<u>Donor Restrictions</u>	<u>Valuation Techniques and Inputs</u>
Office and Broadcast Tower Rent	\$ 247,000	Operations	None	Contributed rent is valued at estimated fair value based on rates used to charge other renters for similar spaces.
Promotion and Media Sponsorships	1,832,000	To promote the Organizations' mission and content to the general public	None	Contributed promotion and media sponsorships are valued at the estimated fair value based on similar items or published rates.
Services	217,000	Cloud hosting, broadband and design services used for operations and fundraising events	None	Contributed services are valued at the estimated fair value based on similar services.
Event Rentals, Food and Beverages	240,000	Donor development events	None	Contributed items are valued at the estimated fair value based on the prices of similar products used for hosting events.
Membership Premiums	34,000	Donor membership premiums	None	Contributed items are valued based on selling prices of similar items.
Training Conferences	56,000	Administrative	None	Contributed attendance to training conferences are valued based on published selling prices of similar events.
	<u>\$ 2,626,000</u>			

Subsequent Events

The Organization has evaluated subsequent events through October 5, 2023, the date the consolidated financial statements were available to be issued.

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NOTE 3 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS

ASC Topic 825, *Financial Instruments*, requires disclosure of fair value information about financial instruments, whether or not recognized in the consolidated statement of financial position, for which it is practicable to estimate that value. ASC Topic 825 excludes certain financial instruments and all nonfinancial instruments from its disclosure requirements.

ASC Topic 820 establishes a framework for measuring fair value and expands the disclosures about fair value measurements. Input levels as defined by ASC Topic 820 are as follows:

Level 1 – Financial assets and liabilities are valued using inputs that are unadjusted quoted prices of identical financial assets and liabilities in active markets accessible at the measurement date. The inputs include those traded on an active exchange, such as the New York Stock Exchange.

Level 2 – Financial assets and liabilities are valued using inputs such as quoted prices for similar assets and liabilities, or inputs that are observable, either directly or indirectly.

Level 3 – Financial assets and liabilities are valued using pricing inputs that are unobservable for the assets and liabilities or inputs that reflect the reporting entity's own assumptions about the assumptions that market participants would use in pricing the assets or liabilities.

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

The fair value of long-term obligations approximates their carrying value based on discounted cash flows, using borrowing rates currently available to the Organization for obligations with similar terms and remaining maturities (Level 2).

Investments are carried at fair value. Fair values of actively traded money market funds, mutual funds, and fixed-income and equity securities are based on quoted market prices. Fair values of inactively traded fixed-income securities and money market funds are based on quoted market prices of identical or similar securities based on observable inputs like bid prices, using a market valuation approach. The interest rate swap is recorded using ASC Topic 820 criteria, which include mark-to-market valuations and nonperformance risk (i.e., credit risk).

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NOTE 3 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (CONTINUED)

The Organization invests in private equity funds, an asset class consisting of equity investments in operating companies that are not publicly traded on a stock exchange (collectively, private equities). The Organization has an ownership interest in several private equity funds, each of which is directed by a fund manager that may utilize one or several investment strategies, including venture capital, growth capital and leveraged buyouts. Private equities are recorded in the consolidated financial statements at net asset value, which is based on the Organization's ownership interest in each private equity fund as reported quarterly by the funds' managers. As of June 30, 2023, the Organization has committed to invest an additional \$997,000 in private equities (capital calls), which will increase the Organization's ownership interest in private equities in the period the capital call is requested by the funds' managers. Private equities are generally illiquid; the Organization's ownership interest is decreased when the underlying investments are liquidated by the funds' managers. It is estimated that the liquidation of the Organization's private equities will take place over the next six years. The Organization's ownership interest in private equities is also increased or decreased based on changes in fair value, as determined quarterly by the funds' managers.

The endowment funds held by others are recorded at the fair value of the underlying assets.

Financial assets measured at fair value on a recurring basis were as follows at June 30:

	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Total
Recurring Fair Value Measurements:				
Mutual Funds	\$ 241,072,000	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 241,072,000
Money Market Funds	23,588,000	-	-	23,588,000
Government-Sponsored	-	-	-	-
Enterprises Debt Securities	-	890,000	-	890,000
Corporate Certificates of Deposit	-	5,360,000	-	5,360,000
and Notes	54,000	-	-	54,000
Equities	-	-	41,847,000	41,847,000
Endowment Funds Held by Others	-	-	-	-
Interest Rate Swap	-	477,000	-	477,000
Total	<u>\$ 264,714,000</u>	<u>\$ 6,727,000</u>	<u>\$ 41,847,000</u>	<u>313,288,000</u>
Investments Held at Cost				250,000
Investments Measured at Net Asset				2,394,000
Value or its Equivalent				<u>\$ 315,932,000</u>
Total				<u>\$ 315,932,000</u>

(1) Invested in American Funds Capital Income Builder-Class A (\$81,128,000), T. Rowe Price Capital Appreciation Fund (\$80,172,000), Janus Henderson Balanced (\$78,968,000), and other equity mutual funds (\$804,000).

The following is a summarization of the Level 3 significant unobservable inputs:

Instrument	Fair Value	Principal Valuation Technique	Unobservable Inputs
Endowment Funds Held by Others	\$ 41,847,000	FMV of Investment Funds	Value of Underlying Assets

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NOTE 3 FAIR VALUE MEASUREMENTS (CONTINUED)

Changes in recurring fair value measurements using Level 3 inputs for the year ended June 30, 2023 were as follows:

	Endowment Funds Held by Others
Beginning Investments at Fair Value	\$ 39,354,000
Additions to Endowments	147,000
Distributions	(1,491,000)
Change in Value	3,837,000
Ending Investments at Fair Value	<u>\$ 41,847,000</u>

Risks and Uncertainties

The Organization's financial instruments are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, credit, and overall market volatility. Due to the level of risk associated with certain financial instruments, it is reasonably possible that changes in the values of financial instruments will occur in the near term and that such changes could materially affect the amounts reported in the consolidated statements of financial position and activities.

NOTE 4 RECEIVABLES

Receivables Recognition

Program, pledges, and grants receivable are primarily unconditional promises to give. Unconditional promises to give due in the next year are reported at their net realizable value as current assets in the consolidated statement of financial position. Unconditional promises to give due in subsequent years are reported at the present value of their net realizable value as other long-term assets in the consolidated statement of financial position, using discount rates applicable to the years in which the promises are received. Present value discounts, calculated using a two-year treasury bond rate, which were between 0.2% and 4.9% were \$60,000 at June 30, 2023. Amortization of the discount is reported on the support and earned revenue lines associated with the initial transaction within the consolidated statement of activities.

Conditional promises to give are not included as support until such time as the conditions are substantially met. At June 30, 2023, the Organization had received conditional pledges and grants receivable of \$10,419,000 and conditional underwriting program receivables of approximately \$10,274,000 that were not recorded in the consolidated financial statements because the conditions had not been met.

Allowance for Doubtful Accounts

The Organization estimates an allowance for doubtful accounts based on a review of outstanding accounts and a consideration of historical experience. Receivables are presented net of allowances for doubtful accounts of \$697,000 at June 30, 2023 to provide for an estimate of accounts that may become uncollectible. Allowance for doubtful accounts are reported on the support revenue lines associated with the initial transaction and as an administrative expense for any related earned revenue.

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NOTE 4 RECEIVABLES (CONTINUED)

Pledges Receivable

Pledges receivable consist of unconditional promises to give to finite, special-purpose fundraising campaigns. This balance includes large, one-time gifts to such campaigns.

Grants Receivable

Grants receivable are unconditional promises to give to support the general operating or capital needs of the Organization.

Program Receivables

Program receivables consist primarily of individual gifts and membership, underwriting and earned revenue.

At June 30, 2023, program receivables, pledges receivable, and grants receivable (together, receivables) were due as follows:

In Less than One Year	\$ 11,289,000
In One to Five Years	834,000
Total Receivables	<u>\$ 12,123,000</u>

NOTE 5 INVESTMENTS

At June 30, 2023, the composition of investments were as follows:

Cash	\$ 4,000
Money Market Funds	23,588,000
Government-Sponsored Enterprises Debt Securities	890,000
Corporate Certificates of Deposit and Notes	5,360,000
Mutual Funds	241,072,000
Equities	54,000
Interest Rate Swap	477,000
Private Equities	2,644,000
Total	<u>\$ 274,089,000</u>

For the year ended June 30, 2023, net investment return consisted of the following:

Net Investment Return:	
Interest and Dividend Income, Net	\$ 13,127,000
Realized Losses	(735,000)
Unrealized Gains	9,129,000
Change in Value of Interest Rate Swap	270,000
Change in Value of Endowment Funds Held by Others	3,837,000
Total	<u>\$ 25,628,000</u>

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NOTE 6 BOARD-DESIGNATED AND DONOR-RESTRICTED ENDOWMENT

The Organization has board-designated and donor-restricted endowment funds managed by APMG (APMG Endowments) and MPR (MPR Endowment). The Organization has adopted an investment policy for both the APMG Endowments and the MPR Endowment with the objectives to: grow real assets at a rate that equals or exceeds inflation plus the draw over the long term; provide ongoing and steady annual support (draw); minimize volatility in the annual draw; and maximize investment return including minimizing fees within the constraints of the investment policy objectives. The investment policy includes a spending policy designating an annual draw of 5.3% and 5% of the 20-quarter average market value of the APMG Endowments and MPR Endowment respectively, through the calendar year-end preceding the fiscal year in which the distribution is planned. The Organization invests the APMG Endowments and the MPR Endowment in publicly available mutual funds and alternative investments to meet its investment policy objectives.

The Organization reports the original value of support to a donor-restricted endowment as funds held for perpetuity in net assets with donor restrictions. Accumulated net investment return on the donor-restricted funds is classified as with donor restriction, unless directed otherwise by a donor. The MPR Endowment's distributions are restricted to classical music and new media technology. There are no underwater endowment funds as of June 30, 2023.

In 1998, APMG's board of trustees created a quasi-endowment for the benefit of MPR (the Earned Endowment). Contributions to the Earned Endowment have come from the proceeds of the sale of for-profit subsidiaries, appreciated assets, and other prepaid contracts (see Note 12), which are accounted for in the APMG Designated Fund. From time to time, additional amounts have been deposited into the Earned Endowment; APMG maintains variance power. A distribution from the Earned Endowment of \$8,769,000 was made to MPR for the year ended June 30, 2023 in accordance with the investment spending policy. At June 30, 2023, the fair market value of the Earned Endowment held by APMG in the APMG Designated Fund was \$170,618,000.

Changes in endowment net assets for the year ended June 30, 2023 were as follows:

	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Total
Endowment Net Assets, Beginning of Year	\$ 164,079,000	\$ 56,456,000	\$ 220,535,000
Contributions to Endowment		3,025,000	3,025,000
Transfer to External Endowment		-	-
Investment Income, Net of Investment Fees	8,444,000	2,962,000	11,406,000
Net Appreciation, Realized and Unrealized	7,074,000	725,000	7,799,000
Appropriation of Endowment Assets for Expenditure	(8,979,000)	(2,433,000)	(11,412,000)
Endowment Net Assets, End of Year	<u>\$ 170,618,000</u>	<u>\$ 60,735,000</u>	<u>\$ 231,353,000</u>

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NOTE 7 PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT

Property and equipment, net, at June 30, 2023 consisted of the following:

Cost:	
Land	\$ 14,690,000
Building and Leasehold Improvements	59,527,000
Equipment	29,642,000
Construction in Progress	<u>254,000</u>
Total Cost	104,113,000
Less: Accumulated Depreciation and Amortization	<u>(58,031,000)</u>
Property and Equipment	<u><u>\$ 46,082,000</u></u>

Total depreciation and leasehold amortization expense was \$3,867,000 for the year ended June 30, 2023 and was recorded in the Property Fund.

NOTE 8 LONG-TERM DEBT

Long-term debt consistent of the following at June 30, 2023:

<u>Description</u>	<u>Amount</u>
\$3,620,000 fixed-rate, Housing and Redevelopment Authority of the City of Saint Paul Revenue Refunding Bonds (Minnesota Public Radio Project)—Series 2020, with interest due semiannually (2.36% as of June, 2023) (1)	\$ 2,275,000
\$19,785,000 variable-rate, Florida Development Finance Corporation, Revenue Refunding Bonds—Series 2014A, with interest due monthly (4.93% as of June 30, 2023). (2)	7,790,000
\$15,510,000 fixed-rate, Housing and Redevelopment Authority of the City of Saint Paul Revenue Refunding Bonds (Minnesota Public Radio Project)—Series 2014, with interest due semiannually (3.06% as of June 30, 2023). (3)	3,300,000
\$4,479,500 fixed-rate, California Enterprise Development Authority Revenue Refunding Bonds (Southern California Public Radio Project)—Series 2014, with interest due semiannually (3.12% as of June 30, 2023). (4)	<u>1,370,000</u>
Total Long-Term Debt	14,735,000
Less: Amounts Due Within One Year	(3,185,000)
Less: Unamortized Bond Issuance Costs	<u>(243,000)</u>
Long-Term Portion	<u><u>\$ 11,307,000</u></u>

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NOTE 8 LONG-TERM DEBT (CONTINUED)

- (1) On November 25, 2020 the Housing and Redevelopment Authority of the City of Saint Paul, Minnesota (the Authority), issued Revenue Refunding Bonds (Minnesota Public Radio Project)—Series 2020 in the original aggregate principal amount of \$3,620,000. The Series 2020 Bonds were issued on November 25, 2020 and will mature on December 1, 2025. The proceeds of the bonds were used to refund the outstanding principal amount of the Authority's \$9,040,000 Variable Rate Demand Revenue Bonds, Series 2010. Interest on the 2020 Series Bonds is fixed at 2.36% and is payable semiannually, due on June 1 and December 1, over the life of the Series 2020 bonds.
- (2) The Florida Development Finance Corporation, Florida (the Issuer) issued Revenue Refunding Bonds (American Public Media Group Project), Series 2014A (Series 2014A Bonds), in the original aggregate principal amount of \$19,785,000. The proceeds of the bonds were used to refund the outstanding principal amount of the Miami Dade Industrial Development Authority \$22,300,000 Variable Rate Demand Revenue Bonds, Series 2008 (the Series 2008 Bonds), which provided financing to purchase the broadcast station in Miami, Florida.

The Series 2014A Bonds are structured as unrated and unenhanced variable-rate bonds purchased by US Bank National Association (the Bank) directly from the Issuer. On February 1, 2022, APMG converted to flex private placement with a scheduled mandatory tender date of February 1, 2029. Interest on the Series 2014A Bonds is payable monthly at the flex private placement variable rate commencing February 1, 2022. The Series 2014A Bonds were issued on December 1, 2014, and will mature on February 1, 2029.

- (3) The Housing and Redevelopment Authority of the City of Saint Paul, Minnesota (the Authority), issued Revenue Refunding Bonds (Minnesota Public Radio Project)—Series 2014 (Series 2014 Bonds) in the original aggregate principal amount of \$15,510,000. The proceeds of the bonds were used to refund the outstanding principal amount of the Authority's \$10,000,000 Variable Rate Demand Revenue Bonds, Series 2002 (the Series 2002 Bonds), which provided partial financing for the acquisition, remodeling and equipping of MPR's facilities located at 480 Cedar Street, Saint Paul, Minnesota; and the outstanding amount of the Port Authority of the City of Saint Paul Demand Revenue Bonds (Minnesota Public Radio Project)—Series 2005-7 (the Series 2005-7 Bonds), which financed the purchase of two noncommercial educational radio broadcast stations in the communities of Northfield, Minnesota; and Rochester, Minnesota.

The Series 2014 Bonds were issued on December 1, 2014, and will mature on May 1, 2025, and are structured as unrated and unenhanced bonds purchased by DNT Asset Trust (the Purchaser), a wholly owned subsidiary of JP Morgan Chase Bank N.A., directly from the Authority. On December 1, 2014, MPR entered into a continuing covenant agreement, in which the Purchaser agreed to purchase the Series 2014 Bonds directly from the Authority through May 1, 2025. The Series 2014 Bonds are secured by a guaranty provided by APMG whereby APMG guarantees the payments when due for the principal and interest. Interest on the Series 2014 Bonds is fixed at 3.06% and is payable semiannually, due on May 1 and November 1 over the life of the bonds.

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NOTE 8 LONG-TERM DEBT (CONTINUED)

(3) The California Enterprise Development Authority, Sacramento, California (the Authority), issued Revenue Refunding Bonds (Southern California Public Radio Project)—Series 2014 (Series 2014 Bonds) in the original aggregate principal amount of \$4,479,500. The proceeds of the Series 2014 Bonds were used to refund the outstanding principal amount of the California Infrastructure and Economic Development Bank \$7,000,000 Variable Rate Demand Revenue Bonds, Series 2005 (the Series 2005 Bonds), which provided partial financing for the acquisition, remodeling and equipping of SCPR’s facilities located at 474 South Raymond Avenue, Pasadena, California.

The Series 2014 Bonds were issued on December 1, 2014, will mature on September 1, 2025, and are structured as unrated and unenhanced bonds purchased by DNT Asset Trust (the Purchaser) – a wholly owned subsidiary of JP Morgan Chase Bank N.A., directly from the Authority. On December 1, 2014, SCPR entered into a continuing covenant agreement, in which the Purchaser agreed to purchase the Series 2014 Bonds directly from the Authority through September 1, 2025. The Series 2014 Bonds are secured by a guaranty provided by APMG whereby APMG guarantees the payments when due for the principal and interest. Interest on the Series 2014 Bonds is fixed at 3.12% and is payable semiannually, due on March 1 and September 1 over the life of the bonds.

In addition to certain nonfinancial covenants, the APM Group is required to maintain a liquidity ratio of no less than 1.2-to-1.0, and APMG excluding its affiliates is required to maintain a liquidity ratio of no less than 1.0-to-1.0.

The annual maturities of the long-term debt are as follows:

<u>Year Ending June 30,</u>	<u>Amount</u>
2024	\$ 3,185,000
2025	3,290,000
2026	1,670,000
2027	425,000
2028	435,000
Thereafter	5,730,000
Total	<u>\$ 14,735,000</u>

The Organization incurred \$559,000 of interest expense on long-term debt during the year ended June 30, 2023.

On February 1, 2022, APMG entered into a revolving credit agreement with US Bank National Association (the Bank) to obtain an unsecured line of credit for an amount not to exceed \$35,000,000 (line of credit). Interest on the outstanding balance is payable at .55% plus the one-month SOFR. The line of credit expires on February 1, 2024, unless terminated sooner by APMG upon written notice to the Bank. As of June 30, 2023, there was no outstanding balance on the line of credit.

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NOTE 8 LONG-TERM DEBT (CONTINUED)

The Organization incurred \$170,000 of interest expense on the lines of credit during the year ended June 30, 2023.

NOTE 9 RIGHT OF USE ASSETS AND LEASE LIABILITIES

The Organization leases automobiles, equipment, office and studio space, and broadcast transmission sites (Towers) under noncancelable lease agreements. Lease terms expire at various dates through 2058, which include lease term extensions that are reasonably certain to be exercised for Tower ROU assets that range between 5-25 years, as determined by the Organization's accounting policy for leases summarized in Note 2. The Organization uses the U.S. Treasury rate applicable to the lease term to calculate the present value of lease payments when the lease interest rate is not otherwise available.

The Organization's lease agreements do not contain any material guaranteed residual values or financial covenants and generally require the Organization to pay separately for utilities, real estate taxes, maintenance, and other related nonrental costs.

The following table provides the Organization's right of use assets and lease liabilities for the year ended June 30, 2023.

Right of Use Assets

Financing Leases, net	\$ 1,716,000
Operating Leases	36,849,000
Total	<u>\$ 38,565,000</u>

Lease Liabilities

Current:	
Financing Leases	\$ 593,000
Operating Leases	2,930,000
Noncurrent:	
Financing Leases	1,237,000
Operating Leases	33,918,000
Total	<u>\$ 38,678,000</u>

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NOTE 9 RIGHT OF USE ASSETS AND LEASE LIABILITIES (CONTINUED)

The following table provides quantitative information concerning the Organization's leases for the year ended June 30, 2023.

Finance Lease Costs:	
Amortization of Right-to-use (ROU) Asset	\$ 495,000
Interest on Lease Liabilities	25,000
Operating Lease Costs	3,318,000
Less: Sublease Income	(7,000)
Total Lease Costs	<u>\$ 3,831,000</u>

Other Information

Cash Paid for Amounts Included in the Measurement of Lease Liabilities:

Operating Cash Flows from Operating Leases	\$ 3,318,000
Financing Cash Flows from Finance Leases	\$ 544,000

ROU Assets Obtained in Exchange for New Finance Lease Liabilities	\$ 1,271,000
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ROU Assets Obtained in Exchange for New Operating Lease Liabilities	\$ 9,000
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Weighted Average Remaining Lease Term:	
Financing Leases	4 Years
Operating Leases	27 Years

Weighted Average Discount Rate:	
Financing Leases	3.2%
Operating Leases	2.5%

A maturity analysis of annual undiscounted cash flows for lease liabilities as of June 30, 2023 is as follows:

<u>Year Ending June 30,</u>	<u>Amount</u>
2024	\$ 3,559,000
2025	3,324,000
2026	2,825,000
2027	2,459,000
2028	1,472,000
Thereafter	40,853,000
Total	<u>\$ 54,492,000</u>

NOTE 10 COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

The Organization is involved in various legal proceedings incidental to its business. Although it is difficult to predict the ultimate outcome of these cases, management believes that the resolution of such proceedings will not have a material adverse effect on the consolidated financial statements of the Organization.

**AMERICAN PUBLIC MEDIA GROUP AND AFFILIATES
NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS
JUNE 30, 2023**

NOTE 10 COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES (CONTINUED)

SCPR is party to a public service operating agreement (the PACCD Agreement) with Pasadena Area Community College District (PACCD) for the operation of public radio station KPCC (89.3 FM), whose city of license is Pasadena, California. KPCC provides a radio broadcast signal to a significant portion of Southern California. Pursuant to the PACCD Agreement, SCPR assumed responsibility for the operation of KPCC, while PACCD remains the licensee of the station. The PACCD Agreement is effective through June 16, 2032, and automatically extends for another 10 year term, unless either party files written notice at least 24 months prior to the end of the then-current term of extension.

SCPR is also party to a public service operating agreement (the UR Agreement) with the University of Redlands (UR) for the operation of public radio station KUOR (89.1 FM), whose city of license is Redlands, California. KUOR provides a radio broadcast signal to a significant portion of Southern California’s Inland Empire. SCPR assumed responsibility for the programming, operation, and financial activities of KUOR, while UR remains the licensee of the station. The UR Agreement terminates on April 21, 2027.

Under the terms of the public service operating agreements, SCPR must maintain certain minimum regulatory and operating requirements. Payments to the licensees under the terms of the operating agreements are as follows for the years ending June 30:

<u>Year Ending June 30,</u>	<u>Amount</u>
2024	\$ 300,000
2025	300,000
2026	300,000
2027	300,000
2028	300,000
Beyond	4,200,000
Total	<u>\$ 5,700,000</u>

The Organization has commitments related to media content agreements of \$5,363,000 through fiscal year 2024.

NOTE 11 RETIREMENT PLANS AND DEFERRED COMPENSATION

The Organization has a 403(b) tax-deferred retirement plan (the Plan), which provides that qualified employees make contributions to the Plan through payroll deductions. For the year ended June 30, 2023, contributions were matched 100% by the Organization up to 6.5% of the employee’s base compensation (matching contributions). The Organization made matching contributions of \$3,913,000 for the year ended June 30, 2023.

NOTE 12 RELATED PARTY CONTRIBUTIONS

During the year ended June 30, 2023, employees and members of the board of trustees provided contributions of \$2,154,000 to the Organization.

AMERICAN PUBLIC MEDIA GROUP AND AFFILIATES
SCHEDULE OF CONSOLIDATING STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION
INFORMATION BY ENTITY
JUNE 30, 2023
(WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS AS OF JUNE 30, 2022)
(IN THOUSANDS)
(SEE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT)

	APMG	MPR	SCPR	Eliminations	Consolidated Total	
					2023	2022
ASSETS						
CURRENT ASSETS						
Cash and Cash Equivalents	\$ 7,610	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 7,610	\$ 6,794
Program Receivables, Net	34	5,850	2,047	-	7,931	9,671
Pledges Receivable, Net	-	44	1,731	-	1,775	2,105
Grants Receivable, Net	-	1,253	330	-	1,583	2,424
Investments - Interest in Investment Pool	-	11,804	15,424	(27,228)	-	-
Investments	21,806	2,345	-	-	24,151	27,579
Other Current Assets	220	1,903	174	-	2,297	2,131
Total Current Assets	<u>29,670</u>	<u>23,199</u>	<u>19,706</u>	<u>(27,228)</u>	<u>45,347</u>	<u>50,704</u>
PROPERTY AND EQUIPMENT, NET	-	29,356	16,726	-	46,082	48,157
RIGHT OF USE ASSETS, NET	1,638	31,933	4,994	-	38,565	38,791
OTHER ASSETS						
Investments - Interest in Investment Pool	-	24,335	1,043	(25,378)	-	-
Investments	136,425	597	-	52,606	189,628	195,163
Endowment Funds	-	60,310	-	-	60,310	56,057
Endowment Funds Held by Others	2,615	37,228	2,004	-	41,847	39,354
Pledges Receivable, Net	-	49	348	-	397	1,463
Grants Receivable, Net	-	392	45	-	437	184
Broadcast Licenses	-	18,596	1,864	-	20,460	20,460
Intangible Assets Subject to Amortization	-	663	-	-	663	714
Other Long-Term Assets	18	169	41	-	228	324
Total Other Assets	<u>139,058</u>	<u>142,339</u>	<u>5,345</u>	<u>27,228</u>	<u>313,970</u>	<u>313,719</u>
Total Assets	<u>\$ 170,366</u>	<u>\$ 226,827</u>	<u>\$ 46,771</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 443,964</u>	<u>\$ 451,371</u>
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS						
CURRENT LIABILITIES						
Accounts Payable	\$ 591	\$ 3,024	\$ 644	\$ -	\$ 4,259	\$ 4,257
Current Portion of Long-Term Debt, Net	390	2,350	445	-	3,185	3,090
Line of Credit	-	-	-	-	-	5,500
Accrued Liabilities	1,835	6,393	3,053	-	11,281	12,726
Deferred Revenue	410	962	237	-	1,609	1,972
Refundable Advance	-	65	172	-	237	691
Other Current Liabilities	583	2,664	-	-	3,247	3,041
Total Current Liabilities	<u>3,809</u>	<u>15,458</u>	<u>4,551</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>23,818</u>	<u>31,277</u>
OTHER LIABILITIES						
Long-Term Debt, Less Current Portion, Net	7,246	3,156	905	-	11,307	14,440
Long-Term Lease Liabilities	1,182	29,271	4,702	-	35,155	211
Other Long-Term Liabilities	682	73	-	-	755	35,496
Deferred Revenue, Less Current Portion	-	192	-	-	192	992
Total Other Liabilities	<u>9,110</u>	<u>32,692</u>	<u>5,607</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>47,409</u>	<u>51,139</u>
Total Liabilities	12,919	48,150	10,158	-	71,227	82,416
NET ASSETS						
Without Donor Restrictions	154,720	75,703	29,525	230	260,178	256,753
With Donor Restrictions	2,727	102,974	7,088	(230)	112,559	112,202
Total Net Assets	<u>157,447</u>	<u>178,677</u>	<u>36,613</u>	<u>-</u>	<u>372,737</u>	<u>368,955</u>
Total Liabilities and Net Assets	<u>\$ 170,366</u>	<u>\$ 226,827</u>	<u>\$ 46,771</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 443,964</u>	<u>\$ 451,371</u>

AMERICAN PUBLIC MEDIA GROUP AND AFFILIATES
SCHEDULE OF OPERATING FUND AND LONG-TERM ACTIVITIES
INFORMATION BY ENTITY
YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2023
(WITH COMPARATIVE TOTALS FOR THE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2022)
(IN THOUSANDS)
(SEE INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT)

	APMG	MPR	SCPR	Eliminations	Consolidated Total	
					2023	2022
OPERATING FUND						
SUPPORT FROM PUBLIC						
Individual Gifts and Membership	\$ -	\$ 31,574	\$ 21,416	\$ -	\$ 52,990	\$ 50,626
Regional Underwriting	-	8,794	8,827	(20)	17,601	18,172
National Underwriting	-	17,395	-	-	17,395	25,381
Business General Support	-	911	306	-	1,217	1,117
Foundations	-	3,346	352	-	3,698	2,887
Endowment Grants	-	11,318	-	-	11,318	8,189
Intercompany and Interfund Support	-	6,082	3,263	(707)	8,638	3,883
Educational Sponsors	-	174	-	-	174	174
Contributed Nonfinancial Assets	-	1,261	1,365	-	2,626	1,861
Campaign Support	-	1,428	6,179	-	7,607	8,719
Total Support from Public	-	82,283	41,708	(727)	123,264	121,009
SUPPORT FROM GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES						
Corporation for Public Broadcasting	-	4,149	1,705	-	5,854	7,196
Grants from Other Governmental Agencies	-	2,430	10	-	2,440	6,968
Total Support from Governmental Agencies	-	6,579	1,715	-	8,294	14,164
EARNED REVENUE						
Revenue from Operating Activities	-	16,040	94	(334)	15,800	15,281
Royalties and Licensing Fees	6	5,787	-	(5,717)	76	183
Investment Return, Net	18	1,719	-	-	1,737	1,628
Product Sales and Other Earned Revenue	22,154	2,474	276	(13,380)	11,524	10,895
Total Earned Revenue	22,178	26,020	370	(19,431)	29,137	27,987
Total Support and Earned Revenue	22,178	114,882	43,793	(20,158)	160,695	163,160
EXPENSES						
Operations	18,230	82,254	28,733	(8,451)	120,766	122,953
Administrative	2,332	15,233	5,467	(11,194)	11,838	15,867
Fundraising	-	17,380	9,509	-	26,889	23,725
Total Expenses	20,562	114,867	43,709	(19,645)	159,493	162,545
Support and Earned Revenue in Excess of (Less than) Expenses Before Long-Term Activities	1,616	15	84	(513)	1,202	615
LONG-TERM ACTIVITIES						
Designated Fund Net Change	5,998	(2,489)	(2,096)	511	1,924	(20,922)
Designated Fund Support from Operating	-	-	800	-	800	14,640
Property Fund Net Change	(420)	443	(524)	-	(501)	(2,659)
With Donor Restriction Net Change	150	5,491	(5,286)	2	357	47,610
Total Long-Term Activities	5,728	3,445	(7,106)	513	2,580	38,669
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS						
Net Assets - Beginning of Year	150,103	175,217	43,635	-	368,955	329,671
NET ASSETS - END OF YEAR	\$ 157,447	\$ 178,677	\$ 36,613	\$ -	\$ 372,737	\$ 368,955



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